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Subject: Re: create openvz container

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Not sure if this is related but templates must conform to a certain format.

Cut/paste from <http://www.powerpbx.org/content/rhel-openvz-template-install-guide>

From command line on the actual node.

Stop the container by typing `vzctl stop $CTID`.

Make sure you are in the `/vz/private/$CTID` folder.

`cd /vz/private/$CTID`

Finally, package up the new template by typing:

`tar -czvf /vz/template/cache/centos-5-<ARCH>-<DISTRO>.tar.gz ./`

"centos-5" can also be "centos-6" or "scientificlinux-6" or ? OpenVZ expects the format "OS + "-" + "version".

<ARCH> is also mandatory and MUST be one of the following:

i386, x86, x86\_64

<DISTRO> can be whatever you want it to be.

The template is ready for use.

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