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SUMMARY

This update resolves a newly-discovered publicly reported vulnerability. A vulnerability exists in Internet Explorer that could allow remote code execution on an affected system.

If a user is logged on with administrative privileges, an attacker who successfully exploited this vulnerability could take complete control of an affected system, including installing programs; viewing, changing, or deleting data; or creating new accounts with full privileges. Users whose accounts are configured to have fewer privileges on the system would be at less risk than users who operate with administrative privileges.

Microsoft recommends that customers install the update immediately.

DETAILS

Affected Software:

- * Microsoft Windows NT Server 4.0 Service Pack 6a
- * Microsoft Windows NT Server 4.0 Terminal Server Edition Service Pack 6
- * Microsoft Windows 2000 Service Pack 3 and Microsoft Windows 2000

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Service Pack 4

- * Microsoft Windows XP Service Pack 1
- * Microsoft Windows XP 64-Bit Edition Service Pack 1
- * Microsoft Windows 98, Microsoft Windows 98 Second Edition (SE), and Microsoft Windows Millennium Edition (Me) Review the FAQ section of this bulletin for details about these operating systems.

Non-Affected Software:

- * Microsoft Windows XP Service Pack 2
- * Microsoft Windows XP 64-Bit Edition Version 2003
- * Microsoft Windows Server 2003
- * Microsoft Windows Server 2003 64-Bit Edition

Affected Components:

- * Internet Explorer 6 Service Pack 1 on Microsoft Windows 2000 Service Pack 3, on Microsoft Windows 2000 Service Pack 4, or on Microsoft Windows XP Service Pack 1:

<http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyId=3A9DBD51-4348-4EE6-9BC1-D9A1E12963EC>