



## Bug 2403688 (CVE-2025-11731) - CVE-2025-11731 libxslt: Type Confusion in exsltFuncResultCompfunction of libxslt

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**Component:** vulnerability

**Clone Of:**

**Environment:**

**Version:** unspecified

**Last Closed:**

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**Hardware:** All

**OS:** Linux

**Priority:** low

**Severity:** low

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[Description](#)

Type Confusion vulnerability in the EXSLT `<func:result>` element handler of libxslt. The flaw resides in the `exsltFuncResultComp()` function, which walks up the node hierarchy to verify that a `<func:result>` is a descendant of a `func:function` element. If no such ancestor exists, the loop continues until the XML document node is reached, where the `ns` pointer is incorrectly interpreted as integer fields (compression and standalone). This type confusion results in reading memory from an unexpected address, leading to a segmentation fault or crash. Although the impact is limited to denial-of-service, the issue can be triggered remotely by

processing malicious XSL stylesheets.

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