Subject: Re: [ckrm-tech] [RFC][PATCH 5/7] UBC: kernel memory accounting (core) Posted by Dave Hansen on Fri, 18 Aug 2006 14:58:33 GMT

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On Fri, 2006-08-18 at 13:31 +0400, Kirill Korotaev wrote:

- > they all are troublesome :/
- > user can create lots of vmas, w/o page tables.
- > lots of fdsets, ipcids.
- > These are not reclaimable.

I guess one of my big questions surrounding these patches is why the accounting is done with pages. If there really is a need to limit these different kernel objects, then why not simply write patches to limit *these* *objects*? I trust there is a very good technical reason for doing this, I just don't understand why, yet.

-- Dave