

Re: FreeBSD Security Advisory FreeBSD-SA-05:01.telnet

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To: "Simon L. Nielsen" <simon@FreeBSD.org>

On 3/28/05 3:40 PM, Simon L. Nielsen wrote:

> *Indeed, looks like the FreeBSD 5 patch is an "old" version since that*
> *should have been fixed. I just CC'ed nectar so this can be fixed*
> *ASAP.*

Oops, sorry folks. I've re-uploaded the patch to the master FTP server, and it should propagate to others soon.

> *Due to multiple telnet versions (especially in FreeBSD 4) it was*
> *judged that including more specific build instructions for all the*
> *possible combinations of telnet and build options gave to high a risk*
> *for errors possibly resulting in users not actually getting telnet*
> *rebuild correctly.*

That's right. For 5.x, it is fairly straightforward:

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# cd /usr/src
# patch < /path/to/patch
# cd /usr/src/lib/libtelnet
# make obj && make depend && make
# cd /usr/src/usr.bin/telnet
# make obj && make depend && make && make install
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But 4.x has no less than four possible telnet clients that might be installed depending upon local settings of NOCRYPT, MAKE_KERBEROS4, MAKE_KERBEROS5, and probably others :-/

Cheers,

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