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Thread: [PHP2Shell - Two PHP RCE Vulnerabilities \(CVSS 9.2\) ~1.3M Potentially Affected Sites](#)

Prawnster - October 21, 2026, 1:36 am

Two new major CVEs have been leaked today in PHP, potentially risking millions of websites.

They are both RCE vulnerabilities.

CVE-2026-109618 — CVSS 9.2 (Critical)

CVE-2026-109619 — CVSS 9.2 (Critical)

The early reports from researches suggest the vulnerability could allow unauthenticated attackers to execute code on targeted PHP servers.

PHP powers estimate approx. 69.3% of websites could be affected.

PHP have scheduled an emergency security release for 21st October at around 15:00 GMT+1.

Few links to sources:

Official PHP announcement:

<https://www.php.net/archive/2026.php#2026-10-20-1>

CERT-EU advisory:

<https://cert.europa.eu/publications/security-advisories/2026-018/>

Ars Technica:

<https://arstechnica.com/security/2026/10/php-maintainers-tell-web-devs-to-prepare-themselves-for-critical-security-patches/>

PHP usage statistics:

https://w3techs.com/technologies/cross/programming_language/ranking

There's a public PoC that's popped up but it's unverified as of right now:

<https://jackalsyn.com/posts/php-up-2026.html>

Money- - October 21, 2026, 2:08 am

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Prawnster - October 21, 2026, 2:21 am

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bandors - October 21, 2026, 11:20 am

I'm heading to sleep, I am sure there will be 10 more PoC when I wake up. good luck fellow defenders.

Sift - October 21, 2026, 11:32 am

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<https://github.com/9bie/php2shell-bypass-aslr-exp>

Looks like they patched it and then they've bypassed the patch? ?

skibidi1337 - October 21, 2026, 5:13 pm

i tried extending and using the incomplete poc script

it was close to working, but i found that it's unusable for what i wanted it for (some nasty parasites running basic wordpress sites)

[http s://lime.wire.com /d/GKhl8#EMx0MVbbRU](http://lime.wire.com/d/GKhl8#EMx0MVbbRU)

a suitable target is one which writes to \$SESSION and no memory limit. most sites arent actually vulnerable to this.

full disclose: i used an uncensored llm for this, I don't know anything about php/wordpress because it's garbage so I can't answer anything else about it

Money- - October 21, 2026, 8:26 pm

Anyone have LFI2Shell working POC? I am sure its all over github by now but I played with 2-3 of them seem unreliable...

?????????? - October 22, 2026, 2:46 am

<https://calif.io/php2shell/>

For everyone to understand basics.

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/*****
/* ?????????? */
*****/

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Jamika - October 22, 2026, 7:01 am

The situation is genuinely serious, to the point that website owners are terrified of having their sites hacked.