



# CVE-2015-5623

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## Summary

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| <b>CVE</b>             | CVE-2015-5623                                                                                                              |
| <b>State</b>           | PUBLIC                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Assigner</b>        | cve@mitre.org                                                                                                              |
| <b>Source Priority</b> | CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback                                                                               |
| <b>Published</b>       | 2015-08-03 14:59:00 UTC                                                                                                    |
| <b>Updated</b>         | 2017-09-21 01:29:00 UTC                                                                                                    |
| <b>Description</b>     | WordPress before 4.2.3 does not properly verify the edit_posts capability, which allows remote authenticated users to bypa |

## Risk And Classification

### Problem Types: CWE-284

## NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

| Type             | Vendor                    | Product                      | Version | Update | Edition | Language |
|------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| Operating System | <a href="#">Debian</a>    | <a href="#">Debian Linux</a> | 8.0     | All    | All     | All      |
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| Application      | <a href="#">Wordpress</a> | <a href="#">Wordpress</a>    | All     | All    | All     | All      |

## References

| Reference                                                                                          | Source   | Link                                    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------------|
| WordPress › WordPress 4.2.3 Security and Maintenance Release                                       | CONFIRM  | <a href="#">wordpress.org</a>           |
| WordPress <= 4.2.2 - Authenticated Stored Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)                               | MISC     | <a href="#">wpvulndb.com</a>            |
| Debian -- Security Information -- DSA-3328-1 wordpress                                             | DEBIAN   | <a href="#">www.debian.org</a>          |
| Malformed Request                                                                                  | BID      | <a href="#">www.securityfocus.com</a>   |
| WordPress Input Validation Flaws Let Remote Conduct Cross-Site Scripting Attacks - SecurityTracker | SECTrack | <a href="#">www.securitytracker.com</a> |
| oss-security - Re: CVE request: WordPress 4.2.2 and earlier cross-site scripting vulnerability     | MLIST    | <a href="#">openwall.com</a>            |
| Version 4.2.3 « WordPress Codex                                                                    | CONFIRM  | <a href="#">codex.wordpress.org</a>     |
| Changeset 33357 – WordPress Trac                                                                   | CONFIRM  | <a href="#">core.trac.wordpress.org</a> |
| CVE Program record                                                                                 | CVE.ORG  | <a href="#">www.cve.org</a>             |
| NVD vulnerability detail                                                                           | NVD      | <a href="#">nvd.nist.gov</a>            |

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

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

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