



# CVE-2016-6323

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## Summary

<b>CVE</b>	CVE-2016-6323
<b>State</b>	PUBLIC
<b>Assigner</b>	secalert@redhat.com
<b>Source Priority</b>	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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<b>Description</b>	The makecontext function in the GNU C Library (aka glibc or libc6) before 2.25 creates execution contexts incompatible with

## 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="#">Fedoraproject</a>	<a href="#">Fedora</a>	23	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Fedoraproject</a>	<a href="#">Fedora</a>	24	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Fedoraproject</a>	<a href="#">Fedora</a>	25	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Fedoraproject</a>	<a href="#">Fedora</a>	23	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Fedoraproject</a>	<a href="#">Fedora</a>	24	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Fedoraproject</a>	<a href="#">Fedora</a>	25	All	All	All
Application	<a href="#">Gnu</a>	<a href="#">Glibc</a>	All	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Opensuse</a>	<a href="#">Opensuse</a>	13.2	All	All	All
Operating System	<a href="#">Opensuse</a>	<a href="#">Opensuse</a>	13.2	All	All	All

## References

### Reference

[SECURITY] Fedora 23 Update: glibc-2.22-18.fc23 - package-announce - Fedora Mailing-Lists

sourceware.org Git - glibc.git/commit

openSUSE-SU-2016:2443-1: moderate: Security update for glibc

[SECURITY] Fedora 24 Update: glibc-2.23.1-10.fc24 - package-announce - Fedora Mailing-Lists

oss-security - CVE-2016-6323: Missing unwind information on ARM EABI (32-bit) causes backtrace generation to hang

20435 – (CVE-2016-6323) Missing unwind info in \_\_startcontext causes infinite loop in \_Unwind\_Backtrace (CVE-2016-6323)

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GNU glibc CVE-2016-6323 Infinite Loop Denial of Service Vulnerability

[SECURITY] Fedora 23 Update: glibc-2.22-18.fc23 - package-announce - Fedora Mailing-Lists

[SECURITY] Fedora 25 Update: glibc-2.24-3.fc25 - package-announce - Fedora Mailing-Lists

GNU C Library: Multiple vulnerabilities (GLSA 201706-19) — Gentoo security

IBM Security Bulletin: Vulnerabilities in OpenSSL, OpenVPN and GNU glibc affect IBM Security Virtual Server Protection for VMware - United

[SECURITY] Fedora 25 Update: glibc-2.24-3.fc25 - package-announce - Fedora Mailing-Lists

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CVE Program record

NVD vulnerability detail



No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

### Legacy QID Mappings

[670286](#) EulerOS Security Update for glibc (EulerOS-SA-2021-1790)

[670842](#) EulerOS Security Update for glibc (EulerOS-SA-2021-1790)

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