

# **OSS Security**

## **“What you need to know”**

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# Agenda

- ▶ Current applications in OSS
- ▶ What people told us about OSS security
- ▶ OSS Specific Security Settings
- ▶ Procedures and tools
- ▶ CSP – How we can help OSS users

# Applications in OSS

- ▶ NonStop Web services related:
  - SOAP
  - iTP Web server
  - JSP, JBOSS, Spring, Apache C
  - SQL/MX



# Applications in OSS

## ▶ 3<sup>rd</sup> Party:

- Base24 EPS (TSS)
- Lusic Tango
- ReD Fraud
- IBM MQ
- GGS
- AJB
- LIG
- Others....



# OSS Security Survey Results:



- ▶ Survey sent to 369 Users, -> 73 completed surveys.
- ▶ 82% using or planning to use OSS
- ▶ Most popular are SQLMX and IBMMQ
- ▶ 90% though it important or critical to have a secure OSS environment
- ▶ A plethora of security strategies!!

# OSS Security Survey Results (cont'd)



- ▶ Over 43% said it would be difficult or very difficult
- ▶ Yet over 80% want better granularity and visibility of OSS security settings!
- ▶ Primary concerns: Lack of knowledge or difficulty of integration with existing schemes.
- ▶ Room for Improvement:
  - Visability
  - Command Control and auto-elevation of privilege
- ▶ NonStop-X??

# NonStop system security context

- ▶ Safeguard Globals
- ▶ OSS specifics:
  - Filesets
  - User and admin access
  - Default shell and file permissions
  - Audit setup





# Safeguard

```
$D4 BSPT440 58> safecom  
SAFEGUARD COMMAND INTERPRETER - T9750H05^AHL -  
=info safeguard
```

SAFEGUARD IS CONFIGURED WITH SUPER.SUPER UNDER

```
AUTHENTICATE-MAXIMUM-ATTEMPTS = 4  
AUTHENTICATE-FAIL-TIMEOUT = 60 SECONDS  
AUTHENTICATE-FAIL-FREEZE = ON  
PROMPT-BEFORE-STOP = ON
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PASSWORD-REQUIRED = ON      PASSWORD-HISTORY = 3  
PASSWORD-ENCRYPT = ON       PASSWORD-MINIMUM-LENGTH = 4  
PASSWORD-MAXIMUM-LENGTH = 30  
PASSWORD-ALGORITHM = HMAC256  
PASSWORD-COMPATIBILITY-MODE = OFF  
PASSWORD-UPPERCASE-REQUIRED = OFF  
PASSWORD-LOWERCASE-REQUIRED = OFF  
PASSWORD-NUMERIC-REQUIRED = OFF  
PASSWORD-SPECIALCHAR-REQUIRED = OFF  
PASSWORD-SPACES-ALLOWED = ON  
PASSWORD-ALPHA-REQUIRED = OFF  
PASSWORD-MIN-QUALITY-REQUIRED = 0
```

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# OSS Filesets

- ▶ OSS filesets – analogous to the Unix “mount” operation, with NonStop OSS specifics.
- ▶ Managed through SCF:
  - Audit set ON if needed.
  - Access options:
    - Lock-out SUPER.SUPER.
    - Make read-only.



# Audit in OSS

- ▶ Set by fileset
- ▶ Set ON for Security-OSS-Administrator.
- ▶ Turn on the OSS Client audit in Safeguard
- ▶ Warning: injudicious audit settings may overwhelm your audit pool...



# Access Rights for OSS files

- ▶ Not subject to Safeguard rules.
- ▶ Secured using Unix like permission strings:

Owner	Group	World
r w ⊗	r w ⊗	r w x



- ▶ Options for setuid, setgid etc.
- ▶ Managed with chmod, chown, chgrp commands.

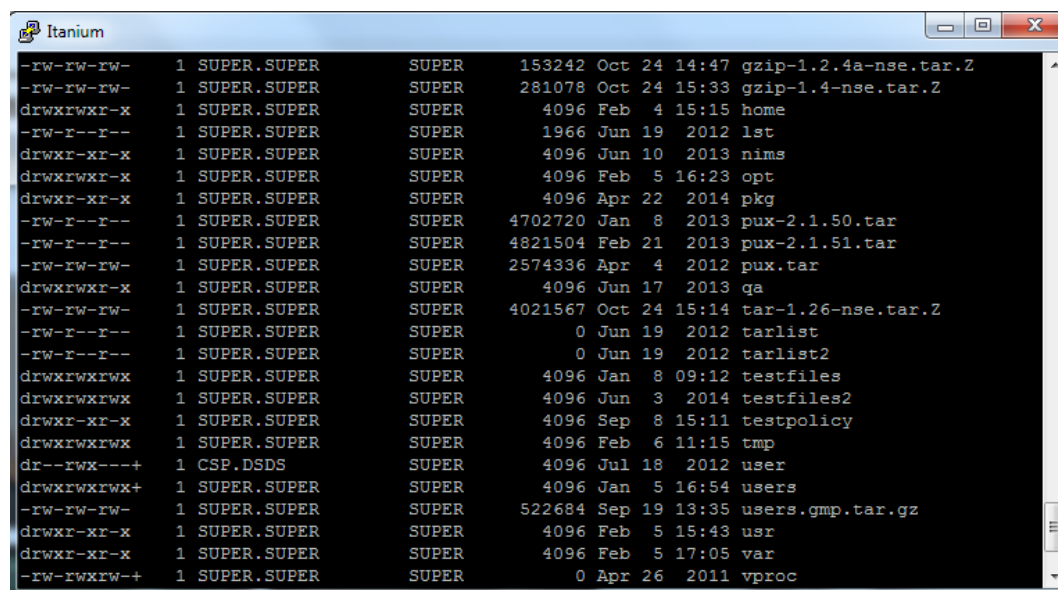
# OSS Basic Permissions

- ▶ OSS uses the Unix format (owner/group/world)
- ▶ Don't rely on the defaults!
- ▶ Common issues (just like Guardian):
  - Orphan Files
  - Excessive Privileges
  - Files Accessible to all users
- ▶ How are you checking yours?



# OSS Basic Permissions – Issues

- ▶ Visibility and reportability
- ▶ The three categories (owner/group/world) are sometimes not granular enough.
- ▶ Managed from the command line and/or scripts

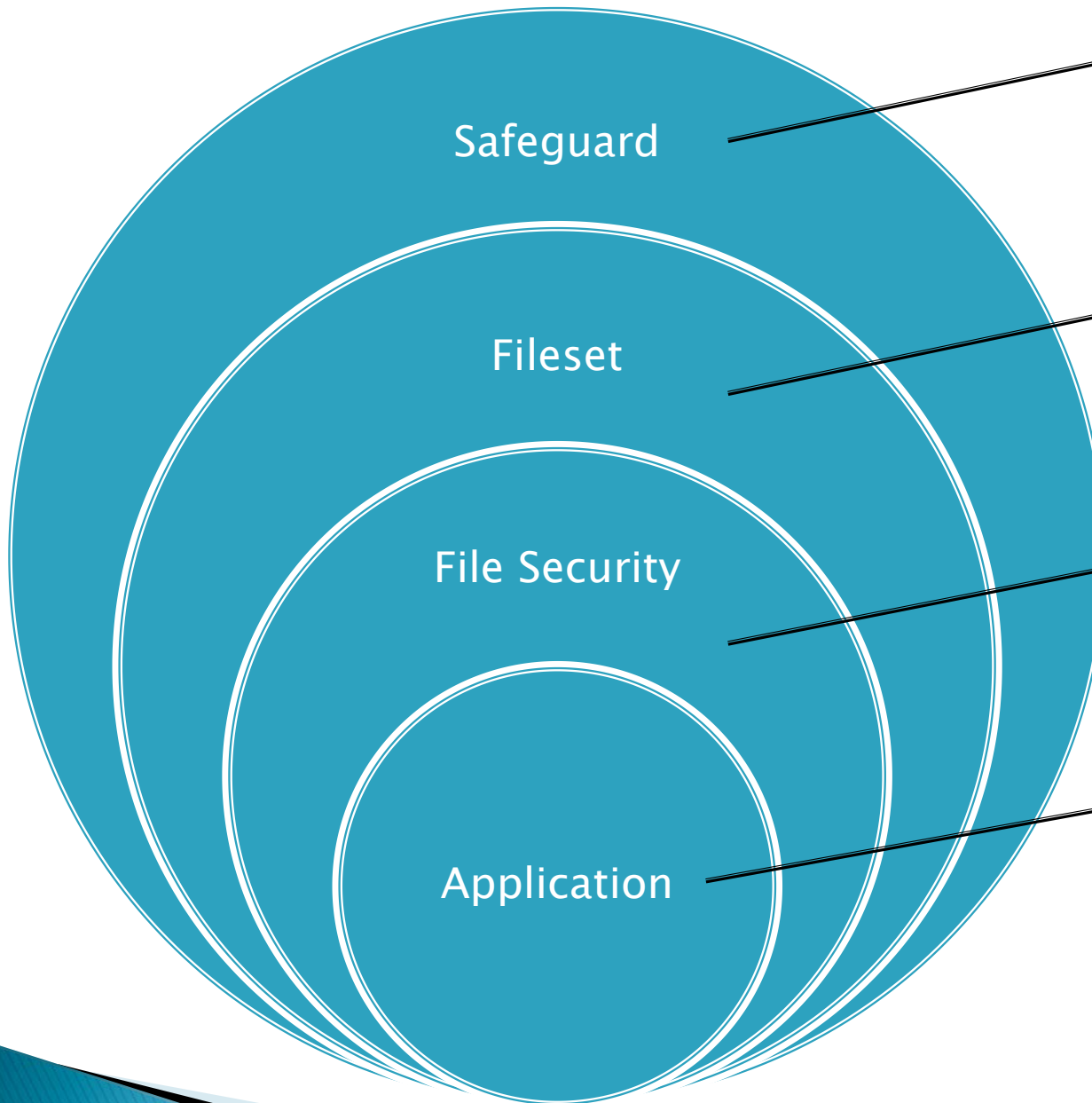


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Itanium
-rw-rw-rw- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 153242 Oct 24 14:47 gzip-1.2.4a-nse.tar.Z
-rw-rw-rw- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 281078 Oct 24 15:33 gzip-1.4-nse.tar.Z
drwxrwxr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Feb 4 15:15 home
-rw-r--r-- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 1966 Jun 19 2012 lst
drwxr-xr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Jun 10 2013 nims
drwxrwxr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Feb 5 16:23 opt
drwxr-xr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Apr 22 2014 pkg
-rw-r--r-- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4702720 Jan 8 2013 pux-2.1.50.tar
-rw-r--r-- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4821504 Feb 21 2013 pux-2.1.51.tar
-rw-rw-rw- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 2574336 Apr 4 2012 pux.tar
drwxrwxr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Jun 17 2013 qa
-rw-rw-rw- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4021567 Oct 24 15:14 tar-1.26-nse.tar.Z
-rw-r--r-- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 0 Jun 19 2012 tarlist
-rw-r--r-- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 0 Jun 19 2012 tarlist2
drwxrwxrwx 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Jan 8 09:12 testfiles
drwxrwxrwx 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Jun 3 2014 testfiles2
drwxr-xr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Sep 8 15:11 testpolicy
drwxrwxrwx 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Feb 6 11:15 tmp
dr--rwx--- 1 CSP.DSDS SUPER 4096 Jul 18 2012 user
drwxrwxrwx+ 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Jan 5 16:54 users
-rw-rw-rw- 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 522684 Sep 19 13:35 users.gmp.tar.gz
drwxr-xr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Feb 5 15:43 usr
drwxr-xr-x 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 4096 Feb 5 17:05 var
-rw-rw-rw-+ 1 SUPER.SUPER SUPER 0 Apr 26 2011 vproc
```

# OSS Extended ACLs

- ▶ Recommended by HP to provide improved granularity.
- ▶ Based on the HP-UX implementation.
- ▶ Allow for:
  - specific permissions for users/groups on files/directories.
  - default ACLs on directories
- ▶ Managed with setacl, and viewed through getacl.
- ▶ Awkward to set and to read.
- ▶ Just like Safeguard ACLs, these can get messy very quickly...





- Globals
- Users
- Security Groups
- Audit management

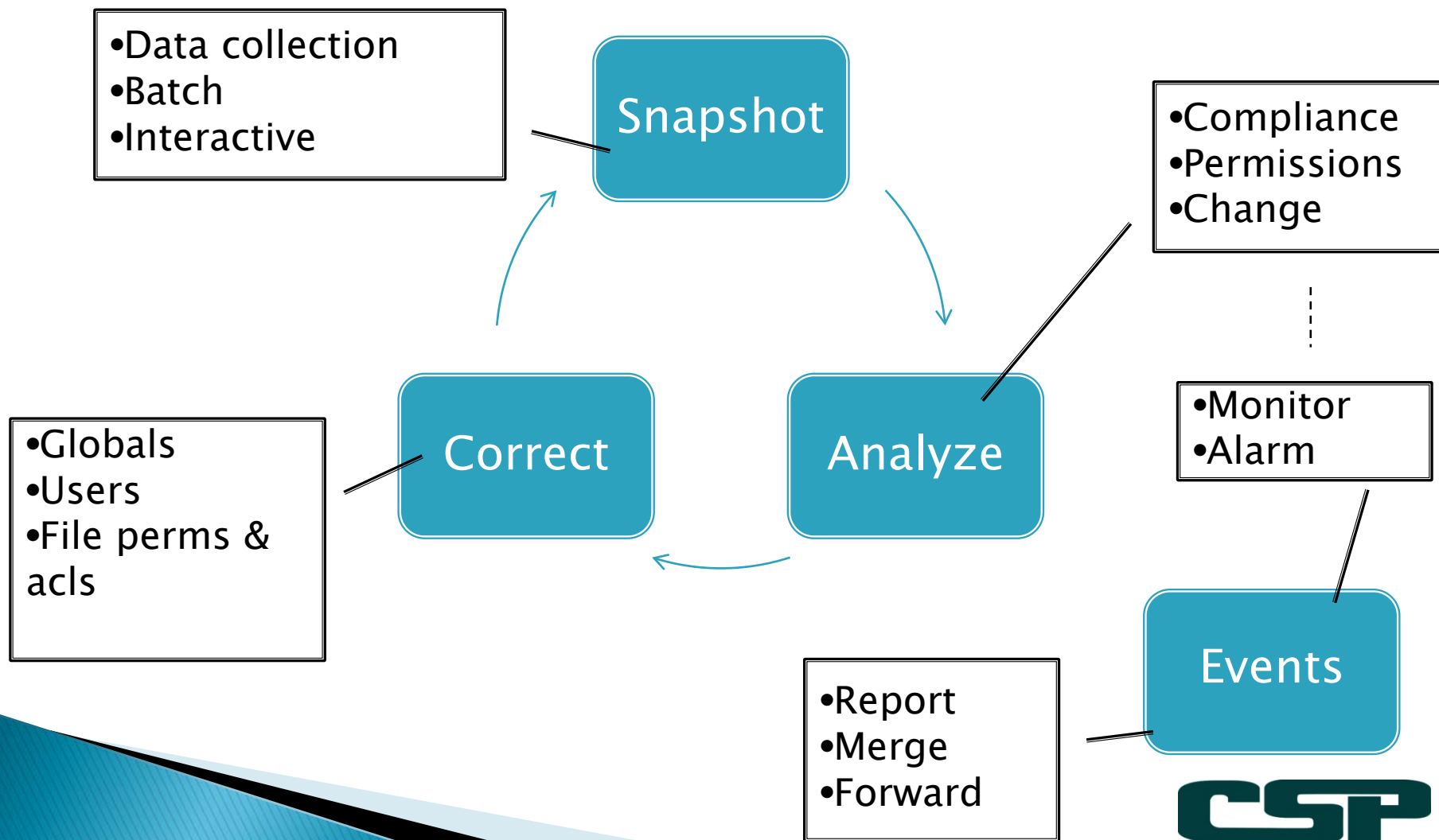
- Restrict access
- Audit enable

- Basic permissions
- Extended ACLs
- Setuid/setgid

- Application access rules
- Log management



# Ongoing OSS Compliance



# CSP Tools for the task:

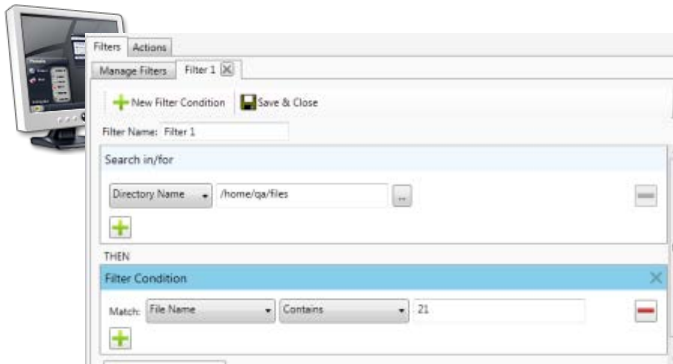
- ▶ Initial Snapshot:
  - **Protect-UX** – Capture and visualize file permissions
  - **File Integrity Checker (FIC)**: Monitor Files for changes.
  - Set up monitoring and event streams with **Alert-Plus** and **Auditview** for merged Audit.
- ▶ Ongoing:
  - Snapshot the directory tree and check contents for changes (log files OK)
  - Review for erroneous or excessive privilege, Orphan files, etc.

# Protect-UX – a closer look:

Protect-UX Master Node is used to store policies files, credentials etc.



List matching files



Apply

Apply

Apply

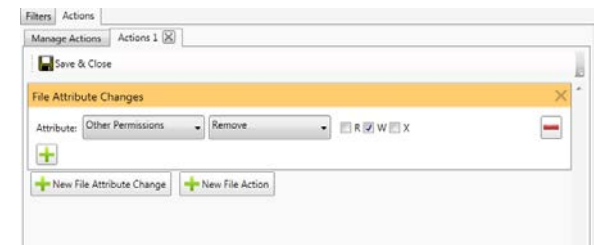
Protect-UX Fileset Macros (user- defined or templates) automates file management tasks based on attribute or name, to:

- discover current state
- apply settings or actions.

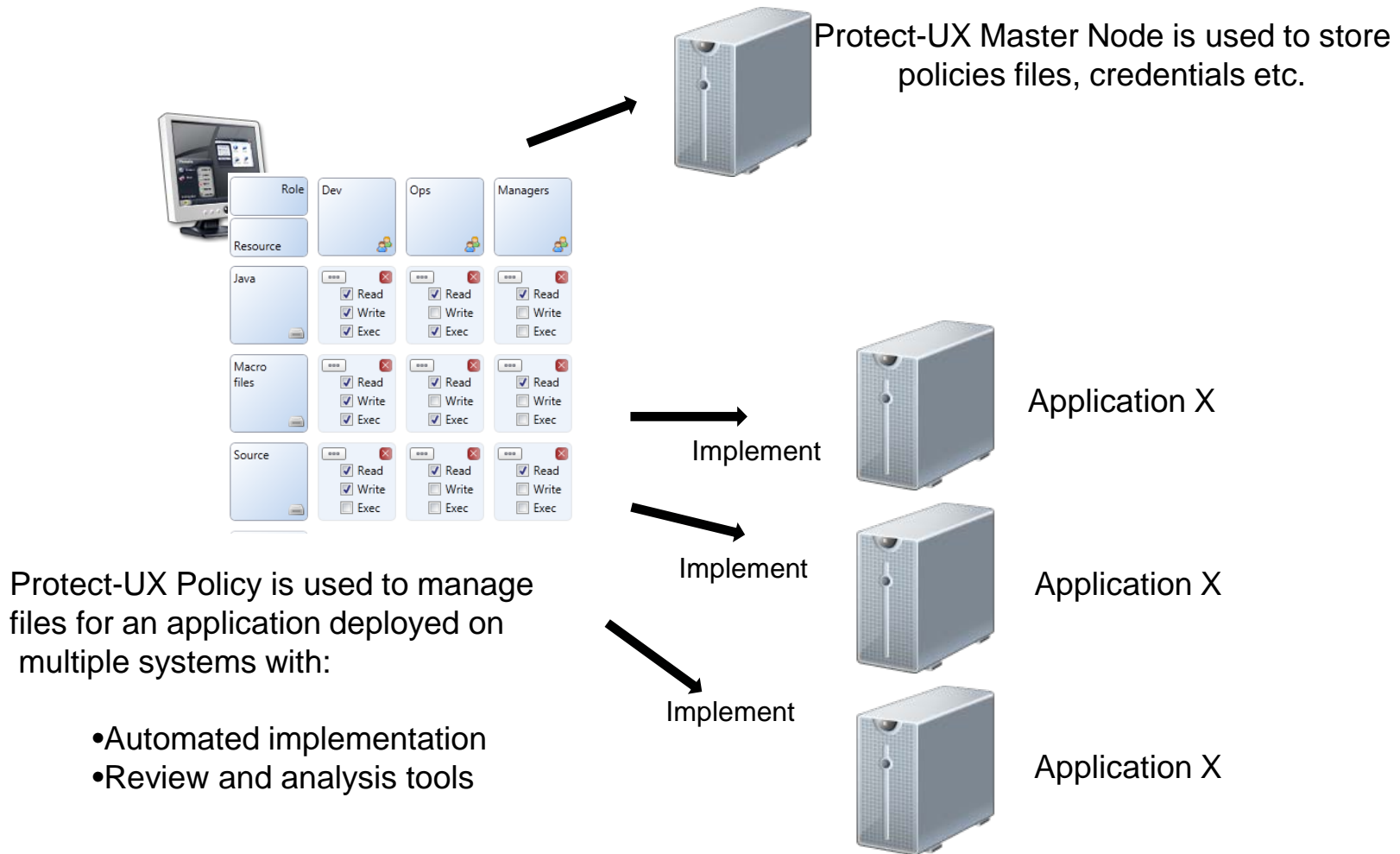
Filter preview completed, retrieved on: 4/3/2014 10:15:52 AM, total files found: 158

Full Path Name	Size	Permissions	Owner	Group
/home/qa	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/bash_history	202 B	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/group	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/group/pubring.gpg	0 B	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/group/gpg.conf	7 KB	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/group/trustdb.gpg	40 B	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/group/secring.gpg	0 B	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/pulse-cookie	256 B	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/Documents	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/cache	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/cache/event-sound-cac...	12 KB	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/gconfd	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/gconfd/saved_state	70 KB	-rw-r--r--	qa	qa
/home/qa/mozilla	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/mozilla/extensions	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/mozilla/plugins	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa
/home/qa/gstreamer-0.10	directory	drwxr-xr-x	qa	qa

...and/or apply changes .



# Protect-UX Policy Access Matrix



# FIC – Check Your Files!

File integrity monitoring  
is a crucial requirement  
of PCI

Includes checking of:

MD5/MD5-Inc

File Type

Last Modified

Status Changed

Owner

Security Type

Safeguard

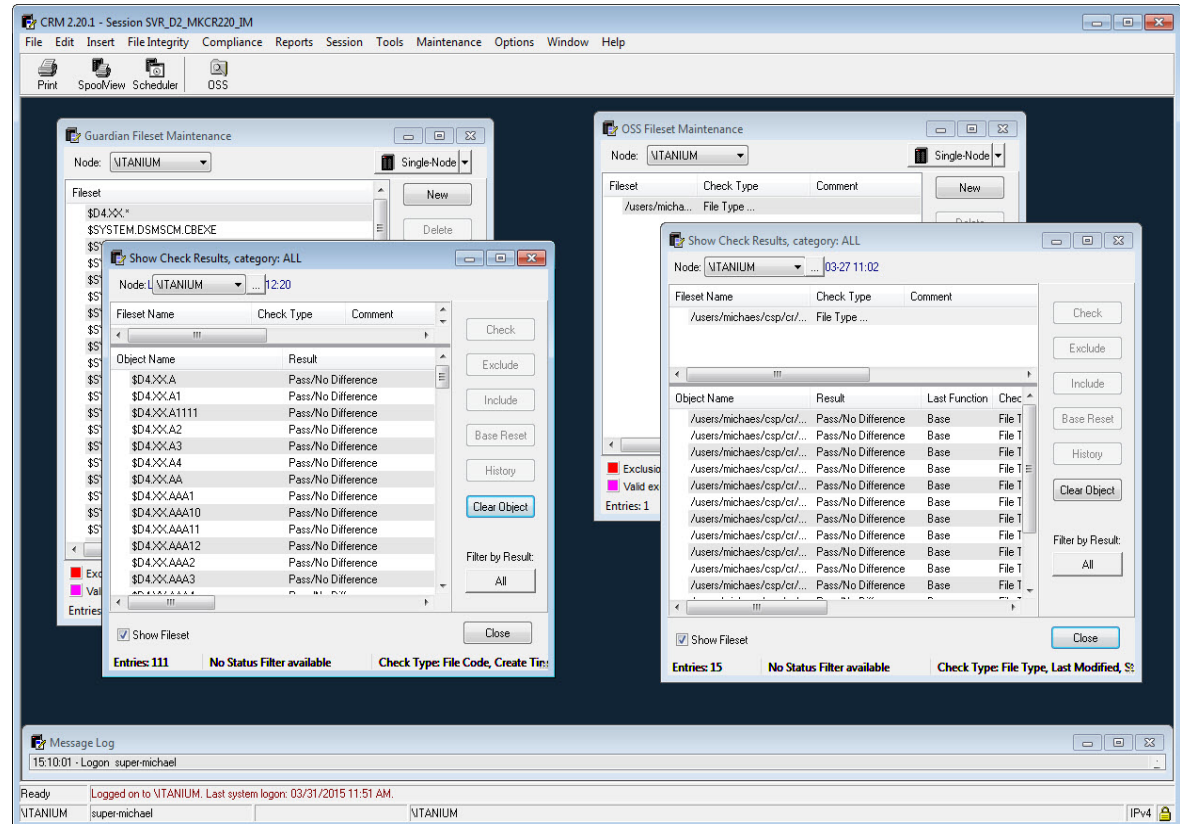
Security Mask

Group

Set Uld

Set Gld

EOF (also EOF Incremental)



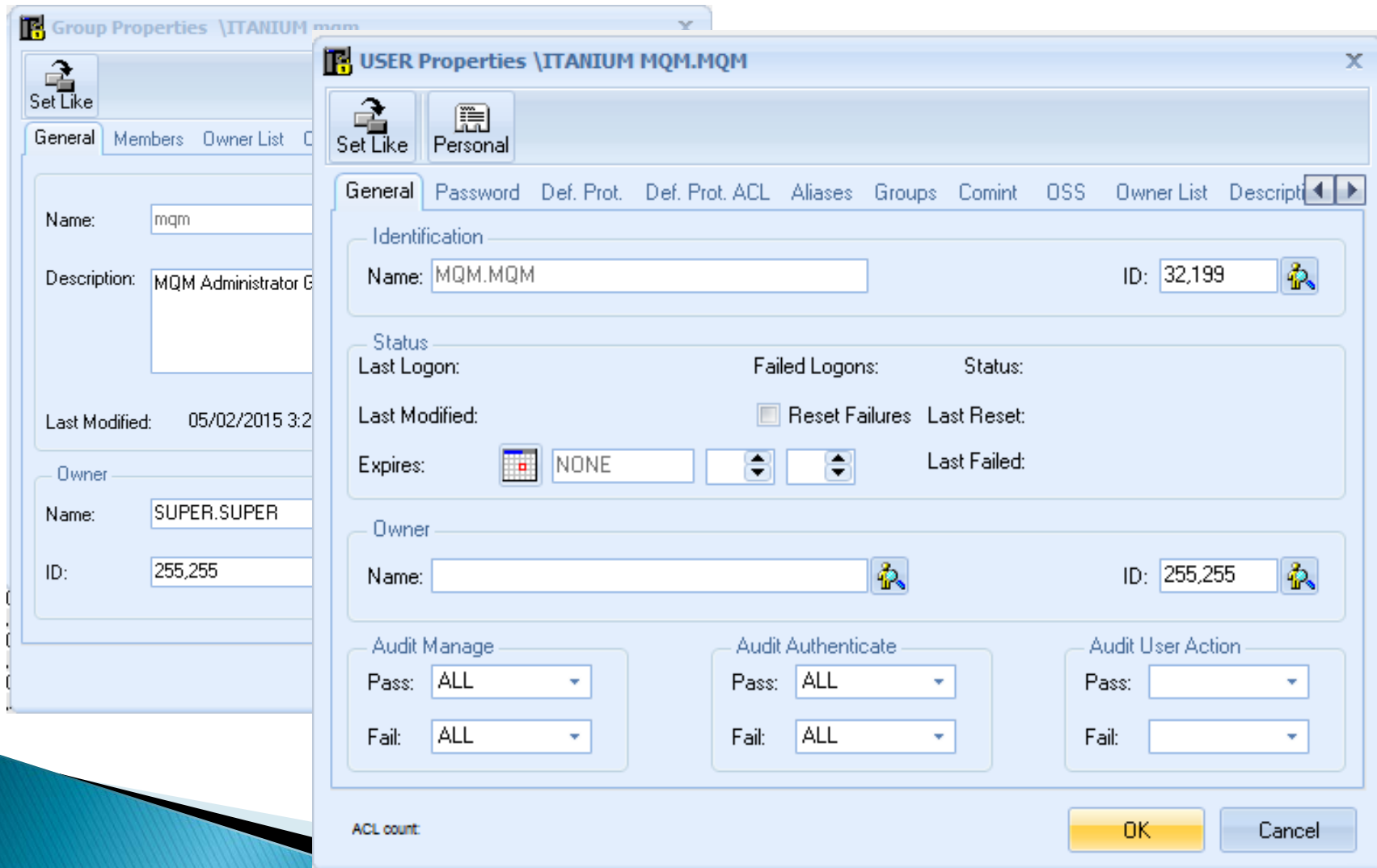
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# Let's look a specific example: IBM MQ



- ▶ Pre-installation:
  - Adding the user and group mqm.mqm
  - Ensure the initial location permissions are open
  - Create a fileset (if necessary) to contain files.
- ▶ Post-installation:
  - Snapshot the directory tree and contents
  - Review for erroneous or excessive privilege
  - Set up monitoring and event streams

# CSP Protect XP: Add the user and group



# Check permissions – Protect-UX

The screenshot shows the Protect-UX 3.0.6.427 application window. The interface includes a menu bar (Home, Policy, Fileset, Tools, Licensing) and a toolbar with icons for New, Save, Preview, Run, Scheduler, Network, and Credentials. Below the toolbar are sections for Common Tasks, Fileset Tasks, Tools, and Administration. The left sidebar contains a FileSet Macro Browser and a Templates section. The main area displays the results of a fileset macro completion for the target 'itanium: mqm'.

FileSet Macro Browser

- FileSet 2
  - mqm
    - Filters
      - Filter
    - Actions

Templates

- itanium
  - 123

Target: itanium

	Full Path Name	Size	Permissions	Owner
	/usr/ibm	directory	drwxrwxr-x	MQM.MQM
	/usr/ibm/mqm	directory	drwxrwxr-x	MQM.MQM
	/opt/mqm	directory	drwxrwxr-x	MQM.MQM

Fileset macro completed, retrieved on: 2/5/2015 4:24:03 PM, total files found: 3



# FIC – Create Snapshot

Show Check Results, category: ALL

Node: TITANIUM Last updated: 2015-02-05 17:27

Fileset Name	Check Type	Comment	Fileset Record Count	Number of Fails
/opt/mqm/*/*	File Type ...		4	0
/var/mqm/*/*	File Type ...		2	0
/var/mqm/qmgrs/*/*ini	MD5		4	0

Object Name	Result	Last Function	Check Type	Last Updated	Change
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/mqs...	Pass/No Difference	Base	MD5	2015-02-05, 17:08:26	super-t
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/proc...	Pass/No Difference	Base	MD5	2015-02-05, 17:08:36	super-t
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qm.ini	Pass/No Difference	Base	MD5	2015-02-05, 17:08:45	super-t
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qmp...	Pass/No Difference	Base	MD5	2015-02-05, 17:08:53	super-t

☒ Show Fileset

Entries: 4    No Status Filter available    Check Type: MD5

Check  
Exclude  
Include  
Base Reset  
History  
Clear Object

Filter by Result:  
All

Close

# Change detection

**Email alert of a change**

Event | Date | Time | Type | Monitor | Message

✉	2/6/2015	10:08:02 AM	🔒	VITANIUM.\$APBS	OSS F
✉	2/6/2015	10:08:02 AM	🔒	VITANIUM.\$APBS	OSS F

**Email Message Properties**

General

Message Generated By

Time: 06-Feb-2015 10:08:02.332 Monitor: VITANIUM.\$

Rules Object: VITANIUM.\$D4.BILLTEST.FICRULEO

Rules Source: VITANIUM.\$D4.BILL

Message

To: bills@cspsecurity.com

From: bills@cspsecurity.com

Subject: CSP Monitor Event

Text: OSS File Integrity Che  
</var/mqm/qmgrs/@!

**Show Check Results, category: ALL**

Fileset Name	Check Type	Com
/opt/mqm/*/*	File Type ...	2
/var/mqm/*	File Type ...	0
/var/mqm/qmgrs/*/*	MD5	4

**Detailed change history in FIC**

Object Name	Result	Last Function	Check Type
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/mqs.ini	MD5 changed	Check Run	MD5
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/proc.ini	Pass/No Difference	Check Run	MD5
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qm.ini	MD5 changed	Check Run	MD5
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qmproc.ini	Pass/No Difference	Check Run	MD5

**Auditview audit trail report**

```
Audit Number: 0FFFE02E22B6
Audit Time: Jun 23 2014, 1
Terminal: \PROTECT.$ZTN0
Requestor: TEST.ONE (99,
Subj Proc: \PROTECT.3,331
CreatorID: TEST.ONE (99,1)
AuditCrID: SUPER.SUPER (255,255)
143.G11
AuditCrProc: \PROTECT.$ZPNS
ObjType: OSSDiskfile
Obj Owner: TEST.ONE (99,1)
Object: /var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qm.ini=$OSS.ZYQ00003.Z000004K:981322385
Outcome: Granted
2.Secondary.Records
Type: Before
Variant: 1 (File Mode Only)
File Mode: 0100666 (-rw-rw----)
Type: After
Variant: 1 (File Mode Only)
File Mode: 0100660 (-rw-rw-rw-)
```


# Verifying the permissions

Protect-UX - 3.0.6.427

Home Policy Fileset Tools Licensing

Show Access Network Credentials Administration

Show Access

Server Node:  itanium

Search in: /var/mqm

Access

Any of ☒ R ☒ W ☒ X




☐ Include 'other' permissions

Select user or group:

☒ Users ☐ Groups

CSP.BILLS@itanium

User is member of group(s):

-  CSP@itanium
-  CSP@itanium
-  MQM@itanium

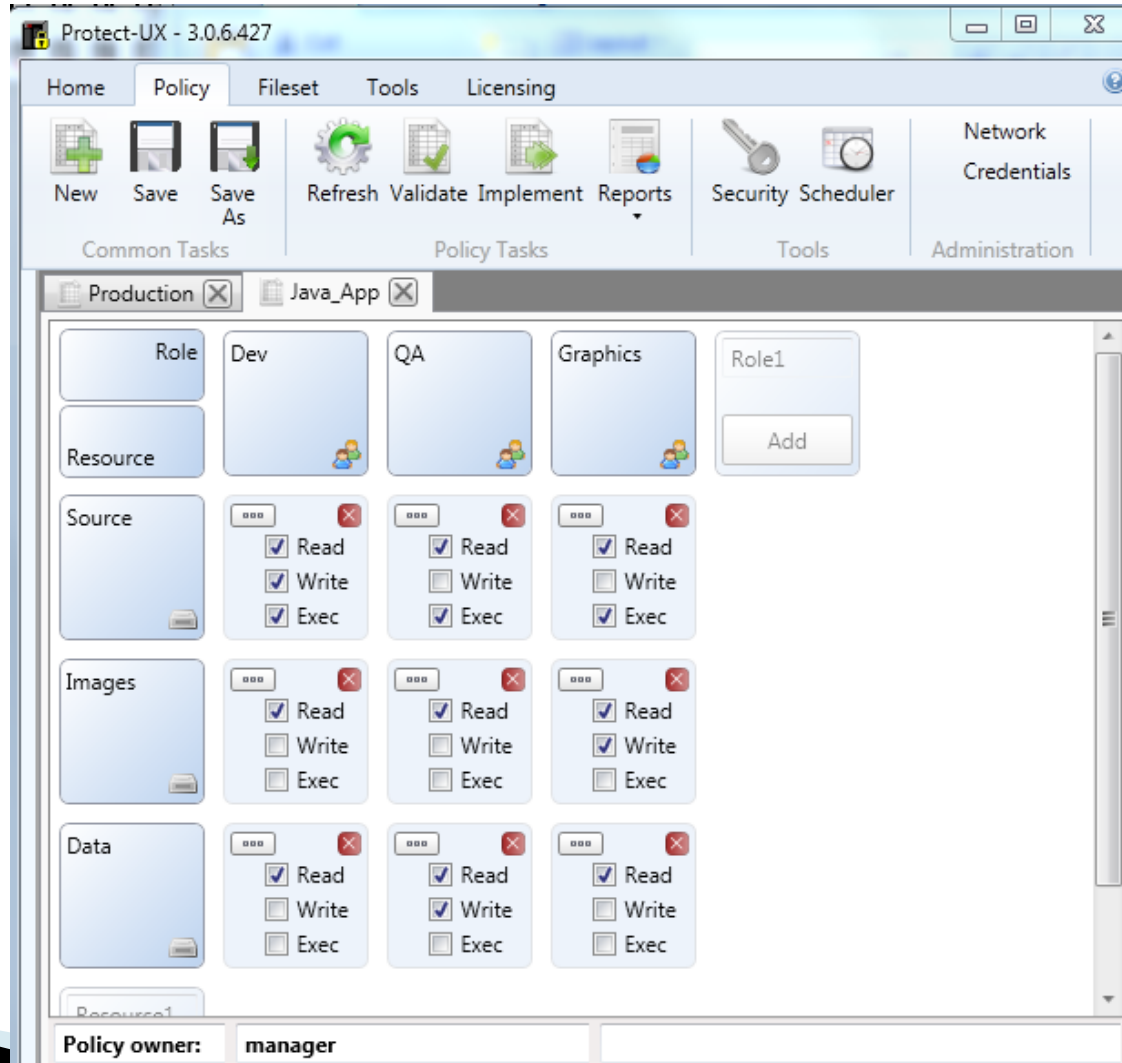
Show Access Report

Save Result

Show access completed, retrieved on: 2/6/2015 11:53:26 AM, total files found: 12

Full Path Name	Size	Permissions	Owner	Group	Date modified
/var/mqm	directory	drwxrwxr-x	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:07:15 PM
/var/mqm/@SYSTEM	directory	drwxrwxr-x	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:16:34 PM
/var/mqm/mqs.ini	6 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:06:46 PM
/var/mqm/proc.ini	7 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:06:58 PM
/var/mqm/qmgrs	directory	drwxrwxr-x	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:21:27 PM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/mqs.ini	11 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/6/2015 10:38:52 AM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/proc.ini	0 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:08:36 PM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qm.ini	7 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/6/2015 10:06:43 AM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/@SYSTEM/qmpr...	0 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:08:53 PM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/XXX	0 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:08:45 PM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/ddd	0 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:08:53 PM
/var/mqm/qmgrs/xxx	0 b	-rw-rw-r--	MQM.MQM	MQM	2/5/2015 5:08:36 PM

# Apply ACLs as needed



# Summary

- ▶ OSS application security requires a combination of:
  - System settings (Safeguard, fileset etc.)
  - File permission validation and control
  - Change detection and management
  - Event and audit review
  - Application specifics (e.g. for MQM the internal authorization settings etc.)
- ▶ You can do it all with native tools, but...

# CSP Solutions deliver:

- ▶ Manage and review Safeguard settings easily.
- ▶ Apply permission templates from a GUI console.
- ▶ Establish baseline and snapshot views of your OSS environment with regular checks.
- ▶ Review and verify settings and file attributes as needed.
- ▶ Alerts, reports and correlation of OSS events.

# 2015 enhancements to Protect-UX

- ▶ Improved Product Work Flows.
- ▶ OSS Command Control.
- ▶ Implement an HTML5 based web interface.
- ▶ Optional Authorization Streams.

**Thank you!**

**Questions?**

