PSP0201 Week 3 Writeup

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Day 6: Web Exploitation - Be careful with what you wish on a Christmas night

Tools used: Kali Linux, Firefox, Zaproxy

Solution/walkthrough:

Question 1

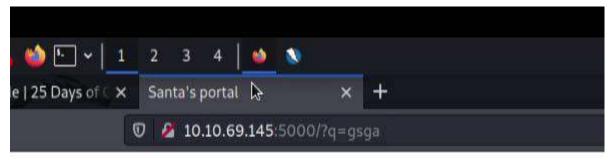
Enter the machine ip from TryHackMe



Question 2

Search for anything and press enter

Take a look at the link address

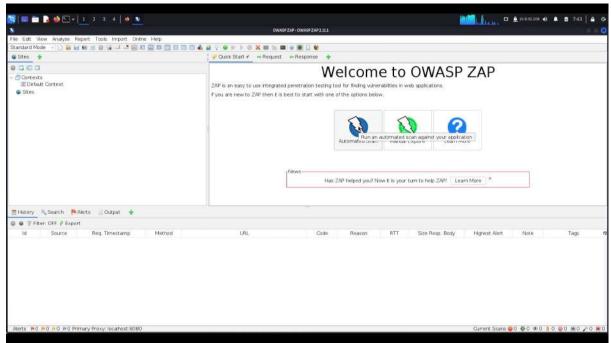




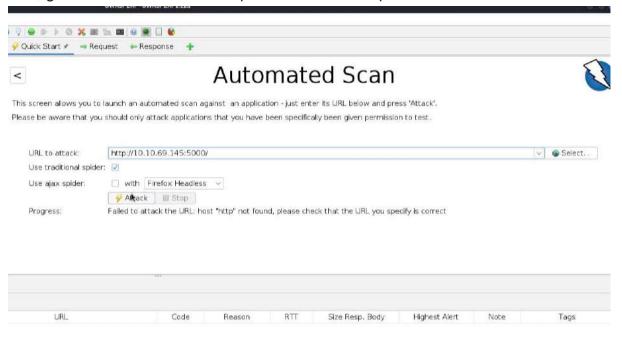
Open *terminal* and install *Zaproxy* using the following command: sudo apt install zaproxy

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                                  kali@kali: ~
File Actions Edit View Help
  -(kali⊕kali)-[~]
sudo apt install zaproxy
[sudo] password for kali:
kalSorry, try again.
[sudo] password for kali:
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for kali:
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree ... Done
Reading state information ... Done
The following NEW packages will be installed:
  zaproxy
0 upgraded, 1 newly installed, 0 to remove and 377 not upgraded.
Need to get 185 MB of archives.
After this operation, 232 MB of additional disk space will be used.
Get:1 http://kali.cs.nctu.edu.tw/kali kali-rolling/main amd64 zaproxy all 2.1
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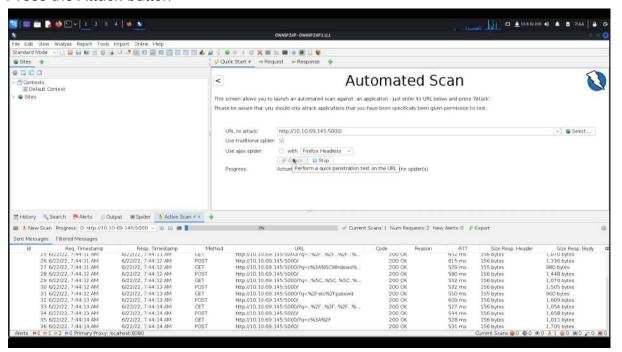
After installing, open Zaproxy and it will show the menu as below



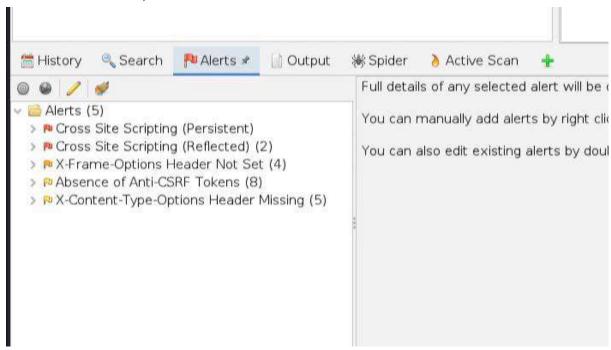
Now, go to Automated Scan and paste the machine ip



Press the Attack button



Go to the Alerts tab, count all the alerts



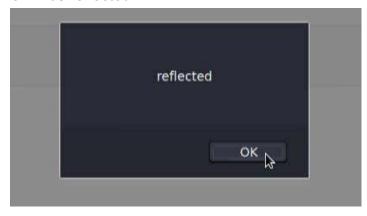
Question 5

Go back to the Wish a Wish website, type <script>alert('reflected')</script> into the first search box



Showing all wishes:

It will be reflected



Now for the second search box, type <script>alert('stored')</script>

Here are all wishes that have "":

Enter your wish here:

<script>alert('stored')</script>

It will be stored



Thought Process/Methodology:

After entering the machine ip, the website shows something about making a wish and having 2 search boxes. I tried to search for anything and it will show ?q=<xxx> at the link address of the website. After that, I need to install Zaproxy using the command sudo apt install zaproxy and attack the website. When attacking the website, the alerts will pop out inside the alerts tabs of Zaproxy. Here's how I am able to make an alert appear on the website: type <script>alert('reflected')</script> on the first search box and first alert which saying reflected will pop out; type <script>alert('stored')</script> on the second search box and few alerts will pop out.

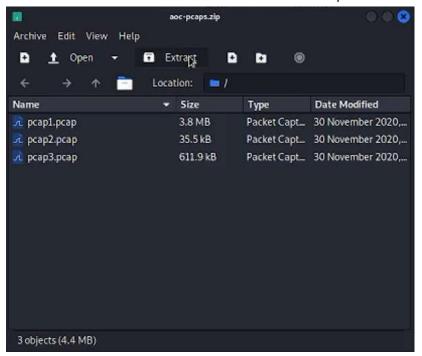
<u>Day 7: Networking - The Grinch Really Did Steal Christmas</u>

Tools used: Kali Linux, Wireshark

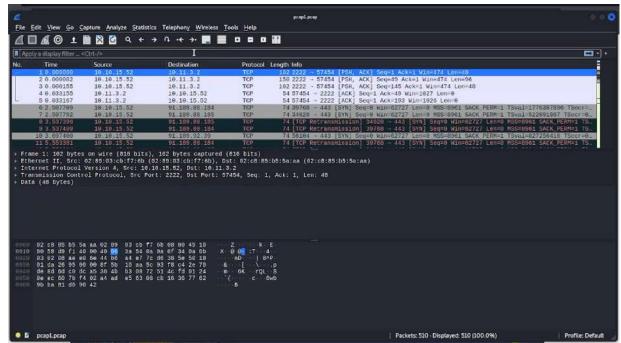
Solution/walkthrough:

Question 1

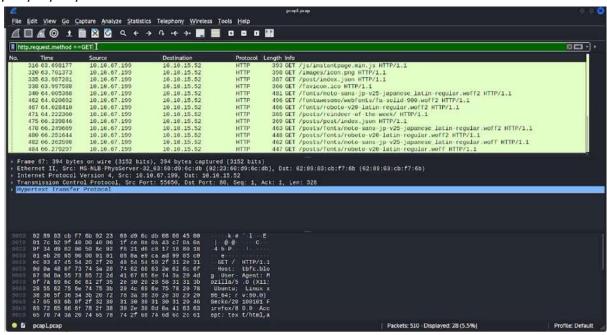
Download the files from THM and extract the zip file



Find the IP address by searching ICMP from pcap1.pcap file

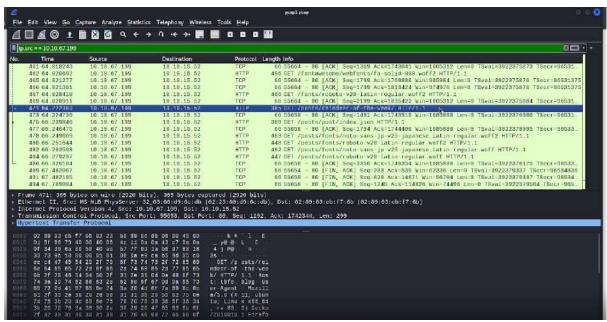


We used the "http.request.method == GET" filter to GET request HTTP in the pcap1.pcap file

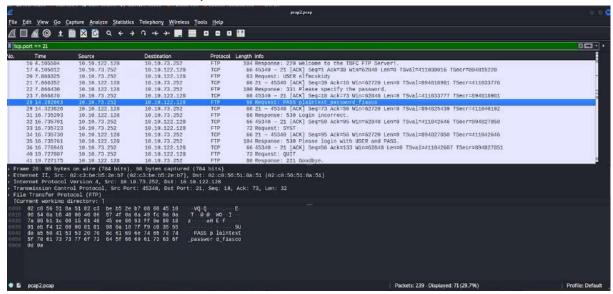


Question 3

To find the article of IP address 10.10.67.199, we need to apply a filter in pcap1.pcap. Key in "ip.src == 10.10.67.199" to find the article name from the info column

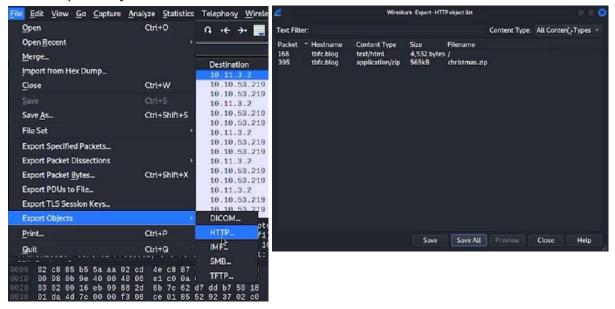


As *FTP* uses the *TCP* protocol, we apply the "tcp.port == 21" filter in pcap2.pcap file order to look for the leaked password

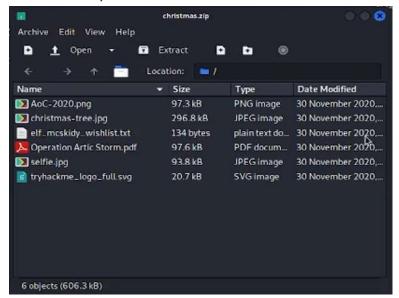


Question 5

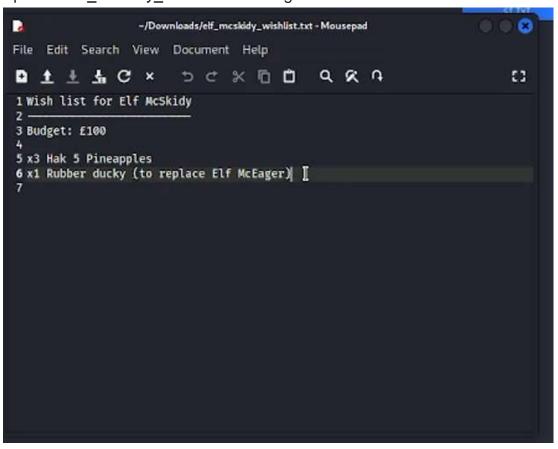
We need to use *pcap3.pcap* file to recover the "*Christmas*" zip file. Then, *navigate* File > Export Objects > HTTP and save into a folder



Extract the zip



Open the elf_mcskidy_wishlist.txt file to get the info we want



Thought Process/Methodology:

This task will guide us about Wireshark. First and foremost, we need to download and extract the zip files from TryHackMe first. Then, in order to find the IP address of the request and reply, we search *ICMP* from *pcap1.pcap* file. After that in the *pcap1.pcap* file, we use the "http.request.method == GET" filter to make an HTTP GET request. Next, we know that we need to use "ip.src" to filter out the packets. Hence, to find the article of IP address 10.10.67.199, we apply the filter "ip.src == 10.10.67.199" in the *pcap1.pcap* file to find the article name from the *info* column. Then, in *pcap2.pcap* file order, we use the "tcp.port == 21" filter to look for all FTP traffic and follow the TCP stream we find the leaked password which is "plaintext_password_fiasco". Following that, we use *pcap3.pcap* file to recover the "Christmas" zip file. Then, navigate File > Export Objects > HTTP and save it, and extract the zip file and open the *elf_mcskidy_wishlist.txt file* to get the information we need, which is Rubber Ducky.

Day 8: Networking What's Under the Christmas Tree?

Tools used: Kali Linux, Firefox

Solution/walkthrough:

Question 1

Open the terminal and scan the IP given

```
| kali@kali - |
```

Question 2

Run a scan and provide the *-Pn* flag to ignore *ICMP* being used to determine if the host is up

Experiment with different scan settings such as -A and -sV while comparing the outputs.

```
sudo nmap -A 10.10.46.184
Starting Nmap 7.92 (https://nmap.org) at 2022-06-22 09:54 EDT
Stats: 0:00:35 elapsed; 0 hosts completed (1 up), 1 undergoing Traceroute
Traceroute Timing: About 32.26% done; ETC: 09:55 (0:00:00 remaining)
Nmap scan report for 10.10.46.184
Host is up (0.30s latency).
Not shown: 997 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT STATE SERVICE
80/tcp open http
                                                                          VERSION
                                                                          Apache httpd 2.4.29 ((Ubuntu))
 |_http-generator: Hugo 0.78.2
   _http-title: TBFC's Internal Blog
_http-server-header: Apache/2.4.29 (Ubuntu)
                                                                          OpenSSH 7.6p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.3 (Ubuntu Linux; p
 2222/tcp open ssh
rotocol 2.0)
    ssh-hostkey:
          2048 cf:c9:99:d0:5c:09:27:cd:a1:a8:1b:c2:b1:d5:ef:a6 (RSA)
          256 4c:d4:f9:20:6b:ce:fc:62:99:54:7d:c2:b4:b2:f2:b2 (ECDSA)
          256 d0:e6:72:18:b5:20:89:75:d5:69:74:ac:cc:b8:3b:9b (ED25519)
 .
3389/tcp open ms-wbt-server xrdp
No exact OS matches for host (If you know what OS is running on it, see https
://nmap.org/submit/ ).
 TCP/IP fingerprint:
OS:SCAN(V=7.92%E=4%D=6/22%OT=80%CT=1%CU=44404%PV=Y%DS=2%DC=T%G=Y%TM=62B31F5
OS:3%P=x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)SEQ(SP=103%GCD=1%ISR=105%TI=Z%CI=Z%II=I%TS=A)OPS
OS:(01=M506ST11NW6%02=M506ST11NW6%03=M506NNT11NW6%04=M506ST11NW6%05=M506ST1
OS:1NW6%O6=M506ST11)WIN(W1=F4B3%W2=F4B3%W3=F4B3%W4=F4B3%W5=F4B3%W6=F4B3)ECN
OS:(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=F507%O=M506NNSNW6%CC=Y%Q=)T1(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%S=0%A=S+%F=A
OS:S%RD=0%Q=)T2(R=N)T3(R=N)T4(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=A%A=Z%F=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T5(R
0S := Y \% DF = Y \% T = 40 \% W = 0 \% S = Z \% A = S + \% F = AR \% 0 = \% R = 0 \% Q = ) T \\ 6 \left( R = Y \% DF = Y \% T = 40 \% W = 0 \% S = A \% A = Z \% F = AR \% 0 = M \% A = M
OS:=R%O=%RD=0%Q=)T7(R=Y%DF=Y%T=40%W=0%S=Z%A=S+%F=AR%O=%RD=0%Q=)U1(R=Y%DF=N%
OS:T=40%IPL=164%UN=0%RIPL=G%RID=G%RIPCK=G%RUCK=G%RUD=G)IE(R=Y%DFI=N%T=40%CD
0S:=S)
Network Distance: 2 hops
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
 TRACEROUTE (using port 23/tcp)
                                 ADDRESS
          277.41 ms 10.18.0.1
          278.42 ms 10.10.46.184
OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at ht
tps://nmap.org/submit/ .
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 47.20 seconds
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```
-(kali⊕ kali)-[~]
 sudo nmap -sV 10.10.46.184
Starting Nmap 7.92 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2022-06-22 09:59 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.10.46.184
Host is up (0.32s latency).
Not shown: 997 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT STATE SERVICE
80/tcp open http
2222/tcp open ssh
                            VERSION
                              Apache httpd 2.4.29 ((Ubuntu))
                              OpenSSH 7.6p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.3 (Ubuntu Linux; p
rotocol 2.0)
3389/tcp open ms-wbt-server xrdp
Service Info: OS: Linux; CPE: cpe:/o:linux:linux_kernel
Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results at https://n
map.org/submit/
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 56.49 seconds
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Use *Nmap* to determine the name of the Linux distribution that is running which is *Ubuntu* Linux

```
2222/tcp open ssh OpenSSH 7.6p1 Ubuntu 4ubuntu0.3 (Ubuntu Linux; protocol 2.0)
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Question 5

Use *Nmap's Network Scripting Engine (NSE)* to retrieve the "*HTTP-TITLE*" of the webserver which led us to the blog.

```
|_http-title: TBFC's Internal Blog
```

Thought Process/Methodology:

This task only requires a terminal. First of all, we scan the ip given by TryHackMe by using *nmap*. Then the terminal will display three port numbers which are *80*, *2222*, *3389*. After that to determine if the host is up, we can run the *-Pn* flag to ignore *ICMP* being used. As we all know, *-A* can be used in nmap to scan the host to identify services running by matching against the nmap database, and *-sV* can scan the host using *TCP* and perform version fingerprinting. Hence, we used *-A* and *-sV* to get the report. And both of the reports lead to the Linux distribution that is running in *Ubuntu* Linux. Lastly, we use nmap to get the "*HTTP-TITLE*" of the web server is a blog.

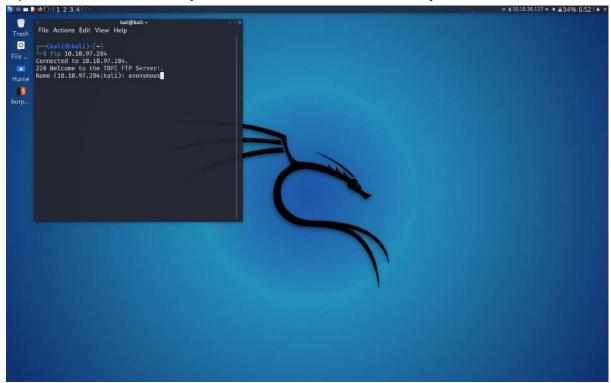
Day 9: Anyone can be Santa!

Tools used: Kali Linux, Mozilla Firefox

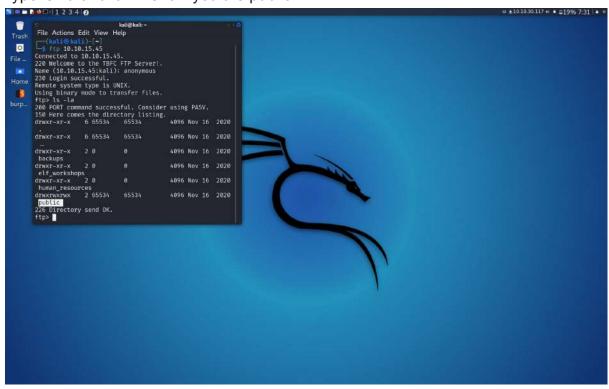
Solution/walkthrough:

Question 1

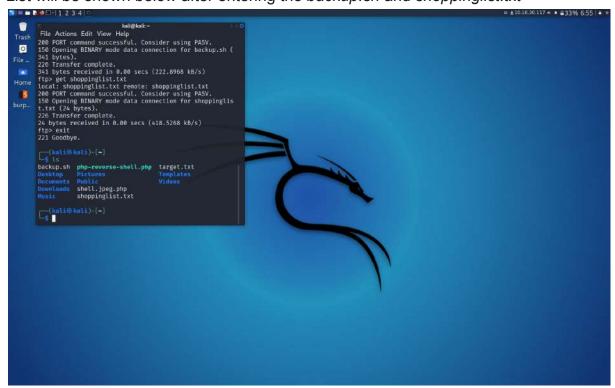
Ftp the IP address from TryHackMe and then name as anonymous



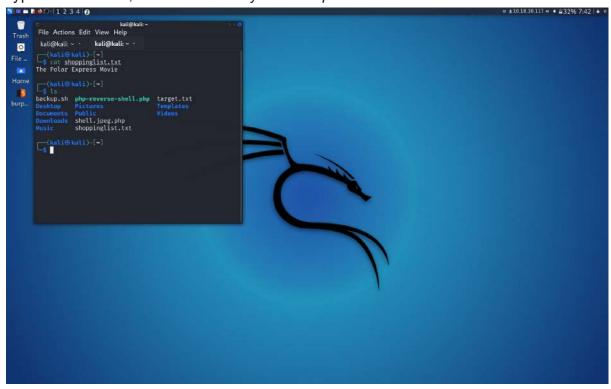
Type Is -la and it will show you the public



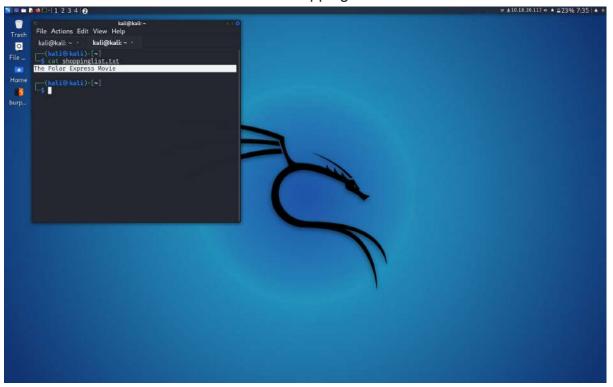
List will be shown below after entering the backup.sh and shoppinglist.txt



Type Is for the list, and it will show you backup.sh

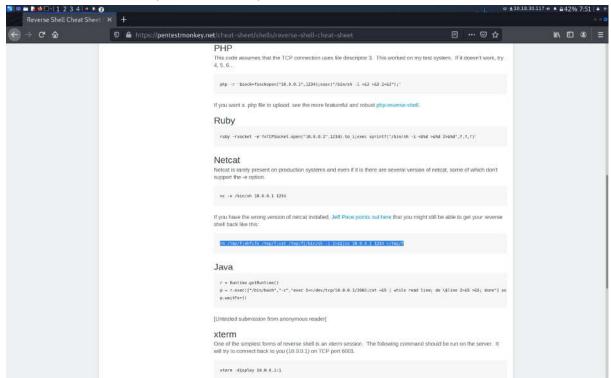


On the other new tab, type *cat shoppinglist.txt* and you will be able to see what movie did Santa have on his Christmas shopping list

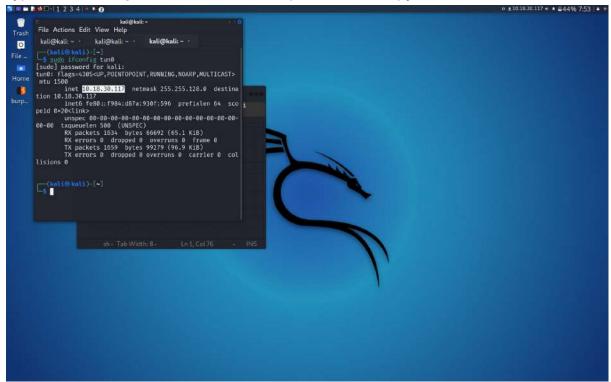


Question 4

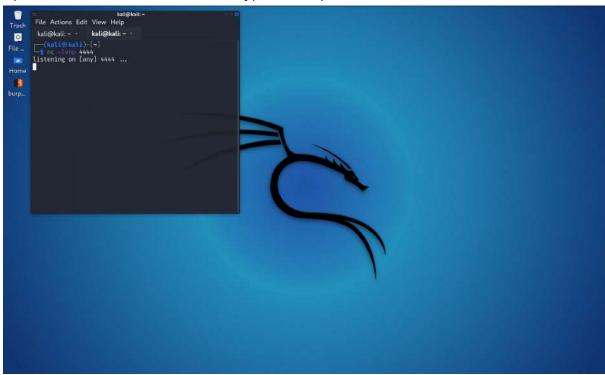
Browse reverse shell pentestmonkey and look for the Netcat



Type sudo ifconfig tun0 . Thus enter the password to copy down the IP address



Open a new terminal tab. Hence, type nc -lvnp 4444



View the file using *cat flag.txt* command

```
root
root@tbfc-ftp-01:~# ls
ls
flag.txt
root@tbfc-ftp-01:~# cat flag.txt
cat flag.txt
THM{even_you_can_be_santa}
root@tbfc-ftp-01:~#
```

Thought Process/Methodology:

This task doesn't really use the web browser, any browser can do it. First of all, copy and paste the IP address into the *terminal* and add *ftp* in front of it. *FTP* is also known as file transfer protocol. Later on, type *Is -Ia* to show you the directory listing and public. After type get *shoppinglist.txt* and *backup.sh*, enter exit and type *Is* to show the list. At the tool bar, click file and add a new tab to proceed. type *cat shoppinglist.txt* and you will be able to see what movie Santa has on his Christmas shopping list. On the other hand, browse *reverse shell pentestmonkey* on any browser and look for the Netcat. After setting up, type *sudo ifconfig tun0*, enter the password to copy down the IP address. Wait a while for the *Netcat listener* on the device. Last but not least, type *cat flag.txt* and it will show the answer.

Day 10: Don't be sElfish!

Tools used: Kali Linux Solution/walkthrough:

Question 1

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Desc:

After connecting to the machine ip, open the *terminal* and type *enum4linux -U* 10.10.3.130

```
kali@kali: ~
              Actions Edit View Help
      File
         -(kali⊕kali)-[~]
        -$ enum4linux -U 10.10.3.330
        Getting domain SID for 10.10.3.130
   Domain Name: TBFC-SMB-01
   Domain Sid: (NULL SID)
   [+] Can't determine if host is part of domain or part of a workgroup
        Users on 10.10.3.130
   index: 0×1 RID: 0×3e8 acb: 0×00000010 Account: elfmcskidy
                                                                      Name:
                                                                              Desc:
   index: 0×2 RID: 0×3ea acb: 0×00000010 Account: elfmceager
                                                                      Name: elfmceager
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   index: 0×3 RID: 0×3e9 acb: 0×00000010 Account: elfmcelferson
                                                                              Desc:
                                                                      Name:
   us(r:[elfmcskidy] rid:[0×3e8]
us(r:[elfmceager] rid:[0×3ea]
us(r:[elfmcelferson] rid:[0×3e9]
mt
   ent m4linux complete on Sat Jun 25 10:09:41 2022
      (kali⊕kali)-[~]
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Type the command enum4linux -S 10.10.3.130

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index: 0×2 RID: 0×3ea acb: 0×00000010 Account: elfmceager
esc:
index: 0×3 RID: 0×3e9 acb: 0×00000010 Account: elfmcelferso
user:[elfmcskidy] rid:[0×3e8]
user:[elfmceager] rid:[0×3ea]
user:[elfmcelferson] rid:[0×3e9]
enum4linux complete on Sat Jun 25 10:09:41 2022
  —(kali@ kali)-[~]
—$ enum4linux -S 10.10.3.130
Domain Sid: (NULL SID)
[+] Can't determine if host is part of domain or part of a workgroup
    Share Enumeration on 10.10.3.130
      Sharename
                    Type
                             Comment
      tbfc-hr
                    Disk
                             tbfc-hr
      tbfc-it
                    Disk
                             tbfc-it
      tbfc-santa
                    Disk
                             tbfc-santa
                             IPC Service (tbfc-smb server (Samba, Ubuntu))
      IPC$
                    IPC
Reconnecting with SMB1 for workgroup listing.
                        Comment
      Server
      Workgroup
                        Master
      TBFC-SMB-01
                        TBFC-SMB
[+] Attempting to map shares on 10.10.3.130
//10.10.3.130/tbfc-hr Mapping: DENIED, Listing: N/A
                    Mapping: DENIED, Listing: N/A
//10.10.3.130/tbfc-it
```

Type smbclient //10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa

```
Reconnecting with SMB1 for workgroup listing.

Server Comment

Workgroup Master

TBFC-SMB-01 TBFC-SMB

[+] Attempting to map shares on 10.10.3.130

//10.10.3.130/tbfc-hr Mapping: DENIED, Listing: N/A

//10.10.3.130/tbfc-it Manning: DENIED, Listing: N/A

//10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa Mapping: OK, Listing: OK

//10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa Listing \*
enum4linux complete on Sat Jun 25 10:14:07 2022

(kali@ kali)-[~]

$ smbclient //10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa
Enter WORKGROUP\kali's password:
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.

smb: \>
```

After logging in using *tbfc-santa*, change the local working directory to *Music*/ and type *get note from mcskidy.txt*

```
File Actions Edit View Help
   -(kali⊕kali)-[~]
smbclient //10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa
Enter WORKGROUP\kali's password:
Try "help" to get a list of possible commands.
smb: \> ls
                                                 D
                                                             0 Wed Nov 11 21:12:07 2020
                                                            0 Wed Nov 11 20:32:21 2020
0 Wed Nov 11 21:10:41 2020
                                                 D
  ..
jingle-tunes
                                                 D
  note_from_mcskidy.txt
                                                          143 Wed Nov 11 21:12:07 2020
                                                 N
                    10252564 blocks of size 1024. 5369392 blocks available
smb: \> cat note_from_mcskidy.txt
cat: command not found
smb: \> lcd Music/
smb: \> get note_from_mcskidy.txt
getting file \note_from_mcskidy.txt of size 143 as note_from_mcskidy.txt (0.1 KiloBytes/sec) (average 0.1 KiloBytes/sec)
smb: \>
                                  I
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Open a new *terminal*, change the directory to *Music*/ and view the *note_from_mcskidy.txt*



Thought Process/Methodology:

After starting the machine on *TryHackMe*, we can directly search for enum4linux or type *enum4linux* in the terminal. In *enum4linux*, *-U* is used to get a userlist which we can type the following command: *enum4linux -U 10.10.3.130* to get all the user list. Other than that, *-S* in *enum4linux* is used to get a sharelist which we can type this command: *enum4linux -S 10.10.3.130* to know the shares. After that, it shows 4 shares and one of them has "*Mapping: OK, Listing: OK*" which is //10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa. We can log in using the login command: *smbclient* //10.10.3.130/tbfc-santa and the password is no password. When we are logged in, we can type *Is* for listing all the files contained inside and files consist of *jingle-tunes* and *note_from_mcskidy.txt*. Then, we need to look inside the *.txt* file where we can type *Icd Music*/ to change the local working directory and *get note_from_mcskidy.txt* to move the file to *Music*/. Lastly, we open a new *terminal* and change the directory using *cd Music*/ to view the *.txt* file using command *cat note_from_mcskidy.txt*.