Extending MISP with Python modules

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WHY WE WANT TO GO MORE MODULAR...

- Ways to extend MISP before modules
 - ► APIs (PyMISP, MISP API)
 - Works really well
 - No integration with the UI
 - Change the core code
 - Have to change the core of MISP, diverge from upstream
 - Needs a deep understanding of MISP internals
 - Let's not beat around the bush: Everyone hates PHP

GOALS FOR THE MODULE SYSTEM

- Have a way to extend MISP without altering the core
- Get started quickly without a need to study the internals
- Make the modules as light weight as possible
 - Module developers should only have to worry about the data transformation
 - Modules should have a simple and clean skeleton
- In a friendlier language **Python**

MISP MODULES - EXTENDING MISP WITH PYTHON SCRIPTS



- Extending MISP with expansion modules with zero customization in MISP.
- A simple ReST API between the modules and MISP allowing auto-discovery of new modules with their features.
- Benefit from existing Python modules in Viper or any other tools.
- MISP modules functionnality introduced in MISP 2.4.28.
- MISP import/export modules introduced in MISP 2.4.50.

MISP MODULES - INSTALLATION

- MISP modules can be run on the same system or on a remote server.
- Python 3 is required to run MISP modules.
 - sudo apt-get install python3-dev python3-pip libpq5
 - cd /usr/local/src/
 - sudo git clone https://github.com/MISP/misp-modules.git
 - cd misp-modules
 - ▶ sudo pip3 install -I -r REQUIREMENTS
 - ▶ sudo pip3 install -I.
 - sudo vi /etc/rc.local, add this line: 'sudo -u www-data misp-modules -s &'

MISP modules - Simple REST API mechanism

- http://127.0.0.1:6666/modules introspection interface to get all modules available
 - returns a JSON with a description of each module
- http://127.0.0.1:6666/query interface to query a specific module
 - to send a JSON to query the module
- MISP autodiscovers the available modules and the MISP site administrator can enable modules as they wish.
- If a configuration is required for a module, MISP adds automatically the option in the server settings.

FINDING AVAILABLE MISP MODULES

curl -s http://127.0.0.1:6666/modules

```
"type": "expansion",
                "name": "dns",
                "meta": {
                  "module-type": [
                    "expansion",
                    "hover"
                  "description": "Simple DNS expansion service
                      to resolve IP address from MISP
                      attributes".
                  "author": "Alexandre Dulaunoy",
                  "version": "0.1"
                "mispattributes": {
                  "output": [
14
                    "ip-src".
                    "ip-dst"
16
                    "hostname",
                    "domain"
20
21
```

MISP MODULES - CONFIGURATION IN THE UI



MISP MODULES - HOW IT'S INTEGRATED IN THE UI?





Enrichment Results

Below you can see the attributes that are to be created. Make sure that the categories and the types are correct, often several options will be offered based on an inconclusive automatic resolution.



Update all comment fields

MISP MODULES - MAIN TYPES OF MODULES

- Expansion modules enrich data that is in MISP
 - Hover type showing the expanded values directly on the attributes
 - Expansion type showing and adding the expanded values via a proposal form
- Import modules import new data into MISP
- Export modules export existing data from MISP

QUERYING A MODULE

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curl -s http://127.0.0.1:6666/query -H "Content-Type: application/json" -data @body.json -X POST

```
body.json
```

```
{"module": "dns", "hostname": "www.circl.lu"}
```

and the response of the dns module:

CREATING YOUR MODULE - DNS MODULE

```
import ison
import dns.resolver
misperrors = {'error' : 'Error'}
mispattributes = {'input': ['hostname', 'domain'], 'output': ['ip-src', 'ip-dst']}
moduleinfo = {'version': '0.1', 'author': 'Alexandre Dulaunoy',
              'description': 'Simple_DNS_expansion_service_to_resolve_IP_address_from_MISP_attributes', 'module-type': ['expansion','hover']}
def handler(q=False):
    if q is False:
        return False
   request = json.loads(q)
    if request get ('hostname'):
        toquery = request['hostname']
    elif request.get('domain'):
       toquery = request['domain']
        return False
   r = dns.resolver.Resolver()
   r.lifetime = 2
       answer = r.query(toquery, 'A')
    except dns.resolver.NXDOMAIN:
        misperrors['error'] = "NXDOMAIN"
        return misperrors
    except dns.exception.Timeout:
        return misperrors
    except:
        misperrors['error'] = "DNS_resolving_error"
        return misperrors
   r = {'results': [{'types': mispattributes['output'], 'values':[str(answer[o])]}]}
   return r
def introspection():
   return mispattributes
def version():
   return moduleinfo
```

TESTING YOUR MODULE

- Copy your module dns.py in modules/expansion/
- Restart the server misp-modules.py

```
[adulau:-/git/misp-modules/bin]$ python3 misp-modules.py
2016-03-20 19:25:43,748 - misp-modules - INFO - MISP modules passivetotal imported
2016-03-20 19:25:43,787 - misp-modules - INFO - MISP modules sourcecache imported
2016-03-20 19:25:43,789 - misp-modules - INFO - MISP modules cve imported
2016-03-20 19:25:43,790 - misp-modules - INFO - MISP modules discounting to the modules of the misp-modules of
```

- Check if your module is present in the introspection
- curl -s http://127.0.0.1:6666/modules
- If yes, test it directly with MISP or via curl

CODE SAMPLES (CONFIGURATION)

```
# Configuration at the top
moduleconfig = ['username', 'password']
# Code block in the hander
if request_get('config');
if (request['config'].get('username') is None) or (request['config'].get('password') is None):
    misperrors['error'] = 'CIRCL_Passive_SSL_authentication_is_missing'
    return misperrors

x = pypssl.PyPSSL(basic_auth=(request['config']['username'], request['config']['password']))
```

DEFAULT EXPANSION MODULE SET

- asn history
- CIRCL Passive DNS
- CIRCL Passive SSL
- Country code lookup
- CVE information expansion
- DNS resolver
- DomainTools
- eupi (checking url in phishing database)
- IntelMQ (experimental)
- ipasn
- PassiveTotal http://blog.passivetotal.org/misp-sharing-done-differently
- sourcecache
- Virustotal
- Whois

IMPORT MODULES

- Similar to expansion modules
- Input is a file upload or a text paste
- Output is a list of parsed attributes to be editend and verified by the user
- Some examples
 - Cuckoo JSON import
 - email import
 - OCR module
 - Open IoC import

EXPORT MODULES

- Not the preferred way to export data from MISP
- Input is currently only a single event
- Output is a file in the export format served back to the user
- Will be moved / merged with MISP built-in export modules
 - Allows export of event / attribute collections

NEW EXPANSION & IMPORT MODULES FORMAT

 Backward compatible - an additional field to extend the format

- Takes a standard MISP attribute as input
- Returns MISP format
 - Attributes
 - Objects (with their references)
 - Tags

```
results = {'Attribute': [...], 'Object': [...], 
'Tag': [...]}
```

- First modules supporting this new export format
 - urlhaus expansion module
 - Joe Sandbox import & query module

NEW EXPANSION & IMPORT MODULES VIEW (MISP 2.4.110

Enrichment Results Relow you can see the attributes and objects that are to be created from the results of the enrichment module Event ID 1229 Event UUID 5cc3042c-8bb4-4837-9564-47aca964451a Event creator org #Resolved Attributes 14 (2 Objects) Value UUID Disable Distribution Category Correlation Name: virustotal-report 53 Inherit event adc32dee-4651-41a1-a558-5a1b3f9e4be1 Other detection-ratio: text 10 / 66 f2b701d43a43315105d549612b2 Inherit event permalink: link https://www.virustotal.com/file/t/3fad6911b80be1d64eb88ba/2fecbcddc2faa73017b6dbcf78578ef47 40b3d10d-5e81-48c7-9fe7-be2b2898427b f2b701d43a43315105d549612b2 Inherit event 552ed/analysis/1554403108/ Name: file 🕽 Payload delivery sha256: sha256 d3fad6911b80be1d64eb88bs23fecbcddc2tsa73017b6dbcf78578eff47552ed 5026ab08-8fod-49e4-a485-b69e92d0295b 8 f2b701d43a43315105d549612b2 Inherit event Other size-in-bytes: size-in-bytes 98304 9eef6454-fa6f-4210-a88a-e401599b4f71 f2b701d43a43315105d549612b2 Inherit event Network activity http://automotivedreamteam.com/v.exe eb97b50e-b872-405f-9be9-2dc39459d5e0 f2b701d43a43315105d649612b2 | Inherit event Network activity http://shopalidoospoop.com/v.exe a3986a11-4e60-4fb5-ba40-999666402cbc f2b701d43a43315105d649612b2 Inherit event http://pooperscooperfranchise.com/v.exe 3778adbd-f7b6-4186-x052-746x3895b9+0 f2b701d43a43315105d649612b2 Inherit event http://cherryhillpoopers.com/v.exe b804db74-4a62-4cd7-abef-a4b68781411e f2b701d43a43315105d649612b2 Inherit event 09d672d8-82f8-469f-9c1f-5315td226d44 http://alldogspoop.net/v.exe f2b701d43a43315105d649612b2 Inherit event Network activity http://aildogspoop.mobi/v.exe 48aeba96-b739-47a0-94c1-d583b2b9c4ae f2b701d43a43315105d549612b2 Inherit event urt http://aildogspoop.info/v.exe 0f5art15b.47ed.4772.acb8.rt2240a6ed8c3 [2b701d43a43315105d649612b2] Inherit event http://alldogspoop.biz/v.exe 90b29dt8-d778-4415-8544-5a2tcf53dt47 9 f2b701d43a43315105d649612b2 Inherit event

FUTURE OF THE MODULES SYSTEM

- Enrichment on full events
- Move the modules to background processes with a messaging system
- Have a way to skip the results preview
 - Preview can be very heavy
 - Difficulty is dealing with uncertain results (without the user having final say)

Q&A



- https://github.com/MISP/misp-modules
- https://github.com/MISP/
- We welcome new modules and pull requests.
- MISP modules can be designed as standalone application.