
Subject: Re: ovzkernel 2.6.16-026test009.1 and RHEL 4 update 3 problem

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Ok, I uncommented the following line in the apache config:

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EnableSendfile off
```

I wasn't familiar with that option until you brought it to my attention. I restarted apache and that didn't seem to make a difference.

I checked the status of the running apache processes and none of them were in a D state... they were all sleeping.

I'm not that familiar with using strace... so I didn't get anything useful... and it seemed to detach almost immediately.

I tailed the access_log while browsing pages... sometimes the pages would show as 200 (sent) but often my browser didn't get them... sometimes the request was never received by the server.

I had a kernel Ooops and had to reboot. There was nothing intelligible in the oops message. I decided to boot to the stable kernel.

I did double check that apache in a vps has no problem serving up the files from the stable kernel... but oddly enough the weird behavior with NFS mounts *IS* there with the stable kernel.

- 1) on physical host, mounts look fine
- 2) stop my vps
- 3) all of the mounts on the physical host reflect the info of the / filesystem
- 4) I have to umount all nfs mounts and mount them again for them to work again

Weird.
