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Subject: Re: [PATCH 4/9] allow killing tasks in your own or child userns  
Posted by [ebiederm](#) on Fri, 18 Feb 2011 03:00:44 GMT  
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"Serge E. Hallyn" <[serge@hallyn.com](mailto:serge@hallyn.com)> writes:

> Changelog:  
> Dec 8: Fixed bug in my check\_kill\_permission pointed out by  
> Eric Biederman.  
> Dec 13: Apply Eric's suggestion to pass target task into kill\_ok\_by\_cred()  
> for clarity  
> Dec 31: address comment by Eric Biederman:  
> don't need cred/tcred in check\_kill\_permission.  
> Jan 1: use const cred struct.  
> Jan 11: Per Bastian Blank's advice, clean up kill\_ok\_by\_cred().  
> Feb 16: kill\_ok\_by\_cred: fix bad parentheses

Acked-by: "Eric W. Biederman" <[ebiederm@xmission.com](mailto:ebiederm@xmission.com)>

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> Signed-off-by: Serge E. Hallyn <[serge.hallyn@canonical.com](mailto:serge.hallyn@canonical.com)>  
> ---  
> kernel/signal.c | 30 ++++++++-----  
> 1 files changed, 22 insertions(+), 8 deletions(-)  
>  
> diff --git a/kernel/signal.c b/kernel/signal.c  
> index 4e3cff1..ffe4bdf 100644  
> --- a/kernel/signal.c  
> +++ b/kernel/signal.c  
> @@ -636,13 +636,33 @@ static inline bool si\_fromuser(const struct siginfo \*info)  
> }  
>  
> /\*  
> + \* called with RCU read lock from check\_kill\_permission()  
> + \*/  
> +static inline int kill\_ok\_by\_cred(struct task\_struct \*t)  
> +{  
> + const struct cred \*cred = current\_cred();  
> + const struct cred \*tcred = \_\_task\_cred(t);  
> +  
> + if (cred->user->user\_ns == tcred->user->user\_ns &&  
> + (cred->euid == tcred->suid ||  
> + cred->euid == tcred->uid ||  
> + cred->uid == tcred->suid ||  
> + cred->uid == tcred->uid))  
> + return 1;  
> +  
> + if (ns\_capable(tcred->user->user\_ns, CAP\_KILL))

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> + return 1;
> +
> + return 0;
> +}
> +
> +/*
>  * Bad permissions for sending the signal
>  * - the caller must hold the RCU read lock
>  */
> static int check_kill_permission(int sig, struct siginfo *info,
>     struct task_struct *t)
> {
> - const struct cred *cred, *tcred;
>   struct pid *sid;
>   int error;
>
> @@ -656,14 +676,8 @@ static int check_kill_permission(int sig, struct siginfo *info,
>   if (error)
>     return error;
>
> - cred = current_cred();
> - tcred = __task_cred(t);
>   if (!same_thread_group(current, t) &&
>       (cred->euid ^ tcred->suid) &&
>       (cred->euid ^ tcred->uid) &&
>       (cred->uid ^ tcred->suid) &&
>       (cred->uid ^ tcred->uid) &&
>       !capable(CAP_KILL)) {
> +   !kill_ok_by_cred(t)) {
>     switch (sig) {
>     case SIGCONT:
>       sid = task_session(t);

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