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Policy



State of the Chrome Root Program Policy

Version 1.6 landed in February 2025.

Version 1.7 landed in July 2025.

Actively working towards releasing Version 1.8 for CA Owner pre-flight.

Policy 1.8 – Planned scope of updates

Major changes:

- Limit the # of Roots per CA Owner
- Extend automation support requirements from Applicants to all existing CAs

Minor changes:

- Require policies state adherence to Chrome Root Program Policy
- Recommend additional operational practices

Policy 1.8 - Next steps

CA Owners in the Chrome Root Store can expect a policy pre-flight via CCADB message in the coming weeks.

Goal: offer at least 90 days between initiating the pre-flight process and when the new policy become normative.

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PKI-related happenings

SC-081 Enforcement

- We've landed technical enforcement of the upcoming certificate lifetime reductions

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