

# BUG BOUNTY HAND BOOK

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A **bug bounty** program is a deal offered by many websites and software developers by which individuals can receive recognition and compensation for reporting **bugs**, especially those pertaining to exploits and vulnerabilities.

More : [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bug\\_bounty\\_program](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bug_bounty_program)

What is meant by bug bounty?

A **bug bounty program**, also called a vulnerability rewards **program** (VRP), is a crowdsourcing initiative that rewards individuals for discovering and reporting software **bugs**. ... **Bug** reports must document enough information for the organization offering the **bounty** to be able to reproduce the vulnerability.

What is open bug bounty?

**Open Bug Bounty**, at [xssposed.org](https://xssposed.org), is a non-profit, **open** archive where security researchers can report Cross-Site Scripting (or XSS) vulnerabilities on any website while getting full credit for the report. ... When vulnerabilities are reported, they are verified, and credit is given to the security researcher.

What is a security disclosure policy?

Responsible **disclosure** is a computer **security** term describing a vulnerability **disclosure** model. It is like full **disclosure**, with the addition that all stakeholders agree to allow a period of time for the vulnerability to be patched before publishing the details.

## Bug bounty platforms and programs -:

**bugcrowd**

<https://www.bugcrowd.com/>

**hackerone**

<https://www.hackerone.com/>

**synack**

<https://www.synack.com/>

**Cobalt**

<https://cobalt.io/>

**Zerocopter**

<https://zerocopter.com/>

**HACKRFI**

<https://www.hackr.fi/>

**BOUNTYFACTORY**

<https://bountyfactory.io/>

## Training Labs :-

### **vulnhub**

<https://www.vulnhub.com/>

Free capture the flag virtual machines to download, run, and practice against.

### **PentesterLab**

<https://pentesterlab.com>

Free downloadable VMs and paid for online training and labs. Certainly worth checking out.

### **Tiredful-API**

<https://github.com/payatu/Tiredful-API>

“Tiredful API is intentionally designed broken app. The aim of this web app is to teach developers, QA or security professionals about flaws present in webservices (REST API) due to insecure coding practice.”

## Books :-

[Mastering Modern Web Penetration Testing](#), Prakhar Prasad, Oct 2016

[The Web Application Hacker's Handbook \(Second Edition\)](#), Dafydd Stuttard & Marcus Pinto, Oct 2011

[The Bug Hunters Methodology](#), Jason Haddix, 2017+ (github)

[IoT Pentesting Guide](#), Aditya Gupta, 2017+ (gitbook)

## Videos :-

[Bug Bounty PoC Playlist](#)

[How To Shot Web](#)—Jason Haddix, 2015

[Bug Bounty Hunting Methodology v2](#)—Jason Haddix, 2017

[Hunting for Top Bounties](#)—Nicolas Grégoire, 2014

[The Secret life of a Bug Bounty Hunter](#)—Frans Rosén, 2016

[Finding Bugs with Burp Plugins & Bug Bounty 101](#)—Bugcrowd, 2014

[How to hack all the bug bounty things automagically reap the rewards profit](#)—Mike Baker, 2016

## Common vulnerability guides :-

**OWASP Top 10**

[OWASP Top 10, 2017 RC2](#) [PDF]

**SSRF Bible Cheetsheet**

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1v1TkWZtrhzRLyobYXBcdLUedXGb9njTNIJXa3u9akHM/edit>

**File upload Stored XSS**

<https://brutellogic.com.br/blog/file-upload-xss/>

# Bug Bounty Writeups :-

## **Awesome Bug Bounty**

<https://github.com/djadmin/awesome-bug-bounty>

## **hackerone.com hacktivity**

[https://hackerone.com/hacktivity?sort\\_type=popular&filter=type%3Aall&page=1&range=forever](https://hackerone.com/hacktivity?sort_type=popular&filter=type%3Aall&page=1&range=forever)

# Wordlists, Patterns, Payloads, etc.

## **ALL.txt**

<https://gist.github.com/jhaddix/86a06c5dc309d08580a018c66354a056>

Jason Haddix's **enormous** list of subdomain strings. Built from publicly seen subdomains, folders, filenames, etc. Grab it and add your own findings if they're missing.

## **SecLists**

<https://github.com/danielmiessler/SecLists>

A great collection of common filenames, payloads, and more. Have a look through yourself to understand the full scope of this excellent collection.

# Passive Reconnaissance :-

Passive reconnaissance tools provide information without actually touching your target while also doing a lot of the hard work for you.

## **Shodan**

<https://www.shodan.io/>

The search engine for things connected to the internet. IP, port, application, banners, etc.

## **BuiltWith**

<https://builtwith.com/>

“Find out what websites are Built With”

## **Censys**

<https://censys.io/>

Censys continually monitors every reachable server and device on the Internet, so you can search for and analyze them in real time. Understand your network attack surface”. Check for open ports and applications on a specific IP without running a portscan yourself.

## **OSINT Toolkit**

<https://medium.com/osint/the-osint-toolkit-3b9233d1cdf9>

Lots of passive reconnaissance tools in here and too many to repeat again.

**cert.sh**

<https://crt.sh/>

SSL Certificate allocation based DNS enumeration using the public record of SSL certificates.

### **Facebook Certificate Transparency Monitoring**

<https://developers.facebook.com/tools/ct/>

“Certificate Transparency is an open framework to log, audit and monitor all publicly-trusted TLS certificates on the Internet. This tool lets you search for certificates issued for a given domain. Subscribe to email updates to be alerted when new certificates are issued.”

Find subdomains for \*.example.com bounty scopes via SSL certificate registration information. You can also subscribe to find out when new certificates are issued for your target.

### **Google Certificate Transparency Monitoring**

<https://transparencyreport.google.com/https/certificates>

Similar to that from Facebook and cert.sh, but from Google.

### **Forward DNS (FDNS)**

[https://scans.io/study/sonar.fdns\\_v2](https://scans.io/study/sonar.fdns_v2)

A 20+GB compressed, 300+GB uncompressed JSON dataset containing the ANY and A/AAAA record query results for a huge number of domains. Download and search through it for a given list of names using a JSON parser or simply using zgrep.

## **DNS Trails**

<http://research.dnstrails.com/tools/lookup.htm?domain=example.com>

If DNS records are being protected by a firewall such as Cloudflare or Akamai use this to see the DNS record history of a domain. Also useful for non-firewalled DNS entries to see where they pointed in the past in case services are still live or if IP addresses are running new services.

## **Source Code Analysis :-**

### **GitMiner**

<https://github.com/UnkL4b/GitMiner>

Tool for advanced mining for content on Github. Usernames, passwords, ssh keys, etc.

## **Link and domain takeovers :-**

### **broken-link-checker**

<https://github.com/stevenvachon/broken-link-checker>

Find broken links in websites. Run with:

`blc -rfoi --exclude linkedin.com --exclude youtube.com --filter-level 3 https://example.com/`



# WAF Bypass

## **CloudFlair**

<https://github.com/christophetd/CloudFlair>

“CloudFlair is a tool to find origin servers of websites protected by CloudFlare who are publicly exposed and don’t restrict network access to the CloudFlare IP ranges as they should.

The tool uses Internet-wide scan data from Censys to find exposed IPv4 hosts presenting an SSL certificate associated with the target’s domain name.”

## Active Reconnaissance :-

### **Massdns**

<https://github.com/blechschmidt/massdns>

A high performance DNS subdomain enumeration tool. Combine with ALL.txt via the included subbrute.py  
*./subbrute.py ALL.txt example.com | ./bin/massdns -r resolvers.txt -t A -a -o -w results.txt -*

### **Gobuster**

<https://github.com/OJ/gobuster>

A high performance directory enumeration tool written in Go. Lightning fast. Combine with ALL.txt

### **Teh S3 Bucketeers**

[https://github.com/tomdev/teh\\_s3\\_bucketeers/](https://github.com/tomdev/teh_s3_bucketeers/)

The replacement for Sandcastle S3, the S3 bucket enumeration and permission check tool. Use with [common\\_bucket\\_prefixes.txt](#) instead of the default list. There's a lot of scope here to customise the prefix and target list but the foundations of the tool are sound. Combine with the output from massdns for better results.

### **AWSBucketDump**

<https://github.com/jordanpotti/AWSBucketDump>

A similar tool to The S3 Bucketters. Combine with the output from massdns for better results.

### **OSINT Toolkit**

<https://medium.com/osint/the-osint-toolkit-3b9233d1cdf9>

A few active reconnaissance tools in here and again too many to repeat.

## **IoT Hacking :-**

### *IoT Reading Materials :-*

#### **IoT Firmware Analysis**

[https://www.owasp.org/index.php/IoT\\_Firmware\\_Analysis](https://www.owasp.org/index.php/IoT_Firmware_Analysis)

A quick start guide to analysing and dissecting firmware binaries.

#### **Firmware Analysis Basics**

<http://iotpentest.com/firmware-analysis-basics/>

A similar guide to the OWASP publication with a bit more detail on how to obtain firmware and analyse it. A good accompaniment.

### **Bug Hunting Drilling Into the Internet of Things (IoT)**

<https://duo.com/assets/ebooks/Duo-Labs-Bug-Hunting-Drilling-Into-the-Internet-of-Things-IoT.pdf>

A very good guide on IoT hardware/app security analysis. The appendix contains a proven process for bypassing certificate pinning on android devices.

### *IoT Hacking Tools :-*

#### **Firmware Analysis Toolkit**

<https://github.com/attify/firmware-analysis-toolkit>

A bundle containing:

- binwak
- firmadyne
- firmwalker
- firmware-mod-kit

Thanks I will Write 2<sup>nd</sup> Part 😊

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