NAME

ksi extend - Extend KSI signature with KSI command-line tool.

SYNOPSIS

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ksi extend -i in.ksig [-o out.ksig] -X URL [--ext-user user --ext-key key] -P URL [--cnstr oid=value]... [more_options]
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ksi extend -i in.ksig [-o out.ksig] -X URL [--ext-user user --ext-key key] -P URL [--cnstr oid=value]...
--pub-str str [more_options]

ksi extend -i in.ksig [-o out.ksig] -X URL [--ext-user user --ext-key key] -T time [more_options]

DESCRIPTION

Extends the given KSI signature to the time of given publication. After signature is extended and the corresponding publication record is attached, the signature can be verified by publication-based verification where only trusted publications file or a publication string in printed media is needed to perform the verification. See **ksi-verify**(1) for details.

User must have access to KSI extending service and trusted KSI publications file to extend the KSI signature. By default signature is extended to the earliest available publication. Use the option **--pub-str** to extend signature to the publication denoted by the given publication string. It is also possible to extend to the specified time with option **-T** but this is not recommended as the extended signature will have no calendar authentication nor publication record and can only be verified by calendar-based verification.

OPTIONS

-i in.ksig

File path to the KSI signature file to be extended. Use '-' as the path to read the signature from *stdin*.

-o out.ksig

Output file path for the extended signature. Use '-' as the path to redirect the signature binary stream to *stdout*. If not specified, the signature is saved to <in.ksig>.ext.ksig (or <in.ksig>ext_<nr>.ksig where *nr* is auto-incremented counter if the output file already exists). If specified, existing file is always overwritten.

-X URL

Extending service (KSI Extender) URL.

--ext-user user

Username for extending service.

--ext-key key

HMAC key for extending service.

-P URL Publications file URL (or file with URI scheme 'file://').

--cnstr oid=value

OID of the PKI certificate field (e.g. e-mail address) and the expected value to qualify the certificate for verification of publications file PKI signature. At least one constraint must be defined. All values from lower priority source are ignored.

For more common OID's there are convenience names defined:

- **E** or **email** for OID 1.2.840.113549.1.9.1
- **CN** or **cname** for OID 2.5.4.3
- **C or country** for OID 2.5.4.6
- **O** or **org** for OID 2.5.4.10

--pub-str str

Publication record as publication string to extend signature to.

- **-T** *time* Publication time to extend to as the number of seconds since 1970-01-01 00:00:00 UTC or time formatted as "YYYY-MM-DD hh:mm:ss".
- **-V** *file* Certificate file in PEM format for publications file verification. All values from lower priority source are ignored.
- **-W** *dir* Specify an OpenSSL-style trust store directory for publications file verification. All values from lower priority source are ignored, where default configurations file is the lowest and command-line is the highest. All values from lower priority source are ignored.
- **-d** Print detailed information about processes and errors to *stderr*.

--dump

Dump extended signature and verification info in human-readable format to stdout.

--conf file

Read configuration options from given file. It must be noted that configuration options given explicitly on command line will override the ones in the configuration file. See **ksi-conf**(5) for more information.

--log_file

Write libksi log to given file. Use '-' as file name to redirect log to stdout.

EXIT STATUS

See **ksi**(1) for more information.

EXAMPLES

In the following examples it is assumed that KSI service configuration options (URLs, access credentials) are defined. See **ksi-conf**(5) for more information.

1 To extend a signature sig.ksig to the earliest available publication and save it as ext.ksig call:

ksi extend -i sig.ksig -o ext.ksig

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To extend a signature *sig.ksig* to s specified publication (the publication string available from Financial Times, ISSN: 0307-1766, 2016-03-17 given as example):

ksi extend -i sig.ksig -o ext.ksig --pub-str AAAAAA-CW45II-AAKWRK-F7FBNM-KB6FNV-DYYFW7-PJQN6F-JKZWBQ-3OQYZO-HCB7RA-YNYAGA-ODRL2V

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To extend a signature sig.ksig to specified calendar time 2015-05-05 00:00:00 and save it as ext.ksig call:

ksi extend -i *sig.ksig* **-o** *ext.ksig* **-T** "2015-05-05 00:00:00"

ENVIRONMENT

Use the environment variable **KSI_CONF** to define the default configuration file. See **ksi-conf**(5) for more information.

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SEE ALSO

ksi(1), ksi-sign(1), ksi-verify(1), ksi-pubfile(1), ksi-conf(5)