Subject: Network diagnostics script
Posted by John Kelly on Thu, 14 Sep 2006 19:52:29 GMT
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Here's a little time saving script.

I was diagnosing a network problem, and I needed a snapshot of my network configuration on the HN and VE, plus a venet0 tcpdump. I wanted to see the output on the screen, and capture it to a file, too. And I also wanted to use Ctrl-C to make it stop, when I saw enough.

This helped me solve the network problem quickly, though I spent several hours getting the script to work the way I wanted. :-/

Just change VEID and and MYDATA to your liking, and enjoy!

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#!/bin/sh

VEID=123
MYDATA=/root/temp/netdata

set -e
mkdir -p ${MYDATA%/*}

{
   arp -a; echo ""
   route -n; echo ""
   vzctl exec $VEID 'route -n; echo ""; ifconfig venet0'
   tcpdump -i venet0 -l -n -v &
   trap ':' INT
   wait $! || :
   trap - INT
   vzctl exec $VEID 'echo ""; ifconfig venet0'
} \
   2>&1 | tee -i $MYDATA
```

Oops, I almost forgot to say: run this script on the HN, not the VE.

Subject: Re: Network diagnostics script
Posted by Vasily Tarasov on Mon, 18 Sep 2006 07:47:18 GMT
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Hello,

It would be cool, if you'll write an article at wiki.openvz.org about this script and problem you've solved using it.

Great thanks!