

You have to use an ssh client to connect to the game.

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ssh level1@io.netgarage.org
password: level1
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root@kali:~# ssh level1@io.netgarage.org  
  
|| i || o || Welcome at IO!  
|_| |_| |_  
|/_|/_|/_| If you have problems connecting please contact us on IRC. (irc.netgarage.org +6697)  
  
level1@io.netgarage.org's password:  
  
/\_/\_/\_/\_/\ Levels are in /levels  
\_/\_/\_/\_/\ Passes are in ~/.pass  
V\_/\_/\_/\_/\ Readmes in /home/level1  
/\_/\_/\_/\_/\ Server admin: bla (blapost@gmail.com)  
V\_/\_/\_/\_/\  
  
1. No DoS, local or otherwise  
2. Do not try to connect to remote systems from this box  
3. Quotas, watch resources usage, max 2 connections per IP  
4. You are not allowed to reuse any of our content in writeups  
  
(32 levels)  
  
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pressing f, while running top (not on this box but in general)  
  
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- source /usr/local/peda/peda.py  
- source /usr/share/gef.py  
  
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ssh -p 2207 start@io.netgarage.org
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- level10 is still solvable, eventhough one way will not work anymore

- the next ioday (irc meetup on irc) is being planned contact us if you want to contribute content,
  or organising effort
level1@io:~$
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level1@io:~$ ls
README      README.de  README.id  README.nl  README.pt_br  README.se  tags
README.ar   README.es  README.it  README.no  README.ro     README.sk  wallet.dat
README.cn   README.fr  README.kr  README.pl  README.ru     README.sr
level1@io:~$
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README.cn README.fr README.kr README.pl README.ru README.sr
level1@io:~$ cat README
Welcome to the IO wargame
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You have done the hard part. You've found our realm. Where you can play with
classic, and up to date vulnerabilities in software. Since many of you may be
unfamiliar with how a wargame works, the following paragraphs will explain the basics.
If you have played linux shell based wargames before you can skip to the last section,
which lists all the IO specific information.

The problems are presented to you as a series of programs. They will vary
in size from a few lines to real software. The point is usually to exploit this bug in such
a way that you can control the program's execution flow. With the aim of having it read out
the password file for the next level.

The way this works is that the programs are "SUID binaries"
(http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Setuid). Set-user-id programs run with the privileges of the
owner of the program. Not the user starting the program. This is also how for example the
"passwd" program on a standard unix works. You will need to hijack these elevated privileges
of the level programs and use them to read the file in /home/levelX+1/.pass. which contains
the password for that level.

How to get started
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Currently you are "level1" user.
You can only access files that are owned by level1, or are accessible
by everybody. (Or accessible to one of the groups 'level1' user is in.)

level1@io:~# cd /levels
level1@io:/levels# ls -las level01
8 -r-sr-x--- 1 level2 level1 7500 Nov 16 2007 level01

When you run it it will ask you for a code. Which you must somehow find.
Given the correct password it will launch a new shell with level2 rights.
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When you want to test shellcode you can use code similar to the one
included below in order to test:

#include <sys/mman.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <stdio.h>

char sc[] = "your shellcode here";

int main(){
    void * a = mmap(0, 4096, PROT_EXEC | PROT_READ | PROT_WRITE, MAP_ANONYMOUS | MAP_SHARED, -1, 0);
    printf("allocated executable memory at: %p\n", a);
    ((void (*)(void)) memcpy(a, sc, sizeof(sc)))();
}

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A: It was written by bla.

Game specifics
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- passwords are stored in the home directory for the level, in a file called .pass.
  for example /home/level2/.pass contains the password for the user "level2"
- Chat:
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level1@io:~$ cd /levels/
level1@io:/levels$
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level04_alt  level07_alt   level10.pass    level16       level19       level26.l     level32
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level1@io:/levels$ ./level01
Enter the 3 digit passcode to enter: 452
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level1@io:/levels$ ./level01
Enter the 3 digit passcode to enter: 452
level1@io:/levels$ gdb level01
GNU gdb (Debian 7.12-6) 7.12.0.20161007-git
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License GPLv3+: GNU GPL version 3 or later <http://gnu.org/licenses/gpl.html>
This is free software: you are free to change and redistribute it.
There is NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by law. Type "show copying"
and "show warranty" for details.
This GDB was configured as "i686-linux-gnu".
Type "show configuration" for configuration details.
For bug reporting instructions, please see:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/bugs/>.
Find the GDB manual and other documentation resources online at:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/documentation/>.
For help, type "help".
Type "apropos word" to search for commands related to "word"...
Reading symbols from level01...(no debugging symbols found)...done.
(gdb) █

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level03.c level06.c level10_bis.c level15.c level18_alt.c level25.c level31
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level1@io:/levels$ ./level01
Enter the 3 digit passcode to enter: 452
level1@io:/levels$ gdb level01
GNU gdb (Debian 7.12-6) 7.12.0.20161007-git
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There is NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by law. Type "show copying"
and "show warranty" for details.
This GDB was configured as "i686-linux-gnu".
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For bug reporting instructions, please see:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/bugs/>.
Find the GDB manual and other documentation resources online at:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/documentation/>.
For help, type "help".
Type "apropos word" to search for commands related to "word"...
Reading symbols from level01...(no debugging symbols found)...done.
(gdb) set disassemblz intel
No symbol table is loaded. Use the "file" command.
(gdb) set disassembly intel
(gdb) disass main
Dump of assembler code for function main:
0x08048080 <+0>: push 0x8049128
0x08048085 <+5>: call 0x804810f
0x0804808a <+10>: call 0x804809f
0x0804808f <+15>: cmp eax,0x10f
0x08048094 <+20>: je 0x80480dc
0x0804809a <+26>: call 0x8048103
End of assembler dump.
(gdb) █

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Type "apropos word" to search for commands related to "word"...
Reading symbols from level01...(no debugging symbols found)...done.
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No symbol table is loaded. Use the "file" command.
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0x08048094 <+20>:   je      0x80480dc
0x0804809a <+26>:   call   0x8048103
End of assembler dump.
(gdb) p 0x10f
$1 = 271
(gdb) q
level1@io:/levels$ strings level01
,0<      w
Enter the 3 digit passcode to enter: Congrats you found it, now read the password for level2 from /home/level2/.
pass
/bin/sh
.symtab
.strtab
.shstrtab
.text
.lib
.data
level01.asm
fscanf
skipwhite
doit
exitscanf
YouWin
exit
puts
main
prompt1
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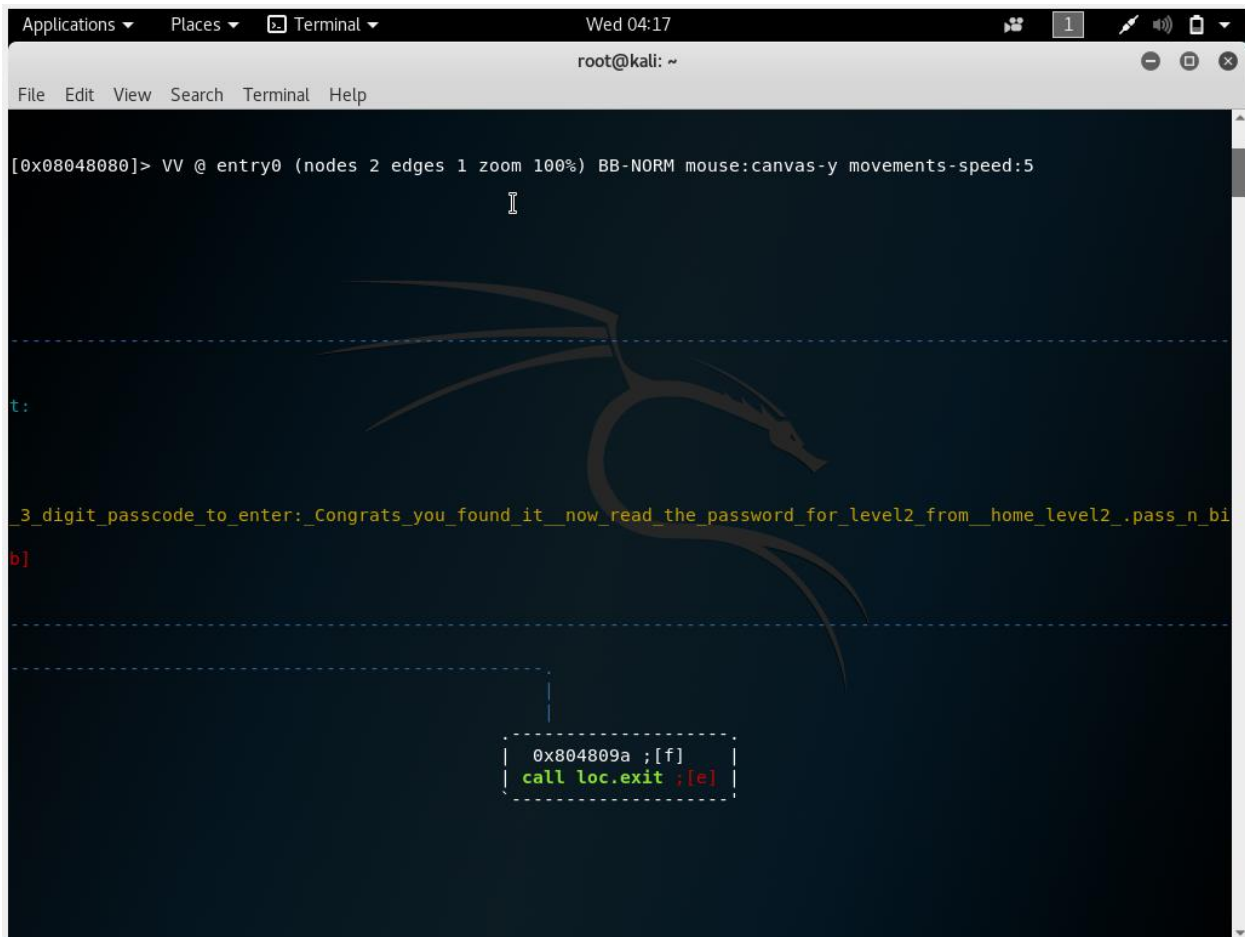
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End of assembler dump.
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puts
main
prompt1
prompt2
shell
_start
__bss_start
__edata
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level1@io:/levels$ ./level01
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sh-4.3$
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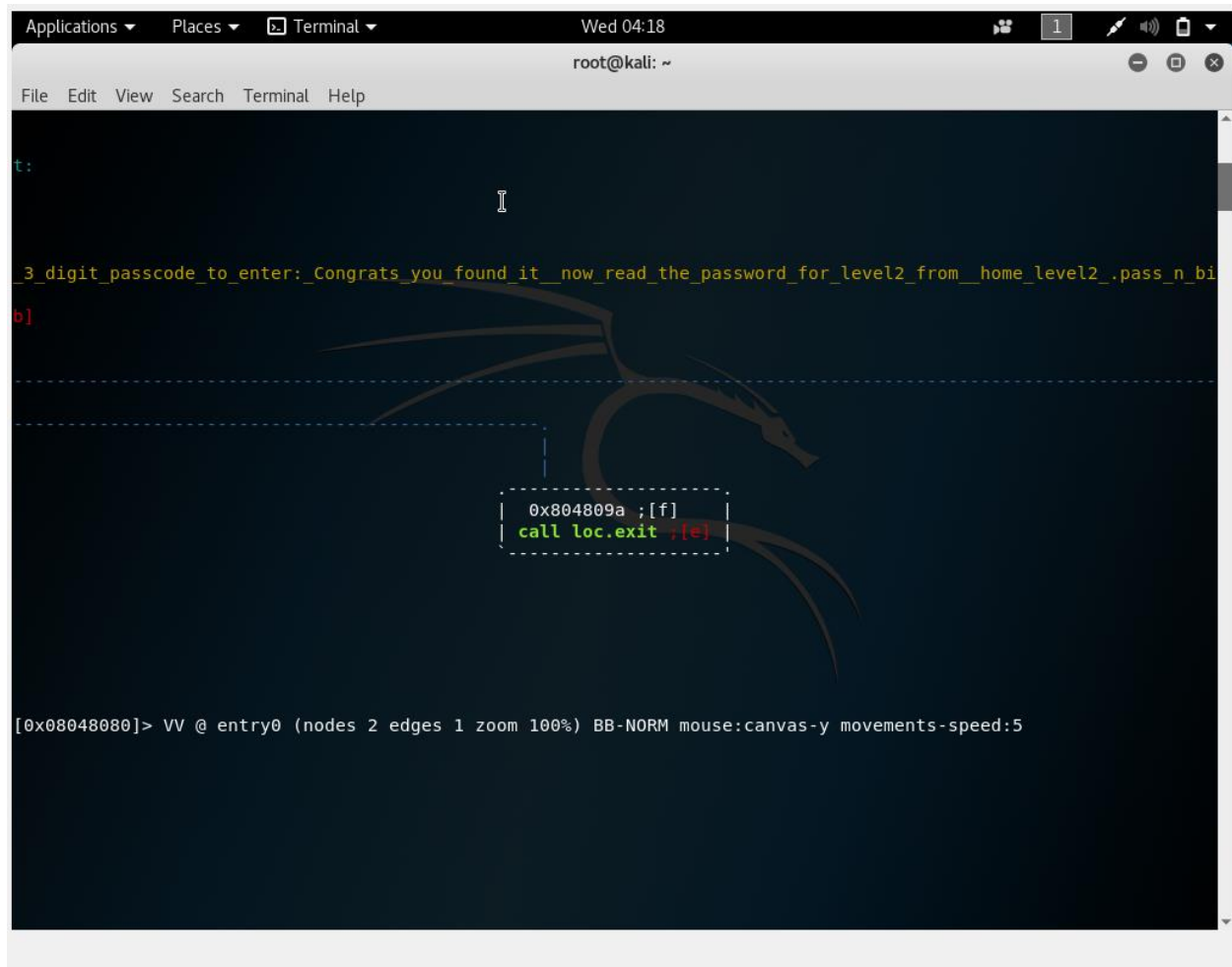
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sh-4.3$ id
uid=1001(level1) gid=1001(level1) euid=1002(level2) groups=1001(level1),1029(nosu)
sh-4.3$ whoami
level2
sh-4.3$ cat /home/level2/.pass
XNWftWKWHhaaXoKI
sh-4.3$
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sh-4.3$ whoami
level2
sh-4.3$ cat /home/level2/.pass
XNWFtWKWHhaxoKI
sh-4.3$ exit
exit
level1@io:/levels$ clear

level1@io:/levels$ r2 level01
Warning: Cannot initialize dynamic strings
-- Almost 5am, maybe you should go to bed.
[0x08048080]> AAA
[ERROR] Invalid command 'AAA' (0x41)
[0x08048080]> aaa
[x] Analyze all flags starting with sym. and entry0 (aa)
[x] Analyze len bytes of instructions for references (aar)
[x] Analyze function calls (aac)
[ ] [*] Use -AA or aaaa to perform additional experimental analysis.
[x] Constructing a function name for fcn.* and sym.func.* functions (aan)
[0x08048080]> s main
[0x08048080]> vv
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Github link :