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Subject: Should I switch to KVM with Centos 6?

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I am currently running OpenVZ on Centos 5. My VMs are all running the same version of Centos and are web servers (running nginx, mysql, and php).

Should I spend a lot of time investigating switching to KVM when we do the Centos 6 upgrade?

Are there any advantages to me to switch to KVM?

I figure that KVM is now very well integrated into RHEL 6 and will be well supported. But, I like how light-weight virtualization is with OpenVZ.

Will OpenVZ on Centos 6 be as efficient as KVM will be?

Basically, I'm looking for the pros and cons of each virtualization package for my situation and whether I should switch to KVM?

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