

CS409

Software Testing

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Fuzzing

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<https://www.fuzzingbook.org/slides/Fuzzer.slides.html>

Fuzzing Architecture

- Two important classes
 - Fuzzer as a base class for fuzzers; and
 - Runner as a base class for programs under test

1st Step(a): Run Fuzzingbook in your computer

Can I import the code for my own Python projects?

Yes, you can! (If you like Python, that is.) We provide a fuzzingbook Python package that you can install using the pip package manager:

```
$ pip install fuzzingbook
```

Once this is installed, you can import individual classes, constants, or functions from each notebook using

```
>>> from fuzzingbook.<notebook> import <identifier>
```

where <identifier> is the name of the class, constant, or function to use, and <notebook> is the name of the respective notebook. (If you read this at [fuzzingbook.org](#), then the notebook name is the identifier preceding ".html" in the URL).

1st Step (If you don't want to install this in your computer): Run Fuzzingbook in notebook

Go to the following link:

https://notebooks.gesis.org/binder/jupyter/user/uds-se-fuzzingbook-xneda7rm/notebooks/docs/notebooks/Untitled.ipynb?kernel_name=python3

```
import fuzzingbook\_utils
```

```
from Fuzzer import RandomFuzzer
```

```
f = RandomFuzzer()  
f.fuzz()
```

```
'!7#%"*#0=)$;%6*;>638:*>80"=</>(/*:- (2<4 !:5*6856&?" "11<7+%<%7,4.8,*+&,,$,. "5%<%76< -5'
```

Fuzzer class

Fuzzers

Fuzzer is a base class for fuzzers, with RandomFuzzer as a simple instantiation. The fuzz() method of Fuzzer objects returns a string with a generated input.

```
>>> random_fuzzer = RandomFuzzer()
>>> random_fuzzer.fuzz()
'%$<1&<%+=!"83?+)9:++9138 42/ "7;0-,)06 "1(2;6>?99$%7!!*#96=>2&-/(5*)=$;0$$+;<12"?30&'
```

The RandomFuzzer() constructor allows to specify a number of keyword arguments:

```
>>> print(RandomFuzzer.__init__.__doc__)
Produce strings of `min_length` to `max_length` characters
    in the range [`char_start`, `char_start` + `char_range`]

>>> random_fuzzer = RandomFuzzer(min_length=10, max_length=20, char_start=65, char_range=26)
>>> random_fuzzer.fuzz()
'XGZVDDPZ00W'
```

Runner class

Runners

A Fuzzer can be paired with a Runner, which takes the fuzzed strings as input. Its result is a class-specific *status* and an *outcome* (PASS, FAIL, or UNRESOLVED). A PrintRunner will simply print out the given input and return a PASS outcome:

```
>>> print_runner = PrintRunner()
>>> random_fuzzer.run(print_runner)
EQYGAXPTVPJGTYHXFJ

('EQYGAXPTVPJGTYHXFJ', 'UNRESOLVED')
```

A ProgramRunner will feed the generated input into an external program. Its result is a pair of the program status (a CompletedProcess instance) and an *outcome* (PASS, FAIL, or UNRESOLVED):

```
>>> cat = ProgramRunner('cat')
>>> random_fuzzer.run(cat)
(CompletedProcess(args='cat', returncode=0, stdout='BZOQTXFBTEOVYX', stderr=''),
 'PASS')
```

Let's us build a fuzzer!

- Idea: Produce random characters, adding them to a buffer string variable (out), and finally returning the string.
- This implementation uses the following Python features and functions:
 - `random.randrange(start, end)` – return a random number [start, end)
 - `range(start, end)` – create a list with integers in the range [start, end) .
Typically used in iterations.
 - `for elem in list: body` – execute body in a loop with elem taking each value from list.
 - `for i in range(start, end): body` – execute body in a loop with i from start to end - 1.
 - `chr(n)` – return a character with ASCII code n

Simple Fuzzer

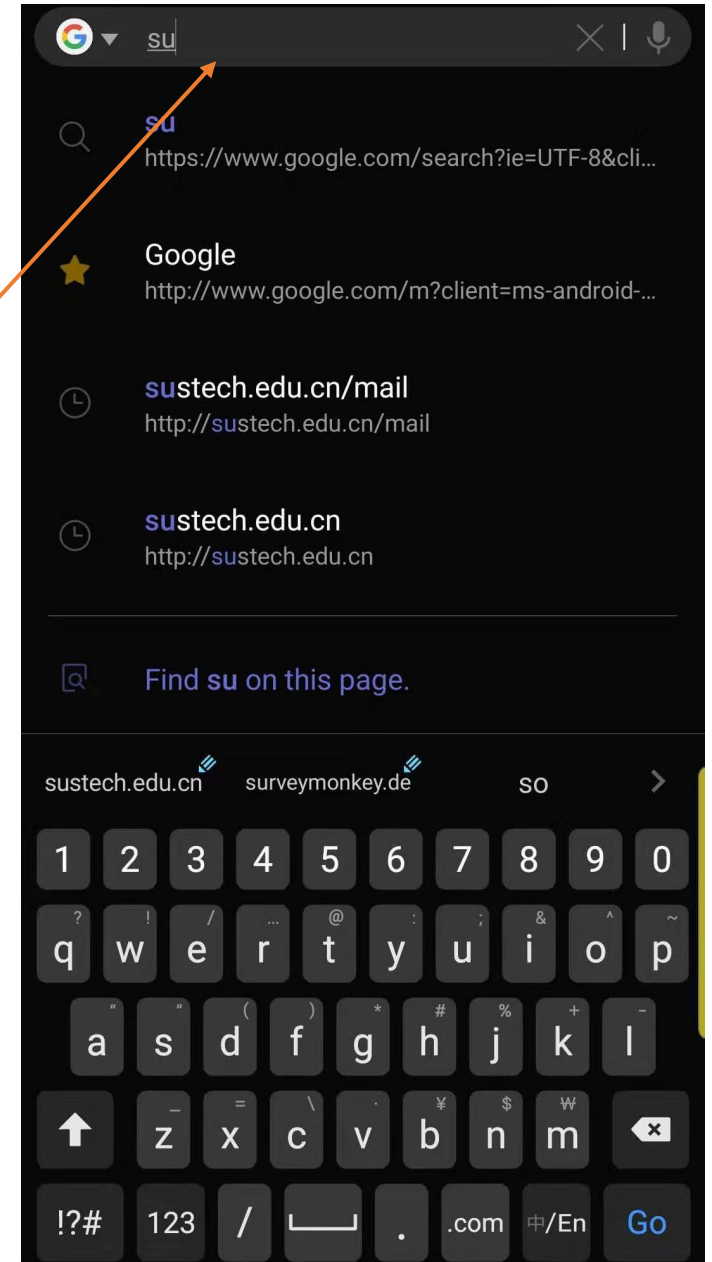
- Generate random length (up to max length) of random string

```
def fuzzer(max_length=100, char_start=32, char_range=32):  
    """A string of up to `max_length` characters  
       in the range [`char_start`, `char_start` + `char_range`]"""  
    string_length = random.randrange(0, max_length + 1)  
    out = ""  
    for i in range(0, string_length):  
        out += chr(random.randrange(char_start, char_start + char_range))  
    return out
```

- How to call this fuzzer?
 - Ex. If we want to produce a series of lowercase letters. We use `ord(c)` to return the ASCII code of the character `c`.
 - `fuzzer(1000, ord('a'), 26)`

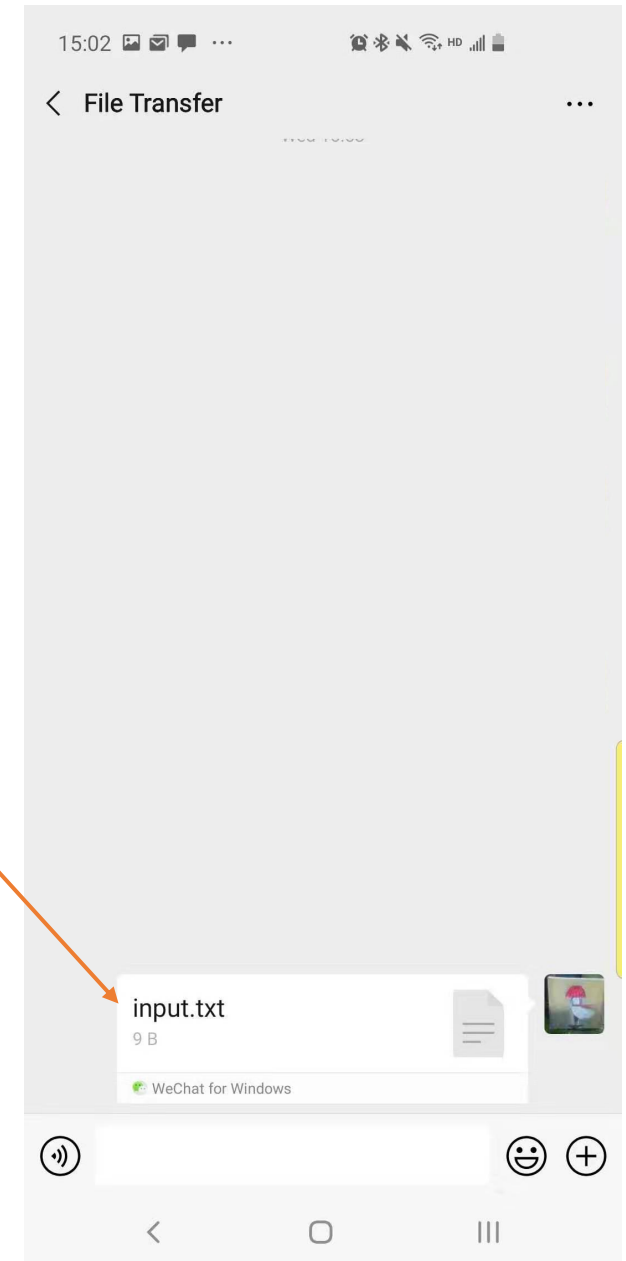
Apply this to your selected apps

- Identify the text box in your apps



Apply this to your selected apps

- Identify the input file in your apps



Creating input files

```
import os
import tempfile
```

```
basename = "input.txt"
tempdir = tempfile.mkdtemp()
FILE = os.path.join(tempdir, basename)
print(FILE)
```

/var/folders/n2/xd9445p97rb3xh7m1dfx8_4h0006ts/T/tmpdul0u1b5/input.txt

We can now open this file for writing. The Python `open()` function opens a file into which we can then write arbitrary contents. It is commonly used in conjunction with the `with` statement, which ensures that the file is closed as soon as it is no longer needed.

```
data = fuzzer()
with open(FILE, "w") as f:
    f.write(data)
```

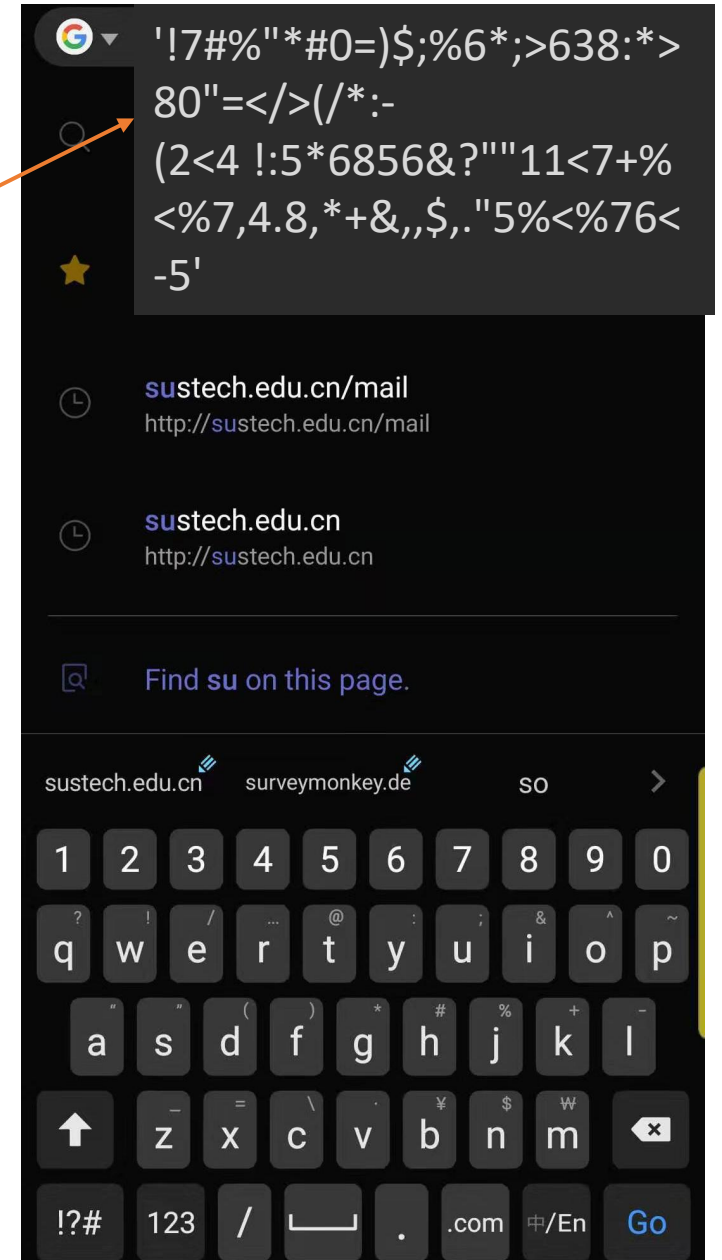
We can verify that the file was actually created by reading its contents:

```
contents = open(FILE).read()
print(contents)
assert(contents == data)
```

!6"*-2,\$994,%*:"\$25!2=!+!2#' '6/3'4!6%7056'??2#7;75>27'15#-4.?*<?6&" !3'7-5>18%

Get fuzzed Inputs

- Give the fuzzed inputs to your app



Could we do better than random inputs?

- **Fuzzing with Grammars**
- Adapted from <https://www.fuzzingbook.org/html/Grammars.html>

Defining grammar: Example

```
import fuzzingbook_utils
from Grammars import simple_grammar_fuzzer
US_PHONE_GRAMMAR = {
    "<start>": ["<phone-number>"],
    "<phone-number>": ["(<area><exchange>-<line>"],
    "<area>": ["<lead-digit><digit><digit>"],
    "<exchange>": ["<lead-digit><digit><digit>"],
    "<line>": ["<digit><digit><digit><digit>"],
    "<lead-digit>": ["2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9"],
    "<digit>": ["0", "1", "2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9"]
}
[simple_grammar_fuzzer(US_PHONE_GRAMMAR) for i in range(5)]
```

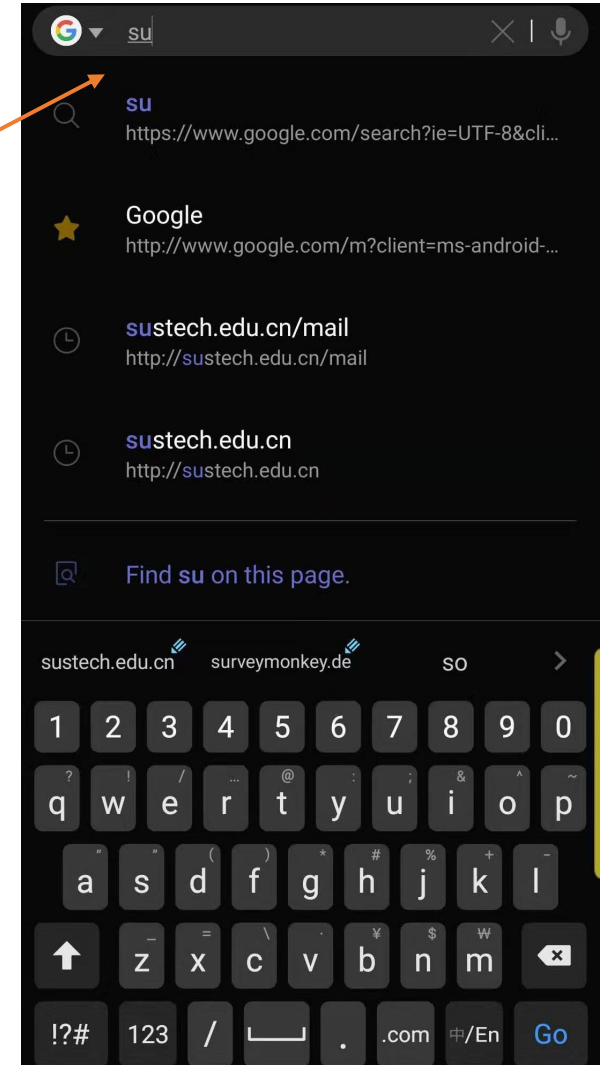
Grammar for US phone number



- <https://www.fuzzingbook.org/html/Grammars.html>

Write your own grammar for your input

- If your app have simple text input, then write grammar for the simple text input
- If you have no simple text input (e.g., need to write grammar for a photo), then write grammar for the web address



Get fuzzed Inputs from the grammar fuzzer

- Get 5 valid inputs from the grammar fuzzer

```
import fuzzingbook_utils
from Grammars import simple_grammar_fuzzer
MY_GRAMMAR = {
    ...
}
[simple_grammar_fuzzer(MY_GRAMMAR) for i in range(5)]
```

- Give the fuzzed inputs to your app

Submit your fuzzed inputs

- <https://classroom.github.com/a/WOPbCjnZ>
- Add a README.md and answer the following questions your app
 - What is the text input that you try to fuzz?
 - If there is no text input for your app, use the Google Chrome App or Baidu app to answer the question for this lab
 - Add a screenshot for showing the text input?
 - What are the random fuzzed inputs from random fuzzer?
 - What are the fuzzed inputs from grammar fuzzer?
 - Report if you find any new crash
 - Use delta debugging to minimize the fuzzed inputs
 - **Don't forget to write your student id and name in the README.md!**