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### Multiple RCE Vulnerabilities in Atlassian products

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## Description

Atlassian has released its security bulletin for July 2023 to address Remote Code Execution (RCE) vulnerabilities in Confluence Data Center and Server ([CVE-2023-22505](#) and [CVE-2023-22508](#)) and Bamboo Data Center ([CVE-2023-22506](#)). These RCE vulnerabilities can be exploited to take control of an affected system.

The Atlassian Security Bulletin can be found here: <https://confluence.atlassian.com/security/security-bulletin-july-18-2023-1251417643.html>.

## Products Affected

The following supported products are affected:

- Version 8.0.0 of Confluence Data Center and Server
- Version 7.4.0 of Confluence Data Center and Server
- Version 8.0.0 of Bamboo Data Center

## Impact

**CVE-2023-22505:** This RCE vulnerability allows an authenticated attacker to execute arbitrary code which has a high impact to confidentiality, high impact to integrity, high impact to availability, and no user interaction.

**CVE-2023-22508:** This RCE vulnerability allows an authenticated attacker to execute arbitrary code which has a high impact to confidentiality, high impact to integrity, high impact to availability, and no user interaction.

**CVE-2023-22506:** This code injection and RCE vulnerability allows an authenticated attacker to modify the actions taken by a system call and execute arbitrary code which has a high impact to confidentiality, high impact to integrity, high impact to availability, and no user interaction.

## Recommendations

The NCSC strongly advises affected organisations to review the latest Atlassian Security Bulletin and apply available patches immediately. Further information can be found here:

- <https://confluence.atlassian.com/security/security-bulletin-july-18-2023-1251417643.html>
- <https://jira.atlassian.com/browse/CONFSERVER-88265>
- <https://jira.atlassian.com/browse/BAM-22400>
- <https://jira.atlassian.com/browse/CONFSERVER-88221>

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