
Subject: Re: Checkpoint/restart (was Re: [PATCH 0/4] - v2 - Object creation with a specified id)

Posted by [Oren Laadan](#) on Thu, 24 Apr 2008 23:13:01 GMT

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Dave Hansen wrote:

> On Thu, 2008-04-24 at 11:00 +0400, Kirill Korotaev wrote:

>> Yeah... we talked with Andrew yesterday. He mostly agrees with a black
>> box.

>> He also said an interesting idea, that if you need compatibility
>> between the kernels (like we for example, support for migration from
>> 2.6.9 to 2.6.18 in OpenVZ)

>> you can do image conversion in user-space...

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> That sounds compelling to me. I'm definitely willing to explore it.

Filtering/convertng in user-space has long been part of zap: used to be able to migrate between both minor and major versions of the kernel (always upwards, of course).

In fact, I already proposed it as part of the original thread that led eventually to the patch in question:

<https://lists.linux-foundation.org/pipermail/containers/2008-February/009849.html>

The need to be able to specify a desired ID (from user-space and/or from in-kernel) remains.

Oren.

> Any thoughts on what we should start with? What can we get merged, most
> easily?

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> -- Dave

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