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Subject: Re: [PATCH v4 05/25] memcg: Always free struct memcg through  
schedule\_work()

Posted by [KAMEZAWA Hiroyuki](#) on Tue, 19 Jun 2012 00:11:20 GMT

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(2012/06/18 21:10), Glauber Costa wrote:

> On 06/18/2012 04:07 PM, Kamezawa Hiroyuki wrote:

>> (2012/06/18 19:27), Glauber Costa wrote:

>>> Right now we free struct memcg with kfree right after a  
>>> rcu grace period, but defer it if we need to use vfree() to get  
>>> rid of that memory area. We do that by need, because we need vfree  
>>> to be called in a process context.

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>>> This patch unifies this behavior, by ensuring that even kfree will  
>>> happen in a separate thread. The goal is to have a stable place to  
>>> call the upcoming jump label destruction function outside the realm  
>>> of the complicated and quite far-reaching cgroup lock (that can't be  
>>> held when calling neither the cpu\_hotplug.lock nor the jump\_label\_mutex)

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>> How about cut out this patch and merge first as simple clean up and  
>> to reduce patch stack on your side ?

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> I believe this is already in the -mm tree (from the sock memcg fixes)

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> But actually, my main trouble with this series here, is that I am basing  
> it on Pekka's tree, while some of the fixes are in -mm already.

> If I'd base it on -mm I would lose some of the stuff as well.

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> Maybe Pekka can merge the current -mm with his tree?

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> So far I am happy with getting comments from people about the code, so I  
> did not get overly concerned about that.

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Sure. thank you.

-Kame

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