



## Which Vulnerabilities does Acunetix WVS Check for?

Acunetix WVS automatically checks for the following vulnerabilities among others:

- Version Check
  - Vulnerable Web Servers
  - Vulnerable Web Server Technologies – such as “PHP 4.3.0 file disclosure and possible code execution.
- Web Server Configuration Checks
  - Checks for Web Servers Problems – Determines if dangerous HTTP methods are enabled on the web server (e.g. PUT, TRACE, DELETE)
  - Verify Web Server Technologies
  
- Parameter Manipulation
  - [Cross-Site Scripting \(XSS\)](#)
  - [SQL Injection](#)
  - [Code Execution](#)
  - [Directory Traversal](#)
  - [File Inclusion](#)
  - [Script Source Code Disclosure](#)
  - [CRLF Injection](#)
  - [Cross Frame Scripting \(XFS\)](#)
  - [PHP Code Injection](#)
  - [XPath Injection](#)
  - Path Disclosure ([Unix](#) and [Windows](#))
  - [LDAP Injection](#)
  - Cookie Manipulation
  - [Arbitrary File creation](#) (AcuSensor Technology)
  - [Arbitrary File deletion](#) (AcuSensor Technology)
  - [Email Injection](#) (AcuSensor Technology)
  - File Tampering (AcuSensor Technology)
  - [URL redirection](#)
  - [Remote XSL inclusion](#)
  - [DOM XSS](#)
  
- MultiRequest Parameter Manipulation
  - Blind SQL/XPath Injection
  
- File Checks
  - [Checks for Backup Files or Directories - Looks for common files \(such as logs, application traces, CVS web repositories\)](#)
  - Cross Site Scripting in URI

- Checks for Script Errors
- File Uploads
  - [Unrestricted File uploads Checks](#)
- Directory Checks
  - Looks for Common Files (such as logs, traces, CVS)
  - Discover Sensitive Files/Directories
  - Discovers Directories with Weak Permissions
  - Cross Site Scripting in Path and PHPSESSID Session Fixation.
  - Web Applications
  - HTTP Verb Tampering
- Text Search
  - Directory Listings
  - Source Code Disclosure
  - Check for Common Files
  - Check for Email Addresses
  - Microsoft Office Possible Sensitive Information
  - Local Path Disclosure
  - Error Messages
  - Trojan shell scripts (such as popular PHP shell scripts like r57shell, c99shell etc)
- Weak Passwords
  - [Weak HTTP Passwords](#)
- [GHDB Google Hacking Database](#)
  - Over 1200 GHDB Search Entries in the Database
- [Port Scanner and Network Alerts](#)
  - Port scans the web server and obtains a list of open ports with banners
  - Performs complex network level vulnerability checks on open ports such as:
    - DNS Server vulnerabilities (Open zone transfer, Open recursion, cache poisoning)
    - FTP server checks (list of writable FTP directories, weak FTP passwords, anonymous access allowed)
    - Security and configuration checks for badly configured proxy servers
    - Checks for weak SNMP community strings and weak SSL cyphers
    - and many other network level vulnerability checks!
- Other web vulnerability checks
  - Cross-site request forgery (CSRF)

- Other vulnerability tests may also be performed using the [advanced penertation testing tools](#) provided, including:

- Input Validation (also performed automatically)
- Authentication attacks (also performed automatically)
- Buffer overflows
- Blind SQL injection (also performed automatically)
- Sub domain scanning