



# CVE-2016-9439

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## Summary

<b>CVE</b>	CVE-2016-9439
<b>State</b>	PUBLIC
<b>Assigner</b>	cve@mitre.org
<b>Source Priority</b>	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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<b>Description</b>	An issue was discovered in the Tatsuya Kinoshita w3m fork before 0.5.3-31. Infinite recursion vulnerability in w3m allows re

## Risk And Classification

**Problem Types:** CWE-119

## NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	<a href="#">Tats</a>	<a href="#">W3m</a>	All	All	All	All
Application	<a href="#">W3m Project</a>	<a href="#">W3m</a>	All	All	All	All

## References

Reference	Source	Link	Tags
w3m/ChangeLog at master · tats/w3m · GitHub	CONFIRM	<a href="#">github.com</a>	Issue Tracking, Patch
infinite recursion with nested table and textarea · Issue #20 · tats/w3m · GitHub	CONFIRM	<a href="#">github.com</a>	Issue Tracking, Patch
oss-security - Re: CVE request: w3m - multiple vulnerabilities	MLIST	<a href="#">www.openwall.com</a>	Mailing List, Third Pa
w3m: Multiple vulnerabilities (GLSA 201701-08) — Gentoo Security	GENTOO	<a href="#">security.gentoo.org</a>	
w3m Multiple Security Vulnerabilities	BID	<a href="#">www.securityfocus.com</a>	
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	<a href="#">www.cve.org</a>	canonical
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	<a href="#">nvd.nist.gov</a>	canonical, analysis

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

## Legacy QID Mappings

[710434](#) Gentoo Linux w3m Multiple Vulnerabilities (GLSA 201701-08)

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