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- Description: In this episode, Daniel and Zach explain the process of leveraging information to prepare for exploitation of a given system. Here they discuss the idea of exploit chaining, Proof-of-Concept(PoC) exploit development, Social Engineering, credential brute-forcing, dictionary attacks, and rainbow tables.

Exploitation Preparation Pt.2

Key Concept: Explain the process of leveraging information to prepare for exploitation

- · Exploit chaining
 - o Utilizing multiple exploits that build upon each other leading to root shell
 - EXAMPLE:
 - 1. SQL Injection authentication bypass
 - 2. File upload
 - 3. Command injection
 - 4. Reverse shell
 - 5. Priv Esc attack to root
 - EXAMPLE:
 - 1. Access sensitive area with SE attack
 - 2. Drop network sniffer/keylogger/rubberducky
 - 3. Harvest creds
 - 4. Gain access
- Proof-of-concept development (exploit development)
 - o Exploit Vulnserver
 - Exploit Unreal IRCd
- Social engineering
 - o Deception
- Credential brute forcing
 - o Hydra, Medusa, Ncrack
- · Dictionary attacks
 - Hashcat, John-the-Ripper, Cain&Abel
- Rainbow tables
 - OphCrack