Level 0

The only thing I want to do is to view the page source first, then I get password for natas1 is <code>[gtVrDuiDfck831PqWsLEZy5gyDz1clto]</code>

Time: 1 mins

Level 0 --> Level 1

Right clicking blocked

To find another way to view the source page, press "Ctrl+U"

Then we find the password for natas2 is 【ZluruAthQk7Q2MqmDeTiUij2ZvWy2mBi】

Time:~5 mins

Level 1 --> Level 2

In source page, i see there is a img tag.

After i click it, it go to another website http://natas2.natas.labs.overthewire.org/files/pixel.png
It didn't show anything. Let's see what under the /files. Then i delete the pixel.png I see there is another files"users.txt"

username:password
alice:BYNdCesZqW
bob:jw2ueICLvT
charlie:G5vCxkVV3m
natas3:sJIJNW6ucpu6HPZ1ZAchaDtwd7oGrD14
eve:zo4mJWyNj2
mallory:9urtcpzBmH

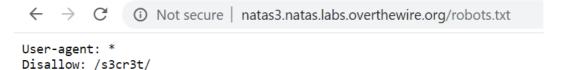
This might be the password, let's try
The password for natas3 is [sJIJNW6ucpu6HPZ1ZAchaDtwd7oGrD14]

Time:~30mins

Level 2 --> Level 3

To view the source page, there is an weird sentence" Not even Google will find it this time.." We know that Robots.txt is the first file to be viewed when accessing a website in a search engine. It will tell the spider what files are viewable on the server.

Add robots.txt to the end of URL: http://natas3.natas.labs.overthewire.org/robots.txt



Then we can see that access to the directory under / s3cr3t / is prohibited Let's try http://natas3.natas.labs.overthewire.org/s3cr3t/

 \leftarrow \rightarrow \mathbf{C} \odot Not secure | natas3.natas.labs.overthewire.org/s3cr3t/users.txt

natas4:Z9tkRkWmpt9Qr7XrR5jWRkgOU901swEZ

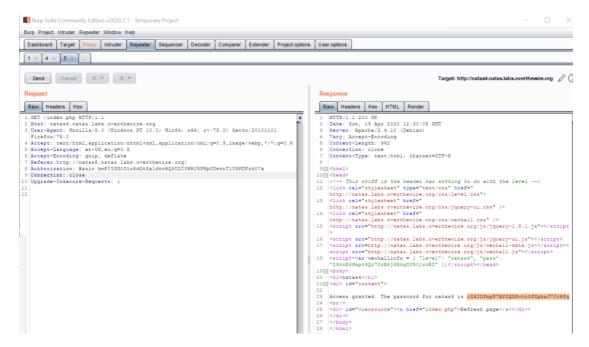
The password for natas4 is 【Z9tkRkWmpt9Qr7XrR5jWRkgOU901swEZ】

Time:~40 mins

Level 3 --> Level 4

This one is a little bit challenge for me. I need to think about How to trick the server that we come from natas5? It take me a long time to learn about referer, which is part of the HTTP request header. When the browser sends a request to the web server, the referer will tell the server which web page I came from. So i need to change the referer in order to trick the website. I open the

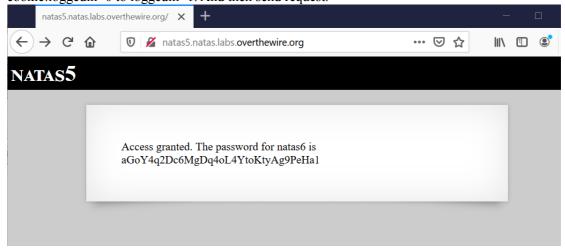
webpage in firefox, and then connecting to burp suite. Then I use burp to intercept the packet. And then change referer to http://natas5.natas.labs.overthewire.org/.



Access granted. The password for natas5 is [iX6IOfmpN7AYOQGPwtn3fXpbaJVJcHfq] Time:~3 hours

Level 4 --> Level 5

Similar with last one. Trick the website we logged in. Use burp suite and then change cookie:loggedin=0 to loggedin=1. And then send request.



Access granted. The password for natas6 【aGoY4q2Dc6MgDq4oL4YtoKtyAg9PeHa1】 Time:~30 mins

Level 5 --> Level 6

In the source code it looks like that the secret hide under "includes/secret.inc" Let's check it out

http://natas6.natas.labs.overthewire.org/includes/secret.inc





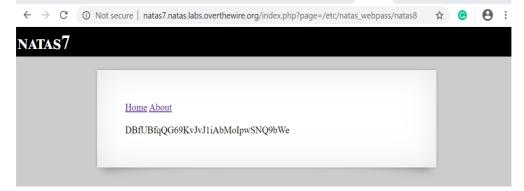
After input the secret "FOEIUWGHFEEUHOFUOIU". I get the password for natas7 is [7z3hEENjQtflzgnT29q7wAvMNfZdh0i9]

Time:~30 Mins

Level 6 --> Level 7

After click "Home" and "About", I didn't get anything So go to the source page, I see a hint. Let's try

http://natas7.natas.labs.overthewire.org/index.php?page=/etc/natas_webpass/natas8 Then I get



The password for natas8 is 【DBfUBfqQG69KvJvJ1iAbMoIpwSNQ9bWe】

Time:~30 Mins

Level 7 --> Level 8

I see there is a "encodedSecret" in source code.

We might need to decoded the secret. Through the given function, to decode the secret, we need to base64 decoding it and then reversed, then convert it back to binary.

Then I get "oubWYf2kBq"

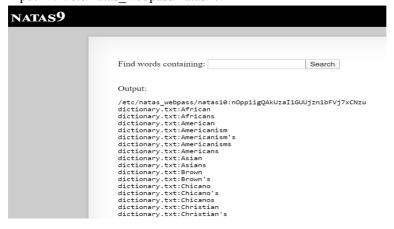


After input it. The password for natas9 is [W0mMhUcRRnG8dcghE4qvk3JA9lGt8nDl] Time:~ 1.5 hours

Level 8 --> Level 9

After reading the source code, we know that needle submits the parameters through the get request. If it is not empty, it will be taken to "grep -i \$ key dictionary.txt" for execution. So the code allows us to find words in the dictionary.txt file. I first type "\ n" to see what is in this txt. A lot of things are returned, but we have to find what we need. In level 7, the passcode is located in / etc / natas webpass. So I tried "\ n / etc / natas webpass / natas10"

Input: \n /etc/natas webpass/natas10

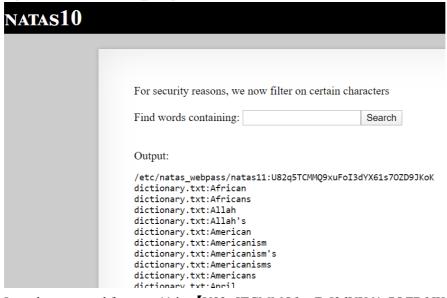


I get the password for natas 10 is [nOpp1igQAkUzaI1GUUjzn1bFVj7xCNzu] Time:~ 2 hours

Level 9 --> Level 10

This is very similar to the previous one, I try "\n/etc/natas_webpass/natas11" firstly. But I didn't see what I wanted. Then the sentence says filter on certain characters, and the code state that "; | &" are illegal character. So I try "[a-z] / etc / natas_webpass / natas11" next. (case does not matter)

Input: [a-z] / etc / natas_webpass / natas11



I get the password for natas11 is 【U82q5TCMMQ9xuFoI3dYX61s7OZD9JKoK】

Time:~30 mins