Tails - Bug #16744
Remove useless pre-generated Pidgin accounts
05/23/2019 08:14 AM - anonym

Status: Resolved
Priority: Normal
Assignee: intrigeri
Category:
Target version: Tails_3.16
Feature Branch: bugfix/16744-remove-useless-pidgin-accounts+force-all-tests
Type of work: Code
Blueprint:

Description
Which I guess was missed when we removed I2P?

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Related issues:
Blocks Tails - Feature #16209: Core work: Foundations Team

Associated revisions
Revision 6a198e7a - 07/14/2019 11:07 AM - segfault
Remove pre-generated Pidgin accounts (refs: #16744)

Revision 7324a1ab - 07/30/2019 10:32 PM - intrigeri
Merge remote-tracking branch 'origin/bugfix/16744-remove-useless-pidgin-accounts+force-all-tests' into stable
Fix-committed: #16744

History
#1 - 05/23/2019 08:14 AM - anonym
- Related to Feature #16209: Core work: Foundations Team added

#2 - 05/23/2019 08:14 AM - anonym
- Related to deleted (Feature #16209: Core work: Foundations Team)

#3 - 05/23/2019 08:14 AM - anonym
- Blocks Feature #16209: Core work: Foundations Team added

#4 - 05/23/2019 08:24 AM - intrigeri

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Indeed (XXX_NICK_XXX@127.0.0.1 did not match the grep we did back then). And even if/when we re-add I2P support, I think this pre-generated account brings little value and won't need to come back.

Related, we still pre-generate an OFTC account as well, which seems useless given we have no presence there any more.
I say let's remove it too and then we can remove quite some code that's only there due to generating these accounts.

#5 - 07/14/2019 11:08 AM - segfault
- Assignee set to segfault
- Feature Branch set to bugfix/16744-remove-useless-pidgin-accounts

#6 - 07/14/2019 11:08 AM - segfault
- Status changed from Confirmed to In Progress

Applied in changeset tails/6a198e7a112de0aac139929b5ce216e2f9cebb27.

#7 - 07/14/2019 11:12 AM - segfault
Removed all code I found related to the pre-generated Pidgin accounts. Let's see if the test suite passes on Jenkins.

Btw, didn't we also have pre-generated XMPP accounts once? Why don't we have those anymore?

#8 - 07/14/2019 11:13 AM - segfault
- Subject changed from Pidgin still has a pre-generated I2P account to Remove useless pre-generated Pidgin accounts

#9 - 07/14/2019 12:46 PM - intrigeri

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#10 - 07/14/2019 01:11 PM - segfault
- Feature Branch changed from bugfix/16744-remove-useless-pidgin-accounts to bugfix/16744-remove-useless-pidgin-accounts+force-all-tests
intrigeri wrote:

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OK, then I had a wrong memory.

#11 - 07/14/2019 01:11 PM - segfault
Built and booted locally, accounts are gone and Pidgin runs without errors. Waiting for test results from Jenkins.

#12 - 07/15/2019 11:10 PM - segfault
- Status changed from In Progress to Needs Validation
- Assignee deleted (segfault)

The failed test scenarios are unrelated to Pidgin (https://jenkins.tails.boum.org/job/test_Tails_ISO_bugfix-16744-remove-useless-pidgin-accounts-force-all-tests/2/cucumberTestReport/).

#13 - 07/30/2019 10:31 PM - intrigeri
- Assignee set to intrigeri
#14 - 07/30/2019 10:35 PM - intrigeri
- Target version set to Tails_3.16

Code review passes, will now test.

#15 - 07/30/2019 11:24 PM - intrigeri
- Status changed from Needs Validation to 11
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset tails|7324a1ab4cf198d87008ac911a997ad2193c3213.

#16 - 09/05/2019 12:03 AM - CyrilBrulebois
- Status changed from 11 to Resolved