Sendmail

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Overview

Sendmail is used on Swivel appliances to send out emails. It is configured through the CMI. Sendmail is used by the following processes:

Audit scripts

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VIP on PINsafe Appliances

Prerequisites

Swivel Hardware or Virtual Appliance SMTP gateway DNS entry for Swivel hostname

Configuring Sendmail

On the CMI select Sendmail Select Configure

Enter the Hostname for the SMTP server

Stop then start Sendmail

Testing

To test Sendmail use from the command line mail <email@domain>. Enter the subject, content, then enter a '.' on a new line, it will them prompt for a CC address, press enter and the email should be sent. Example:

mail support@swivelsecure.com
Subject: test test Ċc:

check the /var/log/maillog for sent email

tail /var/log/maillog

Sample output

Oct 24 14:40:09 single sendmail[27940]: s90De9om027938: to=<support@swivelsecure.com>, ctladdr=<root@gswiveltest.swivelsecure.net> (0/0), de

Known Issues

Troubleshooting

On Swivel hardware and Virtual appliances sendmail emails are logged under /var/log/maillog, to view the logs use;

tail /var/log/maillog

Ensure Sendmail was restarted after configuring it.

Error Messages

Sender address rejected: Domain not found

The source source DNS is not configured correctly, i.e. the Swivbel server needs a DNS record for a reverse DNS lookup.