

## SSA-000072: Multiple File Parsing Vulnerabilities in Simcenter Femap

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CVSS v4.0 Base Score: 7.3

### SUMMARY

Simcenter Femap contains multiple file parsing vulnerabilities that could be triggered when the application reads files in Catia MODEL file formats. If a user is tricked to open a malicious file with any of the affected products, this could lead the application to crash or potentially lead to arbitrary code execution.

Siemens has released a new version for Simcenter Femap and recommends to update to the latest version.

### AFFECTED PRODUCTS AND SOLUTION

Affected Product and Versions	Remediation
Simcenter Femap: All versions < V2401.0000 affected by <a href="#">CVE-2024-24920</a> , <a href="#">CVE-2024-24921</a> , <a href="#">CVE-2024-24922</a> , <a href="#">CVE-2024-24923</a>	Update to V2401.0000 or later version <a href="https://support.sw.siemens.com/">https://support.sw.siemens.com/</a> See further recommendations from section <a href="#">Workarounds and Mitigations</a>
Simcenter Femap: All versions < V2306.0001 affected by <a href="#">CVE-2024-24923</a>	Update to V2306.0001 or later version <a href="https://support.sw.siemens.com/">https://support.sw.siemens.com/</a> See further recommendations from section <a href="#">Workarounds and Mitigations</a>
Simcenter Femap: All versions < V2306.0000 affected by <a href="#">CVE-2024-24924</a> , <a href="#">CVE-2024-24925</a> , <a href="#">CVE-2024-27907</a>	Update to V2306.0000 or later version <a href="https://support.sw.siemens.com/">https://support.sw.siemens.com/</a> See further recommendations from section <a href="#">Workarounds and Mitigations</a>

### WORKAROUNDS AND MITIGATIONS

Siemens has identified the following specific workarounds and mitigations that customers can apply to reduce the risk:

- Do not open untrusted Catia MODEL files from using Simcenter Femap

Product-specific remediations or mitigations can be found in the section [Affected Products and Solution](#). Please follow the [General Security Recommendations](#).

## **GENERAL SECURITY RECOMMENDATIONS**

As a general security measure, Siemens strongly recommends to protect network access to devices with appropriate mechanisms. In order to operate the devices in a protected IT environment, Siemens recommends to configure the environment according to Siemens' operational guidelines for Industrial Security (Download: <https://www.siemens.com/cert/operational-guidelines-industrial-security>), and to follow the recommendations in the product manuals. Additional information on Industrial Security by Siemens can be found at: <https://www.siemens.com/industrialsecurity>

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Simcenter Femap is an advanced simulation application for creating, editing, and inspecting finite element models of complex products or systems.

## **VULNERABILITY DESCRIPTION**

This chapter describes all vulnerabilities (CVE-IDs) addressed in this security advisory. Wherever applicable, it also documents the product-specific impact of the individual vulnerabilities.

### **Vulnerability CVE-2024-24920**

The affected application contains an out of bounds write past the end of an allocated buffer while parsing a specially crafted Catia MODEL file. This could allow an attacker to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-21710)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-787: Out-of-bounds Write

### **Vulnerability CVE-2024-24921**

The affected application is vulnerable to memory corruption while parsing specially crafted Catia MODEL files. This could allow an attacker to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-21712)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-119: Improper Restriction of Operations within the Bounds of a Memory Buffer

### **Vulnerability CVE-2024-24922**

The affected application contains an out of bounds write past the end of an allocated buffer while parsing a specially crafted Catia MODEL file. This could allow an attacker to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-21715)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-787: Out-of-bounds Write

**Vulnerability CVE-2024-24923**

The affected applications contain an out of bounds read past the end of an allocated structure while parsing specially crafted Catia MODEL files. This could allow an attacker to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-22055)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-125: Out-of-bounds Read

**Vulnerability CVE-2024-24924**

The affected application contains an out of bounds write past the end of an allocated buffer while parsing a specially crafted Catia MODEL file. This could allow an attacker to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-22059)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-787: Out-of-bounds Write

**Vulnerability CVE-2024-24925**

The affected application is vulnerable to uninitialized pointer access while parsing specially crafted Catia MODEL files. An attacker could leverage this vulnerability to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-22060)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-824: Access of Uninitialized Pointer

**Vulnerability CVE-2024-27907**

The affected application contains an out of bounds write past the end of an allocated buffer while parsing a specially crafted Catia MODEL file. This could allow an attacker to execute code in the context of the current process. (ZDI-CAN-22051)

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.8
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CVSS v4.0 Base Score	7.3
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:4.0/AV:L/AC:H/AT:N/PR:N/UI:P/VC:H/VI:H/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N/SA:N</a>
CWE	CWE-787: Out-of-bounds Write

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## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

For further inquiries on security vulnerabilities in Siemens products and solutions, please contact the Siemens ProductCERT:

<https://www.siemens.com/cert/advisories>

## **HISTORY DATA**

V1.0 (2024-02-13): Publication Date

V1.1 (2024-03-12): Added CVE-2024-27907 fixed in Simcenter Femap V2306.0000

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