

RE: server hangs!

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 - *Date:* Mon, 29 May 2006 21:09:00 +0400
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What are the last messages in /var/log/messages and /var/log/dmesg written there immediately before the server hanged? You should also check the messages written to the server console screen (if it is available).

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-----Original Message-----

From: redhat-list-bounces@xxxxxxxxxx [<mailto:redhat-list-bounces@xxxxxxxxxx>] On Behalf Of darshak
Sent: Monday, May 29, 2006 9:54 AM
To: General Red Hat Linux discussion list
Subject: server hangs!

Hi,
How can i find that Why server is hanging? Is it a hardware/software issue?
Any Log that we can check for that?

Urgent help needed.

----- Original Message -----

From: "Mike Burger" <mburger@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
To: "General Red Hat Linux discussion list" <redhat-list@xxxxxxxxxx>
Sent: Sunday, May 21, 2006 10:25 AM
Subject: Re: About Shutdown Log Messages

Another thought is this:

Usually, an account must have root authority to run the
shutdown/init/halt
processes, anyhow.

Assuming that your regular users don't, already, have root access to the

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system(s) in question, you could restrict access to those commands via sudo.

Commands issued via sudo are logged in /var/log/secure, and appear something like this:

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May 15 06:00:02 burgers sudo: mburger : TTY=unknown ;  
PWD=/home/mburger
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;

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USER=root ; COMMAND=/usr/lib/mailman/bin/list_members  
somecommand
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On Fri, May 19, 2006 2:20 pm, Fábio Augusto wrote:

Hi Emilio,

Thanks a lot, I think it will help a lot! :)

Regards!

2006/5/19, Emilio Casbas <ecasbas@xxxxxxx>:

Fábio Augusto wrote:

Good Morning List,

I would like to check if
there is a way to create a log
for the
shutdown/init/halt
command, where every time
the machine is

restarted

or

halted, I can check which
user has submitted the turn
off command.

Regards

Good Afternoon :)

Why do you want create the log if they've
already exist?

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#man last
#man wtmp

Thanks
Emilio C.

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