Kali Linux

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- Kali Linux is a Debian GNU/Linux distribution enabling security professionals and IT administrators to conduct advanced penetration testing, forensic analysis, security auditing, reverse engineering
- Kali Linux is a rolling distribution, which means that you will receive updates every single day
- Since many tools included in Kali Linux can only be executed with root privileges, this is the default Kali user account
- Kali Linux disables any installed service that would listen on a public network interface by default, such as HTTP and SSH. You can still manually enable any services with

host \$ systemctl enable <service>

or

host \$ /etc/init.d/<service> start

Example

host \$ /etc/init.d/apache2 start

host \$ /etc/init.d/apache2 status

host \$ /etc/init.d/apache2 restart

host \$ /etc/init.d/apache2 stop

- The best for a corporate environment is to use a encrypted bootable USB drive loaded with Kali Linux
- Persistence: changes will be retained across reboots. look at https://docs.kali.org/downloading/kali-linux-live-usb-persistence to add persistency
- Suggested 64GB USB stick

Creating bootable USB Live ISO

download ISO image from https://www.kali.org/downloads/

kali-linux-2019.2-amd64.iso

cd into directory hosting the ISO image

host \$ cd <kaliiso>

check the hash is correct

host \$ sha256sum kali-linux-2019.2-amd64.iso

Plug the USB Drive stick and check the peripheral node (be /dev/sdb)

make sure sdb is unmounted

copy ISO image over the USB stick

\$ sudo dd if=kali-linux-2019.2-amd64.iso of=/dev/sdb

Note: this command will take more than half an hour.

Note: for a macOS host you need to add the parameter bs=1M Now the USB stick is recognized as /dev/sdb and contains partitions sdb1 and sdb2. sdb2 contains the ISO image which takes about 3.2GB.

Add Persistency:

To add persistency we need to create a new partition to store our persistent data into, starting right above the second Kali Live partition, put an ext4 file system onto it, and create a persistence.conf file on the new partition Check the starting configuration

\$ sudo parted /dev/sdb print

Ceate a start variable with the actual size of the kali imagekali ISOo

\$ sudo start=\$(du --block-size=1MB kali-linux-2019.2-amd64.iso | awk '{print \$1}')

\$ sudo echo "Size of image is \$start MB"

Size of image is 3354 MB

Resize sdb2 just to store the ISO image and create the new partition

\$ sudo parted -a optimal /dev/sdb mkpart primary "\${start}MB" 100%

Check the new configuration

\$ sudo parted /dev/sdb print

Format sdb3

\$ sudo mkfs.ext4 -L persistence /dev/sdb3

Mount sdb3 and creating the pesistence.conf file

\$ sudo mount /dev/sdb3 /mnt

\$ sudo touch /mnt/pesistence.conf

\$ sudo vim /mnt/pesistence.conf

Add "/ union", save and quit

Note: such avspecial value will enable full persistence for all directories When rebooting, select Live USB Persistance

Upgrade the system

To change a password khost \$ apt update khost \$ apt upgrade

Change password

To change a password khost \$ passwd when prompted enter your old password (toor) and then a new password

Change keyboard layout

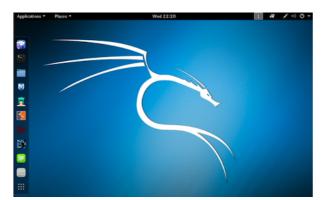
khost \$ dpkg-reconfigure keyboard-configuration khost \$ service keyboard-setup restart Or manually edit /etc/default/keyboard

A DVD with burned Kali

host: an Internet-connected computer, DVD player, and USB bootable, 8 GB of RAM. Ubuntu or Debian OS is recommended.

The Kali Linux ISO that matches your workstation architecture (32 or 64 bit)

- Steps
- Pick the Graphic Install from the menu
- Set hostname, domain name (filosofi.net), root password
- Pick Guided Use entire disk and set up encrypted LVM
- Pick the USB disk and click on Continue to start partitioning
- Set the passphrase (long and plain)
- reboot the live USB (with persistance) and login



- Go to Applications > Accessories > Terminalhost \$ apt-get update && apt-get -y upgrade
 - Press Alt+F2. Type "terminal" in the field, and click OK

Gedit

host \$ apt-get -y install gedit

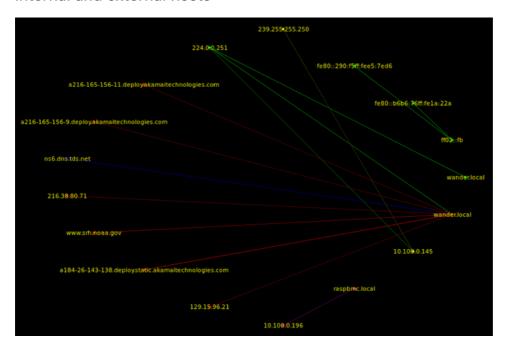
Terminator

Terminator is a terminal emulator with multiple windows and broadcast command functionality

host \$ apt-get -y install terminator

EtherApe

It is a tool to display in graphical mode the network nodes and traffic. In the images below, 10.0.0.4 is the Kali hackbox. All of the other endpoints are internal and external hosts



OpenVAS

OpenVAS is the utility to assess vulnerabilities

Setting up and configuring OpenVAS

Application > openvas initial setup

Riunning this script will set up the self-signed certificates for SSL and download the latest vulnerability files and related data. It will also generate a password for the admin account on the system.

Check the setup is ok

Applications > Kali Linux > System Services > OpenVas > openvas check setup

- Open the browser and go to https://localhost:9392
- Login with "admin" user, change the radio button for Use existing value to the blank field and add your new password and click the Save button

KeepNote

This is the standalone document organizer

Dradis

This is the web-based document organizer

Dradis is a web application, and can be used to share documentation with a team

The default URL for Dradis is https://127.0.0.1:3004. The application can be hosted on a remote secure server, and that is the best feature about Dradis.

Nmap

Zenmap

OpenVAS

Maltego

KeepNote

Unicorn-Scan is an interesting alternative to Nmap

Top ten Kali security tools

- Aircrack-ng: Encryption-cracking tool for cracking 802.11 WPA-PSA and WEP keys
- Burpsuite: An integrated tool for testing web applications
- Hydra: A parallelised login cracker
- John the Ripper: A password-cracking tool
- Maltego: An intelligence and forensics application
- Metasploit Framework: An extremely flexible security testing suite
- NMap: The pre-eminent network mapping tool
- Owasp-ZAP: Another web application testing tool
- SqlMap: An SQL injection and database takeover tool
- Wireshark: The premier network protocol analysis tool

Fingerprinting the network: discover the network nodes and the traffic in between, and assess the vulnerabilities on the network

John the Ripper

It is a open source password cracker (http://www.openwall.com/john/) used to obtain the password from a password hash host \$./john capturedhash.txt

dsniff

It is a collection of tools for network auditing and penetration testing.
 dsniff, filesnarf, mailsnarf, msgsnarf, urlsnarf, and webspy passively
 monitor a network for interesting data (passwords, e-mail, files, etc.).
 arpspoof, dnsspoof, and macof facilitate the interception of network traffic
 normally unavailable to an attacker (e.g, due to layer-2 switching). sshmitm
 and webmitm implement active monkey-in-the-middle attacks against

redirected SSH and HTTPS sessions by exploiting weak bindings in ad-hoc PKI

download and extract package from http://monkey.org/~dugsong/dsniff/

host \$ tar zxf dsniff-<v>.tar

host \$ cd dsniff-<v>

host \$ brew install berkeley-db

host \$./configure

configure: error: libpcap not found non trova pace.h in /usr/include

libpcap is keg-only, which means it was not symlinked into /usr/local, because macOS already provides this software and installing another version in parallel can cause all kinds of trouble.

If you need to have libpcap first in your PATH run:
echo 'export PATH="/usr/local/opt/libpcap/bin:\$PATH"' >> ~/.bash_profile
For compilers to find libpcap you may need to set:
export LDFLAGS="-L/usr/local/opt/libpcap/lib"
export CPPFLAGS="-I/usr/local/opt/libpcap/include"
For pkg-config to find libpcap you may need to set:
export PKG_CONFIG_PATH="/usr/local/opt/libpcap/lib/pkgconfig"

theHarvester

- It is a tool that of a given company's domain gathers emails, names, subdomains, IPs, and URLs using multiple public data sources. It can also perform active DNS searches (dictionary enumeration, reverse lookup of IP in order to find hostnames, TDL expansion)
- To find email addresses belonging to example.com using Google host \$ python the Harvester.py -d example.com -b google -l 1000
 - Install

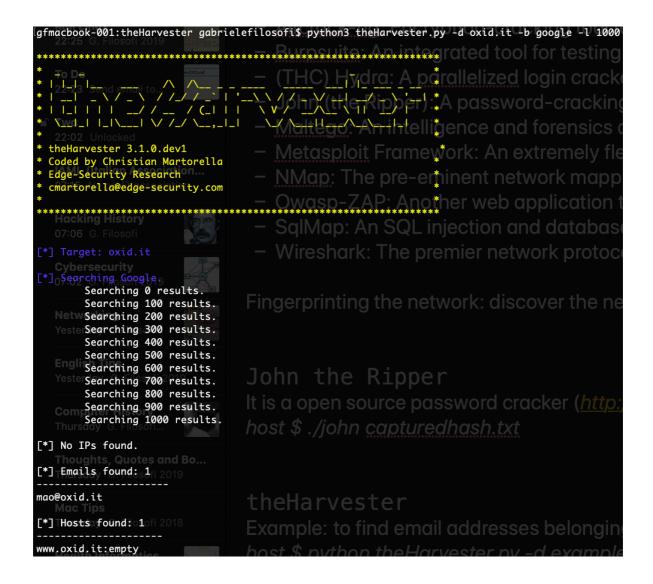
ensure you have python 3.6+ (\$ python3 -V)

host \$ git clone https://github.com/laramies/theHarvester.git

host \$ cd theHarvester/

host \$ python3 -m install -r requirements.txt

• Example: to find email addresses belonging to example.com using Google host \$ python3 theHarvester.py -d oxid.it -b google -l 1000



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