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Fixed (Closed)

Components:

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Type:

Bug-Security

Hotlist-Merge-Review  
Security\_Impact-Stable  
Security\_Severity-Medium  
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CVE\_description-submitted  
M-89  
Target-89  
merge-merged-4240  
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LTR-Merged-86  
LTS-Security-86  
Release-0-M89  
merge-merged-4389  
merge-merged-89  
CVE-2021-21180

Issue 1175507: Security: heap-use-after-free in TabSearchPageHandler::CloseTab  
Reported by [abalaq...@microsoft.com](#) on Sat, Feb 6, 2021, 11:28 PM EST

 Code

VULNERABILITY DETAILS

When tabsearch closes itself whilst having its webui url loaded UAF crash is observed.

VERSION

Chrome Version: 90.0.4411.0 (Developer Build) (64-bit)  
Operating System: Windows 10 Pro

REPRODUCTION CASE

1. Open Chrome and create a new tab/window
2. navigate that window/tab to 'chrome://tab-search.top-chrome/'
3. Within 'chrome://tab-search.top-chrome/' press the 'x' next to the tab corresponding to itself.

crash occurs, see attached video for live demo.

FOR CRASHES, PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

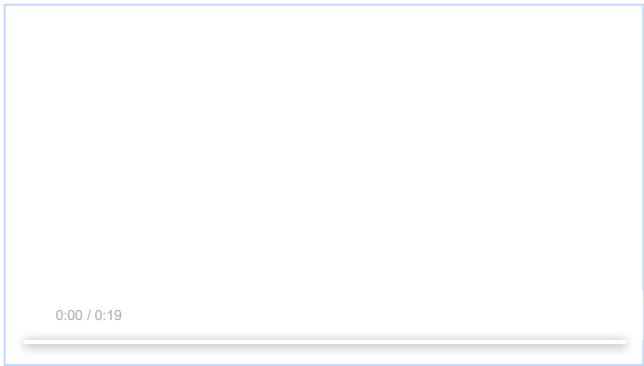
Type of crash: browser  
Crash State: see attached asan log

CREDIT INFORMATION

Reporter credit: Abdulrahman Alqabandi, Microsoft Browser Vulnerability Research

**tabsearchasan.txt**  
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**tabsearch.mp4**  
858 KB [View](#) [Download](#)



Comment 1 by tsepez@chromium.org on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 1:03 PM EST Project Member

**Owner:** tbergquist@chromium.org  
**Labels:** Security\_Severity-Medium Security\_Impact-Stable Pri-1  
**Components:** UI>Browser>TabStrip

Assigning per the other recent tabstrip issues.

Comment 2 by sheriffbot on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 1:03 PM EST Project Member

**Labels:** Target-89 M-89  
Setting milestone and target because of Security\_Impact=Stable and medium severity.

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Comment 3 by tbergquist@chromium.org on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 1:34 PM EST Project Member

**Owner:** tluk@chromium.org  
**Components:** -UI>Browser>TabStrip UI>Browser>TabSearch

This looks pretty much like a tab search specific issue. Forwarding to the right people (or closer, at least).

Comment 4 by sheriffbot on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 2:33 PM EST Project Member

**Status:** Assigned (was: Unconfirmed)

Comment 5 by tluk@chromium.org on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 3:13 PM EST Project Member

**Labels:** OS-Windows  
Taking a look

Comment 6 by tluk@chromium.org on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 7:52 PM EST Project Member

CL up for review, will be requesting a merge through to M88.  
<https://crrev.com/c/2683300>

Comment 7 by tluk@chromium.org on Mon, Feb 8, 2021, 8:02 PM EST Project Member

**Cc:** yuhengh@chromium.org

Comment 8 by bugdroid on Tue, Feb 9, 2021, 10:55 AM EST Project Member

The following revision refers to this bug:  
<https://chromium.googlesource.com/chromium/src/+8bce82107db385608344d9656c69ff8cd467229b>

commit 8bce82107db385608344d9656c69ff8cd467229b  
Author: Tom <tluk@chromium.org>  
Date: Tue Feb 09 15:54:46 2021

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This CL ensures that the TabSearchPageHandler does not perform any additional actions following the call to CloseWebContentsAt().

[Bug-1475507](#)  
Change-Id: Ie7af8345eb6f8dc9352e733958b4ec01155da740  
Reviewed-on: <https://chromium-review.googlesource.com/c/chromium/src/+2683300>  
Commit-Queue: Thomas Lukaszewicz <tluk@chromium.org>  
Reviewed-by: Yuheng Huang <yuhengh@chromium.org>  
Cr-Commit-Position: refs/heads/master@{#852208}

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Comment 9 by tluk@chromium.org on Tue, Feb 9, 2021, 11:32 AM EST Project Member

**Labels:** Merge-Request-89  
Requesting merge to branch M89.

Comment 10 by pbommana@google.com on Tue, Feb 9, 2021, 3:02 PM EST Project Member

tluk@ setting the next action date to 02/11/2021, Since Change landed but not made it to canary yet, so let's wait for canary coverage and verification please. thank you.

Comment 11 by pbommana@google.com on Tue, Feb 9, 2021, 3:02 PM EST Project Member

**NextAction:** 2021-02-11

Comment 12 by [adetaylor@chromium.org](#) on Tue, Feb 9, 2021, 5:00 PM EST Project Member

Please mark this as Fixed if it is. (<https://chromium.googlesource.com/chromium/src/+master/docs/security/security-labels.md#toc-merge-labels>)

Comment 13 by [tluk@chromium.org](#) on Tue, Feb 9, 2021, 5:02 PM EST Project Member

Status: Fixed (was: Assigned)

Comment 14 by [sheriffbot](#) on Wed, Feb 10, 2021, 10:59 AM EST Project Member

Labels: -Merge-Request-89 Merge-Review-89 Hotlist-Merge-Review

This bug requires manual review: M89's targeted beta branch promotion date has already passed, so this requires manual review  
Before a merge request will be considered, the following information is required to be added to this bug:

1. Does your merge fit within the Merge Decision Guidelines?  
- Chrome: [https://chromium.googlesource.com/chromium/src.git/+master/docs/process/merge\\_request.md#when-to-request-a-merge](https://chromium.googlesource.com/chromium/src.git/+master/docs/process/merge_request.md#when-to-request-a-merge)  
- Chrome OS: <https://goto.google.com/cros-release-branch-merge-guidelines>
2. Links to the CLs you are requesting to merge.
3. Has the change landed and been verified on ToT?
4. Does this change need to be merged into other active release branches (M-1, M+1)?
5. Why are these changes required in this milestone after branch?
6. Is this a new feature?
7. If it is a new feature, is it behind a flag using finch?

Chrome OS Only:

8. Was the change reviewed and approved by the Eng Prod Representative? See Eng Prod ownership by component: <http://go/cros-engprodcomponents>

Please contact the milestone owner if you have questions.

Owners: benmason@(Android), bindusuvama@(iOS), geohsu@(ChromeOS), pbommana@(Desktop)

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Comment 15 by [sheriffbot](#) on Wed, Feb 10, 2021, 1:57 PM EST Project Member

Labels: -Restrict-View-SecurityTeam Restrict-View-SecurityNotify

Comment 16 by [adetaylor@google.com](#) on Fri, Feb 12, 2021, 1:34 PM EST Project Member

Labels: -Merge-Review-89 Merge-Approved-89

Approving merge to M89, branch 4389, assuming no problems have shown up in Canary.

Comment 17 by [sheriffbot](#) on Tue, Feb 16, 2021, 12:13 PM EST Project Member

Cc: [adetaylor@google.com](mailto:adetaylor@google.com)

This issue has been approved for a merge. Please merge the fix to any appropriate branches as soon as possible!

If all merges have been completed, please remove any remaining Merge-Approved labels from this issue.

Thanks for your time! To disable nags, add the Disable-Nags label.

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Comment 18 by [bugdroid](#) on Tue, Feb 16, 2021, 6:12 PM EST Project Member

Labels: -merge-approved-89 merge-merged-89 merge-merged-4389

The following revision refers to this bug:

<https://chromium.googlesource.com/chromium/src/+30c51a7da4763ac893536dbfec6e2c121c36c041>

commit [30c51a7da4763ac893536dbfec6e2c121c36c041](#)

Author: tom <[tluk@chromium.org](mailto:tluk@chromium.org)>

Date: Tue Feb 16 23:05:26 2021

[M89 Merge] Tab Search: Fix CloseTab() sequencing error in TabSearchPageHandler

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(cherry picked from commit [8bce82107db385608344d9656c69ff8cd467229b](#))

~~bug-1476607~~

Change-Id: [Ie7af8345eb6f8dc9352e733958b4ec01155da740](#)

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Commit-Queue: Thomas Lukaszewicz <[tluk@chromium.org](mailto:tluk@chromium.org)>

Reviewed-by: Yuheng Huang <[yuhengh@chromium.org](mailto:yuhengh@chromium.org)>

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Cr-Commit-Position: refs/branch-heads/4389@{#1117}

Cr-Branched-From: [9251c5db2b6d5a59fe4eac7aafa5fed37c139bb7](#)-refs/heads/master@{#843830}

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Comment 19 by [adetaylor@google.com](#) on Fri, Feb 26, 2021, 1:08 PM EST Project Member

Labels: Release-0-M89

Comment 20 by [adetaylor@google.com](#) on Mon, Mar 1, 2021, 7:28 PM EST Project Member

Labels: CVE-2021-21180 CVE\_description-missing

Comment 21 by [vsavu@google.com](#) on Wed, Mar 3, 2021, 5:04 AM EST Project Member

Labels: LTS-Merge-Request-86

Comment 22 by [vsavu@google.com](#) on Wed, Mar 3, 2021, 5:59 AM EST Project Member

**Labels:** LTS-Security-86

[Comment 23](#) by [gianluca@google.com](#) on Wed, Mar 3, 2021, 10:33 AM EST Project Member

**Labels:** LTS-Merge-Approved-86

[Comment 24](#) by [Git Watcher](#) on Tue, Mar 9, 2021, 9:36 AM EST Project Member

**Labels:** merge-merged-4240 merge-merged-86

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commit [729c6bc6b10c7773d7081e6bd9a63435a9c679e4](#)

Author: tom <[tluk@chromium.org](mailto:tluk@chromium.org)>

Date: Tue Mar 09 14:35:42 2021

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[M86 Merge]: Dropped test changes due to conflicts.

(cherry picked from commit [8bce82107db385608344d9656c69ff8cd467229b](#))

(cherry picked from commit [30c51a7da4763ac893536dbfec6e2c121c36c041](#))

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[Comment 25](#) by [vsavu@google.com](#) on Tue, Mar 9, 2021, 11:03 AM EST Project Member

**Labels:** -LTS-Merge-Approved-86 -LTS-Merge-Request-86 LTR-Merged-86

[Comment 26](#) by [amyressler@google.com](#) on Tue, Mar 9, 2021, 12:59 PM EST Project Member

**Labels:** -CVE\_description-missing CVE\_description-submitted

[Comment 27](#) by [sheriffbot](#) on Tue, Jun 15, 2021, 1:52 PM EDT Project Member

**Labels:** -Restrict-View-SecurityNotify allpublic

This bug has been closed for more than 14 weeks. Removing security view restrictions.

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