

WLAN Intrusion Detection Mechanism in Linux Using Data Mining Techniques

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ABSTRACT

With the rapid growth of WLAN and the gradually increase of Linux users, the security of WLAN in Linux system has become an important issue. In this research, we investigate the intrusion detection by analyzing Linux logs on WLAN. First, we develop a highly accurate hierarchical clustering mechanism. It can produce clusters properly, and can determine the normal and abnormal clusters automatically. Using the technique of association rule mining, we can establish intrusion detection rules. Besides association rule mining, we also employ the episode rule mining technology. It is a method to discover the single attack and the multiple serial relationships in each cluster, so that we can find out the intrusion phase and order. Next we construct the rules which determine the normal and abnormal activities into normal and abnormal rule database. In addition, for an increasing system logs, we use the incremental rule mining technology to up-grade the rule database. Use the incremental fuzzy association and episode rules to create a detection of the intrusion activities. This would allow a system administrator to have further understanding of the attack tactics of hackers. In summary, the system we construct is a practical intrusion detection one for Linux-based WLAN, and is suitable for the current system environments.

Keywords : 入侵偵測系統(Intrusion Detection System) , 分群演算法(Clustering Algorithm) , 關聯法則(Association Rules) , 情境法則(Episode Rules) , 無線區域網路(WLAN)

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