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## **IDLE/IPID Scan**

## **Objectives:**

- Describe the process of an IDLE/IPID scan
- Use nmap to perform an IDLE/IPID scan to enumerate ports states and service detail
- Explain the pros and cons when utilizing this type of scan
- We're going to talk about Zombies?
  - Zombie scan
  - Takes advantage of incremental IPID values
    - Used to combat fragmentation
      - We want Global rather than per-host IPID increments
- How does the process work?
  - Step 1
    - Attacker >--SYN/ACK--> Zombie
    - Attacker <----RST----< Zombie
      - IPID is 2000
  - o Step 2
    - Attacker >----SYN----> Target
      - Source IP is spoofed to that of Zombie
        - Target >----RST----> Zombie
          - OPEN port increments IPID value of Zombie to 2001
          - CLOSED port doesn't increment Zombie IPID Value
          - FILTERED and CLOSED output are the same
            - RST is sent back by CLOSED ports, which are ignored by Zombie
            - Nothing is sent back by FILTERED, which doesn't affect Zombie IPID

- Step 3
  - Repeat Step 1
    - nmap reports port status by inspecting IPID Value
      - If IPID = 2002, then port is OPEN
      - If IPID = 2001, then port is CLOSED|FILTERED
- Zombie Scan Demo
  - nmap -Pn -sI 10.0.10.50 <targetIP> --packet-trace
    - 10.0.10.50 is the IP of the Edutainer Printer

https://nmap.org/book/idlescan.html