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Unverified indexes into the array lead to out of bound access in fromgif.c:283 #136

🔓 [Open](#) peanuts62 opened this issue on Apr 15, 2020 · 4 comments · Fixed by [libsixel/libsixel#8](#)

peanuts62 commented on Apr 15, 2020

run_cmd

img2sixel -8 array_overflow

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the asan log

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ASAN:DEADLYSIGNAL
=====
==21151==ERROR: AddressSanitizer: SEGV on unknown address 0x10007ffffb228 (pc 0x7fffff6bb5a03 bp 0x7fffff86f0 sp 0x7fffff86e0 T0)
==21151==The signal is caused by a READ memory access.
#0 0x7fffff6bb5a02 in gif_out_code /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c:283
#1 0x7fffff6bb5ab8 in gif_out_code /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c:284
#2 0x7fffff6bb66ff in gif_process_raster /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c:393
#3 0x7fffff6bb72d6 in gif_load_next /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c:502
#4 0x7fffff6bb8130 in load_gif /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c:656
#5 0x7fffff6bb1d26 in load_with_builtin /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/loader.c:908
#6 0x7fffff6bb26d0 in sixel_helper_load_image_file /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/loader.c:1418
#7 0x7fffff6bc22cb in sixel_encoder_encode /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/encoder.c:1743
#8 0x5555555839e in main /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/converters/img2sixel.c:457
#9 0x7fffff674bb96 in __libc_start_main (/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libc.so.6+0x21b96)
#10 0x555555555c59 in _start (/home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/converters/.libs/img2sixel+0x1c59)

AddressSanitizer can not provide additional info.
SUMMARY: AddressSanitizer: SEGV /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c:283 in gif_out_code
==21151==ABORTING
```

analyse :

I use the gdb to debug the bug. I found in the fromgif.c:283, the code = 0x7fff is larger than the structure of g which define as 4096. so the crash occur!

source code is here:

```
enum {
    gif_lzw_max_code_size = 12
};

typedef struct
{
    int w, h;
    unsigned char *out; /* output buffer (always 4 components) */
    int flags, bgindex, ratio, transparent, eflags;
    unsigned char pal[256][3];
    unsigned char lpal[256][3];
    gif_lzw_codes[1 << gif_lzw_max_code_size];
    unsigned char *color_table;
    int parse, step;
    int lflags;
    int start_x, start_y;
    int max_x, max_y;
    int cur_x, cur_y;
    int actual_width, actual_height;
    int line_size;
    int loop_count;
    int delay;
    int is_multiframe;
    int is_terminated;
} gif_t;
```

bug position:

```
static void
gif_out_code(
    gif_t /* in */ *g,
    unsigned short /* in */ code
)
{
    /* recurse to decode the prefixes, since the linked-list is backwards,
       and working backwards through an interleaved image would be nasty */
    if (g->codes[code].prefix >= 0) {
        gif_out_code(g, (unsigned short)g->codes[code].prefix);
    }

    if (g->cur_y >= g->max_y) {
        return;
    }
}
```

gdb log :

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In file: /home/parallels/Desktop/libsixel-master/src/fromgif.c
278   unsigned short /* in */ code
279 )
280 {
281     /* recurse to decode the prefixes, since the linked-list is backwards,
282        and working backwards through an interleaved image would be nasty */
➤ 283     if (g->codes[code].prefix >= 0) {
284         gif_out_code(g, (unsigned short)g->codes[code].prefix);
```

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285     }
286
287     if (g->cur_y >= g->max_y) {
288         return;
    }
[ STACK ]
00:0000| rsp 0x7fffffff8670 ← 0x7fff00000000
01:0000|     0x7fffffff8678 → 0x7fffffff8ab0 → 0xfa0000007d0 ← 0x0
02:0010| rbp 0x7fffffff8680 → 0x7fffffff86a0 → 0x7fffffff8700 → 0x7fffffff88d0 → 0x7fffffff8d20 ← ...
03:0018|     0x7fffffff8688 → 0x7fffffb5ab9 (gif_out_code+246) ← mov    rax, qword ptr [rbp - 8]
04:0020|     0x7fffffff8690 ← 0x100200000000
05:0028|     0x7fffffff8698 → 0x7fffffff8ab0 → 0xfa0000007d0 ← 0x0
06:0030|     0x7fffffff86a0 → 0x7fffffff8700 → 0x7fffffff88d0 → 0x7fffffff8d20 → 0x7fffffff8d60 ← ...
07:0038|     0x7fffffff86a8 → 0x7fffffb6700 (gif_process_raster+1391) ← mov    eax, dword ptr [rbp - 0x1c]
[ BACKTRACE ]
➤ f 0 7fffffb5a03 gif_out_code+64
  f 1 7fffffb5ab9 gif_out_code+246
  f 2 7fffffb6700 gif_process_raster+1391
  f 3 7fffffb72d7 gif_load_next+2953
  f 4 7fffffb8131 load_gif+1590
  f 5 7fffffb1d27 load_with_builtin+2481
  f 6 7fffffb26d1 sixel_helper_load_image_file+854
  f 7 7fffffb2cc  sixel_encoder_encode+1121
  f 8 5555555830f main+9378
  f 9 7ffff67abb97 __libc_start_main+231
Program received signal SIGSEGV (fault address 0x10007fffb21a)
pwndbg> p code
$1 = 32767

```

version:

```

→ libsixel-master ./converters/img2sixel --version
img2sixel 1.8.6

```

configured with:

```

libcurl: no
libpng: yes
libjpeg: yes
gdk-pixbuf2: no
GD: no

```

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complies command

```
./configure CC="gcc" CXX="g++" CFLAGS="-g -O0 -fsanitize=address"
```



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peanuts62 mentioned this issue on Apr 16, 2020

Invalid free wild pointer lead to DOS in load_png in loader.c #134

Closed

carnil commented on Nov 22, 2020

[CVE-2020-19668](#) was assigned for this issue.

NicoleG25 commented on Dec 1, 2020

Hi @saitoha

Do you happen to know if there is any plan to address this issue ?

Thanks in advance!



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dotlambda mentioned this issue on Feb 1, 2021

libsixel: mark as insecure [NixOS/nixpkgs#111579](#)

Merged

JSakuya commented on May 19, 2021 • edited

LZW Minimum Code Size determines the initial number of bits used for LZW codes in the image data, and $2^{12}+2$ is more than 4096. So the 12-bits limitation is not for this, and the condition in the fromgif.c:328 is wrong.

This was referenced on Jun 9, 2021

Notification of fork at libsixel/libsixel (libsixel/libsixelのフォークのお知らせ). This project is unmaintained. (管理者 @saitoha が不在です。) #154

Open

CVE-2020-19668: Unverified indexes into array lead to out of bound access in the gif_out_code function in fromgif.c in libsixel 1.8.6. libsixel/libsixel#7

Closed

ctrlcctrlv added a commit to libsixel/libsixel that referenced this issue on Jun 9, 2021

[SECURITY] Verify LZW code fits in 12 bits before we use it

07438fb

ctrlcctrlv mentioned this issue on Jun 9, 2021

[SECURITY] Verify LZW code fits in 12 bits before we use it libsixel/libsixel#8

Merged

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[SECURITY] Verify LZW code fits in 12 bits before we use it

05e5d21

ctrlcctrlv commented on Jun 9, 2021

This issue has been patched in the fork. See libsixel#8, PR.

This repository has an absent maintainer. It's unlikely the maintainer will ever return, therefore the fork effort is described in #154. Distributions, users, and all other stakeholders are encouraged to switch to the fork.

Assignees

No one assigned

Labels

None yet

Projects

None yet

Milestone

No milestone

Development

Successfully merging a pull request may close this issue.

[SECURITY] Verify LZW code fits in 12 bits before we use it
libsixel/libsixel

5 participants

