

## MITRE ATTACKS DETECTION RULES PART2

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# Multiple Failed Login Followed by Successful Login Followed by Logoff

- **Trigger Condition:** Multiple failed login attempts are followed by successful login, and then by log off from the same user are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts, Brute Force
- ATT&CK ID: T1078, T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- [incident\_name="Multiple Failed User Login Followed by Successful Login" incident\_user=\*] as FirstAlert followed by [norm\_id=WinServer\* label=Use r label=Logoff user=\* -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS] as Logoff on FirstAlert.i ncident\_user=Logoff.user | rename Logoff.user as User, FirstAlert.incide nt\_address as SourceAddress

## Mustang Panda Dropper Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Specific process parameters used by Mustang Panda droppers are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Resource Development, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Malware
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1211, T1587.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

## Named Pipe added to Null Session Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Lateral Movement attempt by enabling of null session through named pipe is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 image="\*reg.exe" target\_object="\*lanma nserver\*NullSessionPipes" detail="Binary Data" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Narrators Feedback-Hub Persistence Detected

- Trigger Condition: Abusing Windows 10 Narrator's Feedback-Hub is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, Registry Run Keys/Startup Folder
- ATT&CK ID: T1547, T1547.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (event\_id=12 event\_type="DeleteValue" target\_object="\*\AppXypsaf9f1qserq evf0sws76dx4k9a5206\Shell\open\command\DelegateExecute") OR (event\_id=13 target\_object="\*\AppXypsaf9f1qserqevf0sws76dx4k9a5206\Shell\open\command \(Default)")

#### Nefilim Ransomware Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: Nefilim double extortion ransomware-infected host is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- ATT&CK ID: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- host=\* hash=\* hash IN NEFILIM RANSOMWARE HASHES

#### Net exe Execution Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The execution of *Net.exe*, which can be suspicious or benign, is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Discovery, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Obfuscated Files or Information, System Network Connections Discovery, Remote Services, Network Share Discovery
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1027, T1049, T1021, T1135
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

 norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*\net.exe", "\*\net1.exe"] co mmand IN ["\* group\*", "\* localgroup\*", "\* user\*", "\* view\*", "\* share", "\* accounts\*", "\* use\*", "\* stop \*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Net exe User Account Creation

- Trigger Condition: The creation of local users via the net.exe command is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Create Account
- ATT&CK ID: T1136
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*\net.exe", "\*\net1.exe"] co mmand="\*user\*" command="\*add\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## NetNTLM Downgrade Attack Detected

- Trigger Condition: When post-exploitation using NetNTLM downgrade attacks are detected. NetNTLM is a proprietary authentication protocol used by Microsoft Windows. Adversaries may use a downgrade attack to force the use of a weaker version of the protocol, allowing them to intercept and crack the password hashes used for authentication. This can allow the adversary to gain unauthorized access to the system.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify Tools, Modify Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562.001, T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- (event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*SYSTEM\\*ControlSet\*\Control\Lsa\lmcompa tibilitylevel", "\*SYSTEM\\*ControlSet\*\Control\Lsa\NtlmMinClientSec", "\*S YSTEM\\*ControlSet\*\Control\Lsa\RestrictSendingNTLMTraffic"]) OR (norm\_id =WinServer event\_id=4657 object\_name="\REGISTRY\MACHINE\SYSTEM\\*ControlS et\*\Control\Lsa" object\_value IN ["LmCompatibilityLevel", "NtlmMinClient Sec", "RestrictSendingNTLMTraffic"]) -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Firewall Addition via Netsh Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** A connection is allowed by port or application on Windows firewall.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify System Firewall
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1562, T1562.004
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*netsh firewall add\*"] -us er IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Netsh Helper DLL - Process Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries use Netshell helper DLLs to execute arbitrary code persistently. *Netsh.exe* is a command-line scripting utility used to interact with the network configuration of a system.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Netsh Helper DLL
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.007
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*netsh.exe" command="\*helper\*")
   -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Netsh Helper DLL - Registry Detected

- Trigger Condition: Windows registry at HKLMSOFTWAREMicrosoftNetsh is detected. HKLMSOFTWAREMicrosoftNetsh is a path to registered netsh.exe helper DLLs.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Netsh Helper DLL
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.007
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon (event\_id=12 or event\_id=13 or event\_id=14) target
   \_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Netsh\\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### **Netsh Port Forwarding Detected**

- **Trigger Condition:** The *netsh* command used in the configuration of port forwarding is detected. Port forwarding is a pivoting technique that redirects traffic from one port to another.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy, Exploitation of Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1090, T1210
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="create" label="process" "process"="\*\netsh.exe"command in ["\*inte rface portproxy add v4tov4 \*", "\*i p a v\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### Netsh RDP Port Forwarding Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The *netsh* command used in the configuration of port forwarding of port 3389 for RDP is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement

- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["netsh i\* p\*=3389 c\*"] -use r IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### **Network Share Connection Removed**

- **Trigger Condition:** The removal of a share connection is detected. Adversaries remove share connections that are no longer useful to clean traces of their operation.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Indicator Removal on Host, Network Share Connection Removal
- ATT&CK ID: T1070, T1070.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*net.exe" command="\*net delete\*
   ") or command="\*Remove-SmbShare\*" or command="\*Remove-FileShare\*" -user
   IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Network Share Discovery

- Trigger Condition: The net utility is used to query a system for available shared drives using net view or net share command. Adversaries look for folders and drive shared on remote systems to identify sources of information to gather as a precursor for collection and identification of potential systems of interest for Lateral Movement.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Share Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1135
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*net.exe" (command="\*net view\*" or command="\*net share\*")) or command="\*get-smbshare -Name\*" -user IN EX CLUDED\_USERS

## **Network Sniffing Detected**

- Trigger Condition: When the execution of network sniffing tools is detected. Adversaries may use network sniffing to intercept sensitive information, such as passwords or confidential data, as it is transmitted over the network. They may also use sniffing to gain visibility into network traffic and identify vulnerabilities or weaknesses.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access, Discovery

- ATT&CK Tag: Network Sniffing
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1040
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*tshark.exe" or image="\*windump .exe" or image="\*logman.exe" or image="\*tcpdump.exe" or image="\*wprui.ex e" or image="\*wpr.exe") -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## New Driver File Creation Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Creation of a new driver file.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Shared Modules
- ATT&CK ID: T1129
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 path="C:\Windows\*Drivers\*" -user IN EX CLUDED\_USERS

## New Firewall Port Opening Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** An opening of a new port in a firewall is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Non-Standard Port
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1571
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4657 object=FirewallRules event\_category=Regi
  stry object\_name="\*ControlSet\*FirewallPolicy\FirewallRules" new\_value=\*
  -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | norm on new\_value <:all>Action=<action:word><:
  all>Active=<active:word><:all>Dir=<direction:word><:all>Protocol=<proto:
  int><:all>Port=<port:int><:all>Name=<rule:string><:'\|'> | process eval(
  "protocol = if(proto == 6) {return 'TCP'} else {return 'UDP'}")

## New RUN Key Pointing to Suspicious Folder Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** A new suspicious RUN key element pointing to an executable in a folder is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, Registry Run Kevs/Startup Folder
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1547, T1547.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\RunOnce\\*"] deta
  il IN ["\*C:\Windows\Temp\\*", "\*\AppData\\*", "%AppData\\\*", "\*C:\\$Recycle

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.bin\*", "*C:\Temp\*", "*C:\Users\Public\*", "%Public%\*", "*C:\Users\De
fault\*", "*C:\Users\Desktop\*", "wscript*", "cscript*"] -detail IN ["*\
AppData\Local\Microsoft\OneDrive\\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED USERS
```

#### **New Service Creation**

- Trigger Condition: When the creation of a new service is detected.
  Windows Services can allow the creation and management of long-running
  processes. It can start automatically and keep running for a long time after
  the user logs off. Adversaries might leverage this functionality to maintain
  persistence and escalate their privilege.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: T1543 Create or Modify System Process (2), T1543.003 Windows Service (2)
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Create" label="Process" "process" IN ["\*sc.exe", "\*powershell.exe
  ", "\*cmd.exe"] command IN ["\*New-Service\*BinaryPathName\*", "\*sc\*create\*b
  inpath\*", "\*Get-WmiObject\*Win32\_Service\*create\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USER

#### Non Interactive PowerShell Execution

- Trigger Condition: Non-interactive Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell activity by looking at powershell.exe with no explorer.exe as a parent.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\powershell.exe" -parent\_Image=
  "\*\explorer.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### NoPowerShell Tool Activity Detected

- Trigger Condition: Execution of NoCommand and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell tool.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Shared Modules
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1129
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 -file in ["\*cscript.exe.log", "\*wscript.exe.log", "\*wmic.exe.log", "\*mshta.exe.log", "\*svchost.exe.log", "\*regsvr32.exe.log", "\*rundll32.exe.log"] file="\*.exe.log" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## NotPetya Ransomware Activity Detected

- Trigger Condition: NotPetya ransomware activity in which the extracted passwords are passed back to the main module via named pipe is detected. The file system journal of drive C is deleted, and window event logs are cleared using wevtutil.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32, Indicator Removal on Host
- ATT&CK ID: T1218, T1218.011, T1070
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (command="\*\AppData\Local\Temp\\* \.\pip e\\*" OR (image="\*\rundll32.exe" command="\*.dat, #1")) -user IN EXCLUDED\_ USERS

## OceanLotus Registry Activity Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Creation of registry keys in OceanLotus attacks, which is also known as APT32.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["HKCR\CLSID\{E08A0F4B-1F65-4D4D-9A09-BD462 5B9C5A1}\Model", "HKU\\*\_Classes\CLSID\{E08A0F4B-1F65-4D4D-9A09-BD4625B9C 5A1}\Model",
- "\*\SOFTWARE\App\AppXbf13d4ea2945444d8b13e2121cb6b663\Application",
- "\*\SOFTWARE\App\AppXbf13d4ea2945444d8b13e2121cb6b663\DefaultIcon","\*\SOFTWARE\App\AppX70162486c7554f7f80f481985d67586d\Application",
- "\*\SOFTWARE\App\AppX70162486c7554f7f80f481985d67586d\DefaultIcon",
- "\*\SOFTWARE\App\AppX37cc7fdccd644b4f85f4b22d5a3f105a\Application", "\*\SOFTWARE\App\AppX37cc7fdccd644b4f85f4b22d5a3f105a\DefaultIcon",
- "HKU\\*\_Classes\AppXc52346ec40fb4061ad96be0e6cb7d16a\\*", "HKU\\*\_Classes\AppX3bbba44c6cae4d9695755183472171e2\\*",
- "HKU\\* Classes\CLSID\{E3517E26-8E93-458D-A6DF-8030BC80528B}\\*"]
- -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Office365 Multiple Failed Login from Different Host by Single User

- **Trigger Condition:** A user attempts multiple failed logins from distinct hosts with a count greater than one.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access, Persistence, Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access

- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force, Valid Accounts
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1110, T1078
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Office365
- Query:
- norm\_id="Office365" source\_address=\* label=User label=Login label=Fail chart distinct\_count(source\_address) as DC by user | search DC>1

## Office365 Multiple Failed Login from Same Host

- **Trigger Condition:** Multiple failed logins from the same host with a count greater than five.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access, Persistence, Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force, Valid Accounts
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1110, T1078
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Office365
- Query:
- norm\_id="Office365" source\_address=\* label=User label=Login label=Fail | chart count() as"Cnt" by user, source\_address| search Cnt > 5

# Office365 Multiple Successful Login from Different Country by Single User

- **Trigger Condition:** A user attempts multiple failed logins from different countries with a count greater than one.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts
- ATT&CK ID: T1078
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Office365
- Querv:
- norm\_id="Office365" label=User label=login label=Successful source\_addre ss=\* | process geoip(source\_address) as country | chart distinct\_count(country) as DC by user | search DC >1

# Office365 Multiple Successful Login From Different Host by Single User

- **Trigger Condition:** A user attempts multiple successful logins from a distinct host with a count greater than one.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts
- ATT&CK ID: T1078
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Office365

- Query:
- norm\_id="Office365" label=User label=login label=Successful source\_addre ss=\* | chart distinct\_count(source\_address) as DC by user | search DC >1

#### Office365 Password Resets

- Trigger Condition: A user's password is reset.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation
- ATT&CK ID: T1098
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Office365
- Query:
- norm\_id="Office365" label=Password label=Reset user=\*

## OpenWith Execution of Specified Binary Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The execution of *OpenWith.exe* is detected as a specified binary. It characterized as a malicious activity when executed from a location other than *C:WindowsSystem32\** path.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- ATT&CK ID: T1218
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\OpenWith.exe" command="\*/c\*" user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Possible Operation Wocao Activity Detected

- Trigger Condition: Activity mentioned in Operation Wocao report is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution, Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Obfuscated Files or Information, Masquerade Task or Service, Masquerading, Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1211, T1012, T1036, T1036.004, T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4799 group="Administrators" "process"="\*\checkadmin.exe") OR (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*checkadmin.exe 127.0.0.1 -all\*", "\*netsh advfirewall firewall add rule name=powershell dir=in\*", "\*cmd /c powershell.exe -ep bypass -file c:\s.ps1\*", "\*/tn win32times /f\*", "\*create win32times binPath=\*", "\*\c\$\windows\system32\devmgr.dll\*", "\* -exec bypass -enc JgAg\*", "\*type \*keepass\KeePass.config.xml\*", "\*iie.exe iie.txt\*", "\*reg query HKEY\_CURRENT\_USER\Software\\\*\PuTTY\Sessions\\\*"])) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Pandemic Registry Key Detected

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects pandemic Windows implant. It turns file servers into patient zero on a local network, infecting machines requesting files with trojanized replacements.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote File Copy
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1105
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["HKLM\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\services\n ull\Instance\*"]) OR (event\_id=1 command="loaddll -a \*")

## Password Change on DSRM Account Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Password change in Directory Service Restore Mode (DSRM) account is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation
- ATT&CK ID: T1098
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm id=WinServer event id=4794 -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Password Dumper Remote Thread in LSASS

- **Trigger Condition:** Password dumper activity by monitoring remote thread creation event ID 8 in combination with the Isass.exe process as *TargetImage* is detected. The process in the field *Process* is a malicious program and a single execution can lead to hundreds of events.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=8 image="C:\Windows\System32\lsass.exe" start\_module=\* -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Password Spraying Attack Detected

- Trigger Condition: Password spraying attack is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force
- ATT&CK ID: T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows

- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4625 -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | chart distinct\_count(user) as UserCount, distinct\_list(user) as Users by source\_address | search UserCount > 5

## Persistence and Execution at Scale via GPO Scheduled Task

- Trigger Condition: Lateral movement using GPO scheduled task used to deploy ransomware at scale is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Lateral Movement, Execution, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5145 share\_name="\\*\SYSVOL" relative\_target="
   \*ScheduledTasks.xml" access="\*WriteData\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Petya Affected Hosts

- Trigger Condition: Applications and commands like wevtutil, wmic, rundll, or schtasks are executed for defense evasion. For this alert to work, you must update the list PETYA\_COMMAND.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning, Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Software Discovery, Security Software Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1046, T1211, T1518, T1518.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* event\_id=106 event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-TaskSche duler" task IN PETYA COMMAND -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Petya Compromised Files

- Trigger Condition: A file with IOC's of Petya file digest value is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact, Data Destruction, Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1486, T1485, T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Integrity Scanner
- Query
- norm\_id=IntegrityScanner digest IN PETYA\_DIGEST OR prev\_digest IN PETYA\_ DIGEST path=\*

## Ping Hex IP Detected

- Trigger Condition: Ping command using a hex-encoded IP address is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information, Obfuscated Files or Information
- ATT&CK ID: T1140, T1027
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- · Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*\ping.exe 0x\*", "\*\ping 0 x\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Ping of Death Attack

- Trigger Condition: Datagrams with a size greater than 65536 are received.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service, Direct Network Flood
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label=Receive label=Packet (packet\_length>65536 or fragment\_length>65536
   )

#### Possible Access to ADMIN Share

- Trigger Condition: Access to \$ADMIN share and may help to detect lateral movement attempts. Since Windows Admin Share activity is so common, it provides adversaries with a powerful, discreet way to move laterally within an environment. Self-propagating ransomware and cryptocurrency miners, both rapidly emerging threats, rely on Windows Admin Shares. Suppose an adversary can obtain legitimate Windows credentials. The hidden shares (C\$, ADMIN\$, and IPC\$) can be accessed remotely via server message block (SMB) or the Net utility to transfer files and execute code. Windows Admin Shares are often used in conjunction with behaviors relating to Remote File Copy (T1105)—because adversaries commonly use the technique to copy files remotely—and Network Share Discovery (T1135). It can also occur with New Service (T1050) and Service Execution (T1035) because tools like PsExec deploys their receiver executable to admin shares, scheduling a service to execute it. Legitimate administrative activities may generate false positives and will require whitelisting.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5140 share\_name="Admin\$" -user="\*\$" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Possible Account Misuse-Abnormal Login

- Trigger Condition: Admin is logged in or running an application beyond regular office hours is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Privilege Escalation, Defense Evasion, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts
- ATT&CK ID: T1078
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- (label=User label=Login label=Successful user in ADMINS ((day\_of\_week(log\_ts) IN ["Monday", "Tuesday", "Wednesday", "Thursday", "Friday"]) and (hour(log\_ts)<9 or hour(log\_ts)>17)) or (day\_of\_week(log\_ts) IN ["Saturday", "Sunday"])) or (label=User label=Login label=Successful sub\_status\_code="0xC000006F") user=\* (workstation=\* or source\_address=\*)

## Possible Account Misuse-Privilege Escalation

- **Trigger Condition:** The non-admin users are assigned privileged access. The event maps to event ID of 4648 and 4672 in Windows.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation, Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Account Control
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- ((label=Privilege label=Assign) or (label=Login label=Explicit label=Cre dential) user=\* -user in ADMINS) OR (label=User label=Add label=Group us er=\* group=\*admin\*)

## Possible Applocker Bypass Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The execution of executables like msdt, installutil, regsvcs, regasm or msbuild.ieexec is detected, which is used to bypass Applocker whitelisting is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Mshta, InstallUtil, Regsvcs/Regasm, Trusted Developer Utilities, MSBuild
- ATT&CK ID: T1218, T1218.004, T1218.009, T1127, T1218.005, T1127.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Create" label="Process" command IN ["\*\msdt.exe\*", "\*\installutil .exe\*", "\*\regsvcs.exe\*", "\*\regasm.exe\*", "\*\msbuild.exe\*", "\*\ieexec.e xe\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Possible Bitsadmin Download Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The use of *bitsadmin* downloading a file is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: BITS Jobs
- ATT&CK ID: T1197
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create ("process"="\*\bitsadmin.exe" (command IN [
  "\* /create \*","\* /addfile \*"] command="\*http\*") OR (command="\* /transfer
  \*")) OR (command="\*copy bitsadmin.exe\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Possible Botnet Connection-DNS Server Modified

- Trigger Condition: An unauthorized default Application Layer Protocol and DNS server modification are detected in Unix or Windows Server.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact, Command and Control, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service, Proxy, Exploitation for Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK ID: T1498, T1090, T1211
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=Unix action="RUN" (file="etc/resolv.conf" or file="\*\etc\host")) or (norm\_id=WinServer\* (label=File (label=Write or label=Modify) path ="C:\Windows\System32\Drivers\etc" object="hosts") or (label=DNS label=U pdate (label=Successful or label=Request OR label=Fail)) (host=\* or sour ce\_address=\*))) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Possible Botnet Connection-IRC Port

- **Trigger Condition:** The connection through the IRC port is detected. For this alert to work, you must update the list IRC\_PORTS, including commonly used ports 6660 to 6669 and 6700.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Webserver
- Query:
- source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* destination\_port in IRC\_PORTS

#### Possible Botnet Connection-Outbound DDOS

- Trigger Condition: Multiple hosts connecting to the same destination address is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact, Command and Control, Defense Evasion

- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service, Proxy, Exploitation for Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK ID: T1498, T1090, T1211
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- label=Connection source\_address in HOMENET destination\_address=\* | chart distinct\_count(source\_address) as source by destination\_address| search source>100

## Possible Botnet Connection-Outbound Spam

- **Trigger Condition:** An unauthorized email sent through an open relay is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control, Defense Evasion, Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy, Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Network Denial of Service
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1090, T1211, T1498
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- (source\_address=\* or host=\* method="HELO" or method="EHLO") or (label=Co nnection destination\_port="25" source\_address=\* or host=\*) | search -sou rce address IN MAIL SERVER IP

## Possible CLR DLL Loaded Via Office Applications

- Trigger Condition: CLR DLL is loaded by an Office Product like WinWord, PowerPoint Excel, or Outlook.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Phishing, Spearphishing Attachment
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1566, T1566.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 source\_image IN ["\*\winword.exe", "\*\po werpnt.exe", "\*\excel.exe", "\*\outlook.exe"] image IN ["\*\clr.dll\*"] -us er IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Possible Credential Dump-Tools Named Pipes Detected

- Trigger Condition: A well-known credential dumping tool execution via specifically named pipes like Isadump, cachedump, or wceservicepipe is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=17 pipe IN ["\*\lsadump\*", "\*\cachedump\*", "\*\wceservicepipe\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Possible Data Breach

- Trigger Condition: Unauthorized transfer of sensitive data is detected using mail applications, cloud applications, or other sources. For the alert to work, you must update the lists RESIGNED\_EMPLOYEES, KNOWN DOMAINS, and CLOUD APPLICATIONS.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration Over Web Service, Exfiltration to Cloud Storage
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1567, T1567.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- (label=Mail object="\*attachment\*" sender in RESIGNED\_EMPLOYEES -receiver in KNOWN\_DOMAINS) or (label=Object label=Access (label=Write or label=Modify) event\_category="\*Removable\*" user in RESIGNED\_EMPLOYEES) or (label=Access label=Object (label=Write or label=Modify) path IN CLOUD\_APPLICA TIONS user in RESIGNED\_EMPLOYEES) or (label=Data label=Transfer label=Se nsitive source\_address=\* destination\_address=\*)

#### Possible Data Breach-Off Hour Transfer

- Trigger Condition: Unauthorized transfer of sensitive data during off-hours is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- (norm\_id=\*Firewall or norm\_id=\*IDS\*) label=Connection source\_address=\* d estination\_address=\* destination\_port=\* sent\_datasize=\* ((day\_of\_week(lo g\_ts) IN ["Monday", "Tuesday", "Wednesday", "Thursday", "Friday"]) and (hour(log\_ts)<9 or hour(log\_ts)>17)) or (day\_of\_week(log\_ts) IN ["Saturda y", "Sunday"]) | chart sum((sent\_datasize)/1024/1024) as TotalSentMB by user | search TotalSentMB>20

#### Possible DDOS Attack

- **Trigger Condition:** A considerable number of inbound traffic within a short period is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application, Network Denial of Service
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1190, T1498
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:

label=Deny ((protocol=icmp or application="icmp" or service=icmp) or (protocol=http or protocol=https) or (protocol=udp) or 'dns reply' or 'SYN') source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* chart count(source\_address) as ddos source by destination address| search ddos source>2000

## Possible Detection of SafetyKatz

- **Trigger Condition:** SafetyKatz behavior where a temp file *debug.bin* is created in *temp* folder to dump credentials using *Isass*.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping, LSASS Memory
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1003, T1003.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 path="\*\Temp" file="debug.bin" -user I
   N EXCLUDED USERS

## Possible DNS Rebinding Detected

- Trigger Condition: Different DNS answers by one domain with IPs from internal and external networks are detected. Typically, DNS-answer contains TTL greater than 100. Application Layer Protocol and DNS-record are saved in the host cache during TTL.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- event\_id=22 query="\*" status\_code="0" query\_result IN ["(::ffff:)?10.\*",
   "(::ffff:)?192.168.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.16.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.17.\*", "(::f
   fff:)?172.18.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.19.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.20.\*", "(::ffff:)?
   172.21.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.22.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.23.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.24
   .\*", "(::ffff:)?172.25.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.26.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.27.\*", "
   (::ffff:)?172.28.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.29.\*", "(::ffff:)?172.30.\*", "(::fff
   f:)?172.31.\*", "(::ffff:)?127.\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | chart count(
   QueryName) as val by host | search val > 3

#### Possible DoS Attack

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects DOS attack.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application, Network Denial of Service, Endpoint Denial of Service
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1190, T1498, T1499
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- label=Dos label=Attack source address=\* destination address=\*

## Possible Empire Monkey Detected

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects EmpireMonkey APT reported activity involving exploitation of scrobj.dll file using cutil or regsvr32.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command="\*/i:%APPDATA%\logs.txt scrobj.
  dll" (image IN ["\*\cutil.exe"] OR message IN ["Microsoft(C) Registerserv
  er"]) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Possible Executable Used by PlugX in Uncommon Location

- **Trigger Condition:** The execution of an executable used by PlugX for DLL side loading initated from an exotic location.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Hijack Execution Flow, DLL Side-Loading
- ATT&CK ID: T1574, T1574.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 ((image="\*\CamMute.exe" -image="\*\Lenov o\Communication Utility\\*") OR (image="\*\chrome\_frame\_helper.exe" -image = "\*\Google\Chrome\application\\*") OR (image="\*\dvcemumanager.exe" -image = "\*\Microsoft Device Emulator\\*") OR (image="\*\Gadget.exe" -image="\*\Windows Media Player\\*") OR (image="\*\hcc.exe" -image="\*\HTML Help Workshop \\*") OR (image="\*\hkcmd.exe" -image IN ["\*\System32\\*", "\*\SysNative\\*", "\*\SysWowo64\\*"]) OR (image="\*\Mc.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Visual St udio\*", "\*\Microsoft SDK\*", "\*\Windows Kit\*"]) OR (image="\*\MsMpEng.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Security Client\\*", "\*\Windows Defender\\*", "\*\A ntiMalware\\*"]) OR (image="\*\msseces.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Security Ess entials\\*"]) OR (image="\*\OInfoP11.exe" -image="\*\Common Files\Microsoft Shared\\*") OR (image="\*\Oleview.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Visual Studio\*", "\*\Microsoft SDK\*", "\*\Windows Kit\*", "\*\Windows Resource Kit\\*"]) OR (image="\*\rc.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Visual Studio\*", "\*\Microsoft SDK\*", "\*\Windows Resource Kit\\*"]) OR (image="\*\rc.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Visual Studio\*", "\*\Microsoft SDK\*", "\*\Windows Kit\*", "\*\Windows Resource Kit\\*"]) OR (image="\*\rc.exe" -image IN ["\*\Microsoft Visual Studio\*", "\*\Microsoft SDK\*", "\*\Windows Resource Kit\\*"])

## Possible Exploitation for CVE-2015-1641 Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Winword starting uncommon subprocess *MicroScMgmt.exe* used in exploits for CVE-2015-1641 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion

- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\WINWORD.EXE" image="\*\MicroScMgmt.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Possible Hijack of Legit RDP Session to Move Laterally

- **Trigger Condition:** The use of *tsclient* share to place a backdoor on the RDP source machine's startup folder is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Lateral Movement, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Service Session Hijacking, RDP Hijacking, Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, Registry Run Keys/Startup Folder
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1563, T1563.002, T1547, T1547.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 image="\*\mstsc.exe" file="\*\Microsoft\Windows\Start Menu\Programs\Startup\\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Possible Impacket Lateralization Detected

- Trigger Condition: wmiexec/dcomexec/atexec/smbexec from the Impacket framework is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation, Inter-Process Communication, Inter-Process Communication, Component Object Model and Distributed COM
- ATT&CK ID: T1047, T1021, T1021.003, T1559, T1559.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 ((parent\_image IN ["\*\wmiprvse.exe", "\*\mmc.exe", "\*\explorer.exe", "\*\services.exe"] command IN ["\*cmd.exe\* /Q /c \* \\127.0.0.1\\*&1\*"]) OR (parent\_command IN ["\*svchost.exe -k netsvcs ", "taskeng.exe\*"] command IN ["cmd.exe /C \*Windows\Temp\\*&1"])) -user I N EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Possible Impacket SecretDump Remote Activity

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects share\_nameAD credential dumping using impacket secretdump HKTL.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5145 share\_name="\\*\ADMIN\$" relative\_target="
 SYSTEM32\\*.tmp" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Possible Inbound Spamming Detected

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects possible inbound spam.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Mail Server
- Query:
- (sender=\* receiver=\* -sender in KNOWN\_DOMAINS) | chart distinct\_count(re ceiver) as spam\_receiver by sender | search spam\_receiver>100

#### Possible Insider Threat

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects alerts like privilege escalation, unauthorized access, and data breach for the same user.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Logpoint
- Query:
- event\_type="Possible Insider Threat" incident\_user=\* -incident\_user in E
   XCLUDED\_USERS| rename incident\_user as user | chart distinct\_count(incid ent\_name) as AlertCount by user | search AlertCount>2

#### Possible Land Attack

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects a Cisco land-attack with event ID 106017.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service
- ATT&CK ID: T1498
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- event id=106017 label=Connection label=Attack label=Deny

# Possible Malicious Payload Download via Office Binaries Detected

- Trigger Condition: A payload is downloaded from a remote server with HTTP command using Microsoft Office applications such as PowerPoint, Word and Excel in a compromised system is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control

- ATT&CK Tag: Ingress Tool Transfer
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1105
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create "process" IN ["\*\powerpnt.exe", "\*\winword. exe", "\*\excel.exe"] command="\*http\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Possible Malware Detected

- Trigger Condition: A file or software is detected as worm, virus, trojan, or malware.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Antivirus
- Query:
- (label=Malware or label=Threat or label=Virus or label=Quarantine or label=Risk) (malware=\* OR risk=\* OR virus=\*) (file=\* or application=\* or ur l=\*)

# Possible Modification of Boot Configuration

- Trigger Condition: When the use of the bcdedit command to delete or modify Boot Configuration Data is detected. Boot Configuration Data (BCD) files provide a store that describes boot applications and application settings. Boot configuration data edit (bcdedit) allows manipulating BCD. This tactic is used by malware or attackers as a destructive technique to prevent system recovery. Legitimate usage can trigger this alert. We recommend including the legitimate user in the EXCLUDED\_USERS list.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact, Defense Evasion, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Inhibit System Recovery, Pre-OS Boot, Bootkit
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1490, T1542, T1542.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 ((image="\*\bcdedit.exe" command IN ["\*d elete\*", "\*import\*", "set"]) OR ((command="\*bootstatuspolicy\*" command="\* ignoreallfailures\*") OR (command="\*recoveryenabled\*" command="\*no\*"))) user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Possible Outbound Spamming Detected

- Trigger Condition: An outbound spamming is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Mail Server

- Query:
- (sender=\* receiver=\* -receiver in KNOWN\_DOMAINS sender in KNOWN\_DOMAINS)
   | chart distinct\_count(receiver) as spam\_receiver by sender | search spam receiver>100

## Possible Pass the Hash Activity Detected

- Trigger Condition: When the attack technique passes the hash, which is
  used to move laterally inside the network. Pass the hash is a method of
  authenticating to a system using a password hash rather than the actual
  password. Adversaries may use this technique to gain unauthorized access
  to a system, bypassing normal authentication controls. Pass the hash
  attacks can be challenging to detect and prevent, as they do not involve
  using a clear-text password.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Use Alternate Authentication Material, Pass the Hash
- ATT&CK ID: T1550, T1550.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4624 ((caller\_id="S-1-0-0" logon\_type="3" log on\_process="NtLmSsp" key\_length="0") OR (logon\_type="9" logon\_process="s eclogo")) -user="ANONYMOUS LOGON" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Possible Privilege Escalation via Weak Service Permissions

- Trigger Condition: The sc.exe utility spawning by a user with medium integrity level to change the service ImagePath or FailureCommand is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Access Token Manipulation
- ATT&CK ID: T1134
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\sc.exe" integrity\_level="Mediu m" command IN ["\*config\*", "\*binPath\*", "\*failure\*", "\*command\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Possible Process Hollowing Image Loading

- **Trigger Condition:** Loading of samlib.dll or WinSCard.dll from untypical process is detected. For example, through process hollowing by Mimikatz.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Hijack Execution Flow, DLL Side-Loading, Process Injection, Process Hollowing

- **ATT&CK ID:** T1574, T1574.002, T1055, T1055.012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 source\_image IN ["\*\notepad.exe"] image IN ["\*\samlib.dll", "\*\WinSCard.dll"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Possible SPN Enumeration Detected

- Trigger Condition: Service Principal Name Enumeration used for Steal or Forge Kerberos Tickets and Kerberoasting is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Steal or Forge Kerberos Tickets, Kerberoasting
- ATT&CK ID: T1558, T1558.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command="\*-q\*" (image="\*\setspn.exe" OR message="\*Query or reset the computer\* SPN attribute\*") -user IN EXCLUDE D USERS

# Possible SquiblyTwo Detected

- Trigger Condition: WMI SquiblyTwo Attack with possible renamed WMI seeking for imphash is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation, Visual Basic, JavaScript, XSL Script Processing
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1047, T1059.005, T1059.007, T1220
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 file="wmic.exe" hash\_imphash IN ["1B1A3 F43BF37B5BFE60751F2EE2F326E", "37777A96245A3C74EB217308F3546F4C", "9D87C 9D67CE724033C0B40CC4CA1B206"] command="\*format:\*" command="\*http\*"

## Possible Taskmgr run as LOCAL\_SYSTEM Detected

- Trigger Condition: Creation of a taskmgr.exe process in the context of LOCAL\_SYSTEM is detected. Taskmgr.exe is the executable file for Windows Task Manager.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create "process"="\*\taskmgr.exe" user in ["\*AUTHOR I\*", "\*AUTORI\*"]

# Potential RDP Exploit CVE-2019-0708 Detected

- Trigger Condition: An error on protocol RDP potential CVE-2019-0708 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation of Remote Services, Exploit Public-Facing Application
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1210, T1190
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN ["56", "50"] event\_source="TermDD" -user I N EXCLUDED USERS

# Powershell AMSI Bypass via dotNET Reflection

- Trigger Condition: Request to amsilnitFailed used to disable AMSI Scanning is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*System.Management.Automat ion.AmsiUtils\*"] command IN ["\*amsiInitFailed\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### PowerShell Base64 Encoded Shellcode Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Base64 encoded shellcode is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command="\*AAAAYInlM\*" command IN ["\*0iC AAAAYInlM\*", "\*0iJAAAAYInlM\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### PowerShell Network Connections Detected

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects a Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell process that opens network connections. We recommend you check suspicious target ports and systems, and adjust them according to your environment. For example, extend filters with the company's IP range.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell

- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 image="\*\powershell.exe" initiated="tru e" -destination\_address IN HOMENET -user="NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### PowerShell Profile Modification

- **Trigger Condition:** Modification of Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell profile is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, Event Triggered Execution, PowerShell Profile, Powershell
- ATT&CK ID: T1546, T1546.013, T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4103 command in ["Write-Output", "Add-Content"] payload= "\*powershell\_profile\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### PowerShell Rundll32 Remote Thread Creation Detected

- Trigger Condition: Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell remote thread creation in Signed Binary Proxy Execution and Rundll32.exe is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32, Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1218, T1218.011, T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=8 source\_image="\*\powershell.exe" image="
   \*\rundll32.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## PowerShell Script Run in AppData Detected

- Trigger Condition: A suspicious command line execution that invokes Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell concerning an AppData folder is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\* /c powershell\*\AppData\L ocal\\*", "\* /c powershell\*\AppData\Roaming\\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## PowerShell Version Downgrade Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The execution of Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell v2 is detected. We recommend you avoid PowerShell v2 as it offers zero-logging. PowerShell v5.x or higher offers better login.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=400 host\_version="2.0" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USER

## Process Dump via Comsvcs DLL Detected

- Trigger Condition: Process memory dump via comsvcs.dll and rundll32 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*\rundl132.exe" OR file="RUNDLL 32.EXE") command IN ["\*comsvcs\*MiniDump\*full\*", "\*comsvcs\*MiniDumpW\*full \*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Process Dump via Rundll32 and Comsvcs Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Process memory dump performed via ordinal function 24 in *comsvcs.dll* is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading, OS Credential Dumping, LSASS Memory
- ATT&CK ID: T1036, T1003, T1003.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*comsvcs.dll, #24\*", "\*comsvcs.dll, MiniDump\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## **Process Hollowing Detected**

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries attempt to inject malicious code into suspended and hollowed processes to evade process-based defenses.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection, Process Hollowing
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1055, T1055.012

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*smss.exe" parent\_command!="\*sm ss.exe") or (image="\*csrss.exe" (parent\_command!="\*smss.exe" and parent\_command!="\*svchost.exe")) or (image="\*wininit.exe" parent\_command!="\*smss.exe") or (image="\*winlogon.exe" parent\_command!="\*smss.exe") or (image="\*logonUI.exe" (parent\_command!="\*winlogon.exe" and parent\_command!="\*wininit.exe")) or (image="\*services.exe" parent\_command!="\*wininit.exe") or (image="\*spool sv.exe" parent\_command!="\*services.exe") or (image="\*taskhost.exe" (parent\_command!="\*services.exe") or (image="\*svchost.exe")) or (image="\*svchost.exe")) or (image="\*svchost.exe")) or (image="\*svchost.exe")) or (image="\*services.exe" and parent\_command!="\*svchost.exe")) or (image="\*userinit.exe" (parent\_command!="\*dwm.exe" and parent\_command!="\*dwm.exe"

## **Process Injection Detected**

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries inject code into processes to evade process-based defenses and possibly elevate privileges using commands like Invoke-DllInjection.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- ATT&CK ID: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (command="\*Invoke-DllInjection\*" or command="\*C:\windows\sysnative\\*") -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Protected Storage Service Access Detected

- Trigger Condition: An access to a protected\_storage service over the network is detected. The potential abuse of DPAPI to extract domain backup keys from Domain Controllers.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5145 share\_name="\*IPC\*" relative\_target="protected\_storage" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Prowli Malware Affected Host

- **Trigger Condition:** Widows Server is affected by Prowli malware.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm id=Winserver\* hash in PROWLI FILE host=\*

#### Prowli Malware Connection to Malicious Destination

- Trigger Condition: An outbound connection to Prowli Malware sources is established by hosts.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- (source\_address=\* OR destination\_address=\*) destination\_address in PROWL
   I\_IP | process dns(source\_address) as host | process geoip(destination\_a ddress) as country

#### Prowli Malware Emails Sent to Attacker

- **Trigger Condition:** An email is sent to Prowli Malware listed emails.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration, Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration Over C2 Channel, Email Collection
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1041, T1114
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Mail Server
- Querv:
- sender=\* receiver=\* receiver in PROWLI\_EMAIL (host=\* OR source\_host=\*) rename source host as host

#### PsExec Tool Execution Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** PsExec service installation and execution event (Service and Sysmon) is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: System Services, Service Execution
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1569, T1569.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WinServer service="PSEXESVC" event\_id IN [7045, 7036]) OR (nor m\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 "process"="\*\PSEXESVC.exe" user="\*SYSTEM\*"
  )) -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Psr Capture Screenshots Detected

• **Trigger Condition:** The *psr.exe* captures desktop screenshots and saves them in a local machine.

- ATT&CK Category: Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Screen Capture
- ATT&CK ID: T1113
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\Psr.exe" command="\*/start\*" -u
  ser IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Pulse Secure Arbitrary File Reading Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The exploitation of arbitrary file reading vulnerability (CVE-2019-11510) in Pulse Secure is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: External Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1113
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Querv:
- norm\_id=\* url IN ['\*dana\*guacamole\*', '\*lmdb\*data.mdb\*', '\*data\*mtmp/system\*']

## **QBot Process Creation Detected**

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects QBot like process execution of wscript or use of commands to manipulate program data or ping local host.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, Visual Basic
- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1059.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 ((parent\_image="\*\WinRAR.exe" image="\*\Wscript.exe") OR command="\* /c ping.exe -n 6 127.0.0.1 & type \*" OR (command="\*regsvr32.exe\*" command="\*C:\ProgramData\*" command="\*.tmp\*")) -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## QuarksPwDump Clearing Access History Detected

- Trigger Condition: QuarksPwDump clearing access history in hive is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping, NTDS, Valid Accounts, Local Accounts
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1003, T1003.003, T1078, T1078.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=16 hive="\*\AppData\Local\Temp\SAM\*" hive="\*.d
   mp" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## QuarksPwDump Dump File Detected

- Trigger Condition: A dump file written by QuarksPwDump password dumper is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping, Security Account Manager
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1003, T1003.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=11 file="\*\AppData\Local\Temp\SAM-\*.dmp\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USE

## Query Registry Network

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries use *reg.exe* component for network connection and interact with the Windows Registry to gather information about the system, configuration, and installed software.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Query Registry
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 image="\*reg.exe" command="\*reg query\*"
   -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

### Rare Scheduled Task Creations Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Rare scheduled task creations are detected. A software gets installed on multiple systems. The aggregation and count function selects tasks with rare names.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id="106" | chart count() as val by task | se arch val < 5</li>

# RDP Login from Localhost Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** RDP login with a localhost source address that may be a tunneled login is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, Remote Desktop Protocol
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1021, T1021.001

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4624 logon\_type="10" source\_address IN ["::1", "127.0.0.1"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### RDP Over Reverse SSH Tunnel Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** *svchost* hosting RDP *termsvcs* communicating with the loopback address and on TCP port 3389 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, Remote Desktop Protocol
- ATT&CK ID: T1021, T1021.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 image="\*\svchost.exe" initiated="true" source\_port="3389" destination\_address IN ["127.\*", "::1"] -user IN EXCL UDED USERS

#### RDP over Reverse SSH Tunnel WFP

- **Trigger Condition:** svchost hosting RDP termsvcs communicating with the loopback address is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control, Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, Remote Desktop Protocol, Proxy
- ATT&CK ID: T1021, T1021.001, T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5156 ((source\_port="3389" destination\_address IN ["127.\*", "::1"]) OR (destination\_port="3389" source\_address IN ["127.\*", "::1"])) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# RDP Registry Modification

- Trigger Condition: Potential malicious modification of the property value of fDenyTS Connections and UserAuthentication to enable remote desktop connections is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\CurrentControlSet \Control\Terminal Server\WinStations\RDP-Tcp\UserAuthentication", "\*\CurrentControlSet\Control\Terminal Server\fDenyTSConnections"] details="DWO RD (0x00000000)" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## RDP Sensitive Settings Changed

- Trigger Condition: Changes to RDP terminal service sensitive settings are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\services\TermService\Parameters\Service D11\*", "\*\Control\Terminal Server\fSingleSessionPerUser\*", "\*\Control\Terminal Server\fDenyTSConnections\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Reconnaissance Activity with Net Command

- Trigger Condition: A set of commands often used in recon stages by different attack groups to discover the victim's information, systems, or network are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery, Reconnaissance
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Discovery, System Information Discovery, Gather Victim Host Information, Gather Victim Identity Information
- ATT&CK ID: T1087, T1082, T1589, T1592
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["tasklist", "net time", "sy steminfo", "whoami", "nbtstat", "net start", "\*\net1 start", "qprocess", "nslookup", "hostname.exe", "\*\net1 user /domain", "\*\net1 group /domain ", "\*\net1 group \*domain admins\* /domain", "\*\net1 group \*Exchange Trust ed Subsystem\* /domain", "\*\net1 accounts /domain", "\*\net1 user net loca lgroup administrators", "netstat -an"]
- -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | chart count() as val by command | search val >

#### RedSocks Backdoor Connection

- Trigger Condition: A backdoor event is detected. Adversaries develop malware and malware components as backdoors, which are used during targeting.
- ATT&CK Category: Resource Development
- ATT&CK Tag: Develop Capabilities, Malware
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1587, T1587.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Query:
- norm\_id=RedSocks description="\*backdoor\*" | process geoip(destination\_ad dress) as country

## RedSocks Bad Neighborhood Detection

- Trigger Condition: A bad neighborhood is detected where adversaries use a connection proxy to direct network traffic between systems or act as an intermediary for network communications to a Command and Control server to avoid direct connections to their infrastructure.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: ProxyATT&CK ID: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Query:
- norm\_id=RedSocks category="bad hood" | process geoip(destination\_address)
   as country

#### RedSocks Blacklist URL Detection

- Trigger Condition: Blacklist URLs are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Query:
- norm\_id=RedSocks category="URL blacklist" | process geoip(destination\_ad dress) as country

### RedSocks FileSharing

- **Trigger Condition:** Filesharing using an alternate platform like 4Shared, FileHippo, Torrent, Picofile, or WeTransfer is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration over Alternative Protocol
- ATT&CK ID: T1048
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Query:
- norm\_id=RedSocks category="Filesharing" description in ["\*4share\*","\*tor rent\*","\*FileHippo\*","\*picofile\*","\*wetransfer\*"]| process geoip(destin ation\_address) as country

#### RedSocks Ransomware Connection

- **Trigger Condition:** A ransomware event is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Disk Wipe, Disk Content Wipe, Data Encrypted for Impact, Data Destruction, Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1561, T1561.001, T1486, T1485, T1090

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Query:
- norm\_id=RedSocks description="\*ransomware\*" | process geoip(destination\_address) as country

## RedSocks Sinkhole Detection

- Trigger Condition: Sinkhole is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Querv:
- norm\_id=RedSocks category="Sinkhole" | process geoip(destination\_address)
   as country

#### RedSocks Tor Connection

- **Trigger Condition:** A Tor connection is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Query:
- norm\_id=RedSocks category="tor" | process geoip(destination\_address) as country

### RedSocks Trojan Connection

- Trigger Condition: A trojan event is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Redsocks
- Querv:
- norm\_id=RedSocks description="\*trojan\*" | process geoip(destination\_addr ess) as country

## Register new Logon Process by Rubeus

- **Trigger Condition:** Potential use of Rubeus via registered new trusted logon process is detected. Adversaries abuse a valid Kerberos ticket-granting ticket (TGT) or sniff network traffic to obtain a ticket-granting service (TGS) ticket that may be vulnerable to Brute Force.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Privilege Escalation

- ATT&CK Tag: Steal or Forge Kerberos Tickets, Kerberoasting
- ATT&CK ID: T1558, T1558.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4611 logon\_process="User32LogonProcesss" -use
   r IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Registry Persistence Mechanisms Detected

- Trigger Condition: Persistence registry keys at the current version folder for registry keys are detected. Adversaries establish persistence and/or elevate privileges by executing malicious content triggered by Image File Execution Options (IFEO) debuggers.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Image File Execution Options Injection
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Image File Execution Options\\*\GlobalFlag", "\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\SilentProcessExit\\*\ReportingMode", "\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\SilentProcessExit\\*\MonitorProcess"] event\_type="SetValue" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Registry Persistence via Explorer Run Key Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Persistence mechanism using a RUN key for Windows Explorer and pointing to a suspicious folder is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, Registry Run Keys/Startup Folder
- ATT&CK ID: T1547, T1547.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=13 target\_object="\*\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Policies\Explorer\Run" detail IN ["C:\Windows\Temp\\*", "C:\ProgramData\\*", "\*\AppData\\*", "C:\\$Recycle.bin\\*", "C:\Temp\\*", "C:\Users\Public\\*", "C:\Users\Default\\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Regsvcs-Regasm Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversary abuses trusted Windows command line utilities *regsvcs* and *regasm* for proxy execution of code.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Regsvcs/Regasm

- ATT&CK ID: T1218, T1218.009
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 (image="\*regsvcs.exe" or image="\*regasm .exe")

#### Remote PowerShell Session

- **Trigger Condition:** Remote Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell sessions by monitoring network outbound connections to ports 5985 or 5986 from network service accounts are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN ["4103", "400"] host="ServerRemoteHost" a pplication="\*wsmprovhost.exe\*") OR (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (im age="\*\wsmprovhost.exe" OR parent\_image="\*\wsmprovhost.exe")) -user IN E XCLUDED\_USERS | rename application as service

## Remote System Discovery

- Trigger Condition: The components like net.exe and ping.exe are used to list other systems by IP address, hostname, or other logical identifiers on a network used for Lateral Movement from the current system.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote System Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1018
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon (image="\*net.exe" or image="\*ping.exe") (command="\*view\*" or command="\*ping\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Renamed Binary Detected

- Trigger Condition: The execution of a renamed binary used by attackers or malware leveraging new Sysmon OriginalFileName datapoint is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create file IN ["cmd.exe", "powershell.exe", "powershell\_ise.exe", "psexec.exe", "psexec.exe", "cscript.exe", "wscript.exe",

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"mshta.exe", "regsvr32.exe", "wmic.exe", "certutil.exe", "rundl132.exe",
"cmstp.exe", "msiexec.exe", "7z.exe", "winrar.exe", "wevtutil.exe", "net
.exe", "net1.exe"] - "process" IN ["*\cmd.exe", "*\powershell.exe", "*\po
wershell_ise.exe", "*\psexec.exe", "*\psexec64.exe", "*\cscript.exe", "*
\wscript.exe", "*\mshta.exe", "*\regsvr32.exe", "*\wmic.exe", "*\certuti
l.exe", "*\rundl132.exe", "*\cmstp.exe", "*\msiexec.exe", "*\7z.exe", "*
\winrar.exe", "*\wevtutil.exe", "*\net1.exe"]
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## Renamed ProcDump Detected

- Trigger Condition: Execution of a renamed ProcDump executable used by attackers or malware.
- ATT&CK Category: ExecutionATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon file="procdump" -image IN ["\*\procdump.exe", "\*\procdump64.exe"]

#### Renamed PsExec Detected

- Trigger Condition: Execution of a renamed PsExec used by attackers or malware.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon message="Execute processes remotely" product="Sysinternals PsExec" -image IN ["\*\PsExec.exe", "\*\PsExec64.exe"]

#### Renamed ZOHO Dctask64 Detected

- Trigger Condition: Renamed dctask64.exe used for process injection, command execution, and process creation with a signed binary by ZOHO Corporation is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- ATT&CK ID: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 hash="6834B1B94E49701D77CCB3C0895E1AFD"
   -image="\*\dctask64.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# REvil-Sodinokibi Ransomware Connection to Malicious Domains

- Trigger Condition: The connection to REvil-Sodinokibi Double Extortion ransomware-related domains is detected. For the alert to work, you must use the list REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_DOMAINS, which includes IOC domains for Sodinokibi ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy
   ATT&CK ID: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Webserver
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* (url=\* OR domain=\*) | process domain(url) as domain | search domain in REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_DOMAINS

# REvil-Sodinokibi Ransomware Connection to Malicious Sources

- Trigger Condition: Hosts establishing an outbound connection to REvil-Sodinokibi Double Extortion ransomware sources are deteted. For the alert to work, you must use the list REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_IPS, which includes IOC IPs for Sodinokibi ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Querv:
- (destination\_address IN REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_IPS OR source\_address IN REVIL\_ RANSOMWARE\_IPS) | process geoip(destination\_address) as country

# REvil-Sodinokibi Ransomware Exploitable Vulnerabilities Detected

- Trigger Condition: Vulnerability management detects the presence of vulnerabilities linked to REvil-Sodinokibi ransomware. For the alert to work, you must use the list REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_CVE, which includes IOC CVE IDs for Sodinokibi ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement cve\_id IN REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_CVE

#### REvil-Sodinokibi Ransomware Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: REvil-Sodinokibi Double Extortion ransomwareinfected host is detected. For the alert to work, you must use the list REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_CVE, which includes IOC for Sodinokibi ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- ATT&CK ID: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- host=\* hash=\* hash IN REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_HASHES

# RobbinHood Ransomware Exploitable Vulnerabilities Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Vulnerability management detects GIGABYTE Drivers Elevation of Privilege Vulnerabilities linked to RobbinHood ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement cve\_id="\*CVE-2018-19320\*"

#### Robbinhood Ransomware Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: RobbinHood ransomware-infected host is detected.
  For the alert to work, you must use the list
  REVIL\_RANSOMWARE\_HASHES, which includes loc CVE IDs for
  Sodinokibi ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- host=\* hash=\* hash IN ROBBINHOOD\_RANSOMWARE\_HASHES

#### Rogue Access Point Detected

- Trigger Condition: Rouge access point is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Software Discovery, Security Software Discovery

- ATT&CK ID: T1211, T1211, T1518, T1518.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS (ArubaOS, Cisco Controller)
- Query:
- label=Accesspoint label=Rogue -label=Clear access\_point=\*

#### RSA SecurID Account Lockout

- **Trigger Condition:** User's account is locked after entering the wrong passcode multiple times in a row.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force
- ATT&CK ID: T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: RSA Secure ID
- Query:
- norm\_id=RSA\_SecurID type=Runtime action=AUTHN\_LOCKOUT\_EVENT

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- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force
- ATT&CK ID: T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: RSA Secure ID
- Querv:
- norm id=RSA SecurID type=Runtime action=AUTHN LOCKOUT EVENT

#### Rubeus Hack Tool Detected

- Trigger Condition: The Command line parameters like asreproast, dump, impersonate user, harvest, and other commands used by the Rubeus hack tool are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\* asreproast \*", "\* dump / service:krbtgt \*", "\* kerberoast \*", "\* createnetonly /program:\*", "\* pt t /ticket:\*", "\* /impersonateuser:\*", "\* renew /ticket:\*", "\* asktgt /us er:\*", "\* harvest /interval:\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Run PowerShell Script from ADS Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** PowerShell script execution from Alternate Data Stream (ADS) is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Hide Artifacts, NTFS File Attributes
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1564, T1564.004
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\powershell.exe" image="
   \*\powershell.exe" command="\*Get-Content\*" command="\*-Stream\*" -user IN E
   XCLUDED USERS

#### Rundll32 Internet Connection Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** *rundll32* that communicates with public IP addresses are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1218, T1218.011
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 image="\*\rundl132.exe" initiated="true"
   -destination\_address IN HOMENET -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Ryuk Ransomware Affected Host

- Trigger Condition: Ryuk Ransomware infects a host. The alert uses the RYUK\_RANSOMWARE\_HASH list to compare hash, pre-digest value, or digest in the logs.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- hash IN RYUK\_RANSOMWARE\_HASH OR pre\_digest IN RYUK\_RANSOMWARE\_HASH OR digest I N RYUK RANSOMWARE HASH host=\* | rename object as file

## SAM Registry Hive Dump via Reg Utility

- Trigger Condition: Handle to SAM registry hive via reg utility is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Query Registry
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4656 object\_type="Key" object\_name="\*\SAM" "process "="\*\reg.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## SAM Registry Hive Handle Request Detected

- Trigger Condition: Request to SAM registry hive is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Query Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4656 object\_type="Key" object\_name="\*\SAM" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Scheduled Task Creation Detected

- Trigger Condition: The use of schtasks for the creation of scheduled tasks in a user session is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\schtasks.exe" command="\* /create \*" user="NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### SCM Database Handle Failure Detected

- Trigger Condition: Non-system user fails to get a handle of the SCM database.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Endpoint Denial of Service
- ATT&CK ID: T1499
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4656 object\_type="SC\_MANAGER OBJECT" object\_name="s ervicesactive" event\_type="Audit Failure" logon\_id="0x3e4" -user IN EXCLUDED\_U SERS

# SCM Database Privileged Operation Detected

- Trigger Condition: Non-system user performs privileged operation on the SCM database.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Account Control
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1548, T1548.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4674 object\_type="SC\_MANAGER OBJECT" object\_name="s ervicesactive" privilege="SeTakeOwnershipPrivilege" logon\_id="0x3e4" -user IN E XCLUDED USERS

#### Screensaver Activities Detected

- Trigger Condition: Adversaries use screensaver executable to establish persistence by executing malicious content triggered by user inactivity.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Screensaver
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon (event\_id=12 or event\_id=13 or event\_id=14) (target\_object="\*\Control Panel\Desktop\SCRNSAVE.exe") (parent\_command!="\*explorer.exe" or image!="\*rundll32.exe" or command!="\*shell32.dll, Control\_RunDLL desk.cpl, ScreenSaver, \*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Secure Deletion with SDelete

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects renaming of a file while deletion with SDelete tool.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Indicator Removal on Host, File Deletion, Obfuscated Files or Information, Indicator Removal from Tools, Data Destruction, Subvert Trust Controls, Code Signing
- ATT&CK ID: T1070, T1070.004, T1027, T1027.005, T1485, T1553, T1553.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN ["4656", "4663", "4658"] object\_name IN ["\*.AAA", "\*.ZZZ"] -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

### SecurityXploded Tool Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of the SecurityXploded tools.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping
- ATT&CK ID: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (company="SecurityXploded" OR image="\*PasswordDump.exe" OR file="\*PasswordDump.exe") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Shadow Copy Creation Using OS Utilities Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Creation of shadow copies using Operating systems utilities like PowerShell, wmic, and vssadmin are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 "process" IN ["\*\powershell.exe", "\*\wmic.exe
  ", "\*\vssadmin.exe"] command="\*shadow\*" command="\*create\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_U
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# Signed Binary Proxy Execution - Network Detected

- Trigger Condition: When adversaries bypass process and/or signature-based defenses by proxying execution of malicious content with signed binaries using windows components and commands like certutil, replace. Signed binary proxy execution is a technique that involves the use of a trusted, signed binary to execute malicious code. Adversaries may use this technique to bypass security controls and execute malicious code on a system without being detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- ATT&CK ID: T1218
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 (image="\*certutil.exe" or command="\*certutil\* script:http\*://\*" or image="\*\replace.exe") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Signed Binary Proxy Execution - Process Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries bypass process and/or signature-based defenses by proxying execution of malicious content with signed binaries using Windows components and commands like *certutil* or *replace*.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- ATT&CK ID: T1218
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- label="process" label=create ("process"="\*mavinject.exe" or command="\*\/inject running\*" or command="\*mavinject32\*\/injectrunning\*" or command="\*certutil\*script:http\*://\*" or command="\*msiexec\*http\*://\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Signed Script Proxy Execution

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries use scripts signed with trusted certificates for proxy execution of malicious files using escript, wscript, certutil, and jjs.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion

- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Script Proxy Execution
- ATT&CK ID: T1216
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon image IN ["\*cscript\*", "\*wscript\*", "\*certutil\*", "\*jjs
   "] command!="\* /nologo \*MonitorKnowledgeDiscovery.vbs\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USER
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## SILENTTRINITY Stager Execution Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The use of SILENTTRINITY stager is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: System Services, Service Execution
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1569, T1569.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (event\_id=7 OR event\_id="1") message="\*st2stager\*"

#### smbexec Service Installation Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** *smbexec.py* tool is detected by identifying a specific service installation.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, System Services, Service Execution
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1021, T1569, T1569,002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=7045 service="BTOBTO" service="\*\execute.bat" -user
   IN EXCLUDED USERS

## SolarisLDAP Group Remove from LDAP Detected

- Trigger Condition: The removal of a group from LDAP is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access, Persistence, Impact, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation, Account Access Removal
- ATT&CK ID: T1098, T1531
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Solaris LDAP
- Query:
- norm\_id=SolarisLDAP label=Remove label=Member label=Management label=Group

## SolarisLDAP Possible Bruteforce Attack Detected

- Trigger Condition: Bruteforcing of a user's LDAP credentials is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access, Persistence

- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force, Forced Authentication, Valid Accounts, Account Manipulation
- ATT&CK ID: T1110, T1110.001, T1110.002, T1110.004, T1187, T1078, T1098
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Solaris LDAP
- Query:
- norm\_id=SolarisLDAP label=User (label=Login OR label=Authentication) label=Fail | chart count() as cnt by user | search cnt > 5

#### SolarisLDAP User Account Lockout Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** A locked user account is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts, Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Access Control
- ATT&CK ID: T1078, T1548
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Solaris LDAP
- Query:
- norm\_id=SolarisLDAP label=User label=Account label=Lock

## Sophos XG Firewall - Inbound Attack Detected by IDP

- **Trigger Condition:** An inbound attack defined in IDP policy is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service, Endpoint Denial of Service
- ATT&CK ID: T1498, T1499
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Sophos XG Firewall
- Query:
- norm\_id=SophosXGFirewall label=Attack label=Detect label=IDP destination\_addre ss=\* -source\_address in HOMENET | process geoip(source\_address) as country

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- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service, Endpoint Denial of Service
- ATT&CK ID: T1498, T1499
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Sophos XG Firewall
- Query:
- norm\_id=SophosXGFirewall label=Attack label=Detect label=IDP destination\_addre ss=\* -destination\_address in HOMENET | process geoip(destination\_address) as c ountry

## SophosUTM Policy Violation

- **Trigger Condition:** Different policy violation from a source is detected. For this alert to work, the following list must be updated;
  - EXTREMIST \_CONTENT, for example, weapons.
  - CONCERNED \_CONTENT, for example, alcohol, tobacco, gambling, and so on.
  - CRIMINAL \_CONTENT, for example, hacking, drugs, and so on.
  - VULNERABLE \_CONTENT, for example, abuse, and so on.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation, Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Access Control, Group Policy Modification, Exploitation for Credential Access, Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK ID: T1548, T1484, T1212, T1068
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Sophos UTM
- Query:
- norm\_id=SophosUTM category\_name=\* source\_address=\* | chart count(category\_name IN EXTREMIST\_CONTENT) as Extremist, count(category\_name IN CONCERNED\_CONTENT) a s Concerning, count(category\_name IN CRIMINAL\_CONTENT) as Criminal, count(category\_name IN VULNERABLE\_CONTENT) as Vulnerable by source\_address, user | chart sum(Extremist+Concerning+Criminal+Vulnerable) as Violation by Extremist, Concerning, Criminal, Vulnerable, source\_address,
- user order by Violation | search Violation>1

## SourceFire DNS Tunneling Detection - Multiple domains

- **Trigger Condition:** The source address is detected with queries for more than 50 domains.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact, Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Denial of Service, Proxy, Domain Fronting
- ATT&CK ID: T1498, T1090, T1090.004, T1568, T1568.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Sourcefire
- Query:
- norm\_id=SourceFire domain=\* -domain in HOME\_DOMAIN | norm on message <:all><:'
   (?i)dns request'><:all><:'domain'><domain:string> | chart distinct\_count(domain) as DomainCount by source\_address | search DomainCount > 50

#### SSHD Connection Denied

- Trigger Condition: Ten denied connections are detected from the same source.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Command and Control, Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, Commonly Used Port, Network Denial of Service, Endpoint Denial of Service
- ATT&CK ID: T1021, T1498, T1499
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Querv:
- [10 norm\_id=Unix label=Connection label=Deny having same source\_address within 10 seconds]

# Stealthy Scheduled Task Creation via VBA Macro Detected

- Trigger Condition: Creation of stealthy scheduled tasks via VBA macro is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 image="\*taskschd.dll" source\_image in ["\*winw ord.exe", "\*excel.exe", "\*powerpnt.exe", "\*outlook.exe"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USE RS

## Sticky Key Like Backdoor Usage Detected

- Trigger Condition: The use and installation of a backdoor that uses an option to register a malicious debugger for built-in tools that are accessible on the login screen. Sticky keys are a Windows accessibility feature that allows a user to press a modifier key (For example, Shift, Ctrl, Alt) and remain active until another key is pressed. Adversaries may use a sticky key-like backdoor to gain unauthorized access to a system by pressing a specific combination of keys. This can allow them to execute malicious code or bypass security controls.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Accessibility Features
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.008
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Image File Execution Options\\*\Debugger"] event\_type="SetValue") OR (event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\winlogon.exe" command IN ["\*cmd.exe sethc.exe \*", "\*cmd.exe utilman.exe \*", "\*cmd.exe osk.exe \*", "\*cmd.exe Magnify.exe \*", "\*cmd.exe Narrator.exe \*", "\*cmd.exe DisplaySwitch.exe \*"])

#### StoneDrill Service Install Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Service install of the malicious Microsoft Network Realtime Inspection Service described in StoneDrill report by Kaspersky is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: New Service
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1543
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=7045 service\_type="NtsSrv" service="\* LocalService" -user
IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Stop Windows Service Detected

- Trigger Condition: Windows Service stops.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Service Stop
- ATT&CK ID: T1489
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*\sc.exe", "\*\net.exe", "\*\net1.ex
   e"] command="\*stop\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Successful Lateral Movement to Administrator via Pass the Hash using Mimikatz Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Lateral Movement is successful in compromising the admin account via Pass the Hash method.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Use Alternate Authentication Material, Pass the Hash
- ATT&CK ID: T1550, T1550.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv
- [norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4624 logon\_type=9 logon\_process=seclogo package=Ne gotiate label=User label=Login label=Successful -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS] as s1
- followed by [norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4672 label=Privilege label=Assign] as s 2 on s1.user=s2.user | rename s1.log\_ts
- as log\_ts, s1.user as user, s1.domain as domain, s1.user\_id as user\_id, s1.hos
   t as host

## Successful Overpass the Hash Attempt

- Trigger Condition: Successful logon with logon type 9 (NewCredentials), which
  matches the Overpass the Hash behavior of Mimikatz's sekurlsa::pth module is
  detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1550 Use Alternate Authentication Material (2), T1550.002 Pass the Hash (2)
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4624 logon\_type="9" logon\_process="seclogo" package
   "Negotiate" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspect Sychost Activity Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Scvhost activity is detected. It is abnormal for svchost.exe to spawn without any CLI arguments and is observed when a malicious process spawns the process and injects code into the process memory space.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

## Suspect Svchost Memory Access

- Trigger Condition: When access to svchost process memory such as that used by Invoke-Phantom to kill the winRM windows event logging service is detected. The "svchost.exe" process is a legitimate system that hosts multiple Windows services. However, adversaries may use this process to execute malicious code or gain unauthorized system access.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify Tools
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=10 image="\*\windows\system32\svchost.exe" acces s="0x1f3fff" call\_trace="\*unknown\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Suspicious Access to Sensitive File Extensions

- Trigger Condition: Sensitive file extensions are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Staged
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1074
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:

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norm_id=WinServer event_id=5145 relative_target IN ["*.pst", "*.ost", "*.msg", "*.nst", "*.oab", "*.edb", "*.nsf",
"*.bak", "*.dmp", "*.kirbi", "*\groups.xml", "*.rdp"] -user IN EXCLUDED_USERS
```

## Suspicious Calculator Usage Detected

- Trigger Condition: The use of calc.exe with command line parameters or in a suspicious directory, which is likely caused by some PoC or detection evasion, is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (command="\*\calc.exe \*" OR (event\_id=1 image= "\*\calc.exe" -image="\*\Windows\Sys\*")) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Call by Ordinal Detected

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious calls of DLLs through RUNDLL32 via ordinal. This search looks for executing scripts with rundll32. Adversaries may abuse rundll32.exe to proxy the execution of malicious code. Using rundll32.exe, vice executing directly, may avoid triggering security tools that may not monitor the execution of the rundll32.exe process because of allowlists or false positives from normal operations.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1218, T1218.011
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

# Suspicious Certutil Command Detected

- Trigger Condition: Microsoft certutil execution with subcommands like decode used to decode malicious code with the built-in certutil utility is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information, Remote File Copy
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1140. T1105
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- label="process" label=create command IN ["\* -decode \*", "\* /decode \*", "\* -dec odehex \*", "\* /decodehex \*", "\* -urlcache \*", "\* /urlcache \*", "\* -verifyctl \* ", "\* /verifyctl \*", "\* -encode \*", "\* /encode \*", "\*certutil\* -URL\*", "\*certu til\* /URL\*", "\*certutil\* -ping\*", "\*certutil\* /ping\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Code Page Switch Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Code page switch in a command line or batch scripts to a rare language is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information
- ATT&CK ID: T1140
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

• norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["chcp\* 936", "chcp\* 1258"] -user I N EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious Commandline Escape Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious processes that use escape characters.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information
- ATT&CK ID: T1140
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*h^t^t^p\*", "\*h\t\t\p\*"] -user I
   N EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious Compression Tool Parameters

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious command line arguments of data compression tools are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Automated Exfiltration, Data Compressed, Archive Collected Data
- ATT&CK ID: T1020, T1560
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 file IN ["7z\*.exe", "\*rar.exe", "\*Command\*Lin
  e\*RAR\*"] command IN ["\* -p\*", "\* -ta\*", "\* -tb\*", "\* -sdel\*", "\* -dw\*", "\* -hp
  \*"] -parent\_image="C:\Program\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Suspicious Control Panel DLL Load Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of a suspicious Signed Binary Proxy Execution or Rundll32 from *control.exe* used by Equation Group and Exploit Kits.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Hijack Execution Flow, DLL Side-Loading, Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32
- ATT&CK ID: T1574, T1574.002, T1218, T1218.011
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\System32\control.exe" command ="\*\rundl132.exe \*" -command="\*Shell32.dl1\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious Csc Source File Folder Detected

- Trigger Condition: Execution of csc.exe that uses a source in a suspicious folder is detected. For example, AppData.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion

- ATT&CK Tag: Obfuscated Files or Information, Compile After Delivery, User Execution
- ATT&CK ID: T1027, T1027.004, T1204
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="process" label=create "process"="\*\csc.exe" command IN ["\*\AppData\\*", "
   \*\Windows\Temp\\*"] -(parent\_process ="\*:\Program Files\*" parent\_process in ["\*
   \sdiagnhost.exe", "\*\w3wp.exe", "\*\choco.exe"] ) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Suspicious Debugger Registration Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Registration of a debugger for a program available in the logon screen (sticky key backdoor).
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Obfuscated Files or Information, Compile After Delivery
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1027, T1027.004
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="process" label=create command IN ["\*\CurrentVersion\Image File Executio
  n Options\sethc.exe\*", "\*\CurrentVersion\Image File Execution Options\utilman.
  exe\*", "\*\CurrentVersion\Image File Execution Options\osk.exe\*", "\*\CurrentVer
  sion\Image File Execution Options\magnify.exe\*", "\*\CurrentVersion\Image File E
  xecution Options\narrator.exe\*", "\*\CurrentVersion\Image File Execution Option
  s\displayswitch.exe\*", "\*\CurrentVersion\Image File Execution Options\atbroker
  .exe\*"]

## Suspicious Double Extension Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The use of double .exe extension of file is detected. The query searches for double extension in process name and in command line.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Double File Extension
- ATT&CK ID: T1036.007
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create ("process" IN ["\*.doc.exe", "\*.docx.exe", "\*.tmp.
  bat","\*.xls.exe","\*.bat.exe","\*.xlsx.exe", "\*.ppt.exe", "\*.pptx.exe", "\*.rtf.e
  xe", "\*.pdf.exe", "\*.bat.exe", "\*.txt.exe", "\* .exe", "\*\_\_\_\_.exe"] OR com
  mand IN ["\*.doc.exe", "\*.docx.exe", "\*.tmp.bat","\*.xls.exe","\*.bat.exe","\*.xls
  x.exe", "\*.ppt.exe", "\*.pptx.exe", "\*.rtf.exe", "\*.pdf.exe", "\*.bat.exe", "\*.txt.exe", "\*.exe", "\*.exe"])

## Suspicious Driver Load from Temp

- **Trigger Condition:** Driver load from a temporary directory is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: New Service

- ATT&CK ID: T1543
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=6 image="\*\Temp\\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Suspicious Eventlog Clear or Configuration Using Wevtutil Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Clearing or configuration of eventlogs uwing wevtutil, PowerShell and wmic is detected. It is used by ransomware during the attack as seen by NotPetya and others.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Indicator Removal on Host
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1070
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create ((("process" IN ["\*\powershell.exe","\*\pwsh.exe\*"
  ] command IN ["\*Clear-EventLog\*", "\*Remove-EventLog\*", "\*Limit-EventLog\*","\*Cl
  ear-WinEvent\*"]) OR ("process"="\*\wmic.exe" command="\* ClearEventLog \*")) OR (
  "process"="\*\wevtutil.exe" command IN ["\*clear-log\*", "\* cl \*", "\*set-log\*", "
  \* sl \*"])) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Execution from Outlook

- **Trigger Condition:** EnableUnsafeClient MailRules used for Script Execution from Outlook is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, Indirect Command Execution
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1202
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create (command="\*EnableUnsafeClientMailRules\*" OR (pare nt process="\*\outlook.exe" command="\\\*\\*.exe")) -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

### Suspicious GUP Usage Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of the Notepad++ updater in a suspicious directory used in DLL side-loading attacks.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Hijack Execution Flow, DLL Side-Loading
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1574, T1574.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\GUP.exe" -image IN ["C:\Users\\*\AppD ata\Local\Notepad++\updater\gup.exe", "C:\Users\\*\AppData\Roaming\Notepad++\updater\gup.exe",

"C:\Program Files\Notepad++\updater\gup.exe", "C:\Program Files (x86)\Notepad++\updater\gup.exe"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious HWP Sub Processes Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Hangul Word Processor (Hanword) sub-processes that could indicate exploitation are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Command-Line Interface, Indirect Command Execution, Phishing, Spearphishing Attachment
- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1202, T1566, T1566.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\Hwp.exe" image="\*\gbb.exe" -u ser IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious In-Memory Module Execution Detected

- Trigger Condition: An access to processes by other suspicious processes that have reflectively loaded libraries in their memory space are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- ATT&CK ID: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- onorm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=10 (call\_trace IN ["C:\Windows\SYSTEM32\ntdl1.d
  ll+\*", "C:\Windows\System32\KERNELBASE.dll+\*", "\*UNKNOWN(\*)"] OR (call\_trace="
  \*UNKNOWN\*" access IN ["0x1F0FFF", "0x1F1FFF", "0x143A", "0x1410", "0x1010", "0
  x1F2FFF", "0x1F3FFF", "0x1FFFFF"])) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### Suspicious Kerberos RC4 Ticket Encryption

- Trigger Condition: Service ticket requests using the RC4 encryption type are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Steal or Forge Kerberos Tickets, Kerberoasting
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1558, T1558.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4769 ticket\_option="0x40810000" Encryption\_type="0x 17" -service="\$\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Keyboard Layout Load Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Keyboard preload installation with a suspicious keyboard layout is detected. For example, Chinese, Iranian, or Vietnamese layout load in user sessions on systems maintained by US staff only.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\Keyboard Layout\Preload\\\*", "\*\Keyboard Layout\Substitutes\\\*"] detail IN ["\*00000429\*", "\*00050429\*", "\*0000042a\*"]
- -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious MsiExec Directory Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious msiexec process starting in a different directory is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\msiexec.exe" -image IN ["C:\Windows\System32\\*", "C:\Windows\SysWOW64\\*", "C:\Windows\WinSxS\\*"]
- user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious Named Pipes Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious named pipes are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- ATT&CK ID: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- event\_id IN ["17", "18"] pipe IN ["\isapi\_http", "\isapi\_dg", "\isapi\_dg2", "\
   sdlrpc", "\ahexec", "\winsession", "\lsassw", "\46a676ab7f179e511e30dd2dc41bd3
   88".
- "\9f81f59bc58452127884ce513865ed20", "\e710f28d59aa529d6792ca6ff0ca1b34", "\rp ch 3", "\NamePipe\_MoreWindows", "\pcheap\_reuse", "\msagent\_\*", "\gruntsvc", "\* \PSEXESVC\*",
- "\*\PowerShellISEPipeName\_\*", "\*\csexec\*", "\*\paexec\*", "\*\remcom\*"] -user IN E XCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Outbound Kerberos Connection

 Trigger Condition: An outbound network activity via Kerberos default port indicating possible lateral movement or first stage PrivEsc via delegation is detected.

- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Steal or Forge Kerberos Tickets, Kerberoasting
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1558, T1558.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=Windows\* (event\_id=3 OR event\_id=5156) destination\_port="88" -image IN
  ["\*\lsass.exe", "\*\opera.exe", "\*\firefox.exe"] -user IN EXCLU
  DED USERS

## Suspicious Outbound RDP Connections Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Non-Standard tools connecting to TCP port 3389 indicating possible Lateral Movement are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation of Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1210
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 destination\_port="3389" initiated="true" -ima
  ge IN ["\*\mstsc.exe", "\*\RTSApp.exe", "\*\RTS2App.exe", "\*\RDCMan.exe", "\*\ws\_T
  unnelService.exe", "\*\RSSensor.exe",
- "\*\RemoteDesktopManagerFree.exe", "\*\RemoteDesktopManager.exe", "\*\RemoteDeskt opManager64.exe", "\*\mRemoteNG.exe", "\*\mRemote.exe", "\*\Terminals.exe", "\*\sp iceworks-finder.exe", "\*\FSDiscovery.exe", "\*\FSAssessment.exe", "\*\MobaRTE.ex e", "\*\chrome.exe", "\*\thor.exe", "\*\thor64.exe"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Suspicious Parent of Csc Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Suspicious parent of csc.exe is a sign of payload delivery is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\csc.exe\*" parent\_image IN ["\*\wscrip t.exe", "\*\cscript.exe", "\*\mshta.exe"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Suspicious PowerShell Invocation Based on Parent Process

- **Trigger Condition:** PowerShell invocations from interpreters or unusual programs like wscript or IIS worker process(w3wp.exe) are detected. Admins can add other suspicious parent processes to increase visibility.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell

- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1059,001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="process" label=create parent\_process IN ["\*\mshta.exe", "\*\wscript.exe ", "\*\cscript.exe", "\*\rundll32.exe", "\*\regsvr32.exe", "\*\services.exe", "\*\w inword.exe", "\*\wmiprvse.exe", "\*\powerpnt.exe", "\*\excel.exe", "\*\msaccess.ex e", "\*\mspub.exe", "\*\visio.exe", "\*\outlook.exe", "\*\amigo.exe", "\*\chrome.ex e", "\*\firefox.exe", "\*\iexplore.exe", "\*\microsoftedgecp.exe", "\*\microsofted ge.exe", "\*\browser.exe", "\*\vivaldi.exe", "\*\sqlagent.exe", " \*\sqlserver.exe", "\*\sqlservr.exe", "\*\w3wp.exe", "\*\httpd.exe", "\*\nginx.exe", "\*\php-cgi.exe", "\*\jbosssvc.exe", "\*MicrosoftEdgeSH.exe", "\*tomcat\*"] "pro cess"="\*\powershell.exe" -path="\*\Health Service State\\*" (command IN ["\*power shell\*", "\*pwsh\*"] ) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious PowerShell Parameter Substring Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell invocation with a parameter substring is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- label=create label="process" "process"="\*\powershell.exe" command IN ["\* -en\*" "\* -ec \*", "\* -noni\*", "\* -nop\*", "\* -exe\* bypass\*", "\* -ep bypass\*", "\* -wi
  n\* hid\*", "\* -w hid\*", "\* -sta \*"]

# Suspicious Process Start Locations Detected

- Trigger Condition: Execution of processes run from an unusual locations like Recycle bin or Fonts folder detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*:\RECYCLER\\*", "\*:\SystemVolumeIn formation\\*", "C:\Windows\Tasks\\*", "C:\Windows\debug\\*", "C:\Windows\fonts\\*"

## Suspicious Program Location with Network Connections

- Trigger Condition: Network connections run in suspicious file system locations.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading

- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 image IN ["\*\\$Recycle.bin", "\*\Users\All User
  s\\*", "\*\Users\Default\\*", "\*\Users\Public\\*", "\*\Users\Contacts\\*", "\*\Users\
  Searches\\*", "C:\Perflogs\\*", "\*\config\systemprofile\\*", "\*\Windows\Fonts\\*",
  "\*\Windows\IME\\*", "\*\Windows\addins\\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious PsExec Execution Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of *psexec* or *paexec* with the renamed service name. This rule helps filter out the noise if psexec is used for legitimate purposes or if an attacker uses a different psexec client other than sysinternal one.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5145 share\_name="IPC\$" relative\_target IN ["\*-stdin ", "\*-stdout", "\*-stderr"] -relative\_target="PSEXESVC\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USER

## Suspicious RDP Redirect Using TSCON Detected

- Trigger Condition: A suspicious RDP session redirect using tscon.exe.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, Remote Desktop Protocol
- ATT&CK ID: T1021, T1021.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command="\* /dest:rdp-tcp:\*" -user IN EXCLUDED
  USERS

## Suspicious Remote Thread Created

- Trigger Condition: The suspicious processes (like word.exe or outlook.exe) create remote threads on other processes. This technique is used by malware to inject code and hide in other processes. The event indicates the source and target process. It gives information on the code that will run in the new thread: StartAddress, StartModule and StartFunction.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- ATT&CK ID: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=8 source\_image IN ["\*\bash.exe", "\*\cvtres.exe"
  , "\*\defrag.exe", "\*\dnx.exe", "\*\esentutl.exe", "\*\excel.exe", "\*\expand.exe"
  , "\*\explorer.exe", "\*\find.exe",
- "\*\findstr.exe", "\*\forfiles.exe", "\*\git.exe", "\*\gpupdate.exe", "\*\hh.exe", "
  \*\iexplore.exe", "\*\installutil.exe", "\*\lync.exe", "\*\makecab.exe", "\*\mDNSRe
  sponder.exe", "\*\monitoringhost.exe",
- "\*\msbuild.exe", "\*\mshta.exe", "\*\msiexec.exe", "\*\mspaint.exe", "\*\outlook.e
  xe", "\*\ping.exe", "\*\powerpnt.exe", "\*\powershell.exe", "\*\provtool.exe", "\*\
  python.exe", "\*\regsvr32.exe", "\*\robocopy.exe", "\*\runonce.exe",
- "\*\sapcimc.exe", "\*\schtasks.exe", "\*\smartscreen.exe", "\*\spoolsv.exe", "\*\ts
  theme.exe", "\*\userinit.exe", "\*\vssadmin.exe", "\*\vssvc.exe", "\*\w3wp.exe\*", "
  \*\winlogon.exe", "\*\winscp.exe", "\*\wmic.exe", "\*\word.exe", "\*\wscript.exe"]
- -source\_image="\*Visual Studio\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious RUN Key from Download Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** A suspicious RUN keys created by software located in the Download or temporary Outlook/Internet Explorer directories.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, Registry Run Keys/Startup Folder
- ATT&CK ID: T1547, T1547.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 image IN ["\*\Downloads\\*", "\*\Temporary Internet Files\Content.Outlook\\*", "\*\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\\*"] t arget\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Run\\*" -user IN EXCL UDED USERS

## Suspicious Rundll32 Activity Detected

- Trigger Condition: Processes related to the RunDLL32 system binary based on
  its command-line arguments. Adversaries may abuse RunDLL32 to proxy code
  executions and avoid triggering security tools that may not monitor the execution
  of the rundll32.exe process because of allowlists or false positives from normal
  operations. Whitelisting is required due to the inherent system noise of RunDLL32.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1218, T1218.011
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="process" label=create ((command IN ["\*\rundl132.exe\* url.dl1, \*OpenURL \* ", "\*\rundl132.exe\* url.dl1, \*FileProt ocolHandler \*", "\*\rundl132.exe\* zipfldr.dl1, \*RouteTheCall \*", "\*\rundl132.ex e\* Shel132.dl1, \*Control\_RunDLL \*", "\*\rundl132.exe javascript:\*", "\* url.dl1, \*OpenURL \*", "\* url.dl1, \*FileProtocolHandler \*", "\* zipfldr.dl1, \*RouteTheCall \*", "\* Shel132.dl1, \*Control\_RunDLL \*", "\* javascri pt:\*", "\*.RegisterXLL\*", "\*\rundl132\*C:\PerfLogs\\*", "\*\rundl132\*C:\ProgramDat a\\*", "\*\rundl132\*\AppData\Local\Temp\\*"]) OR ("process"="\*\rundl132.exe" pare

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nt_process IN ["*\cmd.exe", "*\powershell.exe"] parent_command="*.lnk*" parent
_command IN ["* /c *", "* /k *"] parent_command IN ["C:\ProgramData\", "*\AppD
ata\Local\Temp\*", "*\AppData\Roaming\Temp\*", "C:\Users\Public\", "C:\Windows
\tracing\"])) -user IN EXCLUDED_USERS
```

## Suspicious Scripting in a WMI Consumer

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious scripting in the WMI Event Consumers.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1059,001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=20 destination IN ["\*new-object .webclient).dow nloadstring(\*", "\*new-object .webclient).downloadfile(\*", "\*new-object net.web client).downloadstring(\*", "\*new-object net.webclient).downloadfile(\*", "\* iex (\*", "\*WScript.shell\*", "\* -nop \*", "\* -noprofile \*", "\* -decode \*", "\* -enc \* "] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Service Path Modification Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Modification of service path to *powershell/cmd*.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Existing Service
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1569, T1569.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\sc.exe" command IN ["\*powershell\*", "\*cond\*"] command IN ["\*binpath\*", "\*config\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Suspicious Sychost Process Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious svchost process starts.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading, Match Legitimate Name or Location
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1036, T1036.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\svchost.exe" -parent\_image IN ["\*\se rvices.exe", "\*\MsMpEng.exe", "\*\Mrt.exe", "\*\rpcnet.exe", "\*\svchost.exe"] parent image=\* -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious SYSVOL Domain Group Policy Access

- Trigger Condition: Access to Domain Group Policies stored in SYSVOL detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access

- ATT&CK Tag: Unsecured Credentials, Group Policy Preferences
- ATT&CK ID: T1552, T1552.006
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command="\*\SYSVOL\\*\policies\\*" -user IN EXCL UDED\_USERS

## Suspicious TSCON Start

- **Trigger Condition:** *tscon.exe* process execution as LOCAL SYSTEM is detected. If *tscon.exe* run as SYSTEM, users can gain access to the currently logged-in session without credential.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Access Software
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1219
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 user="SYSTEM" image="\*\tscon.exe" -user IN EX CLUDED USERS

## Suspicious Typical Malware Back Connect Ports Detected

- Trigger Condition: Programs connecting to a typical malware back connect ports based on statistical analysis from two different sandbox system databases are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Non-Standard Port
- ATT&CK ID: T1571
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- destination\_port IN ["4443", "2448", "8143", "1777", "1443", "243", "65535", "13506", "3360", "200", "198", "49180", "13507", "6625", "44444", "4438", "1904", "13505", "13504", "12102", "9631", "5445",
- "2443", "777", "13394", "13145", "12103", "5552", "3939", "3675", "666", "473", "5649", "4455", "4433", "1817", "100", "65520", "1960", "1515", "743", "700", "14154", "14103", "14102", "12322", "10101", "7210", "4040", "9943"] -image= "\*\Program Files\*"
- -destination address IN HOMENET -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Suspicious CSharp or FSharp Interactive Console Execution

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of CSharp or FSharp interactive console by scripting utilities like WScript or PowerShell detected. The alert warns you of the use of the .NET framework by attackers for offensive purposes.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion

- ATT&CK Tag: Trusted Developer Utilities
- ATT&CK ID: T1127
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*\csi.exe", "\*\fsi.exe"] parent\_im age IN ["\*\cmd.exe", "\*\powershell.exe", "\*\wscript.exe", "\*\cscript.exe"] -us er IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious Userinit Child Process

- **Trigger Condition:** Suspicious child process of *userinit* is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\userinit.exe" -command="\*\net logon\\*" -image="\*\explorer.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Suspicious Windows ANONYMOUS LOGON Local Account Creation

- Trigger Condition: Creation of suspicious accounts similar to ANONYMOUS LOGON like using additional spaces, is detected. It is created to catch the exclusion of Logon Type 3 from ANONYMOUS LOGON accounts.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Create Account
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1136
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4720 user="\*ANONYMOUS\*LOGON\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USE RS

# Suspicious WMI Execution Detected

- Trigger Condition: When WMI executing suspicious commands including but not limited to AV product enumeration and remote process creation are detected. WMIC.exe is a built-in Microsoft program that allows command-line access to the Windows Management Instrumentation. Adversaries can use this technique to create remote or local processes, get details about antivirus and firewalls, delete shadow copies and modify defender configurations.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1047
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon

- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create ("process"="\*\wmic.exe" or file=wmic.exe) command
  IN ["\*/node:\*process call create \*", "\* path AntiVirusProduct get \*", "\* path F
  irewallProduct get \*", "\* shadowcopy delete \*", "\*csproduct get\*UUID\*", "\*NAMES
  PACE:\\root\Microsoft\Windows\Defender\*"]

## Svchost DLL Search Order Hijack Detected

- Trigger Condition: Svchost DLL Search Order Hijack is detected. By default, IKEEXT and SessionEnv service call LoadLibrary on files that does not exist within C:/Windows/System 32/. An attacker can place their malicious logic within the PROCESS\_ATTACH block of their library and restart the services mentioned above svchost.exe -k netsvcs to gain code execution on a remote machine.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Hijack Execution Flow, DLL Side-Loading, DLL Search Order Hijacking
- ATT&CK ID: T1574, T1574.002, T1574.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 source\_image IN ["\*\svchost.exe"] image IN ["
   \*\tsmsisrv.dll", "\*\tsvipsrv.dll", "\*\wlbsctrl.dll"] -image IN ["C:\Windows\WinSxS\\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## SysKey Registry Keys Access

- Trigger Condition: Requests and access operations to specific registry keys to
  calculate the SysKey are detected. Adversaries use a tool (like Mimikatz) or a
  script (like Invoke-PowerDump) to get the SysKey to decrypt Security Account
  Manager (SAM) database entries from registry or hive and get NTLM and LM
  hashes of local accounts passwords.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Query Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN [4656, 4663] object\_type="key" object\_name IN [" \*lsa\JD", "\*lsa\GBG", "\*lsa\Skew1", "\*lsa\Data"]
- -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Sysmon Configuration Modification Detected

- Trigger Condition: Modification in Sysmon configuration.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Indicator Blocking
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1562, T1562.006
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon

- · Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon label=Sysmon label=Config label=Change -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Sysmon Driver Unload Detected

- Trigger Condition: Unloading of Sysmon driver is detected. After error events are logged, logs will not be collected and parsed by Sysmon.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify Tools
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=255 id="DriverCommunication" -user IN EXCLUDED\_ USERS

## Sysmon Error Event Detected

- Trigger Condition: Sysmon error event is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify Tools
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=255 -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## System File Execution Location Anomaly Detected

- Trigger Condition: Starting a Windows program executable in a suspicious folder is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

## System Information Discovery

 Trigger Condition: Discovery of system information via sysinfo or net command is detected.

- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: System Information Discovery
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1082
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label=Create label="Process" ("process"="\*\sysinfo.exe" OR command="\*net\* config\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## System Owner or User Discovery

- Trigger Condition: Detected MITRE ATT&CK T1033.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: System Owner/User Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1033
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image IN ["\*\whoami.exe", "\*\qwinsta.exe", '\*\quinsta.exe", '\*\quinsta.exe"] OR command="\*wmic\* useraccount get\*")

# System Service Discovery

- Trigger Condition: Detected MITRE ATT&CK T1007.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: System Service Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1007
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*net.exe" or image="\*tasklist.exe" or image="\*sc.exe" or image="\*wmic.exe") (command="\*net.exe\* start\*" or command="\*tasklist.exe\* /SVC" command="\*sc.exe\* query\*" or command="\*wmic.exe\* service where\*") -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## System Time Discovery

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint detects an attempt to discover system time. The
  information is useful to perform other techniques, like executing a file with a
  scheduled task or discovering locality information based on time zone to assist in
  victim targeting.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: System Time Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1124
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 ( image IN ["\*\net.exe", "\*\net1.exe"] comman d="\*net\* time\*") or image="\*w32tm.exe" or command="\*Get-Date\*" -user IN EXCLUD ED\_USERS

## Tap Driver Installation Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Installation of TAP software. It indicates possible preparation for data exfiltration using tunneling techniques.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration Over Alternative Protocol
- ATT&CK ID: T1048
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=6) OR (norm\_id=WinServer (event\_id=7045 OR event\_id=4697))) (path="\*tap0901\*" OR file="\*tap0901\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Taskmgr as Parent Detected

- Trigger Condition: Creation of a process from the Windows Task Manager.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\taskmgr.exe" -image IN ["\*\response smon.exe", "\*\mmc.exe", "\*\taskmgr.exe"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Tasks Folder Evasion Detected

- Trigger Condition: Evasion of task folder is detected. Task folder in system32
  and syswow64 are globally writable paths. Adversaries can take advantage to load
  or influence script hosts, or any .NET application in task to load and execute a
  custom assembly into cscript, wscript, regsvr32, mshta, and eventvwr.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Hijack Execution Flow, DLL Side-Loading
- ATT&CK ID: T1574, T1574.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 command IN ["\*echo \*", "\*copy \*", "\*type \*", "
   \*file createnew\*"] command IN ["\* C:\Windows\System32\Tasks\\*", "\* C:\Windows\SysWow64\Tasks\\*"]

## Terminal Service Process Spawn Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Process spawned by the terminal service server process is detected. It can be used as an indicator for the exploitation of CVE-2019-0708.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation of Remote Services
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1210

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_command="\*\svchost.exe\*termsvcs" -imag e="\*\rdpclip.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Threat Intel Allowed Connections from Suspicious Sources

- Trigger Condition: A connection from suspicious sources are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* label=Allow label=Connection -source\_address in HOMENET destination\_ address in HOMENET | process ti(source\_address) | rename et\_ip\_address as SourceAddress, cs\_ip\_address as SourceAddress, et\_category as Category,
- cs\_category as Category, rf\_ip\_address as SourceAddress, rf\_category as Category, et\_score as Score,cs\_score as Score,rf\_score as Score,destination\_port as P ort | fields Category,SourceAddress,Score,Port

## Threat Intel Connections with Suspicious Domains

- Trigger Condition: A connection is established with a suspicious domain.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- label=Connection (url=\* OR domain=\*)| process domain(url) as domain | process ti(domain) | rename et\_category as Category, cs\_category as Category, rf\_category as Category, et\_score as Score, cs\_score as Score, rf\_score as Score, rf\_domain as Domain, et\_domain as Domain

# Threat Intel Excessive Denied Connections Attempt from IOC

- **Trigger Condition:** Multiple denied connections are received from suspicious sources.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Querv:
- norm\_id=\* label=Connection label=Deny -source\_address in HOMENET destination\_a ddress in HOMENET | process ti(source address) | rename rf ti category as Cate

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gory, rf_ip_address as SourceAddress, rf_score as Score, destination_port as P
ort | chart count() as cnt by SourceAddress | search cnt>5
```

# Threat Intel Internal Machine Connecting to Multiple IOCs

- Trigger Condition: A user establishes connections to unique destination.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* label=Connection source\_address IN HOMENET -destination\_address IN HOMENET | process ti(destination\_address) | rename rf\_ti\_category as Category, r f\_ip\_address as DestinationAddress, rf\_score as Score, destination\_port as Port | chart distinct\_count(DestinationAddress) as DC by source\_address | search D C>5

# Threat Intel IOC Connecting to Multiple Internal Machines

- **Trigger Condition:** An inbound connection from suspicious sources to multiple destinations is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy, Exploitation for Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK ID: T1090, T1211
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* label=Connection -source\_address in HOMENET destination\_address in HOMENET | process ti(source\_address) | rename rf\_ti\_category as Category, rf\_ip\_address as SourceAddress, rf\_score as Score, destination\_port as Port | chart distinct\_count(destination\_address) as DC by source\_address | search DC>5

## Time-Stomping of Users Directory Files Detected

- Trigger Condition: Time-stomping of user directory file is detected. Sysmon can only detect a change of CreationTime and not LastWriteTime and LastAccessTime. Therefore, we recommend that whitelist legitimate noisy processes like browsers, slack, or teams to reduce false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Indicator Removal on Host, Timestomp
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1070, T1070.006
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=2 path="C:\Users\*" -source\_image IN ["\*iexplore .exe", "\*cortana\*", "\*\StartMenuExperienceHost.exe", "C:\Windows\system32\clea nmgr.exe", "C:\Windows\Explorer.EXE", "\*\LocalBridge.exe", "\*\svchost.exe",
- "\*\RuntimeBroker.exe", "\*\msedge.exe"]-path="\*\AppData\Roaming\Microsoft\Windo ws\Recent\CustomDestinations" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Transfering Files with Credential Data via Network Shares

- Trigger Condition: Transfer of sensitive files with credential data using a network share.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5145 relative\_target IN ["\*\mimidrv\*", "\*\lsass\*", "
  \*\windows\minidump\\*", "\*\hiberfil\*", "\*\sqldmpr\*", "\*\sam\*", "\*\ntds.dit\*", "
  \*\security\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# TrendMicroDeepSecurity Virus Quarantined

- Trigger Condition: A virus-infected file is quarantined.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Obfuscated Files or Information, Indicator Removal from Tools, Network Service Scanning
- ATT&CK ID: T1027, T1027.005, T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Trend Micro Deep Security
- Query:
- norm\_id=TrendMicroDeepSecurity label=Virus OR label=Malware label=File label=Quarantine

## **UAC Bypass via Event Viewer Detected**

- Trigger Condition: UAC bypass method using the Windows Event Viewer is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Access Control
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1548, T1548.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- (event\_id=13 target\_object="HKU\\*\mscfile\shell\open\command") OR ((event\_id=1
  parent\_image="\*\eventvwr.exe") -(image="\*\mmc.exe"))

### Unix Possible Bruteforce Attack

- **Trigger Condition:** An account is not present but is used repeatedly to login. This may be a brute force attack by a bot, malware, or threat agent.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Brute Force
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Unix
- Querv:
- norm\_id=Unix ((label=Account label=Absent) OR (label=User label=Authentication label=Fail)) user=\* | chart count() as cnt by user | search cnt>10

#### Unix User Deleted

- Trigger Condition: Deletion of a user account.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Access Removal
- ATT&CK ID: T1531
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Unix
- Query:
- norm\_id=Unix label=User label=Account label=Management label=Delete label=Remo ve user=\*

## **Unsigned Driver Loading Detected**

- Trigger Condition: Loading of an unsigned driver is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=6 is\_sign=False image=\* -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Possible Ursnif Registry Activity

- **Trigger Condition:** A new registry key under *AppDataLowSoftwareMicrosoft* is detected, which was used by Ursnif malware.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

### Valak Malware Connection to Malicious Domains

- Trigger Condition: Connection to VALAK malware-related domains are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Webserver
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* (url=\* OR domain=\*) | process domain(url) as domain | search domain i
   n VALAK\_DOMAINS

#### Valak Malware Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: Valak malware infected host is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- host=\* hash=\* hash IN VALAK\_HASHES

## VBA DLL Loaded by Office

- Trigger Condition: Loading of DLL related to VBA macros by Office products id detected. To reduce false positives, we recommend you filter the use of the legitimate macro.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Phishing, Spearphishing Attachment
- ATT&CK ID: T1566, T1566.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 source\_image IN ["\*\winword.exe\*", "\*\powerpn t.exe\*", "\*\excel.exe\*", "\*\outlook.exe\*"] image IN ["\*\VBE7.DLL\*", "\*\VBEUI.D LL\*", "\*\VBE7INTL.DLL\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## VM - High Risk Vulnerability on High Impact Assets

- Trigger Condition: High-risk vulnerability is detected in high impact assets.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning
- ATT&CK ID: T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Querv:
- (col\_type=qualys\* or col\_type=Nessus or norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement) (seve rity=4 or severity=5) source\_address IN HIGH\_IMPACT\_ASSETS

## VM - High Risk Vulnerability on Low Impact Assets

- **Trigger Condition:** High-risk vulnerability is detected in low impact assets.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning
- ATT&CK ID: T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- (col\_type=qualys\* or col\_type=Nessus or norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement) (seve rity=4 OR severity=5) source\_address IN LOW\_IMPACT\_ASSETS

## VM - High Risk Vulnerability on Medium Impact Assets

- Trigger Condition: High-risk vulnerability is detected in medium impact assets.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- (col\_type=qualys\* or col\_type=Nessus or norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement) (seve rity=4 or severity=5) source\_address IN MEDIUM\_IMPACT\_ASSETS

## VM - Medium Risk Vulnerability on High Impact Assets

- Trigger Condition: Medium-risk vulnerability is detected in high impact assets.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning
- ATT&CK ID: T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- (col\_type=qualys\* or col\_type=Nessus or norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement) (seve rity=2 or severity=3) source\_address IN HIGH\_IMPACT\_ASSETS

## VM - Medium Risk Vulnerability on Low Impact Assets

- Trigger Condition: Medium-risk vulnerability is detected in low impact assets.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- (col\_type=qualys\* or col\_type=Nessus or norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement) (seve rity=2 OR severity=3) source address IN LOW IMPACT ASSETS

## VM - Medium Risk Vulnerability on Medium Impact Assets

- **Trigger Condition:** Medium-risk vulnerability is detected in medium impact assets.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Network Service Scanning
- ATT&CK ID: T1046
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- (col\_type=qualys\* or col\_type=Nessus or norm\_id=VulnerabilityManagement) (seve rity=2 or severity=3) source\_address IN MEDIUM\_IMPACT\_ASSETS

## WannaCry File Encryption

- **Trigger Condition:** File encryption due to WannaCry ransomeware.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- ATT&CK ID: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- col\_type=lpagent new\_file IN WANNACRY\_EXTENSION

## WannaCry MS17-010 Vulnerable Sources

- Trigger Condition: MS17-010 vulnerability is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Qualys, Vulnerability Management
- Query:
- col\_type=qualys\* qualys\_id IN [91345, 91357, 91359, 91360, 70077, 91360, 91345]

# WannaCry Sources in Connections to Sinkhole Domain

- Trigger Condition: A source tries to connect to the WannaCry sinkhole domain.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1090
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Webserver
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* url IN WANNACRY\_DOMAIN or domain IN WANNACRY\_DOMAIN

# WastedLocker Ransomware Connection to Malicious Domains

- Trigger Condition: A connection to WastedLocker ransomware related domains is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Webserver
- Querv:
- norm\_id=\* (url=\* OR domain=\*) | process domain(url) as domain | search domain i
   n WASTEDLOCKER DOMAINS

# WastedLocker Ransomware Connection to Malicious Sources

- **Trigger Condition:** A host establishes an outbound connection to WastedLocker ransomware sources.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS
- Query:
- (destination\_address IN WASTEDLOCKER\_IPS OR source\_address IN WASTEDLOCKER\_IPS) | process geoip(destination\_address) as country

#### WastedLocker Ransomware Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: WastedLocker ransomware-infected host is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- ATT&CK ID: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, IDS/IPS, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- host=\* hash=\* hash IN WASTEDLOCKER\_HASHES

#### WCE wceaux dll Access Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** *wceaux.dll* access during Windows Credential Editor (WCE) pass-the-hash remote command execution on the source host is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN ["4656", "4658", "4660", "4663"] object\_name="\*\ wceaux.dll" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Wdigest Registry Modification

- **Trigger Condition:** Modification of the property value of UseLogonCredential from *HKLM:*/SYSTEM /CurrentControlSet/Control/Security Providers/WDigest to enable clear-text credentials is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object="\*WDigest\UseLogonCredential" user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Weak Encryption Enabled for User

- **Trigger Condition:** Weak encryption is enabled for a user profile, which is later used for hash or password cracking.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4738 user\_account\_control IN ["\*DES\*", "\*Preauth\*", "\*Encrypted\*"] user account control="\*Enabled\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Webshell Detection With Command Line Keywords

- **Trigger Condition:** Command line parameters used during reconnaissance activity via WebShell are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Server Software Component, Web Shell
- ATT&CK ID: T1505, T1505.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image IN ["\*\apache\*", "\*\tomcat\*", "\*\w3wp.exe", "\*\php-cgi.exe", "\*\nginx.exe", "\*\httpd.exe"] command IN ["\*whoam i\*", "\*net user \*", "\*ping -n \*", "\*systeminfo",
- "\*&cd&echo\*", "\*cd /d\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Windows 10 Scheduled Task SandboxEscaper 0 day Detected

 Trigger Condition: Modification of potential malicious property value of UseLogonCredential from `HKLM:SYSTEMCurrentControlSetControlSecurityProvidersWDigest` enable storing of clear-text credentials in memory.

- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="schtasks.exe" command="\*/change\*/TN\*/R U\*/RP\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Windows Admin Shares - Process

- Trigger Condition: The use of hidden network shares (like CandIPC and IPC) are accessible only to administrators. Adversaries use this technique in conjunction with administrator-level accounts to remotely access a networked system over SMB, interact with systems using RPC calls, or transfer files.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, SMB/Windows Admin Share
- ATT&CK ID: T1021. T1021.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (image="\*net.exe" or image="\*powershell.exe") ((command="\*net\* use\*\*" orcommand=" \*net \* session\*" or command="\*net\* file\*\$\*
   ") or command="\*New-PSDrive\*root\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Windows Audit Logs Cleared

- **Trigger Condition:** Security events cleared.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Indicator Removal on Host
- ATT&CK ID: T1070
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* label=Audit label=Log label=Clear -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Windows Credential Editor Detected

- Trigger Condition: The use of Windows Credential Editor (WCE) is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (hash IN ["a53a02b997935fd8eedcb5f7abab9b9f" , "e96a73c7bf33a464c510ede582318bf2"] OR command="\*.exe -S" parent\_image="\*\se

## Windows Data Copied to Removable Device

- **Trigger Condition:** A file is copied to removable storage. For this alert to work, you must update the list CRITICAL\_HOSTS, which includes hosts where admin monitors file copy across removable storage.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration Over Physical Medium, Exfiltration over USB
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1052, T1052.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* event\_id=4663 event\_category="Removable Storage" access="Wr iteData\*" or access="\*AppendData\*" host IN CRITICAL\_HOSTS -user IN EXCLUDED\_US FRS

### Windows Defender Exclusion Set Detected

- Trigger Condition: When Windows Defender Antivirus exclusion is added.
  Windows Defender Antivirus is a built-in antivirus program for Windows 10. It
  provides real-time protection against malware, viruses, spyware and other
  malicious software. Windows Defender allows users to exclude specific files,
  folders or processes from scanning to improve performance and reduce false
  positives. Adversaries can abuse the file exclusion feature in Windows Defender
  to evade detection of their malicious binaries by excluding the file type or file from
  being scanned.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify Tools
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562,001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- (norm\_id=WinServer event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-Windows Defender" event\_id=5007 new\_value="HKLM\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows Defender\Exclusions\\*") OR (no rm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Policies\Microsoft\W indows Defender\Exclusions\Extensions\\*" event\_type=setvalue)

## Windows Domain Policy Change

- **Trigger Condition:** The domain policy is changed on a Domain Controller.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Domain Policy Modification, Group Policy Modification
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1484, T1484.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

 norm\_id=WinServer\* label=Domain label=Policy label=Change user=\*\$ -user IN EXC LUDED\_USERS | rename target\_domain as domain

# Windows Excessive Amount of Files Copied to Removable Device

- Trigger Condition: A user copies more than 100 files in the removable storage.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration Over Physical Medium, Exfiltration over USB
- ATT&CK ID: T1052, T1052.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* event\_id=4663 event\_category="Removable Storage" access="Wr iteData\*" or access="\*AppendData\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | chart distinct\_co unt(object) as DataCopied by user | search DataCopied>100

## Windows Failed Login Attempt Using Service Account

- Trigger Condition: A user fails to log in using a service account. Generally, failed logon events with logon type 5 indicate the password change without updating the service; however, a possibility of malicious users at work exists. Conversely, the existence of malicious users is less likely to happen as creating a new service or editing an existing service by default requires membership in Administrators or Server Operators. Also, malicious users will already have the authority to perpetuate their desired goal.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts
- ATT&CK ID: T1078
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User label=Login label=Fail target\_user=\*ORuser=\*logon
   \_type = 5 -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename target\_user as user, target\_domain a
   s domain

## Windows Failed Login Followed by Lockout Event

- Trigger Condition: A failed login attempt followed by account lockout is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts, Exploitation for Credential Access, Exploitation for Privilege Escalation, Exploitation for Defense Evasion, Brute Force
- ATT&CK ID: T1078, T1212, T1068, T1211, T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

• [norm\_id=WinServer label=User label=Login label=Fail -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS] a s s1 followed by [norm\_id=WinServer label=User label=Account label=Lock user=\* ] as s2 on s1.user=s2.user | rename s1.user as User, s1.source\_address as Sour ceAddress, s2.workstation as ComputerName, s2.caller\_domain as Domain, s1.log\_ts as LastFailedLogin\_ts, s2.log\_ts as LockedOut\_ts

## Windows Local User Management

- **Trigger Condition:** A user is created on a non-domain controller. For the alert to work, you must update the list DOMAIN with domain controllers.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Create Account, Local Account
- ATT&CK ID: T1136, T1136.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User label=Create -target\_user=\*-user=\* -target\_domain IN DOMAIN -domain IN DOMAIN -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## WMI DLL Loaded by Office

- Trigger Condition: Loading of DLLs related to WMI by Office products signaling VBA macros executing WMI Commands.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: User Execution, Malicious File
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1204, T1204.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 source\_image IN ["\*\winword.exe", "\*\powerpnt
  .exe", "\*\excel.exe", "\*\outlook.exe"] image IN ["\*\wmiutils.dll", "\*\wbemcomn
  .dll", "\*\wbemprox.dll", "\*\wbemsvc.dll"]
- -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Windows Multiple Password Changed by User

- **Trigger Condition:** A user changes its own password more than once in a given period of time.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Credential Access, Privilege Escalation, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation, Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Access Control, Exploitation for Credential Access, Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1098, T1548, T1212, T1068
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User label=Password label=Change -target\_user=\*-calle ruser=\*-calleruser=\* -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename caller\_user as user | pro cess compare(target\_user, user) as match | search match=True | chart count()

## Windows Processes Suspicious Parent Directory Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious parent processes of Windows processes are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Masquerading
- ATT&CK ID: T1036
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*\svchost.exe", "\*\taskhost.exe", "
   \*\lsm.exe", "\*\lsass.exe", "\*\services.exe", "\*\lsaiso.exe", "\*\csrss.exe", "\*
   \wininit.exe", "\*\winlogon.exe"] -parent\_image IN ["\*\System32\\*", "\*\SysWOW64
   \\*", "\*\SavService.exe", "\*\Windows Defender\\*\MsMpEng.exe"] parent\_image=\* -u
   ser IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## Windows Registry Persistence COM Key Linking Detected

- Trigger Condition: COM object hijacking via TreatAs subkey is detected. It is rare, but there are some cases where system utilities use linking keys for backward compatibility.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Component Object Model Hijacking
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.015
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=12 target\_object="HKU\\*\_Classes\CLSID\\*\TreatAs
   "-user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Windows Shell Spawning Suspicious Program

- Trigger Condition: A suspicious child process of Windows Shell is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter
- ATT&CK ID: T1059
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- onorm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image IN ["\*\mshta.exe", "\*\powershell
   .exe", "\*\rundll32.exe", "\*\cscript.exe", "\*\wscript.exe", "\*\wmiprvse.exe"] i
   mage IN ["\*\schtasks.exe", "\*\nslookup.exe", "\*\certutil.exe", "\*\bitsadmin.ex
   e", "\*\mshta.exe"]
- -path="\*\ccmcache\\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Windows SMB Remote Code Execution Vulnerability CVE-2017-0143 Detected

- Trigger Condition: Remote code execution in Windows SMB (CVE-2017-0143) is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon label=Detect label=Network label=Connection destination\_ port=445 rule=SMB source\_address IN MOST\_EXPLOITABLE\_IPS -user IN EXCLUDED\_USE RS

## Windows Suspicious Creation of User Accounts

- Trigger Condition: Creation of an account, followed by its deletion in a day is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Create
- ATT&CK ID: T1136
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- [norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User label=Create -target\_user=\*-calleruser=\*-calleruser=\*-calleruser=\*-calleruser=\*-user=\*\$ -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename target\_user as Account, caller\_user as user] as s1 followed by [norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User (label=Delete or label=Remove) | rename target\_user as Account, caller\_user as user]
- as s2 on s1.Account=s2.Account| rename s1.col\_ts as CreatedTime\_ts, s2.col\_ts a
   s DeletedTime\_ts, s1.user as CreatedUser, s2.user as DeletedUser, s1.Account a
   s Account

#### Windows User Account Created via Command Line

- Trigger Condition: Creation of a user account via CLI like PowerShell or net utility is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Create Account, PowerShell, Local Account
- ATT&CK ID: T1136, T1059.001, T1136.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:
- label="process" label="create" (command="\*New-LocalUser\*" **or** command="\*net use r add\*")

## Windows Unusual User Access to an Object

- **Trigger Condition:** A file or object is accessed by a user more than ten times in a given time.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: File and Directory Discovery, Data from Network Shared Drive, Network Share Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1083, T1039, T1135
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* label=Access label=Object access="\*Read\*Control\*" path=\* -u ser=\*\$ -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | chart distinct\_count(object) as FileAccessed by user, path order by FileAccessed desc | search FileAccessed>10

## Windows User Account Change to End with Dollar Sign

- Trigger Condition: A user account is changed to end with the dollar sign (\$).
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1098
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User label=Account label=Change label=Name new\_user=\*
   s -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename caller\_user as user, caller\_domain as domain

## Windows Webshell Creation Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Creation of WebShell file on a static web site. The alert has been directly translated from sigma rule.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Server Software Component, Web Shell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1505, T1505.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 ((path="\*\inetpub\wwwroot\*" file IN ["\*.asp", "\*.ashx", "\*.ph"]) OR (path IN ["\*\www\\*", "\*\htdocs\\*", "\*\html\\*"] file="\*.ph") OR (file="\*.jsp" path="\*\cgi-bin\\*" path="\*.pl\*"))
   -path IN ["\*\AppData\Local\Temp\*", "\*\Windows\Temp\*"]

## Winlogon Helper DLL

- **Trigger Condition:** Modification of registry entries related to winlogon.exe to load and execute possible malicious DLLs and/or executables is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, Winlogon Helper DLL
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1547, T1547.004
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon

- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon (event\_id=12 or event\_id=13 or event\_id=14) (target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon\user\_nameinit\\*" or target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon\Shell\"" or target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon\Notify\\*")
- -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### WMI - Network Connection

- **Trigger Condition:** A network connection from wmic.exe is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1047
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=3 image="\*wmic.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## WMI Backdoor Exchange Transport Agent

- **Trigger Condition:** WMI backdoor in Exchange Server Software Component and Transport Agents via WMi event filters is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Windows Management Instrumentation Event Subscription
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\EdgeTransport.exe" -user IN E XCLUDED USERS

## WMI Modules Loaded by Suspicious Process

- Trigger Condition: Loading of WMI modules by suspicious processes like a binary from ProgramData is detected. Legitimate system processes and third-party utilities extensively use WMI. We recommend you whitelist to reduce false-positive flooding. Also, do not monitor C:Windows\* as extensive whitelisting is required, which may hamper query's performance.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation
- ATT&CK ID: T1047
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 image IN ["\*wmiclnt.dll", "\*WmiApRpl.dll", "\*wmiprov.dll", "\*wmiutils.dll", "\*wbemcomn.dll", "\*wbemprox.dll", "\*WMINet\_Util s.dll", "\*wbemsvc.dll", "\*fastprox.dll"] source\_image IN ["C:\Users\\*", "C:\Pr

## WMI Persistence - Script Event Consumer Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) script event consumers are detected. Attackers leverage WMI ActiveScriptEventConsumers remotely to move laterally in the network.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Windows Management Instrumentation Event Subscription
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create "process"="\*:\WINDOWS\system32\wbem\scrcons.exe" p arent\_process="\*:\Windows\System32\svchost.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## WMI Persistence - Script Event Consumer File Write

- Trigger Condition: File writes of WMI script event consumer are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Event Triggered Execution, Windows Management Instrumentation Event Subscription
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1546, T1546.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 source\_image="C:\WINDOWS\system32\wbem\scrcons.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### **WMI Process Execution**

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of processes related to WMI is detected. You must whitelist installed security tools or software that uses WMI to reduce false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation
- ATT&CK ID: T1047
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 (parent\_command="\*wmiprvse.exe" or image="\*wmic.exe" or command="\*wmic\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# **WMI Spawning Windows Shell**

 Trigger Condition: WMI spawning Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell are detected.

- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell, Windows Management Instrumentation
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001, T1047
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\wmiprvse.exe" image="\*\powers hell.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## **WMIExec VBS Script Detected**

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of a VBS script by *wscript* and *cscript*.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, Visual Basic
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image IN ["\*\cscript.exe", "\*\wscript.exe"] c ommand="\*.vbs /shell \*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## **Wmiprvse Spawning Process**

- **Trigger Condition:** *wmiprvse* spawning unusual processes are detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Windows Management Instrumentation
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1047
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 parent\_process="\*WmiPrvSe.exe" -target\_logon\_i d="0x3e7" -logon\_id="0x3e7" -"process" IN ["\*\WmiPrvse.exe", "\*\Werfault.exe"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## WScript or CScript Dropper Detected

- Trigger Condition: Execution of wscript or cscript scripts in user directories is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, Visual Basic, JavaScript
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059.007, T1059.005, T1059
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create "process" IN ["\*\wscript.exe", "\*\cscript.exe"] c
  ommand IN ["\*:\Users\\*", "\*:\ProgramData\\*"] command IN ["\*.jse", "\*.vbe", "\*.
  js", "\*.vba", "\*.vbs"] -parent\_process = "\*\winzip\*"

## Wsreset UAC Bypass Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** A method that uses the Wsreset.exe tool used to reset the Windows Store bypassing UAC is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism, Bypass User Access Control
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1548, T1548.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\WSreset.exe" -image="\*\conhos t.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## XSL Script Processing Detected

- Trigger Condition: Application control bypass attempt via execution of embedded scripts inside Extensible Stylesheet Language (XSL) files is detected. The alert detects another variation of this technique, dubbed Squiblytwo, that utilizes WMI to invoke JScript or VBScript within an XSL file. Legitimate invocations of msxsl employ the -o command-line argument should be whitelisted to reduce false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: XSL Script Processing
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1220
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create ((("process"="\*\wmic.exe" command IN ["\* format\* :\*", "\*/format\*:\*", "\*-format\*:\*"] ) -command in ["\*Format:List", "\*Format:ht able", "\*Format:hform", "\*Format:table", "\*Format:mof", "\*Format:value", "\*Format:rawxml", "\*Format:xml", "\*Format:csv"] ) OR ("process"="\*\msxsl.exe" -comm and="\* -o \*")) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## **ZOHO Dctask64 Process Injection Detected**

- Trigger Condition: Process injection using ZOHO's dctask64.exe is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1055
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\dctask64.exe" -command="\*DesktopCent ral\_Agent\agent\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

## ZxShell Malware Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Proxy execution of ZxShell via Rundll32 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Command-Line Interface, Signed Binary Proxy Execution, Rundll32

- ATT&CK ID: T1059, T1218, T1218.011
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\rundll32.exe" command IN ["\*zxFunction\*", "\*RemoteDiskXXXXX\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# APT 34 Initial Access Using Spearphishing Link Detected

- Trigger Condition: Entry vectors try to gain their initial foothold within a network using Spearphishing link with IOCs' attacks related to APT34. For the alert to work, it uses lists; IRANIAN\_SPEARPHISHING\_DOMAINS and IRANIAN SPEARPHISHING IP.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Spearphishing Link
- ATT&CK ID: T1566
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: EmailServer
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* label=Detect label=Malicious label=URL (source\_address in IRANIAN\_SP EARPHISHING\_IP OR domain in IRANIAN\_SPEARPHISHING\_DOMAINS) -user IN EXCLUDED\_U SERS

#### **Automated Collection Detected**

- **Trigger Condition:** An adversary uses automated techniques like scripting for collecting internal data.
- ATT&CK Category: Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Automated Collection
- ATT&CK ID: T1119
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer (event\_id=4104 ( scriptblocktext="\*Get-ChildItem -Recurse\*Co py-Item\*" OR scriptblocktext="\*Get-ChildItem\*" OR scriptblocktext="\*Get-Proces s\*" OR scriptblocktext="\*Get-Service\*" OR scriptblocktext="\*cmd.exe dir\*findst r /e\*" OR scriptblocktext="\*wmic process list\*" OR script\_block="\*Get-ChildIte m -Recurse\*Copy-Item\*" OR script\_block="\*Get-ChildItem\*" OR script\_block="\*Get-Process\*" OR script\_block="\*Get-Service\*" OR script\_block="\*cmd.exe dir\*finds tr /e\*" OR script\_block="\*wmic process list\*")) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rena me scriptblocktext as command | rename script\_block as command

## Screenshot Capture Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** An adversary captures the screen of the desktop to gather information throughout an operation.
- ATT&CK Category: Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Automated Collection
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1113
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows

- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer (event\_id=4104 (scriptblocktext="\*Get-ScreenShot.ps1\*" OR script\_block="\*Get-ScreenShot.ps1\*")) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename scriptblocktext as command | rename script block as command

# APT 34 Command and Control Using Commonly used Ports Detected

- Trigger Condition: An adversary communicates over a commonly used port to bypass firewalls or network detection systems and blend with regular network activity to avoid detailed inspection. The alert uses lists IRANIAN\_CNC\_IP, IRANIAN\_CNC\_DOMAIN, and COMMON\_PORTS.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: ProxyServer
- Querv:
- norm\_id=\*Proxy\* source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* destination\_port IN COM MON\_PORTS destination\_address in IRANIAN\_CNC\_IP destination\_host in IRANIAN\_CN C\_DOMAIN -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# APT 34 Command and Control Using Standard Application Layer Protocol Detected

- Trigger Condition: An adversary communicates using a common, standardized Application Layer protocol such as HTTP, HTTPS, SMTP, or DNS to avoid detection by blending in with existing traffic. The alert uses lists STANDARD\_APPLICATION\_PORTS, RANIAN\_CNC\_DOMAIN, and IRANIAN CNC IP.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Application Layer Protocol
- ATT&CK ID: T1071
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: ProxyServer
- Query:
- norm\_id=\*proxy source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* destination\_port IN STAN DARD\_APPLICATION\_PORTS destination\_address in IRANIAN\_CNC\_IP destination\_host in IRANIAN\_CNC\_DOMAIN -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# APT 34 Command and Control Using Uncommonly used Port Detected

 Trigger Condition: An adversary conducts Command and Control communications over a non-standard port to bypass proxy and firewalls that are misconfigured. The alert uses lists IRANIAN\_CNC\_IP, IRANIAN\_CNC\_DOMAIN, and UNCOMMON\_PORTS.

- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Non-Standard Port
- ATT&CK ID: T1571
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: ProxyServer
- Query:
- norm\_id=\*Proxy\* source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* destination\_port IN UNC OMMON\_PORTS destination\_address in IRANIAN\_CNC\_IP destination\_host in IRANIAN\_ CNC DOMAIN -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

# Credential Dumping using procdump Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** An adversary obtains account login and password information using procdump, generally in the form of a hash or a clear text password, from the operating system and software.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Credential Dumping
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon label=File label=Create file=\*.dmp source\_image="\*procdu mp.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename source\_image as image

## Access Using Browser Stored Credential Detected

- Trigger Condition: Adversary acquires credentials from web browsers by reading
  files specific to the target browser and using password stores, credentials from
  web browsers. The alert is triggered when process wsus is detected on path of
  web browsers.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Credentials from Password Stores, Credentials from Web Browsers
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1555, T1555.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label=Object label=Access label=File "process"="\*wsus.exe" (path="\*firefox\*" OR path="\*chrome\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# **GUI Input Capture Detected**

- **Trigger Condition:** Credential access using input capture technique is detected. Adversaries use this technique to obtain valid account credentials on the target system and other sensitive user information that may assist in the attack campaign.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: GUI Input Capture

- ATT&CK ID: T1056.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon label=Set label=Registry "process"="\*keylogger\_directx.e xe" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## Files and Directory Discovery Process Detected

- Trigger Condition: An adversary enumerates files and directories, or searches in a specific host or network share locations for particular information within a file system.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: File and Directory Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1083
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create -command="\*findstr\*" (command="
   \*cmd.exe\*dir \*" OR command="\*tree.com\*" ) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename com
   mandline as command

## Account Discovery Process Detected

- Trigger Condition: Adversaries attempt to get a listing of accounts on a system or within an environment that can help them determine which accounts exist to aid in follow-on behavior.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Discovery, Domain Account
- ATT&CK ID: T1087, T1087.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create command="\*dsquery user\*" user I
   N EXCLUDED USERS

## Suspicious File Deletion Detected

- Trigger Condition: Adversaries remove trail files for an intrusion to keep their footprint low or remove them at the end as part of the post-intrusion cleanup process. For the alert to work, you must configure ACLs on paths and extensions you want to monitor for deletion operations.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Indicator Removal on Host, File Deletion
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1070, T1070.004
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

norm\_id=WinServer label=Object label=Access access="\*delete\*" (relative\_target ="\*.exe" OR relative\_target="\*.bat" OR relative\_target="\*.ps1" OR relative\_target="\*.cmd") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename relative\_target as file

#### File or Information Decode Process Detected

- Trigger Condition: An adversary implements Obfuscated Files or Information to hide artifacts of an intrusion from analysis and employ spcific decoding to use them.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Decode Files or Information
- ATT&CK ID: T1140
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create (commandline="\*certutil.exe\*-en code\*calc.exe\*T1140\_calc.txt" OR commandline="\*certutil.exe\*-decode\*T1140\_calc.txt\*T1140\_calc\_decoded.exe" OR command="\*certutil.exe\*-encode\*calc.exe\*T1140\_calc.txt" OR command="\*certutil.exe\*-decode\*T1140\_calc.txt\*T1140\_calc\_decoded.exe")
- -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename commandline as command

### Access of Password Policy Detected

- Trigger Condition: The use of command net\* accounts is detected. Adversary
  accesses detailed information about the password policy used within an enterprise
  network.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Password Policy Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1021
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create) OR (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11) command="\*net\*accounts\*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Access of Permission Groups Detected

- Trigger Condition: The use of commands net and get is detected. Adversary finds
  a local system or domain-level groups and permissions settings using these
  commands.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Permission Group Discovery, Local Groups, Domain Groups
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1069, T1069.001, T1069.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create) OR (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event id=1 image="\*net.exe")) (command="\*net\*user\*" OR command="\*net\*group\*" OR c

#### Security Software Discovery Process Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversary attempts to get a listing of security software, configurations, defensive tools, and sensors that are installed on the system.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Security Software Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1518
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create (command="\*findstr.exe\*virus" 0
  R command="\*findstr.exe\*cylance" OR command="\*findstr.exe\*defender" OR command
  ="\*findstr.exe\*cb" ) -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## System Network Configuration Discovery

- Trigger Condition: Discovery of network configuration via system utilities like ipconfig, route, or netsh is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: System Network Configuration Discovery
- ATT&CK ID: T1016
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create (command="\*ipconfig.exe\*" OR command="\*route.exe\*" OR command="\*netsh advfirewall\*" OR command="\*arp.exe\*" OR command="\*netsh.exe\*interface show" OR command="\*ne

#### System Network Connections Discovery

- Trigger Condition: Discovery of network connections via system utilities like netstat or net is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: System Network Connections Discovery
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1049
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create ("process" IN ["\*net.exe","\*netstat.exe"] command
   IN ["\*net\* use\*","\*net\* sessions\*","\*net\* file\*","\*netstat\*"]) OR command="\*Ge t-NetTCPConnection\*" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Exfiltration over Cloud Application Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversary performs data exfiltration with a different protocol from the main Command and Control protocol or channel.
- ATT&CK Category: Exfiltration
- ATT&CK Tag: Exfiltration Over Alternative Protocol
- ATT&CK ID: T1048
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: ProxyServer
- Query:
- norm\_id=\*Proxy\* source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* destination\_address IN C LOUD\_APPLICATION\_IP -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Remote File Copy Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Files are copied from one system to another to stage adversary tools or other files throughout an operation.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote File Copy
- ATT&CK ID: T1105
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label=Object label=Access access=\* (relative\_target="\*.exe" O
  R relative\_target="\*.bat") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS | rename relative\_target as
  file

#### Account Created for Persistence Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The use of net commands is detected. An adversary with a sufficient level of access may create a local system, domain, or cloud tenant account, use for persistence employing this command.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Create Account
- ATT&CK ID: T1136
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create) OR (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon im age="\*net.exe\*")) command="\*net\*/add\*" -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

#### Account Manipulated for Persistence Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** The use of net commands is detected. Adversary performs actions for modifying permissions, credentials, adding or changing permission groups, modifying account settings, or authentication settings using this command.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Account Manipulation
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1098
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

• ((norm\_id=WinServer label="Process" label=Create) OR (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon im age="\*net.exe\*")) command="\*net\*localgroup\*/add" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

# Privilege Escalation - Bypassing User Account Control Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversary uses techniques to elevate a user's privileges manipulating UAC to administer if the target process is unprotected.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Bypass User Account Control
- ATT&CK ID: T1548
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon OR ((command=\* OR commandline=\*) norm\_id=WinServer)) la bel="Process" label=Create (command="\*eventvwr.exe\*" OR commandline="\*eventvwr .exe\*" OR command="\*wscript.exe\*" OR commandline="\*wscript.exe\*" OR token\_elev ation\_type="TokenElevationTypeLimited\*")
- -user IN EXCLUDED USERS | rename commandline as command

#### **Executable Dropped in Suspicious Location**

- Trigger Condition: When the dropping of an executable file is in a suspicious location on a system. Suspicious locations may include directories not commonly used to store executables, such as temporary folders or user profiles, or locations that users do not typically access. Adversaries may use this technique to drop and execute malicious payloads or scripts on a system. They may attempt to place these files in locations that are not easily visible or accessible to users to evade detection. False Positive notice: It is essential to whitelist noisy system processes like Microsoft Defender, Visual Studio, etc, to reduce false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 file="\*.exe" path IN ["C:\ProgramData\*", "\*\
  AppData\Local\\*", "\*\AppData\Roaming\\*", "C:\Users\Public\\*"] -source\_image IN
  ["\*\Microsoft Visual Studio\Installer\\*\BackgroundDownload.exe", "C:\Windows\s
  ystem32\cleanmgr.exe", "\*\Microsoft\Windows Defender\\*\MsMpEng.exe",
- "C:\Windows\SysWOW64\OneDriveSetup.exe", "\*\AppData\Local\Microsoft\OneDrive\\*
  ", "\*\Microsoft\Windows Defender\platform\\*\MpCmdRun.exe", "\*\AppData\Local\Te
  mp\mpam-\*.exe"] -file IN ["vs\_setup\_bootstrapper.exe", "DismHost.exe"]

#### Process Execution from Suspicious Location

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of a process from suspicious location is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -

- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 "process" IN ["C:\ProgramData\\*.exe", "\*\AppDa
  ta\Local\\*.exe", "\*\AppData\Roaming\\*.exe", "C:\Users\Public\\*"] -"process" IN
  ["\*\Teams.exe", "\*\Teams\Update.exe", "\*\Temp\\*\dismhost.exe", "\*Microsoft\One
  Drive\\*\FileCoAuth.exe", "C:\ProgramData\Microsoft\\*\MpCmdRun.exe", "\*\Local\T
  emp\\*\BackgroundDownload.exe", "\*Microsoft\Windows Defender\\*\NisSrv.exe", "C:
  \ProgramData\Microsoft\\*\MsMpEng.exe"]

## Active Directory Enumeration via ADFind

- Trigger Condition: When enumeration of Active Directory using the ADfind tool is detected. AdFind is a CLI-based utility that can be used for gathering information from Active Directory like organizational units, users, computers, and groups. Adversaries can use this utility to gather information related to the Active Directory.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter, T1059.001 -PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create "process"="\*.exe" command IN ["\* -f \*objectcatego ry=\*", "\* -sc trustdmp\*", "\*lockoutduration\*", "\*lockoutthreshold", "\*lockouto bservationwindow\*", "\*maxpwdage\*", "\*minpwdage\*", "\*minpwdlength\*", "\*pwdhisto rylength\*", "\*pwdproperties\*", "\*-sc admincountdmp\*", "\*-sc exchaddresses\*"]

### Antivirus Software Discovery via WMI

- **Trigger Condition:** Antivirus software discovery activity via WMI is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Software Discovery, Security Software Discovery
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1518, T1518.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 "process"="\*\wmic.exe" command="\*SecurityCente r2\*AntiVirusProduct\*"

#### Possible Command Prompt Process Hollowing

- Trigger Condition: Possible process hollowing of the command prompt is detected using applications like net.exe, nltest.exe or ipfconfig. Adversaries inject malicious code into suspended and hollowed processes to evade process-based defenses.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Process Injection, Process Hollowing

- ATT&CK ID: T1055, T1055.012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 parent\_image="\*\cmd.exe" image IN ["\*\net.exe
  ", "\*\net1.exe", "\*\nltest.exe", "\*\ipconfig.exe"] -parent\_command IN ["\* /c \*
  ", "\* /k \*"]

#### Suspicious Taskkill Activity

- **Trigger Condition:** More than two processes are terminated quickly via taskkill command that may signal malicious activity like ransomware.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Service Stop
- ATT&CK ID: T1489
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 "process"="\*\taskkill.exe" | chart count() as c
   nt by host, "process" | search cnt > 2

#### Suspicious File or Directory Permission Modification

- **Trigger Condition:** Permission modification of suspicious file or directory is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: File and Directory Permissions Modification, Windows File and Directory Permissions Modification
- ATT&CK ID: T1222.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 "process"="\*\icacls.exe" command="icacls\*:\*/gr ant everyone\*"

#### Ryuk Wake-On-LAN Activity

- Trigger Condition: Ryuks Wake-On-LAN activity is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 "process"="\*.exe" command="\* 8 LAN \*"

#### EXE or DLL Dropped in Perflogs Folder

• **Trigger Condition:** The EXE or DLL file is dropped in Windows's Perflog directory.

- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 file IN ["\*.dll", "\*.exe"] path="C:\Perflogs

## Credential Access via LaZagne

- **Trigger Condition:** Credential access via the popular open-source LaZagne tool is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping, LSASS Memory
- ATT&CK ID: T1003,T1003.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=10 call\_trace="\*C:\Windows\SYSTEM32\ntdll.dll+\*
   |C:\Windows\System32\KERNELBASE.dll+\*\_ctypes.pyd+\*python27.dll+\*"

#### RDP Connection Inititated from Domain Controller

- Trigger Condition: Initiation of RDP connection from a domain controller is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Services, Remote Desktop Protocol
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1021, T1021.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-TerminalServices-RemoteConne ctionManager" event\_id=1149 |
- rename eventxml.param3 as source address | search source address IN WINDOWS DC

#### Active Directory Module Load in PowerShell

- **Trigger Condition:** Active Directory module loading in PowerShell is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4103 command="Import-Module" payload="\*ActiveDirect ory\*"

## Possible Active Directory Enumeration via AD Module

- Trigger Condition: Enumeration of Active Directory via PowerShell's AD module is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote System Discovery, Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1018, T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4103 command="Get-ADComputer" payload="\*DNSHostName
   \*LastLogonDate\*"

## Microsoft Defender Disabling Attempt via PowerShell

- Trigger Condition: An attempt to disable Microsoft Defender via PowerShell is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Disable or Modify Tools, Command and Scripting Interpreter, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562.001, T1059, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4104 script\_block="Set-MpPreference -DisableRealtim eMonitoring \$true"

## Possible Kerberoasting via Rubeus

- Trigger Condition: Kerberoasting attack via popular open-source tool Rubeus is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Steal or Forge Kerberos Tickets, Kerberoasting
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1558, T1558,003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 -source\_image="C:\Windows\System32\\*" image I
   N ["\*\clr.dll", "\*\kerberos.dll", "\*\cryptdll.dll", "\*\dsparse.dll"]
- | chart distinct\_count(image) as dc, distinct\_list(image) as images | search dc=4

#### Suspicious Scheduled Task Creation

Trigger Condition: When a suspicious scheduled task creation is detected in a
Windows endpoint. The suspicious task here refers to tasks running scripts or
programs from temp directories or insecure locations (writable by any user).
Adversaries may abuse the Windows Task Scheduler to perform task scheduling
for the initial or recurring execution of malicious code to achieve persistence,
lateral movement, execution, detection evasion, and privilege escalation. Also, it

is prevalent among ransomware to use public directories for scheduled task creation.

- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer label=Schedule label=Task label=Create command IN ["\*C:\User s\\*", "\*C:\Windows\Temp\\*", "\*C:\ProgramData\\*"] -command="C:\ProgramData\Micr osoft\Windows Defender\Platform\\*"

## RDP Connection Inititated from Suspicious Country

- **Trigger Condition:** Initiation of RDP connection from a domain controller is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts, Domain Accounts
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1078, T1078.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-TerminalServices-RemoteConne ctionManager" event\_id=1149 -eventxml.param3 IN HOMENET | rename eventxml.para m3 as source\_address
- | process geoip(source\_address) as country | search country IN SUSPICIOUS\_COUNTRY

#### Scheduled Task Deletion

- **Trigger Condition:** Deletion of a scheduled task is detected using schtasks utility with delete command.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Scheduled Task/Job, Scheduled Task
- ATT&CK ID: T1053, T1053.005
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image='\*\schtasks.exe' command='\*delete\*'

## Possible GootKit WScript Execution

- Trigger Condition: GootKit banking trojan's WScript execution activity is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Command and Scripting Interpreter, Visual Basic
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1059, T1059.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows

- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 "process"="\*\wscript.exe" command="\*\APPDATA\\*
  .js\*"

#### Winnti loC Domain Match

- **Trigger Condition:** A match for Winnti (APT41) group's IoC domain is found. The IoC reference is PT ESC Threat Intelligence, January 14, 2021.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Querv:
- (domain IN WINNTI\_DOMAINS OR query IN WINNTI\_DOMAINS) | rename query as ioc, domain as ioc

#### Winnti loC Hash Match

- Trigger Condition: A match for Winnti (APT41) group's IoC hash is found. The IoC reference is PT ESC Threat Intelligence, January 14, 2021.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Antivirus, EDR, Sysmon
- Querv:
- (hash IN WINNTI\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN WINNTI\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 IN WINNTI\_HASHES) | rename hash as ioc, hash\_sha1 as ioc, hash\_sha256 as ioc

## Zerologon CVE-2020-1472 Exploitation Detected

- Trigger Condition: The exploitation of Zerologon (CVE-2020-1472) in domain controllers is detected. For this alert to work, you must update the list WINDOWS\_DC with a computer name of domain controllers ending with \$ in the Active Directory. By default, in Active Directory, the domain computers submit a request to change the password every 30 days, hence you can expect some false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK ID: T1068
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- (hash IN WINNTI\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN WINNTI\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 IN WINNTI\_ HASHES) | rename hash as ioc, hash\_sha1 as ioc, hash\_sha256 as ioc

### Allowed NetLogon Connections - CVE-2020-1472

- **Trigger Condition:** Any vulnerable Netlogon connections detected after installation of the Zerologon patch during the initial deployment phase.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1068
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5829

### Denied NetLogon Connections - CVE-2020-1472

- **Trigger Condition:** Any denied vulnerable Netlogon connections detected after installation of the Zerologon patch.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK ID: T1068
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN ["5827", "5828"]

# Allowed NetLogon Connections via Group Policy - CVE-2020-1472

- Trigger Condition: Any allowed vulnerable Netlogon connections detects Domain controller: allow vulnerable Netlogon secure channel connections in Group Policy setting.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK ID: T1068
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id IN ["5830", "5831"]

# Exchange Remote Code Execution CVE-2020-0688 Attempt

- Trigger Condition: A remote code execution attempt via CVE-2020-0688 in Microsoft Exchange is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: External Remote Services
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1133
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:

 norm\_id=\* (url="\*/ecp/default.aspx\*\_\_VIEWSTATEGENERATOR\*VIEWSTATE=\*" OR resour ce="\*\_\_VIEWSTATEGENERATOR\*VIEWSTATE=\*")

#### BlueKeep Vulnerability CVE-2019-0708 Exploitation

- Trigger Condition: The exploitation of BlueKeep, a remote desktop services remote code execution vulnerability, also known as CVE-2019-0708 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploitation of Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1210
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS/IPS
- Query:
- (norm\_id=Snort OR norm\_id=SuricataIDS) message="\*Windows RDP MS\_T120\*"

# Confluence Remote Code Execution CVE-2019-3398 Attempt

- Trigger Condition: A remote code execution via CVE-2019-3398 in Confluence Server and Data Center is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application
- ATT&CK ID: T1190
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST (url='\*plugins/drag-and-drop/upload.action\*filen ame=../../\*.jsp\*' OR resource='\*plugins/drag-and-drop/upload.action\*filename=../../\*.jsp\*')

# ZoHo ManageEngine Pre-Auth File Upload CVE-2019-8394 Exploitation Attempt

- Trigger Condition: A pre-auth file upload vulnerability CVE-2019-8394 in ZoHo ManageEngine ServiceDesk Plus is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application
- ATT&CK ID: T1190
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST (url='\*/common/FileAttachment.jsp?module=CustomL ogin\*' OR resource='\*/common/FileAttachment.jsp?module=CustomLogin\*')

# ZoHo ManageEngine Desktop Central CVE-2020-10189 Exploitation Attempt

- **Trigger Condition:** A remote code execution attempt via CVE-2019-11580 in ZoHo ManageEngine Desktop Central is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application
- ATT&CK ID: T1190
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST (url='\*/mdm/client/v1/mdmLogUploader\*webapps\*\_chart\*' OR resource='\*/mdm/client/v1/mdmLogUploader\*webapps\*\_chart\*')

# Atlassian Crowd Remote Code Execution CVE-2019-11580 Exploitation Attempt

- Trigger Condition: A remote code execution attempt via CVE-2019-11580 in Atlassian Crowd is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application
- ATT&CK ID: T1190
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:

norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST content\_type="multipart/mixed\*" (url='\*/crowd/admin/upl
oadplugin.action\*' OR resource='\*/crowd/admin/uploadplugin.action\*')

# Fortinet Pre-Auth File Read CVE-2018-13379 Exploitation Attempt

- Trigger Condition: The exploitation of pre-auth file read vulnerability (2018-13379) in Fortinet FortiOS is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: External Remote Services
- ATT&CK ID: T1133
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Querv:
- norm\_id=\* (url='\*lang=/../../\*/dev/cmdb/sslvpn\_websession\*' OR resource='\*lang =/../../\*/dev/cmdb/sslvpn websession\*')

# Adobe ColdFusion Remote Code Execution CVE-2018-15961 Attempt

- Trigger Condition: The exploitation of arbitrary file upload vulnerability (CVE-2018-15961) to upload JSP webshell for remote code execution in Adobe ColdFusion is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application

- ATT&CK ID: T1190
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Querv:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST (url='\*/cf\_scripts/\*/upload.cfm\*' OR resource='\*
  /cf\_scripts/\*/upload.cfm\*')

## Creation of Encrypted Winrar archive via CLI

- **Trigger Condition:** Creation of an encrypted RAR archive via CLI is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Collection
- ATT&CK Tag: Obfuscated Files or Information, Software Packing, Archive Collected Data, Archive via Utility
- ATT&CK ID: T1027, T1027.002, T1560, T1560.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image='\*\rar.exe' command='\*-hp\*'

## Default Hard disk Usage Status

- **Trigger Condition:** The hard disk uses storage greater than or equal to 80%.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: LogPoint
- Query:
- label=Harddisk label=Usage label=Metrics use>=80

#### Default License Grace State

- **Trigger Condition:** LogPoint's license has expired and is operating in grace state.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: LogPoint
- Query:
- norm id=LogPoint label=Audit label=License label=Grace

#### Default License Invalid

- Trigger Condition: LogPoint's license is no longer valid.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- ATT&CK ID: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: LogPoint
- Query:

norm id=LogPoint label=Audit label=License label=Invalid

#### Microsoft Build Engine Loading Credential Libraries

- Trigger Condition: Loading of credential libraries by Microsoft Build engine is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: OS Credential Dumping, Security Account Manager
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1003, T1003.002
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=7 source\_image='\*msbuild.exe' image IN ['vaultc li.dll', 'SAMLib.DLL']

#### Microsoft Build Engine started by Office

- Trigger Condition: Execution of Microsoft Build engine by Office products is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution, MSBuild
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1127, T1127.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image='\*msbuild.exe' parent\_image IN ['\*eqned
  t32.exe', '\*excel.exe', '\*fltldr.exe', '\*msaccess.exe', '\*winword.exe', '\*mspu
  b.exe', '\*outlook.exe', '\*powerpnt.exe']

#### Potential Botnet Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: Botnet-infected host is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control, Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy, Network Denial of Service
- ATT&CK ID: T1090, T1498
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Querv:
- label=Botnet label=Detect source\_address=\* destination\_address=\* (host=\* or de vice\_address=\*) | rename device\_address as host

### Potential Phishing Attack Detected

- Trigger Condition: Phishing attack is detected
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Phishing, Spearphishing Attachment
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1566, T1566.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: MailServer

- Query:
- label=Detect label=Malicious label=File file=\* sender=\* receiver=\* hash=\*

#### Potential Malware Infected Host Detected

- Trigger Condition: A ransomware-infected host is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: Data Encrypted for Impact
- ATT&CK ID: T1486
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query
- (label=Detect label=Malware label=Infection malware="\*Ransom\*") OR (hash IN MALWARE\_HASH) host=\* hash=\*

#### PowerShell Module Logging Setting Discovery

- Trigger Condition: Enumeration of PowerShell module logging setting is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: Query Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1012
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object="\*\PowerShell\ModuleLogging\*"

## PowerShell Module Logging Setting Discovery

- Trigger Condition: Multiple failed user logins followed by successful login is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Persistence, Privilege Escalation, Initial Access, Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Valid Accounts, Brute Force
- ATT&CK ID: T1078, T1110
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- [4 norm\_id=WinServer\* label=User label=Login label=Fail user!=\*user=\*havingsame user]asFailfollowedby[normid=WinServer\*label=Userlabel=Loginlabel=Successfulus er!=\*user=\*havingsameuser]asFailfollowedby[normid=WinServer\*label=Userlabel=Loginlabel=Successfuluser!=\* user=\*]
- as Login on Fail.user=Login.user | rename user as User, Login.source\_address a s SourceAddress

#### Safe DLL Search Mode Disabled

Trigger Condition: Safe DLL search mode is disabled.

- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Impair Defenses, Indicator Blocking
- ATT&CK ID: T1562, T1562.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object='\*\CurrentControlSet\Control\Session Manager\SafeDllSearchMode' detail="DWORD (0x00000000)"

#### Potential Intrusion Detected

- Trigger Condition: An intrusion by IDS or IPS devices is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Proxy, Exploitation for Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK ID: T1090, T1211
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:
- label=Intrusion label=Detect source\_address=\* destination\_address=\*

### Windows Crash Dump Disabled

- Trigger Condition: Windows's crash dump registry setting is disabled.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- ATT&CK ID: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object="HKLM\System\CurrentControlSet \Control\CrashControl\CrashDumpEnabled" detail="DWORD (0x00000000)"

## Suspicious Shells Spawn by SQL Server

- Trigger Condition: A suspicious shell process is spawned by the SQL Server process which may indicate exploitation of a vulnerability.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Exploit Public-Facing Application, PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1190, T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 parent\_process="\*\sqlservr.exe" "process" IN [
   "\*\cmd.exe", "\*\powershell.exe", "\*\bash.exe", "\*\sh.exe", "\*\bitsadmin.exe"] (parent\_process IN ["C:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL Server\\*", "\*DATEV\_DBENGIN
   E\MSSQL\Binn\sqlservr.exe"] "process"="C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe" command='"
   C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe" \*')

#### HermeticWiper Driver Load

- Trigger Condition: When loading of HermeticWiper's driver IoC hashes is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: N/A
- ATT&CK Tag: N/A
- ATT&CK ID: N/A
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=6 (hash IN HERMETIC\_WIPER\_DRIVER\_HASHES OR hash \_sha1 IN HERMETIC\_WIPER\_DRIVER\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 IN HERMETIC\_WIPER\_DRIVER\_HASHES) | rename hash as ioc, hash sha1 as ioc, hash sha256 as ioc

#### UltraVNC Execution via Command Line

- **Trigger Condition:** When UltraVNC execution via the command line is detected. Gamaredon is known to use this technique for gaining remote access.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: Remote Access Software
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1219
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 command="\*-autoreconnect \*" command="\*-connect
   \*" command="\*-id:\*"

#### Office Security Settings Changed

- **Trigger Condition:** When modification of Microsoft Office security settings in the registry is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: Modify Registry
- **ATT&CK ID**: T1112
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object In ["\*\Security\Trusted Docume nts\TrustRecords\*", "\*\Security\AccessVBOM\*", "\*\Security\VBAWarnings\*"]

#### HermeticWiper IoC Hashes Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When any Hermetic Wiper IoC hash match is found. IoC Reference: Hashes are latest up to March 2022.
- ATT&CK Category: Resource Development
- ATT&CK Tag: Malware
- ATT&CK ID: T1588.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS, IPS, Firewall, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

• (hash IN HERMETIC\_WIPER\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN HERMETIC\_WIPER\_HASHES OR hash\_s ha256 IN HERMETIC\_WIPER\_HASHES) | rename hash as ioc, hash\_sha1 as ioc, hash\_s ha256 as ioc

### IsaacWiper IoC Hashes Detected

- Trigger Condition: When any Issac Wiper IoC hash match is found. IoC Reference: Hashes are latest up to March 2022.
- ATT&CK Category: Resource Development
- ATT&CK Tag: Malware
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1588.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS, IPS, Firewall, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (hash IN ISAAC\_WIPER\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN ISAAC\_WIPER\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 I N ISAAC\_WIPER\_HASHES) | rename hash *as* ioc, hash\_sha1 *as* ioc, hash\_sha256 *as* i oc

#### Actinium IoC Hashes Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When any Actinium IoC hash match is found. IoC Reference: Hashes are latest up to March 2022.
- ATT&CK Category: N/A
- ATT&CK Tag: N/A
- ATT&CK ID: N/A
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS, IPS, Firewall, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (hash IN ACTINIUM\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN ACTINIUM\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 IN ACT INIUM\_HASHES) | rename hash as ioc, hash\_sha1 as ioc, hash\_sha256 as ioc

#### WhisperGate IoC Hashes Detected

- Trigger Condition: When any WhisperGate IoC hash match by DEV-0586 is found. IoC Reference: Hashes are latest up to Feb 2022.
- ATT&CK Category: N/A
- ATT&CK Tag: N/A
- ATT&CK ID: N/A
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS, IPS, Firewall, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (hash IN WHISPERGATE\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN WHISPERGATE\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 I N WHISPERGATE\_HASHES) | rename hash *as* ioc, hash\_sha1 *as* ioc, hash\_sha256 *as* i oc

#### GhostWriter IoC Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When any Belarusian threat actor GhostWriter (UNC1151) IoC domains or IP Address match is found. IoC Reference: IoCs are latest up to Feb 2022.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: Phising
- ATT&CK ID: T1566
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS, IPS, Firewall, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- (domain IN GHOSTWRITER\_DOMAINS OR source\_address IN GHOSTWRITER\_IPS OR destination address IN GHOSTWRITER IPS)

#### Actinium IoC Domains Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When any Actinium IoC domain match is found. IoC Reference: Hashes are latest up to Feb 2022.
- ATT&CK Category: N/A
- ATT&CK Tag: N/A
- ATT&CK ID: N/A
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: IDS, IPS, Firewall
- Query:
- domain IN ACTINIUM\_DOMAINS

#### Suspicious VMToolsd Child Process

- **Trigger Condition:** Creation of a suspicious child process of the VMware Tools process that may indicate persistence set up by attackers.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 parent\_process="\*\vmtoolsd.exe" image IN ["\*\c
  md.exe", "\*\powershell.exe", "\*\wscript.exe", "\*\cscript.exe", "\*\rundll32.exe
  ", "\*\regsvr32.exe"] -command IN ["\*\VMware\VMware Tools\poweron-vm-default.ba
  t\*", "\*\VMware\VMware Tools\poweroff-vm-default.bat\*", "\*\VMware\VMware Tools\
  resume-vm-default.bat\*", "\*\VMware\VMware Tools\suspend-vm-default.bat\*"]

#### Credential Access via Pypykatz

- **Trigger Condition:** Credential access via the popular open-source Pypykatz tool. Pypykatz is a Mimikatz implementation in the Python version >= 3.6.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1003.001 LSASS Memory
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=10 image="\*\lsass.exe" call\_trace="\*C:\Windows\SYSTEM32\ntdl1.dll+\*" call trace="\*C:\Windows\System32\KERNELBASE.dll+\*" call

# Atlassian Confluence CVE-2021-26084 Exploitation

- Trigger Condition: Spawning of suspicious child processes by Atlassian Confluence server process that may indicate successful exploitation of CVE-2021-26084. CVE-2021-26084 is an OGNL injection vulnerability in Confluence Server and Data Center that allows an unauthenticated attacker to execute arbitrary code on a Confluence Server or Data Center instance. Confluence Server and Data Center versions before v6.13.23, v6.14.0 before v7.4.11, v7.5.0 before 7.11.6, and v7.12.0 before v7.12.5 are affected by this vulnerability.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- label="Process" label=Create parent\_process="\*\Atlassian\Confluence\jre\bin\ja va.exe" command IN ["\*cmd /c\*", "\*cmd /k\*", "\*powershell\*", "\*certutil\*", "\*curl\*", "\*whoami\*", "\*ipconfig\*"]

#### Impacket PsExec Execution

- Trigger Condition: Execution of Impacket's PsExec utility is detected. Impacket
  is a collection of Python classes for working with network protocols. Impacket
  focuses on providing low-level programmatic access to the packets and is
  commonly used in PoCs.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: T1570 Lateral Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5145 share\_name="IPC\$" relative\_target IN ["\*RemCom\_stdint\*", "\*RemCom\_stdoutt\*", "\*RemCom\_stderrt\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Oracle WebLogic CVE-2021-2109 Exploitation

- **Trigger Condition:** Possible exploitation of the Oracle WebLogic server vulnerability CVE-2021-2109 is detected. This vulnerability allows a high privileged attacker with network access via HTTP to compromise Oracle WebLogic Server.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=GET url="\*com.bea.console.handles.JndiBindingHandle\*" url="\*ldap://\*" url="\*AdminServer\*"

#### Possible JSP Webshell Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** JSP Webshell is detected in the URL. This may indicate springshell is being exploited. However, if .jsp and .class files are commonly used in the network, the result may be false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1505.003 Web Shell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:
- status\_code=200 request\_method IN ["POST", "GET"] url in ["\*.jsp\*", "\*.class\*" ]

#### PowerShell ADRecon Execution

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of the ADRecon PowerShell script for AD reconnaissance is detected. The script is reported to be actively used by FIN7. For the alert to work, the Script block logging must be enabled.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter, T1059.001 -PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4104 script\_block IN ["\*Function Get-ADRExcelComOb\*", "\*ADRecon-Report.xlsx\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### PowerView PowerShell Commandlets

- **Trigger Condition:** Execution of PowerShell commandlets of the popular PowerView module of the PowerSploit framework is detected. For the alert to work, the script block logging must be enabled.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter, T1059.001 -PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4104 script\_block IN ["Export-PowerViewCSV", "Get-I PAddress", "Resolve-IPAddress", "Convert-NameToSid", "ConvertTo-SID", "Convert -ADName", "ConvertFrom-UACValue", "Add-RemoteConnection", "Remove-RemoteConnection", "Invoke-UserImpersonation", "Invoke-RevertToSelf", "Request-SPNTicket", "Get-DomainSPNTicket", "Invoke-Kerberoast", "Get-PathAcl", "Get-DNSZone", "Get-DomainDNSZone", "Get-DomainDNSRecord", "Get-NetDomain", "Get-Domain", "Get-NetDomain", "Get-Domain", "Get-NetForest", "Get-Forest", "Get-NetForestDomain", "Get-NetForestCatalog", "Get-ForestGlobalCatalog", "Find-DomainObjectPropertyOutlier", "Get-NetUser", "Get-DomainUser", "New-DomainUser", "Set-DomainUserPassword", "Get-UserEvent ", "Get-DomainUserEvent", "Get-NetComputer", "Get-DomainComputer", "Get-ADObject", "Get-DomainObject", "Get-ObjectAcl", "

Get-DomainObjectAcl", "Add-ObjectAcl", "Add-DomainObjectAcl", "Invoke-ACLScann er", "Find-InterestingDomainAcl", "Get-NetOU", "Get-DomainOU", "Get-NetSite", "Get-DomainSite", "Get-NetSubnet", "Get-DomainSubnet", "Get-DomainSID", "Get-Ne tGroup", "Get-DomainGroup", "New-DomainGroup", "Find-ManagedSecurityGroups", " Get-DomainManagedSecurityGroup", "Get-NetGroupMember", "Get-DomainGroupMember" , "Add-DomainGroupMember", "Get-NetFileServer", "Get-DomainFileServer", "Get-D FSshare", "Get-DomainDFSShare", "Get-NetGPO", "Get-DomainGPO", "Get-NetGPOGrou p", "Get-DomainGPOLocalGroup", "Find-GPOLocation", "Get-DomainGPOUserLocalGrou pMapping", "Find-GPOComputerAdmin", "Get-DomainGPOComputerLocalGroupMapping", " Get-DomainPolicy", "Get-NetLocalGroup", "Get-NetLocalGroupMember", "Get-NetShare", "Get-NetLoggedon", "Get-NetSession", "Get-LoggedOnLocal", "Get-RegLoggedOn", "Get-NetRDPSession", "Invoke-CheckLocalAdminAccess", "Test-AdminAccess", " Get-SiteName", "Get-NetComputerSiteName", "Get-Proxy", "Get-WMIRegProxy", "Get-LastLoggedOn", "Get-WMIRegLastLoggedOn", "Get-CachedRDPConnection", "Get-WMIR egCachedRDPConnection", "Get-RegistryMountedDrive", "Get-WMIRegMountedDrive", " Get-NetProcess", "Get-WMIProcess", "Find-InterestingFile", "Invoke-UserHunter" , "Find-DomainUserLocation", "Invoke-ProcessHunter", "Find-DomainProcess", "In voke-EventHunter", "Find-DomainUserEvent", "Invoke-ShareFinder", "Find-DomainS hare", "Invoke-FileFinder", "Find-InterestingDomainShareFile", "Find-LocalAdmi nAccess", "Invoke-EnumerateLocalAdmin", "Find-DomainLocalGroupMember", "Get-Ne tDomainTrust", "Get-DomainTrust", "Get-NetForestTrust", "Get-ForestTrust", "Fi nd-ForeignUser", "Get-DomainForeignUser", "Find-ForeignGroup", "Get-DomainFore
ignGroupMember", "Invoke-MapDomainTrust", "Get-DomainTrustMapping"] -user IN E XCLUDED USERS

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- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter, T1059.001 -PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4104 script\_block IN ["Export-PowerViewCSV", "Get-I
  PAddress", "Resolve-IPAddress", "Convert-NameToSid", "ConvertTo-SID", "Convert
  -ADName", "ConvertFrom-UACValue", "Add-RemoteConnection", "Remove-RemoteConnection", "Invoke-UserImpersonation", "Invoke-RevertToSelf", "Request-SPNTicket",
  "Get-DomainSPNTicket", "Invoke-Kerberoast", "Get-PathAcl", "Get-DNSZone", "Get
  -DomainDNSZone", "Get-DNSRecord", "Get-DomainDNSRecord", "Get-NetDomain", "Get
  -Domain", "Get-NetDomainController", "Get-DomainController", "Get-NetForest", "
  Get-Forest", "Get-NetForestDomain", "Get-ForestDomain", "Get-NetForestCatalog"
  , "Get-ForestGlobalCatalog", "Find-DomainObjectPropertyOutlier", "Get-NetUser"
  , "Get-DomainUser", "New-DomainUser", "Set-DomainUserPassword", "Get-UserEvent
  ", "Get-DomainUserEvent", "Get-NetComputer", "Get-DomainComputer", "Get-ADObje
  ct", "Get-DomainObject", "Set-ADObject", "Set-DomainObjectT, "Get-ObjectAcl", "
  Get-DomainObjectAcl", "Add-ObjectAcl", "Add-DomainObjectAcl", "Invoke-ACLScann
  er", "Find-InterestingDomainAcl", "Get-NetOU", "Get-DomainOU", "Get-NetSite", "
  Get-DomainSite", "Get-NetSubnet", "Get-DomainSubnet", "Get-DomainSID", "Get-Net
  tGroup", "Get-DomainGroup", "New-DomainGroup", "Find-ManagedSecurityGroups", "
  Get-DomainManagedSecurityGroup", "Get-NetGroupMember", "Get-DomainGroupMember"

, "Add-DomainGroupMember", "Get-NetFileServer", "Get-DomainFileServer", "Get-D FSshare", "Get-DomainDFSShare", "Get-NetGPO", "Get-DomainGPO", "Get-NetGPOGroup", "Find-GPOLocalGroup", "Find-GPOLocation", "Get-DomainGPOUserLocalGroup pMapping", "Find-GPOComputerAdmin", "Get-DomainGPOComputerLocalGroupMapping", "Get-DomainPolicy", "Get-NetLocalGroup", "Get-NetLocalGroupMember", "Get-NetShare", "Get-NetLoggedon", "Get-NetSession", "Get-LoggedOnLocal", "Get-RegLoggedOn", "Get-NetRDPSession", "Invoke-CheckLocalAdminAccess", "Get-SiteName", "Get-NetComputerSiteName", "Get-Proxy", "Get-WMIRegProxy", "Get-LastLoggedOn", "Get-WMIRegLastLoggedOn", "Get-CachedRDPConnection", "Get-WMIRegCachedRDPConnection", "Get-RegistryMountedDrive", "Get-WMIRegMountedDrive", "Get-NetProcess", "Get-WMIProcess", "Find-InterestingFile", "Invoke-UserHunter", "Find-DomainUserLocation", "Invoke-ProcessHunter", "Find-DomainProcess", "In voke-EventHunter", "Find-DomainUserEvent", "Invoke-ShareFinder", "Find-DomainShare", "Invoke-FileFinder", "Find-InterestingDomainShareFile", "Find-LocalAdminAccess", "Invoke-EnumerateLocalAdmin", "Find-DomainLocalGroupMember", "Get-NetDomainTrust", "Get-DomainTrust", "Get-PorestTrust", "Find-ForeignUser", "Get-DomainForeignUser", "Find-ForeignGroup", "Get-DomainForeignGroupMember", "Invoke-MapDomainTrust", "Get-DomainTrustMapping"] -user IN EXCLUDED USERS

## SpringShell Indicators of Compromise Detected

- Trigger Condition: SpringShell indicator of compromise is detected. This alerts
  checks if any of the request method parameter and URL is being used in
  conjunction to access a command injection once a file has been created.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence, Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1102 Web Service, T1204.002 Malicious File, T1505.003 Web Shell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:
- request\_method in ["POST", "GET"] url IN ["\*?class.module.classloader.resource s.context.parent.pipeline.first.\*", "\*java.io.InputStream%20in%20%3D%20%25%7Bc 1%7Di\*", "\*pwd=\*", "\*cmd=\*", "\*.getParameter(%22pwd%22)\*"]

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- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:
- request\_method in ["POST", "GET"] url IN ["\*?class.module.classloader.resource s.context.parent.pipeline.first.\*", "\*java.io.InputStream%20in%20%3D%20%25%7Bc 1%7Di\*", "\*pwd=\*", "\*cmd=\*", "\*.getParameter(%22pwd%22)\*"]

## SpringShell Webshell Detected in URL

- Trigger Condition: Successful SpringShell resources are requested. Based on the POC, the alert rule may be false positives if the pages are hosted with .jsp or .class files in the network.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1505.003 Web Shell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:
- status\_code=200 url IN ["\*.jsp\*", "\*.class\*"]| norm on url <webShell:'\/.\*\.(j
  sp|class)\?.\*=.\*'> | filter webShell=\*

## Stealthy VSTO Persistence

- Trigger Condition: Persistence via Visual Studio Tools for Office (VSTO) add-ins in Office application.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1137.006 Add-ins
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object IN ["\*\Software\Microsoft\Office\Office\Office\Mord\Addins\\*", "\*\Software\Microsoft\Office\Word\Addins\\*", "\*\Software\Microsoft\Office\Powerpoint\Addins\\*", "\*\Software\Microsoft\Office\Powerpoint\Addins\\*", "\*\Software\Microsoft\VSTO\Security\Inclusion\\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_US ERS -image IN ["\*\msiexec.exe", "\*\regsvr32.exe", "\*\winword.exe", "\*\integrat or.exe", "\*\OfficeClickToRun.exe"]

# Suspicious DLL or VBS Files being created in ProgramData

- Trigger Condition: When a file is created with .dll or vbs extension to the ProgramData folder. A DLL is a library containing code and data that can be used by multiple programs simultaneously. VBScript is an interpreted script language from Microsoft that is a subset of its Visual Basic programming language designed for interpretation by Microsoft's Internet Explorer web browser. Attackers use these techniques for the execution of malicious payloads. This method is predominantly used in Bumblebee attacks.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1204.002 Malicious File
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=11 file IN ["\*.dll", "\*.vbs"] path="C:\ProgramD ata\*"

#### Suspicious VMToolsd Child Process

• **Trigger Condition:** Creation of suspicious child process VMware Tools process, which may indicate persistence set up by attackers.

- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=4688 parent\_process="\*\vmtoolsd.exe" image IN ["\*\c
  md.exe", "\*\powershell.exe", "\*\wscript.exe", "\*\cscript.exe", "\*\rundll32.exe
  ", "\*\regsvr32.exe"] -command IN ["\*\VMware\VMware Tools\poweron-vm-default.ba
  t\*", "\*\VMware\VMware Tools\poweroff-vm-default.bat\*", "\*\VMware\VMware Tools\
  resume-vm-default.bat\*", "\*\VMware\VMware Tools\suspend-vm-default.bat\*"]

## Suspicious WMPRVSE Child Process

- Trigger Condition: A suspicious child process of WMIC is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1047 Windows Management Instrumentation
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

## TerraMaster TOS CVE-2020-28188 Exploitation

- **Trigger Condition:** The exploitation of the TerraMaster TOS vulnerability CVE-2020-28188 is detected. CVE-2020-28188 is a remote command execution (RCE) vulnerability in TerraMaster TOS <= v4.2.06 that allows remote unauthenticated attackers to inject OS commands.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=GET url="\*/include/makecvs.php\*" url="\*?Event=\*" url I
  N ["\*curl\*", "\*wget\*", "\*.py\*", "\*.sh\*", "\*chmod\*", "\*\_GET\*"]

## VMware VSphere CVE-2021-21972 Exploitation

- **Trigger Condition:** The exploitation of VSphere Remote Code Execution vulnerability CVE-2021-21972 is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST url="\*/ui/vropspluginui/rest/services/uploadova\*

# VMware View Planner CVE-2021-21978 Exploitation

- Trigger Condition: The exploitation of the VMware View Planner vulnerability CVE-2021-21978 is detected. CVE-2021-21978 is a flaw due to proper input validation and lack of authorization leading to arbitrary file upload in Log Upload web applications.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server
- Query:
- norm\_id=\* request\_method=POST url="\*logupload\*" url="\*logMetaData\*" url="\*wsgi log upload.py\*"

# Zoho ManageEngine ADSelfService Plus CVE-2021-40539 Exploitation

- Trigger Condition: The REST API authentication bypass vulnerability (CVE-2021-40539) in Zoho ManageEngine ADSelfService Plus (v6113 and prior) is detected. Administrators must have fetched logs from \ManageEngine\ADSelfService Plus\logs path for the detection to work.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application, T1505.003 Web Shell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Web Server
- Query:
- url=\* url IN ["\*/help/admin-guide/Reports/ReportGenerate.jsp\*", "\*/RestAPI/Log onCustomization\*", "\*/RestAPI/Connection\*"]

#### Possible Access to ADMIN Share

- Trigger Condition: Access to \$ADMIN share that may help detect lateral movement attempts is detected. Since Windows Admin Share activity is so common, it provides adversaries with a powerful, discreet way to move laterally within an environment. Self-propagating ransomware and cryptocurrency miners, both rapidly emerging threats, rely on Windows Admin Shares. Suppose an adversary can obtain legitimate Windows credentials. The hidden shares (C\$, ADMIN\$, and IPC\$) can be accessed remotely via server message block (SMB) or the Net utility to transfer files and execute code. Windows Admin Shares are often used in conjunction with behaviors relating to Remote File Copy (T1105)—because adversaries commonly use the technique to copy files remotely—and Network Share Discovery (T1135). It can also occur with New Service (T1050) and Service Execution (T1035) because tools like PsExec deploys their receiver executable to admin shares, scheduling a service to execute it. Legitimate administrative activities may generate false positives and will require whitelisting.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: T1021.002 SMB/Windows Admin Shares

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_id=5140 share\_name="Admin\$" -user="\*\$" -user IN EXCLUD ED USERS

#### PsExec Tool Execution Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** PsExec service installation and execution events (service and Sysmon).
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1569 System Services, T1569.002 Service Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- ((norm\_id=WinServer service="PSEXESVC" event\_id IN [7045, 7036]) OR (event\_id= 1 image="\*\PSEXESVC.exe" user="SYSTEM")) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Screensaver Activities Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries modification of registry key containing the path to binary used as screensaver executable is detected to establish persistence.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1546 Event Triggered Execution, T1546.002 Screensaver
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon (event\_id=12 or event\_id=13 or event\_id=14) (target\_obje ct="\*\Control Panel\Desktop\SCRNSAVE.exe") (parent\_command!="\*explorer.exe" or image!="\*rundll32.exe" or command!="\*shell32.dll, Control\_RunDLL desk.cpl, ScreenSaver, \*") -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

### Suspect Sychost Activity Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Scvhost activity is detected. It is abnormal for svchost.exe to spawn without any CLI arguments and is normally observed when a malicious process spawns the process and injects code into the process memory space.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1055 Process Injection
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\svchost.exe" parent\_image=\* -parent\_image IN ["\*\rpcnet.exe", "\*\rpcnetp.exe", "\*\svchost.exe", "\*\Mrt.exe", "\*\Ms MpEng.exe"] command=\* command="\*svchost.exe" -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Time-Stomping of Users Directory Files Detected

 Trigger Condition: Time-stomping of user directory file is detected. Sysmon can only detect a change of CreationTime and not LastWriteTime and LastAccessTime. Whitelisting legitimate noisy processes like browsers, Slack, or Teams are required to reduce false positives.

- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1070 Indicator Removal on Host, T1070.006 Timestomp
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:
- norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=2 path="C:\Users\*" -source\_image IN ["\*iexplore .exe", "\*cortana\*", "\*\StartMenuExperienceHost.exe", "C:\Windows\system32\clea nmgr.exe", "C:\Windows\Explorer.EXE", "\*\LocalBridge.exe", "\*\svchost.exe", "\*\RuntimeBroker.exe", "\*\msedge.exe", "\*\SearchApp.exe", "C:\Windows\system32\S erverManager.exe", "\*\ServiceHub.RoslynCodeAnalysisService32.exe"] -path="\*\AppData\Roaming\Microsoft\Windows\Recent\CustomDestinations" -user IN EXCLUDED\_U SERS

#### Windows Defender Exclusion Set Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Added Windows Defender exclusion in the registry where an entity bypasses antivirus scanning from Windows Defender.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562 Impair Defenses, T1562.001 Disable or Modify Tools
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- norm\_id=WinServer event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-Windows Defender" event\_id=5
   007 new\_value="HKLM\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows Defender\Exclusions\\*"

#### Suspicious Netsh DLL Persistence Detected

- Trigger Condition: Detects persistence via Netsh Helper.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: T1547 Boot or Logon Autostart Execution(2), T1547.001 -Registry Run Keys / Startup Folder(2)
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Window Sysmon
- Query:
- (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 image="\*\netsh.exe" command IN ["\*add\*", "\*h elper\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS) OR (label=Create label="Process" "process" I N ["\*\netsh.exe", "\*\Netsh.exe"] command="\*add\*" command="\*helper\*")

## Suspicious Use of Procdump Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Suspicious uses of the SysInternals ProcDump utility by using a command-line parameter combined with the *Isass.exe* process. It uses a command-line parameters "-ma" and "-accepteula" in a single step. This alert can detect if an attacker renames the *procdump.exe*.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1003 OS Credential Dumping, T1003.001 LSASS Memory
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon

- Query:
- (norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 ((command IN ["\* -ma \*"] command IN ["\* lsas s\*"]) OR command IN ["\* -ma ls\*"]) -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS) OR (label="Create" label="Process" command="\* -ma \*" command="\* -accepteula \*")

#### Usage of Procdump Detected

- Trigger Condition: Suspicious use of the SysInternals ProcDump utility tool is detected.
- ATT&CK Category: -
- ATT&CK Tag: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- label="Create" label="Process" "process" IN ["\*\procdump.exe", "\*\procdump64. exe"] command="\* -ma\*" command="\*.exe"

#### **Conhost Spawning Suspicious Processes**

- Trigger Condition: conhost.exe spawns other processes.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- label="Process" label="Create" "parent process"="\*\conhost.exe" "process"=\*

#### Proxy Execution via Explorer

- Trigger Condition: explorer.exe is used in cmd.exe to proxy execution.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:
- label="process" label=Create "parent\_process"="\*\cmd.exe" "process"="\*\explore
  r.exe" "command"="\*explorer\*"

#### Wlrmdr Lolbin Use as Launcher

- Trigger Condition: wlrmdr.exe is used to proxy launch other executables.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:

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label="process" "process"="*\wlrmdr.exe" -"parent_process"="*\winlogon.exe" command I N ['*-s *', '*-f *', '*-t *', '*-m *', '*-u *']
```

#### Suspicious Process Execution via Pester Detected

- Trigger Condition: Detects code execution via Pester.bat (Pester Powershell Modulte for testing).
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059.001 PowerShell, T1216 Signed Script Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="create" label="process" event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-Sysmon" ("process"="\*
\powershell.exe" command="\*Pester\*Get-Help\*") OR ("process"="C:\Windows\System32\cmd.
exe" command="\*pester\*;\*" command IN ["\*help\*", "\*?\*"])

#### Root Certificate Installation Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Adversaries may install a root certificate on a compromised system to avoid warnings when connecting to adversary-controlled web servers. This alert can detect the installation of a root certificate.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1553.004 Install Root Certificate
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="Create" label="Process" event\_source="Microsoft-Windows-Sysmon" command="\*root
\*" ("process"="C:\Windows\System32\certutil.exe" command="\*-addstore\*") OR ("process"
="\*\CertMgr.exe" command="\*/add\*") | norm on command <certificate:'\S+.cer'>

#### Suspicious process spawned by FTP

- **Trigger Condition:** *ftp.exe* is used to file transfer, but it can be abused by spawning a new process using *ftp.exe*. The alert detects; renamed *ftp.exe*, *ftp.exe* script execution, and child processes run by *ftp.exe*.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter, T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

### ChromeLoader IoC Domains Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When any domains match with the list of known malicious domains used in the ChromeLoader Malware campaign.
- ATT&CK Category: Resource Development, Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1566 Phishing, T1587.001 Malware

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Firewall, Proxy Server, IDS
- Query:

device\_category IN ["Firewall", "ProxyServer", "IDS"] domain IN CHROMELOADER\_DOMAINS OR query IN CHROMELOADER\_DOMAINS

#### ChromeLoader IoC Hashes Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** Hashes match with the list of known malicious hashes used in the ChromeLoader Malware campaign.
- ATT&CK Category: Resource Development
- ATT&CK Tag: T1587.001 Malware
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

hash IN CHROMELOADER\_HASHES OR hash\_sha1 IN CHROMELOADER\_HASHES OR hash\_sha256 IN CHROMELOADER\_HASHES | rename hash as ioc, hash\_sha1 as ioc, hash\_sha256 as ioc

#### Chromeloader Cross-Process Injection to Load Extention

- **Trigger Condition:** Chromeloader uses process injection using PowerShell and loads the malicious extension in Chrome.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Persistence, Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: T1055 Process Injection, T1059.001 PowerShell, T1176 -Browser Extensions
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

label="Process" label=Create parent\_process="\*powershell" parent\_command = "\*-exe\* by
p\* -win\* hid\* -e\* JAB\*" command IN ["\*--load-extension=\*", "\*Appdata\\local\\chrome\*"
] "process" = "\*chrome"

#### Proxy Execution via Explorer

- Trigger Condition: When Explorer is used to proxy execution. Explorer is a
  Microsoft Windows GUI shell used for task-based file management systems.
  Adversaries generally use Explorer to proxy the execution of other commands or
  processes, evading defense mechanisms.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="process" label=Create "process"="\*\explorer.exe" "command"="\*explorer\*"

## Suspicious Root Certificate installation Detected

• **Trigger Condition:** Installation of a root certificate is detected. Adversaries may install a root certificate on a compromised system to avoid warnings when

connecting to adversary-controlled web servers. However, sometimes Help Desk or IT may need to add a corporate Root CA on occasion manually. So they need to test if the GPO push doesn't trigger a False Positive.

- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1553.004 Install Root Certificate
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

```
label="create" label="process" (command="*root*" (("process"="*\certutil.exe" command
="*-addstore*") OR ("process"="*\CertMgr.exe" command="*/add*")))
```

#### Windows Logon Reminder Usage as Launcher

- **Trigger Condition:** When *Wlrmdr* is used to proxy launch other executables. *Wlrmdr* (Windows Logon Reminder) is a Microsoft Windows Binary used by Microsoft to display messages at login. Adversaries generally use *Wlrmdr* to pass parameters to ShellExecute.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="process" label=create "process"="*\wlrmdr.exe" -"parent_process"="*\winlogon.e
xe" command IN ['*-s *', '*-f *', '*-t *', '*-m *', '*-a *', '*-u *']
```

## Suspicious File Transfer Using Replace

- **Trigger Condition:** Replace is used to transfer (copy or download files) files. *Replace.exe* is a Microsoft Windows executable that allows replacing existing or adding new files in a directory if used with the /a option. Adversaries use the replace process to silently download or copy files in the target system.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="process" label=create "process"="*\replace.exe" command IN ["*/a*", "*-a*"]
```

### Proxy Execution via Program Compatibility Wizard

- Trigger Condition: Pcwrun process is used to initiate a proxy execution. Pcwrun
  is a Microsoft Windows Operating System file used to invoke Program
  Compatibility Troubleshooter/Wizard. Adversaries generally use pcwrun to proxy
  the execution of other commands, processes, or executables in order to evade
  defense mechanisms. However, the specific focus needs to be on outlier events,
  for example unique counts, instead of commonly seen artifacts to prevent false
  positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label=create label="process" parent\_process="\*\pcwrun.exe"

#### Suspicious Driver Installation via PnPUtil

- Trigger Condition: Pnputil process is used to install or add drivers. PnPUtil is a
  Microsoft Windows process that lets an administrator perform actions on driver
  packages. Adversaries use pnputil to install or add malicious drivers. Anyone who
  uses pnputil.exe who is not a system administrator should be investigated, even
  when they have system change permissions.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1547 Boot or Logon Autostart Execution, T1547.006 Kernel Modules and Extensions
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
  - Querv:

label="process" label=create "process"="\*\pnputil.exe" command IN ["\*-i\*", "\*/install
\*", "\*-a\*", "\*/add-driver\*", "\*.inf\*"]

#### Application Whitelisting Bypass via PresentationHost

- Trigger Condition: Presentationhost process is used to execute browser applications. Presentationhost is a Microsoft Windows application that enables the hosting of WPF applications in compatible browsers (including Microsoft Internet Explorer 6 and later). Adversaries use presentationhost.exe to evade application whitelisting and execute malicious XAML Browser Application (XBAP) files.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

label="process" label=create "process"="\*\presentationhost.exe" command="\*.xbap\*"

#### Suspicious File Extraction via Expand Detected

- Trigger Condition: Expand process is used for file transfer (copy or download files). Expand is a Microsoft Windows binary file provided by Microsoft that can extract one or more compressed files and retrieve them from distribution disks. Adversaries use expand to silently download or copy files into the target system or location.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer, T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="process" label=create "process"="*\expand.exe" command IN ["*.cab*", "*/F:*",
"*-F:*", "*C:\ProgramData\*", "*C:\Public\*", "*\AppData\Local\Temp\*", "*\AppData\Ro
aming\Temp\*"]
```

#### Shell spawn via HTML Help Detected

- Trigger Condition: Hh (HTML Help) spawns shell processes. Hh.exe is a
  Microsoft Windows executable program that allows developers to compile .chm
  file(s) with expanding tables of contents, shortcuts, keyword search, and pop-up
  topics. Adversaries use Hh as a target for overwriting and executing their malicious
  commands, spawning other processes.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1047 Windows Management Instrumentation, T1218.001 -Compiled HTML File
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

```
label="process" label=create parent_process="*\hh.exe" "process" IN ["*\cmd.exe", "*\
powershell.exe", "*\wscript.exe", "*\regsvr32.exe", "*\wmic.exe", "*\
rundll32.exe"]
```

#### DLL Injection with Tracker Detected

- Trigger Condition: DLL injection with the tracker process is detected. Tracker.exe
  is a legitimate internal Windows binary file required to incrementally generate
  resources like building on a 64-bit OS using 32-bit MSBuild. Adversaries can use
  it to bypass application whitelisting solutions by proxy execution of an arbitrary DLL
  into another process.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1055.001 Dynamic-link Library Injection
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

```
label="create" label="process" (("process"="*\tracker.exe" OR description="Tracker")
command="* /d *" command="* /c *")
```

#### Powershell Code Execution via SyncAppvPublishingServer

- Trigger Condition: Arbitrary Powershell command is executed via SyncAppvPublishingServer. VBScript files, such as SyncAppvPublishingServer.vbs, are trusted scripts, often signed with certificates. Adversaries can use SyncAppvPublishingServer.vbs to proxy execute PowerShell code.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1216 Signed Script Proxy Execution, T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

# Malicious PE Execution by Microsoft Visual Studio Debugger

- Trigger Condition: Arbitrary Powershell command is executed via SyncAppvPublishingServer. VBScript files, such as SyncAppvPublishingServer.vbs, are trusted scripts, often signed with certificates. Adversaries can use SyncAppvPublishingServer.vbs to proxy execute PowerShell code
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="Create" label="Process"(parent\_process="\*\vsjitdebugger.exe" -(("process"="\*\
vsimmersiveactivatehelper\*.exe" OR "process"="\*\devenv.exe")))

### Suspicious Atbroker Registry Change Detected

- Trigger Condition: Creation or modification of Assistive Technology (AT) registry value is detected. Atbroker is a Windows internal helper binary that provides accessibility tools like screen readers, speech input and text readers, people with disabilities use to accomplish tasks. Adversaries can modify the assistive technology registry value and include their malicious application to maintain persistence.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution, T1547 Boot or Logon Autostart Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

norm\_id=WindowsSysmon label=Registry label=Set target\_object IN ["\*\Software\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Accessibility\ATs\*", "\*\Software\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Accessibility\Configuration\*"]

### DLL loaded Via Certoc Binary Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** DLL loading is detected using certoc binary. Certoc is Windows internal binary used to install certificates, but it also has a feature to load a DLL by LoadDll tag. Adversaries can use certoc binary to load their malicious DLL even when they don't have the relevant access rights.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create command="*certoc.exe*" command IN ["* -LoadDll *", "* /L
oadDll *"] command="*.dll*"
```

#### Suspicious Remote Binary Usage Detected

- Trigger Condition: remote.exe binary is used to bypass application whitelisting
  and execute or run a local or remote file. Remote.exe is a Windows binary
  server/client tool that allows users to run command-line programs on remote
  computers. Adversaries can use the remote.exe binary to spawn a new Powershell
  session, AWL bypass, and execute other commands.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "process"="*\remote.exe" command="* /s *"
```

#### Suspicious File Execution Using wscript or cscript

- Trigger Condition: A file with extensions of .jse, .vbe, .js, or .vba is executed using
  wscript or cscript. Wscript and cscript are windows binaries that provide an
  environment in which users can execute scripts in various languages or start a
  script to run in a command-line environment. Adversaries can code malicious
  scripts in files with above mention extensions and execute them using wscript or
  cscript and bypass detection.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059.005 Visual Basic, T1059.007 JavaScript
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Create" label="Process" "process" IN ["*\wscript.exe", "*\cscript.exe"] -comma
nd in ["*json*"] command IN ["*.jse*", "*.vbe*", "*.js *", "*.vba*"]
```

#### Suspicious ASP NET Compiler Execution Detected

- Trigger Condition: A file with the extension .jse, .vbe, .js, or .vba is executed using wscript or cscript. Wscript and cscript are Windows binaries that provide an environment in which users can execute scripts in various languages or start a script to run in a command-line environment. Adversaries can code malicious scripts in .jse, .vbe, .js, or .vba files and execute them using wscript or cscript and bypass detection.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

label=Create label="Process" "process" ="C:\Windows\Microsoft.NET\Framework\*" "proces
s"="\*\aspnet\_compiler.exe\*"

# Suspicious LoadAssembly PowerShell Diagnostic Script Execution

- Trigger Condition: Microsoft signed script is used to execute commands and bypass AppLocker. CL\_LoadAssembly.ps1, a windows native diagnostic script, provides two functions (LoadAssemblyFromNS and LoadAssemblyFromPath) for loading .NET/C# assemblies (DLLs/EXEs). An attacker can bypass Constrained Language mode by invoking PowerShell version 2 (Note: this must be enabled) and bypass AppLocker by loading an assembly through CL\_LoadAssembly.ps1.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1216 Signed Script Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

command IN ["\*\CL\_LoadAssembly.ps1", "\*LoadAssemblyFromPath\*"] "Process"="\*\powershel
l.exe"

## Suspicious Invocation PowerShell Diagnostic Script Execution

- Trigger Condition: The execution of malicious payloads via SyncInvoke in CL\_Invocation.ps1 module is detected. CL\_Invocation is a PowerShell Diagnostic script, but an attacker can import it and then call SyncInvoke to launch a malicious executable.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1216 Signed Script Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

command IN ["\*\CL\_Invocation.ps1", "\*SyncInvoke\*"] "Process"="\*\powershell.exe"

#### Registry Configured RunOnce Task Execution

- Trigger Condition: The RunOnce task executes as configured in the registry. Runonce.exe is a Microsoft Windows Operating System component called the Run Once Wrapper Utility that allows the installation program to reboot after initial start up to enable the user to make further configurations. Adversaries use the runonce executable to evade defense mechanisms while running their programs/code through registry entries in the host machine.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1112 Modify Registry
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="process" label=create "process"="\*\runonce.exe" command="\* /AlternateShellStar
tup\*"

## RunOnce Registry Key Configuration Change

- Trigger Condition: When the configuration of Run Once registry key is changed. Runonce.exe is a Microsoft Windows Operating System component called the Run Once Wrapper Utility that allows the installation program to reboot after initial start up to enable the user to make further configurations. Adversaries use/change the runonce registry key values to evade defense mechanisms while running their programs/code in the host machine.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1112 Modify Registry
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="process" label=create "process"="\*\runonce.exe" command="\* /AlternateShellStar
tup\*"

## Suspicious WSL Bash Execution

- Trigger Condition: When bash is used to execute the Linux command. Bash is a
  Unix shell and command language. Adversaries can use bash to execute a
  specified file or commands in the Windows subsystem for Linux and can be used
  as a defensive evasion mechanism. Executing programs using bash can trigger
  this alert, so alerts must be further analyzed to determine legitimate or illegitimate
  use.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="Create" label="Process" command="\*bash\* -c \*"

#### **WSL Execution Detected**

- Trigger Condition: When Windows subsystem for Linux (WSL) binary is used to
  execute Linux commands. WSL is a compatibility layer that allows running Linux
  binaries in Windows. Adversaries can use the wsl binary to execute Windows and
  Linux binaries, execute arbitrary Linux commands as root without a password or
  download files.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Create" label="Process" "process"="*\wsl.exe" command in ["* -e *", "*--exec *
"]
```

## Supsicious Usage of Csharp or Roslyn Csharp Interactive Console

- **Trigger Condition:** When the use of csi and rcsi binary are detected. Csi.exe is a Microsoft signed binary that provides C# interactive capabilities. Rcsi.exe is a Microsoft signed binary that can execute C# code. Adversaries can use these binaries to execute their malicious C# code.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1072 Software Deployment Tools
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Create" label="Process" ("process" IN ["*\csi.exe", "*\rcsi.exe"]) OR (file in
["csi.exe", "rcsi.exe"])
```

#### Suspicious Use of CSharp Interactive Console Detected

- Trigger Condition: The execution of the CSharp interactive console by using PowerShell is detected. Csi.exe is a Microsoft signed binary that provides C# interactive capabilities. PowerShell is a task automation and configuration management program from Microsoft. Adversaries can run CSharp interactive console from PowerShell and execute their malicious code.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "process"="*\csi.exe" file="csi.exe" parent_process="*
\powershell.exe"
```

#### Suspicious File Download via Certreq

- Trigger Condition: When a file is downloaded using certreq binary. Certreq is a
  Windows binary used to manage and request a certificate from the certificate
  authority. Adversaries can use certreq to download payload from their C2 server.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "process"="*\certreq.exe" command="*certreq*" command
IN ["* -Post *"," /Post *"] command IN ["* -config *","* /config *"] command="* http*
" command="* C:\windows\win.ini *"
```

#### Process Dump via Rundll32 and Comsvcs

- Trigger Condition: When LSASS dump using Rundll32 with Comsvcs DLL is detected. Rundll32.exe is a Windows binary that loads and runs 32-bit dynamiclink libraries. comsvcs.dll is a DLL file used by COM+ Services created by Microsoft. Adversaries can use the binary and DLL to perform a dump of the LSASS process.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Credential Access

- ATT&CK Tag: T1003.001 LSASS Memory, T1036 Masquerading
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create "process"="*\rundll32.exe" command IN ["*comsvcs.dll*#24
*", "*comsvcs.dll*MiniDump*" ] -user IN EXCLUDED_USERS
```

#### Registry Key Import Detected

- Trigger Condition: When registry key import is detected via regedit.exe. Regedit
  is a Windows binary to access and manipulate the Windows registry. This
  hierarchical database stores low-level settings for the Microsoft Windows
  operating system and applications that opt to use the registry. A registry key is an
  organizational unit in the Windows registry. Adversaries can use Regedit to import
  their malicious registry key to achieve persistence.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1112 Modify Registry
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "process"="*\regedit.exe" OR file="regedit.exe" comman
d IN ["*/i *","*-i *"] command="*.reg*" -command IN ["*/e *","*/a *","*/c *","*-e *",
"*-a *","*-c *"]
```

#### Suspicious MachineGUID Query Detected

- Trigger Condition: When reg.exe is used to detect query machine GUID. Reg.exe is a Windows binary that performs operations on registry subkey information and values in registry entries. MachineGUID is a unique identifier for a machine. Adversaries can use this technique to get MachineGuid information. Also, ransomware abuses this technique to keep track of infected systems using a unique ID.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: T1082 System Information Discovery
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "process"="*reg.exe" command="* query *" command="*SOF TWARE\Microsoft\Cryptography*" command IN ["*/v *", "*-v *"] command="*MachineGuid*"
```

## Process Injection Via Mavinject Detected

- Trigger Condition: When DLL is injected into a running process. Microsoft Application Virtualization Injector (Mavinject) is a Windows utility that can inject code into external processes as part of Microsoft Application Virtualization (App-V). Adversaries can use mavinject to inject malicious DLL to obtain arbitrary code execution.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218.013 Mavinject

- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "process"="*\mavinject.exe" command IN ["* /injectrunn
ing*", "* -injectrunning*", "*.dll*"]
```

#### Possible File Transfer Using Finger Detected

- Trigger Condition: When the execution of Finger.exe is detected. It is a simple
  Windows binary that displays user information on a specified remote computer
  running the Finger service or daemon. It can be abused as a data transfer tool and
  makeshift C2 channel. However, general administrative use can trigger false
  positives, but it is still unclear why they use finger.exe.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="process" label="create" "process"="*\finger.exe"
```

#### Suspicious Use of Findstr Detected

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious actions such as credential access, file download, or creation of alternate data stream using findstr are detected. Generally, it is used to search for strings in files or to filter command line output. Adversaries can exploit it for defense evasion. However, general administrative use of findstr can trigger false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

```
label="create" label="process" "process"="*\findstr.exe" command="*findstr*" ((comman
d="*/V*" command="*/L*") OR (command="*/S*" command="*/I*"))
```

#### Suspicious File Overwrite Using extrac32 Detected

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious actions such as credential access, file download, or creation of alternate data stream using findstr are detected. Generally, it is used to search for strings in files or to filter command line output. Adversaries can exploit it for defense evasion. However, general administrative use of findstr can trigger false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="create" label="process" "process"="*\findstr.exe" command="*findstr*" ((comman
d="*/V*" command="*/L*") OR (command="*/S*" command="*/I*"))
```

## Suspicious Sysmon Driver Unload Detected

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious unload of SysmonDrv Filter Driver is detected. Fltmc.exe program is a system-supplied command line utility for minifilter driver management operations. Adversaries can abuse its functionality to unload the filter driver, which can affect sysmon and stop from collecting the data.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1070 Indicator Removal on Host, T1562 Impair Defenses, T1562.002 Disable Windows Event Logging
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label="process" label="create" "process"="*\fltmc.exe" command="*unload*" command ="*
sys*"
```

#### Windows Packet Monitoring Tool Usage Detected

- Trigger Condition: When the execution of pktmon (Packet Monitor) is detected.
  Pktmon.exe is an in-box, cross-component network diagnostics tool of Microsoft
  Windows used for packet capture, packet drop detection, packet filtering, counting,
  and visibility within the networking stack. Adversaries generally abuse pktmon.exe
  to sniff network traffic and capture information about an environment, including
  authentication material sent over an insecure, unencrypted protocol, revealing
  configuration details necessary for subsequent Lateral Movement and/or Defense
  Evasion activities.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: T1040 Network Sniffing
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="process" label=create ("process"="\*\pktmon.exe" OR file="pktmon.exe")

#### Suspicious Execution via IE per User Utility

- Trigger Condition: When ie4uinit is executed from unusual file directories. Ie4uinit.exe (Internet Explorer (for) Each User Initialization) file is a software component of Internet Explorer by Microsoft Corporation. Adversaries generally abuse ie4uinit.exe to overwrite malicious programs on it and spread them via the internet to execute them on target machines as legitimate processes.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

```
label="process" label="create" ("process"="*\ie4uinit.exe" OR file="ie4uinit.exe") -(
path IN ["C:\Windows\System32\", "C:\Windows\SysWOW64\"])
```

## Proxy Execution via xWizard

- Trigger Condition: When the execution of the xWizard tool with runwizard and CLSID arguments are utilized to achieve proxy execution. xWizard is Windows internal binary used to run the Windows component object model (COM). COM is operated to enable inter-process communication. Class ID (CLSID) is a unique number representing a single application component in windows. Adversaries can bypass the defense mechanism by proxying the execution of malicious content via xWizard.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 System Binary Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create "process"="*\xwizard.exe" | process regex("(?P<new_command>{\w{8}-\w{4}-\w{4}-\w{4}-\w{12}})",command) | filter new_command=*
```

#### Suspicious MSHTA Process Pattern

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious mshta.exe process patterns, such as binary
  run from a non-default path, mshta.exe binary masquerading as different binary,
  and execution of HTML application (HTA) masquerading as non-HTA file are
  detected. Mshta.exe is a utility that executes HTA files. HTAs are standalone
  applications based on HTML and VBScript that can access local system resources,
  run scripts and display dynamic content. Adversaries may abuse mshta.exe to
  evade defense by proxy, executing malicious files and Javascript or VBScript
  through a trusted Windows utility.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: Mshta, Native API
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1218.005, T1106
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="process" label=create "process"="*\mshta.exe"
((parent_process IN ["*\cmd.exe","*\powershell.exe"] OR command IN ["*\AppData\Local*
", "*C:\Windows\Temp*", "*C:\Users\Public*"]) OR (-"process" IN ["C:\Windows\System32
*", "C:\Windows\SysWOW64*"]) OR (-command IN ["*mshta.exe","*mshta"] -command IN ["
*.htm*", "*.hta*"]))
```

# COM Object Execution via Shell Extension CLSID Verification Host

- Trigger Condition: When verclsid.exe is used to run COM object via GUID. Verclsid.exe (Verify COM Shell Extension CLSID) is a Microsoft Windows Native Shell Extension CLSID (Class ID) verification host responsible for verifying each shell extension before Windows Explorer or the Windows Shell uses them. Adversaries may abuse verclsid.exe to execute malicious payloads-COM Scriptlets, by running verclsid.exe and referencing files by Class ID (CLSID), a unique identification number used to identify COM objects.
- ATT&CK Category: -

- ATT&CK Tag: -
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="process" label="create" "process"="*\verclsid.exe" command="*/C*" command="*/S
*"
```

## Suspicious Setup Information File Invoked via DefaultInstall

- **Trigger Condition:** When InfDefaultInstall.exe is used to install an INF file. InfDefaultInstall.exe is a Microsoft Windows native tool invoked when an INF (Setup Information) file is selected to install. Adversaries use InfDefaultInstall to install on the target system through maliciously crafted INF files.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562.001 Disable or Modify Tools
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="process" label="create" "process"="\*\InfDefaultInstall.exe" command="InfDefaul
tInstall\*" command="\*.inf"

#### Creation of Alternate Data Stream

- Trigger Condition: When an alternate data stream is created. Alternate Data Stream (ADS) is the ability of an NTFS file system to store different streams of data, in addition to the default stream, which is used for a file. Attackers can leverage a little-known compatibility feature to hide hacking tools, keyloggers, and other malware on a compromised system and subsequently execute them undetected. Also, it can be used for data exfiltration. The alert requires the ADS FILE EXTENSIONS list to work.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1564.004 NTFS File Attributes
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
(label="create" label="process" command IN ADS_FILE_EXTENSIONS ((command="*type *" command="* > *") OR (command="*makecab *" command="*.cab*") OR (command="*reg *" command="*.cab*") OR (command="*regedit *
" command="* /E *") OR (command="*print*" command IN ["*/D:*", "*/d:*"]) OR (command=
"*expand*") OR (command="*extrac32*" command="*.cab*") OR (command="*curl*" command IN ["*-output*", "*-o*"]) OR (command="*certutil*" command="*-urlcache*") OR (command="*esentutl*" command="*/y*" command="*/d*") OR (command="*/y*" command="*/y*" command="*/d*") OR (command="*/y*" command="*/y*" command="*/d*") OR (command="*/y*" command="*/y*" comman
```

#### Alternate Data Stream Created using Findstr

- **Trigger Condition:** When findstr is used to create an alternate data stream. Findstr is generally used to search for strings in files or to filter command line output. Adversaries can exploit it to create an alternate data stream for defense evasion. For this alert to work, the ADS\_FILE\_EXTENSIONS list is required.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1564.004 NTFS File Attributes
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
[label="create" label="process" "process"="*\findstr.exe" command="*findstr*" ((comma nd="*/V*" command="*/L*"))] as s1 followed by [lab el="Create" label="File" file in ADS_FILE_EXTENSIONS] as s2 on s1.process_id=s2.proce ss_id | rename s1.process as "process", s1.log_ts as log_ts,s1.command as command,s1. host as host, s1.user as user, s1.parent_process as parent_process
```

#### Suspicious Download Using Diantz

- Trigger Condition: When a remote file is downloaded using diantz.exe and stored by compressing it into a .cab file on a local machine. It performs a similar function as makecab.exe, which compresses a file into a smaller file with a .cab file extension. Adversaries can use diantz.exe for ingress tool transfer to evade the defenses and establish a c2 connection.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Create" label="Process" command="*diantz.exe*" command="* \\*" command="*.cab*"
```

### Ngrok RDP Tunnel Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When it detects the execution of Ngrok utility for tunneling RDP connection. Threat actors often use Ngrok to expose internal services to the internet, like making RDP publicly accessible. 16777216 artifact gets logged when an incoming RDP connection is established via ngrok.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1572 Protocol Tunneling
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

```
norm_id=WinServer ((event_source IN ["Microsoft-Windows-TerminalServices-LocalSession Manager", "Microsoft-Windows-TerminalServices-RemoteConnectionManager"]) OR (channel= Security event_id=4779)) (source_address="::%16777216" OR eventxml.address="::%16777216") | rename eventxml.address as source_address
```

#### Ngrok Execution

- Trigger Condition: When it detects the execution of the Ngrok utility used for port forwarding and protocol tunneling. Threat actors often use Ngrok to expose internal services to the internet, like making RDP publicly accessible.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1572 Protocol Tunneling
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows, Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

```
label="Process" label=Create (("process"="*\ngrok.exe" command IN ["* tcp *", "* http *", "* authtoken *"]) OR (command="* start *" command="*--all*" command="*.yml*" command="*--config*") OR (command IN ["* tcp 139*", "* tcp 445*", "* tcp 3389*", "* tcp 5985*", "* tcp 5986*"]))
```

#### AD Privesc CVE-2022-26923 Exploitation

- Trigger Condition: When it detects the creation of a computer account spoofing
  a domain controller name, it successfully requests a machine certificate template
  from the CA server. This indicates the privilege escalation vulnerability (CVE-202226923) exploitation in the Active Directory (AD) patched on May 10, 2022. For this
  alert to work, you need the WINDOWS\_DC list containing all the FQDNs of the
  domain controllers operating in your domain.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: T1068 Exploitation for Privilege Escalation
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Query:

[ norm\_id=WinServer label=Computer label=Account label=Create dns\_host IN WINDOWS\_DC ] as s1 followed by [ norm\_id=WinServer label=Certificate label=Request label=Approve attributes="CertificateTemplate:Machine" | norm on requester \crequester\_account:'\S+'> ] as s2 within 1 hour on s1.computer=s2.requester\_account | rename s1.log\_ts as account\_creation\_ts, s1.computer as computer, s1.user as user, s1.service as service, s1.dns\_host as dns\_host, s2.subject as certificate\_subject | chart count() by account\_creation\_ts, computer, user, service, dns\_host, certificate\_subject

# Possible Ransomware Deletion Volume Shadow Copies Detected

- Trigger Condition: When LogPoint detects commands that delete all local volume shadow copies as used by different Ransomware families.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: T1490 Inhibit System Recovery
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=1 command IN ["\*vssadmin\* delete shadows\*", "\*wmic\* SH
ADOWCOPY\*DELETE\*"] -user IN EXCLUDED\_USERS

#### Windows Defender Uninstall via PowerShell

- Trigger Condition: When PowerShell is used to uninstall Windows Defender.
  PowerShell is a Microsoft task automation and configuration management
  program consisting of a command-line shell with its scripting language. Microsoft
  Defender Antivirus is an anti-malware component of Microsoft Windows.
  Adversaries can use this technique to avoid the detection of their malware.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562 Impair Defenses
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="Process" label=Create "process"="\*\powershell.exe" command="\*Uninstall-Windows
Feature\*Name\*Windows-Defender\*"

#### Hijacked Binary Execution via Settings Synchronizer

- Trigger Condition: When SettingSyncHost is used to run hijacked binaries. SettingSyncHost is a Microsoft Windows host process that synchronizes system settings with other devices, including Internet Explorer, a mail application, OneDrive, Xbox and other application settings. Adversaries can exploit SettingSyncHost to run hijacked binaries and other specified files.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1574.008 Path Interception by Search Order Hijacking
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="process" label="create" -"process" IN ["C:\Windows\System32\\*", "C:\Windows\Sy
sWOW64\\*"] parent\_command IN ["\*cmd.exe /c\*", "\*cmd /c\*"] parent\_command="\*RoamDiag.c
md\*" parent\_command="\*-outputpath\*"

## Suspicious Execution of Dump64

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious use of dump64.exe is detected. dump64.exe is a memory dump tool bundled with Microsoft Visual Studio. Adversaries can leverage it to create a memory dump and parse it offline to retrieve credentials. Adversaries can bypass Microsoft Defender by renaming a tool to dump64.exe and placing it in a Visual Studio folder, for example, procdump.exe. It can trigger false positives if dump64.exe is executed from any folder other than excluded one, even for a legitimate purpose.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1003.001 LSASS Memory
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="process" label="create" "process"="\*\dump64.exe" (-("process"="\*\Installer\Fee
dback\dump64.exe\*") OR command IN ["\* -ma \*", "\*accpeteula\*"])

# Code Compilation via Visual Basic Command Line Compiler

- Trigger Condition: When a successful compilation of code using Visual Basic Command Line Compiler is detected. vbc.exe is Microsoft's Visual Basic compiler used to compile programs within the Visual Studio integrated development environment (IDE). Adversaries can leverage it to collect malicious code on the system to bypass defensive countermeasures. The legitimate use of this tool can trigger false positives, but it is barely used in enterprise environments, so the detection of service is suspicious.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1027.004 Compile After Delivery
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="Create" label="Process" parent process="\*\vbc.exe" "process"="\*\cvtres.exe"

# File Downloaded from Suspicious URL Using GfxDownloadWrapper

- Trigger Condition: When downloading files from suspicious (non-standard) URLs using GfxDownloadWrapper.exe is detected. Intel Graphics Executable Download Wrapper (GfxDownloadWrapper) is an application file that allows you to update your graphics card module. It downloads JSON files from <a href="https://gameplayapi.intel.com">https://gameplayapi.intel.com</a>. Adversaries can leverage its functionality to download files from other non-standard URLs.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="Create" label="Process" "process"="\*\GfxDownloadWrapper.exe" - command="\*game
playapi.intel.com\*" - parent\_process="\*\GfxDownloadWrapper.exe"

#### Suspicious CLR Logs File Creation

- Trigger Condition: When .NET code is executed via applications, such as mshta, cscript, wscript, regsvr32 and wmic. .NET is a developer platform with tools and libraries for building applications, including web, mobile, desktop, games, IoT, cloud, and microservices. Common Language Runtime in a .NET environment runs code and provides services to make the development process more manageable. The binaries included in the query are Windows internal binary which adversaries can use to execute their malicious scripts.
- ATT&CK Category: Privilege Escalation
- ATT&CK Tag: T1055 Process Injection
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label=File label=Create label=Overwrite path="\*\AppData\Local\Microsoft\CLR\*\UsageLog
s\\*" file IN ["mshta\*","cscript\*","wscript\*","regsvr32\*","wmic\*"]

#### CLR DLL Loaded via Scripting Application

- Trigger Condition: When Common Language Runtime (CLR) DLL is loaded via scripting applications. mshta.exe, wscript.exe and cscript.exe are Windows internal binary. Common Language Runtime works in the .NET environment, which runs the code and provides services that make the development process more manageable. Adversaries can use this technique to execute malicious scripts.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218.005 Mshta
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
label=image label=load source_image IN ["*\wscript.exe","*\cscript.exe","*\mshta.exe"
] image IN ["*\clr.dll","*\mscoree.dll","*mscorlib.dll"]
```

#### Obfuscation Script Usage via MSHTA to Execute Vbscript

- Trigger Condition: When execution of invoke-obfuscation PowerShell script with
  mshta to execute vbscript is detected. mshta.exe file is a software component of
  Windows Internet Explorer that runs HTML application(HTA) files. Invoke
  Obfuscation is a PowerShell command and script obfuscation framework. VBScript
  is an Active Scripting language developed by Microsoft modeled on Visual Basic.
  Adversaries can use this technique to bypass defensive mechanisms.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1027 Obfuscated Files or Information, T1059.001 PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="process" label=create command=* | process regex("(?P<new_command>(?i).*(set).
*(&&).*(mshta).*(vbscript:createobject).*(\.run).*\(window\.close\).*)",command) | fi
lter new command=*
```

#### Microsoft Defender Logging Disabled

- Trigger Condition: When Windows Defender Registry key is modified to disable Windows Defender's logging. Windows Defender is an anti-malware component of Microsoft Windows. Adversaries use this technique to disable logs generated from Windows Defender and avoid detection.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562 Impair Defenses
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label=Registry label=Value label=Set target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\Curr entVersion\WINEVT\Channels\Microsoft-Windows-Windows Defender/Operational\Enabled" de tail="DWORD (0x00000000)"

#### UAC Bypass via CMLUA or CMSTPLUA

- **Trigger Condition:** When user CMLUA OR CMSTPLUA DLL is loaded to perform user account control (UAC) bypass.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562 Impair Defenses
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label=Image label=Load image IN ["*\cmlua.dll","*\cmstplua.dll","*\cmluautil.dll"] -"
process" IN ["*\cmstp.exe","*\cmmgr32.exe"] -source_image IN ["*\windows\*","*\progra
m files\*"]
```

## High Number of Service Stop or Task Kill in Short Span

- Trigger Condition: When suspicious mshta.exe process patterns like binary run from a non-default path, execution of mshta.exe binary masquerading as different binary and execution of HTML application (HTA) masquerading as non-HTA file are detected. mshta.exe is a utility that executes HTA files. HTAs are standalone applications that run using the same models and technologies as Internet Explorer but outside the browser. Adversaries may abuse mshta.exe to evade defense by proxy, executing malicious files and Javascript/VBScript through a trusted Windows utility.
- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: T1489 Service Stop
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows
- Querv:

```
(label="process" label=create "process"="*\taskkill.exe" (command= "*f *" command="*i
m *") OR command="*IM *") OR (label="process" label=create ("process" IN ["*\sc.exe",
"*\net.exe", "*\net1.exe"] command="*stop*") OR ("process"="*\sc.exe" command="*delet
e*") -user IN EXCLUDED_USERS) | chart count() as occurrence by user,host,domain,"proc
ess",parent_process | search occurrence > 8
```

#### LSA Protected Process Light Disabled

- Trigger Condition: When modification of the registry value of Protection Process Light (PPL) to disable, it is detected. Protected Process can be accessed by executables that are digitally signed with a unique Windows Media, with administrator privilege. Protected Process Light is an extension of a protected process where a process can be assigned a different level of protection. Adversaries can use this technique to access the LSASS process and dump it to retrieve credentials.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1112 Modify Registry
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

 $label=Registry\ label=Set\ label=Value\ target\_object="*\System\CurrentControlSet\ControlLsa\RunAsPPL"\ detail="DWORD\ (0x00000000)"$ 

#### Suspicious Invocation of Microsoft Workflow Compiler

- Trigger Condition: When the use of Microsoft Workflow Compiler is detected.
   Microsoft Workflow Compiler is a utility included by default in the .NET framework,
   capable of compiling and executing arbitrary, unsigned C# or VB.net code.
   Adversaries can leverage it for the proxy execution of executables to evade
   detection. The use of MWC in an enterprise environment is highly unlikely.
   However, legitimate use can trigger false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="process" label="create" ("process"="\*\Microsoft.Workflow.Compiler.exe" OR (fil
e="Microsoft.Workflow.Compiler.exe" command="\*.xml\*"))

#### Process Dump via Sqldumper Detected

- Trigger Condition: When a process dump via Sqldumper.exe is detected. The Sqldumper.exe is a debugging utility, included with Microsoft SQL Server, which generates memory dumps of SQL Server and of related processes for debugging purposes. Adversaries can leverage its functionality to dump processes like LSASS. Legitimate MSSQL Server actions can trigger false positives.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1003 OS Credential Dumping, T1003.001 LSASS Memory
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="process" label="create" "process"="\*\sqldumper.exe" command IN ["\*0x0110\*", "\*
0x01100:40\*"]

### Suspicious Usage of SQLToolsPS Detected

- Trigger Condition: When the proxy execution of PowerShell code through the SQLToolsPS.exe is detected. SQLToolsPS.exe is a utility shipped along with Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio that loads SQL Server cmdlts. Adversaries can leverage its functionality to execute malicious powershell codes and bypass the detection methods. Direct execution of PowerShell codes via SQLToolsPS.exe are uncommon. However, the child process sqltoolsps.exe spawned by smss.exe is a legitimate action.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution, Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059.001 PowerShell, T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="process" label="create" (("process"="\*\sqltoolsps.exe" OR parent\_process="\*\sq ltoolsps.exe") OR (file="\sqltoolsps.exe" -(parent\_process="\*\smss.exe")))

#### Proxy Execution of Malicious Payload via Pubprn

- Trigger Condition: When proxy execution of malicious payloads via PubPrn.bs is detected. PubPrn.vbs is a signed Visual Basic script that publishes a printer to Active Directory Domain Services. Adversaries can abuse PubPrn to execute malicious payloads hosted on remote sites.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1216.001 PubPrn
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="process" label="create" command="*\pubprn.vbs*" command="*script:*"
```

#### File Download via IMEWDBLD

- Trigger Condition: When a network connection is detected via the IMEWDBLD.exe binary. IMEWDBLD.EXE is a part of Microsoft Input Method Editor (IME). IME is a software component that enables a user to enter text in a language that can't easily be typed using a standard keyboard. Adversaries can use this technique to download remote system payload.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label=Connection label=Network label=Detect "process"="\*\IMEWDBLD.exe" is\_initiated=t
rue

#### Memory Dump via Adplus

- Trigger Condition: When LSASS process dump via adplus.exe is detected. Local Security Authority Server Service (LSASS) is a process in Microsoft Windows operating systems that is responsible for enforcing the security policy on the system and handles authentication, password change and tokens. ADPlus is a console-based Visual Basic script included with Microsoft Debugging Tools for Windows installation. Adversaries may attempt to access credentials stored in the process memory of the LSASS.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1003.001 LSASS Memory
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="process" label=create "process"="*\adplus.exe" command IN ["* -hang *" ,"* -pn *","* -p *","* -p *","* -c *","* -sc *"]
```

#### TTDInject Usage Detected

- Trigger Condition: When the use of ttdinject binary is detected. Ttdinject is a binary that is a part of the Time Travel Debugging utility, which is used in Windows 10 v1809. Time Travel Debugging is a tool that captures a process trace as it executes and allows to replay it later. Adversaries can use this technique to proxy execute malicious payloads.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="Process" label=Create ("process"="\*\ttdinject.exe" OR file="TTDInject.exe")

#### Remote Thread Created via Ttdinject

- Trigger Condition: When a remote thread is created by ttdinject binary. Ttdinject
  is a binary that is a part of the Time Travel Debugging utility, which is used in
  Windows 10 v1809. Time Travel Debugging is a tool that captures a process trace
  as it executes and allows to replay it later. Adversaries can use this technique to
  proxy execute malicious payloads.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127 Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="Process" label=Create ("process"="\*\ttdinject.exe" OR file="TTDInject.exe")

#### Proxy Download via OneDriveStandaloneUpdater

- Trigger Condition: When OneDriveStandaloneUpdater registry value is modified.
  OneDriveStandaloneUpdater.exe is a binary that belongs to the Standalone
  Updater process and comes with Microsoft OneDrive. Adversaries can use this
  technique for transferring tools or other files to the victim system from a URL that
  is set in the OneDriveStandaloneUpdater registry. Registry auditing must be
  enabled and permission must be allowed for auditing the
  OneDriveStandaloneUpdater registry.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Querv:

label=registry label=value label=set target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\OneDrive\Upd
ateOfficeConfig\UpdateRingSettingURLFromOC\*"

## Suspicious WMIC ActiveScriptEventConsumer Created

Trigger Condition: When WMIC is executed to create an event consumer.
 ActiveScriptEventConsumer is a class that runs a predefined script in an arbitrary scripting language when an event is delivered to it. Adversaries may establish

persistence and elevate privileges by executing malicious content triggered by a Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) event subscription.

- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1546.003 Windows Management Instrumentation Event Subscription
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="process" label=create command="\*ActiveScriptEventConsumer\*" command="\* CREATE
\*"

#### Remote Connection Established via Msbuild

- Trigger Condition: When a network connection is initiated via MSBuild while building an application is detected. Microsoft Build (MSBuild) Engine is a platform for building applications. Adversaries can use this technique to build their payload and establish a network connection to their controlled server.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1127.001 MSBuild
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

norm\_id=windowssysmon image="\*\msbuild.exe" event\_id=3 destination\_port IN ["80","443
"] is\_initiated=true

#### Executables Started in Suspicious Folder

- Trigger Condition: When the execution of binaries from a suspicious folder is detected. Paths mentioned in lists are not Windows default paths from where native and internal binaries are executed. Adversaries may attempt to masquerade their payload as legitimate binaries and execute from non-default paths to avoid detection. Legitimate binaries executed from those paths can trigger an alert, so include those binaries in the excluded process list.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1036 Masquerading
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label="process" label=create "process" IN SUSPICIOUS\_FOLDER\_EXE\_EXECUTION
-"process" IN ["\*SpeechUXWiz.exe","\*SystemSettings.exe","\*TrustedInstaller.exe","\*Pri
ntDialog.exe",
"\*MpSigStub.exe","\*LMS.exe","\*mpam-\*.exe"]

#### Windows RDP Port Modified

 Trigger Condition: When remote desktop protocol (RDP) for Windows protocol is modified. RDP is a protocol that allows users to have GUI access to a remote desktop. Adversaries can modify the RDP port to evade the defense mechanism used to detect connections in the default RDP port.

- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: T1021.001 Remote Desktop Protocol
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label=Registry label=Value label=Set target\_object="\*\System\CurrentControlSet\Contro
l\Terminal Server\WinStations\RDP-Tcp\PortNumber"

#### Binary Creation in System Folder Detected

- Trigger Condition: When a binary or DLL is dropped in the Windows root folder by a system process. System folders are used by the operating system to store files necessary for proper function. A system folder is a primary location for DLL files. Adversaries may copy files between internal victim systems to support lateral movement using inherent file-sharing protocols, such as file sharing over SMB/Windows Admin Shares to connected network shares or with authenticated connections via Remote Desktop Protocol.
- ATT&CK Category: Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: T1570 Lateral Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label=File label=Create label=Overwrite "process"=system path IN ["C:\windows\\*"] fi
le IN ["\*.exe", "\*.dll"]

#### Curl Silent Mode Execution Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When curl is run in silent mode. Client URL (curl) is a command line tool that is used to transfer data to and from a server. Adversaries can use this technique to prevent showing file transfer progress and redirect output to a file.
- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="Process" label=Create command="\*curl\*" ((command="\*-s\*" command="\*-o\*") OR com
mand="\*-s\*")

## High Volume of File Modification or Deletion in Short Span

 Trigger Condition: When 30 file modifications or deletions are detected within a single minute. A large number of file modifications and deletions is an indicator of ransomware. Based on requirements and the number of detected false positives, a user can modify the number of events needed or the time frame. To generate logs, enable the auditing policy of the relevant folders. When a user/software modifies a large number of files this can result in a false positive. To reduce the number of false positives events exclude the process in the query.

- ATT&CK Category: Impact
- ATT&CK Tag: T1565 Data Manipulation
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

[30 label=File label=Object label=Storage access IN ["Delete\*", "writedata\*"] - "proces s" IN ["\*\tiworker.exe", "\*\poqexec.exe", "\*\msiexec.exe"] having same host, domain, user , "process" within 1 minutes]

#### Non-Existent User Login Attempt Detected

- Trigger Condition: When eight non-existent user login attempts on SSH service
  are detected within a minute. Secure Shell (SSH) is a protocol that provides a
  secure way to access a computer over a network. Adversaries can perform
  username brute force to find a valid username. Based on the requirement and false
  positive, the user can modify the number of invalid login attempts and time frame.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1110 Brute Force
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Unix
- Query:

[8 label=Invalid label=User "process"=sshd having same source\_address within 1 minut es]

#### Execution of Temporary Files Via Office Application

- Trigger Condition: When Office applications creates a child process that
  executes a file with .tmp extension. Adversaries use this technique to avoid
  detection by using the legit application to run a payload that is masquerading as a
  temporary file.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1036 Masquerading
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label="Create" "parent_process" IN ["*\winword.exe", "*\powerpnt.exe"
, "*\excel.exe"] "process"="*.tmp"
```

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  temporary file.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1036 Masquerading
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows

Query:

label="Process" label="Create" "parent\_process" IN ["\*\winword.exe", "\*\powerpnt.exe"
, "\*\excel.exe"] "process"="\*.tmp"

#### Malicious Image Loaded Via Excel

- Trigger Condition: When an unsigned image is loaded via Excel. An XLL file is an add-in used by Microsoft Excel. It contains extra functions, templates, or other tools that enhance the capabilities of Excel. Examples of add-ins include custom chart generators and template managers. Adversaries can use this technique to load their malicious unsigned add-ins to execute their payload or download malware from a remote server.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1137 Office Application Startup, T1137.001 Office Template Macros
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

label=Image label=Load "process"="\*\excel.exe" file IN ["\*.xlam ","\*.xla","\*.xll"] i
s sign=false

#### Malicious Chrome Extension Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When malicious Chrome extension IDs are detected by Osquery. This analytic relies on chrome\_extensions table and requires analysts to keep an up-to-date list of malicious chrome extension IDs.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1176 Browser Extensions
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

event\_source=OSQuery event\_type=chrome\_extension\* columns\_identifier IN MALICIOUS\_CHR
OME\_EXTENSIONS

#### Chrome Extension Installed Outside of the Webstore

- Trigger Condition: When malicious chrome extensions are installed from outside
  the official Chrome webstore. Adversaries can manually install the browser
  extension via their batch, PowerShell or VBS scripts. Analysts need to make sure
  they place the correct event types in the query.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1176 Browser Extensions
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

event\_source=OSQuery event\_type="chrome\_extension\*" columns\_from\_webstore=false

#### Chrome Extension Installed with DevTools Permission

- **Trigger Condition:** When OSQuery detects the chrome extension installed with devtools permission. Analyst must check for unusual extensions installed with this permission and also check if the extensions were installed from the webstore.
- ATT&CK Category: Persistence
- ATT&CK Tag: T1176 Browser Extensions
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: -
- Query:

event\_source=OSQuery event\_type="chrome\_extension\*" columns\_permission="\*devtools\*"

## Defender SpyNet Reporting Disabled

- Trigger Condition: When the SpyNet reporting feature is disabled via registry
  value modification. SpyNet reporting is a feature of windows defender antivirus that
  sends information about potential threats and suspicious activity to Microsoft. The
  submitted file is analyzed to improve the software's threat detection and response
  capabilities. Adversaries use this technique to prevent their malware from being
  sent to Microsoft.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562.001 Disable or Modify Tools
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

norm\_id=WindowsSysmon event\_id=13 target\_object="\*\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows Defende
r\SpyNet\SpyNetReporting" detail IN ["0","DWORD (0x00000000)"] event\_type=SetValue

#### Suspicious WMIC Process Creation

- Trigger Condition: When WMIC executes "Process Call Create," suspicious calls
  to processes such as, rundll32, regsrv32, mshta. The WMI command-line (WMIC)
  utility provides a command-line interface for Windows Management
  Instrumentation (WMI). WMI is a Microsoft technology that provides a common
  framework for managing and monitoring Windows-based systems. Adversaries
  can use this technique to proxy execute their malicious files and payloads via
  wmic.exe.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1047 Windows Management Instrumentation
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

```
label="Process" label=Create command="process" command=call command=create
command IN ["*rundll32*","*bitsadmin*","*regsvr32*","*cmd.exe /c *","*cmd.exe /k *","
*cmd.exe /r *","*cmd /c *","*cmd /k *",
"*cmd /r *", "*powershell*","*pwsh*","*certutil*","*cscript*","*wscript*", "*mshta*",
"*\Users\Public\*", "*\Windows\Temp\*", "*\AppData\Local\*","*%temp%*","*%tmp%*","*%P
rogramData%*","*%appdata%*","*%comspec%*","*%localappdata%"]
```

#### Browser Credential Files Accessed

- **Trigger Condition:** When access to a browser (Chrome, Edge & Firefox) using stored credential is detected. When a user saves any credentials in the browser, those credentials are stored in files that are included in the query. Adversaries can access those files in an attempt to retrieve the stored credentials.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1202 Indirect Command Execution
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label=File label=Access ((path IN ["\*\AppData\Local\Google\Chrome\User Data\Default\N etwork\Cookies\*","\*\Appdata\Local\Chrome\User Data\Default\Login Data\*","\*\AppData\Lo cal\Google\Chrome\User Data\Local State\*"] object\_name IN ["\*\Appdata\Local\Microsoft\Windows\WebCache\WebCache\01.dat","\*\cookies.sqlite"])

OR object\_name IN ["\*\Microsoft\Edge\User Data\Default\Web Data", "\*Firefox\*release\logins.json","\*firefox\*release\key3.db","\*firefox\*release\key4.db"])
-"process" IN ["\*\firefox.exe", "\*\chrome.exe","C:\Program Files\\*","C:\Program Files (x86)\\*","C:\WINDOWS\system32\\*","\*\MsMpEng.exe","\*\MpCopyAccelerator.exe","\*\thor64.exe","\*\thor.exe"] -parent\_process IN ["C:\Windows\System32\msiexec.exe"] -("process"=system parent\_process=idle) "access"="ReadData\*"

# Windows Defender Antivirus Definitions Removal Detected

- Trigger Condition: When Microsoft Defender Antivirus signature definitions are removed from the system. Microsoft Defender Antivirus (formerly Windows Defender) offers protection against all threats on Windows devices. The Malware Protection Command Line Utility (MpCmdRun) is a Microsoft Windows internal command-line tool dedicated to automating and managing Microsoft Defender Antivirus operations on Windows devices. Adversaries leverage this method to remove Antivirus definitions and ultimately avoid detection.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1562.001 Disable or Modify Tools
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="process" label=create "process"="\*\MpCmdRun.exe" command="\*RemoveDefinitions\*"

#### Exchange ProxyShell Pattern Detected

- Trigger Condition: When a URL pattern associated with ProxyShell exploitation attempts (both successful and failure) against Exchange servers is detected. ProxyShell is an attack chain that exploits three known vulnerabilities in Microsoft Exchange: CVE-2021-34473, CVE-2021-34523, and CVE-2021-31207. Adversaries may exploit these vulnerabilities to perform remote code execution.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Webserver
- Query:

```
norm_id=* ((url="*/autodiscover.json*" url IN ["*/powershell*", "*/mapi/nspi*", "*/EW
S*", "*X-Rps-CAT*"]) OR url IN ["*autodiscover.json?@*", "*autodiscover.json%3f@*", "
*%3f@foo.com*", "*Email=autodiscover/autodiscover.json*", "*json?@foo.com*"])
```

## Successful Exchange ProxyShell Attack

- Trigger Condition: When a URL pattern and status code associated with a successful ProxyShell exploitation attack against Exchange servers are detected. ProxyShell is an attack chain that exploits three known vulnerabilities in Microsoft Exchange: CVE-2021-34473, CVE-2021-34523, and CVE-2021-31207. Adversaries may exploit these vulnerabilities to perform remote code execution.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1190 Exploit Public-Facing Application
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Webserver
- Query:

```
norm_id=* (url="*/autodiscover.json*" url IN ["*/powershell*", "*/mapi/nspi*", "*/EWS
*", "*X-Rps-CAT*"] status_code IN [200, 301])
```

# Malicious Base64 Encoded PowerShell Keywords in Command Lines Detected

- **Trigger Condition:** When base64 encoded strings are used in hidden malicious Command and Scripting Interpreter and PowerShell command lines. Adversaries hide their activities by encoding commands to bypass detection with this technique.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059 Command and Scripting Interpreter, T1059.001 -PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="process" label=create "process"="\*\powershell.exe" command IN ["\* hidden \*", " \*AGkAdABzAGEAZABtAGkAbgAgAC8AdAByAGEAbgBzAGYAZQByA\*", "\*aXRzYWRtaW4gL3RyYW5zZmVy\*", " \*IAaQB0AHMAYQBkAG0AaQBuACAALwB0AHIAYQBuAHMAZgBlAHIA\*", "\*JpdHNhZG1pbiAvdHJhbnNmZX\*", "\*YgBpAHQAcwBhAGQAbQBpAG4AIAAvAHQAcgBhAG4AcwBmAGUAcg\*", "\*Yml0c2FkbWluIC90cmFuc2Zlc\*", "\*AGMAaAB1AG4AawBfAHMAaQB6AGUA\*", "\*JABjAGgAdQBuAGSAXwBzAGkAegBlA\*", "\*JGNodW5rX3Npem\*", "\*QAYwBoAHUAbgBrAF8AcwBpAHoAZQ\*", "\*RjaHVua19zaXpl\*", "\*Y2h1bmtfc2l6Z\*", "\*AE8A LgBDAG8AbQBwAHIAZQBzAHMAaQBvAG4A\*", "\*kATwAuAEMAbwBtAHAAcgBlAHMAcwBpAG8Abg\*", "\*1PLkN vbXByZXNzaW9u\*", "\*SQBPAC4AQwBvAG0AcAByAGUAcwBzAGkAbwBuA\*", "\*SU8uQ29tcHJlc3Npb2\*", "\*Ty5Db21wcmVzc2lvb\*", "\*AE8ALgBNAGUAbQBvAHIAeQBTAHQAcgBlAGEAbQ\*", "\*kATwAuAE0AZQBtAG8 AcgB5AFMAdAByAGUAYQBta\*", "\*1PLk1lbW9yeVN0cmVhb\*", "\*SQBPAC4ATQBlAG0AbwByAHkAUwB0AHIA ZQBhAG0A\*", "\*SU8uTWVtb3J5U3RyZWFt\*", "\*Ty5NZW1vcnlTdHJ1YW\*", "\*4ARwBlAHQAQwBoAHUAbgB rA\*", "\*5HZXRDaHVua\*", "\*AECAZQB0AEMAAAB1AG4Aaw\*", "\*LgBHAGUAdABDAGgAdQBuAGSA\*", "\*LkdldeNodW5r\*", "\*R2V0Q2h1bm\*", "\*AEGAUgBFAEEARABfAEkATgBGAE8ANgA0A\*", "\*VABIAFIARQBBAEQ AXwBJAE4ARgBPADYANA\*", "\*VEhSRUFEX01ORk82N\*", "\*SFJFQURfSU5GTzY0\*", "\*VABIAFIARQBBAEQ AXwBJAE4ARgBPADYANA\*", "\*VEhSRUFEX01ORk82N\*", "\*AHIAZQBhAHQAZQBSAGUAbQBVAHQAZQBUAGGAC gBlAGEAZA\*", "\*cmVhdGVSZW1vdGVUaHJ1YW\*", "\*AHIAZQBhAHQAZQBSAGUAbQBVAHQAZQBUAGGAC gBlAGEAZA\*", "\*cmVhdGVSZW1vdGVUaHJ1YW\*", "\*AHIAZQBHAHQAZQBSAGUAbQBNAHQAZQBUAGGAC gBlAGEAZA\*", "\*cmVhdGVSZW1vdGVUaHJ1YW\*", "\*AHIAZQBHAHQAZQBSAGUAbQBAABAABAAGAAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAABAAGAAB

#### DLL Loaded Via AllocConsole and RunDLL32

- Trigger Condition: When DLL loading through allocconsole function and rundll32.
   AllocConsole is a Windows internal function that allocates a new console for the calling process. Rundll32.exe is a Windows internal binary that loads and runs 32-bit dynamic-link libraries (DLLs). Adversaries can use this technique to execute their payload using rundll32 to load a malicious DLL by invoking the AllocConsole function.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218.011 Rundll32
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

label="process" label=create "process" ="\*\rundll32.exe" command="\*.dll\*" command="\*a
llocconsole\*"

#### Active Directory Database Dump Attempt

- **Trigger Condition:** When an attempt to dump the ntds.dit file is detected. NTDS.dit file is a database that stores the Active Directory data (including users, groups, security descriptors and password hashes). Adversaries can use this technique to retrieve credentials and obtain other domain information.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access
- ATT&CK Tag: T1003.003 NTDS
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Querv:

label="process" label=create (("process" IN ["\*\NTDSDump.exe", "\*\NTDSDumpEx.exe"] OR
(command="\*ntds.dit\*" command="\*system.hiv\*") OR command="\*NTDSgrab.ps1\*") OR (comman
d="\*ac i ntds\*" command="\*create full\*") OR (command="\*/c copy \*" command="\*\windows\
\ntds\\ntds.dit\*") OR (command="\*activate instance ntds\*" command="\*create full\*") OR
(command="\*powershell\*" command="\*ntds.dit\*")) OR (command="\*ntds.dit\*" (parent\_proce
ss IN ["\*\\apache\*", "\*\\tomcat\*", "\*\\Temp\\\*", "\*\\Public\\\*", "\*\
\PerfLogs\\\*"] OR "process" IN ["\*\\apache\*", "\*\tomcat\*", "\*\AppData\\\*", "\*\AppData\\\*", "\*\\Public\\\*", "\*\\Public\\\*", "\*\\Public\\\*", "\*\\PerfLogs\\\*"]))

## Suspicious Child Process Creation via OneNote

- Trigger Condition: When the creation of suspicious child processes, execution of binaries from non-default paths and script file execution through OneNote are detected. Adversaries can use malicious OneNote files to social engineer users to execute it and drop their malicious payload or execute commands in the victim system.
- ATT&CK Category: Initial Access, Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1204.002 Malicious File, T1566.001 Spearphishing Attachment
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

norm id=WindowsSysmon event id=1 parent image="\*\onenote.exe"

```
(file IN ["RUNDLL32.exe","REGSVR32.exe","bitsadmin.exe","CertUtil.exe","InstallUtil.e
xe","schtasks.exe","wmic.exe","cscript.exe","wscript.exe","CMSTP.EXE","Microsoft.Work
flow.Compiler.exe","RegAsm.exe","RegSvcs.exe","MSHTA.EXE","Msxsl.exe","IEExec.exe","C
md.Exe","PowerShell.EXE","HH.exe","javaw.exe","pcalua.exe","curl.exe","ScriptRunner.e
xe","CertOC.exe","WorkFolders.exe","odbcconf.exe","msiexec.exe","msdt.exe"] OR
(image="*\explorer.exe" command IN ["*.hta*","*.vb*","*.wsh*","*.js*","*.ps*","*.scr*
","*.pif*","*.bat","*.cmd*"]) OR image IN ["*\AppData\*","*\Users\Public\*","*\Progra
mData\*","*\Windows\Tasks\*","*\Windows\Tasks\*"])
```

## Usage of Web Request Command

- Trigger Condition: The usage of various web request commands with CommandLine tools and Windows PowerShell cmdlets (including aliases) via CommandLine are detected. Adversaries can utilize this technique to download malicious payloads. However, the Usage of Get-Command and Get-Help modules referencing Invoke-WebRequest and Start-BitsTransfer might trigger false positives. Script Block Logging must be enabled for this alert rule to work.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: PowerShell
- ATT&CK ID: T1059.001
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

norm\_id=WinServer script\_block IN ["\*Invoke-WebRequest\*", "\*iwr \*", "\*wget \*", "\*curl
\*", "\*Net.WebClient\*", "\*Start-BitsTransfer\*", "\*Resume-BitsTransfer\*", "\*[System.Net
.WebRequest]::create\*", "\*Invoke-RestMethod\*", "\*WinHttp.WinHttpRequest\*"] -path="C:\
Packages\Plugins\Microsoft.GuestConfiguration.ConfigurationforWindows\\*"

#### Reconnaissance Activity with NItest

- Trigger Condition: When possible reconnaissance activity via nltest binary is
  detected. Nltest is a Windows command-line utility that comes with a Windows
  Server, which is used to list domain controllers and enumerate domain trusts. The
  binary is available if you have installed the AD DS or the AD LDS server role. It is
  also available if you install the Active Directory Domain Services Tools that are
  part of the Remote Server Administration Tools (RSAT). Adversaries can use this
  technique to discover domain controllers, users and query the domain trust
  relationship.
- ATT&CK Category: Discovery
- ATT&CK Tag: T1016 System Network Configuration Discovery, T1482 Domain Trust Discovery
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create" process"="*\nltest.exe" file="nltestrk.exe" ((command =
"*/server*" command="*/query*") OR command IN ["*/dclist:*","*/domain_trusts*","*/tr
usted_domains*","*/user*","*/parentdomain*"])
```

#### Regsvr32 Network Activity Detected

- Trigger Condition: When network connections and Application Layer Protocol, DNS queries initiated via regsvr32 binary are detected. Regsvr32 is a commandline utility to register and unregister OLE controls, such as DLLs and ActiveX controls, in the Windows Registry. Adversaries utilized regsvr32 to run their malicious DLL, which downloads their other stager payload.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1218 Signed Binary Proxy Execution, T1218.010 Regsvr32
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
norm_id=WindowsSysmon image="*\regsvr32.exe"event_id IN ["3", "22"]
```

## Possible Reconnaissance Activity

- Trigger Condition: When possible, reconnaissance activity, like the execution of several discovery commands in a short time, is detected. The binary in the process list is Window's internal binary. Adversaries use this technique to discover the OS, user, network, subnets, file shares and domain trust, which will be used for further actions.
- ATT&CK Category: Defense Evasion
- ATT&CK Tag: T1016 System Network Configuration Discovery, T1033 System Owner/User Discovery, T1069 Permission Groups Discovery, T1069.002 Domain Groups, T1082 System Information Discovery, T1087 Account Discovery, T1087.002 Domain Account, T1135 Network Share Discovery, T1482 Domain Trust Discovery
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create "process" IN ["*\whoami.exe", "*\nltest.exe", "*\net1.ex
e", "*\ipconfig.exe", "*\systeminfo.exe"] | chart count() as cnt, distinct_list(comm
and) as command by log_ts,user,host,domain | search cnt > 3
```

## Privilege Escalation via Kerberos KrbRelayUp

- Trigger Condition: KrbRelayUp performs a universal no-fix local privilege escalation in Windows domain environments where LDAP signing is not enforced. KrbRelayUp is a wrapper that can streamline the use of some features in Rubeus, KrbRelay, SCMUACBypass, PowerMad/SharpMad, Whisker and ADCSPwn tools in attacks.
- ATT&CK Category: Credential Access, Lateral Movement
- ATT&CK Tag: Pass the Ticket, Kerberoasting
- **ATT&CK ID:** T1550.003, T1558.003
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create
(parent_image="KrbRelayUp.exe" OR image="KrbRelayUp.exe" OR
(command=" relay " AND command=" -Domain " AND command=" -ComputerName ") OR
(command=" krbscm " AND command=" -sc ") OR
(command=" spawn " AND command=" -d " AND command=" -cn " AND command=" -cp *"))
```

#### Suspicious Execution of LNK File

- Trigger Condition: When the execution of suspicious LNK files that either spawns Powershell or command prompt and has high entropy in the command field is detected. A LNK file is a Windows Shortcut that is a pointer to open a file, folder or application. Adversaries can utilize LNK files to embed their malicious scripts and commands and lure victims into executing the payload to gain initial access and evade defense. For this alert to work, an entropy plugin is required. Analysts can set the entropy value depending on the environment to filter out false positives. In our environment, legitimate use entropy was below five, so we used an entropy value greater than five to filter out false positives. The baseline time for using the process entropy command to detect such events is 90 days.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1204.002 Malicious File
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Windows
- Query:

```
label="Process" label=Create parent_process="*\explorer.exe" "process" IN ["*\cmd.exe
","*\powershell.exe"]
| process entropy(command) as command_entropy
| search command_entropy > 5
```

## Insecure Policy Set via Set-ExecutionPolicy

- Trigger Condition: When the Set-ExecutionPolicy command is utilized to set insecure policies such as Unrestricted, bypass, RemoteSigned. Set-ExecutionPolicy is a PowerShell command that can change PowerShell execution policies for Windows systems. The bypass option allows the script to be executed without warning or prompt. The RemoteSigned option allows the scripts downloaded from the internet to be executed. The unsigned option will allow scripts that are not digitally signed to be executed. Adversaries can utilize this technique to change the execution policy to run their choice of malicious PowerShell scripts. To generate relevant logs, Script Block Logging should be enabled.
- ATT&CK Category: Execution
- ATT&CK Tag: T1059.001 PowerShell
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon
- Query:

```
norm_id=WinServer event_id=4104 script_block="*Set-ExecutionPolicy*" script_block IN
["*Unrestricted*","*bypass*","*RemoteSigned*"] -script_block IN ["*\AppData\Roaming\C ode\*"]
```

## Network Connection to Suspicious Server

• **Trigger Condition:** When communication between hosts and domains is mentioned in the query's list. The query will search for logs generated from the Windows system or proxies and firewalls. The mentioned sites are either file

storing or hosting sites. Adversaries have utilized such sites in many campaigns to upload and download data.

- ATT&CK Category: Command and Control
- ATT&CK Tag: T1105 Ingress Tool Transfer
- Minimum Log Source Requirement: Windows Sysmon, Firewall, Proxy Server, WAF
- Query:

```
(norm_id=WindowsSysmon event_id=3 "image" IN ["C:\Windows\*","C:\Users\Public\*"] des
tination_host IN ["*dl.dropboxusercontent.com*","*.pastebin.com*","*.githubuserconten
t.com*", "*cdn.discordapp.com/attachments*","*mediafire.com*","*mega.nz*","*ddns.net*
",
"*.paste.ee*","*.hastebin.com/raw/*","*.ghostbin.co/*", "*ufile.io*","*anonfiles.com*
", "*send.exploit.in*","*transfer.sh*","*privatlab.net*","*privatlab.com*","*sendspac
e.com*","*pastetext.net*","*pastebin.pl*","*paste.ee*","*api.telegram.org*"]) OR
(device_category IN ["Firewall", "ProxyServer"] url IN ["*dl.dropboxusercontent.com*"
,"*.pastebin.com*","*.githubusercontent.com*", "*cdn.discordapp.com/attachments*","*m
ediafire.com*","*mega.nz*","*ddns.net*",
"*.paste.ee*","*.hastebin.com/raw/*","*.ghostbin.co/*", "*ufile.io*","*anonfiles.com*
", "*send.exploit.in*","*transfer.sh*","*priva
```