

Ruby trunk - Bug #9743

memory leak in openssl ossl_pkey_verify leaks memory

04/15/2014 09:57 AM - tux (Joel Westerberg)

Status:	Closed		
Priority:	Normal		
Assignee:	zzak (Zachary Scott)		
Target version:			
ruby -v:	2.2.0	Backport:	1.9.3: REQUIRED, 2.0.0: DONE, 2.1: DONE

Description

repeated calls to `pub_key.verify(digest, signature, data)` leaks memory.

from what I can gather from the openssl documentation, there seems to be a missing call to `EVP_MD_CTX_cleanup()`

FILE: `ossl_pkey.c`

```
326     EVP_VerifyUpdate(&ctx, RSTRING_PTR(data), RSTRING_LEN(data));
327     switch (EVP_VerifyFinal(&ctx, (unsigned char
*)RSTRING_PTR(sig), RSTRING_LENINT(sig), pkey)) {
328     case 0:
```

from the openssl docs:

http://www.openssl.org/docs/crypto/EVP_VerifyInit.html

The call to `EVP_VerifyFinal()` internally finalizes a copy of the digest context. This means that calls to `EVP_VerifyUpdate()` and `EVP_VerifyFinal()` can be called later to digest and verify additional data.

Since only a copy of the digest context is ever finalized the context must be cleaned up after use by calling `EVP_MD_CTX_cleanup()` or a memory leak will occur.

Related issues:

Related to Backport200 - Backport #9746: backport r45595

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Related to Ruby trunk - Bug #9984: OpenSSL::TestPKeyRSA#test_sign_verify_memo...

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Associated revisions

Revision a39b88d2 - 04/16/2014 12:51 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

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git-svn-id: `svn+ssh://ci.ruby-lang.org/ruby/trunk@45595 b2dd03c8-39d4-4d8f-98ff-823fe69b080e`

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Revision 01cf2127 - 05/04/2014 05:44 PM - nagachika (Tomoyuki Chikanaga)

merge revision(s) r45595: [Backport #9743] [Backport #9745]

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git-svn-id: svn+ssh://ci.ruby-lang.org/ruby/branches/ruby_2_1@45821 b2dd03c8-39d4-4d8f-98ff-823fe69b080e

Revision 45821 - 05/04/2014 05:44 PM - nagachika (Tomoyuki Chikanaga)

merge revision(s) r45595: [Backport #9743] [Backport #9745]

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Revision b786887a - 05/07/2014 04:59 PM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)

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git-svn-id: svn+ssh://ci.ruby-lang.org/ruby/branches/ruby_2_0_0@45868 b2dd03c8-39d4-4d8f-98ff-823fe69b080e

Revision 45868 - 05/07/2014 04:59 PM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)

merge revision(s) 45595: [Backport #9743]

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History

#1 - 04/16/2014 12:51 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

- Status changed from Open to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset [r45595](#).

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#2 - 04/16/2014 12:56 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

- Description updated
- Backport changed from 2.0.0: UNKNOWN, 2.1: UNKNOWN to 1.9.3: REQUIRED, 2.0.0: REQUIRED, 2.1: REQUIRED

#3 - 05/04/2014 05:45 PM - nagachika (Tomoyuki Chikanaga)

- Backport changed from 1.9.3: REQUIRED, 2.0.0: REQUIRED, 2.1: REQUIRED to 1.9.3: REQUIRED, 2.0.0: REQUIRED, 2.1: DONE

[r45595](#) was backported into ruby_2_1 at r45821.

#4 - 05/07/2014 05:00 PM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)

- Backport changed from 1.9.3: *REQUIRED*, 2.0.0: *REQUIRED*, 2.1: *DONE* to 1.9.3: *REQUIRED*, 2.0.0: *DONE*, 2.1: *DONE*

backported into ruby_2_0_0 at r45868.

#5 - 05/07/2014 05:13 PM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)

- Related to Backport #9746: backport r45595 added

#6 - 06/26/2014 08:38 AM - vo.x (Vit Ondruch)

This is causing test suite timeout on Fedora Rawhide ARM builder :/

<https://kojipkgs.fedoraproject.org/work/tasks/4012/7074012/build.log>

#7 - 06/27/2014 10:48 AM - vo.x (Vit Ondruch)

- Related to Bug #9984: *OpenSSL::TestPKeyRSA#test_sign_verify_memory_leak* timeouts on ARM added

#8 - 01/28/2015 06:15 AM - zzak (Zachary Scott)

- Status changed from *Closed* to *Open*

- Assignee set to zzak (Zachary Scott)

- ruby -v changed from 2.1.1 to 2.2.0

Seeing this test failure on travis:

<https://travis-ci.org/zzak/openssl/jobs/48587976>

I think we should re-open this ticket until its resolved.

#9 - 06/03/2015 05:11 PM - zzak (Zachary Scott)

- Status changed from *Open* to *Closed*

The failure has been fixed, so we can close this ticket.