

# Liar Game

## The Secret of Mitigation Bypass Techniques

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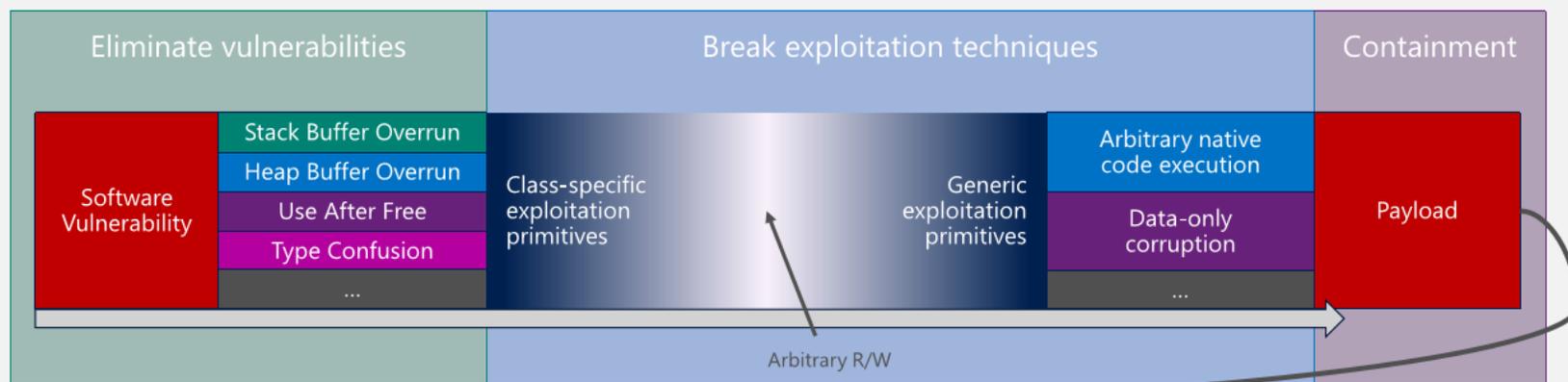
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# 缓解措施是什么

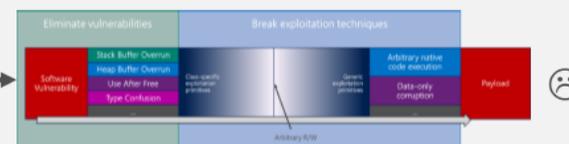
How we think about mitigating software vulnerabilities

Attackers transform software vulnerabilities into tools for delivering a payload to a target device



Attackers typically need to elevate privileges

This means applying the same defenses to privileged attack surfaces

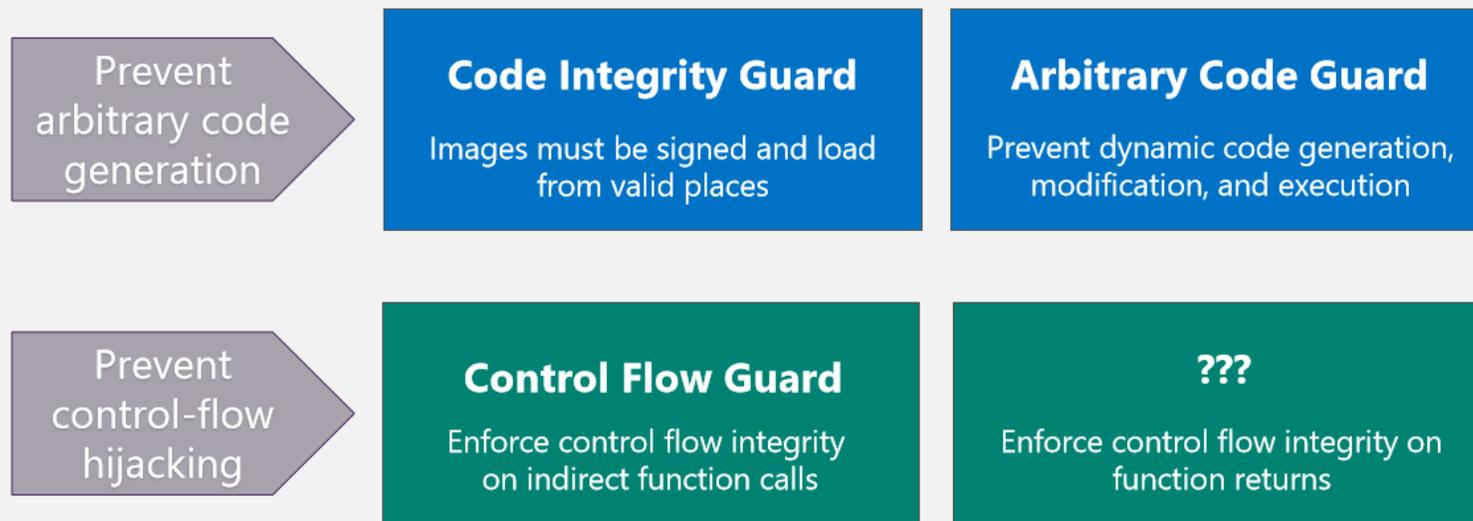


At some point, we lose containment as a defense

This leaves eliminating vulnerabilities & breaking techniques

# 缓解措施是什么

## Technologies for mitigating code execution



✓ Only valid, signed code pages can be mapped by the app

✓ Code pages are immutable and cannot be modified by the app

✓ Code execution stays "on the rails" per the control-flow integrity policy

# 缓解措施如何工作

## 机制

```
if (is_allowed_by_mitigation_policy()) {  
    do_sensitive_action();  
} else {  
    fail_fast();  
}
```

## 假设

缓解措施能有效工作的前提条件  
操作系统能正常工作的例外规则

# 缓解措施：DEP

## 机制

```
if (PTE(address).NX == 0) {  
    execute(address);  
} else {  
    fail_fast();  
}
```

## 假设

代码段中的代码是可信的  
严格遵守 W^X 原则

# 缓解绕过

代码段中的代码都是可信的吗？



# 缓解绕过

## 严格遵守 W^X 原则

- 避免使用可读写执行 (PAGE\_EXECUTE\_READWRITE) 内存
- 在内存的整个生命周期中保持 W^X

# 缓解绕过

## ATL Thunk Pool 问题

- 函数 `_AllocStdCallThunk_cmn` 会分配可读写执行内存用于保存 Thunk

```
mem = VirtualAlloc(0i64, 0x1000ui64, 0x1000u, 0x40u);
if ( !mem )
    return 0i64;
next = *mem;
thunk = InterlockedPopEntrySList(__AtlThunkPool);
if ( thunk )
{
    VirtualFree(mem, 0i64, 0x8000u);
}
else
{
    end = mem + 0xFE0;
    do
    {
        InterlockedPushEntrySList(__AtlThunkPool, mem);
        mem += 0x20;
    }
    while ( mem < end );
    thunk = mem;
}
return thunk;
```

# 缓解绕过

## ATL Thunk Pool 问题修复

- 引入 atlthunk.dll 实现数据与代码的分离
  - AtlThunk\_AllocateData
  - AtlThunk\_InitData
  - AtlThunk\_DataToCode
  - AtlThunk\_FreeData

```
FARPROC __fastcall GetProcAddressAll_At1ThunkData()
{
    HMODULE atlthunk; // rax MAPDST
    int v1; // [rsp+0h] [rbp-28h]

    if ( loaded )
        return DecodePointer(AllocateData);
    atlthunk = LoadLibraryExA("atlthunk.dll", 0i64, 0x800u);
    if ( atlthunk
        && GetProcAddressSingle(atlthunk, "AtlThunk_AllocateData", &AllocateData)
        && GetProcAddressSingle(atlthunk, "AtlThunk_InitData", &InitData)
        && GetProcAddressSingle(atlthunk, "AtlThunk_DataToCode", &DataToCode)
        && GetProcAddressSingle(atlthunk, "AtlThunk_FreeData", &FreeData) )
    {
        _InterlockedOr(&v1, 0);
        loaded = 1;
        return DecodePointer(AllocateData);
    }
    return 0i64;
}
```

# 缓解绕过

## ATL Thunk Pool 问题修复

- 用函数 `AtlThunk_AllocateData` 代替函数 `__AllocStdCallThunk_cmn` 来分配 Thunk

```
ThunkData *AtlThunk_AllocateData()
{
    HANDLE heap; // rax MAPDST
    ThunkData *data; // rbx
    __int64 (*AllocateData)(void); // rax
    Thunk *Thunk; // rax

    heap = GetProcessHeap();
    data = HeapAlloc(heap, 8u, 0x10ui64);
    if ( data )
    {
        AllocateData = GetProcAddressAll_AtlThunkData();
        data->fallbck = AllocateData == 0i64;
        if ( AllocateData )
            Thunk = AllocateData();
        else
            Thunk = __AllocStdCallThunk_cmn();
        data->thunk = Thunk;
        if ( Thunk )
            return data;
        heap = GetProcessHeap();
        HeapFree(heap, 0, data);
    }
    return 0i64;
}
```

# 缓解绕过

## ATL Thunk Pool 问题修复

- 兼容性处理
  - 新控件在新系统中
    - 调用函数 `AtlThunk_AllocateData`
  - 新控件在旧系统中
    - 调用函数 `_AllocStdCallThunk_cmn`
  - 旧控件在新系统中
    - 调用函数 `_AllocStdCallThunk_cmn`

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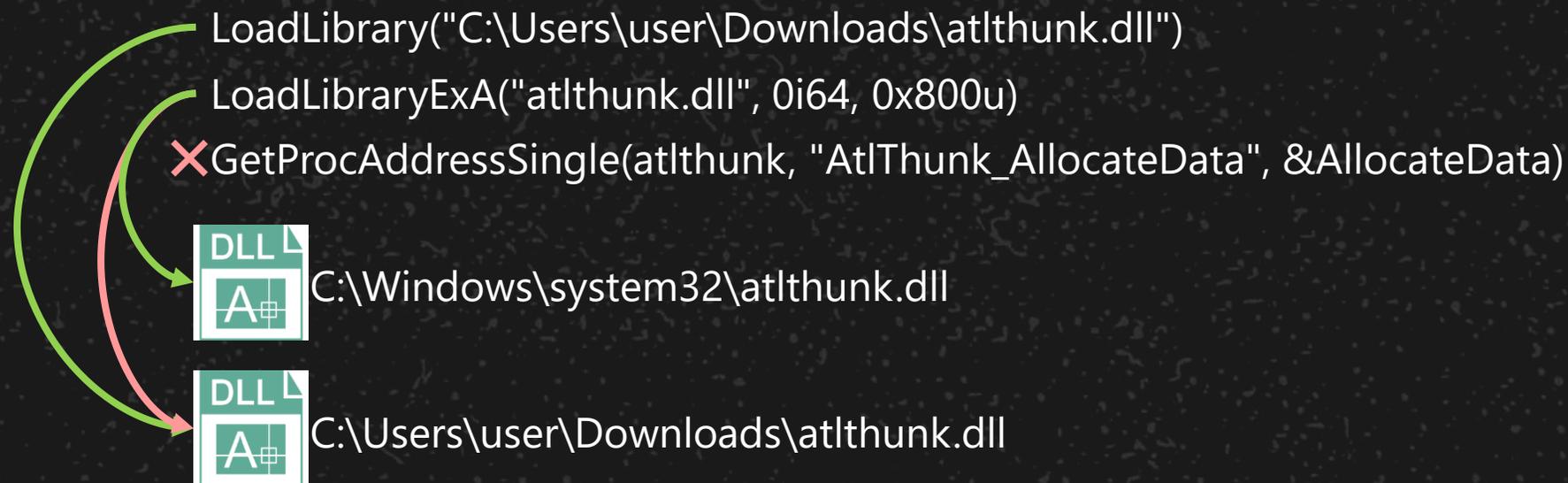
## ATL Thunk Pool 回退攻击

- 修复方案的假设
  - 调用函数 `GetProcAddressAll_AtIThunkData` 成功
    - `LoadLibraryExA("atlthunk.dll", 0i64, 0x800u)` 成功
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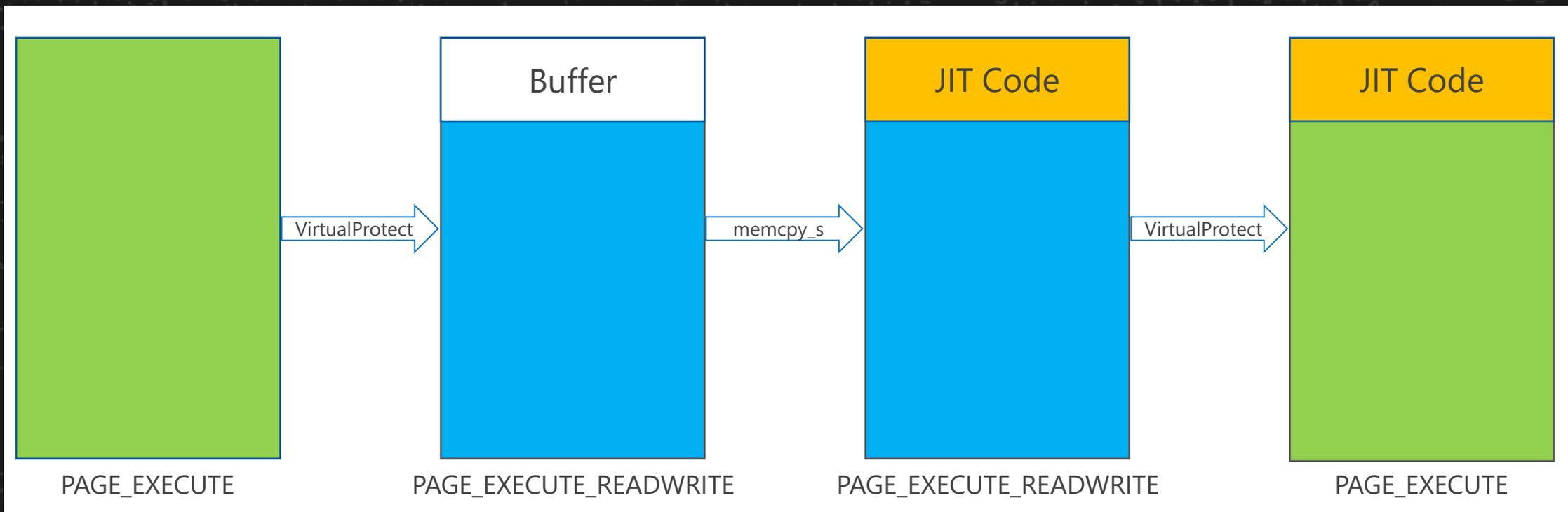
## JIT 编译问题

- 主流浏览器已经做到在 JIT 编译时避免使用可读写执行内存
  - Microsoft Edge 不常驻可读写执行内存
  - Firefox 从 46.0 开始不常驻可读写执行内存
  - Chrome 从 64.0 开始不常驻可读写执行内存

# 缓解绕过

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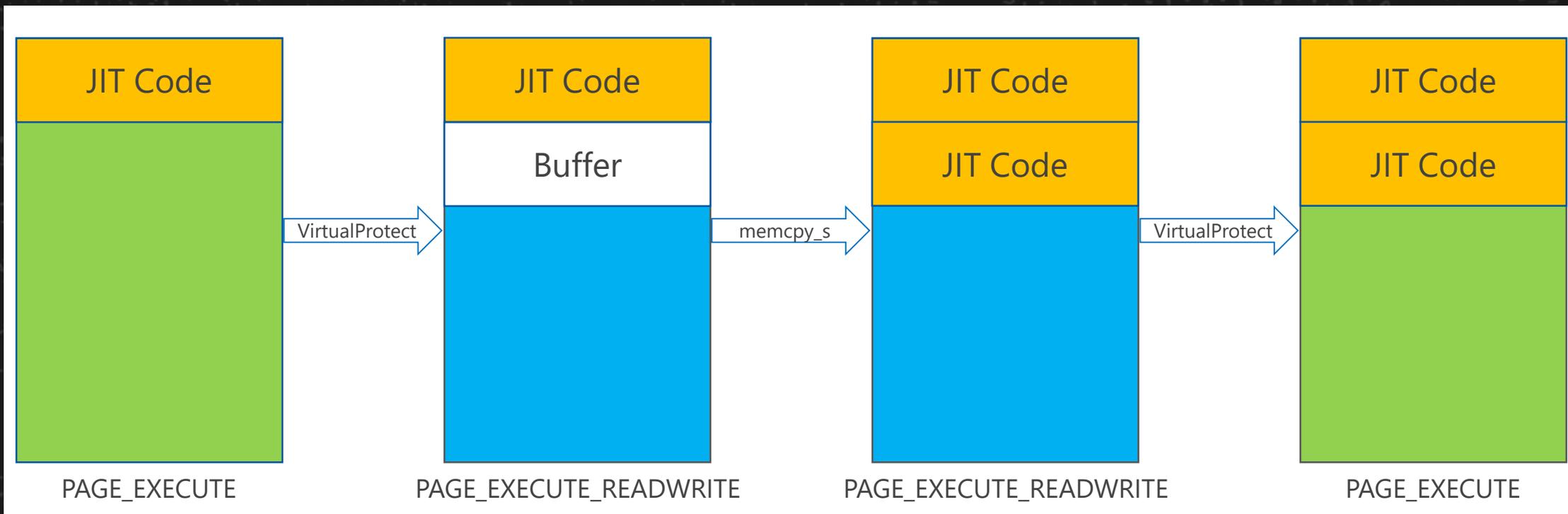
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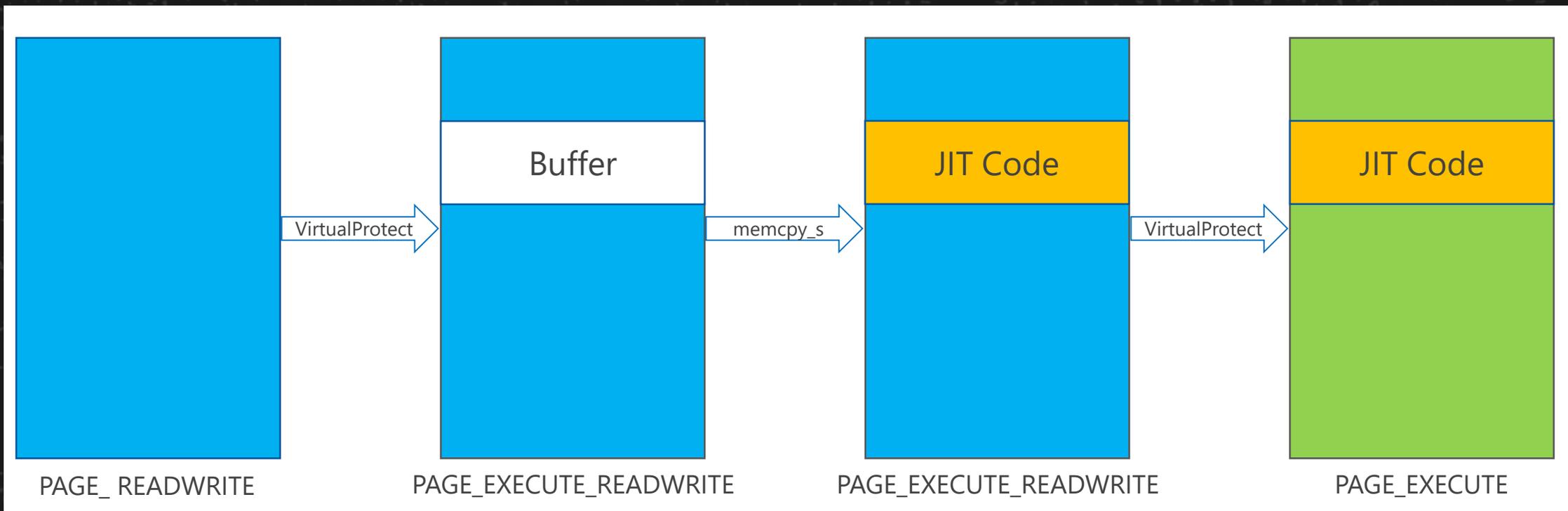
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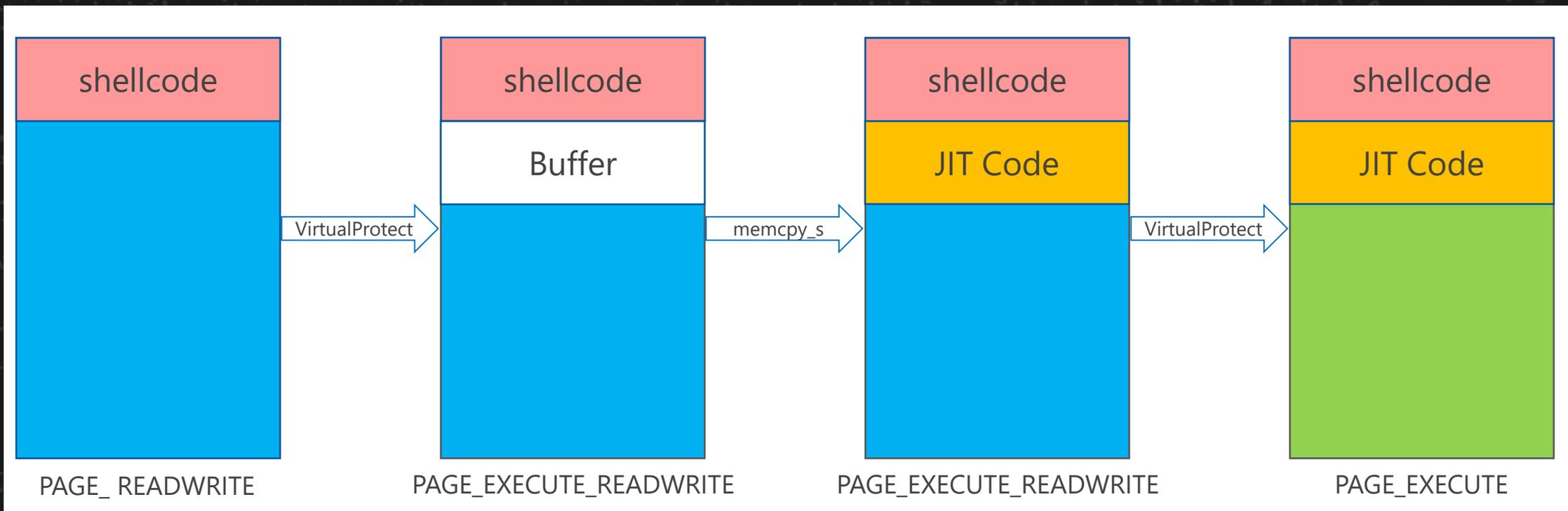
- 欺骗浏览器替换 JIT 编译使用的内存



# 缓解绕过

## JIT 编译问题

- 事先写入的数据将变为可执行的代码



# 缓解措施：CFG

## 机制

```
if (CFG_Bitmap[address] == 1) {  
    call(address);  
} else {  
    fail_fast();  
}
```

## 假设

CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址是可信的  
CFG 使用的指针是可信的

# 缓解绕过

**CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？**

- 未启用 CFG 的模块
- 导出函数
- JIT 编译生成的代码

# 缓解绕过

## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

- 未启用 CFG 的模块
  - CFG Bitmap 中所有对应位都被置位

# 缓解绕过

## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

- 未启用 CFG 的模块
  - CFG Strict Mode 阻止加载未启用 CFG 的模块

# 缓解绕过

## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

- 导出函数
  - CFG Bitmap 中导出函数对应位会置位
  - 敏感的导出函数
    - NtContinue
    - WinExec
    - LoadLibrary
    - ...

# 缓解绕过

## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

- 导出函数
  - CFG Export Suppression 在一定程度上解决导出函数问题

# 缓解绕过

## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

- JIT 编译生成的代码
  - 分配可执行内存或变更为可执行内存时默认会将 CFG Bitmap 中所有对应位置位

# 缓解绕过

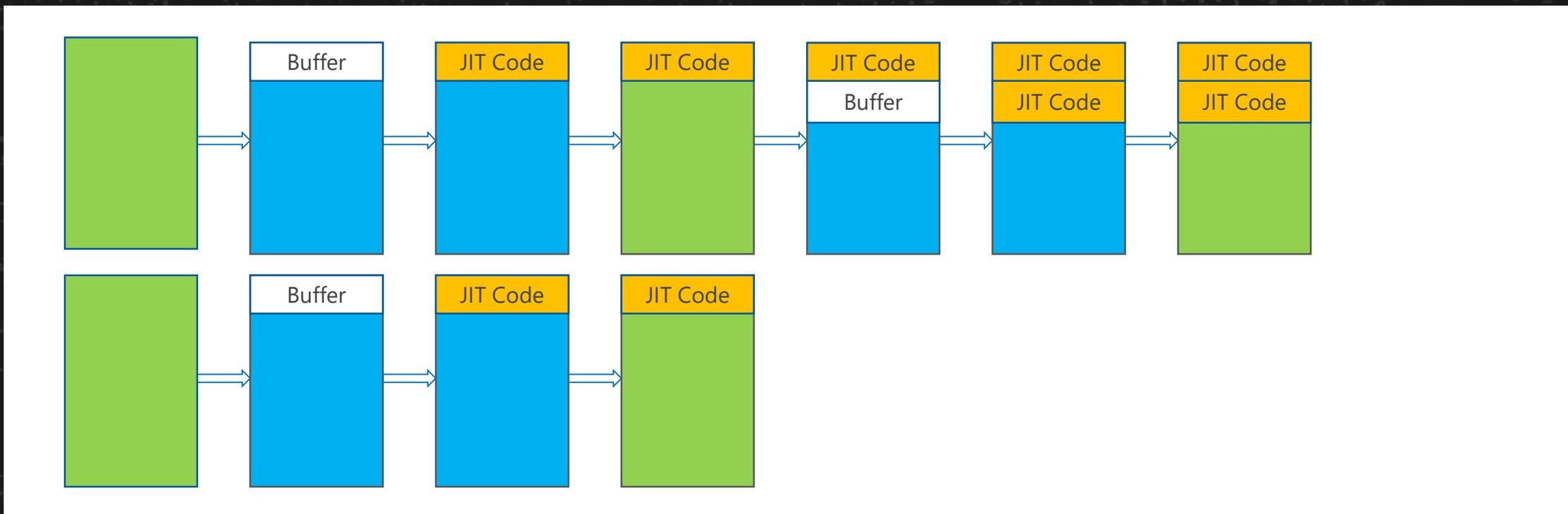
## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

- JIT 编译生成的代码
  - 通过设置 PAGE\_TARGETS\_NO\_UPDATE 来禁止置位
  - 显示调用 SetProcessValidCallTargets 进行置位

# 缓解绕过

## CFG Bitmap 中置位的地址都是可信的吗？

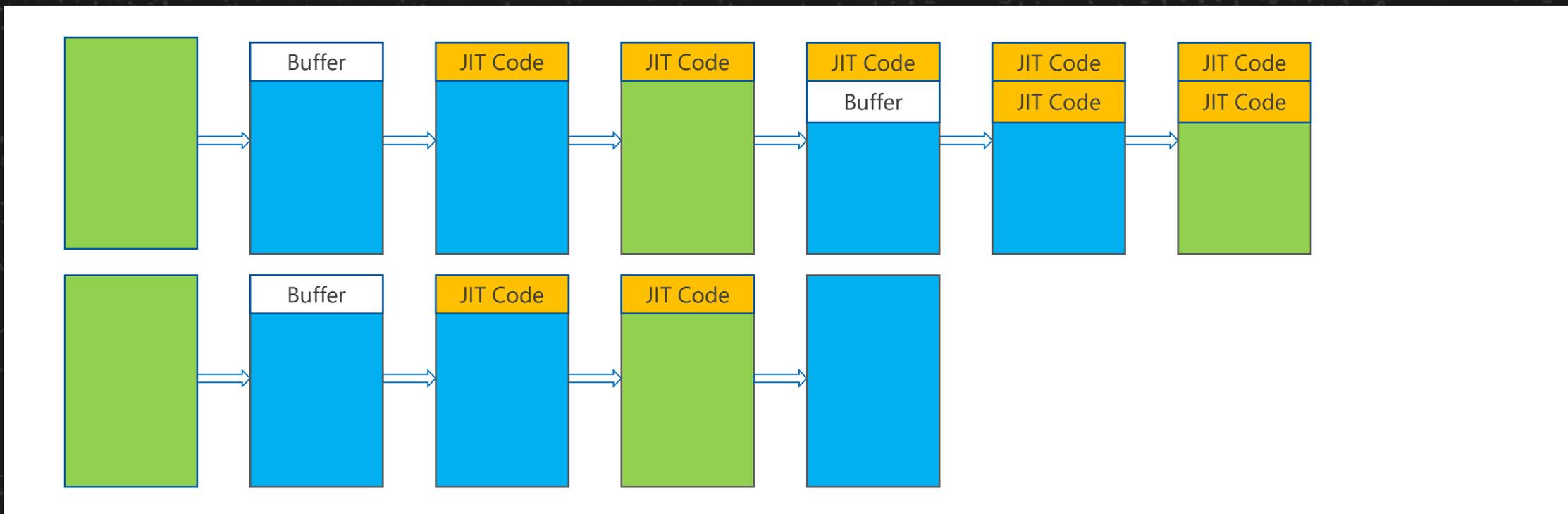
- 创建两个 JavaScript 引擎进行 JIT 编译



# 缓解绕过

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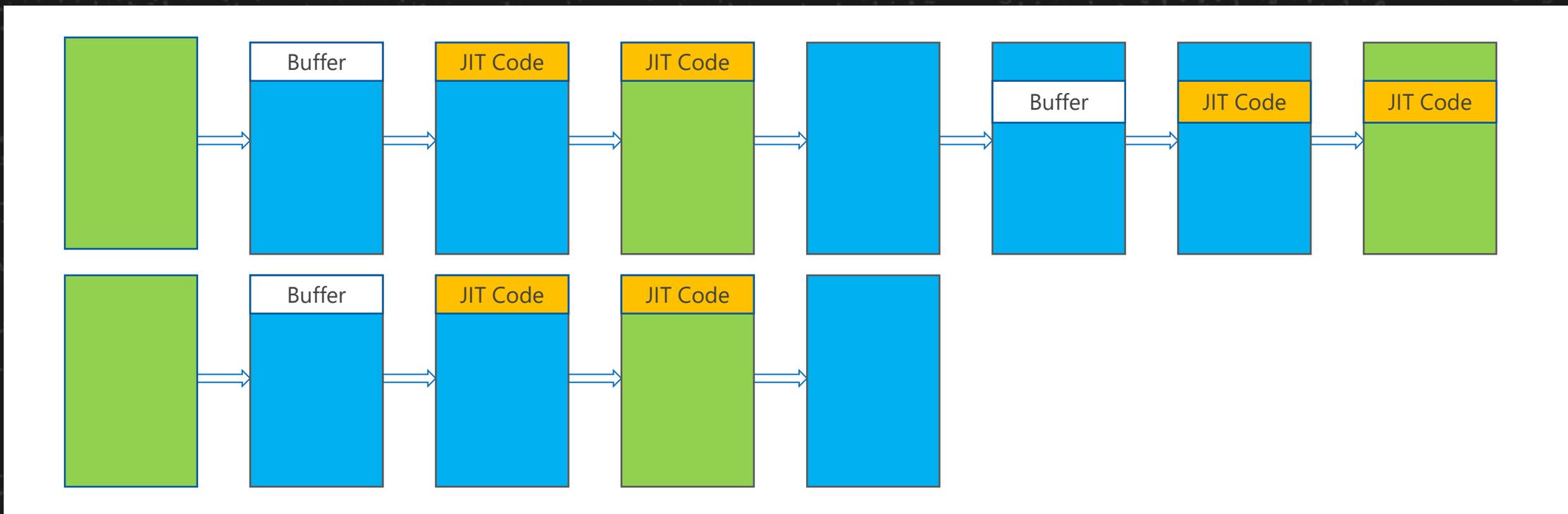
- 释放其中一个引擎，其使用的内存将变更为可读写



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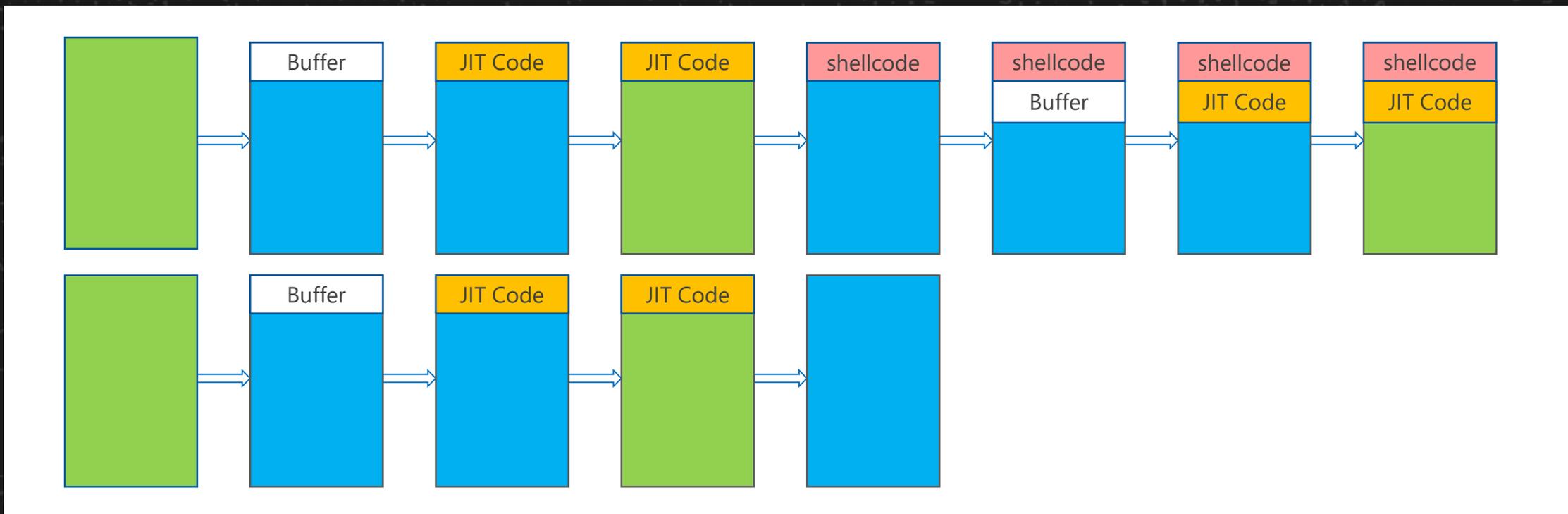
- 欺骗浏览器让两个引擎使用同一内存



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- 事先写入的数据将变为可执行的代码，并且 CFG Bitmap 中有置位



# 缓解绕过

## CFG 使用的指针都是可信的吗？

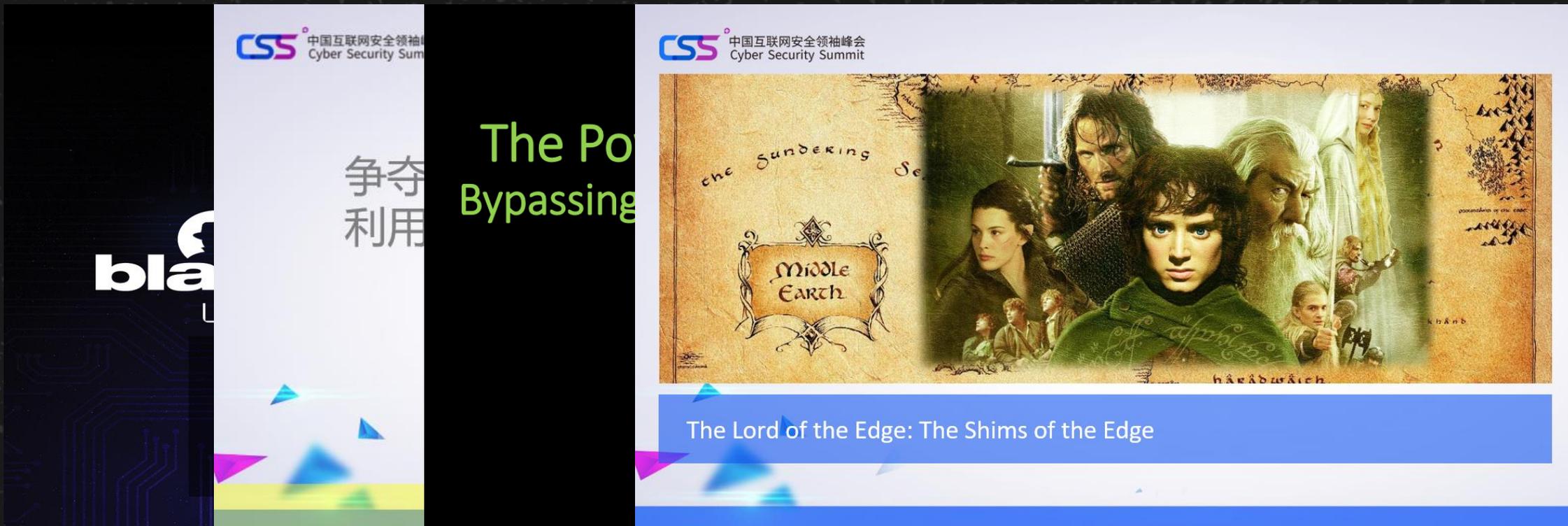
- 关键指针仅仅通过只读进行保护
  - `__guard_check_icall_fptr`
  - `__guard_dispatch_icall_fptr`

```
.rdata:000000001805B42F8 ; =====  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8 ; Segment type: Pure data  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8 ; Segment permissions: Read  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8  _rdata          segment para public 'DATA' use64  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8          assume cs:_rdata  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8          ;org 1805B42F8h  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8  __guard_check_icall_fptr dq offset Js::JavascriptFunction::CheckAlignment(void)  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8          ; DATA XREF: IR::GetNonTableMethodAddress  
.rdata:000000001805B42F8          ; Js::InterpreterStackFrame::DelayDynamic  
.rdata:000000001805B4300  __guard_dispatch_icall_fptr dq offset __guard_dispatch_icall_nop
```

# 缓解绕过

## CFG 使用的指针都是可信的吗？

- 欺骗系统来修改只读内存并不困难



# 缓解措施：ACG

## 机制

```
if (W^X(address, flNewProtect)) {  
    change_protection(address, flNewProtect);  
} else {  
    fail_fast();  
}
```

## 假设

加载动态链接库时例外

# 缓解绕过

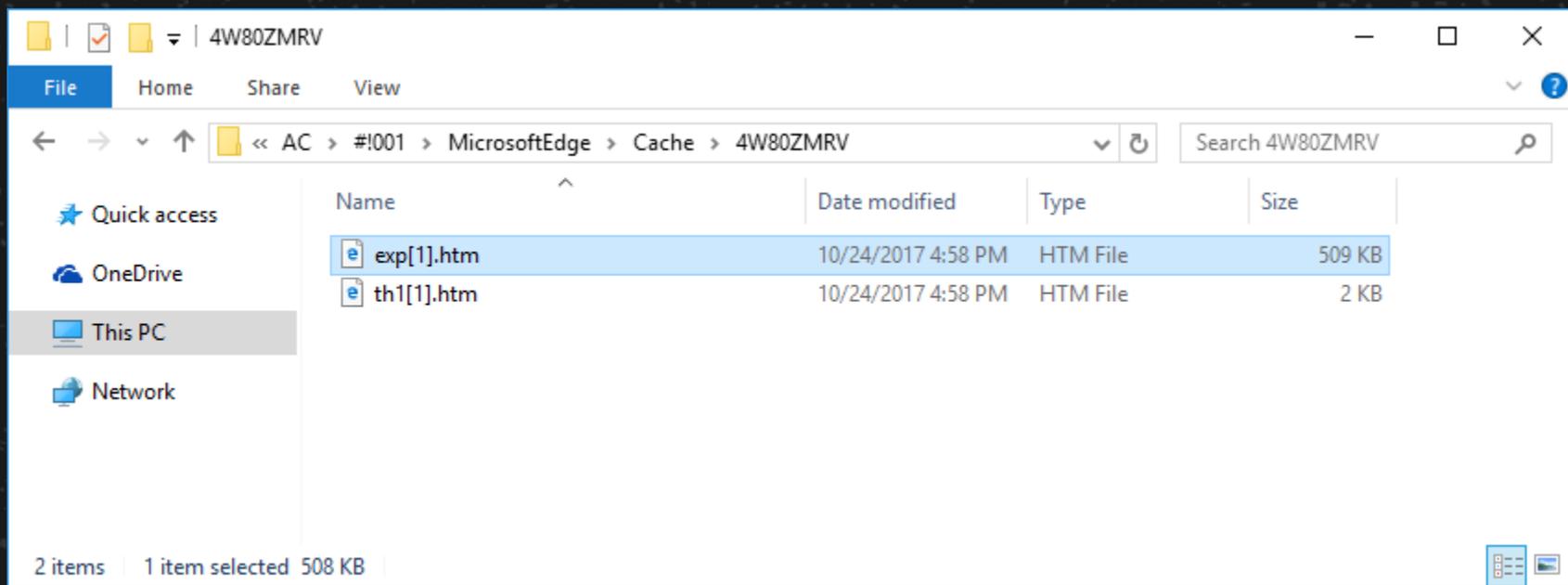
## 可以加载任意动态链接库么？

- NoRemoteImages 阻止加载远程文件

# 缓解绕过

## 可以加载任意动态链接库么？

- 利用浏览器缓存将动态链接库保存到本地后加载



# 缓解措施：CIG

## 机制

```
if (is_signed_by_microsoft(file)) {  
    create_section(file);  
} else {  
    fail_fast();  
}
```

## 假设

微软签名的动态链接库是可信的

# 缓解绕过

## 微软签名的动态链接库是可信的吗？

- 系统调用的版本差异

```
; Exported entry 430. NtQueryDefaultUILanguage
; Exported entry 1811. ZwQueryDefaultUILanguage

public ZwQueryDefaultUILanguage
ZwQueryDefaultUILanguage proc near
mov     r10, rcx      ; NtQueryDefaultUILanguage
mov     eax, 43h
syscall                ; Low latency system call
retn
ZwQueryDefaultUILanguage endp
```

ntdll.dll version 6.3.9600.17936

```
; Exported entry 262. NtContinue
; Exported entry 1731. ZwContinue

public ZwContinue
ZwContinue proc near
mov     r10, rcx      ; NtContinue
mov     eax, 43h
test    byte ptr ds:7FFE0308h, 1
jnz     short loc_1800A5C15

loc_1800A5C15:      ; DOS 2+ internal - EXECUTE COMMAND
int     2Eh          ; DS:SI -> counted CR-terminated command string
retn
ZwContinue endp
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syscall
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ntdll.dll version 10.0.15063.0

# 缓解绕过

## 微软签名的动态链接库是可信的吗？

- 用旧版的 ntdll.dll 来欺骗系统
  - 调用 6.3.9600.17936 的 NtQueryDefaultUILanguage
  - 等同于调用 10.0.15063.0 的 NtContinue

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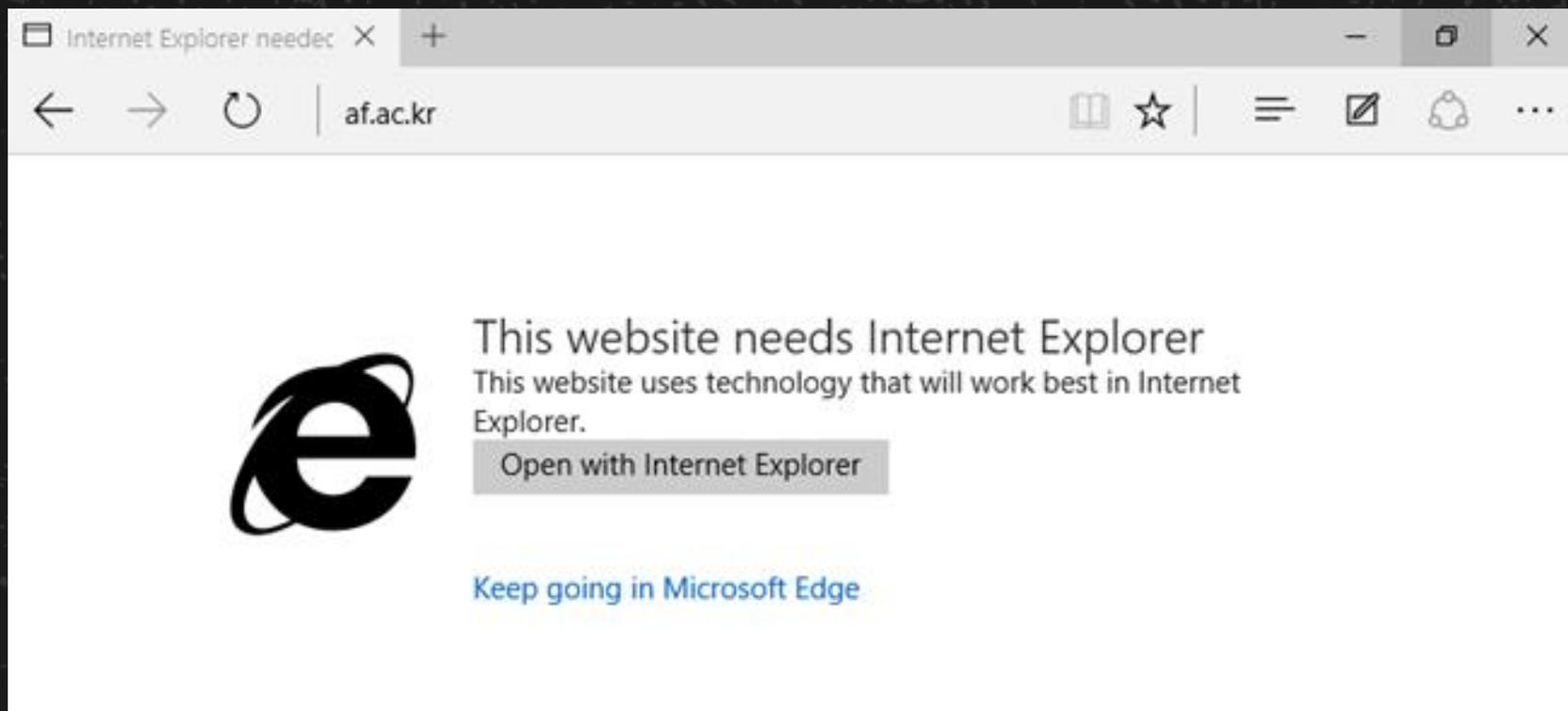
## 高维欺骗技术

- 不直接与缓解措施进行对抗
- 通过伪造环境来滥用系统功能

# 缓解绕过

## 高维欺骗技术

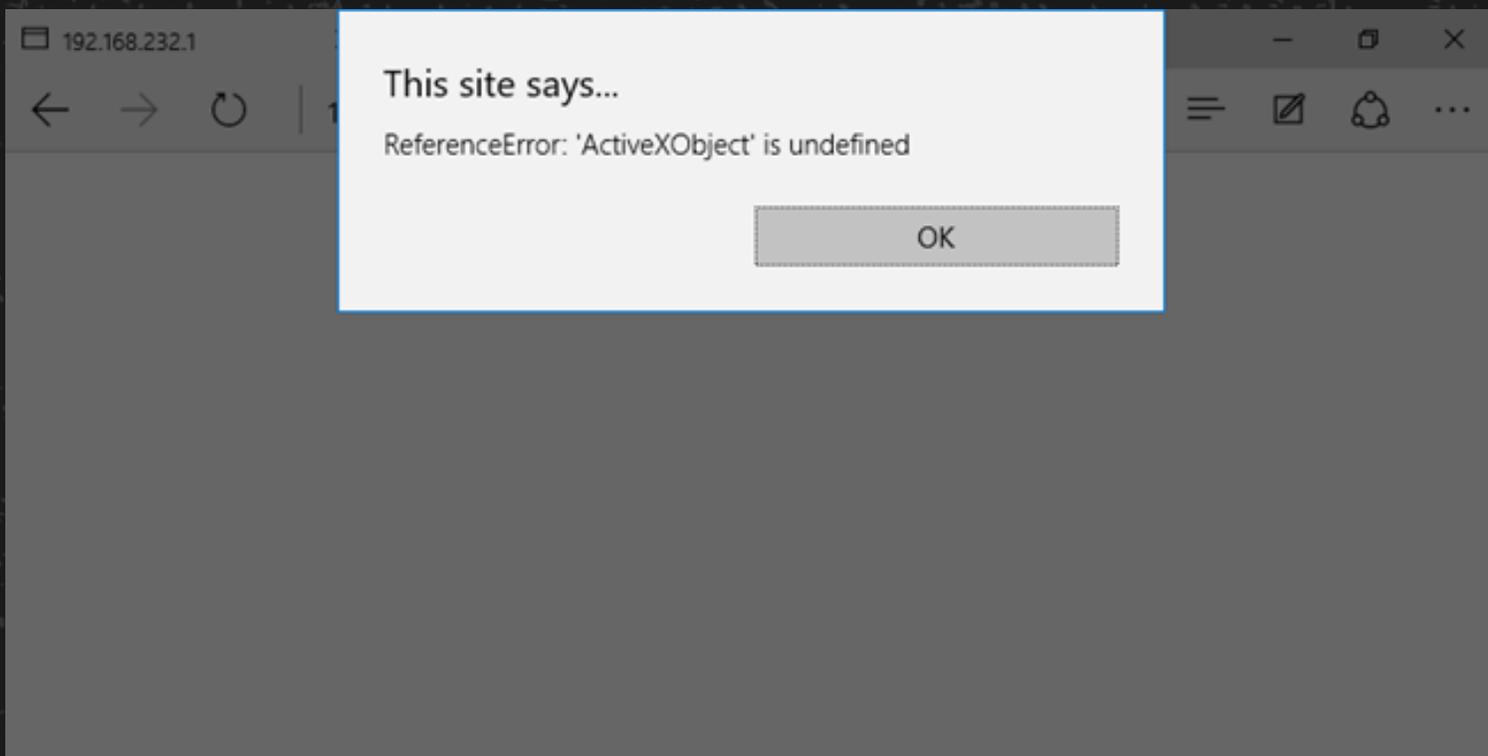
- Launch IE



# 缓解绕过

## 高维欺骗技术

- ActiveX



# 未来的缓解措施

## Technologies for mitigating code execution

Prevent  
arbitrary code  
generation

### Code Integrity Guard

Images must be signed and load  
from valid places

### Arbitrary Code Guard

Prevent dynamic code generation,  
modification, and execution

Prevent  
control-flow  
hijacking

### Control Flow Guard

Enforce control flow integrity  
on indirect function calls

### Return Flow Guard w/ CET

Enforce control flow integrity on  
function returns

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# 缓解绕过的未来

## Fine Grained CFI 并不是银弹

- Fine Grained CFI 的实现中也必然存在假设
- 如何保证这些假设的不变性是关键点

## 只读内存问题

- 缺少真正的只读内存
- 对关键数据的保护并不可靠

## 高维欺骗技术

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