
Subject: Re: [PATCH 1/1] Fix a panic while mounting containers on powerpc and some other small cleanups (Re: [

Posted by [Paul Menage](#) on Mon, 15 Jan 2007 09:22:16 GMT

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On 1/15/07, Balbir Singh <balbir@in.ibm.com> wrote:

>
> In sched.c, account_user_time() can be called with the task p set to rq->idle.
> Since idle tasks do not belong to any container, this was causing a panic in
> task_ca() in cpu_acct.c.

How come that didn't cause a problem on x86_64? If this is an inconsistency between architectures then perhaps it ought to be cleaned up.

Additionally, I think that we should make the idle tasks members of the root container(s), to remove this special case. (I'm a bit surprised that they're not already - I thought that the early container initialization was early enough that the idle tasks hadn't yet been forked. Is that different on PowerPC?

>
> Multiplying the time by 1000 is not correct in cputime_usage_read(). The code
> has been converted to use the correct cputime API.

Thanks.

>
> Add mount/umount callbacks.

I'm not sure I like the mount/unmount callbacks. What exactly are you trying to gain from them? My intention was that the

cont->subsys[i]->container = cont;

line in container_get_sb() was doing essentially this - i.e. the container_subsys_state for the root container in a subsystem is already kept up to date by the container system, and the subsystem can rely on the "container" field in the container_subsys_state.

Thanks,

Paul

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> kernel/cpu_acct.c | 29 ++++++-----+
> kernel/sched.c   | 17 ++++++-----
> 2 files changed, 34 insertions(+), 12 deletions(-)
>
> diff -puN kernel/cpu_acct.c~fix-cpuacct-panic-on-mount kernel/cpu_acct.c
> --- linux-2.6.20-rc3/kernel/cpu_acct.c~fix-cpuacct-panic-on-moun t 2007-01-15
> 14:23:20.000000000 +0530
> +++ linux-2.6.20-rc3-balbir/kernel/cpu_acct.c 2007-01-15 14:23:20.000000000 +0530
> @@ -22,6 +22,7 @@ struct cpuacct {
> };
>
> static struct container_subsys cpuacct_subsys;
> +static struct container *root;
>
> static inline struct cpuacct *container_ca(struct container *cont)
> {
> @@ -49,6 +50,16 @@ static void cpuacct_destroy(struct conta
>         kfree(container_ca(cont));
> }
>
> +static void cpuacct_mount(struct container_subsys *ss, struct container *cont)
> +{
> +    root = cont;
> +}
> +
> +static void cpuacct_umount(struct container_subsys *ss, struct container *cont)
> +{
> +    root = NULL;
> +}
> +
> static ssize_t cpuusage_read(struct container *cont,
>                             struct cftype *cft,
>                             struct file *file,
> @@ -57,6 +68,7 @@ static ssize_t cpuusage_read(struct cont
> {
>     struct cpuacct *ca = container_ca(cont);
>     cputime64_t time;
> +    unsigned long time_in_jiffies;
>     char usagebuf[64];
>     char *s = usagebuf;
>
> @@ -64,9 +76,8 @@ static ssize_t cpuusage_read(struct cont
>     time = ca->time;
>     spin_unlock_irq(&ca->lock);
>
> -    time *= 1000;
> -    do_div(time, HZ);
> -    s += sprintf(s, "%llu", (unsigned long long) time);

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> +     time_in_jiffies = cputime_to_jiffies(time);
> +     s += sprintf(s, "%llu\n", (unsigned long long) time_in_jiffies);
>
>     return simple_read_from_buffer(buf, nbytes, ppos, usagebuf, s - usagebuf);
> }
> @@ -83,12 +94,13 @@ static int cpacct_populate(struct conta
> }
>
>
> -void cpacct_charge(struct task_struct *task, cputime_t cputime) {
> +void cpacct_charge(struct task_struct *task, cputime_t cputime)
> +{
>
>     struct cpacct *ca;
>     unsigned long flags;
>
> -    if (cpacct_subsys.subsys_id < 0) return;
> +    if (cpacct_subsys.subsys_id < 0 || !root) return;
>     rCU_read_lock();
>     ca = task_ca(task);
>     if (ca) {
> @@ -104,13 +116,18 @@ static struct container_subsys cpacct_s
>         .create = cpacct_create,
>         .destroy = cpacct_destroy,
>         .populate = cpacct_populate,
> +        .mount = cpacct_mount,
> +        .umount = cpacct_umount,
>         .subsys_id = -1,
>     };
>
>
>     int __init init_cpacct(void)
>     {
> -        int id = container_register_subsys(&cpacct_subsys);
> +        int id;
> +
> +        root = NULL;
> +        id = container_register_subsys(&cpacct_subsys);
>         return id < 0 ? id : 0;
>     }
>
> diff -puN kernel/sched.c~fix-cpacct-panic-on-mount kernel/sched.c
> --- linux-2.6.20-rc3/kernel/sched.c~fix-cpacct-panic-on-mount 2007-01-15
> 14:23:20.000000000 +0530
> +++ linux-2.6.20-rc3-balbir/kernel/sched.c 2007-01-15 14:23:20.000000000 +0530
> @@ -3067,10 +3067,17 @@ void account_user_time(struct task_struc
> {
>     struct cpu_usage_stat *cpustat = &kstat_this_cpu.cpustat;

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>     cputime64_t tmp;
> +
>     struct rq *rq = this_rq();
>
>     p->utime = cputime_add(p->utime, cputime);
>
> -     cpuacct_charge(p, cputime);
> +
>     /*
> +      * On powerpc this routine can be called with p set to the idle
> +      * task of the cpu. idle tasks don't really belong to any
> +      * container.
> +      */
> +
>     if (p != rq->idle)
> +
>         cpuacct_charge(p, cputime);
>
>     /* Add user time to cpustat. */
>     tmp = cputime_to_cputime64(cputime);
> @@ -3095,18 +3102,16 @@ void account_system_time(struct task_struct *task, struct cpustat64 *cpustat)
>
>     p->stime = cputime_add(p->stime, cputime);
>
> -     if (p != rq->idle)
> -         cpuacct_charge(p, cputime);
> -
>     /* Add system time to cpustat. */
>     tmp = cputime_to_cputime64(cputime);
>     if (hardirq_count() - hardirq_offset)
>         cpustat->irq = cputime64_add(cpustat->irq, tmp);
>     else if (softirq_count())
>         cpustat->softirq = cputime64_add(cpustat->softirq, tmp);
> -     else if (p != rq->idle)
> +
>     else if (p != rq->idle) {
>         cpustat->system = cputime64_add(cpustat->system, tmp);
> -     else if (atomic_read(&rq->nr_iowait) > 0)
> +         cpuacct_charge(p, cputime);
> +
>     } else if (atomic_read(&rq->nr_iowait) > 0)
>         cpustat->iowait = cputime64_add(cpustat->iowait, tmp);
>     else
>         cpustat->idle = cputime64_add(cpustat->idle, tmp);
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