

THREAT ADVISORY



ATTACK REPORT

**Arab countries are being targeted
by multiple malware families**

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Summary

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Attack Region: Middle-East

Threat Actors: Oilrig

Attack: Financial fraud, exfiltration of confidential data, and spying

Attack Regions



OILRIG

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Attack Details

#1

Malicious actors have already begun World Cup-themed phishing attacks targeting specific organizations partnered with the tournament are more vulnerable victims in Arab countries. The goal of such assaults could vary, such as financial fraud or reputational damage to the organization.

#2

Following the initial access via phishing attachments, which could contain the banking Trojan and an information stealer called Qakbot and Formbook that can also operate as a downloader, enabling it to download and execute more malicious files, and the Emotet Trojan to access foreign devices and spy on sensitive data. The QuadAgent PowerShell backdoor is yet another piece of malware used by the OilRig gang to perform attacks on susceptible systems.

Recommendations



Security Leaders

Phishing simulations and routine education and awareness training and communications rarely account for MFA fatigue and web browser hygiene. Integrate and communicate all lessons learned.



Security Engineers

- **Uni5 Users:** This is an actionable threat advisory in HivePro Uni5. Prioritize and block all indicators attributed to the threat actors and attacks through your Command Center. Test your controls with Uni5's Breach & Attack Simulation.
- **All Engineers:** Refer to and action upon the 'Potential MITRE ATT&CK TTPs' & 'Indicators of Compromise (IoC)' on the following pages.

Potential MITRE ATT&CK TTPs

<u>TA0043</u> Reconnaissance	<u>TA0042</u> Resource Development	<u>TA0001</u> Initial Access	<u>TA0002</u> Execution
<u>TA0009</u> Collection	<u>TA0011</u> Command and Control	<u>TA0040</u> Impact	<u>T1598</u> Phishing for Information
<u>T1598.002</u> Spearphishing Attachment	<u>T1587</u> Develop Capabilities	<u>T1566</u> Phishing	<u>T1059</u> Command and Scripting Interpreter
<u>T1204</u> User Execution	<u>T1113</u> Screen Capture	<u>T1105</u> Ingress Tool Transfer	<u>T1496</u> Resource Hijacking

Indicator of Compromise (IOC)

TYPE	VALUE
MD5	7d1f2798bd70c6cf04f5ad4de1aa68d2, f2752c991000ad9d807fcbe188f03695, d96c44db10ede8dc5c8df5b04bc5a5ab, 80886e4eeba4e683f5da925cd35289b6, 7610c370369217965b7ec150109850e4, 10ebdacd4ec7b3d913932dafc2163751, 38b228e51e7cfa48904fbc4a106d5b4, 66f989018eabd937c731ddba40605146, 05204f26f8d5161ab487dc41b78624b0, Ce7c58ee6070e056beeb490a7889ac27, 5b5919db69b1912e0aaa9aca716d0857, a58a08ad2a24e8f17fa0b93cb4bcd71e
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