**Suricata-Update - Optimization #2911**

**Error thrown on re-enabling existing sources**

03/29/2019 05:03 PM - Marcin Kubica

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**Description**

Hi. New user here and really liking Suricata so far.

Re-enabling existing sources should raise info, aprox. warning.

Setting this to error and throwing non-zero exit code is not feasible and requires any automation to ignore it, and might lead to missing real problems.

It also looks ugly :)

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suricata: TASK [suricata : Enable suricata sources] ****************************************
  suricata: Friday 29 March 2019 16:45:05 +0000 (0:00:01.539) 0:00:27.844 ****
suricata: changed: [suricata] => (item=ptresearch/attackdetection)
suricata: failed: [suricata] (item=et/open) => {
suricata:  "changed": true,
suricata:  "cmd": "/usr/bin/suricata-update enable-source et/open",
suricata:  "delta": "0:00:00.218601",
suricata:  "end": "2019-03-29 16:45:06.580351",
suricata:  "item": "et/open",
suricata:  "rc": 1,
suricata:  "start": "2019-03-29 16:45:06.361750"
suricata: }
suricata: STDERR:

2019-03-29 16:45:06,543 - <INFO> - Using Suricata configuration /etc/suricata/suricata.yaml
2019-03-29 16:45:06,543 - <ERROR> - The source et/open is already enabled.
2019-03-29 16:45:06,554 - &lt;INFO&gt; - The source et/open is already enabled.
suricata: 2019-03-29 16:45:06,554 - &lt;ERROR&gt; - The source et/open is already enabled.
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Best!
Marcin

**History**

#1 - 03/30/2019 01:15 AM - Shivani Bhardwaj
- Status changed from New to Feedback

06/12/2020
There is already a PR for this: https://github.com/OISF/suricata-update/pull/93 We're trying to get this in the next release. Hopefully, this would be solved for you with the release of 1.0.5.

#2 - 04/26/2019 06:09 PM - Jason Ish
- Status changed from Feedback to Rejected

Duplicated. Fixed with https://redmine.openinfosecfoundation.org/issues/2728