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Subject: Running puppetd in openvz displays a warning  
Posted by [Benjamin Henrion](#) on Wed, 04 Jan 2012 09:24:07 GMT  
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Hi,

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info: Caching catalog for sabayon  
info: Applying configuration version '1325668910'  
notice: Finished catalog run in 0.01 seconds  
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I compiled puppetd without the selinux use flag, any idea how to get rid of this warning?

Best,

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Subject: Re: Running puppetd in openvz displays a warning  
Posted by [mdfranz](#) on Wed, 04 Jan 2012 10:48:24 GMT  
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What version of puppet?

What version of Linux in your containers?

Anytime you see memory errors you should check /proc/user\_beancounters for hits

I recall having some NON-FATAL puppet errors due to selinux at some point in time during puppet runs with Ubuntu 10.04 and Centos 5/6 containers and the ancient puppet from the Ubuntu repos whatever is in EPEL.

- mdf

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