Subject: Re: Xen hypervisor vs OpenVZ
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> I don't know, but I would consider the real competition to be between
> OpenVZ and libvirt/KVM - I don't think Xen is going anywhere in the long
> term.
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> KVM supports the use of kernel-same-page-merging (KSM), which OpenVZ
> doesn't (yet?). For some applications KSM can be a big win...
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> We currently use/support both OpenVZ and kvm.
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> Tim.
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> Thanks Tim ... from a pure performance standpoint, I'd imagine that any kind of emulation/virtualization would have an overhead which is more than openvz . So, if the usecase does not involve running different kernels, then openvz style partitioning of system resources would yield more performance. I am looking for more evidence supporting that :)

Regards,
Kashyap