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Sandbox

Malware Analysis Report

2025-10-10 10:04

Sample ID	251010-lyh3watjw6
Target	IMG_0118.JPG
SHA256	b951ec03a58100ff2a8781191312af1d164646f67b7ea42f0dbc76ea15b904a9
Tags	defense_evasionexecutionpersistence



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# Part 1. Analysis Overview

score

5/10

SHA256

b951ec03a58100ff2a8781191312af1d164646f67b7ea42f0dbc76ea15b904a9

Threat Level: Likely benign

The file IMG\_0118.JPG was found to be: Likely benign.

## Malicious Activity Summary

defense_evasion	execution	persistence
<div>Launch Agent</div>		
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## Part 2. MITRE ATT&CK

### 2. 1. Enterprise Matrix V16

Reconnaissance TA0043	
Resource Development TA0042	
Initial Access TA0001	
Execution TA0002	System Services T1569
	Launchctl T1569.001
Persistence TA0003	Create or Modify System ... T1543
	Launch Agent T1543.001
Privilege Escalation TA0004	Create or Modify System ... T1543
	Launch Agent T1543.001
Defense Evasion TA0005	Hide Artifacts T1564
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Credential Access TA0008	
Discovery TA0007	
Lateral Movement TA0008	
Collection TA0009	
Command and Control TA0011	
Exfiltration TA0010	
Impact TA0040	

## Part 3. Analysis: static1

### 3. 1. Detonation Overview

Reported

2025-10-10 09:56

### 3. 2. Signatures

N/A

## Part 4. Analysis: behavioral1

### 4. 1. Detonation Overview

Submitted	Reported	Platform	Max time kernel	Max time network
2025-10-10 09:56	2025-10-10 09:59	macos-20250619-es	108s	152s

### 4. 2. Command Line

```
[sh -c sudo /bin/zsh -c "/Users/run/IMG_0118.jpg"]
```

### 4. 3. Signatures

Launch Agent

persistence

Resource Forking

defense\_evasion

Description	Indicator	Process	Target
N/A	/System/Library/CoreServices/loginwindow.app/Contents/Resources/LWWeeklyMessageTracer	N/A	N/A
N/A	"/Library/Internet Plug-Ins/JavaAppletPlugin.plugin/Contents/Resources/Java Updater.app/Contents/MacOS/Java Updater" -bgcheck	N/A	N/A
N/A	/System/Library/Frameworks/Quartz.framework/Frameworks/QuickLookUI.framework/Resources/QuickLookUIHelper.app/Contents/MacOS/QuickLookUIHelper	N/A	N/A
N/A	/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/CommerceKit.framework/Versions/A/Resources/storeuid.app/Contents/MacOS/storeuid	N/A	N/A
N/A	/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/CommerceKit.framework/Versions/A/Resources/storedownloadd	N/A	N/A

Launchctl

execution

Description	Indicator	Process	Target
N/A	/bin/launchctl load /Library/LaunchAgents/com.microsoft.update.agent.plist	N/A	N/A

### 4. 4. Processes

<b>/bin/sh</b> [sh -c sudo /bin/zsh -c "/Users/run/IMG_0118.jpg"]
<b>/bin/bash</b> [sh -c sudo /bin/zsh -c "/Users/run/IMG_0118.jpg"]
<b>/usr/bin/sudo</b> [sudo /bin/zsh -c /Users/run/IMG_0118.jpg]
<b>/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/SpeechObjects.framework/Versions/A/SpeechDataInstallerd.app/Contents/MacOS/SpeechDataInstallerd</b> [/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/SpeechObjects.framework/Versions/A/SpeechDataInstallerd.app/Contents/MacOS/SpeechDataInstallerd]
<b>/System/Library/CoreServices/Applications/Feedback Assistant.app/Contents/Library/LaunchServices/seedusaged</b> [/System/Library/CoreServices/Applications/Feedback Assistant.app/Contents/Library/LaunchServices/seedusaged]
<b>/usr/libexec/pkreporter</b> [/usr/libexec/pkreporter]

**/System/Library/CoreServices/loginwindow.app/Contents/Resources/LWWeeklyMessageTracer**

[/System/Library/CoreServices/loginwindow.app/Contents/Resources/LWWeeklyMessageTracer]

**/Library/Internet Plug-Ins/JavaAppletPlugin.plugin/Contents/Resources/Java Updater.app/Contents/MacOS/Java Updater**

[/Library/Internet Plug-Ins/JavaAppletPlugin.plugin/Contents/Resources/Java Updater.app/Contents/MacOS/Java Updater -bgcheck]

**/bin/zsh**

[/bin/zsh -c /Users/run/IMG\_0118.jpg]

**/Users/run/IMG\_0118.jpg**

[/Users/run/IMG\_0118.jpg]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.quicklook.ui.helper]

**/System/Library/Frameworks/Quartz.framework/Frameworks/QuickLookUI.framework/Resources/QuickLookUIHelper.app/Contents/MacOS/QuickLookUIHelper**

[/System/Library/Frameworks/Quartz.framework/Frameworks/QuickLookUI.framework/Resources/QuickLookUIHelper.app/Contents/MacOS/QuickLookUIHelper]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.xpc.launchd.oneshot.0x10000001.Microsoft Word]

**/Applications/Microsoft Word.app/Contents/MacOS/Microsoft Word**

[/Applications/Microsoft Word.app/Contents/MacOS/Microsoft Word -psn\_0\_147492]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.XprotectFramework.AnalysisService 493]

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**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.storeuid]

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**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.spindump]

**/usr/sbin/spindump**

[/usr/sbin/spindump]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.spindump\_agent]

**/usr/libexec/spindump\_agent**

[/usr/libexec/spindump\_agent]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.storedownloadd]

**/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/CommerceKit.framework/Versions/A/Resources/storedownloadd**

[/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/CommerceKit.framework/Versions/A/Resources/storedownloadd]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.metadata.mdwrite]

**/usr/libexec/xpcproxy**

[xpcproxy com.apple.ReportMemoryException]



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<b>/bin/launchctl</b> [/bin/launchctl list]
<b>/usr/libexec/xpcproxy</b> [xpcproxy com.microsoft.autoupdate.helper]
<b>/Library/PrivilegedHelperTools/com.microsoft.autoupdate.helper</b> [/Library/PrivilegedHelperTools/com.microsoft.autoupdate.helper]
<b>/bin/launchctl</b> [/bin/launchctl load /Library/LaunchAgents/com.microsoft.update.agent.plist]
<b>/usr/bin/codesign</b> [/usr/bin/codesign -v /Library/PrivilegedHelperTools/com.microsoft.autoupdate.helper]
<b>/usr/libexec/xpcproxy</b> [xpcproxy com.apple.StreamingUnzipService 199]
<b>/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/StreamingZip.framework/Versions/A/XPCServices/com.apple.StreamingUnzipService.xpc/Contents/MacOS/com.apple.StreamingUnzipService</b> [/System/Library/PrivateFrameworks/StreamingZip.framework/Versions/A/XPCServices/com.apple.StreamingUnzipService.xpc/Contents/MacOS/com.apple.StreamingUnzipService]
<b>/usr/libexec/xpcproxy</b> [xpcproxy com.apple.quicklook.QuickLookUIService 308]
<b>/System/Library/Frameworks/Quartz.framework/Versions/A/Frameworks/QuickLookUI.framework/Versions/A/XPCServices/QuickLookUIService.xpc/Contents/MacOS/QuickLookUIService</b> [/System/Library/Frameworks/Quartz.framework/Versions/A/Frameworks/QuickLookUI.framework/Versions/A/XPCServices/QuickLookUIService.xpc/Contents/MacOS/QuickLookUIService]
<b>/usr/libexec/xpcproxy</b> [xpcproxy com.apple.DictionaryServiceHelper]
<b>/System/Library/Frameworks/CoreServices.framework/Versions/A/Frameworks/DictionaryServices.framework/Versions/A/XPCServices/com.apple.DictionaryServiceHelper.xpc/Contents/MacOS/com.apple.DictionaryServiceHelper</b> [/System/Library/Frameworks/CoreServices.framework/Versions/A/Frameworks/DictionaryServices.framework/Versions/A/XPCServices/com.apple.DictionaryServiceHelper.xpc/Contents/MacOS/com.apple.DictionaryServiceHelper]

4. 5. Network

Country	Destination	Domain	Proto
N/A	224.0.0.251:5353		udp
US	8.8.8.8:53	www.microsoft.com	udp
US	8.8.8.8:53	ecs.office.com	udp
US	52.123.129.14:443	ecs.office.com	tcp
US	8.8.8.8:53	odc.officeapps.live.com	udp
FR	52.109.68.130:443	odc.officeapps.live.com	tcp
US	8.8.8.8:53	metadata.templates.cdn.office.net	udp
GB	23.1.228.180:443	metadata.templates.cdn.office.net	tcp
US	8.8.8.8:53	binaries.templates.cdn.office.net	udp
IT	92.123.106.19:443	binaries.templates.cdn.office.net	tcp
IT	92.123.106.19:443	binaries.templates.cdn.office.net	tcp

[illegible]

US	8.8.8.8:53	api2.smoot.apple.com	udp
ES	51.92.110.33:443	api2.smoot.apple.com	tcp
GB	104.78.173.167:80	ocsp.edge.digicert.com	tcp
US	8.8.8.8:53	cdn2.smoot.apple.com	udp
US	8.8.8.8:53	cdn.smoot.g.aapimg.com	udp
DE	17.253.15.198:443	cdn2.smoot.apple.com	tcp
DE	17.253.15.198:443	cdn2.smoot.apple.com	tcp
DE	17.253.15.198:443	cdn2.smoot.apple.com	tcp
DE	17.253.15.198:443	cdn2.smoot.apple.com	tcp

4. 6. Files

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SHA256

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SHA512

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SHA512

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SHA512

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SHA512

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SHA256

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SHA512

edb263ebcb7a8864b24dae58b4a0ad06d79cca70b96b778c11cf44ac133aa027420834ec37624f765960d5685ea82041a2402e5548ceaf0cade93ae09943de45

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SHA256	cb598745eb753980f284741b4ba15dd21f225e4055173df4b83d7b45c4968d1a
SHA512	1bae225911a8f7a170ef8e5f8741dcf93f88debc5b5e7af4da784d0eb96b391b9a28a664248127b6521d4e698a431d1e870c1c8b0a1e748e16054235ac600e

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SHA512	c50fecf92c1fef0c82ae837e0ddb112381a6f7f454d0a310426f1094a2519c871736f1e26dd25ec646fe99d76eabd58086d79c8b0e5df72aed5c737430b9a00d

**/Users/run/Library/Group Containers/UBF8T346G9.Office/Custom Dictionary**

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SHA512	99102ead513c6d6144a6bd2ce8f5061946f6a57bb445067cdb673c45ec52a81e6b53c401008b5c21726505d6a7e71d94e1ba775f703ee0877b47eeb75be289bf

**/var/folders/pq/yy2b5ptn4cz739jgclj4m1wm0000gp/T/TelemetryUploadFilecom.microsoft.autoupdate.fba.txt**

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SHA512	cf83e1357eefb8bdf1542850d66d8007d620e4050b5715dc83f4a921d36ce9ce47d0d13c5d85f2b0ff8318d2877eec2f63b931bd47417a81a538327af927da3e