

Threat Update Service* Advisory

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Purpose: The Corero Security Active Response Team has issued this Prevention Advisory to protect customers against known attacks targeting the Apache Tomcat CVE-2014-0050 Denial-of-Service Vulnerability.

Issue: A denial of service vulnerability exists in the Apache Commons FileUpload module. This could allow an attacker to cause the application to stop responding on the affected system via a specially crafted request containing a very long boundary field.

Recommended Action: Apply the specified protection pack (or any later one) and ensure the associated rule is used to inspect traffic to the affected product infrastructure.

Issue Identifier	CVE-2014-0050
Advisory	http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/65400
Risk Assessment	Important Vulnerability
Threat Impact	Remotely exploitable vulnerability that could allow an attacker to cause a denial of service of an unprotected system.
Affected Products	Apache Tomcat version 8.0.0-RC1 or prior Apache Tomcat 7.0.0 through versions 7.0.50 Apache Commons FileUpload 1.0 through versions 1.3
Corero Products	IPS 5500 E-Series v6.60 (build 047 and later), v6.61 (build 021 and later), v6.62 (build 007 and later), v6.80 (build 035 and later).
Associated Rule	tIn-106800
Associated Rule Set	This rule is automatically enabled in the "Recommended Server Protection" rule set.

* previously called TopResponse

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