



CVE-2008-5427

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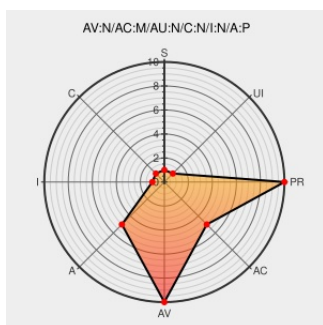
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Certain versions of [Norton Internet Security 2008](#) from [Symantec](#) contain the following vulnerability:

Norton Antivirus in Norton Internet Security 15.5.0.23 does not properly handle (1) multipart/mixed e-mail messages with many MIME parts and possibly (2) e-mail messages with many "Content-type: message/rfc822;" headers, which allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service (stack consumption or other resource consumption) via a large e-mail message, a related issue to CVE-2006-1173.

CVE-2008-5427 has been assigned by [M](#) cve@mitre.org to track the vulnerability

CVSS2 Score: **4.3 - MEDIUM**

Access Vector

NETWORK

Access Complexity

MEDIUM

Authentication

NONE

Confidentiality Impact

NONE

Integrity Impact

NONE

Availability Impact

PARTIAL

CVE References

Description

Tags

Link

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There are currently no QIDs associated with this CVE

Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Symantec	Norton Internet Security 2008	15.5.0.23	All	All	All
Application	Symantec	Norton Internet Security 2008	15.5.0.23	All	All	All
cpe:2.3:a:symantec:norton_internet_security_2008:15.5.0.23:*****:						
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