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Linux kernel source tree

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commit bfb819ea20ce8bbeba17e1a6418bf8bda91fc28 (patch)
tree d5327bdc0a2bb41db9968c7937810d40875b090a
parent ad9f25d338605d26acedcaf3ba5fab5ca26f1c10 (diff)
download linux-bfb819ea20ce8bbeba17e1a6418bf8bda91fc28.tar.gz

diff options

context: space: mode:

proc: Check /proc/\$pid/attr/ writes against file opener

Fix another "confused deputy" weakness[1]. Writes to /proc/\$pid/attr/ files need to check the opener credentials, since these fds do not transition state across execve(). Without this, it is possible to trick another process (which may have different credentials) to write to its own /proc/\$pid/attr/ files, leading to unexpected and possibly exploitable behaviors.

[1] <https://www.kernel.org/doc/html/latest/security/credentials.html?highlight=confused#open-file-credentials>

Fixes: 1da177e4c3f41 ("Linux-2.6.12-rc2")

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Diffstat

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-rw-r--r-- fs/proc/base.c 4
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1 files changed, 4 insertions, 0 deletions

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diff --git a/fs/proc/base.c b/fs/proc/base.c
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```
index 3851bfcd56e..58bbf334265b7 100644
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--- a/fs/proc/base.c
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+++ b/fs/proc/base.c
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```
@@ -2703,6 +2703,10 @@ static ssize_t proc_pid_attr_write(struct file * file, const char __user * buf,
    void *page;
    int rv;

+    /* A task may only write when it was the opener. */
+    if (file->f_cred != current_real_cred())
+        return -EPERM;
+
    rcu_read_lock();
    task = pid_task(proc_pid(inode), PIDTYPE_PID);
    if (!task) {
```

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