

# Compliance... and You!

Using Red Hat Satellite to monitor and deliver compliance solutions.

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# Who Are We?

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- Former training manager for Liquid Web
- Designed and oversaw Red Hat-approved in-house training program for formal certification

Huge D&D nerd.



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RHCSA

- AF Group Lead Infrastructure Engineer
- Drove Linux expansion from 12 servers to 450+
- Oversaw transition of physical servers to virtual instances

Recovering web developer.





# Overview

- What Compliance Is
- What Compliance Isn't
- Using Red Hat Satellite's Compliance Tools
- Using Satellite to Enable Resolutions
- Putting Minds at Ease

# Compliance Defined



## compliance noun

 Save Word

com·pli·ance | \ kəm-ˈplī-ən(t)s  \

### Definition of *compliance*

- 1 **a** : the act or process of complying to a desire, demand, proposal, or regimen or to coercion  
// Patient *compliance* in completing the treatment regimens was excellent.  
— Georgia A. Chrousos
- b** : conformity in fulfilling official requirements  
// His actions were in *compliance* with state law.



## Compliance Perceived





# OpenSCAP Defined

**OpenSCAP = Security Content Automation Protocol**

US standard maintained by National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST). The OpenSCAP project is a collection of *open source* tools for implementing and enforcing this standard [..].

^^ this will be important in a moment



# OpenSCAP Defined, additional information



## *DISA-STIG.*

- Defense Information Systems Agency Security Technical Implementation Guide
- Standards for Department of Defense

## *HIPAA.*

- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability
- Incredibly complex

## *Others.*

- They're out there, but we're focused on DISA-STIG

*remember: these are catalogs, not checklists, and require ample review before implementation*

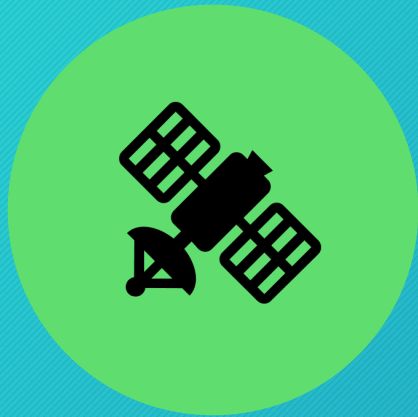


What This Isn't

**All The Things**



# Compliance + Red Hat Satellite



STEP 1:  
CONFIGURE SATELLITE



STEP 2:  
CONFIGURE OPENS CAP



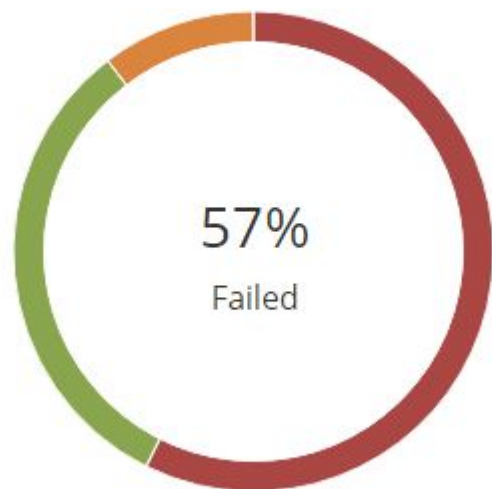
STEP 3:  
PROFIT!



# Red Hat Satellite's OpenSCAP Report



Compliance Reports Breakdown



Latest Compliance Reports

Host	Policy	P	F	O
domain.com	RHEL 7 - Standard System Profile	77	139	26
database.domain.com	CentOS 7 - Standard System Profile	14	36	1
monitor.domain.com	CentOS 7 - Standard System Profile	13	37	1
webserver-pub.domain.com	CentOS 7 - Standard System Profile	13	37	1
webserver-dev.domain.com	RHEL 7 - Standard System Profile	74	142	26
bitcoin.domain.com	CentOS 7 - Standard System Profile	16	34	1
dolen.domain.com	RHEL 6 - Standard System Profile	77	89	15
topsecret.domain.com	RHEL 7 - Standard System Profile	76	140	26
bottomsecret.domain.com	RHEL 7 - Standard System Profile	71	145	26



# Braaaaaaaaaaiiiinnnnsssss....



Severity	Message	Resource	Result
Medium	Disable KDump Kernel Crash Analyzer (kdump) ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	fail
Medium	Verify Group Who Owns /etc/cron.allow file ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	pass
Medium	Verify User Who Owns /etc/cron.allow file ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	pass
High	Uninstall vsftpd Package ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	pass
Medium	Prevent Unrestricted Mail Relaying ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	notchecked
Medium	Mount Remote Filesystems with Kerberos Security ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	pass

High	Install McAfee Virus Scanning Software ⓘ	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_...	fail
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# Get the Facts



- Data, breadcrumbs, and solutions

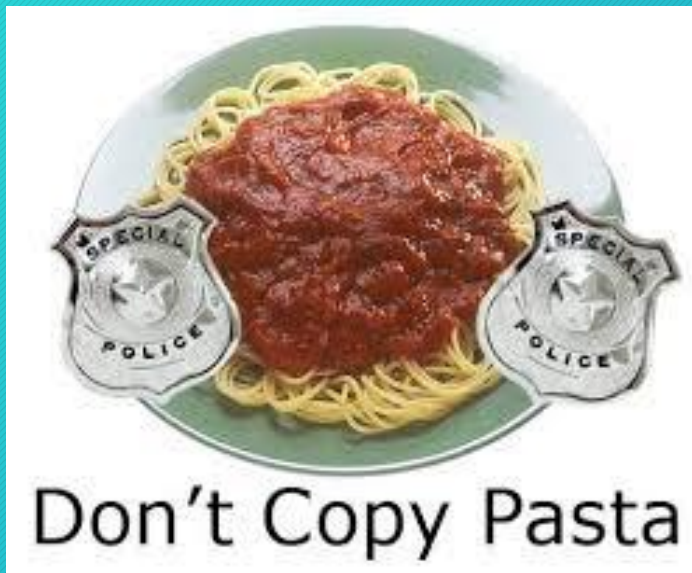
▼ <b>Group</b>	McAfee Endpoint Security Software
<a href="#">[ref]</a> In DoD environments, McAfee Host-based Security System (HBSS) and VirusScan Enterprise for Linux (VSEL) is required to be installed on all systems.	
<b>Group</b>	McAfee Host-Based Intrusion Detection Software (HBSS)
<a href="#">[ref]</a> McAfee Host-based Security System (HBSS) is a suite of software applications used to monitor, detect, and defend computer networks and systems.	



# Adjustments and Ownership



Compliance, like emissions, establish only a baseline



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29	30	31	1	2	3	4		
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# Simple Suggestions for Resolution



Don't Copy Pasta

▼ Updating Software 2x fail 1x notchecked		
Ensure yum Removes Previous Package Versions	low	fail
Ensure gpgcheck Enabled In Main yum Configuration	high	pass
Ensure gpgcheck Enabled for Local Packages	high	fail
Ensure Software Patches Installed	high	notchecked



# Simple Suggestions for Resolution



Ensure yum Removes Previous Package Versions	
Rule ID	xccdf_org.ssgproject.content_rule_clean_components_post_updating
Result	fail
Time	2019-11-30T03:43:07
Severity	low
Identifiers and References	<b>Identifiers:</b> CCE-80346-0 <b>References:</b> RHEL-07-020200, SV-86611r2_rule, 18, 20, 4, APO12.01, APO12.02, APO12.03, APO12.04, BAI03.10, DSS05.01, DSS05.02, 3.4.8, CCI-002617, 4.2.3, 4.2.3.12, 4.2.3.7, 4.2.3.9, A.12.6.1, A.14.2.3, A.16.1.3, A.18.2.2, A.18.2.3, SI-2(6), CM-11, ID.RA-1, PR.IP-12, SRG-OS-000437-GPOS-00194
Description	<code>yum</code> should be configured to remove previous software components after new versions have been installed. To configure <code>yum</code> to remove the previous software components after updating, set the <code>clean_requirements_on_remove</code> to <code>1</code> in <code>/etc/yum.conf</code> .
Rationale	Previous versions of software components that are not removed from the information system after updates have been installed may be exploited by some adversaries.



# Simple Suggestions for Resolution



## OVAL details

check value of `clean_requirements_on_remove` in `/etc/yum.conf` **failed** because these items were missing:

Object `oval:ssg-object yum_clean_components_post Updating:obj:1` of type `textfilecontent54_object`

Filepath	Pattern	Instance
<code>/etc/yum.conf</code>	<code>^\\s*clean_requirements_on_remove\\s*=\\s*(1 True yes)\\s*\$</code>	1



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Remediation Ansible snippet: [\(show\)](#)

Complexity:	low
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Strategy:	restrict

```
- name: "Ensure YUM Removes Previous Package Versions"
  lineinfile:
    dest: /etc/yum.conf
    regexp: ^#?clean_requirements_on_remove
    line: clean_requirements_on_remove=1
    insertafter: '\[main\]'
  tags:
    - clean_components_post Updating
    - low_severity
    - restrict_strategy
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# Resolutions, Compared



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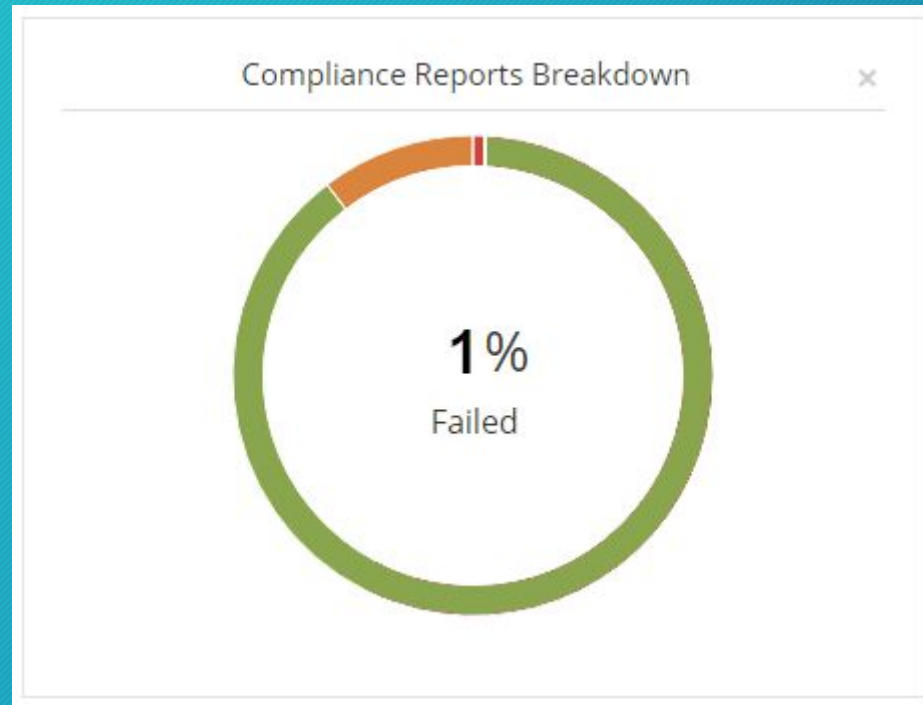
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# End Result?





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