


Lab 6

1. Who is the domain registrar of www.manipal.edu?

 Domains Hosting Servers Email Security Whois Deals

Domain Name: MANIPAL.EDU

Registrant:

Manipal Academy of Higher Education
Madhav Nagar
Manipal, Karnataka 576104
India

Administrative Contact:

Domain Admin
Manipal Academy of Higher Education
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India
+91.8202571201
sathish.kanath@manipal.edu

Technical Contact:

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2. What is the domain creation date?

DOMAIN AGE CHECKER	
#	Value
Domain	Manipal.edu
Domain Age	25 Years, 144 Days
Domain Created Date	27th-Sep-1999
Domain Updated Date	21st-Oct-2024
Domain Expiry Date	31st-Jul-2025

3. What is the expiration date of the domain?

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4. Identify the name servers associated with the domain.

Name Servers:	
NS1-36.AZURE-DNS.COM	
NS3-36.AZURE-DNS.ORG	
NS4-36.AZURE-DNS.INFO	
NS2-36.AZURE-DNS.NET	
Domain record activated:	27-Sep-1999
Domain record last updated:	21-Oct-2024
Domain expires:	31-Jul-2025

5. Is there any contact email provided for administrative or technical support?

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6. What country is the domain registered in?

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ANS: India

7. Run a WHOIS query for example.com and check if the registrant's details (name, address, email) are visible.

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The EDUCAUSE Whois database is authoritative for the  
.EDU domain.
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A Web interface for the .EDU EDUCAUSE Whois Server is  
available at: http://whois.educause.edu
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By submitting a Whois query, you agree that this information  
will not be used to allow, enable, or otherwise support  
the transmission of unsolicited commercial advertising or  
solicitations via e-mail. The use of electronic processes to  
harvest information from this server is generally prohibited  
except as reasonably necessary to register or modify .edu  
domain names.
```

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```

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8. If privacy protection is enabled, what information is displayed instead of actual owner details?

ANS: The actual registrant details (name, address, email, phone number) are replaced with generic or anonymized information provided by the domain registrar's privacy service.

9. What are the security implications of exposing or hiding data?

ANS: Exposing WHOIS data increases risks like phishing, spam, and domain hijacking but improves transparency, while hiding it enhances privacy and security but may reduce trust and hinder cybercrime investigations.

10. Look for Name Server (NS) records and associated domains.

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kali-linux-2024.2-vmware-amd64 - VMware Workstation
File Edit View VM Tabs Help
kali-linux-2024.2-vmware-amd64
kali@kali: ~
File Actions Edit View Help
(kali@kali)~$ nslookup manipal.edu
Server:      192.168.80.2
Address:     192.168.80.2#53

Non-authoritative answer:
Name:   manipal.edu
Address: 18.67.65.127
Name:   manipal.edu
Address: 18.67.65.53
Name:   manipal.edu
Address: 18.67.65.101
Name:   manipal.edu
Address: 18.67.65.125
(kali@kali)~$

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11. what are the different methods to find the subdomain using both passive and active methods

ANS: Passive methods like WHOIS lookup, Certificate Transparency Logs (crt.sh), and Google Dorking help find subdomains without directly interacting with the target. Active methods like Brute Force (Gobuster, Sublist3r), DNS Zone Transfer, and DNS Enumeration (dig, nslookup) involve direct queries to discover subdomains.

12. Identify CMS (WordPress, Joomla, etc.) and frameworks used.

manipal.edu	
Content Management Systems	
Below is a summary of content management systems found on manipal.edu	
Checked Pages	CMS
27	Adobe Experience Manager
2	Drupal
14	Not Found
Previously Checked URLs	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> jaipur.manipal.edu/muj/error/filenotfound.html www.manipal.edu manipal.edu/mu.html manipal.edu/mu/academics/centers-of-excellence/mcns-manipa... manipal.edu/doc/program-list/msc-health-economics.html manipal.edu/mu/error/filenotfound.html www.manipal.edu/kmc-manipal.html 	
Unchecked URLs	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> www.manipal.edu/content/dam/manipal/mu/documents/mahe/... social.manipal.edu social.manipal.edu/directory/ alumni.manipal.edu www.manipal.edu/mu/important-links/conferences.html www.manipal.edu/mu/students.html www.manipal.edu/mu/alumni.html apps.manipal.edu/Donation-GiftOfLife 	

✓ Success JSON		
www.manipal.edu/mu.html uses		
Category	Software	Version
Other CMS, CMS	Adobe Experience Manager	
Programming Language	Java	
CDN	Amazon CloudFront	
Web Server	Apache HTTP Server	
Social Media		
Network	Profile	Url
Twitter	mahe_manipal	https://twitter.com/mahe_manipal
Facebook	mahemanipal	https://www.facebook.com/mahemanipal/
Instagram	mahe_manipal	http://www.instagram.com/mahe_manipal/
Help us improve these results		

13. Compare whatweb and wappalyzer

ANS:

- **Purpose & Usage** – WhatWeb is designed for penetration testing and cybersecurity, while Wappalyzer is a user-friendly tool for general web technology identification.
- **Detection Method** – WhatWeb supports both active and passive scanning, whereas Wappalyzer is purely passive and does not interact with the target website.
- **Output & Analysis** – WhatWeb provides detailed technical data, including potential security risks, while Wappalyzer presents categorized, easy-to-read results suitable for research.

14. Fetch the HTTP Header (Many methods are available). Identify the tools used to find HTTP Header details

```
(kali@kali)-[~]
$ curl -I www.manipal.edu
HTTP/1.1 301 Moved Permanently
Server: CloudFront
Date: Fri, 14 Mar 2025 07:28:43 GMT
Content-Type: text/html
Content-Length: 167
Connection: keep-alive
Location: https://www.manipal.edu/
X-Cache: Redirect from cloudfront
Via: 1.1 a431d3ebf4d06dae3cea2e3fce17c54a.cloudfront.net (CloudFront)
X-Amz-Cf-Pop: MAA51-P2
Alt-Svc: h3=":443"; ma=86400
X-Amz-Cf-Id: ZJyKxGhtbCp5nU0ve2fcotQv15AMg97_1ZezGProyWRMUSliDOtkaw==

(kali@kali)-[~]
$
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15. Check whether domain have firewall installed or not

```

kali@kali: ~
File Actions Edit View Help

/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/wafw00f/lib/asciiararts.py:50: SyntaxWarning: invalid escape sequence '\+'
'''+C+'''/"      '''+G+'''/_      '''+R+''' \ \ / \
'''+B+'''*==*      '''+G+'''/_      '''+R+''' \ \ / \      '''+Y+'''405
'''+C+'''/_      '''+R+''' \ \ / \
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/wafw00f/lib/asciiararts.py:51: SyntaxWarning: invalid escape sequence '\+'
'''+C+r''' \ \ / \      '''+Y+'''502 Bad Gateway      '''+R+''' \ \ / \      '''+Y+'''405
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/wafw00f/lib/asciiararts.py:52: SyntaxWarning: invalid escape sequence '\+'
'''+C+'''_      '''+R+'''/_      \ \

( Woof! )

Home Edit
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~ WAFW00F : v2.2.0 ~
The Web Application Firewall Fingerprinting Toolkit

[*] Checking https://manipal.edu
[+] The site https://manipal.edu is behind Cloudfront (Amazon) WAF.
[~] Number of requests: 2

(kali@kali)~$

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16. do they have load balancer

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X-Amz-Cf-Id: ZJyxxGhtbCp5nU0ve2fcotQv15AMg97_1ZezGProyWRMUSliD0tkaw=
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17. Search for exposed environment configuration files

ANS: **curl -s -X GET http://<target>/.env**

18. Look for log files that may contain sensitive information

ANS: find / -name "*.log" 2>/dev/null

19. Find database backup files

ANS: **curl -s -X GET http://<target>/backup.sql**

20. Find live camera feeds

ANS: **nmap -p 554 --script rtsp-url-brute <target>**

21. Search for open IoT device

ANS: **nmap -p 23,554,81 --open <target>**