DOD VULNERABILITY DISCLOSURE PROGRAM
BUG BYTES JANUARY 2022

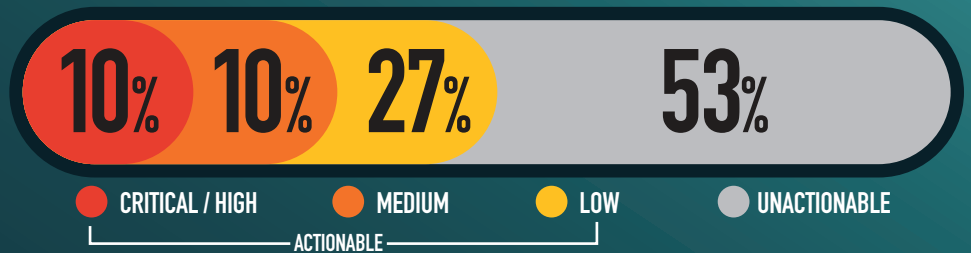**38,114**
VULNERABILITIES SINCE LAUNCH

3,171
RESEARCHERS SINCE LAUNCH

22,136
ACTIONABLE REPORTS PROCESSED

SEVERITY FOR THE MONTH

10% **10%** **27%** **53%**

● CRITICAL / HIGH   ● MEDIUM   ● LOW   ● UNACTIONABLE

ACTIONABLE

SUBMITTED VULNERABILITIES

	JUL 2021	AUG 2021	SEP 2021	OCT 2021	NOV 2021	DEC 2021	JAN 2022
	1,232	1,140	799	653	606	443	708

LEADING COMMON WEAKNESS ENUMERATION'S FOR THE MONTH

CWE-200 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE ●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●●● 332

CWE-79 CROSS-SITE SCRIPTING (XSS) ●●●●●● 60

CWE-94 CODE INJECTION ●●●●● 43

CWE-657 VIOLATION OF SECURE DESIGN PRINCIPLES ●●●● 41

CWE-922 INSECURE STORAGE OF SENSITIVE INFORMATION ●●●● 34

KNOWLEDGE BYTE

According to the Identity Theft Resource Center (ITRC), there were 69% more data breaches in 2021 compared to 2020. In its annual report, the ITRC identified three primary causes of data breach: Cyberattacks (phishing), mistakes (incorrect configuration), and physical attacks. The ITRC stated, "There were more cyberattack-related data compromises in 2021 than all data compromises in 2020". Phishing using SMS and business email compromise were the most common primary cause of data breaches in 2021. While the DoD VDP does not support phishing or physical tests, we continue to see many vulnerabilities related to incorrect configurations and settings. Stay vigilant system owners! https://www.darkreading.com/edge-threat-monitor/most-common-cause-of-data-breach-in-2021-phishing-smishing-bec

RESEARCHER OF THE MONTH

The DoD VDP Researcher of the Month for January 2022 is **@almroot**. They submitted a critical report for manipulating DNS that enabled them to add DNS records to a DoD server!

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