

## Improve your Threat Hunt with Adversary Emulation

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# Challenges in Threat Hunting







## **Threat Hunting Defined**

"the process of proactively and iteratively searching through networks to detect and isolate advanced threats that evade existing security solutions" – Sqrrl, Framework for Threat Hunting

"Human act of looking for badness that is not yet detected successfully." -Sergio Caltagirone (Dragos)

https://sqrrl.com/media/Framework-for-Threat-Hunting-Whitepaper.pdf



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## Threat Hunting Challenges

> How to organize our program?

## > Mapping gaps

- Do I have the right data sources?
- Are the right security controls in place?
- Understanding adversary techniques is more than a checklist

## > How effective is my program?

- Can I detect actors, e.g APTXX



## Key Characteristics of an Efficient Process

- > What adversary model do we support?
- > How we prioritize adversary techniques
- > What about the data?
  - Understand the quality
  - Do we have the right data
- > Technology

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David Bianco, https://detect-respond.blogspot.com/2013/03/the-pyramid-of-pain.html







## Adversary Emulation - Definition

if if } else Activity where how an adversary operates is performed by a security team

Benefit is to improve the organization's defense posture against adversary techniques

> Red and Purple Teaming can be categorized as Adversary Emulation





## Why Adversary Emulation?

## > Prioritize results

> Validating defenses

## > Gap identification



## Adversary Activities

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- > Tactics, Techniques & Procedures
  - How the adversary operates at a high level
  - Basis of the adversary emulation
- > Traditional tools, methods not applicable
  - Vulnerability scans
  - Penetration tests
- > Use a structured approach
  - Kill chain or attack flow
  - e.g. MITRE ATT&CK





## Key Differences Pentest vs. Adversary Emulation

## **Penetration Testing**

 Assess security by identifying and exploiting vulnerabilities

## Adversary Emulation

- Assess organization readiness versus certain threat actors
- Focus on a scope or set of systems
   Focus on execution of systems
   Focus on execution of scenarios (how many flags)
- Focused on testing prevention not detection
- Tests both prevention and detection (blue team presence)





## Key Differences in Teaming

## Purple Team

> Real world threat actor emulated using TTPs

## Red Team

- > Real world threat actor emulated using TTPs
- Maximize the interaction/ collaboration with the blue team
- Little or no interaction with the blue team (red vs blue)

- Benefit: improve the prevention and detection capabilities
- Benefit: assess the blue team's performance



## Tools for Adversary Emulation





## MITRE Says it Best

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"MITRE's Adversarial Tactics, Techniques and Common Knowledge (ATT&CK™) is a curated knowledge base and model for cyber adversary behavior, reflecting the various phases of an adversary's lifecycle and the platforms they are known to target.

ATT&CK is useful for understanding security risk against known adversary behavior, for planning security improvements, and verifying defenses work as expected."



## Tactics and Techniques

- Tactics describe high-level steps taken by adversary to attack
- > Breach is assumed in ATT&CK
  - Initial Intrusion is "first"

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- > Techniques describe how a tactic is executed
  - Description, detection & recommended prevention
  - Known threat actor
  - Further broken down into sub-techniques



## Procedures vs. Sub-techniques

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## MITRE ATT&CK

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6	Drive-by Compromise	Command and Scripting	Account Manipulation (2/2)	Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism	Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism	Brute Force (4/4)	II Account Discovery <sub>(3/3)</sub>	II Exploitation of Remote	Archive Collected	Application	Automated Exfiltration	Account Access Removal
F	Exploit Public- Facing Application	Exploitation for Client Execution	BITS Jobs Boot or Logon	Access Token Manipulation (5/5)	Access Token Manipulation (5/5)	from Password Stores (3/3)	II Application Window Discovery	Internal Spearphishing	Audio Capture	Communication Through	Data Transfer Size Limits	Data Destruction Data Encrypted
1	External Remote Services	Inter-Process Communication (2/2)	Autostart Execution (11/11)	Boot or Logon Autostart	BITS Jobs	Exploitation for Credential Access	Browser Bookmark Discovery	Lateral Tool Transfer	Automated Collection	Removable Media	Exfiltration Over	for Impact
	Hardware Additions	Native API	Boot or Logon Initialization Scripts (5/5)	Execution (11/11) Boot or Logon	Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information	Forced Authentication	Domain Trust Discovery	Remote Service	Clipboard Data	Data Encoding (2/2)	Alternative Protocol (3/3)	Manipulation (3/3)         Defacement (2/2)
	Phishing (3/3)	Scheduled Task/Job (5/5)	Browser Extensions	Initialization Scripts (5/5)	Direct Volume Access Execution	Input Capture (4/4)	File and Directory Discovery	Session Hijacking <sub>(2/2)</sub>	Repositories (1/1)	Data Obfuscation (3/3)	Exfiltration Over C2 Channel	Disk Wipe (2/2)
	Replication Through Removable	Shared Modules Software	Compromise Client Software	Create or Modify System Process (4/4)	Guardrails (1/1) Exploitation for	Man-in-the- Middle <sub>(1/1)</sub>	Network Service Scanning	Remote Services (6/6)	Data from Local System	Dynamic Resolution (3/3)	Exfiltration Over Other	Endpoint Denial of Service <sub>(4/4)</sub>
•	Media Supply Chain	Deployment Tools System	Binary Create	Event Triggered Execution (15/15)	File and Directory	Modify Authentication	Network Share Discovery	Replication Through Removable	Data from Network Shared Drive	Encrypted Channel (2/2)	Network Medium (1/1)	Firmware Corruption
	Trusted	Services (2/2) User Execution (2/2)	Account (2/2)	Exploitation for Privilege	Permissions Modification (2/2)	II Process (3/3) Network	Network Sniffing Password Policy	Media Software	Data from Removable	Fallback Channels	Exfiltration Over Physical	Inhibit System Recovery
	Valid	Windows Management	Process (4/4)	Escalation Group Policy	Group Policy Modification	OS Credential	Peripheral Device	Tools	Media Data Staged <sub>(2/2)</sub>	Ingress Tool Transfer	Exfiltration	Network Denial of Service (2/2)
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			Services	Process	Flow <sub>(11/11)</sub> Impair Defenses <sub>(5/5)</sub>	Tickets (3/3)	Process Discovery	Authentication Material (2/2)	II Input Capture <sub>(4/4)</sub>	Layer Protocol	Transfer	Service Stop
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## MITRE ATT&CK – Sub Techniques

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Services Hardware	(7/7)	Unix Shell Visual Basic	Boot or Logon	Autostart Execution (11/11)	Deobfuscate/Decode	Credential Access	Domain Trust Discovery	Transfer	Clipboard Data	Data Encoding (2/2)	Over Alternative Protocol (3/3)
Phishing <sub>(3/3)</sub>	Exploitation for	Windows Command Shell	Browser Extensions	Initialization Scripts (5/5)	Direct Volume Access		File and Directory Discovery	Session Hijacking (2/2)	Information Repositories (1/1)	Data Obfuscation (3/3)	Exfiltration Over C2 Channel
Replication Through Removable Media	Client Execution Inter-Process Communication (2/2)	н	Compromise Client Software Binary	System Process (4/4)	Guardrails (1/1) Exploitation for Defense Evasion	Capture <sub>(4/4)</sub> Man-in-the- Middle <sub>(1/1)</sub>	Network Service Scanning Network Share	Remote Services (6/6)	Data from Local System Data from	Encrypted	Exfiltration Over Other Network
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	Windows Management Instrumentation		Office Application	Scheduled Task/Job (5/5)	Host (6/6)	Steal Web     Session Cookie     Two-Factor	Remote System Discovery		Man in the Browser	Protocol Tunneling	
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## MITRE ATT&CK – Tactic & Technique

#### The adversary is trying to run malicious code.

Execution consists of techniques that result in adversary-controlled code running on a local or remote system. Techniques that run malicious code are often paired with techniques from all other tactics to achieve broader goals, like exploring a network or stealing data. For example, an adversary might use a remote access tool to run a PowerShell script that does Remote System Discovery. ID: TA0002 Created: 17 October 2018 Last Modified: 19 July 2019

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#### Techniques

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ID		Name	Description	Command and Scripting Interpreter: PowerShell			
T1059		Command and Scripting	Adversaries may abuse command and script interpreters to execute commands, scripts, or binaries. These int of interacting with computer systems and are a common feature across many different platforms. Most syste	Other sub-techniques of Command and Scripting Interpreter (7)			
		Interpreter	command-line interface and scripting capabilities, for example, macOS and Linux distributions include some f installations include the Windows Command Shell and PowerShell.	line interface and scripting environment included in the Windows operating system. <sup>[1]</sup> Adversaries can use PowerShell to perform a number of actions, including discovery of information and execution of code. Examples include the start-	Tactic: Execut Platforms: W		
	.001	PowerShell	Adversaries may abuse PowerShell commands and scripts for execution. PowerShell is a powerful interactive scripting environment included in the Windows operating system. Adversaries can use PowerShell to perform discovery of information and execution of code. Examples include the <pre>start-Process</pre> cmdlet which can be u <pre>Invoke-Command</pre> cmdlet which runs a command locally or on a remote computer (though administrator perm PowerShell to connect to remote systems).	Process cmdlet which can be used to run an executable and the Invoke-Command cmdlet which runs a command locally or on a remote computer (though administrator permissions are required to use PowerShell to connect to remote systems). PowerShell may also be used to download and run executables from the Internet, which can be executed from disk or in memory without touching disk.	Permissions Data Sources Loaded DLLs, line parameter logs		
	.002	AppleScript	Adversaries may abuse AppleScript for execution. AppleScript is a macOS scripting language designed to con via inter-application messages called AppleEvents. These AppleEvent messages can be easily scripted with A execution.	A number of PowerShell-based offensive testing tools are available, including Empire, PowerSploit, PoshC2, and PSAttack. <sup>[2]</sup>	Contributors: Version: 1.0 Created: 09 M		
	.003	Windows Command Shell	Adversaries may abuse the Windows command shell for execution. The Windows command shell (cmd.exe) i Windows systems. The Windows command prompt can be used to control almost any aspect of a system, wit for different subsets of commands.	interfaces to PowerShell's underlying System.Management.Automation assembly DLL exposed through the .NET framework and Windows Common Language Interface (CLI). [3][4][5]			
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#### Sub-technique of: T1059 Tactic: Execution Platforms: Windows Permissions Required: Administrator, User Data Sources: DLL monitoring, File monitoring, Loaded DLLs, PowerShell logs, Process commandline parameters, Process monitoring, Windows event logs Supports Remote: Yes Contributors: Praetorian Version: 1.0 Created: 09 March 2020 Last Modified: 24 June 2020 Version Permalink

Name	Description
APT19	APT19 used PowerShell commands to execute payloads. <sup>[76]</sup>
APT28	APT28 downloads and executes PowerShell scripts. <sup>[81]</sup>
APT29	APT29 has used encoded PowerShell scripts uploaded to CozyCar installations to download and install SeaDuke. APT29 also used PowerShell scripts to evade defenses. [18][65][66]





## Leveraging ATT&CK



## Common Reference Language



## Example Adversary Emulation Breakdown

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Emulate

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## Building an Adversary Emulation Plan

- > Good adversary emulation plan is crucial for effectiveness
- > Should include **distinct phases** to mimic a real-world adversary
- > Every tactic is NOT required; change it up! Improvise

## > Example phases in MITRE's APT3

- Implement infrastructure (C2)

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- Achieve initial execution (Initial Access)
- Carry out internal discovery, privilege escalation and later movement (lateral movement)
- Collect, stage and exfiltrate data (Action on Objectives)











## What is an Emulation Plan

## **APT 3 Emulation Plan**







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## APT28 Emulation Example

#### Phase 1

- Initial Access Removable Media [T1091]
- Execution –Client Exploit [T1203]

#### Phase 2

- Persistence Valid Accounts [T1078]
- Privilege Escalation Exploitation [T1068]
- Defense Evasion –
   Obfuscate Files
   [T1027]
- Lateral Movement Exploit Remove Services [T1210]

#### Phase 3

 Exfiltration – Exfil over C2 [T1041]



## Supporting Tools

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> Use an emulation stack

 Automated or scripted; supports specific set of ATT&CK techniques

 Full stack simulation based on adversary emulation plan; manual





## Automated or Scripted Tools



Atomic Red Team

MITRE Caldera

# ATTACKIQ

Metta (Uber)







## Manual Adversary Emulation

> Red Team Automation (RTA)

> DumpsterFire Toolset



> Covenant









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#### Evaluating all C2's

## Mission

It is the golden age of Command and Control (C2) frameworks. The goal of this site is to point you to the best C2 framework for your needs based on your adversary emulation plan and the target environment. Take a look at the matrix or use the questionnaire to determine which fits your needs.

https://www.thec2matrix.com/

## MITRE Caldera Quick Intro

https://github.com/mitre/caldera

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## CALDERA

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## MITRE Caldera Basics

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- Red-Team Engagements
- Autonomous Incident Response
- Non-deterministically (decision making algos)

- > Terminology
  - Agent
  - Group
  - Ability
  - Adversary
  - Operation
  - Fact
  - Source
  - Rule
  - Planner
  - Plugin





\*\* Variations of the deployment command will be shown for each supported operating system

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Deploy as a blue-team agent instead of red (sh)

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Username	VM-TFISCHER-10E\DG User	
Privilege	Elevated	
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Group *	red	
Sleep *	30/60	
Watchdog *	0	
Architecture	amd64	
Platform	windows	
PID	6596	
PPID	7056	
Executable name	splunkd.exe	
Location	C:\Users\Public\splunkd.exe	
Executors	["psh"]	
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Peer-to-Peer Proxy Chain	Not using peer agents to reach C2.	



## CALDERA – Adversary Profiles



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if (f&C) if (f&C) Profiles are collections of ATT&CK TTPs, designed to create specific effects on a host or network. Profiles can be used for offensive or defensive use cases.



#### Hunter

Discover host details and steal sensitive files

#### Ordering



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## ATTACKIQ Overview – Commercial Product

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## ATTACKIQ - Scenarios Detail

#### LATERAL MOVEMENT THROUGH REMOTE DESKTOP PROTOCOL

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## ATTACKIQ - Agents

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#### AttackIQ Agents

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## ATTACKIQ – Assessments Plan

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## ATTACKIQ – Assessment Run

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## ATTACKIQ - Report





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## ATTACKIQ – Report Detail Action

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## ATTACKIQ - Integrations

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Integration Configuration		correlates events with Cb Response to confirm detection of FireDrill scenario ac
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## DEEPSEC So Go Hunt Analyse Adversary Behaviour Develop Test Plan & Emulate Emulation Plan Methodology Adversary Go Hunting



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> Use adversary emulation to test your threat hunting program

- Validate you have enough data points
- Can you see the emulated adversaries' techniques
- Develop plans during purple team exercise

## > Match your emulation plans to threat intelligence

- Target your activities to what matters
- Use ATT&CK TTPs to simulate known actors
- Improvise; TTPs can change over time

## > Build a threat-based defense



## "identify pertinent information, prioritize it, draw conclusions from it, and communicate it..."

Amy E. Herman

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