



CVE-2012-5703

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Summary

CVE	CVE-2012-5703
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	mitre
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
Published	2012-11-20 05:52:02 UTC
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Description	The vSphere API in VMware ESXi 4.1 and ESX 4.1 allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service (host daemon crash) by sending a crafted request to the vSphere API.

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v2.0 5 from nvd@nist.gov

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

Problem Types: CWE-20 | n/a

CVSS v2.0 Breakdown

Access Vector

Network

Access Complexity

Low

Authentication

None

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

None

Availability

Partial

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

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Vmware	Esx	4.1	All	All	All

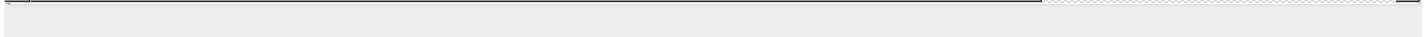
Operating System	Vmware	Esxi	4.1	All	All	All
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Vendor Declared Affected Products

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

References

Reference	Source	Link
VMware ESX/ESXi vSphere API Bug Lets Remote Users Deny Service - SecurityTracker	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	www
VMSA-2012-0016	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	www
VMware ESXi and ESX vSphere API Remote Denial of Service Vulnerability	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	www
Core Security Technologies	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	www
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	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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