Day 1 Activity File: Red Team

Monitoring Setup Instructions

- As the you attack a web server today, it will send all of the attack info to an ELK server.
- The following setup commands need to be run on the Capstone machine before the attack takes place in order to make sure the server is collecting logs.
- Be sure to complete these steps before starting the attack instructions.

Instructions

- Double click on the 'HyperV Manager' Icon on the Desktop to open the HyperV Manager.
- Choose the Capstone machine from the list of Virtual Machines and double-click it to get a terminal window.
- Login to the machine using the credentials: vagrant:tnargav
- Switch to the root user with sudo su

Setup Filebeat

Run the following commands: - filebeat modules enable apache - filebeat setup

The output should look like this:

```
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 File Action Media Clipboard View Help
vagrant@server1:~$ sudo su
root@server1:/home/vagrant# filebeat modules enable apache
Enabled apache
root@server1:/home/vagrant# filebeat setup
Overwriting ILM policy is disabled. Set `setup.ilm.overwrite:true` for enabling.
Index setup finished.
Loading dashboards (Kibana must be running and reachable)
Loaded dashboards
Setting up ML using setup ——machine—learning is going to be removed in 8.0.0. Please use the ML app instead.
See more: https://www.elastic.co/guide/en/elastic–stack–overview/current/xpack–ml.html
Loaded machine learning job configurations
Loaded Ingest pipelines
root@server1:/home/vagrant#
```

Setup Metricbeat

Run the following commands: - metricbeat modules enable apache - metricbeat setup

The output should look like this:

```
root@server1:/home/vagrant#
root@server1:/home/vagrant# metricbeat modules enable apache
Enabled apache
root@server1:/home/vagrant# metricbeat setup
Overwriting ILM policy is disabled. Set `setup.ilm.overwrite:true` for enabling.

Index setup finished.
Loading dashboards (Kibana must be running and reachable)
Loaded dashboards
root@server1:/home/vagrant#
```

Setup Packetbeat

Run the following command: - packetbeat setup

The output should look like this:

```
root@server1:/home/vagrant#
root@server1:/home/vagrant# packetbeat setup
Overwriting ILM policy is disabled. Set `setup.ilm.overwrite:true` for enabling.
Index setup finished.
Loading dashboards (Kibana must be running and reachable)
Loaded dashboards
```

Restart all 3 services. Run the following commands: - systemctl restart filebeat - systemctl restart metricbeat - systemctl restart packetbeat

These restart commands should not give any output:

```
root@server1:/home/vagrant# systemctl restart packetbeat
root@server1:/home/vagrant# systemctl restart metricbeat
root@server1:/home/vagrant# systemctl restart filebeat
root@server1:/home/vagrant# _
```

Once all three of these have been enabled, close the terminal window for this machine and proceed with your attack.

Attack!

Today, you will act as an offensive security Red Team to exploit a vulnerable Capstone VM.

You will need to use the following tools, in no particular order: - Firefox - Hydra - Nmap - John the Ripper - Metasploit - curl - MSVenom

Setup

Your entire attack will take place using the Kali Linux Machine.

- Inside the HyperV Manager, double-click on the Kali machine to bring up the VM login window.
- Login with the credentials: root:toor

Instructions

Complete the following to find the flag:

- · Discover the IP address of the Linux web server.
- · Locate the hidden directory on the web server.
 - Hint: Use a browser to see which web pages will load, and/or use a tool like dirb to find URLs on the target site.
- Brute force the password for the hidden directory using the hydra command:
 - Hint: You may need to use gunzip to unzip rockyou.txt.gz before running Hydra.
 - · Hint:

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hydra -l <username> -P <wordlist> -s <port> -f -vV <victim.server.ip.address> http-get <path/to/secret/directory>
```

- Break the hashed password with the Crack Station website or John the Ripper.
- Connect to the server via WebDav.
 - **Hint**: Look for WebDAV connection instructions in the file located in the secret directory. Note that these instructions may have an old IP Address in them, so you will need to use the IP address you have discovered.
- Upload a PHP reverse shell payload.
 - Hint: Try using your scripting skills! MSVenom may also be helpful.
- Execute payload that you uploaded to the site to open up a meterpreter session.
- Find and capture the flag.

After you have captured the flag, show it to your instructor.

Be sure to save important files (e.g., scan results) and take screenshots as you work through the assessment. You'll use them again when creating your presentation.

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