
Subject: how and what to backup?

Posted by [whatever](#) on Tue, 18 Aug 2009 10:12:58 GMT

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How do we backup the nodes running openvz ?

Shall we backup

/vz/private or /vz/root

and

/etc/sysconfig/vz-scripts

?

Or we do need to backup

/vz/template/cache too?

because we found that sometimes when we restore it gives error wrong template etc

Thanks

Subject: Re: how and what to backup?

Posted by [tomp](#) on Tue, 18 Aug 2009 18:31:40 GMT

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You should pause/take a snapshot of the /vz partition, and then backup /vz/private/<ctid>

/vz/root is a mount of /vz/private

Then backup /etc/vz/conf/<ctid>.conf, as this contains the VPS configuration data.

Subject: Re: how and what to backup?

Posted by [curx](#) on Tue, 18 Aug 2009 23:20:31 GMT

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Hi,

btw: if any ActionScripts are used, please backup

/etc/vz/conf/<CTID>.(conf|mount|start|stop|umount)

<CTID>.conf - configuration file

<CTID>.mount - mount script

<CTID>.start - start -"

<CTID>.stop - stop -"

<CTID>.umount - umount -"

More Info about ActionScripts can be found in the UserGuide (-> <http://download.openvz.org/doc/OpenVZ-Users-Guide.pdf>), page 88ff.

Bye,
Thorsten
