


Path Traversal in socket.io-file

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Vulnerability details Dependabot alerts 0

Package

 **socket.io-file** (npm)

Affected versions

<= 2.0.31

Patched versions

None

Description

All versions of `socket.io-file` are vulnerable to Path Traversal. The package fails to sanitize user input and uses it to generate the file upload paths. The `socket.io-file::createFile` message contains a `name` option that is passed directly to `path.join()`. It is possible to upload files to arbitrary folders on the server by sending relative paths on the `name` value, such as `../../test.js`. The `uploadDir` and `rename` options can be used to define the file upload path.

References

- <https://www.npmjs.com/advisories/1519>
- <https://nvd.nist.gov/vuln/detail/CVE-2020-15779>
- [GHSA-9h4g-27m8-qjrg](https://github.com/rico345100/socket.io-file)
- <https://github.com/rico345100/socket.io-file>
- <https://www.npmjs.com/package/socket.io-file>

Severity

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CVSS base metrics	
Attack vector	Network
Attack complexity	Low
Privileges required	None
User interaction	None
Scope	Unchanged
Confidentiality	None
Integrity	High
Availability	None

CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:H/A:N

Weaknesses

CWE-22

CVE ID

CVE-2020-15779

GHSA ID

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Source code

[rico345100/socket.io-file](https://github.com/rico345100/socket.io-file)

This advisory has been edited. [See History](#).

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