



# pam\_authnft: Heap buffer overflow in NETLINK SOCK\_DIAG reply walker

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## Summary

<b>CVE</b>	CVE-2026-43916
<b>State</b>	PUBLISHED
<b>Assigner</b>	GitHub_M
<b>Source Priority</b>	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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<b>Description</b>	pam_authnft is a PAM session module binding nftables firewall rules to authenticated sessions via cgroupv2 inodes. Prior to

## Risk And Classification

**Primary CVSS:** v4.0 8.7 HIGH from security-advisories@github.com

CVSS:4.0/AV:N/AC:L/AT:N/PR:N/UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N/E:X/CR:X/IR:X/AR:X/MAV:X/MAC:X/MAT:X/MPR:X/MUI:X/MVC:X/MVI:X/MVA:X/MSX/MSI:X/MSA:X/S:X/AU:X/R:X/V:X/RE:X/U:X

**Problem Types:** CWE-125 | CWE-191 | CWE-125 CWE-125: Out-of-bounds Read | CWE-191 CWE-191: Integer Underflow (Wrap or Wraparound)

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
4.0	security-advisories@github.com	Secondary	8.7	HIGH	CVSS:4.0/AV:N/AC:L/AT:N/PR:N/UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N/E:X/CR:X/IR:X/AR:X/MAV:X/MAC:X/MAT:X/MPR:X/MUI:X/MVC:X/MVI:X/MVA:X/MSX/MSI:X/MSA:X/S:X/AU:X/R:X/V:X/RE:X/U:X
4.0	CNA	DECLARED	8.7	HIGH	CVSS:4.0/AV:N/AC:L/AT:N/PR:N/UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N/E:X/CR:X/IR:X/AR:X/MAV:X/MAC:X/MAT:X/MPR:X/MUI:X/MVC:X/MVI:X/MVA:X/MSX/MSI:X/MSA:X/S:X/AU:X/R:X/V:X/RE:X/U:X

## CVSS v4.0 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Network

Attack Complexity

Low

Attack Requirements

None

Privileges Required

None

User Interaction

None

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

None

Availability

High

Sub Conf.

None

Sub Integrity

None

Sub Availability

None

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### Vendor Declared Affected Products

Source	Vendor	Product	Version	Platforms
CNA	Identd-ng	Pam Authnft	affected < 0.2.0-alpha	Not specified

### References

Reference	Source	Link	Tags
github.com/identd-ng/pam_authnft/pull/10	security-advisories@github.com	github.com	
github.com/identd-ng/pam_authnft/security/advisories/GHSA-5jj5-hm34-78vh	security-advisories@github.com	github.com	
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www.cve.org	canonical
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	nvd.nist.gov	canonical, a

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

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

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