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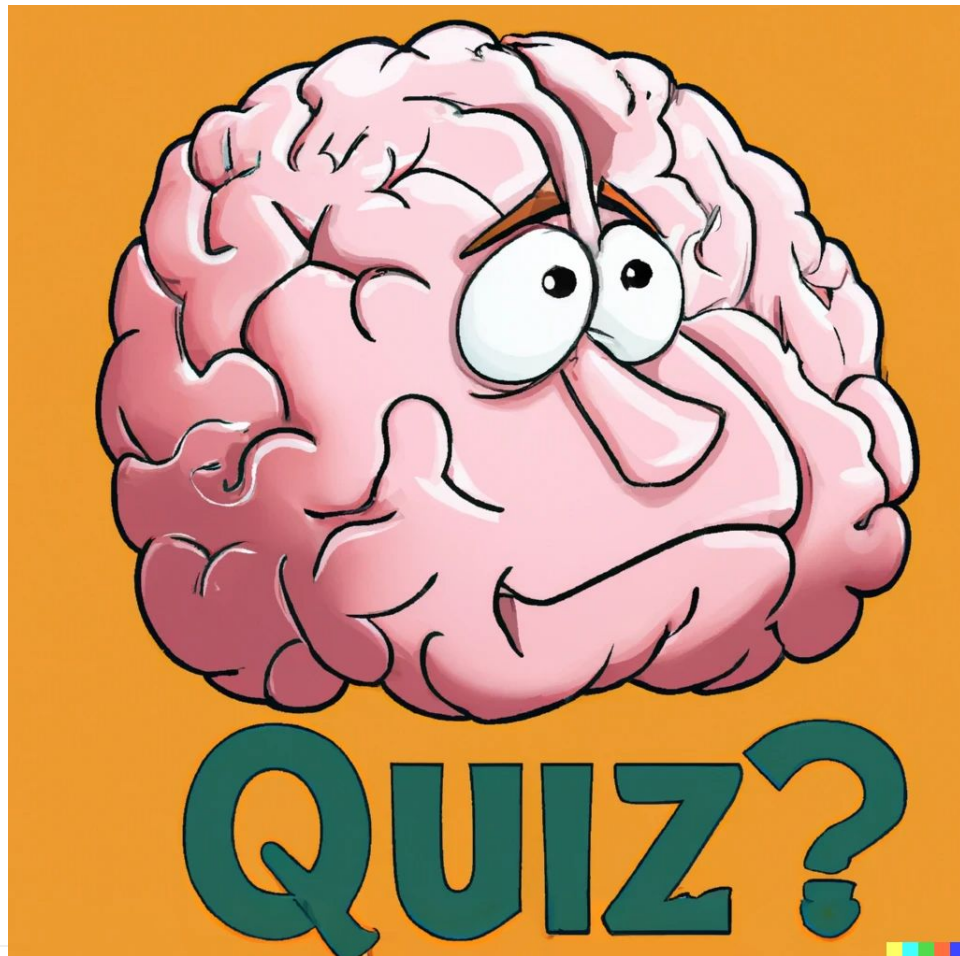
Building Images for the Secure Supply Chain

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CVE-2017-5638

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- Apache Struts RCE
 - Major factor in Equifax data breach
 - Private records compromised
 - 147.9m USA, 15.2m UK
 - Patch released March 7
 - Hack started March 12

CVE-2022-0847

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- "Dirty Pipe"
 - Linux Kernel Vuln
 - Allows writing to read-only files
 - Privilege escalation
 - Android devices affected

CVE-2021-44228

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- Log4shell
 - "the single biggest, most critical vulnerability ever"
 - "[saw] attempted attacks on over 40% of business networks internationally"
 - "hundreds of millions of devices [were vulnerable]"

CVE-2020-3716

CVE-2020-3717

CVE-2020-3718

CVE-2020-3719

CVE-2021-44228

- Magneto (MageCart)
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Vulnerability Scanners



aqua
trivy



grype



snyk



```
$ grype nginx
```

```
✓ Vulnerability DB [no update available]
```

```
✓ Loaded image
```

```
✓ Parsed image
```

```
✓ Cataloged packages [151 packages]
```

```
✓ Scanning image... [86 vulnerabilities]
```

```
  └─ 0 critical, 3 high, 4 medium, 4 low, 73  
negligible (2 unknown)
```

```
  └─ 2 fixed
```


\$ grype node

✓ Vulnerability DB	[no update available]
✓ Loaded image	
✓ Parsed image	
✓ Cataloged packages	[682 packages]
✓ Scanning image...	[658 vulnerabilities]
— 1 critical, 48 high,	124 medium, 30 low, 441
negligible (14 unknown)	
— 4 fixed	

Heartbleed Bug

The Heartbleed Bug is a serious vulnerability in the popular OpenSSL software library. This weakness allows stealing the information protected, under normal conditions, by the SSL/TLS encryption used to secure the Internet. SSL/TLS provides communication privacy over the Internet for applications such as web, email, instant messaging (IM) and some virtual private networks (VPNs).

The Heartbleed bug allows anyone on the Internet to read the memory of vulnerable versions of the OpenSSL library. This compromises the secret keys used to identify the service and to encrypt the traffic, the names and passwords of the users, and the actual content. This allows attackers to eavesdrop on communications, steal data directly from the services and users and to impersonate services and users.



SCAN			
	Vulnerability	Severity	Package
>	CVE-2018-5709	Negligible	krb5
>	CVE-2018-7738	Negligible	util-linux
	CVE-2016-10228	Negligible	glibc
	CVE-2019-7309	Negligible	glibc
	CVE-2017-7245	Negligible	pcrc3
	CVE-2017-7246	Negligible	pcrc3
	CVE-2018-0654	Negligible	libtasn1-6
		Medium	krb5
		Medium	glibc
>	CVE-2019-11362	Medium	libonig
>	CVE-2019-11363	Medium	gnupg2
	CVE-2019-0550	Medium	krb5



Redis (Debian Version)

```
$ gype redis:latest
```

```
✓ Vulnerability DB           [no update available]
✓ Loaded image
✓ Parsed image
✓ Cataloged packages         [100 packages]
✓ Scanning image...          [84 vulnerabilities]
  |— 3 critical, 16 high, 4 medium, 9 low, 52 negligible
  |— 8 fixed
```

Redis (Alpine Version)

```
$ gype redis:alpine
```

```
✓ Vulnerability DB          [no update available]
✓ Loaded image
✓ Parsed image
✓ Cataloged packages        [20 packages]
✓ Scanning image...         [5 vulnerabilities]
  └─ 2 critical, 2 high, 0 medium, 1 low, 0 negligible
    └─ 2 fixed
```

Redis (Chainguard Version)

```
$ gype cgr.dev/chainguard/redis
```

```
✓ Vulnerability DB          [no update available]
✓ Loaded image
✓ Parsed image
✓ Cataloged packages        [19 packages]
✓ Scanning image...         [0 vulnerabilities]
  |— 0 critical, 0 high, 0 medium, 0 low, 0 negligible
  |— 0 fixed
```



Weirdly Simple

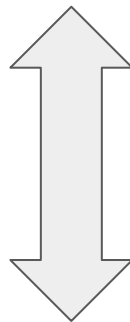
- Cut down dependencies
- Keep things up-to-date
- Apply patches when necessary

Cut Down Dependencies

- Debian has 100 packages
- Alpine has 20
- Wolfi has 19

Keep Things Up-To-Date

- Steps to fix a vuln
 - Vulnerability announced
 - Upstream releases patch
 - Distro releases new version
 - New image created



1-2 weeks



What is Wolfi

- An "Undistro"
 - Full package repo compiled from source
 - No kernel

What is Wolfi

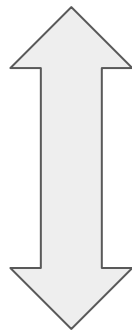
- APK and glibc based
- Rolling releases
- SBOMs
- aarch64 and x86_64

And Our Own Build Tooling

- Melange
 - Builds Wolfi packages
 - APK format
- Apko
 - Assembles APKs into Images
 - Reproducible
 - Declarative

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1-24 Hours

Applying Patches

- Upstream might not do a new release
 - Especially for transitive dependencies
- Need to tell scanners our version has a fix
- Enter security advisories!

Alpine Redis Vulnerabilities

NAME	INSTALLED	FIXED-IN	TYPE	VULNERABILITY	SEVERITY
libcrypto3	3.1.0-r4	3.1.1-r0	apk	CVE-2023-2650	High
libssl3	3.1.0-r4	3.1.1-r0	apk	CVE-2023-2650	High
redis	7.0.11		binary	CVE-2022-0543	Critical
redis	7.0.11		binary	CVE-2022-3647	Low
redis	7.0.11		binary	CVE-2022-3734	Critical

Wolfi Security Advisories

- YAML for Scanners
- <https://github.com/wolfi-dev/advisories>

Wolfi Security Advisory

package:

name: redis

advisories:

CVE-2022-0543:

- timestamp: 2022-12-24T13:35:15-05:00

status: fixed

fixed-version: 7.0.7-r0

...





#SchittsCreek



Use Chainguard Application Images

- We have images for lots of stuff
 - Nginx, Redis, Vault, Prometheus, Postgres, RabbitMQ...
- <https://github.com/chainguard-images/images>

Use Smaller Base Images

- Alpine and Debian-slim
- Scratch
- Google Distroless
- Chainguard Base Images

Scratch

- Completely empty image
 - Great when it works
- But normally you need *some* OS stuff
 - ca-certificates, directory layout, users

Google Container Tools Distroless

- Much smaller than Debian or even Alpine
- No package manager or shell
- Limited number of images
- Hard to extend
 - Hope you like Bazel

Chainguard Base Images

- Similar to GCT distroless
- Easy to extend/customise
 - Apko or Dockerfile
- SBOMs included
- Continuously updated
- glibc support

Cut Down Dependencies

- Use multi-stage builds
- Separate dev or debug dependencies
- Pull in less libraries
 - Easier said than done...

Keep Updated

- Use tooling e.g. Dependabot
- "Build Horizon"
 - Idea from Google that all software must be continually rebuilt
 - So that container that's been running for 200 days...

Summary

- Use better images!
 - cough Chainguard cough
- Reduce Dependencies
- Keep S/W Updated
- And...

You Can Get to Zero!



References

- Chainguard Images
 - <https://www.chainguard.dev/chainguard-images>
 - <https://github.com/chainguard-images/images>
- Wolfi <https://wolfi.dev>
- Apko <https://github.com/chainguard-dev/apko>
- Melange <https://github.com/chainguard-dev/melange>
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