



Finding Wonderland Through the Rabbit Hole: Lookout's Mobile CTI



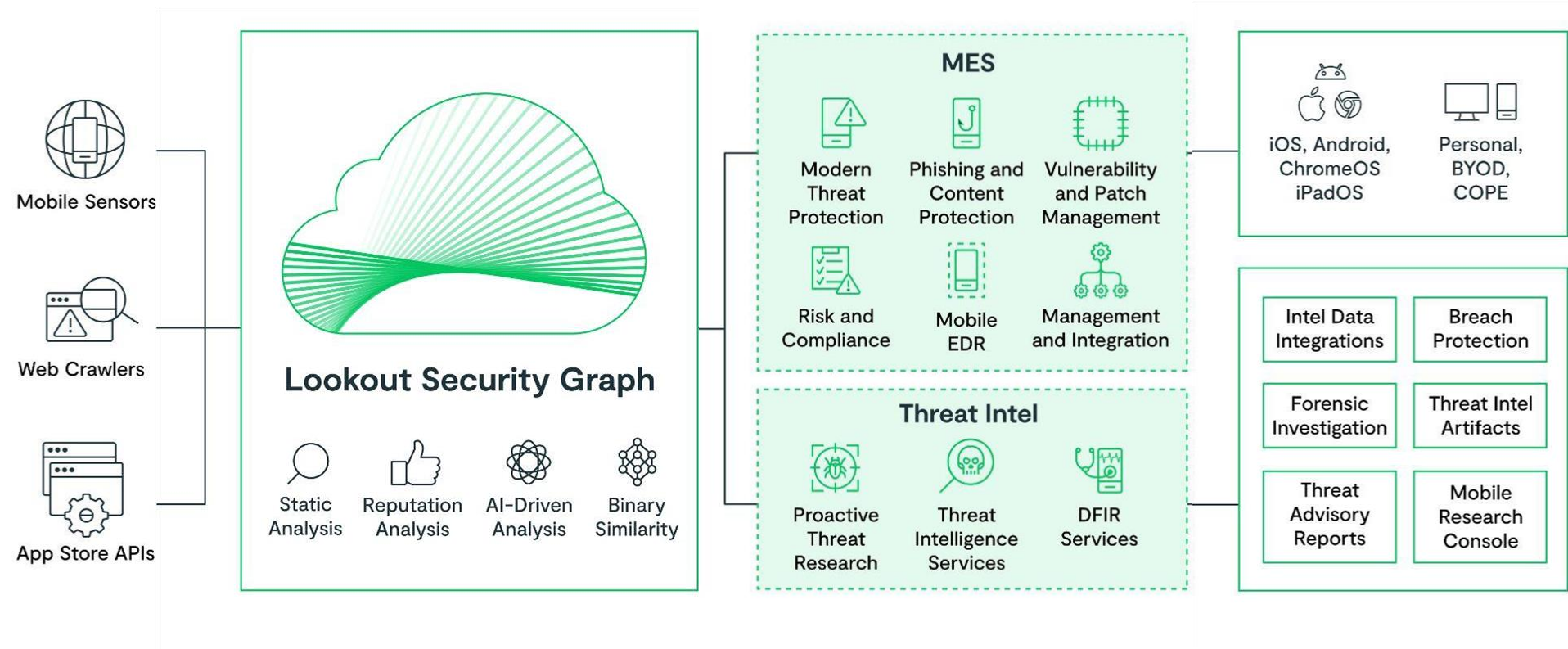
Where Our Data Comes From

220+ Million
Endpoint Devices

355+ Million
Apps Analyzed

464+ Million
**Phishing and
Malicious Sites**

How Lookout Works



Lookout Security Graph

Acquisition

Mobile Network

- More than 220 million devices worldwide provide a comprehensive, real-time view into global threats.
- Binary acquisition process shares the load among multiple devices to limit battery and data impact, later reassembling the app in the cloud.

Crawling

- Lookout monitors the major and minor app stores of the world, including popular app stores in countries such as China, Russia, and India.

APIs

- By serving as the security layer for many of the world's largest app stores, Lookout has privileged access to apps malware writers submit that never see the light of day.



Lookout Security Graph

Enrichment

Metadata

- Lookout appends data such as app name, digital signature, app store description, and developer name.

Reputation

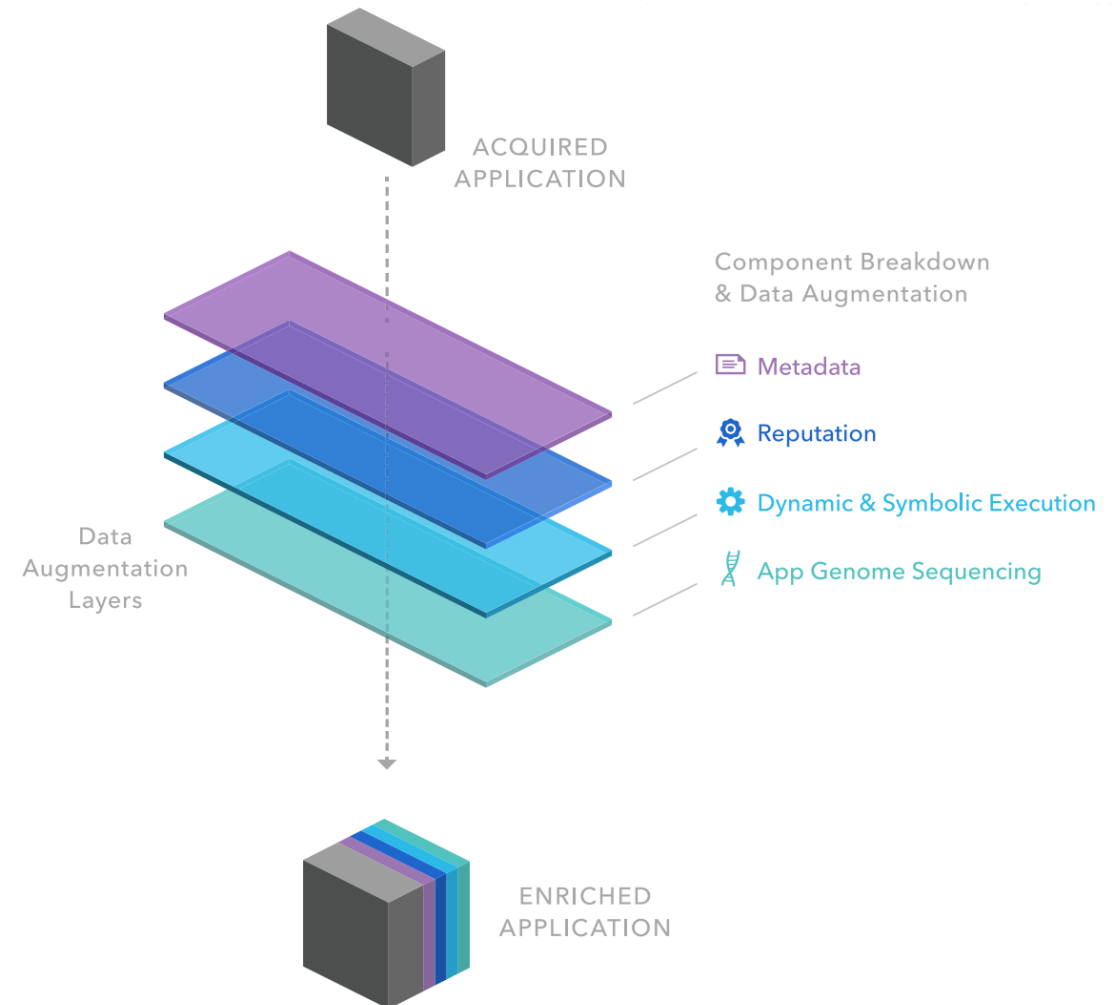
- Lookout incorporates data related to the authorship, origin, and geohistorical distribution of an app, such as the duration and location.

Behavior

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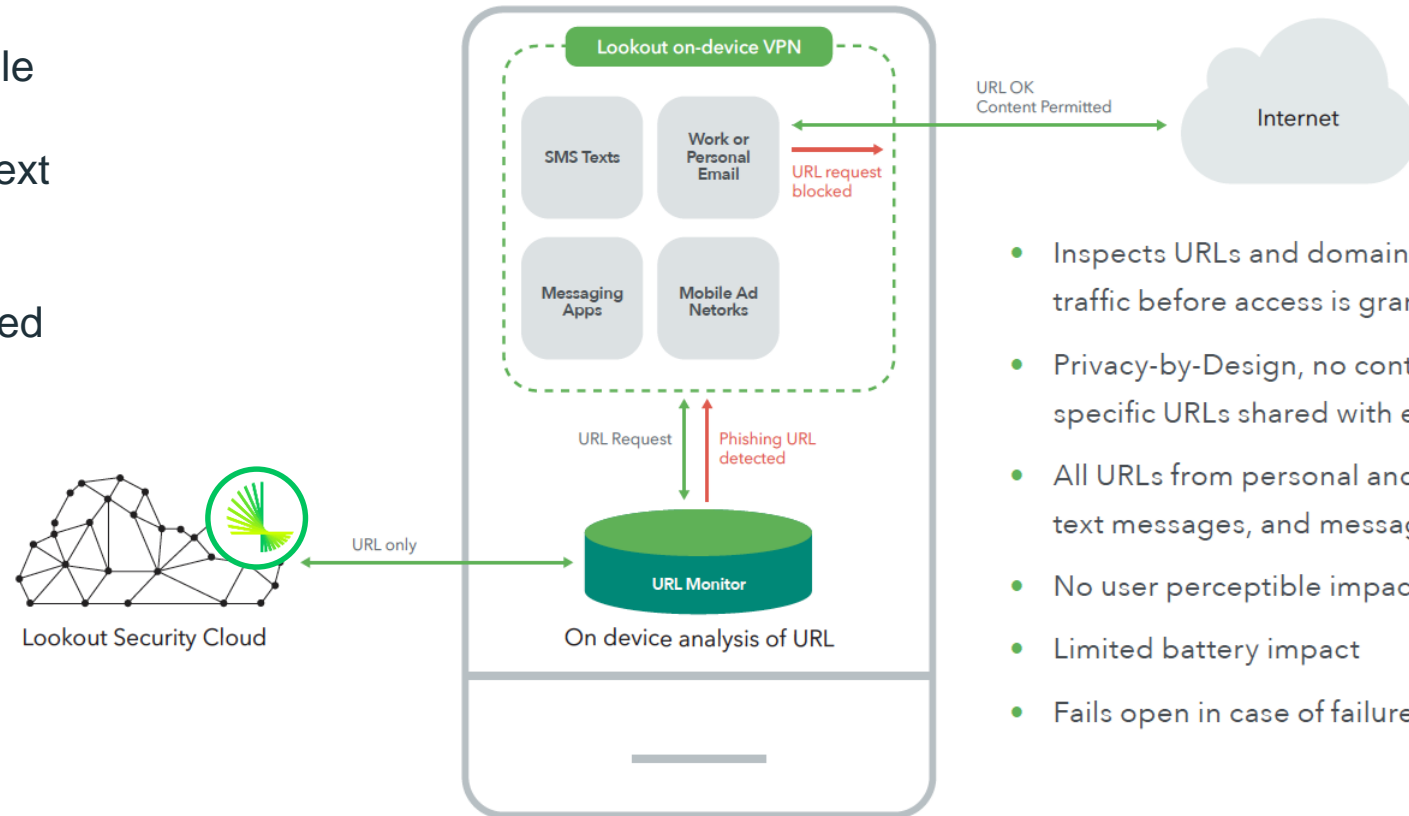
App Genome Sequencing

- The fuzzy code similarity the app shares with all code in the Lookout Security Graph reveals where that app's code (or its relatives) appear in the world.



Lookout Phishing and Content Protection

- Lookout PCP protects the whole device — including from applications and phishing via text message.
- Phishing attacks can be targeted specifically at mobile devices; Lookout coverage prioritizes phishing protection on mobile.



- Inspects URLs and domain names in network traffic before access is granted
- Privacy-by-Design, no content inspected, or specific URLs shared with enterprise admin
- All URLs from personal and work email apps, text messages, and messaging platforms
- No user perceptible impact on performance
- Limited battery impact
- Fails open in case of failures

The background is a dark blue-grey color. A series of thin, bright green lines originate from the top left corner and fan out towards the right, where they converge at a point. From this point, another series of green lines fan out towards the right edge of the frame, creating a sense of depth and movement.

The Cheshire Cat

Major Public Discoveries

2016-17

2018-19

2020

2021

2022

2023

2024

Pegasus
Remote surveillance

DNC Phishing
Zero hour phishing attack

UN & NGO Phishing
Targeted campaign

Hornbill & Sunbird
Surveillanceware and RAT

Hermit
Sophisticated Spyware

DragonEgg/WyrmSpy
Chinese Surveillanceware

CryptoChameleon
FCC & Crypto phishing

ViperRAT
Mobile RAT

Dark Caracal
PC and Mobile APT

Corona Live 1.1
App trojanized w/ Spymax

AbstractEmu
Rooting malware

Moonshine
Chinese surveillanceware

BouldSpy
Iranian Surveillanceware

GuardZoo
Houthi-developed surveillanceware

Chrysaor
Remote root surveillance

BeiTaAd
Malicious Adware

SilkBean
Chinese surveillanceware

BitScam & CloudScam
Android Crypto Scam

Predatory Loan Apps
iOS and Android malware

BadBazaar
Chinese Surveillanceware

SonicSpy
Targeted spyware

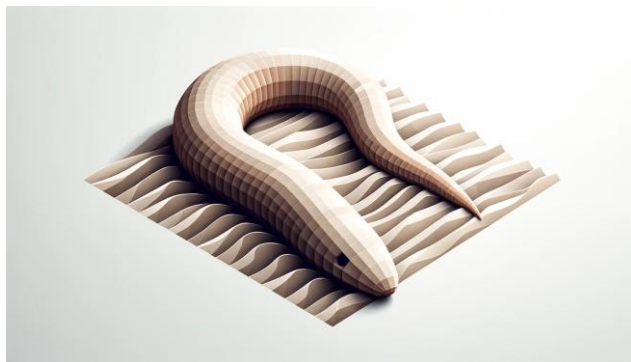
Monokle
Russian surveillanceware

Goontact
Mobile extortion campaign

Anubis Distribution
Banking malware

Infamous Chisel
Russian Surveillanceware

Three Key Discoveries



Deblind

Attribution: Sandworm (RUS)

- Android spyware likely used to target the Ukrainian military.
- One component of the Infamous Chisel Android surveillance tooling
- Sandworm APT is known to have connection to Russian intelligence organizations.



WurmSpy & DragonEgg

Attribution: APT41 (CHN)

- Android surveillanceware developed by APT41.
- Tracked by Lookout and protected against since August 2017
- Sophisticated data collection and exfiltration capabilities. Can also download additional modules

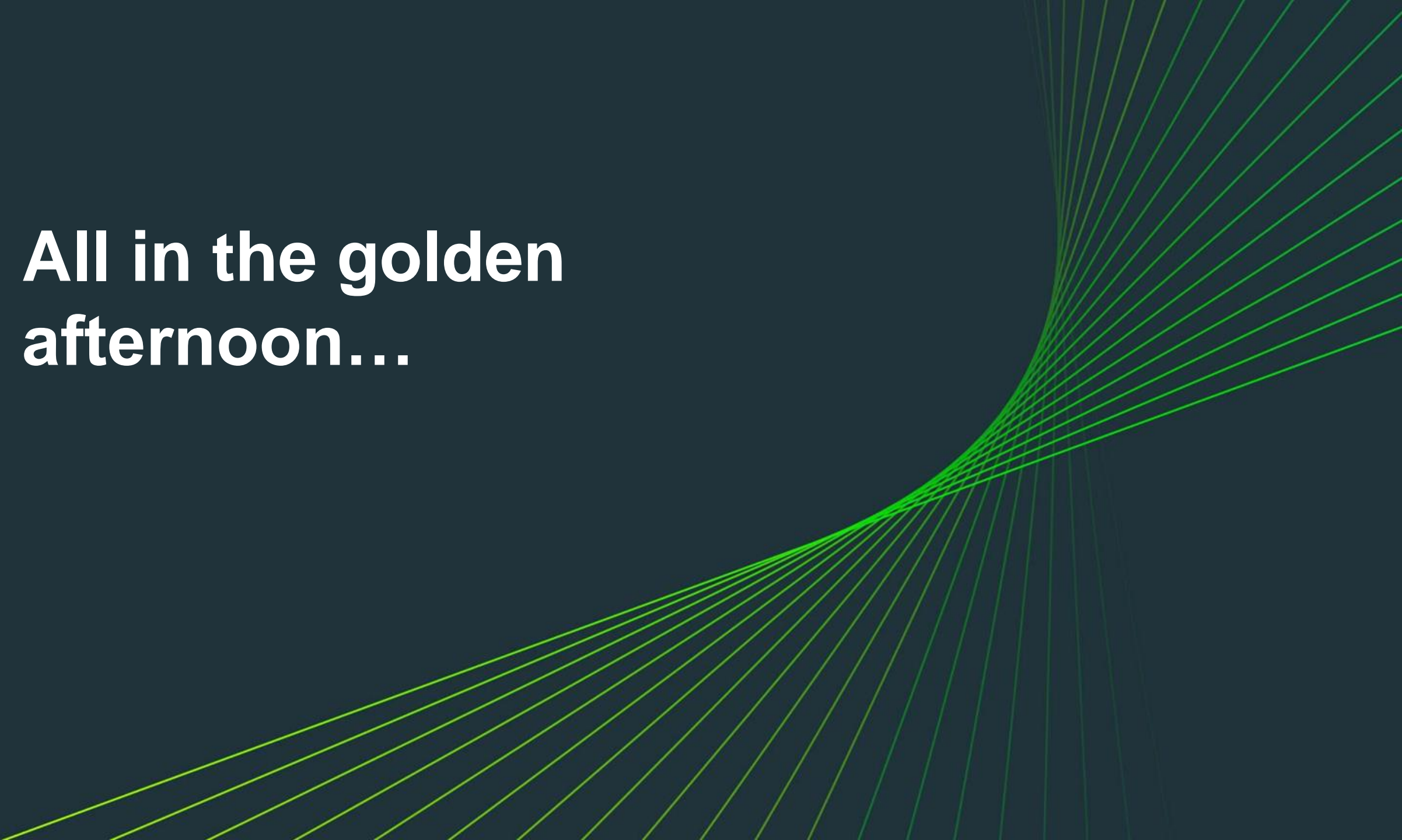


BadBazaar

Attribution: APT15 (CHN)

- iOS & Android surveillanceware targeting Tibetans and Uyghurs
- iOS variant was available on the App Store at one time.
- Extensive tracking and data collection capabilities that appear to be under continuous development.

**All in the golden
afternoon...**



CHENGDU404 Indictment

for the District of Columbia, JIANG LIZHI, QIAN CHUAN, and FU QIANG, together with other conspirators known and unknown to the Grand Jury, performed or caused to be performed the acts described in Paragraphs 20 to 81, which are re-alleged here. In addition,

- a. Between about May 2014 and about August 2020, in order to promote the carrying on of computer hacking activity, the conspirators used and shared computer infrastructure in the PRC, including a corporate VPN service. For example, on November 6, 2017, in connection with an ongoing hacking operation, JIANG advised HACKER FOUR, “you’ll have to dial the VPN to the company,” and then specified “vpn2.umisen[.]com,” as well as a username and the password “wahaha@2017”,
- b. Between about 2014 and about 2017, in order to promote the carrying on of computer hacking activity, and through payments which originated outside of the United States, and which were paid to a provider in California, the conspirators leased HOP POINT ONE;
- c. Beginning in 2014, in order to promote the carrying on of computer hacking

Investigating Domain Information

umisen.com

2 / 93

Community Score

2/93 security vendors flagged this domain as malicious

Registrar
Xin Net Technology Corporation

Creation Date
9 years ago

Last Analysis Date
1 month ago

Malicious (alphaMountain.ai)

media sharing

Reanalyze

Similar

Graph

API

DETECTION

DETAILS

RELATIONS

COMMUNITY 1

Join our Community and enjoy additional community insights and crowdsourced detections, plus an API key to automate checks.

Passive DNS Replication (3)

Date resolved	Detections	Resolver	IP
2021-11-10	0 / 93	VirusTotal	123.206.51.93
2016-07-07	1 / 93	VirusTotal	121.42.149.52
2015-08-04	0 / 93	VirusTotal	50.63.202.57

Subdomains (5)

Searching IP's With Dynamic Analysis

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Create a new query

Recent saved queries

1 ipAddresses.address:"121.42.149.52" OR ipAddresses.address:"123.206.51.93" OR ipAddresses.address:"171.221.254.252" OR dynamicSessions.ipFlows.destination:"121.42.149.52" OR dynamicSessions.ipFlows.destination:"123.206.51.93" OR dynamicSessions.ipFlows.destination:"171.221.254.252" OR dynamicSessions.observedResolutions.qname:"umisen.com"

Search Save as

CTRL + Space for LQL suggestions Shift + Enter to search

Search session is expired 1-19 of 19

PLATFORM	APP ID	APP NAME	APP VERSION	AUTHOR POPULARITY	PREVALENCE	RISK EXPOSURE	THREATS CLASSIFICATIONS	SOURCE OBSERVATIONS	ACQUIRED	UPDATED
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	f87e37ee5b78f627dd1d5b1b... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Mar 8, 2024 4:24 AM	Mar 8, 2024 9:04 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	34b37cfef66cc89bfcca5924c... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Mar 8, 2024 4:24 AM	Mar 8, 2024 9:46 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	f87e37ee5b78f627dd1d5b1b... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Mar 8, 2024 4:24 AM	Mar 8, 2024 7:30 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	34b37cfef66cc89bfcca5924c... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Mar 8, 2024 4:24 AM	Mar 8, 2024 7:29 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	8c0c77cc149ce2c07cef70e3f0... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Sep 15, 2019 9:38 AM	Feb 23, 2024 11:59 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	d8dc2ef9b37fcb543b07678a... 0%	-	High	2 THREATS	2 OBSERVATIONS	Feb 20, 2019 11:31 AM	May 1, 2024 5:59 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	c18297734029e272ca8d6a21... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Dec 17, 2018 12:00 PM	Feb 13, 2024 4:44 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	c18297734029e272ca8d6a21... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Dec 17, 2018 11:57 AM	Feb 13, 2024 4:48 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	c18297734029e272ca8d6a21... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Dec 17, 2018 11:43 AM	Feb 13, 2024 4:39 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	6a72caac0daf4f2833a0b11cb... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Sep 24, 2018 9:40 PM	Feb 13, 2024 4:42 AM
Android	com.sec.android.provide.ba...	BadgeProvider	1.0	6a72caac0daf4f2833a0b11cb... 0%	-	High	WormSpy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Sep 24, 2018 9:40 PM	Feb 13, 2024 5:05 AM

Investigating Malicious App

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SUMMARY

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DYNAMIC ANALYSIS

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THREATS

Surveillance Wyrmspy

Details

RISK EXPOSURE

Malware - Critical Risk

Details

Identification

OBJECT ID

af139a04f314ccfb31a1d48ae9a434f26cb5fe1...

HASHES

SHA1 85ca8cd21d70668b...

SHA256 af139a04f314ccfb3...

MD5 d5ba859ee3b46764...

Identity f36b9c382bd15f056...

Analysis

DATES

Updated 2024-05-01 4:04am

Acquired 2017-12-26 2:44am

Metadata

TYPE

PACKAGE NAME

com.sec.android.provider.badge

TITLE

BadgeProvider

VERSION

Version code 1

Version name 1.0

SIZE

356 KB

AUTHOR

Signers b1552ab6fb5a48b5...

Signatures 6a51136407fb52c3...

Current Popularity 0%

Max popularity 0%

SUMMARY

Title locales 1

Signatures 1

Permissions 47

Entry points 22

Intent filters 3

Source Observations

NAME	TYPE	OBSERVED	PUBLISHER	APP ID
-	ThirdParty	Dec 26, 2017 2:44 AM	-	-
-	ThirdParty	May 2, 2024 5:11 PM	-	-

Analysis Results

BEHAVIORS

Capabilities 46

Exposures 9

Hostnames 15

IP addresses 28

URLs 17

Files 26

DYNAMIC ANALYSIS

Sessions 3

IP flows 77

DNS resolutions 19

File observations 27

Intent observations 3

Ciphers 3

PACKAGE

Assets 12

Executables 1

Package type -

Understanding App Capabilities

mic	file	CALL
phone_number	file	CALL DYNA FILE
phone_number	cipher	CALL

CAPABILITIES
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RISK	CATEGORY	NAME	DESCRIPTION	CONTEXTS
-	-	read_package_information	-	CALL
-	-	has_launcher	-	TYPE
-	-	read_contacts	-	FUNC PMSN MFST
-	-	executes_in_background	-	CALL TYPE
-	-	uses_location_manager	-	TYPE
-	-	receive_sms	-	PMSN MFST
-	-	outbound_inet	-	DYNA NETW
-	-	access_device_sensors	-	FUNC CALL
-	-	read_location	-	PMSN FUNC STRN CALL TYPE MFST
-	-	jce_cipher	-	CRYP CALL DYNA TYPE

Pivoting Using Spooky Hash

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SHA1 85ca8cd21d70668b...

SHA256 af139a04f314ccfb3...

MD5 d5ba859ee3b46764...

Identity f36b9c382bd15f056...

Analysis

DATES

Updated 2024-05-01 4:04am

Acquired 2017-12-26 2:44am

Packaging

DATES

Packaged 2017-09-05 1:45pm

Signed 2017-09-05 1:45pm

SIGNATURES

Filter signatures by...

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SCOPE	SCHEME	SIGNER	SIGNER ALGORITHM	VERIFIED	CERTIFICATES
Application	1	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b...	SHA1	✓	1 CERTIFICATE
Application	1	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b...	SHA1	✓	

Subject CN=a,OU=1111,O=assx,L=dd...

Issuer CN=a,OU=1111,O=assx,L=dd...

Valid from 2017-09-05 5:28am

Valid to 2045-01-21 4:28am

Public key MIIIBjANBgkqhkiG9w0B...

Public key algorithm RSA

Public key size 294

Signature algorithm SHA256withRSA

SPKI hash b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b...

Signer hash d97517852a259c2044724b0b...

Signature hash 6a51136407fb52c3d6998459...

Constraints CA:FALSE

Version 3

Body MIIDSzCCAJOgAwIBAgI...


Compatibility

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Reuse of Certs



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Create a new query

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signatures.certificates.spkiHash:"b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b4c1c4307e672d94aceace03a20e51ad1355f02e6"

Search

Save as

CTRL + Space for LQL suggestions Shift + Enter to search

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	com.adobe.flash.dex	AdobeFlashDex	2.5.5	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Wyrmspy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Apr 15, 2020 3:49 AM	May 1, 2024 7:18 AM	
	com.adobe.flash.listen.beta	AdobeFlashListen	2.5.5	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Wyrmspy Surveillance	3 OBSERVATIONS	Apr 15, 2020 3:45 AM	Jul 27, 2024 4:21 PM	
	com.adobe.flash.jni	adobeflashjni	2.5.5	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Wyrmspy	2 OBSERVATIONS	Apr 15, 2020 3:24 AM	Jul 27, 2024 4:41 PM	
	remote.google.rt.googleser...	google.service	1.0	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		DragonEgg Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Mar 13, 2020 3:01 PM	Feb 13, 2024 4:38 AM	
	com.android.system.configs...	OMS Service	2.5.5	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	May 12, 2019 8:08 AM	May 1, 2024 4:44 AM	
	au.com.stklab.minehd	Sextube Pro	1.86	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Wyrmspy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Nov 26, 2018 8:20 AM	May 1, 2024 6:53 AM	
	au.com.stklab.minehd	Sex Tube HD	1.84	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Wyrmspy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Oct 3, 2018 4:10 PM	May 1, 2024 6:39 AM	
	au.com.stklab.minehd	Sex Tube HD	1.84	b1552ab6fb5a48b5b158132b... 0%	-		Wyrmspy Surveillance	2 OBSERVATIONS	Sep 23, 2018 6:31 PM	Feb 13, 2024 4:46 AM	

Threat Actor Targeting Trends

- Exploits are the #1 initial access vector by leading incident response vendor reports. 52.8% of mobile devices ran on vulnerable OSs in 2023.
- Traditional EDR solutions are highly limited and less mature on mobile devices. Threat actors target mobile devices for this exact reason.
- 2023 saw the highest number of mobile attacks ever of 33.8 million. This marked a 50% increase from the previous year's figures.



Thank You

