SSA-854248: Information Disclosure Vulnerability in Mendix ExcelImporter Module

**Summary**

The latest update of Mendix Excel Importer module fixes an information disclosure vulnerability. Mendix has released an update for the Mendix Excel Importer module and recommends to update to the latest version.

**Affected Products and Solution**

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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](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](https://www.siemens.com/industrialsecurity)

**Product Description**

The Excel Importer module enables importing Excel data sheets into Mendix applications.

**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/](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/.

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Uploading a manipulated XML File results in an exception that could expose information about the Application-Server and the used XML-Framework.

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<td>CWE</td>
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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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**HISTORY DATA**

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