
Subject: [PATCH] Use find_task_by_pid_ns() in places that operate with virtual pids
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When the pid comes from the userspace, the find_task_by_pid_ns() should be used to find the task by pid in particular (usually the current) namespace. These places were lost in earlier patches.

Think over: all these places work like this:

```
if (pid == 0)
    task = current;
else
    task = find_task_by_pid_ns(pid);
```

the question is: does it worth introducing a common helper for such case and (if it does) what should its name be?

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This is a lost hunks of the -mm patch named
pid-namespaces-changes-to-show-virtual-ids-to-user.patch

```
fs/ioprio.c      | 6 ++++--
kernel/futex.c   | 6 ++++--
kernel/futex_compat.c | 3 ++-
kernel/sched.c   | 3 ++-
mm/mempolicy.c   | 3 ++-
mm/migrate.c     | 3 ++-
6 files changed, 16 insertions(+), 8 deletions(-)
```

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diff --git a/fs/ioprio.c b/fs/ioprio.c
```

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index c99fe7b..0a615f8 100644
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--- a/fs/ioprio.c
```

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+++ b/fs/ioprio.c
```

```
@ @ -94,7 +94,8 @ @ asmlinkage long sys_ioprio_set(int which
    if (!who)
        p = current;
    else
-   p = find_task_by_pid(who);
+   p = find_task_by_pid_ns(who,
+   current->nsproxy->pid_ns);
    if (p)
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    ret = set_task_ioprio(p, ioprio);
    break;
@@ -181,7 +182,8 @@ asmlinkage long sys_ioprio_get(int which
    if (!who)
        p = current;
    else
-   p = find_task_by_pid(who);
+   p = find_task_by_pid_ns(who,
+   current->nsproxy->pid_ns);
    if (p)
        ret = get_task_ioprio(p);
    break;
diff --git a/kernel/futex.c b/kernel/futex.c
index c61634a..0c1b777 100644
--- a/kernel/futex.c
+++ b/kernel/futex.c
@@ -444,7 +444,8 @@ static struct task_struct * futex_find_g
    struct task_struct *p;

    rcu_read_lock();
-   p = find_task_by_pid(pid);
+   p = find_task_by_pid_ns(pid,
+   current->nsproxy->pid_ns);

    if (!p || ((current->euid != p->euid) && (current->euid != p->uid)))
        p = ERR_PTR(-ESRCH);
@@ -1855,7 +1856,8 @@ sys_get_robust_list(int pid, struct robu

    ret = -ESRCH;
    rcu_read_lock();
-   p = find_task_by_pid(pid);
+   p = find_task_by_pid_ns(pid,
+   current->nsproxy->pid_ns);
    if (!p)
        goto err_unlock;
    ret = -EPERM;
diff --git a/kernel/futex_compat.c b/kernel/futex_compat.c
index f792136..e7563bf 100644
--- a/kernel/futex_compat.c
+++ b/kernel/futex_compat.c
@@ -116,7 +116,8 @@ compat_sys_get_robust_list(int pid, comp

    ret = -ESRCH;
    read_lock(&tasklist_lock);
-   p = find_task_by_pid(pid);
+   p = find_task_by_pid_ns(pid,
+   current->nsproxy->pid_ns);
    if (!p)

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    goto err_unlock;
    ret = -EPERM;
diff --git a/kernel/sched.c b/kernel/sched.c
index 4359b6b..1f81803 100644
--- a/kernel/sched.c
+++ b/kernel/sched.c
@@ -4108,7 +4108,8 @@ struct task_struct *idle_task(int cpu)
    */
    static inline struct task_struct *find_process_by_pid(pid_t pid)
    {
- return pid ? find_task_by_pid(pid) : current;
+ return pid ?
+ find_task_by_pid_ns(pid, current->nsproxy->pid_ns) : current;
    }

    /* Actually do priority change: must hold rq lock. */
diff --git a/mm/mempolicy.c b/mm/mempolicy.c
index e7eb2bb..934abc9 100644
--- a/mm/mempolicy.c
+++ b/mm/mempolicy.c
@@ -930,7 +930,8 @@ asmlinkage long sys_migrate_pages(pid_t

    /* Find the mm_struct */
    read_lock(&tasklist_lock);
- task = pid ? find_task_by_pid(pid) : current;
+ task = pid ?
+ find_task_by_pid_ns(pid, current->nsproxy->pid_ns) : current;
    if (!task) {
        read_unlock(&tasklist_lock);
        return -ESRCH;
diff --git a/mm/migrate.c b/mm/migrate.c
index 477b894..7f43c5f 100644
--- a/mm/migrate.c
+++ b/mm/migrate.c
@@ -917,7 +917,8 @@ asmlinkage long sys_move_pages(pid_t pid

    /* Find the mm_struct */
    read_lock(&tasklist_lock);
- task = pid ? find_task_by_pid(pid) : current;
+ task = pid ?
+ find_task_by_pid_ns(pid, current->nsproxy->pid_ns) : current;
    if (!task) {
        read_unlock(&tasklist_lock);
        return -ESRCH;

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