

## **SSA-077170: Multiple Vulnerabilities in SINEC INS before V1.0 SP2 Update 2**

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Current Version: V1.0  
CVSS v3.1 Base Score: 8.1

### **SUMMARY**

SINEC INS before V1.0 SP2 Update 2 is affected by multiple vulnerabilities.

Siemens has released an update for SINEC INS and recommends to update to the latest version.

### **AFFECTED PRODUCTS AND SOLUTION**

<b>Affected Product and Versions</b>	<b>Remediation</b>
SINEC INS: All versions < V1.0 SP2 Update 2	Update to V1.0 SP2 Update 2 or later version <a href="https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109825710/">https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109825710/</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:

- Restrict access to application webserver for trusted users only

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**

SINEC INS (Infrastructure Network Services) is a web-based application that combines various network services in one tool. This simplifies installation and administration of all network services relevant for industrial networks.

## **VULNERABILITY CLASSIFICATION**

The vulnerability classification has been performed by using the CVSS scoring system in version 3.1 (CVSS v3.1) (<https://www.first.org/cvss/>). The CVSS environmental score is specific to the customer's environment and will impact the overall CVSS score. The environmental score should therefore be individually defined by the customer to accomplish final scoring.

An additional classification has been performed using the CWE classification, a community-developed list of common software security weaknesses. This serves as a common language and as a baseline for weakness identification, mitigation, and prevention efforts. A detailed list of CWE classes can be found at: <https://cwe.mitre.org/>.

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-0464**

A security vulnerability has been identified in all supported versions of OpenSSL related to the verification of X.509 certificate chains that include policy constraints. Attackers may be able to exploit this vulnerability by creating a malicious certificate chain that triggers exponential use of computational resources, leading to a denial-of-service (DoS) attack on affected systems.

Policy processing is disabled by default but can be enabled by passing the `-policy` argument to the command line utilities or by calling the `X509_VERIFY_PARAM_set1_policies()` function.

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.5
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CWE	CWE-295: Improper Certificate Validation

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-27538**

libcurl would reuse a previously created connection even when an SSH related option had been changed that should have prohibited reuse. libcurl keeps previously used connections in a connection pool for subsequent transfers to reuse if one of them matches the setup. However, two SSH settings were left out from the configuration match checks, making them match too easily.

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.5
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:H/A:N/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CWE	CWE-20: Improper Input Validation

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-48427**

Affected products do not properly validate the certificate of the configured UMC server. This could allow an attacker to intercept credentials that are sent to the UMC server as well as to manipulate responses, potentially allowing an attacker to escalate privileges.

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	8.1
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:H/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CWE	CWE-295: Improper Certificate Validation

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-48428**

The radius configuration mechanism of affected products does not correctly check uploaded certificates. A malicious admin could upload a crafted certificate resulting in a denial-of-service condition or potentially issue commands on system level.

CVSS v3.1 Base Score	7.2
CVSS Vector	<a href="#">CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:H/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C</a>
CWE	CWE-78: Improper Neutralization of Special Elements used in an OS Command ('OS Command Injection')

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-48429**

The Web UI of affected devices does not check the length of parameters in certain conditions. This allows a malicious admin to crash the server by sending a crafted request to the server. The server will automatically restart.

CVSS v3.1 Base Score     2.7  
CVSS Vector             CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:H/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:L/E:P/RL:O/RC:C  
CWE                     CWE-394: Unexpected Status Code or Return Value

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-48430**

The REST API of affected devices does not check the length of parameters in certain conditions. This allows a malicious admin to crash the server by sending a crafted request to the API. The server will automatically restart.

CVSS v3.1 Base Score     2.7  
CVSS Vector             CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:H/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:N/A:L/E:P/RL:O/RC:C  
CWE                     CWE-392: Missing Report of Error Condition

### **Vulnerability CVE-2023-48431**

Affected software does not correctly validate the response received by an UMC server. An attacker can use this to crash the affected software by providing and configuring a malicious UMC server or by manipulating the traffic from a legitimate UMC server (i.e. leveraging CVE-2023-48427).

CVSS v3.1 Base Score     6.8  
CVSS Vector             CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:H/PR:N/UI:N/S:C/C:N/I:N/A:H/E:P/RL:O/RC:C  
CWE                     CWE-754: Improper Check for Unusual or Exceptional Conditions

## **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**

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