Subject: meminfo fails on container startup after upgrade
Posted by happyfunball on Sat, 30 Jun 2012 08:45:38 GMT
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Upgrading to Squeeze Debian newest kernel 2.6.32-5, my containers no longer show meaningful numbers when using the free or top command.

Example:

In the conf file for the container, it says:
MEMINFO="pages:16384"

The container used to show 64MB of memory with top or free.

On restart, the container shows it has 16GB of memory instead of 64MB ! The host machine has 16GB of memory, not the container!

MEMINFO="privvmpages:1" is also ignored.

I can get meminfo to work if I set it while the container is running, until the next reboot when its forgotten again.

vzctl version 3.0.24

uname -a:
Linux homeboy 2.6.32-5-openvz-amd64 #1 SMP Sun May 6 05:21:56 UTC 2012 x86_64 GNU/Linux

Subject: Re: meminfo fails on container startup after upgrade
Posted by happyfunball on Sat, 30 Jun 2012 09:14:51 GMT
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Ah nevermind, the problem was a bug with vzctl as distributed by Proxmox, not the default vzctl.

Reinstalling the debian vzctl solved the problem.