PSP0201 Week 5 Writeup

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Day 17 - [Reverse Engineering] ReverseELFneering

Tool used: kali Linux, Firefox

Solution/Walkthrough:

<u>Q1.</u>

Initial Data Type	Suffix	Size (bytes)
Byte	b	1
Word	w	2
Double Word	l	4
Quad	q	8
Single Precision	S	4
Double Precision	l	8

The answer can be found and taken from THM.

Q2.

This will open the binary in debugging mode. Once the binary is open, one of the first things to do is ask r2 to analyze the program, and this can be done by typing in:

The command aa can be used to analyse the programs in radare2.

Q3.

A **breakpoint** specifies where the program should stop executing. This is useful as it allows us to look at the state of the program at that particular point. So let's set a breakpoint using the command db in this case, it would be db 0x004000555 To ensure the breakpoint is set, we run the pdf emain command again and see a little b next to the instruction we want to stop at.

By using the db command, we can set a breakpoint in radare2..

Q4.

Running dc will execute the program until we hit the breakpoint. Once we hit the breakpoint and print out the main function, the rip which is the current instruction shows where execution has stopped. From the notes above, we know that the mov instruction is used to transfer values. This statement is

As stated in THM, dc can be used to execute the program until we hit the breakpoint.

Q5,Q6,Q7.

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[0×00400a30]> pdf@main
   ;-- main:
(fcn) sym.main 35
sym.main ();
             ; var int local_ch @ rbp-0×c
              ; var int local_8h @ rbp-0×8
              ; var int local_4h @ rbp-0×4
             0×00400b4d 55
                              4889e5
             0×00400b4e
                                                 mov rbp, rsp
                              c745f4010000. mov dword [local_ch], 1
c745f8060000. mov dword [local_8h], 6
8b45f4 mov eax, dword [local_ch]
             0×00400b51
             0×00400b58
              0×00400b5f
                                0faf45f8
              0×00400b62
                                                  imul eax, dword [local_8h]
              0×00400b66
                                8945fc
                                                 mov dword [local_4h], eax
              0×00400b69
                                b800000000
                                                 mov eax, 0
              0×00400b6e
             0×00400b6f
[0×00400a30]>
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- Q5. mov=move. Therefore, local _ch is 1.
- Q6. imul= multiplications. local ch is 1 and being moved to eax; eax =1.1 multiple by 6=6.
- Q7. eax is 6. When eax is moved to local 4h, it became 6 too.