NAME
pam_securetty - SecureTTY PAM module

SYNOPSIS
[*service-name*] *module-type control-flag pam_securetty* [*options*]

DESCRIPTION
The SecureTTY service module for PAM, **pam_securetty** provides functionality for only one PAM category: account management. In terms of the *module-type* parameter, this is the "account" feature. It also provides null functions for authentication and session management.

SecureTTY Account Management Module
The SecureTTY account management component (**pam_sm_acct_mgmt**()), returns failure if the user is attempting to authenticate as superuser, and the process is attached to an insecure TTY. In all other cases, the module returns success.

A TTY is considered secure if it is listed in */etc/ttys* and has the TTY_SECURE flag set.

The following options may be passed to the authentication module:

debug   syslog(3) debugging information at LOG_DEBUG level.

no_warn suppress warning messages to the user. These messages include reasons why the user's authentication attempt was declined.

SEE ALSO
getttynam(3), syslog(3), pam.conf(5), ttys(5), pam(3)