

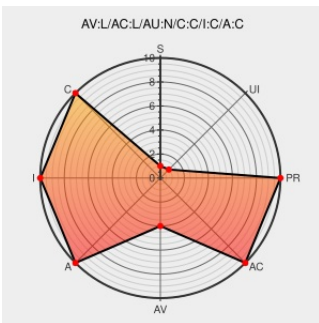


CVE-1999-1095

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Certain versions of [Linux](#) from [Redhat](#) contain the following vulnerability:

sort creates temporary files and follows symbolic links, which allows local users to modify arbitrary files that are writable by the user running sort, as observed in updatedb and other programs that use sort.

CVE-1999-1095 has been assigned by [M](#) cve@mitre.org to track the vulnerability

CVSS2 Score: **7.2 - HIGH**

Access
Vector

Access
Complexity

Authentication

LOCAL

LOW

NONE

Confidentiality
Impact

Integrity
Impact

Availability
Impact

COMPLETE

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Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Redhat	Linux	4.1	All	All	All
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Operating System	Slackware	Slackware Linux	3.3	All	All	All
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cpe:2.3:o:redhat:linux:4.1:*****:						
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