
Subject: Re: Checkpointing does not work ?
Posted by [JimL](#) on Mon, 24 Nov 2008 12:57:04 GMT
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ronnidk wrote on Mon, 24 November 2008 02:34Hi,

I looked at the thread you referred to.

If I do a `ls -l /sbin/iptables*` I get this:

```
-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 60992 2008-08-11 17:12 /sbin/iptables
-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 65416 2008-08-11 17:12 /sbin/iptables-restore
-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 65280 2008-08-11 17:12 /sbin/iptables-save
-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 18776 2008-08-11 17:12 /sbin/iptables-xml
```

So I already have the `iptables-save` and `iptables-restore` scripts.
I don't use `iptables` yet, but I will at some point. If I use the suggested solution, how do I reverse it, when I get to use `iptables`, and will I then experience the same error?

- Ronni

The referenced article was applicable to folks that didn't have `iptables` installed. Don't use the suggested solution in your case.

Since it appears that `iptables-save` isn't working, you might try running `iptables-save` from the command line to see if it gives you an error message. I have a system that doesn't use `iptables` but it is installed and when I run `iptables-save` manually it completes without error and returns a 0.

Jim.
