



CVE-2020-17489

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Summary

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Assigner	cve@mitre.org
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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Description	An issue was discovered in certain configurations of GNOME gnome-shell through 3.36.4. When logging out of an account,

Risk And Classification

Problem Types: CWE-522

NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Canonical	Ubuntu Linux	20.04	All	All	All
Operating System	Debian	Debian Linux	9.0	All	All	All
Application	Gnome	Gnome-shell	All	All	All	All
Operating System	Opensuse	Leap	15.2	All	All	All

References

Reference	Source	Link	Tags
USN-4464-1: GNOME Shell vulnerability Ubuntu security notices Ubuntu	UBUNTU	usn.ubuntu.com	
GNOME Shell: Information disclosure (GLSA 202009-08) — Gentoo security	GENTOO	security.gentoo.org	
[SECURITY] [DLA 2374-1] gnome-shell security update	MLIST	lists.debian.org	
User Password is Visible on Logout (#2997) · Issues · GNOME / gnome-shell · GitLab	MISC	gitlab.gnome.org	Exploit, Patch, Ver
[security-announce] openSUSE-SU-2020:1861-1: moderate: Security update f	SUSE	lists.opensuse.org	
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www.cve.org	canonical
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	nvd.nist.gov	canonical, analysis

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

Legacy QID Mappings

161226 Oracle Enterprise Linux Security Update for gnome-shell (ELSA-2022-1814)

240277 Red Hat Update for gnome-shell (RHSA-2022:1814)

296071 Oracle Solaris 11.4 Support Repository Update (SRU) 27.82.1 Missing (CPUOCT2020)

500971 Alpine Linux Security Update for gnome-shell

940535 AlmaLinux Security Update for gnome-shell (ALSA-2022:1814)

960301 Rocky Linux Security Update for gnome-shell (RLSA-2022:1814)

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