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Security Update for SAP Enterprise Portal 5.0

To protect against attacks using malformed URLs, customers running SAP Enterprise Portal 5.0 SP5 Patch 3 are strongly recommended to install SP5 Patch 3 Hotfix 7 or later. For details, see SAP Note 738592.

SAP SI and Security Focus Group Start SAP NetWeaver Security Test Series

SAP SI Competence Center Security and Risk Management in cooperation with the SAP Security Focus Group has developed a set of security test cases built on real customer scenarios for implementing SAP NetWeaver.

The tests focus on integrated scenarios, such as Central User Administration and the User Management Engine, both connected to a central LDAP directory server, or the security paradigms required for Web services in an Enterprise Services Architecture.

Once tests have been completed, the group will provide training, test methodologies, live demonstrations, case studies and other specialized security services at their integration lab in Bensheim, Germany. For more information, write to security-consulting@sap-si.com.

Clearer Interpretation of German Electronic Signature Law by Regulatory Authority (RegTP)

Following a meeting of the technology working group of the Signature Alliance last month, the German Regulatory Authority for Telecommunications and Post has clarified its interpretation of the German Signature Law. In effect, the RegTP no longer insists that signature application components have to be certified according to E2 high, or EAL3. You can find details of this decision on the RegTP Website under www.regtp.de -> Electronic Signature -> FAQ -> Question 20.

Web Services Interoperability Organization Releases New Draft Specification

The Web Services Interoperability Organization (WS-I) has announced the availability of the WS-I Basic Security Profile Working Group Draft. The Basic Security Profile focuses on the interoperability characteristics of two main technologies: HTTP over SSL/TLS and Web Services Security: SOAP Message Security. The WS-I Basic Security Profile Working Group Draft can be reviewed at http://www.ws-i.org/Profiles/BasicSecurityProfile-1.0-2004-05-12.html, and feedback may be submitted to security Profiles/BasicSecurityProfile-1.0-2004-05-12.html, and feedback may be submitted to security Profiles/BasicSecurityProfile-1.0-2004-05-12.html, and feedback may be submitted to security Profiles/BasicSecurityProfile-1.0-2004-05-12.html, and feedback may be submitted to security Profiles/BasicSecurityProfile-1.0-2004-05-12.html, and security Profiles/BasicSecurityProfile-1.0-2004-05-12.html.

Events

For those of you who missed SAPPHIRE in New Orleans last month, or want to share what you learned there with colleagues, you can access all of the presentations online at the SAP community. You can find the recording of security product manager Sarah Maidstone's presentation, "Building a Secure IT Infrastructure with SAP NetWeaver" here

<u>http://www.sap.com/mk/get?_EC=G5UhOJGTtfAW-J9YXp3SrU</u> by searching for the keyword "security". To view the recording, you have to be a registered member of the SAP community.

The agenda for this year's TechEd, to be held in **San Diego October 5 - 8**, and **Munich October 12 - 14**, is starting to take shape. Track overviews and the chance to pre-register are already available at www.sapteched.com, and details of individual sessions will be posted soon. With a whole track dedicated to security and regulatory compliance, it's sure to be well worth the trip.

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