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Posted by [msolovyev](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 13:49:38 GMT

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/var/log/messages:

Nov 14 16:46:25 xxxxxx kernel: allocation failed: out of vmalloc space - use vmalloc=<size> to increase size.

Nov 14 16:46:25 xxxxxx kernel: VE: 103: stopped

Nov 14 16:46:25 xxxxxx kernel: VE: 103: failed to start with err=-12

2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1

CentOS-4.5

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Posted by [vaverin](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 14:14:10 GMT

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Posted by [msolovyev](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 14:40:25 GMT

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[root@xxxxxxxx ~]# cat /proc/meminfo
MemTotal: 1032136 kB
MemFree: 31060 kB
Buffers: 42404 kB
Cached: 640392 kB
SwapCached: 0 kB
Active: 498268 kB
Inactive: 439648 kB
HighTotal: 128896 kB
HighFree: 252 kB
LowTotal: 903240 kB
LowFree: 30808 kB
SwapTotal: 2008116 kB
SwapFree: 2008116 kB
Dirty: 444 kB
Writeback: 0 kB
AnonPages: 255132 kB
Mapped: 53252 kB
Slab: 46048 kB
PageTables: 3116 kB
NFS_Unstable: 0 kB
Bounce: 0 kB
CommitLimit: 2524184 kB
Committed_AS: 806292 kB
VmallocTotal: 110584 kB <=====
VmallocUsed: 110444 kB <=====
VmallocChunk: 72 kB
HugePages_Total: 0
HugePages_Free: 0
HugePages_Rsvd: 0
Hugepagesize: 4096 kB
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[root@xxxxxxxx ~]# free
      total    used    free   shared  buffers   cached
Mem:   1032136 1001224   30912     30912     0    42636   640436
-/+ buffers/cache: 318152 713984
Swap:  2008116     0 2008116
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Posted by [khorenko](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 14:58:23 GMT

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Documentation/kernel-parameters.txt:

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vmalloc=nn[KMG] [KNL,BOOT] Forces the vmalloc area to have an exact size of <nn>. This can be used to increase the minimum size (128MB on x86). It can also be used to decrease the size and leave more room for directly mapped kernel RAM.

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Posted by [msolovyev](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 15:29:21 GMT

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1) 2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1, 4GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 110584 kB

VmallocUsed: 9068 kB

VmallocChunk: 101460 kB

2) 2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1, 2GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 110584 kB

VmallocUsed: 6860 kB

VmallocChunk: 103652 kB

3) linux-image-2.6.18-028stab035.1-ovz-smp, 4GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 34359738364 kB

VmallocUsed: 273628 kB

VmallocChunk: 34359464696 kB

4) 2.6.18-openvz-13-1etch4-686, 512MB RAM

VmallocTotal: 540664 kB

VmallocUsed: 5788 kB

VmallocChunk: 534548 kB

2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1, 1GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 110584 kB

VmallocUsed: 110444 kB

VmallocChunk: 72 kB

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Posted by [vaverin](#) on Thu, 15 Nov 2007 05:56:29 GMT

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msolovyev wrote on Wed, 14 November 2007 18:291) 2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1, 4GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 110584 kB

VmallocUsed: 9068 kB

VmallocChunk: 101460 kB

2) 2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1, 2GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 110584 kB

VmallocUsed: 6860 kB

VmallocChunk: 103652 kB

msolovyev wrote on Wed, 14 November 2007 18:293) linux-image-2.6.18-028stab035.1-ovz-smp,  
4GB RAM

VmallocTotal: 34359738364 kB

VmallocUsed: 273628 kB

VmallocChunk: 34359464696 kB

msolovyev wrote on Wed, 14 November 2007 18:294) 2.6.18-openvz-13-1etch4-686, 512MB  
RAM

VmallocTotal: 540664 kB

VmallocUsed: 5788 kB  
VmallocChunk: 534548 kB

2.6.18-8.1.8.el5.028stab039.1, 1GB RAM  
VmallocTotal: 110584 kB  
VmallocUsed: 110444 kB  
VmallocChunk: 72 kB

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Posted by [msolovyev](#) on Thu, 15 Nov 2007 06:10:48 GMT

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VmallocTotal: 110584 kB  
VmallocUsed: 109240 kB  
VmallocChunk: 868 kB

VmallocTotal: 106488 kB  
VmallocUsed: 3696 kB  
VmallocChunk: 102456 kB

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Posted by [vaverin](#) on Thu, 15 Nov 2007 06:30:55 GMT

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Posted by [vaverin](#) on Thu, 15 Nov 2007 06:33:26 GMT

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[root@xxxxxxx ~]# cat /proc/meminfo | grep Vmalloc
VmallocTotal: 106488 kB
VmallocUsed: 5664 kB
VmallocChunk: 100760 kB
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