
Subject: Starting Asterisk PBX: Unable to set high priority

Posted by [jarcher](#) on Sat, 21 Jul 2007 22:52:37 GMT

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Hi All...

I just created a Debian Etch 32bit VPS and installed Asterisk, per the wiki instructions. When I start it, it starts and keeps running, but it reports:

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Is this fixable and, if not, is it a problem? What causes it?

Thanks...

Subject: Re: Starting Asterisk PBX: Unable to set high priority

Posted by [dev](#) on Mon, 23 Jul 2007 08:00:56 GMT

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Jim,

I guess because it tried to change scheduling policy to something like SCHED_FIFO or SCHED_RR, which are real-time priorities and can't be set w/o CAP_SYS_ADMIN capability.

Nothing bad should happen if you don't run other CPU hungry services in this VE. Also, you can grant CAP_SYS_ADMIN to VE with vzctl, but this is highly insecure and not recommended.

Thanks,
Kirill

Jim Archer wrote:

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