

Installer - Bug #4164

Reinstalling Foreman triggers "sec_error_reused_issuer_and_serial" error in Firefox

01/23/2014 08:58 AM - Dominic Cleal

Status: New	
Priority: Normal	
Assignee:	
Category: Foreman modules	
Target version:	
Difficulty:	Fixed in Releases:
Triaged:	Found in Releases:
Bugzilla link:	Red Hat JIRA:
Pull request:	
Description When reinstalling Foreman, a new Puppet CA and master cert is generated with a serial number of "1" and "2" respectively. Firefox will remember the issuer (which won't change) and the serial number and throw an SSL mismatch error "sec_error_reused_issuer_and_serial". Workaround: Go to Firefox's preferences, Advanced tab, Encryption tab, click View Certificates, Servers tab and delete any entries for your server's hostname in that list. Close the browser completely, reopen and then hopefully it'll prompt you again to add an exception. https://bugzilla.redhat.com/show_bug.cgi?id=1055169	
Related issues: Has duplicate Packaging - Bug #6906: annoying sec_error_reused_issuer_and_serial Duplicate 08/04/2014	

History

#1 - 01/23/2014 08:59 AM - Dominic Cleal

Unfortunately the Puppet CA serial handling is pretty monotonic and it always starts from 1. My only thought is if we can influence what the starting serial number is going to be, or perhaps get Puppet to use date stamps etc instead.

#2 - 01/23/2014 09:00 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Description updated

#3 - 08/04/2014 06:59 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Has duplicate Bug #6906: annoying sec_error_reused_issuer_and_serial added