

Beyond loCs – Transforming Cyber Intel with DevOps and ISR

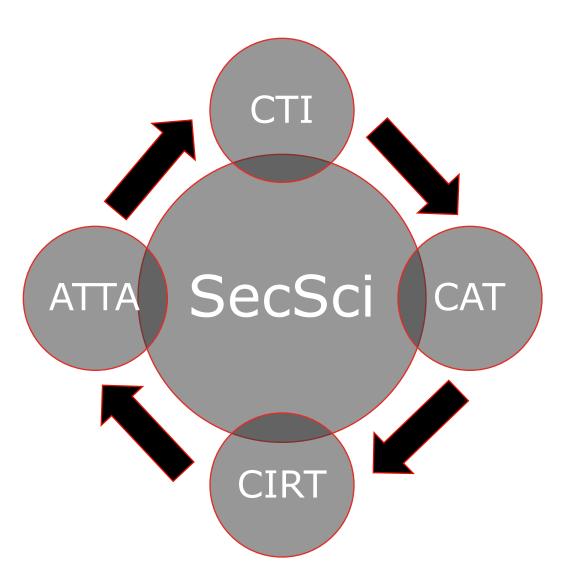
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Circle Of Life





Evolution

Spreadsheet

- Internal INCs
- No Actors
- Kill Chain Optional
- Manual Push to SIEM and Controls

Dedicated Application

- Paid For Feeds
- Actor Optional
- Kill Chain Required
- Fixed Tier Alerting
- Hunting
- Basic Automation

Complete Program

- Formal Internal Intel Development
- ISR
 - Lifecycle Management
- Calculated Response Tier Alerting
- Hunting > Alerting
- Mostly Custom Content
- No IP Alerting
- Full Automation



IoC Hoarding

- Dedicated Application
 - CRITs, Soltra, etc.
- Adversary Information Required
- Paid Feeds
 - Basic Context Enrichment
- Closed Source Portals
 - ISACs, DSIE, ONA
- Actor Criticality
 - Fixed Response Tiering
- Kill Chain Stage
 - Inbound or Outbound
- Automation





Today and Future

- DevOps
- ISR
- BigData SecSci
- Producer Consumer Model
- Hunting
- Automation

- Custom content on the fly
- No intel left behind
- Data driven decisions
- Streamlined operations
- Hunting > Alerting
- More time for real work

Current CTI-Framework

- CTI Framework Completed
 - 20+ Git Commits and over 4,500 lines of new code
 - Scalability & modular Python framework
 - Robust logging and internal monitoring
 - Import, enrichment, storage, context and dissemination
 - Makes integrating with new intel source or mitigation control an hour task instead of a week

CTI: Import

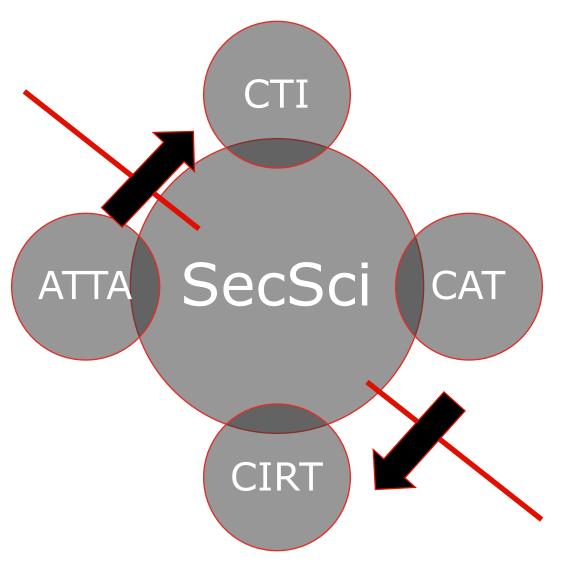
- Currently importing 34 different sources of intelligence
- 25% of them automated (Most are OSINT related)
 - 100% of our commercial sources
 - 50% of our private sources
- STIX/TAXII is no where to be found
 - Sticking with JSON based REST API

Future: CTI-Framework

- Move production CTI logs to NetWitness
- Alerting on CTI hosts (for program execution and system resources)
- Tier 3 Hunting reports integration, enrichment and automatic PDF creation



Producer Consumer



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 An activity that synchronizes and integrates the planning and operation of sensors, assets, and processing, exploitation, and dissemination systems in direct support of current and future operations. This is an integrated intelligence and operations function.

ISR and TCPED

- Intelligence
 - The product resulting from processing information
- Surveillance
 - Systematic collection of information through sensors
- Reconnaissance
 - Collection of information missing from surveillance

- Task
- Collect
- Process
- Exploit
- Disseminate
- Feedback loop & gap analysis



DevOps

- No single tool for all processes
- APIs for everything
 - Internal API endpoints
 - Web Services
- Integration Code
- Custom Alerting
- Continuous Integration aka Jenkins
- Code Repos aka GitLab



Putting it All Together

- Collection Requirements
- Target Acquisition
- Gap Analysis
- Risk and Vulnerability Data
- Automation
- Getting data where it needs to be
 - Extracts
 - Imports
 - Transforms
 - APIs

- Where are my data sources?
- What data do I need to detect/mitigate?
- Who is targeting us with what?
- Where are we blind?
- Where are we weak?
- How do I do more with less, quicker than before?



Example Documents

• Visibility Matrix

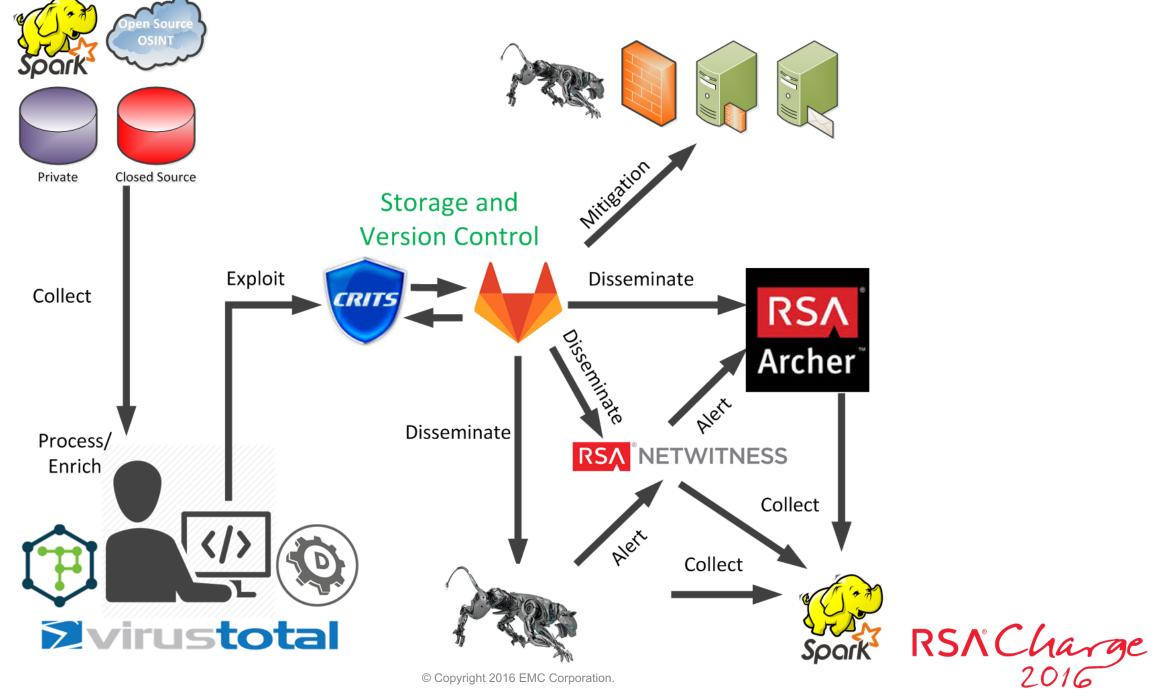
- 3 Domains
 - Physical
 - Logical
 - Persona
- Tool Efficiency by Domain
- Collection Requirements
 - Data to be collected at all sensors

EMIC-09 EMIC-10 EMIC-12 EMIC-12 EMIC-13 EMIC-14 EMIC-15 EMIC-15 EMIC-17 EMIC-18 EMIC-19 EMIC-20 EMIC-21 EMIC-22 EMIC-23

- Detect, Mitigate, Hunt
- Defining Current Capabilities
- Reconnaissance Matrix
 - List of all actors
 - List of tools
 - Fill the gaps

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RSA NetWitness Integrations

- All Custom Feeds pulled from Gitlab raw document (CSV)
 - Domain
 - IP
 - URLs
 - User-Agents
 - Hashes
 - Rules and Response
 - Tags
 - Whitelisting
- Custom Parser Code, Application Rules
- CI to push to devices as changes are made
 - REST API on decoders
- Warehouse Connector to Hadoop



RSA NetWitness Endpoint Integrations

- Blacklist Feed from Gitlab
 - Hashes
 - Domains
- IIoCs
 - Alert output to NetWitness Logs
 - Apache Spark SQL Access
 - Full Backend DB Access
 - Tracking Data
 - Network Connections
 - Too much data to list



NetWitness SecOps Integrations

- Alerting with UCF
 - Event Aggregation (Many alerts \rightarrow 1 INC)
 - R&Rs in Alert payload
- Threat Management
 - Scrubbed IoC notes
 - Time based Information
 - Created, modified, demoted
- Archer Data Services
 - Simple DB access to Incident data
 - Exposes data to Visualization Tools
 - Direct Apache Spark SQL access



Gitlab

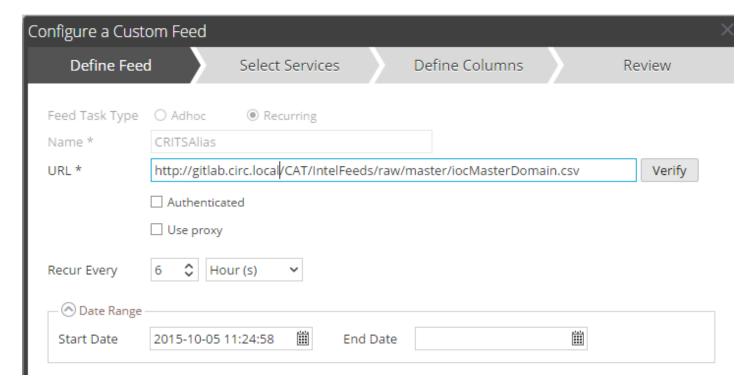
- Yara
 - ECAT
 - Mail Meta
- AvroCoversion
 - Warehouse Connector Utilities
- Feed Library
 - Blacklist
 - Whitelist
- Parsers
 - Custom log Parser
 - Custom Packet Parsers
 - Service/Application ID
 - Malware Detection
 - Meta Creation

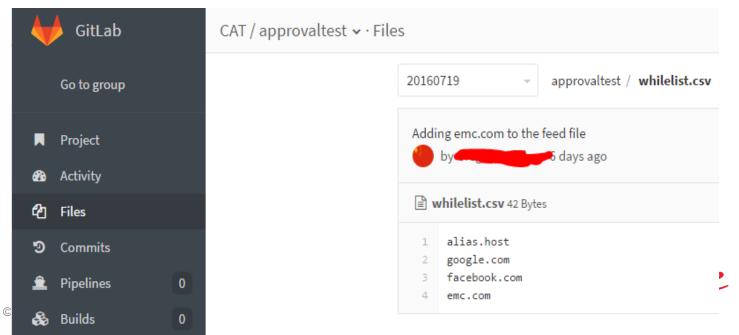
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Tools in Action

- IoC Domain List
 - Full Dump From CRITs to NetWitness
 - Notes field
 - EMC Actor
 - IoC Type
- Whitelist w/ Approvals
 - Merge only after L3 Approval
 - Per Content type Feed
 - Right Click in NetWitness UI





Netwitness Alerting

- CRITs Information
 - Directly in the UI
 - Notes
 - CAT and Tier

Rule and Response

- Why did the rule fire
- What was the rule looking for
- External References (Right Click)
- Known False Positives

IR Alert (7 values)

circ_t2_saip_ioc_domain (32) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - possible_poison_ivy_handshake (10) - circ_t1_saip_ioc_domain (12) - possible_b64_shell (12) - Loaded in 4.425 secs. Total running time 4.427 secs. (10.219.70.10:56005 loaded in 1 secs., 10.219.86.10:56005 loaded in 1 secs., 10.254.49.17:56005 loaded in 10.254.49.42:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.47:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.12:56003 loaded in 4 secs.)

CRITS IoC Attribution (15 values)

emc-unk-non (514,962) - emc-unk-apt (16,415) - emc-bot-06 (5,961) - emc-09 (2,905) - emc-01 (654) - emc-35 (196) - emc-15 (72) - emc-1 Loaded in 2.217 secs. Total running time 2.219 secs. (10.219.70.10:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.219.86.10:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.17:56005 loaded i 10.254.49.42:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.47:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.12:56003 loaded in 1 secs.)

CRITS IoC Intelligence (20 of 20+ values)

this is related to the teamview compromise, emergency block ... (161,586) - 2012-04-16 12:24:02 demoted as spyware (147,998) - 2013-0 website to prevent ... (18,441) - malware spam: emailing: mx62edo 10.02.2016 / documents@... (15,797) - 20160302-140100 | openvas r by gso websec (13,254) - gso request - dns block for the general filmer from simon ... (9,030) - cryptowall (8,366) - notes - crapware (inc-33724494 | scamware | uses vanilla msie 11 us... (4,450) - 2012-06-13 11:10:43 related to com d... (2,874) - p dns block list | no specific intelligence o... (2,154) ... show more

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CRITS IoC Type (2 values)

domain (492,504) - ipv4 (48,796)

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CRITS Category (4 values)

cat 3 (508,721) - cat 2 (31,692) - cat 1 (878) - cat 4 (18)

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CIRC App Rule Syntax (4 values)

looking for a t2 ioc domain (32) - looking for a t1 ioc domain (12) - looking for a user agent of google not going to google (2) - looking for a xored windows exe Loaded in 0.95 secs. Total running time 0.951 secs. (10.219.70.10:56005 loaded in 1 secs., 10.219.86.10:56005 loaded in 1 secs., 10.254.49.17:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.17:5600 10.254,49.42:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254,49.47:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254,49.12:56003 loaded in 1 secs.)

CIRC Content Objective (4 values)

standard ioc alert from crits (44) - rat uses an abnormal user agent that is easy to detect (2) - xoring an exe or any file is a way to evade ids via obfuscat... (1) - I Loaded in 0.947 secs. Total running time 0.949 secs. (10.219.70.10:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.219.86.10:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.17:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.17:560 10.254.49.42:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.47:56005 loaded in 0 secs., 10.254.49.12:56003 loaded in 0 secs.)

CIRC Known False Positives (2 values)

depends on the intel (44) - none (3)

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IR Tags 🔎

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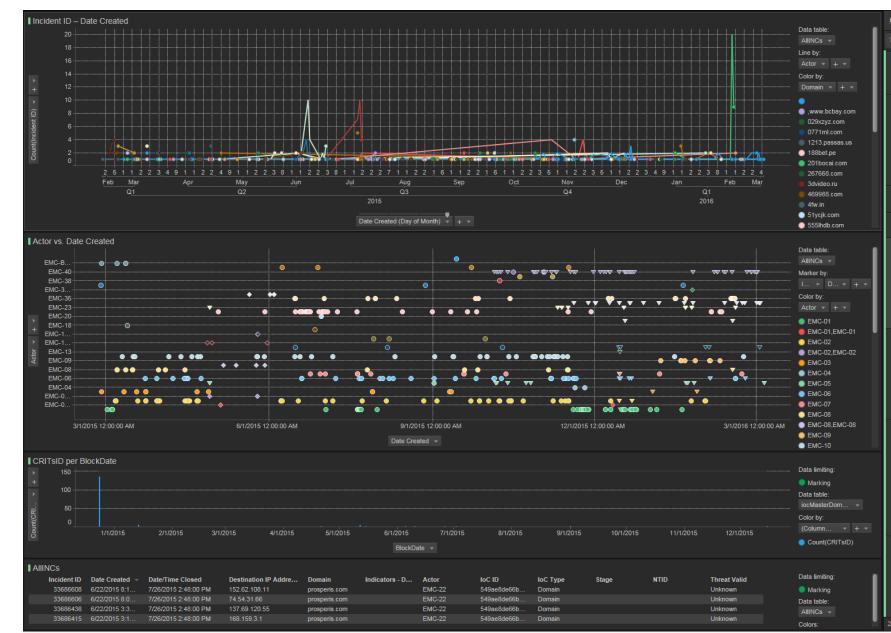
CRITs to SecOps Datafeed

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Pulling Data from All Sources

- RSA NetWitness Endpont
- RSA NetWitness Logs
- RSA NetWitness Packets
- RSA NetWitness SecOps Manager
- CRITs



Questions?



Please Complete Session Evaluation

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