



Cybersecurity

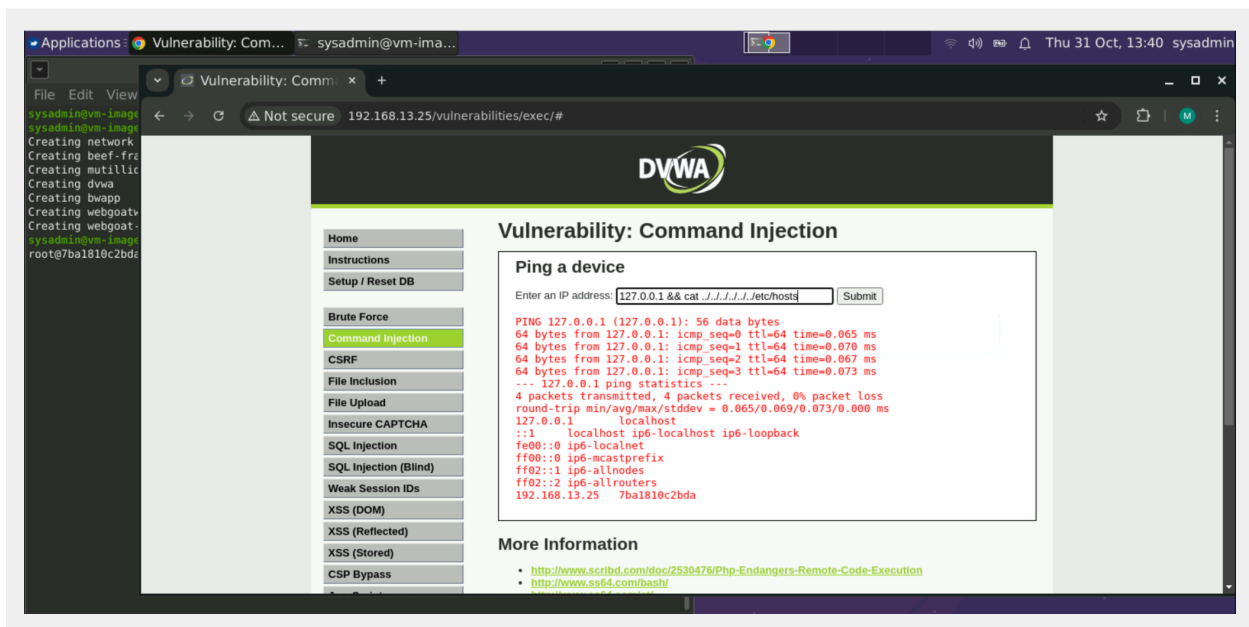
Module 15 Challenge Submission File

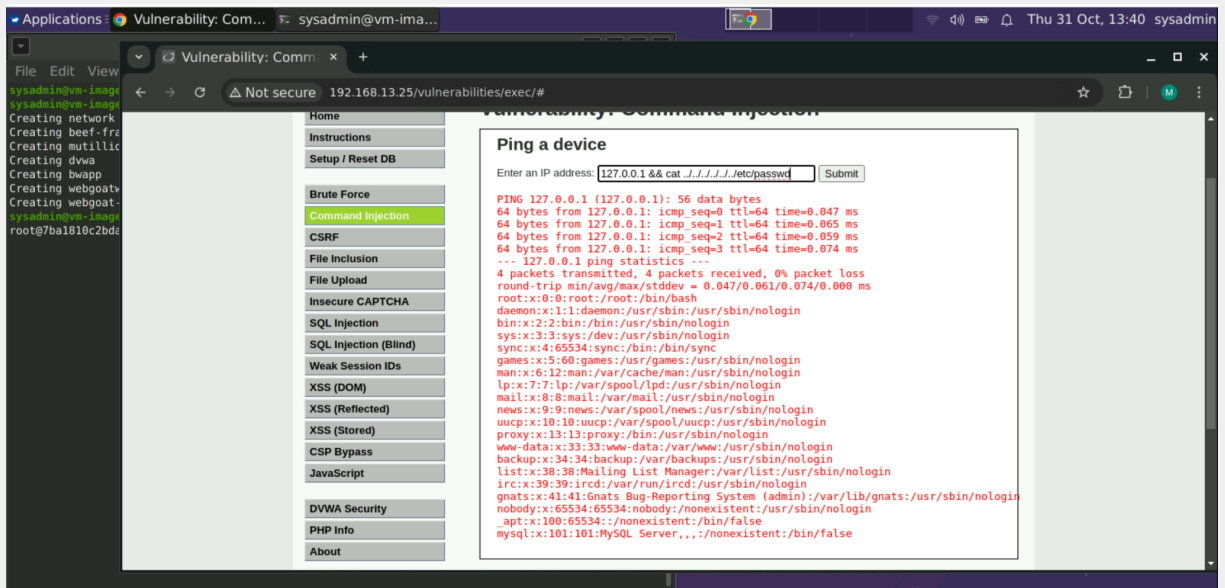
Testing Web Applications for Vulnerabilities

Make a copy of this document to work in, and then respond to each question below the prompt. Save and submit this completed file as your Challenge deliverable.

Web Application 1: *Your Wish is My Command Injection*

Provide a screenshot confirming that you successfully completed this exploit:





Write two or three sentences outlining mitigation strategies for this vulnerability:

Some mitigation strategies for this exploit would be:

Disable Unnecessary Commands:

Limit or turn off the system commands which are not vital for application functions. This includes commands like cat, pwd, or any that reach sensitive files.

Least Privilege Principle:

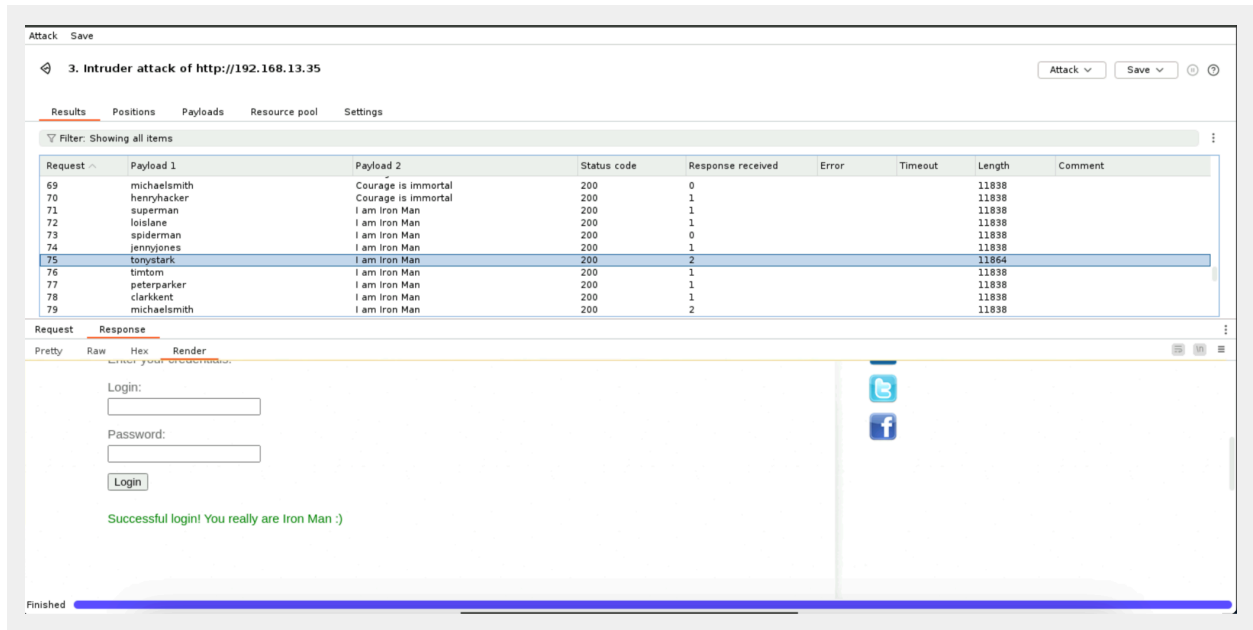
Start the web application with minimum necessary privileges, make sure it does not possess root access, this reduces possible effect of a command injection exploit.

Input Validation and Whitelisting:

Just permit particular, accurate input models, like IPv4 addresses, through the use of regular expressions or different validation methods. It stops users from inserting additional commands.

Web Application 2: A Brute Force to Be Reckoned With

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Implement Account Lockout Mechanisms:

Lock accounts temporarily after multiple failed login attempts to prevent brute force attacks.

Use CAPTCHA for Login Attempts:

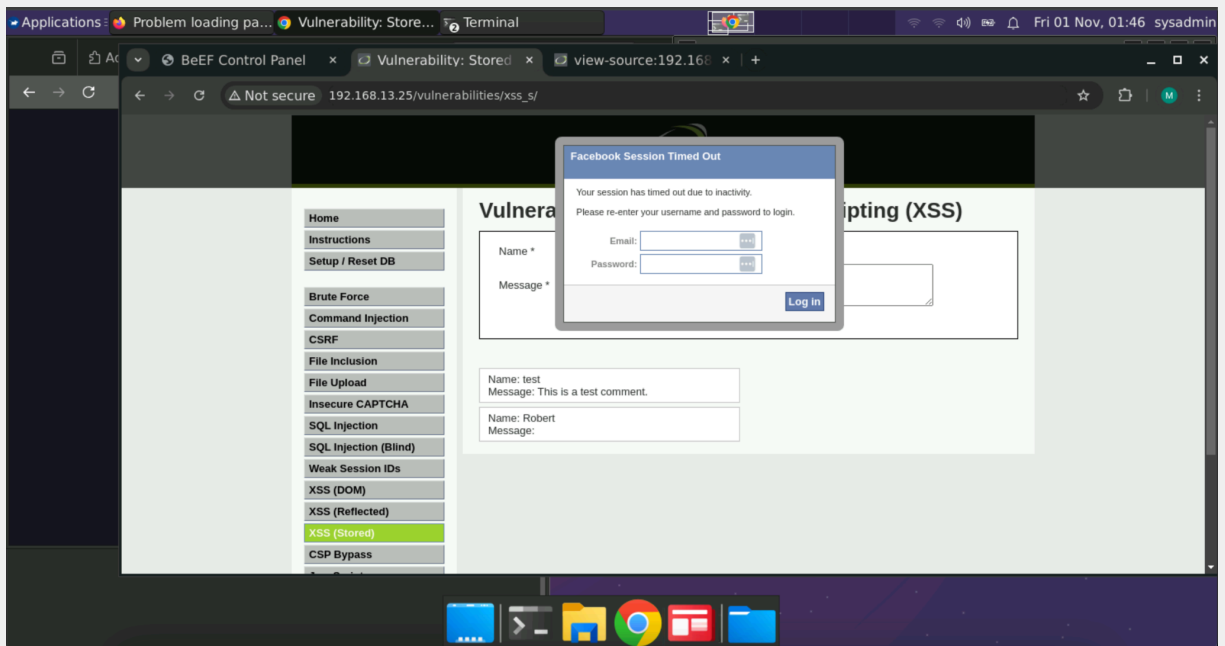
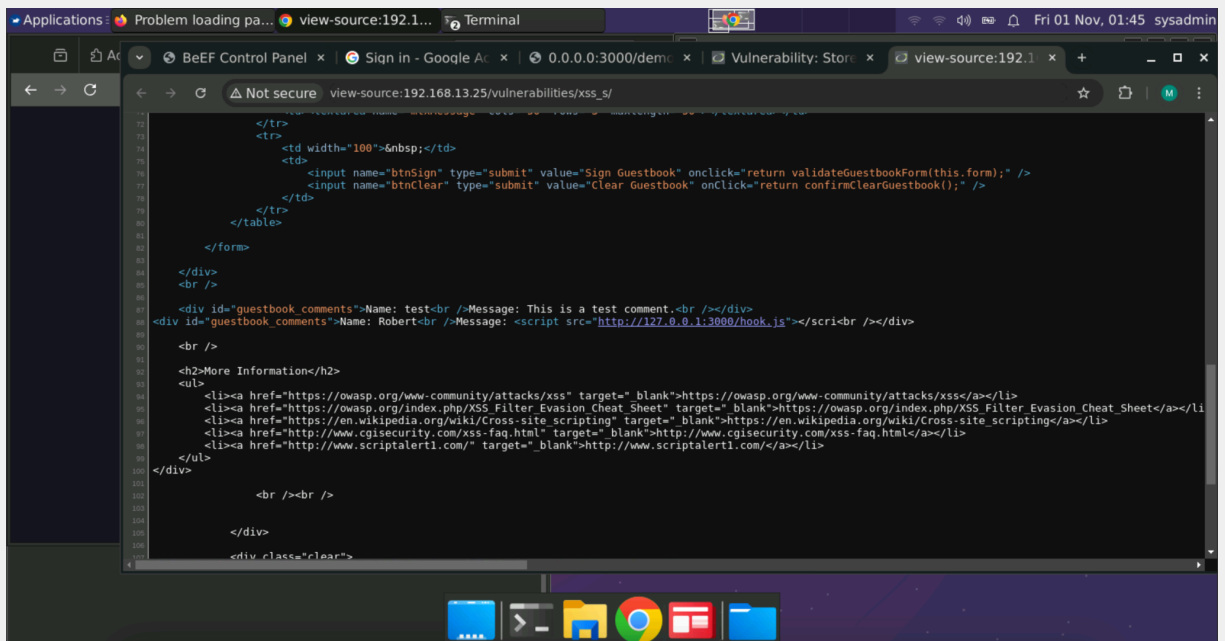
When you put CAPTCHA after several unsuccessful login tries, it stops automatic brute force instruments from checking lots of logins.

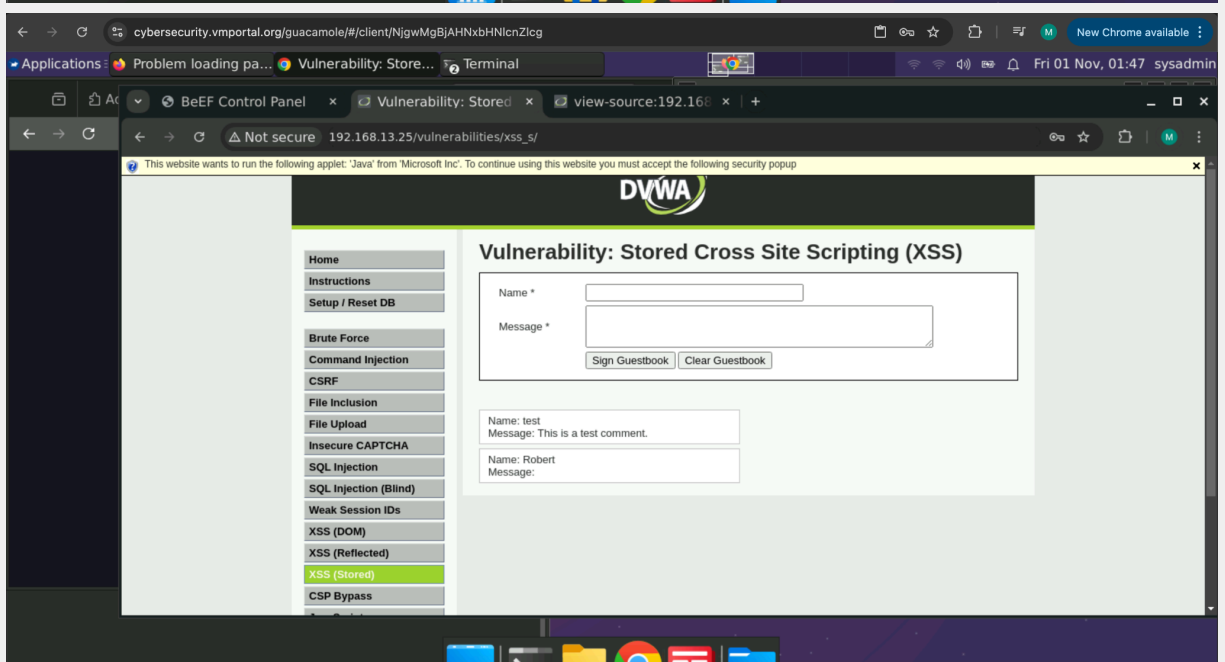
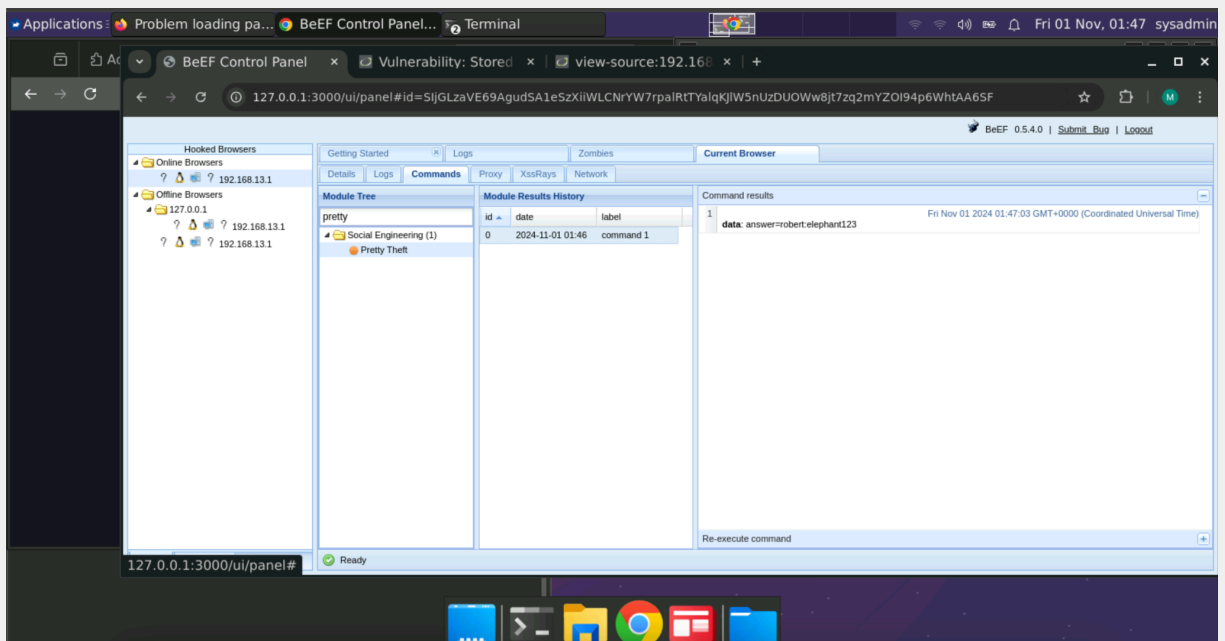
Enforce Strong Password Policies:

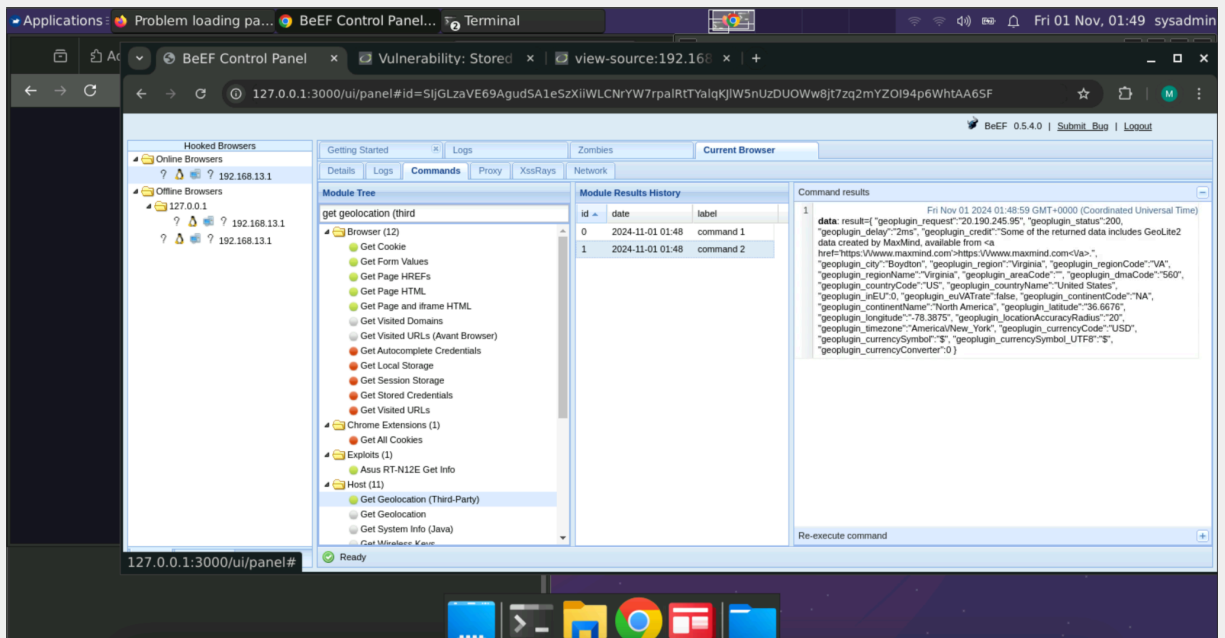
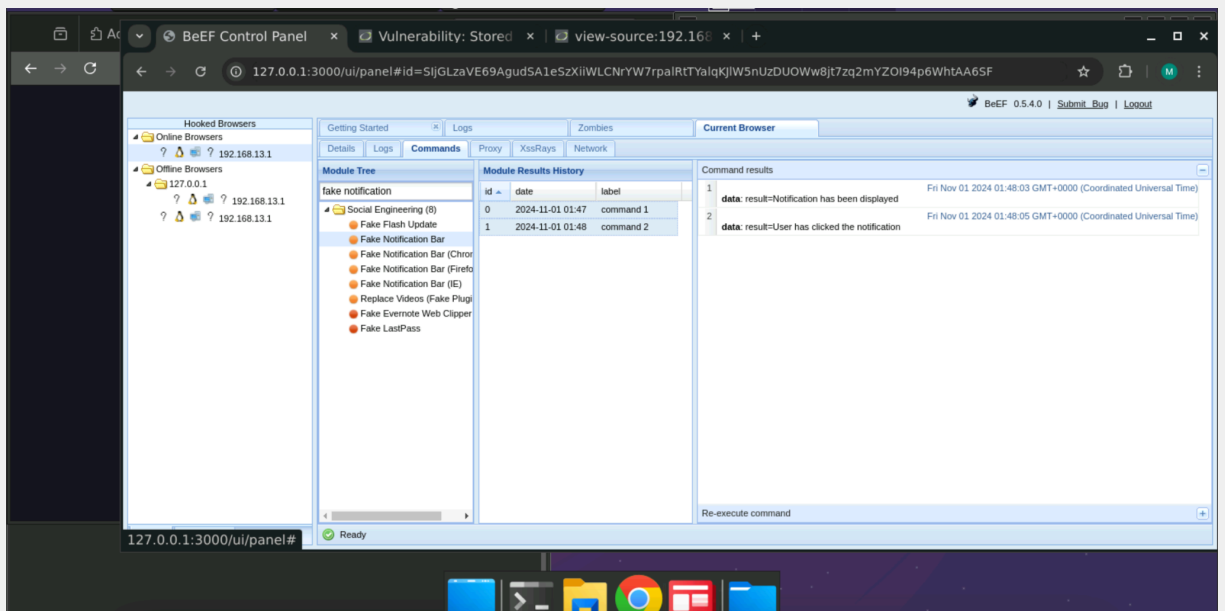
You must ask for complicated passwords and recommend users to alter these regularly. This helps in decreasing the chances that they will reuse their old ones or become targets of guessing attacks.

Web Application 3: *Where's the BeEF?*

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Sanitize User Input:

Put strong clean-up and output shaping on all form spaces to stop the adding of HTML or JavaScript markers.

Implement Content Security Policy (CSP):

Apply CSP headers for limiting browser actions, it stops inline script running and also blocks demands to domains that are not approved.

Educate and Train Developers:

Regularly train developers on secure coding practices to prevent common XSS vulnerabilities in applications.