

Foreman - Feature #995

We should have a logical way to group servers

06/18/2011 05:12 PM - Jeff Palmer

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Category: External Nodes	
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Description	
<p>Many of us have servers across multiple datacenters, or have some other need for logical server grouping.</p> <p>If I have a thousand servers in 25 data centers, chances are high that a lot of the parameters I want to pass to those servers are common to all of the servers in that datacenter.</p> <p>For example: resolve.conf, ntp.conf, the subnet and gateway, and other assorted parameters could be the same among all of the servers in this facility.</p> <p>Rather than having to define all of these parameters at the node level, we should be able to apply them once, at a "server group" level.</p> <p>Currently, processing of paramaters occurs as such: global param > node param (where the node paramater overrides the global)</p> <p>I'd like to see the processing be as such: global param > servergroup param > node param</p>	

History

#1 - 06/18/2011 05:13 PM - Jeff Palmer

This would allow us to define a common parameter, without having to set 30 params repeatedly across each of 100 or 500 nodes)

#2 - 06/19/2011 02:15 AM - Ohad Levy

- Status changed from New to Feedback

Hi Jeff,

I'm not sure I follow.. this is supported within foreman from the very beginning... did you read [External_Nodes](#)

#3 - 07/17/2011 05:58 AM - Ohad Levy

- Status changed from Feedback to Closed