

**NAME**

pam\_permit – The promiscuous module

**SYNOPSIS**

**pam\_permit.so**

**DESCRIPTION**

pam\_permit is a PAM module that always permit access. It does nothing else.

In the case of authentication, the user's name will be set to *nobody* if the application didn't set one. Many applications and PAM modules become confused if this name is unknown.

This module is very dangerous. It should be used with extreme caution.

**OPTIONS**

This module does not recognise any options.

**MODULE TYPES PROVIDED**

The **auth**, **account**, **password** and **session** module types are provided.

**RETURN VALUES**

PAM\_SUCCESS

This module always returns this value.

**EXAMPLES**

Add this line to your other login entries to disable account management, but continue to permit users to log in.

```
account required pam_permit.so
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**SEE ALSO**

**pam.conf(5)**, **pam.d(5)**, **pam(7)**

**AUTHOR**

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