Subject: Re: But why is the RAM gone?!

Posted by HubertD on Mon, 04 Feb 2008 11:47:54 GMT

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Hi,

observing /proc/slabinfo for 4 days didn't take me any further

The memory leak keeps growing, but I can't find a process allocating that much RAM in "ps" and it also doesn't seem to be reflected in /proc/slabinfo in any way:

http://www.denkmair.de/ramgone/slabinfo.html

Free memory was

- ~2GB on 2008-02-01,
- ~1.5GB on 2008-02-02,
- ~1.3GB on 2008-02-03,
- ~1GB now (2008-02-04)

(I also attached a current dump of /proc/slabinfo at the end of http://www.denkmair.de/ramgone/)

So, again, the server has ~1GB less free memory than 3 days ago, which is not used by buffers/cache, not used by any process (at least in terms of ps rss-size), and not reflected in the privympages values in UBC.

Where else could I search for it?

Or maybe I shouldn't care about RAM, better get some RUM and, when sober again, really invest into a new server?

Maybe with many more GBs of RAM, just to be on the safe side?

Greetings,

Hubert