



Course Name: ETHICAL HACKING

Assignment- Week 12

TYPE OF QUESTION: MCQ/MSQ/SA

Number of questions: 10

Total mark: 10 x 1 = 10

QUESTION 1:

Which of the following can be done with the help of NMAP tool?

- a. Determine the live host.
- b. Determine the services running on any target system.
- c. Determine the OS of the target systems.
- d. Identify the vulnerabilities of the target system.

Correct Answer: a, b, c, d

Detail Solution: NMAP can perform all of the above operations (except option d). NMAP can perform password attack; however, it uses the default dictionary available in the system.

The correct options are (a), (b), (c) and (d).

QUESTION 2:

Which of the following options ***cannot be used*** for host discovery using NMAP?

- a. -PE
- b. -PC
- c. -PM
- d. -PP

Correct Answer: b

Detail Solution: For host discovery using NMAP various options can be used, the most common option is ping sweep. -PE is used for ICMP ECHO Sweep, -PP and -PM is used for ICMP NON-ECHO ping sweep scanning. There is no option as -PC.

The correct option is (b).

QUESTION 3:



In ICMP (ECHO) sweep scan, a scanner sends an ICMP type-8 packet and receives an ICMP type-0 packet from target. What does it indicate?

- a. Target is alive/up.
- b. Target is down.

Correct Answer: a

Detail Solution: If the sender receives ICMP type-0 packet, this indicates that the target is up. The correct option is (a).

QUESTION 4:

Which of the following NMAP options can be used for TCP sweep scan?

- a. -PE
- b. -PP
- c. -PM
- d. None of these.

Correct Answer: d

Detail Solution: TCP sweep is carried out using the -PS, -PU option in NMAP. It is also done by some default options such as -sT, -p, -Pn.

The correct option is (d).

QUESTION 5:

To see why NMAP is reporting any port as open or close (or a host as up or down) which of the following options is used?

- a. --disable-arp-ping
- b. --packet-trace
- c. --show-reason
- d. None of these.

Correct Answer: d

Detail Solution: disable-arp-ping option is used to disable arp request for host scanning, packet-trace option is used to trace the incoming and outgoing packets, reason option is used



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The correct option is (d).

QUESTION 6:

Which of the following sweep scans are automatically done when we use –sn option.

- a. ICMP Echo
- b. ICMP Non-Echo
- c. TCP Sweep
- d. UDP Sweep

Correct Answer: a, b, c

Detail Solution: All type of sweep options are used with –sn option except UDP sweep.

The correct options are (a), (b) and (c).

QUESTION 7:

The number of host (IP) scanned by NMAP command “nmap –sL 192.168.62.40-50” will be _____.

Correct Answer: 11

Detail Solution: The given command will scan all hosts with IP addresses 192.168.62.40 to 192.168.62.50 (including both the IPs).

Thus, a total of 11 IP addresses will be scanned.

QUESTION 8:

In NMAP by default, _____ number of ports are scanned.

Correct Answer: 1000

Detail Solution: By default NMAP scans for top 1000 ports, if we use –F option then top 100 ports are scanned.



QUESTION 9:

Which of the following NMAP options treats all hosts as online (skip host discovery)?

- a. -sP
- b. -PO
- c. -sU
- d. -Pn

Correct Answer: d

Detail Solution: -sP is used for only determining if the host is online; -PO is used for IP protocol ping; -sU is used for UDP scan; -Pn is used to skip host discovery and treats all host as online

The correct option is (d).

QUESTION 10:

Which of the following NMAP options is used for Service and Version detection?

- a. -sL
- b. -sP
- c. -PO
- d. -sU
- e. None of these.

Correct Answer: e

Detail Solution: For OS detection -O option is used, we can also use -A option which is known as aggressive scan which can be used for OS, version and vulnerability scanning, for services and version detection -sV option is used.

The correct option is (e).

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