

Foreman - Bug #14479

Function foreman_url check for tokens

04/05/2016 09:18 AM - Lukas Zapletal

Status: Closed	
Priority: Normal	
Assignee: Lukas Zapletal	
Category: Templates	
Target version: 1.12.0	
Difficulty:	Fixed in Releases:
Triaged:	Found in Releases:
Bugzilla link: 1292421	Red Hat JIRA:
Pull request: https://github.com/foreman/foreman/pull/3404	
Description	
In function foreman_url we explicitly check for tokens and I can't find a reason why we do that:	
<pre>url = if @template_url && @host.try(:token).present? @template_url elsif proxy.present? && proxy.has_feature?('Templates') && @host.try(:token).present? temp_url = ProxyAPI::Template.new(:url => proxy.url).template_url if temp_url.nil? logger.warn("unable to obtain template url set by proxy #{proxy.url}. falling back on proxy url.") temp_url = proxy.url end temp_url end</pre>	
This simply blocks provisioning when using Templating Smart Proxy plugin. Not sure about the check on the first line, if that's appropriate or not.	
Related issues:	
Related to Smart Proxy - Bug #10259: Template proxy does not lookup by MAC ad...	Closed 04/24/2015
Related to Foreman - Bug #17636: Template preview requires token to be presen...	Closed 12/12/2016

Associated revisions

Revision 6a9f57a6 - 04/08/2016 05:52 AM - Lukas Zapletal

Fixes #14479 - removed unwanted check for token param

History

#1 - 04/05/2016 09:22 AM - Stephen Benjamin

With the token checks, you won't see the proxied url in templates when the host isn't in build mode, or at all when tokens are disabled. Surprised we didn't notice until now.

Anyway, that first one is used to pull the proxy url from params to avoid requesting it multiple times from the Proxy, I think the check can be removed there too. Here's where it's set: <https://github.com/foreman/foreman/blob/develop/lib/foreman/renderers.rb#L141-L144>

#2 - 04/07/2016 09:56 AM - The Foreman Bot

- Status changed from New to Ready For Testing

- Pull request <https://github.com/foreman/foreman/pull/3404> added

#3 - 04/08/2016 05:59 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Category set to Templates

- translation missing: en.field_release set to 136

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Indeed, I see the point about previewing when not in build mode. The template support always required tokens to identify the client, which I believe is why the check was there. (If there's no token, the feature won't work.)

#4 - 04/08/2016 06:01 AM - Lukas Zapletal

- Status changed from Ready For Testing to Closed

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset [6a9f57a6ba3d072ebc375c314b58df6496a1f010](#).

#5 - 04/11/2016 07:00 AM - Lukas Zapletal

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What does this mean precisely? Tokens are enabled by default, it should typically evaluate to true.

I mean when you disable tokens and enable template proxying, it will never work.

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Yes, sure, I see that too, but we should either check only for appropriate cases, or remove the check. Kickstarts work without tokens just fine (MAC address by Anaconda via headers) and there is the client IP address fallback which should work for others.

#6 - 05/13/2016 06:20 AM - Lukas Zapletal

- Related to Bug #10259: Template proxy does not lookup by MAC address added

#7 - 05/13/2016 06:21 AM - Lukas Zapletal

- Bugzilla link set to 1292421

#8 - 12/12/2016 11:39 AM - Lukas Zapletal

- Related to Bug #17636: Template preview requires token to be present for template proxying added