



Wicked Folders <= 2.18.16 - Missing Authorization via ajax_delete_folder

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Summary

CVE	CVE-2023-0717
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	Wordfence
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
Published	2023-02-08 02:15:08 UTC
Updated	2026-04-08 18:17:44 UTC
Description	The Wicked Folders plugin for WordPress is vulnerable to authorization bypass due to a missing capability check on the ajax_delete_folder endpoint.

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v3.1 4.3 MEDIUM from nvd@nist.gov

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

Problem Types: CWE-862 | CWE-862 CWE-862 Missing Authorization

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
3.1	nvd@nist.gov	Primary	4.3	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:L/A:N
3.1	security@wordfence.com	Secondary	5.4	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:L/A:L
3.1	CNA	DECLARED	5.4	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:L/A:L

CVSS v3.1 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Network

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

Low

User Interaction

None

Scope

Unchanged

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

Low

Availability

None

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NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Wickedplugins	Wicked Folders	All	All	All	All

Vendor Declared Affected Products

Source	Vendor	Product	Version	Platform
CNA	Wickedplugins	Wicked Folders Folder Organizer For Pages Posts And Custom Post Types	affected 2.18.16 semver	Not spec

References

Reference	Source	Link
403 Forbidden	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	plugins.trac
www.wordfence.com/threat-intel/vulnerabilities/id/35fb658f-6ffa-4df7-bfcd-25307...	security@wordfence.com	www.wordfe
403 Forbidden	af854a3a-2127-422b-91ae-364da2661108	plugins.trac
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CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www.cve.or
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	nvd.nist.gov

Vendor Comments And Credit

Discovery Credit

CNA: Marco Wotschka (en)

Additional Advisory Data

Source	Time	Event
CNA	2023-01-17T00:00:00.000Z	Discovered
CNA	2023-02-07T00:00:00.000Z	Disclosed

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

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