

[S2W LAB] Analysis of Clop Ransomware suspiciously related to the Recent Incident (English)

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Executive Summary

- The ransomware Clop has hit the network of conglomerate and retail giant in South Korea which suspended nearly half of stores due to its attack. We have analyzed the ransomware related to the incident and the summary of the analysis can be seen below.
 - A new variant of the Clop ransomware seems to generate separate key files and store encryption keys for each encrypted files as opposed to the previous behavior of changing the file content and extension and saving the encryption key at the final stage
 - Key File Extension : .cllp
 - Key File Header : Cllp^-_-
 - Ransom Note: We have identified that the contact email used in ransom note is identical to the email used by Clop Ransomware on the Dark Web where they leak corporate data when negotiations fails.
- We have also detected the same variant of the ransomware that contained identical signatures on Virus Total (Build time: Nov-21-2020).

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Distribution

- We have yet finalized the deploying patterns but we can assume the intrusion technique by referring to previous incidents.
 1. Network intrusion using SMB exploit.
 2. A massive deployment by compromised administrator account of an Active Directory.
 3. Malicious document files distributed as attachments via spear phishing emails.

Analysis of Clop Ransomware (#01)

1) Basic Properties (#01, Marker for Relation Analysis)

MD5 : 8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724

SHA-1 : 2d92a9ec1091cb801ff86403374594c74210cd44

SHA-256 :

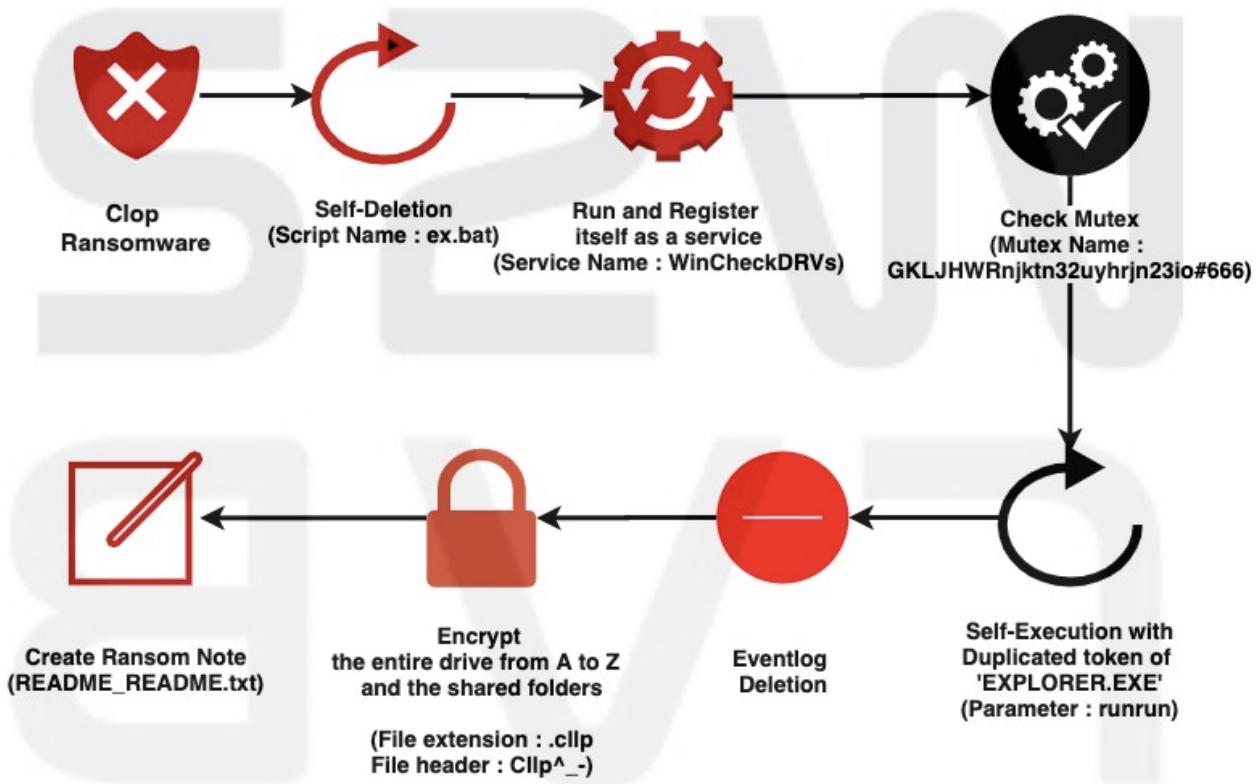
3d94c4a92382c5c45062d8ea0517be4011be8ba42e9c9a614a99
327d0ebdf05b

Type : Win32 EXE (PE32 executable for MS Windows (GUI) Intel
80386 32-bit)

Build Time : 2020-11-20 18:18:18

2) Malware Behaviour

Full execution flow of Clop ransomware



Stage1 (Allocates executable code to memory)

- It is configured to be executed by allocating to the memory (VirtualAlloc) so that the structure of the malicious code cannot be understood.

Stage2 (Main code to memory allocation after self-deletion)

- Self-deletion is executed after generating ex.bat file

```

strcpy(ex_bat, "ex.bat");
strcpy(CreateFileA_, "CreateFileA");
strcpy(CreateProcessA_, "CreateProcessA");
strcpy(WriteFile_, "WriteFile");
strcpy(CloseHandle_, "CloseHandle");
strcpy(GetModuleFileNameA_, "GetModuleFileNameA");
strcpy(lstrcpyA_, "lstrcpyA");
strcpy(del_, ":R\r\ndel \\"");
strcpy(if_exist, "\r\nif exist \"");
strcpy(goto_del, "\" goto R\r\ndel \"");
v20[0] = '';
v20[1] = '\r';
v20[2] = '\n';
v20[3] = 0;
CreateFileA__ = a2(a1, CreateFileA_);
lstrcpyA__ = a2(a1, lstrcpyA_);
GetModuleFileNameA__ = a2(a1, GetModuleFileNameA_);
CloseHandle__ = a2(a1, CloseHandle_);
WriteFile__ = a2(a1, WriteFile_);
CreateProcessA__ = a2(a1, CreateProcessA_);
GetModuleFileNameA__(0, v26, 260);
result = CreateFileA__(ex_bat, 0x40000000, 0, 0, 2, 128, 0);
v16 = result;
if ( result != -1 )
{
    ARG_01_1040(v15, 0, 256);
    lstrcpyA__(v15, del_);
    sub_1080(v15, v26);
    sub_1080(v15, if_exist);
    sub_1080(v15, v26);
    sub_1080(v15, goto_del);
    sub_1080(v15, ex_bat);
    sub_1080(v15, v20);
    v3 = sub_10E0(v15);
    WriteFile__(v16, v15, v3, &goto_del[16], 0);
    CloseHandle__(v16);
    ARG_01_1040(v10, 0, 68);
    ARG_01_1040(v19, 0, 16);
    v10[0] = 68;
    v10[11] = 1;
    v11 = 0;
    result = CreateProcessA__(0, ex_bat, 0, 0, 0, 16, 0, 0, v10, v19);
}
```

```

## Stage3 (Main malicious code)

- MD5 : 14B7069B25B04EBA875F264BE4F140DA
- Build Time : 2020-11-20 14:35:08

- Infection Routine

1. Run and register itself as a service
  - Service name : **WinCheckDRVs**
2. Uses mutex to check if another instance is running (duplication check)
  - Mutex name : GKLJHWRnjkttn32uyhrjn23io#666
3. Self execution
  - Self execute with duplicated token of 'EXPLORER.EXE' and sets "runrun" as a parameter
4. Run event log deletion command

```
cmd.exe /C for /F "tokens=*\" %1 in ('wevtutil.exe el') DO
wevtutil.exe cl \"%1\"
```

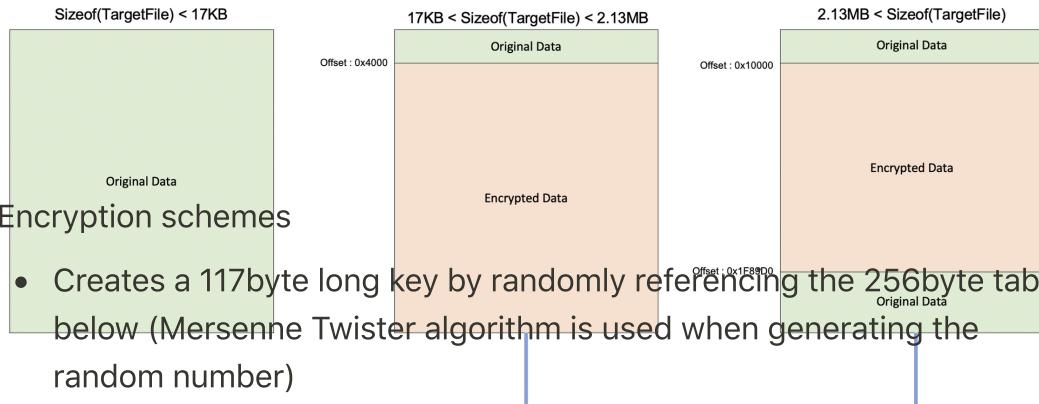
5. Attempts to encrypt the entire drive from A to Z except Floppy Disk, CD-ROM.

- RSA Public Key hard coded inside the malware.

```
-----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----
MIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQCecUuskA+/EYRGu9HUFkpICA
e3MeraGT0S8wa6lZfirCt0oRPARUcF1aNUpKfLeqc02BX+MAN3n15EJpoe1SR
iESj5Z+dJl2WBFaYoV/SBg5EQWganz32HN3dhH037t3vrDP7jsQa2lziD32hLd
SEktD4Gmz870+0bLTQIDAQAB -----END PUBLIC KEY-----
```

- Skips Desktop path when encrypting files
- Avoids certain files by matching hash value of file name
- Clop passes encrypting certain file extensions:
  - .CIOP : Previously encrypted file extension
  - .OCX : Object linking and embedding files (ActiveX)
  - .DLL : Compiled library (dynamic)
  - .EXE : Execution file
  - .SYS : Driver file

- .LNK : Shortcut file
- .ICO : Icon file
- .INI : Initialization file
- .MSI : Installer file
- .CHM : Compiled HTML help file
- .HLF
- .LNG : Language pack file
- .TTF : Font file
- .CMD : Script file
- .BAT : Batch file
- .CLLP : Current encrypted ransomware file
- Encryption technique varies depending on the size of target files
  - sizeof(TargetFile) < 17KB : **Passes encryption**
  - 1.7KB < sizeof(TargetFile) < 2.13MB : **Encrypts from 0x4000 to EOF(End of File)**
    - Uses general file input/output method
  - sizeof(TargetFile) < 2.13MB : **0x10000~0x1F89D0 Encryption**
    - MMF method is used to handle large size files efficiently.
    - MMF : Through the Memory Mapped File(MMF), the contents of a file in virtual memory space can be linked enabling an application to write the file directly to the memory.
- A diagram of encryption method by Clop ransomware



- Encryption schemes

- Creates a 117byte long key by randomly referencing the 256byte table below (Mersenne Twister algorithm is used when generating the random number)

```
e3 e4 e5 e6 e7 e8 e9 ea eb ec ed ee ef f0 f1 f2 cd ef 34
56 78 9a b1 31 41 51 61 71 81 91 a1 b1 c1 d1 e1 fc 3c 4c
5c 6c 7c 8c 9c ac bc cc dc ec fd 0d 1d 20 12 d3 d4 d5 d6
d7 d8 d9 da db dc dd de df e0 e1 e2 cd ef 83 84 85 86 87
88 89 8a 8b 8c 8d 8e 8f 90 91 92 a3 a4 a5 a6 a7 a8 a9 aa
ab ac ad ae af b0 b1 b2 ab 7f 80 81 82 00 01 02 03 04 05
06 07 08 0b 0c 0e 0f 10 11 12 b3 b4 b5 b6 b7 b8 b9 ba bb
bc bd be bf c0 c1 c2 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 9a 9b 9c 9d 9e
9f a0 a1 a2 f3 f4 f5 f6 f7 f8 f9 fa fb fc fd fe ff
```

- 117byte default key is used when creation fails

```
ab 9d 89 0a b9 2b ba fa 19 f2 10 21 4c 9c 6a 7f 3a 31 8b
fd e9 ff fa 6c f1 f1 11 8e b6 c7 81 17 a5 b2 89 ad 1e 78
fa e3 82 83 1b cd 9d 92 ad dc c5 d8 b1 8d 01 1b b2 f1 b9
89 e2 c7 41 71 e2 f7 a3 1d 6c aa 28 0c 6e db 3c f8 fd 10
1f b1 f1 b9 89 8e
```

- 117byte key is used as RC4 algorithm key to encrypt the original data, then updates
  - It overwrites the encrypted data rather than deleting the original file
- Key storage file **[encryption target file name].cllp** is created to manage encryption keys per file
  - Key File Header : Cllp^\_- (7byte)

- Key File Data : 117byte RC4 Key (128byte) encrypted by RSA public Key
- 135 bytes fixed in total

## 6. Tours around shared folders and attempts to encrypt

- Including Desktop path
- Identical encrypting schemes is used to encrypt afterwards

## 7. Attempts to encrypt files from the C Drive

## 8. Ransom note created in every encrypted file

- Ransom note file name : README\_README.txt
- Ransom note created by following procedure
  - Extract encoded data in resource section inside malicious code
    - Resource ID : 39339, Resource NAME : ID\_HTML
  - Extract the original data by XOR decoding the resource data and the table below

JKHfg34789t6y8f9JLKHFUEWir3289457yfnKLSFEj2jk34y57823fjvsdi

- When Command line parameter = temp.dat

1. Reads temp.dat upon execution and attempts to only encrypt the path that has been specified
  - Function exists, however is the option that is not executed from the actual code

# Ransom Note



HELLO DEAR KMALL \*DO NOT ATTEMPT TO RESTORE OR MOVE THE FILES YOURSELF.  
 THEM\* Also, we have stolen very important information from your servers.  
 for details. If you refuse to cooperate, all data will be published for  
 our portal (USE TOR BROWSER): [http://ekbgzchl6x2ias37\[.\]onion/](http://ekbgzchl6x2ias37[.]onion/) CONTACTS:  
 dinoriuss1973@tutanota[.]com AND unlock@support-box[.]com OR unlock@suppo  
 WRITE TO THE CHAT (USE TOR BROWSER):  
[http://cvfzmngbtwzywfnyt45zro4ocpze7cqdtzj2n6jz7eucpdglulsulcsid\[.\]onion/](http://cvfzmngbtwzywfnyt45zro4ocpze7cqdtzj2n6jz7eucpdglulsulcsid[.]onion/)  
 7c5a-4b5d-9e19-3610beadffc6?secret=km2021

## 1) Contact (E-mail)

dinoriuss1973@tutanota[.]com  
 unlock@support-box[.]com  
 unlock@support-iron[.]com

- Contact (E-mail addresses) information is identical with the information from the Darkweb website that list-up the Clop ransomware victims (Leaks Website\*).

## 2) Leaks Website of Clop Ransomware (ekbgzchl6x2ias37[.]onion)

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [ekbgzchl6x2ias37.onion](http://ekbgzchl6x2ias37.onion). The page title is '\_CLOP^-\_ LEAKS'. The header contains a navigation bar with links to various websites: HOME, IHI-CSI.DE, MVTEC.COM, NFT.CO.UK, POLYVLIES.DE, INRIX.COM, EXECUPHARM.COM, TWL.DE, RFRANCO.COM, PLANATOL.DE, HOEDLMAYR.COM, INDIABULLS.COM, PROMINENT.COM, NETZSCH.COM, PRETTL.COM, SOFTWAREAG.COM, TAMINTL.COM, and NOVABIOMEDICAL.COM. Below the header, there is a section titled 'UPDATES' which lists numerous entries of breached company names and data parts (e.g., PART1, PART2, PART3, PART4, PART5, PART6 FINAL) along with their sizes (e.g., 83 GB, 76GB, 111GB). At the bottom of the update list, there is a note: 'Want to delete files? Email: unlock@goldenbay.su unlock@graylegion.su'.

- Number of Clop Ransomware Victims on the Darkweb: 17
- Data uploading cycle for negotiated firm: Approximately 7 days – 1 month
- Uploaded Data
  - Employee credential
  - Employee emails
  - Accounting related information
  - ETC

### 3) Tor page for negotiation

#### Chat

([hxxp://cvfzmngbtwzywfnyt45zro4ocpze7cqdtzj2n6jz7eucpdglkulcsid\[.\]onion](http://cvfzmngbtwzywfnyt45zro4ocpze7cqdtzj2n6jz7eucpdglkulcsid[.]onion))

The screenshot shows a web-based chat interface for Clop Ransomware. At the top, there are tabs: Chat (selected), Demo decrypt, Buy Bitcoin, News, and About Us. The main area is a conversation log:

- 2020-11-22 23:19:04: I will soon need to leave for 7-8 hours. If you confirm 20kk then I will be late if you need more time then we will meet in 7-8 hours?
- 2020-11-22 23:27:52: ?
- 2020-11-22 23:57:39: see you in 7-8 hours
- 2020-11-23 00:40:26: (Message from the ransomware): I want to deal. See you again 7-8 hours later Let us find a way to be satisfied with both you and me. See you 7-8 hours later
- 2020-11-23 00:54:50: (Input field placeholder) Type a message

To the right of the messages, there is a sidebar with the following text:

To recover all files on your network and prevent data leaks, you need to pay a fee.  
Write to chat to start negotiations and discuss details.  
To see how to buy the bitcoins, click [Buy Bitcoins](#) at the tab menu on top of the page.

We provide demo decryption of files so that you can be sure that we can recover them.  
Click [Demo decrypt](#) at the menu on top of this the page to decrypt some files for free.

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#### About Us

[Chat](#)   [Demo decrypt](#)   [Buy Bitcoin](#)   [News](#)   [About Us](#)

## Want to know about us?

If you want to know about us more you can read about us in media:

- [!\[\]\(ee65d84d1b7cf3358237169a6a96555a\_img.jpg\) Software AG Data Released After Clop Ransomware Strike](#)
- [!\[\]\(a6809e496bb628629dcb7b64cf5cd9c5\_img.jpg\) Hackerangriff auf Versorgungsunternehmen Technische Werke Ludwigshafen](#)
- [!\[\]\(7a8ffcc17fc27299be24664ec47ee5e0\_img.jpg\) CLOP Ransomware operators hacked Indian conglomerate IndiaBulls Group](#)
- [!\[\]\(6383ccd21676104874d3784c9f95ba77\_img.jpg\) McAfee Labs about Clop Ransomware](#)
- [!\[\]\(acfcfaeb1f046ca3bd842466ac395c84\_img.jpg\) Clop ransomware leaks ExecuPharm's files after failed ransom](#)

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## Buy Bitcoin

[Chat](#)   [Demo decrypt](#)   [Buy Bitcoin](#)   [News](#)   [About Us](#)

### With Bank Account or Bank Transfer

- [!\[\]\(8c4d7dd4d4a0e0b29127df94f5197a96\_img.jpg\) Coinmama](#)
- [!\[\]\(cdbab3f2d4f54e74dd92ded2b9cc4ffc\_img.jpg\) Korbit](#)
- [!\[\]\(cd428ad1155a94a8c4935e9a9ef7b1ba\_img.jpg\) Coinfloor](#)
- [!\[\]\(34c056be10f9a55a01bc780933cfe492\_img.jpg\) Coinfinity](#)
- [!\[\]\(6903c1ef32ddf3b3d9caac25680c2199\_img.jpg\) BitPanda](#)
- [!\[\]\(afd8d69c32b22a649f7bbdc9ad174474\_img.jpg\) BTCDirect](#)
- [!\[\]\(82fbfa6943e8f3e4b0fbdd7684e45ffc\_img.jpg\) Paymium](#)
- [!\[\]\(eb07d2ed021810179a158c1b224f355d\_img.jpg\) Bity](#)
- [!\[\]\(5a2400887aca3f34a4ad5df508eff8d2\_img.jpg\) CoinCorner](#)
- [!\[\]\(895b7296286397dda91872e50fde45c8\_img.jpg\) HappyCoins](#)
- [!\[\]\(63939eb5844202c6ba4dbc9614073841\_img.jpg\) Bitfinex](#)
- [!\[\]\(a251f4960bc4d9efeaead1d03e6733c6\_img.jpg\) Poloniex](#)

### With Credit/Debit Card

- [!\[\]\(aa67020dce97a06a09cfb41eb7246082\_img.jpg\) CEX.io](#)
- [!\[\]\(9f43deb207b72069eeefd187d4443c63\_img.jpg\) Coinmama](#)
- [!\[\]\(fb0b7ec4982bb55e855310553b955b38\_img.jpg\) Huobi](#)
- [!\[\]\(3efa98ed93c7fa0b21db72236a1a9b14\_img.jpg\) Bittylicious](#)
- [!\[\]\(0f520ff34272083b93b9ce3c47295562\_img.jpg\) BitPanda](#)
- [!\[\]\(30b72993b235a1e9ff126714151d05f7\_img.jpg\) BTCDirect](#)
- [!\[\]\(441836385f4b4c06d978ea884a3fdbcf\_img.jpg\) CoinCafe](#)
- [!\[\]\(08768787efe32f2424b3c6d24567da46\_img.jpg\) Coinhouse](#)
- [!\[\]\(4e0cdbdbb35086bb8b5277bc5be50f55\_img.jpg\) Safello](#)

### With PayPal

- [!\[\]\(d5861e4302ed2400a72b60a3cd2be42b\_img.jpg\) LocalBitcoins](#)
- [!\[\]\(ee208f84f94eee3809f2c37406825270\_img.jpg\) VirWoX](#)

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# Intelligence Analysis

## Comparison between current Clop and Clop from first half of the year 2019

|                               | '19 1st                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | '20 4th                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| MD5                           | 16900F49B5ED9F240E38E71D01202EC                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 14B7069B25B04EBA875F264BE4F140DA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Keyboard layout to exclude    | Russian, Ukrainian, Belarusian, Tajik, Armenian, Uzbek, Kyrgyz, Turkmen                                                                                                                                                                                                              | X                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Service name                  | BootServicingSecurity                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | WinCheckDRVs                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Vaccine check                 | VIPRE Antivirus                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | X                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Mutex                         | Cash##666                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | GKLJHWRnjktn32uyhrjn23io#666                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Public key                    | -----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----<br>MIIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQCQCoT6k7uXAUbnmqOL7YIWVhFk6wltnGrnChftaRsgv08NoyCzsJT3UWdl61ocV1LaJ4a4gyaL6q3ppslxp4fkzfF g6d+uzeHD9zrYiKn1gNcAdvGsIZ4xAaVEjUn14Qe2F4govS9Lv/pNSJ1bxtaWz59 FNzTRPK+GUdVBCm4HwIDAQAB<br>-----END PUBLIC KEY----- | -----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----<br>MIIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQCecUusK4+EYRGu9HUFkpICAgIe3MeraGTOS8wa6lZfirCt0oRPARUCf1aNvUpKfLeqc02BX+MAn3n15Ejpoe1SRyaIE5j5Z+dJ2WBFAyOv/SBg5EQWganz32HN3dhH037t3vrDP7jsQa2lzd32hLd3ySektD4Gmz87O+0bITQIDAQAB<br>-----END PUBLIC KEY----- |
| Extension                     | .Clop                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | .Clip                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| File size to check            | 3MB, 2GB                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 17KB, 2.13MB                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| File identifier               | Clop^_-                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Clip^_-                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| File encryption algorithm     | RC4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | RC4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Filename of Ransom note       | ClopReadMe.txt                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | README_README.txt                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Resource name of Ransom note  | CSIX                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | ID_HTML                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Decoding table of Ransom note | JLKHFVljewhyur3ikjfldskfk123j3iuhdnfkqlqhrjjio2ljkeosfjh7823763647823hrf uweg56t76t73824y78Clop                                                                                                                                                                                      | JKHfg34789t6y8f9jLKHFUEWIr3289457yfnKLSFEj2jk34y57823fjvsdiogh23funrjtubh287yuthfgvdflkrbg34hj                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Purpose of hex values         | To terminate process                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | To exclude filenames                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Contact Emails                | l0twinj@protonmail.com<br>unlock@eqaltech.su                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | dinoriuss1973@utanota.com<br>unlock@support-box.com<br>unlock@support-iron.com                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Onion Domain                  | X                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | ekbgzchl6x2ias37.onion<br>cvfzmngbtwzywfnnrt45zro4ocpze7cqdtzj2n6jz7europdgsulcsid.onion                                                                                                                                                                                         |

## Past Ransom Note

!!!Your networks has been penetrated!!! All files on each host in the network have been encrypted with a strong algorithm! Backups were either encrypted or deleted or backup disks were formatted! Shadow copies also removed, so F8 or any other methods may damage encrypted data but not recover! We exclusively have decryption software for your situation! No decryption software is available in the public. !!!DO NOT DELETE readme files!!! !!!DO NOT RENAME OR MOVE the encrypted and readme files!!! !!!DO NOT RESET OR SHUTDOWN – files may be damaged!!! This may lead to the impossibility of recovery of the certain files! Photorec, RannohDecryptor etc. repair tools are useless and can destroy your files irreversibly! If you want to restore your files write to emails [contacts are at the bottom of the sheet] and attach 3 – 4 encrypted files [Less than 6 Mb each, non-archived and your files should not contain valuable information [Databases, backups, large excel sheets, etc.]]! You will receive decrypted samples and our conditions how to get the decoder! !\_!Attention!\_! Your warranty – decrypted samples! Do not rename encrypted files! Do not try to decrypt your data using third party software!!! We don't need your files and your information! But after 2 weeks all your files and keys will be deleted automatically. Contact EMAILS: ldtwinj@protonmail.com and unlock@eqaltech.su Please write to both emails! !!!The final price depends on how fast you write to us!!! Nothing personal just business! Clop^\_-

## Signature information

of other malware similar to recent sample

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## Signers

- Insta Software Solution Inc.

|               |                                                 |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Name          | Insta Software Solution Inc.                    |
| Status        | Valid                                           |
| Issuer        | Sectigo RSA Code Signing CA                     |
| Valid From    | 12:00 AM 08/05/2020                             |
| Valid To      | 11:59 PM 08/05/2021                             |
| Valid Usage   | Code Signing                                    |
| Algorithm     | sha256RSA                                       |
| Thumbprint    | DD14A81F098CAF55BCDCA9215955757DC0E2787F        |
| Serial Number | 1E 74 CF E7 DE 8C 5F 57 84 0A 61 03 44 14 CA 9F |

- 11 different malware code MD5 lists that share identical signature information

```
8fc09cb1540a6dea87a078b92c8f2b0a 8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724
9246d60c24591855bc1792aa0a672ff7 34f8228a3f12fa9542f1a4181f96edec
731d5ed57434e05c9466107052af5a6a b96f79eb633d0b2c0e79e6d889dac0da
efb886d6eaa54d666dcfde173ae02d81 e3bc953a18fe466cb008184a45c6c858
d014969ab6421bde1419cbd30d0d5ebb a98dc09226b97ddc0d959e0aaa08abe0
8274514bc52e98bb4431ef61109fb15c
```

## Clop Ransomware(#02) : Identified using the same signature

**#02 : 8fc09cb1540a6dea87a078b92c8f2b0a**

### Basic Properties

**MD5 :** 8fc09cb1540a6dea87a078b92c8f2b0a

**SHA-1 :** 16f48624ea2a575e1bdceb4ac6151d97d4de80b6

**SHA-256 :**

389e03b1a1fd1c527d48df74d3c26a0483a5b105f36841193172f1e  
e80e62c1b

**Build Time** 2020-11-21 15:56:31

- Confirmed that Malware code has been created more recently than #01 Clop Ransomware (8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724)

## Main features

- Identical method to import the malware activity file with #01 Clop Ransomware(8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724)

## Results after confirming the code with malware activity

### Basic Properties

**MD5 :** AC0FE3E86F9FC7E5FD08D9E618B601F3

**SHA1 :** 8C7173BDDE2919B524B22EA257A80360DF33A333

**SHA256 :**

71DB30A0174795E9387F6A6CCA940359028CAD3BC3B7BEF24B  
48E150102DB391

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### Key strings identified in malware

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.rdata:00413440 00000014 C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE %s%s.Cllp .rdata:00413454
.rdata:0041345C 00000008 C Cllp^_- .rdata:00413618 00000014 C (16 bits) -
.rdata:00413630 00000040 C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE 666GKLJHWRnjkttn32uyhrjn2:
0000001A C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE EXPLORER.EXE .rdata:00413690 00000047 C ,
%1 in ('wevtutil.exe el') D0 wevtutil.exe cl \"%1\" .rdata:004136F0 00000010
16LE WinCheckDRV$.rdata:0041370C 0000000E C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE runrun
00000012 C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE temp.dat .rdata:00413730 0000001C C (16 bits)
.rdata:0041374C 0000001A C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE WinCheckDRV$.rdata:00413760
BEGIN PUBLIC KEY----- MIGfMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBAQUAA4GNADCBiQKBgQCecUuskA+/EYI
e3MeraGT0S8wa6lZfirCt0oRPARUcF1aNvupKfLeqc02BX+MAn3n15EJpoe1SRya
iESj5Z+dJl2WBFaYoV/SBg5EQWganz32HN3dhH037t3vrDP7jsQa2lziD32hLd3y SEktD4G
END PUBLIC KEY----- .rdata:00413878 00000060 C
JKHfg34789t6y8f9JLKHFUEWir3289457yfnKLSFEj2jk34y57823fjvsdiogh23funrjtubl
.rdata:004138D8 0000002A C (16 bits) - UTF-16LE %s\\README_README.txt
```

## Result of Similarity

- After analyzing the actual malware code that operates on memory #01 and #02, most of the codes are similar except for some functions (Confidence 99.2% , Similarity : 82.38%)

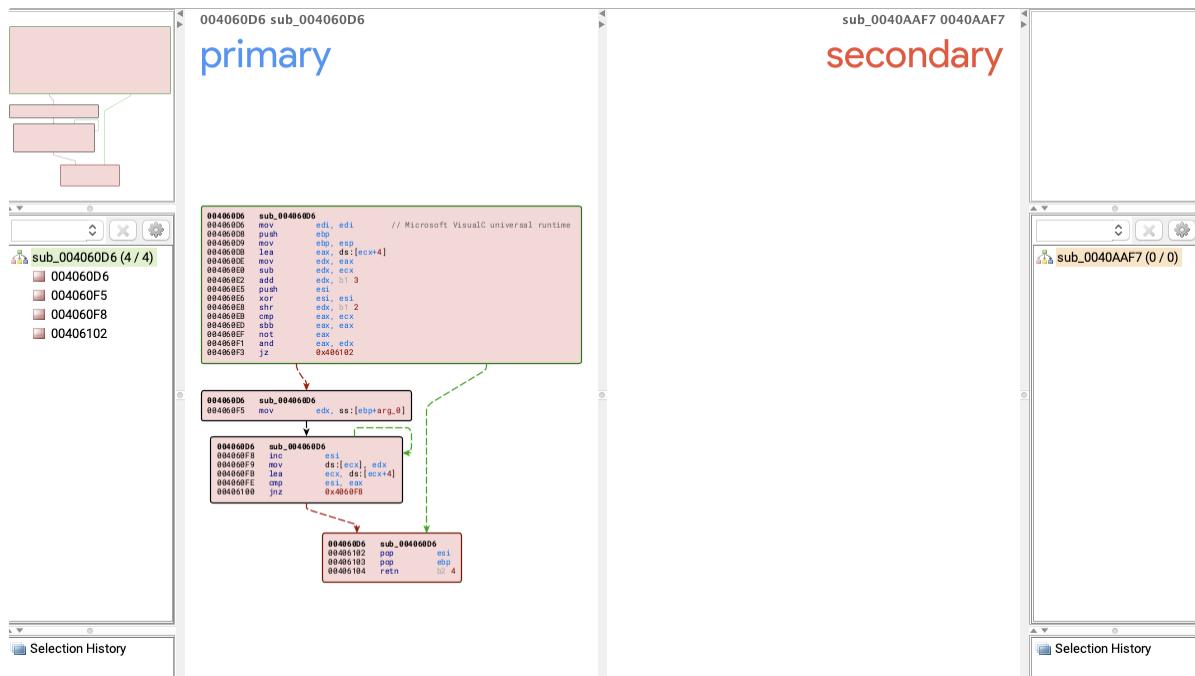
**Confidence**  
**Similarity**

**0.992**  
**0.823874**

| Similarity | Confide | Change | EA Primary | Name Primary                                | EA Secondary | Name Secondary                              | Cor.  | Algorithm          |
|------------|---------|--------|------------|---------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------------|-------|--------------------|
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00401000   | sub_00401000                                | 00401000     | sub_00401000                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00401200   | sub_00401200                                | 00401200     | sub_00401200                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00401420   | sub_00401420                                | 00401420     | sub_00401420                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00402820   | sub_00402820                                | 00402840     | sub_00402840                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00402660   | sub_00402660                                | 00402880     | sub_00402880                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00402010   | sub_00402010                                | 00402C20     | sub_00402C20                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403270   | sub_00403270                                | 00403180     | sub_00403180                                | hash  | matching           |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 004032F0   | sub_004032F0                                | 00403200     | sub_00403200                                | hash  | matching           |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403370   | sub_00403370                                | 00403280     | sub_00403280                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403840   | sub_00403840                                | 00403750     | sub_00403750                                | hash  | matching           |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403940   | sub_00403940                                | 00403850     | sub_00403850                                | hash  | matching           |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403980   | sub_00403980                                | 00403890     | sub_00403890                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403A80   | sub_00403A80                                | 004039C0     | sub_004039C0                                | hash  | matching           |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403B4C   | __security_check_cookie(x)                  | 00403A38     | __security_check_cookie(x)                  | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403B80   | pre_c_initialization(void)                  | 00403A70     | pre_c_initialization(void)                  | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403C48   | __scrt_common_main_seh(void)                | 00403B38     | __scrt_common_main_seh(void)                | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403D83   | start                                       | 00403C43     | start                                       | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403D85   | __report_gsfailure                          | 00403D05     | __report_gsfailure                          | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403E00   | find_pe_section(uchar * const,uint)         | 00403D0D     | find_pe_section(uchar * const,uint)         | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403F24   | __scrt_acquire_startup_lock                 | 00403E31     | __scrt_acquire_startup_lock                 | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403F59   | __scrt_initialize_crt                       | 00403F66     | __scrt_initialize_crt                       | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00403F92   | __scrt_initialize_onexit_tables             | 00403E9F     | __scrt_initialize_onexit_tables             | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404029   | __scrt_is_nonwritable_in_current_image      | 00403F36     | __scrt_is_nonwritable_in_current_image      | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404083   | __scrt_release_startup_lock                 | 00403F00     | __scrt_release_startup_lock                 | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404080   | __scrt_uninitialize_crt                     | 00403FD0     | __scrt_uninitialize_crt                     | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 004040F8   | _onexit                                     | 00404085     | _onexit                                     | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404133   | _atexit                                     | 00404040     | _atexit                                     | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404148   | __security_init_cookie                      | 00404055     | __security_init_cookie                      | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 004041FD   | _initialize_default_precision               | 00404180     | _initialize_default_precision               | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404220   | __scrt_initialize_default_local_stdio_optio | 00404137     | __scrt_initialize_default_local_stdio_optio | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 0040425F   | __scrt_fastfail                             | 0040416C     | __scrt_fastfail                             | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 0040437A   | __scrt_get_show_window_mode                 | 00404287     | __scrt_get_show_window_mode                 | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404389   | __scrtUnhandledExceptionFilter(x)           | 004042C6     | __scrtUnhandledExceptionFilter(x)           | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404420   | sub_00404420                                | 0040433A     | sub_0040433A                                | edges | flowgraph MD index |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404458   | j___guard_check_icall_fptr                  | 00404365     | j___guard_check_icall_fptr                  | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404466   | __SEH_epilog4                               | 00404386     | __SEH_epilog4                               | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404488   | __isa_available_init                        | 004043C8     | __isa_available_init                        | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404555   | __scrt_is ucrt_dll_in_use                   | 00404565     | __scrt_is ucrt_dll_in_use                   | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404670   | _memmove                                    | 00404580     | _memmove                                    | name  | hash matching      |
| 1.00       | 0.99    | -----  | 00404BF0   | _memset                                     | 00404800     | _memset                                     | name  | hash matching      |

- #02 : 8fc09cb1540a6dea87a078b92c8f2b0a Final Malware code (Left)
- #01 : 8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724 Final Malware code (Right)

- Some functions have been added, however the key code used for the ransomware operation is the same format.



## IOC

## HASH

```

8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724 14B7069B25B04EBA875F264BE4F140DA
8fc09cb1540a6dea87a078b92c8f2b0a 8b6c413e2539823ef8f8b85900d19724
9246d60c24591855bc1792aa0a672ff7 34f8228a3f12fa9542f1a4181f96edec
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8274514bc52e98bb4431ef61109fb15c AC0FE3E86F9FC7E5FD08D9E618B601F3

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## ETC

### ONION

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Chat site:  
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