



CVE-2004-1808

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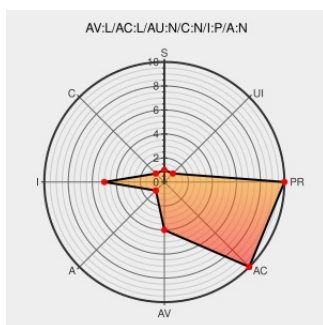
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Certain versions of [Metamail](#) from [Metamail Corporation](#) contain the following vulnerability:

Extcompose in metamail does not verify the output file before writing to it, which allows local users to overwrite arbitrary files via a symlink attack.

CVE-2004-1808 has been assigned by [M](#) cve@mitre.org to track the vulnerability

CVSS2 Score: **2.1 - LOW**

Access
Vector

LOCAL

Access
Complexity

LOW

Authentication

NONE

Confidentiality
Impact

NONE

Integrity
Impact

PARTIAL

Availability
Impact

NONE

CVE References

Description

Tags

Link

IBM X-Force Exchange

[exchange.xforce.ibmcloud.com](https://exchange.xforce.ibmcloud.com/text/html)
[text/html](#)

[XF metamail-extcompose-symlink\(15460\)](#)

'Metamail 'extcompose' script Symlink
Vulnerability' - MARC

[marc.info](https://marc.info/text/html)
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Metamail Extcompose Program Symlink
Vulnerability

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Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Metamail Corporation	Metamail	2.7	All	All	All
Application	Metamail Corporation	Metamail	2.7	All	All	All
cpe:2.3:a:metamail_corporation:metamail:2.7:*:*:*:*:*:						
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