

VERISIGN iDEFENSE SECURITY INTELLIGENCE SERVICES AND QUALYS DELIVER PROTECTION AGAINST ZERO-DAY VULNERABILITIES

About VeriSign® iDefense® Security Intelligence Services

VeriSign® iDefense® gives information security executives 24/7 access to the most accurate and actionable cyber intelligence related to vulnerabilities, malicious code and geopolitical threats. This deep analysis, insight and mitigation strategies keeps businesses ahead of new and evolving threats and vulnerabilities. Because iDefense pinpoints which threats pose the greatest risk, companies know exactly what they need to do to proactively protect their networks; apply customized threat intelligence to the unique geographical and contextual needs of their businesses; and get access to exclusive research that goes far beyond publicly known vulnerabilities. To learn more, visit www.entsecurity.verisign.com.

VeriSign and Qualys have formed a strategic relationship to integrate iDefense intelligence with scanning data from QualysGuard Vulnerability Management (VM). This integration enables enterprises to protect critical IT assets from compromise or attack against zero-day threats and vulnerabilities. Zero-day threats are exploitable security vulnerabilities in software that are discovered before the software vendor has identified them and begun a process for patching.

The integration of iDefense Security Intelligence Services with QualysGuard offers the following capabilities and benefits:

- **iDefense Exclusive Zero-day security vulnerability data available through QualysGuard VM which enables Qualys to create scan signatures for Zero-day vulnerabilities.**
- **The inclusion of public and exclusive vulnerabilities from the iDefense supplements existing vulnerability data from the Qualys KnowledgeBase to create a powerful threat and vulnerability management capability for shared customers worldwide.**
- **This enhancement offers security teams more efficient and accurate risk mitigation capability against Zero-day threats and vulnerabilities.**

How customers can scan for Zero-days threats in QualysGuard?

- **Customers have the ability to search for Zero-day exclusive vulnerabilities from iDefense and build a scan options profile to scan for them. Once such a profile is created it can be updated automatically with new Zero-day exclusives. This will allow users to regularly scan and detect these vulnerabilities within their environment.**

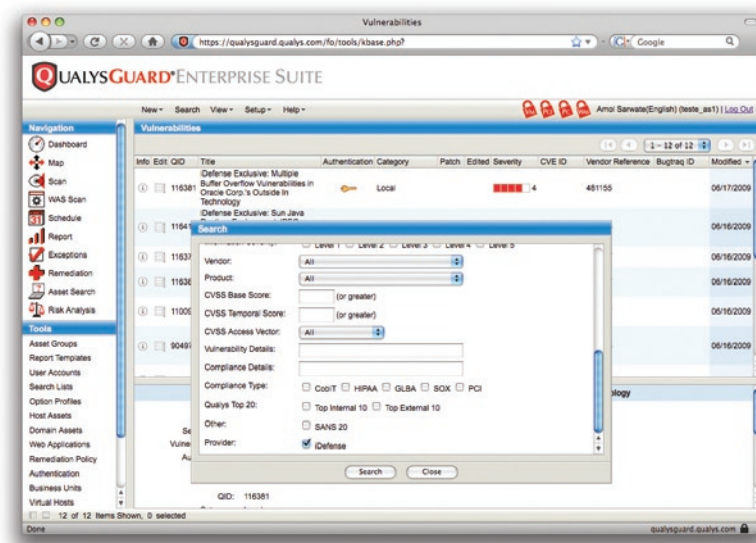


Figure 1: QualysGuard KnowledgeBase with iDefense Exclusives

- **Zero-day threat details are available in QualysGuard so customers can analyze their impact and put counter measures to protect their affected assets until a patch is available from the vendor.**

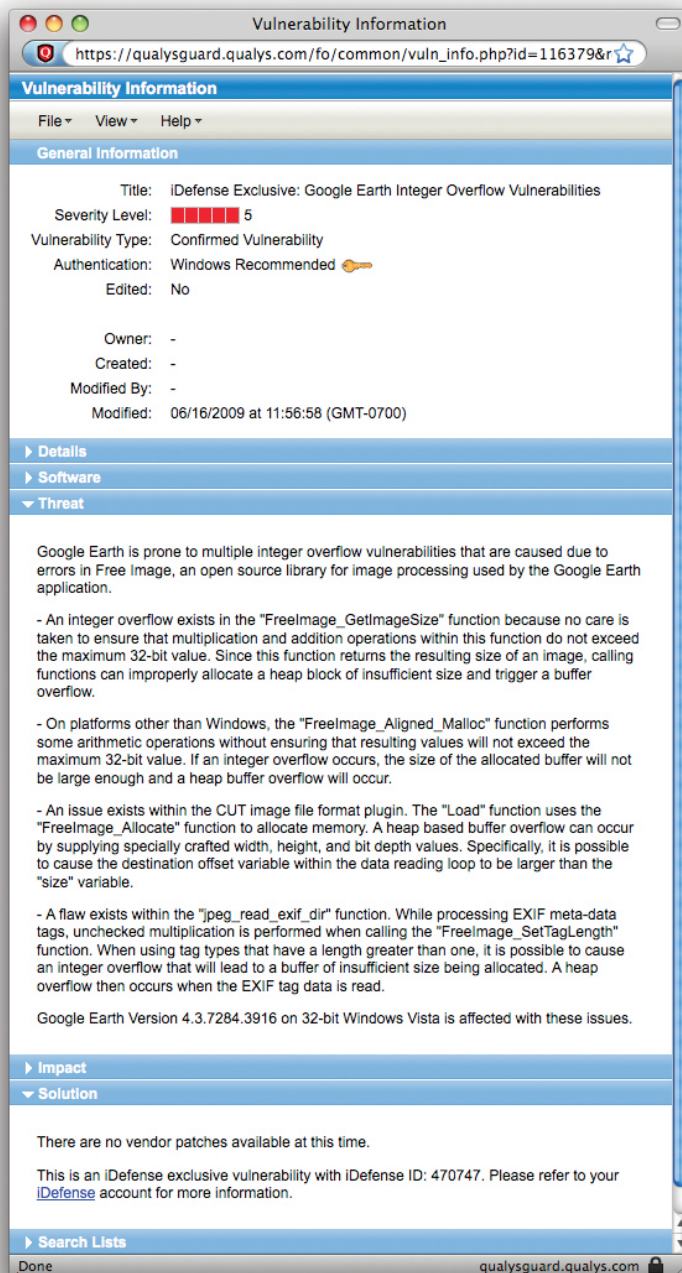


Figure 2: iDefense Exclusive Vulnerability in QualysGuard

About QualysGuard Vulnerability Management (VM)

QualysGuard VM is a leading vulnerability management solution that automates the lifecycle of network auditing and vulnerability management across the enterprise, including network discovery and mapping, asset prioritization, vulnerability assessment reporting and remediation tracking according to business risk. QualysGuard VM dramatically reduces security managers' time researching, scanning and fixing network exposures and enables companies to eliminate network vulnerabilities before they can be exploited.

About Qualys

Qualys, Inc. is the leading provider of on demand IT security risk and compliance management solutions – delivered as a service. Qualys' Software-as-a-Service solutions are deployed in a matter of hours anywhere in the world, providing customers an immediate and continuous view of their security and compliance postures. The QualysGuard service is used today by more than 3,500 organizations in 85 countries, including 40 of the Fortune Global 100 and performs more than 200 million IP audits per year. Qualys has the largest vulnerability management deployment in the world at a Fortune Global 50 company. Qualys has established strategic agreements with leading managed service providers and consulting organizations including BT, Etisalat, Fujitsu, IBM, I(TS)2, LAC, NTT, SecureWorks, Symantec, Tata and TELUS. For more information, please visit www.qualys.com.



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