

Atelier Pen testing Part 1

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Requirements

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Virtual Machine Software

- VirtualBox (Windows or Linux)
- Vmware Fusion (Apple)

Kali Linux Image

- Kali.org/get-kali
- 64bits Image Installer
- Apple Silicon ARM64

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Disclaimer

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Ethical Mind

- Report vulnerabilities
- Do not publish your results before correction

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Legal

- Pentesting on your own devices
- Pentesting with authorization

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\$whoami

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- External Pentesting
- Internal / Network / Active Directory Pentesting
- Attack Surface Mapping
- Hardware Hacking
- Cloud Pentesting



Pentesting from A to Z

Pentesting mission with a client from A to Z

What is Pentesting ?

Skills

- Skilled Cyber Security experts
- Simulate threat actor activities
- Up to date every day
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Goals

- Finding Vulnerabilities
- Provide Remediations
- Final report for the client

Legal

- Ethical Mind
- Authorization signed
- Report all the activities

Pentesting type

White Box

- Full Information
- Full Access
- Full cooperation
- Security controls down
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Grey Box

- Some minor access
- Some scope information
- Some cooperation
- Can start black

Black Box

- No Access
- No Scope information
- You are alone
- Default Security controls

Rules of Engagement

ROE includes

- Scope (Servers, Apps, Accounts, etc)
- Limits of the tests
- Starting date
- Ending date
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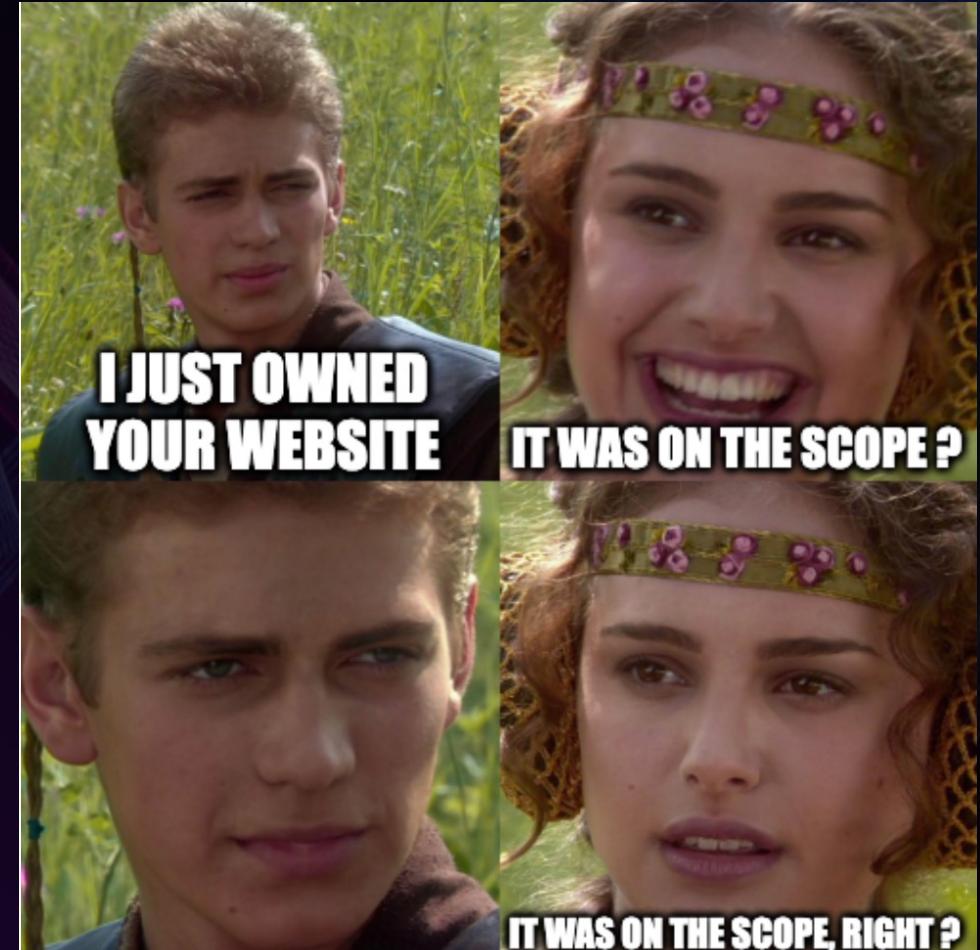
Cons ?

Time & Price

- Time limited
- Can be expensive

Scope Information

- Scope too small
- Scope too big
- Client needs



Schedule

- **Classic pentesting schedule**



Pentesting Activities

Some interesting pentesting fields & Missions

Mission types

Web Pentesting



Internal
Pentesting



Application
Security



Mission Types

IoT Pentesting



Industrial
Pentesting



Others ...

Type of Activities

Passive

- OSINT
- Internet research
- Publicly expose information
- Invisible Reconnaissance
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Active

- Active Scanning
- Leave traces on server logs
- Can disturb services

Passive



I found the sysadmin hobbies,
holidays pictures, leak credentials,
favourite song, the name of his dog ...

Active



nmap scan go brrr

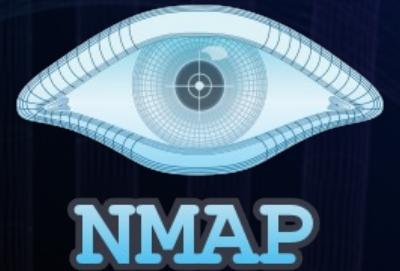
Reconnaissance

Information Gathering

- Server Type
- Version number
- Security Controls

Attack Path

- Build custom attack path
- Save time for next phase



Exploitation

Is it Risky ?

- No harmful exploit
- Always keep the client informed
- Collect Screenshot and PoC
- Fully understand the exploit before use
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Initial Access

- Gain Access to Application
- Gain Access to Server
- Gain Access to User or Admin account



Post Exploitation - Pivoting

Privilege Escalation

- Road to Root Access
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Why stop here ?

- Other machines in the same network ?
- Other accounts ?
- Juicy Information (Passwords, API, Applications)

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Red Teaming ?

Pentesting or Red Teaming ?

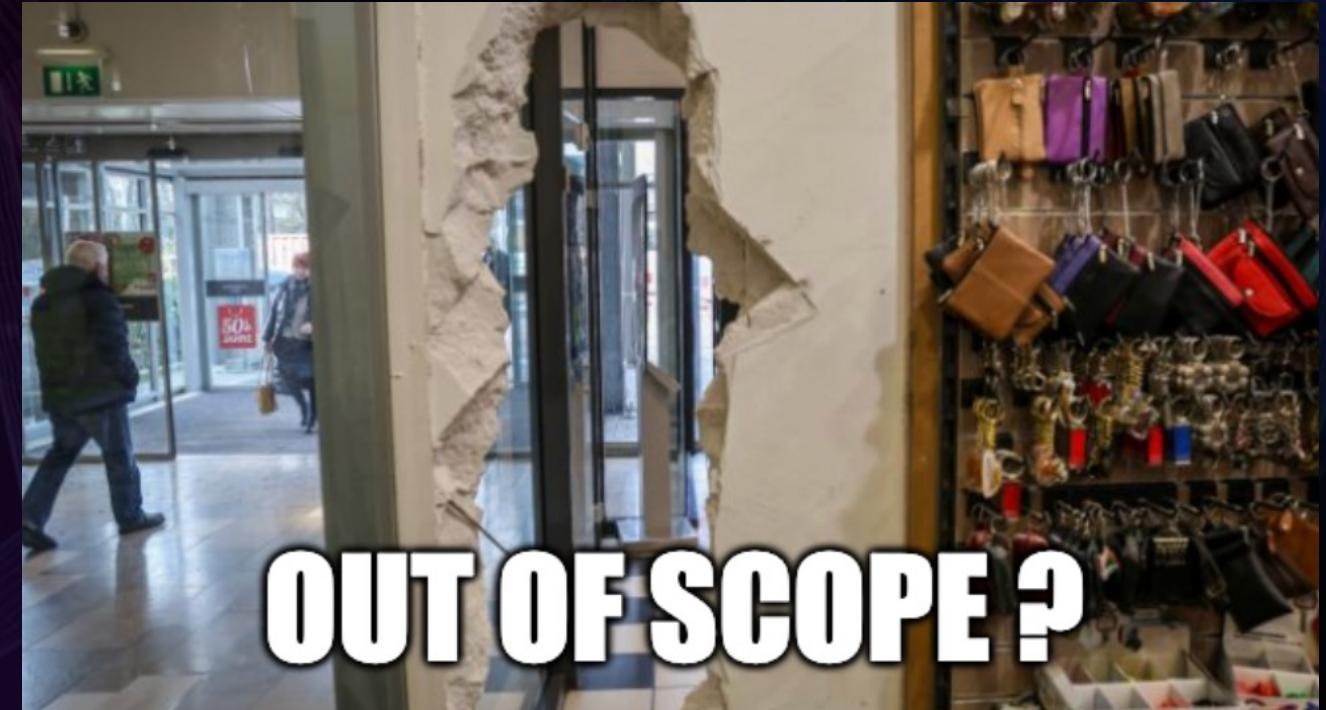
Main differences

Time & Scope

- What is the scope ? Yes.
- Longer projects can take several months
- Multi Skills Team
- Few people know about it

Activities

- Social Engineering
- Physical Pentesting (Out of jail pass needed !)
- Simulate a motivated threat actor



Physical Security

Pros

- On site reconnaissance
- Social Engineering
- Lockpicking
- Internal Pentesting

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Cons

- Police



Report Writing

The least fun part of the job

Sorting Vulnerabilities

Proof Of Concept

- Exploit screenshot
- How exploit works
- Is it critical ?

Custom Severity

- Sort Vulns
- Executive + Technical
- Custom severity depending of conditions



Remediations

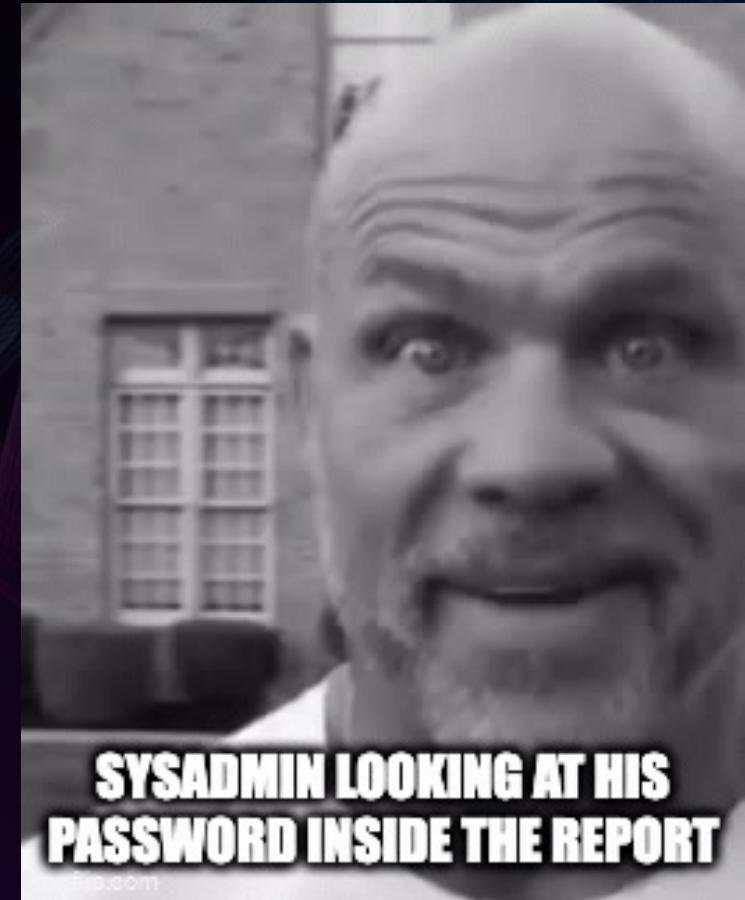
How to patch

- What is the name of the vulnerability ?
- How can I patch it ?

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Report Presentation

- Questions
- Advices



Interested ? Where to start

Total noob or beginner, where do I start?

“Free” Resources



[Tryhackme.com](https://tryhackme.com)
[Root-me.org](https://root-me.org)



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[Hackthebox.com](https://www.hackthebox.com) /
vulnhub.com



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Youtube Channels



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Certifications

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Entry Level

- CompTIA (Security+, Network+)
- eJPT (INE)
- CEH (Eccouncil)

Advanced

- eWPT (INE)
- PNPT (TCM Security)
- OSCP (Offsec)

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Atelier Penetration Part 2

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Links

DVWA lab

- <https://github.com/opsxcq/docker-vulnerable-dvwa>
- Install docker (sudo apt install docker.io)

Web Basics

Using root-me challenges

- HTML
- Javascript
- Client / Server

DVWA

Web Attacks

- XSS
- SQL
- Command Injection

Thank you

<https://github.com/AlrikRr/Talks>

