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Insufficient Session Expiration After Password Change in cockpit-hq/cockpit



✓ Valid) Reported on Aug 5th 2022

Description

During my test, I found that in Cockpit v 2.1.2, the application was not validating the request after password change. This allows attacker to update user account details even after admin changes password.

Steps to Reproduce:

Login with your account and click on click on "Account Settings" and update your details and intercept the request in Burpsuite/Owasp Zap.

Now change your account password and try changing your account details from from the request we just captured before changing password.

You will notice that the application returns following response.

{"error": "401", "message":"Unauthorized request"}

Now refresh the page. You will notice that our admins account details have successfully changed.

Proof Of Concept:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1yqwYB1o8jfXtPUTgQ_yzI_sRqkfAyXx3/vie w?usp=sharing

Impact

If admin's account gets compromised, even if admin changes his password, attacker is still able to update admin account details and perform malicious actions.

CVE

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CWE-613: Insufficient Session Expiration

Severity

High (8.6)

Registry

Other

Affected Version

2.1.2 (2022-08-04)

Visibility

Public

Status

Fixed

Found by



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Fixed by



Artur

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maintainer

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We are processing your report and will contact the **cockpit-hq/cockpit** team within 24 hours. 4 months ago

We created a **GitHub Issue** asking the maintainers to create a **SECURITY.md** 4 months ago

We have contacted a member of the **cockpit-hq/cockpit** team and are waiting to hear back 4 months ago

Artur validated this vulnerability 4 months ago

I can validate the issue and will provide a fix. Thanks for reporting!

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