
Subject: [PATCH 0/6] SUNRPC: make RPC clients use network-namespace-aware PipeFS routines

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This patch set was created in context of clone of git
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tag: v3.1

This patch set depends on previous patch sets titled:

- 1) "SUNRPC: initial part of making pipefs work in net ns"
- 2) "SUNRPC: cleanup PipeFS for network-namespace-aware users"

This patch set is a first part of reworking SUNRPC PipeFS users.

It makes SUNRPC clients using PipeFS notifications for directory and GSS pipes
dentries creation. With this patch set RPC clients and GSS auth creations
routines doesn't force SUNRPC PipeFS mount point creation which actually means,
that they now can work without PipeFS dentries.

The following series consists of:

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- SUNRPC: handle RPC client pipefs dentries by network namespace aware routines
- SUNRPC: handle GSS AUTH pipes by network namespace aware routines
- SUNRPC: subscribe RPC clients to pipefs notifications
- SUNRPC: remove RPC client pipefs dentries after unregister
- SUNRPC: remove RPC pipefs mount point manipulations from RPC clients code
- SUNRPC: remove RPC PipeFS mount point reference from RPC client

```
fs/nfs/idmap.c          |  4 +
fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c  |  2 -
include/linux/nfs.h      |  2 -
include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h |  2 +
include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h |  2 -
net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c | 101 ++++++-----
net/sunrpc/clnt.c        | 151 ++++++-----
net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c    |  19 +++-
net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h      |  2 +
9 files changed, 218 insertions(+), 67 deletions(-)
```

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Subject: [PATCH 1/6] SUNRPC: handle RPC client pipefs dentries by network namespace aware routines

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This patch makes RPC clients PipeFs dentries allocations in it's owner network namespace context.

RPC client pipefs dentries creation logic has been changed:

- 1) Pipefs dentries creation by sb was moved to separated function, which will be used for handling PipeFS mount notification.
- 2) Initial value of RPC client PipeFS dir dentry is set no NULL now.

RPC client pipefs dentries cleanup logic has been changed:

- 1) Cleanup is done now in separated `rpc_remove_pipedir()` function, which takes care about pipefs superblock locking.

Also this patch removes slashes from `cb_program.pipe_dir_name` and from `NFS_PIPE_DIRNAME` to make `rpc_d_lookup_sb()` work. This doesn't affect `vfs_path_lookup()` results in `nfs4blocklayout_init()` since this slash is cutted off anyway in `link_path_walk()`.

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```
---
fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c | 2 +
include/linux/nfs.h    | 2 +
net/sunrpc/clnt.c      | 93 ++++++-----
3 files changed, 62 insertions(+), 35 deletions(-)
```

```
diff --git a/fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c b/fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c
```

```
index 02eb4ed..1ac6f55 100644
```

```
--- a/fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c
```

```
+++ b/fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c
```

```
@@ -618,7 +618,7 @@ static struct rpc_program cb_program = {
    .nrvers = ARRAY_SIZE(nfs_cb_version),
    .version = nfs_cb_version,
    .stats = &cb_stats,
-   .pipe_dir_name = "/nfsd4_cb",
+   .pipe_dir_name = "nfsd4_cb",
};
```

```
static int max_cb_time(void)
```

```
diff --git a/include/linux/nfs.h b/include/linux/nfs.h
```

```
index 8c6ee44..6d1fb63 100644
```

```
--- a/include/linux/nfs.h
```

```
+++ b/include/linux/nfs.h
```

```
@@ -29,7 +29,7 @@
```

```
#define NFS_MNT_VERSION 1
```

```
#define NFS_MNT3_VERSION 3
```

```

-#define NFS_PIPE_DIRNAME "/nfs"
+#define NFS_PIPE_DIRNAME "nfs"

/*
 * NFS stats. The good thing with these values is that NFSv3 errors are
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
index c5347d2..008c755 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
@@ -93,52 +93,85 @@ static void rpc_unregister_client(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
    spin_unlock(&rpc_client_lock);
}

-static int
-rpc_setup_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, char *dir_name)
+static void __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
+{
+ if (clnt->cl_path.dentry)
+  rpc_remove_client_dir(clnt->cl_path.dentry);
+ clnt->cl_path.dentry = NULL;
+}
+
+static void rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
+{
+ struct super_block *pipefs_sb;
+
+ pipefs_sb = rpc_get_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
+ if (pipefs_sb) {
+  __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
+  rpc_put_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
+ }
+ rpc_put_mount();
+}
+
+static struct dentry *rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(struct super_block *sb,
+      struct rpc_clnt *clnt, char *dir_name)
+{
+ static uint32_t clntid;
- struct path path, dir;
+ struct path path, dir;
   char name[15];
   struct qstr q = {
     .name = name,
   };
+ struct dentry *dir, *dentry;
   int error;

- clnt->cl_path.mnt = ERR_PTR(-ENOENT);

```

```

- clnt->cl_path.dentry = ERR_PTR(-ENOENT);
- if (dir_name == NULL)
- return 0;
-
- path.mnt = rpc_get_mount();
- if (IS_ERR(path.mnt))
- return PTR_ERR(path.mnt);
- error = vfs_path_lookup(path.mnt->mnt_root, path.mnt, dir_name, 0, &dir);
- if (error)
- goto err;
-
+ dir = rpc_d_lookup_sb(sb, dir_name);
+ if (dir == NULL)
+ return dir;
  for (;;) {
    q.len = snprintf(name, sizeof(name), "clnt%x", (unsigned int)clntid++);
    name[sizeof(name) - 1] = '\0';
    q.hash = full_name_hash(q.name, q.len);
- path.dentry = rpc_create_client_dir(dir.dentry, &q, clnt);
- if (!IS_ERR(path.dentry))
+ dentry = rpc_create_client_dir(dir, &q, clnt);
+ if (!IS_ERR(dentry))
    break;
- error = PTR_ERR(path.dentry);
+ error = PTR_ERR(dentry);
    if (error != -EEXIST) {
      printk(KERN_INFO "RPC: Couldn't create pipefs entry"
        " %s/%s, error %d\n",
        dir_name, name, error);
- goto err_path_put;
+ break;
    }
  }
- path_put(&dir);
+ dput(dir);
+ return dentry;
+}
+
+static int
+rpc_setup_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, char *dir_name)
+{
+ struct super_block *pipefs_sb;
+ struct path path;
+
+ clnt->cl_path.mnt = ERR_PTR(-ENOENT);
+ clnt->cl_path.dentry = NULL;
+ if (dir_name == NULL)
+ return 0;

```

```

+
+ path.mnt = rpc_get_mount();
+ if (IS_ERR(path.mnt))
+ return PTR_ERR(path.mnt);
+ pipefs_sb = rpc_get_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
+ if (!pipefs_sb) {
+ rpc_put_mount();
+ return -ENOENT;
+ }
+ path.dentry = rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(pipefs_sb, clnt, dir_name);
+ rpc_put_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
+ if (IS_ERR(path.dentry)) {
+ rpc_put_mount();
+ return PTR_ERR(path.dentry);
+ }
+ clnt->cl_path = path;
+ return 0;
-err_path_put:
- path_put(&dir);
-err:
- rpc_put_mount();
- return error;
}

```

```

static struct rpc_clnt * rpc_new_client(const struct rpc_create_args *args, struct rpc_xprt *xprt)
@@ -246,10 +279,7 @@ static struct rpc_clnt * rpc_new_client(const struct rpc_create_args
*args, stru
return clnt;

```

```

out_no_auth:
- if (!IS_ERR(clnt->cl_path.dentry)) {
- rpc_remove_client_dir(clnt->cl_path.dentry);
- rpc_put_mount();
- }
+ rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
out_no_path:
kfree(clnt->cl_principal);
out_no_principal:
@@ -474,10 +504,7 @@ rpc_free_client(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
{
dprintk("RPC:    destroying %s client for %s\n",
clnt->cl_protname, clnt->cl_server);
- if (!IS_ERR(clnt->cl_path.dentry)) {
- rpc_remove_client_dir(clnt->cl_path.dentry);
- rpc_put_mount();
- }
+ rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
if (clnt->cl_parent != clnt) {

```

```
rpc_release_client(clnt->cl_parent);
goto out_free;
```

Subject: [PATCH 5/6] SUNRPC: remove RPC pipefs mount point manipulations from RPC clients code

Posted by [Stanislav Kinsbursky](#) on Wed, 23 Nov 2011 11:04:57 GMT

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Now, with RPC pipefs mount notifications handling in RPC clients, we can remove mount point creation and destruction. RPC clients dentries will be created on PipeFS mount event and removed on umount event.

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```
net/sunrpc/clnt.c | 15 +++-----
1 files changed, 3 insertions(+), 12 deletions(-)
```

```
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
index 23776a4..eb2595f 100644
```

```
--- a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
```

```
+++ b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
```

```
@@ -112,7 +112,6 @@ static void rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
    __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
    rpc_put_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
}
- rpc_put_mount();
}
```

```
static struct dentry *rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(struct super_block *sb,
@@ -158,21 +157,13 @@ rpc_setup_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, char *dir_name)
    clnt->cl_path.dentry = NULL;
    if (dir_name == NULL)
        return 0;
```

```
-
```

```
- path.mnt = rpc_get_mount();
- if (IS_ERR(path.mnt))
- return PTR_ERR(path.mnt);
    pipefs_sb = rpc_get_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
- if (!pipefs_sb) {
- rpc_put_mount();
- return -ENOENT;
- }
```

```
+ if (!pipefs_sb)
```

```
+ return 0;
```

```
    path.dentry = rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(pipefs_sb, clnt, dir_name);
    rpc_put_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
```

```

- if (IS_ERR(path.dentry)) {
-  rpc_put_mount();
+ if (IS_ERR(path.dentry))
+   return PTR_ERR(path.dentry);
- }
  clnt->cl_path = path;
  return 0;
}

```

Subject: [PATCH 6/6] SUNRPC: remove RPC PipeFS mount point reference from RPC client

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This is a cleanup patch. We don't need this reference anymore.

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```

---
fs/nfs/idmap.c          | 4 ++--
include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h | 2 +-
net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c | 8 +++++--
net/sunrpc/clnt.c       | 21 ++++++++-----
4 files changed, 17 insertions(+), 18 deletions(-)

```

```
diff --git a/fs/nfs/idmap.c b/fs/nfs/idmap.c
```

```
index b09a7f1..60698a1 100644
```

```
--- a/fs/nfs/idmap.c
```

```
+++ b/fs/nfs/idmap.c
```

```

@@ -370,8 +370,8 @@ nfs_idmap_new(struct nfs_client *clp)
     return error;
 }

```

```

- if (clp->cl_rpcclient->cl_path.dentry)
-  pipe->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clp->cl_rpcclient->cl_path.dentry,
+ if (clp->cl_rpcclient->cl_dentry)
+  pipe->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clp->cl_rpcclient->cl_dentry,
    "idmap", idmap, pipe);
  if (IS_ERR(pipe->dentry)) {
    error = PTR_ERR(pipe->dentry);

```

```
diff --git a/include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h b/include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h
```

```
index db7bcaf..9fe39bc 100644
```

```
--- a/include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h
```

```
+++ b/include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h
```

```

@@ -56,7 +56,7 @@ struct rpc_clnt {

```

```

    int cl_nodelen; /* nodename length */

```

```

    char    cl_nodename[UNIX_MAXNODENAME];
- struct path cl_path;
+ struct dentry * cl_dentry;
    struct rpc_clnt * cl_parent; /* Points to parent of clones */
    struct rpc_rtt cl_rtt_default;
    struct rpc_timeout cl_timeout_default;
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c b/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c
index 66293dc..8673220 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c
@@ -799,12 +799,12 @@ static int gss_pipes_dentries_create(struct rpc_auth *auth)
    gss_auth = container_of(auth, struct gss_auth, rpc_auth);
    clnt = gss_auth->client;

- gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_path.dentry,
+ gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_dentry,
        "gssd",
        clnt, gss_auth->pipe[1]);
    if (IS_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry))
        return PTR_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
- gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_path.dentry,
+ gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_dentry,
        gss_auth->mech->gm_name,
        clnt, gss_auth->pipe[0]);
    if (IS_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry)) {
@@ -826,7 +826,7 @@ static void gss_pipes_dentries_destroy_net(struct rpc_clnt *clnt,

    sb = rpc_get_sb_net(net);
    if (sb) {
- if (clnt->cl_path.dentry)
+ if (clnt->cl_dentry)
        gss_pipes_dentries_destroy(auth);
        rpc_put_sb_net(net);
    }
@@ -841,7 +841,7 @@ static int gss_pipes_dentries_create_net(struct rpc_clnt *clnt,

    sb = rpc_get_sb_net(net);
    if (sb) {
- if (clnt->cl_path.dentry)
+ if (clnt->cl_dentry)
        err = gss_pipes_dentries_create(auth);
        rpc_put_sb_net(net);
    }
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
index eb2595f..3971aaa 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
@@ -95,12 +95,12 @@ static void rpc_unregister_client(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)

```



```

static void __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
{
- if (clnt->cl_path.dentry) {
+ if (clnt->cl_dentry) {
    if (clnt->cl_auth && clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_destroy)
        clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_destroy(clnt->cl_auth);
-   rpc_remove_client_dir(clnt->cl_path.dentry);
+   rpc_remove_client_dir(clnt->cl_dentry);
}
- clnt->cl_path.dentry = NULL;
+ clnt->cl_dentry = NULL;
}

```

```

static void rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
@@ -151,20 +151,19 @@ static int
rpc_setup_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, char *dir_name)
{
    struct super_block *pipefs_sb;
- struct path path;
+ struct dentry *dentry;

- clnt->cl_path.mnt = ERR_PTR(-ENOENT);
- clnt->cl_path.dentry = NULL;
+ clnt->cl_dentry = NULL;
    if (dir_name == NULL)
        return 0;
    pipefs_sb = rpc_get_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
    if (!pipefs_sb)
        return 0;
- path.dentry = rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(pipefs_sb, clnt, dir_name);
+ dentry = rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(pipefs_sb, clnt, dir_name);
    rpc_put_sb_net(clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net);
- if (IS_ERR(path.dentry))
-   return PTR_ERR(path.dentry);
- clnt->cl_path = path;
+ if (IS_ERR(dentry))
+   return PTR_ERR(dentry);
+ clnt->cl_dentry = dentry;
    return 0;
}

```

```

@@ -183,7 +182,7 @@ static int __rpc_pipefs_event(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, unsigned long event,
    BUG_ON(dentry == NULL);
    if (IS_ERR(dentry))
        return PTR_ERR(dentry);
-   clnt->cl_path.dentry = dentry;
+   clnt->cl_dentry = dentry;

```

```
if (clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_create) {
    err = clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_create(clnt->cl_auth);
    if (err)
```

Subject: [PATCH 4/6] SUNRPC: remove RPC client pipefs dentries after unregister
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Without this patch we have races:

```
rpc_fill_super  rpc_free_client
rpc_pipefs_event(MOUNT)  rpc_remove_pipedir
spin_lock(&rpc_client_lock);
rpc_setup_pipedir_sb
spin_unlock(&rpc_client_lock);
    spin_lock(&rpc_client_lock);
    (remove from list)
    spin_unlock(&rpc_client_lock);
    MEAMORY LEAKED
```

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```
net/sunrpc/clnt.c | 2 +-
1 files changed, 1 insertions(+), 1 deletions(-)
```

```
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
index 61c76ae..23776a4 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
@@ -572,7 +572,6 @@ rpc_free_client(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
{
    dprintk("RPC:    destroying %s client for %s\n",
        clnt->cl_protname, clnt->cl_server);
-   rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
    if (clnt->cl_parent != clnt) {
        rpc_release_client(clnt->cl_parent);
        goto out_free;
@@ -581,6 +580,7 @@ rpc_free_client(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
    kfree(clnt->cl_server);
out_free:
    rpc_unregister_client(clnt);
+   rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
    rpc_free_iostats(clnt->cl_metrics);
    kfree(clnt->cl_principal);
    clnt->cl_metrics = NULL;
```

Subject: [PATCH 3/6] SUNRPC: subscribe RPC clients to pipefs notifications
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This patch subscribes RPC clients to RPC pipefs notifications. RPC clients notifier block is registering with pipefs initialization during SUNRPC module init.

This notifier callback is responsible for RPC client PipeFS directory and GSS pipes creation. For pipes creation and destruction two additional callbacks were added to struct rpc_authops.

Note that no locking required in notifier callback because PipeFS superblock pointer is passed as an argument from it's creation or destruction routine and thus we can be sure about it's validity.

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```
include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h | 2 +
net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c | 10 ++++--
net/sunrpc/clnt.c | 70 ++++++-----
net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c | 19 ++++++----
net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h | 2 +
5 files changed, 93 insertions(+), 10 deletions(-)
```

diff --git a/include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h b/include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h

index febc4db..83f493f 100644

--- a/include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h

+++ b/include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h

@@ -98,6 +98,8 @@ struct rpc_authops {

```
    struct rpc_cred * (*lookup_cred)(struct rpc_auth *, struct auth_cred *, int);
    struct rpc_cred * (*create)(struct rpc_auth *, struct auth_cred *, int);
+ int (*pipes_create)(struct rpc_auth *);
+ void (*pipes_destroy)(struct rpc_auth *);
};
```

struct rpc_credops {

diff --git a/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c b/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c

index 248acd0..66293dc 100644

--- a/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c

+++ b/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c

@@ -784,8 +784,10 @@ static void gss_pipes_dentries_destroy(struct rpc_auth *auth)

```
    struct gss_auth *gss_auth;
```

```
    gss_auth = container_of(auth, struct gss_auth, rpc_auth);
- rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
- rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
+ if (gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry)
+ rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
```

```

+ if (gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry)
+ rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
}

static int gss_pipes_dentries_create(struct rpc_auth *auth)
@@ -1628,7 +1630,9 @@ static const struct rpc_authops authgss_ops = {
    .create = gss_create,
    .destroy = gss_destroy,
    .lookup_cred = gss_lookup_cred,
- .crcreate = gss_create_cred
+ .crcreate = gss_create_cred,
+ .pipes_create = gss_pipes_dentries_create,
+ .pipes_destroy = gss_pipes_dentries_destroy,
};

static const struct rpc_credops gss_credops = {
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
index 008c755..61c76ae 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/clnt.c
@@ -95,8 +95,11 @@ static void rpc_unregister_client(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)

static void __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt)
{
- if (clnt->cl_path.dentry)
+ if (clnt->cl_path.dentry) {
+ if (clnt->cl_auth && clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_destroy)
+ clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_destroy(clnt->cl_auth);
    rpc_remove_client_dir(clnt->cl_path.dentry);
+ }
    clnt->cl_path.dentry = NULL;
}

@@ -174,6 +177,71 @@ rpc_setup_pipedir(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, char *dir_name)
    return 0;
}

+static int __rpc_pipefs_event(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, unsigned long event,
+ struct super_block *sb)
+{
+ struct dentry *dentry;
+ int err = 0;
+
+ switch (event) {
+ case RPC_PIPEFS_MOUNT:
+ if (clnt->cl_program->pipe_dir_name == NULL)
+ break;
+ dentry = rpc_setup_pipedir_sb(sb, clnt,

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+     clnt->cl_program->pipe_dir_name);
+ BUG_ON(dentry == NULL);
+ if (IS_ERR(dentry))
+     return PTR_ERR(dentry);
+ clnt->cl_path.dentry = dentry;
+ if (clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_create) {
+     err = clnt->cl_auth->au_ops->pipes_create(clnt->cl_auth);
+     if (err)
+         __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
+ }
+ break;
+ case RPC_PIPEFS_UMOUNT:
+     __rpc_clnt_remove_pipedir(clnt);
+     break;
+ default:
+     printk(KERN_ERR "%s: unknown event: %ld\n", __func__, event);
+     return -ENOTSUPP;
+ }
+ return err;
+}
+
+static int rpc_pipefs_event(struct notifier_block *nb, unsigned long event,
+    void *ptr)
+{
+    struct super_block *sb = ptr;
+    struct rpc_clnt *clnt;
+    int error = 0;
+
+    spin_lock(&rpc_client_lock);
+    list_for_each_entry(clnt, &all_clients, cl_clients) {
+        if (clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net != sb->s_fs_info)
+            continue;
+        error = __rpc_pipefs_event(clnt, event, sb);
+        if (error)
+            break;
+    }
+    spin_unlock(&rpc_client_lock);
+    return error;
+}
+
+static struct notifier_block rpc_clients_block = {
+    .notifier_call = rpc_pipefs_event,
+};
+
+int rpc_clients_notifier_register(void)
+{
+    return rpc_pipefs_notifier_register(&rpc_clients_block);
+}

```

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+
+void rpc_clients_notifier_unregister(void)
+{
+ return rpc_pipefs_notifier_unregister(&rpc_clients_block);
+}
+
static struct rpc_clnt * rpc_new_client(const struct rpc_create_args *args, struct rpc_xprt *xprt)
{
    struct rpc_program *program = args->program;
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c b/net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c
index 8e59580..1ea0dcf 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c
@@ -918,7 +918,7 @@ struct dentry *rpc_create_client_dir(struct dentry *dentry,

/**
 * rpc_remove_client_dir - Remove a directory created with rpc_create_client_dir()
- * @dentry: directory to remove
+ * @clnt: rpc client
 */
int rpc_remove_client_dir(struct dentry *dentry)
{
@@ -1169,17 +1169,24 @@ int register_rpc_pipefs(void)
    init_once);
    if (!rpc_inode_cachep)
        return -ENOMEM;
+ err = rpc_clients_notifier_register();
+ if (err)
+ goto err_notifier;
    err = register_filesystem(&rpc_pipe_fs_type);
- if (err) {
- kmem_cache_destroy(rpc_inode_cachep);
- return err;
- }
-
+ if (err)
+ goto err_register;
    return 0;
+
+err_register:
+ rpc_clients_notifier_unregister();
+err_notifier:
+ kmem_cache_destroy(rpc_inode_cachep);
+ return err;
}

void unregister_rpc_pipefs(void)
{

```

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+ rpc_clients_notifier_unregister();
  kmem_cache_destroy(rpc_inode_cachep);
  unregister_filesystem(&rpc_pipe_fs_type);
}
diff --git a/net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h b/net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h
index 90c292e..14c9f6d 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h
+++ b/net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h
@@ -47,5 +47,7 @@ int svc_send_common(struct socket *sock, struct xdr_buf *xdr,
    struct page *headpage, unsigned long headoffset,
    struct page *tailpage, unsigned long tailoffset);

+int rpc_clients_notifier_register(void);
+void rpc_clients_notifier_unregister(void);
#endif /* _NET_SUNRPC_SUNRPC_H */

```

Subject: [PATCH 2/6] SUNRPC: handle GSS AUTH pipes by network namespace aware routines

Posted by [Stanislav Kinsbursky](#) on Wed, 23 Nov 2011 11:14:01 GMT

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This patch makes RPC GSS PipeFs pipes allocated in it's RPC client owner network namespace context.

Pipes creation and destruction now done in separated functions, which takes care about PipeFS superblock locking.

Signed-off-by: Stanislav Kinsbursky <skinsbursky@parallels.com>

```

---
net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c | 95 ++++++-----
1 files changed, 73 insertions(+), 22 deletions(-)

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diff --git a/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c b/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c
index 2b25a7b..248acd0 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c
@@ -779,6 +779,73 @@ gss_pipe_destroy_msg(struct rpc_pipe_msg *msg)
 }
 }

+static void gss_pipes_dentries_destroy(struct rpc_auth *auth)
+{
+  struct gss_auth *gss_auth;
+
+  gss_auth = container_of(auth, struct gss_auth, rpc_auth);
+  rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
+  rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);

```

```

+}
+
+static int gss_pipes_dentries_create(struct rpc_auth *auth)
+{
+ int err;
+ struct gss_auth *gss_auth;
+ struct rpc_clnt *clnt;
+
+ gss_auth = container_of(auth, struct gss_auth, rpc_auth);
+ clnt = gss_auth->client;
+
+ gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_path.dentry,
+      "gssd",
+      clnt, gss_auth->pipe[1]);
+ if (IS_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry))
+ return PTR_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
+ gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_path.dentry,
+      gss_auth->mech->gm_name,
+      clnt, gss_auth->pipe[0]);
+ if (IS_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry)) {
+ err = PTR_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
+ goto err_unlink_pipe_1;
+ }
+ return 0;
+
+err_unlink_pipe_1:
+ rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
+ return err;
+}
+
+static void gss_pipes_dentries_destroy_net(struct rpc_clnt *clnt,
+      struct rpc_auth *auth)
+{
+ struct net *net = clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net;
+ struct super_block *sb;
+
+ sb = rpc_get_sb_net(net);
+ if (sb) {
+ if (clnt->cl_path.dentry)
+ gss_pipes_dentries_destroy(auth);
+ rpc_put_sb_net(net);
+ }
+}
+
+static int gss_pipes_dentries_create_net(struct rpc_clnt *clnt,
+      struct rpc_auth *auth)
+{
+ struct net *net = clnt->cl_xprt->xprt_net;

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+ struct super_block *sb;
+ int err = 0;
+
+ sb = rpc_get_sb_net(net);
+ if (sb) {
+   if (clnt->cl_path.dentry)
+     err = gss_pipes_dentries_create(auth);
+   rpc_put_sb_net(net);
+ }
+ return err;
+}
+
+/*
+ * NOTE: we have the opportunity to use different
+ * parameters based on the input flavor (which must be a pseudoflavor)
@@ -834,31 +901,16 @@ gss_create(struct rpc_clnt *clnt, rpc_authflavor_t flavor)
    err = PTR_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[0]);
    goto err_destroy_pipe_1;
  }
-
- gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_path.dentry,
-       "gssd",
-       clnt, gss_auth->pipe[1]);
- if (IS_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry)) {
-   err = PTR_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
+ err = gss_pipes_dentries_create_net(clnt, auth);
+ if (err)
    goto err_destroy_pipe_0;
- }
-
- gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry = rpc_mkpipe_dentry(clnt->cl_path.dentry,
-       gss_auth->mech->gm_name,
-       clnt, gss_auth->pipe[0]);
- if (IS_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry)) {
-   err = PTR_ERR(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
-   goto err_unlink_pipe_1;
- }
  err = rpcauth_init_credcache(auth);
  if (err)
-   goto err_unlink_pipe_0;
+   goto err_unlink_pipes;

  return auth;
-err_unlink_pipe_0:
-   rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
-err_unlink_pipe_1:
-   rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
+err_unlink_pipes:

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```
+ gss_pipes_dentries_destroy_net(clnt, auth);
err_destroy_pipe_0:
  rpc_destroy_pipe_data(gss_auth->pipe[0]);
err_destroy_pipe_1:
@@ -875,8 +927,7 @@ out_dec:
static void
gss_free(struct gss_auth *gss_auth)
{
- rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[0]->dentry);
- rpc_unlink(gss_auth->pipe[1]->dentry);
+ gss_pipes_dentries_destroy_net(gss_auth->client, &gss_auth->rpc_auth);
  rpc_destroy_pipe_data(gss_auth->pipe[0]);
  rpc_destroy_pipe_data(gss_auth->pipe[1]);
  gss_mech_put(gss_auth->mech);
```

Subject: Re: [PATCH 0/6] SUNRPC: make RPC clients use
network-namespace-aware PipeFS routines

Posted by [bfields](#) on Wed, 23 Nov 2011 16:27:11 GMT

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- > SUNRPC: remove RPC pipefs mount point manipulations from RPC clients code
- > SUNRPC: remove RPC PipeFS mount point reference from RPC client
- >
- >
- > fs/nfs/idmap.c | 4 +
- > fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c | 2 -
- > include/linux/nfs.h | 2 -
- > include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h | 2 +
- > include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h | 2 -
- > net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c | 101 ++++++++-----
- > net/sunrpc/clnt.c | 151 ++++++++-----
- > net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c | 19 +++--
- > net/sunrpc/sunrpc.h | 2 +
- > 9 files changed, 218 insertions(+), 67 deletions(-)
- >
- > --
- > Signature

Subject: Re: [PATCH 0/6] SUNRPC: make RPC clients use network-namespace-aware PipeFS routines

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What decides which clients are visible in which network namespaces?

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>
>
> fs/nfs/idmap.c          |  4 +
> fs/nfsd/nfs4callback.c  |  2 -
> include/linux/nfs.h     |  2 -
> include/linux/sunrpc/auth.h |  2 +
> include/linux/sunrpc/clnt.h |  2 -
> net/sunrpc/auth_gss/auth_gss.c | 101 ++++++-----
> net/sunrpc/clnt.c        | 151 ++++++-----
> net/sunrpc/rpc_pipe.c    |  19 +++-
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I have, but no external access to it yet.

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> fetch your git tree than to get those patches out of old email.)
>

Will check tomorrow, is it possible to organize it.

> --b.
>

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Best regards,
Stanislav Kinsbursky

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> all this is done?
>

> So there's a separate superblock (and separate dentries) for each
> namespace?
>

Yes, you right.

So, here is a brief summary of what will be at the end:

- 1) PipeFS superblock will be per net ns.
- 2) Superblock holds net ns, which is taken from current. Struct net will have link to pipefs superblock (it can be NULL, if PipeFS wasn't mounted yet or already unmounted).
- 3) Notifications will be sent on superblock creation and destruction.
- 4) All kernel mount point creation and destruction calls (`rpc_get_mount()` and `rpc_put_mount()`) will be removed. I.e. this superblock will be created only from user-space.
- 5) Kernel pipes and dentries will be created or destroyed:
 1. During per-net operations (only for static NFS stuff: `dns_resolve` cache, `pnfs` blocklayout and `idmap` pipes).
 2. On notification events (all directories, files and pipes in proper callbacks). Notification subscribers:
 - a. `rpc` clients (responsible for client dentries and `gss` pipes creation),
 - b. `nfs` clients (responsible for `nfs idmap` pipes),
 - c. `nfs dns_resolve` cache,
 - d. `pnfs` blocklayout pipes,
- 6) PipeFS dentries creation logic:
 - a) All directories and files creators - will try to create them as usual. But if fail - then no problem here. I.e. dentries will be created on PipeFS mount notification call.
 - b) Pipes creators - will create new structure `rpc_pipe` (all pipe stuff from `rpc` inode) and then try to create pipe dentries. If fail - then, again, no problem. Dentries will be created on PipeFS mount notification call.

Almost all (except 5.2.b - forgot about it during debasing and resending) is done and ready to send.

> What decides which clients are visible in which network namespaces?
>

Clients dentries will be created in proper superblock from the beginning. I.e. `rpc` clients transports have struct net reference. `NFS` clients will have such reference too. Struct net will have reference to pipefs superblock. Currently, for dentry creation all we need is parent dentry. Some of creators

(like GSS pipes) takes parent dentry from associated struct (like `rpc_clnt`). For others parent dentry can be found by simple `d_lookup()` starting from `sb->root` (reminder: `sb` can be taken from `net`).

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Best regards,
Stanislav Kinsbursky

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Hello, Bruce.
You can clone my current working branch from:

`git://github.com/skinsbursky/nfs-per-net-ns.git`

I'll update it after any significant changes.

There is also web interface:

`https://github.com/skinsbursky/nfs-per-net-ns/tree/rpcpipefs_per_netns`

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Best regards,
Stanislav Kinsbursky
