Results

The following table details the results from the ChangeBase AOK Patch Impact Analysis and includes information on what application packages in the sample portfolio;

What is the total number of applications affected by each patch? What applications also include files and configuration data that were embedded in the patch update?

What applications had specific dependencies on changes includes in these updates

Patch	Total Issues identified – dependancies or shared code	Apps Affected	Number of application with Shared Code	Number of application with Dependencies	Status
MS08-045	585	32%	3	235	0
MS08-046	12	<1%	<1%	N/A	•
MS08-047	6	<1%	<1%	N/A	•
MS08-048	20	<1%	<1%	N/A	•
MS08-049	7	<1%	<1%	N/A	•
MS08-050	9	<1%	<1%	N/A	

e Testing required

🦲 = Minor concern

Special Notes:

MS08-046 Security Update for Windows Server 2003 raised a specific driver issues with Fujitsu 4340 colour scanners (mscms.dll) MS08-048 Security Update for Windows Mail raised a specific DLL conflict with Microsoft Digital Image software MS08-050 Security Update for Windows XP raised an application conflict with Microsoft Messenger

About the ChangeBASE Application Compatibility Lab

ChangeBASE launched last month our ACL to allow us to rapidly assess the impact of new operating system code releases on a portfolio of applications. We have loaded c. 700 applications into this Lab and can use AOK to test the impact of new releases on these in minutes.

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