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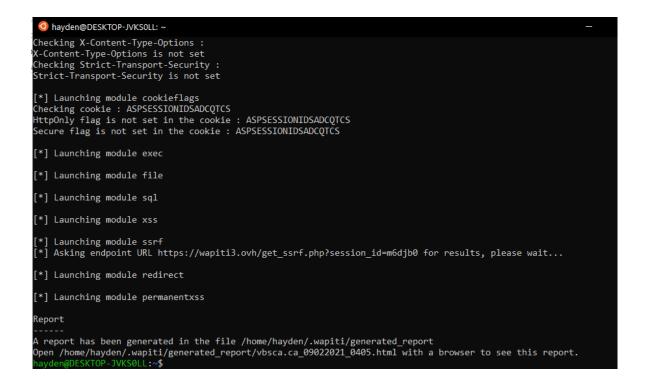
**Aim**: Explore web-application vulnerabilities using open source tools like Wapiti, browser exploitation framework (BeEf)

**Pre**: Open Web Application Security Project (OWASP), https://www.owasp.org/index.php/ Main\_Page

**Description**: Wapiti allows you to audit the security of your websites or web applications. It performs "black-box" scans (it does not study the source code) of the web application by crawling the WebPages of the deployed webapp, looking for scripts and forms where it can inject data. Once it gets the list of URLs, forms and their inputs, Wapiti acts like a fuzzer, injecting payloads to see if a script is vulnerable. Wapiti can detect the following vulnerabilities:

- File disclosure (Local and remote include/require, fopen, readfile...)
- Database Injection (PHP/JSP/ASP SQL Injections and XPath Injections)
- XSS (Cross Site Scripting) injection (reflected and permanent)
- Command Execution detection (eval(), system(), passtru()...)
- CRLF Injection (HTTP Response Splitting, session fixation...)
- XXE (XML External Entity) injection
- SSRF (Server Side Request Forgery)
- Use of know potentially dangerous files (thanks to the Nikto database)
- Weak .htaccess configurations that can be bypassed
- Presence of backup files giving sensitive information (source code disclosure)
- Shellshock (aka Bash bug) Screenshots:

#### Output:



## Wapiti vulnerability report Target: http://vbsca.ca/login/login.asp

Date of the scan: Thu, 02 Sep 2021 04:05:04 +0000. Scope of the scan: folder

Summary	
Category	Number of vulnerabilities found
Backup file	0
Weak credentials	0
CRLF Injection	0
Content Security Policy Configuration	1
Cross Site Request Forgery	0
Potentially dangerous file	0
Command execution	0
Path Traversal	- 12 MO
Fingerprint web application framework	0
Fingerprint web server	0
Htaccess Bypass	O (A)
HTTP Secure Headers	
HttpOnly Flag cookie	(6   9) [ [ ]
Open Redirect	0

Secure Flag cookie	1
SQL Injection	0
Server Side Request Forgery	0
Blind SQL Injection	0
Cross Site Scripting	0
XML External Entity	0
Internal Server Error	0
Resource consumption	0
Fingerprint web technology	0

#### **Content Security Policy Configuration**

#### Description

Content Security Policy (CSP) is an added layer of security that helps to detect and mitigate certain types of attacks, including Cross Site Scripting (XSS) and data injection attacks.

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description	HTTP Request	cURL command line
CSP is not se	t	

#### Solutions

Configuring Content Security Policy involves adding the Content-Security-Policy HTTP header to a web page and giving it values to control what resources the user agent is allowed to load for that page.

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description	HTTP Request	cURL command line
X-XSS-Protect	ion is not set	

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description	HTTP Request	cURL command line
X-Content-Type-Options is not set		

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description	HTTP Request	cURL command line
Strict-Transport-Security is not set		

#### Solutions

Use the recommendations for hardening your HTTP Security Headers.

#### References

- <u>Netsparker: HTTP Security Headers: An Easy Way to Harden Your Web Applications</u>
- <u>KeyCDN: Hardening Your HTTP Security Headers</u>
- OWASP: HTTP SECURITY HEADERS (Protection For Browsers) (PDF)

#### Solutions

Configuring Content Security Policy involves adding the Content-Security-Policy HTTP header to a web page and giving it values to control what resources the user agent is allowed to load for that page.

#### References

- Mozilla: Content Security Policy (CSP)
- OWASP: Content Security Policy Cheat Sheet
- OWASP: How to do Content Security Policy (PDF)

#### **HTTP Secure Headers**

#### Description

HTTP security headers tell the browser how to behave when handling the website's content.

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description HTTP Request cURL command line

X-Frame-Options is not set

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description HTTP Request cURL command line

X-XSS-Protection is not set

#### HttpOnly Flag cookie

#### Description

HttpOnly is an additional flag included in a Set-Cookie HTTP response header. Using the HttpOnly flag when generating a cookie helps mitigate the risk of client side script accessing the protected cookie (if the browser supports it).

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description HTTP Request cURL command line

HttpOnly flag is not set in the cookie : ASPSESSIONIDSADCQTCS

#### Solutions

While creation of the cookie, make sure to set the HttpOnly Flag to True.

#### References

- OWASP: Testing for Cookies Attributes
- OWASP: HttpOnly

#### Secure Flag cookie

#### Description

The secure flag is an option that can be set by the application server when sending a new cookie to the user within an HTTP Response. The purpose of the secure flag is to prevent cookies from being observed by unauthorized parties due to the transmission of a the cookie in clear text.

#### Vulnerability found in /login/login.asp

Description HTTP Request cURL command line

Secure flag is not set in the cookie : ASPSESSIONIDSADCQTCS

#### Solutions

When generating the cookie, make sure to set the Secure Flag to True.

#### References

- OWASP: Testing for Cookies Attributes
- OWASP: Secure Cookie Attribute

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Conclusion: Hence Web Vulnerabilities were scanned in the websites using wapti and desired results were achieved.