

LAB 5: LLVM

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Section 1.1.1.1

File: 1_1_1_1.c
Location: [line 6, column 3](#)
Description: Called function pointer is null (null dereference)

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.CallAndMessage
2 //C
3 void test() {
4     void (*foo)(void);
5     foo = 0;
6     foo(); //warn: function pointer is null
7 }
8
9 int main() {
10    test();
11 }
12
```

2 ← Null pointer value stored to 'foo' →

3 ← Called function pointer is null (null dereference)

1 Calling 'test' →

Solution

```
#include <stdio.h>

//core.CallAndMessage
//C
void func() {
    printf("testing");
}

void test() {
    //Function pointer
    void (*foo)(void) = func; // assigned the fun poin the add of the fun
    // foo = 7;
    foo(); //warn: function pointer is null
}

int main() {
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_1.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-201318-8576-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

The function pointer (*foo) was null i.e.. it was not pointing at anything yet. Then, I created a func function and had the function pointer point to the func function to resolve the error.

Section 1.1.1.4

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_4.c
Location: [line 7, column 7](#)
Description: Value stored to 'x' during its initialization is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.NullDereference
2 //C
3 void test(int *p) {
4     if (p)
5         return;
6
7     int x = p[0]; //warn
8
9     Value stored to 'x' during its initialization is never read
10
11 }
12
13 int main() {
14     int p = 7;
15
16     test(&p);
17 }
```

Solution

```
//core.NullDereference
//C
int test(int *p) {
    if (p) // if p is not null
        return 0;

    int x = *(p); //warn the value at pointer p

    return x;
}

int main() {
    int p = 7;

    int result = test(&p);
    return result;
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_4.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-212814-9214-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation

The variable `x` was defined but never used. Thus, I changed the value of `x` from `p[0]` to `*(p)`. This means the value of `x` is now the value at pointer `p`. Then, I returned the value of `x` to make sure the variable `x` is being used.

Section 1.1.1.5

Location: [line 7, column 1](#)

Description: Address of stack memory associated with local variable '`str`' is still referred to by the global variable '`p`' upon returning to the caller. This will be a dangling reference

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.StackAddressEscape
2 char const *p;
3
4 void test() {
5     char const str[] = "string";
6     p = str;
7 }
8
9 int main() {
10     test();
11 }
12
```

2 Address of stack memory associated with local variable '`str`' is still referred to by the global variable '`p`' upon returning to the caller. This will be a dangling reference

1 Calling 'test' →

Solution

```
//core.StackAddressEscape
char const *p;
char const str[] = "string";

void test() {
    //char const str[] = "string";
    p = &str; // the pointer = add of str
}

int main() {
    //P =
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_5.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-184129-7802-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
```

Explanation:

The pointer P that's pointing to the string (defined in the function) falls out of scope after the function ends because the string is not global. Thus, I made the string global. Now the string no longer falls out of scope when the function ends.

Section 1.1.1.6

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_6.c
Location: [line 4, column 7](#)
Description: Value stored to 'y' during its initialization is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.UndefinedBinaryOperatorResult
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     int y = x + 1; //warn: left operand is garbage
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
10
```

Value stored to 'y' during its initialization is never read

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_6.c
Location: [line 4, column 13](#)
Description: The left operand of '+' is a garbage value

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.UndefinedBinaryOperatorResult
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     int y = x + 1; //warn: left operand is garbage
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
10
```

2 ← 'x' declared without an initial value →

3 ← The left operand of '+' is a garbage value

1 Calling 'test' →

Solution

```
//core.UndefinedBinaryOperatorResult
int test() {
    int x = 0;
    int y = x + 1; //warn: left operand is garbage
    return y;
}

int main() {
    return test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_6.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-184533-7833-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

X was not defined. Thus, I defined X to avoid the left error. Additionally, I changed the function from void to return int so that I can utilize all the variable defined in the test() function.

Section 1.1.1.7

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_7.c
Location: [line 4, column 3](#)
Description: Declared variable-length array (VLA) uses a garbage value as its size

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.VLA Size
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     int vla1[x]; // warn: garbage as size
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
```

Annotations:

- 2 ← 'x' declared without an initial value →
- 3 ← Declared variable-length array (VLA) uses a garbage value as its size
- 1 Calling 'test' →

Solution

```
//core.VLA Size
int test() {
    //int x = 7;
    int vla1[2] = {1, 2}; // warn: garbage as size
    return vla1[0];
}

int main() {
    return test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_7.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-184717-7851-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

X was defined but not initialized ie, it stored a garbage value. Thus, affected vla1 array directly. Additionally, in C we cannot define arrays with variables like what was initially defined on the program. Simply, the program won't run. I could either use malloc to define the array. But, in this case, I simply initialized the array the correct way using a constant value 2.

Section 1.1.1.8

File: 1_1_1_8.c
Location: [line 4, column 11](#)
Description: Array subscript is undefined

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.ArraySubscript
2 void test() {
3     int i, a[10];
4     int x = a[i]; //warn: array subscript is undefined
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
10
11
```

Annotations:

- 2 ← 'i' declared without an initial value →
- 3 ← Array subscript is undefined
- 1 Calling 'test' →

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_8.c
Location: [line 4, column 7](#)
Description: Value stored to 'x' during its initialization is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.ArraySubscript
2 void test() {
3     int i, a[10];
4     int x = a[i]; //warn: array subscript is undefined
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
10
11
```

Value stored to 'x' during its initialization is never read

```
//core.uninitialized.ArraySubscript
int test() {
    int i = 3;
    int a[10] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10};
    int x = a[i]; //warn: array subscript is undefined

    return x;
}

int main() {
    return test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_8.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-184902-7871-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

The subscript of the array `a[i]` was not initialized i.e. `i` in `a[i]` was not initialized to provide the correct value to `x`. To fix this, I defined the subscript of the array `i`.

Additionally, `x` was not read i.e. it was not used. I then changed the function from `void` to `int` to return the value of `x`.

Section 1.1.1.9

File: 1_1_1_9.c
Location: [line 4, column 5](#)
Description: The left expression of the compound assignment is an uninitialized value. The computed value will also be garbage

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.Assign
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     x |= 1; // warn: left expression is uninitialized
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
10
```

2 ← 'x' declared without an initial value →

3 ← The left expression of the compound assignment is an uninitialized value. The computed value will also be garbage

1 Calling 'test' →

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_9.c
Location: [line 4, column 3](#)
Description: Value stored to 'x' is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.Assign
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     x |= 1; // warn: left expression is uninitialized
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
10
```

Value stored to 'x' is never read

```
//core.uninitialized.Assign
int test() {
    int x = 5;
    x |= 1; // warn: left expression is uninitialized
    return x;
}

int main() {
    return test();
}
```



```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_9.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-185320-7895-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

X was declared without an initial value. Thus, I initialized x with 5. Changed the function to return int so that I could return x.

Section 1.1.1.10

File: 1_1_1_10.c
Location: [line 4, column 7](#)
Description: Branch condition evaluates to a garbage value

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.Branch
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     if (x) // warn
5         return;
6 }
7
8 int main() {
9     test();
10 }
11
```

Annotations:

- 2 ← 'x' declared without an initial value →
- 3 ← Branch condition evaluates to a garbage value
- 1 Calling 'test' →

Solution

```
//core.uninitialized.Branch
void test() {
    int x = 1;
    if (x) // war // if x HAS ANY VALUE
        return;
}

int main() {
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_10.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-185500-7915-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

The function had an if function if x has any value, return. But, the variable x itself was not initialized. Thus, I fixed it by initializing it with a constant one.

Section 1.1.1.11

File: 1_1_1_11.c
Location: [line 4, column 2](#)
Description: Assigned value is garbage or undefined

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.CapturedBlockVariable
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     int* y = x; // warn
5
6
7 }
8
9 int main() {
10    test();
11 }
```

Annotations:

- 2 ← 'x' declared without an initial value →
- 3 ← Assigned value is garbage or undefined
- 1 Calling 'test' →

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_11.c
Location: [line 4, column 7](#)
Description: Value stored to 'y' during its initialization is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.CapturedBlockVariable
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     int* y = x; // warn
5
6
7 }
8
9 int main() {
10     test();
11 }
```

Value stored to 'y' during its initialization is never read

Solution:

```
//core.uninitialized.CapturedBlockVariable
void test() {
    int x = 4;
    int* y = &x; // warn
    *(y) = 6; //dereference
    // SO X WILL BE 6
}

int main() {
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_11.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-212921-9255-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

X was declared without an initial value. Thus I made x = 4. Then made pointer y be the address of x. Finally dereferenced y to 6 i.e. by the end of function test(), the value of x will be 6.

Section 1.1.1.12

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_1_12.c
Location: [line 4, column 3](#)
Description: Undefined or garbage value returned to caller

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //core.uninitialized.UndefReturn
2 int test() {
3     int x;
4     return x; //warn
5 }
6
7 int main() {
8     test();
9 }
```

2 ← 'x' declared without an initial value →

3 ← Undefined or garbage value returned to caller

1 Calling 'test' →

Solution

```
//core.uninitialized.UndefReturn
int test() {
    int x = 4;
    return x; //warn
}

int main() {
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_1_12.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-185726-7934-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

Int x was declared without an initial value. Thus, I initialized x with 4. Then changed the function from void to int in order to return x.

Section 1.1.7.2

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_7_2.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
1_1_7_2.c: In function 'test':
1_1_7_2.c:7:8: error: 'P' undeclared (first use in this function)
    free(P); // warn: attempt to free released memory
    ^
1_1_7_2.c:7:8: note: each undeclared identifier is reported only once for each f
unction it appears in
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-212257-9144-1' bec
ause it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

There was no html file created as the error was detected by the gcc compiler.

```
#include <stdlib.h>

//unix.Malloc
void test() {
    int *p = malloc(sizeof(int));
    free(p);
    //free(P); // warn: attempt to free released memory
}

int main() {
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_7_2.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-212545-9194-1' bec
ause it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation

Deleted the extra line that was freeing memory of the pointer p. This line was trying to delete something that was already deleted.

Section 1.1.7.3

Bug Summary

File: 1_1_7_3.c
Location: [line 3, column 13](#)
Description: Result of 'malloc' is converted to a pointer of type 'long', which is incompatible with sizeof operand type 'short'

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //unit.MallocSizeof
2 void test() {
3     long *p = malloc(sizeof(short));
4     // warn: result id converted to 'long *', which is
5     // incompatible with operand type 'short'
6     free(p);
7 }
8
9 int main() {
10     test();
11 }
12
```


solution

```
#include <stdlib.h>
//unit.MallocSizeof
void test() {
    long *p = malloc(sizeof(long));
    // warn: result id converted to 'long *', which is
    // incompatable with operand type 'short'
    free(p);
}

int main() {
    test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_1_7_3.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-211445-8984-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation:

Initially, the type of the pointer was long but the assigned size was set to short. This was a mismatch. Thus, I matched the type of the pointer p to the type of its assigned size.

Section 1.2.2.8

Bug Summary

File: 1_2_2_8.c
Location: [line 4, column 3](#)
Description: Value stored to 'p' is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //alpha.core.FixedAddr
2 void test() {
3     int *p;
4     p = (int *) 0x10000; //warn
5
6     Value stored to 'p' is never read
7
8 }
9
10 int main() {
11     test();
12 }
```


Solution

```
//alpha.core.FixedAddr
int test() {
    int *p;
    p = (int *) 0x10000; //warn
    return *p;
}

int main() {
    return test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_2_2_8.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-190011-7957-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Solution

The error was the pointer p was never used. I returned pointer p to fix the issue.

Section 1.2.2.10

Bug Summary

File: 1_2_2_10.c
Location: [line 5, column 3](#)
Description: Value stored to 'p' is never read

Annotated Source Code

```
1 //alpha.core.PointerArithm
2 void test() {
3     int x;
4     int *p;
5     p = &x + 1; //warn
6 }
7
8 int main() {
9     test();
10 }
```

Value stored to 'p' is never read

Solution

```
//alpha.core.PointerArithm
int test() {
    int x[] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7};
    int *p = x;
    p = p + 4; //warn //we move forward one integer
    return *p;
}

int main() {
    return test();
}
```

```
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$ scan-build -o . gcc 1_2_2_10.c
scan-build: Using '/usr/lib/llvm-3.8/bin/clang' for static analysis
scan-build: Removing directory '/home/vanessa/lab7/2021-04-02-190133-7974-1' because it contains no reports.
scan-build: No bugs found.
vanessa@vanessa-VirtualBox:~/lab7$
```

Explanation

The error was pointer was never read but x was not initialized as well. Thus, I initialized x and returned pointer p to fix the issue.