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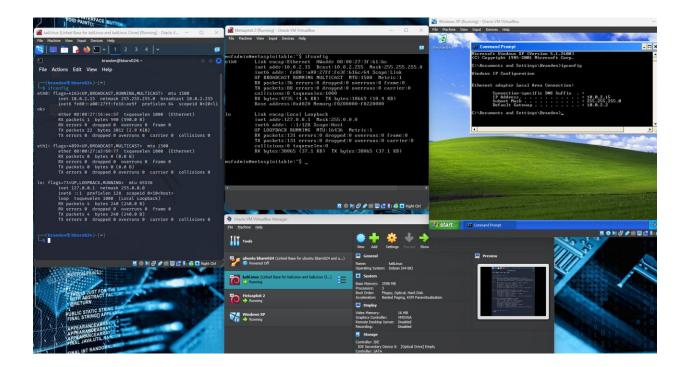
CYSE 450

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Reconnaissance and Footprinting

Task-A: Install the following Virtual Machines and display their IP addresses:

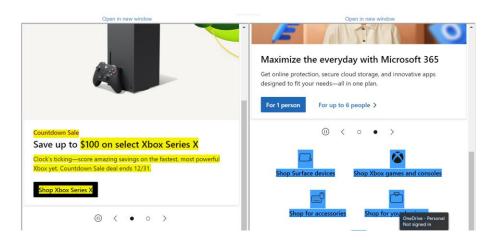
- 1. Kali Linux
- 2. Metasploitable2
- 3. Windows XP



Task B: Perform passive reconnaissance using archive.org and netcraft

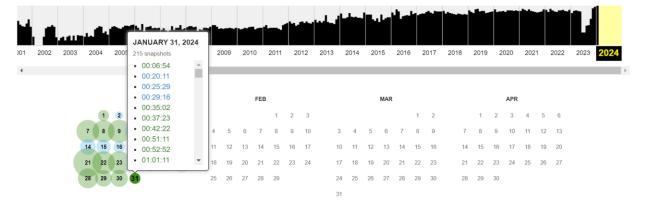
- 1. Go to we.archive.org and in the search box type www.Microsoft.com and hit Enter
- Gather and write in brief information about the updated made between January 1 till current date. Take the screenshot of the result

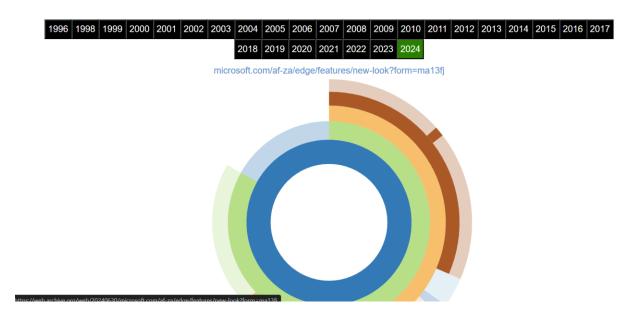
Changes made from January 1, 2024 – January 31, 2024, are shown between yellow and blue color. The yellow color represents what has been deleted where the blue color represents what has been added. A few things that have changed are difference in prices and sales for the Xbox and computer.



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Saved 266,027 times between October 20, 1996 and January 31, 2024.





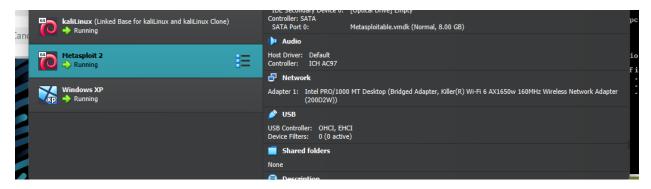
3. For this step, open a new tab and go to www.netcraft.com and gather information about network like, network domain, network registrar, IPV4 address, and nameserver for www.microsoft.com. write in brief what you analyzed?

Network			
Site	http://www.Microsoft.com 업	Domain	Microsoft.com
Netblock Owner	Akamai Technologies	Nameserver	ns1-39.azure-dns.com
Hosting company	Akamai Technologies	Domain registrar	markmonitor.com
Hosting country	■ EU	Nameserver organisation	whois.markmonitor.com
IPv4 address	2.18.237.131 (VirusTotal ₺)	Organisation	Microsoft Corporation, One Microsoft Way,, Redmond, 98052, United States
IPv4 autonomous systems	AS16625 ☑	DNS admin	azuredns-hostmaster@Microsoft.com
IPv6 address	2a02:26f0:9d00:196:0:0:0:356e	Top Level Domain	Commercial entities (.com)
IPv6 autonomous systems	AS20940 ☑	DNS Security Extensions	Unknown
Reverse DNS	a2-18-237-131.deploy.static.akamaitechnologies.com		

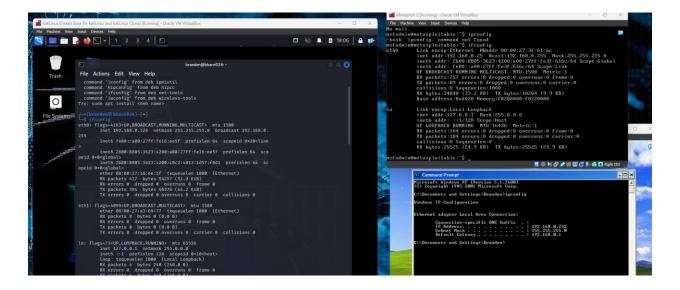
From the netcraft.com website you can see a full write up on Microsoft.com. You can observe background information, network information, IP geolocation, and more. It was interesting to see that the hosting country was the Netherlands.

Task C: Perform active reconnaissance using attacker Kali Linux and target Metasploitable VM.

1. In the settings, change the network adapter to Bridge mode for all the Three machines.



2. Open the terminals and execute the correct command to print the IP addresses for all the 3 machines separately (Make sure the IP address should be unique for all the 3 machines.



3. In Kali Linux terminal, execute the command (host/dig) to demonstrate whether the host (www.odu.edu or www.amazon.com) is live/UP or not. Also provide the reason if the host is live /UP.

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                                                                           branden@bbarn024: ~
                 File Actions Edit View Help
                 (branden@bbarn024)-[~]
$ host www.odu.edu
Home
                 www.odu.edu has address 35.170.140.174
                ___(branden⊕ bbarn024)-[~]

$ dig -t ns www.odu.edu
                ; <>> DiG 9.18.8-1-Debian <>> -t ns www.odu.edu
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
                ;; → HEADER ← opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 26166
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 1, ADDITIONAL: 1
                ;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 512
;; QUESTION SECTION:
                 ; www.odu.edu.
                                                                      NS
                ;; AUTHORITY SECTION: odu.edu. 900 IN SOA ns1.odu.edu. netadmin.odu.edu. 2009130057 10800 900 604800
                ;; Query time: 20 msec
;; SERVER: 68.105.28.15#53(68.105.28.15) (UDP)
;; WHEN: Tue Feb 06 12:09:28 EST 2024
    sharing Nmap 7.93 (https://nmap.org ) at 2024-02-06 12:49 EST Nmap scan report for www.odu.edu (35.170.140.174)
    Host is up (0.027s latency).
    rDNS record for 35.170.140.174: ec2-35-170-140-174.compute-1.amazonaws.com
    Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 11.10 seconds
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 Using terminal in Kali Linux, perform DNS enumeration using dnsenum command for www.odu.edu or www.google.com



5. In kali Linux, perform ICMP Sweep scan to gather information about the target machine (Metasploitable Linux) by sending ICMP echo request to target machine (using its ip address), using nmap command with correct options. Highlight the line indicating whether the ICMP reply has been received or not.



6. In kali Linux, perform ICMP Sweep scan to gather information about the target machine (Windows Xp/7) by sending ICMP echo request, using nmap command with correct options.

