**CSE 410/510 Software Security**

**Midterm CTF**

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**Total 160 Points**

**Your full name:**

**Your CSE410/510 CTF platform username:**

**You are allowed to use google, or refer to lecture slides, homework, code during the exam. But, you cannot communicate with anyone in or outside of the class.**

**For each challenge, you should clearly show your exploit, screenshot of successful exploitation, and a very brief description of how you did it. Even if you fail to capture the flag, you may get some points for documenting your steps.**

**Some hints: Use “file” to check if the executable is 32-bit or 64-bit. Use “./checksec --file executable-name” to see if the stack is executable or if stack cookie is inserted.**

1. [40] Exploit challenge-1 to capture the flag. The source code of this challenge is in /code

a. [4] Is this a 32bit or 64-bit program?

b. [4] Is stack executable? Can you overwrite RET address on stack? Is there a canary to protect the stack? (You can use checksec.sh, objdump, etc., to find out)

c. [4] Where does this program take input?

d. [4] Describe your high-level idea on how to exploit this challenge.

1. [40] Exploit challenge-2 to capture the flag.

a. [4] Is this a 32bit or 64-bit program?

b. [4] Is stack executable? Can you overwrite RET address on stack? Is there a canary to protect the stack? (You can use checksec.sh, objdump, etc., to find out)

c. [4] Where does this program take input?

d. [4] Describe your high-level idea on how to exploit this challenge.

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1. [40] Exploit challenge-2 to capture the flag. The source code of this challenge is in /code

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