



Simple Link Directory <= 8.4.5 - Unauthenticated Arbitrary Shortcode Execution

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Summary

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| CVE | CVE-2024-12417 |
| State | PUBLISHED |
| Assigner | Wordfence |
| Source Priority | CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback |
| Published | 2024-12-13 09:15:08 UTC |
| Updated | 2026-04-08 19:20:00 UTC |
| Description | The The Simple Link Directory plugin for WordPress is vulnerable to arbitrary shortcode execution in all versions up to, and |

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v3.1 6.5 MEDIUM from security@wordfence.com

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

EPSS: 0.009840000 probability, percentile 0.768100000 (date 2026-04-13)

Problem Types: CWE-94 | CWE-94 CWE-94 Improper Control of Generation of Code ('Code Injection')

| Version | Source | Type | Score | Severity | Vector |
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| 3.1 | security@wordfence.com | Secondary | 6.5 | MEDIUM | CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:L/I:L/A:N |
| 3.1 | CNA | DECLARED | 6.5 | MEDIUM | CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:L/I:L/A:N |

CVSS v3.1 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Network

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

None

User Interaction

None

Scope

Unchanged

Confidentiality

Low

Integrity

Low

Availability

None

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

Vendor Declared Affected Products

| Source | Vendor | Product | Version | Platforms |
|--------|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| CNA | Quantumcloud | Simple Link Directory | affected 8.4.5 semver | Not specified |

References

| Reference | Source | Link |
|---|------------------------|------------------|
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| plugins.trac.wordpress.org/changeset/3232625 | security@wordfence.com | plugins.trac.wor |
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| CVE Program record | CVE.ORG | www.cve.org |
| NVD vulnerability detail | NVD | nvd.nist.gov |

Vendor Comments And Credit

Discovery Credit

CNA: Arkadiusz Hydzik (en)

Additional Advisory Data

| Source | Time | Event |
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| CNA | 2024-12-12T19:48:27.000Z | Disclosed |

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

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