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Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'failsafe_context.5' command

\$ man failsafe_context.5

failsafe_context(5) SELinux configuration failsafe_context(5)

NAME

failsafe_context - The SELinux fail safe context configuration file

DESCRIPTION

The failsafe_context file allows SELinux-aware applications such as PAM(8) to obtain a known valid login context for an administrator if no valid default entries can be found elsewhere.

selinux_failsafe_context_path(3) will return the active policy path to this file. The default failsafe context file is:

/etc/selinux/{SELINUXTYPE}/contexts/failsafe_context

Where {SELINUXTYPE} is the entry from the selinux configuration file config (see selinux_config(5)).

The following functions read this file from the active policy path if they cannot obtain a default context:

```
get_default_context(3)
get_ordered_context_list(3)
get_ordered_context_list_with_level(3)
get_default_context_with_level(3)
get_default_context_with_role(3)
get_default_context_with_rolelevel(3)
query_user_context(3)
manual_user_enter_context(3)
```

The file consists of a single line entry as follows:

`role:type[:range]`

Where:

`role type range`

A role, type and optional range (for MCS/MLS), separated by colons (:) to form a valid login process context for an administrator to access the system.

EXAMPLE

```
# ./contexts/failsafe_context  
unconfined_r:unconfined_t:s0
```

SEE ALSO

`selinux(8)`, `selinux_failsafe_context_path(3)`, `PAM(8)`,
`selinux_default_type_path(3)`, `get_default_context(3)`,
`get_ordered_context_list(3)`, `get_ordered_context_list_with_level(3)`,
`get_default_context_with_level(3)`, `get_default_context_with_role(3)`,
`get_default_context_with_rolelevel(3)`, `query_user_context(3)`,
`manual_user_enter_context(3)`, `selinux_config(5)`