

## [dot]heap-over-flow(off-by-null) in lib/common/shapes.c

tested on [f8b9e35](#) / ubuntu 16.04 / clang / ASAN

Hi, I've came upon an heap-over-flow

parse\_recbl(lib/common/shapes.c:3311), you could trigger it by loading the content below with: dot filename

```
digraph structs {
    struct [shape=record,label=""];
}
```

ASAN report:

```
==14380==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow on address 0x6020000001f2 at pc 0x7ffff79fa166 bp 0x7fffffd608 sp
WRITE of size 1 at 0x6020000001f2 thread T0
#0 0x7ffff79fa165 in parse_recbl /root/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3311:8
#1 0x7ffff79ec777 in record_init /root/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3556:9
#2 0x7ffff7a1a9e9 in common_init_node /root/graphviz/lib/common/utlis.c:653:5
#3 0x7ffff7b13c1d in dot_init_node /root/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:40:5
#4 0x7ffff7b13c1d in dot_init_node_edge /root/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:81
#5 0x7ffff7b1a4a4 in dotLayout /root/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:308:5
#6 0x7ffff7b17517 in doDot /root/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:463:2
#7 0x7ffff7b17517 in dot_layout /root/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:509
#8 0x7ffff784e153 in gvLayoutJobs /root/graphviz/lib/gvc/gvlayout.c:85:2
#9 0x516f3b in main /root/graphviz/cmd/dot/dot.c:132:6
#10 0x7ffff65ff82f in __libc_start_main /build/glibc-KG5qW/glibc-2.23/csu/../csu/libc-start.c:291
#11 0x41aa58 in _start (/usr/local/bin/dot+0x41aa58)

0x6020000001f2 is located 0 bytes to the right of 2-byte region [0x6020000001f0,0x6020000001f2)
allocated by thread T0 here:
#0 0x4dec88 in malloc (/usr/local/bin/dot+0x4dec88)
#1 0x7ffff798ef44 in gmalloc /root/graphviz/lib/common/memory.c:47:10
#2 0x7ffff798ef44 in zmalloc /root/graphviz/lib/common/memory.c:25

SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow /root/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3311:8 in parse_recbl
Shadow bytes around the buggy address:
 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 05 fa fa 00 03 fa fa 05 fa fa 00 fa
 0x0c047fff8010: fa fa 00 00 fa 00 00 fa fd fd fa fd fd
 0x0c047fff8020: fa fa 07 fa fa fd fd fa 00 01 fa fa 00 00
=>0x0c047fff8030: fa fa 00 fa fa 02 fa fa 02 fa fa 02 fa fa
 0x0c047fff8040: fa fa fd fa fa 00 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
 0x0c047fff8070: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
 0x0c047fff8080: 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: 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
==14380==ABORTING
```

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[Stephen C. North](#) @suenorth · 2 years ago

Owner

That seems like such low hanging fruit, I couldn't pass it up.

OK, How are you building with -fsanitize? After struggling for an hour, I can't get past the first library (cdd) as in

```
CCLD libcdd.la
Undefined symbols for architecture x86_64:
"__asan_init", referenced from:
  _asan.module_ctor in dtclose.o
  _asan.module_ctor in dtdisc.o
  _asan.module_ctor in dtextract.o
  _asan.module_ctor in dtflatten.o
  _asan.module_ctor in dttrash.o
  _asan.module_ctor in dtlist.o
  _asan.module_ctor in dtmethod.o
```

I configure with

```
CC=clang CXX=clang++ LIBTOOL=libtool CXXFLAGS="-shared -libasan -fsanitize=address -fno-omit-frame-pointer -fno-c
```

Anyway, my hat's off for providing such a concise example and getting us the full stack trace. Maybe I can work with that.



[Matthew Fernandez](#) @smatr · 2 years ago

Owner

I can reproduce this on [978dd1a9](#) using the following steps:

```
$ CFLAGS="-g -fsanitize=address" CXXFLAGS="-g -fsanitize=address" ./configure && make clean && make && make instl
...
$ dot -Tsvg test.dot
Error: bad label format <
=====
==6491==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow on address 0x602000000212 at pc 0x7f42b94324fc bp 0x7ffcd6e1
WRITE of size 1 at 0x602000000212 thread T0
```

```
#0 0x7f42b94342fb in parse_rec1bl /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3311
#1 0x7f42b94347be in record_init /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3556
#2 0x7f42b94412e6 in common_init_node /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/utlis.c:653
#3 0x7f42b6266959 in dot_init_node /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:40
#4 0x7f42b6267461 in dot_init_node_edge /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:81
#5 0x7f42b6268a0b in dotlayout /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:308
#6 0x7f42b626a62d in doDot /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:463
#7 0x7f42b626ac08 in dot_layout /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/dotgen/dotinit.c:509
#8 0x7f42b935d77c in gvlayoutJobs /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/gvc/gvlayout.c:85
#9 0x5587ef2f960b in main /home/matthew/graphviz/cmd/dot/dot.c:132
#10 0x7f42b910909a in __libc_start_main ../csu/libc-start.c:308
#11 0x5587ef2f2f29 in _start (/tmp/tmp.j2uLk3km/bin/dot+0x2269)
```

0x602000000212 is located 0 bytes to the right of 2-byte region [0x602000000210,0x602000000212) allocated by thread T0 here:

```
#0 0x7f42b9656330 in __interceptor_malloc (/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libasan.so.5+0xe9330)
#1 0x7f42b93b0c02 in gmalloc /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/memory.c:47
#2 0x7f42b93b0aeb in zmalloc /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/memory.c:25
#3 0x7f42b94346b8 in record_init /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3552
#4 0x7f42b94412e6 in common_init_node /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/utlis.c:653
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SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow /home/matthew/graphviz/lib/common/shapes.c:3311 in parse\_rec1bl

Shadow bytes around the buggy address:

```
0x0c047ffff7fb: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x0c047ffff800: fa fa 05 fa fa fa 00 03 fa fa 00 05 fa fa 00 fa
0x0c047ffff810: fa fa 00 00 fa fa 00 00 fa fa 00 00 fa fa fd
0x0c047ffff820: fa fa fd fa fa fa 07 fa fa fd fa fa fa 00 01
0x0c047ffff830: fa fa 00 00 fa fa 00 fa fa 02 fa fa fa 02 fa
->0x0c047ffff840: fa fa[02]fa fa fd fa fa 00 fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047ffff850: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047ffff860: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047ffff870: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047ffff880: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047ffff890: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
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```

```
$ gcc --version
gcc (Debian 8.3.0-6) 8.3.0
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warranty; not even for MERCHANTABILITY or FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

$ uname -rms
Linux 4.19.0-8-amd64 x86_64

$ lsb_release -a
No LSB modules are available.
Distributor ID: Debian
Description: Debian GNU/Linux 10 (buster)
Release: 10
Codename: buster
```

[@truonorth](#): let me know if you want me to debug this and come up with a fix. Otherwise I'll assume you're working on it. Thanks!

[Matthew Fernandez](#) mentioned in merge request [11480 \(merged\)](#) 2 years ago

[Matthew Fernandez](#) @smattr · 2 years ago

This was fixed in [784411c](#), but apparently my commit message format did not align with the criteria Gitlab uses to auto-close issues.

[Matthew Fernandez](#) closed 2 years ago

[Matthew Fernandez](#) mentioned in issue [#1675 \(closed\)](#) 2 years ago

[Matthew Fernandez](#) @smattr · 1 year ago

I just discovered somebody apparently requested a CVE for this: <https://security-tracker.debian.org/tracker/CVE-2020-18032>.

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