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# Lenovo Diagnostics and Lenovo Vantage Vulnerability

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**Lenovo Security Advisory:** LEN-210693

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**Potential Impact:** Denial of Service

**Severity:** High

**Scope of Impact:** Lenovo-specific

**CVE Identifier:** CVE-2026-0827

## Summary Description:

During an internal security assessment, a potential vulnerability was discovered in Lenovo Diagnostics and the HardwareScanAddin used in Lenovo Vantage th or when using hardware scan, could allow a local authenticated user to perform an arbitrary file write with elevated privileges.

## Mitigation Strategy for Customers (what you should do to protect yourself):

Update Lenovo Diagnostics to version 5.26.0 or later.

Update Vantage and Commercial Vantage HardwareScanAddin to version 4.7.1.4 or later. HardwareScanAddin is automatically updated by Lenovo Vantage and Vantage.

## Product Impact:

To download the version specified for your product below, follow these steps:

Navigate to the Drivers & Software support site for your product:

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1. Search for your product by name or machine type.
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## Acknowledgement:

Lenovo thanks Anas Hadane for subsequently reporting this vulnerability.

## References:

[Lenovo Diagnostic Solutions: Downloads - Lenovo Support US \(https://support.lenovo.com/us/en/solutions/ht506581\)](https://support.lenovo.com/us/en/solutions/ht506581)

## Revision History:

Revision	Date	Description
1	2026-04-14	Initial release

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