



# CVE-2016-2956

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## Summary

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| CVE             | CVE-2016-2956                                                                                                             |
| State           | PUBLISHED                                                                                                                 |
| Assigner        | ibm                                                                                                                       |
| Source Priority | CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback                                                                              |
| Published       | 2016-09-01 10:59:02 UTC                                                                                                   |
| Updated         | 2026-05-06 22:30:45 UTC                                                                                                   |
| Description     | Cross-site scripting (XSS) vulnerability in the Web UI in IBM Connections 5.0 before CR4 and 5.5 before CR1 allows remote |

## Risk And Classification

**Primary CVSS:** v3.0 5.4 MEDIUM from nvd@nist.gov

CVSS:3.0/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:R/S:C/C:L/I:L/A:N

**EPSS:** 0.001680000 probability, percentile 0.375350000 (date 2026-05-13)

**Problem Types:** CWE-79 | n/a

| Version | Source       | Type    | Score | Severity | Vector                                       |
|---------|--------------|---------|-------|----------|----------------------------------------------|
| 3.0     | nvd@nist.gov | Primary | 5.4   | MEDIUM   | CVSS:3.0/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:R/S:C/C:L/I:L/A:N |
| 2.0     | nvd@nist.gov | Primary | 3.5   |          | AV:N/AC:M/Au:S/C:N/I:P/A:N                   |

## CVSS v3.0 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Network

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

Low

User Interaction

Required

Scope

Changed

Confidentiality

Low

Integrity

Low

Low

Availability

None

CVSS:3.0/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:R/S:C/C:L/I:L/A:N

CVSS v2.0 Breakdown

Access Vector

Network

Access Complexity

Medium

Authentication

Single

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

Partial

Availability

None

AV:N/AC:M/Au:S/C:N/I:P/A:N

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

| Type        | Vendor | Product     | Version | Update | Edition | Language |
|-------------|--------|-------------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| Application | ibm    | Connections | 5.0.0.0 | All    | All     | All      |
| Application | ibm    | Connections | 5.5.0.0 | All    | All     | All      |

Vendor Declared Affected Products

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

References

| Reference                                                                                                              | Source                                         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| IBM Connections CVE-2016-2956 Unspecified Cross Site Scripting Vulnerability                                           | af854a3a-2016-00000000000000000000000000000000 |
| IBM Security Bulletin: IBM Connections Security Refresh for CVE-2016-2954, CVE-2016-2956,CVE-2016-3008 - United States | af854a3a-2016-00000000000000000000000000000000 |
| CVE Program record                                                                                                     | CVE.ORG                                        |
| NVD vulnerability detail                                                                                               | NVD                                            |

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

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

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

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