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NCSC Alert

Critical Vulnerability exists in SolarWinds Serv-U (CVE-2024-28995, CVSSv3: 7.5)

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Description

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Vendor: SolarWinds

Product: SolarWinds Serv-U CVE ID: CVE-2024-28995 CVSS3.0 Score¹: 7.5 EPSS²: 0.995040000

Summary: SolarWinds Serv-U was susceptible to a directory transversal vulnerability that would allow

access to read sensitive files on the host machine.

More information related to this issue can be found at the following link:

• https://www.solarwinds.com/trust-center/security-advisories/CVE-2024-28995

Products Affected

SolarWinds SolarWinds Serv-U

Impact

Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE)³: CWE-22 Improper Limitation of a Pathname to a Restricted Directory ('Path Traversal')

Present in CISA Known Exploited Vulnerability(KEV)⁴ catalog: YES

Recommendations

The NCSC strongly advises affected organisations to review the latest release notes and install the relevant updates from SolarWinds .

Additional recommendations and mitigations for CVE-2024-28995 can be found in the respective link below:

• https://www.solarwinds.com/trust-center/security-advisories/CVE-2024-28995

¹https://www.first.org/cvss/v3.0/specification-document

²https://www.first.org/epss/articles/prob_percentile_bins

³https://cwe.mitre.org/

⁴https://www.cisa.gov/known-exploited-vulnerabilities-catalog

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