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Subject: Error running vzdump

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Hi,

the backup for this VPS was running ok till a few days back. The cron job now have this error

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ERROR: creating backup for VPS XXX failed (XXX.XX minutes): command '(cd /var/lib/vz/private/103; find . '(' -type 's' -prune ')' -o '(' -not -type d -regex './var/log/.'+' ')' -o '(' -regex './tmp/.'+' -prune ')' -o '(' -regex './var/tmp/.'+' -prune ')' -o '(' -regex './var/run/.'+'pid' -prune ')' -o -print0|tar cpf /var/lib/vz/dump/vzdump-XXX.tar --totals --numeric-owner --no-recursion --ignore-failed-read --null -T -)' failed with exit code 1 at /usr/bin/vzdump line 290.
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the error happens intermittenly, some day the vzdump completed withno error.

nothing informative in the dump log. Any idea how I should go about debugging this?

thanks

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