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GitHub Repo: https://github.com/Neting1/automated-security-audit-GROUP_9/tree/main

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PROJECT WORK

SUBJECT: Build a script to perform a daily security audit, logs results, and run as a system service.

Step-by-Step Instructions

Project Setup

Create a project directory:

- ➢ mkdir -p ~/myproject/{scripts,docs}
- ➢ cd ~/myproject

Write the Audit Script (`security_audit.sh`)

Navigate to the `scripts` folder and create the script:

- ➢ cd ~/myproject/scripts
- ➢ nano security_audit.sh

Paste the following code (customize as needed):

```bash
#!/bin/bash
 # Define output file
 REPORT=~/myproject/docs/audit_report.txt
 echo "Daily Security Audit Report - $(date)" > $REPORT

 # Check open ports
 echo -e "\n==== OPEN PORTS ====" >> $REPORT
 ss -tuln >> $REPORT

 # Analyze failed logins
 echo -e "\n==== FAILED LOGINS ====" >> $REPORT
 grep "Failed password" /var/log/auth.log | tail -n 10 >> $REPORT

 # Review user permissions (non-system users)
 echo -e "\n==== USER PERMISSIONS ====" >> $REPORT
 awk -F: '($3 >= 1000) {print $1}' /etc/passwd | xargs -I {} ls -ld /home/{} >> $REPORT
```

echo "Audit completed. Report saved to $REPORT."

Make the script executable:

➢ chmod +x security_audit.sh

Create a Systemd Service

Create a service file:

➢ sudo nano /etc/systemd/system/security-audit.service

Add this configuration:

[Unit]
Description=Daily Security Audit
After=network.target

[Service]
Type=oneshot
ExecStart=/home/$USER/myproject/scripts/security_audit.sh
User=$USER

Create a timer to run daily:

➢ sudo nano /etc/systemd/system/security-audit.timer

[Unit]
Description=Run security audit daily

[Timer]
OnCalendar=daily

Persistent=true

[Install]

WantedBy=timers.target

Enable and start the timer:

- ➢ sudo systemctl daemon-reload
- ➢ sudo systemctl enable security-audit.timer
- ➢ sudo systemctl start security-audit.timer

Test the Setup

Manually run the script to verify:

- ➢ ./security_audit.sh
- ➢ cat ~/myproject/docs/audit_report.txt

Check the service status:

- ➢ sudo systemctl status security-audit

Documentation (`project_readme.md`)

Create a README in the `docs` folder:

- ➢ cd ~/myproject/docs
- ➢ nano project_readme.md

Include:

Markdown

Automated Security Audit Tool

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Usage

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Service: Runs daily via systemd timer.

Output

Reports saved to `audit_report.txt`.

Sync Reports to Cloud

Use `rsync` to upload reports to a droplet (replace placeholders):

rsync -az ~/myproject/docs/ user@your-droplet-ip:/path/to/remote/folder

Submission

Take screenshots of:

    i.   sudo systemctl status security-audit`
   ii.   cat ~/myproject/docs/audit_report.txt`

Push to GitHub (if required):

- git init
- git add .
- git commit -m "Automated Security Audit Tool"
- git remote add origin https://github.com/your-username/repo-name.git
- git push -u origin main

Group Tasks:

    I.   Split roles (scripting, systemd setup, documentation).
   II.   Test on multiple systems (Ubuntu/Ubuntu Server).
  III.   Present findings in class.

```
group-9@SecOp:~$ cat ~/myproject/docs/audit_report.txt
Daily Security Audit Report - Thu Aug 14 09:44:24 UTC 2025

==== OPEN PORTS ====
Netid State  Recv-Q Send-Q      Local Address:Port  Peer Address:PortProcess
udp   UNCONN 0      3584    172.17.0.1%docker0:27962        0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0       192.168.93.26%eth0:27962        0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0             127.0.0.54:53             0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0           127.0.0.53%lo:53            0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0          10.255.255.254:53            0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0              127.0.0.1:323            0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      3584    172.17.0.1%docker0:25767        0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0       192.168.93.26%eth0:25767        0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      3584    172.17.0.1%docker0:9993         0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0       192.168.93.26%eth0:9993         0.0.0.0:*
udp   UNCONN 0      0                  [::1]:323              [::]:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      4096          127.0.0.54:53             0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      4096           127.0.0.1:39451          0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      5               0.0.0.0:9993            0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      4096        127.0.0.53%lo:53            0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      4096            0.0.0.0:22              0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      100           127.0.0.1:25             0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      1000     10.255.255.254:53             0.0.0.0:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      5                     *:9993                 *:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      4096               [::]:22                [::]:*
tcp   LISTEN 0      100                [::1]:25                [::]:*

==== FAILED LOGINS ====

==== USER PERMISSIONS ====
drwxr-x--- 11 oduro oduro 4096 Aug 13 12:59 /home/oduro
drwxr-x--- 9 okocha okocha 4096 Aug 12 18:40 /home/okocha
drwxr-x--- 2 protecteduser protecteduser 4096 Aug 13 12:11 /home/protecteduser
drwxr-x--- 5 group-9 group-9 4096 Aug 14 09:42 /home/group-9
group-9@SecOp:~$
```

```
group-9@SecOp:~$ sudo systemctl status security-audit
○ security-audit.service - Daily Security Audit
     Loaded: loaded (/etc/systemd/system/security-audit.service; disabled; preset: enabled)
     Active: inactive (dead)
TriggeredBy: ● security-audit.timer
group-9@SecOp:~$
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group-9@SecOp: ~/myprojec          +   v                                                                    —  □  ✕

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## Usage
1. Script: `./security_audit.sh`
2. Service: Runs daily via systemd timer.

## Output
Reports saved to `audit_report.txt`.

## Group Members Name
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```

```
group-9@SecOp:~/myproject/docs$ nano project_readme.md
group-9@SecOp:~/myproject/docs$
group-9@SecOp:~/myproject/docs$
group-9@SecOp:~/myproject/docs$ rsync -az ~/myproject/docs/ ing@192.1
68.193.100:/home/ing/myproject
The authenticity of host '192.168.193.100 (192.168.193.100)' can't be
 established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:LQgEcaQmkIo9ZgajCAScc1BVgl9d6uS3Nto
FQWdZC68.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])?
yes
Warning: Permanently added '192.168.193.100' (ED25519) to the list of
 known hosts.
ing@192.168.193.100's password:
group-9@SecOp:~/myproject/docs$
```

```
ing@tester:~$ ls
myproject  snap
ing@tester:~$ cd myproject/
ing@tester:~/myproject$ pwd
/home/ing/myproject
ing@tester:~/myproject$ ls
audit_report.txt  deploy_nginx.sh   project_readme.md
ing@tester:~/myproject$
```