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Subject: vzquota uses too much(?) time

Posted by [Christer Solskogen](#) on Mon, 29 Oct 2012 13:07:01 GMT

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2012-10-29T14:05:49+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota
stat 101 -f
2012-10-29T14:05:49+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota
drop 101
2012-10-29T14:05:49+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota
init 101 -b 41943040 -B 47185920 -i 9223372036854775807 -l
9223372036854775807 -p /vz/private/101.tmp -e 0 -n 0 -s 0
2012-10-29T14:05:49+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota on
101 -b 41943040 -B 47185920 -i 9223372036854775807 -l
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Creating container private area (centos-6-x86_64)
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area (centos-6-x86_64)
2012-10-29T14:05:49+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running:
/usr/libexec/vzctl/scripts/vps-create
2012-10-29T14:05:52+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota off 101
2012-10-29T14:06:26+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Running: /usr/sbin/vzquota
setlimit 101 -p /vz/private/101 -b 41943040 -B 47185920 -i
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2012-10-29T14:06:26+0100 vzctl : CT 101 : Mounting root: /vz/root/101
/vz/private/101
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Subject: Re: vzquota uses too much(?) time  
Posted by [Andrew Vagin](#) on Tue, 30 Oct 2012 09:44:17 GMT  
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