

Install Instructions

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Introduction

This document describes how to install the security patch that eliminates the vulnerability described in CVE-2012-0037. These instructions are applicable to OpenOffice.org 3.3 only.

These instructions assume the reader is familiar with their desktop operating system and is able to navigate their application folders, locate files and replace them. These instructions also assume the reader has sufficient operating system permissions to perform these tasks. If either assumption is false, the reader is urged to contact their systems administrator for assistance in applying this patch.

The contents of this ZIP file are:

- README.pdf — the file you are reading now
- libunordfmx.dylib — the patched library for MacOS

For more information

For more information on applying this patch, you can visit the Apache OpenOffice Community Support Forums here: <http://user.services.openoffice.org/>

You can also send an email to our public users mailing list at: ooo-users@incubator.apache.org

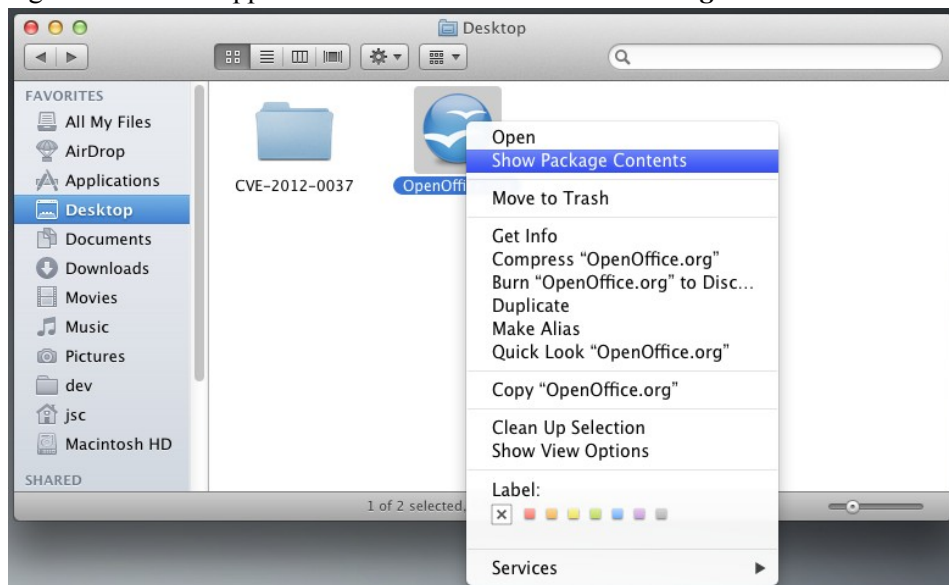
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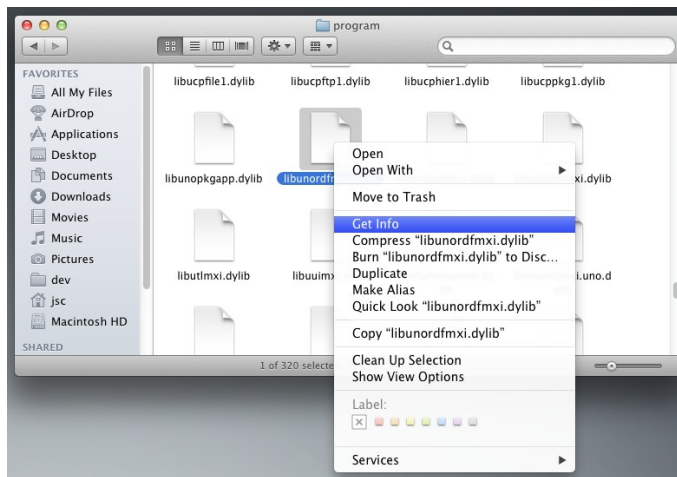
1. Unzip the CVE-2012-0037-mac.zip file into a temporary working folder
2. Navigate to your OpenOffice.org 3.3 installation

Typically you find it under “*Applications*” - “*OpenOffice.org.app*”

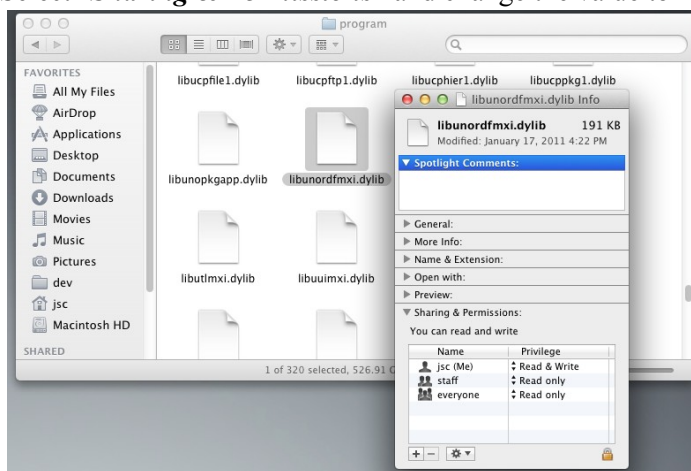
Right-click on the application icon and select “*Show Package Contents*”



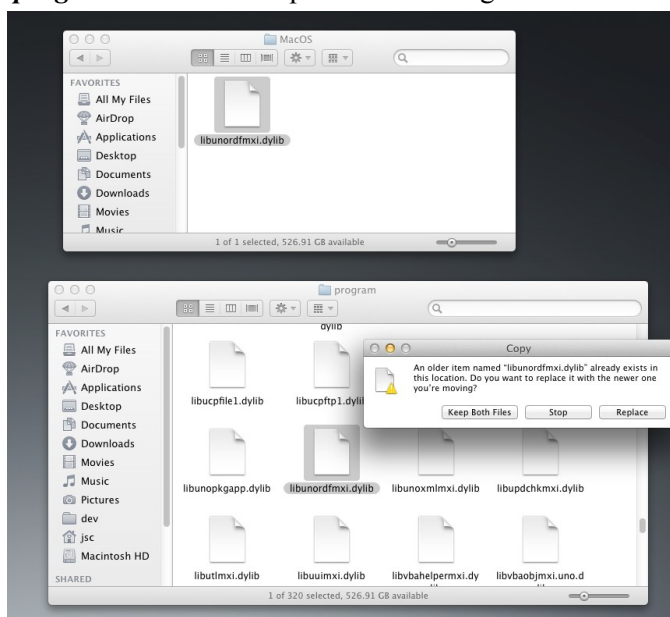
3. Navigate into the directory “*Content*” - “*basis-link*” - “*program*” and find the file “*libunordfmx.dylib*”, then right-click on this file and select “*Get Info*”



4. Select “*Sharing & Permissions*” and change the value to “*Read & Write*”



5. Copy the file “*libunordfmx.dylib*” from the unzipped folder “*CVE-2012.0037*” - “*MacOS*” into the “*program*” folder and replace the existing file.



That's it, you have successfully patched your local OpenOffice.org 3.3 installation.

Keep in mind that a new Apache OpenOffice 3.4 version is coming soon and will provide other new features and improvements. Send an email to ooo-announce-subscribe@incubator.apache.org to get notified about OpenOffice news.