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SEGV in function dwarf::to_string at dwarf/value.cc:300 #51



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Tested in Ubuntu 16.04, 64bit.
The tested program is the example program dump-tree.
The testcase is dump_tree_segv2.
Luse the following command:
  /path-to-libelfin/examples/dump-tree dump tree segv2
   Segmentation fault (core dumped)
I use valgrind to analysis the bug and get the below information (absolute path information omitted):
  valgrind /path-to-libelfin/examples/dump-tree dump_tree_segv2
==22094== Memcheck, a memory error detector
==22094== Copyright (C) 2002-2015, and GNU GPL'd, by Julian Seward et al.
==22094== Using Valgrind-3.11.0 and LibVEX; rerun with -h for copyright info
==22094== Command: /path-to-libelfin/examples/dump-tree dump_tree_segv2
   ==22094== Invalid read of size 1
  ==22894== at 8x44CE58: dwarf::to_string[abi:cxx11](dwarf::value const&) (value.cc:300) by 8x4831B8: dump_tree (dump_tree.cc:19) by 8x4831B8: main (dump_tree.cc:43) ==22894== Address 8x482a000 is not stack'd, malloc'd or (recently) free'd
   ==22094==
   ==22094==
   ==22094== Process terminating with default action of signal 11 (SIGSEGV) ==22094== Access not within mapped region at address 0x402A000
   ==22094== at 0x44CE58: dwarf::to_string[abi:cxx11](dwarf::value const&) (value.cc:300)
   ==22094== by 0x4031B0: dump_tree (dump-tree.cc:19)
==22094== by 0x4031B0: main (dump-tree.cc:43)
   ==22094== If you believe this happened as a result of a stack
==22094== overflow in your program's main thread (unlikely but
   ==22094== \, possible), you can try to increase the size of the
   ==22094== main thread stack using the --main-stacksize= flag.
==22094== The main thread stack size used in this run was 8388608.
   <br />
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DW TAG compile unit
          DW AT language 12 byte block: cb 0 0 0 12 0 0 0 26 5 40 0
          DW_AT_name long unsigned int
   ==22094==
   ==22094== HEAP SUMMARY:
  ==22094== in use at exit: 111,921 bytes in 68 blocks
==22094== total heap usage: 145 allocs, 77 frees, 150,879 bytes allocated
   ==22094== LEAK SUMMARY:
   ==22094== definitely lost: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
==22094== indirectly lost: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
   ==22094==
                      possibly lost: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
   ==22094== still reachable: 111.921 bytes in 68 blocks
   ==22094== suppressed: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
==22094== Rerun with --leak-check=full to see details of leaked memory
   ==22094== For counts of detected and suppressed errors, rerun with: -
   ==22094== ERROR SUMMARY: 1 errors from 1 contexts (suppressed: 0 from 0) Segmentation fault (core dumped)
I use AddressSanitizer to build ffipeg and running it with the following command:
   /path-to-libelfin/examples/dump-tree dump_tree_segv2
Segmentation fault (core dumped)
This is the ASAN information (absolute path information omitted):
   /path-to-libelfin-address/examples/dump-tree dump tree segv2
   ==22134==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: unknown-crash on address 0x7f6f8b233000 at pc 0x000000428213 bp 0x7ffd7ae677d0 sp 0x7ffd7ae677c0
   READ of size 1 at 0x7f6f8b233000 thread T0
        #0 0x428212 in dwarf::to_string[abi:cxx11](dwarf::value const&) /path-to-libelfin-address/dwarf/value.cc:300
        #1 0x403aec in dump_tree(dwarf:die const8, int) /path-to-libelfin-address/examples/dump-tree.cc:19 #2 0x403361 in main /path-to-libelfin-address/examples/dump-tree.cc:43
        #3 0x7f6f8971282f in __libc_start_main (/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libc.so.6+0x2082f)
#4 0x403878 in _start (/path-to-libelfin-address/examples/dump-tree+0x403878)
   AddressSanitizer can not describe address in more detail (wild memory access suspected).

SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: unknown-crash /path-to-libelfin-address/dwarf/value.cc:300 dwarf::to_string[abi:cxxi1](dwarf::value const&)
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An attacker can exploit this vulnerability by submitting a malicious elf file that exploits this bug which will result in a Denial of Service (DoS).

fgeek commented on Aug 6, 2021

CVE-2020-24823 has been assigned for this issue.

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