

Overall rating: High



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

## Summary

The Vulnerability and Risk Management (VRM) Team is aware a vulnerability was found in Cisco ASA and Firepower Threat Defense. The vulnerability allows a remote attacker to perform a denial of service (DoS) attack.

## Technical Details

The vulnerability exists due to an implementation error within the cryptographic functions for SSL/TLS traffic processing when they are offloaded to the hardware. A remote attacker can send a specially crafted stream of SSL/TLS traffic to an affected device and perform a denial of service (DoS) attack.

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

## Recommended Action

- Investigate how your area of responsibility is affected.
- Notify business owner(s) as required.
- *Ensure mitigation is performed at your next change window.*

Please notify [VRM](#) with any questions or concerns you may have.

## References

- CVE-2023-20006
- <http://tools.cisco.com/security/center/content/CiscoSecurityAdvisory/cisco-sa-asaftd-ssl-dos-uu7mV5p6>
- <http://bst.cloudapps.cisco.com/bugsearch/bug/CSCwc94466>