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=      HACKING PRIMOS SYSTEMS      =
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PREFACE

VERY LITTLE HAS BEEN WRITTEN ON THE PRIMOS SYSTEM AND SO IT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS FILE TO PROVIDE SOME USEFULL INFORMATION ON THIS TYPE OF SYSTEM.

THE FOLLOWING NOTATION WILL BE USED..

<CR> CARRIAGE RETURN, RETURN OR ENTER (CHR\$(13))

^ A CONTROL CHARACTER LIKE ^C (BREAK, RUN STOP, OR CHR\$(3))

HOW TO TELL A PRIMOS SYSTEM

A PRIMOS SYSTEM CAN BE RECOGNISED BY ITS UNUSUAL PROMPT

ER!

AND ITS UNUSUAL ERROR MESSAGE

INVALID COMMAND "HELP". (LOGO\$CP)

ALL "PRIMENET" SYSTEMS ARE PRIMOS

LOGGING ON

TO LOG ON TO A PRIMOS SYSTEM HIT ANY TWO KEYS AND <CR> THE SYSTEM WILL THEN RESPOND

LOGIN PLEASE.

ER!

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YOU MUST THEN TYPE AT THE PROMPT

ER! LOGIN (LOG HEADING)

THE FOLLOWING BACK DOORS TO LOGIN MAY BE FOUND IN MANY PRIMOS SYSTEMS

ER! LOGIN GAMES

ER! LOGIN DEMO

AND MOST IMPORTANTLY

ER! LOGIN SYSTEM

LOGIN SYSTEM WILL USUALLY LOG YOU IN AS THE SYSTEM OPERATOR!

USUALLY IF YOU KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT THE SYSTEM THIS WILL HELP YOU FIND A VALID LOGIN HEADING... LIKE THE NAME OF THE SYSTEM ETC.

USER NAMES AND PASSWORDS

AT THIS POINT MOST SYSTEMS WILL BEGIN RUNNING A SOFTWARE PACKAGE OF SOME KIND... THE PASSWORDS TO MOST SUCH PACKAGES ARE A MAXIMUM OF 6 CHARACTERS. AT THIS POINT ON MANY OF THE LESS UPDATED SYSTEMS A PASSWORD IS NOT NECESSARY JUST TYPE ^C AND THE SYSTEM WILL RESPOND LIKE THIS...

PASSWORD:^C END OF FILE.

ER!

IF THE SYSTEM IS AN UPDATED ONE THEN ^C AT THIS POINT WILL SIMPLY CAUSE THE SYSTEM TO ISSUE A LINEFEED AND REPEAT ITSELF. IN THAT CASE YOU WILL NEED TO HACK OUT A VALID PASSWORD.

BREAKING THE SYSTEM

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO GET IN WITH A PASSWORD YOU WILL AT THIS POINT STILL NEED TO BREAK THE SYSTEM AT THE FIRST AVAILABLE PROMPT. AGAIN IT WILL THEN RESPOND...

END OF FILE.

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ER!

YOU HAVE NOW GAINED ACCESS TO THE OPERATING SYSTEM.

PRIMOS COMMANDS

THE PRIMOS COMMANDS ARE DIFFICULT AND DIFICULT TO UNDERSTAND... MANY OF THEM ARE ONLY ONE OR TWO CHARACTERS HOWEVER, MAKING THEM EASY TO HACK OUT.

LI= LISTS FILES FOR THAT LOG HEADING

LI (FILE NAME) LISTS A FILE

LA=ON SOME SYSTEMS THIS LIST FURTHER FILES

TI= TIME ON THE SYSTEM

LO=LOG OUT

CR=CREATE A FILE

LD=LIST FILE DIVISIONS

USAGE=LISTS SYSTEM STATISTICS

ED=EDIT A FILE

TY=LIST OF USERS ON SYSTEM

AT=ATTACH TO A LOG HEADING

ATTACHING

THE AT (ATTATCH) COMMAND WILL ALLOW YOU TO ACCESS OTHER LOG HEADINGS SO THAT YOU DONT HAVE TO LOG IN AS A HEADING TO GET AT THOSE FILES... SO IF YOU ARE LOGED IN AS "USER" AND YOU TYPE...

ER! AT SYSTEM

ON THE MORE PRIMATIVE SYSTEMS YOU WILL HAVE ACCESS TO THE SYSTEM OPERATORS FILES!

OR IF YOU TYPE

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ER! AT GAMES

YOU WILL HAVE ACCESS TO THE GAMES

IF YOU TYPE

ER! AT DEMO

YOU WILL HAVE ACCESS TO PRIMOS DEMOS.

OTHER COMMANDS

OTHER COMMANDS YOU MIGHT TRY ARE

AB
O
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IN
BI
DI
R
D=DATE
SA
JOB
CNAME
CA
NAME

A MAJOR BUG

A MAJOR PROBLEM WITH PRIMOS SYSTEMS IS THAT FILES GET SCREWED UP IF YOU HANG UP AND LEAVE THEM OPEN OR IF YOU HANG UP WHILE THEY ARE BEING VIEWED.

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APPENDED

PRIMOS SYSTEMS CAN BE FOUND AT...

BORIS (817)571-6680

ALSO AT THESE TELENET NODES (TELENET WILL NOT PASS A ^C)

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PRIMENET 213 130
PRIMENET BOWSER 214 56
PRIMENET SYSD 212 30
PRIMENET SNY 212 39
PRIMENET XNY 212 137
PRIMENET 202 10
PRIMENET CCI.1 713 150

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