Assignment 1- Part 1 - Report

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Part 1: Bandit

Level 0:

To enter level 0 I used the ssh ssh://bandit0@bandit.labs.overthewire.org:2220 and the password for level 0 was given on the website which was bandit0.



Level 1:

The password to get to level 1 was stored in a file called readme in the home directory. To obtain the password I used the cat command to read the contents of the file.





Level 2:

The password for level 2 was stored in a file called - in the home directory, I used the command cat ./- which was necessary as - is a special character. The ./ allow for special characters



Level 3:

For this level there were spaces in the filename, I used the cat command with quotes around the filename in order to view it. The quotes allow strings to be inputted as the subject of the command.



[bandit2@bandit:~\$ cat "spaces in this filename"
MNk8KNH3Usiio41PRUEoDFPqfxLPlSmx

Level 4:

The file was hidden in a directory called inhere, I used Is -a to view the hidden file and then cat to view the password. The Is -a command displays the hidden files in a directory.



[bandit3@bandit:~/inhere\$ ls -a
....Hiding-From-You
[bandit3@bandit:~/inhere\$ cat "...Hiding-From-You"
2WmrDFRmJIq3IPxneAaMGhap@pFhF3NJ

Level 5:

I navigated to the inhere directory and used the command file ./* which revealed the correct file type which was -file07 which contained ASCII text. The file command displays the type of content a file has which allows to see which folder contained human readable text.

Level 6:

I used the find command below to find the specific file that met the conditions outlined. I then navigated to the directory it was in and used the cat command to read the file. The find command allows one to specify specific properties of files to find and ones to avoid.