

# Segfault if `tf.histogram\_fixed\_width` is called with NaN values

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## Package

 tensorflow, tensorflow-cpu, tensorflow-gpu (pip)

## Affected versions

< 2.9.0

## Patched versions

2.6.4, 2.7.2, 2.8.1, 2.9.0

## Description

### Impact

The implementation of `tf.histogram_fixed_width` is vulnerable to a crash when the values array contain NaN elements:

```
import tensorflow as tf
import numpy as np

tf.histogram_fixed_width(values=np.nan, value_range=[1,2])
```

The [implementation](#) assumes that all floating point operations are defined and then converts a floating point result to an integer index:

```
index_to_bin.device(d) =
  ((values.cwiseMax(value_range(0)) - values.constant(value_range(0)))
   .template cast<double>() /
   step)
   .cwiseMin(nbins_minus_1)
   .template cast<int32>();
```

If `values` contains `NaN` then the result of the division is still `NaN` and the cast to `int32` would result in a crash.

This only occurs on the CPU implementation.

## Patches

We have patched the issue in GitHub commit [e57fd691c7b0fd00ea3bfe43444f30c1969748b5](#).

The fix will be included in TensorFlow 2.9.0. We will also cherry-pick this commit on TensorFlow 2.8.1, TensorFlow 2.7.2, and TensorFlow 2.6.4, as these are also affected and still in supported range.

## For more information

Please consult [our security guide](#) for more information regarding the security model and how to contact us with issues and questions.

## Attribution

This vulnerability has been reported externally via a [GitHub issue](#).

### Severity

High

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### CVE ID

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### Weaknesses

No CWEs