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Subject: \*CLOSED\* How do you create VEs on Debian/Ubuntu?

Posted by [JimL](#) on Sat, 24 Feb 2007 10:07:18 GMT

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OK, so I've gotten OpenVZ working find on Ubuntu, however the only way I've been able to get a VE other than a Debian working is to use a precreated template, or clone a VE from a RH system.

Is there a way to get something like CentOS running on a VE from a Debian host? Something like a debootstrap for RPM distros would be a start.

Thanks,  
Jim.

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Subject: Re: How do you create VEs on Debian/Ubuntu?

Posted by [curx](#) on Sat, 24 Feb 2007 11:18:19 GMT

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Hi Jim,

for building OS Templates, you can use some helper scripts:

- \* debootstrap :: debian based distro
- \* rpmstrap :: rpm based distro (only in debian testing repro)
- \* archbootstrap :: for archlinux (-> <http://bbs.archlinux.org/viewtopic.php?t=4020>), but needed some dist helper scripts for manage-ing ip, hostname etc from VE0

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Subject: Re: How do you create VEs on Debian/Ubuntu?

Posted by [JimL](#) on Sat, 24 Feb 2007 16:34:14 GMT

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Thanks for the pointers.

Jim.

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