WordPress Comment Guestbook Plugin <= 0.8.0 is vulnerable to Cross Site Scripting (XSS)

Low priority
No impactful threat

<= 0.8.0
Vulnerable version(s)

No official patch available
Patched version

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Risks CVSS 4.8

Vulnerabilities like this one are used in mass-exploit campaigns. Attackers use these to attack thousands of websites at a time, regardless of traffic size or popularity.

As immediate action, update the affected plugin. If you're unable to do so, ask your hosting provider or web developer for help.

User Interaction Required

While this vulnerability can be initiated by the role shown in "Required Privilege", successful exploitation requires a privileged user to perform an action — such as clicking a malicious link, visiting a crafted page, or submitting a form.

4.8 Cross Site Scripting (XSS)

This could allow a malicious actor to inject malicious scripts, such as redirects, advertisements, and other HTML payloads into your website which will be executed when guests visit your site.

CVSS score is a way to evaluate and rank reported vulnerabilities in a standardized and repeatable way but which is not ideal for WordPress.

Solutions

This security issue has a low severity impact and is unlikely to be exploited.

Details

Software	Comment Guestbook
Type	Plugin
Vulnerable versions	<= 0.8.0
OWASP Top 10	A7: Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Classification	Cross Site Scripting (XSS)
CVE ID	CVE-2021-36830 ↗
Patchstack priority	Low
CVSS severity	4.8
Required privilege	Administrator
Developer	Claim ownership ↗
PSID	289b122abf17
Credits	bugb hunter
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