

ima\_policy..txt

What: security/ima/policy  
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Description:

The Trusted Computing Group (TCG) runtime Integrity Measurement Architecture (IMA) maintains a list of hash values of executables and other sensitive system files loaded into the run-time of this system. At runtime, the policy can be constrained based on LSM specific data. Policies are loaded into the securityfs file ima/policy by opening the file, writing the rules one at a time and then closing the file. The new policy takes effect after the file ima/policy is closed.

rule format: action [condition ...]

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action: measure | dont_measure
condition:= base | lsm
        base:  [[func=] [mask=] [fsmagic=] [uid=]]
        lsm:   [[subj_user=] [subj_role=] [subj_type=]
                [obj_user=] [obj_role=] [obj_type=]]

base:    func:= [BPRM_CHECK] [FILE_MMAP] [FILE_CHECK]
        mask:= [MAY_READ] [MAY_WRITE] [MAY_APPEND] [MAY_EXEC]
        fsmagic:= hex value
        uid:= decimal value
lsm:     are LSM specific

default policy:
# PROC_SUPER_MAGIC
dont_measure fsmagic=0x9fa0
# SYSFS_MAGIC
dont_measure fsmagic=0x62656572
# DEBUGFS_MAGIC
dont_measure fsmagic=0x64626720
# TMPFS_MAGIC
dont_measure fsmagic=0x01021994
# SECURITYFS_MAGIC
dont_measure fsmagic=0x73636673

measure func=BPRM_CHECK
measure func=FILE_MMAP mask=MAY_EXEC
measure func=FILE_CHECK mask=MAY_READ uid=0
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The default policy measures all executables in bprm\_check, all files mmaped executable in file\_mmap, and all files open for read by root in do\_filp\_open.

Examples of LSM specific definitions:

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SELinux:
# SELINUX_MAGIC
dont_measure fsmagic=0xF97CFF8C

dont_measure obj_type=var_log_t
dont_measure obj_type=auditd_log_t
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measure subj_user=system_u func=FILE_CHECK mask=MAY_READ
measure subj_role=system_r func=FILE_CHECK mask=MAY_READ
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measure subj_user=_ func=FILE_CHECK mask=MAY_READ
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