McAfee Security Connected Integrating EPO and MAM

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Overview

Integration between McAfee ePolicy Orchestrator and McAfee Asset Manager provides added network visibility for the enterprise, enabling comprehensive security, configuration, compliance, and risk management on the network.

The McAfee Asset Manager ePO extension is used to update the McAfee ePO asset database in near real-time, allowing the McAfee ePO platform to become the single source of truth about the network. The integration makes use of the rogue system detector (RSD) API.

The McAfee Asset Manager ePO extension is used to communicate with the McAfee Asset Manager Console's PostgreSQL database on a regular basis (down to 1 minute intervals) and to receive delta updates about the network, its devices, and its users.

User Accounts & Privileges

Administrative rights to McAfee ePO

Root account for MAM Console

Prerequisites

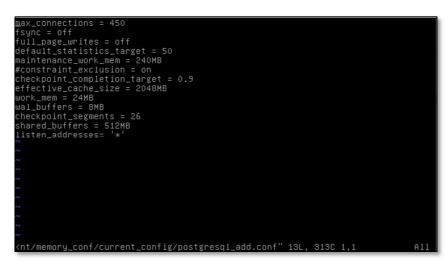
MAM Extension for ePO 4.6 and above

Configuration Steps

- 1. Log in to the McAfee Asset Manager Console with the root user account
- 2. Using VI, open the following file for editing
 - a. /usr/lib/insightix/management/memory_config/current_config/postgresql_add.conf



- 3. Add the following line to the file
 - a. Press the Insert Key on the keyboard to begin editing mode
 - b. Listen_addresses= "*"
 - c. To save press Shift : on the keyboard \rightarrow Type wq to write and quit

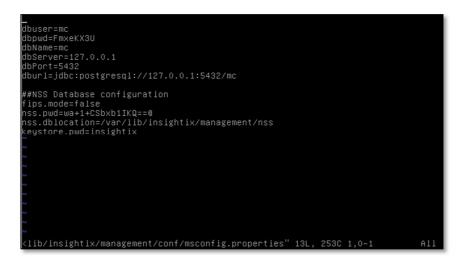


- 4. Using VI, open the following file for editing
 - a. /etc/postgresql/9.1/main/pg_hba.conf
 - b. Press the Insert Key on the keyboard to begin editing mode
 - c. Under IPv4 local connections add the following line if it does not exist
 - d. Host all 0.0.0.0/0 md5 all
 - e. To save press Shift : on the keyboard \rightarrow Type wq to write and quit

# DO NOT DISABLE! # If you change this first entry you will need to make sure that the # database superuser can access the database using some other method. # Noninteractive access to all databases is required during automatic # maintenance (custom daily cronjobs, replication, and similar tasks).							
# # Database administrative login by Unix domain socket							
local	all	postgres	SHIN GOMAIN SOCKET	peer			
# TYPE	DATABASE	USER	ADDRESS	METHOD			
# "local" is for Unix domain socket connections only							
	all		connections only	peer			
# IPv4 local connections:							
host	all	all	127.0.0.1/32	md5			
host	all	all	0.0.0/0_	md5			
# IPv6 local connections:							
host	all		::1/128	md5			
# Allow replication connections from localhost, by a user with the							
# replication privilege.							
	replication			peer			
			127.0.0.1/32	md5			
	replication	postgres	::1/128	md5			
INSERT 93,32-50					98%		

- Type Exit one time
 Type monit stop all
 Type /etc/init.d/postgresql restart
 Type monit start all

- 9. Using VI, open the following file to gather needed information to configure the ePO Server a. /usr/lib/insightix/management/conf/msconfig.properties
 - b. Take note of the username under dbuser and the database password under dbpwd



- 10. Log in to the ePO server console with an administrator account
- 11. Using VI, open the following file to gather needed information to configure the ePO Server
- 12. Browse to Menu \rightarrow Extensions \rightarrow Install Extension
- 13. Check in the MAM Extension
- 14. Browse to Menu \rightarrow Registered Servers \rightarrow New
- 15. Select MAM Console Server from the drop down menu
- 16. Enter a name for the server \rightarrow Next
- 17. Enter the IP Address of the MAM Console Server

18. Enter the Password for the database that was noted in step 9

Configuration Registered Servers				
Reaistered Server Builder	1 Description			
Database Server	* (Host name or IP address)			
Database Name	mc			
Port Number	5432			
User Name	mc			
Password	*			
Time interval (hours) between full reload cycles (0 - will be no full reload cycles)	72			
Test connection				

- 19. Click Test Connection
- 20. If the connection is successful click Save
- 21. Browse to Menu \rightarrow Server Tasks \rightarrow New Task
- 22. Name the Task (This task is to pull data from MAM)
- 23. Click Next
- 24. Select McAfee Asset Manager Detected Systems from the drop down menu
- 25. Ensure the correct registered MAM server is selected

Automation Server Tasks					
Server Task Builder	<u>1 Description</u>				
What actions do you want the task to take?					
I. Actions: McAfee Asset Manager Detected Systems					
Select the Server Name : MAMc 💌					

- 26. Click Next
- 27. Configure the schedule frequency for ePO to pull data from MAM
- 28. Click Next \rightarrow Save

Value Add

McAfee Asset Manager augments McAfee's visibility of devices connected to the network, enabling comprehensive security, configuration, compliance, and risk management on the network. McAfee has achieved this by integrating McAfee Asset Manager with McAfee ePO software, the centralized platform that manages all endpoint security and compliance solutions from McAfee. As part of the integration with the McAfee ePO platform, McAfee Asset Manager updates the McAfee ePO asset database in near real-time, allowing the McAfee ePO platform to maintain a more complete, accurate, and up-to-date inventory of the devices, their profiles, and the identities of those using the devices.

Combining the data from existing McAfee solutions and McAfee Asset Manager, the McAfee ePO platform now becomes the single source of truth about the network. This integration provides the foundation for effectively managing security, compliance, and risk against all devices across your entire network.