



Boot Integrity Visibility

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Information About Boot Integrity Visibility

Boot Integrity Visibility allows Cisco's platform identity and software integrity information to be visible and actionable. Platform identity provides the platform's manufacturing installed identity. Software integrity exposes boot integrity measurements that can be used to assess whether the platform has booted trusted code.

During the boot process, the software creates a checksum record of each stage of the bootloader activities.

You can retrieve this record and compare it with a Cisco-certified record to verify if your software image is genuine. If the checksum values do not match, you may be running a software image that is either not certified by Cisco or has been altered by an unauthorized party.

Verifying the Software Image and Hardware

This task describes how to retrieve the checksum record that was created during a switch bootup. Enter the following commands in privileged EXEC mode.



Note On executing the following commands, you might see the message **% Please Try After Few Seconds** displayed on the CLI. This does not indicate a CLI failure, but indicates setting up of underlying infrastructure required to get the required output. We recommend waiting for a few minutes and then try the command again.

The messages **% Error retrieving SUDI certificate** and **% Error retrieving integrity data** signify a real CLI failure.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	show platform sudi certificate [sign [nonce]] Example: Device# show platform sudi certificate sign nonce 123	Displays checksum record for the specific SUDI. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (Optional) sign - Show signature • (Optional) nonce - Enter a nonce value
Step 2	show platform integrity [sign [nonce]] Example: Device# show platform integrity sign nonce 123	Displays checksum record for boot stages. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (Optional) sign - Show signature • (Optional) nonce - Enter a nonce value

Verifying Platform Identity and Software Integrity

Verifying Platform Identity

The following example displays the Secure Unique Device Identity (SUDI) chain in PEM format. Encoded into the SUDI is the Product ID and Serial Number of each individual device such that the device can be uniquely identified on a network of thousands of devices. The first certificate is the Cisco Root CA 2048 and the second is the Cisco subordinate CA (ACT2 SUDI CA). Both certificates can be verified to match those published on <https://www.cisco.com/security/pki/>. The third is the SUDI certificate.

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Device# show platform sudi certificate sign nonce 123
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
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-----END CERTIFICATE-----
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
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-----END CERTIFICATE-----
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
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yGCOavAxqGd0j7atcRpdRjt9+KM9Vwuy4VJZgK/t1fmTL4cawQ==
-----END CERTIFICATE-----

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Signature version: 1
Signature:



The optional RSA 2048 signature is across the three certificates, the signature version and the user-provided nonce.

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RSA PKCS#1v1.5 Sign {<Nonce (UINT64)> || <Signature Version (UINT32)> || <Cisco Root CA
2048 cert (DER)> ||
<Cisco subordinate CA (DER)> || <SUDI certificate (DER)> }

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Cisco management solutions are equipped with the ability to interpret the above output. However, a simple script using OpenSSL commands can also be used to display the identity of the platform and to verify the signature, thereby ensuring its Cisco unique device identity.

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[linux-host:~]openssl x509 -in sudicert.pem -subject -noout
subject= /serialNumber=PID:C9200L-24T-4G SN:FDO1946BG05/O=Cisco/OU=ACT-2 Lite
SUDI/CN=C9200L-24T-4G

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