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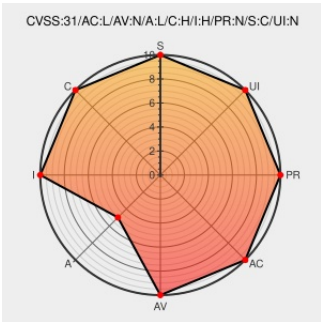
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CVE-2018-21268

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Certain versions of [Traceroute](#) from [Traceroute Project](#) contain the following vulnerability:

The traceroute (aka node-traceroute) package through 1.0.0 for Node.js allows remote command injection via the host parameter. This occurs because the `Child.exec()` method, which is considered to be not entirely safe, is used. In particular, an OS command can be placed after a newline character.

CVE-2018-21268 has been assigned by [M cve@mitre.org](mailto:cve@mitre.org) to track the vulnerability - currently rated as **CRITICAL** severity.

CVSS3 Score: 9.8 - CRITICAL

Attack Vector	Attack Complexity	Privileges Required	User Interaction
NETWORK	LOW	NONE	NONE
Scope	Confidentiality Impact	Integrity Impact	Availability Impact
UNCHANGED	HIGH	HIGH	HIGH

CVSS2 Score: 7.5 - HIGH

Access Vector	Access Complexity	Authentication
NETWORK	LOW	NONE
Confidentiality Impact	Integrity Impact	Availability Impact
PARTIAL	PARTIAL	PARTIAL

CVE References

Description	Tags	Link
Overview	Third Party Advisory www.npmjs.com text/html	 MISC www.npmjs.com/advisories/1465

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There are currently no QIDs associated with this CVE

Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Traceroute Project	Traceroute	All	All	All	All
cpe:2.3:a:traceroute_project:traceroute:*.*.*.*:node.js:*.*:						

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE

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