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Access Control Mechanisms – Practice

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Prepare Virtual Environment

Be sure to have an up-to date copy of the repository

- `git clone gitlab.fi.muni.cz:cybersec/pa211/hardening.git`
- `cd hardening/acm`
- `vagrant up`
- `vagrant ssh`

1) Warm-up Exercise

Delete file `/home/vagrant/practice/file_to_delete`

1) Warm-up Exercise – Solution

```
$ sudo chattr -ai /home/vagrant/practice/file_to_delete
```

```
$ rm /home/vagrant/practice/file_to_delete
```

Discretionary Access Control

2) DAC Exercise

- Alice wants to share a secret file with Bob so that no one else can read it or even see the file. Bob should not be able to write there.
- Set correct permissions to `/home/alice/shared_with_bob/for_bob.txt` to ensure this
- Test that bob can read it and eve cannot.
- Change users using `sudo su username` command.

2) DAC Exercise – Users and groups

- Group security: alice, bob, eve
- Group accounting: jane, henry

Do not modify membership of these users in groups.

2) DAC Exercise – Solution

```
vagrant@server:~$ ll /home/alice/shared_with_bob/
total 12
drwxr-xr-x 2 alice alice 4096 Nov 15 02:08 .
drwxr-xr-x 3 alice alice 4096 Nov 15 02:07 ..
-rw-r--r-- 1 alice alice   72 Nov 15 02:08 for_bob.txt
vagrant@server:~$ sudo chgrp bob -R /home/alice/shared_with_bob/
vagrant@server:~$ sudo chmod 750 /home/alice/shared_with_bob/
vagrant@server:~$ sudo chmod 640 /home/alice/shared_with_bob/for_bob.txt
```

```
bob@server:/home/vagrant$ cat /home/alice/shared_with_bob/for_bob.txt
Hey Bob, this is a very secret message that nobody but you should read.
bob@server:/home/vagrant$ exit
```

```
vagrant@server:~$ sudo su eve
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ cat /home/alice/shared_with_bob/for_bob.txt
cat: /home/alice/shared_with_bob/for_bob.txt: Permission denied
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ ls /home/alice/shared_with_bob/
ls: cannot open directory '/home/alice/shared_with_bob/': Permission denied
```


3) Shared Folder Exercise

- Alice wants to share files with everybody in the `security` group and no one else
- Everybody in the group should be able to read all files in `/home/alice/shared_with_security/`
- Everybody in the group should be able to delete their files, but not files created by others
- New files in the directory should automatically have these properties
- Test all the above-mentioned properties and also that nobody from `accounting` has access

3) Shared Folder Exercise – Solution

```
vagrant@server:~$ sudo chmod 3770 /home/alice/shared_with_security/ (alternative solution: chmod 1770 ...)  
vagrant@server:~$ sudo chgrp security /home/alice/shared_with_security/  
vagrant@server:~$ sudo ls -la /home/alice/shared_with_security/  
drwxrws-T 2 alice security 4096 Nov 15 02:26 .  
drwxr-xr-x 4 alice alice 4096 Nov 15 02:21 ..
```

```
bob@server:/home/vagrant$ echo content > /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt
```

```
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ cat /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt  
content  
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ echo 'more content' >> /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt  
bash: /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt: Permission denied  
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ rm /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt  
rm: remove write-protected regular file '/home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt'? Y  
rm: cannot remove '/home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt': Operation not permitted  
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ echo 'eve was here' > /home/alice/shared_with_security/eves_file.txt  
eve@server:/home/vagrant$ rm /home/alice/shared_with_security/eves_file.txt
```

```
jane@server:/home/vagrant/example$ cat /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt  
cat: /home/alice/shared_with_security/bobs_file.txt: Permission denied
```

4) ACL Exercise

- Now Alice wants to share files with her friends, Bob and Jane.
- Set permissions of `/home/alice/shared_with_friends` to allow read and write access only to bob and jane.
- Both friends must be able to create and delete any file in this directory.
- Do not forget to test that others do not have access.

4) ACL Exercise – Solution 1/2

```
vagrant@server:~$ sudo chmod og-rwx /home/alice/shared_with_friends/
vagrant@server:~$ sudo setfacl -m d:u:bob:rwx -m u:bob:rwx -m d:u:jane:rwx -m u:jane:rwx -m d:g:--- -m
d:o:--- -m m::rwx /home/alice/shared_with_friends/
vagrant@server:~$ getfacl /home/alice/shared_with_friends/
getfacl: Removing leading '/' from absolute path names
# file: home/alice/shared_with_friends/
# owner: alice
# group: alice
user::rwx
user:bob:rwx
user:jane:rwx
group:---
mask::rwx
other:---
default:user::rwx
default:user:bob:rwx
default:user:jane:rwx
default:group:---
default:mask::rwx
default:other:---
```

4) ACL Exercise – Solution 2/2

```
jane@server:/home/vagrant/example$ echo 'hello Alice!' > /home/alice/shared_with_friends/message.txt
```

```
bob@server:/home/vagrant/example$ echo 'hello!' >> /home/alice/shared_with_friends/message.txt
```

```
bob@server:/home/vagrant/example$ ls -l /home/alice/shared_with_friends/message.txt
```

```
-rw-rw----+ 1 jane jane 20 Nov 15 03:00 /home/alice/shared_with_friends/message.txt
```

```
bob@server:/home/vagrant/example$ rm /home/alice/shared_with_friends/message.txt
```

```
bob@server:/home/vagrant/example$
```

```
eve@server:/home/vagrant/example$ ls /home/alice/shared_with_friends/
```

```
ls: cannot open directory '/home/alice/shared_with_friends/': Permission denied
```

```
eve@server:/home/vagrant/example$ echo 'evil message' > /home/alice/shared_with_friends/from_a_friend.txt
```

```
bash: /home/alice/shared_with_friends/from_a_friend.txt: Permission denied
```

AppArmor

5) Delete File Exercise

Delete file `/home/vagrant/practice/another_file_to_delete`

5) Delete File Exercise – Solution

```
$ grep another_file_to_delete /etc/apparmor.d/ -R  
/etc/apparmor.d/usr.bin.rm: deny /home/vagrant/practice/another_file_to_delete w,
```

```
$ sudo aa-disable /etc/apparmor.d/usr.bin.rm  
Disabling /etc/apparmor.d/usr.bin.rm.
```

```
$ rm /home/vagrant/practice/another_file_to_delete
```


6) Profile for example.sh

- Create and load an AppArmor profile for
 /home/vagrant/example/example.sh
- Use aa-genprof

6) Profile for example.sh – Solution 1/3

- `sudo aa-genprof example.sh`
- Execute `example.sh` in another terminal, return back
[(S)can system log for AppArmor events] / (F)inish
- Select (S)can system log for AppArmor events
Reading log entries from /var/log/syslog.
Updating AppArmor profiles in /etc/apparmor.d.

Profile: /home/vagrant/example/example.sh
Execute: /usr/bin/touch
Severity: 3

(I)nherit / (C)hild / (N)amed / (X) ix On / (D)eny / Abo(r)t / (F)inish
- Select (I)nherit

6) Profile for example.sh – Solution 2/3

```
Profile: /home/vagrant/example/example.sh
Execute: /usr/bin/rm
Severity: unknown
```

```
(I)nherit / (C)hild / (N)amed / (X)ix On / (D)eny / Abo(r)t / (F)inish
```

– Select (I)nherit

```
Profile: /home/vagrant/example/example.sh
Path: /dev/tty
New Mode: rw
Severity: 9
```

```
[1 - #include <abstractions/consoles>]
```

```
2 - /dev/tty rw,
```

```
(A)llow / [(D)eny] / (I)gnore / (G)lob / Glob with (E)xtension / (N)ew / Audi(t) / Abo(r)t / (F)inish
```

– Select (A)llow

6) Profile for example.sh – Solution 3/3

```
Profile: /home/vagrant/example/example.sh
Path:    /home/vagrant/practice/sample.txt
New Mode: owner w
Severity: 6
```

```
[1 - owner /home/*/practice/sample.txt w,]
 2 - owner /home/vagrant/practice/sample.txt w,
(A)llow / [(D)eny] / (I)gnore / (G)lob / Glob with (E)xtension / (N)ew / Audi(t) / (O)wner permissions off /
Abo(r)t / (F)inish
– Select (A)llow
```

The following local profiles were changed. Would you like to save them?

```
[1 - /home/vagrant/example/example.sh]
(S)ave Changes / Save Selec(t)ed Profile / [(V)iew Changes] / View Changes b/w (C)lean profiles / Abo(r)t
– Select (S)ave Changes
```

- Check aa-status to see that the profile is loaded
- Example profile is in /home/vagrant/practice/home.vagrant.example.example.sh

7) Man Pages ping

- Run: `less /home/vagrant/.bash_aliases`
- Write: `!ping 8.8.8.8 -c 3`
- Ping is executed
- Repeat the same with less opened by `man apparmor`

- Question: Why does it not work?
- Task: Update local man profile to allow ping from a man page

7) Man Pages ping – Solution

- Capability `new_raw` is necessary for ping (see `/etc/apparmor.d/bin.ping`)

```
$ echo 'capability net_raw,' | sudo tee /etc/apparmor.d/local/usr.bin.man
```

```
$ sudo apparmor_parser -r /etc/apparmor.d/usr.bin.man
```

HW3 Assignment

Your task is to create a SUID/SGID binary that will allow privilege escalation to root user. Then you will limit the capabilities of this binary using AppArmor.

1. Create SUID/SGID binary **getrootbash** which, when executed, will drop any user into a bash with root privileges (real and effective user and group will be set to root). Provide source code for this binary as well as a `Makefile` for compilation and setting of necessary permissions and ownership (`chown` and `chmod`).
2. Create an AppArmor profile called **usr.local.sbin.getrootbash** that will limit access of this binary and all its children to `/tmp/` directory, everywhere else, it must be read only, if necessary.
 - Process must not be able to remove files of other users in `/tmp`
 - Put the binary into `/usr/local/sbin/` directory and prepare the AppArmor profile accordingly.
 - Provide the profile file that can be parsed and applied with `apparmor_parser`. You can use bash and base AppArmor abstractions.
 - You can ignore permission denied messages (e.g. `bash: /usr/etc/profile.d/ls.bash: Permission denied`) unless they interfere with desired functionality.

HW3 Usage Example

The submitted binary and profile should be usable as shown in the following example:

```
$ ls
getrootbash.c  Makefile

$ make
gcc -o getrootbash getrootbash.c
sudo chown root:root getrootbash
sudo chmod 6775 getrootbash

$ sudo mv getrootbash /usr/local/sbin/getrootbash
$ /usr/local/sbin/getrootbash

root@server:~# id
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root),1000(vagrant)

root@server:~# ls /
bin boot dev etc home initrd.img initrd.img.old
lib lib32 lib64 libx32 lost+found media mnt opt
proc root run sbin srv sys tmp usr vagrant var
  vmlinuz vmlinuz.old

root@server:~# exit
exit
```

```
# Install AppArmor profile:
$ sudo mv usr.local.sbin.getbashroot /etc/apparmor.d/
$ sudo apparmor_parser -r
  /etc/apparmor.d/usr.local.sbin.getbashroot

# Try again
$ /usr/local/sbin/getrootbash
bash: /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion: Permission
  denied

I have no name!@server:~# id
uid=0 gid=0 groups=0,1000
I have no name!@server:~# ls
ls: cannot open directory '.': Permission denied
I have no name!@server:~# touch /tmp/file
I have no name!@server:~# ls -l /tmp/file
-rw-r--r-- 1 0 0 0 Nov  8 15:23 /tmp/file
I have no name!@server:~# rm /tmp/file
I have no name!@server:~#
```


HW3 Points

- SUID binary: 7 points
 - 5 points: correctly working SUID binary
 - 2 points: correctly working Makefile
- AppArmor profile: 8 points
 - 3 points: Write access only into /tmp
 - 3 points: profile applies to child processes
 - 2 points: cannot remove files of another user in /tmp
- Failure to run the application or install the profile will result in 0 points for the respective parts.
- Incorrect submission format will result in 0 points.

HW3 Submission

- Submit your solution to the Homework Vault:

https://is.muni.cz/auth/el/fi/podzim2022/PA211/ode/ode_hw3/

- Submit **ONLY** a single **tar** archive with following files:
 - `getbashroot.*`: Source code for `getbashroot` binary
 - `Makefile`: Makefile to build the `getbashroot` binary and set permissions
 - `usr.local.sbin.getbashroot`: AppArmor profile limiting privileges of `getbashroot` processes
- Deadline for submission is **November 29, 2022, 10:00**

How was it today?

Please fill in an **anonymous** exit ticket:

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