

## **Vulnerability Analysis**

### **a. Perform vulnerability research with vulnerability scoring systems and databases**

- i. Perform vulnerability research in Common Weakness Enumeration (CWE)**
  - <https://cwe.mitre.org/>
- ii. Perform vulnerability research in Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures (CVE)**
  - <https://cve.mitre.org/>
- iii. Perform vulnerability research in National Vulnerability Database (NVD)**
  - <https://nvd.nist.gov/>

### **b. Perform vulnerability assessment using various vulnerability assessment tools**

- i. Perform vulnerability analysis using OpenVAS**
- ii. Perform vulnerability scanning using Nessus**
- iii. Perform web servers and applications vulnerability scanning using CGI Scanner Nikto**
  - `nikto -h [ Target website ] -Tuning x`  
( The -Tuning option in Nikto allows you to fine-tune which types of tests are run. The letter x in this case means that all types of checks will be performed (i.e., no filtering, so Nikto will run all its tests).)
  - `nikto -h [ Target website ] -Cgidirs all`  
( -Cgidirs all: This option tells Nikto to check for CGI directories. CGI (Common Gateway Interface) is a standard for running external programs (usually scripts) via web servers. Using all will have Nikto scan all potential CGI directories it knows about, instead of just the default ones.)
  - `nikto -h [Target website ] -o result.txt -F txt`

