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Subject: Re: Crazy IO utilization in VE running on Debian Squeeze host  
Posted by [Valentine Gostev](#) on Wed, 09 Mar 2011 19:51:57 GMT

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Hi Pavel,

2.6.18 (EL5) and 2.6.9 (EL4) are considered as stable branches of OpenVZ kernel

2.6.32 is development.

I used 2.6.32 for tests (RHEL6) - such problems were not met.

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> Folks,

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> I tried using OpenVZ(2.6.32-5-openvz-amd64) on a Debian Squeeze host  
> and I faced crazy IO utilization numbers(99-101%) for a VE which has  
> unlimited resources.

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> The VE is running Percona Server(a patched version of MySQL). I've  
> never had such issues with it on the same load on the "real" hardware  
> node.

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> And the worst part - I've faced several INNODB data corruptions in VE.  
> After that I moved Percona onto the hardware node and now all IO  
> problems are gone(at least running 6 hours without a glitch as of this  
> writing)....

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> Maybe it's not a good idea to use OpenVZ 2.6.32 kernel on production  
> yet? If yes, what is the best version of OpenVZ kernel to be used on  
> production?

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> Best regards, Pavel

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Best regards,  
Valentine Gostev

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