
Subject: unable to detect lvm volume group
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Hello,

i'm getting "unable to detect lvm volume group" if i want to create a snapshot of my ve

My command line: `vzdump --snapshot --dumpdir /backup 101`

My setup is:

```
/dev/sda3      4,6G 1,7G 2,8G 37% /  
none          993M 184K 993M  1% /dev  
none          1000M  0 1000M  0% /dev/shm  
none          1000M 44K 1000M  1% /var/run  
none          1000M  0 1000M  0% /var/lock  
none          1000M  0 1000M  0% /lib/init/rw  
/dev/mapper/sysvg-backup  
              7,9G 7,4G 157M 98% /backup  
/dev/mapper/sysvg-vz 54G 21G 31G 41% /var/lib/vz  
/dev/sda1     138M 57M 74M 44% /boot
```

```
root@openvz:~# vgdisplay  
--- Volume group ---  
VG Name          sysvg  
System ID  
Format           lvm2  
Metadata Areas   2  
Metadata Sequence No 9  
VG Access        read/write  
VG Status        resizable  
MAX LV           0  
Cur LV          2  
Open LV          2  
Max PV           0  
Cur PV          2  
Act PV           2  
VG Size          63,25 GiB  
PE Size          32,00 MiB  
Total PE         2024  
Alloc PE / Size  1984 / 62,00 GiB  
Free PE / Size   40 / 1,25 GiB  
VG UUID          lsLu7N-kV54-sTk8-o4Ti-0rAM-zuZA-JBrbtG
```

OS: ubuntu 10.04

Kernel: openvz 2.6.32-042stab049.6

vzdump: 1.2.4-2 (from ubuntu)

I am getting the same error with /backup lying on a physical volume (sda5)

Is this maybe a bug? I got it working this way on a debian lenny system without any problems (all software from distribution)

regards
hjt
