

# **BrokenAXE: Broken Access Control Toolkit**

Vulnerability Assessment & Penetration Testing

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### **Executive Summary**

This report outlines the findings from the recent Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Testing (VAPT) engagement. The following sections detail the vulnerabilities identified, their impact, and recommendations for remediation.

### **Directory & Heuristic scanning**

Directory & Heuristic Scanning is a web vulnerability assessment technique combining forced browsing and intelligent content analysis. Forced browsing uses a wordlist to systematically identify hidden directories and files on a web server, exposing resources not directly linked or indexed. Meanwhile, heuristic scanning analyzes web pages, HTTP headers, meta tags, and scripts to detect technologies, misconfigurations, and vulnerabilities like injection flaws or insecure object references.

- 1. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1 Result: 200
- 2. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/admin.php Result: 200
- 3. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/view.php?id=33929 Result: 200
- 4. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/?page=6 Result: 200
- 5. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/view.php?id=33932 Result: 200
- 6. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/new.php Result: 200
- 7. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/cat.php?id=5 Result: 200
- 8. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/view.php?id=33928 Result: 200
- 9. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/logout.php Result: 200
- 10. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/?page=6705 Result: 200
- 11. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/?page=4 Result: 200
- 12. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/cat.php?id=3 Result: 200
- 13. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/getToken.php?user=1635 Result: 200
- 14. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/view.php?id=33930 Result: 200
- 15. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/index.php Result: 200
- 16. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/?page=2 Result: 200
- 17. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/view.php?id=33931 Result: 200
- 18. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/cat.php?id=4 Result: 200
- 19. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/?page=5 Result: 200
- 20. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/?page=3 Result: 200
- 21. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/login.php Result: 200
- 22. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/login.php Result: login

## **Forced Browsing**

Forced Browsing is a web vulnerability assessment technique that systematically enumerates directories and files on a web server. By using a wordlist, an attacker can discover hidden resources not directly linked or indexed, potentially exposing sensitive information or vulnerable applications.

No findings reported.

### **Insecure Direct Object Reference (IDOR)**

Insecure Direct Object Reference (IDOR) is a web application vulnerability where an attacker can access unauthorized resources by manipulating object references. By changing parameters or URLs, an attacker can bypass access controls and view sensitive data or perform unauthorized actions.

- URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/cat.php?id=3 Result: idor
- 2. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/cat.php?id=4 Result: idor
- 3. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/cat.php?id=5 Result: idor
- 4. URL: https://labs.hackxpert.com/IDOR/IDOR1/getToken.php?user=9 Result: idor

#### **API-IDOR**

API Insecure Direct Object Reference (API-IDOR) is a vulnerability in an application programming interface (API) that allows attackers to access unauthorized resources by manipulating object references. By changing parameters or URLs, an attacker can bypass access controls and view sensitive data or perform unauthorized actions.

No findings reported.

#### Weak API Controls - Unauthenticated

Weak API Controls - Unauthenticated refers to vulnerabilities in an application programming interface (API) that allow unauthorized access or actions without proper authentication. Attackers can exploit these weaknesses to access sensitive data or perform unauthorized operations.

No findings reported.

#### Weak API Controls - Authenticated

Weak API Controls - Authenticated refers to vulnerabilities in an application programming interface (API) that allow unauthorized access or actions even after authentication. Attackers can exploit

these weaknesses to access sensitive data or perform unauthorized operations.

No findings reported.

## **Session Management**

Session Management vulnerabilities can lead to unauthorized access, session hijacking, or session fixation attacks. Insecure session handling can expose user sessions to compromise, allowing attackers to impersonate users, access sensitive data, or perform unauthorized actions.

No findings reported.

### **Conclusion & Recommendations**

Based on the findings, immediate remediation actions are recommended to mitigate the identified vulnerabilities. A detailed remediation plan should be developed and executed to improve the overall security posture.