

OpenSCAP Workshop

Hands-on Labs to explore
Scanning, Reporting, Remediation

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1. What's the latest in the Linux Security Automation space?

a. Government & Commercial Initiatives

b. Formal and Emerging SCAP Standards

2. What tools and content are available today?

a. For enumerating (known) software vulnerabilities

b. For assessing configuration

In the next 2 hours . . .

1. Install and review compliance profiles in RHEL 7
2. Perform and interpret compliance scans, then remediate findings
3. Create custom (derived) configuration baseline with SCAP Workbench
4. RHEL 7 “Easy Button” Installations
5. Introspectively scan Linux containers
6. _____

MOTIVATION

RHEL5 STIG

- 587 compliance items
- Many are manual

Avg Time to Configure & Verify Setting	# controls	Total Time <i>per RHEL instance</i>
1 minute	* 587	9.7 hours
3 minutes	* 587	29.4 hours
5 minutes	* 587	48.9 hours



branch: master

ansible-scap / provision.yml



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Raw Blame History

```
1 ---
2
3 - name: All machines get OpenSCAP scanner installed
4   hosts: all
5   sudo: true
6   roles:
7     - openscap
8   # - harden -- Commented out for demo purposes only
9
10 - name: Install SCAP Security Content (SSG) and GovReady on 'dashboard'
11   hosts: dashboard
12   roles:
13     - scap-security-guide
14     - govready
```

... or a single LOC in kickstart

```
$ oscap xccdf eval  
--profile rhel7-stig  
--remediate  
--report /root/scan-report.html  
/usr/share/xml/scap/content.xml
```

Compliance and Scoring

The target system did not satisfy conditions of 13 rules! Please review rule results and consider applying remediation.

Rule result breakdown



Failed rules by severity breakdown



Score

Scoring system	Score	Maximum	%
urn:xccdf:scoring:default	93.626541	100.000000	93.63%

Intro to SCAP

First, an SCAP Primer

- A family of specifications managed by NIST
- Really a bunch of XML schema
 - which are data formats
 - so not a protocol at all, it turns out
 - openly defined, community developed, and *evolving*

First, an SCAP Primer

- Defines standardized formats
- Because you'll get:
 - Standardized inputs (e.g. a compliance baseline)
 - Standardized outputs (e.g. compliance report)
- Provides the enterprise liberty with regard to product choices
 - Avoid vendor lock-in
 - Federal procurement language starting to require SCAP

TOOLS

VS

CONTENT

U.S. Gov SCAP Validation Program

<https://scap.nist.gov/validation/>

- Automated test suites to verify interpreters, like OpenSCAP
- Mandated by US Gov:

The U.S. Office of Management and Budget has required, **in the August 11, 2008, [M-08-22 memorandum to Federal CIOs](#)**, that "Both industry and government information technology providers must use SCAP validated tools with FDCC Scanner capability to certify their products operate correctly with FDCC configurations and do not alter FDCC settings. Agencies will use SCAP tools to scan for both FDCC configurations and configuration deviations approved by department or agency accrediting authority. **Agencies must also use these tools when monitoring use of these configurations as part of FISMA continuous monitoring.**"
- Required by GSA for vulnerability and configuration management products

U.S. Gov SCAP Validation Program

Also covers content (reference: [NIST SP 800-70](#))

Tier	Machine Readable?	Automated Format?	References to Security Compliance Framework?
1	No	N/A	Optional
2	Yes	Non-standard (proprietary, product-specific, etc)	Optional
3	Yes	Complete SCAP-expressed checklist that should run in SCAP-enabled products and pass through SCAPVal with no errors	Optional
4	Yes	Tier III + Includes low-level security enumerations that map to high-level security requirements (e.g. SP 800-53 controls)	Required; must be vetted with at least one governance organization authoritative for the security compliance framework.

ACRONYM BREAKDOWN

CHECKLIST
LANGUAGE

CHECK INSTRUCTION
LANGUAGES

ENUMERATIONS

RISK MEASUREMENT

CHECKLIST
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XCCDF

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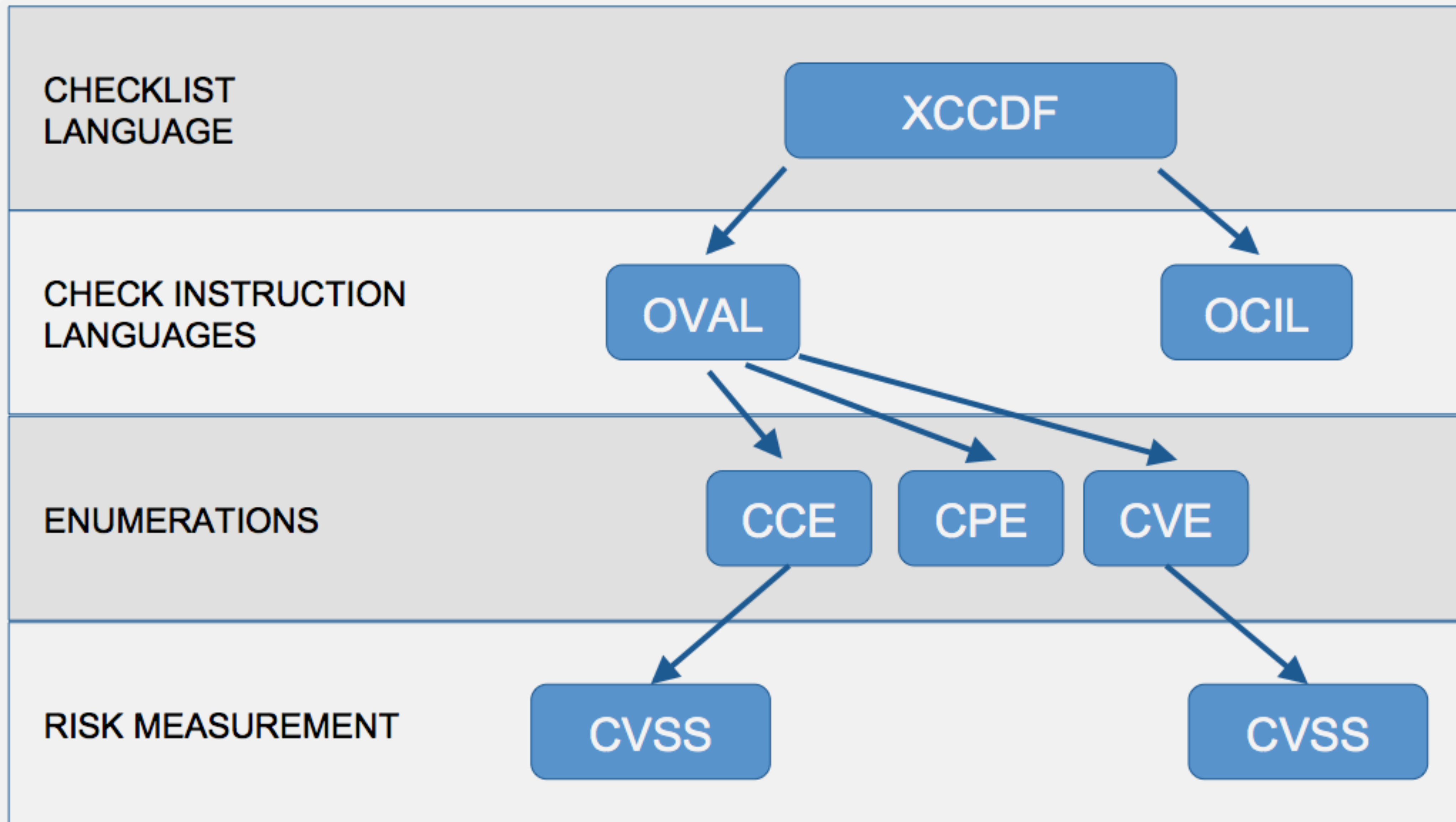
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RISK MEASUREMENT

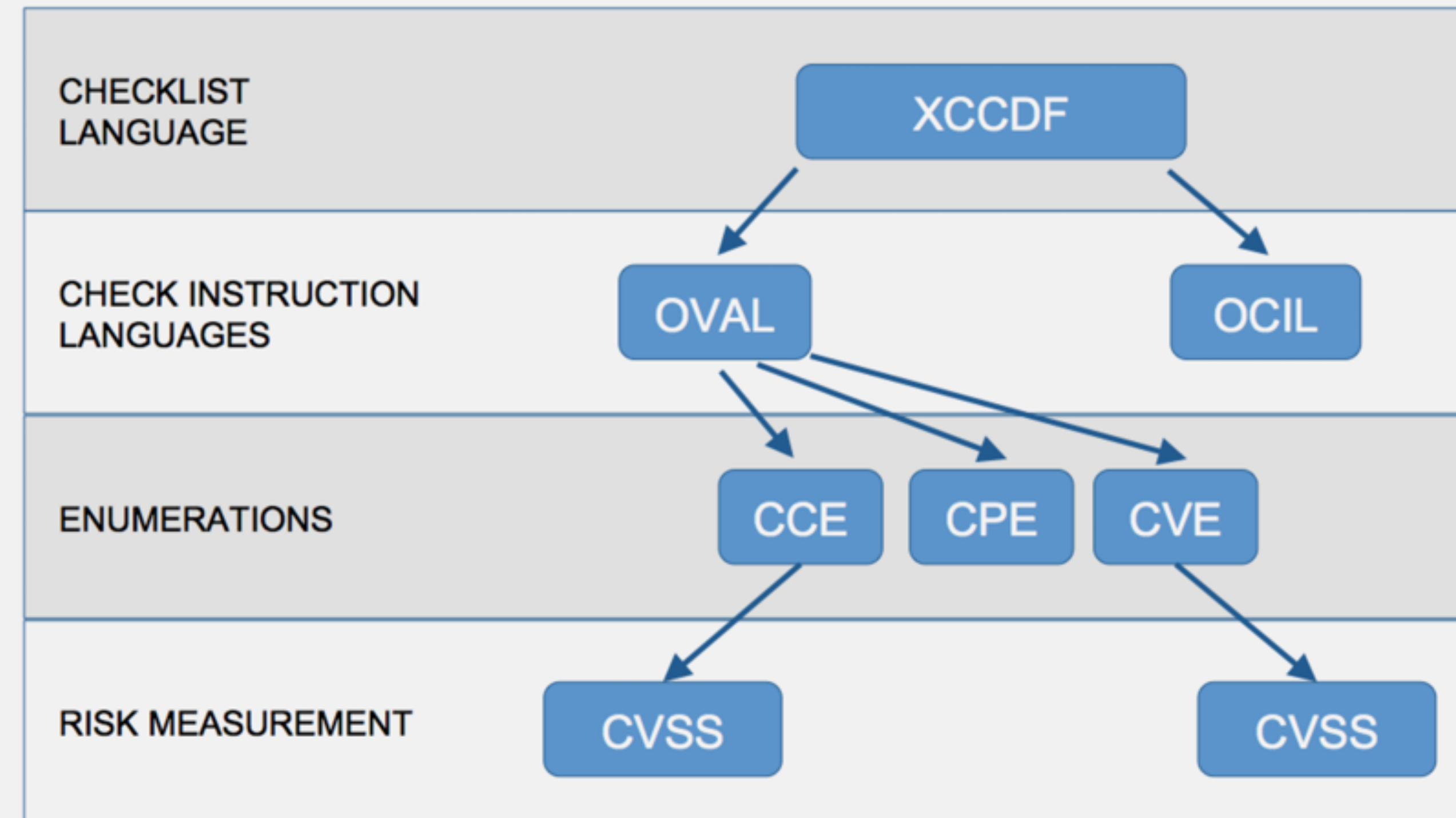
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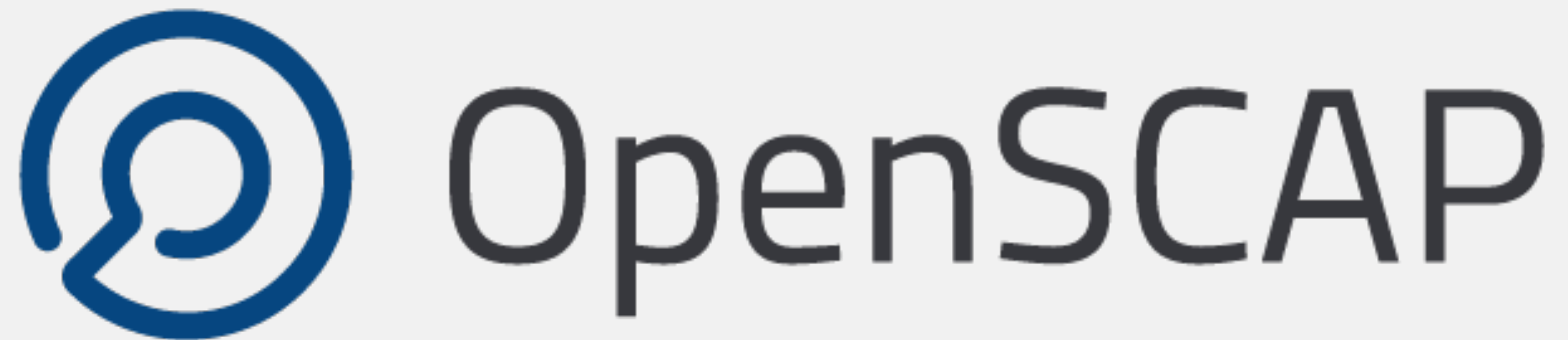


Pop Quiz!

1. What assurances do I have that CVSS scores are accurate?
2. Who assigns CCEs?
3. Who reviews the CCE to NIST mappings?



**OPEN SOURCE
CONFRONTS THE C&A CHALLENGE:
OpenSCAP**



Community created *portfolio* of tools and content to assess systems for known vulnerabilities.

<https://github.com/OpenSCAP>

2008

First commit to OpenSCAP, execution capability for SCAP on Linux



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commit 768d2d13c7b95736738ce2a48db7f2e528c161fe  
Author: Peter Vrabec <pvrabec@vrabco.englab.brq.redhat.com>  
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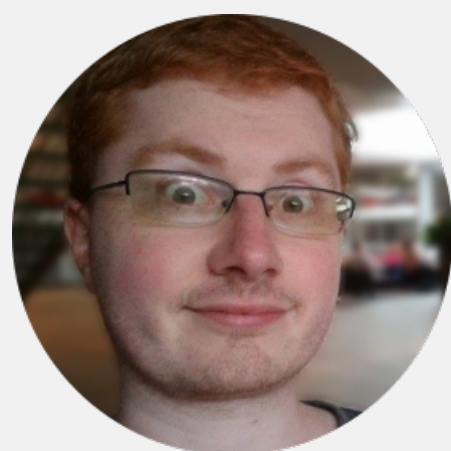
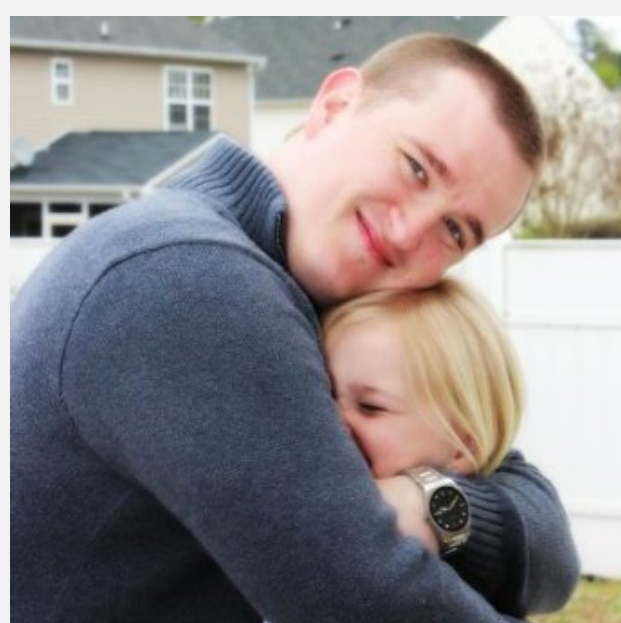
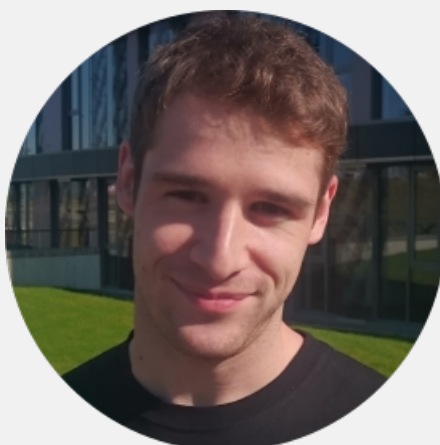
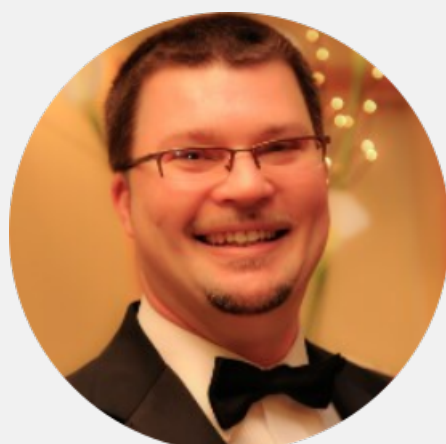
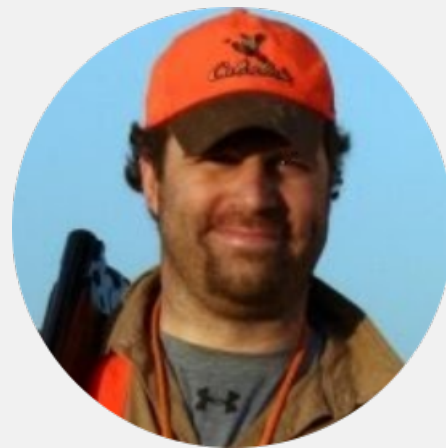
Initial commit

2011

First commit to SCAP Security Guide,
hardening guidance + policy references
Colloquially, “SCAP Content”

```
commit 540a78f26191a69651a167d256b5af47fd3eb983
Author: Jeff Blank <blank@eclipse.ncsc.mil>
Date:   Wed Jun 8 18:45:05 2011 -0400
```

added a README



Power of the Community

- RHEL7 STIG content, rebased in RHEL 7.3, reflects . . .
 - 6,180 commits from 95 people
 - 441,055 lines of code
- OpenSCAP interpreter contains . . .
 - 6,811 commits from 74 people
 - 157,775 lines of code
- “Security Button” in RHEL7 installer
 - 6 people, 90 days, 6,806 lines of code



SCAP
SECURITY GUIDE



SCAP
WORKBENCH



Foreman
OpenSCAP



Ruby Gem
OpenSCAP



Puppet
OpenSCAP



SCAPtimony

Keyboard Time!

Step 1: Download SSH keys

<http://studentX.labs.redhatgov.io>

Step 2: Login

```
$ ssh -i <key> ec2-user@studentX.labs.redhatgov.io
```

Step 3: Sudo to root

```
$ sudo bash
```

#1: INSTALL, REVIEW PROFILES

Install OpenSCAP and SCAP Content

```
$ sudo yum -y install openscap-scanner scap-security-guide
```

What default profiles exist?

```
$ oscap info /usr/share/xml/scap/ssg/content/ssg-rhel7-xccdf.xml
```

... •

Profiles:

pci-dss

rht-ccp

common

stig-rhel7-server-upstream

(p.s., we're changing that super long /usr/share/xml/... path in rhel 7.4)

#2: REVIEW HARDENING GUIDES

Review manpage

```
$ man scap-security-guide
```

Pop Quiz: Where are the files for the HTML guides located?

For the workshop:

<http://studentX.labs.redhatgov.io> → click on “SSG Docs”

we copied the files for easy viewing

#3: REVIEW POLICY MAPPINGS

In preparing for the workshop, I noticed we did not document the policy mapping tables in the man page. Fixing that for next RHEL release.

So for now, they're located under
`/usr/share/doc/scap-security-guide/tables`

For the workshop:

<http://studentX.labs.redhatgov.io> → click on “SSG Docs” → tables

View the “table-rhel7-nistrefs-ospp.html”

#4: LOCAL SCAN, REVIEW RESULTS

Perform Scan

```
$ sudo bash
# oscap xccdf eval \
--profile rhs-ccp \
--results /var/www/html/scans/myscan-results.xml \
--report /var/www/html/scans/myscan-report.html \
/usr/share/xml/scap/ssg/content/ssg-rhel7-xccdf.xml
```

Review Results

<http://studentX.labs.redhatgov.io/> → “Scan Results”

Select “myscan-report.html”

Quick Review

1. If we forget the OpenSCAP CLI syntax, where can we look for a reminder?
2. How do I tell what profiles are available?
 - a) What if I want to read through the profile prior to a scan?
 - b) Help! My security officer is asking for NIST 800-53 and DISA STIG mappings! Where are they?

Request for Feedback

Next rebase of OpenSCAP and SCAP Security Guide will be in RHEL 7.4.

What additional paperwork can we ship to help make accreditation easier?

Remediation!

Bash first

```
<fix system="urn:xccdf:fix:script:ansible">
```

```
- name: Update file permissions on /var/www/
```

```
  become: yes
```

```
  command: chmod -R 755 /var/www/
```

```
</fix>
```

RHEL 7.3 + beyond

Now has support for Ansible, but limited content.

But we can show our upstream work
(estimated RHEL 7.4 release)

#5: Review Remediation

- Where do we find available profile IDs?
(hint: `oscap info`)

- Extract DoD STIG Remediations for review

```
$ oscap xccdf generate fix \  
--template urn:xccdf:fix:script:sh \  
--profile <<profile ID>> \  
--output /var/www/html/scans/remediation.sh.txt \  
/usr/share/xml/scap/ssg/content/ssg-rhel7-ds.xml  
$ chmod 0755 /var/www/html/scans/remediation.sh.txt
```

Review Results

<http://studentX.labs.redhatgov.io/> → “Scan Results” → remediation.sh.txt

“Online Remediation”

```
$ sudo bash  
# oscap xccdf eval --remediate \  
--profile <<your profile>>  
--results scan-results.xml \  
--report scan-report.html \  
<<SCAP content >>
```

#6: STIG your VM

- **Ensure you're root**

```
$ sudo bash
```

- **The profile ID is obtuse. 'oscap info' to give you something to copy/paste**

```
# oscap info /usr/share/xml/scap/ssg/content/ssg-rhel7-ds.xml
```

- **Here's hoping for no bugs!**

```
# oscap xccdf eval --remediate \  
--profile <<STIG>> \  
--results /var/www/html/scans/stig-results.xml \  
--report /var/www/html/scans/stig-report.html \  
/usr/share/xml/scap/ssg/content/ssg-rhel7-ds.xml
```

SCAP WORKBENCH DEMO

Download SCAP Workbench

```
$ sudo yum -y install scap-workbench
```

For extra details, <https://www.open-scap.org/tools/scap-workbench/>

We're done!

Thank you!