

Foreman - Bug #5401

Expanding foreman-debug tar file can munge permissions in /tmp

04/22/2014 08:00 PM - Stefan Lasiewski

Status:	Closed	
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:	Lukas Zapletal	
Category:	Packaging	
Target version:	1.5.0	
Difficulty:	trivial	Fixed in Releases:
Triaged:		Found in Releases: 1.4.2
Bugzilla link:		Red Hat JIRA:
Pull request:		

Description

I created a foreman-debug file. When I expand the tar file in my /tmp directory, it overwrites the permissions for /tmp , which can cause other problems.

When creating the tar file, perhaps create a sub-directory before collecting all of the various files so that it doesn't accidentally expand over files in the current directory?

Steps to reproduce:

1. Create a debug file

```
[root@puppetmaster ~]# foreman-debug
```

```
HOSTNAME: puppetmaster.example.org
OS: redhat
RELEASE: Scientific Linux release 6.5 (Carbon)
FOREMAN: 1.4.2
RUBY: ruby 1.8.7 (2011-06-30 patchlevel 352) [x86_64-linux]
PUPPET: 3.5.1
```

A debug file has been created: /tmp/foreman-debug-7BKxm.tar.xz (443728 bytes)

You may want to upload the tarball to our public server via rsync. There is a write only directory (readable only by Foreman core developers) for that. Note the rsync transmission is UNENCRYPTED:

```
rsync /tmp/foreman-debug-7BKxm.tar.xz rsync://theforeman.org/debug-incoming
```

Do you want to do this now? [y/N] N

```
[root@puppetmaster ~]#
```

2. Untar the tarfile and notice how the file munges the permissions

```
[root@puppetmaster ~]# cd /tmp
[root@puppetmaster tmp]# ls -ld-
drwxrwxrwt. 7 root root 4096 Apr 22 12:36 .
[root@puppetmaster tmp]# tar Jxf /tmp/foreman-debug-7BKxm.tar.xz
[root@puppetmaster tmp]# ls -ld-
drwx---. 10 root root 4096 Apr 22 12:35 .
```

3. This causes other failures, such as mod_passenger being unable to work:

```
[ 2014-04-22 11:51:49.3837 4282/7f388d44f7e0 apache2/Hooks.cpp:757 ]: Unexpected error in mod_passenger: Cannot connect to Unix socket '/tmp/passenger.1.0.4260/generation-0/request': Permission denied (errno=13)
```

Backtrace:
(empty)

1. To fix this problem, reset the privileges on /tmp with the following chmod:

```
[root@puppetmaster tmp]# chmod 1777 .  
[root@puppetmaster tmp]# ls -ld .  
drwxrwxrwt. 10 root root 4096 Apr 22 12:35 .  
[root@host tmp]#
```

Related issues:

Related to Foreman - Bug #2613: foreman-debug creates tmp/foreman-debug-\$rand...

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Associated revisions

Revision 30f3f8d7 - 04/25/2014 10:12 AM - Lukas Zapletal

fixes #5401 - fixed foreman-debug tarball creation including '.'

Revision f19483bc - 04/28/2014 11:51 AM - Lukas Zapletal

fixes #5401 - fixed foreman-debug tarball creation including '.'

(cherry picked from commit 30f3f8d7bfb32301144be156d2b35c1467083054)

History

#1 - 04/23/2014 07:18 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Category set to *Packaging*

I think this happens because there's a "." directory in the first level of the tarball, which came about when we fixed [#2613](#) (removing random dir names). Removing that level would probably fix it too.

#2 - 04/23/2014 07:19 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Related to Bug #2613: foreman-debug creates tmp/foreman-debug-\$rand in tarball added

#3 - 04/23/2014 10:10 AM - Lukas Zapletal

- Status changed from *New* to *Ready For Testing*

- Assignee set to *Lukas Zapletal*

- Target version set to *1.8.4*

- Difficulty set to *trivial*

Fixed, thanks for investigation!

<https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/1398>

#4 - 04/24/2014 10:22 AM - Anonymous

- Target version changed from *1.8.4* to *1.8.3*

#5 - 04/24/2014 10:22 AM - Anonymous

- Target version changed from *1.8.3* to *1.8.4*

#6 - 04/24/2014 10:25 AM - Anonymous

- Target version changed from *1.8.4* to *1.8.3*

#7 - 04/25/2014 10:12 AM - Dominic Cleal

- translation missing: *en.field_release* set to *4*

#8 - 04/25/2014 10:31 AM - Lukas Zapletal

- Status changed from *Ready For Testing* to *Closed*

- % Done changed from *0* to *100*

Applied in changeset [30f3f8d7bfb32301144be156d2b35c1467083054](#).