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Testing from the Cloud: Is the sky falling?

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OWASP WTE: A History

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- The OWASP Summer of Code 2008 (SoC 2008) aims to financially sponsor contributions to OWASP Projects. SoC 2008 follows the previous <u>OWASP Spring of Code 2007</u>, in which 21 projects were sponsored with a budget of \$117,500, and the <u>OWASP Autumn of Code 2006</u>, in which 9 projects were sponsored with a budget of \$20,000.
- The SoC 2008 is an open sponsorship program were participants/developers are paid to work on OWASP (and web security) related projects.
- The SoC 2008 is also an opportunity for external individual or company sponsors to challenge the
 participants/developers to work in areas in which they are willing to invest additional funding, provided that
 these areas are relevant and beneficial to the OWASP community.
- The initial Budget for SoC 2008 will be \$100,000 and it is funded by OWASP using current membership
 fees and profits from past conferences. In parallel with the Request for Proposals, OWASP would like to
 invite individuals and companies that benefit from OWASP projects to join OWASP as a member. In
 addition to the current Membership benefits, the new OWASP members will be able to allocate membership
 fees to SoC 2008 projects they are interested in.
- There is no geographical, age or any other form of restrictions to who can apply for an "OWASP Summer of Code 2008" sponsorship. The only requirement is that the candidate shows the potential to accomplish the project's objectives and the commitment to dedicate the time required to complete it in the allocated time frame (projects must be completed by 30th August 2008).
- Prospective candidates should visit <u>SoC 2008 page</u> for more information.

OWASP Summer of Code 2008 Applications - OWASP - Midori



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Introduction

The previous OWASP Live CD project distributions have laid a good foundation for the 2008 Project. I'd like to take the existing Live CD and further enhance it. I see the 2008 Live CD as filling the Web App Sec niche not the more general Pen Tester niche. I'd concede general Pen Testing to Backtrack [19]. However, Backtrack has a different audience and is not specifically tailored for web application security professionals. This is the role I think this Live CD could fulfill with great success. I'd like to take the OWASP Live CD 2008 Project in that direction and see the OWASP Live CD become to Web App Sec what Backtrack is to Pen Testing.

Proposal

I'd like to take the existing applications and documentation in the current Live CD and add significantly more tools and documentation specifically focused on Web application security. I think OWASP's Phoenix/Tools page [20] would be a good starting point for potential tools. I'd also like to use WASC [21] and ISECOM/OSSTMM [22] as sources for material.

The project would first enumerate a list of tools to include on the CD where licensing, supported OS and space will determine what is included on the Live CD. After determining a reasonable list of tools, the next phase would be to create modules for the tools and merge these modules with the Live CD. Then documentation and tutorials would be added (also as space allows) followed by any remaining OWASP branding. Additional polishing could include preinstallation (license permitting) of the VMware tools.

Deliverables

April 2 to May 15, 2008

Enumerated tools and reference material for installation verifying that the software license allows permits distribution.

May 16 to July 4, 2008

- Create modules for each tool and begin to merge the modules with the base distribution.
- Begin testing of the Live CD.

July 5 to August 31, 2008

- Complete the merging of modules and install any remaining documentation.
- Further testing of the Live CD particularly installation of new/updated modules.

Challenges / Outstanding Issues

While the current Live CD is base on Morphix - a Knoppix derivative created to allow easy creation of custom Live CDs, I'm not sure it it provides the flexibility needed to keep the CD tools updated. While I'm fine with keeping the Live CD on Morphix, I also see value in switching to another distribution: SLAX. Here's the brief pros and cons of each as I see them.

Pros of Mophix:

no change to current LiveCD - principally just updates to existing and augment.















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Projects	Historical Information
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100% Completion Projects	Author
OWASP Testing Guide v3	Matteo Meucci
OWASP Ruby on Rails Security Guide v2	Heiko Webers
OWASP Live CD 2008 Project	Matt Tesauro
OWASP Code review guide, V1.1	Eoin Keary
OWASP AntiSamy .NET	Arshan Dabirsiaghi
OWASP .NET Project Leader	Mark Roxberry

- Current Release
 - •OWASP WTE Sept 2011
 - Alpha of WTE Cloud
- Previous Releases
 - •OWASP WTE Feb 2011
 - •OWASP WTE Beta Jan 2010
 - AppSecEU May 2009
 - AustinTerrier Feb 2009
 - •Portugal Release Dec 2008
 - •SoC Release Sept 2008
 - Beta I and Beta 2 releases during the SoC

Note: Not all had ISO, VirtualBox and Vmware versions





Overall downloads: 330,081 (as of 2009-10-05)

Other fun facts

- •~5,094 GB of bandwidth since launch (Jul 2008)
- •Most downloads in 1 month = 81,607 (Mar 2009)





There's a new kid in town

OWASP WTE

Web
Testing
Environment

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 - The project has grown to more than just a Live CD
 - VMWare installs/appliances
 - VirtualBox installs
 - USB Installs
 - Training Environments
 - Pre-packaged tools
 - Cloud???

Add in the transition to Ubuntu/Debian and the possibilities are endless (plus the 26,000+ packages in the repos)

■ GOAL

Make application security tools and documentation readily available and easy to use

Compliment's OWASP goal to make app security visible

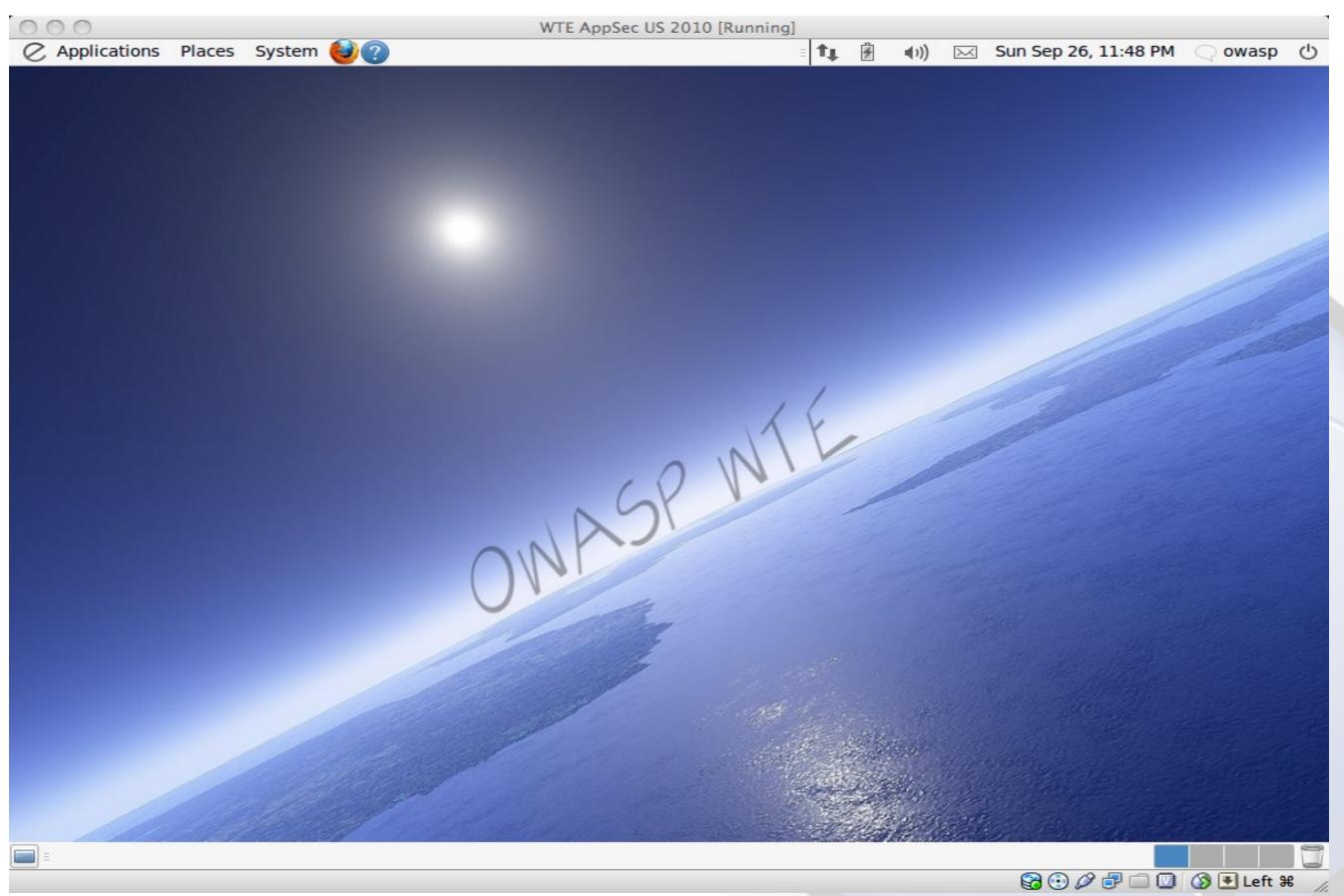
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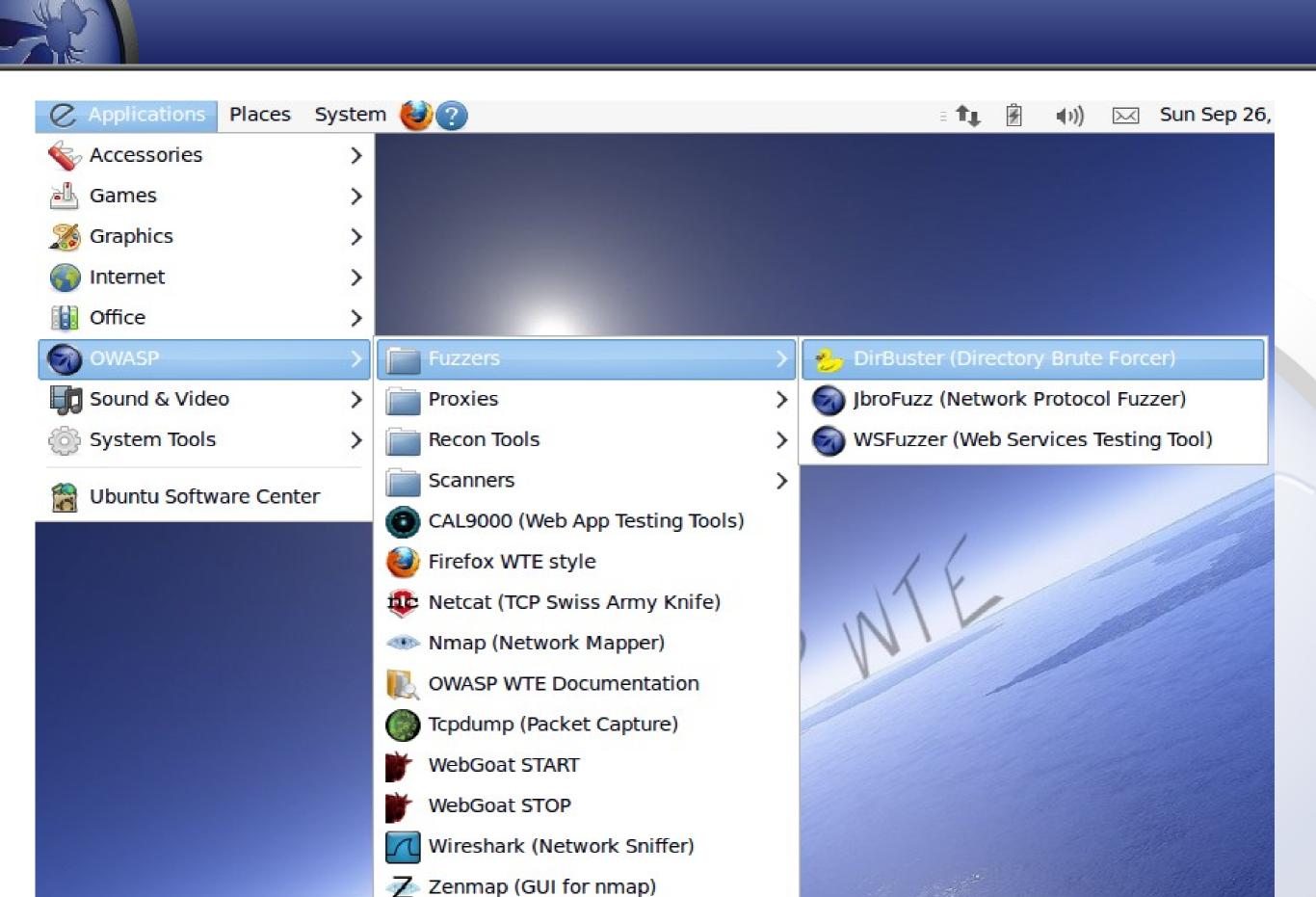
- Easy for users to keep updated
- Easy for project lead to keep updated
- Easy to produce releases (more on this later)
- ▶ Focused on just application security not general pen testing



What's on WTE







29 "Significant" Tools Available

OWASP Tools:



Web Scarab

a tool for performing all types of security testing on web apps and web services



WSFuzzer

a fuzzer with HTTP based SOAP services as its main target



Web Goat

an online training environment for hands-on learning about app sec



Wapiti

audits the security of web apps by performing "black-box" scans



CAL9000

a collection of web app sec testing tools especially encoding/decoding



DirBuster

a multi threaded Java app to brute force directory and file names



JBroFuzz

a web application fuzzer for requests being made over HTTP and/or HTTPS.



WebSlayer

A tool designed for brute-forcing web applications such as resource discovery, GET and POST fuzzing, etc



EnDe

An amazing collection of encoding and decoding tools as well as many other utilities



ZAP Proxy

A fork of the popular but moribund Paros Proxy



Other Proxies:



Burp Suite



Scanners:

w3af



SQL-i:

sqlmap



Others:

Metasploit



Paros



Grendel Scan



SQL Brute



Httprint



Spike Proxy



Nikto



Maltego CE



Rat Proxy



nmap



Duh:

Firefox



netcat



Zenmap



Wireshark



Fierce Domain Scanner



tcpdump



Why is it different?



Add N Edit Cookies 0.2.1.3

Cookie Editor that allows you add and edit se



No-Referer 1.3.1

Lets you open a tab without sending the HTTP referer information.



CookiePie 1.0.2

Use multiple Web accounts and profiles in diff



NoScript 1.9.2.6

Extra protection for your Firefox: NoScript allows JavaScript, Java (and other plu...



DOM Inspector 2.0.3

Inspects the structure and properties of a win



POW 0.1.8

A personal Web Server



Firebug 1.3.3

Web Development Evolved.



RefControl 0.8.11

Control what gets sent as the HTTP Referer on a per-site basis.



FormFox 1.6.3

Pops up form action when submit button is at



refspoof 0.9.5

Allows easy spoofing of URL referer (referrer) w/ toolbar.



FoxyProxy 2.9

FoxyProxy - Premier proxy management for Fi



Server Switcher 0.5

Switch between your development and live servers.



Greasemonkey 0.8.20090123.1

A User Script Manager for Firefox



SQL Injection! 1.2

Set all form fields free to test SQL Injections.



HackBar 1.3.2

A toolbar that helps you find and test SQL inje-



Tamper Data 10.1.0

View and modify HTTP/HTTPS headers etc. Track and time requests.



Header Spy 1.3.3.1

Shows HTTP headers on statusbar



TestGen4Web - Script It All 1.0.0

Just like your VCR - for Firefox. It records what you do, stores it, and plays it bac...



InspectThis 0.9.1

Inspect the current element with the DOM Ins



UrlParams 2.2.0

Displays GET/POST parameters in the sidebar.



View the source code of external stylesheets

ISView 2.0.5

View HTTP headers of a page and while brow



User Agent Switcher 0.6.11

Adds a menu and a toolbar button to switch the user agent of the browser.



Modify Headers 0.6.6

Live HTTP headers 0.14

Add, modify and filter http request headers



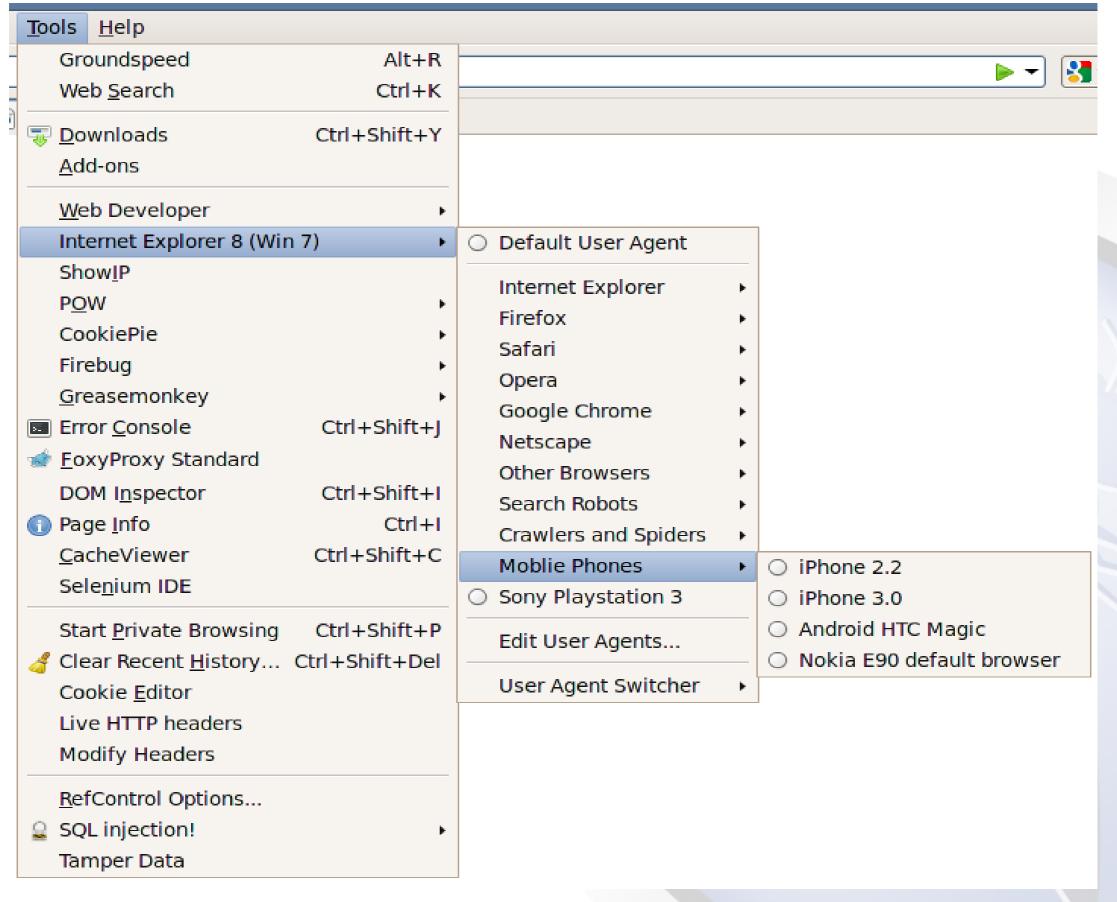
Web Developer 1.1.6

Adds a menu and a toolbar with various web developer tools.



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OWASP Documents

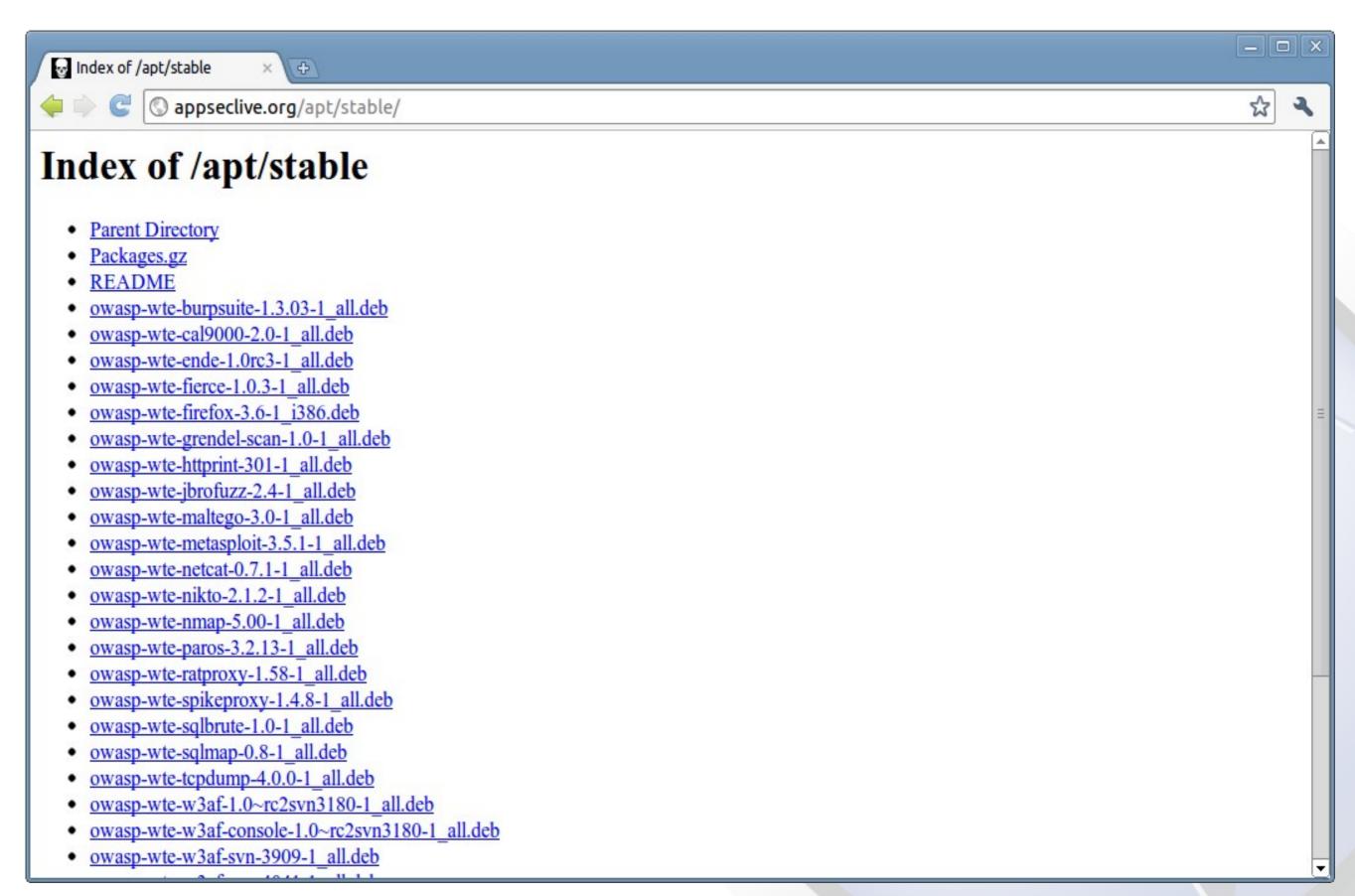
- Testing Guide v2 & v3
- CLASP and OpenSamm
- ▶ Top 10 for 2010
- Top 10 for Java Enterprise Edition
- AppSec FAQ
- Books tried to get all of them
 - CLASP, Top 10 2010, Top 10 + Testing + Legal, WebGoat and Web Scarab, Guide 2.0, Code Review

■ Others

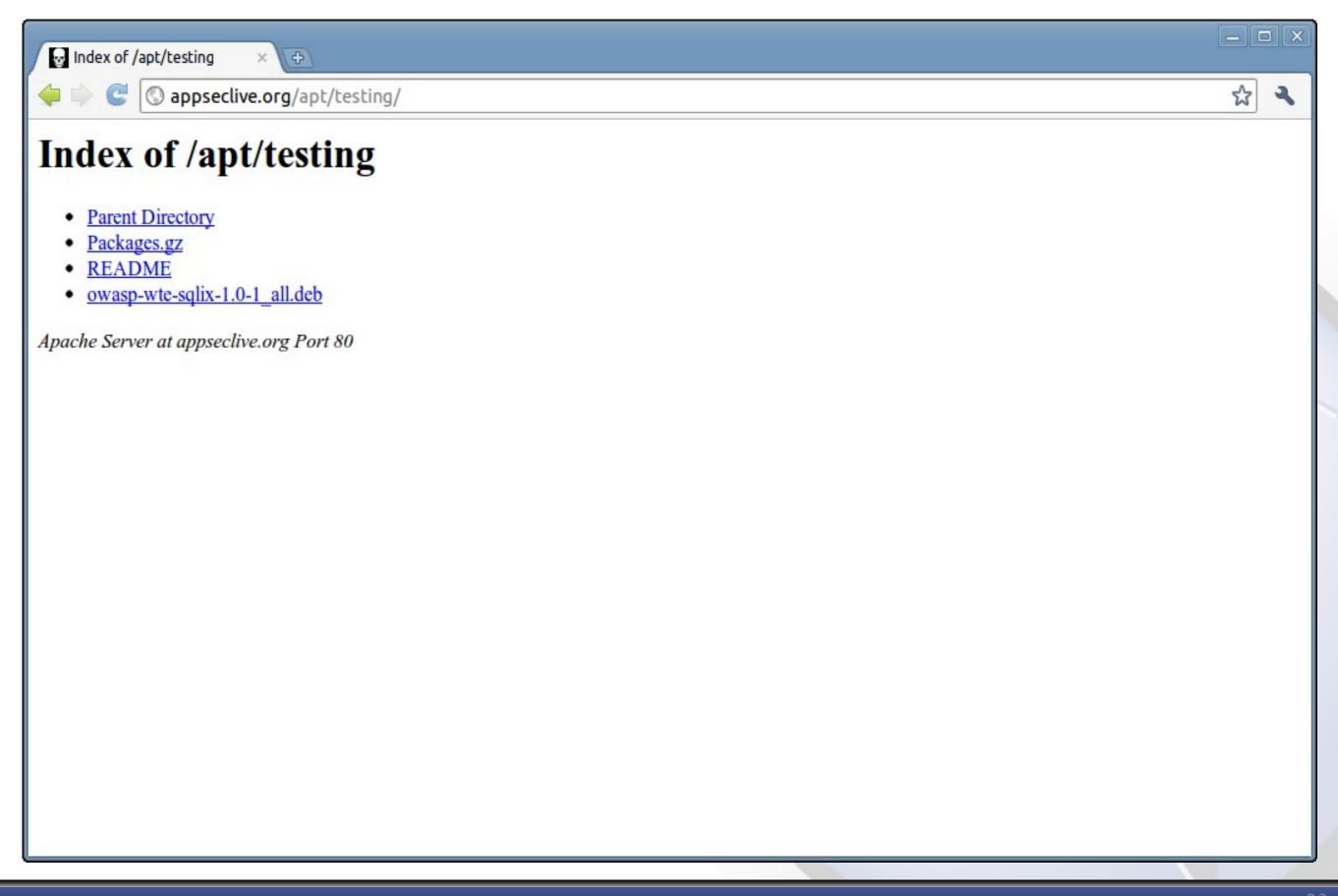
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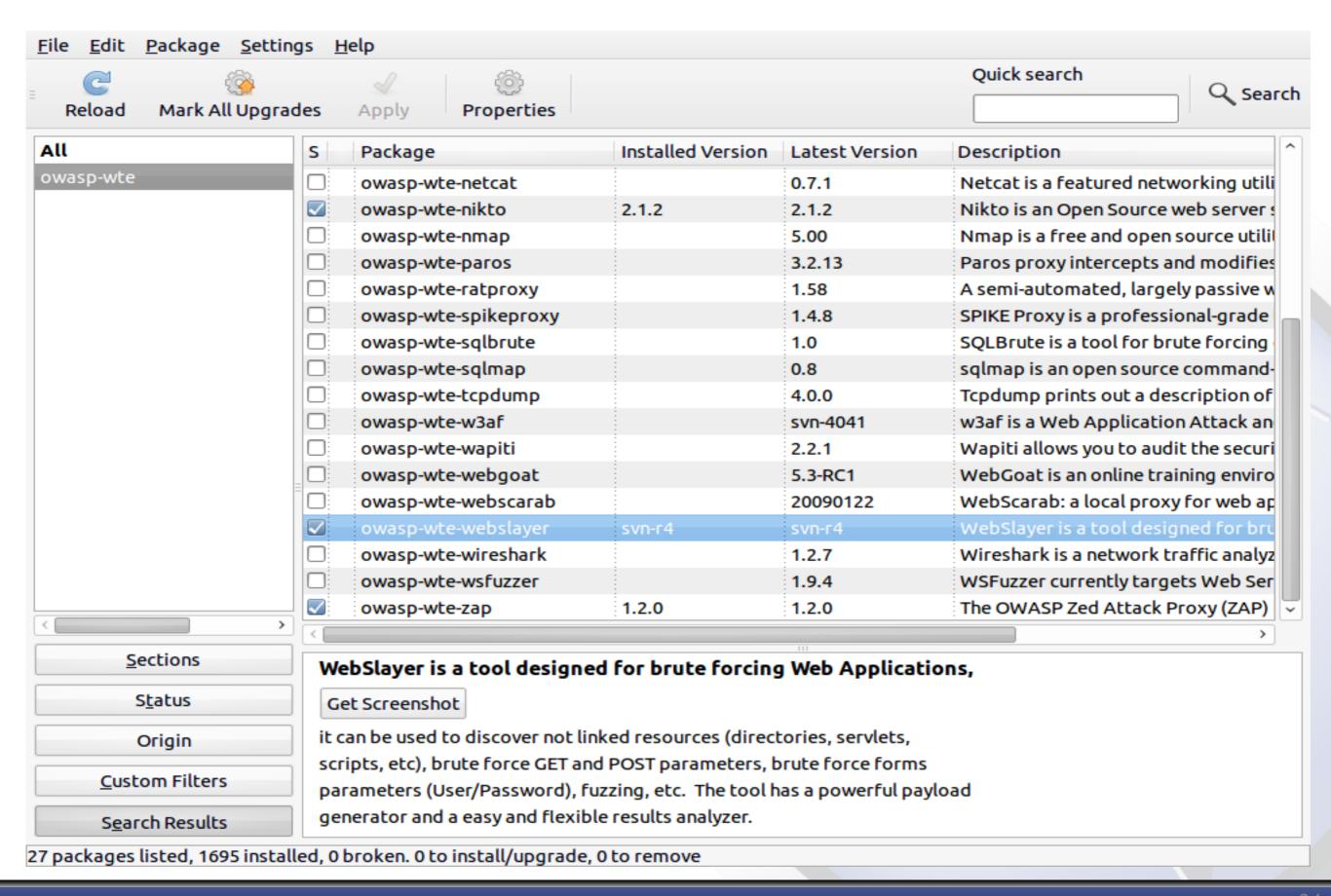


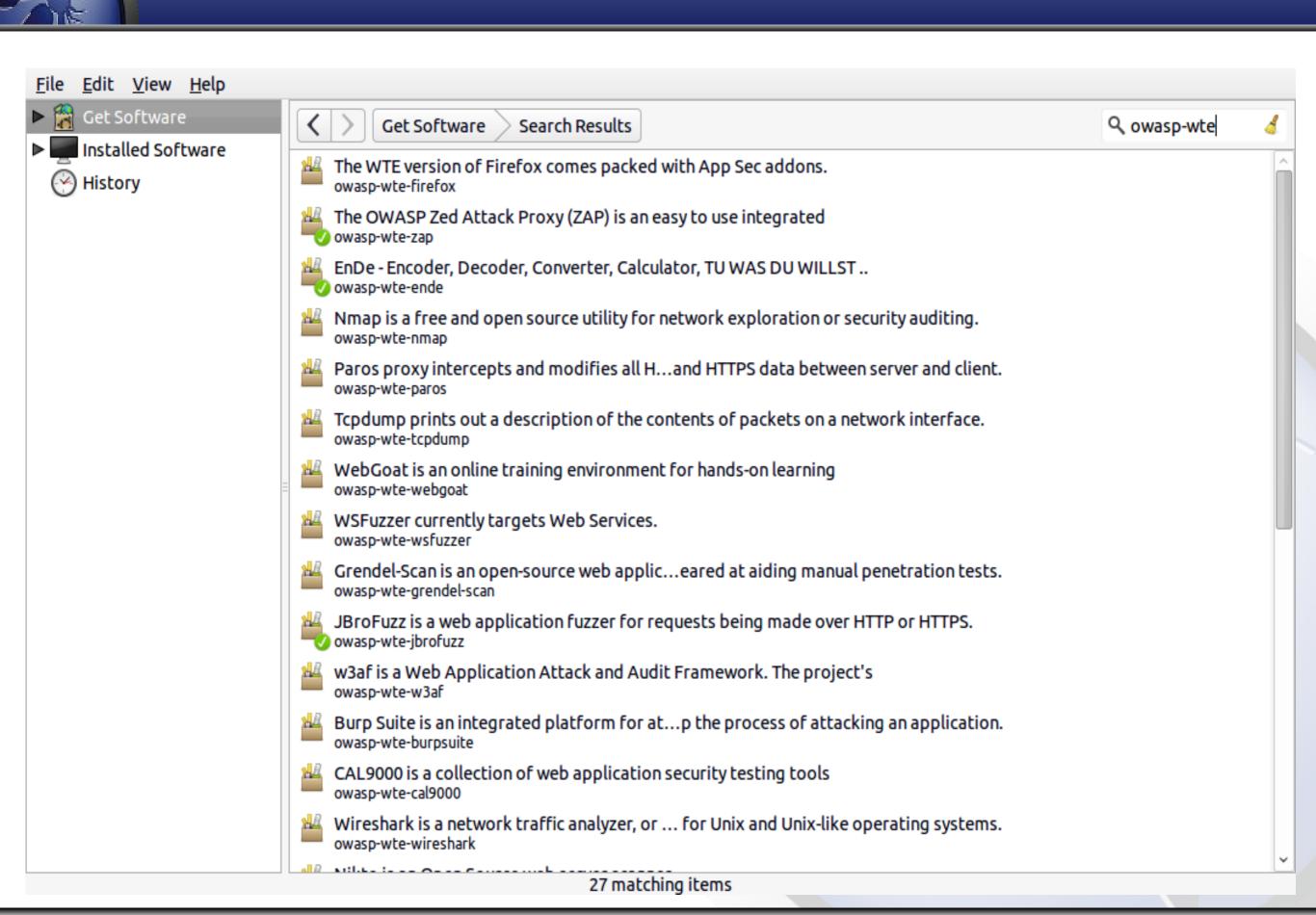




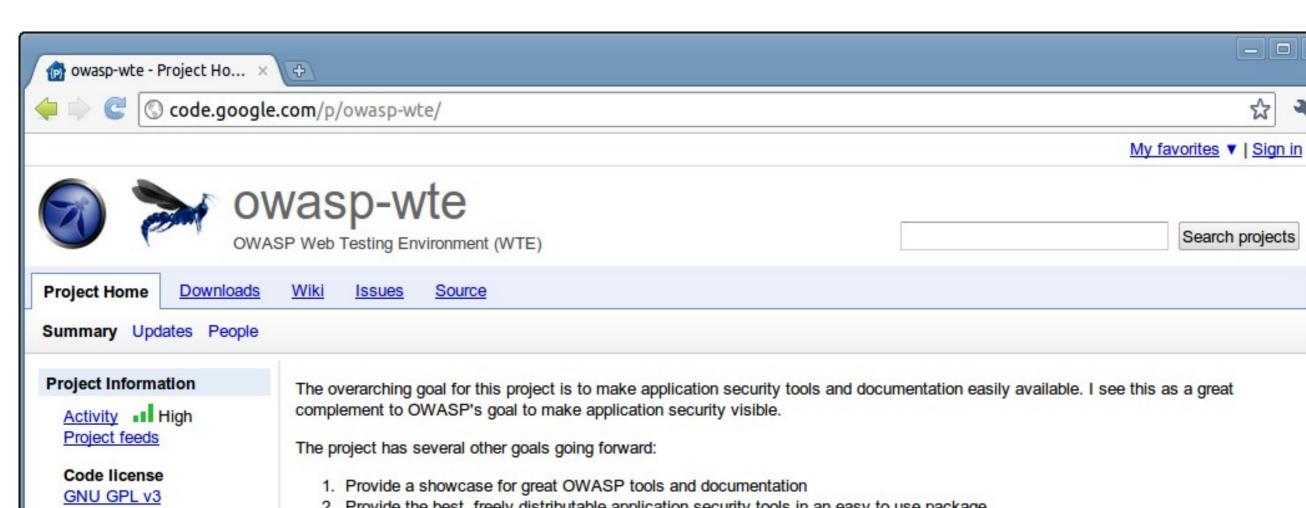












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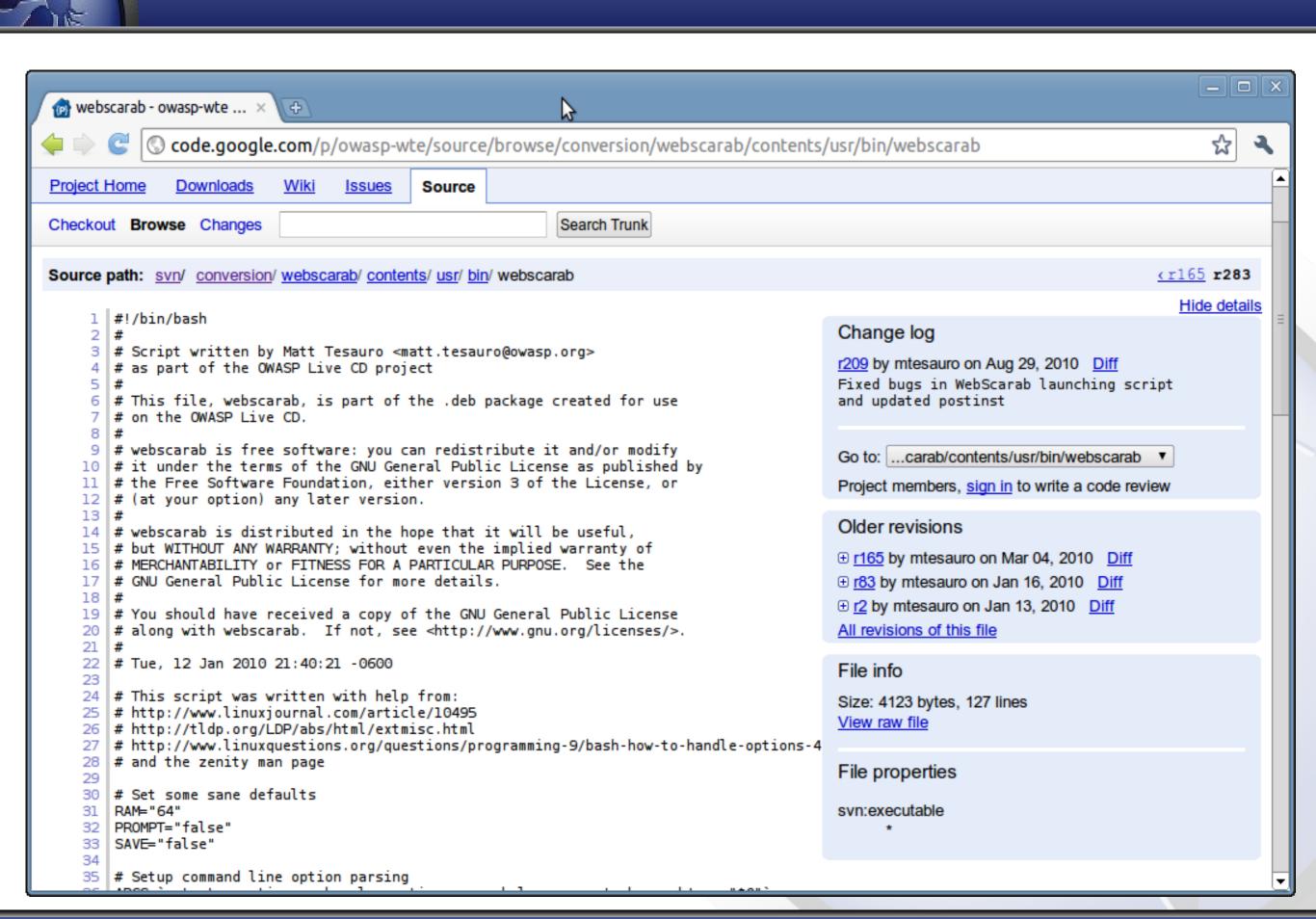
The overarching goal for this project is to make application security tools and documentation easily available. I see this as a great

- 2. Provide the best, freely distributable application security tools in an easy to use package
- 3. Ensure that the tools provided are as easy to use as possible.
- Continue to add documentation and tools to the OWASP WTE
- 5. Continue to document how to use the tools and how the tool modules where created.
- 6. Align the tools provided with the OWASP Testing Guide

This project will create several versions of the Testing Environment: A Live CD, VMs (VMware & Virtualbox), a Live DVD, etc.

Additionally, all the tools will be packaged as .deb packages.

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What is next?







Cloud Provider

Ubuntu / Debian Install

WTE Repository

Fun ensues



WTE Cloud -The 12 Step Program

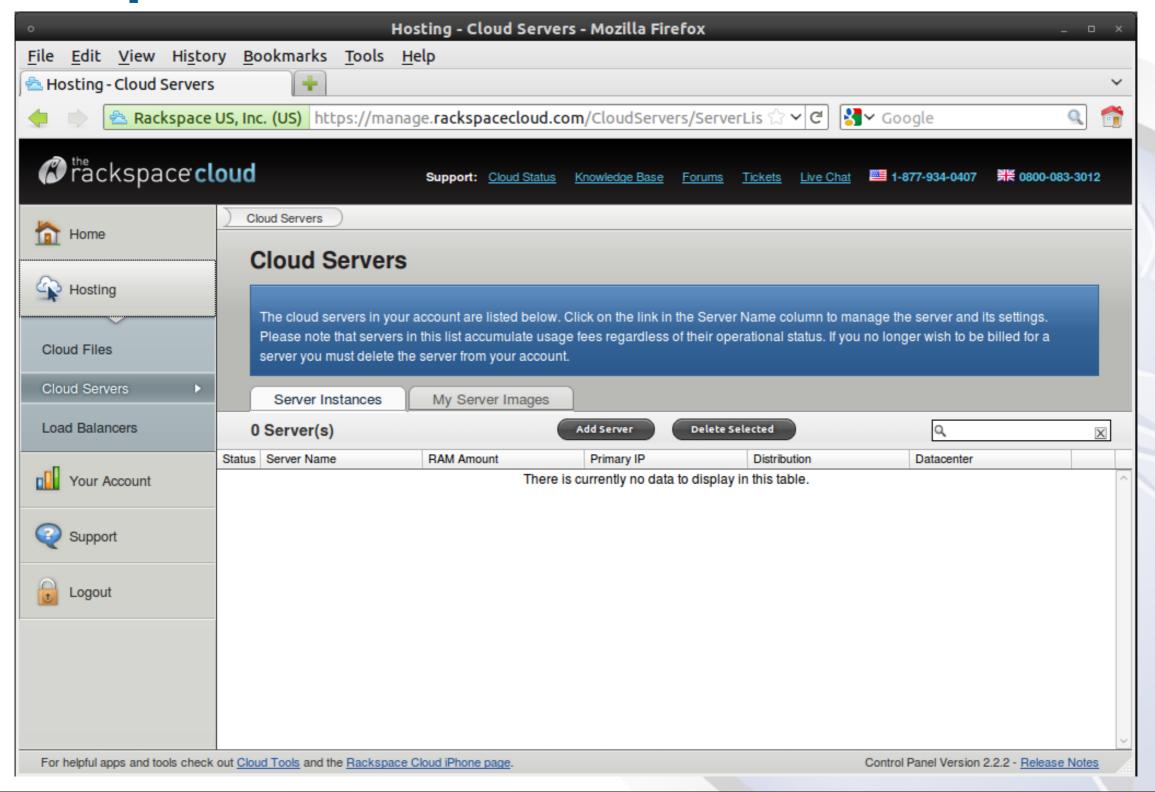
Currently this still mostly manual

12 steps to get a fully-functional WTE

~30 minutes until you are logged in

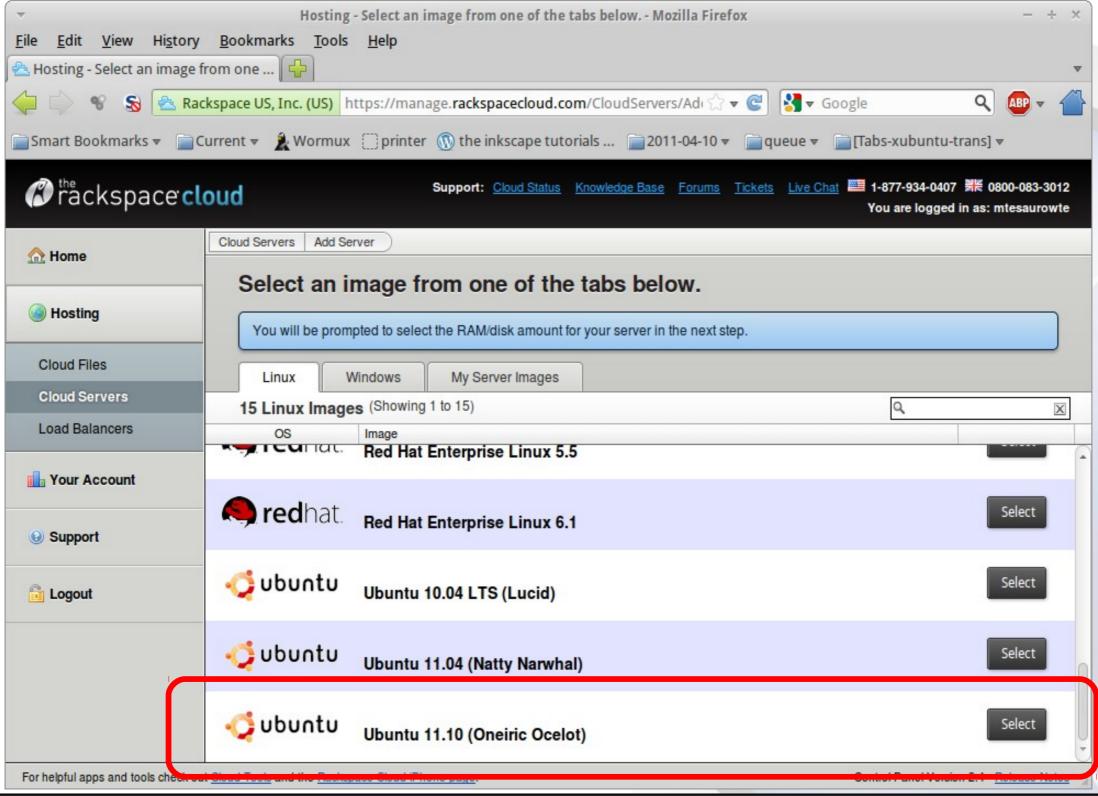


Step 1: Get a cloud account

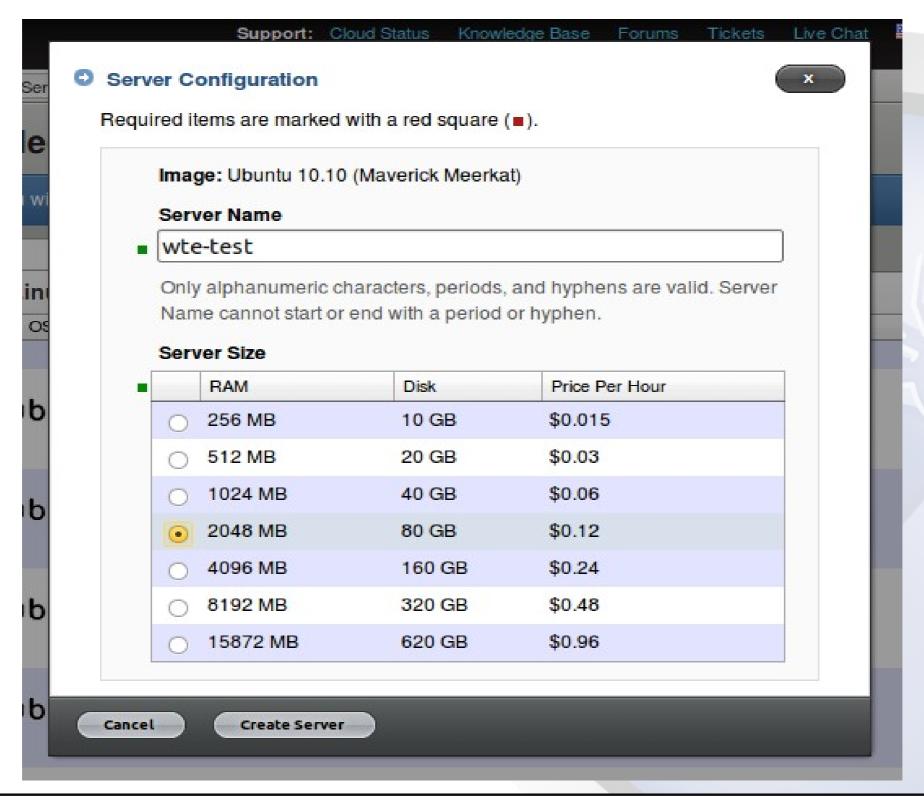




Step 2: Select Ubuntu/Debian

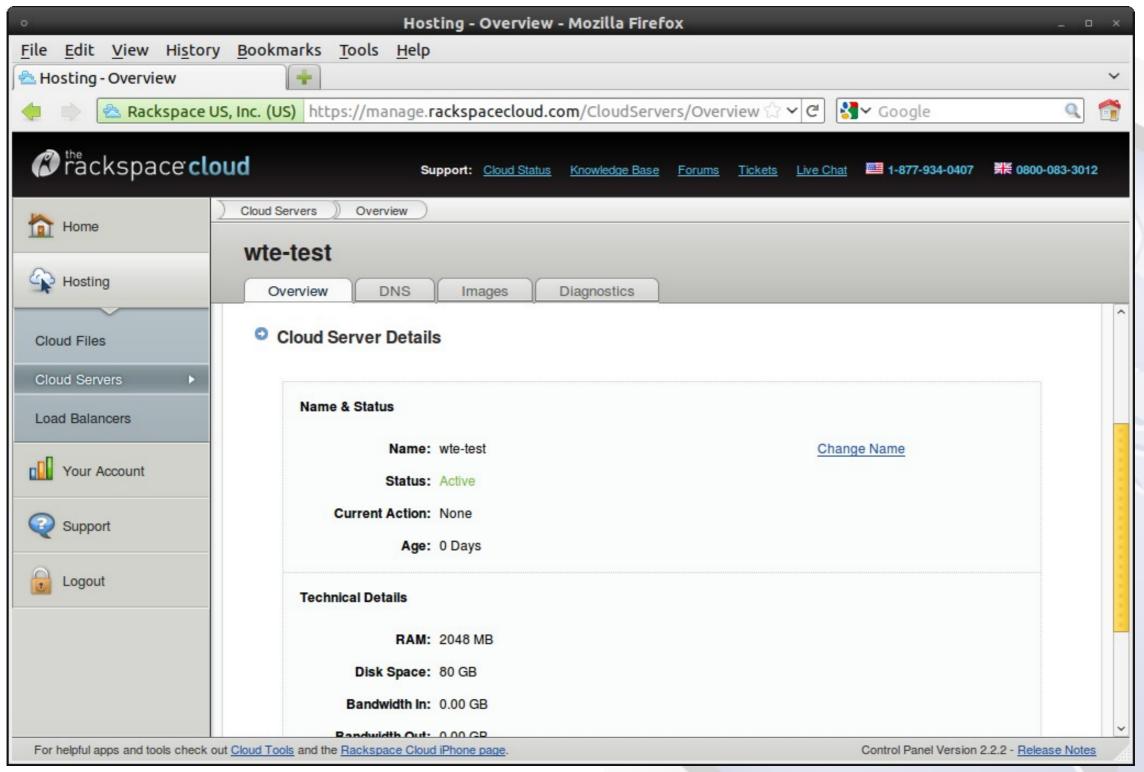


Step 3: Choose Name & RAM





Step 4: Start your server



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Step 5: A bit of Prep

- ssh to your new Linux box
- Add Ubuntu partners and WTE repos & apt-get update

\$ ssh root@50.57.234.97

root@wte-test:~# echo "deb http://archive.canonical.com/ubuntu maverick partner" >> /etc/apt/sources.list

root@wte-test:~# echo "deb http://appseclive.org/apt/stable /" >> /etc/apt/sources.list

root@wte-test:~# apt-get update



Step 6: Install Desktop + WTE

```
Terminal - root@wte-xubuntu: ~
File Edit View Terminal Go
mtesauro@moya:~$ ssh root@108.166.104.99
root@108.166.104.99's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 11.10 (GNU/Linux 3.0.0-12-virtual x86_64)
* Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com/
 System information as of Wed Feb 22 01:49:51 UTC 2012
 System load:
                0.0
                                  Processes:
                                                        122
 Usage of /: 6.4% of 74.81GB Users logged in:
                                  IP address for eth0: 108.166.104.99
 Memory usage: 15%
                                  IP address for eth1: 10.178.228.222
 Swap usage:
               0%
root@wte-xubuntu:~# apt-get --assume-yes --force-yes install xubuntu-desktop owasp-wte-cloud
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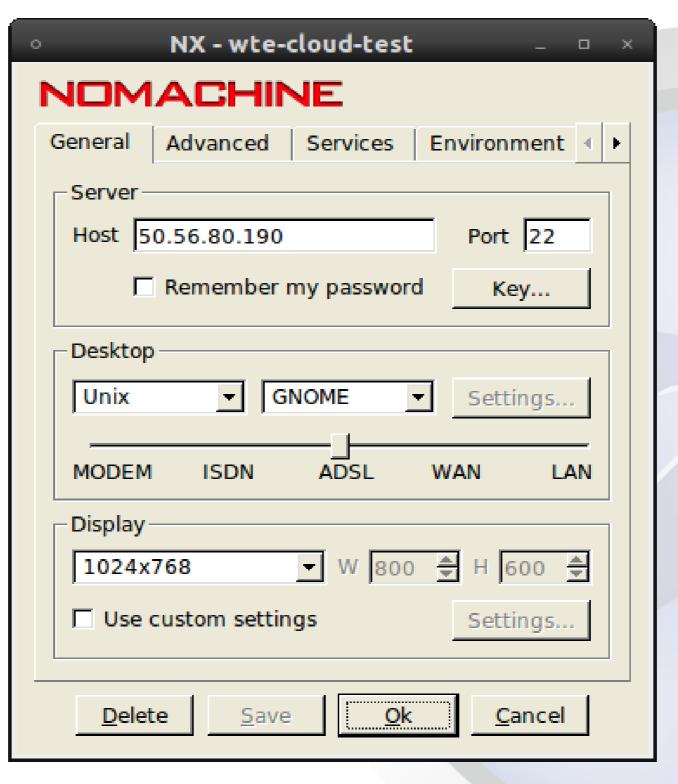
Step 7: Finish things off...

- Add a NX Server
 ppa:freenx-team (plus a fix)
 or ~
 No Machine NX server (free or \$)
- Add OWASP user
- Start lightdm (graphical login)

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# useradd --comment "OWASPWTE" --create-home owasp
# echo -e "owasp\nowasp" | passwd owasp
# service lightdm start
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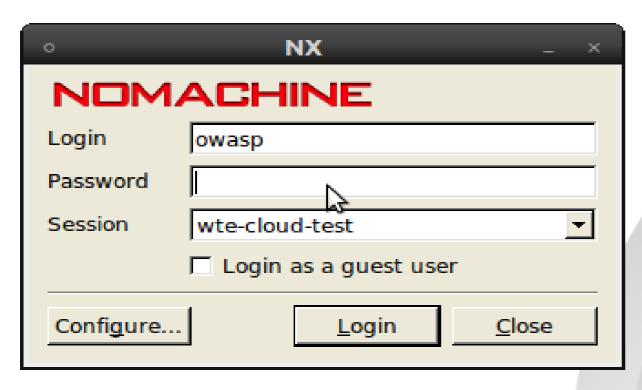


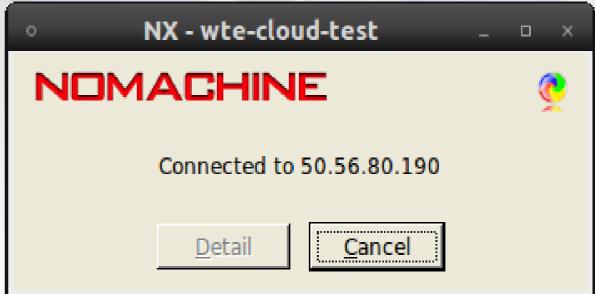
Step 8: NX Client setup





Step 8: Connect to WTE





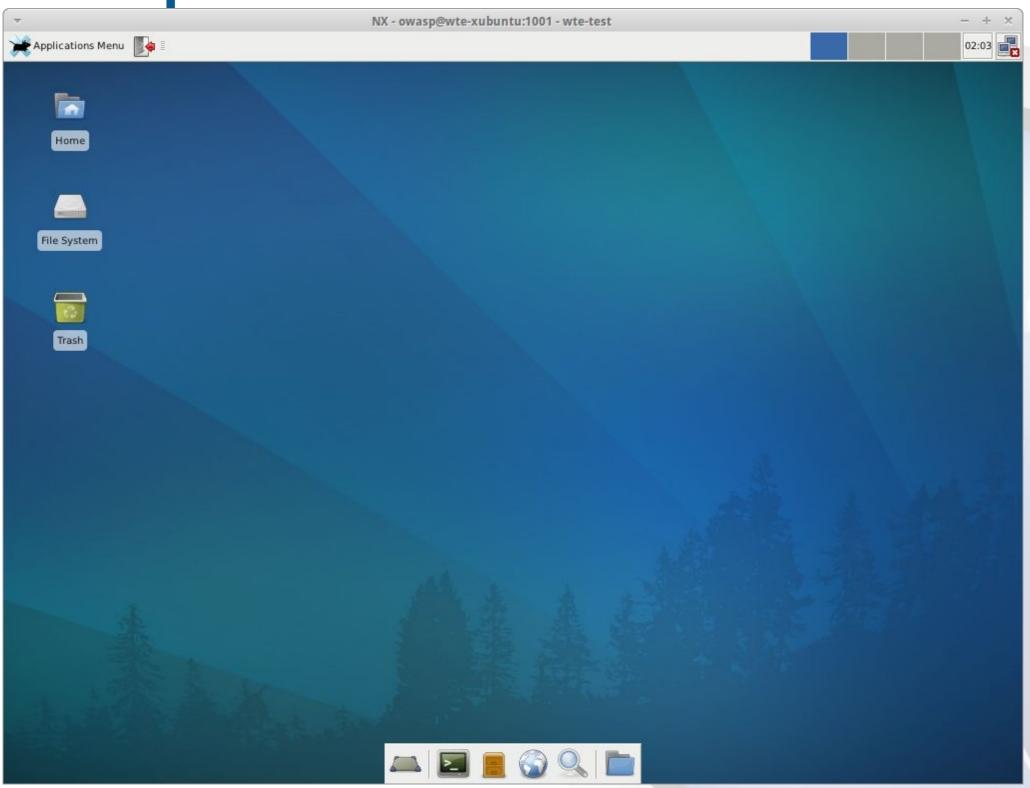


Step 9: WTE ala Cloud

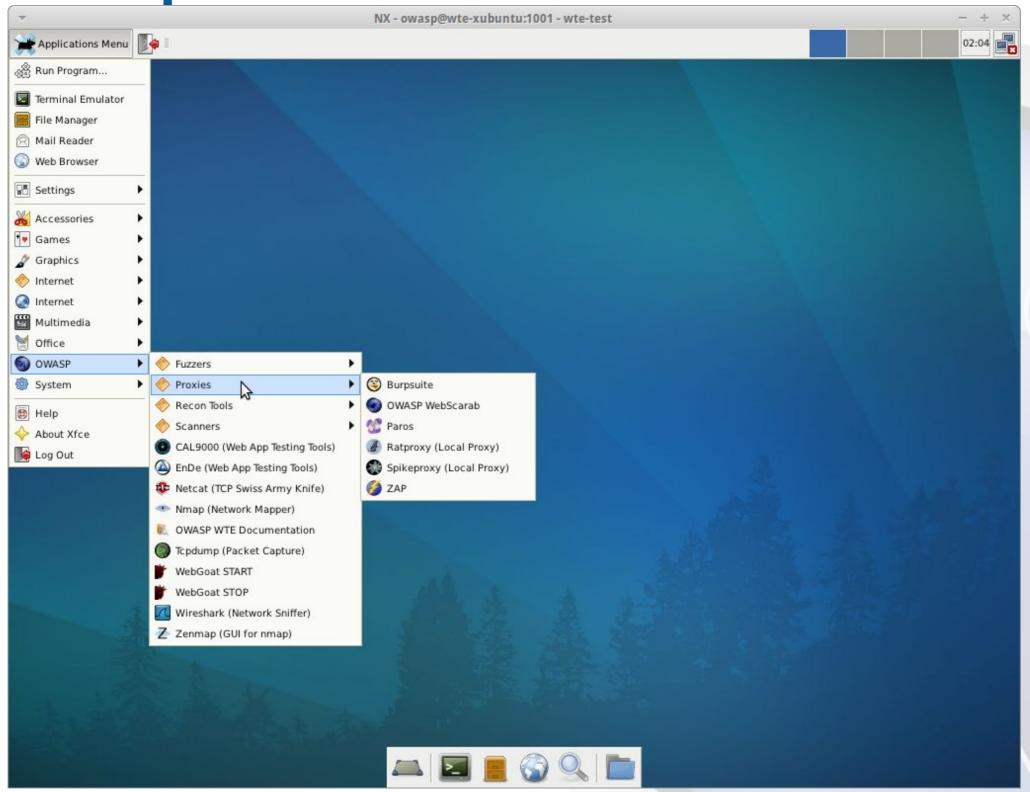




Step 9: WTE ala Cloud



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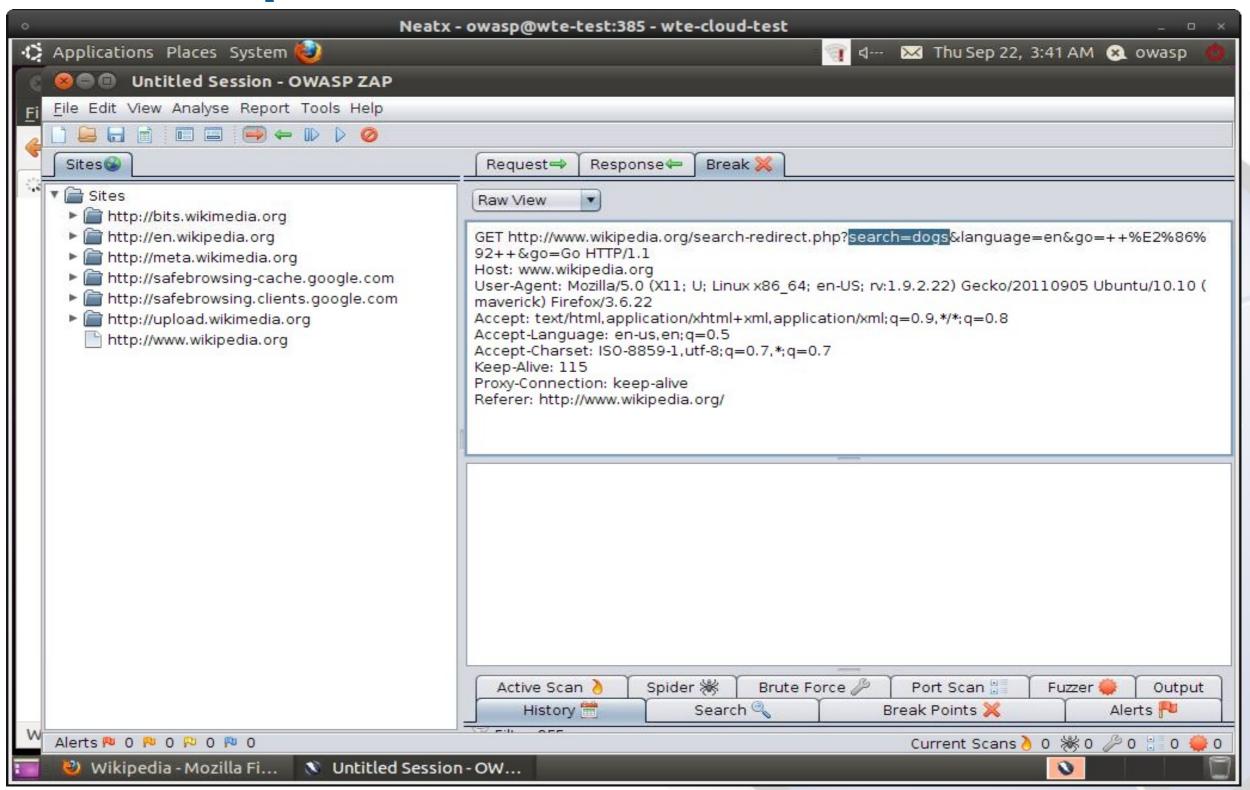


Step 10: Test Connectivity

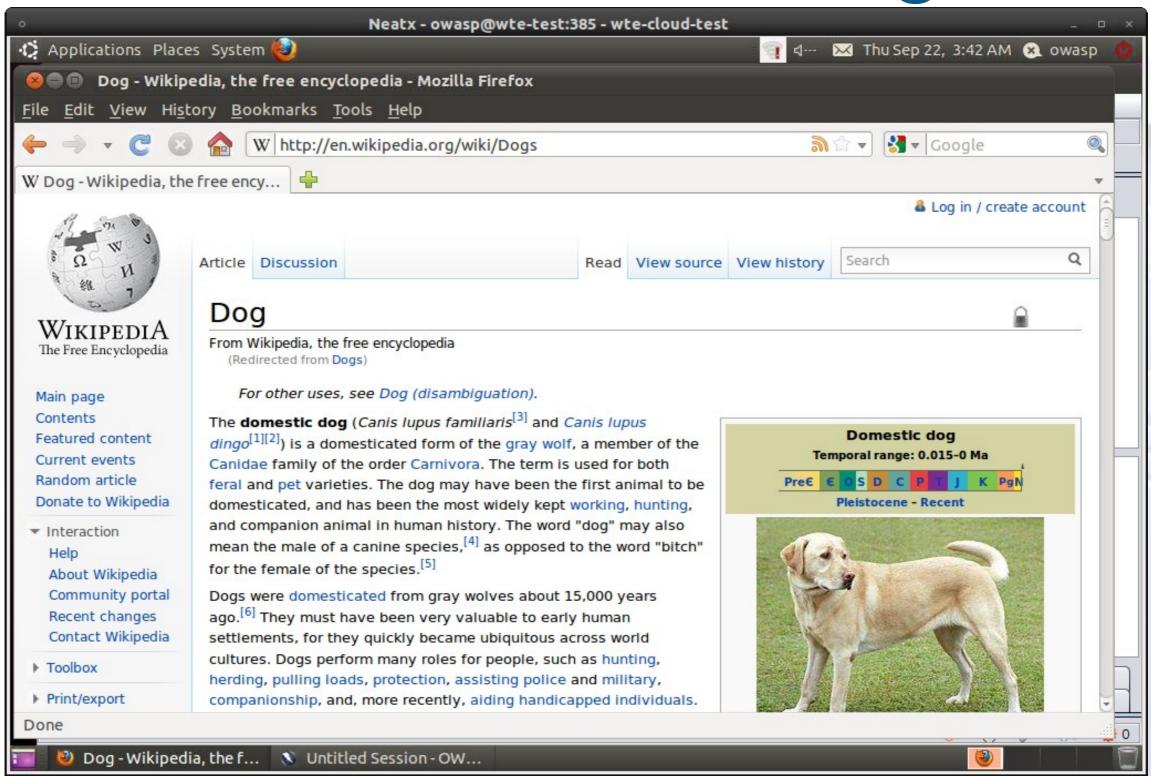




Step 11: Test the Tools



Turn Cats into Dogs



Step 12: Check your bill

Cloud Servers Usage Summary

Total Uptime uses the following format: Days Hours:Minutes:Seconds

1 Servers (Show	wing 1 to 1)	Q	X			
Server Name	Disk Space (GB)	Bandwidth In (GB)	Bandwidth Out (GB)	Total Uptime	Running Charges	
wte-test	80	1.13	0.02	0 Day(s) 01:53:54	\$0.23	×



Cost Estimates

Operatin	g System:					
• Linu	x Windo	ws (Minimun	n size of 1024	4MB for Wind	ows)	
		ervice Leve			count fee)	
Server S	ize (Memor	√ in Megabyte	s)			
256	512	1024	2048	4096	8192	15872
Number of Servers:					1	
Monthly Hours of Service: (average time per server)					40 h	r <u>*</u>
Number of Red Hat Servers:					0	
Outgoing Bandwidth:					1 GI	3
Estimated Monthly Total:					\$4.98	



Cost Estimates

For 40 hours + 1 GB transfer \$4.98

For M-F, 24 hrs + 1 GB transfer = \$15.48

For 30 days, 24 hrs + 4 GB transfer = \$88.32



Now what?



More Automation

- Make configuration steps into a script Add to postinst for wte-cloud package
- Get setup down to a single stepIdeally all in the wte-cloud package
- Automate the bling (theme, etc)
- Test on other Cloud providers



Even More Automation

Apache Libcloud

Python library to abstract away differences between multiple cloud provider APIs

Cloud Servers
Cloud Storage
Cloud Load balancers

Supports 24 different providers

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More Options

- Different desktop installs
 - Minimal (Gnome, KDE, XFCE, LXDE...)
 Tweaked for specific need
- Instant WebGoat in the sky
- Internal Clouds OpenStack, VMware, Xen VirtualBox (headless)



Document, Document Document

Document and post the current manual process (coming soon)

Create then document the Libcloud process

Tutorials for various providers



Problems



Current Issues

- Yikes! AMD64 CPU Some tools lack a dependency WTE Firefox is for i386 NX server is a bit tricky Either outdated or limited/\$
- The WTE theme gets lost
- Need to look at X2go to replace NX



How can you get involved?

- Join the OWASP mail list
 - ■Announcements are there low traffic

- Download an ISO or VM or Cloud instance
 - Complain or praise, suggest improvements
 - Submit a bug to the Google Code site



How can you get involved?

- Suggest missing doc or links
- Do a screencast of one of the tools
- Suggest some cool new tool
- Create a .deb package



Learn More...

OWASP Site

http://www.owasp.org/index.php/Category:OWASP_Live_CD_Project

or just look on the OWASP project page (release quality)

http://www.owasp.org/index.php/Category:OWASP_Project

or Google "OWASP Live CD" or "OWASP WTE"

Download & Community Site

http://AppSecLive.org

Previously: http://mtesauro.com/livecd/



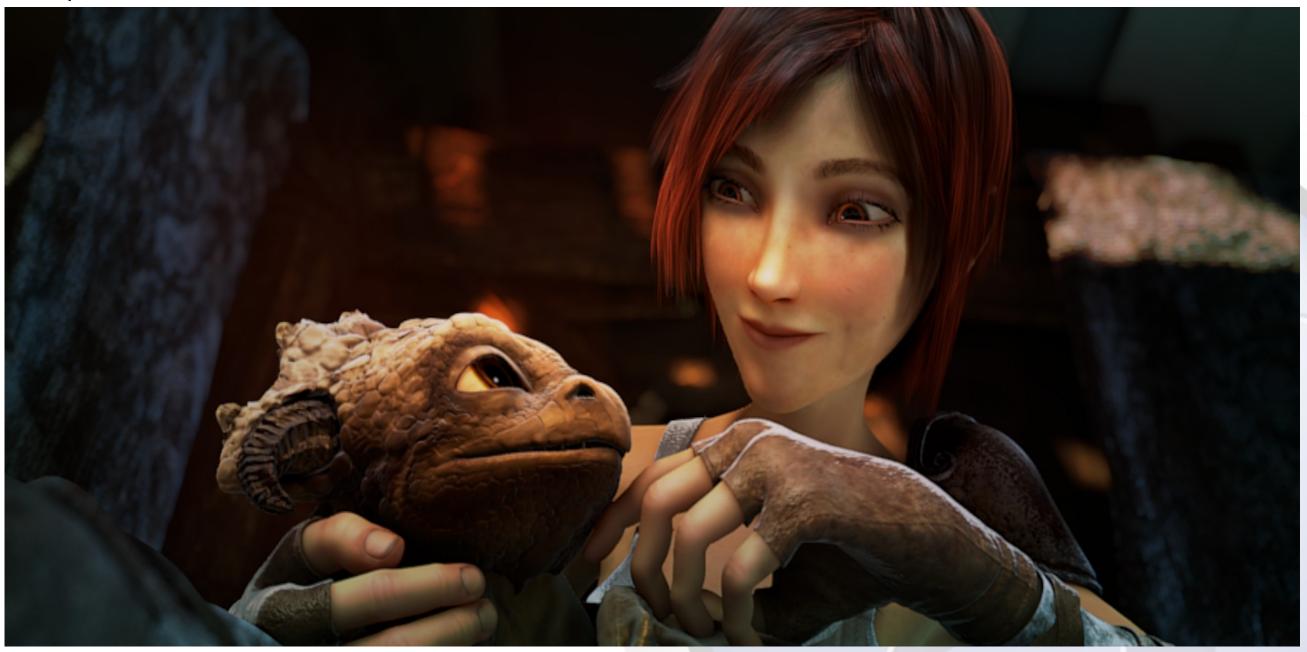
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Independent film produced by the Blender Foundation using free and open software



