

Threat Update Service* Advisory **Protection Pack 2013-02-08-02 Released February 8, 2013**

Purpose: The Corero Security Active Response Team has issued this Prevention Advisory to protect customers against known attacks targeting the Samsung Kies Remote Buffer Overflow Vulnerability.

Issue: A buffer overflow vulnerability exists in Samsung Kies because it does not properly validate user supplied input before copying it into a fixed length buffer. This could allow an attacker to execute arbitrary code on the victim's machine by enticing the victim to open a specially crafted website. 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.

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| Issue Identifier | CVE-2012-6429 |
| Advisory | http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/57249/ |
| Risk Assessment | Critical Vulnerability |
| Threat Impact | Remotely exploitable vulnerability that could allow an attacker to gain full control of an unprotected system. |
| Affected Products | Samsung Kies 2.5.0.12114_1 |
| Corero Products | IPS 5500 E-Series and later. |
| Associated Rule | tln-106578 |
| Associated Rule Set | This rule is automatically enabled in the "Recommended Client Protection" rule set. |

* previously called TopResponse

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