



Installation Guide



SNORT / BARNYARD / SNORBY



Snort

- Snort is Network Intrusion Detection System (NIDS). Snort can sniff your network and alert you based on his rule DB if there is an attack on your computers network. It is an opensource system that is build from tcpdump (linux sniffer tool).

Prerequisite

- Update your system using yum update and reboot
`yum update -y reboot`
- Install rpm forge repository
- On i386 system
`rpm -Uhv`
`http://apt.sw.be/redhat/el5/en/i386/rpmforge/RPMS/rpmforge-release-0.5.2-2.el5.rf.i386.rpm`

- On x86_64 system

rpm -Uhv

http://apt.sw.be/redhat/el5/en/x86_64/rpmforge/RPMS/rpmforge-release-0.5.2-2.el5.rf.x86_64.rpm

- Install PCRE, libdnet and more prerequisite packages

```
yum install libdnet libdnet-devel pcre pcre-devel gcc  
make flex byacc bison kernel-devel libxml2-devel -y
```

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- Create dir for Snort prerequisite sources


```
mkdir /usr/local/src/snort
```

- Change dir to the new created directory


```
cd /usr/local/src/snort
```

- Download and install libpcap

```
wget http://www.tcpdump.org/release/libpcap-1.2.1.tar.gz -O libpcap.tar.gz tar zxvf libpcap.tar.gz cd libpcap-* ./configure && make && make install
```



- Add `/usr/local/lib` line to `ld`
`echo "/usr/local/lib" >> /etc/ld.so.conf`
`ldconfig -v`
- Download and install DAQ
`cd /usr/local/src/snort`
`wget http://www.snort.org/downloads/1221 -O`
`daq.tar.gz`
`tar zxvf daq.tar.gz`
`cd daq-*`
`./configure && make && make install`
`ldconfig -v`

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- Create snort user and group
groupadd snort useradd -g snort snort

Install Snort

- Download Snort

```
cd /usr/local/src/snort wget
```

```
http://www.snort.org/downloads/1416 -O  
snort.tar.gz
```

- Extract and install Snort


```
tar zxvf snort.tar.gz cd snort-2* ./configure --prefix  
/usr/local/snort && make && make install
```


- Create links for Snort files

```
ln -s /usr/local/snort/bin/snort /usr/sbin/ ln -s  
/usr/local/snort/etc /etc/snort
```

- Configure Snort startup script to run at startup

```
cp rpm/snortd /etc/init.d/ chmod +x /etc/init.d/snortd cp  
rpm/snort.sysconfig /etc/sysconfig/snort chkconfig --add  
snortd
```

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- Delete following lines from snort startup file
vi /etc/init.d/snortd
 - Comment out the following variable in
/etc/sysconfig/snort and add / to the LOGDIR
variable

```
vi /etc/sysconfig/snort
```

```
... LOGDIR=/var/log/snort/ ... #ALERTMODE=fast ...  
#BINARY_LOG=1 ...
```

- Download Snort rules files from <http://www.snort.org/snort-rules> to `/usr/local/src/snort`
- Extract rules file in the new created directory

```
cd /usr/local/snort tar zxvf /usr/local/src/snort/snortrules-snapshot-2*
```

Create directory for snort logging

```
mkdir -p /usr/local/snort/var/log chown snort:snort  
/usr/local/snort/var/log ln -s /usr/local/snort/var/log /var/log/snort
```

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- Create links for dynamic rules files and directories

```
ln -s /usr/local/snort/lib/snort_dynamicpreprocessor  
/usr/local/lib/snort_dynamicpreprocessor ln -s  
/usr/local/snort/lib/snort_dynamicengine  
/usr/local/lib/snort_dynamicengine ln -s  
/usr/local/snort/lib/snort_dynamicrules  
/usr/local/lib/snort_dynamicrules
```

- Set snort permissions

```
chown -R snort:snort /usr/local/snort
```

- Comment out or delete all reputation preprocessor configuration lines from snort.conf and configure output plugin

```
vi /usr/local/snort/etc/snort.conf
```

```
... #preprocessor reputation: \# memcap 500, \# priority whitelist, \  
# nested_ip inner, \# whitelist  
$WHITE_LIST_PATH/white_list.rules, \# blacklist  
$BLACK_LIST_PATH/black_list.rules ... output unified2: filename  
snort.log, limit 128 ...
```

- Create Dynamicrules directory

```
mkdir /usr/local/snort/lib/snort_dynamicrules
```

- Copy dynamicrules files

- On i386 system

```
cp /usr/local/snort/so_rules/precompiled/RHEL-5-5/i386/2.9.2.1/*so  
/usr/local/snort/lib/snort_dynamicrules/
```

- On x86_64 system

```
cp /usr/local/snort/so_rules/precompiled/RHEL-5-5/x86-64/2.9.2.1/*so  
/usr/local/snort/lib/snort_dynamicrules/
```

- Dump the stub rules

```
snort -c /usr/local/snort/etc/snort.conf --dump-dynamic-  
rules=/usr/local/snort/so_rules
```

- Enable snort dynamic rules configuration in the end of snort.conf file


```
vi /usr/local/snort/etc/snort.conf
```

```
... # dynamic library rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/bad-traffic.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/chat.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/dos.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/exploit.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/icmp.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/imap.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/misc.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/multimedia.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/netbios.rules  
include $SO_RULE_PATH/nntp.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/p2p.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/smtp.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/snmp.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/specific-threats.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/web-  
activex.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/web-client.rules include  
$SO_RULE_PATH/web-iis.rules include $SO_RULE_PATH/web-misc.rules ...
```



- Test Snort configuration

```
snort -c /usr/local/snort/etc/snort.conf -T
```



Install Barnyard

- Barnyard is an add-on for snort. Barnyard lets snort write its log and alert data very fast in binary files and then Barnyard reads those files and sends them to whatever output you configure it, here we will configure to output the data to a MySQL database in order to watch the data using a PHP application called BASE.



Prerequisite

- Snort
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- Install MySQL

```
yum install mysql mysql-devel -y
```

- Download Barnyard

```
cd /usr/local/src/snort wget
```

```
http://www.securixlive.com/download/barnyard2/barnyard2-1.9.tar.gz
```

- Extract Barnyard

```
tar zxvf barnyard2-1.9.tar.gz cd barnyard2-1.9
```





- Configure Barnyard

- On i386 system

```
./configure --with-mysql --with-mysql-libraries=/usr/lib64/mysql
```

- Install Barnyard

```
make && make install
```

- Configure Barnyard start script to run at startup

```
cp rpm/barnyard2 /etc/init.d/ chmod +x /etc/init.d/barnyard2 cp  
rpm/barnyard2.config /etc/sysconfig/barnyard2 chkconfig --add  
barnyard2
```

- Create links for Barnyard files and create archive directory

```
ln -s /usr/local/etc/barnyard2.conf /etc/snort/barnyard.conf ln -s /usr/local/bin/barnyard2 /usr/bin/ mkdir /var/log/snort/etho/archive/
```

- Change barnyard running time and change -L to -l in barnyard2 startup script on "BARNY_OPTS=" line

```
vi /etc/init.d/barnyard2
```

```
... # chkconfig: 2345 70 60 ... BARNYARD_OPTS="-D -c $CONF -d $SNORTDIR/${INT} -w $WALDO_FILE -l $SNORTDIR/${INT} -a $ARCHIVEDIR -f $LOG_FILE -X $PIDFILE $EXTRA_ARGS" ...
```

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- Edit LOG_FILE variable in Barnyard sysconfig file


```
vi /etc/sysconfig/barnyard2
```

```
... LOG_FILE="snort.log" ...
```

- Start Snort and Barnyard


```
service snortd start
```

```
service barnyard2 start
```





Installation Snorby

- Snorby is a frontend application for Snort. Snorby let you check and analyze your Snort events and alerts from a web browser.
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Prerequisite

- Snort
 - Barnyard
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- Install apache and prerequisite packages

```
yum install libyaml-devel httpd git imagemagick ImageMagick-devel  
libxml2-devel libxslt-devel gcc-c++ curl-devel httpd-devel apr-devel  
apr-util-devel -y
```

- Download and install Ruby

```
cd /usr/local/src/snort wget http://ftp.ruby-lang.org/pub/ruby/1.9/ruby-  
1.9.3-p194.tar.gz tar xvzf ruby-1* cd ruby-1* ./configure && make  
&& make install
```

- Install openssl extension

```
cd ext/openssl/ ruby extconf.rb make && make install
```






- Install gem dependencies

```
gem install thor i18n bundler tzinfo builder memcache-client rack rack-  
test erubis mail rack-mount rails gem install rake --version=0.9.2  
gem uninstall rake --version=0.9.2.2
```

- Download and install wkhtmltopdf



```
cd /usr/local/src/snort wget  
http://wkhtmltopdf.googlecode.com/files/wkhtmltopdf-0.11.0_rc1-  
static-i386.tar.bz2 tar jxvf wkhtmltopdf-0.11.0_rc1-static-  
i386.tar.bz2 mv wkhtmltopdf-i386 /usr/local/bin/wkhtmltopdf chown  
root:root /usr/local/bin/wkhtmltopdf
```



- Download and configure snorby

- ```
cd /var/www/html/ git clone http://github.com/Snorby/snorby.git cd /var/www/html/snorby/config/ cp database.example.yml database.yml cp snorby_config.example.yml snorby_config.yml chown -R apache:apache /var/www/html/snorby
```


- Set mysql root password

`mysqladmin password humus`

- Configure snorby database username and password

`vi database.yml`





```
.... snorby: &snorby adapter: mysql username: root password: humus
host: localhost ...
```

- Install Snorby

```
cd /var/www/html/snorby bundle install --deployment rake
snorby:setup
```

- Configure Barnyard to output alerts to snorby database

```
vi /etc/snort/barnyard.conf
```



- Restart Barnyard


```
service barnyard2 stop service barnyard2 start
```

- Install Passenger module for apache

```
gem install passenger cd
 /usr/local/lib/ruby/gems/1.9.1/gems/passenger-3.0.12/bin
 ./passenger-install-apache2-module
```

- Configure and restart apache

```
vi /etc/httpd/conf/httpd.conf
```

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