

HUNT: Data Driven Web Hacking & Manual Testing

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Shoutouts

- Motley crew @bugcrowd
 - ◆ SecEng and SecOps teams
- Bug Hunters and Pentesters
- Portswigger Burp Suite
- OWASP ZAP
- Github contributors

The Problems

- Increasingly large and complicated web applications that need manual testing
- Applications assessment training lacks “tribal knowledge” of vulnerability location
- No in-tool workflow for web hacking methodologies

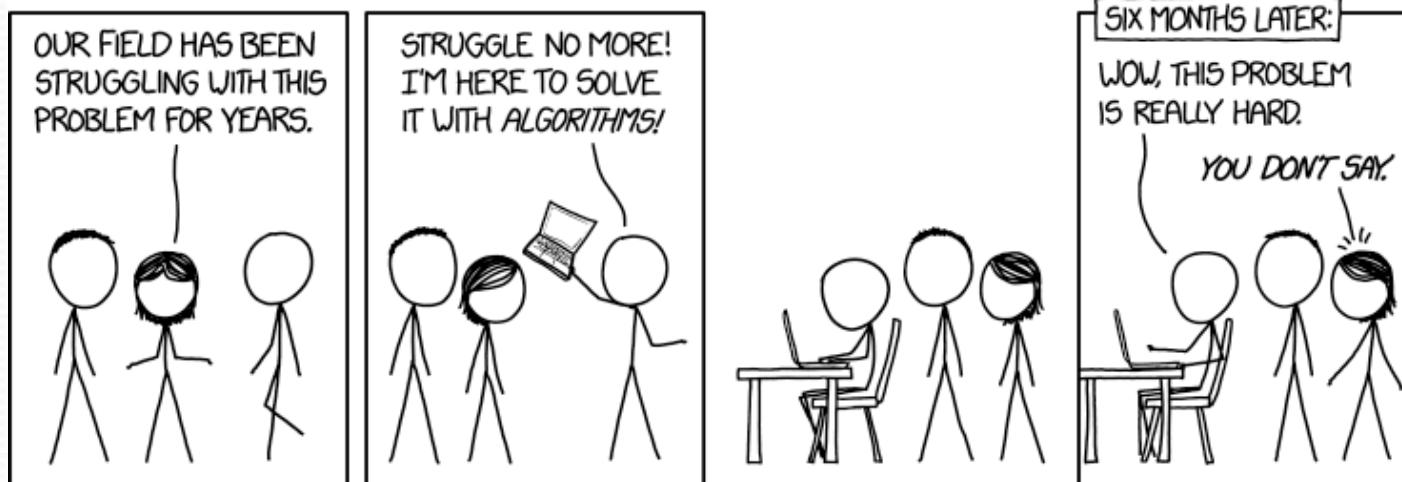
Current Solutions

- Hacker who can eyeball and effectively find security bugs
 - ◆ May or may not have a methodology
 - ◆ Definitely has accrued “tribal knowledge”
 - ◆ Bug hunts and/or does consultant work
- Dynamic Scanner
 - ◆ Limited test cases (fuzzing)
 - ◆ Cost prohibitive
 - ◆ Limited in detection cases (dynamic pages, errors, etc)
 - ◆ Complex sites are hard (auth)

Introducing HUNT

- Tribal knowledge passive alerts
- Methodology in Burp
- Manual testing references in Burp

HUNT Scanner



Source: xkcd

Bug Location (Tribal Knowledge)

- Data from over 600+ bug bounty programs
 - ~2 web targets per program on average
- www.bugcrowd.com, www2.bugcrowd.com
 - ~15 parameters per target on average

⇒ $600 * 2 * 15 \approx 18,000$ parameters seen

Vulnerability Locations

- \Rightarrow 18,000 parameters
 - Anonymize the data
 - Reduce to params with vulns on them
 - Reduce to only Critical and High severity bugs/vulns
 - Sort by recurring instances
 - Include top 5-10 reoccurring instances per vuln/bug category
 - Review top 100 for possible permutations manually and/or with regex
 - Manually add ancillary data (pentest/fuzzdb/seclists/etc)

Alerts and Advisory

The screenshot displays the HUNT Scanner interface. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Target, Proxy, Spider, Scanner, Intruder, Repeater, Sequencer, Decoder, Comparer, Extender, Project options, User options, Alerts, HUNT Scanner, and HUNT Methodology. The left sidebar shows a tree view of the HUNT Scanner configuration, with 'name (6)' selected under 'Server Side Template Injection (9)'. The main panel displays a table of parameters found by the scanner.

Parameter	Host	Path	ID
<input type="checkbox"/> ct100\$PlaceholderMain\$signInControl...	clientelesupport.trx.com	/_layouts/15/ClienteleCRM8.6.1/Pag...	409a9193
<input type="checkbox"/> ct100\$PlaceholderMain\$signInControl...	clientelesupport.trx.com	/_layouts/15/ClienteleCRM8.6.1/Pag...	409a9193
<input type="checkbox"/> j_username	correxemailportal.trx.com	/AdminPortal/j_spring_security_check	2b4450b4
<input type="checkbox"/> j_agencyname	correxemailportal.trx.com	/AdminPortal/j_spring_security_check	2b4450b4
<input type="checkbox"/> firstName	correximplementations-dev.trx.com	/correxui/welcome/userSignUp	508ef189
<input type="checkbox"/> lastName	correximplementations-dev.trx.com	/correxui/welcome/userSignUp	508ef189

Below the table, the 'Advisory' tab is active, showing the following information:

Location: https://correxemailportal.trx.com/AdminPortal/j_spring_security_check

HUNT located the **j_username** parameter inside of your application traffic. The **j_username** parameter is most often susceptible to Server Side Template Injection. HUNT recommends further manual analysis of the parameter in question.



Source: Twitter

Bug Location by Bug/Vuln Class



Source: Shirtoid.com

SQL Injection

{regex + perm} id	{regex} select	{regex} report	{regex} role
{regex} update	{regex} query	{regex + perm} user	{regex + perm} name
{regex} sort	{regex} where	{regex + perm} search	{regex} params
{regex} process	{regex + perm} row	{regex + perm} view	{regex} table
{regex + perm} from	{regex + perm} sel	{regex} results	{regex} sleep
{regex} fetch	{regex + perm} order	{regex} keyword	{regex} count
{regex + perm} column	{regex} input	{regex + perm} key	
{regex + perm} code	{regex + perm} field	{regex} delete	{type} Custom headers
{regex} string	{regex} number	{regex + perm} filter	{type} JSON and XML services

File Includes/Directory Indexing

<code>{regex + perm}</code> file	<code>{regex}</code> location	<code>{regex}</code> locale	<code>{regex + perm}</code> path
<code>{regex}</code> display	<code>{regex}</code> load	<code>{regex + perm}</code> read	<code>{regex}</code> retrieve
<code>{regex + perm}</code> folder	<code>{regex}</code> style	<code>{regex + perm}</code> doc	<code>{regex}</code> document
<code>{regex}</code> root	<code>{regex}</code> pdf	<code>{regex}</code> pg	<code>{regex}</code> include
<code>{regex}</code> list	<code>{regex}</code> view	<code>{regex}</code> img	<code>{regex}</code> image

Server Side Request Forgery 🔥🔥🔥

<code>{regex + perm} dest</code>	<code>{regex} redirect</code>	<code>{regex + perm} uri</code>	<code>{regex} path</code>
<code>{regex} continue</code>	<code>{regex + perm} url</code>	<code>{regex} window</code>	<code>{regex} next</code>
<code>{regex} data</code>	<code>{regex} reference</code>	<code>{regex + perm} site</code>	<code>{regex} html</code>
<code>{regex + perm} val</code>	<code>{regex} validate</code>	<code>{regex} domain</code>	<code>{regex} callback</code>
<code>{regex} return</code>	<code>{regex + perm} page</code>	<code>{regex} feed</code>	<code>{regex} host</code>
<code>{regex} port</code>			

OS Command Injection

<code>{regex} daemon</code>	<code>{regex + perm} upload</code>	<code>{regex + perm} dir</code>
<code>{regex} execute</code>	<code>{regex + perm} download</code>	<code>{regex + perm} log</code>
<code>{type} .cgi</code>	<code>{regex} ip</code>	
<code>{regex} cli</code>		

Insecure Direct Object Reference

{regex + perm} id	{regex + perm} user	
{regex + perm} account	{regex + perm} number	
{regex + perm} order	{regex + perm} no	
{regex + perm} doc	{regex + perm} key	
{regex + perm} email	{regex + perm} group	
{regex + perm} profile	{regex + perm} edit	REST numeric paths

Server Side Template Injection 🔥

<code>{regex + perm}</code> template	content	id
preview	redirect	view
activity	name	

Debug & Logic Parameters

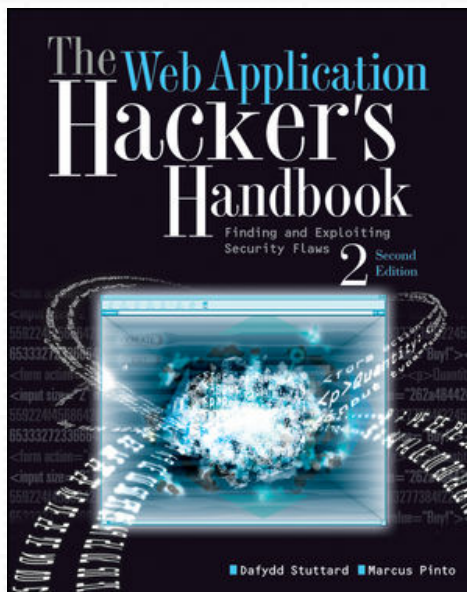
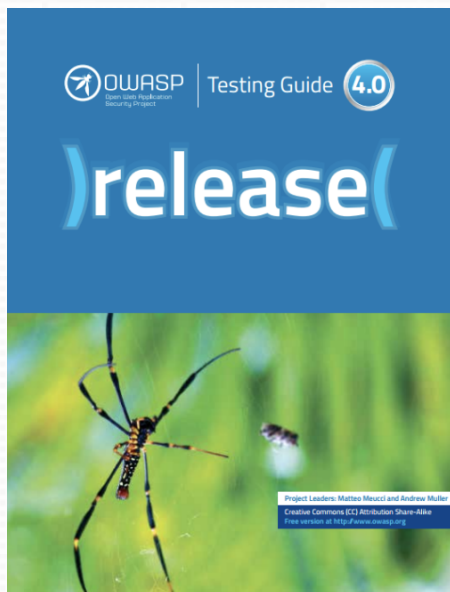
access	admin	dbg
debug	edit	grant
test	alter	clone
create	delete	disable
enable	exec	execute
load	make	modify
rename	reset	shell
toggle	adm	root
cfg	config	

HUNT Methodology



Source: Capcom

Methodologies



Right Click -> Send-To Methodology Section

Target Proxy Spider Scanner Intruder Repeater Sequencer Decoder Comparer Extender Project options User options Alerts HUNT Scanner HUNT Methodology

Intercept HTTP history WebSockets history Options

Filter: Hiding out of scope items; hiding CSS and image content

#	Host	Method	URL	Params	Edited	Status	Length	MIME type	Extension	Title	Comme
312	https://www.concur.com	GET	/sites/default/files/js/js_0C0Z5C...			200	30320	script	js		
313	https://www.concur.com	GET	/sites/default/files/js/js_gE5rgnx...			200	29592	script	js		
314	https://www.concur.com	GET	/sites/default/files/js/js_YDk2Yq...			200	6278	script	js		
315	http://www.trx.com	GET	/robots.txt			301	438	HTML	txt	301 Moved Permanently	
316	http://amexco.trx.com	GET	/robots.txt					text	txt		
317	http://atl104.trx.com	GET	/robots.txt					text	txt		
318	http://atl110.trx.com	GET	/robots.txt					text	txt		
319	https://www.concur.com	GET	/sites/all/modules/custom_conc...	✓		200	2395	script	js		
320	https://www.concur.com	GET	https://www.concur.com/sites...pts/header_homepage.js?oyt71g				4710	script	js		
321	https://www.concur.com	GET	Remove from scope				913	XML	svg		
325	http://autodiscover.trx.com	GET	Spider from here					text	txt		
326	http://cft.trx.com	GET	Do an active scan					text	txt		
327	http://correx.trx.com	GET	Do a passive scan					text	txt		
328	http://betaselexea.trx.com	GET	Send to Intruder					text	txt		

Request Response

Raw Params Headers H

GET /sites/all/modules/custom_concurcom/sites/default/files/js/js_gE5rgnx... HTTP/1.1
 Host: www.concur.com
 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Macintosh; Intel Mac OS X 10_15_7; rv:109.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/109.0
 Accept: */*
 Accept-Language: en-US
 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
 Referer: https://www.concur.com/
 Connection: close

Send to HUNT Methodology

Engagement tools

Show new history window

Add comment

Highlight

Delete item

Clear history

Copy URL

Copy as curl command

Copy links

Save item

Proxy history help

Account

Account Registration

File Download/Upload

Account Recovery

Money Transactions

Authentication

Search

Contact Us

General

API

Insecure Direct Object Reference

Cross Site Request Forgery

Authentication Bypass - Vertical

Cross Site Scripting

SQL Injection

Authentication Bypass - Horizontal

Description

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Target Proxy Spider Scanner Intruder Repeater Sequencer Decoder Comparer Extender Project options User options Alerts HUNT Scanner HUNT Methodology

▼ HUNT – Methodology

- ▼ Functionality
 - ▶ API
 - ▼ Account
 - Authentication Bypass – Horizontal
 - Authentication Bypass – Vertical**
 - Cross Site Request Forgery
 - Cross Site Scripting
 - Insecure Direct Object Reference
 - SQL Injection
 - ▶ Account Recovery
 - ▶ Account Registration
 - ▶ Authentication
 - ▶ Contact Us
 - ▶ File Download/Upload
 - ▶ General
 - ▶ Money Transactions
 - ▶ Search
 - Settings

Description Bugs Resources Notes

Check to see if any kind of checks can be bypassed in any way to perform actions that require higher level permissions.

Multiple Request/Response

Target	Proxy	Spider	Scanner	Intruder	Repeater	Sequencer	Decoder	Comparer	Extender	Project options	User options	Alerts	HUNT Scanner	HUNT Methodology
<div> <div> HUNT - Methodology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Functionality <ul style="list-style-type: none"> API Account <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Authentication Bypass - Horizontal Authentication Bypass - Vertical Cross Site Request Forgery Cross Site Scripting Insecure Direct Object Reference SQL Injection Account Recovery Account Registration Authentication Contact Us File Download/Upload General Money Transactions Search Settings </div> <div> <div> Description Bugs Resources Notes </div> <div> 0 x 1 x 2 x 3 x </div> <div> Request Response </div> <div> HTTP/1.1 200 OK Server: nginx Date: Fri, 03 Nov 2017 16:41:29 GMT Content-Type: text/html; charset=ISO-8859-1 Connection: close X-Frame-Options: SAMEORIGIN X-Content-Type-Options: nosniff X-XSS-Protection: 1; mode=block Vary: Accept-Encoding Content-Length: 76365 </div> </div> </div> <pre> <!--[if lt IE 7]> <html class="lt-ie9 lt-ie8 lt-ie7" lang="en"> <![endif]--> <!--[if IE 7]> <html class="lt-ie9 lt-ie8" lang="en"> <![endif]--> <!--[if IE 8]> <html class="lt-ie9" lang="en"> <![endif]--> <!--[if IE 9]> <html class="lt-ie9" lang="en"> <![endif]--> <html> <head> <title>TRX CORREX Mail Portal</title> <style> .errorblock { color: #ff0000; background-color: #ffEEEE; border: 3px solid #ff0000; padding: 8px; margin: 16px; } .login-help { </pre>														

Notes

Target	Proxy	Spider	Scanner	Intruder	Repeater	Sequencer	Decoder	Comparer	Extender
<div><div><div>▼ HUNT - Methodology</div><div>▼ Folder Functionality</div><div>▼ Folder Account</div><div>File Insecure Direct Object Reference</div><div>File Cross Site Request Forgery</div><div>File Authentication Bypass - Vertical</div><div>File Cross Site Scripting</div><div>File SQL Injection</div><div>File Authentication Bypass - Horizontal</div><div>▶ Folder Account Registration</div><div>▶ Folder File Download/Upload</div><div>▶ Folder Account Recovery</div><div>▶ Folder Money Transactions</div><div>▶ Folder Authentication</div><div>▶ Folder Search</div><div>▶ Folder Contact Us</div><div>▶ Folder General</div><div>▶ Folder API</div><div>File Settings</div></div><div><div>Description</div><div>Bugs</div><div>Resources</div><div>Notes</div></div><div><ul style="list-style-type: none">- Try and pop the SQLi on your own, you n00b- If all else fails, try SQLmap- Get help from Jason because he's an uber l33t h4x0r</div></div>									

Save/Load JSON File

The screenshot displays a web application interface with a top navigation bar and a main content area. The navigation bar contains seven tabs: Target, Proxy, Spider, Scanner, Intruder, Repeater, and Sequencer. The main content area is divided into two sections. On the left is a tree view showing a hierarchy of folders and files. The 'Settings' file at the bottom is highlighted with an orange background. On the right is a panel with two buttons: 'Load JSON File' and 'Save JSON File'.

Target Proxy Spider Scanner Intruder Repeater Sequencer

- ▼ HUNT – Methodology
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Load JSON File

Save JSON File

Resources

Target	Proxy	Spider	Scanner	Intruder	Repeater	Sequencer	Decoder	Comparer	Extender	Project options	User options
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Plugin Installation



Source: github

Installation - Jython

Target

Proxy

Spider

Scanner

Intruder

Repeater

Sequencer

Decoder

Comparer


Extender


Extensions

BApp Store


APIs


Options

 **Settings**

 This setting controls how Burp handles extensions on startup.


- ☒ Automatically reload extensions on startup


 **Java Environment**

 These settings let you configure the environment for executing extensions that are written in Java. If

Folder for loading library JAR files (optional):

Select folder ...

 **Python Environment**

 These settings let you configure the environment for executing extensions that are written in Python

Java.

Location of Jython standalone JAR file:

Select file ...

Folder for loading modules (optional):

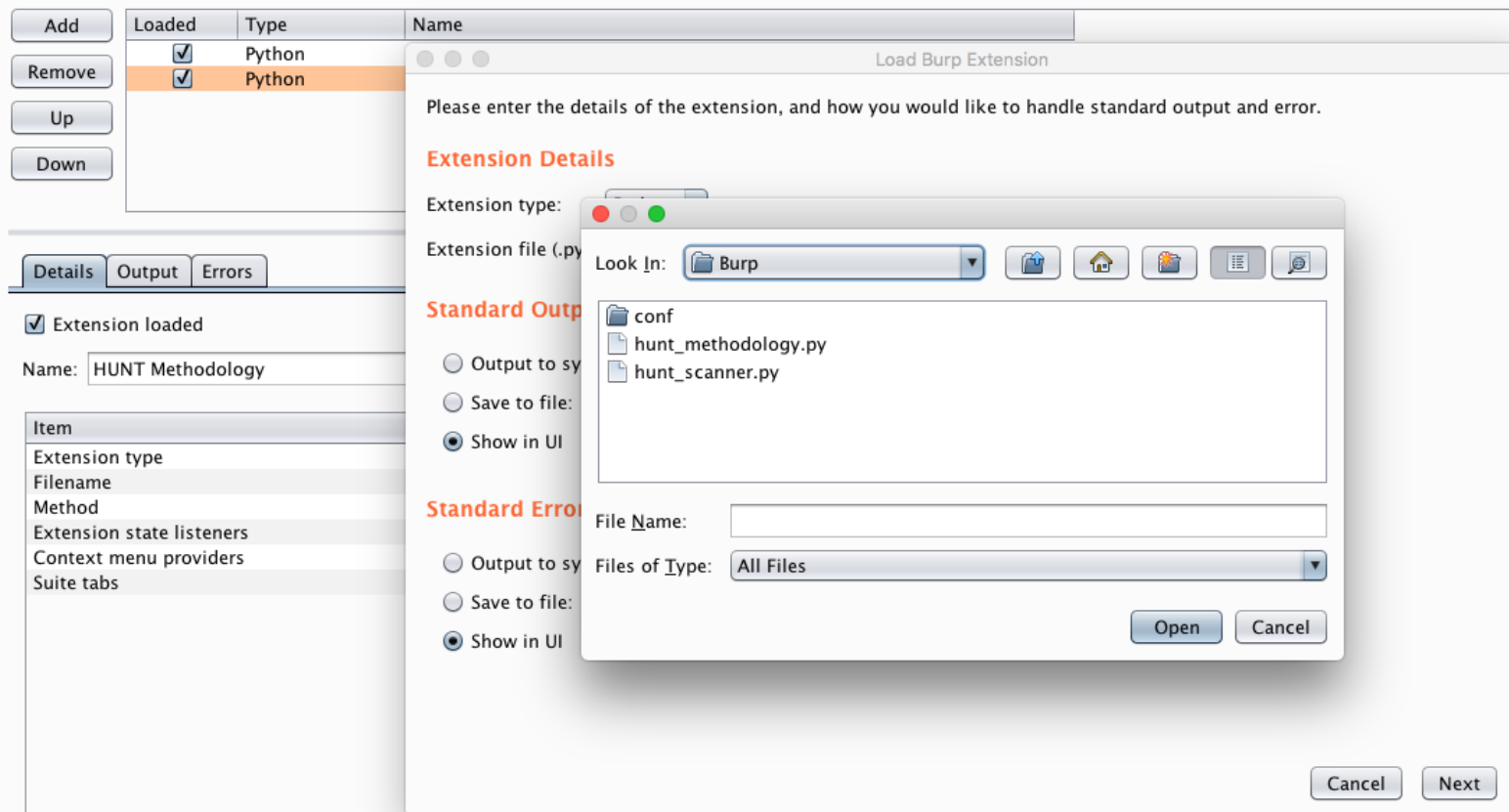
Select folder ...

Installation - Plugin



Burp Extensions

Extensions let you customize Burp's behavior using your own or third-party code.



Setting Target Scope

Site map Scope

? Target Scope

Define the in-scope targets for your current work. This configuration affects the behavior of tools throughout the suite. The ea in the site map to include or exclude URL paths.

☒ Use advanced scope control

Include in scope

Add	Enabled	Protocol	Host / IP range	Port	File
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any	contgo.com		
Edit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any	trx.com		
Remove	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any	tripit.com		
Paste URL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any	concur		
Load ...					

Exclude from scope

Add	Enabled	Protocol	Host / IP range	Port	File
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any			logout
Edit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any			logoff
Remove	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any			exit
Paste URL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Any			signout
Load ...					

Setting Passive Scanner Scope

Target	Proxy	Spider	Scanner	Intruder	Repeater	Sequencer	Decoder
Issue activity	Scan queue	Live scanning	Issue definitions	Options			

? Live Active Scanning

⚙ Automatically scan the following targets as you browse. Active scan checks

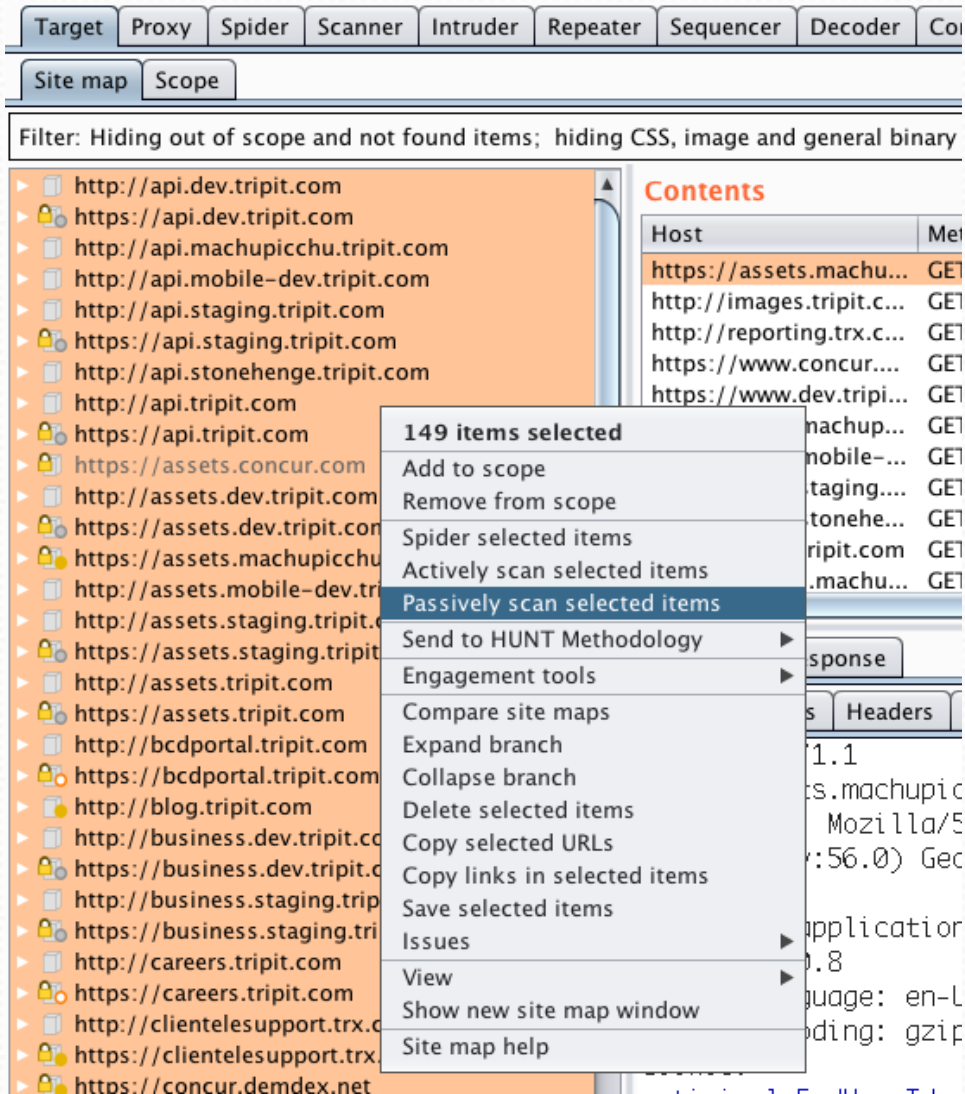
- ☐ Don't scan
- ☒ Use suite scope [defined in Target tab]
- ☐ Use custom scope

? Live Passive Scanning

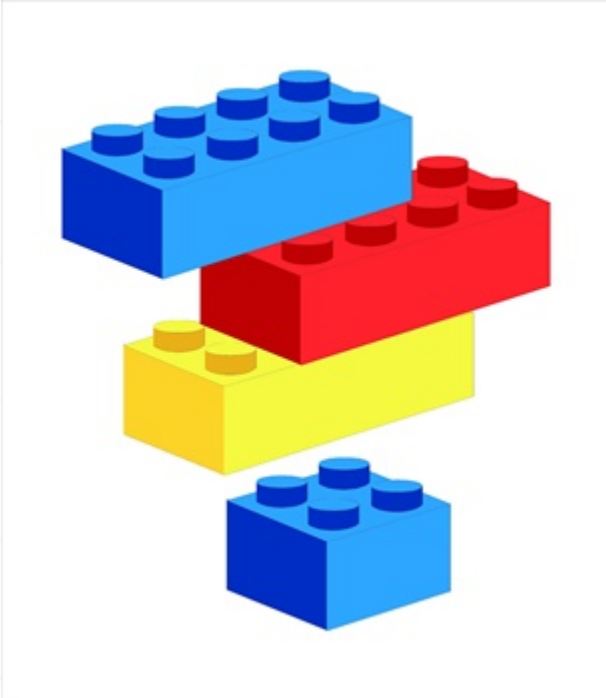
⚙ Automatically scan the following targets as you browse. Passive scan checks

- ☐ Don't scan
- ☐ Scan everything
- ☒ Use suite scope [defined in Target tab]
- ☐ Use custom scope

Run Passive Scanner



Extensibility



Source: logic-canvas.com

Scanner Extensibility



Creating new issue checks are as simple as adding to the JSON file.

```
{
  "issues": {
    "OS Command Injection": {
      "check_location": {
        "request": true,
        "response": false
      },
      "detail": "HUNT located the <b>$param$</b> parameter inside of your application traffic. The <b>$param$</b> parameter is most often susceptible to OS Command Injection. HUNT recommends further manual analysis of the parameter in question.<br><br>For OS Command Injection HUNT recommends the following resources to aid in manual testing:",
      "level": "Information",
      "name": "Possible OS Command Injection",
      "params": [
        "daemon",
        "upload",
        "dir",
        "execute",
        "download",
        "vulnerable_parameter"
      ]
    }
  }
}
```

Methodology Extensibility



Creating new methodologies are as simple as adding to the JSON file.

```
{
  "checklist": {
    "Settings": "",
    "Functionality": {
      "NEW METHODOLOGY SECTION": {
        "description": "",
        "tests": {
          "Authentication Bypass - Vertical": {
            "description": "Check to see if the login sequence
can be bypassed in any way to get higher level permissions.",
            "resources": [],
            "bugs": [],
            "notes": ""
          }
        }
      }
    }
  }
}
```

The Future

- More built-in methodologies
 - ◆ OWASP, PCI, HIPAA, CREST, PTES
- ~~→ Port to ZAP?~~
- More scanner checks/vulnerability classes
- More resources
- Dynamic JSON structure support
- Perfect GUI (lol, yeah right)
- REST Support
- ~~→ Full Burp helpers (right click, search, highlight, etc)~~
- Resource/File name analysis (Instead of params)
- Alerts on content types (XML, JSON, Multipart-form)
- Response analysis alerts (errors)
- Submit from Burp/ZAP to Bugcrowd program
- Get on BApp Store

Questions?

[@swagnetow](https://www.github.com/bugcrowd/hunt)

