

2019 oplossingen labo tussentest - Lars Lemmens

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LABO TEST

Exercise 1:

Copy the content of your it-enabled grandmothers id_rsa.pub file in your ~/.ssh/authorized_keys file"

```
'user@:~$' • ssh user@leia.uclllabs.be -p 22345 -i "/path/to/your grandmothers identity_file"
```

- The ssh command is a remote login program
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- The -i argument selects a file from which the identity (private key) for public key authentication is read.

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Exercise 2:

Try to find out which TCP ports are open on leia without using tools like netstat or ss. Execute on leia for increased speed.

```
'user@:~$' • nc -zv -w 1 leia.uclllabs.be 1-65535 2>&1 | grep succeeded | awk '{print $4}'
```

```
'user@:~$' • for foo in {1..65535}; do nc -N -w1 leia.uclllabs.be $foo </dev/ null >/dev/null && echo $foo;done
```

```
'user@:~$' • nmap -p 1-65535 leia.uclllabs.be | grep -P '\d+/tcp.*open' | cut -d '/' -f1
```

```
'user@:~$' • nmap --reason -p 1-65535 leia.uclllabs.be | grep -oP '\d+(?=/tcp.*open)'
```

- The nc command is a TCP/IP swiss army knife
- The -z argument is used for scanning
- The -v argument is used for verbose
- The -w (# in seconds) arguments is timeout for connects and final net reads
- The grep command prints lines matching a pattern
- The awk command is used for pattern scanning and processing language
- \d matches a digit (equivalent to [0-9])
- '+' matches the previous token between one and unlimited times, as many times as possible, giving back as needed (greedy)
- . matches any character (except for line terminators)
- '*' matches the previous token between zero and unlimited times, as many times as possible, giving back as needed (greedy) open matches the characters open literally (case sensitive)
- The cut command removes sections from each line of files
- The -d argument use DELIM instead of TAB for field delimiter
- The command nmap is a network exploration tool and security / port scanner
- The --reason argument shows the reason each port is set to a specific state and the reason each host is up or down
- The -p argument specifies which ports you want to scan and overrides the default.
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- The -p argument Interpret I as Perl-compatible regular expressions (PCREs).

Exercise 3:

Create a oneliner which lists all palindromes with exactly 6 letters in a dictionary.

```
'user@:~$' • cat dutch | grep -P '^(.)(.)\3\2\1$'
```

- ^ asserts position at start of a line
- . matches any character (except for line terminators)
- in `^(.)(.)` ==> the first (.) is the first capturing group, the second (.) is the second capturing group, the third (.) is the third capturing group,
- `\3` matches the same text as most recently matched by the 3rd capturing group, `\2` matches the same text as most recently matched by the 2nd capturing group and `\1` matches the same text as most recently matched by the 1st capturing group

Exercise 4:

As a web server administrator you have been asked to give your manager a Linux CLI oneliner to extract the 5 IP addresses that contacted the web server the most

The apache log is located in `/home/logs`. Create a correct oneliner. The output should look something like this: (count IPs)

```
'user@:~$' • cat apache_google.log | cut -d ' ' -f1 | sort | uniq -c | sort -rn | head -5
```

- The cut command removes sections from each line of files
- The -d argument uses DELIM instead of TAB for field delimiter
- The -f argument selects only these fields
- The sort command sorts lines of text files
- The uniq command reports or omits repeated lines
- The -c argument prefixes lines by the number of occurrences
- The -r reverses the result of comparisons
- The head command shows output the first part of files

Exercise 5:

What Linux ssh command do you use to bind your local port 3000 to a web server on port 4444 on the network of the ssh server

```
'user@:~$' • ssh -p 22345 username@leia.uclllabs.be -L 3000:IP_web_server:4444
```

- The -p argument shows which port to connect to on the remote host
- The -L argument specifies that the given port on the local (client) host is to be forwarded to the given host and port on the remote side.

Exercise 6:

Create an apache vhost (netcat.X.cnw2.uclllabs.be) which displays a single web page (index.html). How can you update/alter this website (index.html) via a Netcat connection from your laptop."

```
'root@myserver' 1) mkdir /var/www/html/netcat  
'root@myserver' 2) nano netcat.conf
```

```
<VirtualHost *:80>  
    ServerAdmin root@netcat.X.cnw2.ucll labs.be  
    ServerName netcat.X.cnw2.ucll labs.be  
    DocumentRoot /var/www/html/netcat  
  
    LogLevel info  
    ErrorLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/netcat-error.log  
    CustomLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/netcat-access.log combined  
</VirtualHost>
```

```
'# root@myserver' 1) a2ensite netcat  
'# root@myserver' 2) systemctl reload apache2  
'# root@myserver' 3) nc -l -p 10000 >> /var/www/html/netcat/index.html  
'user@laptop:~$' 4) echo test | nc netcat.X.cnw2.ucll labs.be 10000
```

Exercise 7:

On server Leia, use the list of logged in users to print only the username that has been logged in to the server for the longest time

```
'user@:~$' • who | awk '{print $3$4 " " $1}' | sort -n | awk '{print $2}' | head -1
```

- The command who shows who is logged in
- The command sort sorts lines of text files
- The -n argument compares according to string numerical value
- The head command outputs the first part of files

Exercise 8:

Some subdirectory of /tmp contains a bunch of movies. However, their extension is wrong.

The extension should be .avi instead of .jpg. Copy these files to your homedirectory and correct their extensions in one line. "

```
'user@:~$' • ls -l *.jpg | while read foo; do echo cp $foo ~/${basename $foo .jpg}.avi;done  
'user@:~$' • ls -l *.jpg | while read foo; do echo cp $foo ~/${foo%.jpg}.avi;done
```

- The -l argument lists one file per line
- cp \$foo ~/\${basename \$foo .jpg}.avi ==> Echo the STRING(s) to standard output.

Exercise 9:

Create a Linux CLI oneliner to decode the following string

'SWYgeW91IGNhbiByZWFKIHRoaXMslHlvdSBmb3VuZCB0aGUgY29ycmVjdCBhbnN3ZXIK'

```
'user@:~$' • echo 'SWYgeW91IGNhbiByZWFKIHRoaXMslHlvdSBmb3VuZCB0aGUgY29ycmVjdCBhbnN3ZXIK' |  
openssl enc -a -d
```

```
'user@:~$' • echo 'SWYgeW91IGNhbiByZWFKIHRoaXMslHlvdSBmb3VuZCB0aGUgY29ycmVjdCBhbnN3ZXIK' |  
base64 -d
```

- The -a argument ==> Base64 process the data
- The -d argument ==> decrypts the input data
- The -base64 argument = The -a argument

Exercise 10:

Create a regular expression to match all words in a dictionary with 5 unique letters.

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```
'user@:~$' • cat /usr/share/dict/dutch | grep -P '^[a-zA-Z]{5}$' | grep -vP '(.)*\1'
```

- ^ asserts position at start of a line
- A-Z matches a single character in the range between A and Z (case sensitive)
- a-z matches a single character in the range between a and z (case sensitive)
- {5} matches the previous token exactly 5 times
- . matches any character (except for line terminators)
- '*' matches the previous token between zero and unlimited times, as many times as possible, giving back as needed (greedy)
- -v stands for inverted match.
- -P stands for perl expression

Exercise 11:

Create a oneliner to show 'Time = 15:44:25 (11/10/1901)' or 'Time = 15:44:25 (11-10-1901)' each time with the current time and date.

```
'user@:~$' • echo "Time = $(date '+%X (%x)')"
```

```
'user@:~$' • date '+Time = %X (%x)'
```

```
'user@:~$' • date '+Time = %X (%Y/%d/%m)'
```

- date matches the characters date literally (case sensitive)
- '+' matches the previous token between one and unlimited times, as many times as possible, giving back as needed (greedy)
- The %X argument sets locale's time representation
- the %x argument sets locale's date representation
- The %Y arguments = year
- The %d arguments = day
- The %m arguments = month

Exercise 12:

Create a oneliner which lists the top 3 most used passwords in the ftp brute force attack captured in "ftp_bruteforce.pcap". Use a suitable sniffer filter which only displays whats really needed.

```
'user@:~$' • tshark -r ftp_bruteforce.pcap -Y 'ftp.request.command==PASS' -T fields -e 'ftp.request.arg' 2> /dev/null | sort | uniq -c | sort -rn | head -3
```

- The tshark command dumps and analyzes network traffic
- The -r argument reads the packet data from infile
- The -Y command captures the link type
- The -T argument sets the format of the output when viewing decoded packet data.
- The -e argument (in tshark command) adds a field to the list of fields to display if -T fields is selected
- The sort command sorts lines of text files
- The uniq command reports or omits repeated lines
- The -c command prefixes lines by the number of occurrences
- The -r argument (in sort command) reverses the results of comparisons
- The -n compare according to string numerical value
- The head command shows output for only the first part of files