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## **NCSC Alert**

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### **Critical Vulnerabilities in ServiceNow Now Platform**

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## Description

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**Vendor:** ServiceNow

**Product:** Now Platform

### CVE IDs:

- CVE-2024-4879 (EPSS: 0.996100000 | CVSS3: 9.8)
- CVE-2024-5217 (EPSS: 0.995130000 | CVSS3: 9.8)
- CVE-2024-5178 (EPSS: 0.093980000 <sup>1</sup> | CVSS3: null)

- For up to date EPSS Score Click here: <https://api.first.org/data/v1/epss?cve=CVE-2024-4879>

Two critical and one medium severity vulnerabilities discovered in ServiceNow's Now platform Console have been found to be under active exploitation [CVE-2024-4879](#), [CVE-2024-5217](#) and [CVE-2024-5178](#) respectively.

## Products Affected

**Utah release** any version prior to the following patches and hotfixes:

- Patch 10 hotfix 3
- Patch 10a hot fix 2

**Vancouver release** any version prior to the following patches and hotfixes:

- Patch 6 Hot Fix 2
- Patch 7 Hot Fix 3b
- Patch 8 Hot Fix 4
- Patch 9
- Patch 10

**Washington Release** any version prior to the following patches and hotfixes:

- DC Patch 1 Hot Fix 2b
- DC Patch 2 Hot Fix 2
- DC Patch 3 Hot Fix 1
- DC Patch 4

<sup>1</sup>[https://www.first.org/epss/articles/prob\\_percentile\\_bins](https://www.first.org/epss/articles/prob_percentile_bins)

## Impact

CVE-2024-4879 an input validation vulnerability that was identified in Vancouver and Washington DC Now Platform releases. This vulnerability could enable an unauthenticated user to remotely execute code within the context of the Now Platform.

CVE-2024-5217 an input validation vulnerability that was identified in the Washington DC, Vancouver, and earlier Now Platform releases. This vulnerability could enable an unauthenticated user to remotely execute code within the context of the Now Platform

CVE-2024-5178 a sensitive file read vulnerability that was identified in the Washington DC, Vancouver, and Utah Now Platform releases. This vulnerability could allow an administrative user to gain unauthorised access to sensitive files on the web application server.

## Recommendations

Listed below are the patches and hot fixes that address the vulnerability. If you have not done so already, we recommend applying security patches relevant to your instance as soon as possible.

### Utah release

- Patch 10 hotfix 3
- Patch 10a hot fix 2

### Vancouver release

- Patch 6 Hot Fix 2
- Patch 7 Hot Fix 3b
- Patch 8 Hot Fix 4
- Patch 9
- Patch 10

### Washington Release

- DC Patch 1 Hot Fix 2b
- DC Patch 2 Hot Fix 2
- DC Patch 3 Hot Fix 1
- DC Patch 4

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