Nomad vulnerable to arbitrary file read/write on client host through symlink attack

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Summary

CVE	CVE-2026-6959
State	PUBLISHED
Assigner	HashiCorp
Source Priority	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
Published	2026-05-12 20:16:46 UTC
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Description	HashiCorp Nomad and Nomad Enterprise prior to 2.0.1 are vulnerable to arbitrary file read and write on the client host as th

Risk And Classification

Primary CVSS: v3.1 6 MEDIUM from security@hashicorp.com

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

Problem Types: CWE-59 | CWE-59 CWE-59: Improper Link Resolution Before File Access (Link Following)

Version	Source	Type	Score	Severity	Vector
3.1	security@hashicorp.com	Secondary	6	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:H/UI:N/S:C/C:N/I:H/A:N
3.1	CNA	CVSS	6	MEDIUM	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:H/UI:N/S:C/C:N/I:H/A:N

CVSS v3.1 Breakdown

Attack Vector

Local

Attack Complexity

Low

Privileges Required

High

User Interaction

None

Scope

Changed

Confidentiality

None

Integrity

Integrity

High

Availability

None

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

Vendor Declared Affected Products

Source	Vendor	Product	Version	Platforms
CNA	HashiCorp	Nomad	affected 0.9.0 2.0.1 semver	64 bit, 32 bit, x86, ARM, MacOS, Windows, Linux
CNA	HashiCorp	Nomad Enterprise	affected 0.9.0 2.0.1 semver	64 bit, 32 bit, x86, ARM, MacOS, Windows, Linux

References

Reference	Source	Link
discuss.hashicorp.com/t/hcsec-2026-14-nomad-arbitrary-file-read-write-on-client-hos...	security@hashicorp.com	discuss.hashicorp.com
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	www.cve.org
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	nvd.nist.gov

Vendor Comments And Credit

Discovery Credit

CNA: This issue was identified by Alex Manson (Aiven / NeuroWinter). (en)

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