



CVE-2021-23892

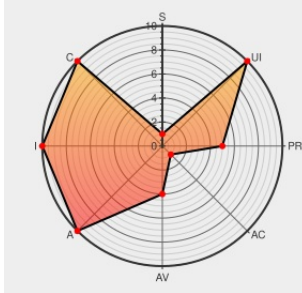
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CVSS:31/AV:L/AC:H/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H



Certain versions of [Endpoint Security For Linux Threat Prevention](#) from [Mcafee](#) contain the following vulnerability:

By exploiting a time of check to time of use (TOCTOU) race condition during the Endpoint Security for Linux Threat Prevention and Firewall (ENSL TP/FW) installation process, a local user can perform a privilege escalation attack to obtain administrator privileges for the purpose of executing arbitrary code through insecure use of predictable temporary file locations.

CVE-2021-23892 has been assigned by [trellixpsirt@trellix.com](#) to track the vulnerability - currently rated as **HIGH** severity.

Affected Vendor/Software: [McAfee,LLC](#) - [McAfee Endpoint Security \(ENS\) for Linux](#) version = **unspecified**

CVSS3 Score: **7 - HIGH**

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

CVSS2 Score: **6.9 - MEDIUM**

Access Vector	Access Complexity	Authentication
LOCAL	MEDIUM	NONE
Confidentiality Impact	Integrity Impact	Availability Impact
COMPLETE	COMPLETE	COMPLETE

CVE References

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Exploit/POC from Github

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Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Mcafee	Endpoint Security For Linux Threat Prevention	All	All	All	All
cpe:2.3:o:mcafee:endpoint_security_for_linux_threat_prevention:*:*:*:*:linux:*:*:						

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