

#### DISTRIBUTING THE RECONSTRUCTION OF HIGH-LEVEL INTERMEDIATE REPRESENTATION FOR LARGE SCALE MALWARE ANALYSIS

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#### We don't speak for our employer. All the opinions and information here are of our responsibility (actually no one ever saw this talk before).

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## Previous years...



# We learned! (Pictures from the back intentionally omitted) ...





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# ... Or Not! (Thanks to the smoke and fire detection mechanism)

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## Agenda

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## Introduction / Motivation

> Number of new malware samples grows at an absurd pace

- We still see words such as 'many' instead of the actual number of analyzed samples
- > Assumptions without concrete data supporting them

INDUSTRY-RELATED RESEARCH NEEDS RESULTS, THUS NOT PROMISING POINTS ARE NOT LOOKED AFTER

#### Objectives

- Demonstrate the possibility of in-depth large-scale malware analysis
- Distribute and scale IDA Pro (with Decompiler) to leverage its functionalities for automated malware analysis
- > Share with the community the obtained results:
  - ✓ IDA Pro IDBs, plugins and scripts
  - ✓ Intermediate representation
  - ✓ MS Visual C++ reconstructed types
  - ✓ And more...

#### Methodology: Highlights

Analyzed 32-bit and x86-64-bit PE not-packed samples from public sources

No malware size limitations at all

Preference on MS Visual C++ samples because of HexRaysCodeXplorer OO types reconstruction feature

Details on the infrastructure already discussed in Black Hat Las Vegas 2012 presentation

#### Methodology: Overview of the process

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Pre-process samples and collect millions of 32-bit and x86-64-bit notpacked PE malware samples Run different malware analysis algorithms on the collected samples and store results on the filesystem.

Parse and structure the results.

Generate statistics and charts based on structured information.

#### Methodology: Only static analysis

- > We only used static analysis
- Not detectable by malware… unless it exploits the analysis environment!
- > Prone to anti-disassembly tricks
- > Has some limitations... but powerful tools and techniques are available
- ➢ IDA Pro rocks!! ☺

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## Methodology: Malware analysis algorithms

#### > HexRaysCodeXplorer (by @REhints) used for:

- $\checkmark$  Ctrees\* for some IDA-recognized functions
- $\checkmark$  MS Visual C++ object-oriented types REconstruction

#### > Ctrees depth analysis

- $\checkmark$  Highly-modified version of pathfinder by @devttyS0
- > AES-NI and GETSEC detection
- ➢ OO "this" usage study
- > Crypto usage detection based on IdaScope by @push\_pnx

\* - ctrees is the intermediate représentation in Hex-Rays decompiler

# **Constraints and Limitations:** Dumping Ctrees

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## **Constraints and Limitations:** VTBL reconstruction algorithm

Detect VTBL

- Find all calls with "this" pointer to an offset within ".rdata"/".data" and *data* sections
- Find all xrefs to virtual tables

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# **Constraints and Limitations :** Complex types REconstruction algorithm

Detect Type

- Find pointers to possible type instances
- Find initialization routine entry point

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- Find all references to possible type address space
  - Find all xrefs to the attributes of the identified type
- Reconstruct data flow for the identified type

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 Create new local type if it has more than 3 attributes

# **Constraints and Limitations:** Ctrees Depth Analysis

Enumerate code xrefs to the routine

- Use breadth-first search algorithm
- Limit: 100 nodes

Get statistics

- Distance from entry point
- depth counter
- number of xrefs

# **Constraints and Limitations:** AES-NI and GETSEC Detection

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# **Constraints and Limitations:** C++ "this" usage study

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• Check up to 5000 call instructions

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- Scan 5 instructions preceding the call
- Check ECX loads ("mov" and "lea")

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• Compute percentage of calls "loading" ecx

## **Distributing IDA Pro:** Highlights

- Unexpected performance benefits on IDA because the information is structured
  - ✓ But we also came across some disadvantages: SDK is complex, function signatures change from version to version and is not fully documented
- > Good performance in commodity hardware
- C-based plugins are usually not compatible with Linux/Mac
  - ✓ Portability efforts are required

### Distributing IDA Pro: Highlights

#### > IDA plugins are usually not made to scale

- > Target single-sample analysis
- Focus on users interacting with IDA Pro interface
- Automated malware analysis exercises much more the internal plugin flows than manual analysis
  - ✓ As a result, corner cases and bugs were identified in many plugins including HexRaysCodeXplorer

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### Results

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#### Pre-processing – Total: 7,829,441

#### **Packed x Not-packed**

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#### Not-packed MS Visual C++ prevalence

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#### AES-NI Usage (IDA Pro x standalone)

IDA Pro x Linear sweep approach

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#### GETSEC Usage

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## C++ "this" Usage Study – Top 10 Percentages

% calls loading ECX	Prevalence (%)
4	7.420991619
18	5.845574961
30	5.810101164
10	5.247588099
16	4.788962581
5	4.468431488
3	4.348707424
19	3.988901769
20	3.905284962
46	3.193908642

# Ctrees: Top 10 repeated ctrees (with repetition number). Total: 8,422,576

	Number of repetitions	Percentage
	40606	0.482109036
	38800	0.460666665
	34718	0.412201683
	20190	0.239712886
	19999	0.237445171
	17635	0.209377749
	17060	0.202550859
	14959	0.177605996
	14439	0.171432113
	14072	0.167074776
Total	232478	2.760176934

#### Unique Ctrees: Repeated x Not-Repeated

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## Ctrees: samples with repeated x nonrepeated ctrees

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# Ctrees reaching EP + avg + std of their depth

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EP reached → Average depth: 5.1940 (standard deviation: 2.3588) 82,646 or 0.98% of ctrees are directly under the EP

#### Ctrees max parents (code xref) – Top 10

Top 10 -	Max	number	of	parents
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Number of parents	Occurrences		
11126	1		
10989	3		
9463	1		
9023	1		
8907	1		
8837	2		
8794	1		
8226	1		
7536	1		
6917	5		

#### VALIDATING THE METHODOLOGY AND TOOLSET

#### **ANALYSIS OF C++ TARGETED MALWARE**

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#### Modern C++ Malware in Targeted Attacks

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- -- Stuxnet relations
- -- Duqu relations
- -- Equation relations
- -- Animal Farm family

#### **Animal Farm Case Study**

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#### Animal Farm\* Case Study

> Discovered by CSEC as operation SNOWGLOBE

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Samples: NBOT, Dino, Babar, Bunny, Casper  CSEC assesses, with moderate certainty, SNOWGLOBE to be a state-sponsored CNO effort, put forth by a French intelligence agency

> Written in MS
Visual C++

Safeguarding Canada's security through information superiority Préserver la sécurité du Canada par la supériorité de l'information TOP SECRET // COMINT // REL TO CAN2AUS, GBR, NZL,

\* - "Totally Spies", Joan Calvet, Marion Marschalek, Paul Rascagnères, http://recond.cx/2015/slides/recon2015-01-joan-calvet-marion-marschalek-paul-rascagneres-Totally-Spies.pdf

#### Casper vs. Dino in HexRaysCodeXplorer

# Casper's virtual function tables:

# Dino's virtual function tables:

0x417240 - 0x417250:	VTABLE_CLASS1 methods count: 4
0x417250 - 0x41725c:	VTABLE_AUTODEL_INTERFACE methods count: 3
0x41725c - 0x417274:	VTABLE_CLASS3 methods count: 6
0x417274 - 0x41728c:	VTABLE SCHTASKS methods count: 6
0x41748c - 0x41749c:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_REG methods count: 4
0x41749c - 0x4174ac:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_BAT methods count: 4
0x4174ac - 0x4174bc:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_API methods count: 4
0x4174bc - 0x4174cc:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_WMI methods count: 4
0x4175fc - 0x41760c:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_DEFAULT methods count: 4
0x41760c - 0x417618:	VTABLE_AUTODEL_DEL methods count: 3
0x41774c - 0x417758:	VTABLE_Autodel_API methods count: 3
0x417758 - 0x417764:	VTABLE_Autodel_WMI methods count: 3
0x417944 - 0x417950:	VTABLE AUTODEL DEFAULT DEL methods count: 3
0x41/a9c - 0x41/ab0:	VIABLE_CLASS14 methods count: 5
0x417ab0 - 0x417ac4:	VTABLE_CLASS15 methods count: 5
0x417af4 - 0x417b08:	VTABLE_CLASS16 methods count: 5
0x417b30 - 0x417b38:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_PARENT methods count: 2
0x418afc - 0x418b08:	VTABLE_CLASS18 methods count: 3
0x418b08 - 0x418b14:	VTABLE_PROCESSINJ methods count: 3
0x418b14 - 0x418b20:	VTABLE_CLASS20 methods count: 3
0x418b20 - 0x418b2c:	VTABLE_CLASS21 methods count: 3
0x418b50 - 0x418b58:	VTABLE_CLASS22 methods count: 2
0x418d68 - 0x418d70:	<pre>const std::bad_alloc::`vftable' methods cou</pre>
0x418d84 - 0x418d8c:	const std::exception::`vftable' methods cou

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0x10óaad0 - 0x10óaae0:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_API methods count: 4
0x106aae0 - 0x106aaf0:	VTABLE_RUNKEY_REG methods count: 4
0x106aaf0 - 0x106ab00:	VTABLE RUNKEY BAT methods count: 4
0x106ab00 - 0x106ab10:	off_106AB00 methods count: 4
0x106ab10 - 0x106ab2c:	VTABLE_SERVICE_INTERFACE methods count: 7
0x106ab2c - 0x106ab48:	VTABLE SERVICE API methods count: 7
0x106ab48 - 0x106ab64:	VTABLE_SERVICE_SC methods count: 7
0x106ab64 - 0x106ab80:	off 106AB64 methods count: 7
0x106ab80 - 0x106ab88:	VTABLE AUTODEL INTERFACE methods count: 2
0x106ab88 - 0x106ab90:	VTABLE AUTODEL API methods count: 2
0x106ab90 - 0x106ab98:	VTABLE AUTODEL DEL methods count: 2
0x106ab98 - 0x106aba0:	off_106ABY8 methods count: 2
0x106aba4 - 0x106abc4:	off 106ABA4 methods count: 8
0x106abc4 - 0x106ac00:	VT_CTFC_AbstractSocket methods count: 15
0x106ac00 - 0x106ac3c:	VT_CTFC_StandardSocket methods count: 15
0x106ac3c - 0x106ac48:	VT CTFC HTTP Request methods count: 3
0x106ac48 - 0x106ac5c:	VT CTFC HTTP Forms methods count: 5
0x106ac5c - 0x106ac70:	VT_CTFC_HTTP_Formmethods_count: 5
0x106ac70 - 0x106ac84:	VT_CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart_methods_count: 5
0x106ac84 - 0x106aca4:	VT_COM_SERV_methods_count: 8
0x106aca4 - 0x106acb4:	VT_FS_methods_count: 4
0x106acb4 - 0x106acc4:	UT RAMFS methods count: 4
0x106acc4 - 0x106acd8:	off 106ACC4 methods count: 5
0x106acd8 - 0x106acec:	UT CLASS2 methods count: 5
Ax106acec - Ax106ad00:	UT STORAGE FILE methods count: 5
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#### Casper vs. Dino: RUNKEY

Defines how the dropper interacts with the Windows Registry:

- ✓ API call Windows Registry APIs directly
- ✓ BAT modify Windows registry in a batch file using "reg" commands
- ✓ REG modify Windows registry by using "reg" command in a command prompt
- ✓ WMI modify Windows registry by using StdRegProv class

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### Casper vs. Dino: AUTODEL

Defines how dropper removes itself from machine after its execution

- ✓ DEL remove itself by using command prompt
- ✓ API remove itself by calling MoveFileEx
- ✓ WMI remove itself by using command prompt created through create method of the Win32\_Process WMI class

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#### **Object Instantiation:** Constructors

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#### Casper's RUNKEY constructor:

```
FN BuildAVStrat();
  if ( AV STRATEGY RUNKEY API )
    v2 = operator new(0xCu);
    v3 = v2
    if ( v2 )
    {
      FN GetRunKey(v2);
      *V3 = &VTABLE RUNKEY API;
LABEL 18:
      *01 = 03;
      return v1;
    qoto LABEL 17;
 if ( AV STRATEGY RUNKEY REG )
  {
    v4 = operator new(0xCu);
    v3 = v4
    if ( V4 )
      FN_GetRunKey(v4);
      ★U3 = &UTABLE RUNKEY REG;
      qoto LABEL 18;
LABEL 17:
   v3 = 0:
   qoto LABEL 18;
```

#### Dino's RUNKEY constructor:

```
sub 1005F80(&a1->vftbl 1 0106AAD0);
a1->vftbl 1 0106AAD0 = &VTABLE RUNKEY API;
v16 = 0;
sub 1005F80(&a1->vftbl 2 0106AAE0);
a1->vftbl 2 0106AAE0 = &VTABLE RUNKEY REG;
sub 1005F80(&a1->vftb1 3 0106AAF0);
a1->vftb1_3_0106AAF0 = _&VTABLE_RUNKEY_BAT;
sub 1005F80(&a1->vftbl 4 0106AB00);
a1->vftb1 4 0106AB00 = &VTABLE RUNKEY DEFAULT;
LOBYTE(v16) = 3;
v1 = FN_GetAPIModules_();
v11 = *v1;
v12 = *(v1 + 4);
v13 = *(v1 + 8);
v_2 = 0;
v14 = *(v1 + 12);
v3 = *(v1 + 16);
v7 = &a1->vftbl 4 0106AB00;
v8 = &a1->vftbl 1 0106AAD0;
v9 = &a1->vftbl 2 0106AAE0;
v10 = &a1->vftb1 3 0106AAF0;
v15 = v3:
if ( v13 )
  v11 = *v1;
  v12 = *(v1 + 4);
  v13 = *(v1 + 8);
  v4 = *(v1 + 12);
  v15 = *(v1 + 16);
  v14 = v4
  do
    v5 = v13 >> v2++;
  while ( !(v5 & 1) && v2 < 8u );
result = a1;
a1->field 0 = (&v7)[v2];
```

## **Object Instantiation:** Type REconstruction

Dino's RUNKEY constructor:

#### Casper's RUNKEY constructor:

![](_page_38_Figure_2.jpeg)

#### Dino vs. NBOT in HexRaysCodeXplorer

# Dino's virtual function tables:

# NBOT's virtual function tables:

0x106aac0 - 0x106aad0: UTABLE_RUNKEY_INTERFACE methods count: 4 0x106aad0 - 0x106aae0: UTABLE_RUNKEY_API methods count: 4	0x43d95c - 0x43d964: const wmiException::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43d980 - 0x43d988: const NBOT Handler::`vftable' methods count: 2
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0x100a068 - 0x100a090: 0THBLE_H0TODEL_HPT methods count: 2 0x106ab98 - 0x106ab08: 0ff_106AB98 methods count: 2 0x106ab4 - 0x106abc4: off 106ABA4 methods count: 8 0x106abc4 - 0x106ac00: UT_CTFC_AbstractSocket methods count: 15 0x106ac00 - 0x106ac3c: UT_CTFC_StandardSocket methods count: 15 0x106ac3c - 0x106ac48: UT_CTFC_HTTP_Request methods count: 3 0x106ac48 - 0x106ac5c: UT_CTFC_HTTP_Forms methods count: 5 0x106ac5c - 0x106ac70: UT_CTFC_HTTP_Form methods count: 5 0x106ac70 - 0x106ac84: UT_CTFC_HTTP_Form Multipart methods count: 5 0x106ac70 - 0x106ac84: UT_CTFC_HTTP_Form Multipart methods count: 5 0x106ac84 - 0x106acc4: UT_CTFC_HTTP_Form Multipart methods count: 5 0x106acc4 - 0x106acc4: UT_FS_methods count: 4 0x106acc4 - 0x106acc4: UT_FS_methods count: 4 0x106acc4 - 0x106acc4: UT_FS_methods count: 5 0x106acc4 - 0x106acc4: UT_CLASS2_methods count: 5 0x106acd8 - 0x106ad00: UT_STORAGE_FILE_methods count: 5 0x106ad00 - 0x106ad14: UT_STORAGE_REG_methods count: 5 0x106ad00 - 0x106ad14: UT_STORAGE_REG_methods count: 5 0x106bab - 0x106bab - 0	0x43da70 - 0x43da78: const NBOT_ATCLEAR::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43da70 - 0x43da84: const NBOT_AT::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43da88 - 0x43da90: const NBOT_PING::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43da94 - 0x43da90: const NBOT_EXEC::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43daa0 - 0x43da88: const NBOT_EXEC::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43daa0 - 0x43da88: const NBOT_ATTP_FLOOD::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43daa0 - 0x43dab4: const NBOT_ASP_FLOOD::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43daa8 - 0x43dab4: const NBOT_TCP_FLOOD::`vftable' methods count: 3 0x43dac8 - 0x43dad4: const NBOT_TCP_FLOOD::`vftable' methods count: 3 0x43dac8 - 0x43dad4: const NBOT_WEB_FLOOD::`vftable' methods count: 3 0x43dad8 - 0x43da64: const NBOT_WEB_FLOOD::`vftable' methods count: 3 0x43da68 - 0x43da64: const NBOT_STATISTICS::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43daf4 - 0x43daf6: const NBOT_KILLER::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43db00 - 0x43db08: const NBOT_CONFIG::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43db00 - 0x43db14: const NBOT_UPLOAD::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43db18 - 0x43db14: const NBOT_UPLOAD::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43db18 - 0x43db14: const NBOT_UPLOAD::`vftable' methods count: 2 0x43db18 - 0x43db20: const NBOT_UPDATE::`vftable' methods co

### **Exploring NBOT's RTTI**

Vftable	Methods Flags	Туре	Hierarchy
🛃 0043D98C	15	CTFC_AbstractSocket	CTFC_AbstractSocket:
🛃 0043D968	1	CTFC_Anti_AV_Mailslot	CTFC_Anti_AV_Mailslot: CTFC_Anti_AV_Interface;
🛃 0043D970	1	CTFC_Anti_AV_NULL	CTFC_Anti_AV_NULL: CTFC_Anti_AV_Interface;
🛃 0043DA34	5	CTFC_HTTP_Form	CTFC_HTTP_Form: CTFC_HTTP_Forms, CTFC_HTTP_Request;
몶 0043DA4C	5	CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart	CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart: CTFC_HTTP_Forms, CTFC_HTTP_Request;
몶 0043DA10	5	CTFC_HTTP_Forms	CTFC_HTTP_Forms: CTFC_HTTP_Request;
몶 0043DA0C	3	CTFC_HTTP_Request	CTFC_HTTP_Request:
몶 0043D9CC	15 M	CTFC_StandardSocket	CTFC_StandardSocket: CTFC_AbstractSocket, CNoImport;
몶 0043DAAC	2	NBOT_ASP_FLOOD	NBOT_ASP_FLOOD: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DA70	2	NBOT_AT	NBOT_AT: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DA70	2	NBOT_ATCLEAR	NBOT_ATCLEAR: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DA64	2	NBOT_COM	NBOT_COM: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DB00	2	NBOT_CONFIG	NBOT_CONFIG: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DA94	2	NBOT_EXEC	NBOT_EXEC: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DAA0	2	NBOT_HTTP_FLOOD	NBOT_HTTP_FLOOD: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043D980	2	NBOT_Handler	NBOT_Handler:
🛃 0043DAF4	2	NBOT_KILLER	NBOT_KILLER: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DA88	2	NBOT_PING	NBOT_PING: NBOT_Handler;
🛃 0043DAE8	2	NBOT_STATISTICS	NBOT_STATISTICS: NBOT_Handler;
몶 0043DAB8	3	NBOT_TCP_FLOOD	NBOT_TCP_FLOOD: NBOT_Handler;
몶 0043DB18	2	NBOT_UPDATE	NBOT_UPDATE: NBOT_Handler;
몶 0043DB0C	2	NBOT_UPLOAD	NBOT_UPLOAD: NBOT_Handler;
몶 0043DAC8	3	NBOT_WEB_FLOOD 41	NBOT_WEB_FLOOD: NBOT_TCP_FLOOD, NBOT_Handler;
品 0043DAD8	3	NBOT WEB POST FLOOD	NBOT WEB POST FLOOD: NBOT TCP FLOOD, NBOT Handler;

# Type REconstruction: CTFC\_HTTP\_Form\_Multipart

#### Dino

#### **NBOT**

```
struct name 2 * thiscall FN BuildCTFC HTTP Form Multipart(int this, char *a2)
                                                                                     struct name 2 * thiscall FN BuildCTFC HTTP Form Multipart(int this, char *a2)
                                                                                       int v2; // edi@1
 int v2; // edi@1
                                                                                        _int16 v3; // ax@5
 unsigned int v3; // ST10 405
                                                                                       unsigned __int16 v4; // ax@5
 unsigned __int16 v4; // ax@5
                                                                                       int v5; // ecx@5
 int v5; // eax@5
                                                                                       int v6; // eax@5
 char v7; // [sp+18h] [bp-110h]@5
                                                                                       char v8; // [sp+18h] [bp-110h]@5
 int v8; // [sp+124h] [bp-4h]@1
                                                                                       int v9; // [sp+124h] [bp-4h]@1
 v2 = this:
                                                                                       v2 = this:
 sub_1018370(this, this);
                                                                                       sub_40CAF0(this);
 V8 = 0;
                                                                                       V9 = 0;
 *( DWORD *)v2 = VT CTFC HTTP Form Multipart;
                                                                                       *(_DWORD *)v2 = CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart::`vftable';
  *( DWORD *)(v2 + 288) = CreateMutexW(0, 0, 0);
                                                                                       *( DWORD *)(v2 + 288) = CreateMutexW(0, 0, 0);
  *(DWORD *)(v2 + 284) = 0;
                                                                                       *(DWORD *)(v2 + 284) = 0;
 *(DWORD *)(v2 + 280) = 0;
                                                                                       *(DWORD *)(v2 + 280) = 0;
  *(DWORD *)(v2 + 300) = 0;
                                                                                       *(DWORD *)(v2 + 300) = 0;
  *(DWORD *)(v2 + 296) = 4096;
                                                                                       *(DWORD *)(v2 + 296) = 4096;
 *( DWORD *)(v2 + 292) = malloc(0x1000u);
                                                                                       *(_DWORD *)(v2 + 292) = malloc(0x1000u);
 LOBYTE(v8) = 1;
                                                                                       LOBYTE(v9) = 1;
 if ( a2 )
                                                                                       if ( a2 )
   if ( *( DWORD *)(U2 + 8) )
                                                                                         if ( *( DWORD *)(v2 + 8) )
     free(*(void **)(v2 + 8));
                                                                                           free(*(void **)(v2 + 8));
     *(DWORD *)(v2 + 8) = 0;
                                                                                           *(DWORD *)(v2 + 8) = 0;
    *(_DWORD *)(v2 + 8) = _strdup(a2);
                                                                                         *(_DWORD *)(v2 + 8) = _strdup(a2);
                                                                                       *(_WORD *)(v2 + 4) = 1;
  *(WORD *)(v2 + 4) = 1;
                                                                                       v3 = GetTickCount();
 v3 = (unsigned int)(unsigned __int16)GetTickCount() >> 2;
                                                                                       v4 = GetTickCount();
 v4 = GetTickCount();
 FN printf 1("-----
                                ----%4x%4x", v4, v3);
                                                                                       sub 415000(v4, v2 + 24);
                                                                                       sub 415000(v5, &v8);
 FN_printf_1("multipart/form-data; boundary=%s", v2 + 24);
                                                                                       v_{0} = *(DWORD *)(v_{2} + 12);
 v5 = *(DWORD *)(v2 + 12);
                                                                                       sub_408880("Content-Type", &v8);
 sub 10090E0("Content-Type", &v7);
                                                                                       *(DWORD *)(v2 + 16) = 0;
 *(DWORD *)(v2 + 16) = 0;
                                                                                       *(DWORD *)(v2 + 20) = 0;
  *(DWORD *)(v2 + 20) = 0;
                                                                                       return (struct name 2 *)v2;
 return (struct name 2 *)v2;
```

# Type REconstruction: CTFC\_HTTP\_Form\_Multipart

#### Dino

#### **NBOT**

<pre>struct_name_2 *thiscall FN_BuildCTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart(int this, char *a2) {     int v2; // edi@1     unsigned int v3; // ST10_4@5     unsignedint16 v4; // ax@5     int v5; // eax@5     char v7; // [sp+18h] [bp-110h]@5     int v8: // [sp+124h] [bp-4h]@1     Please enter text</pre>	<pre>struct_name_2 *thiscall FN_BuildCTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart(int this, char *a2 {     int v2; // edi@1    int16 v3; // ax@5     unsignedint16 v4; // ax@5     int v5; // ecx@5     int v6; // eax@5     char v8; // [sp+18h] [bp-110h]@5     i     Please enter text </pre>
<pre>Please edit the type declaration struct struct_name_CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart {     struct_name_2_UTABLE_0_0106AC70 *vftbl_0_0106AC70;    int16 field_4;     int field_12;     int field_16;     int field_20;     int field_20;     int field_24;     _BYTE gap1C[252];     int field_284;     int field_284;     int field_284;     int field_292;     int field_296;     int field_300; };     OK Cancel Help </pre>	<pre>Please edit the type declaration struct struct_name_CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart {     struct_name_2_UTABLE_0_0043DA4C *vftbl_0_0043DA4C;    int16 field_4;     int field_12;     int field_12;     int field_20;     int field_20;     int field_24;     _BYTE gap1C[252];     int field_280;     int field_288;     int field_288;     int field_292;     int field_292;     int field_300; };     CK Cancel Help </pre>
<pre>sub_10090E0("Content-Type", &amp;v7); *(_DWORD *)(v2 + 16) = 0; *(_DWORD *)(v2 + 20) = 0; return (struct_name_2 *)v2; }</pre>	<pre>sub_4000000 ("content-iype", &amp;00); sub_400000 *)(v2 + 16) = 0; *(_DWORD *)(v2 + 20) = 0; return (struct_name_2 *)v2; }</pre>

#### Animal Farm: Shared C++ Types

	NBOT	Casper	Bunny	Babar	Dino
wmiException	X		X	X	
basic_AvWmiManager	X		X	X	
basic_WmiManager	X		X	X	
CTFC_HTTP_Form	Х	X			X
CTFC_HTTP_Forms	Х	X			X
CTFC_HTTP_Form_Multipart	Х	Х			X
CTFC_HTTP_Request	Х	Х			X
CTFC_AbstractSocket	Х	Х			Х
CTFC_StandardSocket	Х	Х			X
RunKeyApi		X			X
RunKeyBat		X			X
RunKeyReg		X			X
RunKeyWmi		X			X
RunKeyDefault		X			X
AutoDelApi		X			X
AutoDelDel		X			X
AutoDelWmi	44	X			X
AutoDelDefault		X			X

#### **Animal Farm: Shared C++ Types**

	NBOT	Casper	Bunny	Babar	Dino
NBOT		6 shared custom types	3 shared custom types	3 shared custom types	6 shared custom types
Casper					15 shared custom types
Bunny				3 shared custom types	
Babar					
Dino		45			

#### Conclusions

- We demonstrated that IDA Pro scale really well and all its powerful features can be used in automated malware analysis systems
  - ✓ CALL TO ACTION: IDA Pro plugin developers to start adding batch mode switches and optimize the algorithms

Want to run your IDA plugin on millions of malwares? Let us know! ③

![](_page_46_Picture_0.jpeg)

Presentation, code and instructions on how to download samples, IDBs and outputs will be available at:

https://github.com/REhints/blackhat2015

## CodeXplorer v2.0 [BH Edition]

- > Finally plugin support Linux/Mac/Windows
- > Options for analysis in IDA batch mode
- Multiple bug fixes and code review
- > Improvements for Types and VTBL's reconstruction
- New Features:
  - $\checkmark$  dump Ctrees information for additional analysis
  - ✓ dump all reconstructed types information

https://github.com/REhints/HexRaysCodeXplorer

![](_page_47_Picture_9.jpeg)

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![](_page_48_Picture_2.jpeg)

All the researchers releasing malware-related techniques!!!

#### The new RE book is coming soon!

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#### THE END ! Really !?

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