

PROJECT--1
(INFORMATION GATHERING TOOL)

ABSTRACTION:(Information gathering tool)

- >The purpose is to collect the efficient information for cybersecurity professionals by using the tools.
- >The tool will focus on the network reconnaissance, using the NSE scripts.
- >Effective information gathering is crucial for identifying vulnerabilities and assessing security risks.

OBJECTIVE:

- >The goal is to develop a versatile tool that automates the reconnaissance tasks.
- >In this we utilize the Nmap Scripting Engine (NSE) scripts for the targets.
- >We use Auxiliary Modules (Metasploit) for additional scanning.
- >We have to obtain the proper authentication and do not cross the privacy.

INTRODUCTION:

- >The information can be gathered in two ways. They are
 - 1)Active {automated - directly interacts with the target}
 - 2)Passive {manual - not interacting with the target}
- >All the hackers and the cyber security professionals need the accurate and detailed information about the target systems.
- >Manual / Passive reconnaissance is time-consuming and it is not accurate.
- >So, the automated / active reconnaissance provides the valuable information in less time.

METHODOLOGY:

-->NSE (Nmap Scripting Engine) Scripts:

<>NSE scripts increases the Nmap's capabilities by automating the tasks during the scans.
=>Some of the information using Nmap tool (attacking on metasploitable2)

COMMAND => `nmap -sS -p (port number/range) -sV -O <target ip address>`

Where, -sS: sync scanning [-sF, -sA, -sX, -F, -A, -sT, -sU]
-p: represents port
-sV: scan for version details
-O: operating system details



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To access official Ubuntu documentation, please visit:
http://help.ubuntu.com/
No mail.
nsfadmin@metasploitable:~$ ifconfig
eth0      Link encap:Ethernet  HWaddr 08:00:27:13:84:65
          inet addr:192.168.144.3  Bcast:192.168.144.255  Mask:255.255.255.0
          inet6 addr: fe80::a00:27ff:fe13:8465/64 Scope:Link
          UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST  MTU:1500  Metric:1
          RX packets:7 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0
          TX packets:29 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
          collisions:0 txqueuelen:1000
          RX bytes:2088 (2.0 KB)  TX bytes:3638 (3.5 KB)
          Base address:0xd020 Memory:f0200000-f0220000

lo        Link encap:Local Loopback
          inet addr:127.0.0.1  Mask:255.0.0.0
          inet6 addr: ::1/128 Scope:Host
          UP LOOPBACK RUNNING  MTU:16436  Metric:1
          RX packets:91 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0
          TX packets:91 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
          collisions:0 txqueuelen:0
          RX bytes:19301 (18.8 KB)  TX bytes:19301 (18.8 KB)

nsfadmin@metasploitable:~$ _
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File System



Home

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root@kali: /home/kali
File Actions Edit View Help

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# nmap -sS -p 1-100 -sV -O 192.168.144.3
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-07-22 05:52 EDT
Nmap scan report for 192.168.144.3
Host is up (0.0020s latency).
Not shown: 94 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp      vsftpd 2.3.4
22/tcp    open  ssh      OpenSSH 4.7p1 Debian 8ubuntu1 (protocol 2.0)
23/tcp    open  telnet   Linux telnetd
25/tcp    open  smtp     Postfix smtpd
53/tcp    open  domain   ISC BIND 9.4.2
80/tcp    open  http     Apache httpd 2.2.8 ((Ubuntu) DAV/2)
MAC Address: 08:00:27:13:84:65 (Oracle VirtualBox virtual NIC)
Device type: general purpose
Running: Linux 2.6.X
OS CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel:2.6
OS details: Linux 2.6.9 - 2.6.33
Network Distance: 1 hop
Service Info: Host: metasploitable.localdomain; OSs: Unix, Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/su
bmit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 8.54 seconds

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
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-->WHOIS:

<>This 'whois' command provides the information about the domain names,IP addresses, and the network.

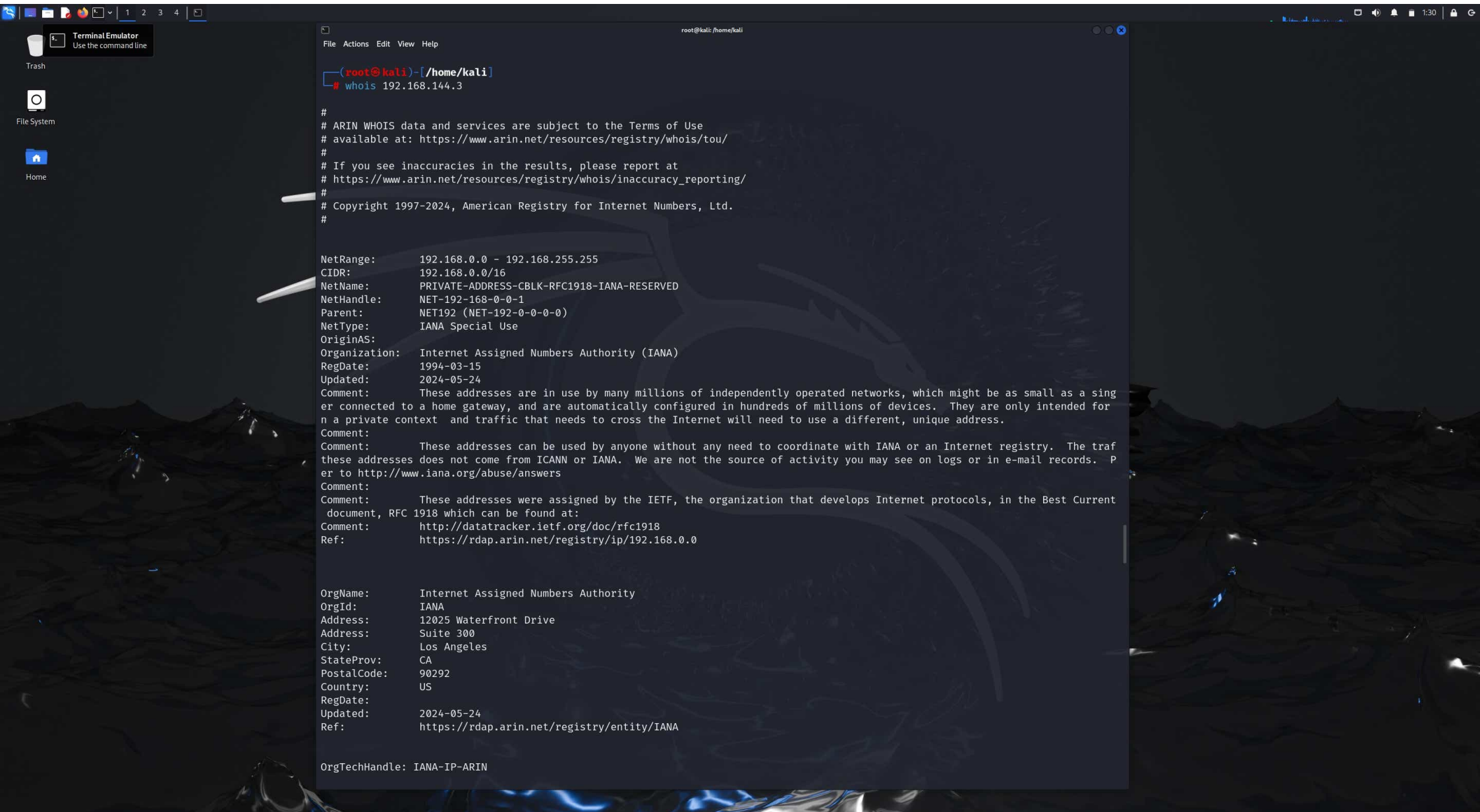
<>It gathers the details like contacts,mail servers, and registration dates.

<>The 'whois' database contains records of registered domains.

<>Commands like

->whois <target ip address>

->whois <target domain name>



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NetRange: 192.168.0.0 - 192.168.255.255
CIDR: 192.168.0.0/16
NetName: PRIVATE-ADDRESS-CBLK-RFC1918-IANA-RESERVED
NetHandle: NET-192-168-0-0-1
Parent: NET192 (NET-192-0-0-0-0)
NetType: IANA Special Use
OriginAS:
Organization: Internet Assigned Numbers Authority (IANA)
RegDate: 1994-03-15
Updated: 2024-05-24
Comment: These addresses are in use by many millions of independently operated net
Comment:
Comment: These addresses can be used by anyone without any need to coordinate with
Comment:
Comment: These addresses were assigned by the IETF, the organization that develops
Comment: http://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/rfc1918
Ref: https://rdap.arin.net/registry/ip/192.168.0.0

OrgName: Internet Assigned Numbers Authority
OrgId: IANA
Address: 12025 Waterfront Drive
Address: Suite 300
City: Los Angeles
StateProv: CA
PostalCode: 90292
Country: US
RegDate:
Updated: 2024-05-24
Ref: https://rdap.arin.net/registry/entity/IANA

OrgAbuseHandle: IANA-IP-ARIN
OrgAbuseName: ICANN
OrgAbusePhone: +1-310-301-5820
OrgAbuseEmail: abuse@iana.org
OrgAbuseRef: https://rdap.arin.net/registry/entity/IANA-IP-ARIN

OrgTechHandle: IANA-IP-ARIN
OrgTechName: ICANN
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Project Conclusion:

- >In this project, we explored various information gathering tools commonly used in ethical hacking and the penetration testing.
- >Nmap, a powerful network scanner, helps to discover the hosts, open ports, and the various network services.
- >The whois command retrieves the information about the domain owner and the IP address.
- >Finally, it is responsible to use of these tools and it is crucial.
- >Information gathering sets the path for the successful security assessments.