
Subject: "S15ssh_gen_host_keys" script not executed after creating new container
Posted by [mgjelissen](#) on Wed, 28 Mar 2012 09:20:25 GMT

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I've created a custom debian 6 template.

I've followed these instructions:

```
cat << EOF > /etc/rc2.d/S15ssh_gen_host_keys
#!/bin/sh
ssh-keygen -f /etc/ssh/ssh_host_rsa_key -t rsa -N ""
ssh-keygen -f /etc/ssh/ssh_host_dsa_key -t dsa -N ""
rm -f \${0}
EOF
```

```
chmod a+x /etc/rc2.d/S15ssh_gen_host_keys
```

But after creating a container, the ssh keys aren't generated. The official debian 6 template has a `ssh_key_hack.sh`?

Subject: Re: "S15ssh_gen_host_keys" script not executed after creating new container

Posted by [mgjelissen](#) on Wed, 28 Mar 2012 10:01:00 GMT

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I've found the solution and it works:

```
cat << EOF > /etc/init.d/ssh_gen_host_keys
#!/bin/sh
### BEGIN INIT INFO
# Provides:      Generates new ssh host keys on first boot
# Required-Start: $remote_fs $syslog
# Required-Stop:  $remote_fs $syslog
# Default-Start:  2 3 4 5
# Default-Stop:
# Short-Description: Generates new ssh host keys on first boot
# Description:    Generates new ssh host keys on first boot
### END INIT INFO
ssh-keygen -f /etc/ssh/ssh_host_rsa_key -t rsa -N ""
ssh-keygen -f /etc/ssh/ssh_host_dsa_key -t dsa -N ""
insserv -r /etc/init.d/ssh_gen_host_keys
rm -f \${0}
EOF
```

```
chmod a+x /etc/init.d/ssh_gen_host_keys
insserv /etc/init.d/ssh_gen_host_keys
```
