

Heap-based Buffer Overflow in function utfc_ptr2len in vim/vim

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Description

Heap-based Buffer Overflow in function utfc_ptr2len at vim/src/mbyte.c:2125.

vim version

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git log
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Proof of Concept

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./vim -u NONE -i NONE -n -m -X -Z -e -s -S /home/fuzz/test/poc6_hbo.dat -c
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==130015==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow on address 0x602000
READ of size 1 at 0x6020000063f2 thread T0
#0 0x557b66342c94 in utfc_ptr2len /home/fuzz/vim/src/mbyte.c:2125
#1 0x557b6637ddca in inc /home/fuzz/vim/src/misc2.c:360
#2 0x557b6637dca4 in inc_cursor /home/fuzz/vim/src/misc2.c:337
#3 0x557b663e6139 in op_replace /home/fuzz/vim/src/ops.c:1235
#4 0x557b663fdce4 in do_pending_operator /home/fuzz/vim/src/ops.c:4200
#5 0x557b663b3dce in normal_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/normal.c:959
#6 0x557b6623518b in exec_normal /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8825
#7 0x557b66234f4a in exec_normal_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8788
#8 0x557b662347ee in ex_normal /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8706
#9 0x557b66210f7c in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:1665
#10 0x557b662081d8 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:1665
#11 0x557b6652d77c in do_source_ext /home/fuzz/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1665
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#12 0x557b6652e9b1 in do_source /home/fuzz/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1808
#13 0x557b6652b46f in cmd_source /home/fuzz/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1163
#14 0x557b6652b4d4 in ex_source /home/fuzz/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1189

#15 0x557b66210f7c in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:2569
#16 0x557b662081d8 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:990
#17 0x557b66206572 in do_cmdline_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:584
#18 0x557b6680b8be in exe_commands /home/fuzz/vim/src/main.c:3139
#19 0x557b66804a27 in vim_main2 /home/fuzz/vim/src/main.c:781
#20 0x557b668042df in main /home/fuzz/vim/src/main.c:432
#21 0x7f8bddff7082 in __libc_start_main ../csu/libc-start.c:308
#22 0x557b66085e4d in _start (/home/fuzz/vim/src/vim+0x13ae4d)

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0x602000063f2 is located 0 bytes to the right of 2-byte region [0x602000063f0, 0x602000063f2) allocated by thread T0 here:

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#0 0x7f8bde48e808 in __interceptor_malloc ../../../../src/libsanitizer/
#1 0x557b6608628a in lalloc /home/fuzz/vim/src/alloc.c:246
#2 0x557b6608607b in alloc /home/fuzz/vim/src/alloc.c:151
#3 0x557b6637d267 in coladvance2 /home/fuzz/vim/src/misc2.c:236
#4 0x557b6637c02c in coladvance_force /home/fuzz/vim/src/misc2.c:58
#5 0x557b663e59d0 in op_replace /home/fuzz/vim/src/ops.c:1203
#6 0x557b663fdce4 in do_pending_operator /home/fuzz/vim/src/ops.c:4200
#7 0x557b663b3dce in normal_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/normal.c:959
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#9 0x557b66234f4a in exec_normal_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8788
#10 0x557b662347ee in ex_normal /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8706
#11 0x557b66210f7c in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:2569
#12 0x557b662081d8 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:990
#13 0x557b6652d77c in do_source_ext /home/fuzz/vim/src/scriptfile.c:166
#14 0x557b6652e9b1 in do_source /home/fuzz/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1808
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SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow /home/fuzz/vim/src/mbyte.c:102:17: note: use -fsanitize=address to enable AddressSanitizer

shadow bytes around the buggy address:

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0x0c047fff8c20: fa fa 03 fa fa fa 03 fa fa fa 03 fa fa fa fd fa
0x0c047fff8c30: fa fa 03 fa fa fa fd fa fa fa 00 00 fa fa 01 fa

0x0c047fff8c40: fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa 02 fa
0x0c047fff8c50: fa fa 03 fa fa fa 03 fa fa fa 04 fa fa fa 01 fa
0x0c047fff8c60: fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa 03 fa
=>0x0c047fff8c70: fa fa fd fa fa fa 02 fa fa fa 02 fa fa fa[02]fa
0x0c047fff8c80: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047fff8c90: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047fff8ca0: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047fff8cb0: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047fff8cc0: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
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Shadow **byte** legend (one shadow **byte** represents 8 application bytes):

Addressable:	00
Partially addressable:	01 02 03 04 05 06 07
Heap left redzone:	fa
Freed heap region:	fd
Stack left redzone:	f1
Stack mid redzone:	f2
Stack right redzone:	f3
Stack after return :	f5
Stack use after scope:	f8
Global redzone:	f9
Global init order:	f6
Poisoned by user:	f7
Container overflow:	fc
Array cookie:	ac
Intra object redzone:	bb
ASan internal:	fe
Left alloca redzone:	ca
Right alloca redzone:	cb
Shadow gap:	cc

==130015==ABORTING



poc download url: https://github.com/Janette88/vim/blob/main/poc6_hbo.dat

Impact

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This vulnerabilities are capable of crashing software, Modify Memory, and possible remote

execution.

CVE

CVE-2022-3234

(Published)

Vulnerability Type

CWE-122: Heap-based Buffer Overflow

Severity

High (7.8)

Registry

Other

Affected Version

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Visibility

Public

Status

Fixed

Found by



janette88

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master ▼

Fixed by



Bram Moolenaar

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maintainer

This report was seen 1,279 times.

We are processing your report and will contact the **vim** team within 24 hours. 2 months ago

We have contacted a member of the **vim** team and are waiting to hear back.

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Bram Moolenaar validated this vulnerability 2 months ago

I can reproduce the problem.

janette88 has been awarded the disclosure bounty ✓

The fix bounty is now up for grabs

The researcher's credibility has increased: +7

Bram Moolenaar 2 months ago

Maintainer

Fixed with patch 9.0.0483

Bram Moolenaar marked this as fixed in 9.0.0483 with commit c24991 2 months ago

Bram Moolenaar has been awarded the fix bounty ✓

This vulnerability will not receive a CVE ✗

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