SoftControl

Product line 4.2.12

Release notes

Introduction

Purpose

The SoftControl 4.2.12 product line offers a set of program components for deploying the information security system. The system is designed to provide the integrity of the software environment of the network endpoints and to protect data against unauthorized access by maintenance staff or violators.

The following modules are included in the product line.

- SoftControl Service Center that consists of:
  - SoftControl Server, the server component;
  - SoftControl Admin Console, the management console.
- SoftControl ATM Client / Endpoint Client / SClient / SysWatch, the client components for proactive protection of self-service devices, corporate network workstations, servers, and personal computers, respectively;
- SoftControl DLP Client, the client component designed to monitor and collect data about the user's activity.

This document presents the main changes and new features included in versions 4.2.12.

SoftControl Service Center

Improvements and new features:

1. SoftControl Service Center can work with SoftControl SysWatch and SoftControl DLP Client in real time. For SoftControl SysWatch, this allows reducing the time to receive information about the profile. For SoftControl DLP Client, it allows recoding video of the user's monitor to control his/her actions.

2. Administrator's guide is updated.

Bug fixes:

1. Restoring SoftControl Service Center from a backup copy did not work.

2. Expiration of certificates that are used for connection between the client applications and the server.

3. Fixed errors when working through proxy server.

Fix:

Fixed in version 4.2.12.

SoftControl Admin Console

Improvements and new features:

1. The **Details** column on the **Log** tab displays UID of the rule where the control policy has been violated (when selecting 'Policy violation').

2. The list of allowed files on the **Profile information for <client name>** tab contains the filter to select files by name ('File name contains') and by path ('File path contains').

3. Specifying control rules (SoftControl SysWatch) and monitoring rules (SoftControl DLP Client) for network folders is supported.

4. SoftControl SysWatch rules allow specifying when a rule is valid and the users it applies to.

5. The SoftControl SysWatch and SoftControl DLP Client system services can be hidden from the Windows **Services** snap-in (except for Windows XP).

6. Names of the options in the **Clients settings editor - SysWatch - One-time password** window are modified. 'Time interval' option is removed.

7. The names of some events are modified.

Bug fixes:

1. If the user stopped the profile gathering manually in the console, a profile gathering error was displayed.

2. Texts in the installer are modified. Fixed GUI bugs; this includes updating the client components' settings in the console.

3. When the user ran the console for the first time, its language did not correspond to the installer language; instead, system locale was used.

4. An error was displayed when the user removed an account or a contact.

Fix:

Fixed in version 4.2.12.

SoftControl Server

Improvements and new features:

When the database contained a large number of events, the server sometimes did not add the new events.

Fix:

Fixed in version 4.2.12.

SoftControl SysWatch

Improvements and new features:

1. The system report contains the UID of the rule where the control policy has been violated.

2. The recording of the events when the services start and stop is supported.

1. SoftControl SysWatch can work with SoftControl Service Center in real time.

3. The **History** tab of the **Application properties** window now contains a button and displays a message that in order to view the application activity history, the user needs to restart the program as administrator.

4. The SoftControl SysWatch system service can be hidden from the Windows **Services** snap-in (except for Windows XP).

5. Updates in user guides.

Bug fixes:

1. When selecting **Enable dll modules control**, the option was not saved to the configuration file.

2. The system could sometimes hang when adding a file to the profile (for Windows XP).

3. If the user stopped profile gathering and then started it once more, an error was displayed after completion.

4. If SoftControl SysWatch detected viruses during profile gathering, a profile gathering error was displayed.

5. Texts in the installer and in the program are modified.

Fix:

Fixed in version 4.2.12.

SoftControl DLP Client

Improvements and new features:

SoftControl DLP Client can record video by request and on schedule.

Bug fixes:

Fixed operation of the rule masks. SoftControl DLP Client uses the same rule masks as SoftControl SysWatch.

Fix:

Fixed in version 4.2.12.

Customer support

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