

# 2026-04 Security Bulletin: Junos OS Evolved: PTX Series: If SRTE tunnels provisioned via PCEP are present and specific gRPC queries are received evo-aftmand crashes (CVE-2026-33783)

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## Product Affected

This issue affects all versions of Junos OS Evolved.  
Affected platforms: PTX Series.

### Severity

Medium

### Severity Assessment (CVSS) Score

**CVSS: v3.1:** 6.5

(CVSS:3.1/AV:N/AC:L/PR:L/UI:N/  
S:U/C:N/I:N/A:H)

**CVSS: v4.0:** 7.1

(CVSS:4.0/AV:N/AC:L/AT:N/PR:L/  
UI:N/VC:N/VI:N/VA:H/SC:N/SI:N  
/SA:L/AU:Y/R:U/RE:M)

## Problem

A Function Call With Incorrect Argument Type vulnerability in the sensor interface of Juniper Networks Junos OS Evolved on PTX Series allows a network-based, authenticated attacker with low privileges to cause a complete Denial of Service (DoS).

If colored SRTE policy tunnels are provisioned via PCEP, and gRPC is used to monitor traffic in these tunnels, evo-aftmand crashes and doesn't restart which leads to a complete and persistent service impact. The system has to be manually restarted to recover. The issue is seen only when the Originator ASN field in PCEP contains a value larger than 65,535 (32-bit ASN). The issue is not reproducible when SRTE policy tunnels are statically configured.

This issue affects Junos OS Evolved on PTX Series:

- all versions before 22.4R3-S9-EVO,
- 23.2 versions before 23.2R2-S6-EVO,
- 23.4 versions before 23.4R2-S7-EVO,
- 24.2 versions before 24.2R2-S4-EVO,
- 24.4 versions before 24.4R2-S2-EVO,
- 25.2 versions before 25.2R1-S2-EVO, 25.2R2-EVO.

To be exposed to this issue a device needs to be configured with SR specific telemetry statistics:

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[ protocols source-packet-routing telemetry statistics per-source per-segment-list ]
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Juniper SIRT is not aware of any malicious exploitation of this vulnerability.

This issue was seen during production usage.

### Solution

The following software releases have been updated to resolve this specific issue: 22.4R3-S9-EVO, 23.2R2-S6-EVO, 23.4R2-S7-EVO, 24.2R2-S4-EVO, 24.4R2-S2-EVO, 25.2R1-S2-EVO, 25.2R2-EVO, 25.4R1-EVO, and all subsequent releases.

This issue is being tracked as [1894533](#) which is visible on the Customer Support website.

Note: Juniper SIRT's [policy](#) is not to evaluate releases which are beyond End of Engineering (EOE) or End of Life (EOL).

### Workaround

Configure the Originator ASN with a value of less than 65,535 (16-bit ASN).

### Severity Assessment

Information for how Juniper Networks uses CVSS can be found at KB 16446 "Common Vulnerability Scoring System (CVSS) and Juniper's Security Advisories."

### Modification History

2026-04-08: Initial Publication

### Related Information

- [KB16613: Overview of the Juniper Networks SIRT Quarterly Security Bulletin Publication Process](#)
- [KB16765: In which releases are vulnerabilities fixed?](#)
- [KB16446: Common Vulnerability Scoring System \(CVSS\) and Juniper's Security Advisories](#)
- [Report a Security Vulnerability - How to Contact the Juniper Networks Security Incident Response Team](#)

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