

# MYTE BYTE OCTOBER 2024

DIB-VDP



516

VULNERABILITIES SUBMITTED SINCE LAUNCH

44

VULNERABILITIES FOR THE MONTH

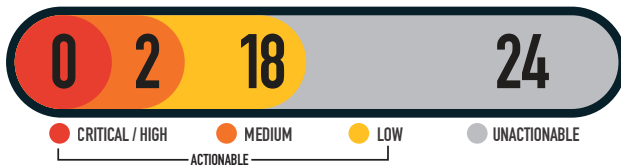
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RESEARCHERS SINCE LAUNCH

20

ACTIONABLE REPORTS PROCESSED

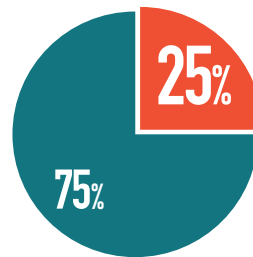
## SEVERITY FOR THE MONTH



● CRITICAL / HIGH ● MEDIUM ● LOW ● UNACTIONABLE



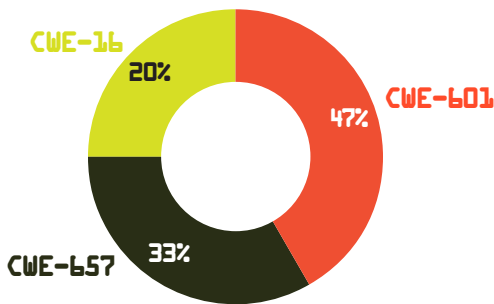
MITIGATED VULNERABILITIES BY SEVERITY SINCE LAUNCH



## MITIGATIONS FOR THE MONTH

- 1 Successful Mitigations (Including Top 5 Organization Data)
- 3 Unsuccessful Attempts

## VULNERABILITY TYPES/ LEADING CWE'S FOR THE MONTH




CWE-601 OPEN REDIRECT: 5  
 CWE-657 VIOLATION OF SECURE DESIGN PRINCIPLES: 4  
 CWE-116 MISCONFIGURATION: 3

## KNOWLEDGE BYTE

In October 2024, the DIB-VDP received a submission demonstrating the potential for a Blind Server-Side Request Forger (SSRF) and Denial of Service (DOS) within a xmlrpc.php WordPress file. The eXtensible Markup Language Remote Procedure Call (XMLRPC) is a protocol that allows software to communicate with each other over the internet using remote procedure calls. Within the report the researchers displayed the possibility of executing commands within the page by bypassing input validation, sending a POST request to the server. System owners are encouraged to disable xmlrpc or turn off pingback, this is dependent on system needs. Further information is available: <https://nvd.nist.gov/vuln/detail/CVE-2022-47514>

[https://cheatsheetseries.owasp.org/cheatsheets/XML\\_External\\_Entity\\_Prevention\\_Cheat\\_Sheet.html](https://cheatsheetseries.owasp.org/cheatsheets/XML_External_Entity_Prevention_Cheat_Sheet.html)

## RESEARCHER OF THE MONTH

 **Security Alert!** by @leoanggal1: XSS vulnerability discovered allowing unauthorized injection through arbitrary JavaScript actions to be executed via crafted script. This critical flaw could enable attackers to gather sensitive data without authentication. Immediate patching and sanitization of allowable characters are advised! #DIBVDP #CyberSecurity #InfoSec #WebSecurity #EthicalHacking

## TOP VULNERABILITIES SINCE LAUNCH

63  
 CWE-657 VIOLATION OF SECURE DESIGN PRINCIPLES

25  
 CWE-601 OPEN REDIRECT

23  
 CWE-79 CROSS-SITE SCRIPTING (XSS)

