SQLMAP for Automated SQL Injection Testing and Exploitation

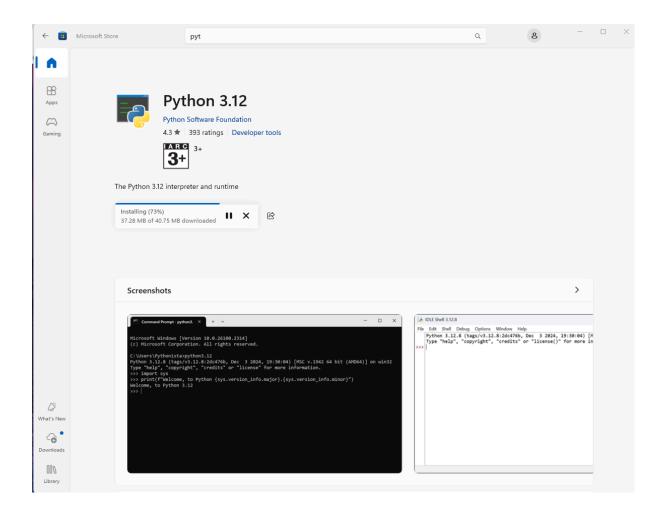
SQLMAP is an automated tool for detecting and exploiting SQL injection vulnerabilities. It simplifies the process of penetration testing databases and provides several powerful features.

Key Features of SQLMAP

- 1. Database Fingerprinting: Identifies the database type and version.
- 2. Boolean, Time-based, and Error-based Injection Support: Supports different techniques to test and exploit SQL injection.
- 3. Automation of Exploitation: Automates retrieving database information, users, and credentials.
- 4. Compatibility with Burp Suite Headers: Allows importing headers captured using Burp Suite for enhanced injection testing. Setup and Execution

1. Install SQLMAP

1.Download and install SQLMAP: INSTALL PYTHON



python sqlmap.py -h

2. Use Burp Suite for Proxy Configuration

Open Burp Suite and set the proxy to 8081.

Intercept traffic with Burp Suite.

3. Capture and Export Header

☐ Use a browser with Burp Suite proxy enabled.
☐ Visit a vulnerable application (e.g., DVWA - Damn Vulnerable Web Application)
☐ Change DVWA security level to Low.
☐ Perform a SQL injection attempt and intercept the request.
☐ In Burp Suite, right-click on the intercepted header and save it (e.g., header.txt)

4. Perform SQL Injection with SQLMAP

Use SQLMAP with the captured header:

python sqlmap.py -r header.txt --dbs

This command analyzes the request and retrieves the database information.

Manual SQL Injection Process

1. Identify Vulnerable Input Fields:

Look for parameters that might be vulnerable to injection (e.g., id=1).

2. Test Injection Techniques:

Boolean-based: Use payloads like 1' AND 1=1-- or 1' AND 1=2--.

Time-based: Use delays like 1' AND SLEEP(5)--.

Error-based: Cause errors to extract information.

3. Extract Database Details:

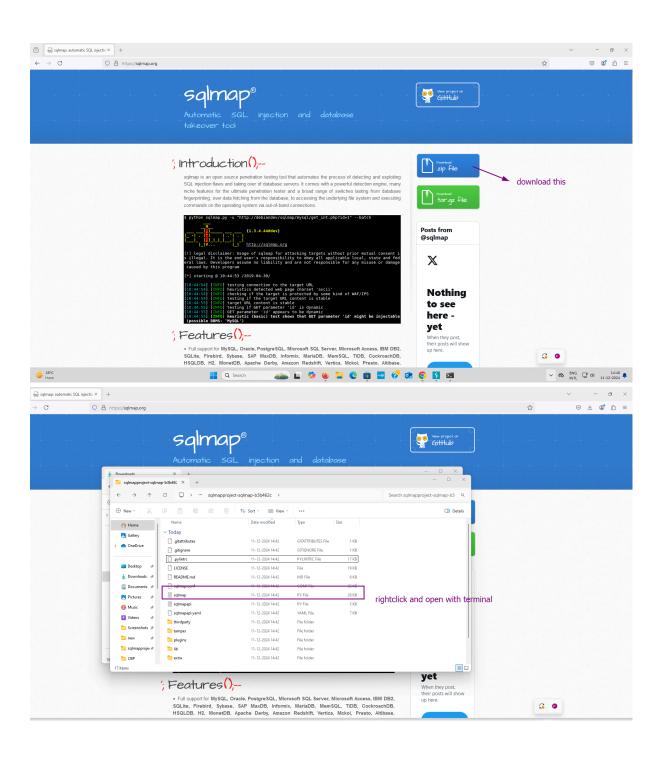
Use manual SQL queries to retrieve schema, tables, and data.

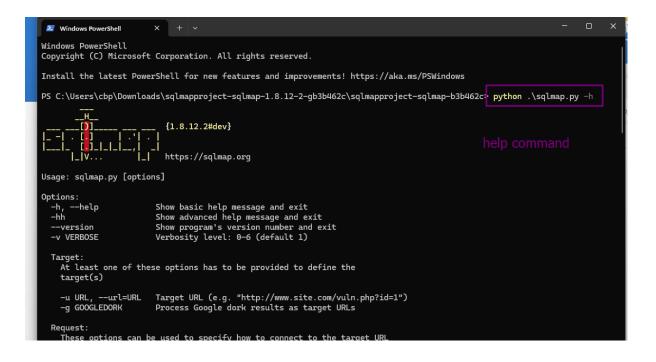
Advantages of SQLMAP

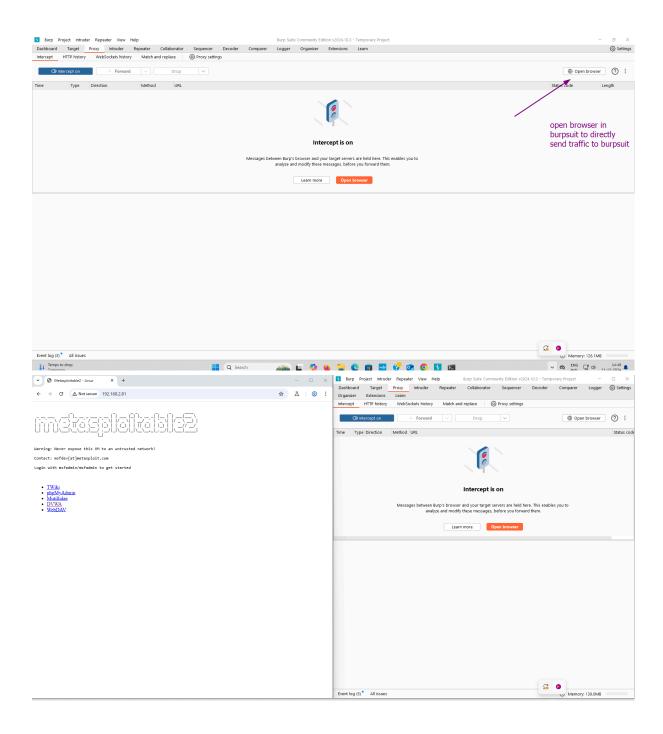
Automated testing saves time.

Works with intercepted requests from tools like Burp Suite.

Comprehensive exploitation options for advanced testing.







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