

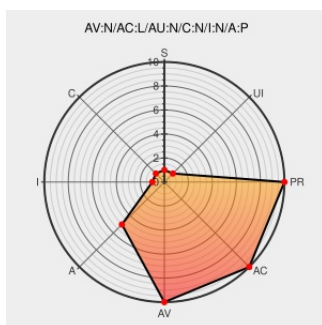


# CVE-2007-3998

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## CVE-2007-3998

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

The wordwrap function in PHP 4 before 4.4.8, and PHP 5 before 5.2.4, does not properly use the breakcharlen variable, which allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service (divide-by-zero error and application crash, or infinite loop) via certain arguments, as demonstrated by a 'chr(0), 0, ""' argument set.

CVE-2007-3998 has been assigned by [M](#) cve@mitre.org to track the vulnerability

CVSS2 Score: **5 - MEDIUM**

Access  
Vector

**NETWORK**

Access  
Complexity

**LOW**

Authentication

**NONE**

Confidentiality  
Impact

**NONE**

Integrity  
Impact

**NONE**

Availability  
Impact

**PARTIAL**

## CVE References

Description

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| Operating System | Canonical | Ubuntu Linux | 6.06    | All    | All     | All      |
| Operating System | Canonical | Ubuntu Linux | 6.10    | All    | All     | All      |
| Operating System | Canonical | Ubuntu Linux | 7.04    | All    | All     | All      |
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| Operating System | Canonical | Ubuntu Linux | 6.06    | All    | All     | All      |
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| Operating System | Canonical | Ubuntu Linux | 7.04    | All    | All     | All      |
| Operating System | Canonical | Ubuntu Linux | 7.10    | All    | All     | All      |
| Operating System | Debian    | Debian Linux | 3.1     | All    | All     | All      |
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| Application      | Php       | Php          | All     | All    | All     | All      |
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