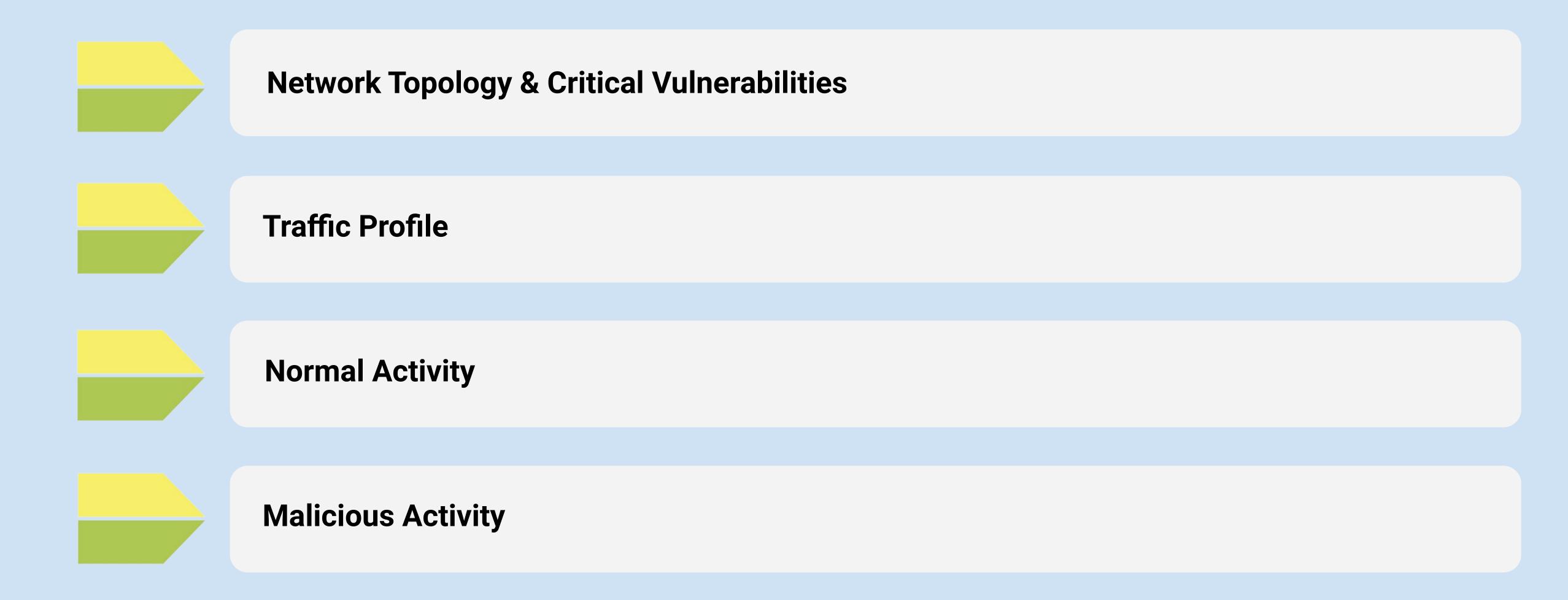
Final Engagement

Attack, Defense & Analysis of a Vulnerable Network

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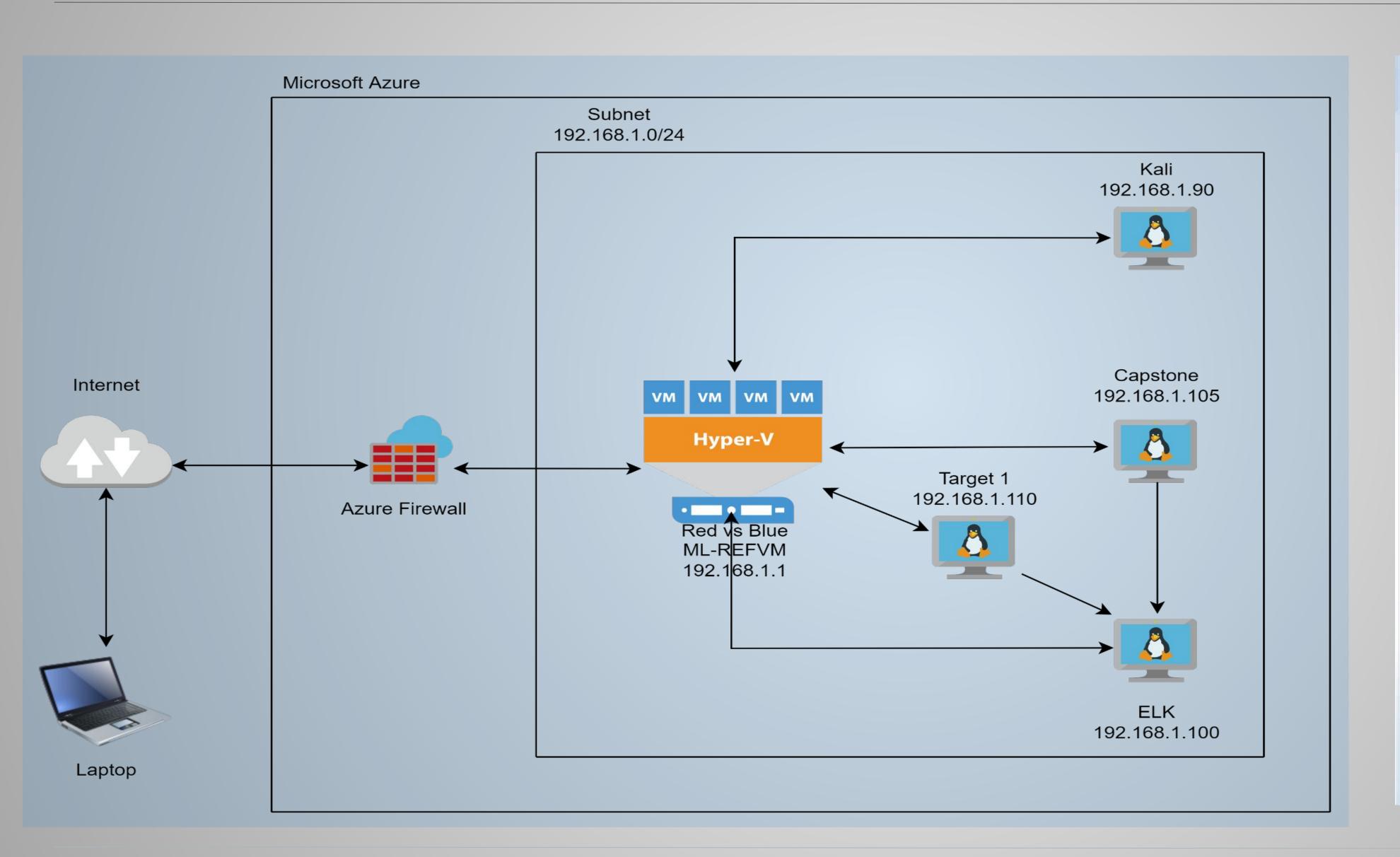
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Network Topology



Network

Address Range: 192.168.1.0/24

Netmask: 255.255.255.0 Gateway: 192.168.1.90

Machines

IPv4: 192.168.1.90

OS: Kali Linux Hostname: Kali

IPv4: 192.168.1.100 OS: Ubuntu 18.04 Hostname: ELK

IPv4: 192.168.1.105 OS: Ubuntu 18.04 Hostname: Capstone

IPv4: 192.168.1.115 OS: Debian/GNU Linux Hostname: Target 1

Critical Vulnerabilities: Target 1

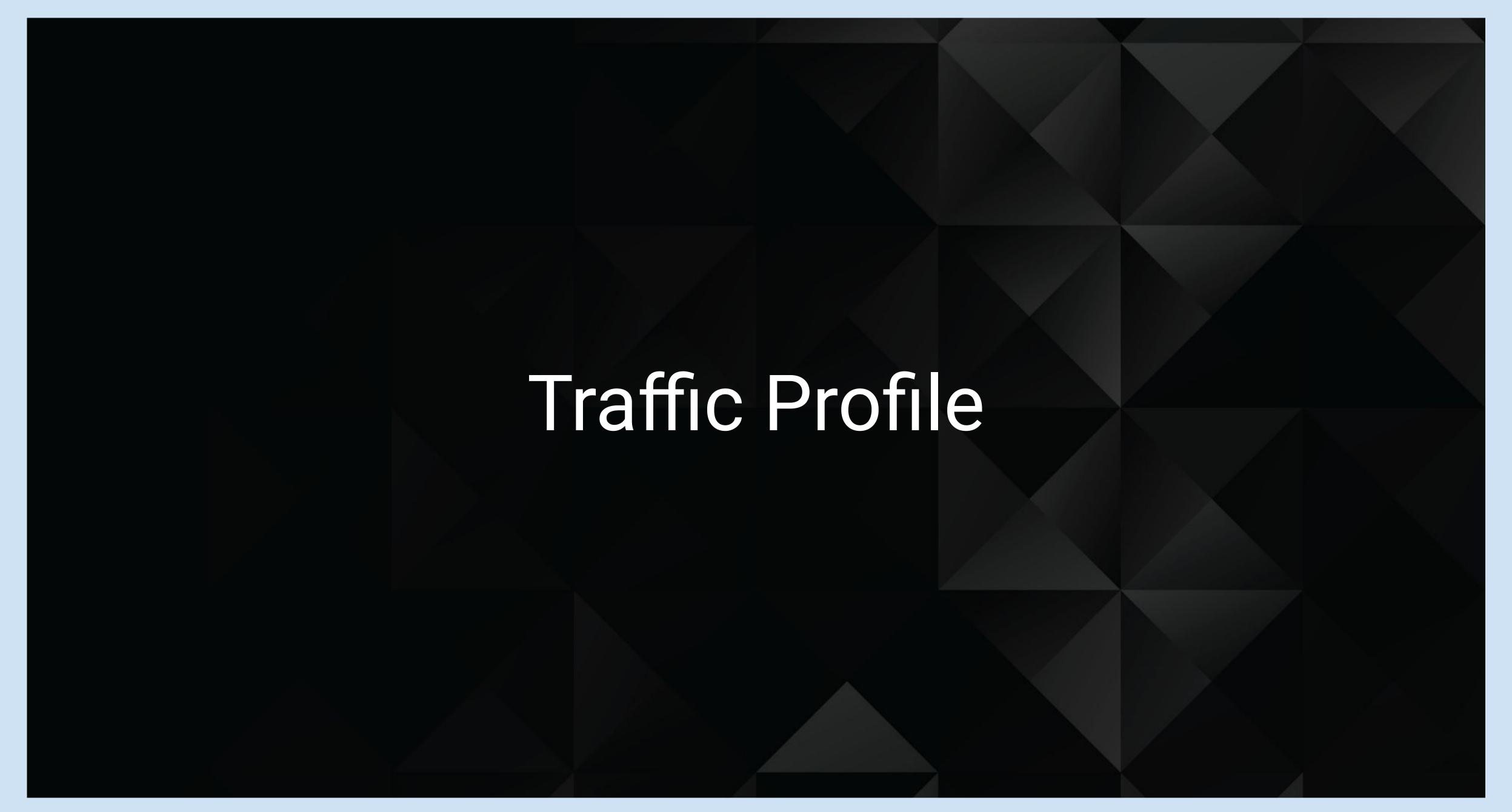
Our assessment uncovered the following critical vulnerabilities in Target 1.

Vulnerability	Description	Impact
Unnecessary Service Running	Open SSH Port 22	Allowed the attacker to gain internal access
Wordpress User Enumeration	wpscan was used to enumerate web server users	Michael and Steven's usernames we exposed
Weak Password Policy CWE-521	Weak password requirements	Michael's password was easily guessed, Steven's password was cracked
Plaintext Storage of a Password CWE-256	Storing a password in plaintext may result in a system compromise	Attacker logged into mySQL with root access

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Vulnerability	Description	Impact
Use of a One-Way Hash without a Salt CWE-759 Use of Weak Hash CWE-328	This makes it easier for attackers to pre-compute the hash value using dictionary attack techniques and or determine the original input	Michael and Steven's usernames we exposed
Escalation of Privileges	Executed "sudo python -c 'import pty;pty.spawn ("bin/bash")' "	Attacker was able to gain root access and take complete control of the system



Traffic Profile

Our analysis identified the following characteristics of the traffic on the network:

Feature	Value	Description
Top Talkers (IP Addresses)	172.16.4.205 & 185.243.115.84 166.62.111.64	Machines that sent the most traffic.
Most Common Protocols	TLS(7272), HTTP(2848), NetBIOS Service Session	Three most common protocols on the network.
# of Unique IP Addresses	810	Count of observed IP addresses.
Subnets	/24	Observed subnet ranges.
# of Malware Species	1	Number of malware binaries identified in traffic.

Behavioral Analysis

Purpose of Traffic on the Network

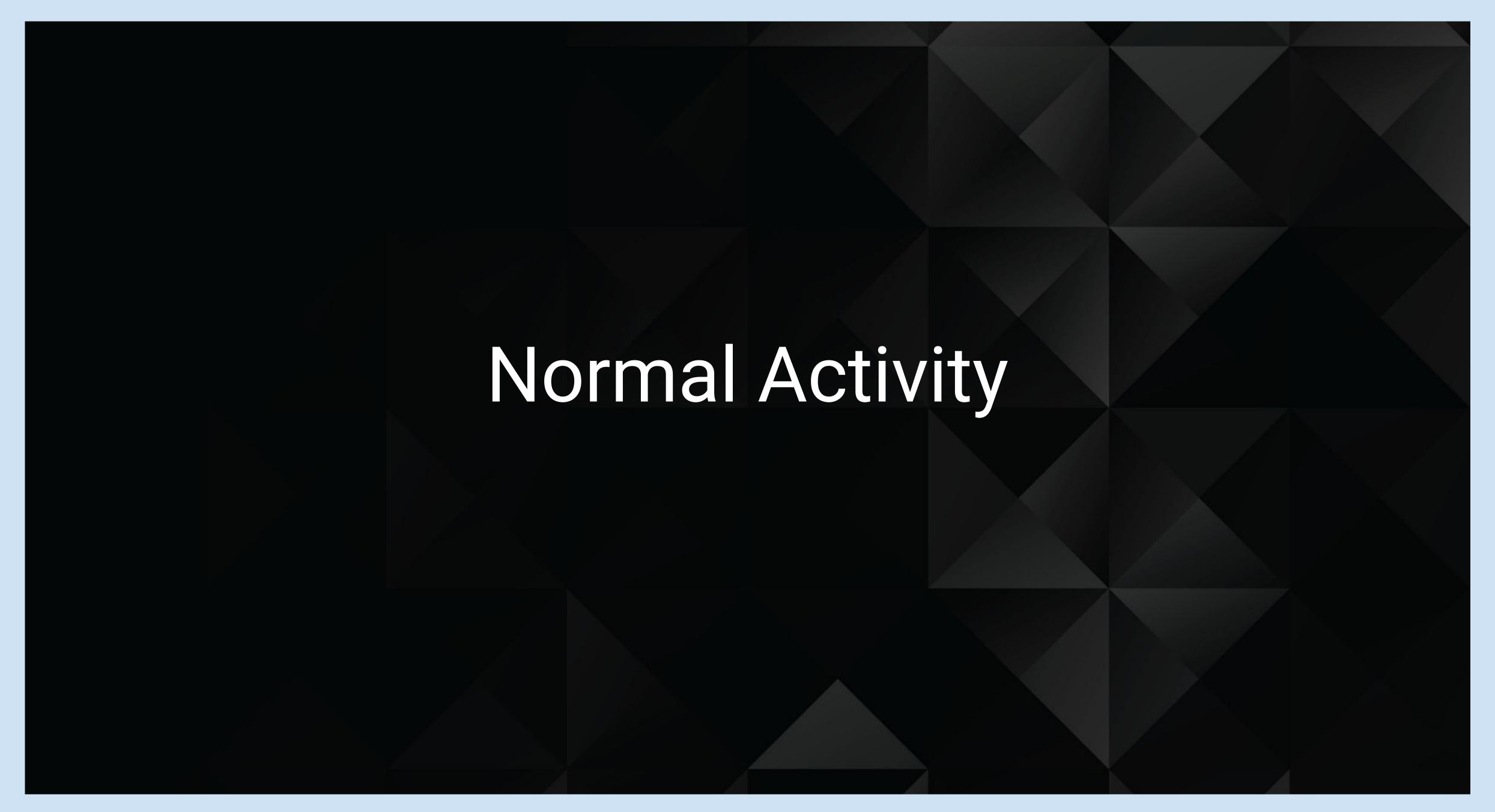
Users were observed engaging in the following kinds of activity.

"Normal" Activity

- Watching YouTube
- Sending images
- Browsing websites

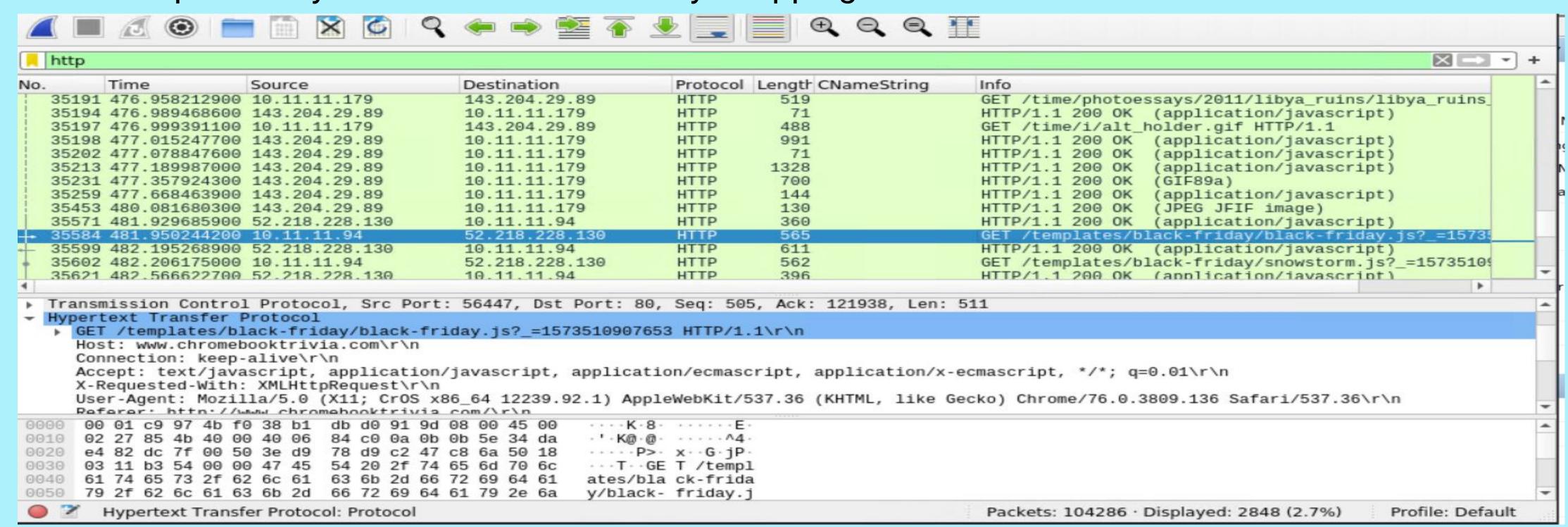
Suspicious Activity

- Sending malware file (june11.dll)
- Downloaded torrent file (Betty_Boop_Rythm_on_the_Reservation.avi.torrent)
- frank-n-ted.com



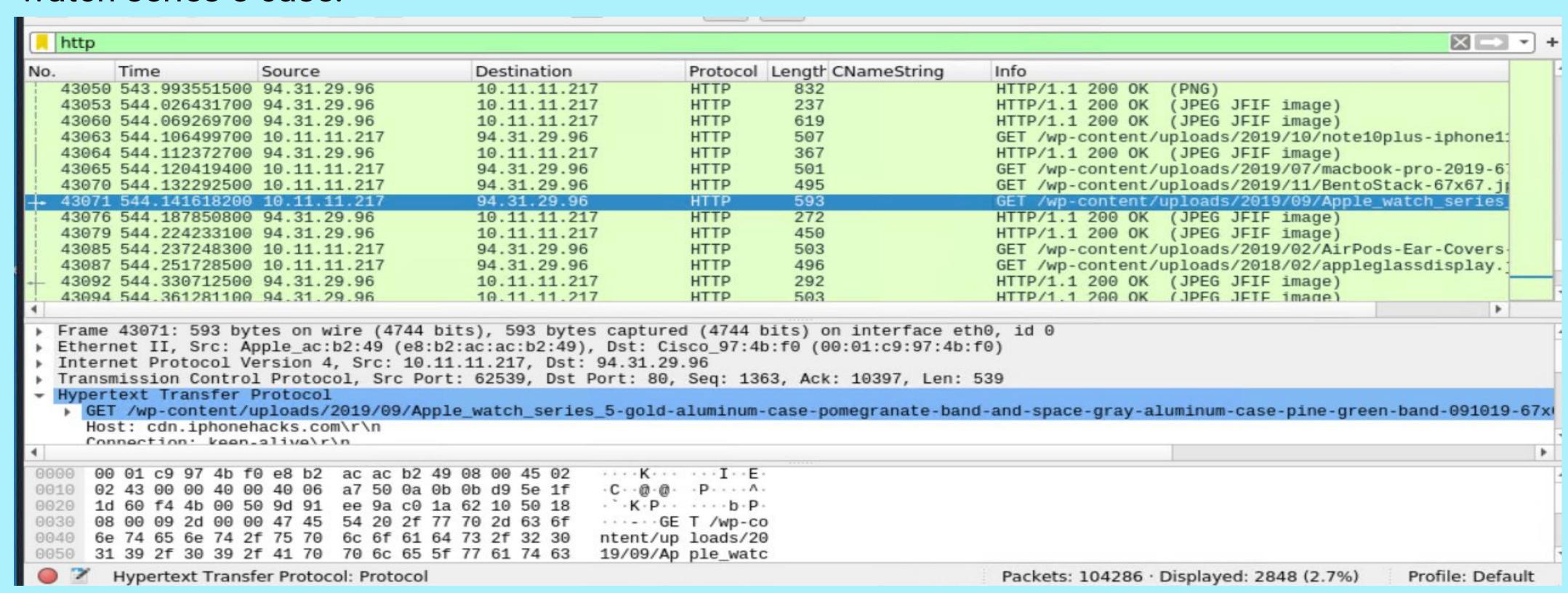
Normal Behavior #1

- We observed normal traffic such as web browsing. In these packets the GET method was used to access several websites.
- An example of this is a user accessing website: <u>www.chromebooktrivia.com</u>
- The user specifically accessed a Black Friday shopping website.



Normal Behavior #2

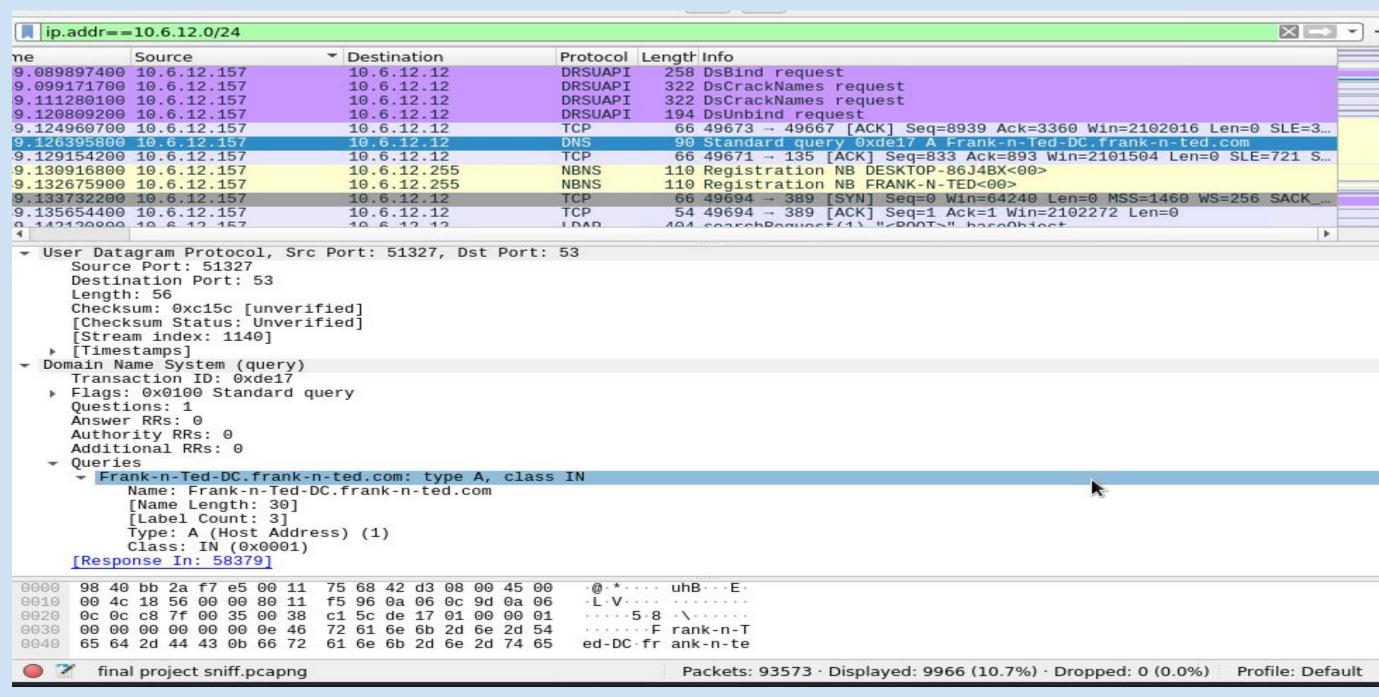
- We observed the user utilizing HTTP protocols to look at images.
- The user visited the following website: cdn.iphonehacks.com that contained pictures of an Apple watch series 5 case.



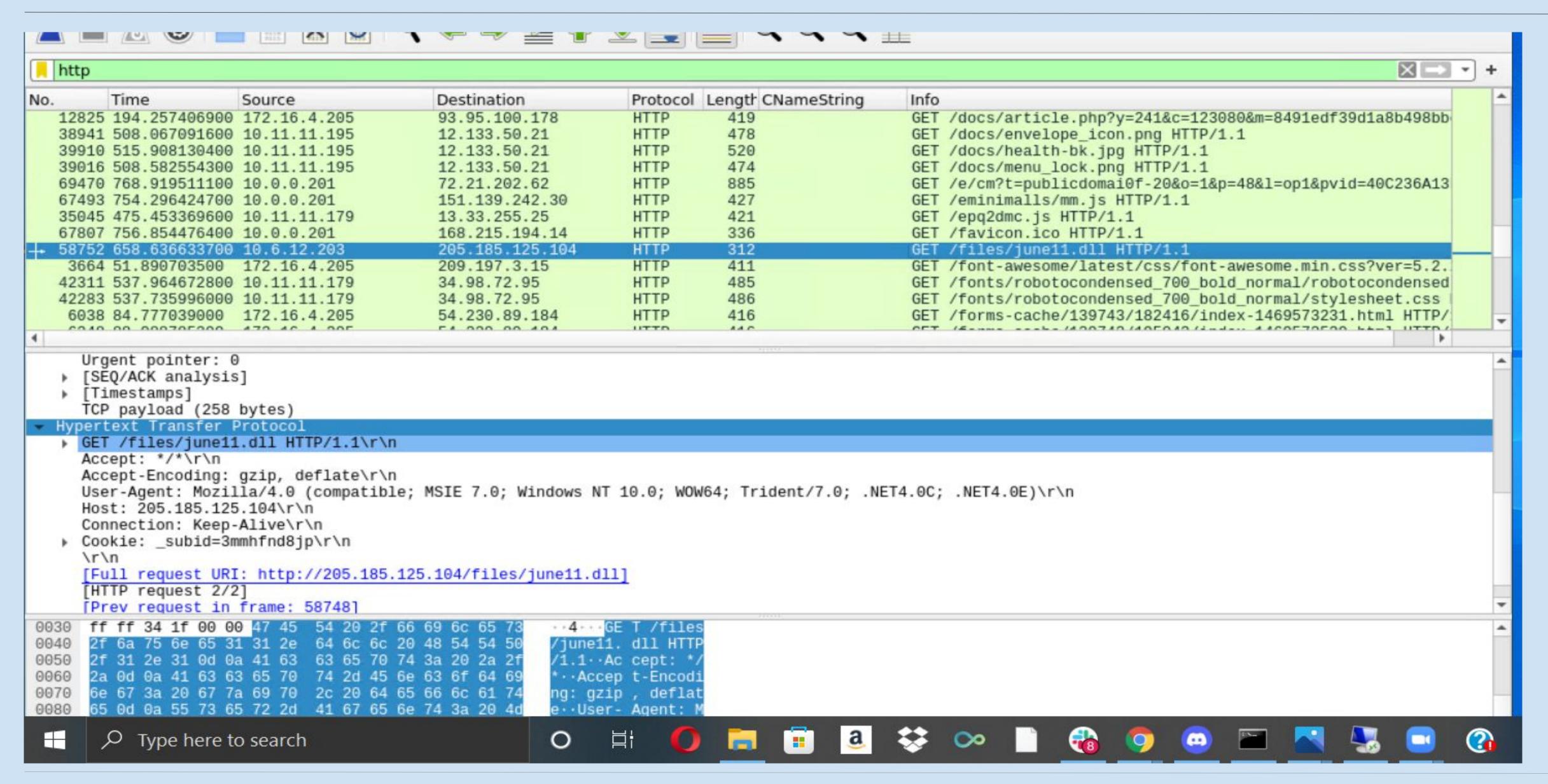


Malicious Behavior #1

- We observed traffic containing malicious activity containing the protocols HTTP.
- What, specifically, was the user doing? Which site were they browsing? Etc.
- The user was trying to send a malicious file containing a trojan through the network, that was captured
 in the HTTP protocol. The user also created their own website, in which they navigated into it multiple
 times.
 - .http://205.185.125.104/files/june11.dll
 - matthijs.devries
 - http://frank-n-ted-dc.frank-n-ted.com



Malicious Behavior #1 Cont.



Malicious Behavior #2

- We observed traffic containing packets with HTTP protocols.
- The user was downloading files through torrent which could contain malicious content. They were trying to access the following websites containing torrent files.
 - /bt/btdownload.php?type=torrent&file=Betty_Boop_Rythm_on_the_Reservation.avi.torrent
 orrent.org
 - o publicdomaintorrents.info,
- Impact: Torrent files are open source and anyone can upload or download anything, which could potentially contain malicious content and unbeknownst to the recipient.

Malicious Behavior #2 Cont.

