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### Critical Vulnerability exists in Palo Alto Networks Cortex XSOAR CommonScripts (CVE-2024-5914)

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## Description

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**Vendor:** Palo Alto Networks

**Product:** Cortex XSOAR CommonScripts

**CVE ID:** CVE-2024-5914

**CVSS 4.0 Score<sup>1</sup>:** 7.0

**EPSS<sup>2</sup>:** 0.095050000 - For up to date EPSS Score Click here: <https://api.first.org/data/v1/epss?cve=CVE-2024-5914>

**Summary:** A command injection issue in Palo Alto Networks Cortex XSOAR CommonScripts Pack allows an unauthenticated attacker to execute arbitrary commands within the context of an integration container.

More information related to this issue can be found at the following link(s):

<https://security.paloaltonetworks.com/CVE-2024-5914>

## Products Affected

- Palo Alto Networks Cortex XSOAR CommonScripts all versions prior to 1.12.33

To be exposed, an integration must make use of the ScheduleGenericPolling or GenericPollingScheduledTask scripts from the CommonScripts pack.

## Impact

**Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE)<sup>3</sup>:** CWE-77 Improper Neutralization of Special Elements used in a Command ("Command Injection")

**Present in CISA Known Exploited Vulnerability(KEV)<sup>4</sup> catalog:** NO

## Recommendations

The NCSC strongly advises affected organisations to review the latest release notes and install the relevant updates from Palo Alto Networks.

Additional recommendations and mitigation's for CVE-2024-5914 can be found in the respective link(s) below:

<https://security.paloaltonetworks.com/CVE-2024-5914>

<sup>1</sup><https://www.first.org/cvss/v3.0/specification-document>

<sup>2</sup>[https://www.first.org/epss/articles/prob\\_percentile\\_bins](https://www.first.org/epss/articles/prob_percentile_bins)

<sup>3</sup><https://cwe.mitre.org/>

<sup>4</sup><https://www.cisa.gov/known-exploited-vulnerabilities-catalog>

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