# Suricata - Feature #734

**Ubuntu PPA should be compiled with unix socket support enabled**

01/24/2013 10:28 PM - Reed Loden

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**Description**

I would really love to start using suricatasc, but the suricata binary in the Ubuntu PPA is not compiled with unix socket support.

Seems like just adding a build dependency on libjansson-dev and runtime dependencies on libjansson4 (for unix socket support) and python-simplejson (for suricatasc) should get it working...

Thanks!

**History**

**#1 - 01/25/2013 02:35 AM - Peter Manev**

very true!

**#2 - 02/17/2013 12:27 PM - Peter Manev**

Feature added.
Ubuntu PPA stable - updated.

**#3 - 03/29/2013 09:52 PM - Reed Loden**

This seems to have been reverted in the 1.4.1 upgrade. :

Would appreciate it being fixed again so I can use suricatasc!

Thanks.

**#4 - 03/29/2013 09:55 PM - Reed Loden**

Also, looks like the next version of suricata will have an --enable-unix-socket option as well, so wonder if you should just go ahead and add that to the configure invocation now. See [https://github.com/inliniac/suricata/pull/332](https://github.com/inliniac/suricata/pull/332)

**#5 - 03/30/2013 03:15 AM - Victor Julien**

It will be re-enabled in 1.4.2. We disabled it because with unix socket enabled PPA package generation failed for a number of Ubuntu versions due to a libjansson library version issue.

**#6 - 10/26/2013 10:21 AM - Victor Julien**

- Target version set to TBD

**#7 - 02/07/2014 09:01 AM - Victor Julien**

Is it enabled in the current PPA?

**#8 - 02/07/2014 09:42 AM - Peter Manev**

Not at the moment.
There was an issue with unix-socket (IIRC that is cleared now). I can try/test re-enabling it in the daily and beta/rc builds?

**#9 - 06/26/2014 02:36 PM - Peter Manev**

- Status changed from New to Closed

Fixed

09/07/2020
#10 - 04/24/2015 04:37 AM - Victor Julien
- Target version deleted (TBD)

#11 - 04/24/2015 04:42 AM - Victor Julien
- Target version set to Packaging/PPA