

-[ Lynis 2.6.2 Results ]-

Warnings (4):

- ! Version of Lynis is very old and should be updated [LYNIS]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/LYNIS/>
- ! No password set for single mode [AUTH-9308]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/AUTH-9308/>
- ! Found one or more vulnerable packages. [PKGS-7392]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/PKGS-7392/>
- ! Found some information disclosure in SMTP banner (OS or software name) [MAIL-8818]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/MAIL-8818/>

Suggestions (52):

- \* Install libpam-tmpdir to set \$TMP and \$TMPDIR for PAM sessions [CUST-0280]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0280/>
- \* Install libpam-usb to enable multi-factor authentication for PAM sessions [CUST-0285]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0285/>
- \* Install apt-listbugs to display a list of critical bugs prior to each APT installation. [CUST-0810]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0810/>
- \* Install apt-listchanges to display any significant changes prior to any upgrade via APT. [CUST-0811]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0811/>
- \* Install debian-goodies so that you can run checkrestart after upgrades to determine which services are using old versions of libraries and need restarting. [CUST-0830]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0830/>
- \* Install needrestart, alternatively to debian-goodies, so that you can run needrestart after upgrades to determine which daemons are using old versions of libraries and need restarting. [CUST-0831]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0831/>
- \* Install debsecan to generate lists of vulnerabilities which affect this installation. [CUST-0870]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0870/>
- \* Install debsums for the verification of installed package files against MD5 checksums. [CUST-0875]  
<https://your-domain.example.org/controls/CUST-0875/>
- \* Install fail2ban to automatically ban hosts that commit multiple authentication errors. [DEB-0880]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/DEB-0880/>
- \* Set a password on GRUB bootloader to prevent altering boot configuration (e.g. boot in single user mode without password) [BOOT-5122]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/BOOT-5122/>
- \* Install a PAM module for password strength testing like pam\_cracklib or pam\_passwdqc [AUTH-9262]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/AUTH-9262/>

- \* Configure minimum password age in /etc/login.defs [AUTH-9286]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/AUTH-9286/>
- \* Configure maximum password age in /etc/login.defs [AUTH-9286]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/AUTH-9286/>
- \* Set password for single user mode to minimize physical access attack surface [AUTH-9308]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/AUTH-9308/>
- \* Default umask in /etc/login.defs could be more strict like 027 [AUTH-9328]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/AUTH-9328/>
- \* To decrease the impact of a full /home file system, place /home on a separated partition [FILE-6310]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/FILE-6310/>
- \* To decrease the impact of a full /tmp file system, place /tmp on a separated partition [FILE-6310]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/FILE-6310/>
- \* To decrease the impact of a full /var file system, place /var on a separated partition [FILE-6310]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/FILE-6310/>
- \* Disable drivers like USB storage when not used, to prevent unauthorized storage or data theft [STRG-1840]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/STRG-1840/>
- \* Check DNS configuration for the dns domain name [NAME-4028]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/NAME-4028/>
- \* Purge old/removed packages (1 found) with aptitude purge or dpkg --purge command. This will cleanup old configuration files, cron jobs and startup scripts. [PKGS-7346]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/PKGS-7346/>
- \* Install debsums utility for the verification of packages with known good database. [PKGS-7370]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/PKGS-7370/>
- \* Update your system with apt-get update, apt-get upgrade, apt-get dist-upgrade and/or unattended-upgrades [PKGS-7392]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/PKGS-7392/>
- \* Install package apt-show-versions for patch management purposes [PKGS-7394]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/PKGS-7394/>
- \* Consider running ARP monitoring software (arpwatch, arpon) [NETW-3032]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/NETW-3032/>
- \* Access to CUPS configuration could be more strict. [PRNT-2307]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/PRNT-2307/>
- \* You are advised to hide the mail\_name (option: smtpd\_banner) from your postfix configuration. Use postconf -e or change your main.cf file (/etc/postfix/main.cf) [MAIL-8818]  
<https://cisofy.com/controls/MAIL-8818/>
- \* Disable the 'VRFY' command [MAIL-8820:disable\_vrfy\_command]  
- Details : [disable\\_vrfy\\_command-no](#)

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Activities Terminal Mon 01:28 sysadmin@UbuntuDesktop: ~  
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- Details : disable_vrfy_command=no  
- Solution : run postconf -e disable_vrfy_command=yes to change the value  
https://cisofy.com/controls/MAIL-8820/  
  
* Check iptables rules to see which rules are currently not used [FIRE-4513]  
https://cisofy.com/controls/FIRE-4513/  
  
* Install Apache mod_evasive to guard webserver against DoS/brute force attempts [HTTP-6640]  
https://cisofy.com/controls/HTTP-6640/  
  
* Install Apache modsecurity to guard webserver against web application attacks [HTTP-6643]  
https://cisofy.com/controls/HTTP-6643/  
  
* Add HTTPS to nginx virtual hosts for enhanced protection of sensitive data and privacy [HTTP-6710]  
https://cisofy.com/controls/HTTP-6710/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : AllowTcpForwarding (YES --> NO)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : ClientAliveCountMax (3 --> 2)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : Compression (YES --> (DELAYED)NO)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
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- Details : LogLevel (INFO --> VERBOSE)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : MaxAuthTries (6 --> 2)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : MaxSessions (10 --> 2)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : PermitRootLogin (WITHOUT-PASSWORD --> NO)  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]  
- Details : Port (22 --> )  
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/  
  
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- Details : StrictModes (YES --> NO)  
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* Consider hardening SSH configuration [SSH-7408]
- Details : AllowAgentForwarding (YES --> NO)
https://cisofy.com/controls/SSH-7408/

* Check what deleted files are still in use and why. [LOGG-2190]
https://cisofy.com/controls/LOGG-2190/

* Add a legal banner to /etc/issue, to warn unauthorized users [BANN-7126]
https://cisofy.com/controls/BANN-7126/

* Add legal banner to /etc/issue.net, to warn unauthorized users [BANN-7130]
https://cisofy.com/controls/BANN-7130/

* Enable process accounting [ACCT-9622]
https://cisofy.com/controls/ACCT-9622/

* Enable sysstat to collect accounting (no results) [ACCT-9626]
https://cisofy.com/controls/ACCT-9626/

* Enable auditd to collect audit information [ACCT-9628]
https://cisofy.com/controls/ACCT-9628/

* Run 'docker info' to see warnings applicable to Docker daemon [CONT-8104]
https://cisofy.com/controls/CONT-8104/

* One or more sysctl values differ from the scan profile and could be tweaked [KRNL-6000]
- Solution : Change sysctl value or disable test (skip-test=KRNL-6000:<sysctl-key>)
https://cisofy.com/controls/KRNL-6000/

* Harden compilers like restricting access to root user only [HRDN-7222]
https://cisofy.com/controls/HRDN-7222/

Follow-up:
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- Show details of a test (lynis show details TEST-ID)
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#### Lynis security scan details:

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Hardening index : 57 [##### ]
Tests performed : 240
Plugins enabled : 1
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#### Components:



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## Components:

- Firewall [V]
- Malware scanner [V]

## Lynis Modules:

- Compliance Status [?]
- Security Audit [V]
- Vulnerability Scan [V]

## Files:

- Test and debug information : /var/log/lynis.log
- Report data : /var/log/lynis-report.dat

## Notice: Lynis update available

Current version : 262 Latest version : 305

## Lynis 2.6.2

Auditing, system hardening, and compliance for UNIX-based systems  
(Linux, macOS, BSD, and others)

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Enterprise support available (compliance, plugins, interface and tools)

[TIP]: Enhance Lynis audits by adding your settings to custom.prfl (see /etc/lynis/default.prfl for all settings)