Practical Malware Analysis Lab 1-3

Questions

- 1. Upload the Lab01-03.exe file to https://www.VirusTotal.com/. Does it match any existing antivirus definitions?
- 2. Are there any indications that this file is packed or obfuscated? If so, what are these indications? If the file is packed, unpack it if possible.
- 3. Do any imports hint at this program's functionality? If so, which imports are they and what do they tell you?
- 4. What host- or network-based indicators could be used to identify this malware on infected machines?

Question 1

Result for Lab01-03.exe

MD5: 9c5c27494c28ed0b14853b346b113145

This EXE definitely seems malicious. The file was detected by 50/70 engines.

Question 2

I believe this file is packed. The virtual size is much higher than it should be for a non packed file. Also VirusTotal says it was packed with FSG v1.00 (Eng) -> dulek/xt.

Question 3

No not at all this program is packed

Question 4

N/A

I don't know how to unpack files manually yet. When I get there in the book I will come back and analyse this file.