

## Re: MD5 Collisions...

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On Sun, 2 Dec 2007 23:21:21 -0800 (PST)  
jason <[freebsd-security@xxxxxxxx](mailto:freebsd-security@xxxxxxxx)> wrote:

Anyone in a position to understand what's going on here already knew. And anyone who doesn't understand these results is not going to be able to make any effective use of an advisory, and they're just going to get scared over nothing. Therefore, I don't think any kind of advisory is warranted.

fair enough. I also know that ports,etc dont solely rely on md5, but I think the text in man md5 could be made a bit updated a bit, or maybe point to some external reference with more updated information...

just my \$0.01 anyway ;)  
thanks,  
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{Beto|Norberto|Numard} Meijome

Two things have come out of Berkeley, Unix and LSD.  
It is uncertain which caused the other.

I speak for myself, not my employer. Contents may be hot. Slippery when wet. Reading disclaimers makes you go blind. Writing them is worse. You have been Warned.

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