

Valgrinding Wine: Using Valgrind to find memory problems in Wine

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What is Valgrind

- **Valgrind is a set of tools aimed at finding bugs and performance problems in programs. It shows reads of uninitialized memory, accesses to inaccessible memory, and memory leaks.**
- **Can be used in combination with the TestSuite to find problems in Wine's dlls/programs, as well as its tests**
- **<http://valgrind.org/>**
- **<http://wiki.winehq.org/WineAndValgrind>**
- **https://github.com/austin987/wine_misc/tree/master/valgrind**

Statistics

- **316 open bugs**
- **125 fixed bugs (with keyword*, maybe ~111 more)**
- **419 commits attributed**
- **Top authors:**
 - 91 Nikolay Sivov
 - 57 Hans Leidekker
 - 41 Huw Davies
 - 35 Henri Verbeet

*As of 2015/09/16 - wine-1.7.51-181-g8fdcc23

Running Testsuite with Valgrind

- **\$ export OANOCACHE=1**
- **\$ export VALGRIND_OPTS="-q --trace-children=yes --track-origins=yes --gen-suppressions=all
--suppressions=\$WINESRC/tools/valgrind/valgrind-suppressions-external
--suppressions=\$WINESRC/tools/valgrind/valgrind-suppressions-ignore \$suppress_known \$fatal_warnings --leak-check=full --num-callers=20 --workaround-gcc296-bugs=yes
--vex-iropt-register-updates=allregs-at-mem-access"**
- **\$ export WINETEST_TIMEOUT=600**
- **\$ export WINE_HEAP_TAIL_REDZONE=32**
- **\$ export WINETEST_WRAPPER=valgrind**
- **\$ make -k test >> \${WINESRC}/logs/\$version.log**

Major Problems

- **Since Mozilla upstream moved to using VS2013, using wine-gecko PDB builds hangs Wine (bug #38604)**
- **VS2013 PDBs don't work with wine's dbghelp (bug #38594, bug #37746)**
- **Crashes Xorg with Nouveau (fd.o bug #91972)**
- **MacOSX doesn't work at all (kde bug #349804)**
- **Lots of valgrind issues with OpenGL drivers (i965/nvidia...)**

Contributing

- **Fix Wine's valgrind issues, there are plenty to choose from ;)**
- **Improve Wine's dbghelp / winedbg for VS2013**
- **Fix crashing (13) / hanging (4) / failing (24) tests**

Win64

- **Mostly untested, on my backburner**
- **One fixed bug (with ~4600 occurrences in the tests, bug #38695), fixed by:**

commit

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gdi32/freetype: Properly handle loading of FT_Long-sized types (Valgrind).

Questions?

- **Thanks for your time and attention**