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Sandbox Scryer

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Problem Statement, and Solution

- Defending against Advanced Persistent Threats requires answering "what's next?" after an initial detection
 - How will threat try again?
 - What is threat after?
 - How can defenses be improved to thwart next attack attempts and stages?
- Sandbox can help provide the signal to communicate focused answers to the above questions
 - Can be integrated into SoC and SOAR operations at scale
 - Can enhance intelligence and threat hunting operations
 - Allows for prioritization of important IOCs and ATT&CK behaviors
 - Sandbox solutions generate a lot of data, which needs post processing to be effective



Sandbox Scryer - What is it?

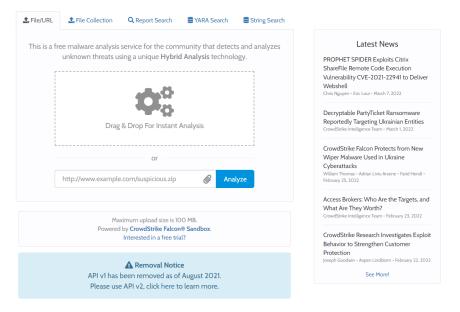
- Open-source tool for producing threat-hunting and intelligence data from sandbox output
 - Initial integration is with the free and public Hybrid Analysis (HA) sandbox
 - https://hybrid-analysis.com/
 - https://hybrid-analysis.com/docs/api/v2
- Leverages MITRE ATT&CK framework to organize and prioritize findings, facilitating assembly of IOCs



Hybrid Analysis Sandbox - Web Ul







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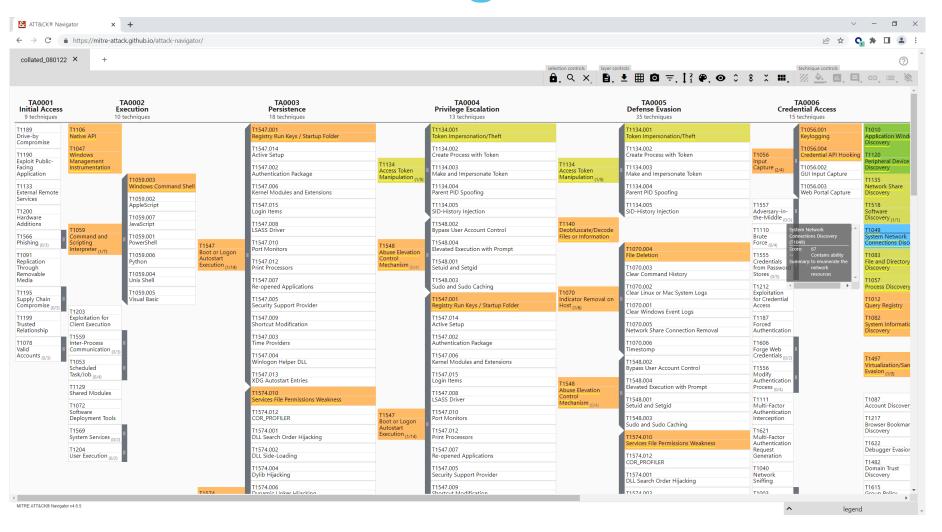


Output

- Primary output: Layer file for import into MITRE ATT&CK Navigator
 - Collates data from set of sandbox submissions' report summaries
 - Includes metadata and ranking of ATT&CK techniques
- Supplemental output
 - Individualized output for each sandbox report summary
 - Graphical file showing triggered techniques in MITRE ATT&CK Framework
 - Text file for human readability. Includes ranking of techniques
 - .csv file for import into collating tools. Used to assemble the collated data placed in the Navigator layer file



MITRE ATT&CK Navigator - View of Collated Data





Operation

- Sample(s) submitted to Hybrid Analysis sandbox for analysis
 - Submission of samples and retrieval of results normally handled separately from the Scryer tool.
 Optionally, Scryer tool can be used to submit sample
- Scryer tool run with 'parse' command against each collected sandbox report
 - Input includes technique ranking, generated using MITRE ATT&CK Top Techniques calculator
- Scryer tool run with 'collate' command against set of collected sandbox reports
 - Generates MITRE ATT&CK Navigator layer file using collated data from set of sandbox reports
 - Viewable within Navigator
 - Includes metadata for ATT&CK techniques noted by HA sandbox
- Scryer operation governed by command-line parameters, enabling scripting



Using Results

- Viewing within MITRE ATT&CK Navigator Primary usage
 - Allows view of techniques and tactics affected by set of samples, with prevalence and prioritization shown via heat map
 - Metadata available for techniques observed within sample set's detonation and analysis in sandbox
 - File and Windows Registry paths, command-line arguments, network addresses and URLs, user/system account used, etc.
 - Using metadata, responses can be developed:
 - Prioritized vulnerability scanning and software update management
 - Security posture adjustments: accounts locked, authentication policies adjusted, systems isolated, ...
- Other usages: importing .csv files into other tools



Input and Dependencies

- Sample report summaries: result from submissions to sandbox, using the free and public HA Sandbox at: https://hybrid-analysis.com/
- MITRE ATT&CK definitions CTI data from

https://raw.githubusercontent.com/mitre/cti/master/enterprise-attack/enterprise-attack.json

MITRE ATT&CK top techniques ranking data, generated using their calculator at

https://top-attack-techniques.mitre-engenuity.org/



For more info

 Open-source will be released under github repo <u>https://github.com/PayloadSecurity/Sandbox_Scryer</u>

Input and collaboration welcome!



Demo

- Set of samples previously submitted to HA sandbox and reports collected
 - Brief overview of collected report summaries
- Show Scryer tool invoked for set of reports, via simple script
 - Walk through output Scryer tool generates after parsing sandbox reports
- Show Scryer tool invoked against prior step's output
 - Walk through collated data and generated Navigator layer file
- Invoke MITRE ATT&CK Navigator, loading generated layer file
 - Walk through displayed ATT&CK framework. Discuss usage of data shown