
Subject: [PATCH 0/8] Cleanup/fix the sk_alloc() call
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The sk_alloc() function suffers from two problems:

- 1 (major). The error path is not clean in it - if the security call fails, the net namespace is not put, if the try_module_get fails additionally the security context is not released;
- 2 (minor). The zero_it argument is misleading, as it doesn't just zeroes it, but performs some extra setup. Besides this argument is used only in one place - in the sk_clone().

So this set fixes these problems and performs some additional cleanup.

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