

CN REST - Bug #7301

CN-stage allows connections to a MN that is operating a self-signed SSL server certificate

2015-08-18 18:12 - Mark Servilla

Status:	New	Start date:	2015-08-18
Priority:	Normal	Due date:	
Assignee:		% Done:	0%
Category:		Estimated time:	0.00 hour
Target version:			
Story Points:			
Description			
CN-stage supports connections to a MN that is operating a self-signed SSL server certificate - this should not be allowed since the connection could occur with a rogue non-verified server.			
This instance occurred with dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au:443 on 18 August 2015:			
Certificate chain			
0 s:/CN=dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au			
i:/CN=dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au			
Issuer: CN=dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au			
Validity			
Not Before: Aug 11 04:56:19 2015 GMT			
Not After : Aug 8 04:56:19 2025 GMT			
Subject: CN=dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au			

History

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After restarting d1-processing at approximate 03:30 19 August 2015 GMT, cn-stage began denying connections to dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au:443 (see below). Apparently, the SSL information is either cached or ignored and operations presumably continue without exception. Note that, although a security exception was not thrown, no new content was harvested from dataone-dev.ecoinformatics.org.au:443.

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[ERROR] 2015-08-19 03:30:01,090 (ObjectListHarvestTask:retrieve:251) urn:node:mnTestAEKOS- <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
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class javax.net.ssl.SSLHandshakeException: sun.security.validator.ValidatorException: PKIX path building failed:  
sun.security.provider.certpath.SunCertPathBuilderException: unable to find valid certification path to requested target
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