

# radare

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## **Block based command line hexadecimal editor**

- **Multiple IO backends**
- **Debugger support**
- **Configurable hashtable ('-e' flag or 'e' cmd)**
- **All commands are single letter (? for help)**
- **Flexible command syntax**
  - > **3pd 20 @@ sym\_\* > file**
- **IO plugins also hooks io\_system()**
  - > **!contsc write**

## **Screen filtering**

- **Output in ascii, ansi, w32 console, html**
- **OTF string replacements**

# Networking

## Remoting

- All IO can be wrapped and URIs can be nested to use radare remotely. Non-standard IO cmds is based on string parsing.

```
$ radare connect://10.0.3.22:9898/dbg:///bin/l
```

## IO backend for socket connections

- Handles a socket as a growing file

# Hexadecimal editor

## Multiple IO backends as plugins

- posix, ptrace, tcp, haret, w32, ewf, wine, ..

## Block based editor

- Command line and visual interface
- Zoom out/in for global views
- p% bar showing info of functions, data, code..

## Print modes

- Different radix bases, timestamps, endian, C structs/code, assembly

## Undo history

- For seeks and writes

# Search engine

## Advanced search engine

- **Strings (char, wchar), bytes**
- **Multiple keyword definition**
- **Binary masks for each**
- **Ranged searches**

## Pattern searching

- **Look for byte patterns from a pattern length**

## Grepping for opcodes

- **pd 0xffff | grep call eax**

## Expanded AES key search

- **Victor muñoz algorithm used for the Wii**

# Disassembler

## **Multiple architectures (asm.arch)**

- **x86 (16,32,64), arm, mips, sparc, powerpc, m68k, java, msil, csr ..**

## **Syntax flavours (asm.syntax)**

- **intel, at&t, olly, pseudocode**

## **Basic flow analysis**

- **ascii-art jump lines**

## **Metadata**

- **Comments, data types, execution traces, symbols, flags, easily scriptable**

# Assembler

**\$ rasm**

**Multiple arch cmdline assembler/disassembler**

- Allow to define the base address**
- Multiple syntaxis support**
- rsc backend (using NASM or GAS)**
- Pseudo-opcodes for fast patching**
- Raw assembler from files**

**\$ rasm 'mov eax, 33'**

**b8 21 00 00 00**

**\$ rasm -d 'b8 21 00 00 00'**

**mov eax,33**

# Code analysis

## Function analysis

- Identify function sizes, local variables, stack size, data references.

## Basic blocks

- Uses `graph.jmpblocks`, `.callblocks`, ...
- GUI for graphs

## Opcodes

- Jump information, and basic data access
- Initial work on code emulation (pseudocode)

## Data analysis

- Find string, registers, function pointers



# Binary diff

**\$ radiff /bin/true /bin/false**

## **Raw file byte-level diffing**

- **byte-per-byte memory comparison**
- **Support for delta diff (erg0t, gnu diff)**

## **Code graph differences**

- **From internal graph analysis**
- **Import data from IDA**
- **Identifies new paths, blocks and local vars**

# Checksumming

```
$ rahash -s "hello" -a md5
```

## **Multiple hash algorithms**

- crc16,32, md4-5, sha1-512, xor parity, mod**

## **Entropy calculation**

- Entropy, energy, hamming distance**

## **Block based checksumming**

- Partial hash for big disk images. (f.ex)**
- Configurable block size**
- Define range of bytes (from, to, length)**

## **Identify file types**

- **Support for ELF, PE, CLASS, MACH-O,..**

## **Extract information**

- **Architecture (intel, arm, ..)**
- **Imports/exports**
- **Sections**
- **Linked libraries**
- **Strings in .data section**

# Debugger

## Ported to multiple OS/arches:

- GNU/Linux – x86-32,64, mips, arm
- Net/Free/OpenBSD – x86-32,64
- MacOSX – x86-32\*, powerpc\*
- Solaris – x86-32\*, sparc\*

## Other backends:

- GDB, GDB remote, WineDBG, GxEmul

## Extreme development

- Needs some refactoring
- Raw and handy interface

\* = work in progress

# Debugger (2)

## CPU control

- **Get/set drx, gp, fp, mm registers and flags**

## Breakpoints

- **Software/Hardware support**
- **Watchpoint expressions**

## Memory control

- **Alloc/free/mprotect/mmap**
- **Dump/restore memory pages**

## Signal handling

- **Edit event and signal handlers**

## File descriptors

- **Open, dup, close, seek, socket-connect**

# Debugger (3)

## Stepping

- **step, step over, stepbp (mips)**
- **skip N opcodes (!jmp eip+x)**

## Continuations

- **continue until address, fork or event**
- **!contsc: syscall tracing**

## Threads and processes

- **Send events, attach/detach, status**

## Touch tracing

- **Swap memory filled with traps**
- **Trace information available for processing**

# Shellcodes

```
$ rasc -N 30 -i x86.linux.binsh -c > sc.c
```

**Small database of common shellcodes**

- Multiple output forms**
- Pad generators (A, nops, traps, 1234..)**

**Support for syscall proxying**

- Also radare with an IO plugin**

# Scripting

```
$ radare -i unpack.py -d ./target
```

## **Multiple language bindings**

- Python, Perl, LUA**

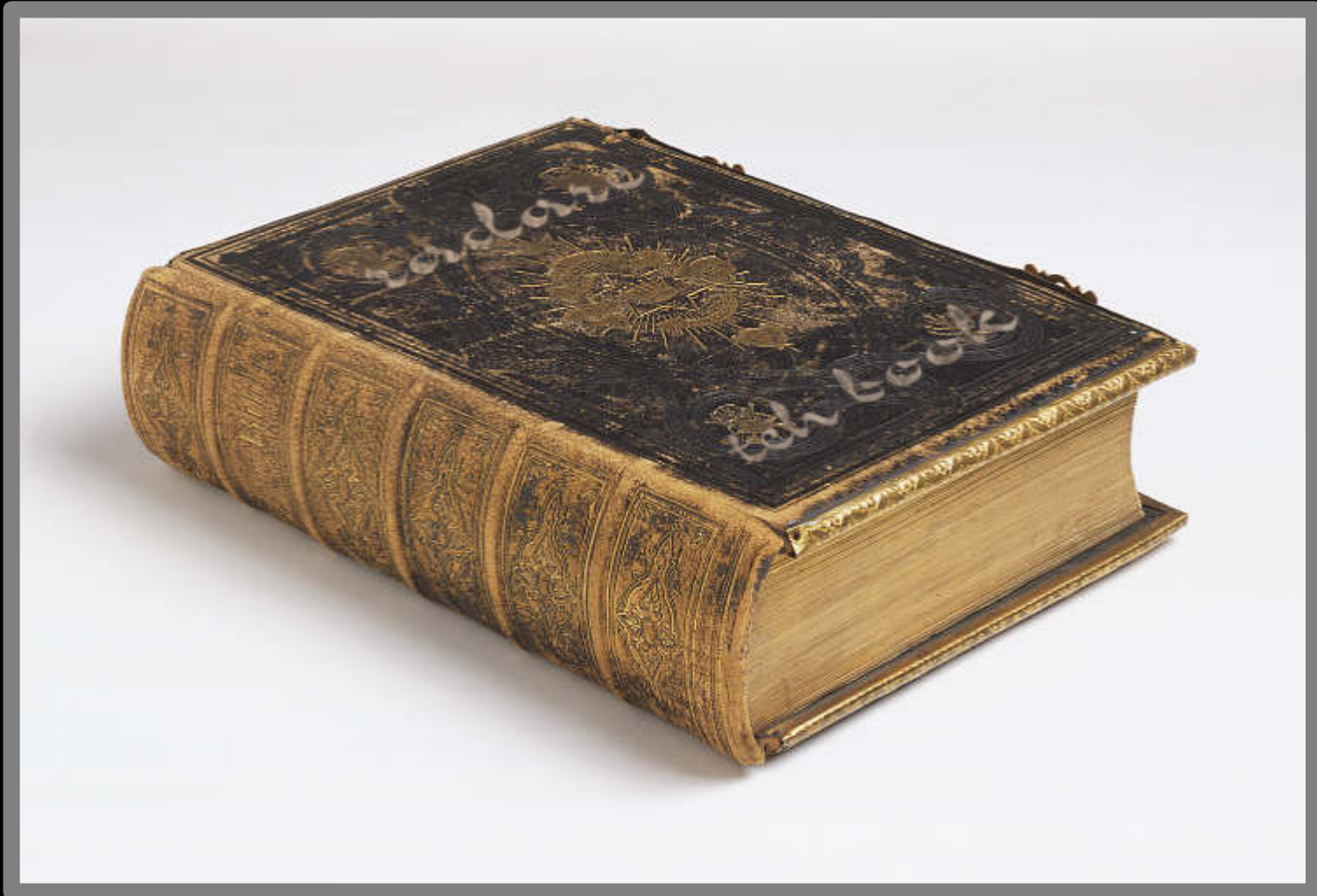
## **API and helpers**

- Code analysis**
- Search**
- Flags, symbol management**
- Debugger access**
- Full control over radare thru**  
**str=r.cmd(str)**



# The book

<http://radare.nopcode.org/get/radare.pdf>



# The human-radare interface



**The end**

**Enjoy :)**

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