



CVE-2008-4474

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Summary

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State	PUBLIC
Assigner	cve@mitre.org
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
Published	2008-10-07 21:11:00 UTC
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Description	freeradius-dialupadmin in freeradius 2.0.4 allows local users to overwrite arbitrary files via a symlink attack on temporary file

Risk And Classification

Problem Types: CWE-59

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Freeradius	Freeradius	2.0.4	All	All	All
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References

Reference	Source	Link
235770 – (debian-tempfile) [Tracker] Tempfile issues found in Debian	CONFIRM	bugs.ge
404 Not Found	CONFIRM	dev.ger
FreeRADIUS "dialup_admin" Insecure Temporary Files - Secunia Advisories - Vulnerability Intelligence - Secunia.com	SECUNIA	secunia
uvw.ru/report.lenny.txt	MISC	uvw.ru
FreeRADIUS Dialup Admin Insecure Temporary File Creation Vulnerabilities	BID	www.se
#496389 - The possibility of attack with the help of symlinks in some Debian packages - Debian Bug report logs	CONFIRM	bugs.de
SUSE update for freeradius - Secunia Advisories - Vulnerability Intelligence - Secunia.com	SECUNIA	secunia
oss-security - CVE requests: tempfile issues for aview, mgetty, openoffice, crossfire	MLIST	www.op
[security-announce] SUSE Security Summary Report: SUSE-SR:2008:028	SUSE	lists.op
Possible mass bug filing: The possibility of attack with the help of symlinks in some Debian packages	MLIST	lists.del
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www.cv
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	nvd.nist

Vendor Comments And Credit			
Organization	Published	Contributor	Statement
Red Hat	2009-02-06	Tomas Hoger	Not vulnerable. This issue did not affect the versions of freeradius as shipped with Red Hat Ent
There are currently no legacy QID mappings associated with this CVE.			

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