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# NCSC Advisory

A Critical Vulnerability Exists in Palo Alto Networks PAN-OS Software CVE-2025-0108

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# Description

CVE ID: CVE-2025-0108

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Vendor: Palo Alto Networks

Product: PAN-OS

CVSS Score<sup>1</sup>: 8.8

### **Products Affected**

Version	Affected
PAN-OS 11.2	< 11.2.4-h4
PAN-OS 11.1	< 11.1.6-h1
PAN-OS 10.2	< 10.2.7-h24 < 10.2.8-h21 < 10.2.9-h21 < 10.2.12-h6 < 10.2.13-h3
PAN-OS 10.1	< 10.1.14-h9

# Impact

An authentication bypass in the Palo Alto Networks PAN-OS software enables an unauthenticated attacker with network access to the management web interface to bypass the authentication otherwise required by the PAN-OS management web interface and invoke certain PHP scripts. While invoking these PHP scripts does not enable remote code execution, it can negatively impact integrity and confidentiality of PAN-OS.

You can greatly reduce the risk of this issue by restricting access to the management web interface to only trusted internal IP addresses according to Palo Altos recommended best practices deployment guidelines found <u>here</u>.

This issue does not affect Cloud NGFW or Prisma Access software.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.first.org/cvss/v4.0/specification-document



**Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE)**<sup>2</sup>**:** CWE-306: Missing Authentication for Critical Function

Known Exploited Vulnerability (KEV) catalog<sup>3</sup>: Yes

Used by Ransomware Operators: N/A

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> <u>https://cwe.mitre.org</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> https://www.cisa.gov/known-exploited-vulnerabilities-catalog





## Recommendations

The NCSC strongly recommends installing updates for vulnerable systems with the highest priority, after thorough testing. Affected organisations should review the latest release notes and install the relevant updates from Palo Alto Networks.

- https://nvd.nist.gov/vuln/detail/CVE-2025-0108
- https://www.cve.org/CVERecord?id=CVE-2025-0108
- https://security.paloaltonetworks.com/CVE-2025-0108



