

## A APPENDIX FOR REPORTED ISSUES

Table 4. Issues Reported and Feedback

Description	Reported to	Status
In function <code>check_syslog_permissions()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYSLOG</code>	Kernel developers	Patched
In function <code>tty_ioctl()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYS_TTY_CONFIG</code>	Kernel developers	Confirmed
In function <code>aac_send_raw_srb()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYS_RAWIO</code>	Kernel developers	Posted
In function <code>ldsc_open()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYS_TTY_CONFIG</code> , and <code>CAP_NET_ADMIN</code> check is missing	Kernel developers	Posted
In function <code>caif_create()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_NET_ADMIN</code>	Kernel developers	Posted
In function <code>_rlimit_overlimit()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYS_RESOURCE</code>	Kernel developers	Confirmed
In function <code>too_many_unix_fds()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYS_RESOURCE</code>	Kernel developers	Posted
In function <code>pipe_is_unprivileged_user()</code> , <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> overlaps with <code>CAP_SYS_RESOURCE</code>	Kernel developers	Posted
Overlapping capability definitions between <code>CAP_SYS_ADMIN</code> and <code>CAP_SYS_RESOURCE</code> , and between <code>CAP_NET_ADMIN</code> and <code>CAP_NET_RAW</code>	Documentation maintainer	Confirmed
In functions <code>sk_setsockopt()</code> and <code>__sock_cmsg_send()</code> , capability checks does not align with the documentation	Kernel developers	Posted
Function <code>__rfcomm_release_dev()</code> lacks <code>CAP_SYS_TTY_CONFIG</code>	Kernel developers	Posted
Commands are misplaced on Section 1* and Section 8*	Documentation maintainer	Posted
Command <code>ctrlaltdel</code> should not check <code>euid</code> in userspace	Command developers	Fixed
Command <code>ping</code> lacks <code>CAP_NET_ADMIN</code>	Command developers	Fixed
Command <code>clockdiff</code> installed on Ubuntu 22.04 both lack <code>CAP_NET_ADMIN</code>	Ubuntu distribution	Posted

\* Linux man pages are divided into 8 sections, where section 1 and section 8 are user commands and privileged commands respectively.

Table 5. Privileged Functions Protected by Each Capability

Capability	Numbers of Protected Privileged Functions	Corresponding Ratios*
CAP_SYS_ADMIN	1258	45.62%
CAP_NET_ADMIN	736	26.81%
CAP_SYS_RESOURCE	195	7.21%
CAP_SYS_RAWIO	157	5.69%
CAP_IPC_LOCK	113	4.11%
CAP_NET_RAW	102	3.71%
CAP_SYS_NICE	89	3.28%
CAP_NET_BIND_SERVICE	61	2.23%
CAP_FSETID	33	1.23%
CAP_SYS_TIME	31	1.15%
CAP_WAKE_ALARM	28	1.05%
others	<27	<1%

\* The ratios sum to more than 100% due to overlap between the functions protected by the capabilities.