

The Tools Hackers Are Using Against Your Oracle Database Webinar

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Targeted Attack

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Advanced Persistent Threat (APT)

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Anonymous, LulzSec, Legion of Doom, ...

Bitcoin/Monero Mining

Sensitive Data in Databases

<i>Credit Card Fraud</i> Credit Card Data	 Credit Card Number Primary Account Number (PAN) CVV/CV2/CID 3 digits on the back for Visa/MC 4 digits on the front for AMEX Magnetic Stripe Data (very rare)
<i>Identify Theft/Tax Fraud</i> Personally Identifiable Information (PII)	 First and last name Date of Birth Plus one of the following: Social security number Bank account number Financial account number Driver license or state ID number
Health Insurance Fraud Health Information	 First and last name Plus one of the following (Protected Health Information) "the past, present, or future physical or mental health, or condition of an individual" "provision of health care to an individual" "payment for the provision of health care to an individual"

Last three years, the health care industry accounted for 42.5% of all breaches

- Identity Theft Resource Center

What is your data worth? Identify Theft

\$1 - \$5	First and last nameSocial Security number	Tax information (e.g., 1099)
\$20 - \$40	 First and last name Social Security number Current address Date of birth 	Health care Human Resources
\$30 - \$100	 First and last name Social Security number Current address Date of birth Bank account number or credit card number Salary 	Payroll

2017 – 1.1 million potentially fraudulent tax returns

- 2017 IRS paid \$4.4 billion in fraudulent tax refunds
- 3,000 IRS employees dedicated to tax Fraud

- General Accounting Office (GAO) Report

Calculate the black-market value of the data contained in your database to help evaluate risk.

Data Type	Formula		
Credit Cards	(number of unique, unexpired cards) * \$10		
Social Security Numbers	(number of unique SSN + Name + DoB) * \$20 or (number of unique SSN + Bank) * \$50		

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Oracle Database Attack Tools

Nmap	 nmap.org Database discovery, version, SID enumeration/brute force, password guessing, limited exploits 		
ODAT	 github.com/quentinhardy/odat SID enumeration/brute force, password guessing, common exploits, Oracle OS attacks 		
Metasploit	 www.metasploit.com SID enumeration/brute force, password guessing, limited exploits 		
Hydra	 github.com/vanhauser-thc/thc-hydra SID enumeration/brute force, password guessing 		
Oscanner	 gitlab.com/kalilinux/packages/oscanner (7 years old) SID enumeration/brute force, password guessing 		

Anatomy of the Targeted Attack

1	Point of Entry	Breach the perimeter network through a network compromise, phishing attack, or social engineering.	
2	Persistence	Once inside, establish a "beach-head" and maintain the compromise over time (days, months, years).	
	Lateral Movement	Expand the compromise to more devices and systems.	
4	Asset Discovery	The Targeted Attack has already identified "data of interest" and will being searching for it.	
		How to discover assets this without detection?	
5	Asset Compromise	The database is attacked in order to gain unauthorized access to "data of interest".	
		How to compromise asset this without detection?	
6	Data Exfiltration	Once the "data of interest" has been gathered, it must be transferred externally without being detected. <i>How do you quietly steal gigabytes or terabytes of data?</i>	

Database Discovery Techniques

Passive	 Search internal knowledge repositories for architecture diagrams, design documents, code repositories, etc. Find TNSNAMES.ORA files
Active	 Compromise DBA credentials through phishing or social engineering attacks Install malware on DBA machines and steal credentials, such as saved in SQL Developer Use Nmap to scan internal network for Oracle Databases on default port 1521 – very noisy

Findings tnsnames.ora files using internal search engines

- www.google.com
- search:tnsnames filetype:ora

Obtaining passwords from internal source code repositories

www.github.com search: "alter user" "identified by"

http://www.github.com

Note: To search all code repositories must be signed into Github with an account (including free accounts).

Decrypt SQL Developer passwords

https://github.com/tomecode/show-me-password-sqldev-jdev

Use extension in SQL Developer

If the attacker can't find databases through other means, then the old-fashioned way by scanning the network.

Using Nmap to find Oracle databases

www.nmap.com

nmap -sT -sV -p 1521-1529 -T4 -v -n -Pn -open 192.168.2.11-50

To connect to a database need IP address/hostname, TNS port number, and SID/Service Name.

Using Nmap to brute force SID

www.nmap.com

nmap -p 1521 -v --script oracle-sid-brute 192.168.56.10

Database Compromise – Login into Database

Database Account	Default Password	Exists in Database %	Default Password %
SYS	CHANGE_ON_INSTALL	100%	3%
SYSTEM	MANAGER	100%	4%
DBSNMP	DBSNMP	99%	52%
OUTLN	OUTLN	98%	43%
MDSYS	MDSYS	77%	18%
ORDPLUGINS	ORDPLUGINS	77%	16%
ORDSYS	ORDSYS	77%	16%
XDB	CHANGE_ON_INSTALL	75%	15%
DIP	DIP	63%	19%
WMSYS	WMSYS	63%	12%
CTXSYS	CTXSYS	54%	32%

* Sample of 120 production databases - mostly production ERP databases such as SAP, Oracle EBS, and PeopleSoft

Using Nmap for Database Password Guessing

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nmap -p 1521 -v --script oracle-brute

--script-args oracle-brute.sid=ORCL 192.168.56.10

Demo – Able to Connect and Access USER\$

Brute forcing Oracle Database Passwords

Integrigy internal tool

google: oracle password cracker

free tools: woraauthbf, orabf

Final Step – Privilege Escalation

Last step is to escalate privileges by exploiting an unpatched vulnerability.

- Applying Critical Patch Updates (CPU) provided little protection until this point. CPU security patches matter at this point.
- Database hardening and configuration are as important.

The compromised database account privileges and the skill and creativity of the attacker matter most for this last step.

google: oracle database privilege escalation

Lateral Movement After Database Compromise



Overview

- Organization with about 150 production Oracle Databases
- Assessed15 key SOX and PCI compliance Oracle databases
- Reviewed database links for connectivity and appropriateness

Conclusion

 Compromised 28 other databases just through database links.

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Integrigy #1 Security Recommendation

- Limit direct database access whenever possible
 - Much harder to hack database if an attacker can not connect to it
 - Would have to use another avenue such as a web application or reporting tool (e.g., OBIEE)
- Use firewalls in front of data center, network ACLs, TNS invited nodes, Oracle Connection Manager, Oracle Database Firewall, etc.
 - DBAs should use bastion hosts to manage databases

Database Security Preventative Controls

- Apply Oracle Critical Patch Updates on a regular basis on all databases
 - Reduce risk of compromise and escalation of privileges

- Check for default and weak passwords constantly
 - Use multiple tools to check passwords
 - Install database profiles to enforce strong passwords

- Harden database configurations
 - Validate configurations on regular basis

Routinely Check for Default Passwords

Use Oracle's DBA_USERS_WITH_DEFPWD

- Limited set of accounts
- Single password for each account

- Command line tools (orabf, etc.)
 - Difficult to run command line only

- AppSentry
 - Checks all database accounts
 - Uses passwords lists > 1 million passwords
 - Allows custom passwords

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Use Integrigy Database Auditing and Logging Framework as starting point!

E1 - Login	E8 - Modify role
E2 - Logoff	<i>E9 - Grant/revoke user privileges</i>
E3 - Unsuccessful login	E10 - Grant/revoke role privileges
E4 - Modify auth mechanisms	E11 - Privileged commands
E5 - Create user account	E12 - Modify audit and logging
E6 - Modify user account	<i>E13 -</i> Create, modify or delete object
E7 - Create role	E14 - Modify configuration settings

https://www.integrigy.com/security-resources/integrigy-guide-database-auditing-and-logging

Foundation Security Events Mapping

Security Events and Actions	PCI DSS 10.2	SOX (COBIT)	HIPAA (NIST 800-66)	IT Security (ISO 27001)	FISMA (NIST 800-53)
E1 - Login	10.2.5	A12.3	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E2 - Logoff	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E3 - Unsuccessful login	10.2.4	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1 A.11.5.1	AC-7
E4 - Modify authentication mechanisms	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E5 – Create user account	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E6 - Modify user account	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E7 - Create role	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E8 - Modify role	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E9 - Grant/revoke user privileges	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E10 - Grant/revoke role privileges	10.2.5	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E11 - Privileged commands	10.2.2	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2
E12 - Modify audit and logging	10.2.6	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2 AU-9
E13 - Objects Create/Modify/Delete	10.2.7	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2 AU-14
E14 - Modify configuration settings	10.2.2	DS5.5	164.312(c)(2)	A 10.10.1	AU-2

Traditional Database Auditing (pre 12c, 12c Mixed Mode)



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