

## Alpine Linux - Bug #6852

Bug # 6851 (Closed): libxml2: null pointer dereference when parsing a xml file using recover mode (CVE-2017-5969)

### [3.6] libxml2: null pointer dereference when parsing a xml file using recover mode (CVE-2017-5969)

02/13/2017 03:41 PM - Alichia CH

<b>Status:</b> Closed	<b>Start date:</b> 02/13/2017
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b> Carlo Landmeter	<b>% Done:</b> 100%
<b>Category:</b> Security	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b> 3.6.2	<b>Security IDs:</b>
<b>Affected versions:</b>	

#### Description

**CVE-2017-5969:** Null pointer dereference parsing xml file using libxml

#### Upstream bug report:

[https://bugzilla.gnome.org/show\\_bug.cgi?id=778519](https://bugzilla.gnome.org/show_bug.cgi?id=778519)

#### Reference:

<http://openwall.com/lists/oss-security/2017/02/13/1>

#### Associated revisions

**Revision 4e7a6efe - 06/16/2017 02:30 PM - Natanael Copa**

main/libxml2: fix for CVE-2017-5969

fixes #6852

#### History

**#1 - 02/14/2017 06:38 AM - Sergei Lukin**

At the moment (2017-02-14) patch is not available yet

<https://security-tracker.debian.org/tracker/CVE-2017-5969>

**#2 - 05/25/2017 10:39 AM - Natanael Copa**

- Target version changed from 3.6.0 to 3.6.1

**#3 - 06/01/2017 07:19 PM - Natanael Copa**

- Target version changed from 3.6.1 to 3.6.2

**#4 - 06/16/2017 02:32 PM - Natanael Copa**

- Status changed from New to Resolved

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset [alpine:4e7a6efe3f60338f70ade314e9bc46474c7fff9a](#).

**#5 - 06/29/2017 07:28 AM - Alichia CH**

- Category set to Security

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed