

Pagina 5 - New Chrome Zero-Day Actively Exploited; Google Issues Emergency Out-of-Band Patch

Classificações de Malware:

- exploit (Exploit)
- cve (Exploit)
- virus (Virus)
- infected (Virus)
- trojan (Trojan)
- adware (Adware)
- ads (Adware)
- backdoor (Backdoor)
- rat (Backdoor)
- ransomware (Ransomware)
- crypto (Ransomware)
- trojanized (Trojan)
- infection (Virus)

Google on Monday released out-of-band fixes to address three security issues in its Chrome browser, including one that it said has come under active exploitation in the wild. The high-severity flaw is being tracked as CVE-2025-5419 (CVSS score: 8.8), and has been flagged as an out-of-bounds read and write vulnerability in the V8 JavaScript and WebAssembly engine. "Out-of-bounds read and write in V8 in Google Chrome prior to 137.0.7151.68 allowed a remote attacker to potentially exploit heap corruption via a crafted HTML page," reads the description of the bug on the NIST's National Vulnerability Database (NVD). Google credited Clement Lecigne and Benoit Seven of Google Threat Analysis Group (TAG) with discovering and reporting the flaw on May 27, 2025. It also noted that the issue was addressed the next day by pushing out a configuration change to the Stable version of the browser across all platforms. As is customary, the advisory is light on details regarding the nature of the attack, acknowledging the vulnerability or the identity of the threat actors perpetrating them. This is done so to e

nsure that a majority of users are updated with a fix and to prevent other bad actors from joining the exploit
ation bandwagon."Google is aware that an exploit for CVE-2025-5419 exists in the wild,"
the tech giantacknowledge
dged.CVE-2025-5419 is the second actively exploited zero-day to be patched by Google
this year afterCVE-2025-2
783(CVSS score: 8.3), which was identified by Kaspersky as being weaponized in attacks
targeting organizations
in Russia.Users are recommended to upgrade to Chrome version 137.0.7151.68/.69 for
Windows and macOS, and ver
sion 137.0.7151.68 for Linux to safeguard against potential threats. Users of
Chromium-based browsers such as
Microsoft Edge, Brave, Opera, and Vivaldi are also advised to apply the fixes as and when
they become availabl
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multi-channel scams befo
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