

Recitation3

Outline

Bomblab

x86 Review

Stack

Buffer Overflow

Datalab

Schedule

Datalab handed back

Bomblab done!

Buflab out last Thursday
and due in two weeks

Bomb Lab

Results

241/274 who submitted
got full credit

Very nice!

Now onto the next lab!

x86 Review

x86 Review Question

What is the difference between

`MOV 4(%eax), %eax` and
`LEA 4(%eax), %eax`?

x86 Review Question

What occurs when
executing

```
CMP %eax, %edx?
```


x86 Review Question

What occurs when
executing

`TEST %eax, %eax?`

Questions?

Stack

Review Question

Where on the stack is the return value of a function stored?

Review Question

What occurs when the x86 instruction `CALL func` is executed?

Arguments

Arguments

Return address

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Old %ebp

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Old %ebp

Saved Registers

+

Local variables

Arguments

Return address

Old %ebp

Saved Registers
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Local variables

Argument Build

Arguments

Return address

Old %ebp

Saved Registers
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Local variables

Argument Build

Return address

...

Stack Frame

Arguments

Return address

Old %ebp

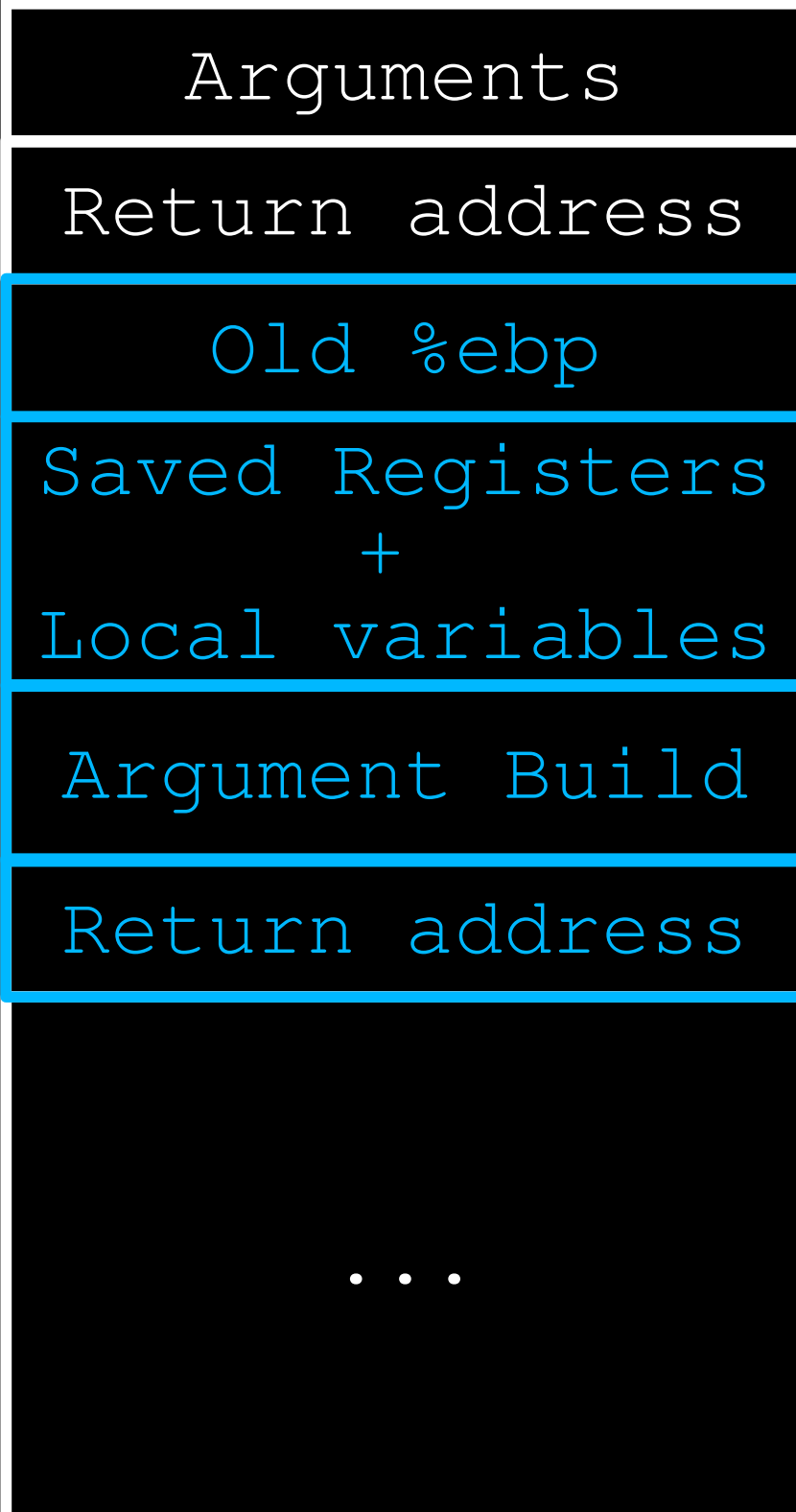
Saved Registers
+
Local variables

Argument Build

Return address

...

Stack Frame



Arguments

Return address

Old %ebp

Saved Registers
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Argument Build

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...

← %ebp

← %esp

Flash Demo

Buffer Overflows

How it works

Memory



Allocate some buffer

Memory



Buffer

Use Buffer

Memory



Buffer

Buffer Overflow

Memory



Buffer

Overflow

Buffer Overflow

Memory



Buffer

Overflow

Local variable?

Return address?

Stack Buffer Overflow

```
gets(void *buf)
```

A simple function

Retrieves some user
input until it sees '\n'

Then stores the input
into "buf"

```
int checkPwd()
{
    char ok = 'F';
    char buf[15];

    puts("Enter password:");
    gets(buf);

    if (!strcmp(buf, "15213"))
    {
        ok = 'T';
    }

    return ok == 'T';
}
```

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Return address

Old %ebp


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Old %ebp

'F'			

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```

Enter password:15213

Return address

Old %ebp

'F'			
		\0	'3'
'1'	'2'	'5'	'1'

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Enter password:
IBOMBED15213TEST

Return address

Old %ebp

'T'	'S'	'E'	'T'
'3'	'1'	'2'	'5'
'1'	'D'	'E'	'B'
'M'	'O'	'B'	'I'

Demo

Buf1ab

TODO

Apply a series of five
stack overflow attacks

No more bombs!

Disclaimer

The purpose of this lab is to help you learn about the runtime operations of programs and understand the nature of this form of security so that you can avoid it in your code...

...There are criminal statutes against using any form of attack to gain unauthorized access to any system resources.



(Don't be this guy)

Real World
Buffer Overflows

Morris worm (1988)

UNIX vulnerabilities

Infected ~6000 out of
60000 computers
connected to Internet

Robert Morris sentenced
3 yrs probation, 400
hours of community
service, \$10000 fine

SQL Slammer Worm (2003)
Microsoft's SQL Server

90% of vulnerable
machines infected within
10 minutes

This week in Google News:
“buffer overflow”

“Two of the vulnerabilities are
buffer overflow issues... impacting
the iPhone and the iPod Touch”

“One of the critical vulnerabilities
is a buffer overflow issue within
Real Player...”

“A buffer overflow vulnerability in
the Java Runtime Environment...”