
Subject: vzdump not supporting restore vzrestore not available

Posted by [spoke2u](#) on Sun, 03 May 2015 12:45:06 GMT

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Freshly installed a copy of openvz kernel on a fresh debian 7.8 system booted into it

trying to restore a vzdump from another server.

vzdump does not have the option restore
unable to find a deb for vzrestore can some one help!?

i am using the latest for my Wheezy. Wheezy missing the vzrestore package and shipping a vzdump that does not support restore? (note I can not post links so remove "://" below)

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cat /etc/apt/sources.list.d/openvz-rhel6.list
deb http download.openvz.org/debian wheezy main
deb http download.openvz.org/debian wheezy-test main
#nonfree
deb http http.debian.net/debian/ wheezy main contrib non-free
```

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dpkg -I vz\* | grep ^ii
ii vzctl                4.9-1                amd64    server virtualization solution -
control tools
ii vdzump                1.2.6-3              all      OpenVZ backup scripts
ii vzquota              3.1-1                amd64    server virtualization solution -
quota tools
ii vzstats              0.5.3-1              all      OpenVZ component to gather
```

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statistics to improve the project
root@VZHN:/# apt-get install vzrestore
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
E: Unable to locate package vzrestore
root@VZHN:/#
```

```
#command does not support restore
# vdzump --restore --exclude 1008 --dumpdir /var/lib/vz/private/1002
vzdump-openvz-1008-2015_05_02-21_31_10.tgz 1002
Unknown option: restore
usage: /usr/sbin/vzdump OPTIONS [--all | VMID]
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--exclude VMID          exclude VMID (assumes --all)
--exclude-path REGEX    exclude certain files/directories
--stdexcludes           exclude temporary files and logs

--compress              compress dump file (gzip)
--dumpdir DIR           store resulting files in DIR
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--maxfiles N maximal number of backup files per VM
--script FILENAME execute hook script
--storage STORAGE_ID store resulting files to STORAGE_ID (PVE only)
--tmpdir DIR store temporary files in DIR

--mailto EMAIL send notification mail to EMAIL.
--quiet be quiet.
--stop stop/start VM if running
--suspend suspend/resume VM when running
--snapshot use LVM snapshot when running
--size MB LVM snapshot size

--node CID only run on pve cluster node CID
--lockwait MINUTES maximal time to wait for the global lock
--stopwait MINUTES maximal time to wait until a VM is stopped
--bwlimit KBPS limit I/O bandwidth; KBytes per second

so no way to restore ? do I have to some how find source and compile vzrestore where do I get it? I sorta have a 9 hour restore would like to finish tonight I am guessing that is not going to happen since restoring is not possible. all my searches refer to using vzdump with restore option or they just assume I have or can get with out telling me how to get the vzrestore.

Lost need help or at least some clarity!

Subject: Re: vzdump not supporting restore vzrestore not available
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ok vzdump does not support restore anymore you have to type out
/usr/sbin/vzrestore ??

I manage to get it working. it looks like it was installed . possibly by the vzdump I installed. not clear on this.