

# Detecting Brute Force Attacks

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### Brute Force Attacks



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ANSWER: Rainbow table attack

### Protocol/Services That Can Be Attacked by Brute Force



What is the name of the attack that the attackers usually made on the protocol running on port 22 in order to obtain a session on a linux server?

ANSWER: SSH Brute Force

### How to Avoid Brute Force Attacks?



After logging in the username and password, what is the name of the method in which a second verification is made to the user with an additional verification mechanism (SMS, mail, token, push notification, etc.)?

ANSWER: 2FA

## Windows Login Brute Force Detection Example



What is the event id value that indicates that the user is successfully logged in to a Windows system?

ANSWER: 4624

## QUIZ:



Which of the following tools is used to perform a brute force attack?

ANSWER: **John the Ripper**



Which of the following passwords is difficult for an attacker to crack?

ANSWER: **eux-1Ac-!dk3-cU0**



Which of the following protocols is used in brute force attacks?

ANSWER: RDP



**Which of the following pages do attackers use to perform a brute force attack?**

**ANSWER: Login pages**



**Which of the following tools was created specifically to perform brute force attacks on wireless?**

**ANSWER: Aircrack-ng**



**Which of the following tools cannot perform an RDP brute force attack?**

**ANSWER: Wfuzz**



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**Using which of the following event IDs can you detect RDP brute force attacks?**

**ANSWER: 4624-4625**



**Which of the following is not used to prevent brute force attacks?**

ANSWER: **Monitoring login activities**



**What is the purpose of brute force attacks?**

ANSWER: **Gaining unauthorized access**



**Which of the following is the brute force category in which the attacker cracks the previously captured encrypted or hashed passwords without establishing an active connection with the target system?**

ANSWER: **Offline brute force attacks**



**Which of the following files does not contain a password hash?**

ANSWER: **/var/log/auth.log.1**



**In which file SSH brute force logs are kept on Linux?**

ANSWER: **/var/log/auth.log**

