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TRESYS ANNOUNCES UPDATED CERTIFIABLE LINUX INTEGRATION PLATFORM TOOLKIT FOR SELINUX

Updated Toolkit Adds Updated Functionality and Configured National Security Requirements to Offering

Columbia, Md. – March 17, 2009 – Tresys Technology, a provider of technology and services for customers with high security requirements, today released Version 3.1.0 for RHEL 5.3 of the Certifiable Linux Integration Platform (CLIP) Toolkit, an open source project providing secure configurations of popular enterprise Linux distributions designed to meet a variety of complex security requirements.

“Developers tasked with creating secure solutions face a daunting task,” said Karl MacMillan, Director of Core Technology, Tresys Technology. “They must understand a complex set of security requirements, engineer their systems and applications to meet those requirements, and provide evidence to certifiers. CLIP simplifies this task by providing a secure platform, including extensive documentation and evidence, that meets the most stringent security requirements.”

The CLIP Toolkit provides a security hardened configuration and supplemental software for Red Hat Enterprise Linux versions 4 and 5. Developers adopting this Toolkit are provided with a secure platform, allowing them to focus on building the software unique to their solution.

Building on previous versions of the Toolkit, version 3.1.0 provides a preconfigured RHEL 5.3 system that meets the current Security Readiness Reviews (SRR) for the DISA STIGS and the NSSI 1253 High Impact requirements. The release includes updates to the SELinux security policy to synchronize with the current release of the SELinux Reference Policy, to the IPTables package to support SECMARK for labeled packets, and to the PAM package to support dynamic timeouts for login.

For more information about the CLIP Toolkit and other Tresys open source technologies, visit <http://oss.tresys.com>.

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