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# Introduction

- High performance tracing and fuzzing since 2014
  - **2014 – High Performance Fuzzing**
    - Input selection
    - Engine design
    - AFL-DYNINST
    - Windows fork()
  - **2015 – Go Speed Tracer**
    - Guided Fuzzing
    - Binary translation
    - Hardware tracing

# Introduction

- High performance tracing and fuzzing since 2014
  - **2016 – Harnessing Intel Processor Trace for Vulnerability Discovery**
    - Intel Processor Trace internals
    - Usermode fuzzing with Intel Processor Trace
    - Persistent mode fuzzing native Windows binaries

**In June 2016 we open sourced Windows driver for Intel Processor Trace**

- <https://github.com/intelpt>

# Introduction

Today we will bring this knowledge to the context of fuzzing the Windows kernel

See <http://moflow.org> for previous slides and talk videos

# Introduction

- Agenda
  - Evolutionary Fuzzing
  - Kernel Code Coverage
  - Linux Kernel Fuzzing
  - Windows Kernel Fuzzing
- Goals
  - Understand the benefits of guided fuzzing
  - Understand coverage collection techniques for kernels
  - Identify critical Windows Kernel attack surface
  - Learn how to apply state of the art fuzzing to kernels

# Introduction

- Kernels are a critical attack surface
- Modern mitigations utilize isolation and sandboxing
- Weaponized exploits include kernel attacks
  - Pwn2own
  - Leaked government warez
- Kernel vulndev is still in its infancy
  - Room for improvement on fuzzing tech



# Introduction

- Application Sandboxing
  - IE sandbox
  - IE Protected Mode
  - Chrome sandbox
  - Adobe Reader sandbox
  - etc
- Windows Isolation / Sandboxing
  - Driver Signature Verification
  - Patchguard / Kernel Patch Protection
  - AppContainers
  - ProcessMitigationPolicy
  - etc

# Introduction

- Prior Windows Kernel vulndev by the following people
  - Ilja van Sprundel
  - Mateusz Jurczyk / @j00ru
  - Jesse Hertz / @killahertz\_
  - Tim Newsham / @newshtwit
  - Nils / @nils
  - Georgi Geshev / @munmap
  - James Loureio / @NerdKernel
  - Peter Hlavaty / @zer0mem
  - Daniel King / @long123king
  - Marco Grassi / @marcograss
  - Nikita Tarakanov / @NTarakanov



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# Evolutionary Fuzzing

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# Evolutionary Fuzzing

- History
  - 2006: Sidewinder – Sparks & Cunningham
  - 2007: Evolutionary Fuzzing System – Jared Demott
  - 2007: Bunny the Fuzzer – Michal Zalewski
  - 2013: American Fuzzy Lop – Michal Zalewski
  - 2014: Nightmare/BCCF – Joxean Koret
  - 2015: Honggfuzz – Robert Swiecki
  - 2015: covFuzz – Atte Kettunen
  - 2016 : Choronzon – Zisis Sialveras / Nikos Naziridis

# Evolutionary Fuzzing

- Incrementally better mutational dumb fuzzing
- Trace while fuzzing and provide feedback signal
- Evolutionary algorithms
  - Assess fitness of current input
  - Manage a pool of possible inputs

# Evolutionary Fuzzing

- Required
  - **Fast tracing engine**
    - Block granularity code coverage
  - **Fast logging**
    - Memory resident coverage map
    - \*\*Not a list of every basic block
  - **Fast evolutionary algorithm**
    - Minimum of global population map
    - Maximum pool diversity

# Evolutionary Fuzzing

- Desired
  - Portable
  - Easy to use
  - Helper tools
  - Grammar detection

# Evolutionary Fuzzing

AFL delivers the most complete package  
Lets review!



# Americian Fuzzy Lop

- Michal Zalewski 2013
  - Delivered the first performant opensource evolutionary fuzzer
- Features
  - Variety of traditional mutation strategies
  - Block coverage via compile time instrumentation
  - Simplified approach to genetic algorithm
    - Edge transitions are encoded as tuple and tracked in a bloom filter
    - Includes coverage and frequency
  - Uses portable\* Posix API for shared memory, process creation

# Americian Fuzzy Lop

- Contributions
  - Tracks edge transitions
    - Not just block entry
  - Global coverage map
    - Generation tracking
  - Fork server
    - Reduce target initialization
  - Persistent fuzzing
  - Builds corpus of unique inputs reusable in other workflows

american fuzzy lop 0.47b (readpng)			
<b>process timing</b>		<b>overall results</b>	
run time : 0 days, 0 hrs, 4 min, 43 sec		cycles done : 0	
last new path : 0 days, 0 hrs, 0 min, 26 sec		total paths : 195	
last uniq crash : none seen yet		uniq crashes : 0	
last uniq hang : 0 days, 0 hrs, 1 min, 51 sec		uniq hangs : 1	
<b>cycle progress</b>		<b>map coverage</b>	
now processing : 38 (19.49%)		map density : 1217 (7.43%)	
paths timed out : 0 (0.00%)		count coverage : 2.55 bits/tuple	
<b>stage progress</b>		<b>findings in depth</b>	
now trying : interest 32/8		favored paths : 128 (65.64%)	
stage execs : 0/9990 (0.00%)		new edges on : 85 (43.59%)	
total execs : 654k		total crashes : 0 (0 unique)	
exec speed : 2306/sec		total hangs : 1 (1 unique)	
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byte flips : 0/1804, 0/1786, 1/1750		pending : 178	
arithmetics : 31/126k, 3/45.6k, 1/17.8k		pend fav : 114	
known ints : 1/15.8k, 4/65.8k, 6/78.2k		imported : 0	
havoc : 34/254k, 0/0		variable : 0	
trim : 2876 B/931 (61.45% gain)		latent : 0	

# Americian Fuzzy Lop

- Trace Logging
  - Each block gets a unique ID
  - Traversed edges are indexed into a byte map (bloom filter)
  - Create a hash from the src and dst block IDs
  - Increment map for each time an edge is traversed

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- Each trace is easily comparable to the entire session history

Okay, so lets take a fuzzer that targets userland programs with source code and make it work for closed source Windows kernel targets!

But first how about Windows binaries...

# WinAFL

- Ivan Fratric - 2016
  - First performant windows evolutionary fuzzer
- Features
  - Its American Fuzzy Lop! For Windows!
  - Windows API port for memory and process creation
  - DynamoRIO based code coverage
  - Filter based on module
  - Block and Edge tracing modes
  - Persistent execution mode

# WinAFL-IntelPT

- Richard Johnson - 2016
  - First hardware assisted guided fuzzer for Windows
  - First public guided fuzzer for Windows kernel
- Features
  - Intel Processor Trace based coverage engine
  - Online disassembly engine to decode Intel PT trace
  - Filter based on module
  - Edge tracing mode
  - Persistent execution mode
  - Kernel tracing mode



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# Kernel Code Coverage

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# Kernel Code Coverage

- Kernel code coverage can be elusive to obtain
- Opensource code can be instrumented by compilers
- Binary code must use runtime instrumentation, static rewriting, or hardware engines



# Kernel Code Coverage

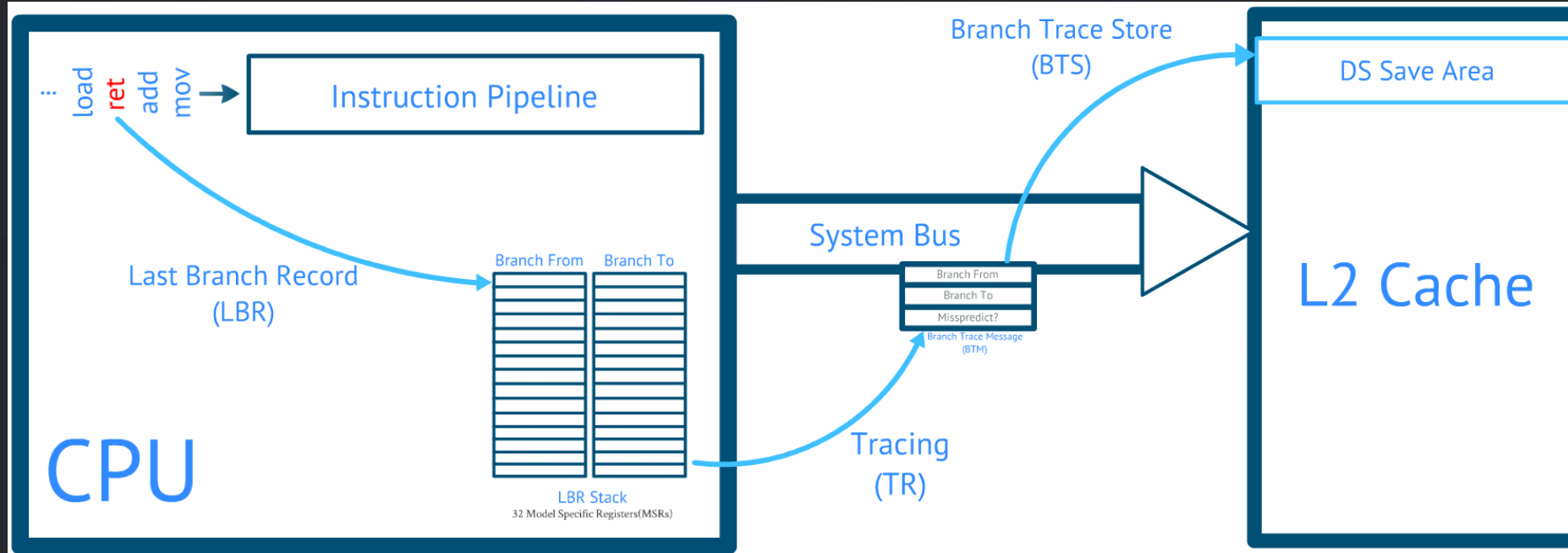
- Existing tools and approaches
  - **Source**
    - **GCC**
      - `gcc --coverage`
      - AFL adds hooks into the .S intermediate files
    - **Clang**
      - `clang -fprofile-instr-generate -fcoverage-mapping`
      - `afl-clang-fast` uses a compiler pass

# Kernel Code Coverage

- Existing tools and approaches
  - **Binary**
    - QEMU
      - Hook Tiny Code Generator (TCG)
        - translates IR to native ISA
    - BOCHS
      - Seems to work for j00ru 😊
    - syzygy
      - Statically rewrite PE32 binaries with AFL
      - Requires symbols 😞
      - Requires additional dev to make WinAFL kernel aware

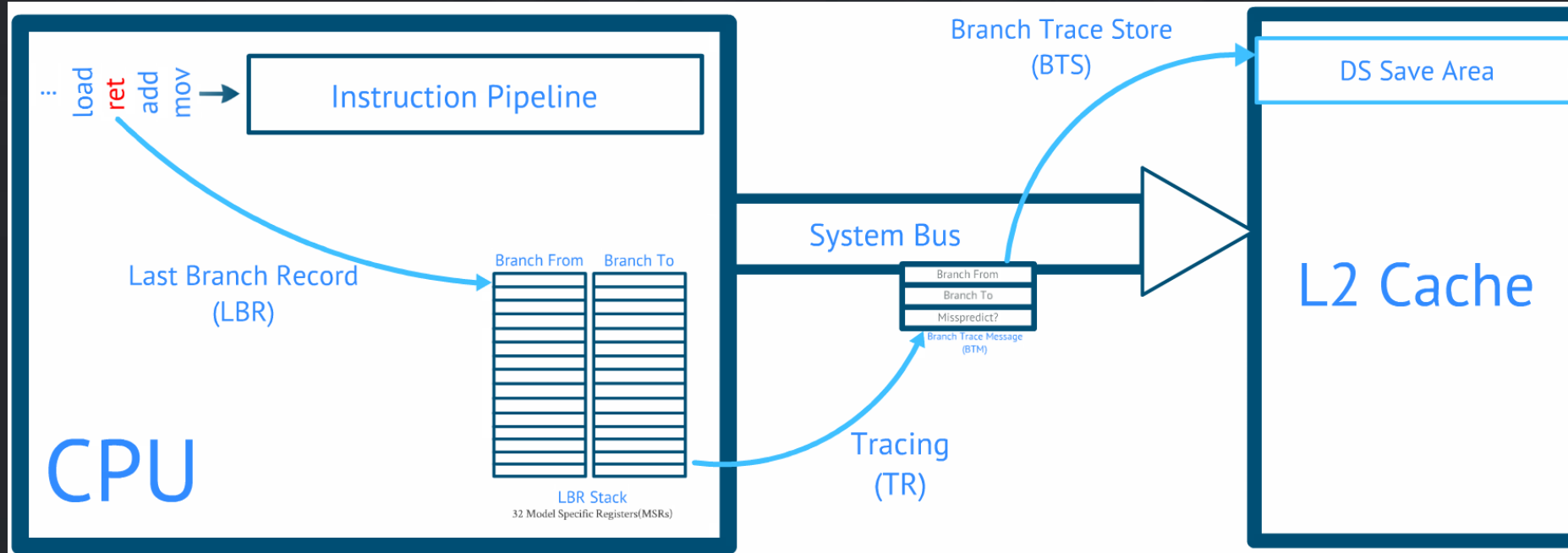
# Kernel Code Coverage

- Intel / AMD CPUs – Branch Trace Store
  - Per-kernel-thread hardware trace
  - Use in combination with Last Branch Record to get edge transition
  - Supported passthrough by some hypervisors



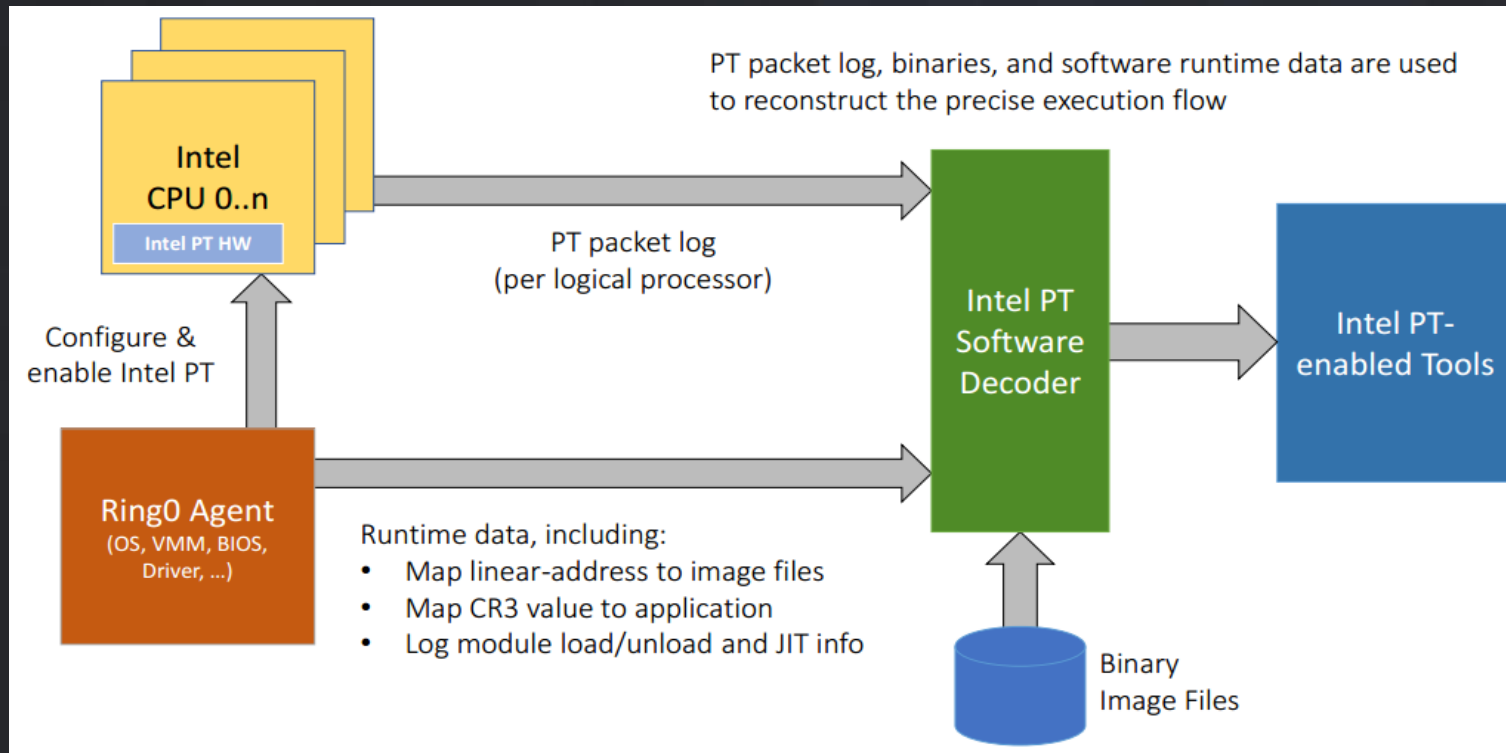
# Kernel Code Coverage

- Intel / AMD CPUs – Branch Trace Store
  - **New opensource software recently released for Windows BTS**
    - <https://github.com/marcusbotacin/BranchMonitoringProject>



# Kernel Code Coverage

- Intel CPUs – Intel Processor Trace
  - Introduced in Broadwell / Skylake

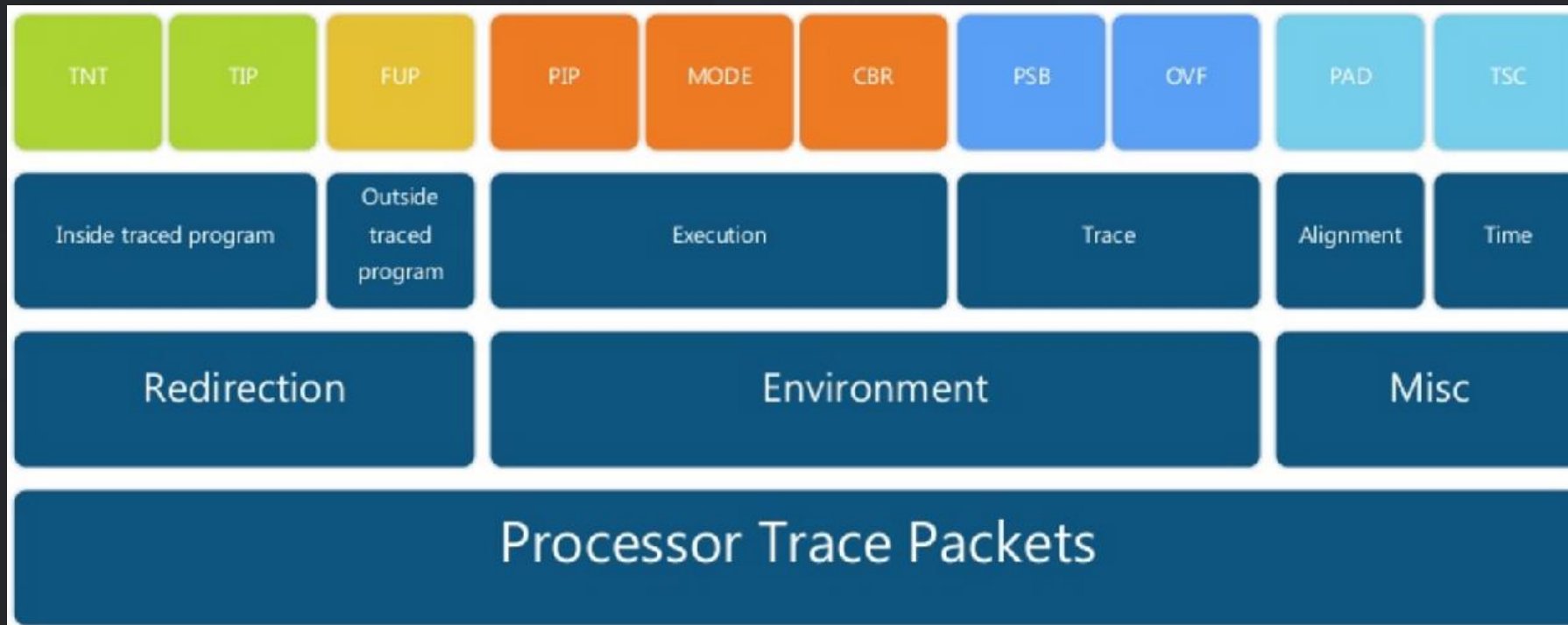


# Kernel Code Coverage

- Intel CPUs – Intel Processor Trace
  - **Performance**
    - Low over-head (15% CPU perf hit for recording)
    - Logs directly to physical memory
      - Bypass TLB and eliminating cache pollution
    - Minimal log format
      - One bit per conditional branch
      - Only indirect branches log dest address
    - Additional overhead to decode trace, requires disassembly
  - See “**Harnessing Intel Processor Trace for Vuln Discovery**” for deep dive

# Kernel Code Coverage

- Intel CPUs – Intel Processor Trace
  - **Sparse binary packet format**



Complex format – decode with Intel's opensource libipt library!

# Kernel Code Coverage

- We have contributed two opensource projects to harness Intel Processor Trace!
  - **Get the code!** <https://github.com/intelpt>
- WindowsPtDriver
  - **Implements Intel Processor Trace support for Windows**
- PtCov Intel Processor Trace Library
  - **Userland API for interacting with the kernel mode driver**
  - **Easily turn any existing file fuzzer into coverage driven fuzzer**



# Kernel Code Coverage

- PtCov Intel Processor Trace Library

```
typedef struct _PtCovConfig {
    int    cpu_number;
    DWORD  trace_buffer_size;
    DWORD  trace_mode;
    char *trace_modules[4]; // trace up to four module names
    char **cov_map;         // optional user supplied buffer for afl coverage map
    int    cov_map_size;
    char *ptdump_path;      // optional path for saving intel ptdump file to disk
} PtCovConfig;

PTSTATUS ptcov_init();

PTSTATUS ptcov_init_trace(PtCovConfig *ptcov_config, PtCovCtx *ptcov_ctx);
```

# Kernel Code Coverage

- PtCov Intel Processor Trace Library

```
PTSTATUS ptcov_set_cpu_number(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, int cpu_number);
PTSTATUS ptcov_set_cpu_affinity(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, KAFFINITY cpu_affinity);
PTSTATUS ptcov_set_process_handle(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, HANDLE process_handle);

PTSTATUS ptcov_get_process_handle(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, HANDLE *process_handle);
PTSTATUS ptcov_get_free_processor(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, int *processor_number);

PTSTATUS ptcov_add_target_module(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, char *module_name);
PTSTATUS ptcov_add_target_driver(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, char *driver_name);

PTSTATUS ptcov_trace_process(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, HANDLE process_handle);
PTSTATUS ptcov_trace_driver(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx);
```

# Kernel Code Coverage

- PtCov Intel Processor Trace Library

```
PTSTATUS ptcov_start_trace(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx);  
PTSTATUS ptcov_pause_trace(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx);  
PTSTATUS ptcov_resume_trace(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx);  
PTSTATUS ptcov_clear_trace(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx);  
PTSTATUS ptcov_end_trace(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx);  
  
PTSTATUS ptcov_get afl_map(PtCovCtx ptcov_ctx, char **map);
```

# Kernel Code Coverage

- Other methods
  - **Single step / branch step (BTF)**
    - Int 0x1 enabled on each instruction to singlestep
    - DbgCtrl MSR flag to interrupt only on branch
  - **PMU Sampling**
    - Can be forced to interrupt on each branch
    - Asynchronous but slow
    - Works everywhere (including ARM)
  - **Dynamic binary translation**
    - Attempts with PIN for drivers, not public

Demo

# Windows Kernel Code Coverage



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# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

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# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

- Trinity

<https://github.com/kernelstack/trinity>

- Built into the Linux kernel tree
- Type aware via templates
- Not coverage driven

```
#include "sanitise.h"
```

```
struct syscallentry syscall_shmat = {  
    .name = "shmat",  
    .num_args = 3,  
    .arg1name = "shmid",  
    .arg2name = "shmaddr",  
    .arg2type = ARG_ADDRESS,  
    .arg3name = "shmflg",  
};
```

- "Jones has considered feedback-guided fuzzing for Trinity in the past, but found the coverage tools that were available at the time to be too slow."

# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

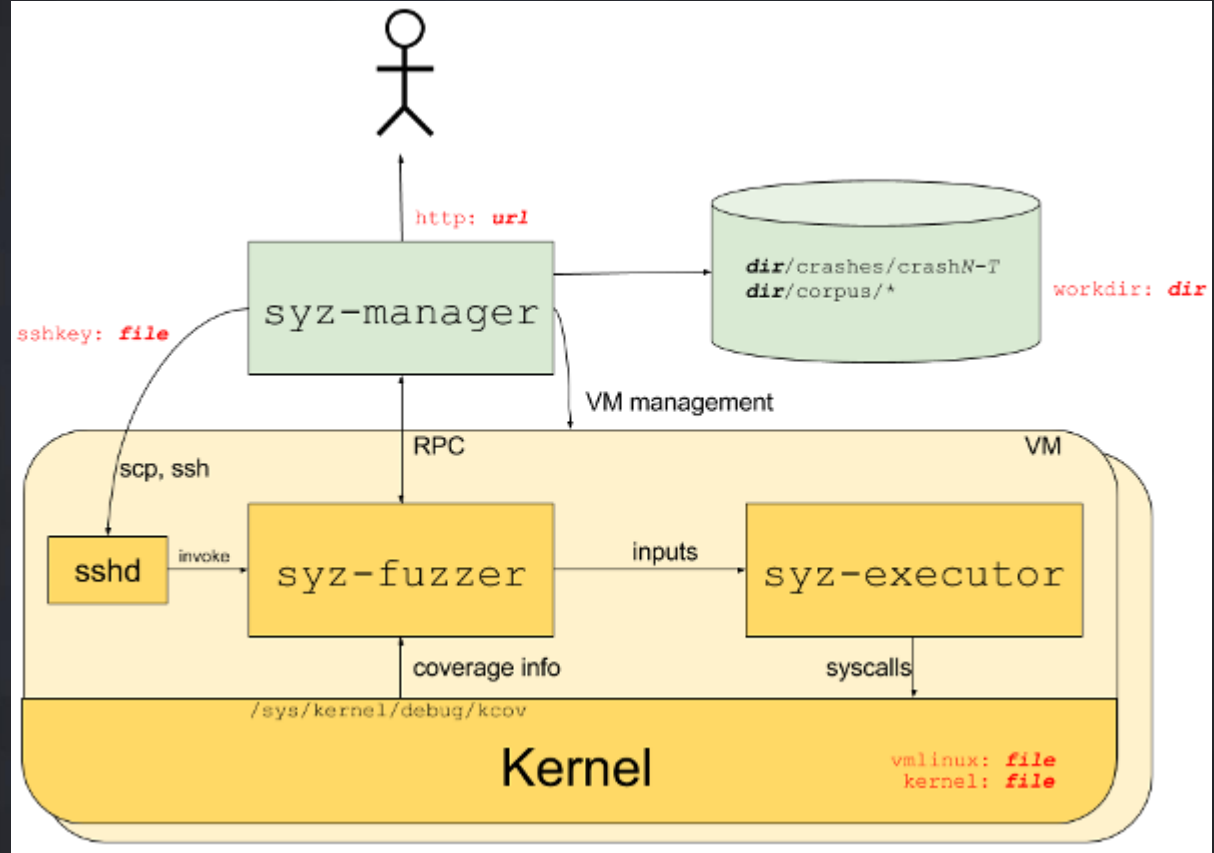
- Syzkaller – 2016
  - Coverage driven system call fuzzing
    - Uses built in GCC port of ASAN coverage
    - `gcc -fsanitize-coverage=trace-pc`
  - Exposes coverage via `/sys/kernel/debug/kcov`
  - Template driven for system call fuzzing
  - Relies heavily on KASAN to catch bugs

```
write(fd fd, buf buffer[in], count len[buf])
pwrite64(fd fd, buf buffer[in], count len[buf], pos fileoff)
writev(fd fd, vec ptr[in, array[iovec_in]], vlen len[vec])
pwritev(fd fd, vec ptr[in, array[iovec_in]], vlen len[vec], off fileoff)
lseek(fd fd, offset fileoff, whence flags[seek_whence])
```



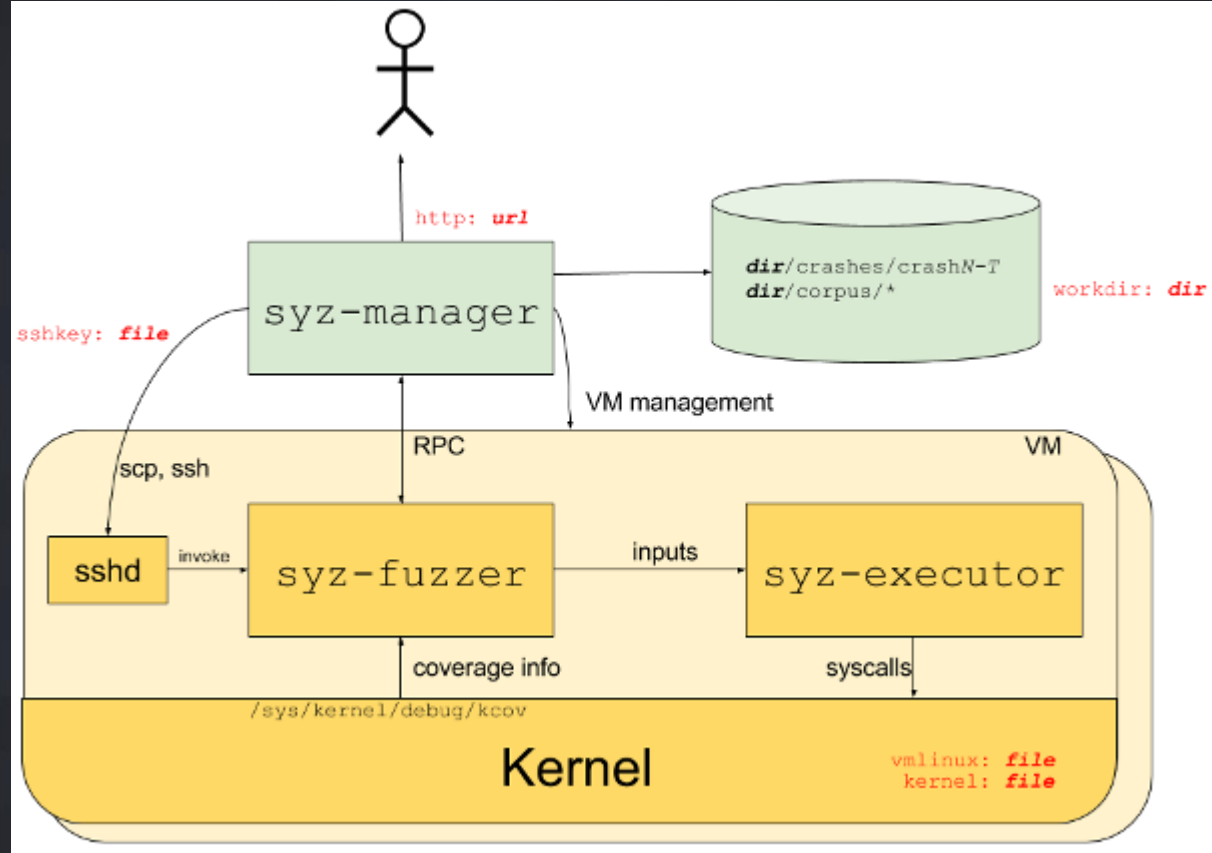
# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

- Syzkaller - 2016
  - Good support tooling
  - WebUI for monitoring
  - Good logging
  - Repro minimizer



# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

- Syzkaller - 2016
  - Very effective, but..
  - Complicated to get setup properly
  - Complex workflow
  - Not easily retargetable



# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

- TriforceAFL – 2016
  - Tim Newsham & Jesse Hertz (NCC Group)
  - AFL compatible QEMU based coverage fuzzer
  - Added fork server to QEMU post-boot
  - Added a great serialization technique for APIs
    - Allows to fuzz APIs via a file format

# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

- TriforceAFL – 2016
  - Tim Newsham & Jesse Hertz (NCC Group)
  - Extends QEMU trace support in AFL to target kernel
  - COW fork() of QEMU after boot for performance
  - Extends native ISA with custom hypercalls (aflCall)
    - startForkserver
    - getWork
    - startWork
    - endWork

# Linux Kernel Fuzzing

- TriforceAFL – 2016
  - Tim Newsham & Jesse Hertz (NCC Group)
  - Uses syscall templates / shapes
  - Serializes system calls into files to fuzz with AFL
  - Supports sequences of system calls

## Syscall shapes

buffer, len, int  
fd, buffer  
fd, buffer, buffer, int  
fd, buffer, buffer, int, int  
fd, buffer, int  
etc

## Syscall types

Int  
Buffer  
BufferLength  
FileContents  
FileName  
FileTableNumber

# Demo

# TriforceAFL



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# Windows Kernel Fuzzing

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# Kernel Attack Surface

- Kernels attack surface includes any untrusted input
  - **Userland**
    - System calls, file parsers, software interrupts
  - **Devices**
    - Network, USB, Firewire, etc
- Two categories: structured input or APIs



# Windows Kernel Attack Surface

- System Calls
  - **ntoskrnl.sys**
    - Windows system services
    - ~465 system calls
  - **win32k.sys**
    - Kernel mode Graphics Display Interface support
    - ~1216 system calls

# Windows Kernel Attack Surface

- win32k.sys File Parsers
  - **Fonts**
    - TTF, OTF, FON
  - **Images**
    - BMP, JPEG, CUR, ANI, ICO
  - **Metafiles**
    - EMF, WMF

# Windows Kernel Attack Surface

- Other attack surface
  - Graphics drivers
  - Audio drivers
  - Network drivers
  - Print drivers
- See other publications for deeper dives into attack surface

# Windows Kernel Fuzzing

- Legacy
  - **ioctlfuzzer – Dmitry Oleksander (cr4sh)**
  - **Misc Syscall fuzzers**
  - **Misc file format fuzzers**
- Techniques
  - **Random syscall arguments or ioctl input**
  - **Hooking and interception (ioctlfuzzer)**
  - **Dumb or structured file fuzzing**

# Windows Kernel Fuzzing

- KernelFuzzer – 2016
  - James Loureiro and Georgi Geshev
  - Windows system API fuzzer
- Techniques
  - Type aware API fuzzing
  - Manual definition of generators per-type
  - Pre-generated HANDLE tables
  - Outputs C code for each testcase to repro after crash

# Windows Kernel Fuzzing

- KernelFuzzer – 2016
  - James Loureiro and Georgi Geshev
  - Windows system API fuzzer
- Observations
  - Type aware API fuzzing is effective
  - Manual definition of generators is tedious
  - Can benefit from TriforceAfl style API sequence generation

# Windows Kernel Fuzzing

## GOOD NEWS!

API fuzzing has a type-aware strategy and tools

## BAD NEWS!

IOCTLs and Graphics drivers are opaque blobs  
Sounds like we need for evolutionary fuzzing!



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# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

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# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- Windows Graphics Hierarchy
  - Gdi32.dll -> Dxgkrnl.sys -> HW driver
- Interesting Direct3D functions
  - D3DKMTEscape
  - D3DKMTRender
  - D3DKMTCreateAllocation
  - D3DKMTCreateContext
  - etc

# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- D3DKMTEscape  
`NTSTATUS D3DKMTEscape(  
_In_ const D3DKMT_ESCAPE *pData  
);`
  - Entry point for internal graphics functionality
  - Each driver implements a proprietary format for \*pData
    - A few header fields and command data
  - This is a perfect target for evolutionary file format style fuzzing

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# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- Search for usage of D3DKMTEscape:

```
"C:\Program Files\Git\bin\bash.exe"
export output="/tmp/dumpbin.txt"
rm $output
for i in `find . -type d` ; \
do echo $i ; dumpbin -imports "$i/*.exe" ; dumpbin "$i/*.dll" ; \
done | tee $output

export srch="Dump|D3DKMT"
egrep $srch $output | grep -B2 D3D

Dump of file ./DisplaySwitch.exe
      B1 D3DKMTNetDispStopMiracastDisplayDevice
      AD D3DKMTNetDispQueryMiracastDisplayDeviceSupport
Dump of file ./igfxCUIService.exe
      65 D3DKMTCloseAdapter
      A7 D3DKMTOpenAdapterFromDeviceName
      81 D3DKMTEscape
Dump of file ./ProximityUxHost.exe
      AD D3DKMTNetDispQueryMiracastDisplayDeviceSupport
```

# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- Search for usage of D3DKMTEscape:

```
windbg> bp dxgkrnl!DxgkEscape ".echo DxgkEscape; kb 50; g;"
```

```
3: kd> kb 30
```

#	RetAddr	: Call Site
00	fffff803`7800c413	: win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIEscape
01	00007ffe`fc4644e4	: nt!KiSystemServiceCopyEnd+0x13
02	00007ffe`f8b69e68	: win32u!NtGdiDdDDIEscape+0x14
03	00007ffe`ebb595f7	: d3d11!NDXGI::CDevice::EscapeCB+0x98
04	00000000`00000000	: igd10iumd64!OpenAdapter10_2+0x64a7b7

# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

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```
windbg> bp dxgkrnl!DxgkEscape "kb 50; g;"
```

```
00 fffff013`640870b9 : dxgkrnl!DxgkEscape
01 fffff803`7800c413 : win32kbase!NtGdiDdDDIEscape+0x49
02 00007ffe`fc4644e4 : nt!KiSystemServiceCopyEnd+0x13
03 00007ffe`f8b69e68 : win32u!NtGdiDdDDIEscape+0x14
04 00007ffe`eb8cbc0a : d3d11!NDXGI::CDevice::EscapeCB+0x98
05 000000a0`7218e808 : 0x00007ffe`eb8cbc0a
06 00000231`3d9a5108 : 0x000000a0`7218e808
07 000000a0`7218e8a8 : 0x00000231`3d9a5108
08 00007ffe`f8b13c2c : 0x000000a0`7218e8a8
09 00007ffe`f8be28eb : d3d11!NDXGI::CDevice::DriverSupportsOverlays+0x9c
0a 00007ffe`f8bad13e : d3d11!NDXGI::CDevice::GetInternalMultiplaneOverlayCaps+0xff
0b 00007ffe`fa232c2f : d3d11!dxrt11::Direct3DDevice::Release+0xcb8e
0c 00007ffe`fa2152ef : dxgi!ATL::CComObject<CDXGILightweightDevice>::Release+0x135ef
0d 00007ffe`fa215094 : dxgi!CDXGIOutput::GetMultiplaneOverlayCaps+0x9f
0e 00007ffe`f96214a3 : dxgi!CDXGISwapChain::GetMultiplaneOverlayCaps+0x54
0f 00000231`41c71070 : 0x00007ffe`f96214a3
```

```
...
```

# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- Intel HD Graphics Driver – igdkmd64.sys
  - 7.5 MB graphics driver
- This won't end well ...

# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- **TALOS-2016-0087 (Piotr Bania)**
  - Intel HD Graphics Windows Kernel Driver (igdkmd64) RCE Vulnerability

```
igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+1485b0  
ffffff801`61fd0920 ff9050020000    call    qword ptr [rax+250h]
```

...

```
ffffff801`61fb33b1 : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x1485b0  
ffffff801`61ee4166 : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x12b041  
ffffff801`61edfa4a : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x5bdf6  
ffffff801`61ed5b1f : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x576da  
ffffff801`61edc798 : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x4d7af  
ffffff801`61ed51b5 : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x54428  
ffffff801`61e48613 : igdkmd64!hybDriverEntry+0x4ce45  
ffffff801`61e48507 : igdkmd64+0x26613  
ffffff801`60d1ea34 : igdkmd64+0x26507  
ffffff801`60ceffef : dxgkrnl!DXGADAPTER::DdiEscape+0x48  
ffffff960`002c563b : dxgkrnl!DxgkEscape+0x54f  
ffffff800`ac5d41b3 : win32k!NtGdiDdDDIEscape+0x53  
00000000`770574aa : nt!KiSystemServiceCopyEnd+0x13  
00000000`00000000 : 0x770574aa
```



# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- NVIDIA Graphics Driver – nvlddmkm.sys
  - ~800 graphics handling functions
- This also won't end well ...

# Windows Graphics Driver Fuzzing

- TALOS-2016-0217 (Piotr Bania)
  - Nvidia Windows Kernel Mode Driver ZwSetValueKey Denial Of Service

```
nt!memcpy+0xa0:  
fffff801`b0bcfc20 f30f6f040a      movdqu  xmm0,xmmword ptr [rdx+rcx] ds:ffffd000`26a45ff8=??
```

...

```
fffffd000`26a44408 ffffff801`b0bde42c : nt!KeBugCheckEx
```

...

```
fffffd000`26a44808 ffffff801`b0f26473 : nt!memcpy+0xa0  
fffffd000`26a44810 ffffff801`b0fbcd18 : nt!CmpSetValueDataNew+0x157  
fffffd000`26a44860 ffffff801`b0f0f588 : nt! ?? : :NNGAKEGL::`string'+0x27928  
fffffd000`26a448d0 ffffff801`b0e3a977 : nt!CmSetValueKey+0x784  
fffffd000`26a449e0 ffffff801`b0bcebb3 : nt!NtSetValueKey+0x55f  
fffffd000`26a44bb0 ffffff801`b0bc7020 : nt!KiSystemServiceCopyEnd+0x13  
fffffd000`26a44db8 ffffff801`4175a51a : nt!KiServiceLinkage  
fffffd000`26a44dc0 ffffff801`4175a051 : nvlddmkm+0xb751a
```

...

```
fffffd000`26a44f70 ffffff801`41f44769 : nvlddmkm+0xc0faf  
fffffd000`26a44fb0 ffffff801`41f39e24 : nvlddmkm!nvDumpConfig+0x1253a1
```

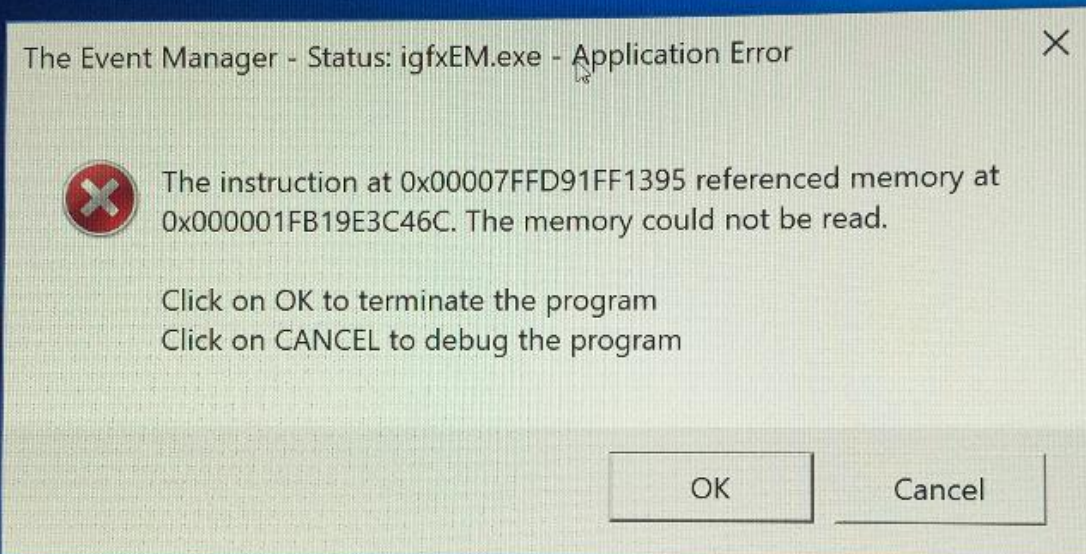
...

```
fffffd000`26a45580 ffffff801`413604f8 : nvlddmkm!nvDumpConfig+0xdc075  
fffffd000`26a45650 ffffff801`413c5b4e : dxgkrnl!DXGADAPTER::DdiEscape+0x48  
fffffd000`26a45680 ffffff960`002d41d3 : dxgkrnl!DxgkEscape+0x802  
fffffd000`26a45ab0 ffffff801`b0bcebb3 : win32k!NtGdiDdDDIEscape+0x53
```

...

Demo

winafl-intelpt vs idgkmd64.sys





Your PC ran into a problem and needs to restart. We're just collecting some error info, and then we'll restart for you.

25% complete



For more information about this issue and possible fixes, visit  
<http://windows.com/stopcode>

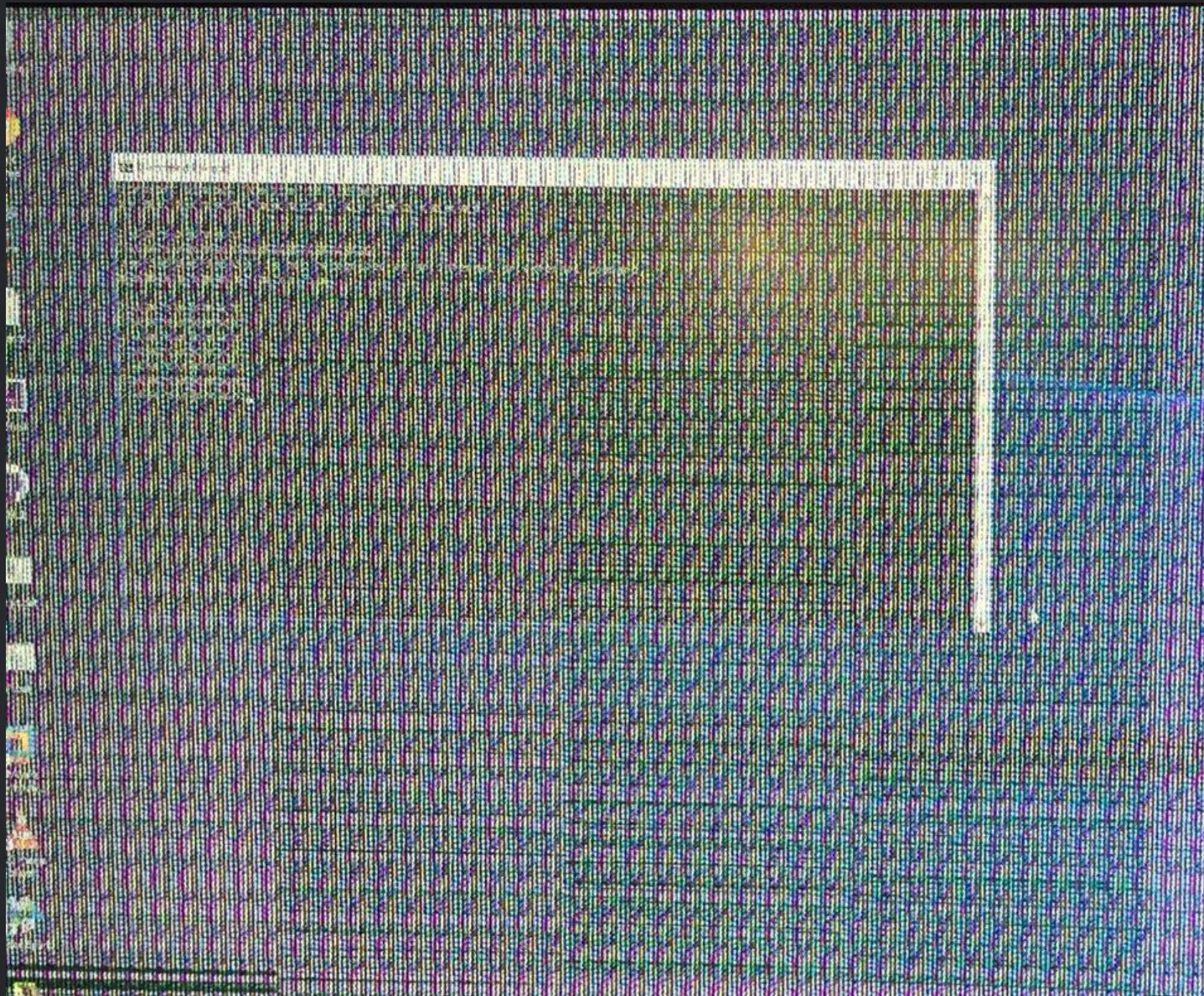
If you call a support person, give them this info:  
Stop code: CRITICAL\_PROCESS\_DIED



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# Conclusions

- Kernels expose a massive amount of attack surface
- Hardware tracing enables code coverage for tricky targets
- Coverage guided kernel fuzzing is new and promising
- Get the code! – <https://github.com/intelpt>
  - Windows PT Driver available since Jan 2017
  - WinAFL-IntelPT available today
  - PtCov library available next week



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