

Error Conditions for Each Violation

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1 Overview

This document defines the specific compile-time error conditions triggered when security invariants are violated within the `updateFirmware()` routine.

2 Verification Dominance Violation

Error Message:

Firmware installation reachable without prior signature verification.

Trigger Condition:

Raised when `install(pkg)` is not dominated by `verify_signature(pkg)` in the Control Flow Graph.

3 Rollback Protection Violation

Error Message:

Firmware installation without version monotonicity check.

Trigger Condition:

Raised when no condition enforcing

`pkg->version > current_version()`

guards the `install(pkg)` call.

4 Trusted Source Violation

Error Message:

Firmware installation without trusted source validation.

Trigger Condition:

Raised when `source_is_trusted(pkg)` does not dominate the `install(pkg)` call or is absent from its controlling predicate.

5 Logging Safety Violation

Error Message:

Sensitive logging detected inside updateFirmware().

Trigger Condition:

Raised when logging APIs (e.g., `printf`, `fprintf`, `log`, `syslog`) are invoked within `updateFirmware()`.

6 Weak Crypto Violation

Error Message:

Weak cryptographic API usage inside updateFirmware().

Trigger Condition:

Raised when banned cryptographic functions such as MD5, SHA1, or `rand` are detected within the update logic.