

Cybersecurity Vulnerability Reporting Policy

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Purpose. This policy defines how our Invertex Drives receives, analyses, handles, and discloses security vulnerabilities in our products. The process follows a four-stage approach aligned with principles from ISO/IEC 29147 and 30111 and mirrors widely adopted practices in industry.

Reporting

How to report an incident:

- Email our Product Security Incident Response Team (PSIRT)
- **Email Address:** IDL.cybersecurity@shi-g.com
- If possible, please encrypt with our PSIRT PGP key published on our key on a Cybersecurity page
- Web form (recommended for attachments)
- **Address:** Offa's Dyke Business Park, Welshpool, Powys, SY21 8JF, United Kingdom

What to include:

- Affected product including model code and serial number where appropriate
- Firmware Version
- environment/configuration
- reproduction steps
- impact and plausible attacker path
- proof of concept (if available)
- any mitigations you suggest
- your preferred credit name (or state if you prefer anonymity)

Acknowledgement & communications:

- We aim to **acknowledge within two (2) business days** and provide **periodic updates** (at least every 14 days) until closure
- Anonymous reports are accepted; however, we may be unable to provide status updates

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Research conduct:

- Please avoid privacy violations, service degradation, or accessing more data than is necessary to demonstrate the issue

Safe harbour:

- Acting in good faith and in accordance with this policy means we will not pursue legal action related to your security research and reporting.

Analysis

Validation & triage:

- PSIRT will attempt to **reproduce** the issue, determine **root cause**, and **assess risk** using an industry scoring system such as CVSS
- We may contact you for additional details or artifacts during analysis

Severity & impact:

- We will evaluate exploitability, affected versions, and potential impact on confidentiality, integrity, and availability

Handling (Remediation)

Fix & mitigation strategy:

- For confirmed vulnerabilities, we prioritize **remediations** based on severity and potential customer impact
- where fixes are not immediately feasible (e.g., in end of life products), we will publish **mitigations** or **upgrade guidance**

Coordination:

- We coordinate internally across engineering and support to verify and test patches or configuration guidance before public release, following CVD principles

Customer readiness:

- To reduce risk, we may time patch availability and communication so customers can plan deployment

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Disclosure

Advisory publication:

- When a fix or meaningful mitigations are ready, we will publish a **Security Advisory** detailing affected versions, impact, remediation steps, and **acknowledgements** (if you opt in)

Timing:

- We favour **coordinated disclosure**—publishing after remediation or by mutual agreement on a timeline. If necessary to minimize risk, we may **delay advisory publication briefly** to allow patch rollout

Where advisories live:

- We will maintain a **Security Advisories** page and provide subscription options

Recognition:

- With your consent, we will credit reporters (e.g., on a “Hall of Thanks” page)

Supporting Policies & Notes

Scope and out of scope examples:

- In scope: Our owned/operated products, and software platforms that we actively support
- Out of scope: Social engineering, physical attacks, denial of service testing, spam, reports without actionable detail, and issues in end of life offers where only mitigations may be possible

Security.txt & PGP:

- We will publish a **.well-known/security.txt** file with our contact, PGP key, policy link, and acknowledgment page to make reporting easier for researchers and automation

Standards alignment:

- Our workflow aligns to **ISO/IEC 29147** (vulnerability disclosure) and **ISO/IEC 30111** (vulnerability handling)

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Incident Reporting

Reporting of any incidents of actively exploited vulnerabilities contained within our products will be reported to the CSIRT and ENISA through Invertex Drives' Authorised European Representative:

Invertex Drives Iberica S.L.U
C/ Fondo
25 Nave 14
P.I.Can Coll -08185 Lliçà de Vall-
Barcelona

Reporting Steps:

- 24 Hours: Early warning report after becoming aware of an incident or vulnerability
- 72 Hours: Detailed follow-up notification
- 14 Days (Vulnerability): Final report after a corrective measure (patch/fix) is available
- 1 Month (Incident): Final report for severe incidents
- User Notification: Manufacturers must also inform users "in a timely manner" about vulnerabilities and provide mitigation measures

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