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Fujitsu openFT V11.0B was released in August 2011.

This version fixes a security issue which has been discovered during an in-depth review of the openFT protocol.

Although we are not aware of any exploit, we recommend Fujitsu openFT users to install the new version as soon as possible.

The new version V11.0B will automatically use a new, secure version of the openFT protocol when communicating with any partner which runs V11.0B. When communicating with a partner who runs an older version of openFT and does not understand the new protocol, openFT V11.0B will by default fall back to the old protocol. This enables a continuous upgrade of installations.

Systems with very high security requirements can, after installation of openFT V11.0B, restrict all its openFT communications to the secure protocol of V11.0B by adding a configuration option. Such systems will no longer accept connections with the old protocol.

3rd party software vendors which use the openFT protocol in their software are informed about the new protocol version.

More information about openFT is available in the internet: http://ts.fujitsu.com/openft

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