

Project: Cybersecurity Footprinting and Scanning Lab

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Objective



Perform footprinting & scanning of a target network



Identify open ports & services



Assess risks and recommend countermeasures

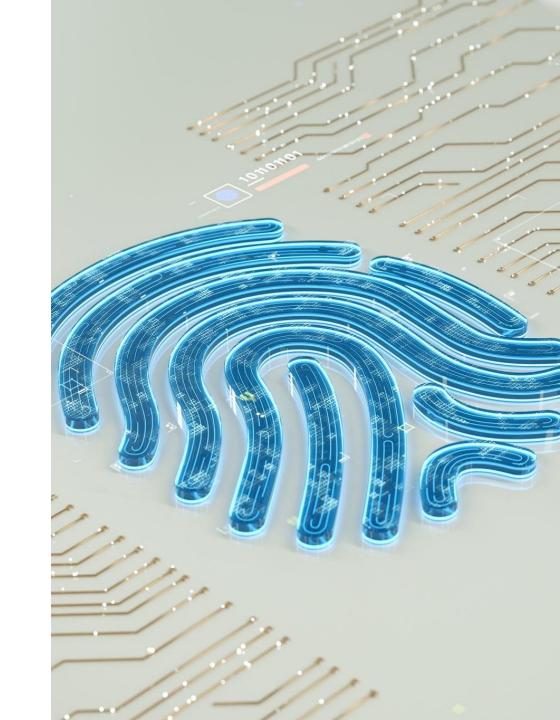
Tools Used

- Nmap → Port & service scanning, OS detection
- **Netdiscover** → Live host discovery in local network
- Recon-ng → OSINT framework for passive information gathering



Footprinting & Scanning Activities

- Domain & IP lookup
- Host discovery (Netdiscover)
- Port scanning & service version detection (Nmap)
- OS fingerprinting
- Passive reconnaissance using Recon-ng



Results

HOST/IP	OPEN PORT	SERVICE/VERSION	RISK
192.168.1.10	22	SSH (OpenSSH 7.2)	Medium
192.168.1.10	80	HTTP (Apache 2.4.41)	High
192.168.1.12	445	SMB	High

Risks & Mitigation

- Risks:
 - Outdated software versions
 - Exposed services (HTTP, SMB, SSH)
 - Weak credentials possible
- Mitigation:
 - Patch & update services regularly
 - Close unnecessary ports
 - Enforce strong authentication
 - Use firewalls & IDS/IPS



Conclusion

- Learned use of Nmap, Netdiscover, Recon-ng
- Identified open ports & possible vulnerabilities
- Proposed defense strategies to harden security posture