

[HPADM] FW: Summary – root console access (hp-ux) – UPDATE

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To: <hpux-admin@dutchworks.nl>

Thanks to Mark and Roger.

There's a workaround:

I just had this problem last night and made this discovery. If I do have a special character in the passwd, put a backslash in front of that character when entering the passwd. Worked for me (and then changed to password to get rid of it.)

Mark

If you have a special char in your passwd, depending on the terminal, you'll need to backslash-escape it (i.e. put a "\" in front of the special char).

–Roger

-----Original Message-----

From: hpux-admin-owner@DutchWorks.nl

[mailto:hpux-admin-owner@DutchWorks.nl]On Behalf Of Kazakin, Leon

Sent: Tuesday, April 20, 2004 9:22 AM

To: hpux-admin@DutchWorks.nl

Subject: [HPADM] Summary – root console access (hp-ux)

Dear list,

Everybody kept telling me about /etc/securityty.

The problem was pegged by Anil (thank you!).

I had '@' in the passwd. Changing passwd to plain text made login on the console possible.

Thanks all,

Leon

-----Original Message-----

From: Anil <snip>

Sent: Tuesday, April 20, 2004 8:42 AM

HP-UX-Admin: [HPADM] FW: Summary – root console access (hp-ux) – UPDATE

Subject: Re: [HPADM] root console access

Do you have special chars (like @,#) in your password?
If yes, it wont work. Change the password and try. If
your password length is more than 8 chars, enter first
8 chars only.

Anil

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> All,
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> I cannot login directly as root to console. I can
> login using regular (non-root) account and then su
> to root.
> It's the same with telnet connection. I'd like to
> enable direct root access to the console, but how?
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> in /etc/securetty I have :
> console
>
> It's hp-ux 11.0 L-class with HP Secure Web Console:
>
> Global version: A1.9
> Software version: A.01.09.001
> Boot version: A.01.09.001
> Resources version: A.01.09.001
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