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# Out-of-bounds Read in VC1SequenceHeader::decode\_sequence\_header\_adv of vc1Parser.cpp #426



⊙ Closed cemonatk opened this issue on May 24, 2021 · 2 comments

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#### cemonatk commented on May 24, 2021

#### Greetings,

tsMuxer has an Out-of-bounds Read issue whenever runs with the PoC sample.

Found by Cem Onat Karagun of Diesec

System info:

Ubuntu 21.04 tsMuxeR version git-f6ab2a2

To run PoC after unzip:

\$ ./tsmuxer global oob

#### global\_oob.zip

Chronological Function-Call Trace:

- $1.\ detect Stream Reader (char \ const^*, \ MPLS Parser^*, \ bool) \ /src/build/../ts Muxer/main.cpp: 120:34$
- 2. METADemuxer::DetectStreamReader(BufferedReaderManager&, std::\_cxx11::basic\_string<char, std::char\_traits, std::allocator > const&, bool) /src/build/../tsMuxer/metaDemuxer.cpp:684:35
- 3. METADemuxer::detectTrackReader(unsigned char\*, int, AbstractStreamReader::ContainerType, int, int) /src/build/../tsMuxer/metaDemuxer.cpp;765:21
- 4. VC1StreamReader::checkStream(unsigned char\*, int) /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1StreamReader.cpp:146:28
- 5. VC1SequenceHeader::decode sequence header() /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.cpp:156:20
- 6. VC1SequenceHeader::decode\_sequence\_header\_adv() /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.cpp:279:37

#### Root Cause of The Issue:

Constant integer arrays are defined in vc1Parser.h:

```
line 39, 40:

const int ff_vc1_fps_nr[5] = {24, 25, 30, 50, 60};
const int ff_vc1_fps_dr[2] = {1000, 1001};
```

However, the array index nr is set to 7 therefore [nr-1] is larger than boundary of array ff\_vc1\_fps\_nr.

```
Breakpoint 7 at 0x934072: file ../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.cpp, line 274.
(gdb) p nr
(gdb) p ff_vc1_fps_nr
$8 = {24, 25, 30, 50, 60}
(gdb) p ff_vc1_fps_dr
$17 = {1000, 1001}
time_base_den = ff_vc1_fps_nr[nr - 1] * 1000;
```

A similar "demo" issue is also shared in following page:

https://github.com/google/sanitizers/wiki/AddressSanitizerExampleGlobalOutOfBounds

I'm sharing the link above, because ASAN declares this issue as "global-buffer-overflow" but as shared in References and root-cause sections this is actually a OOB read issue

## Recommendation:

Editing size-check of "array index" within "if condition" in line 276 might fix this "particular" issue An additional check of index variables (dr and nr) for ">= 0" is recommended.

#### PoC Fix:

```
- if (nr && nr < 8 && dr && dr < 3)
+ if (nr && nr < 5 && nr >= 0 && dr && dr < 3 && dr >= 0)
```

## References:

https://cwe.mitre.org/data/definitions/125.html

### Address Sanitizer Output:

```
tsMuxeR version git-f6ab2a2. github.com/justdan96/tsMuxer
==1861865==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: global-buffer-overflow on address 0x000000299234 at pc 0x00000093540f bp 0x7fffda9f6e10 sp 0x7fffda9f6e08
READ of size 4 at 0x000000299234 thread T0
     #0 0x93540e in VC1SequenceHeader::decode_sequence_header_adv() /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.cpp:279:37
    #1 0x93264d in VC1SequenceHeader::decode_sequence_header() /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.cpp:156:20
#2 0x940715 in VC1StreamReader::checkStream(unsigned char*, int) /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1StreamReader.cpp:146:28
#3 0x6d090e in METADemuxer::detectTrackReader(unsigned char*, int, AbstractStreamReader::ContainerType, int, int) /src/build/../tsMuxer/metaDemuxer.cpp:765:21
    #4 0x6c7255 in METADemuxer::DetectStreamReader(BufferedReaderManager8, std::_cxx11::basic_string<char, std::char_traits<char>, std::allocator<char> > const8, bool)
/src/build/../tsMuxer/metaDemuxer.cpp:684:35
    #5 0x5df87e in detectStreamReader(char const*, MPLSParser*, bool) /src/build/../tsMuxer/main.cpp:120:34
     #6 0x5efd05 in main /src/build/../tsMuxer/main.cpp:698:17
    #7 0x7f5f89b14564 in __libc_start_main csu/../csu/libc-start.c:332:16
#8 0x2ebded in _start (/home/X/tsMuxer/bin/tsMuxeR+0x2ebded)
0x000000299234 is located 44 bytes to the left of global variable '<string literal>' defined in '../tsMuxer/bitStream.h:131:9' (0x299260) of size 15
  '<string literal>' is ascii string 'num <= INT_BIT'
0x0000002999234 is located 0 bytes to the right of global variable 'ff_vc1_fps_nr' defined in '../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.h:39:11' (0x299220) of size 20 SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: global-buffer-overflow /src/build/../tsMuxer/vc1Parser.cpp:279:37 in VC1SequenceHeader::decode_sequence_header_adv()
0x00008004b210: f9 f9 f9 f9 83 f9 f9 f9 f9 f9 f9 f9 60 05 f9 f9
0x00008004b220: f9 f9 f9 f9 00 02 f9 f9 f9 f9 f9 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:
  Stack left redzone:
  Stack mid redzone:
  Stack right redzone:
Stack after return:
                                f3
                                f5
  Stack use after scope:
  Global redzone:
  Global init order:
  Poisoned by user:
                               f7
  Container overflow:
Array cookie:
  Intra object redzone:
ASan internal:
  Left alloca redzone:
  Right alloca redzone:
  Shadow gap:
==1861865==ABORTING
```

jcdr428 commented on May 24, 2021

Hi @cemonatk , thank you for all these bug busting ;)
The code actually comes from ffmpeg
https://ffmpeg.org/doxygen/2.7/vc1data\_8c\_source.html#I0087
https://ffmpeg.org/doxygen/2.7/vc1\_8c\_source.html#I00479

I will push the fix accordingly.

☆ icdr428 mentioned this issue on May 24, 2021

[Bug] Incorrect values of VC-1 framerate #429

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cemonatk commented on May 24, 2021

Hi @jcdr428 , you are welcome. Oh, I see... quite interesting one.
I'm glad it's fixed atm.

xavery closed this as completed in 378377e on Jun 9, 2021

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