Subject: Re: [RFC][PATCH 1/2] add user namespace [try #2] Posted by dev on Fri, 08 Sep 2006 15:45:02 GMT

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> On Thu, Sep 07, 2006 at 08:05:30PM +0400, Kirill Korotaev wrote:
>>BTW...
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>>>--- 2.6.18-rc4-mm3.orig/include/linux/sched.h
>>>+++ 2.6.18-rc4-mm3/include/linux/sched.h
>>>@@ -26.6 +26.7 @@
>>> #define CLONE_STOPPED 0x02000000 /* Start in stopped state */
>>> #define CLONE_NEWUTS 0x04000000 /* New utsname group? */
>>> #define CLONE_NEWIPC 0x08000000 /* New ipcs */
>>>+#define CLONE NEWUSER 0x10000000 /* New user */
>>
>>we have place for 3 namespaces more only.
>>Does anyone have a plan what to do then?
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> what about having a new clone syscall with 32 or
> better 64 bits reserved for namespace stuff, and
> only put basic/generic namespaces or even aggregate
> flags into the existing clone interface?
>
> something like: uts+ipc+user -> CLONE_NEWXYZ
> but CLONE2 NEWUTS, CLONE2 NEWIPC, CLONE2 NEWUSER
I would suggest to do it another way then:
remove CLONES_NEWXXXNS from clone() at all (except for MNT NS for compatibility)
and introduce sys clone ns() with totatally new 64bit flags like
CLONE_NS_UTS
CLONE_NS_IPC
CLONE_NS_USER
CLONE_NS_NET
etc.
Thanks,
Kirill
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