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Subject: Re: [PATCH 7/8] user ns: handle file sigio  
Posted by [serue](#) on Fri, 26 Jan 2007 05:38:08 GMT  
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Quoting Serge E. Hallyn ([serue@us.ibm.com](mailto:serue@us.ibm.com)):

> Quoting Andrew Morton ([akpm@osdl.org](mailto:akpm@osdl.org)):

> > On Wed, 24 Jan 2007 12:58:45 -0600

> > "Serge E. Hallyn" <[serue@us.ibm.com](mailto:serue@us.ibm.com)> wrote:

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> > > If we need to I can see doing something special if the process setting

> > > fown has CAP\_KILL

> > >

> > > Obviously CAP\_KILL is insufficient :) I assume you mean a new

> > > CAP\_XNS\_CAP\_KILL?

> > >

> > > and bypassing the security checks that way, but

> > > hard coding rules like that when it doesn't appear we have any

> > > experience to indicate we need the extra functionality looks

> > > premature.

> > >

> > > Ok, in this case actually I suspect you're right and we can just ditch

> > > the exception. But in general the security discussion is one we should

> > > still have.

> >

> > People like security.

> >

> > Where do we now stand with this patch, and with "[PATCH 4/8] user ns: hook permission"?

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> Later today I can send a patch against this set which removes the

> the init\_task exceptions (out of patch 3 and patch 7), but I'd prefer

> to leave the MS\_SHARED\_NS option (patch 6) in.

>

> thanks,

> -serge

Boots with USER\_NS=n (given Cedric's patch to fix that original problem)  
and passes my testcases with USER\_NS=y.

From: Serge E. Hallyn <[serue@us.ibm.com](mailto:serue@us.ibm.com)>

Subject: [PATCH] user namespace: remove exceptions for initial namespace

Both sigio and file access checks for user namespace equivalence  
were being skipped for processes in the initial namespace.

Remove these exceptions, enforcing the same cross-namespace  
checks for all processes in all user namespaces.

Signed-off-by: Serge E. Hallyn <[serue@us.ibm.com](mailto:serue@us.ibm.com)>

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fs/fcntl.c | 3 +--  
include/linux/sched.h | 4 +---  
2 files changed, 2 insertions(+), 5 deletions(-)

939c4da5209a2c00aca70048915007d0eef8ad75

diff --git a/fs/fcntl.c b/fs/fcntl.c

index 6a774c1..d7113d5 100644

--- a/fs/fcntl.c

+++ b/fs/fcntl.c

@@ -460,8 +460,7 @@ static const long band\_table[NSIGPOLL] =  
static inline int sigio\_perm(struct task\_struct \*p,  
struct fown\_struct \*fown, int sig)

{  
- if (fown->user\_ns != init\_task.nsproxy->user\_ns &&  
- fown->user\_ns != p->nsproxy->user\_ns)  
+ if (fown->user\_ns != p->nsproxy->user\_ns)

return 0;

return (((fown->euid == 0) ||

(fown->euid == p->suid) || (fown->euid == p->uid) ||

diff --git a/include/linux/sched.h b/include/linux/sched.h

index edbdce2..5c3438b 100644

--- a/include/linux/sched.h

+++ b/include/linux/sched.h

@@ -1614,12 +1614,10 @@ extern int cond\_resched\_softirq(void);  
static inline int task\_mnt\_same\_uidns(struct task\_struct \*tsk,  
struct vfsmount \*mnt)

{  
- if (tsk->nsproxy == init\_task.nsproxy)  
+ if (mnt->mnt\_user\_ns == tsk->nsproxy->user\_ns)  
return 1;  
if (mnt->mnt\_flags & MNT\_SHARE\_NS)  
return 1;  
- if (mnt->mnt\_user\_ns == tsk->nsproxy->user\_ns)  
- return 1;  
return 0;

}  
#else

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