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## A heap-buffer-overflow in maxminddb.c:2019:13 #236

🔒 Closed seviezhou opened this issue on Aug 4, 2020 · 4 comments · Fixed by #237

seviezhou commented on Aug 4, 2020

### System info

Ubuntu X64, gcc (Ubuntu 5.5.0-12ubuntu1), mmdblookup (latest master [e6e63a](#))

### Configure

CFLAGS="-g -fsanitize=address" LDFLAGS="-fsanitize=address" ./configure --enable-static

### Command line

./bin/libs/lt-mmdblookup --ip 127.0.0.1 --file @@

### AddressSanitizer output

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==4648==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow on address 0x6020000000d1 at pc 0x0000004480b1 bp 0x7ffd0e2ccb00 sp 0x7ffd0e2cc2b0
READ of size 2 at 0x6020000000d1 thread T0
#0 0x4480b0 in printf_common(void*, char const*, __va_list_tag*) /home/seviezhou/llvm-6.0.0/projects/compiler-rt/lib/asan/./sanitizer_common/sanitizer_common_interceptors_format.inc:548
#1 0x4480b2a in __interceptor_vfprintf /home/seviezhou/llvm-6.0.0/projects/compiler-rt/lib/asan/./sanitizer_common/sanitizer_common_interceptors.inc:1549
#2 0x4480be2 in __interceptor_fprintf /home/seviezhou/llvm-6.0.0/projects/compiler-rt/lib/asan/./sanitizer_common/sanitizer_common_interceptors.inc:1606
#3 0x7fe1bea26a5f in dump_entry_data_list /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/src/maxminddb.c:2019:13
#4 0x7fe1bea24c8f in MMDb_dump_entry_data_list /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/src/maxminddb.c:1917:5
#5 0x519c9f in lookup_and_print /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/bin/mmdblookup.c:526:13
#6 0x519498 in main /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/bin/mmdblookup.c:134:14
#7 0x7fe1bdb2183f in __libc_start_main /build/glibc-e6zv40/glibc-2.23/csu/../csu/libc-start.c:291
#8 0x41a808 in _start (/home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/bin/.libs/lt-mmdblookup+0x41a808)

0x6020000000d1 is located 0 bytes to the right of 1-byte region [0x6020000000d0,0x6020000000d1)
allocated by thread T0 here:
#0 0x44ea18 in __interceptor_malloc /home/seviezhou/llvm-6.0.0/projects/compiler-rt/lib/asan/asan_malloc_linux.cc:88
#1 0x7fe1bea2508f in bytes_to_hex /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/src/maxminddb.c:2106:18
#2 0x7fe1bea2508f in dump_entry_data_list /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/src/maxminddb.c:2011
#3 0x7fe1bea24c8f in MMDb_dump_entry_data_list /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/src/maxminddb.c:1917:5
#4 0x519c9f in lookup_and_print /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/bin/mmdblookup.c:526:13
#5 0x519498 in main /home/seviezhou/libmaxminddb/bin/mmdblookup.c:134:14
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SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow /home/seviezhou/llvm-6.0.0/projects/compiler-rt/lib/asan/./sanitizer_common/sanitizer_common_interceptors_format.inc:548 in
printf_common(void*, char const*, __va_list_tag*)
Shadow bytes around the buggy address:
 0x0c047fff7fc0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
 0x0c047fff7fd0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
 0x0c047fff7fe0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
 0x0c047fff7ff0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
 0x0c047fff8000: fa fa 00 fa fa 00 fa fa 03 fa fa fa 00 fa
=>0x0c047fff8010: fa fa 00 fa fa 03 fa fa [01]fa fa fa fa
 0x0c047fff8020: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
 0x0c047fff8030: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
 0x0c047fff8040: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
 0x0c047fff8050: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
 0x0c047fff8060: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
Shadow byte legend (one shadow byte represents 8 application bytes):
Addressable: 00
Partially addressable: 01 02 03 04 05 06 07
Heap left redzone: fd
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
==4648==ABORTING
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### POC

[heap-overflow-dump\\_entry\\_data\\_list-maxminddb-2019.zip](#)

oschwald commented on Aug 4, 2020

Member

Thanks! Nice find. Which fuzzer did you use to find this?

seviezhou commented on Aug 4, 2020

Author

It is a modified version of AFL. I think you can use AFL to test your code, because AFL can also find such bug.



oschwald added a commit that referenced this issue on Aug 5, 2020

Replace most malloc uses with calloc

2b752c3

oschwald mentioned this issue on Aug 5, 2020

Fix heap buffer overflow #237

→ Merged

oschwald added a commit that referenced this issue on Aug 5, 2020

Replace most malloc uses with calloc

eac45e2

horgh closed this as completed in #237 on Aug 6, 2020

oschwald commented on Aug 6, 2020

Member

1.4.3 has been released with a fix for this.

rfrohl commented on Nov 6, 2020

the issue got CVE-2020-28241 assigned



Assignees

No one assigned

Labels

None yet

Milestone

No milestone

Development

Successfully merging a pull request may close this issue.

Fix heap buffer overflow  
maxmind/libmaxminddb

3 participants

