Vulnerability in gd — (RHSA-2004-638)

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Risk Level: Low
Advisory Version: 1.0

Advisory Status: Interim

Overview:

Multiple security vulnerabilities were discovered in the gd graphics library. These vulnerabilities could allow a remote attacker to execute arbitrary code or cause a denial of service (DoS) against gd. Although certain Avaya products ship with vulnerable versions of gd, this library is not utilized and therefore these products are not affected by this vulnerability. The Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures project (cve.mitre.org) has assigned the names CAN-2004-0941 and CAN-2004-0990 to these issues.

More information about this vulnerability can be found in the security advisory issued by Red Hat <https://rhn.redhat.com/errata/RHSA-2004-638.html>.

Recommended Actions: For all system products which use vulnerable versions of gd libraries, Avaya recommends that customers restrict local access to the server. This restriction should be enforced through the use of physical security, firewalls, ACLs, VPNs, and other generally-accepted networking practices until such time as an update becomes available and can be installed.

System Products with gd installed:

Product	Affected S/W Version	Actions
Avaya™ S8710/S8700/S8500/S8300	All versions	Follow the recommended actions above. The affected package will be removed in future versions of the product.
Avaya™ Converged Communication Server	All versions	Follow the recommended actions above. The affected package will be removed in future versions of the product.
Avaya™ Intuity LX	Versions 1.1-5.x	Follow the recommended actions above. The affected package will be removed in future versions of the product.
Avaya™ Modular Messaging	Version 1.x-2.0	Follow the recommended actions above. The affected package will be removed in future versions of the product.
Avaya™ MN100	All	Follow the recommended actions

	versions	above. The affected package will be removed in future versions of the product.
Avaya™ Network Routing	All versions	Follow the recommended actions above. The affected package will be removed in future versions of the product.

Avaya Software-Only Products

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In the case of this advisory, Avaya software-only products are not affected by the vulnerability directly but the underlying Linux platform may be. Customers should determine on which Linux operating system the product was installed and then follow that vendor's guidance:

Software-Only Products

Product	Affected S/W Version	Actions
Avaya™ CVLAN	All versions	gd may be installed on the Operating System upon which customers installed the CVLAN application. The CVLAN application does not require CUPS. Avaya recommends that customers follow recommended actions supplied by the Operating System vendor (e.g. Red Hat) or disable/remove the affected application.
Avaya™ Integrated Management	All versions	gd may be installed on the Operating System upon which customers installed Integrated Management. Integrated Management does not require CUPS. Avaya recommends that customers follow recommended actions supplied by the Operating System vendor (e.g. Red Hat) or disable/remove the affected application.

Additional Information: Additional information may also be available via the Avaya support website (http://support.avaya.com) and through your Avaya account representative. Please contact your Avaya product support representative, or dial 1-866-GO-AVAYA, with any questions.

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V 1.0 – January 18, 2005 – Initial statement issued.

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