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Subject: OpenVZ security against hosting  
Posted by [crossing](#) on Sat, 27 Jul 2013 18:40:57 GMT  
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Hello,

I have to move VPS on a hosting company that uses only OpenVZ. My problem is that I have several websites that makes money based on online services, as we all want I need my scripts/sites/ to be protected also against hosting company itself.

There is any way to encrypt my files/VPS against hosting company to access it ? Or some way to check when and what ip access my folders, if any copy has been made,etc ?

Thank you

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Posted by [crossing](#) on Mon, 29 Jul 2013 14:17:52 GMT  
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I thought about using international providers too, I'am in Romania and Amsterdam servers gives me 5 seconds delay loading the sites with exact the same configurations.. So I'am stuck with local.

I have found something that seems to be a good solution using kvm  
[www.lowendtalk.com/discussion/9910/kvm-xen-privacy](http://www.lowendtalk.com/discussion/9910/kvm-xen-privacy) .

What do you think of ?

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I'am a newbie , so what are you saying is that hosting company can gain control of virtual server while it is running and while encrypted image is mounted ?