

# You know 0xDiablos – Writeup

## HackTheBox – Pwn – Easy

Written by Ron Jost

```
(base) hacker5preme:~/HTB/Challenges/rev_wide$ file wide
wide: ELF 64-bit LSB shared object, x86-64, version 1 (SYSV), dynamically linked, interpreter /lib64/ld-linux-x86-64.so.2, for GNU/Linux 3.2.0, BuildID[sha1]=13869bb7ce2c22f474b95ba21c9d7e9ff74ecc3f, not stripped
```

It is a Linux executable. It needs to be used with db.ex and shows the following.

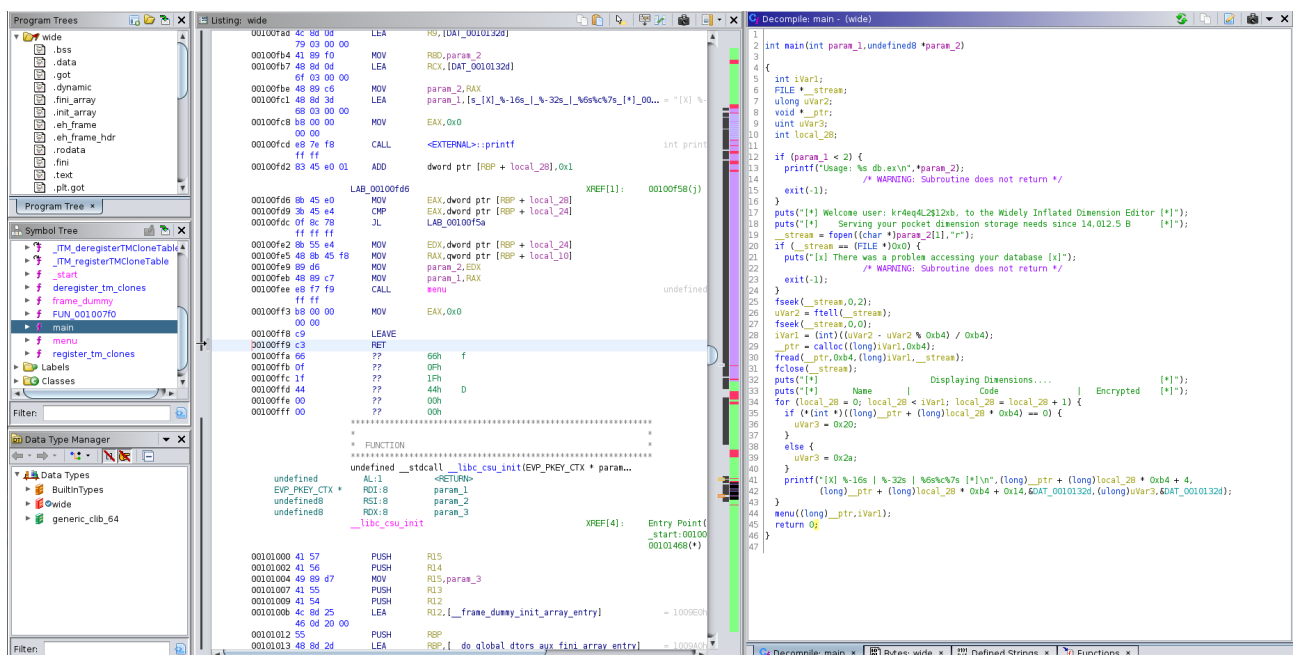
```
(base) hacker5preme:~/HTB/Challenges/rev_wide$ ./wide db.ex
[*] Welcome user: kr4eq4L2$12xb, to the Widely Inflated Dimension Editor [*]
[*] Serving your pocket dimension storage needs since 14,012.5 B [*]
[*] Displaying Dimensions.... [*]
[*] Name Code Encrypted [*]
[X] Primus people breathe variety practice [*]
[X] Cheagaz scene control river importance [*]
[X] Byenoovia fighting cast it parallel [*]
[X] Cloteprea facing motor unusual heavy [*]
[X] Maraqa stomach motion sale valuable [*]
[X] Aidor feathers stream sides gate [*]
[X] Flaggie Alpha admin secret power hidden [*]
Which dimension would you like to examine? █
```

It allows us to input. First I tried to input the Names shown on the left, but it didn't work. Then I tried Numbers, and Primus is Number 1 and Flaggie Alpha is Number 6.

```
Which dimension would you like to examine? 6
[X] That entry is encrypted – please enter your WIDE decryption key: █
```

How do we find our WIDE decryption key? Strings shows nothing, so we will use Ghidra to analyze the binary and find the decryption key.

We first navigate to the main function:



There we can see, that the menu function is called.

```
149 printf("[X] That entry is encrypted - please enter your WIDE decryption key: ");
150 fgets(local_c8,0x10,stdin);
151 mbstowcs(local_lc8,local_c8,0x10);
152 iVar1 = wcscmp(local_lc8,L"sup3rs3cr3twld3");
153 if (iVar1 == 0) {
154     for (local_ld4 = 0;
155         (local_ld4 < 0x80 && (*(char *)((long)&local_98 + (long)(int)local_ld4) != '\0'));
156         local_ld4 = local_ld4 + 1) {
157         *(byte *)((long)&local_98 + (long)(int)local_ld4) =
158             *(byte *)((long)&local_98 + (long)(int)local_ld4) ^
159             (char)(local_ld4 * 0x1b) + (char)((int)(local_ld4 * 0x1b) / 0xff);
160     }
161     puts((char *)&local_98);
162 }
163 else {
164     puts("[X]                                Key was incorrect                                [X]");
165 }
166 } while( true );
167 }
168 }
```

The wcscmp line (152) shows us the decryption key. Input it and you will get the flag :)