



Advisory Alert

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Overview

Product	Severity	Vulnerability
Redhat Enterprise Linux	High	Kernel Memory Corruption

Description

Affected Product	Redhat Enterprise Linux
Severity	High
Affected Vulnerability	Kernel Memory Corruption (CVE-2020-12657)
Description	This vulnerability allows a local user who is able to access system memory to cause kernel memory corruption and possibly privilege escalation using a race condition in the IO scheduler
Affected Products	Red Hat Enterprise Linux for x86_64 Red Hat Enterprise Linux for x86_64 - Extended Update Support 8.2 Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server - AUS 8.2 Red Hat Enterprise Linux for Power, little endian Red Hat Enterprise Linux for Power, little endian - Extended Update Support 8.2 Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server - TUS 8.2 Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server (for IBM Power LE) - Update Services for SAP Solutions 8.2 Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server - Update Services for SAP Solutions 8.2
Officially Acknowledged by the Vendor	Yes
Patch/ Workaround Released	Yes
Reference	https://access.redhat.com/errata/RHSA-2020:2567 https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2020-12657

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