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Challenge today's security thinking

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Powering Your Threat Intel Team with Off-the-Shelf Tools

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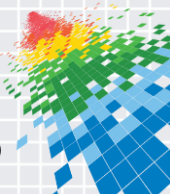
Mission: Analyze the data available to Palo Alto Networks to identify adversaries, their motivations and resources to better understand the threats our customers face.



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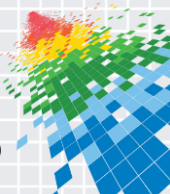
What is Threat Intelligence?

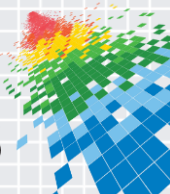
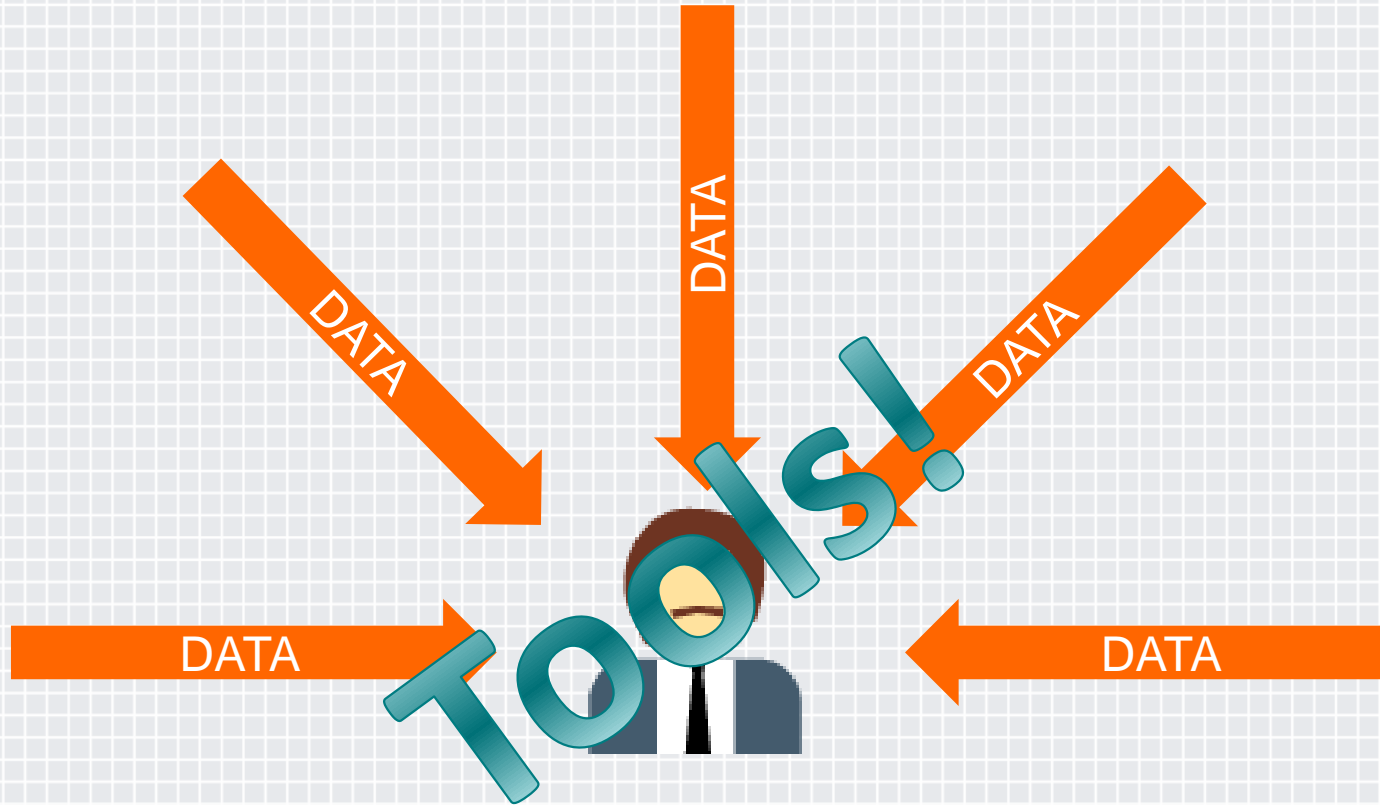
“Evidence-based knowledge, including **context**, mechanisms, indicators, implications and **actionable** advice, about an existing or emerging menace or hazard to assets that can be used to **inform decisions** regarding the subject's response to that menace or hazard.”

- Rob McMillan - Gartner

212.83.131.214 is Bad **X**

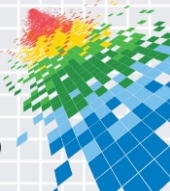
On May 6, 2014, 212.83.131.214 hosted a command and control server for the NetWire RAT on TCP port 3360 in association with an attack from Nigerian cyber criminals... **✓**





Which Tools?

- ◆ No Data Sinkholes
 - ◆ Data that goes in, must come out.
- ◆ Extensible – Add our own functionality
 - ◆ Without \$\$\$ consulting bills...
- ◆ Active Community
 - ◆ Easier to trouble-shoot
 - ◆ Faster feature development
 - ◆ Easier to find staff familiar with the tool chain.

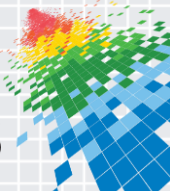


Tools

Visualization

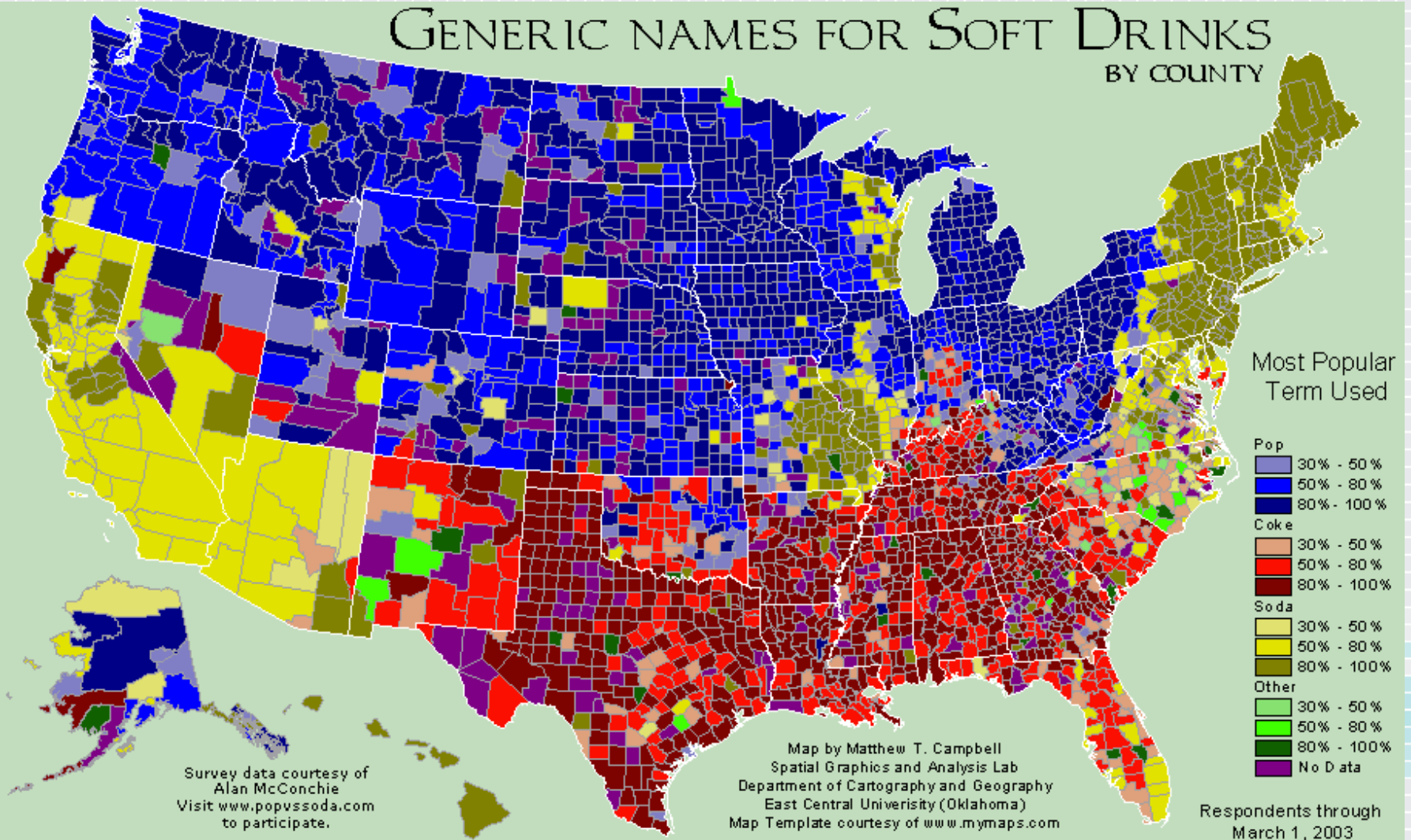


Intel Repository & Work Bench



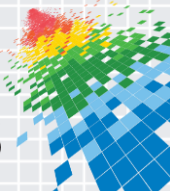
Why Visualize Data

GENERIC NAMES FOR SOFT DRINKS BY COUNTY



Typical Data Points

Filename	<u>excel</u>
First Seen	7 Mar 2014
SHA256	12e587e7863370fef147f9ed6c6df22e2e0ed1eafbb6a5cccd5e61394e163026
C2	<u>yahooprotect.com</u> <u>yahooprotect.net</u>
Resolution	202.130.112.237 69.46.86.194

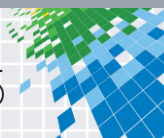


20 Pages of Notes

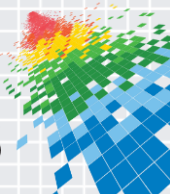
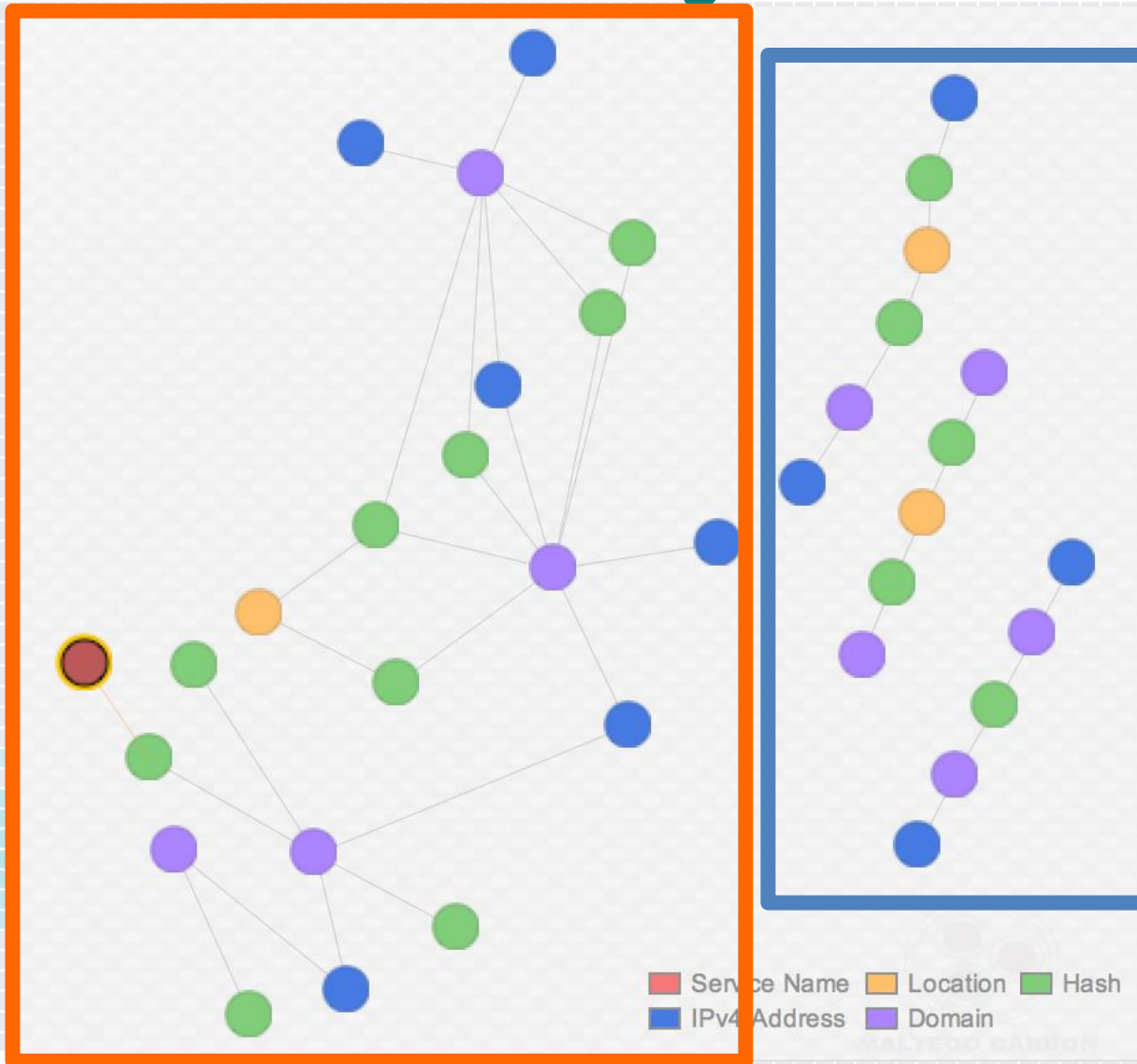
20 pages of notes from the RSA Conference 2015, organized into a grid. Each page contains technical information, including:

- Tables:** Lists of names, titles, and contact information for various attendees.
- Text:** Descriptions of sessions, presentations, and networking opportunities.
- Diagrams:** Network diagrams and flowcharts illustrating concepts.
- Code/Logs:** Snippets of code or log outputs.

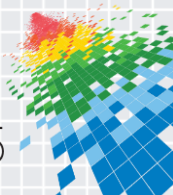
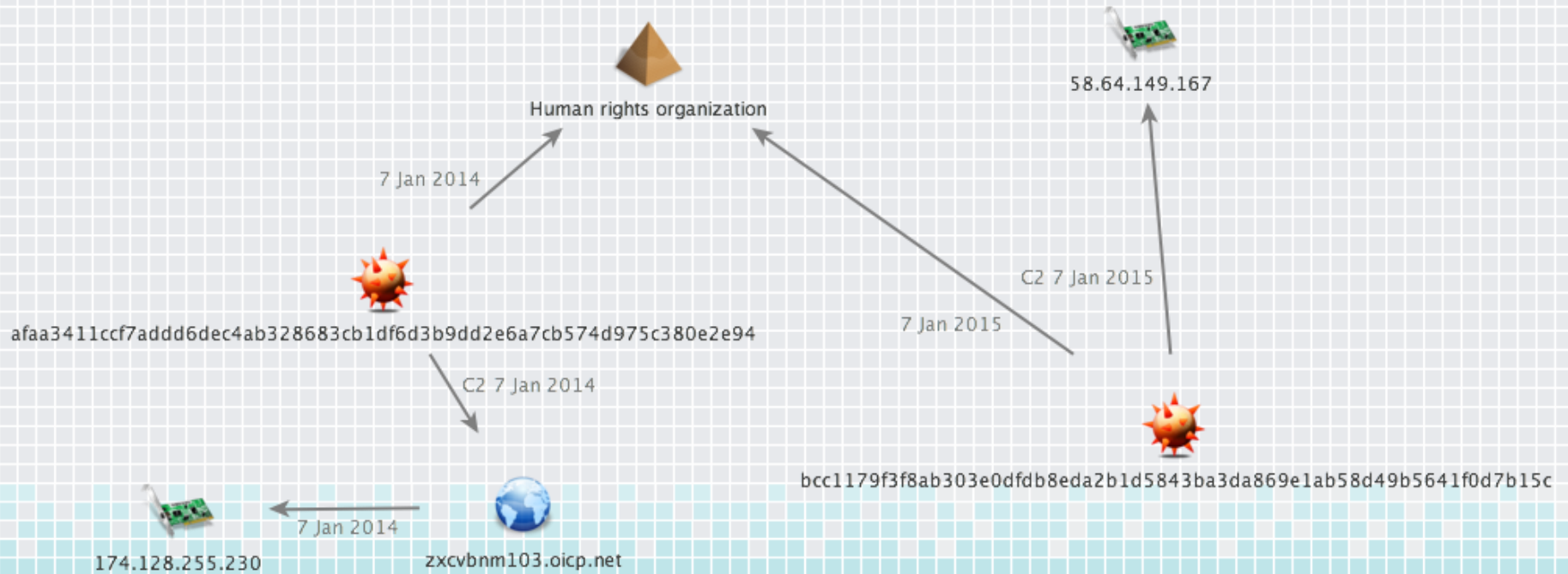
The notes are presented in a grid format, with each page containing detailed information about the sessions and attendees. The grid includes 20 pages of notes, with some pages highlighted in blue. The notes are organized into a grid of 4 rows and 5 columns, with the last cell in the bottom row being empty.



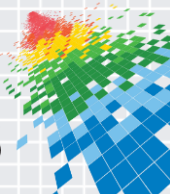
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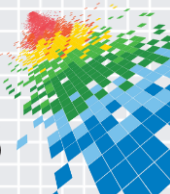
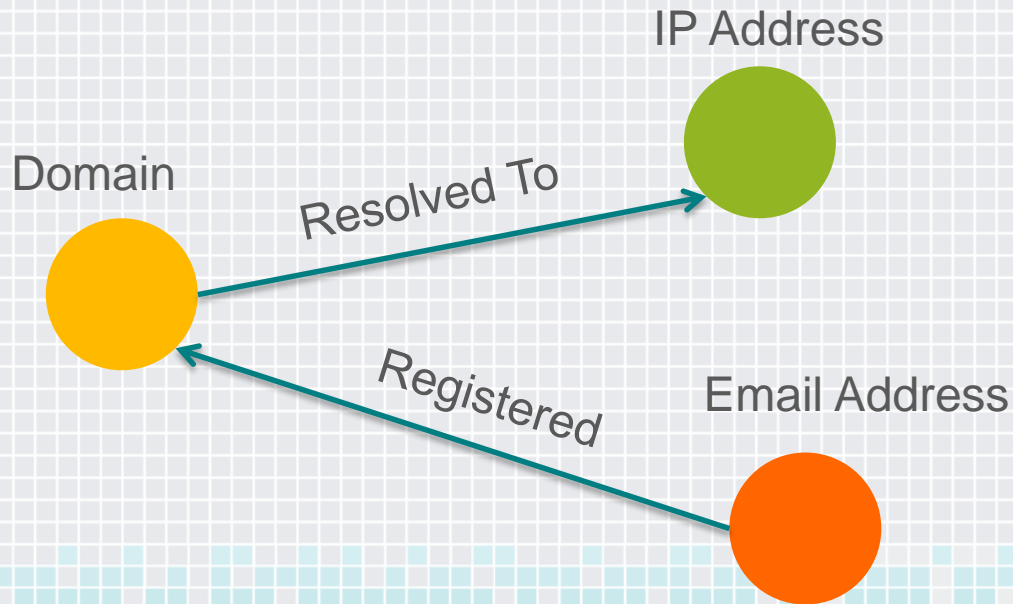
Notes Visualized in Maltego



Why Maltego?



Maltego Concepts: Entities and Links



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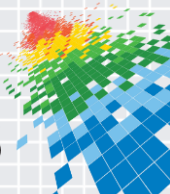
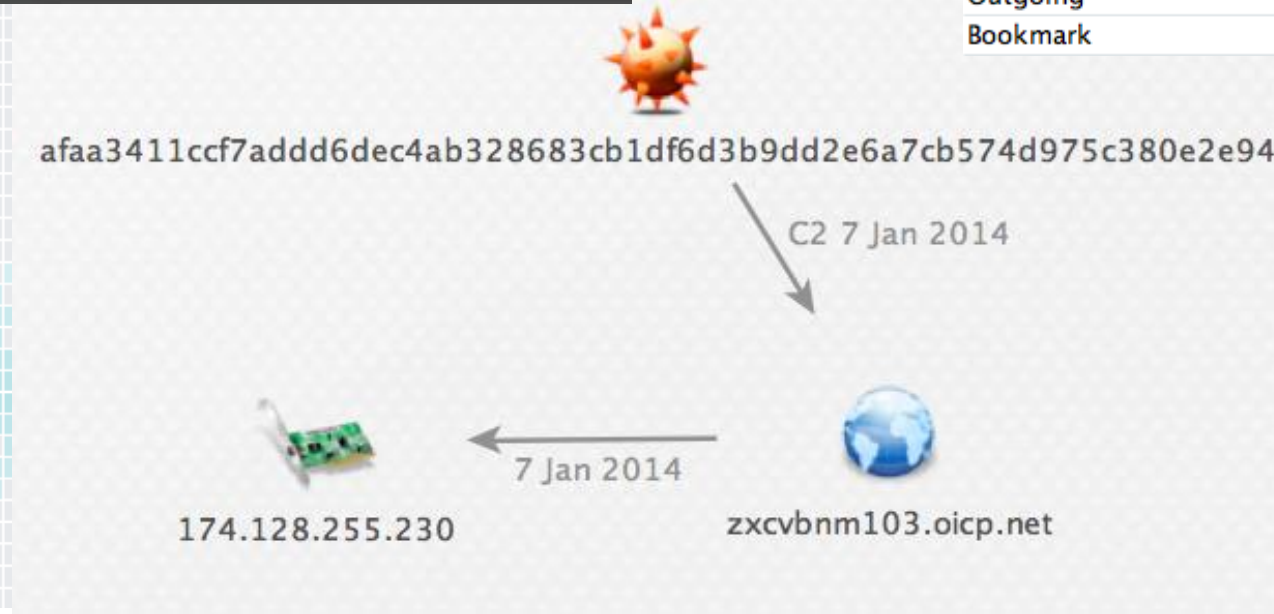


Entities menu options:

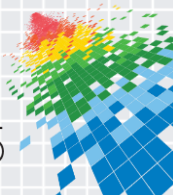
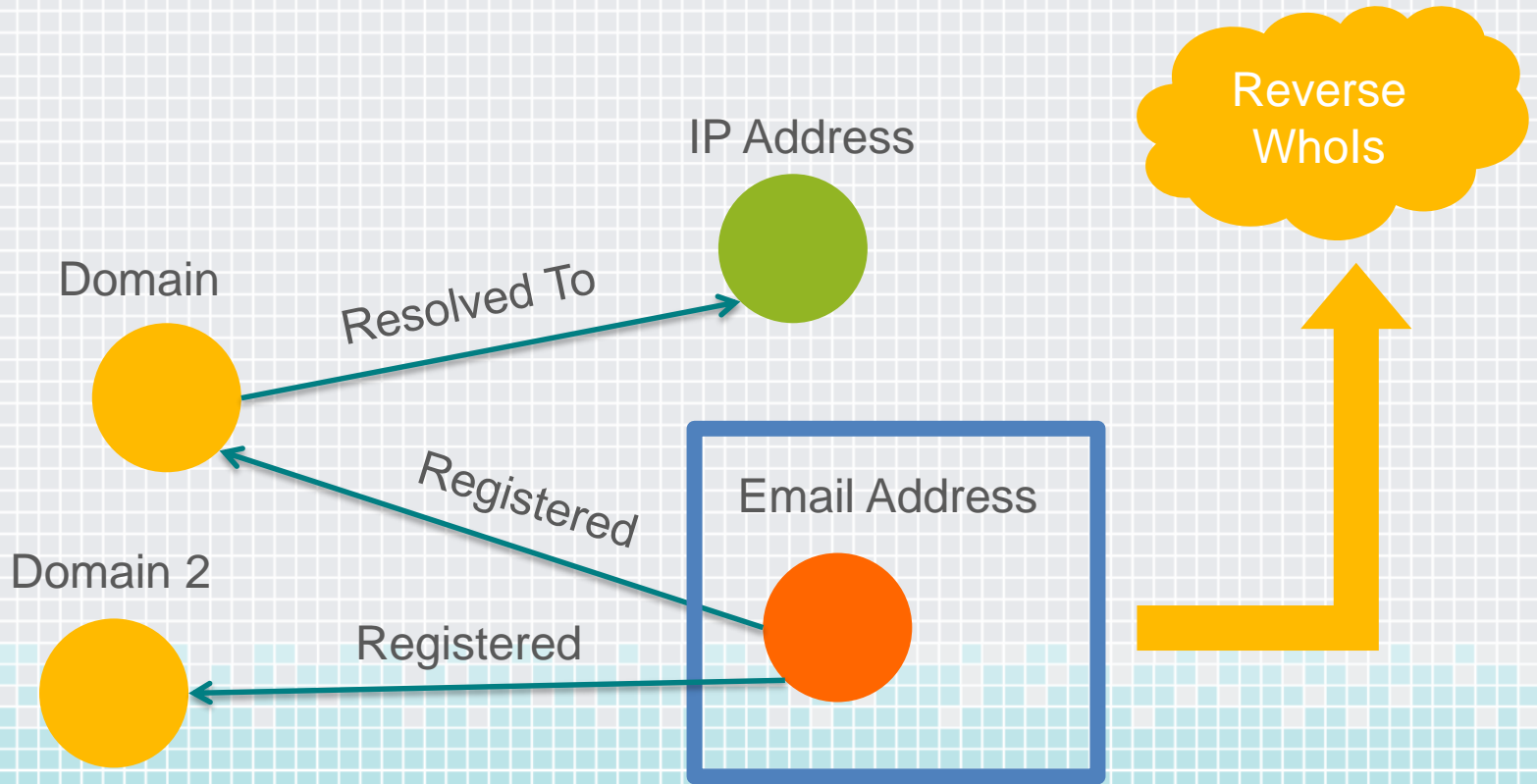
- New Entity Type
- Manage Entities
- Import Entities
- Export Entities

Property View

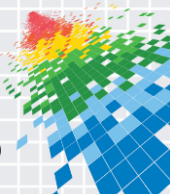
▼ Properties	
Type	Netblock
IP Range	125.206.115.0-125.206.11...
▼ Dynamic properties	
Network owner	NTT-OCN-AS NTT-OCNET
Last IP	125.206.115.255
First IP	125.206.115.0
AS number	4713
▼ Graph info	
Weight	100
Incoming	1
Outgoing	1
Bookmark	★



Maltego Concepts: Transforms



Maltego Demo



Maltego Concepts: Machines

```

machine("paterva.footprint.level1",
  displayName:"Footprint L1",
  author:"Roelof Temmingh",
  description:"This performs a level 1 (fast, basic) footprint of a domain.")

start {
  //do all the DNS enumeration
  log("Performing DNS enumeration",showEntities:false)
  status("Phase 1 - DNS enumeration")
  paths {
    run("paterva.v2.DomainToWebsite_DNS")
    run("paterva.v2.DomainToDNSName_DNSBrute",slider:500)
    run("paterva.v2.DomainToDNSZoneTransfer",slider:10000)
    run("paterva.v2.DomainToSOAInformation")
    run("paterva.v2.DomainToWebsiteDNS_SE",slider:255)
  }

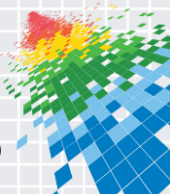
  //here we end up with DNS names (and MX,NS,websites)
  //take it to IP address and Netblock
  log("Resolving to IP",showEntities:false)
  status("Phase 2 - Resolve DNS names")
  run("paterva.v2.DNSNameToIPAddress_DNS")

  //we now have IP addresses
  status("Phase 3 - Netblocks and AS")
  log("Computing netblocks",showEntities:false)
  run("paterva.v2.IPAddressToNetblock_Cuts")
  log("Looking up AS",showEntities:false)
  run("paterva.v2.NetblockToAS_SS")
}
}

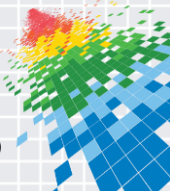
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Outside Data Sources



Connecting Your Own Data



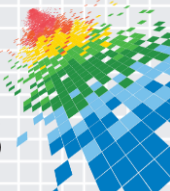
Local VS Remote

Local Transforms

- ◆ Run from the local system
- ◆ Pros:
 - ◆ Quick to setup, prototype
 - ◆ Data is private
- ◆ Cons
 - ◆ Difficult to distribute, all users need to have all require software
 - ◆ Difficult to Update
 - ◆ Fewer Settings

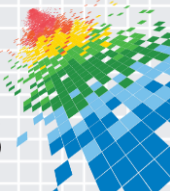
Remote Transforms

- ◆ Run from a Transform Distribution Server (TDS)
- ◆ Pros:
 - ◆ Very easy to share with others.
 - ◆ Single point of updates/configuration.
 - ◆ Ability to rate limit users.
 - ◆ Best for teams and services.
- ◆ Cons:
 - ◆ Data sent to public servers
 - ◆ Can be private (but expensive)



Libraries

- ◆ You could write pure XML...
- ◆ Python
 - ◆ PyMaltego
 - ◆ Basic Python Library (Paterva)
 - ◆ Canari
- ◆ Canari is by far the best option for local development.
 - ◆ Abstracts all XML
 - ◆ Handles Entities
 - ◆ Creates distributable bundles
 - ◆ But...local system still needs software installed.





MALFORMITYLABS

- Malware Related Entities + Transforms
- Local execution
- Built with Canari

▼ Malware



Filename

File used for or by malware.



HTTP Request

HTTP or HTTPS request used by



Hash

Malware hash checksum.



Malicious Process

Process ID, Name or other iden



Registry Entry

Registry entry or key.



Service Name

Malicious service name



User Agent

User Agent in requests made b



Malware Family



Where's Your Intelligence Stored?

SEIM?

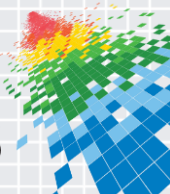
E-MAIL?

DOC?

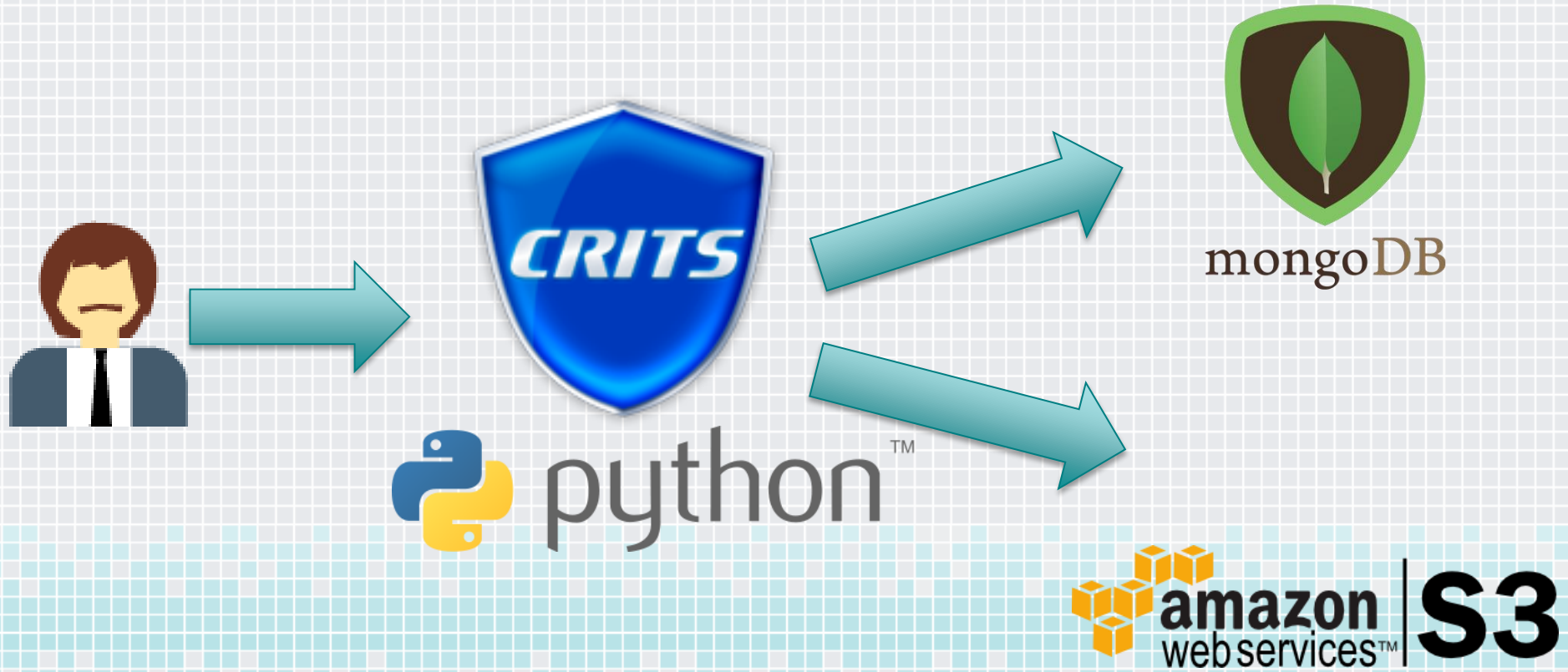
XLS?

PDF?

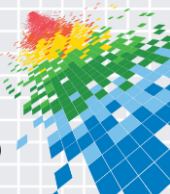
BRAIN?



Collaborative Research Into Threats (CRITs)



Why CRITs?

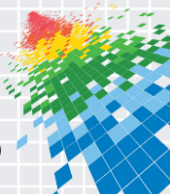


Top Level Objects

- Actors
- Campaigns
- Certificates
- Domains
- Emails
- Events
- Indicators
- IPs
- PCAP
- Raw Data
- Samples
- Targets

Concepts

- Bucket Lists
- Campaign Attribution
- Comments
- Downloading
- Email Targets
- Favorites
- Notifications
- Objects
- Relationships
- Releasability
- Screenshots
- Sectors
- Sources
- Subscriptions



CRITs Dashboard

⚙️
Ryan Olson (Administrator)
★
Global Quick Search
🔍

Default (Public) ⚡

Counts		Top Backdoors		Top Campaigns							
Type	Count	Name	Sample C...	Name	Ema...	Indi...	Sam...	Dom...	IP C...	Eve...	PCA...
Domains	42	PIVY	27	419E...	1	2	8	0	0	0	0
Emails	2	NetWire	10	th3bug	0	1	5	0	0	0	0
Emails Las...	1	DarkComet	1	Nitro	0	24	25	0	5	0	0
Emails Las...	0	PlugX	46	Sand...	1	0	47	0	0	0	0
Emails Tod...	0	Spindest	8	UPS	0	13	18	0	2	0	0
Indicators	2249										
Indicators ...	105										
Indicators ...	24										
Indicators ...	0										
PCAPs	7										
Samples	4834										

Recent Indicators						
Details	Value	Type	Added	Status	Source	Campaign
	173.254.226.212	C2 URL	2015-04-07 19:18...	New	Unit42	Shell Crew,Deep P...
	vpn.premrera.com	C2 URL	2015-04-07 19:11...	New	Unit42	Shell Crew,Deep P...
	https.reweblink.com	C2 URL	2015-03-26 14:34...	New	Unit42	
	http.tourecord.com	C2 URL	2015-03-26 14:01...	New	Unit42	

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CRITs Menu

Ryan Olson (Administrator) Global C

Search Menu Options

Welcome to CRITs

- Dashboards >
- My CRITs
- Bucket Lists
- Sector Lists
- + Actors >
- + Campaigns
- + Certificates
- + Domains >
- + Emails >
- + Events
- + Indicators >
- + IPs >
- + PCAPs
- + Raw Data >

Default (Public) ⚡

Counts		Top Backdoors	
Type	Count	Name	Sample C
Domains	42	PIVY	27
Emails	2	NetWire	10
Emails Last 30	1	DarkComet	1
Emails Last 7	0	PlugX	46
Emails Today	0	Spindest	8
Indicators	2249		
Indicators La...	105		
Indicators La...	24		
Indicators T...	0		
PCAPs	7		
Samples	4834		

Details	Value	Type
	173.254.226.212	C2 URL
	vpn.premrera.com	C2 URL
	https.reweblink.com	C2 URL
	http.tourecord.com	C2 URL
	vpn.hotpmsn.com	C2 URL

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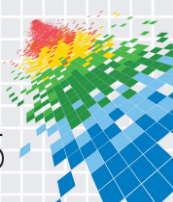
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File Details

ID	54d538372e97ed19853cfd65
Filename	E6C581C060C83379E2D17386CA1CA920.000
Filenames	
Filetype	Composite Document File V2 Document, No summary info
Mimetype	application/CDFV2-corrupt
Size	218312
MD5	e6c581c060c83379e2d17386ca1ca920
SHA1	2a8af679e44f36a3bc3c1417dd69d20db46f23d7
SHA256	108ffa9dd8ad16167edbb74e8ffdf68e9098222a1941d043817d0c311d2f48c
SSDeep	3072:YwKd8lZWZMp9RyjvugYAAAtYL2+S80n3iy8xG+Yq2mTF5GaweE:HS8lAdGqugLAtSpY3ihx+viXGaweE
Status	New
Sectors	
Sources	▶ Unit42 (1): 2015-02-06 
Releasability	

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Bucket List







[politics ✕](#)

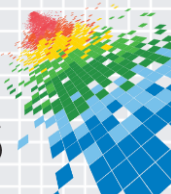
CRITs Relationships

Relationships (2) 

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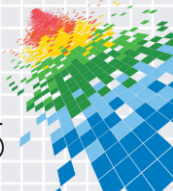
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CRITs Data Parsing

Email Details

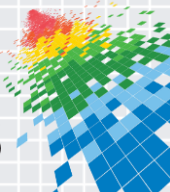
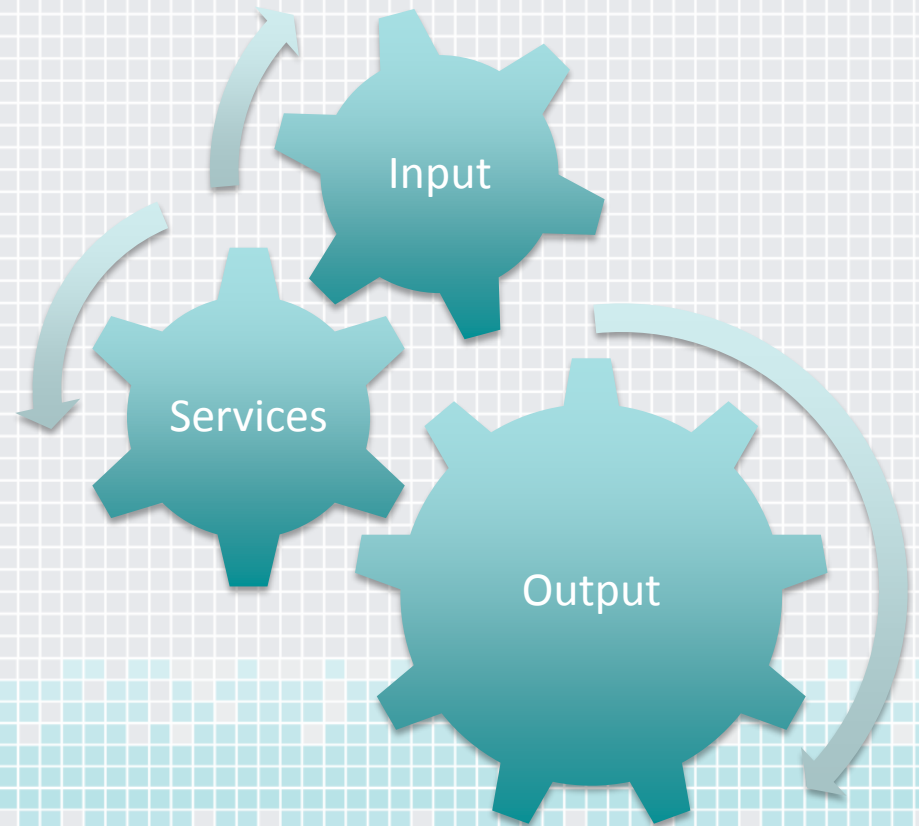
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Sender	 None	
To	state_arhive@sacura.net, tsdkffa@archives.gov.ua, programa-tur@mail.ru, jobguide@mail.h-net.msu.edu, announce@mail.h-net.msu.edu, economy-oda@email.uz.ua, guoz@adm.dp.ua, coordinator@erpanet.org, info@digitalpreservationeurope.eu, ond_nk@mail.ru, lku@artinfo.ru, maps@litera-ru.ru, fanet@mail.ru, michael.miller@ndsu.edu, lostart@mkrf.ru,	
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Reply To	 None	
Message ID	 <20140813054039.2445F6D7BEB@mx01.24x7h.com>	
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Boundary	 None	
Originating IP	 None	
X-Originating IP	 None	
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Sectors		
Sources	  OSINT (1): 2014-10-14	
Releasability	 	



CRITS Services

Automatically process, connect and expand inputs.

- ◆ Chopshop
- ◆ Cuckoo
- ◆ OpenDNS
- ◆ PassiveTotal
- ◆ Peinfo
- ◆ SSDeep
- ◆ TAXII
- ◆ UPX
- ◆ Virustotal
- ◆ Yara
- ◆ Whois



CRITs Services

[Refresh Services](#)
[DataMiner](#)
[yara](#)
[virustotal_lookup](#)
[Pyew](#)
[ssdeep_compare](#)
[entropycalc](#)
[pdfinfo](#)
[carver](#)
[upx](#)

● DataMiner (v.1.0.0)

● yara (v.2.0.1)

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Results

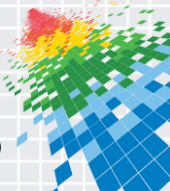
yara

Result	Data	Str
RSA_Trojan_Derusbi	Hex: b119bf44	
	Hex: 4ee640bb	
	Hex: 8b15d0d000108bced3ea83c6083090d8d00010403b05d4d0001072e4	
	Hex: d6d5a4a3c04b00009b8f34a3d5d5a4a3d2d5a4a3292aa4a3	
TCO_APT_Sykipot_Derusbi	Data	
	POST /photos/photo.asp HTTP	\$P1

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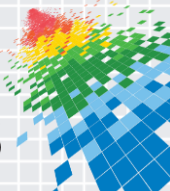
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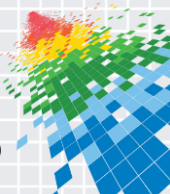
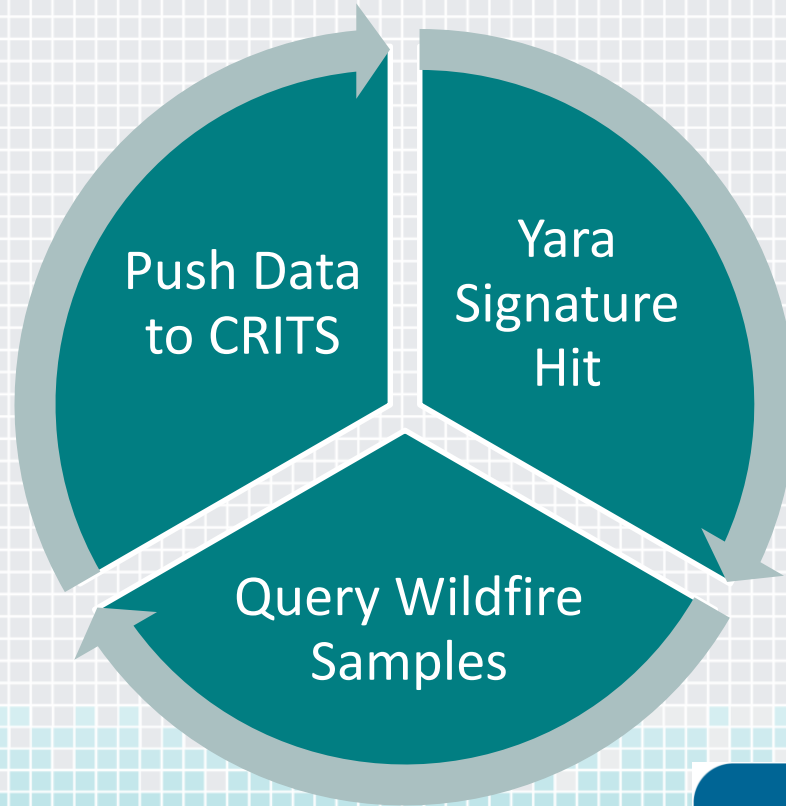


Best for those who “Tinker”

- ◆ Too Much Clicking...
- ◆ API allows you to automate input.
- ◆ Services allow common tasks to be built into the platform.



API Use-Case: YARA Automation



Supported Structured Data Exchange Formats

TAXII

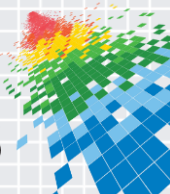
Trusted Automated Exchange of
Indicator Information

STIX

Structured Threat Information
Expression

CybOX

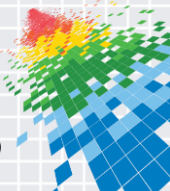
Cyber Observable Expression



MCRITs

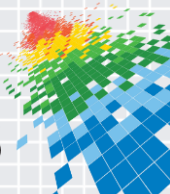


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- CRITs Related PCAPs
- CRITs Related Raw Data



Now What?

- ◆ Choose an incident and visualize it!
 - ◆ Maltego Community Edition (Try)
 - ◆ Commercial Version (Buy)
 - ◆ <https://www.paterva.com/web6/products/download.php>
- ◆ Get out of spreadsheets and text documents!
 - ◆ CRITs (Open Source)
 - ◆ <https://github.com/crits/crits>



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