



CVE-2016-4565

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Summary	
CVE	CVE-2016-4565
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	debian
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
Published	2016-05-23 10:59:05 UTC
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Description	The InfiniBand (aka IB) stack in the Linux kernel before 4.5.3 incorrectly relies on the write system call, which allows local u

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v3.1 7.8 HIGH from nvd@nist.gov

CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H

Problem Types: CWE-264 | n/a

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
3.1	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	7.8	HIGH	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H
2.0	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	7.2		AV:L/AC:L/Au:N/C:C/I:C/A:C

CVSS v3.1 Breakdown	
Attack Vector	Local
Attack Complexity	Low
Privileges Required	Low
User Interaction	None
Scope	Unchanged
Confidentiality	High
Integrity	High
Availability	

High

CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H

CVSS v2.0 Breakdown

Access Vector

Local

Access Complexity

Low

Authentication

None

Confidentiality

Complete

Integrity

Complete

Availability

Complete

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

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Linux	Linux Kernel	All	All	All	All

Vendor Declared Affected Products

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

References

Reference	Source
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Red Hat Customer Portal	affected
[security-announce] SUSE-SU-2016:1672-1: important: Security update for	affected
USN-3021-2: Linux kernel (OMAP4) vulnerabilities Ubuntu	affected
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kernel/git/torvalds/linux.git - Linux kernel source tree	affected
[security-announce] SUSE-SU-2016:2007-1: important: Security update for	affected
USN-3007-1: Linux kernel (Raspberry Pi 2) vulnerabilities Ubuntu	affected
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[security-announce] SUSE-SU-2016:1995-1: important: Security update for	af8
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USN-3006-1: Linux kernel vulnerabilities Ubuntu	af8
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[security-announce] SUSE-SU-2016:2011-1: important: Security update for	af8
[security-announce] SUSE-SU-2016:2006-1: important: Security update for	af8
USN-3018-1: Linux kernel vulnerabilities Ubuntu	af8
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CVE Program record	CV
NVD vulnerability detail	NV

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

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