Foreman - Bug #2709

Foreman stores compute_resource passwords in plaintext

06/25/2013 12:42 PM - Kal Aeolian

Status:	Duplicate		
Priority:	Normal		
Assignee:			
Category:	Compute resources		
Target version:			
Difficulty:		**Fixed in Releases:**	
Triaged:		**Found in Releases:**	
Bugzilla link:		**Red Hat JIRA:**	
Pull request:			

Description

Foreman stores the user credentials for compute_resources (vmware in our case) in plain-text. We will have an API user that has full access into the specific datacenters we'll use. Assuming we've done our homework, no one should have access to this, but it exposes a very sensitive piece of info in plain-text that should not be that way.

Expected behavior would be a hashed password being stored.

(The database is dumped for backup, and perhaps people who have access to the backups shouldn't have access to a plain-text version of this password.)

Related issues:

Is duplicate of Foreman - Feature #2424: encrypt compute resource password	**Closed**	**04/24/2013**

History

#1 - 06/25/2013 12:44 PM - Dominic Cleal

- Status changed from New to Duplicate

Thanks for the report. It's a duplicate of #2424, closing.

#2 - 07/15/2013 04:24 AM - Joseph Magen

Kal, do you have any suggestions how to store a unique encryption key for each Foreman installation?
Follow the discussion on https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/568