z/OS V2.5 IBM Education Assistant

Solution Name: RACF and PKI Fingerprint support, PKI Trust Policy plugin removal

Solution Element(s): RACF, PKI Services





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Trademarks

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- Additional Trademarks:
 - None

Objectives

- Provide continuous certificate enhancements to fulfil customer requirements
- At the end of this presentation, you would understand the support from:
 - RACF Fingerprint support
 - PKI Services Fingerprint support
 - PKI Services Trust Policy plugin removal

RACF Fingerprint support

Overview

- To know the inventory of the certificates and know how they are being used are two of the many pain points from the customers
- Fingerprint is a HASH value over the entire certificate, it is a unique representation of a certificate
- We can make use of it to track the whole life cycle of the certificate in a z/OS system and see if the same certificate is being used on the other applications or platforms
- It involves all the major components that handle certificates. RACF is one of them.

Overview

- Who (Audience)
 - z/OS customers from various certificate enhancement requirements
- What (Solution)
 - RACF provides certificate fingerprint, a SHA256 HASH value, from:
 - RACDCERT command
 - SMF records for RACDCERT, R_datalib and initACEE functions
- Wow (Benefit / Value, Need Addressed)
 - The number of certificates used on z/OS is growing. The same certificate may exist across different applications or platforms. Administrator needs a way to identify them
 - Having a clear view on the certificate inventory and understanding what certificates are being used helps the better implementation on security policy based on certificates

 RACDCERT LIST, LISTCHAIN and CHECKCERT will calculate and display the SHA256 fingerprint in colon separated printable hex format. For example,

Digital certificate information for user CHOI:

Label: samplecert

Certificate ID: 2QbmxsPI1smJI4OFmaPy

Status: TRUST

Start Date: 2019/08/02 00:00:00

End Date: 2024/08/02 23:59:59

Serial Number:

>05<

Issuer's Name:

>CN=sampleCA.O=Test.SP=Poughkeepsie.C=US<

Subject's Name:

>CN=samplecert.O=Test.SP=Poughkeepsie.C=US<

Subject's AltNames:

IP: 127.0.0.5

EMail: sample at us.ibm.com

Domain: www.ibm.com

Signing Algorithm: sha2RSA Key Usage: HANDSHAKE

Key Type: RSA Key Size: 2048 Private Key: Yes

PKDS Label: SAMPLECERT

Certificate Fingerprint(SHA256):

9C:3E:4A:FC:C4:91:DF:D3:32:F3:08:9B:85:42:E9:46: 17:D8:93:D7:FE:94:4E:10:A7:93:7E:E2:9D:96:93:DE

Ring Associations: Ring Owner: CHOI

Ring:

>testring<

- Enable SMF recording to store the certificate fingerprint
 - For RACDCERT command (event code 66)
 - ADD, ALTER, BIND, CONNECT, DELETE, EXPORT, GENCERT, GENREQ, IMPORT, REKEY, REMOVE, ROLLOVER, UNBIND.
 - For R_Datalib callable service (event code 84)
 - DataPut, DataAlter, DataRemove
 - For initACEE callable service (event code 67)
 - register, deregister
- DBUnload will calculate the fingerprint value when it unloads a certificate
 - Fingerprint will be in the unload output even for previously existing certificates from earlier releases
- A sample \$CERT01 in IRRICE is provided to display all the certificates in the RACF DB with the following information:
 - Owner
 - Label
 - SHA256 Certificate Fingerprint
 - Issuer Distinguished Name
 - Subject Distinguished Name
 - Signature Algorithm

Interactions & Dependencies

- Software Dependencies
 - No
- Hardware Dependencies
 - No
- Exploiters
 - Customers who use RACDCERT, R_datalib and initACEE.

Upgrade & Coexistence Considerations

- To exploit this solution, all systems in the Sysplex must be at the new z/OS level:
 - No
- List any toleration/coexistence APARs/PTFs.
 - No
- List anything that doesn't work the same anymore.

No

Installation & Configuration

• N/A

PKI Services Fingerprint support

Overview

- To know the inventory of the certificates and know how they are being used are two of the many pain points from the customers
- Fingerprint is a HASH value over the entire certificate, it is a unique representation of a certificate
- We can make use of it to track the whole life cycle of the certificate in a z/OS system and see if the same certificate is being used on the other applications or platforms
- It involves all the major components that handle certificates. PKI Services is one of them.

Overview

- Who (Audience)
 - z/OS customers from various certificate enhancement requirements
- What (Solution)
 - PKI Services stores certificate fingerprint, a SHA256 HASH value, in:
 - its certificate backend store's (ICL) header
 - SMF records for PKI functions that generate, revoke (suspend), renew and export a certificate
 - Provide the capability to query a certificate created by PKI Services using the fingerprint as input
- Wow (Benefit / Value, Need Addressed)
 - The number of certificates exist on z/OS is growing. The same certificate may exist across different applications or platforms. Administrator needs a way to identify them
 - Having a clear view on the certificate inventory and understanding what certificates are being used helps the better implementation on security policy based on certificates

Fingerprint is displayed with the other existing information from the result page of the query

Issued Certificates

The following issued certificates matched the search criteria specified:

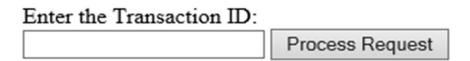
All	Requestor	Certificate Information	Status	Key archived	Dates
	Joe Smith	Serial #: 13 Template: 1- Year PKI SSL Browser Certificate Subject: CN=ServerA pok ibm com_OU=PKI_O=The Firm SHA256 fingerprint: 06:3E:4A:FA:C4:91:DF:D3:32:F3:08:9B:85:42:E9:46:17:D8:93:D7:FE:94:4E:10:A7:93:7E:E2:9D:96:93:C0	Active		Created: 2019/07/29 Modified:2019/07/29
	Mary Lee	Serial #: 14 Template: 1- Year PKI SSL Browser Certificate Subject: CN=ServerB.pok.ibm.com,OU=PKI,O=The Firm SHA256 fingerprint: 56:3T:4A:FA:C4:91:DF:D3:31:F3:08:9B:85:42:E9:46:17:D8:93:D1:FE:94:4E:10:A7:93:7E:E2:9D:96:93:K3	Active		Created: 2019/07/31 Modified:2019/07/31

Fingerprint can be used as a search input

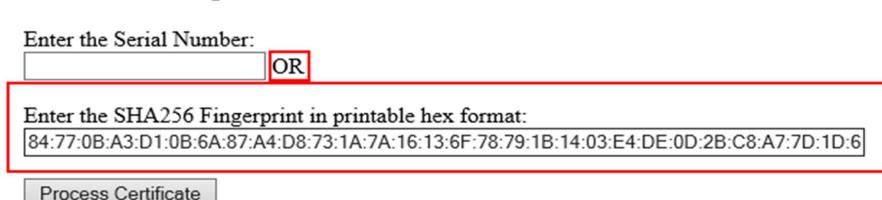
PKI Services Administration

Choose one of the following:

Work with a single certificate request



Work with a single issued certificate



- Enable SMF recording to store the certificate fingerprint
 - For R_PKIServ callable service
 - RPKIGENC (event code 69)
 - RPKIEXPT (event code 70)
 - RPKIUPDC (event code 74)
 - RPKISCEP (event code 83)
 - PKIAURNW (event code 85)

Use utility iclview to view the fingerprint in ICL, for example

Iclview -d \'pkisrvd.vsam.icl\'

Cert 2: Joe Smith

ISSUED (Issued certificate)

Issued at 2019-07-29 18:09:46

Last changed 2019-07-29 18:09:46

Subject: CN=ServerA.pok.ibm.com,OU=PKI,O=The Firm

Issuer: OU=Master CA,O=IBM,C=US

Requester: Joe Smith

ApplData: 1YBSSL

Serial Number: 13

Email flag: Off

AutoRenew flag: Not Set

Additional flags Set:

KeyID:

Validity: 2019/07/29 00:00:00 - 2020/07/27 23:59:59
Revocation Information Location: Distribution Point 1

SHA256 Fingerprint: 06:3E:4A:FA:C4:91:DF:D3:32:F3:08:9B:85:42:E9:46:

17:D8:93:D7:FE:94:4E:10:A7:93:7E:E2:9D:96:93:C0

Interactions & Dependencies

- Software Dependencies
 - No
- Hardware Dependencies
 - No
- Exploiters
 - PKI Services customers

Upgrade & Coexistence Considerations

- If you want to upgrade PKI Services from an older release to exploit the fingerprint support, you need to perform the following actions based on the backend type:
 - VSAM backend
 - Run IKYCVSV2 to create the new VSAM datasets with additional alternate index for the certificate fingerprint field
 - Stop PKI after all the requests are completed*
 - Run the conversion utility vsamconv
 - Update pkiserv.conf to specify the DBVersion to 2 and point to the new VSAM datasets*
 - Start PKI*
 - DB2 backend
 - Run IKYCDBV2 to create the new DB2 ObjectStore and ICL tables
 - Run IKYSBIND to build the new package with a new name
 - Stop PKI after all the requests are completed*
 - Run the conversion utility db2conv
 - Update pkiserv.conf to specify the DBVersion to 2*
 - Start PKI*

^{*} If running in sysplex, make sure the action is performed on all the members

Installation & Configuration

Update pkiserv.conf to use the fingerprint support

```
[ObjectStore]
  Specify one of the following:
       DBVersion=0
       DBVersion=1
       DBVersion=2
DBVersion=2
# If DBType is VSAM, configure the following
additional keywords:
       ObjectDSN
                                      ICLDSN
      ObjectStatusDSN
                                      ICLStatusDSN
      ObjectRequestorDSN
                                      ICLRequestorDSN
       ObjectSCEPTidDSN
                                      ICLSCEPTidDSN
       ObjectTidDSN
                                      ICLCertFprintDSN
# Data set name of the VSAM object store PATH for the requestor
# alternate index
ObjectRequestorDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.ost.requestr'
# Data set name of the VSAM object store PATH for the SCEP Transaction
# ID alternate index
#ObjectSCEPTidDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.ost.sceptid'
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```

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# Data set name of the VSAM issued certificate list
(ICL) base CLUSTER
ICLDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.icl'
# Data set name of the VSAM ICL PATH for the status
alternate index
ICLStatusDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.icl.status'
# Data set name of the VSAM ICL PATH for the
requestor alternate index
ICLRequestorDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.icl.requestr'
# Data set name of the VSAM ICL PATH for the SCEP
Transaction ID
# alternate index
ICLSCEPTidDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.icl.sceptid'
# Data set name of the VSAM ICL PATH for the
Certificate Fingerprint
# alternate index
ICLCertFprintDSN='pkisrvd.vsam.icl.fprt'
```

PKI Services Trust Policy Plugin Removal

Overview

- Follow IBM's announced decision in V2R4 RFA: z/OS V2.4 is planned to be the last release to support OCSF(Open Cryptographic Services Facility) and its plugins, PKITP(PKI Services Trust Policy) is one of them
- z/OS PKI Services will no longer include any of the Trust Policy codes starting from V2R5

Overview

- Who (Audience)
 - z/OS customers who have programs calling PKI Trust Policy for certificate validation
- What (Solution)
 - Remove the Trust Policy code from PKI Services
 - There is better alternative to perform the same functionality provided by System SSL's APIs
- Wow (Benefit / Value, Need Addressed)
 - Have a simpler validation program through System SSL APIs without installing any CDSA framework

N/A

Interactions & Dependencies

- Software Dependencies
 - N/A
- Hardware Dependencies
 - N/A
- Exploiters
 - N/A

Upgrade & Coexistence Considerations

• Make sure you replace the Trust Policy calls in the certificate validation program

Installation & Configuration

N/A

Summary

- Now you should understand the support from:
 - RACF Fingerprint support
 - PKI Services Fingerprint support
 - PKI Services Trust Policy Plugin Removal

Appendix

- Publication references
 - Security Server Command Language Reference
 - Security Server Callable Services
 - Security Server Macros and Interfaces
 - Cryptographic Services PKI Services Guide and Reference