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Cyber Security Awareness Bulletin:

**[SSLv2 DROWN Attack](#)**

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Network traffic encrypted using an RSA-based SSL certificate may be decrypted if enough SSLv2 handshake data can be collected. Exploitation of this vulnerability - referred to as DROWN in public reporting - may allow a remote attacker to obtain the private key of a server supporting SSLv2.

Users and administrators are encouraged to review Vulnerability Note [VU#583776](#) for additional mitigation details.

Source: US-CERT

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