

Threat Update Service* Advisory
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Purpose: The Corero Security Active Response Team has issued this Prevention Advisory to protect customers against potential attacks targeting the Microsoft Word CVE-2013-3891 Memory Corruption Vulnerability.

Issue: Microsoft Word does not properly parse documents thereby corrupting system memory. This could allow an attacker to execute arbitrary code on the victim's machine by enticing the victim to open a specially crafted file. An attacker who successfully exploited this vulnerability could take complete control of an affected system.

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-2013-3891, MS13-086
Advisory	http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/security/bulletin/ms13-086
Risk Assessment	Critical Vulnerability
Threat Impact	Remotely exploitable vulnerability that could allow an attacker to gain full control of an unprotected system.
Affected Products	Microsoft Word 2003 Service Pack 3
Corero Products	IPS 5500 E-Series v5.34 (build 005 and later), v6.60 (build 047 and later), v6.61 (build 021 and later), v6.80 (build 035 and later).
Associated Rule	tln-106722
Associated Rule Set	This rule is automatically enabled in the "Recommended Client Protection" rule set.

* previously called TopResponse

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