

### Seed-based DGA Generation

Explanation: This DGA generates domains based on a seed value and a hash function.

Usefulness: This type of DGA can be useful for malware authors to create a unique set of domains for C&C communication or data exfiltration, based on a shared seed value.

Strengths: The generated domains are unpredictable without knowledge of the seed value and the hash function used.

Weaknesses: If the seed value or the hash function is compromised, the generated domains can be predicted.

Deception: This DGA can be deciphered by analyzing the pattern of generated domains and attempting to reverse-engineer the seed value and the hash function.

Random seed: G+/Mn@IrfnvN%(C)

[www.ffa1a30f.net](http://www.ffa1a30f.net)

[www.dd9a96b.info](http://www.dd9a96b.info)

[www.8fdee18b65.biz](http://www.8fdee18b65.biz)

[www.96d6e8b2c.biz](http://www.96d6e8b2c.biz)

[www.1ca4b60.net](http://www.1ca4b60.net)

[www.4d5f90ef2.biz](http://www.4d5f90ef2.biz)

[www.3774bea66.org](http://www.3774bea66.org)

[www.6e5a4085.net](http://www.6e5a4085.net)

[www.fb6e92d.biz](http://www.fb6e92d.biz)

[www.596200c.org](http://www.596200c.org)

Regex for Seed-based Generated DGAs: `[r|w|e|o|a|b|c|d|i|g|n|f|t|z]+|[9|4|0|8|2|3|5|7|6|1]+|[^.]{0,2}{1,3}`

Yara rule:

```
rule dga_domain_detection {
  meta:
    description = "Detects DGA-generated domain names"
  strings:
    $dga_regex = /[r|w|e|o|a|b|c|d|i|g|n|f|t|z]+|[9|4|0|8|2|3|5|7|6|1]+|[^.]{0,2}{1,3}/ nocase
  condition:
    $dga_regex
}
```

Note: Can use <https://riskmitigation.ch/yara-scan/> or MalwareBazaar <https://bazaar.abuse.ch/> but will need API Key