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(U) Snort Signatures for Mitigation Against Open Secure Socket Layer Heartbeat Extension Vulnerability

(U) A serious vulnerability exists in the Open Secure Socket Layer (SSL) implementation of the Heartbeat extension. (1) CVE-2014-0160 exploitation may result in a leak of memory contents leading to the compromise of encryption keys, authentication keys, user credentials or other data from Transport Layer Security (TLS) and Datagram Transport Layer Security (DTLS) clients and servers.

(U) The affected versions of OpenSSL software are versions 1.0.1 through 1.0.1f. Versions prior to 1.0.1 are unaffected and versions 1.0.1g and later have implemented a fix for the vulnerability.

(U) The following Snort signatures have been developed and tested to detect attempted exploitation of the vulnerability by know open source exploitation techniques. They are bi-directional to detect client-to-server and server-to-client requests. It is recommended that these signatures be immediately implemented at lower levels as well.

(U) Snort Signatures:

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alert tcp any any < > any
[443,465,563,636,695,898,989,990,992,993,994,995,2083,2087,2096,2484,8443,8883,9091]
(content:"|18 03 00|"; depth: 3; content:"|01|"; distance: 2; within: 1;
content:!"|00|"; within: 1; msg: "SSLv3 Malicious Heartbleed Request V2";
sid: 1;)

alert tcp any any < > any
[443,465,563,636,695,898,989,990,992,993,994,995,2083,2087,2096,2484,8443,8883,9091]
(content:"|18 03 01|"; depth: 3; content:"|01|"; distance: 2; within: 1;
content:!"|00|"; within: 1; msg: "TLSv1 Malicious Heartbleed Request V2";
sid: 2;)

alert tcp any any < > any
[443,465,563,636,695,898,989,990,992,993,994,995,2083,2087,2096,2484,8443,8883,9091]
(content:"|18 03 02|"; depth: 3; content:"|01|"; distance: 2; within: 1;
content:!"|00|"; within: 1; msg: "TLSv1.1 Malicious Heartbleed Request V2";
sid: 3;)
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alert tcp any any < > any
[443,465,563,636,695,898,989,990,992,993,994,995,2083,2087,2096,2484,8443,8883,9091]
(content:"|18 03 03|"; depth: 3; content:"|01|"; distance: 2; within: 1;
content:!"|00|"; within: 1; msg: "TLSv1.2 Malicious Heartbleed Request V2";
sid: 4;)
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(U) Administrative Notes: Law Enforcement Response

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