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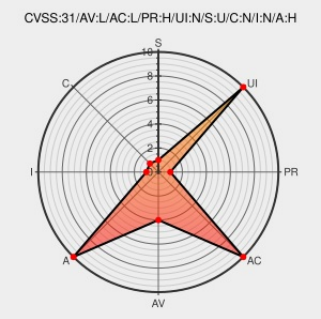

Certain versions of Aix from Ibm contain the following vulnerability:

IBM AIX 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, and VIOS 3.1 could allow a local user with elevated privileges to cause a denial of service due to a file creation vulnerability in the audit commands. IBM X-Force ID: 211825.

CVE-2021-38955 has been assigned by psirt@us.ibm.com to track the vulnerability - currently rated as MEDIUM severity.

Affected Vendor/Software: **IBM** - **VIOS** version **3.1**

Affected Vendor/Software: **IBM** - **AIX** version **7.1**

Affected Vendor/Software: **IBM** - **AIX** version **7.2**

Affected Vendor/Software: **IBM** - **AIX** version **7.3**

CVSS3 Score: 4.4 - MEDIUM

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

CVSS2 Score: 2.1 - LOW

Access Vector	Access Complexity	Authentication
LOCAL	LOW	NONE
Confidentiality Impact	**Integrity Impact**	**Availability Impact**
NONE	NONE	PARTIAL

CVE References

Description	Tags	Link
Security Bulletin: Vulnerability in AIX audit commands (CVE-2021-38955)	www.ibm.com text/html	CONFIRM www.ibm.com/support/pages/node/6560236
IBM X-Force Exchange	exchange.xforce.ibmcloud.com text/html	XF ibm-aix-cve202138955-dos (211825)

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Related QID Numbers

330095 IBM Advanced Interactive eXecutive (AIX) File Creation Vulnerability (audit commands)

Known Affected Configurations (CPE V2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Operating System	Ibm	Aix	7.1	All	All	All
Operating System	Ibm	Aix	7.2	All	All	All
Operating System	Ibm	Aix	7.3	All	All	All
Application	Ibm	Vios	3.1	All	All	All

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@CVEreport	CVE-2021-38955 : #IBM AIX 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, and VIOS 3.1 could allow a local user with elevated privileges to cause a… twitter.com/i/web/status/1…	2022-03-01 16:51:25
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