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Subject: vzctl enter CT via SSH (wrapper?)  
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My VPS provider allows me to SSH into the host node to get to my VE, and I was just wondering how that is done so I can duplicate the functionality on my local install of OpenVZ (as its handy when you've locked yourself out of your VE by flushing iptables or stopping sshd or something!)

Basically I SSH into the host node with a username and password and it seems to perform a "vzctl enter <veid>" as I get the prompt:

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entered into CT 102  
root@vps:/#
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Like you do with "vzctl enter 102".

Is this a built-in function of OpenVZ, or is it some sort of hacky wrapper such as replacing the shell of my HN user with "sudo vzctl enter 102" or something?

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Subject: Re: vzctl enter CT via SSH (wrapper?)  
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seem its a login - wrapper with sudo, op or other tools execute cmd with root privileges, executed on login via ssh

for a bashed solution see man bash, section "INVOCATION"  
bash\_profile, bash\_login, .profile ... etc.

Bye,  
Thorsten

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