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Subject: openvz and 2.6.20

Posted by [DULMANDAKH Sukhbaatar](#) on Tue, 31 Jul 2007 14:38:49 GMT

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<http://openvz.org/download/kernel/> says that it's not stable yet.

Which one is the true information? If it is stable, can I install it on Ubuntu feisty? Is anyone had success running openvz on ubuntu?

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Regards

Dulmandakh

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Subject: Re: openvz and 2.6.20

Posted by [kir](#) on Tue, 31 Jul 2007 15:09:34 GMT

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DULMANDAKH Sukhbaatar wrote:

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It is usable, but \_probably\_ not quite stable, and the text doesn't say

that it is stable. What it says is that "software [is] for the most

recent stable Linux kernel 2.6.20", meaning the mainstream kernel 2.6.20

is stable, but not the OpenVZ kernel based on it.

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That's right.

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You definitely can install this on Ubuntu, some info is available from

[http://wiki.openvz.org/Installation\\_on\\_Debian](http://wiki.openvz.org/Installation_on_Debian) (I guess it will work fine

for Ubuntu). Still, I recommend to use our stable branch, 2.6.18-based, unless you really want to be on the bleeding edge.

Kir.

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