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OpenSSL RSA Signature Forgery Vulnerability



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Summary

OpenSSL versions 0.9.7j and prior and 0.9.8b and prior contain a vulnerability that could allow an unauthenticated, remote attacker to successfully pass a forged X.509 certificate.

The vulnerability could allow an unauthenticated, remote attacker to pass a forged Public-Key Cryptography Standards (PKCS)#1 Version 1.5 signature when signed by a certain type of RSA key. An attacker could exploit the vulnerability to access certificate-protected resources.

OpenSSL confirmed the vulnerability in a security advisory and released updated versions.

This vulnerability affects PKCS #1 v1.5 signatures if the exponent of the public key is 3, which is widely used by Certificate Authorities. An attacker will likely exploit this vulnerability to forge signatures without the secret key. PKCS #1 v1.5 is often utilized within X.509 certificates; therefore, all applications that use OpenSSL to verify X.509 certificates may be vulnerable, including software that uses OpenSSL for SSL or TLS.

Affected Products

OpenSSL has released a security advisory at the following link: [September 5, 2006](#)

Apple has released security updates at the following links: [Security Update 2006-007](#) and [Java Release 6 for Mac OS X 10.4](#)

ARKOON has released a security advisory at the following PDF link: [AK-2006-04](#)

Attachmate has released a technical note at the following link: [Technical Note 2137](#)

Avaya has released a security advisory at the following link: [ASA-2006-188](#)

Cisco has re-released a security response at the following link: [Cisco-sr-20061108-openssl](#). This response addresses the following bug IDs:

[CSCsg22734](#)
[CSCsg01963](#)
[CSCsg09619](#)
[CSCsg16571](#)
[CSCsg17943](#)
[CSCsg24311](#)
[CSCsg46092](#)
[CSCsg04397](#)
[CSCsg04386](#)
[CSCsg51110](#)
[CSCsg51304](#)
[CSCek57074](#)
[CSCsg59589](#)
[CSCsf97055](#)
[CSCsg55732](#)
[CSCsg36592](#)
[CSCsg55738](#)
[CSCsg55742](#)
[CSCsg56292](#)
[CSCsg58599](#)
[CSCsg58607](#)
[CSCsg58592](#)
[CSCsh14665](#)

Debian has released security advisories at the following links: [DSA-1173-1](#) and [DSA-1174-1](#)

FreeBSD has released a security advisory at the following FTP link: [FreeBSD-SA-06:19](#)

FreeBSD has released a VuXML document at the following link: [openoffice.org -- multiple vulnerabilities](#)

Gentoo has released security advisories at the following links: [GLSA 200609-05](#) and [GLSA 200610-06](#)

Hitachi has released a security advisory at the following link: [HS07-034](#)

HP has released security bulletins at the following links: [HPSBUX02165](#), [HPSBUX02186](#), [HPSBTU02207](#) and [HPSBMA02250](#)

Ingate Systems has released a software release notice at the following link: [Ingate Firewall and Ingate SIParator 4.5.1](#)

Mandriva has released security advisories at the following links: [MDKSA-2006:161](#), [MDKSA-2006:177](#), [MDKSA-2006:178](#), and [MDKSA-2006:207](#)

NetBSD has released a security advisory at the following FTP link: [NetBSD-SA2006-023](#)

Novell has released a security announcement at the following link: [Novell 3143224](#)

OpenBSD has released security announcements at the following links: [016: SECURITY FIX: September 8, 2006](#) and [011: SECURITY FIX: September 8, 2006](#)

OpenOffice.org has released a security advisory at the following link: [CVE-2006-4339](#)

OpenPKG has released a security advisory at the following link: [OpenPKG-SA-2006.018](#)

OpenVPN has released a security advisory at the following link: [OpenVPN 2.0.x Change Log](#)

Opera has released a security advisory at the following link: [845](#)

Oracle has released security advisories at the following links: [BEA07-169.00](#) and [Oracle Critical Patch Update January 2007](#)

Red Hat has released security advisories at the following links: [RHSA-2006:0661](#), [RHSA-2007:0062](#), [RHSA-2007:0072](#), [RHSA-2007:0073](#), [RHSA-2008:0264](#), [RHSA-2008:0525](#), and [RHSA-2008:0629](#)

SGI has released a security advisory at the following FTP link: [20060901-01-P](#)

Slackware has released security advisories at the following links: [SSA:2006-257-02](#) and [SSA:2006-310-01](#)

SSH Communications has released software release notes at the following links: [SSH Tectia Server 5.1.1](#), [SSH Tectia Manager 2.2.1](#), [SSH Tectia Server for IBM z/OS 5.2.1](#), and [SSH Tectia Client 5.1.1](#)

Sun has re-released alert notifications at the following links: [200196](#), [200474](#), and [200610](#)

Sun has released a security notification at the following link: [CVE-2006-4339](#)

SUSE has released security announcements at the following links: [SUSE-SA:2006:055](#), [SUSE-SA:2006:061](#), and [SUSE-SA:2007:010](#)

SUSE has released a security summary report at the following link: [SUSE-SR:2006:026](#)

Sybase has released a security advisory at the following link: [1047991](#)

Trustix has released security advisories at the following links: [TSLSA-2006-0051](#) and [TSLSA-2006-0063](#)

Turbolinux has released a security advisory at the following link: [TLSA-2006-29](#)

Ubuntu Linux has released a security notice at the following link: [USN-339-1](#)

Van Dyke Technologies has published changelogs at the following links: [SecureCRT 5.2.2](#) and [SecureFX 4.0.2](#)

VMware has released knowledge base articles at the following links: [3069097](#) and [9986131](#). VMware has released a security advisory at the following link: [VMSA-2008-0005](#)

US-CERT has released a vulnerability note at the following link: [VU#845620](#)

Vulnerable Products

OpenSSL versions 0.9.7j and prior and 0.9.8b and prior are vulnerable.

Products Confirmed Not Vulnerable

No other Cisco products are currently known to be affected by these vulnerabilities.

Workarounds

Administrators are advised to apply the appropriate updates.

Administrators are advised to utilize certificates as part of a two-factor authentication system.

Administrators may consider restricting access to certificate-protected resources to trusted users through the use of a VPN or other remote access technology that is not affected.

Administrators running ISC BIND using DNSSEC are advised to apply the available software updates, generate new RSA-SHA1 and RSA-MD5 keys for all old keys, and perform a key rollover to the new keys.

Fixed Software

OpenSSL has released updated versions at the following links: [OpenSSL 0.9.7k](#) and [OpenSSL 0.9.8c](#)

Apple has released updated software at the following links:

[Mac OS X 10.3.9](#)
[Mac OS X Server 10.3.9](#)
[Mac OS X 10.4.8 Intel](#)
[Mac OS X 10.4.8 PPC](#)
[Mac OS X Server 10.4.8 Universal](#)
[Mac OS X Server 10.4.8 PPC](#)
[Java for Mac OS X 10.4](#)

ARKOON has released software updates in the ARKOON Customer Space at the following link: [Client Update](#)

Attachmate has released updated patches at the following link: [Attachmate](#)

Blue Coat has released instructions for receiving updates at the following link: [Blue Coat](#)

Cisco customers with active contracts can obtain updates through the Software Center at the following link: [Cisco](#). Cisco customers without contracts can obtain upgrades by contacting the Cisco Technical Assistance Center at 1-800-553-2447 or 1-408-526-7209 or via e-mail at tac@cisco.com.

Debian has released updated packages at the following links: [Debian](#) (openssl) and [Debian](#) (openssl096)

FreeBSD has released a patch at the following link: [openssl.patch](#)

FreeBSD releases ports collection updates at the following link: [Ports Collection Index](#)

Gentoo updates can be obtained for the following packages using the **emerge** command:

```
dev-libs/openssl  
app-emulation/emul-linux-x86-baselibs  
dev-libs/nss
```

HP has released updates for registered users at the following links:

- [PHSS_35463_Virtualvault_4.7_OWS_\(Apache_1.x\)_update](#)
- [PHSS_35460_Virtualvault_4.7_IWS_update](#)
- [PHSS_35481_Virtualvault_4.7_TGP_update](#)
- [PHSS_35436_Virtualvault_4.7_OWS_\(Apache_2.x\)_update](#)
- [PHSS_35462_Virtualvault_4.6_OWS_update](#)
- [PHSS_35459_Virtualvault_4.6_IWS_update](#)
- [PHSS_35480_Virtualvault_4.6_TGP_update](#)
- [PHSS_35461_Virtualvault_4.5_OWS_update](#)
- [PHSS_35458_Virtualvault_4.5_IWS_update](#)
- [PHSS_35437_Webproxy_server_2.1_\(Apache_2.x\)_update](#)
- [PHSS_35111_Webproxy_server_2.1_\(Apache_1.x\)_update](#)
- [PHSS_35110_Webproxy_server_2.0_update](#)

HP has released updated packages for HP-UX IPv4 at the following links:

[HP-UX B.11.00](#)
revision [A.2.0.58.01](#) or later

[HP-UX B.11.11](#)
revision [A.2.0.58.01](#) or later

HP has released updated packages for HP-UX IPv6 at the following links:

[HP-UX B.11.11](#)
revision [B.2.0.58.01](#) or later

[HP-UX B.11.23](#)
revision [B.2.0.58.01](#) or later

HP has released Early Release Patch kits at the following links:

- HP Tru64 UNIX v 5.1B-4 - [T64KIT1001167-V51BB27-ES-20070321](#)
- HP Tru64 UNIX v 5.1B-3 - [T64KIT1001163-V51BB26-ES-20070315](#)
- HP Tru64 UNIX v 5.1A PK6 - [T64KIT1001160-V51AB24-ES-20070314](#)
- HP Tru64 UNIX v 4.0G PK4 - [T64KIT1001166-V40GB22-ES-20070316](#)
- HP Tru64 UNIX v 4.0F PK8 - [DUXKIT1001165-V40FB22-ES-20070316](#)
- Internet Express (IX) v 6.6 BIND - [CPQIM360.SSL.01.tar.gz](#)
- HP Insight Management Agents - install the BIND 9.8.2 patch located in the appropriate ERP kit

HP has released updated software at the following links:

- HP System Management Homepage for Linux (x86) [2.1.8-177](#)
- HP System Management Homepage for Linux (AMD64/EM64T) [2.1.8-177](#)
- HP System Management Homepage for Windows [2.1.8-179](#)

Ingate Systems has released software updates at the following link: [Ingate Firewall and Ingate SIParator 4.5.1](#)

The Internet Systems Consortium has released updated software for BIND at the following links: [BIND 9.2.6-P2](#) and [BIND 9.3.2-P2](#)

Mandriva can be updated automatically using **MandrivaUpdate**. Mandrake can be updated automatically using **MandrakeUpdate**.

NetBSD has released instructions for obtaining updated packages at the following FTP link: [NetBSD](#)

Novell has released updated software at the following link: [Novell International Cryptographic Infrastructure \(NICI\) 2.7.2](#)

OpenBSD has released source code patches at the following FTP links: [OpenBSD 3.8](#) and [OpenBSD 3.9](#)

OpenOffice.org has released updated software at the following link: [OpenOffice 3.2](#)

OpenPKG has released updated packages at the following FTP link: OpenPKG 2.5 - [openssl-0.9.8c-2.20060906](#)

OpenVPN has released updated software at the following link: [OpenVPN 2.0.8](#)

Opera has released an updated version at the following link: [Opera 9.02 or later](#)

Oracle has released patches for registered users at the following link: [Oracle](#)

Oracle has released updated software at the following links:

WebLogic Server 9.2

- Upgrade to [Maintenance Pack 1](#)

WebLogic Server 9.1

- Install patch CR295567 using the **Smart Update** tool

WebLogic Server 9.0

- Install the 9.0 GA Combo patch associated with Bug ID [CR239280](#)
- Apply patch [CR295567_900](#)

WebLogic Server and WebLogic Express version 8.1

- Upgrade to SP6
- Apply patch [CR295567_81sp6](#)
- Place the jar for the patch in the CLASSPATH before the weblogic.jar file

WebLogic Server and WebLogic Express version 7.0

- Upgrade to SP7
- Apply patch [CR295567_70sp7](#)
- Place the jar for the patch in the CLASSPATH before the weblogic.jar file

Red Hat packages can be updated using the **up2date** or **yum** command.

Secure Computing has released an updated version. Administrators are encouraged to contact the vendor for information on obtaining the update.

SGI has released patches for registered users at the following link: [Patch 10332](#)

Slackware packages can be updated using the **upgradepkg** command.

SSH Communications has released updated software at the following link: [SSH Tectia Downloads](#)

Sun has released patches at the following links:

- [JDK and JRE 5.0 Update 9](#) and later (for Windows, Solaris, and Linux)
- [J2SE 5.0](#)
- [J2SE 1.0.3_04](#)
- [J2SE 1.4.2](#)

SPARC

- Sun Java Enterprise System for Solaris 8 patch [119209-17](#) or later
- Sun Java Enterprise System for Solaris 9 with patch [119211-17](#) or later
- Sun Java Enterprise System for Solaris 10 with patch [119213-17](#) or later
- Solaris 9 with patch [113451-14](#) or later
- Solaris 9 SSH patches [122300-30](#) and [114356-14](#) or later
- Solaris 9 Packaging utilities patch [113713-26](#) or later
- Solaris 10 with patch [119213-17](#) or later
- Solaris 10 with patch [120011-14](#) or later
- Solaris 10 with patch [120011-14](#) or later
- Sun Java System Application Server Enterprise with patch [119169-22](#) or [119166-29](#)
- Sun Java System Application Server Platform with patch [119173-22](#) or [119166-29](#)
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.0 with [Service Pack 11](#), or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with [Service Pack 7](#) or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with patch [116648-20](#) or later
- Sun Java System Proxy Server 4.0 with [Service Pack 4](#) or later

Intel

- Sun Java Enterprise System for Solaris 9 with patch [119212-17](#) or later
- Sun Java Enterprise System for Solaris 10 with patch [119214-17](#) or later
- Solaris 9 with patch [114435-13](#) or later
- Solaris 9 SSH patches [114357-13](#) and [122301-30](#) or later
- Solaris 9 Packaging utilities patch [114568-25](#) or later
- Solaris 10 with patch [119214-17](#) or later
- Solaris 10 with patch [120012-14](#) or later
- Solaris 10 with patch [127128-11](#) or later
- Sun Java System Server Enterprise with patch [119170-22](#) or [119167-32](#)
- Sun Java System Server with patch [119174-22](#) or [119167-32](#)
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with [Service Pack 7](#) or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with patch [116649-21](#) or later
- Sun Java System Proxy Server 4.0 with [Service Pack 4](#) or later

J2SE 5.0

- J2SE 5.0: for Solaris 9 with patch [118666-17](#)
- J2SE 5.0: for Solaris 9 with patch [118667-17](#) (64bit)
- J2SE 5.0_x86: for Solaris 9 with patch [118668-17](#)
- J2SE 5.0_x86: for Solaris 9 with patch [118669-17](#) (64bit)

Linux Platform

- Sun Java Enterprise System for Linux with patch [121656-17](#) or later
- Sun Java System Server Enterprise without patch [119171-22](#) or [119168-29](#)
- Sun Java System Server Platform without patch [119175-22](#) or [119168-29](#)
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.0 with [Service Pack 11](#), or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with [Service Pack 7](#) or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with patch [118202-12](#) or later
- Sun Java System Proxy Server 4.0 with [Service Pack 4](#) or later

HP-UX Platform

- Sun Java Enterprise System for HP-UX with patch [124379-08](#) or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.0 with [Service Pack 11](#), or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with [Service Pack 7](#) or later
- Sun Java System Proxy Server 4.0 with [Service Pack 4](#) or later
- Sun Java System Application Server Enterprise Edition 8.1 2005 Q1 without patch [119172-22](#)
- Sun Java System Application Server Platform Edition 8.1 2005 Q1 without patch [119176-22](#)
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.0 with [Service Pack 11](#), or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with [Service Pack 7](#) or later
- Sun Java System Proxy Server 4.0 with [Service Pack 4](#) or later

AIX Platform

- Sun Java System Web Server 6.0 with [Service Pack 11](#) or later
- Sun Java System Web Server 6.1 with [Service Pack 7](#) or later

Sun has released patches for StarOffice/StarSuite for relevant platforms at the following link: [CVE-2006-4339](#)

SUSE has released updated packages; users can install the updates using **YaST**.

Trustix products can be updated using the **swup --upgrade** command.

Turbolinux packages can be updated using the **turbopkg** command.

Ubuntu has released updated packages; users can install the updates using **Update Manager**.

Van Dyke Technologies has released updated software at the following links:

[SecureCRT 5.2.2](#)
[SecureFX 4.0.2](#)

VMware has released patches at the following links:

[VMware ESX Server 3.0.1](#)
[VMware ESX Server 3.0.0](#)
[VMware ESX Server 2.5.4](#)
[VMware ESX Server 2.5.3](#)
[VMware ESX Server 2.1.3](#)
[VMware ESX Server 2.0.2](#)

VMware has released updated versions at the following links:

- [VMware ACE 1.0.5](#)
- [VMware ACE 2.0.1 or later](#)
- [VMware Player 1.0.6](#)
- [VMware Player 2.0.3](#)
- [VMware Workstation 5.5.6](#)
- [VMware Workstation 6.0.3](#)
- [VMware Server 1.0.5](#)

Exploitation and Public Announcements

The Cisco Product Security Incident Response Team (PSIRT) is not aware of any public announcements or malicious use of the vulnerability that is described in this advisory.

URL

<http://tools.cisco.com/security/center/content/CiscoSecurityAdvisory/Cisco-SA-20060905-CVE-2007-5810>

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