

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

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Description

Heap-based Buffer Overflow in function utf_head_off at mbyte.c:3872

vim Version

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git log
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commit 68e64d2c1735f2a39afa8a0475ae29bedb116684 (HEAD -> master, tag: v8.2.0)
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POC

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./vim -u NONE -i NONE -n -m -X -Z -e -s -S poc_h6_s.dat -c :qa!
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==48342==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow on address 0x602000000000
READ of size 1 at 0x602000000000 thread T0
#0 0xa467fc in utf_head_off /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/mbyte.c:3872:9
#1 0xe02062 in do_put /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/register.c:2223:7
#2 0xb6dbb3 in nv_put_opt /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/normal.c:7351:2
#3 0xb55466 in nv_brackets /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/normal.c:4514:2
#4 0xb1fed1 in normal_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/normal.c:930:5
#5 0x813d5e in exec_normal /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8762:1
#6 0x813588 in exec_normal_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8762:1
#7 0x813139 in ex_normal /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8643:6
#8 0x7dc249 in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:2567:1
#9 0x7c9005 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:1801:1
#10 0xe57a2c in do_source_ext /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1801:1
#11 0xe54486 in do_source /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1801:1
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#12 0xe53dbc in cmd_source /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:117
#13 0xe5349e in ex_source /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1206
#14 0x7dc249 in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:2567:
#15 0x7c9005 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:992:1
#16 0x7cdc51 in do_cmdline_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:5
#17 0x1423782 in exe_commands /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/main.c:3106:2
#18 0x141f91b in vim_main2 /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/main.c:780:2
#19 0x1415015 in main /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/main.c:432:12
#20 0x7ffff7bec082 in __libc_start_main /build/glibc-SzIz7B/glibc-2.31/
#21 0x41ea6d in _start (/home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/vim+0x41ea6d)
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0x60200000860f is located 1 bytes to the left of 1-byte region [0x60200000860f] allocated by thread T0 here:

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#0 0x499ccd in malloc (/home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/vim+0x499ccd)
#1 0x4cb3aa in lalloc /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/alloc.c:246:11
#2 0x4cb28a in alloc /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/alloc.c:151:12
#3 0xf8c1f6 in vim_strsave /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/strings.c:27:9
#4 0xdf2757 in get_register /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/register.c:310:11
#5 0xb6cfa7 in nv_put_opt /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/normal.c:7307:10
#6 0xb55466 in nv_brackets /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/normal.c:4514:2
#7 0xb1fed1 in normal_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/normal.c:930:5
#8 0x813d5e in exec_normal /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8762:11
#9 0x813588 in exec_normal_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8762:11
#10 0x813139 in ex_normal /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:8643:6
#11 0x7dc249 in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:2567:11
#12 0x7c9005 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:992:11
#13 0xe57a2c in do_source_ext /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1801:11
#14 0xe54486 in do_source /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1801:11
#15 0xe53dbc in cmd_source /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:117:11
#16 0xe5349e in ex_source /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/scriptfile.c:1206:11
#17 0x7dc249 in do_one_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:2567:11
#18 0x7c9005 in do_cmdline /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:992:11
#19 0x7cdc51 in do_cmdline_cmd /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/ex_docmd.c:511:11
#20 0x1423782 in exe_commands /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/main.c:3106:11
#21 0x141f91b in vim_main2 /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/main.c:780:2
#22 0x1415015 in main /home/fuzz/fuzz/vim/vim/src/main.c:432:12
#23 0x7ffff7bec082 in __libc_start_main /build/glibc-SzIz7B/glibc-2.31/libc
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SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: heap-buffer-overflow /home/fuzz/
Shadow bytes around the buggy address:
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0 0 0475500070 0 0 01 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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0x0c04/++++90/0: ta ta td ta ta ta td ta ta ta td ta ta ta td ta
0x0c047fff9080: fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa
0x0c047fff9090: fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa

0x0c047fff90a0: fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fa
0x0c047fff90b0: fa fa fd fa fa fa 02 fa fa fa 04 fa fa fa 01 fa
=>0x0c047fff90c0: fa[fa]01 fa fa fa 02 fa fa fa 01 fa fa fa 01 fa
0x0c047fff90d0: fa fa 01 fa fa fa 02 fa fa fa fd fd fa fa fd fa
0x0c047fff90e0: fa fa fd fd fa fa 00 04 fa fa 00 00 fa fa 00 04
0x0c047fff90f0: fa fa fd fa fa fa fd fd fa fa fd fd fa fa fa fa
0x0c047fff9100: fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa fa
0x0c047fff9110: 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):

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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
==48342==ABORTING

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[poc_h6_s.dat](#)

Impact

This vulnerabilities are capable of crashing software, Modify Memory, and possible to execute arbitrary code.

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CVE

CVE-2022-1886
(Published)

Vulnerability Type
CWE-122: Heap-based Buffer Overflow

Severity
High (7.1)

Registry
Other

Affected Version
<=8.2.5006

Visibility
Public

Status
Fixed

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TDHX ICS Security

@unkn0wne

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Fixed by



Bram Moolenaar

@brammool

maintainer

This report was seen 860 times.

We are processing your report and will contact the **vim** team within 24 hours. 6 months ago

TDHX ICS Security modified the report 6 months ago

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We have contacted a member of the **vim** team and are waiting to hear back 6 months ago

Bram Moolenaar 6 months ago

This POC is much too long. Please reduce to the essential.

TDHX 6 months ago

Researcher

OK, I've simplified POC.

https://github.com/Unkn0wne/Poc/blob/bc9aea2ac92730862cb0500c8b28e0ceb3fc6cdb/vim/poc_h14_s.dat

Bram Moolenaar 6 months ago

Thank you. I could reproduce the problem and find out why it happens. I simplified the POC a bit more to use as a test.

Fixed in Patch 8.2.5016

Bram Moolenaar validated this vulnerability 6 months ago

TDHX ICS Security has been awarded the disclosure bounty ✓

The fix bounty is now up for grabs

The researcher's credibility has increased: +7

Bram Moolenaar marked this as fixed in **8.2** with commit **2a585c** 6 months ago

Bram Moolenaar has been awarded the fix bounty ✓

This vulnerability will not receive a CVE ✗

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