LAB 6 – REMOTE DNS

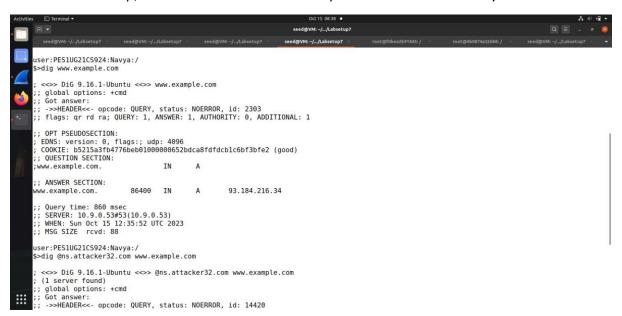
NAME: NAVYA PERAM

SRN: PES1UG21CS924

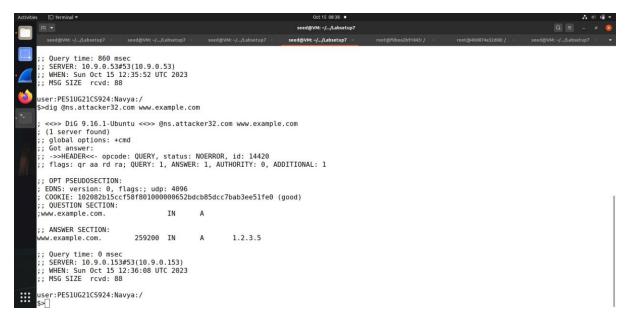
Cross-check

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root@alosiloszcal:/# export rsl= user:resloczicsyz4:Navya:\w\n\$>
user:PES1UG21CS924:Navya:/
$>dig ns.attacker32.com
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> ns.attacker32.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 31612
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; COOKIE: 62cf5223f743120201000000652bdc9efcae8b3271595289 (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;ns.attacker32.com.
                                IN
;; ANSWER SECTION:
                        259200 IN
                                                10.9.0.153
ns.attacker32.com.
                                        A
;; Query time: 8 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sun Oct 15 12:35:42 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 90
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We observe that the ip address of the attacker is 10.9.0.153, and on comparing it with the environment setup, we can confirm that the setup has been done correctly.



We get the ip address of www.example.com which is always 93.184.216.34, and usually used in testing and documentation. We get to know that the connection is correct.



However, when we query example.com through the ns.attacker32.com server, we get 1.2.3.5 which then implies the fact that the corresponding ip address is spoofed.

Task1

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Q =
                                                                                                                                                            seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup7
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attacker:PEs1UG21CS924:Navya:/
attacker:PEs1UG2ICS924:Navya:/

>cd volumes/

attacker:PEs1UG2ICS924:Navya:/volumes

>python3 generate_dns_query.py

###[ IP ] ###

version = 4

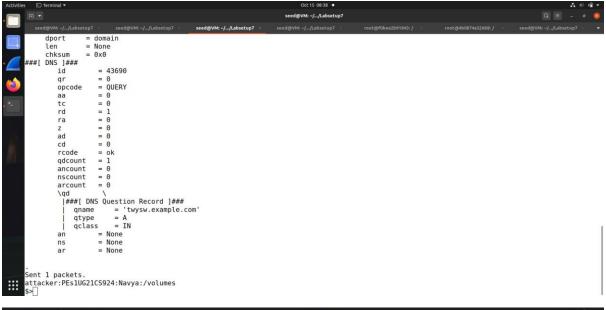
iht = None

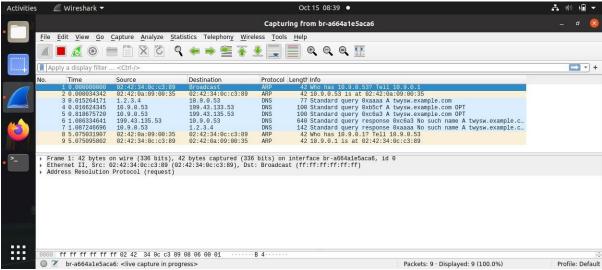
tos = 0x0

len = None

id = 1

flags =
  ihl
tos
len
id
flags
frag
ttl
proto
chksum
src
                        = 64
= udp
= None
= 1.2.3.4
= 10.9.0.53
   src
dst
\options \
###[ UDP ]###
sport
dport
                               = 12345
= domain
= None
           chksum
                                   = 0 \times 0
###[ DNS ]###
id
qr
                                         = 43690
                                         = 43690
= 0
= QUERY
= 0
= 0
= 1
= 0
= 0
                  opcode
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Here, we send a DNS request to twysw.example.com and we get a reply in return saying that it doesn't exist. Since the given ip address doesn't exist it is the correct response.

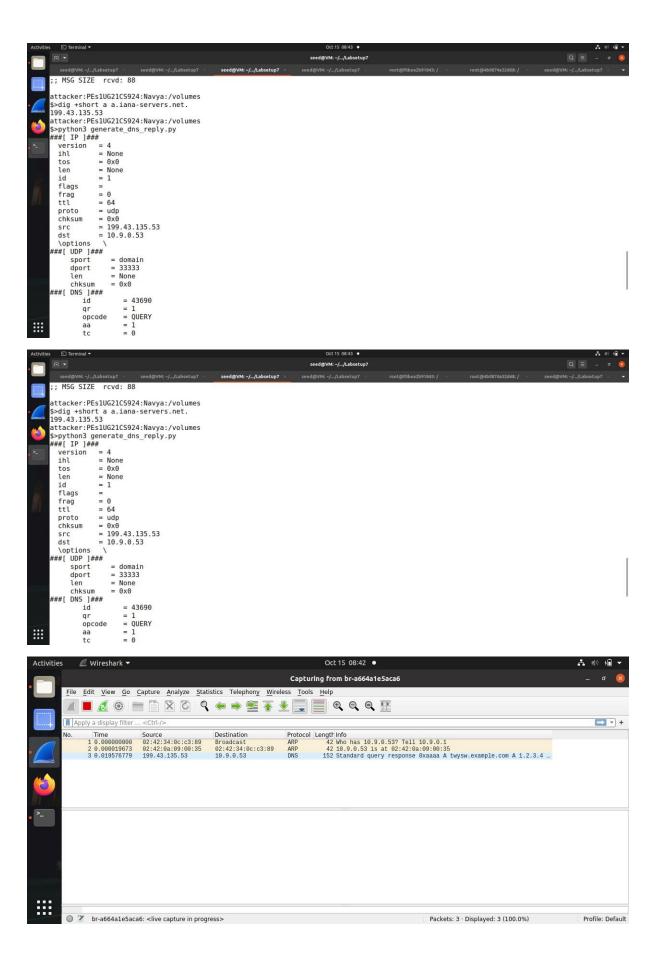
Task2

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                                                 Oct 15 08:42 •
                                             seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup7
                                                                                         Q =
                               seed@VM: ~...
                     = None
Sent 1 packets.
attacker:PEs1UG21CS924:Navya:/volumes
$>dig NS example.com
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> NS example.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 40299
;; flags: qr rd ra ad; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 2, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 512
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;example.com.
                                               NS
;; ANSWER SECTION:
example.com.
                            121
                                     IN
                                               NS
                                                        a.iana-servers.net.
example.com.
                            121
                                     IN
                                               NS
                                                        b.iana-servers.net.
;; Query time: 40 msec
;; SERVER: 8.8.8.8#53(8.8.8.8)
;; WHEN: Sun Oct 15 12:40:17 UTC 2023
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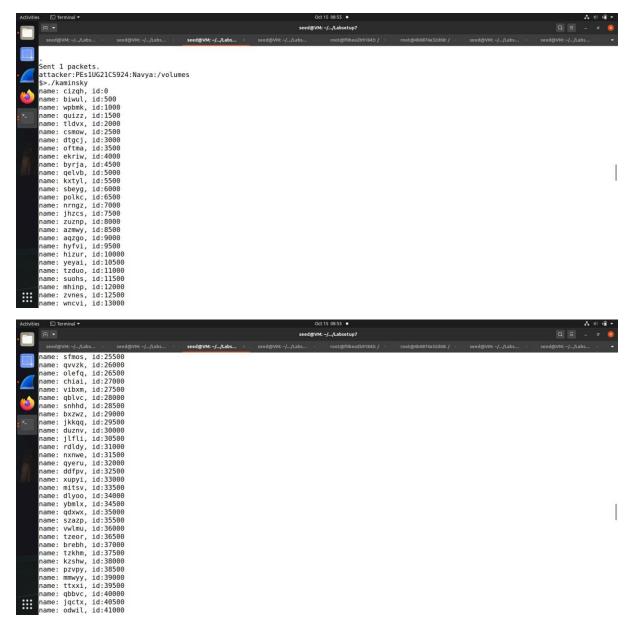
Through the above code we find that the nameservers of example.com are a.iana-servers.net. and b.iana-servers.net. We find that the ip address of iana-servers is 199.43.135.53





In the above process, we spoof and send a DNS reply. Since the DNS queries are not cached in the system, it assumes that it sent the DNS request and it then accepts the spoofed DNS query and then caches it. For the DNS response sent, we receive a reply , which is 1.2.3.4 and this reply is cached.

Task3

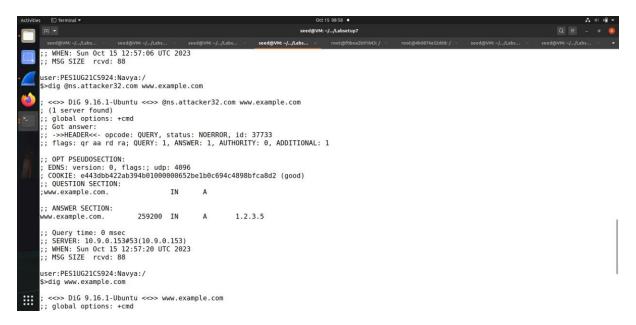


In cache poisoning, we observe multiple DNS queries which are being sent one after the other with random names and IDs.

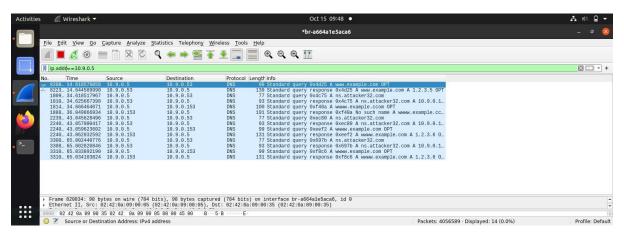
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Activities Terminal Oct 15 09:39 Foot@e283a350ff3s: / Oct 15 00:39 Foot@e283a350ffss: / Oct 15 00:39 Foot@e283a350ffss: / Oct 15 00:39 Foot@e2
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Here, we observe that the cache contains the word attacker, which means that our spoofed DNS response has been successfully accepted by the DNS server. Hence, we can say that we have poisoned the cache successfully.

Task 4



We observe that both the above ip addresses are same. This occurs as the local DNS server sends the query to ns.attacker32.com rather than the actual nameserver. We find that the attack is indeed successful, as the local DNS server cache is updated to that of the malicious server.



In the above wireshark picture, we observe that the DNS query from the host is forwarded to the local DNS server, from where it is further forwarded to the attacker's Nameserver.