

x86 & PE



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before you decide to read further...

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1. Introduction

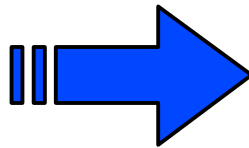
1. introduce Corkami, my reverse engineering site
2. explain (in easy terms)
 1. why correct disassembly is important for analysis
 2. why undocumented opcodes are a dead end

2. Main part

1. a few examples of undocumented opcodes and CPU weirdness
2. theory-only sucks, so I created CoST for practicing and testing.
3. CoST also tests PE, but it's not enough by itself
4. So I documented PE separately, and give some examples.

Improved, but similar

hash
days



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Author

- Corkami
 - reverse engineering
 - technical, really free
 - MANY handmade and focused PoCs
 - nightly builds
 - summary wiki pages
 - but... only a hobby!

“there's a PoC for that”

and if there's none yet, there will be soon ;)

```

istruc IMAGE_DOS_HEADER
...at IMAGE_DOS_HEADER.e_magic, db 'ZM'
...at IMAGE_DOS_HEADER.e_cblp, db LAST_BYTE ; not rec
...at IMAGE_DOS_HEADER.e_cp, dw PAGES
...at IMAGE_DOS_HEADER.e_cparhdr, dw dos_stub >> 4

```

```

;code start must be paragraph-aligned

```

```

align 10h, db 0

```

```

dos_stub:

```

```

...push cs

```

```

...pop ds

```

C:\demoZM

D>dosZMXP.exe

* EXE with ZM signature

```

code = "".join([
...GETSTATIC, struct.pack(">H", 16),
...LDC, struct.pack(">B", 18),
...INVOKEVIRTUAL, struct.pack(">H", 23)
...RETURN,
...])

```

```

attribute_code = "".join([
struct.pack(">H", 7), # code

```

```

u4length("".join([

```

```

...struct.pack(">H",

```

```

...struct.pack(">H",

```

```

...u4length(code),

```

C:\demo java

D>java HelloWorld

Hello World !



```

istruc IMAGE_OPTIONAL_HEADER32

```

```

...at IMAGE_OPTIONAL_HEADER32.Magic,
bits 32

```

```

EntryPoint:

```

```

...push message

```

```

...call [__imp_printf]

```

```

...jmp _2

```

```

...at IMAGE_OPTIONAL_HEADER32.AddressOfEntry

```

```

...at IMAGE_OPTIONAL_HEADER32.BaseOfCode, dd

```

```

_2:

```

```

...add esp, 1 * 4

```

```

...retn

```

```

...at IMAGE_OP

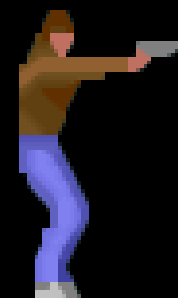
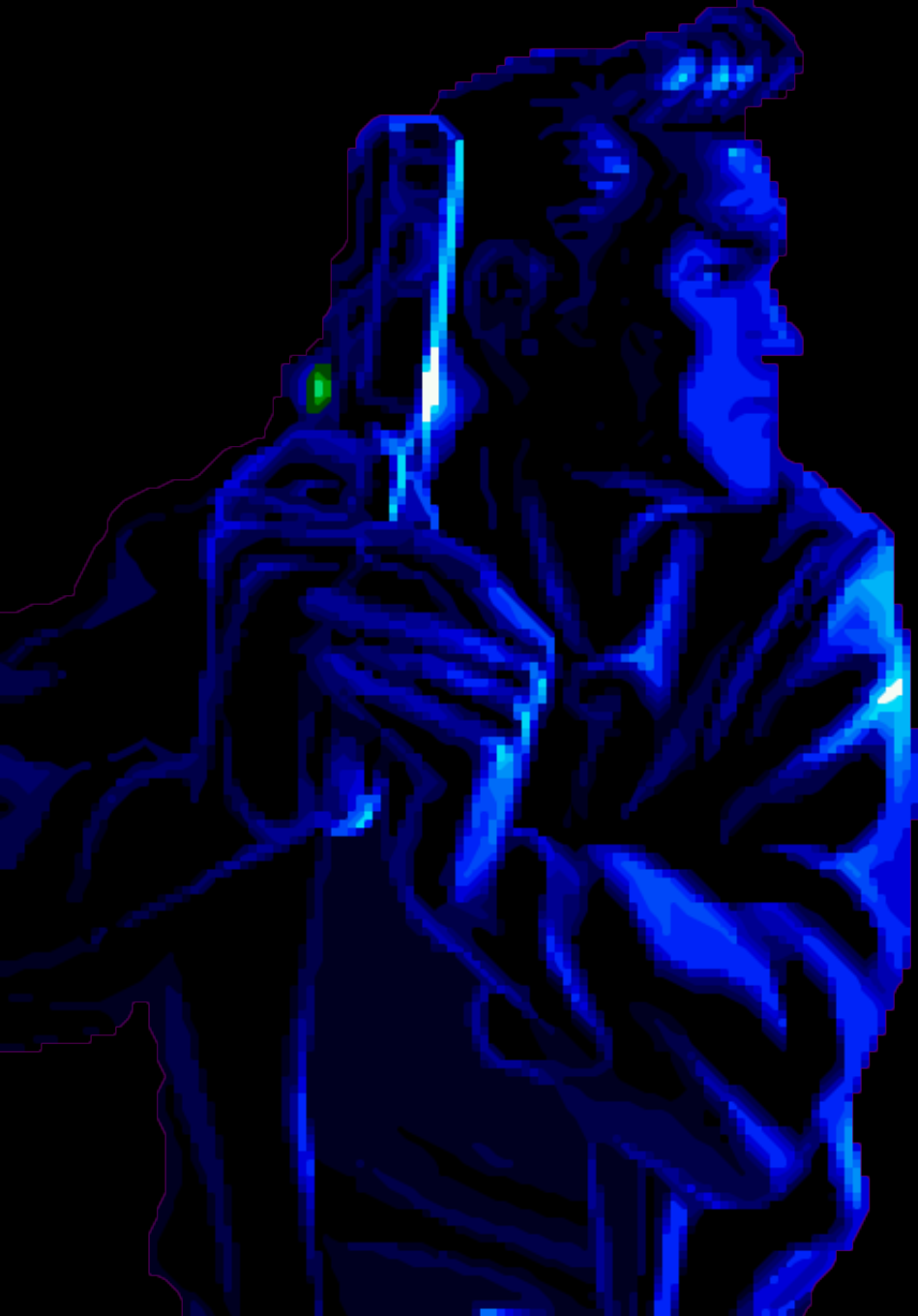
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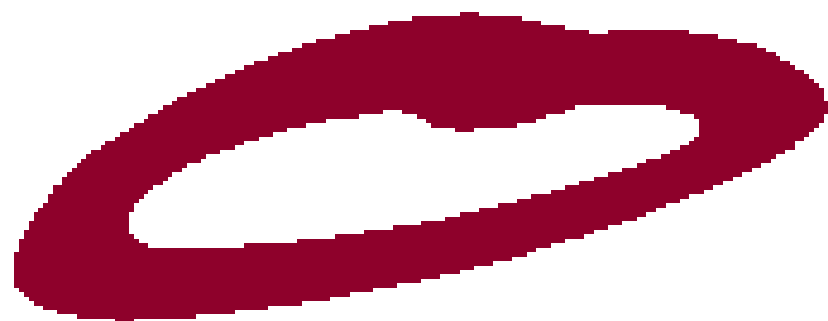
C:\demo PE

D>tiny

* 268b universal tiny PE

the story behind this presentation





0F20	???	Unknown command
90	NOP	
0F18	???	Unknown command
3890	CMP E	

Command "MakeCode" failed

```

90          nop
0F2090     #UD(mod)
0F1838     #UD
90          nop

```

BACK 
TO THE BASICS

CORKAMI

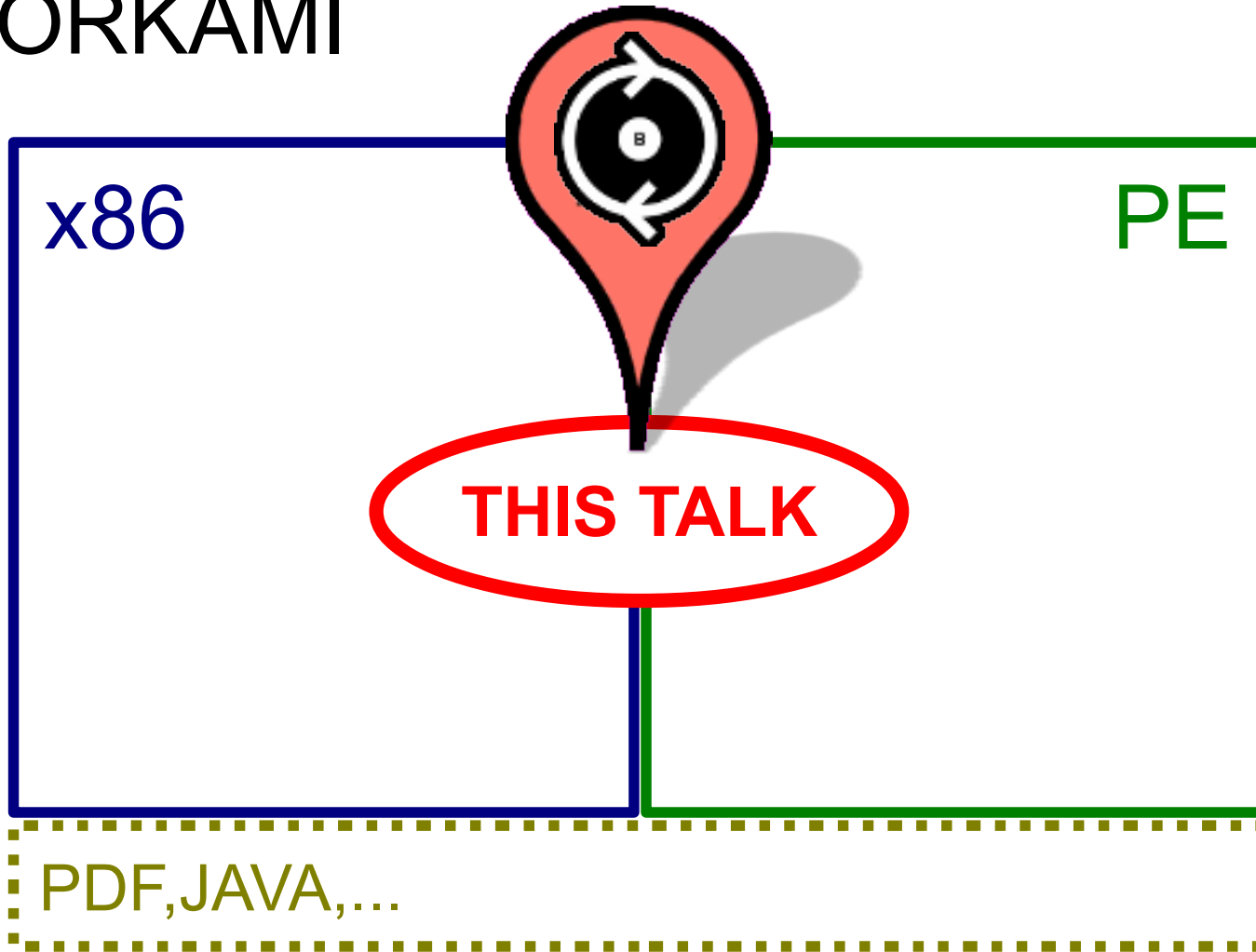
x86

PE

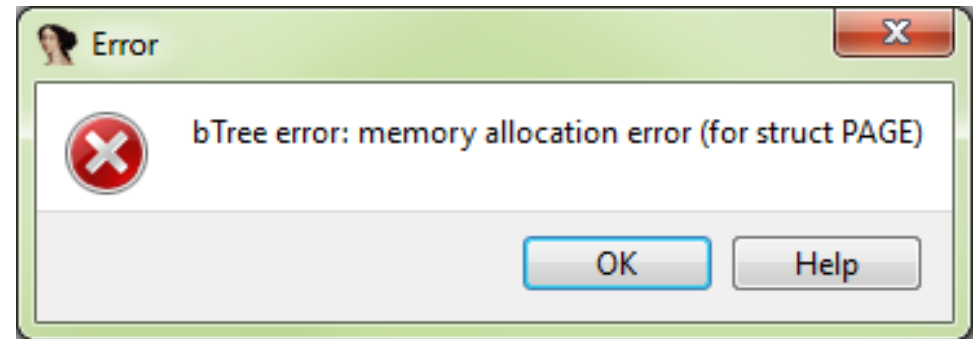
PDF, JAVA, ...

The diagram consists of a large black rectangular frame. Inside the frame, at the top left, is the text 'CORKAMI'. Below this, there are two side-by-side rectangular boxes. The left box has a solid blue border and contains the text 'x86' in blue. The right box has a solid green border and contains the text 'PE' in green. Below these two boxes is a third rectangular area defined by a dashed olive-green border, containing the text 'PDF, JAVA, ...' in olive-green.

CORKAMI



“Achievement unlocked”



```
C:\Users\Ange\CoST.exe
.7EFD0000: 4D      dec     ebp
.7EFD0001: 5A      pop     edx
.7EFD0002: CE      into
the_dragon:      #UD
.7EFD0006: E91501  jmp     3_Entr
```

```
A problem has been detected and window
to your computer.

PAGE_FAULT_IN_NONPAGED_AREA

If this is the first time you've seen
```

(Authors notified, and most bugs already fixed)

Agenda

I. why does it matter?

I. assembly

II. undocumented assembly

II.x86 oddities

(technical stuff starts now)

III.CoST

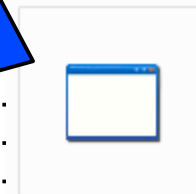
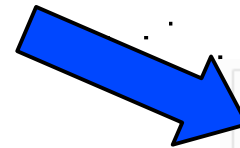
IV.a bit more of PE

assembly, in 8 slides

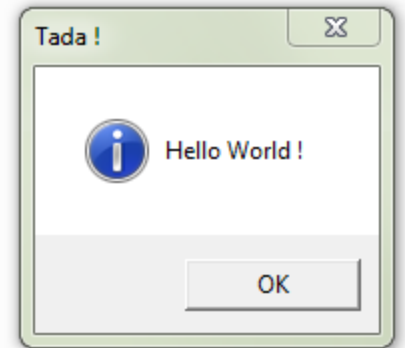
from C to binary

```
#include "stdafx.h"
#include "helloworld.h"

int APIENTRY _tWinMain(HINSTANCE hInstance,
                      HINSTANCE hPrevInstance,
                      LPTSTR lpCmdLine,
                      int nCmdShow)
{
    MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "Tada !", MB_ICONINFORMATION);
    ExitProcess(0);
}
```



helloworld



inside the binary

```
#include "stdafx.h"
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```

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int APIENTRY _tWinMain(HINSTANCE hInstance,
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                      int       nCmdShow)
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    MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "Tada !", MB_ICONINFORMATION);
00121000 6A 40                push     40h
00121002 68 F4 20 12 00      push     offset string "Tada !" (1220F4h)
00121007 68 FC 20 12 00      push     offset string "Hello World !" (1220FCh)
0012100C 6A 00                push     0
0012100E FF 15 AC 20 12 00  call     dword ptr [__imp__MessageBoxA@16 (1220ACh)]
    ExitProcess(0);
00121014 6A 00                push     0
00121016 FF 15 00 20 12 00  call     dword ptr [__imp__ExitProcess@4 (122000h)]
}
```

order

```
#include "stdafx.h"
#include "helloworld.h"
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our code, 'translated'

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```

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opcodes \Leftrightarrow assembly

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```

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                      LPTSTR    lpCmdLine,
                      int       nCmdShow)
```

```
{
```

```
    MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "Tada !", MB_ICONINFORMATION);
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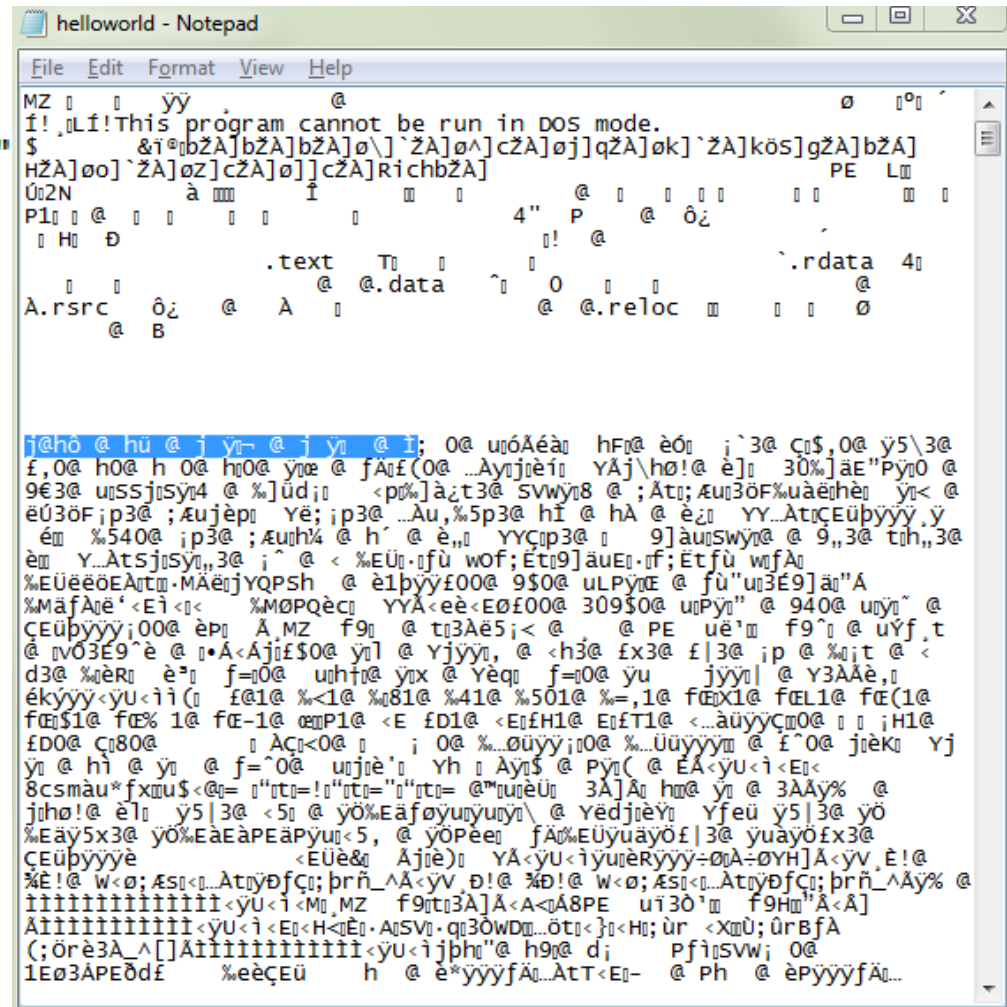
what's (only) in the binary

```
MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "
```

00121000	6A 40	push
00121002	68 F4 20 12 00	push
00121007	68 FC 20 12 00	push
0012100C	6A 00	push
0012100E	FF 15 AC 20 12 00	call

```
ExitProcess(0);
```

00121014	6A 00	push
00121016	FF 15 00 20 12 00	call



execution \Leftrightarrow CPU + opcodes

```
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f!,Lfi!This program cannot be run in DOS mode.
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HZA]oo]\`ZA]oz[cZA]o]]cZA[RichbZA]                PE LM
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```

hwtiny - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

MZ PE L user32.dll

Tada

ExitProcess

kernel32.dll MessageBoxA

Hello world !

j@hD @ h' @ j ym@ j yno @ a

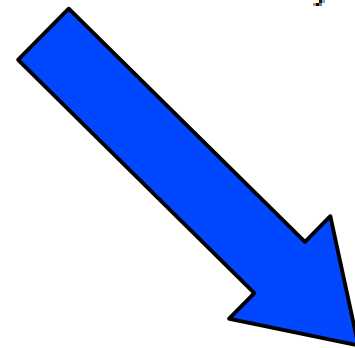
opcodes

- generated by compilers, tools,...
 - or written by hand
- executed directly by the CPU
- the only code information, in a standard binary
 - what 'we' read
 - **after** disassembly
- disassembly is only for humans
 - no text code in the final binary

let's mess a bit now...

let's insert 'something'

```
{  
  __asm {__emit 0xd6}  
  MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "Tada !", MB_ICONINFORMATION);  
  ExitProcess(0);  
}
```



__asm {__emit 0xd6}			
00051000	??	db	d6h
MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "Tada !", MB_ICONINFORMATION);			
00051001	6A 40	push	40h
00051003	68 F4 20 05 00	push	offset string "Tada !" (
00051008	68 FC 20 05 00	push	offset string "Hello Wor
0005100D	6A 00	push	0
0005100F	FF 15 AC 20 05 00	call	dword ptr [__imp__Message

Table A-2. One-byte Opcode Map: (00H — F7H) *

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	ADD Eb, Gb Ev, Gv Gb, Eb Gv, Ev AL, Ib rAX, Iz						PUSH ES ⁱ⁶⁴	POP ES ⁱ⁶⁴
1	ADC Eb, Gb Ev, Gv Gb, Eb Gv, Ev AL, Ib rAX, Iz						PUSH SS ⁱ⁶⁴	POP SS ⁱ⁶⁴
2	AND Eb, Gb Ev, Gv Gb, Eb Gv, Ev AL, Ib rAX, Iz						SEG=ES (Prefix)	DAA ⁱ⁶⁴
3	XOR Eb, Gb Ev, Gv Gb, Eb Gv, Ev AL, Ib rAX, Iz						SEG=SS (Prefix)	AAA ⁱ⁶⁴
4	INC ⁱ⁶⁴ general register / REX ^{o64} Prefixes eAX REX eCX REX.B eDX REX.X eBX REX.XB eSP REX.R eBP REX.RB eSI REX.RX eDI REX.RXB							
5	PUSH ^{d64} general register rAX/r8 rCX/r9 rDX/r10 rBX/r11 rSP/r12 rBP/r13 rSI/r14 rDI/r15							
6	PUSHA ⁱ⁶⁴ / PUSHAD ⁱ⁶⁴	POPA ⁱ⁶⁴ / POPAD ⁱ⁶⁴	BOUND ⁱ⁶⁴ Gv, Ma	ARPL ⁱ⁶⁴ Ew, Gw MOVSD ^{o64} Gv, Ev	SEG=FS (Prefix)	SEG=GS (Prefix)	Operand Size (Prefix)	Address Size (Prefix)
7	Jcc ^{r64} , Jb - Short-displacement jump on condition O NO B/NAE/C NB/AE/NC Z/E NZ/NE BE/NA NBE/A							
8	Immediate Grp 1 ^{1A} Eb, Ib Ev, Iz Eb, Ib ⁱ⁶⁴ Ev, Ib				TEST Eb, Gb Ev, Gv		XCHG Eb, Gb Ev, Gv	
9	NOP PAUSE(F3) XCHG r8, rAX	rCX/r9	rDX/r10	rBX/r11	rSP/r12	rBP/r13	rSI/r14	rDI/r15
A	MOV AL, Ob rAX, Ov Ob, AL Ov, rAX				MOVS/B Xb, Yb	MOVS/W/D/Q Xv, Yv	CMPS/B Xb, Yb	CMPS/W/D Xv, Yv
B	MOV immediate byte into byte register AL/R8L, Ib CL/R9L, Ib DL/R10L, Ib BL/R11L, Ib AH/R12L, Ib CH/R13L, Ib DH/R14L, Ib BH/R15L, Ib							
C	Shift Grp 2 ^{1A} Eb, Ib Ev, Ib		RETN ^{r64} lw	RETN ^{r64}	LES ⁱ⁶⁴ Gz, Mp	LDS ⁱ⁶⁴ Gz, Mp	Grp 11 ^{1A} - MOV Eb, Ib Ev, Iz	
D	Shift Grp 2 ^{1A} Eb, 1 Ev, 1 Eb, CL Ev, CL				AAM ⁱ⁶⁴ lb	AAD ⁱ⁶⁴ lb	XLAT/ XLATB	
E	LOOPNE ^{r64} / LOOPNZ ^{r64} Jb	LOOPE ^{r64} / LOOPZ ^{r64} Jb	LOOP ^{r64} Jb	Jrcxz ^{r64} / Jb	IN AL, Ib eAX, Ib		OUT Ib, AL	Ib, eAX
F	LOCK (Prefix)		REPNE (Prefix)	REP/REPE (Prefix)	HLT	CMC	Unary Grp 3 ^{1A} Eb Ev	

what did we do?

- Inserting an unrecognized byte
 - directly in the binary
 - to be executed by the CPU
 - not even documented, nor identified!

“kids, don't try this at home!”

the CPU doesn't care

- **it** knows
 - and does its own stuff

```
__asm {__emit 0xd6}  
MessageBoxA(0, "Hello World !", "Tada !", MB_ICONINFORMATION);  
ExitProcess(0);
```



what happened ?

- D6 = S[ET]ALC
 - Set AL on Carry
 - AL = CF ? -1 : 0
- trivial
- but not documented
 - unreliable, or shameful ?

AMD

AMD64 Technology

24594—Rev. 3.15—November 2009

Table A-1. One-Byte Opcodes, Low Nibble 0–7h

Nibble ¹	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	Eb, Gb	Ev, Gv	Gb, Eb	Gv, Ev	AL, lb	rAX, lz	PUSH ES ³	POP ES ³
1	Eb, Gb	Ev, Gv	Gb, Eb	Gv, Ev	AL, lb	rAX, lz	PUSH SS ³	POP SS ³
2	Eb, Gb	Ev, Gv	Gb, Eb	Gv, Ev	AL, lb	rAX, lz	seg ES ⁵	DAA ³
3	Eb, Gb	Ev, Gv	Gb, Eb	Gv, Ev	AL, lb	rAX, lz	seg SS ⁵	AAA ³
4	eAX	eCX	eDX	eBX	eSP	eBP	eSI	eDI
5	rAX/r8	rCX/r9	rDX/r10	rBX/r11	rSP/r12	rBP/r13	rSI/r14	rDI/r15
6	PUSHA/D ³	POPA/D ³	BOUND ³ Gv, Ma	ARPL ³ Ew, Gw MOVSD ⁴ Gv, Ed	seg FS	seg GS	operand size	address size
7	JO Jb	JNO Jb	JB Jb	JNB Jb	JZ Jb	JNZ Jb	JBE Jb	JNBE Jb
8	Eb, lb	Ev, lz	Eb, lb ³	Ev, lb	Eb, Gb	Ev, Gv	Eb, Gb	Ev, Gv
9	r8, rAX NOP/PAUSE	rCX/r9, rAX	rDX/r10, rAX	rBX/r11, rAX	rSP/r12, rAX	rBP/r13, rAX	rSI/r14, rAX	rDI/r15, rAX
A	AL, Ob	rAX, Ov	Ob, AL	Ov, rAX	MOVSB Yb, Xb	MOVSW/D/Q Yv, Xv	CMPBS Xb, Yb	CMPSW/D/Q Xv, Yv
B	AL, lb r8b, lb	CL, lb r9b, lb	DL, lb r10b, lb	BL, lb r11b, lb	AH, lb r12b, lb	CH, lb r13b, lb	DH, lb r14b, lb	BH, lb r15b, lb
C	Eb, lb	Ev, lb	lw	RET near	LES ³ Gz, Mp	LDS ³ Gz, Mp	Eb, lb	Ev, lz
D	Eb, 1	Ev, 1	Eb, CL	Ev, CL	AAM ³	AAD ³	SALC ³	XLAT
E	LOOPNE/NZ Jb	LOOPE/Z Jb	LOOP Jb	JrcXZ Jb	IN	OUT	lb, AL	lb, eAX
F	LOCK: INT1	ICE Bkpt	REPNE: ICE Bkpt	REP: REPE:	HLT	CMC	Group 3 ²	

“do what I do...”

```
d\undoc.exe" - WinDbg:6.12.0002.633 X86
004045ad f1      ???
004045ae d6      ???
004045af f7      ???
004045b0 c8909090 enter    9090h,90h
004045b4 0f      ???
004045b5 1e      push     ds
004045b6 84c0     test     al,al
004045b8 0f      ???
004045b9 209090909090 and      byte ptr [
004045bf 660fc8   bswap    eax
```

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XED version: [\$Id: xed-version.c 2718 2011-10-12 21:09:59Z mjcharne \$]

```
F1      int1
D6      salc
F7C890909090 test eax, 0x90909090
0F1E84C090909090 nop dword ptr [eax+eax*8-0x6f6f6f70], eax
0F2090     mov eax, cr2
660FC8     bswap ax
```

the problem (1/2)

- the CPU does its stuff
 - whatever we (don't) know
- if we/our tools don't know what's next, we're blind.

the problem (2/2)

no exhaustive or clean test set

- deep into malwares or packers
- scattered

→ Corkami

let's start exploring x86...

Questions

Generalities

- opcodes
- registers
 - relation
 - initial values

Specificities

a multi-generation CPU: modern...

English

let's go!

you win

sandwich

hello

f*ck

Assembly

push

mov

call

retn

jmp

...shakespeare...

thou	<i>aaa</i>
porpentine	<i>xlat</i>
enmity	<i>verr</i>
hither	<i>smsw</i>
unkennel	<i>/s/</i>

(old, but fully supported)

CE	INTO
6202	BOUND EAX,QWORD PTR DS:[EDX]
0F00E1	VERR CX
0F02C1	LAR EAX,ECX
0F00CA	STR DX
37	AAA
0F03C1	LSL EAX,ECX
0FAEF8	SFENCE
63C1	ARPL CX,AX
D40A	AAM
0FC9	BSWAP ECX
F0:0FC70E	LOCK CMPXCHG8B QWORD PTR DS:[ESI]
C51E	LDS EBX,FWORD PTR DS:[ESI]
D7	XLAT BYTE PTR DS:[EBX+AL]
27	DAA
0FC1C1	XADD ECX,EAX
0F0D00	PREFETCH QWORD PTR DS:[EAX]
00	NOOP

'over-disassembling'

- CD XX: int XX
- deprecated behaviors:
 - int 20h = VXD, int 35-39 = FPU

```
EB02      jmps      .000401017
CD20EB049090 vxdcall 9090.04EB
CD20EB049090 vxdcall 9090.04EB
CD209080C000 vxdjmp  00C0.0090
EB02      jmp      00040102D
```

```
CD 35 int      35h
;
_0:
D0 C0 rol      al, 1
EB 02 jmp      short _1
;
CD 20 int      20h
```

```
CD 35 D0      fnop; (emulator call)
C0 EB 02      shr      bl, 2
CD 20 EB 04 90 90 UxDCall 909004EBh
CD 20 EB 04 90 90 UxDCall 909004EBh
CD 20 90 80 C0 00 UxDJmp 0C00090h
```

```
EB 04 _1:      jmp      short _2
;
90      nop
90      nop
CD 20 int      20h
```

...next generation

tweet

crc32

poke

aesenc

google

pcmpistrm

pwn

vfmsubadd132ps

Fused Multiply-Alternating Subtract/Add
of Packed Single-Precision Floating-Point Values

apps

movbe

only in netbooks!

all opcodes PoC

```
int3                ;cc
int 3               ;cd 03
smi                 ;f1 (386)
[...]
```

aam		;d40a
aam 255		;d4xx ; undocumented

```
[...]
```

vaeskeygenassist	xmm0, xmm0, 0	;c4e379dfc000
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```
[...]
```

vfnmaddpd	ymm0, ymm0, ymm0, ymm0	;c4e37d79c000
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```
[...]
```

; VIA Padlock

rep	xsha256	;f30fa6d0 calculate SHA256 as specified by FIPS 180-2
rep	montmul	;f30fa6c0 montgomery multiplier

registers

- Complex relations
 - FPU changes FST, STx, Mmx (ST0 overlaps MM7)
 - also changes CR0 (under XP)
- Initial values
 - $AX = \langle \text{OS generation} \rangle$
 - $OS = (EAX == 0) ? XP : \text{newer}$
 - $GS = \langle \text{number of bits} \rangle$
 - $\text{bits} = (GS == 0) ? 32 : 64$

initial values PoC

```
[...]  
EntryPoint:  
    xchg esp, [fake_esp]  
    pushf  
    pusha  
    xchg esp, [fake_esp]  
[...]  
    mov eax, [flags]  
    cmp eax, 246h  
[...]  
    mov eax, [eax_]  
    cmp eax, 0 ; good XP value  
[...]  
    cmp eax, 70000000h ; good >=Vista value  
[...]  
[...]  
TLS:  
[...]  
    cmp ecx, 11h ; good >=Vista value  
[...]  
    cmp ecx, TLSSIZE ; good XP value  
[...]
```

	XP	W7
Flags		
TLS		
eax		
ecx		
edx		
ebx		
EntryPoint		
eax		
ecx		
edx		

fully ctrl-ed
controlled
fixed
range

smSW

- CR0 access, from user-mode
 - 286 opcode
- higher word of reg32 'undefined'
- under XP
 - influenced by FPU
 - eventually reverts

DEMO

```
smsw    eax
cmp     ax, 03B ; ';'
jnz     bad  --↓1
fnop
smsw    eax
cmp     ax, 031 ; '1'
jnz     bad  --↓1
2 smsw   eax
cmp     ax, 031 ; '1'
jz      wait_loop --↑2
```

```
>smsw
* smsw trick: OK

>smsw 1>smsw.txt

>type smsw.txt
* smsw trick: fail
```

GS

- unused on Windows 32b
 - on 64b: FS, GS = TEB32, TEB64
- reset on thread switch
 - eventually reset
 - debugger stepping
 - wait
 - timings

DEMO

```
mov     ax, 3
mov     gs, eax
1mov     ax, gs
cmp     ax, 3
jz      gs loop --↑1
```

nop

- *nop* is *xchg *ax, *ax*

- but *xchg *ax, *ax* can **do** something, in 64b !

87 c0: xchg eax, eax

.. .. 01 23 45 67 => 00 00 00 00 01 23 45 67

- *hint nop* 0F1E84C090909090 *nop dword ptr [eax+eax*8-0x6f6f6f70], eax*
 - partially undocumented, actually 0f 18-1f
 - can trigger exception

mov

- documented, but sometimes tricky
 - *mov [cr0], eax* *mov cr0, eax*
 - mod/RM is ignored
 - *movsxd eax, ecx* *mov eax, ecx*
 - no REX prefix
 - *mov eax, cs* *movzx eax,cs*
 - 'undefined' upper word

non standard CR0 access

```
0F01E0 smsw      eax
50      push     eax
90      nop
0F2000 #UD(mod)
50      push     eax
90      nop
0F20C0 mov      eax,cr0
50      push     eax
90      nop
6890020100 push    000010290 ;' * CR0:
FF1528020100 call    DbgPrint
000410      push    000000000 ;' * CR0:

DUR-021601C97C (local)
Options  Computer  Help
[Icons]
Debug Print
0000 * CR0: 8001003B (normal) 8001003B (invalid modRM) 8001003B ('un
```

bswap

rax

12 34 56 78 90 ab cd ef => ef cd ab 90 78 56 34 12

eax

.. 01 23 45 67 => 00 00 00 00 67 45 23 01

ax

.. 01 23 => 00 00

```
00400ff8 0000      add     byte ptr [rax],al
00400ffa 0000      add     byte ptr [rax],al
00400ffc 0000      add     byte ptr [rax],al
00400ffe 0000      add     byte ptr [rax],al
00401000 48b8efcdab8967452301 mov     rax,123456789ABCDEFh
0040100a 87c0      xchg    eax,eax
0040100c 90        nop
0040100d 40100000 10000000 10000000 10000000
```

rax	89abcdef
rip	40100c
rcx	7fffffff000
rdx	401000
rbx	0

DEMO

Address	Hex	Disassembly
00401FFE	0F19C2	hint_nop edx

Access violation when reading [00402000] - use Shift+F7/F8/F9 to

push+ret

```
start:      push    next    --↓1
.00401014:  ret     ;  _^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_
.00401016:  int      3
next:      1push    000401043 ; 'Tada!'
.0040101D:  call    printf
```

DEMO

00401000	. 00C7 07	ADD ESI, 7
0040100E	. 90	NOP
<start>	. 68 18104000	PUSH <pushret.next>
00401014	. 66:C3	RETN
00401016	. CC	INT3
00401017	. CC	INT3
<next>	> 68 43104000	PUSH pushret.00401043
0040101D	. FF15 18114000	CALL DWORD PTR DS:[401118]
00401023	. 83C4 04	ADD ESP, 4
00401026	. 6A 00	PUSH 0
00401028	. FF15 10114000	CALL DWORD PTR DS:[401110]
0040102E	. CC	INT3
0040102F	. CC	INT3
00401030	. 00 00 00 70	CALL "pushret.next"

RET used as a jump to next

```
[format = "Tada!"]  
printf
```

C:\ D:_nc10\sources\corkami\trun

* push/ret test: "fail" a

...and so on...

- much more @ <http://x86.corkami.com>
 - also graphs, cheat sheet...
- too much theory for now...

Corkami Standard Test

CoST

- <http://cost.corkami.com>
- testing opcodes
- in a hardened PE
 - available in easy mode

more than 150 tests

- classic, rare
- jumps (JMP to IP, IRET, ...)
- undocumented (IceBP, SetALc...)
- cpu-specific (MOVBE, POPCNT,...)
- os-dependant, anti-VM/debugs
- exceptions triggers, interrupts, OS bugs,...
- ...

```
mov     eax, 3
cmp     eax, 3
jz      .07EFD0593
```

CoST's internals

```
c>CoST.exe
CoST - Corkami Standard Test BETA 2011/09/xx
Ange Albertini, BSD Licence, 2009-2011 - http://corkami.com

Info: windows 7 found
Starting: jumps opcodes...
Starting: classic opcodes...
Starting: rare opcodes...
Starting: undocumented opcodes...
Starting: cpu-specific opcodes...
Info: CPUID GenuineIntel
Info[cpu]: MOVBE (Atom only) not supported
Starting: undocumented encodings...
Starting: os-dependant opcodes...
Starting: 'nop' opcodes...
Starting: opcode-based anti-debuggers...
Starting: opcode-based GetIPs...
Starting: opcode-based exception triggers...
Starting: 64 bits opcodes...
Starting: registers tests

...completed!
```

```
1 [trick] Adding TLS 2 in TLS callbacks list
2 [trick] the next call's operand is zeroed by the loader
3 CoST - Corkami Standard Test BETA 2011/09/XX
4 Ange Albertini, BSD Licence, 2009-2011 - http://corkami.com
5
6
7 [trick] TLS terminating by unhandled exception (EP is executed)
8 [trick] allocating buffer [0000-ffff]
9 testing: NULL buffer
10 checking OS version
11 Info: Windows 7 found
12 [trick] calling Main via my own export
13 Starting: jumps opcodes...
14 Testing: RETN word
15
```

CoST.exe	↓FRO	-----	a32 PE .7EFD0220 Hiew 8.15 (c)SEN
4_Main:	mov	d, [0CAFEBABE], 07EFD2CF7	'Starting: jumps opcodes...'
.7EFD022A:	call	jumps --↓2	
.7EFD022F:	nop		
.7EFD0230:	mov	d, [0CAFEBABE], 07EFD2D14	'Starting: classic opcodes...'
.7EFD023A:	call	classics --↓4	

$$32+64 = \dots$$

```

.7EFD2540:    mov     eax, 0F570D67C
.7EFD2545:    mov     ebx, 3
.7EFD254A:    push    cs
.7EFD254B:    push    end --↓1
.7EFD2550:    push    033 ; '3'
.7EFD2552:    call    push_eip --↓2
push_eip:    2arpl    ax, bx
.7EFD2559:    dec     eax
.7EFD255A:    add     eax, eax
.7EFD255C:    retf    ;  _^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_ ^_
end:        1cmp     ebx, 0EAE1ACFC
.7EFD2563:    jz      next --↓3
.7EFD2565:    call    bad --↓4
next:       3cmp     eax, 0D5C359F8
.7EFD256F:    ; 07EFD057C --↓5

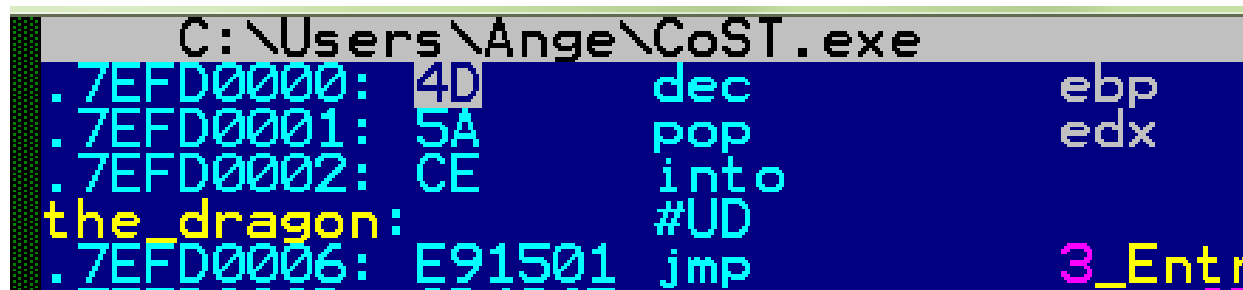
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CoST vs WinDbg & Hiew

WinDbg 6.12.0002.633

```
*** ERROR: Module load completed but symbols cc
image7efd0000:
7efd0000 4d          dec     ebp
7efd0001 5a          pop     edx
7efd0002 ce          into
7efd0003 0f          ???
7efd0004 1838       sbb     byte ptr [eax]
7efd0006 e9db010000 jmp     image7efd0000+
7efd000b 0d436f5354 or      eax, 54536F43h
7efd0010 000100406650
```

Hiew 8.15



```
C:\Users\Ange\CoST.exe
.7EFD0000: 4D          dec     ebp
.7EFD0001: 5A          pop     edx
.7EFD0002: CE          into
the_dragon: #UD
.7EFD0006: E91501 jmp     3_Enter
```

a hardened PE

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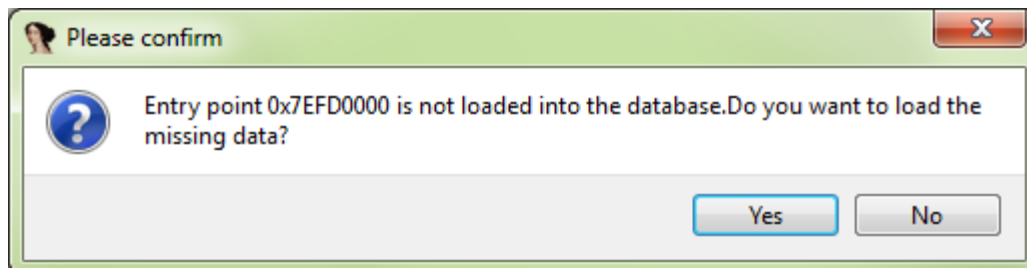
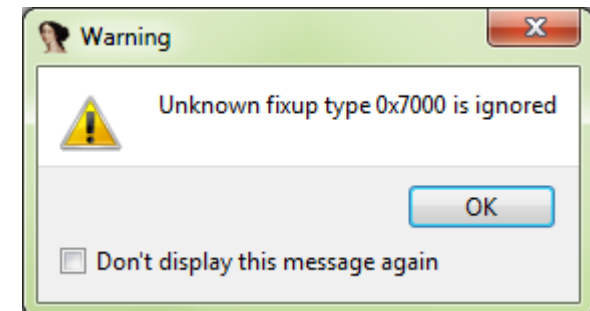
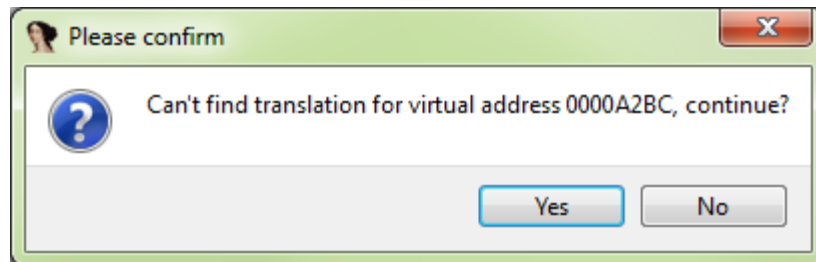
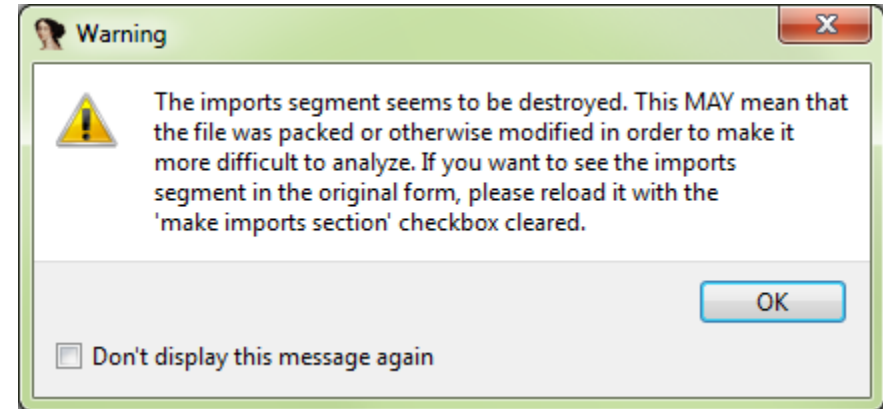
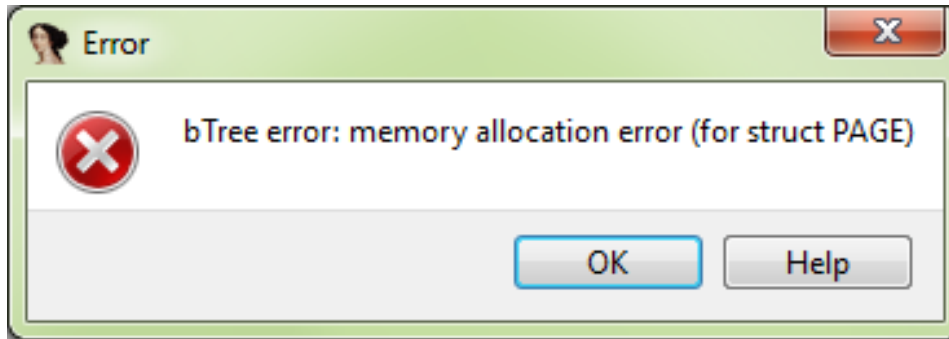
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PE 'footer'

CoST vs IDA



a bit more of PE...

PE on Corkami

- still in progress
- more than 120 PoCs
 - covering many aspects
 - good enough to break <you name it>
- 'summary' page <http://pe.corkami.com>
- printable graphs

virtual section table vs Hiew

VIRTSE~1.EXE ↓FR0 ----- 00000000 | Hiew 8.15 (c)SEN

00000000: 4D 5A 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00 MZ
00000010: 00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00
00000020: 00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00
00000030: 00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-40 00 00 00
00000040: 50 45 00 00-4C 01 52 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00 PE LOR
00000050: 00 00 00 00-58 02 02 01-0B 01 00 00-00 00 00 00 X
00000060: 00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-38 01 00 00-00 00 00 00 8
00000070: 00 00
00000080: 00 00
00000090: 00 00
000000A0: 00 00
000000B0: 00 00
000000C0: 90 01
000000D0: 00 00
000000E0: 00 00
000000F0: 00 00
00000100: 00 00
00000110: 00 00
00000120: 00 00
00000130: 00 00
00000140: 02 40
00000150: 20 2A
00000160: 20 50
00000170: 61 6C
00000180: 20 28
00000190: D0 01
000001A0: 10 02 00 00-D8 01 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00
000001B0: 3D 02 00 00-18 02 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00
000001C0: 00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00
000001D0: F0 01 00 00-00 00 00 00-FE 01 00 00-00 00 00 00
000001E0: 00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00-00 00 00 00
000001F0: 00 00 45 78-69 74 50 72-6F 63 65 73-73 00 00 00

Signature 5A4D
Bytes on last page 0000
Pages in file 0000
Relocations count 0000
Paragraphs in header 0000
Minimum memory 0000
Maximum memory 0000
SS:SP setting 0000:0000
Checksum 0000
CS:IP setting 0000:0000
Relocations table address 0000
Overlay number 0000
Overlay length 00000248
NewExe offset 00000040
Entry point 00000000

hP@@ s↑
ow alignment
with a virtu
section table

ExitProcess

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Folded header

Name	RVA	Size
Export	88660001	10009988
Import	86600010	01000998
Resource	66000100	00100099
Exception	6000100F	F0010009
Security	000100FF	FF001000
Fixups	00100FF0	0FF00100
Debug	0100FF05	20FF0010
Description	100FF055	220FF001
MIPS GP	100FF055	220FF001
TLS	0100FF05	20FF0010
Load config	00100FF0	0FF00100
Bound Import	000100FF	FF001000
Import Table	6000100F	F0010009
Delay Import	66000100	00100099
COM Runtime	86600010	01000998
(reserved)	88660001	10009988

Weird export names

- exports = <anything non null>, 0

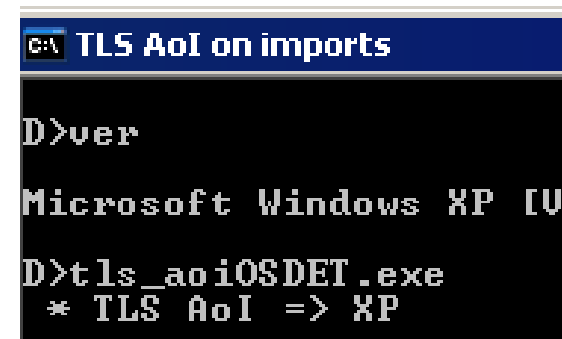
```
00401000: 6A01                                push
00401002: 58                                  pop
00401000: 8BFF                                → retn
00401000: 8BFF                                → int
00401000: 8BFF                                → push
*****                                → call
* Insert subliminal message here *   → add
*****                                → retn ;
00401000: 8BFF                                → int
00401018: 202A                                1and
0040101A: 007074
```

65535 sections vs OllyDbg

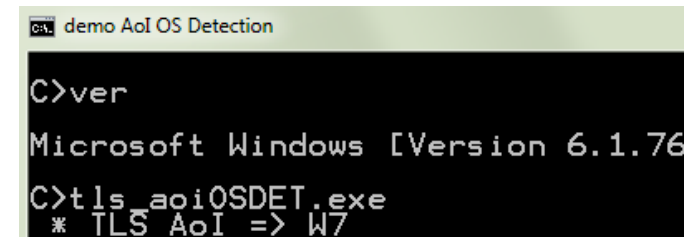


a last one...

- TLS AddressOfIndex is overwritten on loading
- Imports are parsed until Name is 0
- under XP, overwritten after imports
 - imports are fully parsed
- under W7, before
 - truncated



```
C:\ TLS AoI on imports
D>ver
Microsoft Windows XP [U
D>tls_aoiOSDET.exe
* TLS AoI => XP
```



```
C:\ demo AoI OS Detection
C>ver
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.76
C>tls_aoiOSDET.exe
* TLS AoI => W7
```

same PE, loaded differently

Conclusion (1/2)

- x86 and PE are far from perfectly documented

official docs \Rightarrow FAIL

Conclusion (2/2)

1. visit Corkami

2. download the PoCs

- read the doc / source

3. fix the bugs ;)

- or answer my bug reports ?#\$!

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Questions?

Thank YOU!

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Bonus

- Mips relocs (on relocs)
- ImageBase reloc
- multi-subsystem PE
- regs on TLS & DIIMain

