Module 4 Assessment Solutions

1) Using Valgind identify memleaks in the given program. Explore optional flags in Valgrind.

Identifying the memleaks in the given program.

First we must add the debugging files into the code: gcc -g -o file file.c

Here "-g" adds the debugging information and "-o file" creates the output file.

Once the debugging info is added to the file, we must run the valgrind in order to check for memleaks: valgrind –"mem-check=full./file"

```
somes@somes-ubuntu: $ gcc -g -o file file.c
somes@somes-ubuntu: $ valgrind -nem-leakefull ./file
valgrind: Unknown option: -mem-leakefull ./file
valgrind: Use --help for more information or consult the user manual.
somes@somes-ubuntu: $ valgrind -leak-checkefull ./file
special= Mencheck, a memory error detector
special= Windows and consult the user manual.
somes@somes-ubuntu: $ valgrind -leak-checkefull ./file
special= Wencheck, a memory error detector
special= Using Valgrind-3.18.1 and LibVEX; rerun with -h for copyright info
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somes@somes-ubuntu: ~
 =9611==
                       by 0x10956E: main (file.c:78)
  =9611==
 =9611== Invalid read of size 4
                  at 0x1093B2: test4 (file.c:59)
by 0x109578: main (file.c:79)
Address 0x0 is not stack'd, malloc'd or (recently) free'd
==9611==
==9611==
 =9611==
==9611==
  =9611== Process terminating with default action of signal 11 (SIGSEGV)
==9611== Process terminating with default action of signal 11 (SIG: ==9611== at 0x1093B2: test4 (file.c:59)
==9611== by 0x109578: main (file.c:79)
==9611== If you believe this happened as a result of a stack
==9611== overflow in your program's main thread (unlikely but
==9611== possible), you can try to increase the size of the
==9611== main thread stack using the --main-stacksize= flag.
==9611== The main thread stack size used in this run was 8388608.
 =9611==
 =9611== HEAP SUMMARY:
                     in use at exit: 1,124 bytes in 2 blocks
total heap usage: 5 allocs, 4 frees, 1,764 bytes allocated
==9611==
==9611==
 ==9611==
=9611== at 0x4848899: malloc (in /usr/libexec/valgrind/vgpreload_memcheck-amd64-linux.so)
=9611== by 0x10926A: test2 (file.c:27)
=9611== by 0x109264: main (file.c:77)
=9611==
==9611==
 =9611== LEAK SUMMARY:
                       definitely lost: 100 bytes in 1 blocks
indirectly lost: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
possibly lost: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
==9611==
 =9611==
 =9611==
                       still reachable: 1,024 bytes in 1 blocks
suppressed: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
 =9611==
 =9611==
==9611== Reachable blocks (those to which a pointer was found) are not shown.
==9611== To see them, rerun with: --leak-check=full --show-leak-kinds=all
==9611== For lists of detected and suppressed errors, rerun with: -s
==9611== ERROR SUMMARY: 5 errors from 5 contexts (suppressed: 0 from 0)
Segmentation fault (core dumped)
somes@somes-ubuntu:~$
```

Explore optional flags in valgrind

To check the summary of all the leaks: "valgrind -leak-check=summary./file"

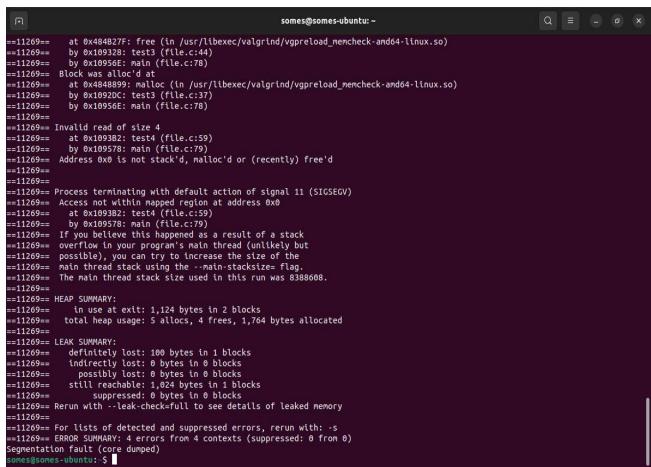
Valgrind -show-reachable=yes ./file

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By default, Valgrind reports only "definitely lost" and "indirectly lost" memory blocks as memory leaks. The --show-reachable=yes option makes Valgrind also report "reachable" and "possibly lost" memory blocks.

2) With the same program, using GDB, set breakpoints, run the program, list the code, run from one breakpoint to another, print the value of variables while execution, check assemble code, disable breakpoints, check registers info, explore optional flags.

Setting breakpoints

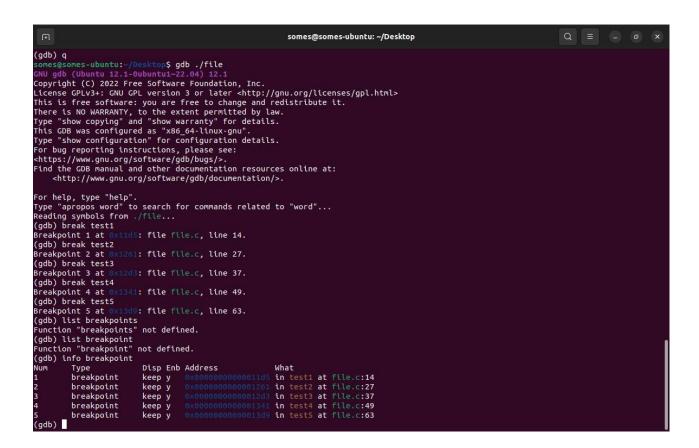
To compile the file with debugging info - "gcc -g -o file file.c"

To start gbd on the code - "gdb./file"

"break main" - sets breakpoint from main function

"break test1" - sets breakpoint at a specific function, here it is "test1"

"break 21" - sets breakpoint at line number 21.



After setting breakpoints, we must run the code

(gdb) run

```
somes@somes-ubuntu: ~/Desktop
                                                                                                                                                                                     Q =
             Type
breakpoint
breakpoint
                                     Disp Enb Address
                                                                                   What
                                     keep y
keep y
keep y
keep y
keep y
                                                                                  in test1 at file.c:14
in test2 at file.c:27
in test3 at file.c:37
in test4 at file.c:49
             breakpoint
             breakpoint
             breakpoint
(gdb) run
Starting program: /home/somes/Desktop/file
[Thread debugging using libthread_db enabled]
Using host libthread_db library "/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libthread_db.so.1".
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
Value of *ptr: 10
Breakpoint 2, test2 () at file.c:27
27     char *str = malloc(100 * sizeof(char));
(gdb) continu
Continuing.
String: Good day to you!
Breakpoint 3, test3 () at file.c:37

37     int *ptr = malloc(stzeof(int) * 50);
(gdb) continuw
Undefined command: "continuw". Try "help".
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
free(): double free detected in tcache 2
__princeso_kill_implementation (no_tid=0, signo=6, threadid=140737353779008) at ./nptl/pthread_kill.c:44
44    ./nptl/pthread_kill.c: No such file or directory.
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
Program terminated with signal SIGABRT, Aborted.
The program no longer exists.
(gdb)
```

Listing the code

"list"

```
somes@somes-ubuntu: ~/Desktop
Continuing.
Program terminated with signal SIGABRT, Aborted.
The program no longer exists.
(gdb) start
Temporary breakpoint 6 at 0x55555555551: file file.c, line 76.
Starting program: /home/somes/Desktop/file
[Thread debugging using libthread_db enabled]
Using host libthread_db library "/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libthread_db.so.1".
 Temporary breakpoint 6, main () at file.c:76
                       test1
76
(gdb) list
71
72
73 }
               int main(
test1
 75
76
77
78
                       test2
test3
79
80
                      test5
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
(gdb) list
 10
               int *values
} DataStruct;
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
               void test1(
                    int *ptr = malloc(sizeof(int) * 100);
if (ptr == NULL) {
    perror("Failed to allocate memory");
                              реггог(
(gdb)
```

Running from one breakpoint to another

"continue"

```
Breakpoint 1, test1 () at file.c:14
14    int *ptr = malloc(sizeof(int) * 100);
(gdb) list
10
             int values
         ] DataStruct
13
        void test1(
            int "ptr = malloc(sizeof(int) * 100);
if (ptr == NULL) {
    perror("Failed to allocate memory");
14
15
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
Value of *ptr: 10
Breakpoint 2, test2 () at file.c:27
27 char *str = malloc(100 * sizeof(char));
27 cha
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
String: Good day to you!
Breakpoint 3, test3 () at file.c:37
37    int *ptr = malloc(sizeof
                        = malloc(stzeof(int) * 50);
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
free(): double free detected in tcache 2
(gdb)
```

Printing the values of variables

"print <variable>"

Assembly code

Assembly code of main - "disassemble"

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(qdb) disassemble
Dump of assembler code for function main:
   0x00005555555555549 <+0>:
                                 endbr64
   0x0000655555555554d <+4>:
                                  push
                                         %rbp
   0x000055555555554e <+5>:
                                 MOV
                                         %rsp,%rbp
=> 0x0000555555555555 <+8>:
                                         $0x0,%eax
                                 mov
                                         0x5555555551c9 <test1>
   0x0000555555555555 <+13>:
                                 call
   0x0000555555555555 <+18>:
                                 MOV
                                         $0x0,%eax
                                         0x5555555555255 <test2>
   0x0000555555555560 <+23>:
                                 call
   0x000005555555555555 <+28>:
                                 mov
                                         $0x0,%eax
   0x0000055555555556a <+33>:
                                 call
                                         0x55555555552c7 <test3>
   0x0000555555555556f <+38>:
                                 mov
                                         $0x0,%eax
   0x0000555555555574 <+43>:
                                 call
                                         0x555555555335 <test4>
   0x0000055555555555579 <+48>:
                                 mov
                                         $0x0,%eax
   0x000055555555557e <+53>:
                                 call
                                         0x555555555530c <test5>
   0x00005555555555583 <+58>:
                                 MOV
                                         $0x0,%eax
   0x0000555555555588 <+63>:
                                         %rbp
                                  pop
   0x0000555555555589 <+64>:
                                  ret
End of assembler dump.
```

Assembly code for specific function - "disassemble <function_name>"

```
(gdb) disassemble test2
Dump of assembler code for function test2:
    endbr64
   0x00005555555555259 <+4>:
                                  push
                                         %гьь
   0x0000555555555525a <+5>:
                                         %rsp,%rbp
                                  MOV
   0x00005555555555525d <+8>:
                                         $0x10,%rsp
                                  sub
                                         $0x64,%edi
   0x00000555555555261 <+12>:
                                  MOV
   0x00005555555555266 <+17>:
                                  call
                                                     ob0 <malloc@plt>
   0x0000555555555556b <+22>:
                                         %rax,-0x8(%rbp)
                                  mov
   0x0000555555555526f <+26>:
                                  cmpq
                                         $0x0,-0x8(%rbp)
   0x00005555555555274 <+31>:
                                  jne
                                                         <test2+50>
   0x00005555555555276 <+33>:
                                         0xd87(%rip),%rax
                                                                 # 0x55555556004
                                  lea
   0x00000555555555527d <+40>:
                                         %rax,%rdi
                                  MOV
   0x000005555555555280 <+43>:
                                  call
                                         0x555555555550c0 <perror@plt>
0x55555555555555
<test2+112>
   0x00000555555555285 <+48>:
                                  jmp
   0x000055555555555287 <+50>:
                                  MOV
                                         -0x8(%rbp),%rax
   0x0000555555555528b <+54>:
                                  movabs $0x79616420646f6f47,%rdx
   0x00005555555555295 <+64>:
                                  movabs $0x21756f79206f7420,%rcx
   0x000055555555529f <+74>:
                                  MOV
                                         %rdx,(%rax)
   0x0000055555555552a2 <+77>:
                                  mov
                                         %rcx,0x8(%rax)
   0x000005555555552a6 <+81>:
                                  movb
                                         $0x0,0x10(%rax)
                                         -0x8(%rbp),%rax
   0x000005555555552aa <+85>:
                                  mov
                                         %rax,%rsi
   0x00005555555552ae <+89>:
                                  MOV
   0x000055555555552b1 <+92>:
                                  lea
                                         0xd79(%rip),%rax
                                                                  # 0x555555556031
   0x00005555555552b8 <+99>:
                                         %rax,%rdi
                                  MOV
   0x00005555555555bb <+102>:
                                         $0x0,%eax
                                  mov
   0x00005555555552c0 <+107>:
                                  call
                                         0x5555555550m0 <printf@plt>
   0x000055555555552c5 <+112>:
                                  leave
   0x000055555555552c6 <+113>:
                                  ret
End of assembler dump.
(gdb)
```

Disabling breakpoints - "disable
breakpoint_number>"

```
(gdb) disable 1
(gdb) disable 2
(gdb) disable 3
(gdb) disable 4
(gdb)
```

Check register info - "info register"

```
Temporary breakpoint 12, main () at file.c:76
76
(gdb) info register
               0x55555555549
гах
                                     93824992236873
rbx
               0x0
                                     0
ГСХ
               0x555555557da0
                                     93824992247200
               0x7ffffffffe138
                                     140737488347448
rdx
               0x7ffffffffe128
                                     140737488347432
rsi
rdi
               0x1
               0x7fffffffe010
                                     0x7fffffffe010
грр
rsp
               0x7fffffffe010
                                     0x7ffffffffe010
               0x7fffff7e1bf10
г8
                                     140737352154896
г9
               0x7fffff7fc9040
                                     140737353912384
г10
               0x7fffff7fc3908
                                     140737353890056
г11
               0x7fffff7fde660
                                     140737353999968
г12
               0x7ffffffffe128
                                     140737488347432
r13
               0x55555555549
                                     93824992236873
г14
               0x555555557da0
                                     93824992247200
г15
               0x7fffff7ffd040
                                     140737354125376
               0x55555555551
                                     0x555555555551 <main+8>
rip
eflags
               0x246
                                     [ PF ZF IF ]
CS
               0x33
                                     51
                                     43
SS
               0x2b
ds
               0x0
                                     0
es
               0x0
                                     0
fs
               0x0
                                     0
                0x0
gs
(gdb)
```

Some optional flags

"step", "next", "backtrace"

```
somes@somes-ubuntu: ~
Breakpoint 1, main () at file.c:76
76 test1();
(gdb) step
(gdb) next
15
             tf (ptr == NULL)
(gdb) next
19
(gdb) watch 3
Cannot watch constant value `3'.
(gdb) watch ptr
Hardware watchpoint 7: ptr
(gdb) step
20
                 ptr[i] = i;
(gdb) step
19
(gdb) backtrace
#0 test1 () at file.c:19
#1 0x0000555555555555 in
              555555555b in main () at file.c:76
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
Value of *ptr: 10
Watchpoint 7 deleted because the program has left the block in which its expression is valid.
main () at file.c:77
77 test2();
(gdb) backtrace
#0 main () at file.c:77
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
(gdb) backtrace
#0 test2 () at file.c:27
#1 0x0080555555555555 in main () at file.c:77
(gdb)
```