
Subject: Disturb VMs in two HDD

Posted by [iLinux85](#) on Wed, 11 Jan 2012 19:34:06 GMT

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Hello

i have 8 VMs OpenVZ running on /sda 1st H.D.D and i want to move 4 VMs to /sdb 2nd H.D.D

is there any tutorial of how can i made this done

thanks

Subject: Re: Disturb VMs in two HDD

Posted by [ragubhat](#) on Thu, 19 Jan 2012 06:40:51 GMT

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Instead of your intervention to distribute the VEs across the hard disks, please consider using LVM. Managing disk-space with LVM is better engineering, it does a good job!

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Hth

Raghavendra Bhat

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Subject: Re: Disturb VMs in two HDD

Posted by [JimL](#) on Tue, 31 Jan 2012 01:48:53 GMT

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You can move the directories /vz/private/??? and /vz/root/??? for half the containers to the new disk and then link them back to /vz/private/???. Or you can edit the /etc/vz/conf/???/conf file and see these lines:

```
VE_ROOT="/vz/root/$VEID"
```

```
VE_PRIVATE="/vz/private/$VEID"
```

Just do the move and change those lines as needed. Just don't do it while the container is running.

Jim.
