

## Arbitrary Command Injection

Affecting [kill-by-port](#) package, versions <0.0.2

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### How to fix?

Upgrade `kill-by-port` to version 0.0.2 or higher.

### Overview

`kill-by-port` is a kills process by port

Affected versions of this package are vulnerable to Arbitrary Command Injection. If (attacker-controlled) user input is given to the `killByPort` function, it is possible for an attacker to execute arbitrary commands. This is due to use of the `child_process.exec` function without input sanitization.

### PoC (provided by reporter):

```
var kill_by_port = require('kill-by-port');

kill_by_port.killByPort(`${touch success}`);
```

A file called `success` will be created as a result of the execution of `touch success`.

### References

- [GitHub Commit](#)
- [Vulnerable Code](#)

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