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# THREAT ADVISORY

 **VULNERABILITY REPORT**

## **A Critical Vulnerability That Affects ManageEngine Products**

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# Summary

**First Seen:** October 2022

**Affected Product:** ManageEngine products

**Impact:** The vulnerability allows for Remote code execution can lead to the attacker gaining control of the compromised system.

## CVEs

CVE	NAME	PATCH
CVE-2022-47966	Remote code execution vulnerability in ManageEngine products	
CVE-2022-22972	Authentication bypass vulnerability in VMware products	
CVE-2022-28219	XXE vulnerability in Zoho ManageEngine ADAudit Plus	
CVE-2022-1388	Remote code execution vulnerability in F5 BIG-IP	

# Vulnerability Details

## #1

A critical vulnerability in several ManageEngine products allows for remote code execution (RCE) without authentication. This vulnerability is tracked as CVE-2022-47966 and is caused by an outdated third-party dependency, Apache Santuario. This vulnerability affects almost all ManageEngine products and allows unauthenticated attackers to execute arbitrary code if the SAML-based single-sign-on (SSO) is or was enabled at least once before the attack.

## #2

Zoho has already patched the vulnerability by updating the third-party module to a more recent version. The researchers have created a proof-of-concept (PoC) exploit for the vulnerability and have warned that it is a good candidate for attackers to "spray and pray" across the internet. In addition to this, there are also a few other exploit codes that have been previously released by Horizon3.

## Vulnerability

CVE ID	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	AFFECTED CPE	CWE ID
CVE-2022-47966	ManageEngine products	cpe:2.3:a:manageengine:manageengine_access_manager_plus:4.3:4307:*:*:*:*:*	CWE-20
CVE-2022-22972	VMware Products	cpe:2.3:a:vmware:vmware_workspace_one_access:21.08.0.1:*:*:*:*:*	CWE-287
CVE-2022-28219	Zoho ManageEngine ADAudit Plus: 7000 - 7055	cpe:2.3:a:zohocorp:adaudit_plus:7055:*:*:*:*:*	CWE-611
CVE-2022-1388	BIG-IP: 11.6.1 - 16.1.2.1	cpe:2.3:h:f5_networks:big-ip:16.1.0:*:*:*:*:*	CWE-306

# Recommendations



## Security Leaders

Asset and vulnerability management solutions should be implemented to ensure that all internet-accessible devices are secure, patched, updated, hardened, and monitored. Integrate and communicate all lessons learned.



## Security Engineers

- **Uni5 Users:** This is an actionable threat advisory in HivePro Uni5. Prioritize the vulnerability, identify the impacted assets, and patch them through your Command Center. Test your controls with Uni5's Breach & Attack Simulation.
- **All Engineers:** Refer to and action upon the 'Potential MITRE ATT&CK TTPs' on the following pages.

## Potential MITRE ATT&CK TTPs

<b><u>TA0005</u></b> Defense Evasion	<b><u>TA0001</u></b> Initial Access	<b><u>TA0002</u></b> Execution	<b><u>TA0043</u></b> Reconnaissance
<b><u>TA0003</u></b> Persistence	<b><u>TA0042</u></b> Resource Development	<b><u>T1190</u></b> Exploit Public-Facing Application	<b><u>T1078</u></b> Valid Accounts
<b><u>T1588</u></b> Obtain Capabilities	<b><u>T1588.006</u></b> Vulnerabilities	<b><u>T1588.005</u></b> Exploits	<b><u>T1203</u></b> Exploitation for Client Execution
<b><u>T1509</u></b> Command and Scripting Interpreter			

## Patch Links

<https://www.manageengine.com/products/active-directory-audit/cve-2022-28219.html>

<https://www.vmware.com/security/advisories/VMSA-2022-0014.html>

<https://support.f5.com/csp/article/K23605346>

<https://www.manageengine.com/security/advisory/CVE/cve-2022-47966.html>

## References

<https://www.bleepingcomputer.com/news/security/researchers-to-release-poc-exploit-for-critical-zoho-rce-bug-patch-now/>

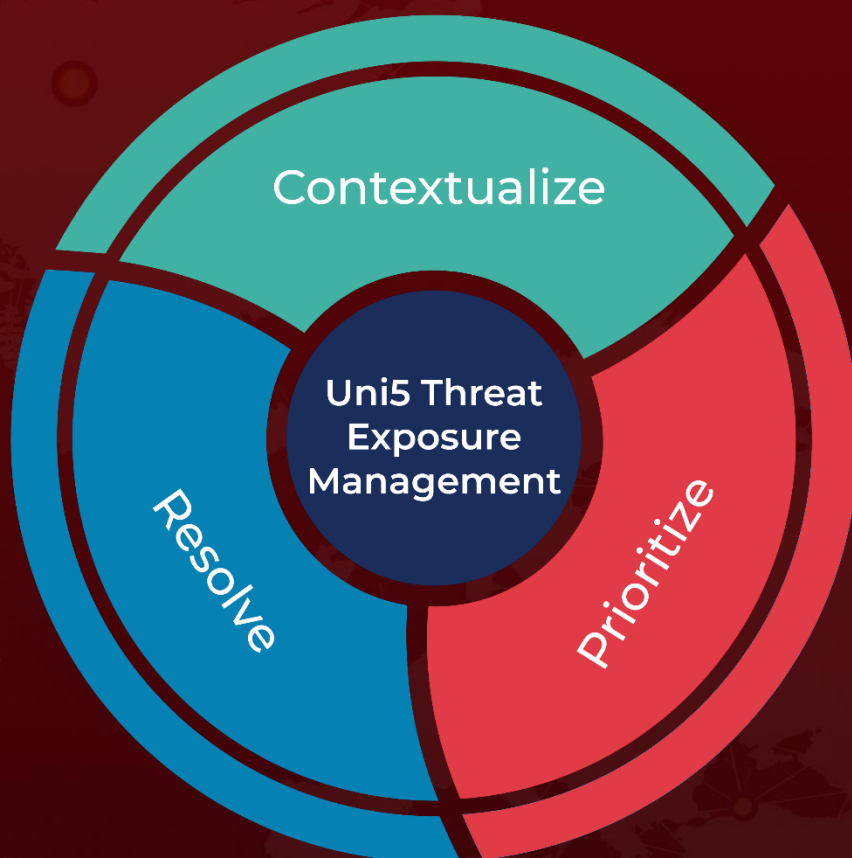
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