SSA-292794: Multiple Denial-of-Service Vulnerabilities in SINEMA Remote Connect Server

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Current Version: V1.0
CVSS v3.1 Base Score: 7.5

SUMMARY

The latest update for SINEMA Remote Connect Server fixes two Denial-of-Service vulnerabilities in the underlying third-party XML parser.
Siemens has released updates for the affected product and recommends to update to the latest versions.

AFFECTED PRODUCTS AND SOLUTION

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<td>All versions &lt; V3.0</td>
<td>Update to V3.0 <a href="https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109793790">https://support.industry.siemens.com/cs/ww/en/view/109793790</a></td>
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WORKAROUNDS AND MITIGATIONS

Siemens has not identified any specific mitigations or workarounds. Please follow 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

SINEMA Remote Connect ensures management of secure connections (VPN) between headquarters, service technicians and the installed machines or plants.

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-2019-19956**

xmlParseBalancedChunkMemoryRecover in parser.c in libxml2 before 2.9.10 has a memory leak related to newDoc->oldNs.

- CVSS v3.1 Base Score: 7.5
- CWE: CWE-772: Missing Release of Resource after Effective Lifetime

**Vulnerability CVE-2020-7595**

xmlStringLengths in parser.c in libxml2 2.9.10 has an infinite loop in a certain end-of-file situation.

- CVSS v3.1 Base Score: 7.5
- CWE: CWE-835: Loop with Unreachable Exit Condition ('Infinite Loop')

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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

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**HISTORY DATA**

V1.0 (2021-04-13): Publication Date

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