

Buffer Over-read in bfabiszewski/libmobi



Valid

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Description

Stack-based Buffer Overflow at index.c:991

Build

```
git clone https://github.com/bfabiszewski/libmobi.git
cd libmobi
```

```
export CFLAGS="-g -O0 -lpthread -fsanitize=address"
export CXXFLAGS="-g -O0 -lpthread -fsanitize=address"
export LDFLAGS="-fsanitize=address"
```

```
./autogen.sh
```

```
./configure --disable-shared
```

```
make
```

POC

```
./tools/mobitool -e -o ./tmp/ ./poc_s.mobi
```

[poc_s.mobi](#)

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Title: Libmobi sample file

Author: Bartek Fabiszewski

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Subject: Dictionaries

Language: pl (utf8)

Dictionary: pl => en

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Mobi version: 7

Creator software: kindlegen 2.9.0 (linux)

Reconstructing source resources...

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==1384948==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: stack-buffer-overflow on address 0x7fff
READ of size 1 at 0x7fffffb9ff thread T0

```
#0 0x59774c in mobi_decode_infl /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/index.c:991:21
#1 0x4f8de3 in mobi_reconstruct_infl /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_rawml
#2 0x4fabbc in mobi_reconstruct_orth /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_rawml
#3 0x4fd1fb in mobi_reconstruct_links_kf7 /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_
#4 0x4fd916 in mobi_reconstruct_links /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_rawn
#5 0x5011d3 in mobi_parse_rawml_opt /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_rawml.
#6 0x4ff78f in mobi_parse_rawml /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_rawml.c:26
#7 0x4c98d4 in loadfilename /home/fuzz/libmobi/tools/mobitool.c:852:20
#8 0x4c8b36 in main /home/fuzz/libmobi/tools/mobitool.c:1051:11
#9 0x7ffff7a7a0b2 in __libc_start_main /build/glibc-sMfBJT/glibc-2.31/c
#10 0x41d57d in _start (/home/fuzz/libmobi/tools/mobitool+0x41d57d)
```

Address 0x7fffffb9ff is located in stack of thread T0 at offset 1279 in f
#0 0x4f7fef in mobi_reconstruct_infl /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/parse_rawml

This frame has 7 object(s):

```
[32, 40) 'infl_groups' (line 1366)
[64, 565) 'name_attr' (line 1375)
[640, 1141) 'infl_tag' (line 1376)
[1216, 1224) 'groups' (line 1395)
[1248, 1256) 'parts' (line 1397)
[1280, 1781) 'decoded' (line 1414) <== Memory access at offset 1279 unc
[1856, 1860) 'decoded_length' (line 1418)
```

HINT: this may be a false positive if your program uses some custom stack u
(longjmp and C++ exceptions *are* supported)

SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: stack-buffer-overflow /home/fuzz/libmobi/src/inc
Shadow bytes around the buggy address:

```
0x10007fff76e0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2
0x10007fff76f0: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x10007fff7700: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
```

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0x1000/++++//00: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x10007fff7710: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x10007fff7720: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 f2
```

```
=>0x10007fff7730: f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 00 f2 f2 f2 00 f2 f2[f2]
0x10007fff7740: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x10007fff7750: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x10007fff7760: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
0x10007fff7770: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 f2
0x10007fff7780: f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 f2 04 f3 f3 f3 00 00 00 00
```

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
Shadow gap:           cc
```

```
==1384948==ABORTING
```



Impact

This vulnerability is capable of arbitrary code execution.

Vulnerability Type
CWE-126: Buffer Over-read

Severity
Medium (6.6)

Registry
Other

Affected Version
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Visibility
Public

Status
Fixed

Found by

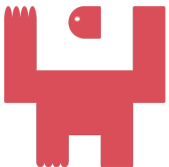


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@jieyongma

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Fixed by



Bartek Fabiszewski

@bfabiszewski

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This report was seen 632 times.

We are processing your report and will contact the **bfabiszewski/libmobi** team within 24 hours.
7 months ago

We have contacted a member of the **bfabiszewski/libmobi** team and are waiting to hear back
7 months ago

Bartek Fabiszewski validated this vulnerability 7 months ago

TDHX ICS Security has been awarded the disclosure bounty ✓

The fix bounty is now up for grabs

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The researcher's credibility has increased: +7

Bartek Fabiszewski marked this as fixed in **0.11** with commit **ea4c41** 7 months ago

Bartek Fabiszewski has been awarded the fix bounty 

This vulnerability will not receive a CVE 

Bartek 7 months ago

Maintainer

Thanks!

Jamie Slome 7 months ago

Admin

@maintainer - the researcher has requested a CVE for this report and [another report](#). Are you happy for us to proceed with assigning and publishing a CVE for these two reports?

Bartek 7 months ago

Maintainer

I just wonder, should both these issues be classified as buffer overflows? Technically these are rather buffer over-reads if that matters. But I am not familiar with CVE's vulnerability categories.

Anyway feel free to proceed with CVE.

Jamie Slome 7 months ago

Admin

@maintainer - I'm happy to adjust the CWE (vulnerability type) to Buffer Over-read (CWE-126) if you think both this issue and the other fall under this category.

Let me know if you would like me to proceed with this 

Bartek 7 months ago

Maintainer

@jamie Yes, I think that is more relevant. Thanks!

Jamie Slome 7 months ago

Sorted for both 

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[Admin](#)

CVEs also arranged for both reports!

Bartek [7 months ago](#)

[Maintainer](#)

Thanks!

ajakk [7 months ago](#)

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