



CVE-2008-5015

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Summary

CVE	CVE-2008-5015
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	redhat
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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Description	Mozilla Firefox 3.x before 3.0.4 assigns chrome privileges to a file: URI when it is accessed in the same tab from a chrome

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v2.0 5.1 from nvd@nist.gov

AV:N/AC:H/Au:N/C:P/I:P/A:P

Problem Types: CWE-94 | n/a

CVSS v2.0 Breakdown

Access Vector

Network

Access Complexity

High

Authentication

None

Confidentiality

Partial

Integrity

Partial

Availability

Partial

AV:N/AC:H/Au:N/C:P/I:P/A:P

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Mozilla	Firefox	3.0	All	All	All

Application	Mozilla	Firefox	3.0	alpha	All	All
Application	Mozilla	Firefox	3.0	beta2	All	All
Application	Mozilla	Firefox	3.0	beta5	All	All
Application	Mozilla	Firefox	3.0.1	All	All	All
Application	Mozilla	Firefox	3.0.2	All	All	All
Application	Mozilla	Firefox	All	All	All	All

Vendor Declared Affected Products

Source	Vendor	Product	Version	Platforms
CNA	Na	N/a	affected n/a	Not specified

References

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USN-667-1: Firefox and xulrunner vulnerabilities Ubuntu	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

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

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