## Subject: [PATCH v3 00/28] kmem limitation for memcg Posted by Glauber Costa on Fri, 25 May 2012 13:03:20 GMT

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Hello All,

This is my new take for the memcg kmem accounting. This should merge all of the previous comments from you, plus fix a bunch of bugs.

At this point, I consider the series pretty mature. Since last submission 2 weeks ago, I focused on broadening the testing coverage. Some bugs were fixed, but that of course doesn't mean no bugs exist.

I believe some of the early patches here are already in some trees around. I don't know who should pick this, so if everyone agrees with what's in here, please just ack them and tell me which tree I should aim for (-mm? Hocko's?) and I'll rebase it.

I should point out again that most, if not all, of the code in the caches are wrapped in static\_key areas, meaning they will be completely patched out until the first limit is set. Enabling and disabling of static\_keys incorporate the last fixes for sock memcg, and should be pretty robust.

I also put a lot of effort, as you will all see, in the proper separation of the patches, so the review process is made as easy as the complexity of the work allows to.

## [ v3 ]

- \* fixed lockdep bugs in slab (ordering of get\_online\_cpus() vs slab\_mutex)
- \* improved style in slab and slub with less #ifdefs in-code
- \* tested and fixed hierarchical accounting (memcg: propagate kmem limiting...)
- \* some more small bug fixes
- \* No longer using res\_counter\_charge\_nofail for GFP\_NOFAIL submissions. Those go to the root memcg directly.
- \* reordered tests in mem\_cgroup\_get\_kmem\_cache so we exit even earlier for tasks in root memcg
- \* no more memcg state for slub initialization
- \* do\_tune\_cpucache will always (only after FULL) propagate to children when they exist.
- \* slab itself will destroy the kmem\_cache string for chained caches, so we don't need to bother with consistency between them.
- \* other minor issues

## [ v2 ]

- \* memcgs can be properly removed.
- \* We are not charging based on current->mm->owner instead of current
- \* kmem\_large allocations for slub got some fixes, specially for the free case
- \* A cache that is registered can be properly removed (common module case) even if it spans memcg children. Slab had some code for that, now it works

well with both

\* A new mechanism for skipping allocations is proposed (patch posted separately already). Now instead of having kmalloc\_no\_account, we mark a region as non-accountable for memcg.

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Glauber Costa (25):
 slab: move FULL state transition to an initcall
 memcg: Always free struct memcg through schedule_work()
 slab: rename gfpflags to allocflags
 slab: use obj size field of struct kmem cache when not debugging
 memcg: change defines to an enum
 res counter: don't force return value checking in
  res_counter_charge_nofail
 kmem slab accounting basic infrastructure
 slab/slub: struct memcg_params
 slub: consider a memcg parameter in kmem_create_cache
 slab: pass memcg parameter to kmem cache create
 slub: create duplicate cache
 slab: create duplicate cache
 slub: always get the cache from its page in kfree
 memcg: kmem controller charge/uncharge infrastructure
 skip memcq kmem allocations in specified code regions
 slub: charge allocation to a memcg
 slab: per-memcg accounting of slab caches
 memcg: disable kmem code when not in use.
 memcg: destroy memcg caches
 memcg/slub: shrink dead caches
 slab: Track all the memcg children of a kmem cache.
 slub: create slabinfo file for memcg
 slub: track all children of a kmem cache
 memcg: propagate kmem limiting information to children
 Documentation: add documentation for slab tracker for memcg
Suleiman Souhlal (3):
 memcg: Make it possible to use the stock for more than one page.
 memcg: Reclaim when more than one page needed.
 memcg: Per-memcg memory.kmem.slabinfo file.
Documentation/cgroups/memory.txt | 33 ++
include/linux/memcontrol.h
                            | 101 ++++
include/linux/res counter.h
                             | 2+-
include/linux/sched.h
                              1+
                          | 32 ++
include/linux/slab.h
include/linux/slab_def.h | 79 ++++-
                           | 68 +++-
include/linux/slub def.h
init/Kconfig
                       | 2 +-
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mm/memcontrol.c

mm/slab.c

| 423 ++++++++++++

mm/slub.c | 282 ++++++++-11 files changed, 1787 insertions(+), 133 deletions(-) 1.7.7.6