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Voice Console SN 2023-12-20 02 XSS

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It applies to:

Voice Console versions: v5.6.2 & v5.6.3

To mitigate the risk:

- Follow Resolution Description procedure.

Skills prerequisite:

Intermediate knowledge of burp suite.

Summary

Attention: This security notification informs users of Voice Console of a software vulnerability, identified as CVE-2023-6590. Honeywell recommends that immediate steps be taken to ensure this potential vulnerability is mitigated and the patch is installed on any production operating systems. Due to the wide variety of security controls, implementations, and interfaces, it is the responsibility of each customer to assess the potential impact within a specific operating environment.

Vulnerability Synopsis

Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) vulnerability in role creation.

CVSS Base Score: 6.1 (Medium)
Temporal Score: 5.9 (Medium)
CVSS Vector
http://www.first.org/cvss/calculator/3.0#CVSS:3.0/[vector].
Affected Products

The vulnerability affects the following product versions:

- Voice Console versions: v5.6.2 & v5.6.3

The Voice Console web application was found to be vulnerable to persistent XSS. Persistent XSS occurs when web application stores user input and later serves it to other users.

An application is vulnerable if it does not validate or filter user input before storing it and importantly, does not properly encode output before embedding it in HTML response pages.

Attackers can use this vulnerability to inject malicious scripts to be stored on the web server for later use. The payload is automatically served to the users visiting the affected pages and is executed in their context.

Mitigation

Honeywell recommends that customers with affected products should take the following steps to protect themselves:

- Upgrade appropriate to v5.6.2.001 if currently running v5.6.2
- Upgrade appropriate to v5.6.3.001 if currently running v5.6.3

Resolution Description

Honeywell has released update packages for Voice Console versions 5.6.2 and 5.6.3
The package can be downloaded by contacting Technical Support.

To install the update on any Voice Console Server:

1. Contact Technical Support to receive a link to Kiteworks
2. Download the Patch
3. Install the Patch per Tech Support instructions.

Prerequisites

- Appropriate Patch Files

Credit

Thanks to Christoph Van de Vondel, CaptureTech Belgium, for reporting this potential vulnerability.
Appendix: About CVSS

The Common Vulnerability Scoring System (CVSS) is an open standard for communicating the characteristics and severity of software vulnerabilities. The Base score represents the intrinsic qualities of a vulnerability. The Temporal score reflects the characteristics of a vulnerability that change over time. The Environmental score is an additional score that can be used by CVSS, but is not supplied as it will differ for each customer.

The Base score has a value ranging from 0 to 10. The Temporal score has the same range and is a modification of the Base score due to current temporary factors.

The severity of the score can be summarized as follows:

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A CVSS score is also represented as a vector string, a compressed textual representation of the values used to derive the score.

Detailed information about CVSS can be found at [http://www.first.org/cvss](http://www.first.org/cvss).

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