
Subject: Strange behavior when starting container - hostname.

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Hello,

I installed openvz on Debian eth system.

Im using kernel fzakernel-2.6.18-686-bigmem (I tried other kernels ovzkernel-* but i got some problems with networking and vmalloc).

I created container 102, set ip and hostname. When system starts everything is ok - container is going up, i can log on it.

When im trying to start and stop container, im getting this:

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arch:~# vzctl stop 102
Stopping container ...
Container was stopped
Container is unmounted
arch:~# vzctl start 102
Starting container ...
Container is mounted
Adding IP address(es): 192.168.1.1
Setting CPU units: 1000
Configure meminfo: 65536
File resolv.conf was modified
Container start in progress...
arch:~#
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bash: line 384: 9473 Segmentation fault    hostname ${hostname}
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar  3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: invalid opcode: 0000 [#1]
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar  3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: SMP
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar  3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: CPU:   0, VCPU: 102.0
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar  3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: EIP is at sys_sethostname+0x5d/0x91
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar  3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: eax: f7e78a20  ebx: 00000004  ecx: 00000001  edx: f2e22000
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar  3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: esi: f2e23f6c  edi: ec100000  ebp: f2e22001  esp: f2e23f6c
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Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: ds: 007b es: 007b ss: 0068

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: Process hostname (pid: 8449, veid: 102, ti=f2e22000 task=f2e18190
task.ti=f2e22000)

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: Stack: 61707564 b7f44808 c0110cac c0110d24 0000804b 00021000 00000004
f2e23fbc

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: f2e18190 0804b000 00021000 f7854540 0806c000 c01550d0 f7854574
0804b008

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: 0804b008 0804b008 00000002 c0102963 0804b008 00000004 0804b008
0804b008

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: Call Trace:

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: Code: d9 8b 54 24 50 89 e0 89 e6 e8 0d a6 08 00 85 c0 75 38 89 e2 89 d9 81 e2 00
e0 ff ff 8b 02 c1 e9 02 8b 80 58 04 00 00 8b 78 8b 45 <f0> 3b 45 f4 7c e1 8b 45 ec 89 45 dc 8b
45 dc c9 c3 8b 80 58 04

Message from syslogd@arch at Tue Mar 3 10:57:08 2009 ...
arch kernel: EIP: [<c01296f5>] sys_sethostname+0x5d/0x91 SS:ESP 0068:f2e23f6c

After that a lot of system processes going down and system is not responsible. Only way is hard
reboot.

I tried to create my own kernel - the same.

I tried without bigmem - the same.

When im using ovzkernel-* it looks good, but as i said - im getting network problems - sometimes
eth0 is timeouting, then i can only reboot the system.

Any ideas what is wrong and what can i do to correct it?
Perhaps its a bug?

Kernel and tools version:

arch:~# dpkg -l |grep fza

ii fza-kernel-2.6.18-686-bigmem 028stab056.1dso1

OpenVZ - Meta kernel

2.6.1814-fza-686-bigmem

ii linux-image-2.6.18-14-fza-686-bigmem 028stab056.1dso1

OpenVZ Linux kernel

binary image for version

arch:~# dpkg -l grep vz		
ii linux-patch-openvz	2.6.24-ovz004.1d3	server virtualization solution -
linux patch		
ii vzctl	3.0.23-1dso1~etch0	OpenVZ - server virtualization
solution - co		
ii vzquota	3.0.12-1dso1~etch0	OpenVZ - server virtualization
solution - qu		