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Preface

This document contains release notes for the Solaris™ Security Toolkit 4.2 software.

Before You Read This Book

This document is intended for the Solaris system administrator, who has a working knowledge of UNIX® systems, particularly those based on the Solaris Operating System (Solaris OS). If you do not have such knowledge, read the Solaris User and System Administrator documentation and consider UNIX system administration training.

Using UNIX Commands

This document might not contain information on basic UNIX commands and procedures such as shutting down the system, booting the system, and configuring devices. Refer to the following for this information:

- Software documentation that you received with your system
- Solaris Operating System documentation, which is at

<http://docs.sun.com>

Shell Prompts

Shell	Prompt
C shell	<i>machine-name%</i>
C shell superuser	<i>machine-name#</i>
Bourne shell and Korn shell	\$
Bourne shell and Korn shell superuser	#

Typographic Conventions

Typeface*	Meaning	Examples
AaBbCc123	The names of commands, files, and directories; on-screen computer output	Edit your <code>.login</code> file. Use <code>ls -a</code> to list all files. <code>% You have mail.</code>
AaBbCc123	What you type, when contrasted with on-screen computer output	<code>% su</code> Password:
<i>AaBbCc123</i>	Book titles, new words or terms, words to be emphasized. Replace command-line variables with real names or values.	Read Chapter 6 in the <i>User's Guide</i> . These are called <i>class</i> options. You <i>must</i> be superuser to do this. To delete a file, type <code>rm filename</code> .

* The settings on your browser might differ from these settings.

Related Documentation

The documents listed as online are available at:

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Application	Title	Part Number	Format	Location
Reference	<i>Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual</i>	819-1503-10	PDF HTML	Online
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Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release Notes

This guide contains release notes for the 4.2 release of the Solaris™ Security Toolkit software, also known as JumpStart™ Architecture and Security Scripts (JASS), and contains the following topics:

- Changes for the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release
- Solaris 10 OS Support Details
- Supported Hardware Systems
- Supported Solaris OS Versions
- Supported SMS Versions
- Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Known Limitations
- General Notes and Issues
- Bugs in Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Software
- Bugs Affecting Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Software

Changes for the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release

This section of the release notes describes the major changes that have been made for the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software release. For more information and details about those changes, refer to the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*.

Note – The `CHANGES` file that was supplied with the `Documentation` directory in previous releases of the Solaris Security Toolkit software is no longer supplied. Instead the changes are recorded in this document.

Solaris 10 OS Support Changes

This Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software release provides support for the Solaris 10 Operating System (OS).

Using the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software, you can harden and audit the security of systems in a similar manner as earlier versions. You can also use this release of software either in JumpStart or standalone mode, as in earlier versions.

Following are the major changes made for this release to support the Solaris 10 OS. See Solaris 10 OS Support Details for more information.

- SMF-Ready Services - provides the capability for many Solaris Security Toolkit scripts to use the Service Management Facility (SMF) services interface, the Fault Management Resource Identifiers (FMRIs), and the start and stop scripts.
- Legacy Services - provides the capability for SMF to recognize as legacy services some of the Solaris Security Toolkit scripts that are not SMF-ready.
- Zones - provides the capability to harden and audit zones in the Solaris 10 OS.
- TCP Wrappers - provides Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) Wrappers configurations for Solaris Security Toolkit drivers.
- MD5 - provides support of the Solaris 10 OS message_digest 5 (md5) algorithm functionality through the `digest -a md5` command, which renders the SUNBEmd5 package unnecessary on Solaris 10 OS systems.
- Manage Routing - provides new scripts to manage routing in the Solaris 10 OS.
- New Home Root Directory - provides a new home root directory of `/root` instead of the standard `/` for the root directory.
- IP Filter - provides an integrated firewall capability through integration of the freeware Internet Protocol (IP) Filter.
- BART - provides support for the Basic Audit Reporting Tool (BART), which enables you to determine file-level changes that have occurred on your systems, among other functions.
- Flexible Crypt - provides support for using several new tunables in the Solaris 10 OS, which control the algorithms used for password encryption.
- Account Locking - provides support for the Solaris 10 OS ability to lock an account after a pre-defined set of failed login attempts.
- Parameterized Password Checking - provides support for the Solaris 10 OS strict password checking.
- Password History - provides support for password safety checks that have been added to the Solaris 10 OS.
- RPC BIND - provides support for disabling or enabling the Remote Procedure Call from the Berkeley Internet Name Domain (rpcbind).
- Perl - provides support for creating Solaris Security Toolkit scripts in the Practical Extraction and Report Language (Perl) for use with the Solaris 10 OS.

- XFS - provides support for disabling or enabling the X Font Server. XFS clients connect to the server to request a font set, and the server reads the font files from the disk and serves them to the clients. The X Font Server daemon is managed by the SMF.
- GNOME - provides support for disabling or enabling support for GNU Network Object Model Environment (GNOME) as well as the Common Development Environment (CDE).

Generic Changes

In addition to the changes made for this release to support the Solaris 10 OS, the following generic changes have also been made for this release:

- Relocatable Package - provides a relocatable Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 package, so that it can be installed to whatever directory you want by using the correct options to the `pkgadd` command.
- Removing Backup Files - provides the capability to remove Solaris Security Toolkit backup files
- Combining Driver Functionality - incorporates the functionality of the `desktop-{secure|config|hardening}.driver`, `sunfire_15k_domain-{secure|config|hardening}.driver`, and `jumpstart-{secure|config|hardening}.driver` into `server-{secure|config|hardening}.driver`
- Intelligent Defaults - provides support for intelligent defaults; that is, allows the user to press Return to specify a default where feasible.
- Verbosity - supports reduced verbosity output for `jass-execute` and `jass-check-sum` commands.
- IIim - provides support for disabling and enabling the Internet-Intranet Input Method (IIim), which handles Asian input for Solaris OS software.
- Consistent Return Values and Help Output - provides consistent return values and help output for all Solaris Security Toolkit commands.
- Apache 2 - provides support for `apache2`.

Solaris 10 OS Support Details

The following section contains some further details of Solaris 10 OS support changes in this release.

New Framework Functions for Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release

The following functions are new in this release and can be used only on systems running the Solaris 10 OS. Functions are explained in Chapter 2 of the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*.

These common log functions were added to Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software:

- logNotGlobalZone
- logScore
- logScriptFailure
- logServiceDisabled and logServiceEnabled
- logServiceInstalled and logServiceNotInstalled
- logServiceOptionDisabled and logServiceOptionEnabled
- logServiceProcessList
- logServicePropDisabled and logServicePropEnabled
- logServiceRunning and logServiceNotRunning
- logUserLocked and logUserNotlocked
- logUndoBackupWarning

These common miscellaneous functions were added to Solaris Security 4.2 software:

- get_driver_report
- get_lists_conjunction
- get_lists_disjunction

These public driver functions were created to support SMF in the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 framework:

- add_option_to_ftpd_property
- change_group
- change_mode
- change_owner
- check_serviceDisabled
- check_serviceEnabled
- check_serviceInstalled
- check_serviceNotInstalled
- check_serviceNotRunning
- check_serviceOptionEnabled
- check_servicePropDisabled
- check_serviceRunning
- check_serviceOptionDisabled
- check_userLocked
- check_userNotLocked
- convert_inetd_service_to_fmri
- disable_service
- enable_service
- is_service_enabled

- `is_service_installed`
- `is_service_running`
- `is_user-account_extant`
- `is_user_account_locked`
- `is_user_account_login_not_set`
- `lock_user_account`
- `make_link`
- `set_service_property_value`
- `set_stored_keyword_val`
- `unlock_user_account`
- `update_inetcon_in_upgrade`

New Scripts for Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release

Following are the new finish and audit scripts for the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 release. The functions of finish (`.fin`) scripts are explained in Chapter 5 of the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*, and the functions of audit (`.aud`) scripts are explained in Chapter 6 of the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*.

- `disable-apache2.{fin|aud}`
- `disable-appserv.{fin|aud}`
- `disable-IIim.{fin|aud}`
- `disable-routing.{fin|aud}`
- `enable-account-lockout.{fin|aud}`
- `enable-bart.{fin|aud}`
- `enable-ipfilter.{fin|aud}`
- `enable-password-history.{fin|aud}`
- `set-root-home-dir.{fin|aud}`
- `set-strict-password-checks.{fin|aud}`

Scripts Not Used for Solaris 10 OS

lists the Solaris Security Toolkit scripts that are not used when you are hardening the Solaris 10 OS.

TABLE 1 Solaris Security Toolkit Scripts Not Used for Solaris 10 OS

Script Name	Applicable Operating System
<code>disable-ab2</code>	Solaris 2.5.1 through 8
<code>disable-asp</code>	Solaris 2.5.1 through 8
<code>disable-picld</code>	Solaris 8 and 9

TABLE 1 Solaris Security Toolkit Scripts Not Used for Solaris 10 OS (Continued)

Script Name	Applicable Operating System
install-fix-modes	Solaris 2.5.1 through 9
install-newaliases	Solaris 2.5.1 through 8
install-openssh	Solaris 2.5.1 through 8
install-sadmind-options	Solaris 2.5.1 through 9
install-strong-permissions	Solaris 2.5.1 through 9
remove-unneeded-accounts	Solaris 2.5.1 through 9

New Environment Variables for Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release

This section lists the framework and script behavior environment variables that are new in this release and can be used only on systems running the Solaris 10 OS. The functions of environment variables are explained in Chapter 7 of the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*.

New Framework Variables

- JASS_DISPLAY_HOST_LENGTH
- JASS_DISPLAY_SCRIPT_LENGTH
- JASS_DISPLAY_TIME_LENGTH
- JASS_FILE_COPY_KEYWORD
- JASS_ROOT_HOME_DIR
- JASS_RUN_CLEAN_LOG
- JASS_RUN_VALUES
- JASS_SAVED_BACKUP
- JASS_SCRIPT
- JASS_SCRIPT_FAIL_LOG
- JASS_SCRIPT_NOTE_LOG
- JASS_SCRIPT_WARN_LOG
- JASS_UNDO_TYPE

New Script Behavior Variables

- JASS_CRYPT_ALGORITHMS_ALLOW
- JASS_CRYPT_ALGORITHMS_DEFAULT
- JASS_CRYPT_DEFAULT
- JASS_CRYPT_FORCE_EXPIRE

- JASS_PASS_DICTIIONLIST
- JASS_PASS_DICTIIONDBDIR
- JASS_PASS_HISTORY
- JASS_PASS_MAX_REPEATS
- JASS_PASS_MIN_ALPHA
- JASS_PASS_MINDIFF
- JASS_PASS_MINDIGIT
- JASS_PASS_MINLOWER
- JASS_PASS_MINNONALPHA
- JASS_PASS_MINSPECIAL
- JASS_PASS_MINUPPER
- JASS_PASS_NAMECHECK
- JASS_PASS_WHITESPACE
- JASS_ZONE_NAME

Environment Variables Not Used for Solaris 10 OS

The following environment variables are *not* used for the Solaris 10 OS:

- JASS_ISA_CAPABILITY (*removed from Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software*)
- JASS_DISABLE_MODE

Functions Removed from Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Release

The files and scripts relating to the following functions have been removed from the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software as they are no longer needed:

- Installing the `misc/klmmod` kernel module on domains for Sun Fire high-end systems
- Installing the Sun ONE Web Server
- `sunfire_mf_msp-{secure|config|hardening}.driver`
- 32-bit functionality
- Sun Enterprise™ 1000 (Starfire™), as the product is now at end of life.

`rpcbind` Automatically Disabled

The `secure.driver` and the `sunfire-15k_sc-secure.driver` in the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software disabled `rpcbind` as previous versions of the toolkit have done. However, in the Solaris 10 OS, there are services which depend on

rpcbind such as Network Information Services (NIS), the Network File System (NFS), and window managers, such as the Common Desktop Environment (CDE), and the GNU Network Object Model Environment (GNOME). By default, the configuration of the `secure.driver` and the `sunfire-15k_sc-secure.driver` disabled these services, so you must enable `rpcbind` to use them.

Note – The `server-secure.driver` and the `suncluster3x-secure.driver` do *not* disable `rpcbind`.

▼ To Enable `rpcbind`

1. **Unharden the system.**
2. **Copy and rename the `secure.driver` and `hardening.driver` to `new-secure.driver` and `new-hardening.driver`, where `new-secure.driver` is the name you choose for your new customized `secure.driver`, and `new-hardening.driver` is the name you choose for your new customized `hardening.driver`.**
3. **Edit `new-secure.driver` to replace the reference to `hardening.driver` with `new-hardening.driver`.**
4. **Comment out the `disable-rpc.fin` script from `new-hardening.driver`.**
5. **Re-run hardening with your customized copy drivers by running the Solaris Security Toolkit with `new-secure.driver`.**
6. **Reboot the system.**



Caution – After enabling the `rpcbind` service, additional services may be started automatically and their corresponding ports opened. The Solaris Security Toolkit audit flags these additional services as failures.

Supported Hardware Systems

Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software supports SPARC®, 64-bit *only*, and x86 systems.

Supported Solaris OS Versions

Sun support for Solaris Security Toolkit software is available only for its use in the Solaris 8, Solaris 9, and Solaris 10 Operating Systems.

Note – For Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software, the Solaris 10 OS can be used *only* on Sun Fire high-end systems domains, *not* on the system controller (SC).

While the software can be used in the Solaris 2.5.1, Solaris 2.6, and Solaris 7 Operating Systems, Sun support is not available for its use in those operating systems.

The Solaris Security Toolkit software automatically detects which version of the Solaris Operating System software is installed, then runs tasks appropriate for that operating system version.

You will note in examples provided throughout this document that when a script checks for a version of the OS, it checks for 5.x, the SunOS™ versions, instead of 2.x, 7, 8, 9, or 10, the Solaris OS versions. shows the correlation between SunOS and Solaris OS versions.

TABLE 2 Correlation Between SunOS and Solaris OS Versions

SunOS Version	Solaris OS Version
5.5.1	2.5.1
5.6	2.6
5.7	7
5.8	8
5.9	9
5.10	10

Supported SMS Versions

If you are using System Management Services (SMS) to run the system controller (SC) on your Sun Fire high-end systems, then Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software is supported on all Solaris 8 and 9 OS versions when used with SMS versions 1.4, 1.4.1, and 1.5. No version of SMS is supported on Solaris 10 OS with Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software.

Note – For Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software, the Solaris 10 OS can be used *only* on domains, *not* on the system controller (SC).

Solaris Security Toolkit Known Limitations

This section contains known limitations for the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software:

- While the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software maintains its functionality for disabling system accounts (see the finish script `disable-system-accounts.fin`), it no longer modifies the system to record login attempts to those disabled accounts.

General Notes and Issues

This section contains general notes and issues that involve the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software.

Release Distributed Only in Package Format

The Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 release is distributed *only* in package format.

SUNWjass and JASScustm Packages Are Now Relocatable

As of this Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 release, the `SUNWjass` and `JASScustm` packages are relocatable, making them consistent with Sun's packaging standards. You can relocate these packages using the `pkgadd (1M) -R` command.

Solaris Security Toolkit and CTRL-C

Performing a CTRL-C during Solaris Security Toolkit hardening and undo operations could result in an inconsistent system state. Hardening operations should be allowed to complete and then a subsequent undo operation performed instead of interrupting the hardening operation. Do *not* use CTRL-C for error handling or to interrupt a toolkit run. Wait until the operation has finished and then re-perform hardening or undo operations.

Bugs in Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Software

This section summarizes the bugs that you might encounter that have *not* been fixed in the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software.

When Using NIS, Multiple Reboots Might Result in Audit Errors (Bug ID 6222181)

`rpcbind` is disabled by default in the `secure.driver`. If you are using NIS, there are circumstances where rebooting the system leaves all the services that are normally started by `inetd` in an uninitialized state and legacy services do not work. This shows in the Solaris Security Toolkit as a discrepancy between audit results from before and after a reboot, in services started by `inetd`.

This bug will be fixed by the Solaris 10 OS Bug ID 6223370. See description of this bug in "Bugs Affecting Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Software."

Workarounds:

- If you want to use NIS, enable `rpcbind` and reboot. Refer to Chapter 1 of the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*.

- If you do *not* want to use NIS, disable NIS. (Refer to the Solaris 10 OS naming service document for how to disable NIS.)

Multiple Reboots Result in Uninitialized `svcs` and Audit Fail on `nddconfig` (Bug ID 6284872)

Multiple reboots after hardening result in `svcs` being uninitialized, and the audit to fail on `nddconfig`. In other words, the `nddconfig` audit will *not* contain zero errors after the system reboots multiple times.

The problem is that `milestone/name-services` is not able to come online with `rpcbind` disabled and the system configured to use NIS. Because of this, the `/etc/rc2.d (svc:/milestone/multi-user:default)` does not run, and so the `nddconfig` script does not run.

This bug will be fixed by the Solaris 10 OS Bug ID 6223370.

Workarounds:

- If you want to use NIS, enable `rpcbind` and reboot. Refer to Chapter 1 of the *Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual*.
- If you do *not* want to use NIS, disable NIS. Refer to the Solaris 10 OS naming service document for how to disable NIS.

Bugs Affecting Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Software

This section summarizes the bugs that you might encounter that have *not* been fixed in other software that affects the Solaris Security Toolkit.

Parameter for `ip6_send_redirects` Might Be Different Between Audits (Bug ID 6222001)

This Solaris 10 OS bug could affect your operation of Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software. Sometimes you might see a different parameter for `ip6_send_redirects` between audits, where it should be the same. For example, you might audit a system that has not been hardened (Audit #1). Then you harden the system, reboot, undo the hardening, and reboot. You audit the system again (Audit #2).

You would expect to see identical audit results except for the timestamp. However, sometimes, you might see a difference in the `ip6_send_redirects` parameter in the `nddconfig` file between the first and second audit. In the first audit, the message says the check failed because the parameter is not 0. In the second audit, the message says the check passed because the parameter is 0, which is the correct response.

Workaround: None

`/etc/motd` Should be Installed as a Volatile File (Bug ID 6222495)

This Solaris 10 OS bug could affect your operation of Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software. The file `/etc/motd` is delivered by the `SUNWcsr` package with a file type of `f`. The Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 drivers replace this file, which can lead to errors and warnings when installing zones and packages within zones.

Workarounds:

You can do one of the following:

- Remove the file from the `JASS_FILES` list, so it is *not* installed.
- Modify the file type to `v` to remove this error.

`svc.startd` Misses Edge Case for `optional_all` (Bug ID 6223370)

If you disable `rpcbind` and reboot, `milestone/name-services` do *not* come online, which might cause `inetd` and other services *not* to come online. For several ways this Solaris 10 OS bug could affect your operation of Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 software, see descriptions of Bug ID 6284872 and Bug ID 6222181.

Workarounds:

- If you want to use NIS, enable `rpcbind` and reboot. Refer to Chapter 1 in the Solaris Security Toolkit 4.2 Reference Manual.
- If you do not want to use NIS, disable NIS. Refer to the Solaris 10 OS naming service document for how to disable NIS.

