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Subject: \*SOLVED\* Error about missing config from gentoo templated created by me

Posted by [steffen.zieger](#) on Thu, 26 Oct 2006 10:36:25 GMT

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Hello,

I've getting this error, if I'm trying to change things for my vps running gentoo based on my own created template.

Warning: configuration file for distribution gentoo\_openvz\_template-1.0 not found default used

Can anybody tell me, how to get rid of this error?

TIA,  
Steffen

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Posted by [steffen.zieger](#) on Thu, 26 Oct 2006 10:59:36 GMT

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Well, I've got it fixed by changing OSTEMPLATE in the configuration file to  
OSTEMPLATE="gentoo".

But how can I make sure, that a new vps created from my template isn't having the same error?

HAND,  
Steffen

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Subject: Re: Error about missing config from gentoo templated created by me

Posted by [Vasily Tarasov](#) on Fri, 27 Oct 2006 06:25:42 GMT

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Quote:

Warning: configuration file for distribution gentoo\_openvz\_template-1.0 not found default used

While you create VE from OS template cache:

```
vzctl create 555 --ostemplate haha
```

in configuration file for this (555) VE the following line appears:

```
OSTEMPLATE="haha"
```

vzctl uses this parameter to find out which actions should be taken to perform different configuration (network, etc.) of VE, based on particular template. How does vzctl perform it? It looks in /etc/vz/distr/haha.conf to get required information. If there is no such file, vzctl outputs warning message, you've seen, and uses default file: /etc/vz/distr/default.

So the thing you should do to get rid of this message is just copy file /etc/vz/distr/gentoo.conf to /etc/vz/distr/gentoo\_openvz\_template-1.0.conf.

HTH,  
vass.

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Subject: Re: Error about missing config from gentoo templated created by me  
Posted by [steffen.zieger](#) on Sun, 29 Oct 2006 18:07:50 GMT  
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You're answer is correct, but not the real solution for my problem.

The right way of getting rid of this error is renaming the otemplate from gentoo\_template\_name.tar.gz to gentoo-template\_name.tar.gz. If there are only underscores in the name, it's not working, as the whole name is used, but if there is a minus (-) sign, the rest will be getting cut from otemplate. So instead of searching for gentoo\_template\_name.conf it's searching for gentoo.conf.

I can confirm this, by trying it. If anyone has a link about naming templates, please let me know.

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