

## CYSE 301: Cybersecurity Technique and Operations

### **Assignment 5 – Part-2: Wi-Fi Password Cracking**

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### Task C: 20 points

Follow the steps in the lab manual, and practice cracking practice for WEP and WPA/WPA2 protected traffic.

1. Decrypt the lab5wep-demo. cap file (5 points) and perform a detailed traffic analysis (5 points)

```
(root@kali)-[~/Desktop/VMshare/Lab Resources/WPA traffic]
# airdecap-ng -w F2:C7:BB:35:B9 lab5wep-demo.cap
Total number of stations seen      37
Total number of packets read      404693
Total number of WEP data packets  142415
Total number of WPA data packets  27852
Number of plaintext data packets  170
Number of decrypted WEP packets   142415
Number of corrupted WEP packets   0
Number of decrypted WPA packets   0
Number of bad TKIP (WPA) packets  0
Number of bad CCMP (WPA) packets  0
Warning: WDS packets detected, but no BSSID specified

(root@kali)-[~/Desktop/VMshare/Lab Resources/WPA traffic]
#
```

2. Decrypt the lab5wpa2-demo. cap file (5 points) and perform a detailed traffic analysis (5 points)

```
(root@kali)-[~/Desktop/VMshare/Lab Resources/WPA traffic]
# airdecap-ng -p password lab5wpa2-demo.cap -e CCNI
Total number of stations seen      13
Total number of packets read      10074
Total number of WEP data packets  19
Total number of WPA data packets  2284
Number of plaintext data packets  7
Number of decrypted WEP packets   0
Number of corrupted WEP packets   0
Number of decrypted WPA packets   2228
Number of bad TKIP (WPA) packets  0
Number of bad CCMP (WPA) packets  0
Warning: WDS packets detected, but no BSSID specified
```

### Task D: 30 points

Each student will be assigned a new WPA2 traffic file for analysis. You need to refer to the table below and find the file assigned to you based on the LAST digit of the MD5 of your MIDAS ID. For example, the last digit of the hash for svatsa is 8. Thus, I should pick up the file "WPA2-P3-01.cap."

*MD5 of svatsa is fe2943715a4e07c670b242559f5974f8*

```
(root@kali)-[~]
# echo -n svatsa | md5sum
fe2943715a4e07c670b242559f5974f8
```

```
(root@kali)-[~/Desktop/VMshare/Lab Resources/WPA traffic]
# echo -n gsmit036 | md5sum
f16707c325f79a1cbd1618d8a9d96c0b -
```

You can find an online MD5 hash generator or the following command to get the hash of a text string,

- The above files are zipped in a folder named "Lab Resources (2023 Spring)." You can locate the zipped folder in your VMshare in any Kali Linux VM. Then, extract the zipped file and find the assigned WPA file under the sub-folder "WPA traffic."
- Please note that - it is recommended to copy the zip file to your local folder before extracting the whole file in the VMshare folder.

Last digit of your MD5	Filename
0~3	WPA2-P1-01.cap
4~5	WPA2-P2-01.cap
6~8	WPA2-P3-01.cap
9~B	WPA2-P4-01.cap
C~F	WPA2-P5-01.cap

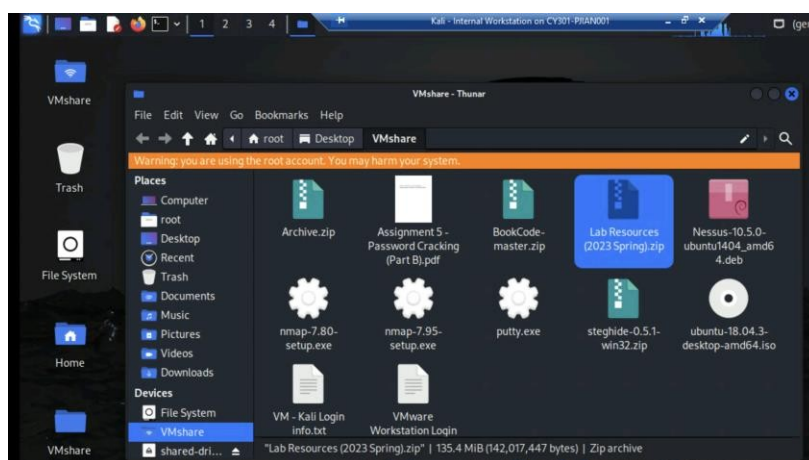


Figure 1 Location of Lab Resource (2023 Spring) in the VMshare folder.



Figure 2 I copied the zip file to the Desktop and then extracted it to access the WPA traffic folder.

Then complete the following steps:

1. Implement a dictionary attack and decrypt the traffic using the correct file based on your last character of md5 hash for your midas name. - 20 points

```
(root@kali)-[~/Desktop/VMshare/Lab Resources/WPA traffic]
# echo -n gsmit036 | md5sum
f16707c325f79a1cbd1618d8a9d96c0b -
```

```
Reading packets, please wait...
Opening WPA2-P1-01.cap
Inter-frame timeout period exceeded.
Read 2660 packets.

# BSSID          ESSID          Encryption
1 00:16:B6:DA:CF:2F CyberPHY       WPA (1 handshake)

Choosing first network as target.

Reading packets, please wait...
Opening WPA2-P1-01.cap
Inter-frame timeout period exceeded.
Read 2660 packets.

1 potential targets

Aircrack-ng 1.7

[00:00:01] 739/10303727 keys tested (1006.20 k/s)

Time left: 2 hours, 50 minutes, 39 seconds      0.01%

KEY FOUND! [ PASSWORD ]

Master Key      : F1 5F 48 C3 DC 4B E3 2A BE 2E 2D 87 FB 98 28 89
                  30 BC 6F 72 60 96 04 86 46 54 84 B6 24 11 B8 56

Transient Key   : 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
                  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
                  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
                  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00

EAPOL HMAC      : 6B E1 32 DE B3 47 90 E0 E0 C8 ED AC 79 BE 11 29
```

2. Decrypt the encrypted traffic and write a detailed summary to describe what you have explored from this encrypted traffic file (using wireshark). -10 points

```
(root@kali)-[~/Desktop/VMshare/Lab Resources/WPA traffic]
# airdecap-ng WPA2-P1-01.cap -p PASSWORD -e CyberPHY
Total number of stations seen      12
Total number of packets read       2660
Total number of WEP data packets    0
Total number of WPA data packets    629
Number of plaintext data packets    0
Number of decrypted WEP packets     0
Number of corrupted WEP packets     0
Number of decrypted WPA packets     471
Number of bad TKIP (WPA) packets    0
Number of bad CCMP (WPA) packets    0
```

Using Wireshark we can find a multitude of things for example

Wireshark · All Addresses · WPA2-P1-01-dec.cap								
Topic / Item	Count	Average	Min Val	Max Val	Rate (ms)	Percent	Burst Rate	Burst Start
▼ All Addresses	428				0.0129	100%	0.6400	16.351
8.8.8.8	29				0.0009	6.78%	0.0200	14.704
74.125.28.188	23				0.0007	5.37%	0.0500	2.181
65.55.163.78	34				0.0010	7.94%	0.1300	6.454
65.55.163.76	28				0.0008	6.54%	0.1000	0.452
65.52.108.254	28				0.0008	6.54%	0.2300	0.529
65.52.108.232	10				0.0003	2.34%	0.0700	1.603
65.52.108.213	7				0.0002	1.64%	0.0500	0.447
65.52.108.208	20				0.0006	4.67%	0.1400	0.957
65.52.108.182	9				0.0003	2.10%	0.0600	1.627
34.192.27.249	45				0.0014	10.51%	0.3700	16.399
255.255.255.255	2				0.0001	0.47%	0.0100	0.000
239.255.255.250	4				0.0001	0.93%	0.0100	2.557
23.218.72.113	13				0.0004	3.04%	0.1300	16.363
224.0.0.252	16				0.0005	3.74%	0.0300	6.472
224.0.0.251	3				0.0001	0.70%	0.0200	10.995
224.0.0.22	7				0.0002	1.64%	0.0300	5.020
204.79.197.213	31				0.0009	7.24%	0.1500	0.732
204.79.197.200	12				0.0004	2.80%	0.0700	16.661
193.168.1.255	25				0.0008	6.31%	0.0300	6.174

Display filter:  Apply

Using these lists of Ips I can use Wireshark to see if there are any communications between these devices and due to the traffic being decrypted, I can see what been sent.

Just doing some digging I have found A certificate being sent over, a server key exchange, and a client key exchange.

I have also found a handshake probably the original three way handshake that I cracked.