

Yara

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Yara is used to identify and classify malware samples. Using YARA, an analyst can create patterns of malware families based on textual or binary patterns.

Rules consist of set of strings and boolean expressions. Yara is multi platform.

Install YARA on Kali Linux

```
apt-get install yara
```

<https://github.com/InQuest/awesome-yara>

To create a yara rule

```
yara myrule.yar dir_name
```

The rule must consist of rule name and condition

YARA Conditions

Meta

Adding description- Similar to commenting

```
`desc`
```

Strings

Can use strings for searching a specific text or hex content

Hello world checker

```
rule helloworld_checker {
  strings:
    $hello_world = "Hello World!"
    $hello_world_l = "hello world!"
    $helloo_world_u = "HELLLO WORLD!"
}
```

Conditions

Condition checking

```
rule conditioncheck{
  condition: true

  condition:
    $hello_world <= 10
}
```

Modules

Cuckoo Sandbox

Python PE

Yara Tool : Loki

```
python Loki/loki.py -p malicious_file_location
```

Yara Tool : yarGen

```
python3 yarGen -m file_location --excludegood -o new_rule_file_location
```

Eg: python3 yarGen -m /home/h4ck/Desktop/THM/malfiles/ --excludegood -o /home/h4ck/Desktop/THM/malfiles/

rule.yar

Yara Tool : Valhalla

It's an online tool