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INTRODUCTION

Kali Linux

Kali Linux is an enterprise-ready security auditing Linux distribution based on Debian GNU/Linux. Kali is aimed at security professionals and IT administrators, enabling them to conduct advanced penetration testing, forensic analysis, and security auditing. Kali Linux was born and released on March 13th, 2013.It's a security-focused version of Linux that offers a large number of tools to seek out weaknesses and secure your network.

Kali contains several hundred tools which are geared towards various information security tasks, such as Penetration Testing, Security research, Computer Forensics and Reverse Engineering. It was developed by Mati Aharoni and Devon Kearns of Offensive Security through the rewrite of Backtrack, their previous information security testing Linux distribution. Kali

Linux is the world's most powerful and popular penetration testing platform, used by security.

PENETRATION TESTING.

Penetration testing (also called pen testing) is the practice of testing a computer system, network or Web application to find vulnerabilities that an attacker could exploit. For example, an audit or an assessment may utilize scanning tools that provide a few hundred possible vulnerabilities on multiple systems. A Penetration Test would attempt to attack those vulnerabilities in the same manner as a malicious hacker to verify which vulnerabilities are genuine reducing the real list of system vulnerabilities to a handful of security weaknesses.

Benefits of Penetration Testing

- Intelligently manage vulnerabilities
- Avoid the cost of network downtime
- Meet regulatory requirements and avoid fines
- Preserve corporate image and customer loyalty

HatKey

Keylogger

A keylogger is consistent to its name. The term refers to a malicious computer program that captures and records your keystrokes; that's every word, character, and button you press on your keyboard. The keylogger sends a record of your keystrokes to the attacker. This record might contain your banking logins, credit and debit card details, social media passwords, and everything else in-between. In short, keyloggers are a dangerous tool in the battle against identity and financial fraud.

Keystroke logging

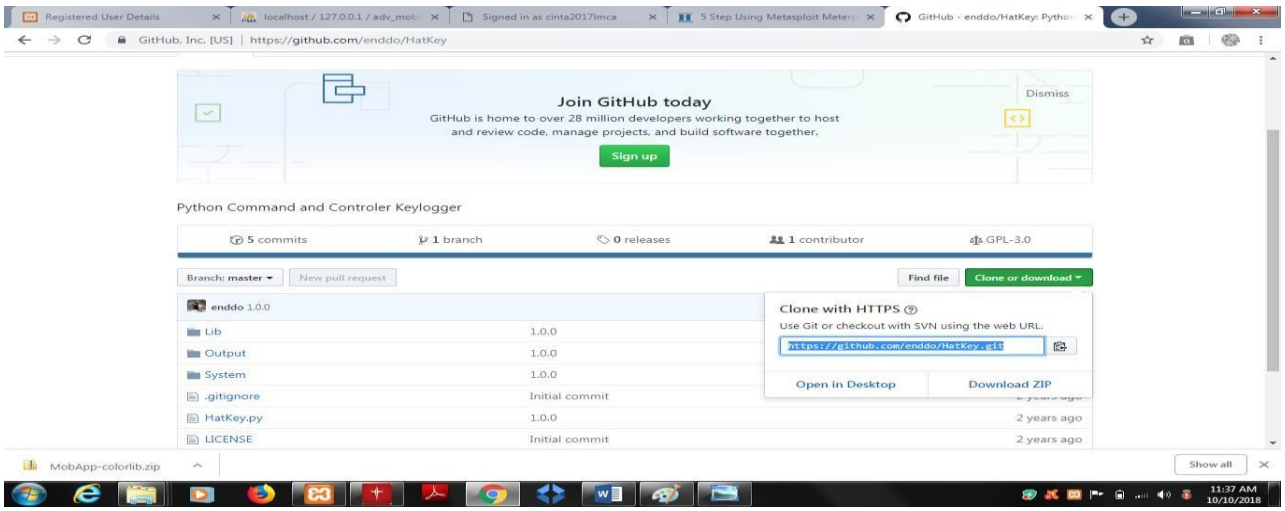
Keystroke logging (often called keylogging) is the action of tracking (or logging) the keys struck on a keyboard, typically in a covert manner so that the person using the **keyboard** is unaware that their actions are being monitored."

HatKey is a keylogger tool that capture the keyboard movements from the victims system. It is done by using a batch file created from the attackers machine .This batch file is copy on the victims machine. When the victim open that file, from that time, the keyboard movements from the victim is saved in a text file on the attackers system.

HatKey Downloading and installation

The Downloading process is simply git clone**.**

git clone https://github.com/enddo/HatKey.git

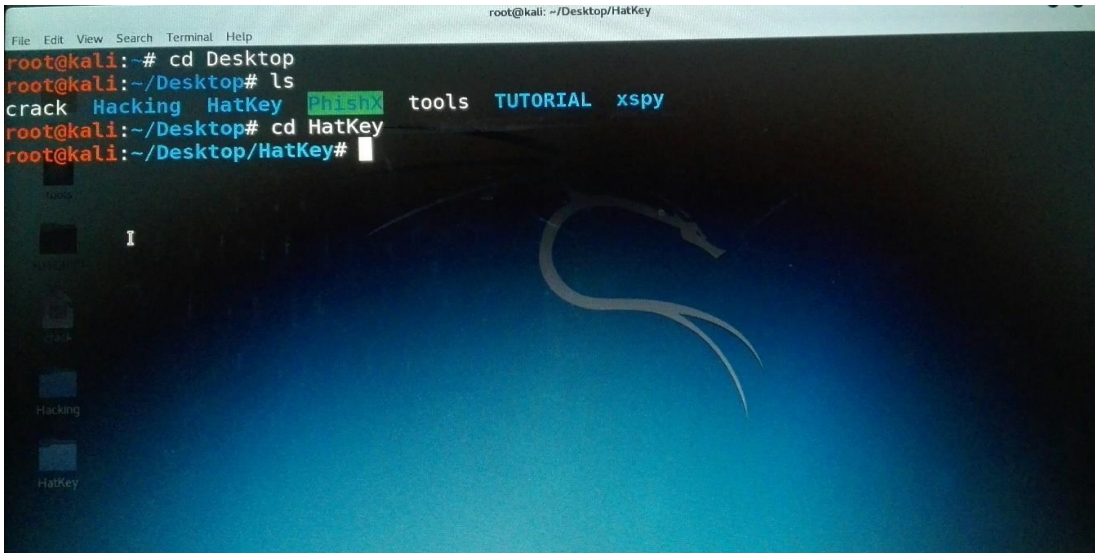


Implementation

Step 1:

After the HatKey downloaded, Got a new folder The HatKey on your desktop. Move to that folder.

- **#cd Desktop**
- **#cd HatKey**



Step 2:

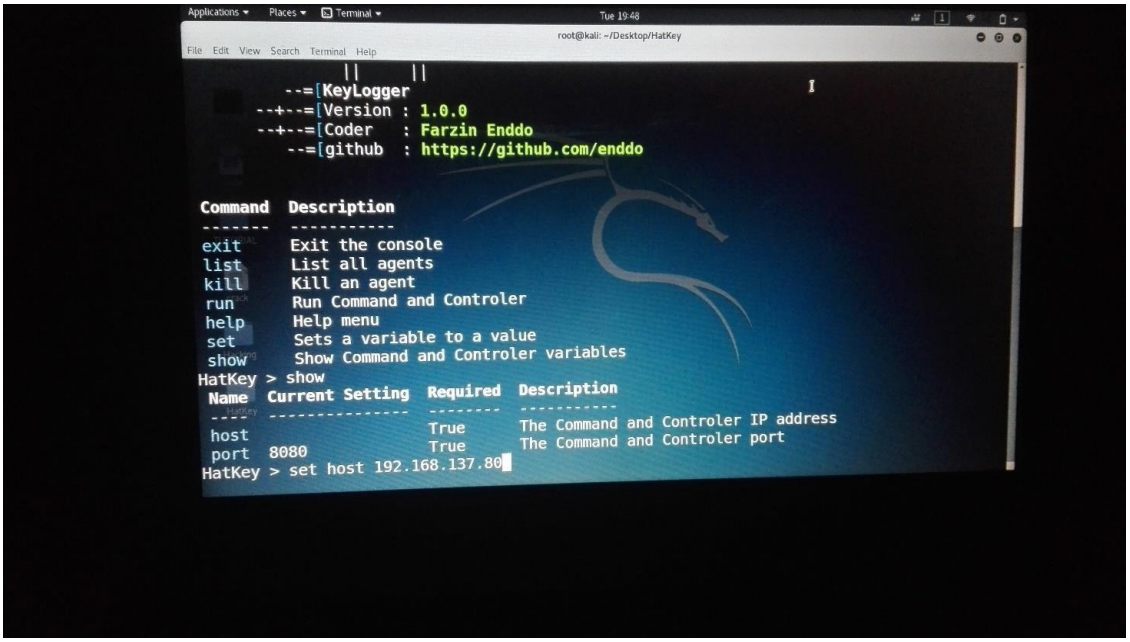
List the folder HatKey it contains a python file HatKey.py. The Execute the HatKey.py

- **#python HatKey.py**

Step 3:

Set our port

#set host 192.168.137.00.8080



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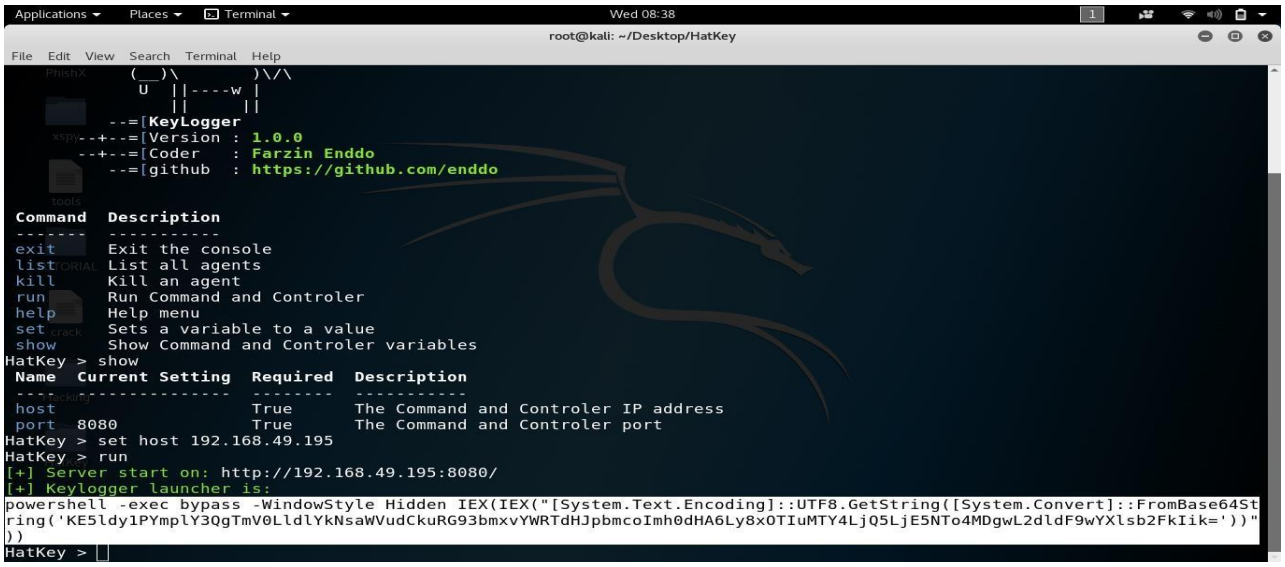
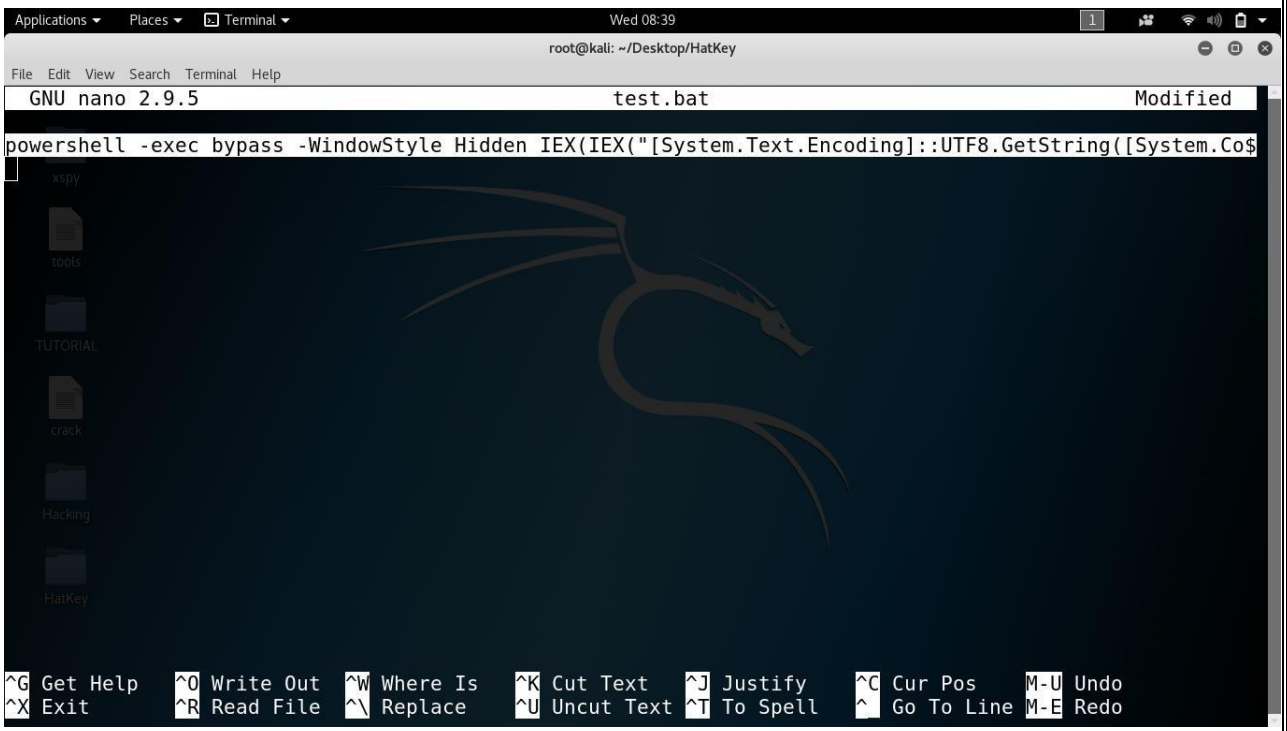
The keylogger is generated



Step 5:

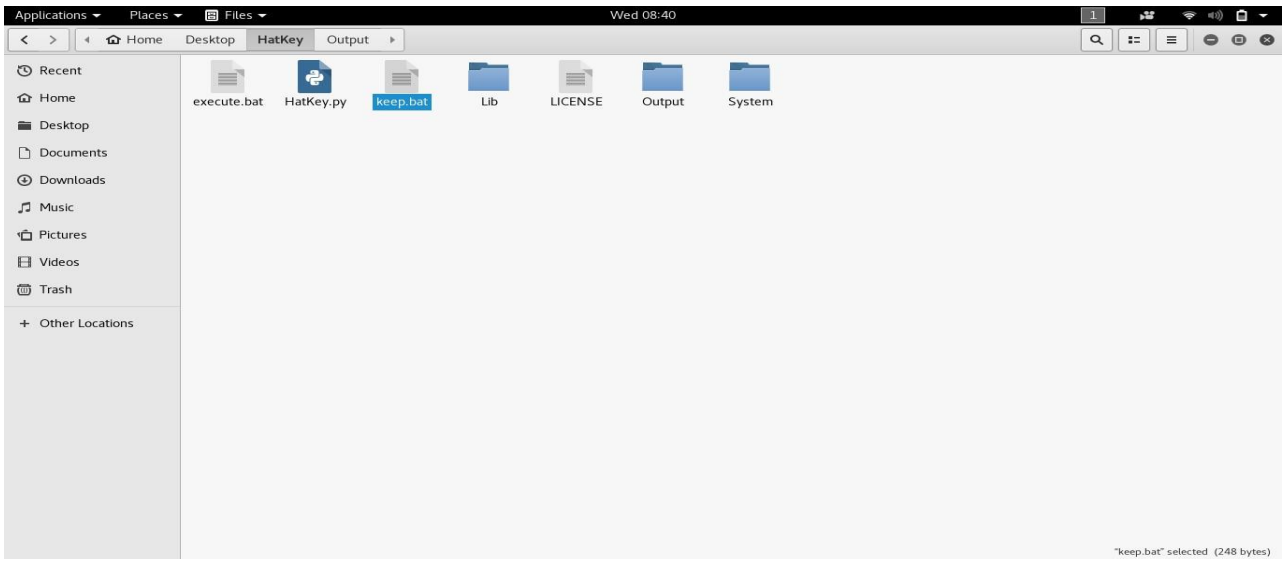
Paste the keylogger to a batch file

#nano keep.bat



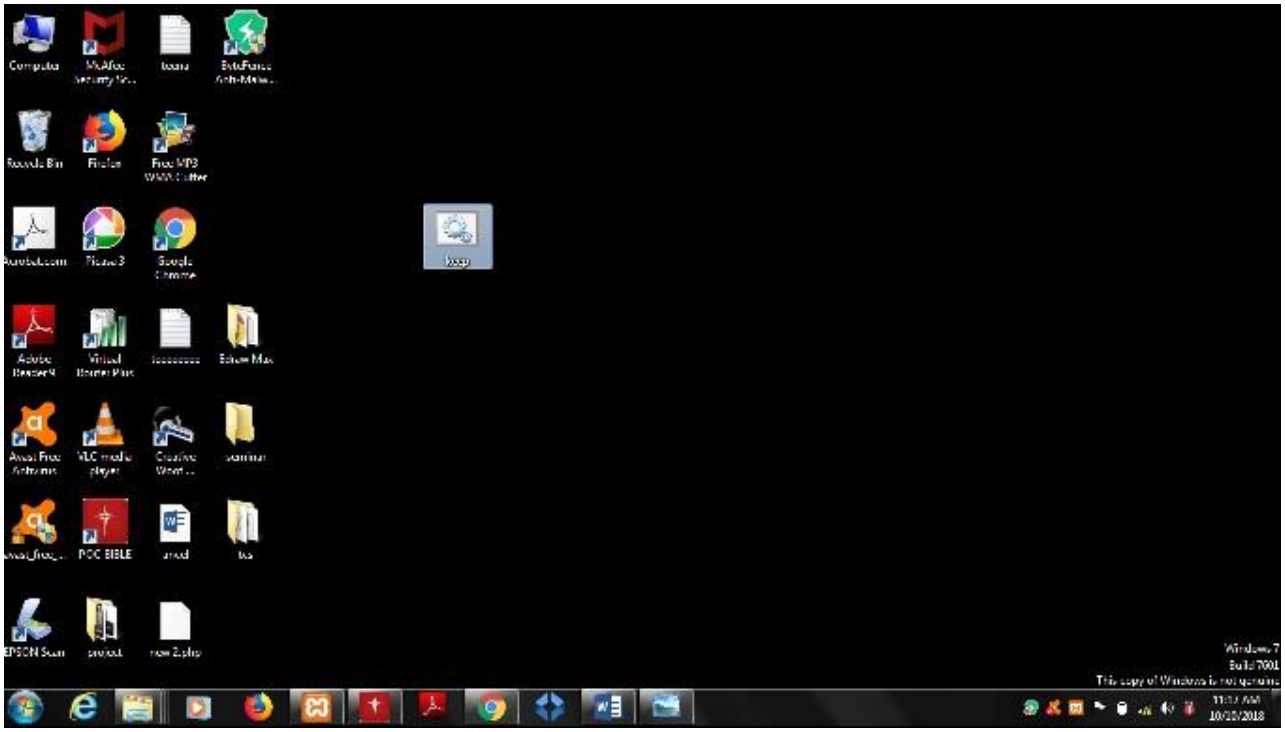
Step 6

The batch file is saved on Hatkey/keep.bat



Step 7

Save the batch file to the victims system



Step 8

The victims keyboard movement is captured on the output/device_ip address on the HashKey folder of attacker

SCONCLUSION

Keylogging malware is, unfortunately, very common. More often than not a malware variant packs a keylogger for maximum damage and to compound the attacker's investment. Luckily, there are several methods to protect your system from a keylogger. And while no defense is perfect, these five steps drastically improve your chances.

5 ways to prevent keyloggers

1. Use a Firewall
2. Install a Password Manager
3. Update Your System (And Keep It That Way)
4. Consider Additional Security Tools
5. Change Your Passwords

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