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Attacks, Vulnerabilities and Actors

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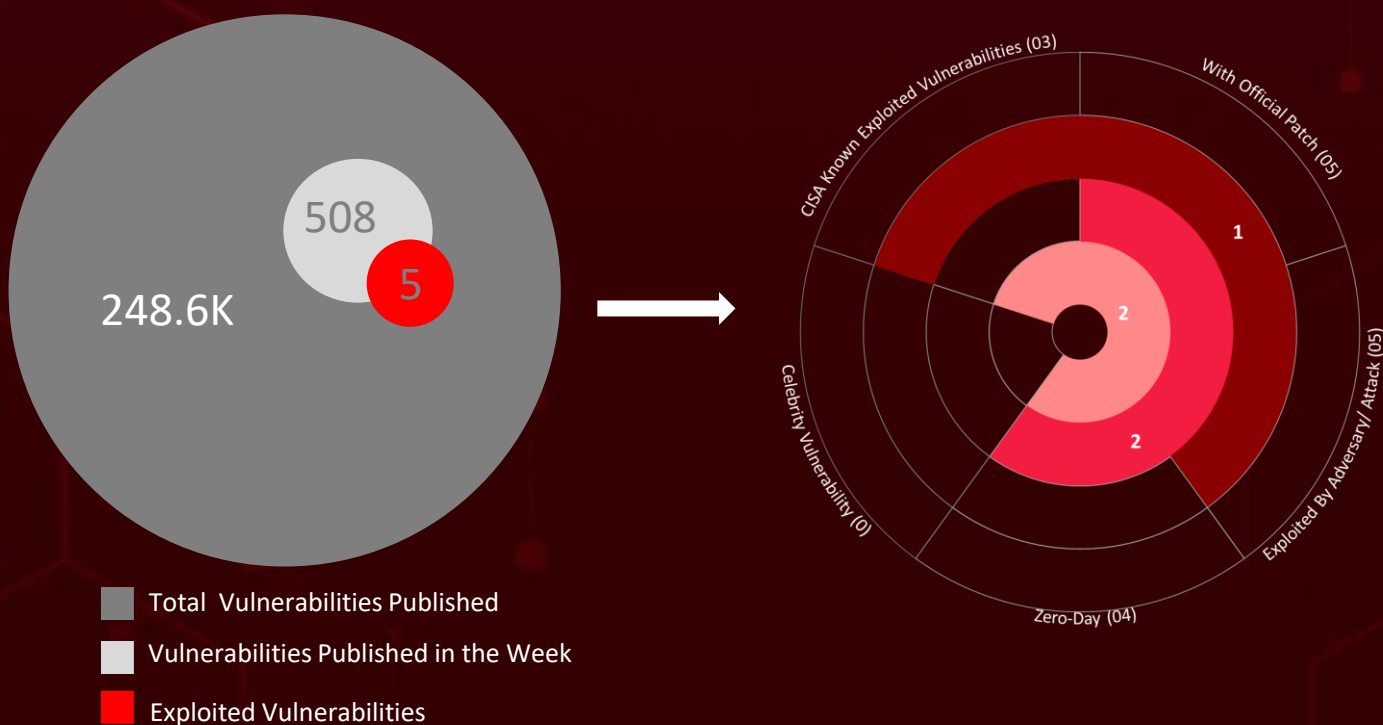
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Summary

HiveForce Labs recently made several significant discoveries in the realm of cybersecurity threats. In the past week alone, **eleven** attacks were executed, **five** vulnerabilities were uncovered, and **three** active adversaries were identified, underscoring the persistent danger of cyberattacks.

HiveForce Labs has identified an Iranian state-sponsored threat actor **APT33** is targeting organizations in the United States and the United Arab Emirates with a new malware strain known as the **Tickler backdoor**. In these attacks, APT33 has leveraged Microsoft Azure infrastructure for command-and-control (C2) purposes, allowing them to manage and maintain access to compromised systems.

Additionally, the South Korea-linked cyberespionage group **APT-C-60** has been actively targeting organizations in East Asia by exploiting a zero-day vulnerability, **CVE-2024-7262**, in the Windows version of WPS Office. This flaw has been used to deliver the **SpyGlance** backdoor through phishing emails. Moreover, the Chinese APT group **Volt Typhoon** has been exploiting a Versa Director zero-day vulnerability **CVE-2024-39717** to deploy the VersaMem web shell, further escalating the threat landscape. These escalating threats pose a significant and immediate risk to users worldwide.



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Insights

APT33

targeting organizations in US and UAE to deploy the novel Tickler backdoor

CVE-2024-7965

critical zero-day vulnerability in the Chrome browser, enabling attackers to exploit memory corruption using a specially crafted HTML page

BlackByte Ransomware

exploiting security vulnerability CVE-2024-37085, affecting VMware ESXi hypervisors

CVE-2024-39717

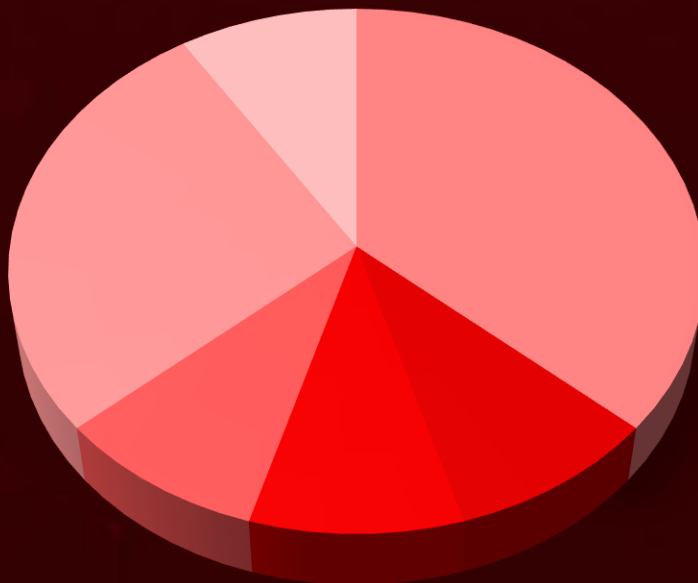
zero-day falw in Versa Director leveraged by Chinese APT group Volt Typhoon, leading to the deployment of VersaMem web shell

Cthulhu Stealer a macOS-targeted malware written in GoLang that targets users to steal sensitive data by disguising itself as legitimate software

APT-C-60

exploiting zero-day flaws in WPS Office to deliver the SpyGlance backdoor

Threat Distribution



■ Stealer ■ Ransomware ■ Loader ■ Downloader ■ Backdoor ■ Web shell

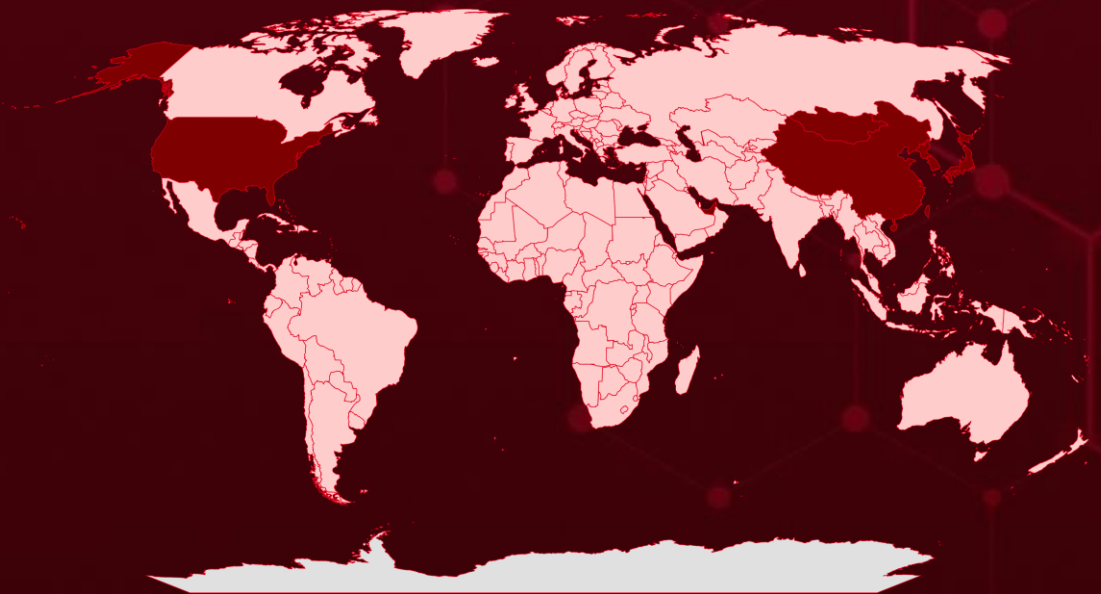


Targeted Countries

Most



Least



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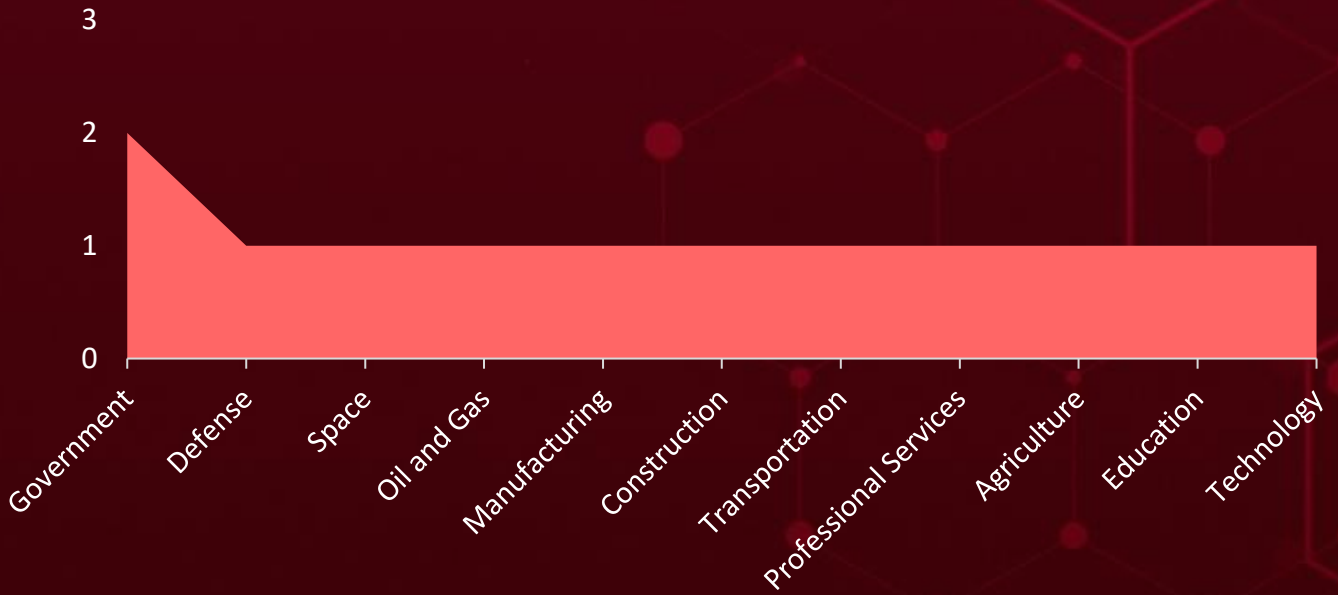
Countries
Mongolia
South Korea
North Korea
China
United Arab Emirates
Japan
United States
Macau
Taiwan
Hong Kong
Pakistan
Lithuania
Sri Lanka
Australia
Montenegro
Austria
San Marino
Azerbaijan
Tunisia
Bahamas
Marshall Islands

Countries
Bahrain
New Zealand
Bangladesh
Portugal
Barbados
Slovakia
Belarus
Syria
Belgium
Zambia
Belize
Malaysia
Benin
Micronesia
Bhutan
Namibia
Bolivia
Angola
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Paraguay
Botswana
Rwanda

Countries
India
Singapore
Indonesia
Slovenia
Iran
Somalia
Iraq
Antigua and Barbuda
Ireland
Spain
Israel
St. Vincent & Grenadines
Italy
Sudan
Jamaica
Svalbard
Algeria
Switzerland
Jordan
Tajikistan
Kazakhstan
Thailand

Countries
Kenya
Togo
Kiribati
Trinidad and Tobago
Kuwait
Turkey
United Kingdom
Tuvalu
Uruguay
Ukraine
Vanuatu
Armenia
Vietnam
Kyrgyzstan
Uzbekistan
Laos
Venezuela
Latvia
Yemen
Lebanon
Zimbabwe
Lesotho

Targeted Industries



TOP MITRE ATT&CK TTPs

T1059

Command and Scripting Interpreter

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🔪 Attacks Executed

NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>Cthulhu Stealer</u>	Cthulhu Stealer specifically targets macOS users by exploiting their trust in well-known applications. This macOS-focused malware, written in GoLang, masquerades as legitimate software to steal passwords and cryptocurrency wallet data. Cthulhu Stealer employs `osascript` to prompt users for their credentials, stores the stolen information in text files, and then transmits it to its operators.	Malicious App Distribution	-
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Stealer			
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			
-	Steal Data	macOS	PATCH LINK
-	-	-	-
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	6483094f7784c424891644a85d5535688c8969666e16a194d397dc66779b0b12, e3f1e91de8af95cd56ec95737669c3512f90cecbc6696579ae2be349e30327a7		

NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>Atomic Stealer</u>	Atomic Stealer, also known as AMOS, is a widely used stealer targeting macOS. This type of malware extracts and exfiltrates sensitive information from infected devices, focusing on stealing account passwords, browser data, and cryptocurrency wallet details from macOS users.	Malvertising	-
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Stealer			
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			
-	Steal Data	-	PATCH LINK
-	-	-	-
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	32ecc36701973fa9cebedefa6dbffe56d9cd3b98ea9006b44ca4310578d95fce, c6aa90e62b25e881388cb16c9fcbd665d5746a33d6bd8b632ef6e1a9fce47caf		

The IOCs (Indicators of Compromise) for the attacks executed are listed in the appendix section at the end of the report.

NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>PEAKLIGHT Downloader</u>	PEAKLIGHT is a PowerShell-based downloader that performs various tasks, such as writing data to a file, extracting ZIP archives, downloading data from obfuscated URLs, and deobfuscating strings. This downloader is specifically designed to deliver and execute additional payloads on a compromised system, facilitating further malicious activities.	-	-
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Downloader			
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			
-	Deliver another payload	Windows	PATCH LINK
-			-
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	07061f3fd8c15bdd484b55baa44191aa9d045c9889234550939f46c063e6211c		

NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>Lumma Stealer</u>	Lumma stealer, previously known as LummaC2, is a subscription-based information stealer that has been active since 2022. This malware primarily targets cryptocurrency wallets, browser extensions, and two-factor authentication (2FA) mechanisms. Its main objective is to steal sensitive information from compromised machines, posing a significant threat to users' financial and personal data.	Social Engineering	-
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Stealer			
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			
-	Steal Data	Windows	PATCH LINK
-			-
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	3f86ca59335214a918870d86a47b21cc77f941dfcb32b7ba97620021621e7444, e63d29cda8af6ad95286c11996f0ac32a70ac24c1c2baa78d22593babd826a41		

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NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs	
<u>SHADOWLADDER (aka Hijack Loader, DOI Loader, IDAT Loader)</u>	SHADOWLADDER is a loader first identified in July 2023. It employs a range of evasion strategies, including Process Doppelgänger, DLL Search Order Hijacking, and Heaven's Gate. Additionally, it has been documented concealing its malicious payload within the IDAT chunk of PNG files.	-	-	
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	
Loader				Windows
ASSOCIATED ACTOR		-	Loads another malware	PATCH LINK
				-
IOC TYPE	VALUE			
SHA256	bf1a0c67b433f52ebd304553f022baa34bfbc258c932d2b4b8b956b1467bfa5, 8235bd354b95a117a50922b994732cba101815a26a502ab9dc039a533329e2a5			

NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs	
<u>CryptBot</u>	CryptBot is an advanced infostealer targeting Windows systems, capable of extracting credentials from browsers, cryptocurrency wallets, browser cookies, and credit card information, as well as taking screenshots of the infected system. All stolen data is compiled into a zip file and uploaded to a command-and-control (C2) server, enabling attackers to access and exploit the compromised information.	Pirated sites or cracked software	-	
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	
Infostealer				Windows
ASSOCIATED ACTOR		-	Steal Data	PATCH LINK
				-
IOC TYPE	VALUE			
SHA256	34dcc780d2a2357c52019d87a0720802a92f358d15320247c80cc21060fb6f57, d6b2e83093cdaa1c59777b91a68ebd801161cf0e8f6499ca41fd2f99dfb2d839			

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NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>VersaMem</u>	<p>VersaMem is a sophisticated web shell specifically designed to target and exploit Versa Director servers. It's a malicious tool used by threat actors to gain unauthorized access to compromised systems and execute various malicious activities. VersaMem was developed to leverage the vulnerabilities found in Versa Director, a software used to manage network configurations for SD-WAN applications.</p>	Exploiting Vulnerabilities	CVE-2024-39717
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Web shell		Steal credentials	Versa Director
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			PATCH LINK
Volt Typhoon			https://support.verasa.com/solutions/articles/23000024323-release-21-2-3 , https://support.verasa.com/solutions/articles/23000025680-release-22-1-2 , https://support.verasa.com/solutions/articles/23000026033-release-22-1-3
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	4bcedac20a75e8f8833f4725adfc87577c32990c3783bf6c743f14599a176c37		

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NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>HZ Rat backdoor</u>	A new macOS variant of the HZ RAT backdoor has been identified, featuring capabilities to collect various types of information from infected machines. This malware gathers data about the system, user information from applications like WeChat and DingTalk, and user data stored in Google Password Manager, among others. The collected information is sent back to command-and-control (C2) servers controlled by the attackers.	Phishing	-
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Backdoor			Windows, macOS
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			PATCH LINK
-		Data Exfiltration	-
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	d9b0fcd3b20a82b97b4c74deebc7a2abb8fd771eaa12aaf66bdd5cdea30f706, f39aafb9489b9b60b34e3d4e78cd9720446b6247531b81cbd4877804b065a25f		

NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>SpyGlace Backdoor</u>	SpyGlace is a 64-bit DLL component created using C++ for remote-control backdoor operations. It features capabilities for file theft, plug-in loading, and shell command execution. SpyGlace has been identified in the wild as early as June 2022.	Exploiting Vulnerabilities	CVE-2024-7262 CVE-2024-7263
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Backdoor			WPS Office for Windows
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			PATCH LINK
APT-C-60		System Compromise	https://www.wps.com/download/
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	861911e953e6fd0a015b3a91a7528a388a535c83f4b9a5cf7366b8209d2f00c3		




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NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>Tickler</u>	Tickler is a custom multi-stage backdoor malware that allows attackers to deploy additional malicious payloads to compromised systems. Tickler can gather system information, executing commands, deleting files, and downloading or uploading files to and from a C&C server.	Phishing	-
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Backdoor			-
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			PATCH LINK
APT33			-
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	7eb2e9e8cd450fc353323fd2e8b84fbbdfe061a8441fd71750250752c577d198, ccb617cc7418a3b22179e00d21db26754666979b4c4f34c7fda8c0082d08cec4		




NAME	OVERVIEW	DELIVERY METHOD	TARGETED CVEs
<u>BlackByte Ransomware</u>	BlackByte is a Ransomware-as-a-Service (RaaS) group that targets compromised Windows host systems, including both physical and virtual servers, by encrypting files. The group exploits vulnerable drivers to bypass security defenses and deploys a self-propagating ransomware encryptor with worm-like capabilities, enabling it to spread across networks and inflict widespread damage.	Exploiting Vulnerabilities	CVE-2024-37085
TYPE		IMPACT	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
Ransomware			VMware ESXi hypervisors
ASSOCIATED ACTOR			PATCH LINK
-			https://support.broadcom.com/web/ecx/support-content-notification/-/external/content/SecurityAdvisories/0/24505
IOC TYPE	VALUE		
SHA256	ae2bc7d6f78bba3e257be8ad29e879ee1683dd457a62bba6b7550adf09e9227c, 5051b6167f96e66d3c8ab5e726dc5731e0d907d8a983d5604976582bf78b14f2		




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Vulnerabilities Exploited

CVE ID	CELEBRITY VULNERABILITY	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	ASSOCIATED ACTOR
<u>CVE-2024-7965</u>		Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge	-
	ZERO-DAY		
		AFFECTED CPE	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSOMWARE
NAME	CISA KEY	cpe:2.3:a:google:chrome :*:*:*:*:*:*:* cpe:2.3:a:microsoft:edge :*:*:*:*:*:*:*	-
Google Chrome's V8 JavaScript Engine Inappropriate Implementation Vulnerability			
	CWE ID	ASSOCIATED TTPs	PATCH LINK
	CWE-358	T1204.001: Malicious Link T1189: Drive-by Compromise	https://www.google.com/intl/en/chrome/?standalone=1


CVE ID	CELEBRITY VULNERABILITY	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	ASSOCIATED ACTOR	
<u>CVE-2024-39717</u>		Versa Director	Volt Typhoon	
	ZERO-DAY			
		AFFECTED CPE	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSOMWARE	
NAME	CISA KEV	cpe:2.3:a:versa-networks:versa_director:*:*:*:*:*:*	VersaMem	
Versa Director Dangerous File Type Upload Vulnerability				CWE ID
	CWE-434	T1190: Exploit Public-Facing Application T1505.003: Web Shell	https://support.versa-networks.com/support/solutions/articles/23000024323-release-21-2-3 , https://support.versa-networks.com/support/solutions/articles/23000025680-release-22-1-2 , https://support.versa-networks.com/support/solutions/articles/23000026033-release-22-1-3	

CVE ID	CELEBRITY VULNERABILITY	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	ASSOCIATED ACTOR
<u>CVE-2024-7262</u>		Kingsoft WPS Office for Windows	APT-C-60
	ZERO-DAY		
		AFFECTED CPE	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSOM WARE
NAME	CISA KEV	cpe:2.3:a:kingsoft:wps_office:*:*:*:*:*:*	SpyGlace Backdoor
WPS Office Remote Code Execution Vulnerability			
	CWE ID	ASSOCIATED TTPs	PATCH LINK
	CWE-22	T1203: Exploitation for Client Execution T1204.002: Malicious File	https://www.wps.com/download/

CVE ID	CELEBRITY VULNERABILITY	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	ASSOCIATED ACTOR
<u>CVE-2024-7263</u>		Kingsoft WPS Office for Windows	APT-C-60
	ZERO-DAY		
		AFFECTED CPE	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSOM WARE
NAME	CISA KEV	cpe:2.3:a:kingsoft:wps_office:*:*:*:*:*:*	SpyGlace Backdoor
WPS Office Remote Code Execution Vulnerability			
	CWE ID	ASSOCIATED TTPs	PATCH LINK
	CWE-22	T1203: Exploitation for Client Execution T1204.002: Malicious File	https://www.wps.com/download/

CVE ID	CELEBRITY VULNERABILITY	AFFECTED PRODUCTS	ASSOCIATED ACTOR
<u>CVE-2024-37085</u>		VMware ESXi	-
	ZERO-DAY		
		AFFECTED CPE	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSOMWARE
NAME	CISA KEY	cpe:2.3:o:vmware:esxi:- :*:*:*:*:*:* cpe:2.3:a:vmware:cloud_foundation: :*:*:*:*:*:*	BlackByte Ransomware
VMware ESXi Authentication Bypass Vulnerability			
	CWE ID	ASSOCIATED TTPs	PATCH LINK
	CWE-287	T1068 : Exploitation for Privilege Escalation T1136.002 : Domain Account	https://support.broadcom.com/web/ecx/support-content-notification/-/external/content/SecurityAdvisories/0/24505


Adversaries in Action

NAME	ORIGIN	TARGETED INDUSTRIES	TARGETED COUNTRIES
 <p><u>Volt Typhoon (also known as Vanguard Panda, Bronze Silhouette, Dev-0391, UNC3236, Voltzite, and Insidious Taurus)</u></p>	China	Construction, Education, Government, Industrial, IT, Maritime and Shipbuilding, Manufacturing, Telecommunications, Transportation, Utilities	Worldwide
	MOTIVE		
	Information theft and espionage	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSO MWARE	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
	TARGETED CVEs		
CVE-2024-39717	VersaMem	Versa Director	
TTPs			
<p>TA0002: Execution; TA0042: Resource Development; TA0004: Privilege Escalation; TA0005: Defense Evasion; TA0001: Initial Access; TA0003: Persistence; TA0043: Reconnaissance; TA0011: Command and Control; T1190: Exploit Public-Facing Application; T1588: Obtain Capabilities; T1588.006: Vulnerabilities; T1036.008: Masquerade File Type; T1036: Masquerading; T1068: Exploitation for Privilege Escalation; T1588.005: Exploits; T1106: Native API; T1059: Command and Scripting Interpreter; T1136: Create Account; T1027: Obfuscated Files or Information; T1055: Process Injection; T1505.003: Web Shell; T1505: Server Software Component; T1589.001: Credentials; T1589: Gather Victim Identity Information; T1071: Application Layer Protocol; T1571: Non-Standard Port</p>			

NAME	ORIGIN	TARGETED INDUSTRIES	TARGETED COUNTRIES
 <p><u>APT-C-60 (aka False Hunter, Pseudo Hunter)</u></p>	South Korea	Trade Industry, Human Resources	China, Hong Kong, Macau, Japan, Mongolia, North Korea, South Korea, Taiwan
	MOTIVE		
	Information Theft, Espionage		
	TARGETED CVEs	ASSOCIATED ATTACKS/RANSO MWARE	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
	CVE-2024-7262 CVE-2024-7263	SpyGlace Backdoor	WPS Office for Windows

TTPs

TA0042: Resource Development; TA0001: Initial Access; TA0002: Execution; TA0003: Persistence; TA0005: Defense Evasion; TA0007: Discovery; TA0040: Impact; T1203: Exploitation for Client Execution; T1583: Acquire Infrastructure; T1583.001: Domains; T1583.004: Server; T1608: Stage Capabilities; T1608.001: Upload Malware; T1587: Develop Capabilities; T1587.004: Exploits; T1204.001: Malicious Link; T1566: Phishing; T1566.001: Spearphishing Attachment; T1204: User Execution; T1204.002: Malicious File; T1027: Obfuscated Files or Information; T1010: Application Window Discovery; T1574: Hijack Execution Flow; T1041: Exfiltration Over C2 Channel

NAME	ORIGIN	TARGETED INDUSTRIES	TARGETED COUNTRIES
 <p><u>APT33 (aka Refined Kitten, Elfin, Magnallium, Holmium, ATK 35, TA451, Cobalt Trinity, Peach Sandstorm, Yellow Orc, Curious Serpens)</u></p>	Iran	Aviation, Defense, Education, Energy, Financial, Government, Healthcare, High-Tech, Manufacturing, Media, Petrochemical, Satellite, Oil and Gas Sectors	Iran, Iraq, Israel, Saudi Arabia, South Korea, UK, USA, UAE
	MOTIVE		
	Information theft and espionage, Sabotage and destruction	TARGETED CVEs	AFFECTED PRODUCTS
	-	Tickler	-
TTPs			
<p>TA0043: Reconnaissance; TA0042: Resource Development; TA0001: Initial Access; TA0002: Execution; TA0003: Persistence; TA0005: Defense Evasion; TA0006: Credential Access; TA0007: Discovery; TA0010: Exfiltration; TA0011: Command and Control; T1110: Brute Force; T1110.003: Password Spraying; T1059: Command and Scripting Interpreter; T1082: System Information Discovery; T1070: Indicator Removal; T1070.004: File Deletion; T1071: Application Layer Protocol; T1071.001: Web Protocols; T1078: Valid Accounts; T1078.004: Cloud Accounts; T1589: Gather Victim Identity Information; T1598: Phishing for Information; T1586: Compromise Accounts; T1586.003: Cloud Accounts; T1608: Stage Capabilities; T1566: Phishing; T1574: Hijack Execution Flow; T1574.002: DLL Side-Loading; T1016: System Network Configuration Discovery; T1105: Ingress Tool Transfer; T1041: Exfiltration Over C2 Channel; T1585: Establish Accounts; T1585.003: Cloud Accounts; T1083: File and Directory Discovery</p>			

Recommendations

Security Teams

This digest can be utilized as a drive to force security teams to prioritize the **five exploited vulnerabilities** and block the indicators related to the threat actors **Volt Typhoon, APT-C-60, APT33** and malware **Cthulhu Stealer, Atomic Stealer, PEAKLIGHT Downloader, Lumma Stealer, SHADOWLADDER, CryptBot, VersaMem, HZ Rat backdoor, SpyGlance Backdoor, Tickler, BlackByte Ransomware**.

Uni5 Users

This is an actionable threat digest for HivePro Uni5 customers and they can get comprehensive insights into their threat exposure and can action it effortlessly over the HivePro Uni5 dashboard by

- Running a Scan to discover the assets impacted by the **five exploited vulnerabilities**.
- Testing the efficacy of their security controls by simulating the attacks related to the threat actor **Volt Typhoon, APT-C-60, APT33** and malware **Cthulhu Stealer, CryptBot, Lumma Stealer, SHADOWLADDER, PEAKLIGHT Downloader, HZ Rat backdoor, SpyGlance Backdoor, Tickler, BlackByte Ransomware** in Breach and Attack Simulation(BAS).

Threat Advisories

[Cthulhu Stealer: The New Malware Targeting Mac Users](#)

[PEAKLIGHT Downloader the Stealthy Malware Living in Memory](#)

[Google Alerts Users to Actively Exploited Chrome Zero-Day Flaws](#)

[Versa Networks Patches Severe Zero-Day Flaw in Director Software](#)

[GitHub Addresses Admin Privilege Exploits in Enterprise Server](#)

[SonicWall SonicOS Flaw Allows Unauthorized Access & Firewall Crashes](#)

[HZ RAT Backdoor Slips into macOS Targeting Enterprise Messaging Apps](#)

[Critical FileCatalyst Workflow Flaw Enabling Attackers to Gain Admin Access](#)

[APT-C-60's 1-Click WPS Office Exploit](#)

[APT33 Unleashes Custom Tickler Malware Targeting the US and UAE](#)

[BlackByte Ransomware Exploits VMware Flaw and Beyond](#)

Appendix

Known Exploited Vulnerabilities (KEV): Software vulnerabilities for which there are public exploits or proof-of-concept (PoC) code available, and for which there is a high risk of potential harm to an organization's systems or data if left unaddressed.

Celebrity Vulnerabilities: Software vulnerabilities that have gained significant attention and have been branded with catchy names and logos due to their profound and multifaceted impact. These vulnerabilities provide threat actors with opportunities to breach sensitive systems, potentially resulting in unauthorized access and the compromise of critical information.

✂ Indicators of Compromise (IOCs)

Attack Name	TYPE	VALUE
<u>Cthulhu Stealer</u>	SHA256	6483094f7784c424891644a85d5535688c8969666e16a194d397dc66779b0b12, e3f1e91de8af95cd56ec95737669c3512f90cecbc6696579ae2be349e30327a7, f79b7cbc653696af0dbd867c0a5d47698bcfc05f63b665ad48018d2610b7e97b, de33b7fb6f3d77101f81822c58540c87bd7323896913130268b9ce24f8c61e24, 96f80fef3323e5bc0ce067cd7a93b9739174e29f786b09357125550a033b0288
<u>Atomic Stealer</u>	SHA256	32ecc36701973fa9cebedefa6dbffe56d9cd3b98ea9006b44ca4310578d95fce, c6aa90e62b25e881388cb16c9fcbd665d5746a33d6bd8b632ef6e1a9fce47caf, 19023cd72c8de1423e8082232099c6e38db3e78ceca179af104a3b1ad579d8a5, cccdbb22401a37bc822e7d38ae7e2a229193b45eacca49e8e0aa93c1d068628e, 72ccc21294875bdce1fd698c5a8ad84b4a72af5d50c348c56eb66bd2d3fdd99a, eba753443171c3bc6695d880af2ab6d2265587414a0cd96102e315be94140252, 5d27b45077470ddd3c3e3852ebd8f63828cf65ed7ee18d7600b2026b30a38b93

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<u>PEAKLIGHT</u>	SHA256	07061f3fd8c15bdd484b55baa44191aa9d045c9889234550939f46c063e6211c, e3bf61f6f96d1a121a1f7f47188cd36fc51f4565ca8cd8fc07207e56a038e7ca
	MD5	95361f5f264e58d6ca4538e7b436ab67, b716a1d24c05c6adee11ca7388b728d3
	URL	hxxps[:]//fatodex.b-cdn[.]net/fatodex, hxxps[:]//matodown.b-cdn[.]net/matodown, hxxps[:]//potexo.b-cdn[.]net/potexo
<u>Lumma Stealer</u>	SHA256	3f86ca59335214a918870d86a47b21cc77f941dfcb32b7ba97620021621e7444, e63d29cda8af6ad95286c11996f0ac32a70ac24c1c2baa78d22593babd826a41
	MD5	43939986a671821203bf9b6ba52a51b4, 58c4ba9385139785e9700898cb097538
	Domain	relaxtionflouwerwi[.]shop, deprivedrinkyfaiir[.]shop, detailbaconroollyws[.]shop, messtimetabledkolvk[.]shop, considerrycurrentyws[.]shop, understanndtytonyguw[.]shop, patternapplauderw[.]shop, horsedwollfedrws[.]shop, tropicalironexpressiw[.]shop
	File Name	oqnhustu, WebView2Loader.dll
<u>SHADOWLA DDER (aka Hijack Loader, DOI Loader, IDAT Loader)</u>	MD5	b15bac961f62448c872e1dc6d3931016, e7c43dc3ec4360374043b872f934ec9e, f98e0d9599d40ed032ff16de242987ca, b6b8164feca728db02e6b636162a2960, bb9641e3035ae8c0ab6117ecc82b65a1, 236c709bbcb92aa30b7e67705ef7f55a, d7aff07e7cd20a5419f2411f6330f530, a6c4d2072961e9a8c98712c46be588f8, 059d94e8944eca4056e92d60f7044f14, dfdc331e575dae6660d6ed3c03d214bd, 47eee41b822d953c47434377006e01fe
	File Name	Aaaa.exe, bentonite.cfg, cymophane.doc, K1.zip, K2.zip, L1.zip, LiteSkinUtils.dll, toughie.txt, WCLDII.dll

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<u>SHADOWLADDER (aka Hijack Loader, DOI Loader, IDAT Loader)</u>	URL	hxxp[:]//62[.]133[.]61[[.]56/Downloads/Full%20Video%20HD%20(1080p)[.]lnk, hxxps[:]//fatodex[.]b-cdn[[.]net/K1[.]zip, hxxps[:]//fatodex[.]b-cdn[[.]net/K2[.]zip, hxxps[:]//forikabrof[[.]click/flkhfaiouwrqkhfasdrhfsa[.]png, hxxps[:]//matodown[.]b-cdn[[.]net/K1[.]zip, hxxps[:]//matodown[.]b-cdn[[.]net/K2[.]zip, hxxps[:]//nextomax[.]b-cdn[[.]net/L1[.]zip, hxxps[:]//nextomax[.]b-cdn[[.]net/L2[.]zip, hxxps[:]//potexo[.]b-cdn[[.]net/K1[.]zip, hxxps[:]//potexo[.]b-cdn[[.]net/K2[.]zip
	SHA256	bf1a0c67b433f52ebd304553f022baa34bfbc258c932d2b4b8b956b1467bfa5, 8235bd354b95a117a50922b994732cba101815a26a502ab9dc039a533329e2a5
<u>CryptBot</u>	SHA256	34dcc780d2a2357c52019d87a0720802a92f358d15320247c80cc21060fb6f57, d6b2e83093cdaa1c59777b91a68ebd801161cf0e8f6499ca41fd2f99dfb2d839, 31fa6a32b73ceef86560bdad24f0b69c50bf035cb1b18ccbf7a97857a39deb64
	MD5	d6ea5dcd2b2f88a65399f87809f43f83c, 307f40ebc6d8a207455c96d34759f1f3, d8e21ac76b228ec144217d1e85df2693
	URL	hxxp://gceight8vt[.]top/upload.php, hxxps://brewdogebar[.]com/code.vue
	File Name	erefgojgbu, L2.zip, Setup.exe
<u>VersaMem</u>	SHA256	4bcedac20a75e8f8833f4725adfc87577c32990c3783bf6c743f14599a176c37
	File Path	/tmp/[.]temp[.]data
<u>HZ Rat</u>	MD5	0c3201d0743c63075b18023bb8071e73, 6cc838049ece4fcb36386b7a3032171f, 6d478c7f94d95981eb4b6508844050a6, 7a66cd84e2d007664a66679e86832202, 7ed3fc831922733d70fb08da7a244224, 9cdb61a758afd9a893add4cef5608914, 287ccb005667b263e0e8a1ccfb8daec, 7005c9c6e2502992017f1ffc8ef8a9b9, 7355e0790c111a59af377babedee9018, a5af0471e31e5b11fd4d3671501dfc32, da07b0608195a2d5481ad6de3cc6f195, dd71b279a0bf618bbe9bb5d934ce9caa

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<u>HZ Rat</u>	SHA256	d9b0fcd3b20a82b97b4c74deebc7a2abb8fd771eaa12aaf66bdd5cdea30f706, f39aafb9489b9b60b34e3d4e78cd9720446b6247531b81cbd4877804b065a25f, f39aafb9489b9b60b34e3d4e78cd9720446b6247531b81cbd4877804b065a25f, 1e07585f52be4605be0459bc10c67598eebe8c5d003d6e2d42f4dbbd037e74c1, f3c101cd1e7be4ce6afe5d0236bfd5b43870ff03556908f75692585cfd55c55, c689113a9a2fca2148caa90f71115c2c2bafec36edebde4ffc63f87619033a9, ffeed91c223a718c1afd6d8f059a76ec97eb0eae6c4b2072b343be1b4eba09b8, 0cca3449ff12cb75c9fd9cf4628b5d72f5ac67d1954dc97d9830436207c4c917, 7af7422edf7c558b6215489c020673e195e5eedd99ae330bb90066924f5cf661, 6210ec0e905717359e01358118781a148b6d63834a54a25a95e32e228598c391, d006d5864108094a82315ee60ce057afc8be09546ffaa1f9cc63a51a96764114, 1400210f2eedab36caff8ce89d6d19859ba3116775981b2be8b5069ef109c2c3, 5d78fc86a389247d768a6bdf46f3e4fd697ed87c133b99ee6865809e453b2908, 87393d937407a6fe9e69dad3836e83866107809980e20a40ae010d7d72f90854
<u>SpyGlance Backdoor</u>	SHA256	861911e953e6fd0a015b3a91a7528a388a535c83f4b9a5cf7366b8209d2f00c3
<u>Tickler</u>	SHA256	7eb2e9e8cd450fc353323fd2e8b84fbbdfe061a8441fd71750250752c577d198, ccb617cc7418a3b22179e00d21db26754666979b4c4f34c7fda8c0082d08cec4, 5df4269998ed79fbc997766303759768ce89ff1412550b35ff32e85db3c1f57b, fb70ff49411ce04951895977acfc06fa468e4aa504676dedeb40ba5cea76f37f, 711d3deccc22f5acfd3a41b8c8defb111db0f2b474febdc7f20a468f67db0350
<u>BlackByte</u>	SHA256	ae2bc7d6f78bba3e257be8ad29e879ee1683dd457a62bba6b7550adf09e9227c, 5051b6167f96e66d3c8ab5e726dc5731e0d907d8a983d5604976582bf78b14f2,

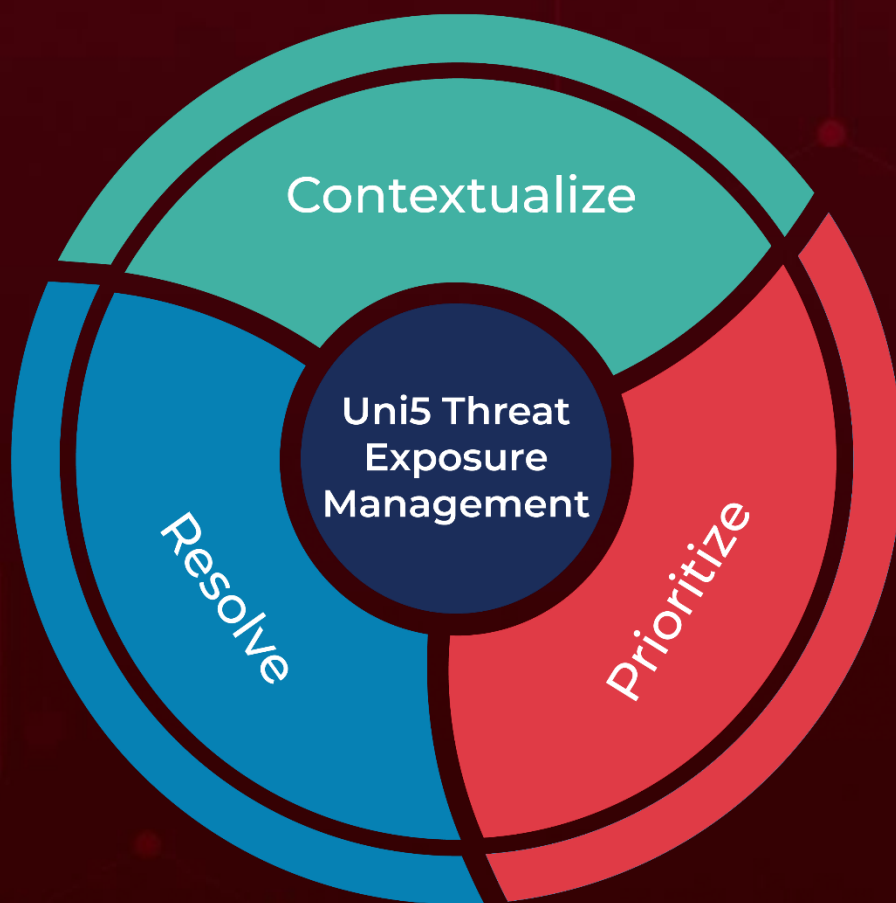
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<u>BlackByte</u>	SHA256	98f2a569c6f67e1ed6253bb7e69f6cffcb7b29f10eadd7435b862ec3645c58f1, 0296e2ce999e67c76352613a718e11516fe1b0efc3ffdb8918fc999dd76a73a5, 543991ca8d1c65113dff039b85ae3f9a87f503daec30f46929fd454bc57e5a91, 31f4cfb4c71da44120752721103a16512444c13c2ac2d857a7e6f13cb679b427

A comprehensive list of IOCs (Indicators of Compromise) associated with the executed attacks is available on the Uni5Xposure platform.

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