

Process Based Detection

We can use this to start investigating any process based alerts and also it can be used to correlate connection based alerts for extended investigations.

System

- Name
- Asset Type/Functionality
- Asset value
- User
- IP Address

More Info about below & more processes

cmd.exe	imports commands and executable(.exe) files.
Wscript.exe	imports vbscript(.vbs) files.
Cscript.exe	imports .wsf, .vbs, .js files.
PowerShell.exe	imports commands and .ps1 files.
schtasks.exe	imports scripts and executables.
MSHTA.exe	imports webpage files like html, htm, scripts and scriptlets.
reg.exe	import registry keys and its values.
wmic.exe	imports tasks, processes and scripts.
sc.exe	imports and commands and executables (.exe) files.
findstr.exe	imports keywords.
rundll32.exe	imports .dll files.

Windows Operating System Process

Process name

- cmd.exe
- WScript.exe/CScript.exe
- powershell.exe
- schtasks.exe/at.exe
- MSHTA.exe
- reg.exe
- wmic.exe
- sc.exe
- findstr.exe
- whoami.exe
- rundll32.exe

Checks

- Command line
- Parent process
- Child process

Encoded value (base64)
Non-Encrypted values

Checks

- Identify connection related commands
- Custom/malicious scripts and its path
- Files/process Imports

Start from "Identify the process type" section

Installed Applications

Process Details

- Path
- Product name
- Signed/Unsigned
- Hash value reputation

Version

Identify if the version is vulnerable (Based on version)

- Hash Value
 - Reputation Score
 - Threat Category
- Path
 - Techniques Used
 - Identify nature of path
- Command Line
 - Identify nature of activity -Malicious commands/Admin commands.
- Action by AV/EDR Etc
 - Detection Reason
 - No. of Occurrence
 - Action type
- Process Chain
 - Parent Process
 - Child Process

Start with "Process Details" section

Identify the process type

Processes in Unknown Paths

Process Details

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Check

Connections

Destination IP Address (Domain Name)

Port

- Source Port
- Destination Port

- Reputation Score
- Threat Category
- Threat History
- Whois Details

Summary

- No. of Hits on port
- Service Used/Hosted

Status

Blocked/Allowed on Perimeter Devices

Proxy (if there are web connections)
Firewall
IDS/IPS

Bytes in & Bytes Out

Look for data exfiltration or data infiltration

No. of Hits

Hash/IP/Domain Reputation Check Sites

- VirusTotal
- Payload Security (Hybrid Analysis)
- IBM X-Force
- Any.Run
- Bright Cloud