

**Options:**

-h/-hh help/advanced help --version show version number  
-v VERBOSE verbosity level: 0-6 (default 1)

**Target:** (At least one of these options has to be provided)

-u URL target URL -d DIRECT direct connection to the db  
-m FILE targets in a file -l LOGFILE parse from Burp/WebScarab  
-r FILE load HTTP request file -g GDORK google dork as target  
-c CONFIGFILE load options from a configuration INI file

**Request:** (specify how to connect to the target URL)

--data=DATA data string to be sent through POST  
--param-del=PDEL character used for splitting parameter values  
--cookie=COOKIE HTTP Cookie header  
--cookie-del=CDEL character used for splitting cookie values  
--load-cookies=L.. file containing cookies in Netscape/wget format  
--drop-set-cookie ignore Set-Cookie header from response  
--user-agent=AGENT --random-agent  
--host=HOST --referer=REFERER --headers=HEADERS  
--auth-type=AUTH.. Basic, Digest, NTLM or PKI  
--auth-cred=AUTH.. name:password  
--auth-private=A.. PEM private key file  
--proxy=PROXY --proxy-cred=PRO.. name:password  
--proxy-file=PRO.. list from a file --ignore-proxy ignore system settings  
--tor --tor-port=TPORT --tor-type=TYPE HTTP (dflt), SOCKS4, SOCKS5  
--check-tor check to see if Tor is used properly  
--delay=DELAY delay in seconds between each HTTP request  
--timeout=TIMEOUT seconds to wait before timeout (default 30)  
--retries=RETRIES retries when the connection timeouts (default 3)  
--randomize=RPARAM randomly change value for given parameter(s)  
--safe-url=SAFURL URL address to visit frequently during testing  
--safe-freq=SAFREQ test requests between two visits to a given safe URL  
--skip-urlencode skip URL encoding of payload data  
--force-ssl force usage of SSL/HTTPS  
--hpp use HTTP parameter pollution  
--eval=EVALCODE evaluate provided Python code before the request (e.g. "import hashlib;id2=hashlib.md5(id).hexdigest()")

**Optimization:**

-o turn on all optimization switches  
--predict-output predict common queries output  
--keep-alive use persistent HTTP(s) connections  
--null-connection retrieve page length without actual HTTP response body  
--threads=THREADS max number of concurrent HTTP(s) requests (default 1)

**Injection:**

-p TESTPARAMETER testable parameter(s)  
--skip=SKIP skip testing for given parameter(s)  
--dbms=DBMS force back-end DBMS to this value  
--dbms-cred=DBMS.. DBMS authentication credentials (user:password)  
--os=OS force backend DBMS OS to this value  
--invalid-bignum use big numbers for invalidating values  
--invalid-logical/--invalid-string use logical/random for invalidating values  
--no-cast/--no-escape turn off payload casting/escaping  
--prefix=PREFIX/--suffix=SUFFIX injection payload prefix/suffix string  
--tamper=TAMPER use given script(s) for tampering injection data

**Detection:** (used to customize/improve the detection phase)

--level=LEVEL level of tests to perform (1-5, default 1)  
--risk=RISK risk of tests to perform (0-3, default 1)  
--string=STRING/--not-string=NOT.. match when query is evaluated to True/False  
--regexp=REGEXP regexp to match when query is evaluated to True  
--code=CODE HTTP code to match when query is evaluated to True  
--text-only/--titles compare pag based only on the textual content/ titles

**Techniques:** (used to tweak testing of specific SQL injection)

--technique=TECH SQL injection techniques to use (default "BEUSTQ")  
--time-sec=TIMESEC seconds to delay the DBMS response (default 5)  
--union-cols=UCOLS range of columns to test for UNION query SQL injection  
--union-char=UCHAR character to use for bruteforcing number of columns  
--union-from=UFROM table to use in FROM part of UNION query SQL injection  
--dns-domain=DNS.. domain name used for DNS exfiltration attack  
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--dns-domain=DNS.. domain name used for DNS exfiltration attack  
--second-order=S.. resulting page URL searched for second-order response

**Enumeration:** (enumerate the back-end database, structure and data contained)

**-a, --all** retrieve everything                      **-b** retrieve banner  
**--is-dba** check if user is DBA  
**--current-user/--current-db/--hostname** retrieve DBMS current user/database/hostname  
**--users/--passwords** enumerate DBMS users / users password hashes  
**--privileges/--roles** enumerate DBMS users privileges/roles  
**--dbs/--tables/--columns/--schema** enumerate DBMS dbs/tables/columns/schema  
**--count** retrieve num of entries for table(s)   **--search** search column(s), table/db name  
**--dump-all** dump all DBMS dbs tables entries   **--dump** dump DBMS db table entries  
**-U USER** DBMS user to enumerate           **--exclude-sysdbs** exclude system dbs  
**--comments** retrieve DBMS comments       **-X EXCLUDECOL** table column(s) to not enum  
**-D DB / -T TBL / -C COL** DBMS database to enumerate / tables / columns  
**--where=DUMPWHERE** use WHERE condition while table dumping  
**--start=LIMITSTART/--stop=LIMITSTOP** first/last query output entry to retrieve  
**--first=FIRSTCHAR/--last=LASTCHAR** first/last query output word character to retrieve  
**--sql-file=SQLFILE** execute SQL statements from given file(s)  
**--sql-shell** prompt for an interactive SQL shell  
**--sql-file=FILE** execute SQL statements from given file(s)

**General:**

**-s SESSIONFILE** load session from .sqlite file           **-t TRAFFICFILE** log all HTTP traffic  
**--batch** never ask for input                   **--eta** display for each eta  
**--save** save options to a configuration INI file   **--update** update sqlmap  
**--charset=CHARSET** force character encoding used for data retrieval  
**--crawl=CRAWLDEPTH** crawl the website starting from the target URL  
**--csv-del=CSVDEL** delimiting character used in CSV output (default ",")  
**--dump-format=DU..** format of dumped data (CSV (default), HTML or SQLITE)  
**--flush-session** flush session files for current target  
**--forms** parse and test forms on target URL  
**--fresh-queries** ignore query results stored in session file  
**--hex** use DBMS hex function(s) for data retrieval  
**--output-dir=ODIR** custom output directory path  
**--parse-errors** parse and display DBMS error messages from responses  
**--pivot-column=P..** pivot column name  
**--scope=SCOPE** regexp to filter targets from provided proxy log  
**--test-filter=TE..** select tests by payloads and/or titles (e.g. ROW)

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**Fingerprint:** **-f, --fingerprint** perform an extensive DBMS version fingerprint

**Brute Force:** **--common-tables/--common-columns** check common tables/columns

**User-defined function injection:**

**--udf-inject** inject custom functions   **--shared-lib=SHLIB** local path of the shared lib

**File system access:**

**--file-read=RFILE/--file-write=WFILE** read/write local file on the DBMS file system  
**--file-dest=DFILE** back-end DBMS absolute filepath to write to

**Operating system access:**

**--os-cmd=OSCMD** execute an operating system command  
**--os-shell** prompt for an interactive operating system shell  
**--os-pwn** prompt for an OOB shell, meterpreter or VNC  
**--os-smbrelay** one click prompt for an OOB shell, meterpreter or VNC  
**--os-bof** stored procedure buffer overflow exploitation  
**--priv-esc** database process user privilege escalation  
**--msf-path=MSFPATH/--tmp-path=TMPPATH** local Metasploit/Remote tmp path

**Windows registry access:**

**--reg-read/--reg-add/--reg-del** read/write/delete a win registry key value  
**--reg-key=REGKEY** win registry key           **--reg-value=REGVAL** win reg key value  
**--reg-data=REGDATA** win reg key data       **--reg-type=REGTYPE** win reg key value type

**Miscellaneous:**

**-z MNEMONICS** use short mnemonics (e.g. "flu,bat,ban,tec=EU")  
**--alert=ALERT** run host OS command(s) when SQL injection is found  
**--answers=ANSWERS** set question answers (e.g. "quit=N, follow=N")  
**--check-waf/--identify-waf** WAF/IPS/IDS protection  
**--cleanup** clean up the DBMS from sqlmap specific UDF and tables  
**--dependencies** check for missing (non-core) sqlmap dependencies  
**--gpage=GOOGLEPAGE** Use Google dork results from specified page number  
**--mobile** imitate smartphone through HTTP User-Agent header  
**--page-rank** display page rank (PR) for Google dork results  
**--purge-output** safely remove all content from output directory  
**--smart** conduct through tests only if positive heuristic(s)  
**--disable-coloring**                           **--beep** if sql injection is found.  
**--wizard** wizard interface for beginner users