# Practical Malware Analysis

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# Outline

- Why Analyze Malware?
- Creating a Safe Analytical Environment
- Static Analysis Techniques
- Dynamic Analysis Techniques
- Packing
- Finding Malware



# What is Malware?

Generally

Any code that "performs evil"

Today

- Executable content with unknown functionality that is resident on a system of investigative interest
  - Viruses
  - Worms
  - Intrusion Tools
  - Spyware
  - Rootkits





## Analyzing Malware

Why Analyze Malware?

- To assess damage
- To discover indicators of compromise
- To determine sophistication level of an intruder
- To identify a vulnerability
- To catch the "bad guy"®
- To answer questions...



### **Business Questions**

- 1. What is the purpose of the malware?
- 2. How did it get here?
- 3. Who is targeting us and how good are they?
- 4. How can I get rid of it?
- 5. What did they steal?



**Business Questions** 

- 6. How long has it been here?
- 7. Does it spread on its own?
- 8. How can I find it on other machines?
- 9. How do I prevent this from happening in the future?



**Technical Questions** 

- 1. Network Indicators?
- 2. Host-based Indicators?
- 3. Persistence Mechanism?
- 4. Date of Compilation?
- 5. Date of Installation?



**Technical Questions** 

- 6. What language was it written in?
- 7. Is it packed?
- 8. Was it designed to thwart analysis?
- 9. Does it have any rootkit functionality?



# Creating a Safe Analytical Environment





# Creating a Safe Environment

- Do Not Run Malware on Your Computer!
- Old And Busted
  - Shove several PCs in a room on an isolated network, create disk images, re-image a target machine to return to pristine state
- The (not so) New Hotness
  - Use virtualization to make things fast and safe
  - VMware (Workstation, Server [free])
  - Parallels (cheap)
  - Microsoft Virtual PC (free)
  - Xen (free)

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## VMWare Snapshot Manager

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Delete	
Go To Close Help	



# Virtualization is not the Only Option

- Use Truman (by Joe Stewart @ Lurhq) to automatically re-image physical machines
  - http://www.lurhq.com/truman/
- Use a hard drive write cache card
  - CoreRestore from CoreProtect
  - Designate a portion of the hard drive as protected, all writes to the protected portion get redirected to another part of the disk
  - Reboot to restore the drive to the previous state



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## Reduce Risk using Platform Diversity

- If possible, perform static analysis in a different OS than your malware targets
  - Avoid the oh-\$@!7 double-click
  - IDA Pro for OS X is coming soon



# Creating a Safe Environment

- It is easier to perform analysis if you allow the malware to "call home"...
- However:
  - The attacker might change his behavior
  - By allowing malware to connect to a controlling server, you may be entering a real-time battle with an actual human for control of your analysis (virtual) machine
  - Your IP might become the target for additional attacks (consider using TOR)
  - You may end up attacking other people



# Creating a Safe Environment

- Therefore, we usually do not allow malware to touch the real network
  - Use the host-only networking feature of your virtualization platform
  - Establish real services (DNS, Web, etc) on your host OS or other virtual machines
  - Use netcat to create listening ports and interact with text-based client
  - Build custom controlling servers as required (usually in a high-level scripting language)



# Virtualization Considerations

- Using a Virtual Machine helps, but...
- Set up the "victim" with no network or host-only networking
- Your virtualization software is not perfect
- Malicious code can detect that it is running in a virtual machine
- A 0-day worm that can exploit a listening service on your host OS will escape the sandbox
  - Even if you are using host-only networking!



# Performing Malware Analysis on Windows



# Static vs. Dynamic Analysis

### Static Analysis

- Code is Not Executed
- Autopsy or Dissection of "Dead" Code
- Dynamic Analysis
  - Observing and Controlling Running ("live") Code
  - Ant Farm
- The Fastest Path to the Best Answers Will Usually Involve a Combination of Both.



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# Static Analysis "the dissection"





# Static Analysis

## Static Analysis is Safer

 Since we aren't actually running malicious code, we don't have to worry (as much) about creating a safe environment





# File Fingerprinting

As a first step, fingerprint the files you are examining so you will know if they change during analysis
Use md5deep, md5sum, Hex Workshop, etc

krk@ws ~> md5sum hello\* > md5sum\_hello\_files.txt
krk@ws ~> cat md5sum\_hello\_files.txt
 611957bd6a2ad9642027904a65f3638e hello
 7ab03b44ac6a20b0fa0cc80b636b0f51 hello.c
 bef5bfe7ddf597c8ea86eecb2cbf52a3 hello\_debug
 38e85544dd4349c523430923eafc86ac hello\_static



When you have completed your analysis, or at various points along the way, you should go back and check the md5sums to ensure the values have not changed!

krk@ws ~> md5sum -c md5sum hello files.txt



# Virus Scan

- Always scan new malware with an up to date virus scanner.
- Someone else may have already discovered and documented the program you are investigating
- If the code is not sensitive, consider submitting to http://www.virustotal.com





## PEiD

- PEiD is a free program that will tell you details about Windows executable files
- Identifies signatures associated with over 600 different "packers" and compilers

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File: D:\shar	re\PWDump4.exe							
Entrypoint: [	0000AF40	EP Section: UPX1 >						
File Offset: 🛛	00003340	First Bytes: 60,BE,00,80 >						
Linker Info: 6	5.0	Subsystem: Win32 console >						
UPX 0.89.6 - 1.02 / 1.05 - 1.24 -> Markus & Laszlo								
Multi Scan         Task Viewer         Options         About         Exit           ✓ Stay on top								



## "Caprica6"

- Mandiant tool that identifies packed code (amongst other things)
- Covered in detail later in this talk



# Strings

- Sometimes things are easy
- First look at the obvious strings

```
$ strings unknown2.exe
...
<host> <port>
-install <host> <port>
-remove
EC.1
EC.2
cmd.exe
connect thread started!
```

### Strings, Bintext, Hex Workshop, IDA Pro

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# Strings

C:\analysis> strings

Strings v2.1

Copyright (C) 1999-2003 Mark Russinovich

Systems Internals - www.sysinternals.com

```
usage: strings [-s] [-n length] [-a] [-u] [-q] <file or directory>
```

- -s Recurse subdirectories
- -n Minimum string length (default is 3)
- -a Ascii-only search (Unicode and Ascii is default)
- -u Unicode-only search (Unicode and Ascii is default)
- -q Quiet (no banner)





# Strings

- Be careful about drawing conclusions
- There is nothing stopping the attacker from planting strings meant to deceive the analyst
- However, strings are a good first step and can sometimes even provide attribution

```
rem barok -loveletter(vbe) <i hate go to school>
rem by: spyder / ispyder@mail.com / \
     @GRAMMERSoft Group / Manila,Philippines
On Error Resume Next
dim fso,dirsystem,dirwin,dirtemp,eq,ctr,file,
    vbscopy,dow eq="" ctr=0
Set fso = CreateObject("Scripting.FileSystemObject")
set file = fso.OpenTextFile(WScript.ScriptFullname,1)
```

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# Conducting Web Research

- Look at unique strings, email addresses, network info
  - But! the intruder/author could be watching for you.
- Search the web
  - Be careful ... Google cache != Anonymous
  - You might find other victims, or complete analysis
  - Don't forget newsgroups
- It helps if you know Chinese (or Russian, or Spanish)
  - http://www.google.com/language\_tools?hl=en



# No Strings Attached

- Point-and-click "packers" make it easy for intruders to obfuscate the contents of binary tools
- More on packers later...



 We can still gather useful information by examining the layout of the executable file



# Inside the PE Format

- Executable File Formats
  - Windows: PE (Portable Executable)
    - www.microsoft.com/whdc/system/platform/firmware/PECOFF. mspx
  - Linux: ELF (Executable and Linking Format)
    - www.skyfree.org/linux/references/ELF\_Format.pdf
- Useful Information
  - Imports
  - Exports
  - Metadata
  - Resources



## Inside the PE

#### Tools

- PEview Wayne Radburn http://www.magma.ca/~wjr/
- Depends Steve Miller http://www.dependencywalker.com
- PEBrowse Professional Russ Osterlund http://www.smidgeonsoft.com
- Objdump Cygwin http://www.cygwin.com
- IDA Pro DataRescue http://www.datarescue.be
- Resource Hacker Angus Johnson http://www.angusj.com/resourcehacker/



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## PEview

#### PEview - C:\malware\unknown2.exe

#### File View Go Help

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😑 unknown2.exe	pFile	Data	Description	Value
IMAGE_DOS_HEADER	00000084	014C	Machine	IMAGE_FILE_MACHINE_I386
– MS-DOS Stub Program	00000086	0005	Number of Sections	
IMAGE_NT_HEADERS	00000088	44C6203C	Time Date Stamp	2006/07/25 Tue 13:44:28 UTC
Signature	0000008C	00000000	Pointer to Symbol Table	
	00000090	00000000	Number of Symbols	
IMAGE_OPTIONAL_HEADER	00000094	00E0	Size of Optional Header	
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .text	00000096	030F	Characteristics	
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .data			0001	IMAGE_FILE_RELOCS_STRIPPED
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .rdata			0002	IMAGE_FILE_EXECUTABLE_IMAGE
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .bss			0004	IMAGE_FILE_LINE_NUMS_STRIPPED
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .idata			0008	IMAGE_FILE_LOCAL_SYMS_STRIPPED
- SECTION .text			0100	IMAGE_FILE_32BIT_MACHINE
- SECTION .data			0200	IMAGE_FILE_DEBUG_STRIPPED
- SECTION .rdata				
🚊 SECTION .idata				
IMPORT Directory Table				
- IMPORT Name Table				
IMPORT Address Table				
IMPORT Hints/Names & DLL Names				

#### Viewing IMAGE\_FILE\_HEADER



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## PEview

#### Review - C:\malware\unknown2.exe

#### File View Go Help

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- IMAGE_DOS_HEADER	00001AAC	00000000	End of Imports	msvort.dll			
- MS-DOS Stub Program	00001AB4	000062B0	Hint/Name RVA	018B RegDeleteValueA			
IMAGE_NT_HEADERS	00001AB8	000062C4	Hint/Name RVA	019B RegOpenKeyExA			
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .text	00001ABC	000062D4	Hint/Name RVA	01A5 RegQueryValueExA			
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .data	00001AC0	000062E8	Hint/Name RVA	01B0 RegSetValueExA			
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .rdata	00001AC4	00000000	End of Imports	ADVAPI32.DLL			
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .bss	00001ACC	000062FC	Hint/Name RVA	0035 CopyFileA			
IMAGE_SECTION_HEADER .idata	00001AD0	00006308	Hint/Name RVA	0054 CreateProcessA			
SECTION .text	00001AD4	0000631C	Hint/Name RVA	006C DeleteFileA			
SECTION .data	00001AD8	0000632C	Hint/Name RVA	009B ExitProcess			
- SECTION .rdata	00001ADC	0000633C	Hint/Name RVA	0143 GetLastError			
.idata ⊡-SECTION .idata	00001AE0	0000634C	Hint/Name RVA	014D GetModuleFileNameA			
IMPORT Directory Table	00001AE4	00006364	Hint/Name RVA	018A GetSystemDirectoryA			
IMPORT Name Table	00001AE8	0000637C	Hint/Name RVA	0240 OutputDebugStringA			
IMPORT Address Table	00001AEC	00006394	Hint/Name RVA	02E0 SetUnhandledExceptionFilter			
IMPORT Hints/Names & DLL Names	00001AF0	000063B4	Hint/Name RVA	02EC Sleep			
	00001AF4	00000000	End of Imports	KERNEL32.dll			
	00001AFC	000063BC	Hint/Name RVA	000E WSACleanup			
	00001800	000063CC	Hint/Name RVA	003D WSASocketA			
	00001B04	000063DC	Hint/Name RVA	003F WSAStartup			
	00001808	000063EC	Hint/Name RVA	004F connect			
	00001B0C	000063F8	Hint/Name RVA	0053 gethostbyname			
	00001B10	00006408	Hint/Name RVA	005E htons			
	00001B14	00006410	Hint/Name RVA	005F inet_addr			
	00001B18	00000000	End of Imports	WS2_32.DLL	_		
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Viewing IMPORT Name Table							



## **Resource Hacker**





# Disassembly

- Automated disassemblers can take machine code and "reverse" it to a slightly higher-level
- Many tools can disassemble x86 code
  - Objdump, Python w/ libdisassemble, IDA Pro
- But, IDA Pro is what everyone uses
- Manual examination of disassembly is somewhat painstaking, slow, and can be hard
  - Keep your goals in mind and don't get bogged down




## Performing Dynamic Analysis





## **Dynamic Analysis**

- Static Analysis will reveal some immediate information
- Exhaustive static analysis could theoretically answer any question, but it is slow and hard
- Usually you care more about "what" malware is doing than "how" it is being accomplished
- Dynamic analysis is conducted by observing and manipulating malware as it runs



### Safe Environment

- Our nice, safe analytical environment wasn't that important during static analysis
- As soon as you run an unknown piece of code on your system, nothing that's writable can be trusted
- In general we will need to run the program many times. Snapshots make life easier



# System Monitoring

- What we are after
  - Registry Activity
  - File Activity
  - Process Activity
  - Network Traffic
- The tools
  - SysInternals Process Monitor
  - Wireshark
  - + a whole bunch of other stuff



## **Process Monitor**

- Process Monitor is a SysInternals tool that records information about File System, Registry, and Process/Thread activity
- If you liked Filemon and Regmon—you'll really like Process Monitor
- Changes from Filemon/Regmon:
  - Procmon will record everything, user can change display filter at will
  - Procmon tracks process activity



## **Process Monitor**

The key to effective use of Process Monitor for malware analysis is filter configuration

Process Monitor F	Filter			
Display entries matching	g these conditions:			
Authentication ID	🕶 is 💌		💙 then	Include 🔽
Reset			Add	Remove
Column	Relation	Value	Action	~
<ul> <li>Process Name</li> <li>Operation</li> <li>O</li></ul>	begins with is is is is is is is begins with begins with ends with ends with ends with ends with	unknown1 Process Create RegCreateKey RegDeleteKey RegDeleteValue RegRenameKey RegSetValue SetDispositionInform SetRenameInformati WriteFile System IRP_MJ_ FASTIO_ pagefile.sys \$Mft \$MftMirr \$LogFile \$Volume		
		ОК	Cancel	Apply



# Wireshark

- Wireshark is a protocol analyzer that captures and decodes network traffic
- Wireshark is not aware of what process generates traffic
- As with Process Monitor, the key is using filters to focus on what is relevant



# Dynamic Analysis Example

 Use Process Monitor and Wireshark to quickly reveal the behavior of a malicious program



## Other Tools

#### Port Explorer

- <u>http://www.diamondcs.com.au/portexplorer/</u>
- Monitors network traffic at the connection level
- Malcode Analysts Pack
  - <a href="http://labs.idefense.com/labs-software.php?show=8">http://labs.idefense.com/labs-software.php?show=8</a>
  - fakeDNS
- Paros, Fiddler
  - Web proxies that can capture and modify traffic
- Norman Sandbox



## **Beyond System Monitoring**

- In some cases, simple Static Analysis and System Monitoring will answer your questions
- Beyond this point, you need a debugger
  - Windbg (Microsoft)
  - Ollydbg (Oleh Yuschuk)
  - Ida Pro (Datarescue)
- Or a scriptable debugger
  - Paimei http://pedram.redhive.com/PaiMei/docs/
  - Vtrace http://www.kenshoto.com/vtrace/



#### **Armored Malware**





# **Armor Features**

- Encryption
- Compression
- Obfuscation
- Anti-Patching
  - CRC Checking
- Anti-Tracing
  - SoftICE, ICEDump Detection Code.
  - Crashes OS if they are Found in Memory
- Anti-Unpacking

- Anti-Vmware
- Polymorphic/Self-Mutating
- Restrictive Dates
- Password Protected
- Configuration Files

#### Viruses can Circumvent AV?

We're offering anti-detection service for any type of windows modules. There are many ways how to make your module undetected hence you can see below quite complicated price table with examples. To order this service write a mail with full description of what you need to holy\_father@phreaker.net. Feel free to write a mail if you're not sure how much would your order cost or if you have special demands (e.g. bypassing any detector that is not in list).

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per AV <sup>3</sup>	+€10.00	+€05.00	+€05.00	+€08.00	+€09.00	+€10.00
all AV <sup>3</sup>	x	+€25.00	+€ 30.00	+€30.00	+€35.00	+€40.00
unique version <sup>4</sup>	+€20.00	+€25.00	+€20.00	x	x	x
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## Packers

#### Origins

- Compression
  - Bandwidth reduction
  - Save space
- Current use
  - Bypass anti-virus signatures
  - Prevent reverse engineering



## Packers

- UPack by **Dwing**. 08.IV.2005.
- Mew by <u>Northfox</u>. 22.IX.2004.
- UPX by <u>Laszlo & Markus</u>. 03.VII.2004.
- Packman by **bubba**. 27.11.2005.
- EZIP by Jonathan Clark. 21.VII.2001.
- **PE-PaCK** by **<u>ANAKIN</u>**. **12.I.1999**.
- FSG by bart. 24.V.2004.
- Dropper by Gem. 13.III.2005.
- CExe by <u>Scott</u>. 20.III.2003.
- PE Diminisher by tERAPHY.
   11.IX.1999.
- PECRYPT32 by <u>random</u>, <u>killa</u> and acpizer. 12.I.1999.
- PESpin by <u>cyberbob</u>. 09.III.2005.

- NSPack by <u>North star Tech</u>. 05.VI.2005.
- eXPressor by CGSoftLabs.
   28.III.2005.
- Thinstall by <u>Jonathan Clark</u>.
   29.III.2005
- PEBundle by <u>Jeremy Collake</u>. 12.III.2004.
- PECompact by <u>DevelTek</u>.
   06.IV.2005.
- AS-Pack (shareware) by <u>Solodovnikov Alexey</u>. 07.I.2002.
- NeoLite (shareware) by <u>NeoWorx Inc</u>. 04.IV.1999.
- WWPack 32 by <u>Piotr Warezak</u>. 07.VII.2000.
- ARM Protector by SMoKE.
   22.IX.2004.

# Side effects of Packing

- No strings (legitimate)
- "Few" imports
  - Kernel32.dll
    - LoadLibrary
    - GetProcAddress
    - VirtualAlloc
    - VirtualFree
- High entropy sections
  - Marked as code / executable
  - Large difference in Virtual size of section vs. real size
- Fewer Sections

# Side Effects of Packing - Imports

#### Unpacked

RVA	Name	RVA	Hint	Name
01007AACh	comdlq32.dll	010012C4h	000Fh	PageSetupDlgW
01007AFAh	SHELL32.dll	010012C8h	0006h	FindTextW
01007B3Ah	WINSPOOL DRV	010012CCh	0012h	PrintDlgExW
01007B5Eh	COMCTL32.dll	010012D0h	0003h	ChooseFontW
01007C76h	msvcrt.dll	010012D4h	0008h	GetFileTitleW
01007D08h	ADVAPI32.dll	010012D8h	000Ah	GetOpenFileNameW
010080ECh	KERNEL32.dll	010012DCh	0015h	ReplaceTextW
0100825Eh	GDI32.dll	010012E0h	0004h	CommDlgExtendedError
0100873Ch	USER32.dll	010012E4h	000Ch	GetSaveFileNameW

#### Packed

RVA	Name	RVA	Hint	Name
0101AE3Ch	kernel32.dll	0101AE00h	0000h	LoadLibraryA
		0101AE04h	0000h	GetProcAddress
		0101AE08h	0000h	VirtualAlloc
		0101AE0Ch	0000h	VirtualFree



## Side Effects of Packing – Section Size and Entropy

#### Unpacked : Entropy (st dev): 0.7653

Name	Virtual Size	Virtual Address	Size of Raw Data	Pointer to Raw Data	Characteristics	Pointing Directories
🗹 🔍 text	00007748h	01001000h	00007800h	00000400h	60000020h	Import Table; Debug Data; Load Config
🗹 🧕 .data	00001BA8h	01009000h	00000800h	00007C00h	C0000040h	
🗹 🦻 .rsrc	00008958h	0100B000h	00008A00h	00008400h	40000040h	Resource Table

#### Packed : Entropy (st dev): 1.0666

Nam	e	Virtual Size	Virtual Address	Size of Raw Data	Pointer to Raw Data	Characteristics	Pointing Directories
<ul> <li>•</li> </ul>	.text	00013000h	01001000h	00004200h	00000400h	E0000060h	
<ul> <li>Image: A state</li> <li>Image: A state<td>.rsrc</td><td>00008000h</td><td>01014000h</td><td>00007C00h</td><td>00004600h</td><td>E0000020h</td><td>Import Table; Resource Table</td></li></ul>	.rsrc	00008000h	01014000h	00007C00h	00004600h	E0000020h	Import Table; Resource Table



## Strings on Packed Binary

C:\analysis>strings sak.exe Strings v2.1 Copyright (C) 1999-2003 Mark Russinovich Systems Internals - www.sysinternals.com !Windows Program \$PE 0.data .idata \$s! ;Ot (!B KERNEL32.dll LoadLibraryA GetProcAddress DM.D &DS d'D ~E-



# So, Packing == Bad?

- No ... there are legitimately packed apps
  - Google Desktop Search "Troubleshoot Network.exe" : PECompact V 2
  - Adobe Acrobat 7.0 AdobeUpdateManager.exe : PECompact V 2
- So, how do you tell the difference?



# Knowing the difference

- Collect as much static info about a PE as feasible
- Correlate the extracted information
- Score / rate what you know



# "Caprica Six"

- PE Header Anomolies
  - Incorrect image size
  - Unaligned sections
  - Non-ASCII section names
  - Overlapping headers
- Entry point signature detection
  - Quick scan using xor from the entry point
- Full section roaming signature detection (using modified Boyer-Moore search)
  - Signatures are developed subjectively (by reverse engineering) to lower FP's and obtain signatures for "code" that would be difficult to modify (and are necessary for unpacking)



# "Caprica Six" (cont')

- Comparison of EP and roaming signature
  - Used to determine trying to hide packer use
    - Adding a new section with "fake code"
    - Instruction swaps at the entry
- Full section entropy calculation (sliding window check with standard deviation – patent application submitted)
  - Comparison against section characteristics (code, executable ... not resource)
- PE Import extraction
- Digital Signature checking (code signing with X509 Cert)
- Additional info (section names, section sizes, etc).
- Scoring

#### PE Anomalies – Overlapping Header

Offset	0	1	2	3	4	- 5	6	- 7	8	- 9	A	В	C	D	E	F	
00000000	4D	5A	4B	45	52	4E	45	4C	- 33	32	2E	44	4C	4C	00	00	MZKERNEL32.DLL.
00000010	50	45	00	00	4C	01	03	00	ΒE	ΒO	11	40	00	AD	50	$\mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}$	PEL¾°.@Pÿ
00000020	76	34	EΒ	7C	48	01	0E	01	OB	01	4C	6F	61	64	4C	69	v4ë H <mark>LoadLi</mark>
00000030	62	72	61	72	79	41	00	00	18	10	00	00	10	00	00	00	braryA
00000040	00	20	00	00	00	00	40	00	00	10	00	00	00	02	00	00	@
00000050	04	00	00	00	00	00	39	00	04	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	9
00000060	00	00	01	00	00	02	00	00	0	00	00	00	02	00	00	00	
00000070	00	00	10	00	00	10	00	00	00	00	10	00	00	10	00	00	
00000080	00	00	00	00	ΟA	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	
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- DOS Header is actually overlapped by NT Headers
- Loader allows for this (fields in header are ignored)
- Module and functions are scattered!
- What compiler does THIS???

# Roaming Signature – Multiple detections

- Signature detected in 2 sections
  - .data
  - .rsrc
- Why? Embedded executable ALSO packed!!

- <section></section>
<name>.rsrc</name>
<type>Resource</type>
<lengthinbytes>81920</lengthinbytes>
<detectedcharacteristics>Read</detectedcharacteristics>
- <entropy></entropy>
<averagevalue>1.1230640</averagevalue>
- <detectedsignaturekeys></detectedsignaturekeys>
<string>Aspack v 1.02X - 1.08X</string>
- <section></section>
<name>.data</name>
<type>None</type>
<lengthinbytes>4096</lengthinbytes>
<pre><detectedcharacteristics>Read Write</detectedcharacteristics></pre>
- <entropy></entropy>
<averagevalue>0.3580073</averagevalue>
- <detectedsignaturekeys></detectedsignaturekeys>
<string>Aspack v 1.02X - 1.08X</string>



## Demonstration



# Unpacking

- Ollydbg  $\rightarrow$  OllyScript  $\rightarrow$  OllyDump
- Ollydbg  $\rightarrow$  bp in Library  $\rightarrow$  OllyDump
- UnFSG, upx, etc
- PEiD
- ProcDump
- OEPFinder
- etc...





# Other Unpackers

- Ollydbg with the Ollydump plugin and a variety of OllyScripts \*
- IDAPro with the "Universal Unpacker Plugin".
- Generic Unpacker Win32 by Christoph Gabler. 31.VII.2001. Win32 Intro by <u>Vitaly Evseenko</u>. 21.IX.1999.
- UN-PACK by Snow Panther. 21.IV.2003.
- UNPE-SHIELD by G-RoM. 1.VI.1999 de-CodeCrypt by xOANINO. 10.V.2000.
- Ni2Untelock by <u>Ni2</u>. 31.XII.2000.
- DeYoda by C-ripper. 18.II.2001.
- UnPEProt by Lorian. 23.I.1999.
- DePE-PACK by Unknown One. 03.V.2002.
- Un-FSG by <u>SMoKE</u>. 12.I.2003.
- un-ASPack by dtg. 26.VIII.1999.
- StealthKiller by Snow Panther. 04.IX.2002.



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