Real Applications, Real Vulnerabilities Really Exploited



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About Me

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 - Web Developer in previous life
 - Built first website in 2002

- OS Commerce bug November 2009
 - Popular ecommerce web application
 - Bypassed by appending /login.php to URI
 - unpatched installs still being exploited in the wild.
 - GET /admin/index.php => /admin/login.php
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OS Commerce bug - November 2009

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Authentication Bypass

• Demo Time.

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- How to Prevent
 - Patch!
 - Track your upstream for updates
 - Read the documentation
 - Identify and reduce attack surface /admin dir
 - Disable upload and / or execution of uploaded files
 - Use standard authentication frameworks

- Wordpress plugins June 2011
 - Wordpress team detected suspicious commits
 - All passwords reset as a "prophylactic measure"
 - 3 popular plugins backdoored for 48 hours



- Wordpress plugins altered source code
 - W3C Total Cache

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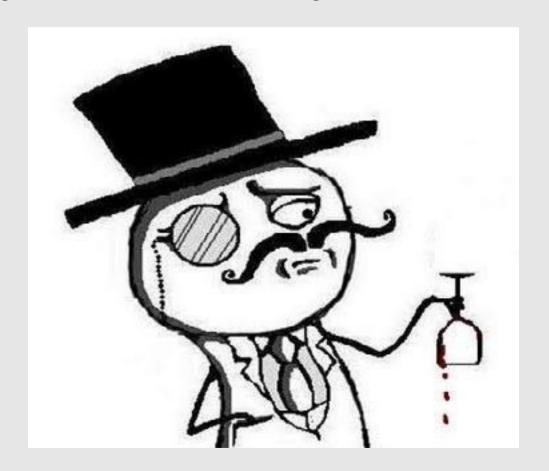
- How to Prevent
 - Patch!
 - Track your upstream for updates
 - Be wary of any 3rd party plugin
 - Read the Wordpress hardening guide
 - Identify and reduce attack surface /wp-admin dir

SQL Injection

• SQL Injection – its everywhere

2011-07- 05	-	>	DmxReady Secure Document Library v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	615	asp
2011-07- 04		>	PhpFood CMS v2.00 SQL Injection Vulnerability	1381	php
2011-07- 04		>	DmxReady Links Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	559	php
2011-07- 04		*	DMXReady Account List Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	457	php
2011-07- 03		>	DmxReady Document Library Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	537	asp
2011-07- 03		*	DmxReady Bilboard v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	366	asp
2011-07- 03		>	DmxReady Faqs Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	258	asp
2011-07- 03		*	DmxReady Contact Us Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	229	asp
2011-07- 03		>	DMXReady Registration Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulneratbility	238	asp
2011-07- 03		0	phpDealerLocator Multiple SQL Injection Vulnerabilities	498	php
2011-07- 03		>	DmxReady News Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulnerability	353	asp
2011-07- 03		>	DmxReady Catalog Manager v1.2 SQL Injection Vulneratbility	503	asp
2011-07- 01		>	WordPress 3.1.3 SQL Injection Vulnerabilities	4129	php
2011-07- 01		*	Joomla mdigg Component SQL Injection Vulnerability	2155	php

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SQL Injection

- SonyPictures.com June 2011
 - 1,000,000 users personal information lost
 - Passwords stored in plain text
 - One of many sites that got compromised
 - SQL Injection is still a problem today

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- How to Prevent
 - Patch!
 - Read the OWASP guides on SQL Injection
 - https://www.owasp.org/index.php/Guide_to_SQL_Injection
 - Use a framework with Parameterized queries
 - Validate input, escape output

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- Authentication Bypass Resources
 - https://www.owasp.org/index.php/Broken_Access_Cont rol
 - http://seclists.org/fulldisclosure/2009/Nov/169

- Remote Code Execution Resources
 - https://www.owasp.org/index.php/Direct_Dynamic_Cod e_Evaluation_%28%27Eval_Injection%27%29
 - https://wordpress.org/news/2011/06/passwords-reset/
 - http://mtekk.us/archives/enemy-of-the-spammers/wporg-commit-evil-code/

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- SQL Injection Resources
 - https://www.owasp.org/index.php/SQL_Injection
 - https://www.owasp.org/index.php/Testing_for_MySQL
 - http://php-security.org/2010/05/13/mops-2010-023cacti-graph-viewer-sql-injection-vulnerability/index.html

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