
Subject: Open VNC console and Windows

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Hi *;

using Proxmox Virtual Environment, I am trying to create a Windows (7/XP) container on a i7 base machine.

I followed the instructions of the video, stored an ISO image of Windows XP installation cd in the base machines directory `"/var/lib/vz/template/iso"`, could select it.

I could start the new VM, see it pick up memory and cpu time. If I then try to access the VM via vnc console, a window opens very shortly, then it closes again and the web session (Firefox) to the base machine closes too.

After reestablishing the Proxmox connection I can see that the VM is still running, but it stays inaccessible. If I try to connect with VM -> same procedure as before.

I searched the forum but found nothing so far.

*** That statement was wrong, I just used the wrong search words.

*** If found a hint to enter the VM manually and tried that.

*** `"vzctl enter 104"`

*** the answer:

*** `"Container config file does not exist"`

*** and so it seems; there is no `"/etc/vz/conf/104.conf"`

*** but: it is a brand new container of type windowsXP ... and I don't know yet whether there should already be a conf file.

*** So still:

Any pointers?

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