



CVE-2016-9949

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Summary

CVE	CVE-2016-9949
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	mitre
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
Published	2016-12-17 03:59:00 UTC
Updated	2026-05-06 22:30:45 UTC
Description	An issue was discovered in Apport before 2.20.4. In apport/ui.py, Apport reads the CrashDB field and it then evaluates the f

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v3.0 7.8 HIGH from nvd@nist.gov

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

EPSS: 0.098100000 probability, percentile 0.930230000 (date 2026-05-11)

Problem Types: CWE-94 | n/a

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
3.0	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	7.8	HIGH	CVSS:3.0/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H
2.0	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	9.3		AV:N/AC:M/Au:N/C:C/I:C/A:C

CVSS v3.0 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Local

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

None

User Interaction

Required

Scope

Unchanged

Confidentiality

High

Integrity

High

High

Availability

High

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

CVSS v2.0 Breakdown

Access Vector

Network

Access Complexity

Medium

Authentication

None

Confidentiality

Complete

Integrity

Complete

Availability

Complete

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

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Apport Project	Apport	All	All	All	All
Operating System	Canonical	Ubuntu Linux	All	All	All	All

Vendor Declared Affected Products

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

References

Reference
Reliably compromising Ubuntu desktops by attacking the crash reporter Donncha O'Cearbhaill
GitHub - DonnchaC/ubuntu-apport-exploitation: This project contains a PoC and exploit generator for a code execution bug in Ubuntu's Apport
Apport Multiple Security Vulnerabilities
Apport 2.x (Ubuntu Desktop 12.10 < 16.04) - Local Code Execution - Linux local Exploit
USN-3157-1: Apport vulnerabilities Ubuntu
Bug #1648806 "Arbitrary code execution through crafted CrashDB o..." : Bugs : Apport
CVE Program record
NVD vulnerability detail

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

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

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