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Subject: *\*solved\** Problem starting VPS on Debian  
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Hi,

trief to install openvz on a debian system with no success:

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vzctl --verbose start 101
Unable to open /usr/lib/vzctl/modules/: No such file or directory
Starting VPS ...
Mounting root: /vz/root/101 /vz/private/101
VPS is mounted
VPS start failed
Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota stat 101 -f
VPS is unmounted
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```

I search all logfiles, but I cannot find something. This must be a bug (at least that vzctl is not telling WHAT went wrong)

the host is debian 3.1 and the VPS is debian-3.1-i386-minimal.tar.gz

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uname -a
Linux debian-paralles 2.6.16-026test012 #3 PREEMPT Fri May 26 08:51:46 CEST 2006 i686
GNU/Linux
```

I attached a couple of txt files that may help.

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strace1.txt is strace -f
strace2.txt is strace -ff
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Note: I run debian unter parallels on a intel-mac

The kernel is as minimalistic as possible.

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lsmod
Module          Size Used by
vznetdev        16032 1
vzmon           41536 1 vznetdev
simfs           4956 0
vzdquota        41620 0 [permanent]
vzdev           3972 3 vznetdev,vzmon,vzdquota
af_packet       22664 2
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```

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small question: why vzctl is mounting (the already mounted) /vz/private/101 to /vz/root/101 ? what does this simfs do ? it is just for hiding the original fs? so in this case it is optional, can it be disabled ?  
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### File Attachments

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- 1) [config.txt](#), downloaded 230 times
  - 2) [strace1.txt](#), downloaded 228 times
  - 3) [strace2.txt](#), downloaded 227 times
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