Subject: OpenVZ Backup
Posted by meganuke on Sun, 15 Jun 2014 13:21:59 GMT
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Hello i read scripts on openvz.org/Ploop/Backup
Quote:
vzctl snapshot $CTID --id $ID --skip-suspend --skip-config

Perform a backup using your favorite backup tool
(cp is just an example)
cp $VE_PRIVATE/root.hdd/* $BACKUPPATH/

Delete (merge) the snapshot
vzctl snapshot-delete $CTID --id $ID

Why merge run after cp? Also, i can copy only root.hdd, without snapshot if snapshot already merged and deleted?

Subject: Re: OpenVZ Backup
Posted by devonblzx on Tue, 24 Jun 2014 16:56:19 GMT
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You don't want to keep a snapshot running after the copy because it creates a large amount of overhead for the filesystem.

Merging it basically closes out the snapshot. You merge all the changes made while the snapshot was open.