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Subject: vzdump - backup failes, rsync error

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cat vzdump-520.log

Quote:Nov 24 06:08:15 INFO: Starting Backup of VM 520 (openvz)

Nov 24 06:08:15 INFO: status = CTID 520 exist mounted running

Nov 24 06:08:15 INFO: starting first sync /home/vps/520 to /var/tmp/vzdumtmp625025

Nov 24 06:20:07 INFO: rsync: writefd\_unbuffered failed to write 4 bytes to socket [sender]: Broken pipe (32)

Nov 24 06:20:08 INFO: rsync: connection unexpectedly closed (882169 bytes received so far) [sender]

Nov 24 06:20:08 INFO: rsync error: error in rsync protocol data stream (code 12) at io.c(600) [sender=3.0.6]

Nov 24 06:20:09 ERROR: Backup of VM 520 failed - command '/usr/bin/rsync --stats --numeric-ids --bwlimit=10240 -aH --delete --no-whole-file --inplace /home/vps/520 /var/tmp/vzdumtmp625025' failed with exit code 12

Please can anyone share idea why this backup failed and how to fix it?

My idea is that there was not enough space on device where backup file /var/tmp/vzdumtmp625025 was created?

df -h

Quote:Filesystem            Size Used Avail Use% Mounted on  
/dev/md2            9.7G 5.6G 3.7G 61% /  
/dev/md3            1.8T 180G 1.6T 11% /home  
tmpfs               16G 0 16G 0% /dev/shm

If that is cause, how can i set another path instead of /var/tmp/.. What do you think?

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I think i fixed that by adding: --tmpdir /path/to/tmpdir into vzdump command (setting another dir)

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