CSE 2010 SECURE CODING LAB SLOT –L23+L24

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LAB EXPERIMENT 13

Lab experiment – Automated Vulnerability Analysis and Patch Management

Experiment and Analysis

- Deploy Windows Exploit Suggester Next Generation (WES-NG)
- Obtain the system information and check for any reported vulnerabilities.
- If any vulnerabilities reported, apply patch and make your system safe.
- Submit the auto-generated report using pwndoc.

Happy Learning!!!

EXPERIMENT

Step 1: Clone the following repository link to desktop

Link: https://github.com/bitsadmin/wesng

While cloning we can choose the destination folder to save this zip file.

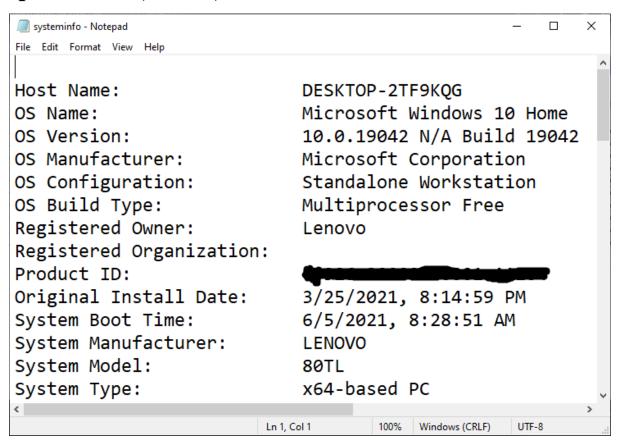
Step 2: Get the System info by running the Systeminfo.exe and store the data in systeminfo.txt

Use the following commands and them in command prompt to get system info

systeminfo > systeminfo.txt

notepad systeminfo.txt

The systeminfo.txt file contains the data related to system specifications, Hotfix, network cards and etc.



BEFORE PATCHING

Step 3:

Run the setup.py

Then see update the wes.py to the latest version

And then run the wes.py file for the systeminfo.txt file

We will get the details of the vulnerabilities along with the appropriate patch.

Missing patch is KB4601050

Vulnerability: CVE-2021-24111

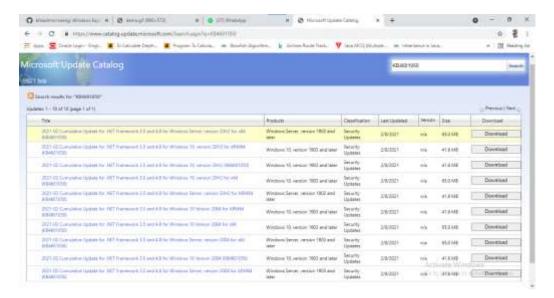
Description: .NET framework DOS (Denial of Service)

Patch count required: 1

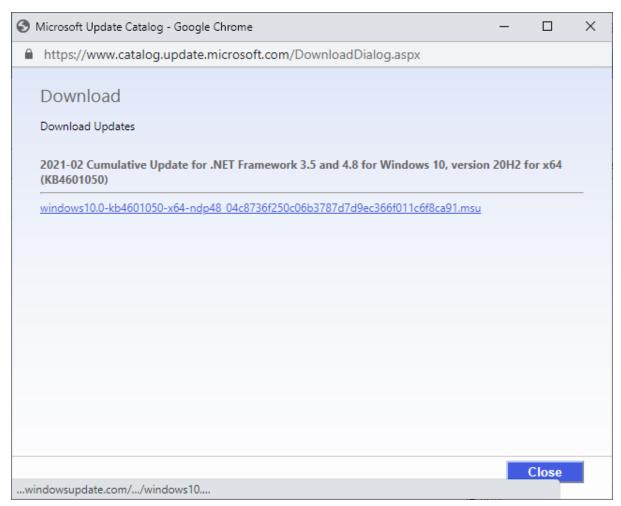
AFTER PATCH

Find the missing patch from the windows catalogue and install it.

Select the appropriate patch which is suitable for the system version and download it.



While clicking download we get a dialog box like this



We can also patch it by the searching on basis of vulnerability.

If the missing patch is already downloaded then it gets updated and doesn't appear while running the test again.

While running the test we noticed there is a missing patch

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    [+] Missing patches: 1

            KB4601050: patches 2 vulnerabilities

    [+] KB with the most recent release date

            ID: KB4601050
            Release date: 20210216

    [+] Done. Displaying 2 of the 2 vulnerabilities found.
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But in the update history the patch is successfully installed and updated to the latest version

2021-02 Cumulative Update for .NET Framework 3.5 and 4.8 for Windows 10, version 20H2 for x64 (KB4601050) Successfully installed on 3/26/2021

This might be an OEM error and Microsoft hasn't resolved it yet.

We can use this command to find any major vulnerabilities and the system doesn't have any major vulnerability.