
Subject: Re: OS/app in the OpenVZ container

Posted by [Stoyan Stoyanov](#) on Thu, 10 Nov 2011 09:29:01 GMT

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If that's right you just need to isolate the application process/processes ? So maybe the best way is just chroot it in the standard linux way. of course you can set limits too, but I don't think it's possible in os-virtualization level to run only application?

On Nov 10, 2011, at 10:59 AM, Tommy wrote:

> Yes, it's possible to run a single app in a container.
> The easiest way is to let the startup scripts setup /proc, /sysfs
> and the rest of environment and then specify in initram or rc.X what
> to run on this particular runlevel.
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> However, for media player you may also need to run some of X parts,
> not just a media player alone.

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> Thanks,
> Kirill

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> On Nov 10, 2011, at 11:29 , Tommy wrote:

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> Hi All,
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> I'm doing some research on processing virtual machine recently.
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> As I what know now, I think OpenVZ vps runs the same OS kernel as
> the host system.
> The vps is a group of processes which are forked on the host system.
> In the OpenVZ container, there are some processes to run an os.
> Is it possible to run only one App in the container instead of the
> os based on the host os? such as a media player?
> what are work should I need to do mainly?
> could you give me some suggestion?

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> Thanks.

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> Tommy
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> hello,
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> I think I didn't describe my question clearly
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> If I want to start an app in the container, i should do the
> following step:
> 1.create a container ,start it and there is an Guest OS running
> in the container now;
> 2.enter the container and start the app I want;
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> it acts as a system virtual machine
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> what i want to do is :
> 1.create the container
> 2.start the app in the container
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> this will act as a process virtual machine
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> any suggestion?
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> thanks
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