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vuln.c

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GNU nano 8.6
#include <stdio.h>
#include<string.h>

void vulnerable_function(char *input) {
    char buffer[64];
    strcpy(buffer , input); // No bounds check - buffer overflow vulnerability
}

int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    if (argc < 2) {
        printf("usage: %s <input>\n", argv[0]);
        return 1;
    }
    vulnerable_function(argv[1]);
    printf("input processed\n");
    return 0;
}
```

[ Read 17 lines ]

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^G Help ^O Write Out ^F Where Is ^K Cut ^C Location M-U Undo M-A Set Mark M-] To Bracket  
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└─(jackal㉿kali)-[~]  
$ strings vuln  
/lib/ld-linux-aarch64.so.1  
strcpy  
puts  
_libc_start_main  
_cxa_finalize  
printf  
abort  
libc.so.6  
GLIBC_2.17  
GLIBC_2.34  
_ITM_deregisterTMClockTable  
_gmon_start  
_ITM_registerTMClockTable  
="A9@  
usage: %s <input>  
input processed  
GCC: (Debian 14.3.0-5) 14.3.0  
strcpy  
input  
long unsigned int  
unsigned char  
main  
long int  
argc  
short unsigned int  
printf  
short int  
GNU C17 14.3.0 -mlittle-endian -mabi=lp64 -g -fno-stack-protector -fasynchronous-unwind-tables  
buffer  
vulnerable_function  
argv  
vuln.c  
/home/jackal  
/usr/include  
stdio.h  
string.h  
Scrt1.o  
__abi_tag
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$ trcpy@GLIBC_2.17
_TMC_END_
_ITM_registerTMCloneTable
printf@GLIBC_2.17
init
syms
strtab
strtab
shstrtab
note.gnu.build-id
interp
gnu.hash
dynsym
dynstr
gnu.version
gnu.version_r
rela.dyn
rela.plt
init
text
fini
rodata
eh_frame_hdr
eh_frame
note.ABI-tag
init_array
fini_array
dynamic
got
got.plt
data
bss
.comment
.debug_aranges
.debug_info
.debug_abbrev
.debug_line
.debug_str
.debug_line_str
(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$
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.debug_line_str
└─(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ gdb ./vuln
GNU gdb (Debian 16.3-1) 16.3
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This is free software: you are free to change and redistribute it.
There is NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by law.
Type "show copying" and "show warranty" for details.
This GDB was configured as "aarch64-linux-gnu".
Type "show configuration" for configuration details.
For bug reporting instructions, please see:
<https://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/bugs/>.
Find the GDB manual and other documentation resources online at:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/documentation/>.

For help, type "help".
Type "apropos word" to search for commands related to "word" ...
Reading symbols from ./vuln ...
(gdb) b vulnerable_function
Breakpoint 1 at 0x834: file vuln.c, line 6.
(gdb) run $(python3 -c 'print("A"*80)')
Starting program: /home/jackal/vuln $(python3 -c 'print("A"*80)')
[Thread debugging using libthread_db enabled]
Using host libthread_db library "/lib/aarch64-linux-gnu/libthread_db.so.1".

Breakpoint 1, vulnerable_function (input=0xfffffffff1c8 'A' <repeats 80 times>) at vuln.c:6
6      strcpy(buffer, input); // No bounds check - buffer overflow vulnerability
(gdb) info registers
x0      0xfffffffff1c8      281474976707016
x1      0xfffffffffee38     281474976706104
x2      0xfffffffffee50     281474976706128
x3      0aaaaaaaaa084c     187649984432204
x4      0xfffff7ff7020     281474842456096
x5      0x77952b8fa38103f1  8616841357966771185
x6      0xfffff7f91e78     281474842041976
x7      0xfffff7ffc9b8     281474842479032
x8      0xd7                215
x9      0x30                48
x10     0xfffff7def088     281474840326280
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x0      0xfffffffff1c8      281474976707016
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x4      0xfffff7ff7020      281474842456096
x5      0x77952b8fa38103f1  8616841357966771185
x6      0xfffff7ff91e78     281474842041976
x7      0xfffff7ffc9b8     281474842479032
x8      0xd7                215
x9      0x30                48
x10     0xfffff7def088      281474840326280
x11     0x0                 0
x12     0xfffff7fff370      281474842489712
x13     0xfffffff990        281474976704912
x14     0x0                 0
x15     0x3d8f538          64550200
x16     0x1                 1
x17     0xfffff7fd01e0      281474842296800
x18     0xffff              4095
x19     0xfffffff38          281474976706104
x20     0x2                 2
x21     0aaaaaaaaabfdd0    187649984560592
x22     0aaaaaaaaa084c      187649984432204
x23     0xfffffffffee50     281474976706128
x24     0xfffff7ffdb30      281474842483504
x25     0x0                 0
x26     0xfffff7ffe000      281474842484736
x27     0aaaaaaaaabfdd0    187649984560592
x28     0x0                 0
x29     0xfffffffffec40     281474976705600
x30     0aaaaaaaaa0898      187649984432280
sp      0xfffffffec40       0xfffffffffec40
pc      0aaaaaaaaa0834      0aaaaaaaaa0834 <vulnerable_function+12>
cpsr   0x20001000          [ EL=0 BTTYPE=0 SSBS C ]
fpsr   0x0                 [ ]
fpcr   0x0                 [ Len=0 Stride=0 RMode=0 ]
tpidr  0xfffff7ff7620      0xfffff7ff7620
tpidr2 0x0                 0x0
pauth_dmask 0x7f00000000000000 35747322042253312
pauth_cmask 0x7f00000000000000 35747322042253312
(gdb) ■
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(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ r2 vuln
[!] Relocs has not been applied. Please use `--e bin.relocs.apply=true` or `--e bin.cache=true` next time
0x00000700> aa
[INFO: Analyze all flags starting with sym. and entry0 (aa)]
[INFO: Analyze imports (afeloboi)]
[INFO: Analyze entrypoint (afel entry0)]
[INFO: Analyze symbols (afelobos)]
[INFO: Recovering variables (afvaobof)]
[INFO: Analyze all functions arguments/locals (afvaobof)]
0x00000700> pdf @ main
- 100: int main (int argc, char **argv);
`- args(x0, x1) vars(2:sp[0x4..0x10])
    0x0000084c    fd7bbea9    stp x29, x30, [sp, -0x20]! ; vuln.c:9int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    0x00000850    fd030091    mov x29, sp
    0x00000854    e01f00b9    str w0, [var_1ch]           ; argc
    0x00000858    e10b00f9    str x1, [var_10h]          ; argv
    0x0000085c    e01f40b9    ldr w0, [var_1ch]          ; vuln.c:10    if (argc < 2) {
    0x00000860    1f040071    cmp w0, 1
    0x00000864    2c010054    b.gt 0x888
    0x00000868    e00b40f9    ldr x0, [var_10h]          ; vuln.c:11      printf("usage: %s <input>\n", argv[0]);
    0x0000086c    000040f9    ldr x0, [x0]
    0x00000870    e10300aa    mov x1, x0
    0x00000874    00000090    adrp x0, 0
    0x00000878    00402391    add x0, x0, str.usage:_s_input_n
    0x0000087c    99ffff97    bl sym.imp.printf        ; int printf(const char *format)
    0x00000880    20008052    mov w0, 1             ; vuln.c:12      return 1;
    0x00000884    09000014    b 0x8a8
    0x00000888    e00b40f9    ldr x0, [var_10h]          ; vuln.c:14      vulnerable_function(argv[1]);
    0x0000088c    00200091    add x0, x0, 8
    0x00000890    000040f9    ldr x0, [x0]
    0x00000894    e5ffff97    bl sym.vulnerable_function
    0x00000898    00000090    adrp x0, 0             ; vuln.c:15      printf("input processed\n");
    0x0000089c    00a02391    add x0, x0, str.input_processed
    0x000008a0    88ffff97    bl sym.imp.puts        ; int puts(const char *s)
    0x000008a4    00008052    mov w0, 0             ; vuln.c:16      return 0;
; CODE XREF from main @ 0x884(x)
    0x000008a8    fd7bc2a8    ldp x29, x30, [sp], 0x20 ; vuln.c:17}
    0x000008ac    c0035fd6    ret
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[0x000000700 [Xadvcl] 0% 656 vuln]> xc @ entry0
offset - 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D E F 0123456789ABCDEF comment
0x000000700 5f24 03d5 1d00 80d2 1e00 80d2 e503 00aa _$..... ; pc ; [12] -r-x section size 432 named .text ; argl
0x000000710 e103 40f9 e223 0091 e603 0091 e000 00f0 ..@.#. ....
0x000000720 00ec 47f9 0300 80d2 0400 80d2 d5ff ff97 ..G..... .
0x000000730 e0ff ff97 e000 00f0 00e8 47f9 4000 00b4 .....G.@.... ; sym.call_weak_fn
0x000000740 d8FF ff17 c003 5fd6 1f20 03d5 1f20 03d5 ..^..._...
0x000000750 1f20 03d5 1f20 03d5 1f20 03d5 1f20 03d5 ..^..._...
0x000000760 0001 0090 0020 0191 0101 0090 2120 0191 .....!.... ; sym.deregister_tm_clones
0x000000770 3f00 00eb c000 0054 e100 00f0 21e0 47f9 ?...T...!.G.
0x000000780 6100 00b4 f003 01aa 0002 1fd6 c003 5fd6 a.....^...
0x000000790 0001 0090 0020 0191 0101 0090 2120 0191 .....!.... ; sym.register_tm_clones
0x0000007a0 2100 00cb 22fc 7fd3 410c 818b 21fc 4193 !...".A.!A.
0x0000007b0 c100 00b4 e200 00f0 42f0 47f9 6200 00b4 .....B.G.b...
0x0000007c0 f003 02aa 0002 1fd6 c003 5fd6 3f23 03d5 .....?#.. ; sym.__do_global_dtors_aux
0x0000007d0 fd7b bea9 fd03 0091 f30b 00f9 1301 0090 {.....A9@.7....G.
0x0000007e0 6022 4139 4001 0037 e000 00f0 00e4 47f9 ..".....@...
0x0000007f0 8000 00b4 0001 0090 0020 40f9 a5ff ff97 .....R."9..@.
0x000000800 d8ff ff97 2000 8052 6022 0139 f30b 40f9 ..{.....#...
0x000000810 fd7b c28b bf23 03d5 c003 5fd6 1f20 03d5 {.....#...
0x000000820 5f24 03d5 dbff ff17 fd7b baa9 fd03 0091 _$...{... ; sym.frame_dummy ; sym.vulnerable_function
0x000000830 e00f 00f9 e083 0091 e10f 40f9 a5ff ff97 .....@... ; argl
0x000000840 1f20 03d5 fd7b c6a8 c003 5fd6 fd7b bea9 ..{.....{ ; sym.main
0x000000850 fd03 0091 e01f 00b9 e10b 00f9 e01f 40b9 .....@... ; argc ; argv
0x000000860 1f04 0071 2c01 0054 e00b 40f9 0000 40f9 ..q,...T@.@. ; sym._start
0x000000870 e103 00aa 0000 0090 0040 2391 99ff ff97 .....@#... ; sym._fini
0x000000880 2000 8052 0900 0014 e00b 40f9 0020 0091 ..R.....@. ; sym._exit
0x000000890 0000 40f9 e5ff ff97 0000 0090 00a0 2391 ..@...#... ; sym._exit_group
0x0000008a0 88ff ff97 0000 8052 fd7b c2a8 c003 5fd6 ..R.{... ; sym._exit_group
0x0000008b0 3f23 03d5 fd7b bfa9 fd03 0091 fd7b c1a8 ?#...{... ; sym._fini ; [13] -r-x section size 24 named .fini
0x0000008c0 bf23 03d5 c003 5fd6 0100 0200 0000 0000 #..... ; ob).IO_stdin_used ; [14] -r-- section size 48 named .rodata
0x0000008d0 7573 6167 653a 2025 7320 3c69 6e70 7574 usage: %s <input>.....input pr ; str.usage:_s_input_n
0x0000008e0 3e0a 0000 0000 0000 696e 7075 7420 7072 .....input pr ; str.input_processed
0x0000008f0 6f63 6573 7365 6400 011b 033b 4400 0000 ocessed...;D... ; loc._GNU_EH_FRAME_HDR ; [15] -r-- section size 68 named .eh_frame_hdr
0x000000900 0700 0000 08fe ffff 5c00 0000 68fe ffff p.....\h... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
0x000000910 7000 0000 98fe ffff 8400 0000 dafe ffff p.....\h... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
0x000000920 9800 0000 28ff ffff c000 0000 30ff ffff ..(.....0... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
0x000000930 d800 0000 54ff ffff f800 0000 0000 0000 ..T..... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
0x000000940 1000 0000 0000 0000 017a 5200 0478 1e01 .....zR.x... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
0x000000950 1b0c 1f00 1000 0000 1800 0000 a4fd ffff .....A..... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
0x000000960 3400 0000 0041 071e 1000 0000 2c00 0000 4.....A..... ; sym._eh_frame ; [16] -r-- section size 212 named .eh_frame
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jackal@kali: ~
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[0x00000318]> exit
(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ python3 -c 'print("A"*offset + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")'
Traceback (most recent call last):
File "<string>", line 1, in <module>
  print("A"**offset + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")
          ^~~~~~
NameError: name 'offset' is not defined

(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ ./vuln $(python3 -c 'print("A"*offset +)')
File "<string>", line 1
  print("A"*offset +)
          ^~~~~_
SyntaxError: invalid syntax
usage: ./vuln <input>

(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ ./vuln $(python3 -c 'print("A"*offset + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")')
Traceback (most recent call last):
File "<string>", line 1, in <module>
  print("A"**offset + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")
          ^~~~~~
NameError: name 'offset' is not defined
usage: ./vuln <input>

(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ python3 -c 'print("A"*80 + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")'
AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAI%P
(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$ ./vuln $(python3 -c 'print("A"*80 + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")')
input processed
zsh: bus error  ./vuln $(python3 -c 'print("A"*80 + "\xef\xbe\xad\xde")')

(jackal㉿kali)-[~]
$
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