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## Nagios Core 4.4.5 — URL Injection (CVE-2020-13977)

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### I. OVERVIEW

- Discoverer: Aishee – UraSec Team
- Vendor & Product: Nagios Core
- Version: Nagios Core 4.4.5
- CVE Reference: CVE-2020-13977

### II. ABOUT NAGIOS CORE

Nagios is a free and open-source computer-software application that monitors systems, networks and infrastructure. Nagios offers monitoring and alerting services for servers, switches, applications and services. It alerts users when things go wrong and alerts them a second time when the problem has been resolved.

### III. VULNERABILITY DETAILS

Location: Alert Histogram and Trends function.

I could insert malicious files in Alert Histogram and Trends function, only need setup other server and compile nagios file objectjson.cgi, archivejson.cgi, statusjson.cgi and copy to server.

Video POC



### IV. IMPACT

- Insert content that is harmful to users
- Ability to escalate exploits creating backdoors for applications
- ..etc

### V. REMEDIATION

<https://www.nagios.org/projects/nagios-core/history/4x/>

<https://github.com/sawolf/nagioscore/tree/url-injection-fix>

### VI. REPORT TIMELINE

- 04/12/2020: Discovered the vulnerability
- 04/12/2020: Responsible disclosure to Nagios Enterprise security@nagios.com
- 04/18/2020: Nagios Enterprise confirmed the issue and released a branch fix

**VII. THANKS TO**

- [swolf@nagios.com](mailto:swolf@nagios.com) confirm issue and fix.



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