

SECURITY ANALYST CHEATSHEET

QUERY SYNTAX

Hostname AgentName
OS AgentOS
Version of Agent AgentVersion
Domain name DNSRequest
Site ID SiteId
Site name SiteName
Account ID AccountId
Account Name AccountName

FILE/REGISTRY INTEGRITY		
File ID	FileID	
File Name	FileFullName	
Date and time of file creation	FileCreatedAt	
MD5	FileMD5	
Date and time of file change	FileModifyAt	
SHA1 signature	FileSHA1	
SHA256 signature	FileSHA256	
SHA1 of file before it was changed	OldFileSHA1	
Name of file before rename	OldFileName	
Identity of file signer	Publisher	
Signature Status	Signed Status	
Verification Status	Verified status	
Why not verified	Why not verified	
Registry Key Unique ID	RegistryID	
Full path location of the Registry Key entry	RegistryPath	

NETWORK DATA		
String: GET, POST, PUT, DELETE	NetworkMethod	
URL	NetworkUrl	
DNS response data	DNSResponse	
IP address of the destination	DstIP	
Port number of destination	DstPort	
IP address of traffic source	SrcIP	
Port number of traffic source	SrcPort	
Browser type	Source	

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PROCESS TREE	
Process ID	PID
PID of the parent process	ParentPID
Parent Process	ParentProcessName
Time parent process started to run	ParentProcessStartTime
Unique ID of parent process	ParentProcessUniqueKey
Process command line	ProcessCmd
Display name of process	ProcessDisplayName
Generated ID of the group of processes, from first parent to last generation (SentinelOne Patent)	ProcessGroupId
Pathname of running process	ProcessImagePath
SHA1 signature of running process	ProcessImageSha1Hash
String: SYSTEM (operating system processes), HIGH (administrators), MEDIUM (non-administrators), LOW (temporary Internet files), UNTRUSTED	ProcessIntegrityLevel
Process Name	ProcessName
ID of the terminal session of a process	ProcessSessionId
Process start time	ProcessStartTime
String: SYS_WIN32, SYS_WSL, SUBSYSTEM_UNKNOWN	ProcessSubSystem
Unique ID of process	ProcessUniqueKey
PID after relinked	Rpid
Thread ID	Tid
ID of all objects associated with a detection	TrueContext
Username	User

SCHEDULED TASKS	
Name of a scheduled task	TaskName
Full path location of a scheduled task	TaskPath
The file who has been executed	executable file

HUNTING QUERIES

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Net User Add User	<pre>ProcessCmd RegExp "net\s+user(?:(?!\s+/add)</pre>
Enable SMBv1	processCmd = "REG ADD HKLM\SYSTEM\ CurrentControlSet\Services\LanmanServer\ Parameters /v SMB1 /t REG_DWORD /d 1 /f"
Unusual Schedule Task Created	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "schtasks" AND processName != "Manages scheduled tasks"
Powershell with Net connections	DstIP Is Not Empty AND ProcessName ContainsCIS "powershell"
Shell Process Creating File	(ProcessName ContainsCIS "windows command processor" OR ProcessName ContainsCIS "powershell") AND FileModifyAt > "Mar 26, 2017 00:00:39"
Shell Process Modify or File	(ProcessName ContainsCIS "windows command processor" OR ProcessName ContainsCIS "powershell") AND (FileModifyAt > "Mar 26, 2017 00:00:10" OR FileCreatedAt > "Mar 26, 2017 00:00:31")
Registry Alteration via Command line	ProcessCmd RegExp "reg\s+add" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "reg\s+del"
svchost.exe running in a unusual user context	<pre>processImagePath = "C:\Windows\System32\ svchost.exe" AND User != "NT AUTHORITY\ SYSTEM" AND User != "NT AUTHORITY\LOCAL SERVICE" AND User != "NT AUTHORITY\NETWORK SERVICE"</pre>
Powershell runnning as system user	ProcessName ContainsCIS "powershell" AND User ContainsCIS "SYSTEM"
Powershell Scheduled Tasks Created	ParentProcessName = "Windows PowerShell" AND ProcessName = "Task Scheduler Configuration Tool"
Executable Created	FileCreatedAt > "Apr 2, 2017 00:00:03" AND ProcessName ContainsCIS ".exe"
Suspicious Parent Process svchost.exe	ProcessName ContainsCIS "Host Process for Windows Services" AND ParentProcessName != "Host Process for Windows Services" AND ParentProcessName != "Services and Controller app"
Vulnerable App launching shell	ParentProcessName = "Insert Vulnerable Application name from Applications Tab" AND (ProcessName ContainsCIS "Windows Command Processor" OR ProcessName ContainsCIS "Powershell")
Excel Running Shell or Python	ParentProcessName ContainsCIS "excel" AND (ProcessName ContainsCIS "sh" OR ProcessName ContainsCIS "python")
Whoami	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "whoami"
Powershell Get Clipboard Entry	<pre>processCmd RegExp "powershell\.exe\s+echo\ s+Get\-Process\s+\ \s+clip"</pre>
Powershell Get	processCmd ContainsCIS "powershell.exe echo
Running Processes Powershell Search	get-Process" processCmd ContainsCIS "powershell Get-
for Doc Files	<pre>processCmd ContainsCIS "powershell Get- ChildItem -Recurse -Include *.doc"</pre>
Find string Windows 10 Get	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "findstr"
Network Adaptor Details Execute File in	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wmic nic" processCmd ContainsCIS "/FILE" AND ProcessCm
Appdata folder	ContainsCIS "Appdata"
Nslookup	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "nslookup" ProcessCmd RegExp "net\s+user(?:(?!\s+/
Net User Delete User	ProcessCmd RegExp "net\s+user(?:(?!\s+/delete)(?:. \n))*\s+/delete" ProcessCmd RegExp "net\s+user(?:(?!\s+/
Net User Domain	<pre>ProcessCmd RegExp "net\s+user(?:(?!\s+/ domain)(?:. \n))*\s+/domain"</pre>
Add user to AD	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "dsadd user"
Powershell add local user	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "powershell.exe New-LocalUser"
Powershell upload or download methods	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "(New-Object Net. Webclient)"
Suspicious - List all SPNs in a Domain	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "setspn" AND ProcessCmd RegExp "-t" AND ProcessCmd RegExp "-q */*"
list vssadmin shadows	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "vssadmin.exe list shadows"
Add user or Query local admin group	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "net localgroup administrators"

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Clear Windows Event Logs	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wevtutil cl system"
Powershell or Wevtutil netsh disable firewall	OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Clear-EventLog" ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "netsh firewall"
	AND ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "disable"
Query logged in Users	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "quser"
Qwinsta - Display information Terminal Sessions	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "qwinsta"
Current Running Processes	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "tasklist"
Net User - Query a User	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "net user"
Query Network Shares	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "net share"
Query Account & Password Policy	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "net accounts"
Net Config - Query Workstation Current Settings	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "net config workstation"
Query AD	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "dsquery"
WMIC user account list	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wmic useraccount get" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "wmic useraccount list"
WMIC NT Domain Object Query	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wmic ntdomain"
WMIC Group List on Local System	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wmic group list"
WMIC List built in System Accounts	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wmic sysaccount list"
Reg Query - last 10 files	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "RecentDocs" AND
accessed or executed by explorer	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "REG QUERY" AND ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "explorer"
Reg Query - RunOnce	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Runonce" AND ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "REG QUERY"
Reg Query - Check Patterns for Virtual Machines	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Reg Query" AND ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Disk" AND ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Enum"
Query Group Policy RSOP Data	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "gpresult"
System Info - windows	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "systeminfo"
System Info and Network data gathering	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "systeminfo" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "ver >" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "type\s+%APPDATA%" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "ipconfig" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "net\ s+view" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "arp -a" OR ProcessCmd RegExp "netstat"
WMIC Process Get - Process data and sub commands	ProcessCmd RegExp "wmic\s+process\s+get"
WMIC qfe - Gather Windows Patch Data	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "wmic qfe"
Powershell suspicious commands	ProcessName ContainsCIS "powershell" AND (ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Invoke- Expression" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "-encodedcommand" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "hidden" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "write- host" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Get- NetIPConfiguration")
echo command	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "echo"
regsvr32 and scrobj.dll register-unregister dll	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "regsvr32" AND ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "scrobj.dll"
regsvr32 suspicious	<pre>processName = "Microsoft(C) Register Server" AND DstIP Is Not Empty</pre>
regsvr32 suspicious file modification	<pre>processName = "Microsoft(C) Register Server" AND FileModifyAt > "Mar 1, 2019 00:00:45"</pre>
regsvr32 Persistence	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "regsvr32" AND (RegistryPath ContainsCIS "machine\software\ classes" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "schtasks\ s+/create")
Bitsadmin suspicious commands	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "bitsadmin" AND (ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "transfer" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "download" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS ".ps1" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "powershell")
Registry Persistence	ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "reg add" AND (ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Run" OR ProcessCmd ContainsCIS "Null")
Copy commands	Dracescond ContainsCTS "cony" OR Dracescond

