

baby-re[EN]



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Information

Description

Get to reversing.

baby-re

File

- baby-re

Source Code

- <https://github.com/legitbs/quals-2016/tree/master/baby-re>

Writeup

File information

```
lazenca0x0@ubuntu:~/CTF/DEFCON2016/baby's/baby-re$ file baby-re
baby-re: ELF 64-bit LSB executable, x86-64, version 1 (SYSV), dynamically linked (uses shared libs), for GNU
/Linux 2.6.32, BuildID[sha1]=5d5783d23d78bf70b80d658bccbce365f7448693, not stripped
lazenca0x0@ubuntu:~/CTF/DEFCON2016/baby's/baby-re$ checksec --file baby-re
RELRO           STACK CANARY      NX          PIE          RPATH        RUNPATH       FORTIFY
Fortified Fortifiable FILE
Partial RELRO   Canary found     NX enabled    No PIE        No RPATH    No RUNPATH   Yes
0                2              baby-re
```

Binary analysis

Main

- The question is input a total of 13 values by user.
- The input values are passed to CheckSolution() function.
 - The function outputs Flag if the values input by user are satisfied with condition.

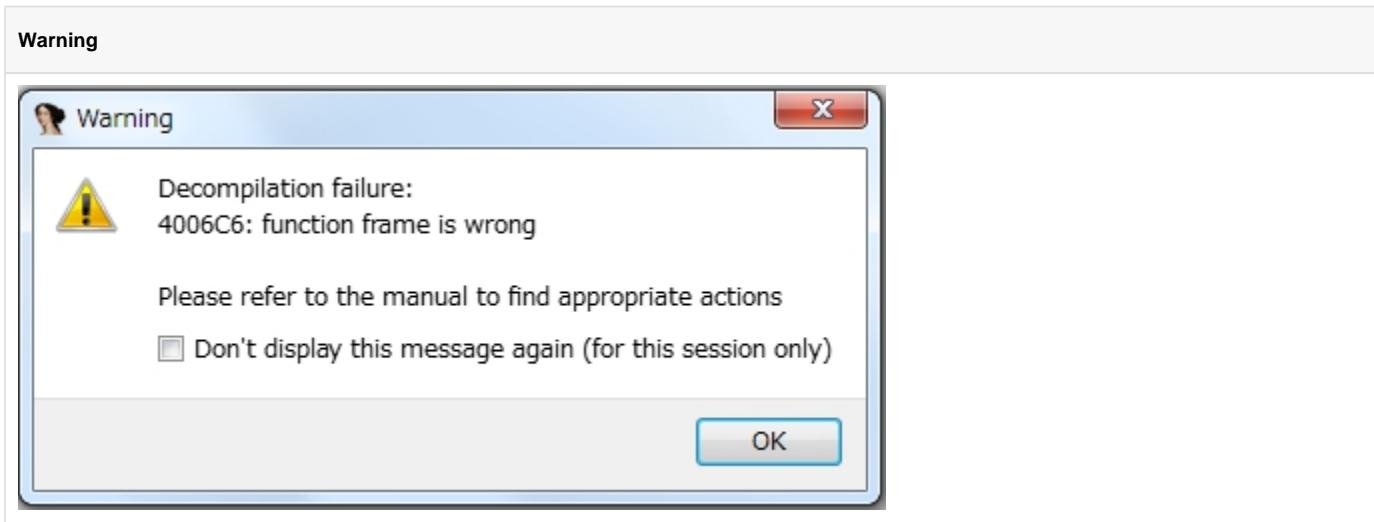
main()

```
int __cdecl main(int argc, const char **argv, const char **envp)
{
    int result; // eax@4
    __int64 v4; // rbx@4
    unsigned int v5[13]; // [rsp+0h] [rbp-60h]@1
    __int64 v6; // [rsp+38h] [rbp-28h]@1

    v6 = *MK_FP(__FS__, 40LL);
    printf("Var[0]: ", argv, envp);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", v5);
    printf("Var[1]: ", v5);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[1]);
    printf("Var[2]: ", &v5[1]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[2]);
    printf("Var[3]: ", &v5[2]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[3]);
    printf("Var[4]: ", &v5[3]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[4]);
    printf("Var[5]: ", &v5[4]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[5]);
    printf("Var[6]: ", &v5[5]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[6]);
    printf("Var[7]: ", &v5[6]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[7]);
    printf("Var[8]: ", &v5[7]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[8]);
    printf("Var[9]: ", &v5[8]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[9]);
    printf("Var[10]: ", &v5[9]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[10]);
    printf("Var[11]: ", &v5[10]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[11]);
    printf("Var[12]: ", &v5[11]);
    fflush(_bss_start);
    __isoc99_scanf("%d", &v5[12]);
    if ( (unsigned __int8)CheckSolution(v5) )
        printf(
            "The flag is: %c%c%c%c%c%c%c%c%c%c\n", v5[0], v5[1], v5[2], v5[3], v5[4], v5[5], v5[6],
            v5[7], v5[8], v5[9], v5[10], v5[11], v5[12]);
    else
        puts("Wrong");
    result = 0;
    v4 = *MK_FP(__FS__, 40LL) ^ v6;
    return result;
}
```

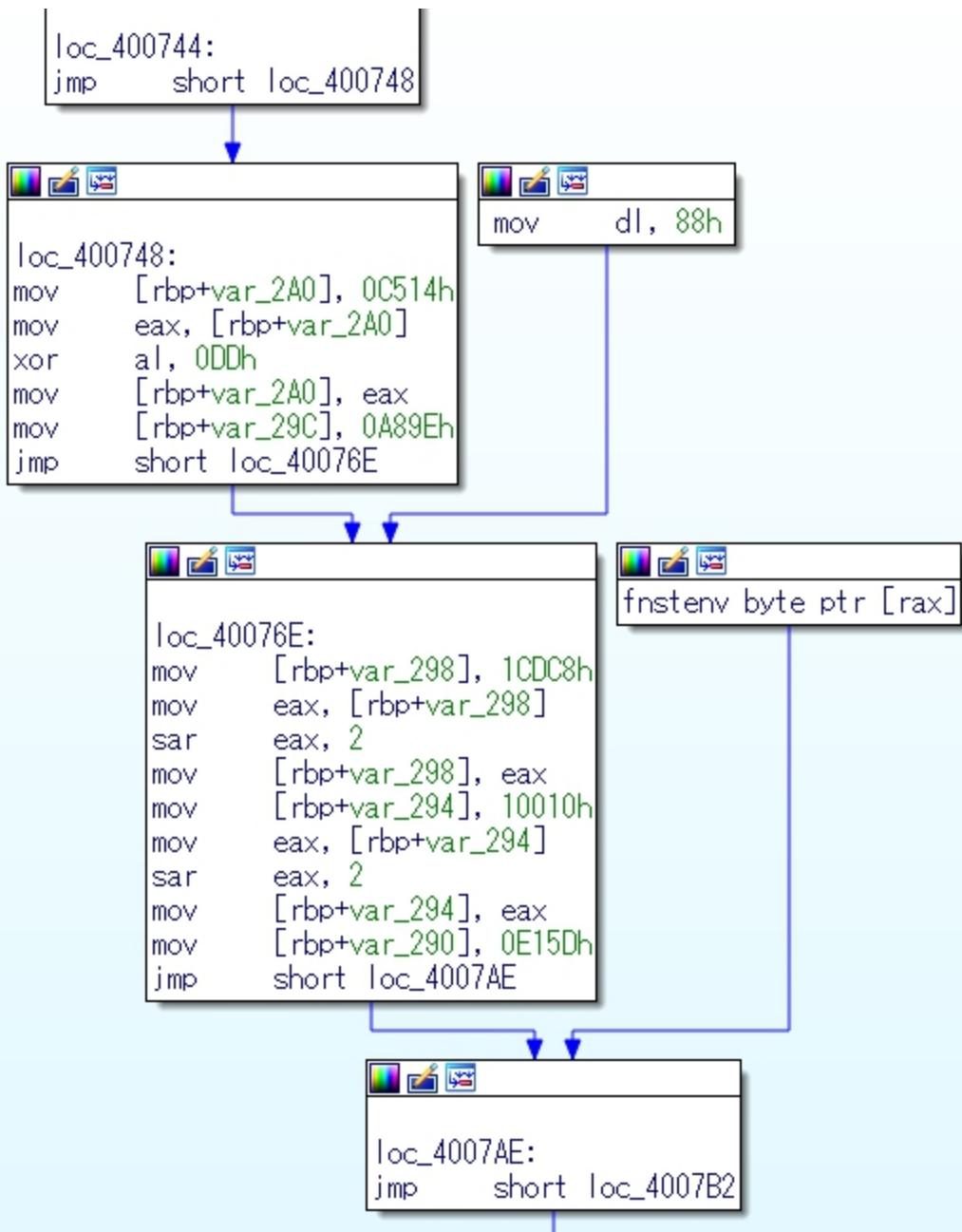
CheckSolution

- The error occurs as below if open the function by Hex-rays.



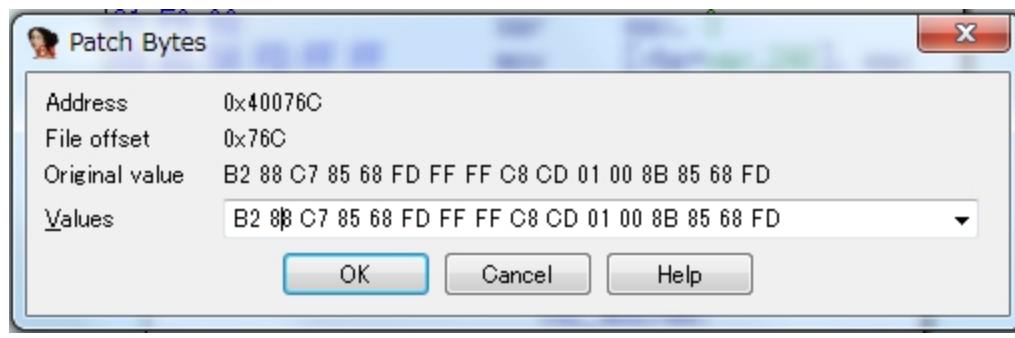
- The error occurs because Junk code is inserted in the code.

JUNK Code

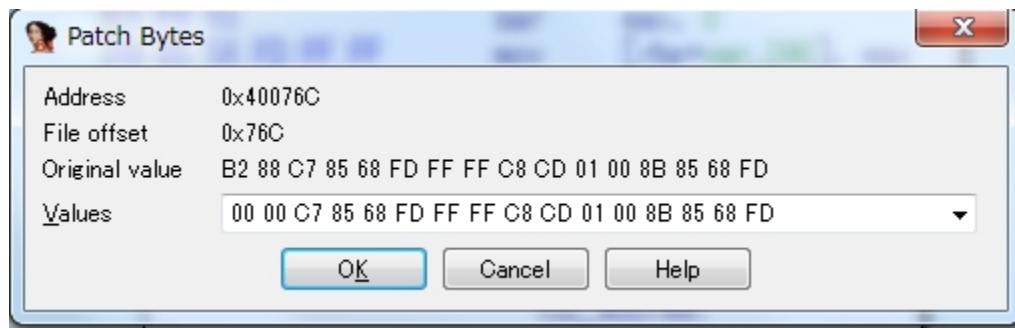


- After selecting the code to be removed, change byte value of JUNK Code to "00" using "Edit" "Patch program" "Change byte...".

JUNK Code



JUNK Code



- You can see the code below using Hex-Rays after patching.
- The function performs as below.
- It manages given operation using passed argument value.
- It checks if operation value and condition value are same using if().
 - It repeats the process 13times.
- Which means, Flag string can be known if 13 conditional statements are satisfied.

CheckSolution(Remove JUNK Code)

```
_int64 __fastcall CheckSolution(_DWORD *a1)
{
    __int64 result; // rax@2
    __int64 v2; // rsi@26

    if ( 39342 * a1[11]
        + 21090 * a1[10]
        + 14626 * a1[9]
        + 57693 * a1[8]
        + 16388 * a1[7]
        + 29554 * a1[6]
        + 43166 * a1[5]
        + 50633 * a1[4]
        + 37485 * *a1
        - 21621 * a1[1]
        - 1874 * a1[2]
        - 46273 * a1[3]
        + 54757 * a1[12] == 21399379 )
    {
        if ( 22599 * a1[5]
            + 14794 * a1[4]
            + 38962 * a1[3]
            + 50936 * *a1
            + 4809 * a1[1]
            - 6019 * a1[2]
            - 837 * a1[6]
            - 36727 * a1[7]
```

```

- 50592 * a1[8]
- 11829 * a1[9]
- 20046 * a1[10]
- 9256 * a1[11]
+ 53228 * a1[12] == 1453872 )
{
if ( 5371 * a1[11]
+ 42654 * a1[10]
+ 17702 * a1[8]
+ 26907 * a1[3]
+ -38730 * *a1
+ 52943 * a1[1]
- 16882 * a1[2]
- 44446 * a1[4]
- 18601 * a1[5]
- 65221 * a1[6]
- 47543 * a1[7]
- 33910 * a1[9]
+ 11469 * a1[12] == -5074020 )
{
if ( 8621 * a1[10]
+ 34805 * a1[7]
+ 10649 * a1[6]
+ 54317 * a1[4]
+ 57747 * *a1
- 23889 * a1[1]
- 26016 * a1[2]
- 25170 * a1[3]
- 32337 * a1[5]
- 9171 * a1[8]
- 22855 * a1[9]
- 634 * a1[11]
- 11864 * a1[12] == -5467933 )
{
if ( 15578 * a1[11]
+ 43186 * a1[9]
+ 28134 * a1[8]
+ 54889 * a1[4]
+ 34670 * a1[3]
+ 43964 * a1[2]
+ -14005 * *a1
+ 16323 * a1[1]
- 6141 * a1[5]
- 35427 * a1[6]
- 61977 * a1[7]
- 59676 * a1[10]
+ 50082 * a1[12] == 7787144 )
{
if ( 10305 * a1[11]
+ 29341 * a1[10]
+ 13602 * a1[7]
+ 39603 * a1[6]
+ 13608 * a1[2]
+ -40760 * *a1
- 22014 * a1[1]
- 4946 * a1[3]
- 26750 * a1[4]
- 31708 * a1[5]
- 59055 * a1[8]
- 32738 * a1[9]
- 15650 * a1[12] == -8863847 )
{
if ( 16047 * a1[9]
+ 55241 * a1[7]
+ 13477 * a1[2]
+ -47499 * *a1
+ 57856 * a1[1]
- 10219 * a1[3]
- 5032 * a1[4]
- 21039 * a1[5]
- 29607 * a1[6]

```

```

- 6065 * a1[8]
- 4554 * a1[10]
- 2262 * a1[11]
+ 18903 * a1[12] == -747805 )
{
if ( 41178 * a1[11]
+ 47909 * a1[7]
+ 53309 * a1[6]
+ -65419 * *a1
+ 17175 * a1[1]
- 9410 * a1[2]
- 22514 * a1[3]
- 52377 * a1[4]
- 9235 * a1[5]
- 59111 * a1[8]
- 41289 * a1[9]
- 24422 * a1[10]
- 23447 * a1[12] == -11379056 )
{
if ( 15699 * a1[10]
+ 58551 * a1[5]
+ 46767 * a1[4]
+ 33381 * a1[3]
+ 1805 * *a1
+ 4135 * a1[1]
- 16900 * a1[2]
- 34118 * a1[6]
- 44920 * a1[7]
- 11933 * a1[8]
- 20530 * a1[9]
- 36597 * a1[11]
+ 18231 * a1[12] == -166140 )
{
if ( 10788 * a1[10]
+ 18975 * a1[9]
+ 15033 * a1[8]
+ 42363 * a1[7]
+ 47052 * a1[6]
+ 41284 * a1[3]
+ -42941 * *a1
+ 61056 * a1[1]
- 45169 * a1[2]
- 1722 * a1[4]
- 26423 * a1[5]
- 33319 * a1[11]
+ 63680 * a1[12] == 9010363 )
{
if ( 30753 * a1[10]
+ 22613 * a1[9]
+ 58786 * a1[7]
+ 12587 * a1[6]
+ 12746 * a1[5]
+ -37085 * *a1
- 51590 * a1[1]
- 17798 * a1[2]
- 10127 * a1[3]
- 52388 * a1[4]
- 8269 * a1[8]
- 20853 * a1[11]
+ 32216 * a1[12] == -4169825 )
{
if ( 57612 * a1[11]
+ 47348 * a1[9]
+ 48719 * a1[8]
+ 9228 * a1[5]
+ 65196 * a1[4]
+ 36650 * *a1
+ 47566 * a1[1]
- 33282 * a1[2]
- 59180 * a1[3]
- 59599 * a1[6]

```



```

        result = 0LL;
    }
v2 = *MK_FP(__FS__, 40LL) ^ *MK_FP(__FS__, 40LL);
return result;
}

```

structure of Exploit code

1. Input 13 values satisfying "==" operation.
 - a. Find 13 values using the simultaneous linear equations.

Information for attack

Find 13 values satisfying "==" operation("z3" Module(Python))

- You can use "z3" Module (Python) developed by Microsoft to solve the operation. You need to install "z3" module first.

z3 install

```
$ git clone https://github.com/Z3Prover/z3.git
$ cd z3
$ python scripts/mk_make.py
$ cd build
$ make
$ sudo make install
```



Github

<https://github.com/Z3Prover/z3>

- Let's solve the simultaneous linear equations using "z3" as below.

z3 Example

```
from z3 import *

x = Int('x')
y = Int('y')
solve(x > 2, y < 10, x + 2*y == 7)
```

- You can get the following result after running the code.

python test2.py

```
lazenca0x0@ubuntu:~/CTF/DEFCON2016/baby's/baby-re$ python test2.py
[y = 0, x = 7]
```



Z3 API in Python

<http://www.cs.tau.ac.il/~msagiv/courses/asv/z3py/guide-examples.htm>

- You can solve the simultaneous linear equations used in this program as below.

test.py

```
from z3 import *
```

```

a1 = [Int("a1[%d]"%(i)) for i in range(0,13)]
s = Solver()

s.add(39342 * a1[11]
    + 21090 * a1[10]
    + 14626 * a1[9]
    + 57693 * a1[8]
    + 16388 * a1[7]
    + 29554 * a1[6]
    + 43166 * a1[5]
    + 50633 * a1[4]
    + 37485 * a1[0]
    - 21621 * a1[1]
    - 1874 * a1[2]
    - 46273 * a1[3]
    + 54757 * a1[12] == 21399379)

s.add(22599 * a1[5]
    + 14794 * a1[4]
    + 38962 * a1[3]
    + 50936 * a1[0]
    + 4809 * a1[1]
    - 6019 * a1[2]
    - 837 * a1[6]
    - 36727 * a1[7]
    - 50592 * a1[8]
    - 11829 * a1[9]
    - 20046 * a1[10]
    - 9256 * a1[11]
    + 53228 * a1[12] == 1453872)

s.add(5371 * a1[11]
    + 42654 * a1[10]
    + 17702 * a1[8]
    + 26907 * a1[3]
    + -38730 * a1[0]
    + 52943 * a1[1]
    - 16882 * a1[2]
    - 44446 * a1[4]
    - 18601 * a1[5]
    - 65221 * a1[6]
    - 47543 * a1[7]
    - 33910 * a1[9]
    + 11469 * a1[12] == -5074020)

s.add(8621 * a1[10]
    + 34805 * a1[7]
    + 10649 * a1[6]
    + 54317 * a1[4]
    + 57747 * a1[0]
    - 23889 * a1[1]
    - 26016 * a1[2]
    - 25170 * a1[3]
    - 32337 * a1[5]
    - 9171 * a1[8]
    - 22855 * a1[9]
    - 634 * a1[11]
    - 11864 * a1[12] == -5467933)

s.add(15578 * a1[11]
    + 43186 * a1[9]
    + 28134 * a1[8]
    + 54889 * a1[4]
    + 34670 * a1[3]
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    + 16323 * a1[1]
    - 6141 * a1[5]
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    - 61977 * a1[7]
    - 59676 * a1[10])

```

```

+ 50082 * a1[12] == 7787144)

s.add(10305 * a1[11]
+ 29341 * a1[10]
+ 13602 * a1[7]
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- 4946 * a1[3]
- 26750 * a1[4]
- 31708 * a1[5]
- 59055 * a1[8]
- 32738 * a1[9]
- 15650 * a1[12] == -8863847)

s.add(16047 * a1[9]
+ 55241 * a1[7]
+ 13477 * a1[2]
+ -47499 * a1[0]
+ 57856 * a1[1]
- 10219 * a1[3]
- 5032 * a1[4]
- 21039 * a1[5]
- 29607 * a1[6]
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+ 18903 * a1[12] == -747805 )

s.add(41178 * a1[11]
+ 47909 * a1[7]
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- 9235 * a1[5]
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+ 58551 * a1[5]
+ 46767 * a1[4]
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+ 1805 * a1[0]
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- 34118 * a1[6]
- 44920 * a1[7]
- 11933 * a1[8]
- 20530 * a1[9]
- 36597 * a1[11]
+ 18231 * a1[12] == -166140)

s.add(10788 * a1[10]
+ 18975 * a1[9]
+ 15033 * a1[8]
+ 42363 * a1[7]
+ 47052 * a1[6]
+ 41284 * a1[3]
+ -42941 * a1[0]
+ 61056 * a1[1]
- 45169 * a1[2]
- 1722 * a1[4]
- 26423 * a1[5]
- 33319 * a1[11]
+ 63680 * a1[12] == 9010363)

```

```

s.add(30753 * a1[10]
      + 22613 * a1[9]
      + 58786 * a1[7]
      + 12587 * a1[6]
      + 12746 * a1[5]
      + -37085 * a1[0]
      - 51590 * a1[1]
      - 17798 * a1[2]
      - 10127 * a1[3]
      - 52388 * a1[4]
      - 8269 * a1[8]
      - 20853 * a1[11]
      + 32216 * a1[12] == -4169825)

s.add(57612 * a1[11]
      + 47348 * a1[9]
      + 48719 * a1[8]
      + 9228 * a1[5]
      + 65196 * a1[4]
      + 36650 * a1[0]
      + 47566 * a1[1]
      - 33282 * a1[2]
      - 59180 * a1[3]
      - 59599 * a1[6]
      - 62888 * a1[7]
      - 37592 * a1[10]
      + 40510 * a1[12] == 4081505)

s.add(25633 * a1[11]
      + 25252 * a1[9]
      + 28153 * a1[8]
      + 26517 * a1[7]
      + 59511 * a1[4]
      + 4102 * a1[3]
      + 51735 * a1[0]
      + 35879 * a1[1]
      - 63890 * a1[2]
      - 21386 * a1[5]
      - 20769 * a1[6]
      - 43789 * a1[10]
      + 7314 * a1[12] == 1788229)

print s.check()
m = s.model()

for d in m.decls():
    print "%s = %s" %(d.name(),m[d])

```

- The following result is output if run the code.

python test.py

```

lazenga0x0@ubuntu:~/CTF/DEFCON2016/baby's/baby-re$ python test.py
sat
a1[3] = 104
a1[7] = 32
a1[9] = 97
a1[6] = 115
a1[0] = 77
a1[10] = 114
a1[12] = 33
a1[11] = 100
a1[8] = 104
a1[1] = 97
a1[4] = 32
a1[5] = 105
a1[2] = 116

```

- The output result is as below.

Flag string

a1[0]	77	a1[7]	32
a1[1]	97	a1[8]	104
a1[2]	116	a1[9]	97
a1[3]	104	a1[10]	114
a1[4]	32	a1[11]	100
a1[5]	105	a1[12]	33
a1[6]	115		

Find 13 values satisfying "==" operation(angular).

- This question is also solved using (angular)
- The source code is as below
 - The code is published on <https://docs.angr.io/docs/examples.html>.

solve.py

```
#!/usr/bin/env python2

"""
Author: David Manouchehri <manouchehri@protonmail.com>
DEFCON CTF Qualifier 2016
Challenge: baby-re
Team: hack.carleton
Write-up: http://hack.carleton.team/2016/05/21/defcon-ctf-qualifier-2016-baby-re/
Runtime: ~8 minutes (single threaded E5-2650L v3 @ 1.80GHz on DigitalOcean)

DigitalOcean is horrible for single threaded applications, I would highly suggest using something else.
"""

import angr

def main():
    proj = angr.Project('./baby-re', load_options={'auto_load_libs': False})
    path_group = proj.factory.path_group(threads=4) # Doesn't really help to have more threads, but whatever.
    path_group.explore(find=0x40294b, avoid=0x402941)
    return path_group.found[0].state.posix.dumps(1) # The flag is at the end.

def test():
    assert 'Math is hard!' in main()

if __name__ == '__main__':
    print(repr(main()))
```



angr Example

- <http://docs.angr.io/docs/examples.html>
- https://github.com/angr/angr-doc/blob/master/examples/defcon2016quals_baby-re_0/solve.py

- The code is mainly about "path_group.explore()"
 - If every conditions of 13 if () are met, the program moves to "0x40294b".
 - Save the address in "find". (find=0x40294b)
 - If conditions are not met, the program moves to "0x402941"
 - Save the address in "avoid". (avoid=0x402941)

```

.text:0000000000402924 45 89 F1          mov    r9d, r14d
.text:0000000000402927 45 89 E8          mov    r8d, r13d
.text:000000000040292A 89 C6          mov    esi, eax
.text:000000000040292C BF 88 2A 40 00      mov    edi, offset aTheFlagIsCCCC ; "The flag is: %CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC"
.text:0000000000402931 B8 00 00 00 00      mov    eax, 0
.text:0000000000402936 E8 45 DC FF FF      call   _printf
.text:000000000040293B 48 83 C4 40          add    rsp, 40h
.text:000000000040293F EB 0A          jmp    short loc_40294B
.text:0000000000402941
.text:0000000000402941
.text:0000000000402941 BF B1 2A 40 00      loc_402941:    mov    edi, offset s ; CODE XREF: main+300↑j
.text:0000000000402946 E8 15 DC FF FF      call   _puts
.text:000000000040294B
.text:000000000040294B B8 00 00 00 00      loc_40294B:    mov    eax, 0
.text:0000000000402950 48 8B 5D D8          mov    rbx, [rbp+var_28]
.text:0000000000402954 64 48 33 1C 25 28 00 00+ xor   rbx, fs:28h
.text:000000000040295D 74 05          jz    short loc_402964
.text:000000000040295F E8 0C DC FF FF      call   __stack_chk_fail
.text:0000000000402964
.text:0000000000402964

```

- You can get the following result after running the code.

python test3.py

```

$ mkvirtualenv angr
New python executable in angr/bin/python
Installing setuptools, pip...done.
(angr)$ python test3.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:13,869 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:15,772 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:18,286 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:22,451 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:28,217 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:36,537 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:37:49,255 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:38:06,851 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:38:28,900 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:38:57,506 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:39:29,892 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:40:20,124 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
WARNING | 2016-08-08 00:41:10,223 | simuvex.plugins.symbolic_memory | Concretizing symbolic length. Much sad; think about implementing.
'Var[0]: Var[1]: Var[2]: Var[3]: Var[4]: Var[5]: Var[6]: Var[7]: Var[8]: Var[9]: Var[10]: Var[11]: Var[12]: The flag is: Math is hard!\n'
(angr)$

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Exploit Code

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from pwn import *

p = process("./baby-re")

def CharInput(ch):
    p.recvuntil(':')
    p.sendline(str(ch))

CharInput(77)
CharInput(97)
CharInput(116)
CharInput(104)
CharInput(32)
CharInput(105)
CharInput(115)
CharInput(32)
CharInput(104)
CharInput(97)
CharInput(114)
CharInput(100)
CharInput(33)

print p.recvuntil("The flag is:") + p.recv()
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Flag

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Unknown macro: 'html'

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Related Site

- <http://docs.angr.io/docs/examples.html>
- https://github.com/angr/angr-doc/blob/master/examples/defcon2016quals_baby-re_0/solve.py
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