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NAME

mod_security - Security Audit and Trailing Functionality

DESCRIPTION

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EXPORTS

```
block_user(User, Port, Dir, Seconds) -> true | {error, Reason}
block_user(User, Address, Port, Dir, Seconds) -> true | {error, Reason}
```

Types:

```
User = string()
Port = integer()
Address = {A,B,C,D} | string() | undefined
Dir = string()
Seconds = integer() | infinity
Reason = no_such_directory
```

block_user/4 and block_user/5 each blocks the user User from directory Dir for a specified amount of time.

```
list_auth_users(Port) -> Users | []
list_auth_users(Address, Port) -> Users | []
list_auth_users(Port, Dir) -> Users | []
list_auth_users(Address, Port, Dir) -> Users | []
```

Types:

```
Port = integer()
Address = {A,B,C,D} | string() | undefined
Dir = string()
Users = list() = [string()]
```

list_auth_users/1, *list_auth_users/2*, and *list_auth_users/3* each returns a list of users that are currently authenticated. Authentications are stored for *SecurityAuthTimeout* seconds, and then discarded.

```
list_blocked_users(Port) -> Users | []
list_blocked_users(Address, Port) -> Users | []
list_blocked_users(Port, Dir) -> Users | []
list_blocked_users(Address, Port, Dir) -> Users | []
```

Types:

```
Port = integer()
Address = {A,B,C,D} | string() | undefined
Dir = string()
Users = list() = [string()]
```

list_blocked_users/1, *list_blocked_users/2*, and *list_blocked_users/3* each returns a list of users that are currently blocked from access.

```
unblock_user(User, Port) -> true | {error, Reason}
unblock_user(User, Address, Port) -> true | {error, Reason}
unblock_user(User, Port, Dir) -> true | {error, Reason}
unblock_user(User, Address, Port, Dir) -> true | {error, Reason}

Types:

User = string()
Port = integer()
```

 $Address = \{A,B,C,D\} \mid string() \mid undefined$



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```
Dir = string()
Reason = term()
```

unblock_user/2, *unblock_user/3*, and *unblock_user/4* each removes the user *User* from the list of blocked users for *Port* (and *Dir*).

SECURITYCALLBACKMODULE

The SecurityCallbackModule is a user-written module that can receive events from the mod_security Erlang web server API module. This module only exports the functions event/[4,5] which are described here.

EXPORTS

```
Module:event(What, Port, Dir, Data) -> ignored
Module:event(What, Address, Port, Dir, Data) -> ignored
```

Types:

```
What = atom()
Port = integer()
Address = {A,B,C,D} | string() <v>Dir = string()
Data = [Info]
Info = {Name, Value}
```

event/4 or event/5 is called whenever an event occurs in the mod_security Erlang web server API module. (event/4 is called if Address is undefined, otherwise event/5. Argument What specifies the type of event that has occurred and is one of the following reasons:

```
auth_fail:
    A failed user authentication.
user_block:
    A user is being blocked from access.
user_unblock:
    A user is being removed from the block list.
```

Note:

The event *user_unblock* is not triggered when a user is removed from the block list explicitly using the *unblock_user* function.

