
Subject: sftp / mount problem

Posted by [Thomasd](#) on Sat, 09 Feb 2008 00:04:36 GMT

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I have the following setup:

directory /abc on the HW node

and a mount file for VE 2020

```
mount -n -o ro --bind /abc /vz/root/2020/home/backup/files
```

when I enter the VE and go to /home/backup/files, I see the content of /abc

when I log in to the VE with sftp (from a remote machine), I see /home/backup/files, I see the other files in /home/backup, but when I step in /home/backup/files/, the directory appears empty.

All files being chmod'ed to 777 to allow easy testing

Any ideas what to look at / for?

Subject: Re: sftp / mount problem

Posted by [maratrus](#) on Mon, 11 Feb 2008 17:42:58 GMT

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Hi,

Can you please specify kernel you use?

How did you log via sftp?

I do the same on 2.6.18-028stab053 and was success.

Subject: Re: sftp / mount problem

Posted by [Thomasd](#) on Mon, 11 Feb 2008 18:54:31 GMT

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here:

```
$ uname -r
```

```
2.6.18-53.1.4.el5.028stab053.4
```

What I think really weird is that the files do not appear only with sftp but they appear with ssh...

Subject: Re: sftp / mount problem
Posted by [maratrus](#) on Thu, 14 Feb 2008 16:46:49 GMT
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Hi,

Have you made any changes on your system recently?
You might have added a new partition or something.
Does /abc locate on the peculiar partition?
Do you observe this strange behavior while mounting only /abc or it happens with other directories too?

Subject: Re: sftp / mount problem
Posted by [Thomasd](#) on Mon, 18 Feb 2008 23:16:54 GMT
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No other changes, but it seems to happen to all folders outside of the VE that I mount so that they become visible from within the VE.

(I got hospitalized last Thu, and I'm still there so I can't do much testing but check email / forum))

Subject: Re: sftp / mount problem
Posted by [maratrus](#) on Wed, 20 Feb 2008 08:19:55 GMT
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Hi,

I wish you get better!

Can you please tell us what exact OS template do you use for your VPS and what version of sftp inside VPS? If it is possible (inside VPS)
rpm -qa | grep ssh
What OS on the HN?
Have you changed any configuration files?

Subject: Re: sftp / mount problem
Posted by [Thomasd](#) on Thu, 21 Feb 2008 07:47:18 GMT
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thanks! just got out yesterday

here we go:

```
# rpm -qa | grep ssh  
openssh-server-4.3p2-16.el5  
rssh-2.3.2-1.2.el5.rf  
openssh-4.3p2-16.el5  
openssh-clients-4.3p2-16.el5
```

I'm running CentOS 5, using the minimal template from this site. And the HN is CentOS 5 too.

Is it possible that some of the rights that exist when logging with ssh get dropped / lost when moving to sftp? (just a random guess)
