



# Ethical Hacking

FIGHTING FIRE WITH FIRE



# What is ethical hacking?



- WHAT IS HACKING AND IT'S INTENT?
- WHAT DETERMINES IF A PERSON IS A HACKER?
- WHAT IS ETHICAL HACKING?



- IN WHAT WAYS CAN HACKERS GAIN UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS INTO SYSTEM?
- COMMON TOOLS USED BY MALICIOUS HACKERS
- ETHICAL HACKING AND HOW IT PLAYS A ROLE IN COMBATING UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS BY MALICIOUS HACKERS?



- SOME KEY VULNERABILITIES DO ETHICAL HACKERS LOOK FOR
- COMMON TOOLS THAT MOST ETHICAL HACKERS USE AND THE STEPS TAKE TO SECURE A SYSTEM

## Some of the most common Tools used by Malicious Hackers

- ❑ Malware
- ❑ Viruses
- ❑ Phishing
- ❑ Spoofing
- ❑ Logic bombs
- ❑ Ransomware
- ❑ Etc..



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## ► The Hacker's Mind

### What is Hacking and its intent?

- The purpose
- Who can be a hacker?
- Types of Hackers

(Zampanti, 2019)



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# The purpose



# Who can be a hacker?

Can we be sure?

Potential hackers often do not look like we think



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# Types of Hackers

- ❑ Black Hat
- ❑ Gray Hat
- ❑ White Hat
- ❑ State-sponsored
- ❑ Red Teams
- ❑ Blue Teams (Zampanti, 2019)

```
// Friends do not let friends __doPostBack
function DoPostBack(arg) {
  if (arg) {
    // This is not going to end well
    __doPostBack( MakeFriendAngry , arg);
    EndFriendShip();
  }
  else {
    DoOtherMethod();
  }
}
```

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# IN WHAT WAYS CAN HACKERS GAIN UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS INTO SYSTEM?



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(Mark Ciampa, 2014)



Ethical hacking and how it plays a role in combating unauthorized access by malicious hackers?



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(Simplilearn, 2021)

# Ethical Hacking Cont'd

- ❑ White Hat Hackers
- ❑ Red Hat Hackers
- ❑ Blue Hat Hackers (Sarangam, 2020)





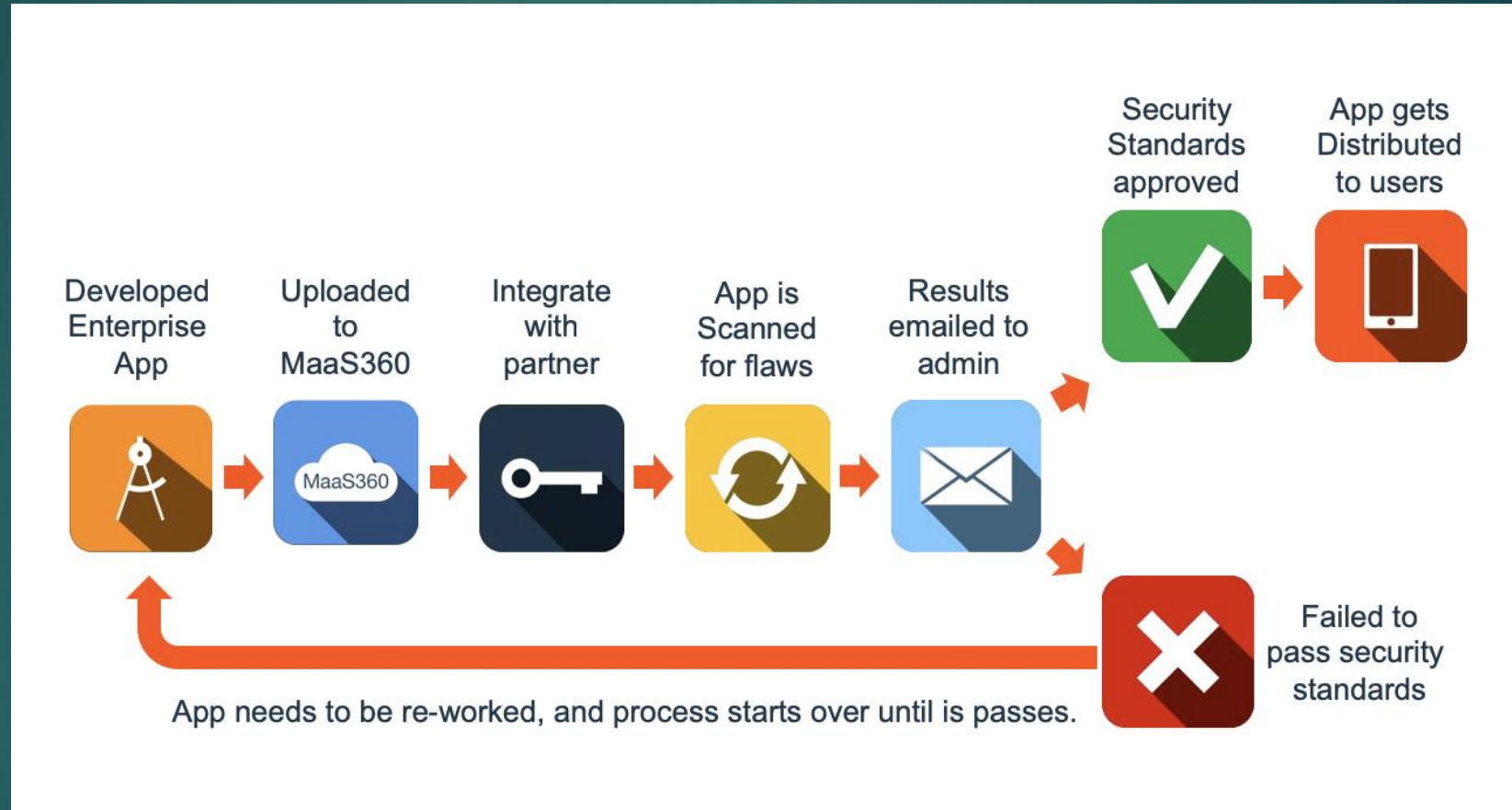
Common tools most ethical hackers use and the steps taken to secure a system?

- ❑ John the Ripper
- ❑ Metasploit
- ❑ Nmap
- ❑ Wireshark
- ❑ OpenVAS
- ❑ IronWASP
- ❑ Nikto
- ❑ SQLMap
- ❑ SQLNinja
- ❑ Maltego
- ❑ Burp Suite
- ❑ NetStumbler
- ❑ AirCrack-ng
- ❑ Ettercap
- ❑ Canvas (Team, 2021)



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# Conclusion



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