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Subject: Unable to get full otemplate name  
Posted by [virtguy](#) on Tue, 27 Oct 2009 18:29:59 GMT  
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I downloaded [http://download.openvz.org/template/precreated/contrib/centos-5-x86\\_64-default-5.4-20091022.tar.gz](http://download.openvz.org/template/precreated/contrib/centos-5-x86_64-default-5.4-20091022.tar.gz)  
and placed it in /vz/template/cache

then:

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% vzctl create 103 --ostemplate centos-5-x86_64-default-5.4-20091022
Unable to get full otemplate name for centos-5-x86_64-default-5.4-20091022
Creating container private area (centos-5-x86_64-default-5.4-20091022)
Performing postcreate actions
Container private area was created
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what is that error: "Unable to get full otemplate name"  
will this affect administering the system at all?

Also, the hostnode is centos 5.3 should I use vzyum to update the CT or just use yum inside the container? What are the benefits of using vzyum over yum in the CT?

thanks

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Subject: Re: Unable to get full otemplate name  
Posted by [maratrus](#) on Fri, 30 Oct 2009 14:17:19 GMT  
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Hi,

Quote:

what is that error: "Unable to get full otemplate name"  
will this affect administering the system at all?

It doesn't affect administering the system.

The message means that the provided name of a cached template doesn't obey the internal form which is expected

(/usr/share/vzpkg/functions file; function ost2full())

But that's OK since you're using the precreated template.

<http://download.openvz.org/doc/OpenVZ-Users-Guide.pdf>

"Understanding Templates"

Quote:

What are the benefits of using vzyum over yum in the CT?

Once the package has been downloaded it may be installed into different VEs without downloading it once more.

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