Subject: Re: X11 and vncserver under VPS Posted by kir on Tue, 22 Nov 2005 08:59:07 GMT

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Chris Schultz wrote:

- > Kir,
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- > Thanks for all of your help and valuable information. As a learning
- > exercise I too am trying to build my own fedora-core-4 templates using
- > RedHat's "server" install as a baseline I noticed the dummy package
- > vou mentioned below, but I also noticed vzdev throws things off a bit
- > as well. It advertizes the 'dev' capability without a version.
- > RedHa't own udev specifies a version of 3.2-7 and some packages
- > request that. I ended up going through a painful exercise of
- > iteratively removing packages from my template's .list file and an
- > exclude statement in my yum.conf to get around the conflicts.

Can you tell me which packages requires specific version of dev so I can fix it.

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> Would it be possible to get the spec files for both packages?

Sources of all the three RPMS we supply in vz-addons are available from template metadata source at

http://download.openvz.org/template/metadata/fedora-core-4/s rc/

- > Thanks,
- > > Chris

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> On 11/21/05, *Kir Kolyshkin* <kir@sw.ru <mailto:kir@sw.ru>> wrote:

> > Eric,

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- > First, when submitting a bug report or a problem description please
- > always try to be as specific as possible. In this case it would be
- > helpful if you tell exactly the packages you have installed, the
- > commands you use to do that etc.

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- > Second, the problem is xorg-x11 requires kernel-drm thus kernel is
- > about
- > to be installed but it conflicts with our 'dev' package. If you have
- > used vzyum or yum it just bails out telling there is a conflict.
- > Anyway, to solve the problem some trick is needed. The trick is to

- have > a package installed which claims it provides kernel-drm = 4.3.0 so > xorg-x11 dependencies will be satisfied. So I have an updated > version of >
- dummy package (which is created just for those tricks) that does just >
- that; it is attached. >

> What you need to do with it is: >

- 1. Place it to /vz/template/fedora-core/4/i386/vz-addons/ directory. >
- 2. cd to that directory and run createrepo as root (if you do not have >
- > createrepo installed you can take rpm from
- http://linux.duke.edu/projects/metadata/generate/) >
- http://linux.duke.edu/projects/metadata/generate/%29 >
- 3. Update template cache by running vzpkgcache (check that this very >
- version of dummy package is put into cache), then create a new VPS >
- > and

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- go on from there (vzyum VPSID install xorg-x11 vnc-server). >
- Restoring your existing VPS would be a bit more complex... >
- Eric L. Sammons wrote: >
- >First, let me start by stating I am fairly new to OpenVZ. Now, >
- last night I >
- >tried to use the pre packaged template for Fedora-core-4-default, >
- which worked >
- >fine, then I attempted to install vncserver + X11. These >
- installs all seemed >
- >to work fine, I did notice that a new fedora kernel was >
- installed. Well, at >
- >some point I decided to vzctl restart <vpsid> and it seemed the
- image started, >
- >but I could not access it via ssh or vzctl enter. When hardware >
- 0 reboots it
- >shows OpenVZ starts, but that VPS 101 fails to start. >
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- >So any idea how I might set up X11 under a VPS? Also, along the >
- same note, is >
- >there a good reference on how to build my own template? >
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- >Thanks! >
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