



# CVE-2016-7790

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## Summary

<b>CVE</b>	CVE-2016-7790
<b>State</b>	PUBLISHED
<b>Assigner</b>	mitre
<b>Source Priority</b>	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
<b>Published</b>	2017-01-12 22:59:00 UTC
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<b>Description</b>	Exponent CMS 2.3.9 suffers from a remote code execution vulnerability in /install/index.php. An attacker can upload 'php' fil

## Risk And Classification

**Primary CVSS:** v3.0 9.8 CRITICAL from nvd@nist.gov

**CVSS:** 3.0/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H

**EPSS:** 0.033000000 probability, percentile 0.873150000 (date 2026-05-11)

**Problem Types:** CWE-20 | n/a

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
3.0	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	9.8	CRITICAL	CVSS:3.0/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H
2.0	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	7.5		AV:N/AC:L/Au:N/C:P/I:P/A:P

## CVSS v3.0 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Network

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

None

User Interaction

None

Scope

Unchanged

Confidentiality

High

Integrity

High

High

Availability

High

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

### CVSS v2.0 Breakdown

Access Vector

Network

Access Complexity

Low

Authentication

None

Confidentiality

Partial

Integrity

Partial

Availability

Partial

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

### NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Exponentcms	Exponent Cms	2.3.9	All	All	All

### Vendor Declared Affected Products

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

### References

Reference	Source	Link
Exponent CMS Arbitrary Code Execution and File Upload Vulnerabilities	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	<a href="http://www.sec">www.sec</a>
oss-security - CVE Request - Exponent CMS 2.3.9 multi-vulnerabilities in install code	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	<a href="http://www.ope">www.ope</a>
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	<a href="http://www.cve">www.cve</a>
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	<a href="http://nvd.nist.g">nvd.nist.g</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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