



Pidgin 2.13.0 Denial of Service via Malformed Username

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Summary

CVE	CVE-2019-25544
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	VulnCheck
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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Description	Pidgin 2.13.0 contains a denial of service vulnerability that allows local attackers to crash the application by providing an ex

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v4.0 6.9 MEDIUM from disclosure@vulncheck.com

CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:L/AT:N/PR:N/UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N/E:X/CR:X/IR:X/AR:X/MAV:X/MAC:X/MAT:X/MPR:X/MUI:X/MVC:X/MVI:X/MVA:X/MSX/MSI:X/MSA:X/S:X/AU:X/R:X/V:X/RE:X/U:X

Problem Types: CWE-807 | CWE-807 Reliance on Untrusted Inputs in a Security Decision

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
4.0	disclosure@vulncheck.com	Secondary	6.9	MEDIUM	CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:L/AT:N/PR:N/UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N/E:X/CR:X/IR:X/AR:X/MAV:X/MAC:X/MAT:X/MPR:X/MUI:X/MVC:X/MVI:X/MVA:X/MSX/MSI:X/MSA:X/S:X/AU:X/R:X/V:X/RE:X/U:X
4.0	CNA	CVSS	6.9	MEDIUM	CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:L/AT:N/PR:N/UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N/E:X/CR:X/IR:X/AR:X/MAV:X/MAC:X/MAT:X/MPR:X/MUI:X/MVC:X/MVI:X/MVA:X/MSX/MSI:X/MSA:X/S:X/AU:X/R:X/V:X/RE:X/U:X
3.1	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	5.5	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:H
3.1	disclosure@vulncheck.com	Secondary	6.2	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:H
3.1	CNA	CVSS	6.2	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:H

CVSS v4.0 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Local

Attack Complexity

Low

Attack Requirements

None

Privileges Required

None

User Interaction

None

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

None

Availability

High

Sub Conf.

None

Sub Integrity

None

Sub Availability

None

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CVSS v3.1 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Local

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

Low

User Interaction

None

Scope

Unchanged

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

None

Availability

High

CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:H

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Pidgin	Pidgin	2.13.0	All	All	All

Vendor Declared Affected Products

Source	Vendor	Product	Version	Platforms
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CNA	Pidgin	Pidgin	affected 2.13.0	Not specified
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References

Reference	Source	Link	Tags
www.vulncheck.com/advisories/pidgin-denial-of-service-via-malformed-username	disclosure@vulncheck.com	www.vulncheck.com	Thirc
www.exploit-db.com/exploits/46930	disclosure@vulncheck.com	www.exploit-db.com	Explo
pidgin.im	disclosure@vulncheck.com	pidgin.im	Prod
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www.cve.org	cano
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	nvd.nist.gov	cano

Vendor Comments And Credit

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

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