

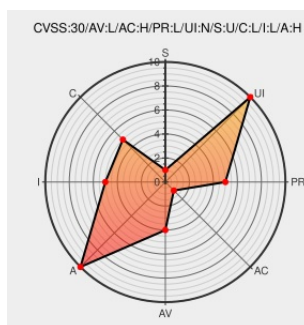


CVE-2015-7990

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Certain versions of [Linux Kernel](#) from [Linux](#) contain the following vulnerability:

Race condition in the `rds_sendmsg` function in `net/rds/sendmsg.c` in the Linux kernel before 4.3.3 allows local users to cause a denial of service (NULL pointer dereference and system crash) or possibly have unspecified other impact by using a socket that was not properly bound. NOTE: this vulnerability exists because of an incomplete fix for CVE-2015-6937.

CVE-2015-7990 has been assigned by [M](#) [cve@mitre.org](#) to track the vulnerability - currently rated as **MEDIUM** severity.

CVSS3 Score: **5.8 - MEDIUM**

Attack Vector	Attack Complexity	Privileges Required	User Interaction
LOCAL	HIGH	LOW	NONE
Scope	Confidentiality Impact	Integrity Impact	Availability Impact
UNCHANGED	LOW	LOW	HIGH

CVSS2 Score: **5.9 - MEDIUM**

Access Vector	Access Complexity	Authentication
LOCAL	MEDIUM	NONE
Confidentiality Impact	Integrity Impact	Availability Impact
PARTIAL	PARTIAL	COMPLETE

CVE References

Description	Tags	Link
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Linux Kernel CVE-2015-7990 Incomplete Fix Null Pointer Deference Denial of Service Vulnerability	cve.report (archive) text/html	 BID 77340
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vulnerabilities Ubuntu	text/html	
Bug 952384 – VUL-1: CVE-2015-7990: kernel: Incomplete fix for CVE-2015-6937, RDS socket handling	bugzilla.suse.com text/html	 CONFIRM bugzilla.suse.com/show_bug.cgi?id=952384
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USN-2888-1: Linux kernel (Utopic HWE) vulnerabilities Ubuntu	www.ubuntu.com text/html	 UBUNTU USN-2888-1

LKML: Quentin Casasnovas:
[PATCH] RDS: fix race
condition when sending a
message on unbound socket.

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 [MLIST \[linux-kernel\] 20151016 \[PATCH\] RDS: fix race condition when sending a message on unbound socket.](#)

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Bug 1276437 – CVE-2015-7990 kernel: Race condition when sending message on unbound socket causing NULL pointer dereference

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Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)						
Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Linux	Linux Kernel	All	All	All	All
cpe:2.3:o:linux:linux_kernel:*:*:*:*:*:*						

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE