

## Metacat - Bug #181

### possible security risks in data file upload

01/24/2001 10:15 AM - Chad Berkley

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<b>Description</b>			
The data file upload utility could have security holes in it. Ports may not be closed when a client does not send all of the data that it says it is going to. The data file upload utility needs to be thoroughly tested.			

### History

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#### #1 - 07/13/2001 05:27 PM - Dan Higgins

This should not be a problem if socket has a reasonable timeout value set -  
Dan Higgins

#### #2 - 07/19/2001 02:55 AM - Matt Jones

Obsoleted because the socket system is no longer used, as it was replaced by "multipart/form-data" encoded data transferred using vanilla http. See bug 191 for a detailed description. The socket implementation of file upload has been removed from Metacat.

#### #3 - 03/27/2013 02:13 PM - Redmine Admin

Original Bugzilla ID was 181