

CowStorm

botnet final project

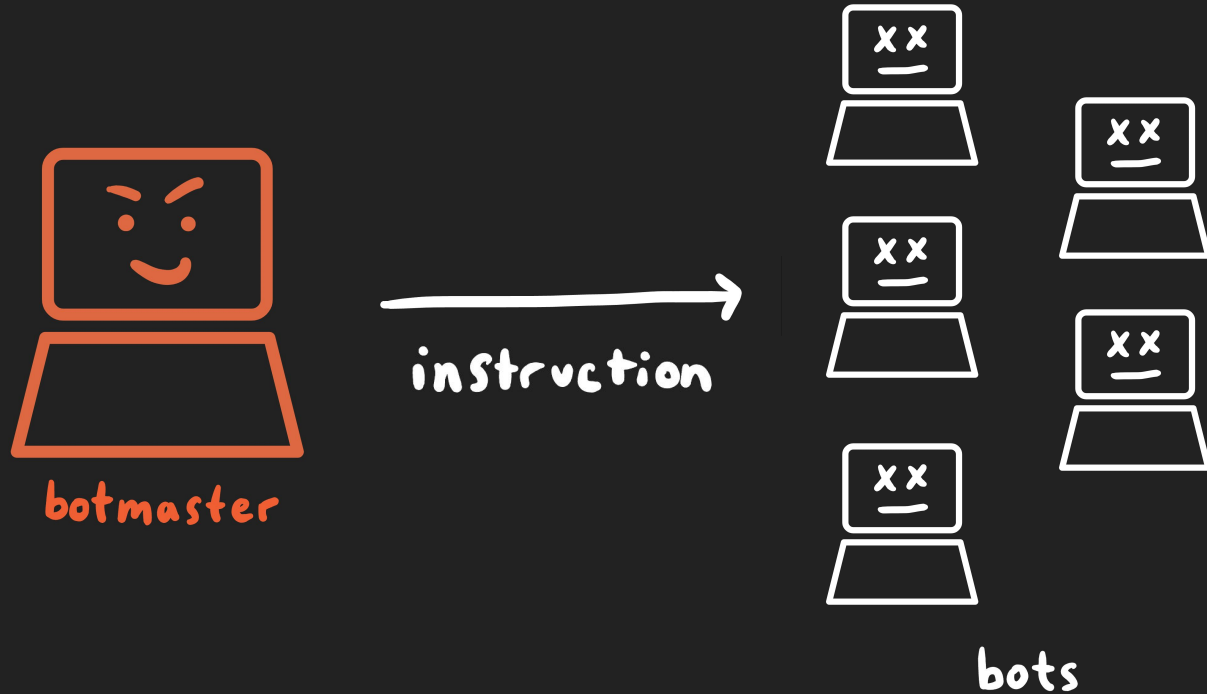


goal: build a computer botnet
to simulate **DDOS-like**
load testing

goal:



What is a botnet?



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our bots:

Dashboard

EC2 Global View

Events

Instances

Instances

Instance Types

Launch Templates

Spot Requests

Savings Plans

Reserved Instances

Dedicated Hosts

Capacity Reservations

Images

AMIs

AMI Catalog

Elastic Block Store

Volumes

Snapshots

Lifecycle Manager

Network & Security

Security Groups

Elastic IPs

Placement Groups

Key Pairs

Network Interfaces

Load Balancing

Load Balancers

Target Groups

Instances (60) Info

Last updated 1 minute ago

Connect

Instance state

Actions

Launch instances

Find Instance by attribute or tag (case-sensitive)

All states

	Name	Instance ID	Instance state	Instance type	Status check	Alarm status	Availability Zone	Public IPv4 DNS	Pub
<input type="checkbox"/>	finalproject	i-0ef55289527b94aa4	Stopped	t2.micro	-	View alarms +	us-east-2b	-	-
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Select an instance

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common DDoS attacks



→ HTTP flood

→ SYN flood

→ volumetric attacks



implementation 1

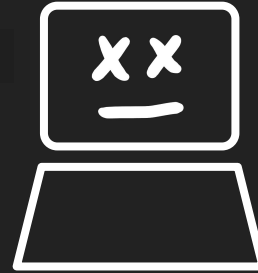


botmaster

execute: `curl http://indie2.cs.williams.edu:80`



(telnet)



bot

/listening ...



indie2





implementation 1



implementation 2

implementation 2



GET /script.sh



script.sh



GET x1000

```
#!/bin/bash  
  
STATUS=true  
  
for ((i=1; i<=1000; i++)); do  
  curl http://indie2.cs.williams.edu:80  
done
```



next steps

- S • modify the server
 - better diagnostics
 - more expensive requests
- K • different requests
 - more bots
 - slow POST attack



thanks!

