
Subject: [PATCH 1/3] memcggroup: fix and update documentation

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- remove trailing " Bytes"s in the demonstration
- remove section 4.4 (feature control_type has been removed)
- fix reference section

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Documentation/controllers/memory.txt | 24 ++++++-----

1 files changed, 9 insertions(+), 15 deletions(-)

diff --git a/Documentation/controllers/memory.txt b/Documentation/controllers/memory.txt

index b5bbea9..6015347 100644

--- a/Documentation/controllers/memory.txt

+++ b/Documentation/controllers/memory.txt

@@ -170,14 +170,14 @@ NOTE: We can use a suffix (k, K, m, M, g or G) to indicate values in
kilo,
mega or gigabytes.

cat /cgroups/0/memory.limit_in_bytes

-4194304 Bytes

+4194304

NOTE: The interface has now changed to display the usage in bytes
instead of pages

We can check the usage:

cat /cgroups/0/memory.usage_in_bytes

-1216512 Bytes

+1216512

A successful write to this file does not guarantee a successful set of
this limit to the value written into the file. This can be due to a

@@ -187,7 +187,7 @@ this file after a write to guarantee the value committed by the kernel.

echo -n 1 > memory.limit_in_bytes

cat memory.limit_in_bytes

-4096 Bytes

+4096

The memory.failcnt field gives the number of times that the cgroup limit was
exceeded.

@@ -233,13 +233,6 @@ cgroup might have some charge associated with it, even though all
tasks have migrated away from it. Such charges are automatically dropped at
rmdir() if there are no tasks.

-4.4 Choosing what to account -- Page Cache (unmapped) vs RSS (mapped)?

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-The type of memory accounted by the cgroup can be limited to just
-mapped pages by writing "1" to memory.control_type field

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-echo -n 1 > memory.control_type

5. TODO

1. Add support for accounting huge pages (as a separate controller)

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