# Overall Rating - Critical



This notification is intended as an informational bulletin for technical audiences.

## **Summary**

The Vulnerability and Risk Management (VRM) Team is aware of a recently disclosed Microsoft Edge Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability.

#### **Technical Details**

In a web-based attack scenario, an attacker could host a website (or leverage a compromised website that accepts or hosts user-provided content) that contains a specially crafted file that is designed to exploit the vulnerability. However, an attacker would have no way to force the user to visit the website. Instead, an attacker would have to convince the user to click a link, typically by way of an enticement in an email or Instant Messenger message, and then convince the user to open the specially crafted file.

This vulnerability is rated as a **Critical** Severity.

#### **Recommended Action**

- Investigate how your area of responsibility is affected.
- Notify business owner(s) as required.
- Ensure mitigation is performed as soon as possible.

Please notify <u>VRM</u> with any questions or concerns you may have.

### References

- CVE-2023-36735
- https://msrc.microsoft.com/update-guide/vulnerability/CVE-2023-36735