



# CVE-2008-1901

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## Summary

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| <b>CVE</b>             | CVE-2008-1901                                                                                                                   |
| <b>State</b>           | PUBLIC                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Assigner</b>        | cve@mitre.org                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Source Priority</b> | CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback                                                                                    |
| <b>Published</b>       | 2008-04-22 04:41:00 UTC                                                                                                         |
| <b>Updated</b>         | 2017-08-08 01:30:00 UTC                                                                                                         |
| <b>Description</b>     | aptlinex before 0.91 allows local users to overwrite arbitrary files via a symlink attack on the gambas-apt.lock temporary file |

## Risk And Classification

### Problem Types: CWE-59

## NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

| Type        | Vendor                 | Product                  | Version | Update | Edition | Language |
|-------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.6-1   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.7-1   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.8-1   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.8-2   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.9-1   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.6-1   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.7-1   | All    | All     | All      |
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| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.8-2   | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | <a href="#">Debian</a> | <a href="#">Aptlinex</a> | 0.9-1   | All    | All     | All      |

## References

| Reference                                                                               | Source  | Link                                                                            | Tag |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| #476588 - possible symlink attack and arbitrary code execution - Debian Bug report logs | CONFIRM | <a href="https://bugs.debian.org">bugs.debian.org</a>                           |     |
| IBM X-Force Exchange                                                                    | XF      | <a href="https://exchange.xforce.ibmcloud.com">exchange.xforce.ibmcloud.com</a> |     |
| CVE Program record                                                                      | CVE.ORG | <a href="https://www.cve.org">www.cve.org</a>                                   | can |
| NVD vulnerability detail                                                                | NVD     | <a href="https://nvd.nist.gov">nvd.nist.gov</a>                                 | can |

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

There are currently no legacy QID mappings associated with this CVE.

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