

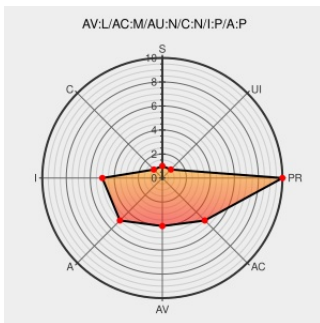


CVE-2012-2120

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Certain versions of [Texlive-extra-utils](#) from [Debian](#) contain the following vulnerability:

latex2man in texlive-extra-utils 2011.20120322, and possibly other versions or packages, when used with the H or T option, allows local users to overwrite arbitrary files via a symlink attack on a temporary file.

CVE-2012-2120 has been assigned by secalert@redhat.com to track the vulnerability

CVSS2 Score: **3.3 - LOW**

Access
Vector

LOCAL

Access
Complexity

MEDIUM

Authentication

NONE

Confidentiality
Impact

NONE

Integrity
Impact

PARTIAL

Availability
Impact

PARTIAL

CVE References

Description

Tags

Link

oss-security - CVE request: latex2man / texlive

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#668779 - /usr/bin/latex2man: latex2man: predictable /tmp filenames - Debian Bug report logs

[bugs.debian.org
text/html](http://bugs.debian.org/text/html)

[MISC bugs.debian.org/cgi-bin/bugreport.cgi?bug=668779](http://bugs.debian.org/cgi-bin/bugreport.cgi?bug=668779)

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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	Debian	Texlive-extra-utils	2011.20120322	All	All	All
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cpe:2.3:a:debian:texlive-extra-utils:2011.20120322:*:*:*:*:*:						
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No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE

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