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File Transfer Protocol

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**ping**

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Running the command "nmap -v -A 10.129.57.243"


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SEE THE MAN PAGE (https://nmap.org/book/man.html) FOR MORE OPTIONS AND EXAMPLES
[us-starting-point-1-dhcp]-[10.10.15.19]-[htb-proxyrambus@htb-tue7dkrxyp]-[~/Desktop]
[*]$ nmap -v -A 10.129.57.243
Starting Nmap 7.92 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2022-10-26 17:17 BST
NSE: Loaded 155 scripts for scanning.
```

This gives us the FTP version number

```
| -rw-r--r-- 1 0 0 32 Jun 04 2021 flag.txt
| ftp-syst:
| STAT:
| FTP server status:
| Connected to ::ffff:10.10.15.19
| Logged in as ftp
| TYPE: ASCII
| No session bandwidth limit
| Session timeout in seconds is 300
| Control connection is plain text
| Data connections will be plain text
| At session startup, client count was 2
| vsFTPd 3.0.3 - secure, fast, stable
| End of status
Service Info: OS: Unix
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That same command also give us the targets OS

```
PORT STATE SERVICE VERSION
21/tcp open  ftp      vsftpd 3.0.3
| ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
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ftp -h

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anonymous

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## Task 9

What is the response code we get for the FTP message 'Login successful'?

Attempting to FTP into the target with the the provided username anonymous

```
[us-starting-point-1-dhcp]-[10.10.15.19]-[  
[★]$ ftp 10.129.57.243  
Connected to 10.129.57.243.  
220 (vsFTPd 3.0.3)  
Name (10.129.57.243:root): anonymous  
331 Please specify the password.  
Password:  
230 Login successful.  
Remote system type is UNIX.  
Using binary mode to transfer files.  
ftp> █
```



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## Task 10


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**ls**  
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## Task 11


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**get**  
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Submit Flag

Submit root flag

Searching the FTP server for the `flag.txt` file

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200 PORT command successful. Consider using PASV.
150 Here comes the directory listing.
-rw-r--r--  1 0      0      32 Jun 04  2021 flag.txt
226 Directory send OK.
ftp>
```

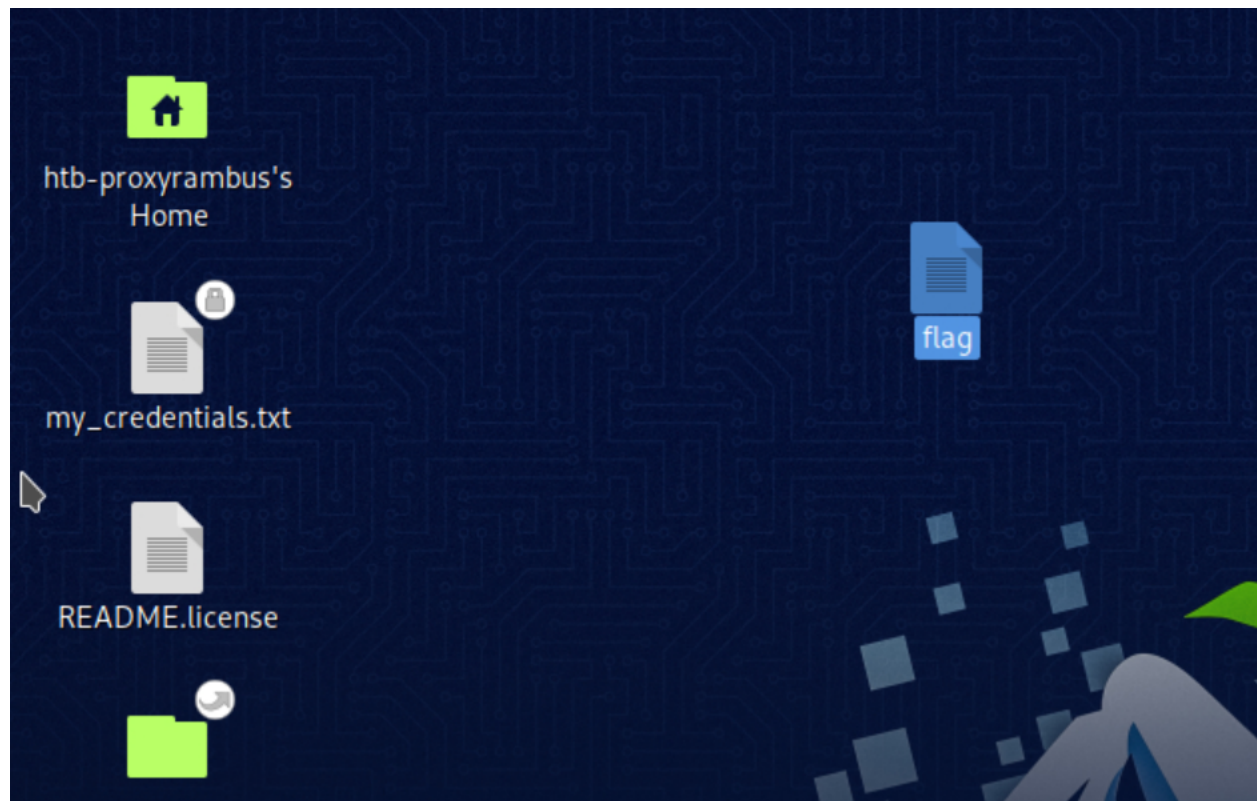
Setting the download location to be desktop with command "lcd /home/htb-proxyrambus/Desktop"

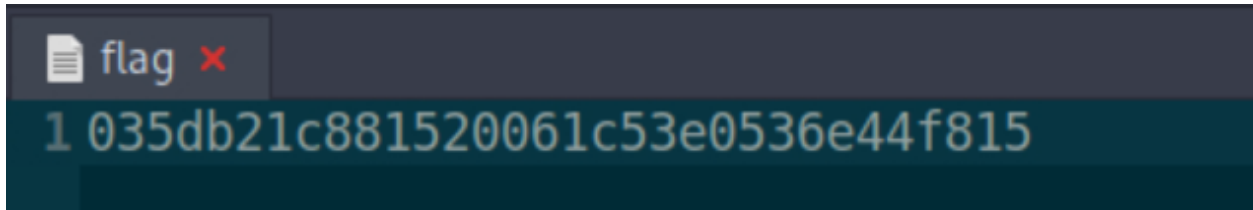
```
150 Opening BINARY mode data connection for flag.txt
226 Transfer complete.
32 bytes received in 0.00 secs (106.2925 kB/s)
ftp> lcd /home/htb-proxyrambus/Desktop
Local directory now /home/htb-proxyrambus/Desktop
ftp> █ Free space: 41.8 MB
```

Using the get command and naming the file flag

```
200 PORT command successful. Consider using PASV.
150 Opening BINARY mode data connection for flag.txt (32 bytes).
226 Transfer complete.
32 bytes received in 0.00 secs (538.7931 kB/s)
ftp> █ Free space: 41.8 MB
```

Opening flag file from the Desktop





Submitting the flag root file

