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# **GIAC Intrusion Detection**

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## Introduction

I work in a commercial business environment. The business practices require that where ever possible commercially available tools are implemented. The use of tools freely available on the Internet is heavily discouraged, in other than when used for a proof of concept project. This has placed me in a position where the vast majority of the traces have been gathered and analyzed using the tools made available to me. In the interest of making the best use of my time, I have chosen to use those tools that I am familiar with. Naturally the presentation of the information will be different and in some cases more colorful, than that of Snort, TCPDump, or Shadow, but the relevant details are there. The following Uniform Resource Locators (URLs) point to the various sites where information on the products can be found.

Network ICE Black ICE: [http://www.networkice.com/html/small\\_home\\_office.html](http://www.networkice.com/html/small_home_office.html)

AgGroup Now known as WildPackets (Etherpeek): <http://www.wildpackets.com/products>

Network Associates: [http://www.sniffer.com/asp\\_set/products/tnv/das.asp](http://www.sniffer.com/asp_set/products/tnv/das.asp)

## 1.0 Assignment 1 - Network Detects

### 1.1 Detect 1 – Network ICE, Black ICE “Intrusion” detection on a Home Dialup connection

**Summary:** This is an example of a false detect. It occurs because of the choice of Internet Service provider, and associated traffic generated by that Service Provider, due to the Service agreement with the home user, and the user chosen settings established in the setup of the Firewall.

**Background:** The following detects are from a Network ICE BlackICE Firewall installed on a Home computer. The machine is running Windows 98 Second Edition, with current patches as recommended by Microsoft. The connection to the Internet is made through a 56Kbps dialup modem, the Internet provider is Juno. The actual Destination IP addresses have been replaced by home.ip. Netscape 4.75 is the browser used during the connected sessions. The current, version of McAfee VirusScan is running.

Attack-List.csv

#Severity	timestamp (GMT)	issue Id	Issue Name	Intruder IP	Intruder Name	Victim IP	parameters
y							
39	2000-10-22 22:33:42	2003102	TCP port probe	63.211.172.77	m14.boston.juno.com	home.ip.134.162	port=1037
39	2000-10-22 22:38:25	2003102	TCP port probe	63.211.172.77	m14.boston.juno.com	home.ip.136.216	port=1031
59	2000-10-23 00:47:29	2000318	TCP Invalid Urgent offset	205.188.140.185	ads.web.aol.com	home.ip.136.216	port=3059&flags=FAU&o
59	2000-10-23 00:58:23	2000318	TCP Invalid Urgent offset	152.163.180.25	ads.web.aol.com	home.ip.136.216	port=1244 3367&flags=F

Date.enc

Severity	Source IP Name	Source IP Address	Source Port	Destination IP Address	Destination Port	Packet size	Protocol
39	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-64162	IP-home.ip.134.162	IP-1037	62	IP TCP
39	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-64162	IP-home.ip.134.162	IP-1037	62	IP TCP
39	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-65020	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-1031	62	IP TCP
39	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-63.211.172.77	IP-65020	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-1031	62	IP TCP
59	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3059	58	TCP HTTP
59	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3059	58	TCP HTTP
59	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3059	58	TCP HTTP
59	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-205.188.140.185	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3059	58	TCP HTTP
59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-1244	58	TCP HTTP
59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-1244	58	TCP HTTP
59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-1244	58	TCP HTTP
59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3367	58	TCP HTTP
59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3367	58	TCP HTTP

59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3367	58	TCP HTTP
59	ads.web.aol.com	IP-152.163.180.25	IP-80	IP-home.ip.136.216	IP-3367	58	TCP HTTP

The following packet decode displays the generic features of the First warning in the “Attack-List” File, and the First and Second entries in the *Date*.enc file.

Flags: 0x20 *Runt*  
 Status: 0x00  
 Packet Length: 62  
 Timestamp: 15:33:21.334000 10/22/2000

Analysis and tracking information inserted by Etherpeek  
 before the Ethernet header.

#### Ethernet Header

Start of actual Ethernet Packet

Destination: 44:45:53:54:00:00 [0-5]  
 Source: 20:53:52:43:00:00 [6-11]  
 Protocol Type: 0x0800 *IP* [12-13]

#### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

Version: 4 [14 Mask 0xF0]  
 Header Length: 5 (20 bytes) [14 Mask 0x0F]  
 Type of Service: %00000000 [15]  
*Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability*  
 Total Length: 44 [16-17]  
 Identifier: 28178 [18-19]  
 Fragmentation Flags: %010 *Do Not Fragment Last Fragment* [20 Mask 0xE0]  
 Fragment Offset: 0 (0 bytes) [20-21 Mask 0x1FFF]  
 Time To Live: 243 [22]  
 Protocol: 6 *TCP* [23]  
 Header Checksum: 0x66EC [24-25]  
 Source IP Address: **63.211.172.77** [26-29]  
 Dest. IP Address: **home.ip.134.162** [30-33]  
 No IP Options

#### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

Source Port: **64162** [34-35]  
 Destination Port: **1037** [36-37]  
 Sequence Number: 2325994121 [38-41]  
 Ack Number: 0 [42-45]  
 Offset: 6 [46 Mask 0xF0]  
 Reserved: %0000000 [46-47 Mask 0x0FC0]  
 Code: %000010 [47 Mask 0x3F]  
Synch Sequence  
 Window: 8760 [48-49]  
 Checksum: 0x5F44 [50-51]  
 Urgent Pointer: 0 [52-53]  
 TCP Options:  
 Option Type: 2 *Maximum Segment Size* [54]  
 Length: 4 [55]



**MSS:** 1460 [56-57]  
**TCP Data Area:** No more data.  
**Frame Check Sequence:** 0x04004800 [58-61]

The following packet decode displays the generic features of the Second warning in the “Attack-List” File, and the Third and Fourth entries in the *Date*.enc file.

**Flags:** 0x20 *Runt*  
**Status:** 0x00  
**Packet Length:** 58  
**Timestamp:** 15:55:43.275000 10/22/2000

#### Ethernet Header

**Destination:** 44:45:53:54:00:00 [0-5]  
**Source:** 20:53:52:43:00:00 [6-11]  
**Protocol Type:** 0x0800 *IP* [12-13]

#### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

**Version:** 4 [14 Mask 0xF0]  
**Header Length:** 5 (20 bytes) [14 Mask 0x0F]  
**Type of Service:** %00000000 [15]  
*Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability*  
**Total Length:** 40 [16-17]  
**Identifier:** 7199 [18-19]  
**Fragmentation Flags:** %000 *May Fragment Last Fragment* [20 Mask 0xE0]  
**Fragment Offset:** 0 (0 bytes) [20-21 Mask 0x1FFF]  
**Time To Live:** 49 [22]  
**Protocol:** 6 *TCP* [23]  
**Header Checksum:** 0x5812 [24-25]  
**Source IP Address:** 152.163.180.25 *ads.web.aol.com* [26-29]  
**Dest. IP Address:** home.ip.136.216 [30-33]  
No IP Options

#### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

**Source Port:** 80 *World Wide Web HTTP* [34-35]  
**Destination Port:** 1244 [36-37]  
**Sequence Number:** 2942350989 [38-41]  
**Ack Number:** 1185074 [42-45]  
**Offset:** 5 [46 Mask 0xF0]  
**Reserved:** %000000 [46-47 Mask 0x0FC0]  
**Code:** %110001 [47 Mask 0x3F]  
**Urgent is valid**  
**Ack is valid**  
**FIN (Sender End of Byte Stream)**  
**Window:** 16384 [48-49]  
**Checksum:** 0xD9B4 [50-51]

Analysis and tracking information inserted by Etherpeek  
before the Ethernet header.

Start of actual Ethernet Packet

**Urgent Pointer:** 1 [52-53]  
**No TCP Options**  
**No More HTTP Data**  
**Frame Check Sequence:** 0x04004400 [54-57]

The following packet decode displays the generic features of the Third warning in the “Attack-List” File, and the Fifth through Twelfth entries in the *Date*.enc file.

**Flags:** 0x20 *Runt*  
**Status:** 0x00  
**Packet Length:** 58  
**Timestamp:** 17:58:05.562000 10/22/2000

Analysis and tracking information inserted by Etherpeek  
before the Ethernet header .

#### Ethernet Header

Start of actual Ethernet Packet

**Destination:** 44:45:53:54:00:00 [0-5]  
**Source:** 20:53:52:43:00:00 [6-11]  
**Protocol Type:** 0x0800 *IP* [12-13]

#### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

**Version:** 4 [14 Mask 0xF0]  
**Header Length:** 5 (20 bytes) [14 Mask 0x0F]  
**Type of Service:** %00000000 [15]  
*Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability*  
**Total Length:** 40 [16-17]  
**Identifier:** 17564 [18-19]  
**Fragmentation Flags:** %000 *May Fragment Last Fragment* [20 Mask 0xE0]  
**Fragment Offset:** 0 (0 bytes) [20-21 Mask 0x1FFF]  
**Time To Live:** 49 [22]  
**Protocol:** 6 *TCP* [23]  
**Header Checksum:** 0x2F95 [24-25]  
**Source IP Address:** 152.163.180.25 *ads.web.aol.com* [26-29]  
**Dest. IP Address:** home.ip.136.216 [30-33]  
**No IP Options**

#### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

**Source Port:** 80 *World Wide Web HTTP* [34-35]  
**Destination Port:** 3367 [36-37]  
**Sequence Number:** 3765563481 [38-41]  
**Ack Number:** 8526254 [42-45]  
**Offset:** 5 [46 Mask 0xF0]  
**Reserved:** %000000 [46-47 Mask 0x0FC0]  
**Code:** %110001 [47 Mask 0x3F]

**Urgent is valid**

**Ack is valid**

### FIN (Sender End of Byte Stream)

**Window:** 16384 [48-49]  
**Checksum:** 0x61A0 [50-51]  
**Urgent Pointer:** 1 [52-53]  
**No TCP Options**  
**No More HTTP Data**  
**Frame Check Sequence:** 0x04004400 [54-57]

## 1.1.1 Source of Trace:

The detects are from a Network ICE BlackICE Firewall Version 2.1.cn installed on a Home computer running Windows 98 Second Edition with updates. Black ICE generates three files as evidence, the two files which are of interest in this situation are Attack-list.csv, and Date.enc. The Attack-list.csv description below is from the Network ICE site at <http://advice.networkice.com/Advice/Support/KB/q000018/>

The file "Attack-list.csv" contains the list of intrusions that the product found. The primary information lists the attack and the suspected intruder. This article explains the file format. The columns are, from left to right:

#### "Severity"

This is a number from 1-99 that indicates the severity of an attack, where 1 is not very severe, and 99 is the most severe attack. Unfortunately, these levels do not have any precise meaning. Even an attack at level 1 may result in a compromise of the machine, whereas an attack at level 99 could be harmless. The assigned level is just a best-guess.

#### "timestamp"

This indicates the time and date of the last time the attack occurred. Attacks are "coalesced", meaning that if the same attack occurs multiple times, earlier attacks are sometimes removed from the list and simply merged with the latest one. A count of the number of times an attack has occurred is kept in another column. This timestamp is kept in GMT (aka UTC), and is probably several hours off from the time you see in the user interface. The ISP will want the time in this format so they don't have to worry about what timezone you are in.

#### "issueId"

A numeric identifier for this attack type. Each of the more than 300 attacks that the intrusion-detection component detects is assigned a unique number. This number is used for all internal processing of events. This number may also be pasted at the end of the URL <http://advice.networkice.com/advice/intrusions/<num>> in order to get help on the event.

#### "issueName"

The name of the attack. Each of the unique "issueId" numbers has a name associated with it.

"intruderIp" The IP address of the attacker. Remember that IP addresses can sometimes be "spoofed" (forged), or that an intrusion may be a "false-positive", so there isn't a 100% chance that this is actually a hostile

person.

"intruderName"

The name of the intruder. We scan both Internet databases like DNS as well as the attacker itself in order to find the "best-name" of the machine, then display it here.

"victimIp"

This is the IP address of who the intruder was attacking. For example, if a user is running the product and gets attacked on a dial-up, then this will be the IP address assigned to that machine during that dialup session.

"parameters"

This contains some detailed information about the attack. For example, in a "TCP port probe" scan, this will contain a list of "ports" the attacker was scanning. The meaning of this information is documented in the "advICE" database.

"count"

The number of times this attack was seen.

The *Date*.enc file actually has a much longer name in the form of evdyyyymmdd-nn.enc identifying the following yyyy=year, mm=month, dd=date, nn=version. It has been shortened in the interest of clarity. The *Date*.enc file contains, sections of the actual packet traces, in standard network sniffing program format, these have been opened using Etherpeek for Windows, Version 4.0.2. The information included at the beginning of the packet, before the Ethernet Header has been placed there by Etherpeek. Network ICE does not save a full packet, of data, which is similar to TCPDump, therefore Etherpeek refers to it as a Runt. The packet decode is visually more appealing than TCPDump, but contains the same detail of information. The field naming is conventional, the numbers contained in brackets are the offset values in the packet, the flag fields are shown printed out, the mask values are displayed in Hexadecimal. If there are questions about the remainder of the data, in the files, the following references can be used resolve those questions:

RFC 793, which contains the original specification of TCP. <http://www.isi.edu/in-notes/rfc793.txt>

TCP/IP Illustrated Volume 1 by W. Richard Stevens, Chapters 17 through 24

To access the Etherpeek manual, requires downloading and installing the demonstration version of Etherpeek, if one does not have it, it can be found at <http://www.wildpackets.com/products/etherpeek>

### 1.1.2 Detect was generated by:

Network Ice BlackICE was used to generate the detects, There are 4 configurable options for detects, "Paranoid – blocks all unsolicited inbound traffic (the chosen setting), Nervous - blocks most inbound traffic, Cautious - blocks some inbound traffic, Trusting – allows all inbound traffic". The "Paranoid" mode of operation produces the largest number of alerts, but also provides the highest degree of protection. The BlackICE QuickStart Guide does not describe how the Firewall works, or what the designers of the product placed in each of the 4 categories of options. Therefore it is difficult to determine exactly what the decision process that the firewall went through to create these "detects". The two issues that caused the alert to occur from the Firewall are Issue ID 2000318 and Issue ID 2003102. They are described as follows, from the BlackICE documentation:

"Issue ID 2000318

TCP Invalid Urgent offset

Summary: Some TCP/IP implementations will hang when receiving many such frames.

The intruder sends a TCP frame with an Urgent pointer which points past the end of the data. This may cause some TCP/IP implementations to become unstable or crash.

The TCP flags from the offending frame.

The flags are: S (SYN), F (FIN), R (RESET), P (PUSH), A (ACK), U(URGENT),  
4 (low-order unused bit), 8 (high-order unused bit)

The TCP options from the offending frame.

The options are displayed as "option-value", separated by commas.

No-ops are not displayed"

"TCP port probe (2003102)

#### Summary

Somebody has tried to access your machine and failed.

#### Details

This is the most common intrusion detected on the Internet.

This is so common because hackers do frequent wide-spread scans looking for one specific exploit they can use to break into systems. The typical hacker scans thousands or millions of machines in a typical scan. In other words, the hacker isn't targeting you personally. In particular, this event is generated upon failed attempts, so there is no reason to worry. Probes like this result from "script-kiddies", hackers just above the skill level of trained monkeys. They download attack programs (called "scripts") from various sites on the net, then run them against millions of machines. There are thousands of script-kiddies out there, so if you have an always-on connection (cable-modem, DSL), then you can expect about one of these scans per day. About 10% of these scans are from forged addresses. This means the indicated IP address in the attack is probably from the real attack, but a small percentage of the time the indicated person is completely innocent. <p> About 20% of these scans are from machines already compromised by a hacker. In other words, if you report this scan back to the originator, they may thank you, because you've discovered a hacked system on their network they didn't know about. Information on reporting the hacker can be found in our support Knowledge Base article

#### Ports

A port is a point of entry into a system. Each program running on a system is reached through its own ports. You rarely see this detail because most port assignments are automatic. For example, most websites run at port 80 on a machine, so you never have to specify it yourself. This means that if you see a TCP port probe for port 80, then a hacker is most likely testing your system to see if you've installed your own web server. The exact port the intruder probed for is listed on your system in the file "attack-list.csv".

#### False Positives

The system errs on the side of caution. When your machine attempts to connect to a remote site and fails, sometimes this alert will trigger. Carefully watch the source of the attack in case it is your own machine. The system triggers on any failed connection. Some web-sites will attempt to contact your machine. For example, chat servers, FTP servers, and multimedia servers (video, audio) often open connections directed at your machine. If the firewall settings block this, then these will be reported as port probes."

### 1.1.3 Probability the Source Address was Spoofed:

Domain Name Service lookups were performed with SamSpade Version1.14

nslookup 63.211.172.77

Canonical name: m14.boston.juno.com

Addresses: 63.211.172.77

nslookup 152.163.180.25

Canonical name: ads.web.aol.com

Addresses:152.163.180.25

nslookup 205.188.140.185

Canonical name: ads.web.aol.com

Addresses: 205.188.140.185

Very Low, all of the connections are TCP, and come from the following 3 addresses, 63.211.172.77 which resolves to m14.boston.juno.com, the service provider, as identified in the Juno.ini file, and the DNS lookup provided through SamSpade. 152.163.180.25, 205.188.140.185 resolve to ads.web.aol.com. It is prudent to view the two AOL machines as part of an advertising server cluster. The advertisement servers produce the constantly updating advertisements displayed, on the display of the home user.

Probability that the source address is looking for a Trojan, such as RingZero, or Sub Seven is very low. The ports in the group that raise suspicion are port 80, and 1244. They is referenced on several Trojan Lists, such as:

Simovits Consulting: <http://www.simovits.com/nyheter9902.html>

DoS Help listing of Trojan Ports: <http://www.doshelp.com/trojanports.htm>

Robert Graham Listing of ports: <http://www.robertgraham.com/pubs/firewall-seen.html>

The reason that this is considered low, is that the general traffic and port usage patterns **do not** match with that of Ring Zero, or SubSeven. The server at AOL would have to be infected, and participating in the spread of RingZero, or SubSeven and its versions, for this to be a concern. The Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures (CVE) project has assigned the name CAN-1999-0660 to this group of vulnerabilities. It can be found at:

<http://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0660> in addition to the well documented features of RingZero at the SANS web site at

[http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/ring\\_zero.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/ring_zero.htm) .

### 1.1.4 Attack Mechanism:

The owner of the machine in question subscribes to a free Internet service. As a part of that subscription, in order for the service to be free, the owner has to agree to set the Juno website as the first address contacted when a connection is made to the Internet Service Provider. When user initiates a connection to the Internet, the program, Juno.exe executes in conjunction with the file Juno.ini (which contains the user specific settings, and the default initial connection to the host m14.boston.juno.com). An outgoing connection is established as a part of this process. The completion of the successful connection to the Internet elicits a response from the Juno server 63.211.172.77 on port 64162 in this example, other times other ports on the Juno server will be used. The connection from the Juno server is made back to home.ip.134.162 on port 1037 as it will be using the first available port on the home machine, this port changes from one connection to the internet, to the next. The port was negotiated in the background, by the Juno.exe, and supporting programs when the initial connection to the Internet was made. One additional program that starts at connection time is the advertisement display program. It is responsible for contacting

the advertisement servers 152.163.180.25, 205.188.140.185, ads.web.aol.com, which is where the advertisements, which are displayed on the video display come from. These advertisements are configured to arrive and be displayed, on the machine regardless of what other things may be taking place, and on top of all other programs.

### 1.1.5 Description of Attack:

This set of detected events turn out to be a false positive to Network BlackICE. The BlackICE program has been designed and implemented, to watch for incoming connects to the machine on which it is installed. It does not keep track of, or assist the user in validating outgoing requests, therefore there is no recorded history of the outgoing SYN, return SYN/ACK (expected, normal event to BlackICE), outgoing ACK, and subsequent incoming and outgoing packets with the ACK bit set. A packet sequence normally associated with a successful 3 way TCP handshake and following communication finally ending with a FIN. Therefore it is blind to outgoing activity generated by the host machine on which it runs, which causes incoming requests to be generated. In all of the cases above the requests are due to user actions. The first two entries in the Attack-List.csv are a result of the machine completing two different connections to the Internet, over a short period of time (the connection dropped the first time). The entries following the first 2 in the ATTACK-List.csv file, are as a result of the ad-server contacting the client machine with advertising information which is to be displayed once again due to BlackICE design it does not record the initial 3 way handshake. The Urgent flag is shown as being set in the last 3 entries in the ATTACK-List.csv file, and as well, in the last two decodes, to insure that the advertising information receives a higher priority transport than any other network activity that the host machine may be engaging in. The Fin and ACK are set as a normal termination of the 3 way handshake between the client and the server.

### 1.1.6 Correlation's:

In this example a direct correlation would require connecting another machine to the same Internet Service Provider, with the same products and verifying that the same events occur. This is impractical. Thus we can make other observations, the events presented by BlackICE are not an attack, the Juno and AOL servers are connecting to the home machine as expected, and the DNS lookups using SamSpade, are consistent with what is expected.

### 1.1.7 Evidence of Active Targeting:

None at this time. The detection of numerous false positives in this situation, of using a Firewall which does not keep track of the TCP 3 way handshake, as well as of connection state, will tend to disguise an attack when it does occur. This will be caused by the user becoming accustomed to the BlackICE program indicating an attack is underway, the user checking it, and finding out that it is either initial connection validation, or advertising push, coming at the users machine, thereby learning to ignore the attack indicator. The home user could choose to place these machines in the "Trusted Addresses", this would eliminate the warning messages, assuming that the machines in question were never spoofed or compromised.

### 1.1.8 Severity:

Target Criticality, 5, this is the only computer that the home user has  
Attack Lethality, 0, this was a false positive  
System Countermeasures, 5, the machine is current with patches  
Network Countermeasures, 2, there is a firewall in place

$$\text{Severity} = (\text{Target Criticality} + \text{Attack Lethality}) - (\text{System Countermeasures} + \text{Network Countermeasures})$$
$$\text{Severity} = ( 5 + 0 ) - ( 5 + 2 )$$



Severity = -2

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### 1.1.9 Defense Recommendations:

1. Insure there are good and frequent system backups made. Check frequently that they can be restored.
2. Consider changing to a different Firewall structure, settings, or product, one which is able to maintain state and validate outgoing connections.
3. Continue to keep the system patches current, and the Virus protection current.
4. Limit the amount of time that the machine is connected to the Internet. As an example download e-mail, disconnect, read, compose replies, re-connect and reply, then disconnect, as soon as possible.

### 1.1.10 Multiple Choice Question:

Choose the most correct statement from the four below:

- a) A properly configured filtering router is all I need to protect my network.
- b) A properly configured state aware Firewall is all I need to protect my network.
- c) I need the most appropriate tools, to my business environment which I can afford, to protect my network.
- d) None of the above.

c) is the correct answer

## Assignment 1 - Network Detects

### 1.2 Detect 2 – Collateral Damage

**1.2.1 Source of Trace:** The trace was graciously provided by a company where I was a Network Engineer for, 7 years.

This trace and the analysis following demonstrate the effect of “collateral damage”. The IP addresses have been disguised where appropriate to *class.b*. The site was receiving ICMP Protocol Unreachable messages to that was never sent out from their site, but instead TCP traffic sent by a third party, to IP address 24.66.45.1, which generated the ICMP Protocol Unreachable Messages, and returned them to the “spoofed” (*class.b*) IP address. The ISP was provided with the full trace information.

**Background:** The following detects have been captured by a Network General Distributed Sniffer System (DSS), and have been analyzed using Etherpeek 4.0.2 for this exercise. The Sniffer was set up with a special filter, and placed on the network connecting the network referred to as “class.b” to the Internet Service Provider’s (ISP’s) router.

Packet	Source Logical	Dest.Logical	Size	Time-Stamp	Protocol	Plug-in Info
1	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.81.9		94 00:38.11.661509	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
2	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.81.9		94 00:38.11.664446	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
3	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.81.9		94 00:38.11.665029	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
4	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.81.9		94 00:38.11.668027	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
5	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.81.9		94 00:38.11.747702	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
6	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.81.9		94 00:38.11.750717	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1

..this continues for a total of 50 packets and goes quiet until 02:26 .... the destination port changes from 99 to 98 as in the packets above

56	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.104.47		94 02:26:09:665094	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
57	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.104.47		94 02:26:09:665760	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
58	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.104.47		94 02:26:09:668678	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
59	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.104.47		94 02:26:09:669265	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
60	IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.104.47		94 02:26:09:756945	ICMP DUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1

.....this continues for a total of 50 packets and goes quiet until 03:45 ....

110 IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.206.17 Destination Port 50	94 03:45:12:727758	ICMP DUUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
111 IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.147.64 Destination Port 30	94 03:45:39:456724	ICMP DUUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
112 IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.79.78 Destination Port 36	94 04:01:13:644314	ICMP DUUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
113 IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.55.148 Destination Port 88	94 04:19:20:330331	ICMP DUUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1
114 IP-24.66.45.1	IP-class.b.111.157 Destination Port 107	94 05:33:56:199385	ICMP DUUnr	Protocol unreachable 24.66.45.1

.....this continues with the address *class.b.111.157* for 49, more packets (total of 50), changes addresses, changes ports in what appear to be random order , but once the group of 50 similar packets start, the port and address remain the same. This continues at 18:41 for another 50 packets, with another address and port from *class.b.....* the whole pattern of activity finally ends the next day at 06:31

Flags: 0x00  
Status: 0x01  
Packet Length: 94  
Timestamp: 00:38:11.661509 10/23/1999

Analysis and tracking information inserted by Etherpeek  
before the Ethernet header .

#### Ethernet Header

Start of actual Ethernet Packet

Destination: 00:D0:BA:D9:DC:21 [0-5]  
Source: 08:00:20:A7:73:AF [6-11]  
Protocol Type: 0x0800 IP [12-13]

#### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

Version: 4 [14 Mask 0xF0]  
Header Length: 5 (20 bytes) [14 Mask 0x0F]  
Type of Service: %00000000 [15]  
Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability  
Total Length: 76 [16-17]  
Identifier: 45187 [18-19]  
Fragmentation Flags: %000 May Fragment Last Fragment [20 Mask 0xE0]  
Fragment Offset: 0 (0 bytes) [20-21 Mask 0x1FFF]  
Time To Live: 50 [22]  
Protocol: 1 ICMP [23]  
Header Checksum: 0xB398 [24-25]  
Source IP Address: 24.66.45.1 [26-29]  
Dest. IP Address: class.b.81.9 [30-33]  
No IP Options

### ICMP - Internet Control Messages Protocol

**ICMP Type:** 3 *Destination Unreachable* [34]  
**Code:** 2 *Protocol Unreachable* [35]  
**Checksum:** 0xBF68 [36-37]  
**Unused (must be zero):** 0x00000000 [38-41]

*Header of packet that caused error follows.*

### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

**Version:** 4 [42 Mask 0xF0]  
**Header Length:** 5 (20 bytes) [42 Mask 0x0F]  
**Type of Service:** %00000000 [43]  
*Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability*  
**Total Length:** 40 [44-45]  
**Identifier:** 26883 [46-47]  
**Fragmentation Flags:** %010 *Do Not Fragment Last Fragment* [48 Mask 0xE0]  
**Fragment Offset:** 0 (0 bytes) [48-49 Mask 0x1FFF]  
**Time To Live:** 244 [50]  
**Protocol:** 6 *TCP* [51]  
**Header Checksum:** 0xFA36 [52-53]  
**Source IP Address:** *class.b.81.9* [54-57]  
**Dest. IP Address:** 24.66.45.1 [58-61]  
**No IP Options**

### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

**Source Port:** 12467 [62-63]  
**Destination Port:** 99 *Metagram Relay* [64-65]  
**Sequence Number:** 0 [66-69]  
**Ack Number:** 1380012832 [70-73]  
**Offset:** 0 [74 Mask 0xF0]  
**Reserved:** %000001 [74-75 Mask 0x0FC0]  
**Code:** %111011 [75 Mask 0x3F]

*Urgent is valid*  
*Ack is valid*  
*Push Request*  
*Synch Sequence*  
*FIN (Sender End of Byte Stream)*

**Window:** 44752 [76-77]  
**Checksum:** 0xF7CF [78-79]  
**Urgent Pointer:** 48641 [80-81]  
**No TCP Options**  
**TCP Data Area:** No more data.

*Extra bytes (Padding):*

..... 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 [82-89]

**Frame Check Sequence:** 0x00000000 [90-93]

### 1.2.2 Detect was generated by:

This trace was captured by a Network General Sniffer version 3.5.4 (now Network Associates). The Sniffer was located outside the protected network's screening router, on the link connecting the screening router to the Internet Service Provider's (ISP's) router. There were only the 3 nodes physically present, on that leg of the network, the two routers and the one Sniffer interface. That piece of the network is in a controlled access environment. The Sniffer had been installed with a filter looking specifically for IP packets with both the SYN and FIN flags set. This was a proof of concept exercise, therefore, the filter mechanism was designed to be relatively simple. It identifies a packet as being Protocol Type, IP. Then looks in the packet 33 bytes ( 20 bytes, IP datagram with no options and 13 bytes for TCP, from the front of the IP header). It then masks where the SYN and FIN bits are ( in the 33<sup>rd</sup> byte), or would normally be in the case of ICMP, or UDP packets. If the bits are set then the packet is recorded. It will catch any IP packet that has those bits set, regardless of protocol. This is a small source of false positives. In this case the ICMP packet is captured because the position of the bits required to be set, in the filter, turn out to be in the identifier field in the original crafted TCP packet that caused the ICMP packet to be generated. It is a decimal value of 26883, Hexadecimal 6903, the 3 being important. This is in the normal position for the TCP SYN & FIN flags. The other packets captured as a result of the activity all have this same feature. This indicates that many other crafted packets used in this same attack on 24.66.45.1 were not captured. It may partially explain why the activity was not recorded by the Sniffer, during the day.

### 1.2.3 Probability the Source Address was Spoofed:

For the ICMP Protocol Unreachable traffic, the Source address was not Spoofed. The ICMP Protocol Unreachable messages were a result of the original TCP packets, crafted by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party this is the packet with the spoofed source IP address (*class.b.x.x* network). In all cases the addresses were not in use at that time, and were not routed from the inside of the network. If a packet from the inside of the network were generated with the addresses, as used by the 3<sup>rd</sup> party, there would not be a route to the Internet, and therefore would not escape the network named *class.b*.

### 1.2.4 Attack Mechanism:

There are three possibilities here:

One 24.66.45.1 is actually trying to create a DoS attack against *class.b*.

Second, that 24.66.45.1 is being attacked by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party.

Third, a 3<sup>rd</sup> party is trying to create a DoS against *class.b* using 24.66.45.1 to do so, and in the process hiding his identity.

It is unlikely that 24.66.45.1 is the attacker. It would require much extra effort on the behalf of 24.66.45.1 to create the crafted ICMP packets, and would make finding that host far too easy for *class.b*. It is not impossible, just less likely than the second case.

In the second possibility, the intent of the attack against 24.66.45.1 by the 3<sup>rd</sup> party is unclear, due to the lack of a complete packet capture in the ICMP Protocol Unreachable message. ICMP packets contain only the first 64 bytes of the message that forced the creation of the ICMP message, this is intended to allow diagnosis of why the ICMP message was created, the destination computer does not support the protocol requested by the 3<sup>rd</sup> party, therefore the Protocol unreachable message. In this case one has to assume that the 3<sup>rd</sup> party wanted to create a DoS attack against 24.66.45.1, or to temporarily disable that machine as there is an invalid combination of flags (Urgent, Ack, Push Request, Synch Sequence, FIN ) set in the crafted TCP packet. The 3<sup>rd</sup> party did not want to complete the 3 way handshake in this case, and therefore chose to spoof the address. The 3<sup>rd</sup> party may also have been sending other crafted packets at 24.66.45.1, at the same time just using addresses from another address space than *class.b*. This cannot be determined from this trace as packets with other destination addresses, out side of the range assigned to *class.b* would not have returned to this detector.

In the third case, *class.b* is suffering the effects, of a partial DoS, it is taking place at non business hours, and has no real effect. The 3<sup>rd</sup> party is effective in disguising his identity, but ineffective in the DoS. For this case to be taken seriously, other machines would have had to have been involved in the attack, and it would have been a Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS), or coordinated DoS.

### 1.2.5 Description of Attack:

The network where the detector was placed is a class b network of publicly valid IP addresses. A large number of the addresses were not used at the time that this trace was taken. A 3rd party took advantage of this availability of unused address space to “steal” some of the address for his own needs. The packets were then crafted and sent in groups of 50 to 24.66.45.1. It is alive, and it rejects the message, with a protocol unreachable message, it is this message which is returned to *class.b*. The Internet connection to *class.b* had sufficient bandwidth to tolerate this traffic, otherwise it would have been a Denial of Service (DoS) attack against *class.b*.

### 1.2.6 Correlation's:

There was a slight increase in network traffic at *class.b* during the time the ICMP packets were being sent. This was only apparent after the discovery of the Sniffer traces, but would not have been noticed or investigated otherwise. The ISP was notified.

### 1.2.7 Evidence of Active Targeting:

The network *class.b* was obviously chosen as the one to “borrow” the addresses from for the attack against 24.66.45.1.

### 1.2.8 Severity:

Target Criticality = 0 ( System doesn't exist)

Attack Lethality = 1 ( limited congestion caused by attack)

System Countermeasures = 0 ( System doesn't exist)

Network Countermeasures = 4 ( Rudimentary Intrusion Detection, proof of concept exercise + Filtering Router + Firewall)

Severity = (Target Criticality + Attack Lethality) – (System Countermeasures + Network Countermeasures)

Severity = ( 0 + 1 ) - ( 0 + 4 )

The Severity in this case for *class.b*, is a -3.

### 1.2.9 Defense Recommendation:

There is no fool proof opportunity today to directly prevent spoofing of IP addresses other than requiring each and every network connecting to the Internet to implement anti-spoofing egress rules in their routers. This was already implemented at *class.b*

A limited defense against this type of activity could be to choose to make all of the addresses appear to be in use, to the Internet, by implementing a Honeypot. This would only be effective in situations where the 3<sup>rd</sup> party wanted to use an address, which would not respond. It would have limited effect in this case, as the ICMP protocol has been designed such that the machine receiving the ICMP Protocol Unreachable message will not generate a response and we cannot determine how the *class.b*. network was evaluated to determine which addresses to choose to use.

A related concern is that the 3<sup>rd</sup> party may have been successful in mapping *class.b*'s IP address range at some time in the past. The only way to solve this would be to completely change *class.b*'s IP address assignment, a huge effort. Instead it was recommended to implement a more fully featured Intrusion Detection System (IDS) based on the information gathered during the proof of concept exercise.

### 1.2.10 Multiple Choice Question:

Select the most correct answer from the four below

- a) ICMP is the Internet Control Message Protocol
- b) ICMP is used to communicate error messages between machines.
- c) There are 14 ICMP message type codes.
- d) a) and b) only
- e) a), b) and c)

d) is the correct answer



## Assignment 1 - Network Detects

### 1.3 Detect 3 – IMAP Scan

**1.3.1 Source of Trace:** The trace was graciously provided by a company where I was a Network Engineer for, 7 years.

This trace and the analysis following demonstrate an attacker testing IMAP vulnerabilities . The IP addresses have been disguised where appropriate to *class.b*.

**Background:** The following detects have been captured by a Network General Distributed Sniffer System (DSS), and have been analyzed using Etherpeek 4.0.2 for this exercise. The Sniffer was set up with a special filter, and placed on the network connecting the network referred to as “class.b” to the Internet Service Provider’ s (ISP’s) router.

Packet	Source Logical	Dest. Logical	Size	Time-Stamp	Protocol	Etherpeek Plug-in Information		
1	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.219.255	64	09:31.8	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
2	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.220.0	64	09:31.9	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
3	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.220.1	64	09:31.9	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
4	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.220.2	64	09:31.9	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
5	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.220.3	64	09:31.9	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
Continues testing each node consecutively until it reaches								
6	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.255.251	64	11:04.0	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
7	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.255.252	64	11:04.0	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
8	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.255.253	64	11:04.0	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
9	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.255.254	64	11:04.0	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512
10	IP-212.216.13.8	IP-class.b.255.255	64	11:04.0	TCP IMAP	S= 141885440,L=	0,A=	0,W= 512

Flags: 0x00  
 Status: 0x01  
 Packet Length: 64  
 Timestamp: 12:09:31.847713 09/08/1999

Analysis information inserted by Etherpeek before the Ethernet header .

#### Ethernet Header

Destination: 08:00:20:A7:73:AF [0-5]  
 Source: 00:D0:BA:D9:DC:21 [6-11]  
 Protocol Type: 0x0800 IP [12-13]

Start of actual Ethernet Packet

#### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

Version: 4 [14 Mask 0xF0]  
 Header Length: 5 (20 bytes) [14 Mask 0x0F]  
 Type of Service: %00000000 [15]  
 Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability  
 Total Length: 40 [16-17]  
 Identifier: 23042 [18-19]

**Fragmentation Flags:** %000 *May Fragment Last Fragment* [20 Mask 0xE0]  
**Fragment Offset:** 0 (0 bytes) [20-21 Mask 0x1FFF]  
**Time To Live:** 232 [22]  
**Protocol:** 6 *TCP* [23]  
**Header Checksum:** 0x2CA4 [24-25]  
**Source IP Address:** 212.216.13.8 [26-29]  
**Dest. IP Address:** *class.b.219.255* [30-33]  
**No IP Options**

#### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

**Source Port:** 0 *Reserved* [34-35]  
**Destination Port:** 143 *IMAP - Internet Message Access* [36-37]  
**Sequence Number:** 141885440 [38-41]  
**Ack Number:** 0 [42-45]  
**Offset:** 5 [46 Mask 0xF0]  
**Reserved:** %000000 [46-47 Mask 0xFC0]  
**Code:** %000011 [47 Mask 0x3F]

*Synch Sequence*

*FIN (Sender End of Byte Stream)*

**Window:** 512 [48-49]  
**Checksum:** 0x58B4 [50-51]  
**Urgent Pointer:** 0 [52-53]  
**No TCP Options**  
**TCP Data Area:** No more data.

#### *Extra bytes (Padding):*

*h.~~.F* 68 12 7E 7E 08 46 [54-59]

**Frame Check Sequence:** 0x00000000 [60-63]

This activity continues counting upwards through the addresses until it reaches the top of *class.b*

**Flags:** 0x00  
**Status:** 0x01  
**Packet Length:** 64  
**Timestamp:** 12:11:04.031875 09/08/1999

Analysis information inserted by Etherpeek  
before the Ethernet header.

#### Ethernet Header

**Destination:** 08:00:20:A7:73:AF [0-5]  
**Source:** 00:D0:BA:D9:DC:21 [6-11]  
**Protocol Type:** 0x0800 *IP* [12-13]

Start of actual Ethernet Packet

#### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

**Version:** 4 [14 Mask 0xF0]  
**Header Length:** 5 (20 bytes) [14 Mask 0x0F]  
**Type of Service:** %00000000 [15]  
*Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability*  
**Total Length:** 40 [16-17]  
**Identifier:** 49154 [18-19]  
**Fragmentation Flags:** %000 *May Fragment Last Fragment* [20 Mask 0xE0]  
**Fragment Offset:** 0 (0 bytes) [20-21 Mask 0x1FFF]  
**Time To Live:** 232 [22]

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Protocol:      6  TCP  [23]
Header Checksum: 0xA2A3  [24-25]
Source IP Address: 212.216.13.8  [26-29]
Dest. IP Address: class.b.255.255  [30-33]
No IP Options
```

#### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

```
Source Port:    0  Reserved  [34-35]
Destination Port: 143  IMAP - Internet Message Access  [36-37]
Sequence Number: 141885440  [38-41]
Ack Number:     0  [42-45]
Offset:         5  [46 Mask 0xF0]
Reserved:       %000000  [46-47 Mask 0xFC0]
Code:           %000011  [47 Mask 0x3F]
```

*Synch Sequence*

*FIN (Sender End of Byte Stream)*

```
Window:        512  [48-49]
Checksum:       0x34B4  [50-51]
Urgent Pointer: 0  [52-53]
No TCP Options
TCP Data Area:  No more data.
```

#### *Extra bytes (Padding):*

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^Ã~~á.        5E C3 7E 7E E1 9D  [54-59]
```

```
Frame Check Sequence: 0x00000000  [60-63]
```

### 1.3.2 Detect was generated by:

This trace was captured by a Network General Sniffer version 3.5.4 (now Network Associates). The Sniffer was located outside the protected network's screening router, on the link connecting the screening router to the Internet Service Provider's (ISP's) router. There were only the 3 nodes physically present, on that leg of the network, the two routers and the one Sniffer interface. That piece of the network is in a controlled access environment. The Sniffer had been installed with a filter looking specifically for IP packets with both the SYN and FIN flags set. This was a proof of concept exercise, therefore, the filter mechanism was designed to be relatively simple. It identifies a packet as being Protocol Type, IP. Then looks in the packet 33 bytes ( 20 bytes, IP datagram with no options and 13 bytes for TCP, from the front of the IP header). It then masks where the SYN and FIN bits are ( in the 33<sup>rd</sup> byte), or would normally be in the case of ICMP, or UDP packets. If the bits are set then the packet is recorded. It will catch any IP packet that has those bits set, regardless of protocol. This is a small source of false positives. In this case the packet is captured because it has the TCP SYN & FIN flags set in the packet.

### 1.3.3 Probability the Source Address was Spoofed:

The probability that the source address was spoofed in this case is very low. The individual was performing a mapping operation, and would have been expecting a response. If the source address was spoofed, the attacker would have had to intercept the return packets along the way, in order for this effort to be effective.

```
inetnum: 212.216.0.0 - 212.216.31.255
netname:  TIN
descr:   Telecom Italia Net
descr:   PROVIDER, TIN elite customers in OSPF Area 01
```

person: Enzo Berti  
address: Via Val Cannuta, 182  
phone: +39 06 36888592  
fax-no: +39 06 36889863  
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### 1.3.4 Attack Mechanism:

The attacker chose Internet Message Access Protocol (IMAP) as the protocol due to vulnerabilities as noted in CERT\* Summary CS-97.06 “The impact of an IMAP attack is that the remote user (e.g., intruder) will be able to gain root-level access on a vulnerable host” <http://www.cert.org/summaries/CS-97.06.html> and CERT® Advisory CA-1998-09 Buffer Overflow in Some Implementations of IMAP Servers <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-1998-09.html> discusses specific issues with the IMAP protocol. The attack is also using port 0, with SYN and FIN, this is a common IMAP exploit.

### 1.3.5 Description of Attack:

The network where the detector was placed is a class b network of publicly valid IP addresses. A large number of the addresses were not used at the time that this trace was taken. The group of addresses that the attacker was evaluating was not used, there would not have been a response from the end node as it would not be there to respond. The router interfacing *class.b* to the Internet had been configured not to respond to unreachables, therefore the attacker would not have received any response for this string of attacks. The intruder chose IMAP and had the SYN and FIN flags set as an attempt to evade screening routers and Firewalls which do not maintain state. The Three Way Handshake works as follows, a node (client) wishing to communicate with another node (server) establishes the TCP connection with a TCP packet containing a SYN, the initial sequence number it wishes to use, to the well known port it wishes to connect to, the Maximum Segment Size (MSS) and Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) size. If the server is willing and able to establish a connection, it responds with a packet, which contains a SYN-ACK, increments the client's initial sequence number by 1, supplies the server's initial sequence number, MSS and MTU. If that port is not active on the server, a reset is sent instead to the client node. The client responds to the server's SYN with an ACK, and increments the server's initial sequence number by 1. The initial sequence numbers are incremented as appropriate to each node, with each transfer of data. Communication then continues until the session is complete. The start of session tear down is initiated with a FIN from, which ever node has completed first. The other node responds with an ACK, and if it has completed its portion of the session, as well, it responds with a FIN, if it has not completed its side of the communication it continues until it is complete. The node that has sent its FIN will continue to respond even though it may already have sent a FIN, until both ends of the conversation have sent a FIN, to which the other node responds with an ACK.. As can be observed, the combination of SYN and FIN do not naturally occur together at the same time, in a normal session.

### 1.3.6 Correlation's:

In this case there was no other correlation. The traffic generated by this intruder was so low that it was lost in the other traffic. This was a single event from this address to a block of unused addresses, therefore no other action was taken.

### 1.3.7 Evidence of Active Targeting:

The intruder targeted a block of unused addresses, therefore received no response. This was the only group of attacks seen from that group of addresses with this set of features. The attack was considered unsuccessful.

### 1.3.8 Severity:

Target Criticality = 0 ( System doesn't exist)

Attack Lethality = 0 (can be Lethal, to IMAP servers, not used/ shutdown at this site)

System Countermeasures = 0 ( System doesn't exist)

Network Countermeasures = 4 ( Rudimentary Intrusion Detection, proof of concept exercise + Filtering Router + Firewall)

( 0 + 0 ) - ( 0 + 4 )

Severity = (Target Criticality + Attack Lethality) – (System Countermeasures + Network Countermeasures)

The Severity in this case is a –4.

### 1.3.9 Defense Recommendation:

The concern with this attack is that the intruder could have started to develop a network map for the site. The solution here is to keep up to date with all of the recommended patches, and keep the firewalls, and routers as quiet as possible about reachable address and port. The attack appears to have been crafted by a “script-kiddy”, it was poorly directed, at the target, and very little information was obtained.

### 1.3.10 Multiple Choice Question:

Select the most correct answer from the four below

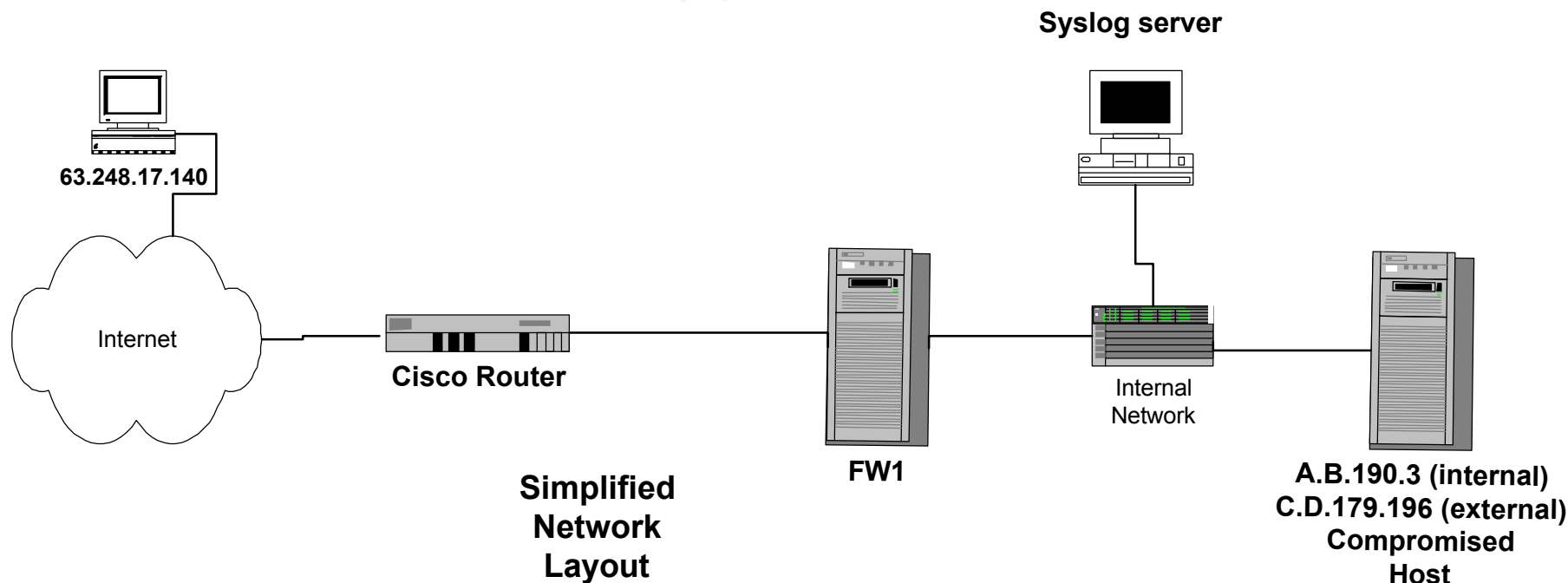
- a) IMAP uses UDP as the transport protocol
- b) IMAP uses TCP as the transport protocol
- c) IMAP connects to the server on port 143
- d) both b) and c)

d) is the most correct answer

## Assignment 1 - Network Detects

### 1.4 Detect 4 – Successful Intrusion

The data below has been sanitized. A.B.190.3 and C.D.179.196 are not the real addresses of the machines, the Firewall data has been organized in a more readable fashion. The Syslog (Cisco Router log) information has also been sanitized, and reorganized.



The Firewall performs address translation as well as performing the Firewall function. The first line of information shows the following: The Original Source Address A.B.190.3 is translated to the destination address C.D.179.196, this translation remains the same throughout, it is bi-directional in this case, and the Cisco logs refer to the machine as C.D.179.196, with the associated port pairings.

The Original Destination Address does not undergo translation

The Original Source port is translated, in the first line, from 3760 to 44527, the source port and Translated source port change in the next line.

The Original Destination Port does not undergo translation

#### Information from Firewall Logs

Time	Status	Device	Interface	proto	Orig Source	Orig Dest Addr	Orig Dest Port	Orig Source Port	Length	Rule	Translated Source Addr	Translated Dest Addr	Translated Source Port	Translated Dest Port
0:44:29	accept	FW1	>lan2	tcp	src A.B.190.3	dst 63.248.17.140	d_port 80	s_port 3760	len 44	rule 7	xlatesrc C.D.179.196	xlatedst 63.248.17.140	xlatesport 44527	xlatedport 80
0:44:30	accept	FW1	>lan2	tcp	src A.B.190.3	dst 63.248.17.140	d_port 80	s_port 3761	len 44	rule 7	xlatesrc C.D.179.196	xlatedst 63.248.17.140	xlatesport 44528	xlatedport 80

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The Logs from the Cisco Router

Date and Time		Access List	Status	proto	Source address and port	Destination address and port	Number of Packets
Oct 19	0:44:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44527),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:30	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44528),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:31	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44529),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:31	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44530),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:31	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44531),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:31	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44532),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:31	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44533),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:32	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44534),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:33	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44535),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:43	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44536),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44527),	4 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44528),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44529),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44530),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44531),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44532),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44534),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44533),	20 packets
Oct 19	0:44:48	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44535),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:44:49	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44536),	3 packets
Oct 19	0:45:33	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44533),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:45:33	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44562),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:46:21	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44533),	1 packet
Oct 19	0:46:21	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(44562),	3 packets
Oct 19	3:25:23	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46195),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:24	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46196),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:24	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46197),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:24	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46198),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:24	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46199),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:24	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46200),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:25	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46201),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:25	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46202),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:25	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46203),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:27	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46204),	1 packet
Oct 19	3:25:32	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP: list	103 permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80) ->	C.D.179.196(46195),	3 packets



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Oct	19	19:48:28	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51385),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:28	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51386),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:28	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51387),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:28	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51388),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51389),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51390),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51391),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51392),	4 packets
Oct	19	19:48:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51393),	3 packets
Oct	19	19:48:29	%SEC-6-IPACCESSLOGP:	list	103	permitted	tcp	63.248.17.140(80)	->	C.D.179.196(51394),	3 packets

Addresses:63.248.17.140 Canonical name: 3ff8118c.dsl.flashcom.net

Flashcom, Inc. (NETBLK-NETBLK-FLASHCOM-2)

Huntington Beach, CA 92649 US

Netname: NETBLK-FLASHCOM-2

Netblock: 63.248.0.0 - 63.248.255.255

Coordinator: Benton, Curtis (CB373-ARIN) [curtisb@flashcom.com](mailto:curtisb@flashcom.com)  
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### 1.4.1 Source of Trace:

The traces above were collected from a Firewall-1 Version 4.1 SP3 and from a Cisco Router running version 11.3. The information was provided by an associate of mine, with the full knowledge, and very helpful co-operation of the system owners.

### 1.4.2 Detect was generated by:

The actual detect was made by an alert System Administrator. The traces above are the supporting evidence discovered, once the initial compromise was recognized..

### 1.4.3 Probability the Source Address was Spoofed:

It is unlikely that the source address was spoofed. The protocol in use is TCP, in order for the system to be compromised, the spoof would require a "man in the middle" style of spoof for it to be successful. The intent of the attack was to use A.B.190.3 as an intermediate node to attack other machines, perhaps to install other Trojan Ware, to work in a Distributed Denial of Service.

### 1.4.4 Attack Mechanism:

The system runs Netscape proxy server version 3.53, and an Oracle Database. The attacker probably used a known compromise, any combination of the following could have been used:

Buffer Overflow in Netscape Enterprise and FastTrack Authentication Procedure <http://xforce.iss.net/alerts/advice39.php>

CVE-1999-0853 Buffer overflow in Netscape Enterprise Server and Netscape FastTrack Server allows remote attackers to gain privileges via the HTTP Basic Authentication procedure. <http://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0853>

A Stateful Inspection of FireWall-1 <http://www.dataprotect.com/bh2000/blackhat-fw1.txt> This paper discusses vulnerabilities of Firewall-1, and was presented at the Black Hat Briefings 2000 July 26th and 27th, Las Vegas

Oracle setting UTL\_FILE\_DIR is set to \* allowing file I/O package to write anywhere <http://xforce.iss.net/static/3547.php>

Stale accounts provide a point of attack for unauthorized users <http://xforce.iss.net/static/3428.php>

### 1.4.5 Description of Attack:

The system, A.B.190.3 was compromised. The detect was made after the System Administrator noticed another machine was down, other than A.B.190.3, looked in the Syslogs and noticed that A.B.190.3 was originating traffic that was not part of the Proxy service on that machine. The traffic was not passthrough, it originated on the Proxy machine and was destined for a DSL line, communication that this machine does not normally do. After probing the DSL line it was discovered that the node at 63.248.17.140 was not a Web Server. The Root password was discovered to have been modified on A.B.190.3. It is undergoing a total rebuild, with current software, from original installation media, official vendor supplied patches, verification that known exposures have been closed and installation of Tripwire.

### 1.4.6 Correlation's:

The System Administrator made the call, the traces above are the correlating evidence.

### 1.4.7 Evidence of Active Targeting:

The target was well chosen, identified for its possibility of a compromise then the takeover was executed, the net result a compromised system.

### 1.4.8 Severity:

Target Criticality = 4 (Provides Proxy services)

Attack lethality = 5 (It was successful)

System Countermeasures = 1 ( System not kept at current approved levels, of software)

Network Countermeasures = 3 ( screening router + logging + firewall + logging)

Severity = (Target Criticality + Attack Lethality) – (System Countermeasures + Network Countermeasures)

( 4 + 5 ) – ( 1 + 3 )

Severity = 5

### 1.4.9 Defense Recommendation:

In order to be successful in this case, in addition what has already been done, it requires that:

- the software installed on the machine is kept up to date,
- limited services are installed, or enabled,
- the system frequently checked for new/known vulnerabilities,
- if at all possible the access rules tightened down further, on both the screening router and Firewall

### 1.4.10 Multiple Choice Question:

Please select the most correct statement from the ones below

- a) A screening router, firewall and up to date secured system will always prevent an attack from being successful.
- b) A screening router will always prevent an attack from being successful.
- c) A firewall will always prevent an attack from being successful.
- d) A screening router, firewall and up to date secured system will only buy time in the face of a determined attack.

d) is the most correct answer

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## 2.0 Assignment 2 – Evaluate an Attack – DumpSec by Somarsoft, formerly DumpAcl

This demonstration is offered in the hope of helping those who might have any questions about port 139 being open to the Internet, understand the exposure to their machines. The product DumpSec version 2.8.1 was downloaded from <http://www.somarsoft.com/> it is advertised as a security auditing program for Windows NT. It can be used to dump and display the permissions and audit settings for a system in an easily readable format. It is a newer, updated version of DumpAcl. This security evaluation tool was mentioned in the book *Hacking Exposed*, by Stuart McClure and Joel Scambray. It is also demonstrated in the SANS course “*Contemporary Hacking Tools and Their use in Penetration Testing*.”

### 2.1 Description:

For this demonstration, I installed the program on a Windows NT Workstation V4.0 Sp6a+ Hotfixes, and used it to evaluate a Toshiba Laptop, running Windows NT V4.0 Sp6a+ Hotfixes. Both of the machines are in the same subnet, same NT domain. They have been secured as noted in “*Windows Security Guidelines*”, by Trusted Systems Services <http://www.trustedsystems.com> where ever reasonably possible. The deviation from the recommendations is due to corporate requirements to allow the Administrators to administrate the machine. This evaluation was run against a single user machine, but could and would be run against a Primary Domain Controller, or the backup, in the case of an intrusion. All that is needed for this “evaluation” of the NT machine to function is port 139 to be open on the machine being evaluated.

### 2.2 Issue:

In this case I can down load a program, which is easy to use, and in less than 30 seconds, and 64 packets, I have a list of the users on a reasonably secure NT machine. The information output from the DumpSec program, allows me to know that for this machine I have 2 users to attack, (Guest has been disabled as indicated in the display ) with Administrator being the one of choice. The information is all obtained using normal NT commands, there is nothing suspicious in the exchange of information between the two machines, as can be seen from the Packet Exchange and the display of packets 9, 23,27,39, and 51. 10.100.50.8 is running the DumpSec program, 10.100.50.87 is the Toshiba Laptop being evaluated.

The following is the output of DumpSec, that can be viewed on the program main window. Other NT options are available, to be viewed as selected in the configuration screen of the DumpSec program. I chose this group of items as it contains the minimum amount of useful information that an intruder would want to have. My User Name has been modified to Aaayyyzzz, although it may not take long to guess what it might be.

11/6/00 1:43 PM - Somarsoft DumpSec (formerly DumpAcl) - [\\pc872](#)

UserName	FullName	AccountType	PswdCanBeChanged	PswdLastSetTime	PswdRequired	PswdExpires	PswdExpiresTime	AcctDisabled	AcctLockedOut
Administrator		User	Yes	3/15/00 10:42 PM	Yes	No	Never	No	No
Guest		User	No	4/27/00 10:45 AM	Yes	Yes	6/26/00 10:45 AM	Yes	No
Aaayyyzzz	Oliver Viitamaki	User	Yes	10/10/00 12:54 PM	Yes	Yes	12/9/00 11:54 AM	No	No

UserName	AcctExpires	Time LastLogonTime	LastLogonServer	LogonHours
Administrator	Never	10/28/00 9:28 PM	pc872	All
Guest	Never	Never	pc872	All
Aaayyyzzz	Never	11/4/00 6:15 PM	pc872	All

### 2.3 Packet Exchange

Packet #	Source IP Address	Source Port	Destination IP Address	Destination Port	Packet Size	Time	Protocol Information as Decoded by Etherpeek
1	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	162	13:43:26.337063	TCP NB SMB
2	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	165	13:43:26.337892	TCP NB SMB
3	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	218	13:43:26.338725	SMB NBIO
4	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	186	13:43:26.339344	SMB NBIO
5	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	206	13:43:26.340115	SMB NBIO
6	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	218	13:43:26.340613	SMB NBIO
7	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	104	13:43:26.341252	SMB CloF
8	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	97	13:43:26.341610	SMB CloF
9	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	64	13:43:26.462956	TCP NB SessMsg

To this point DumpSec has contacted the machine being analyzed. The contact by Pc Name is actually made in packet number 5, displayed below. Packets 10 through 64 are used for gathering all of the information displayed in the main program window.

10	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	222	13:43:50.824266	SMB NBIO
11	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.824996	SMB NBIO
12	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	192	13:43:50.825840	SMB NBIO
13	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	178	13:43:50.826257	SMB NBIO
14	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	192	13:43:50.827030	SMB NBIO
15	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	162	13:43:50.827360	SMB NBIO
16	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.828112	SMB NBIO
17	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.828442	SMB NBIO
18	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	210	13:43:50.829723	SMB NBIO
19	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.847031	SMB NBIO
20	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	222	13:43:50.848048	SMB NBIO
21	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.848495	SMB NBIO
22	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	202	13:43:50.849309	SMB NBIO
23	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	298	13:43:50.850389	SMB NBIO

In packet 23 all of the available users on the machine are identified That packet is displayed below.

24	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	198	13:43:50.851329	SMB NBIO
25	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.851810	SMB NBIO
26	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	192	13:43:50.852548	SMB NBIO
27	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	642	13:43:50.853592	SMB NBIO

In packet 27 the first of the administrator settings are sent to the machine running DumpSec. That packet is displayed below

28	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	194	13:43:50.854863	SMB NBIO
29	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	270	13:43:50.855311	SMB NBIO
30	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.856184	SMB NBIO

31	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	170	13:43:50.856537	SMB NBIO
32	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	274	13:43:50.857470	SMB NBIO
33	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	162	13:43:50.857827	SMB NBIO
34	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.858715	SMB NBIO
35	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.859058	SMB NBIO
36	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	198	13:43:50.859838	SMB NBIO
37	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.860304	SMB NBIO
38	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	192	13:43:50.861053	SMB NBIO
39	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	630	13:43:50.861851	SMB NBIO

In packet 39 the first of the Guest settings are sent to the machine running DumpSec. That packet is displayed below

40	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	194	13:43:50.863086	SMB NBIO
41	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	258	13:43:50.863516	SMB NBIO
42	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.864365	SMB NBIO
43	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	170	13:43:50.864712	SMB NBIO
44	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	274	13:43:50.865624	SMB NBIO
45	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	158	13:43:50.865971	SMB NBIO
46	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.867261	SMB NBIO
47	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.867623	SMB NBIO
48	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	198	13:43:50.868408	SMB NBIO
49	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.868867	SMB NBIO
50	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	192	13:43:50.869626	SMB NBIO
51	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	686	13:43:50.870754	SMB NBIO

In packet 51, the first of O. Viitamaki settings are sent to the machine running DumpSec. That packet is displayed below.

52	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	194	13:43:50.872056	SMB NBIO
53	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	270	13:43:50.872505	SMB NBIO
54	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.873365	SMB NBIO
55	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	170	13:43:50.873711	SMB NBIO
56	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	274	13:43:50.874624	SMB NBIO
57	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	174	13:43:50.874983	SMB NBIO
58	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.875800	SMB NBIO
59	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.876143	SMB NBIO
60	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.877004	SMB NBIO
61	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.877333	SMB NBIO
62	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	190	13:43:50.878085	SMB NBIO
63	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	166	13:43:50.878411	SMB NBIO
64	IP-10.100.50.8	IP-2242	IP-10.100.50.87	IP-139	64	13:43:50.996832	TCP NB SessMsg

## Packet #5

Flags: 0x00  
Status: 0x00  
Packet Length: 206  
Timestamp: 13:43:26.340115 11/06/2000

Analysis and tracking information inserted by Etherpeek  
before the Ethernet header.

### Ethernet Header

Destination: 00:10:A4:ED:47:0D  
Source: 00:50:8B:67:9C:FB  
Protocol Type: 0x0800 IP

Start of actual packet

### IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

Version: 4  
Header Length: 5 (20 bytes)  
Type of Service: %00000000  
*Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability*  
Total Length: 188  
Identifier: 51169  
Fragmentation Flags: %010 *Do Not Fragment Last Fragment*  
Fragment Offset: 0 (0 bytes)  
Time To Live: 128  
Protocol: 6 TCP  
Header Checksum: 0xB933  
Source IP Address: 10.100.50.8  
Dest. IP Address: 10.100.50.87

No IP Options

### TCP - Transport Control Protocol

Source Port: 2242  
Destination Port: 139 *NETBIOS Session Service*  
Sequence Number: 1190518053  
Ack Number: 74370  
Offset: 5  
Reserved: %000000  
Code: %011000

*Ack is valid*

*Push Request*

Window: 8525  
Checksum: 0xB532  
Urgent Pointer: 0  
No TCP Options

### NetBIOS Session Service - Network Basic Input/Output System

Packet Type: 0x00 *Session Message*  
Flags: 0x00 *Length Extension Off*  
Length: 144

### SMB - Server Message Block

Protocol ID: SMB  
Command Code: 37 *Transaction - Name, Bytes In/Out*  
Error Code Class: 0x00 *Success*  
Reserved: 0x00



Error Code: 0 Success  
Flags: 0x18  
Request  
Pathnames Are Without Case  
Pathnames Are Already In Canonicalized Format  
Flags2: 0x8003  
Application Understands Long File Names  
Application Understands Extended Attributes  
Application Understands Unicode Strings  
Reserved:  
Ø,..... D8 82 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  
Tree ID (TID): 0x0800  
Process ID (PID): 0x1180  
User ID (UID): 0x0800  
Multiplex ID (MID): 0x1A80

SMB Transaction - Name, Bytes In/OutRequest

Word Count: 16  
Total Param Bytes: 0  
Total Data Bytes: 60  
Param Bytes To Recv: 0  
Data Bytes To Recv: 1024  
Setup Bytes To Recv: 0  
Reserved: 0x00  
Flags: 0x0000  
Timeout (millisec.): 0  
Reserved: 0x0000  
Params This Buffer: 0  
Params Bytes Offset: 84  
Data This Buffer: 60  
Data Bytes Offset: 84  
Setup Word Count: 2  
Reserved: 0x00  
Additional Setup Bytes:  
&. . 26 00 09 08  
Byte Count: 77  
File Pathname:

Parameter And Data Bytes:

.~.....<..... 00 7E 05 00 00 03 10 00 00 00 3C 00 00 00 01 00  
..\$......è.©... 00 00 24 00 00 00 00 00 15 00 E8 04 A9 00 08 00  
.....\.\.p. 00 00 00 00 00 00 08 00 00 00 5C 00 5C 00 70 00  
c.8.7.2...e.... 63 00 38 00 37 00 32 00 00 00 65 00 00 00 00

Packet #23

Flags: 0x00

Analysis and tracking information inserted by Etherpeek

Status: 0x00  
Packet Length: 298  
Timestamp: 13:43:50.850389 11/06/2000

before the Ethernet header.

Ethernet Header

Start of actual packet

Destination: 00:50:8B:67:9C:FB  
Source: 00:10:A4:ED:47:0D  
Protocol Type: 0x0800 IP

IP Header - Internet Protocol Datagram

Version: 4  
Header Length: 5 (20 bytes)  
Type of Service: %00000000  
Precedence: Routine, Normal Delay, Normal Throughput, Normal Reliability  
Total Length: 280  
Identifier: 6712  
Fragmentation Flags: %010 Do Not Fragment Last Fragment  
Fragment Offset: 0 (0 bytes)  
Time To Live: 128  
Protocol: 6 TCP  
Header Checksum: 0x6681  
Source IP Address: 10.100.50.87  
Dest. IP Address: 10.100.50.8  
No IP Options

TCP - Transport Control Protocol

Source Port: 139 NETBIOS Session Service  
Destination Port: 2242  
Sequence Number: 75225  
Ack Number: 1190519271  
Offset: 5  
Reserved: %000000  
Code: %011000  
Ack is valid  
Push Request  
Window: 7690  
Checksum: 0x9271  
Urgent Pointer: 0  
No TCP Options

NetBIOS Session Service - Network Basic Input/Output System

Packet Type: 0x00 Session Message  
Flags: 0x00 Length Extension Off  
Length: 236

SMB - Server Message Block

Protocol ID: SMB  
Command Code: 37 Transaction - Name, Bytes In/Out  
Error Code Class: 0x00 Success  
Reserved: 0x00  
Error Code: 0 Success  
Flags: 0x98

```

Response
Pathnames Are Without Case
Pathnames Are Already In Canonicalized Format
Flags2:      0x8003
Application Understands Long File Names
Application Understands Extended Attributes
Application Understands Unicode Strings
Reserved:
Ø,..... D8 82 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
Tree ID (TID):      0x0800
Process ID (PID):    0x1180
User ID (UID):       0x0800
Multiplex ID (MID):  0x1C80
SMB Transaction - Name, Bytes In/OutResponse
Word Count:      10
Total Param Bytes: 0
Total Data Bytes: 180
Reserved:         0x0000
Params This Buffer: 0
Params Bytes Offset: 56
Params Displacement: 0
Data This Buffer:  180
Data Bytes Offset: 56
Data Displacement: 0
Setup Word Count: 0
Reserved:         0x00
Byte Count:       181
Parameter And Data Bytes:
8.....'...>.. 38 05 00 02 03 10 00 00 00 B4 00 00 00 3E 00 00
.æ.....pp. 00 9C 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 03 00 00 00 70 70 14
....po.....ô.. 00 03 00 00 00 00 70 6F 14 00 03 00 00 00 F4 01 00
... ..".ö..... 00 1A 00 20 00 10 A8 14 00 F5 01 00 00 0A 00 20
.....è..... .Ho. 00 10 00 14 00 E8 03 00 00 10 00 20 00 48 6F 14
.....A.d 00 10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 41 00 64
.m.i.n.i.s.t.r.a 00 6D 00 69 00 6E 00 69 00 73 00 74 00 72 00 61
.t.o.r..... 00 74 00 6F 00 72 00 00 05 10 00 00 00 00 00 00
.....G.u.e.s.t.. 00 05 00 00 00 47 00 75 00 65 00 73 00 74 00 00
.....a.a 01 10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 08 00 00 00 aa 00 bb --- aa, bb substituted for the actual entry
.a.y.y.z.z.... 00 cc 00 dd 00 ee 00 ff 00 gg 00 hh 00 ii 00 00 --- cc through ii on this line
..... 00 00 00 00 00
Frame Check Sequence: 0x00000000

```

## Packet # 27 Administrator

The packet has been edited, in the interest of saving space, the Ethernet header, TCP header, and NetBios Session Service header are similar to packet 23, and do not significantly add to the discussion

[illegible]

Frame Check Sequence: 0x00000000

### Packet # 39 Guest

The packet has been edited, in the interest of saving space, the Ethernet header, TCP header, and NetBios Session Service header are similar to packet 23, and do not significantly add to the discussion

#### SMB Transaction - Name, Bytes In/OutResponse

```

Word Count: 10
Total Param Bytes: 0
Total Data Bytes: 512
Reserved: 0x0000
Params This Buffer: 0
Params Bytes Offset: 56
Params Displacement: 0
Data This Buffer: 512
Data Bytes Offset: 56
Data Displacement: 0
Setup Word Count: 0
Reserved: 0x00
Byte Count: 513
Parameter And Data Bytes:
.....F.. 2E 05 00 02 03 10 00 00 00 00 02 00 00 46 00 00
.è.....|....À 00 E8 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 7C 14 00 15 00 C0
>..... 3E 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
.@pucp°¿..... 00 40 70 75 63 70 B0 BF 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
.....@p>T-ß¿ 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 40 70 3E 54 96 DF BF
.....@s.....°P. 01 0A 00 0A 00 40 73 14 00 00 00 00 00 B0 50 14
.....8.....`©. 00 00 00 00 00 38 13 14 00 00 00 00 00 60 A9 14
.....ÐP.....8.. 00 00 00 00 00 D0 50 14 00 00 00 00 00 38 09 14
.p.p.øu.....ÀP. 00 70 00 70 00 F8 75 14 00 00 00 00 00 C0 50 14
.....è.....pp. 00 00 00 00 00 E8 90 14 00 00 00 00 00 70 70 14
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
.ö.....ÿÿÿ 00 F5 01 00 00 01 02 00 00 11 00 00 00 FF FF FF
.".....^..... 00 A8 00 00 00 88 02 14 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 05 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 00 00
.G.u.e.s.t.i.... 00 47 00 75 00 65 00 73 00 74 00 69 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
.....8..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 38 00 00 00 00 00 00
.8...B.u.i.l.t.- 00 38 00 00 00 42 00 75 00 69 00 6C 00 74 00 2D
.i.n. .a.c.c.o.u 00 69 00 6E 00 20 00 61 00 63 00 63 00 6F 00 75
.n.t. .f.o.r. .g 00 6E 00 74 00 20 00 66 00 6F 00 72 00 20 00 67
.u.e.s.t. .a.c.c 00 75 00 65 00 73 00 74 00 20 00 61 00 63 00 63
.e.s.s. .t.o. .t 00 65 00 73 00 73 00 20 00 74 00 6F 00 20 00 74
.h.e. .c.o.m.p.u 00 68 00 65 00 20 00 63 00 6F 00 6D 00 70 00 75
.t.e.r./ .d.o.m.a 00 74 00 65 00 72 00 2F 00 64 00 6F 00 6D 00 61

```

```
.i.n..... 00 69 00 6E 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
.....i..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 EC 04 00 00 00 00
....ÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿ 00 15 00 00 00 FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
ÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿÿ... FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF
. 00
Frame Check Sequence: 0x00000000
```

## Packet #51 Oliver Viitamaki

The packet has been edited, in the interest of saving space, the Ethernet header, TCP header, and NetBios Session Service header are similar to packet 23, and do not significantly add to the discussion

### SMB Transaction - Name, Bytes In/OutResponse

```
Word Count: 10
Total Param Bytes: 0
Total Data Bytes: 568
Reserved: 0x0000
Params This Buffer: 0
Params Bytes Offset: 56
Params Displacement: 0
Data This Buffer: 568
Data Bytes Offset: 56
Data Displacement: 0
Setup Word Count: 0
Reserved: 0x00
Byte Count: 569
Parameter And Data Bytes:
.....8...L.. 2E 05 00 02 03 10 00 00 00 38 02 00 00 4C 00 00
. ....|....š 00 20 02 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 7C 14 00 15 00 9A
ØðJy9ÎFÀ.ð½ž' iEÀ D8 F0 4A 79 39 CE 46 C0 01 F0 BD 9E 92 EC 45 C0
...hûó2À..... 01 00 03 68 DB F3 32 C0 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..ÄN.½3Ä...1î.bÄ 00 00 C3 D1 05 BD 33 C0 01 00 03 31 CC 19 62 C0
.....@s.. .Ho. 01 10 00 10 00 40 73 14 00 20 00 20 00 48 6F 14
.....è.....ÄP. 00 00 00 00 00 E8 90 14 00 00 00 00 00 C0 50 14
.....8.....ðP. 00 00 00 00 00 38 09 14 00 00 00 00 00 D0 50 14
..".".po.....`©. 00 22 00 22 00 70 6F 14 00 00 00 00 00 60 A9 14
.....pp..`..`pÖ. 00 00 00 00 00 70 70 14 00 60 00 60 00 70 D5 13
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
.è.....ÿÿÿ 00 E8 03 00 00 01 02 00 00 10 00 00 00 FF FF FF
..^..... 00 A8 00 00 00 88 02 14 00 00 00 1E 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 08 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 08 00 00
.A.A.A.Y.Y.Y.Z.Z aa bb cc dd ee ff gg hh ii jj kk ll mm nn oo pp
. ....O.l 00 10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 00 00 00 4F 00 6C
.i.v.e.r. .V.i.i 00 69 00 76 00 65 00 72 00 20 00 56 00 69 00 69
.t.a.m.a.k.i.... 00 74 00 61 00 6D 00 61 00 6B 00 69 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
..... 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
```

--- This line modified to protect the guilty..., otherwise its Intact.

**Frame Check Sequence:** 0x00000000

### 3.0 Assignment 3 – “Analyze This” Scenario

**Syn-Apps Consulting** was asked to provide a bid for Security Services at GIAC Enterprises. The data provided was analyzed, the following issues were noted. A group of decisions need to be made, by management, in order to proceed further. The cost of services will be quoted based on what services are agreed upon by management and Syn-Apps Consulting as being required.

## Background

The Network at GIAC Enterprises has received numerous, repeated probes from various outside addresses. Some of the probing has been with “Hacking” tools crafted specifically for that purpose. It is well understood that once a specific machine has been identified with a specific vulnerability that the machine can be compromised in less than 60 seconds.

GIAC Enterprises has not provided a Network Map, a copy of their Security Policy, a list of their installed Operating System types or configuration of their screening router(s) or Firewall(s). That information would go a long way in helping to provide a tailored analysis of the data.

### 3.1 Executive Summary

#### Assumptions:

- GIAC Enterprises has known but undisclosed (to this analyst) issues with the Chinese Academy of Sciences, therefore the “Watchlist 222”
- GIAC Enterprises has known but undisclosed (to this analyst) issues with, NV-PICTUREVISION of Israel therefore “Watchlist 220”
- MY.NET.253.41, MY.NET.253.42, MY.NET.253.43 are the official E-mail servers for GIAC Enterprises.  
MY.NET.6.7 is not an E-mail server
- MY.NET.1.3, MY.NET.1.4, & MY.NET.1.5, are DNS Servers for GIAC Enterprises.

#### Issues:

##### Compromised Hosts:

- MY.NET.219.142, MY.NET.218.242, and MY.NET.217.218. Packets from these hosts have been captured with invalid combinations of flags. **Analysis of Type 3 Data, Suspicious Traffic** contains details.
- MY.NET.1.13 **Analysis of Type 2 Data, Second Generic Type** contains details

##### Potentially Compromised Hosts:

- MY.NET.6.35, and MY.NET.179.80 should be checked for signs of the Happy99 Virus, **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **Happy 99 Virus** contains the details.
- A large number of nodes on MY.NET.X.Y are participating in IRC type activities, and will soon be compromised, if they are not now, without strong defenses. **Analysis of Type 3 Data, Suspicious Traffic** contains details
- MY.NET.6.7, due to E-mail services scanning, from the Chinese Academy of Sciences, **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC** contains the details
- MY.NET.60.11, due to repeated Telnet accesses from the Chinese Academy of Sciences, **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC** contains the details
- MY.NET.217.42, MY.NET.219.26, MY.NET.218.218, MY.NET.217.82, MY.NET.211.2, MY.NET.105.2, and MY.NET.6.15 due to large numbers of attempts for RPC accesses from various sources. **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the sections **SUNRPC highport access!**, **Attempted Sun RPC high port access**, and **External RPC call** contain the details
- MY.NET.60.8, MY.NET.60.11, MY.NET.100.2, MY.NET.60.16, MY.NET.98.197, MY.NET.98.124, MY.NET.97.237, MY.NET.98.162, and MY.NET.98.193 due to large numbers of attempted accesses to port 1080, **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **WinGate1080 Attempt** contains the details.
- MY.NET.101.192 repeated attempted accesses to well known Microsoft ports **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **SMB Name Wildcard** contains the details
- MY.NET.208.178, MY.NET.221.94, and MY.NET.181.87 appear to be participating in Internet Relay Chat (IRC) activity with NV-PICTUREVISION, **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDN NET-990517** contains the details
- Numerous Scanning tools have been used against the MY.NET. X.Y Network. The sections **SYN-FIN scan!**, **Null scan!**, **NMAP TCP ping!**, **Queso fingerprint**, and **Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt** in the section **Analysis of Type 1 Data**, virtually the whole of **Analysis of Type 2 Data**, and **Analysis of Type 3 Data** show evidence of the tools.



- The network device at MY.NET.101.192 has a default SNMP Password, **Analysis of Type 1 Data** the section **SNMP public access** contains the details

#### Targeted Hosts:

- The following hosts show signs of being directly targeted MY.NET.97.119, MY.NET.60.11, MY.NET.253.42, MY.NET. 219, MY.NET219.118, MY.NET207.74, MY.NET.5.7, MY.NET.98.160, MY.NET.220.190, MY.NET.217.206 MY.NET.202.150, MY.NET.253.112, MY.NET.97.230, MY.NET.218.34, MY.NET.98.188 and MY.NET.208.18. This observation is based on evidence in section **Analysis of Type 2 Data** subsection **Third Generic Type**.

#### Intrusion Detection Sensor:

- Detected data, is intermittently available, due to various reasons, examples are, runs out of disk space, crashes, power failure
- Large Volumes of data, when the data is available.

#### Actions:

- Compromised Hosts,
  1. remove compromise,
  2. when possible, install at a new IP address
- Potentially Compromised Hosts,
  1. validate respective compromise,
  2. remove compromise, when found
  3. consider installing at another IP address
- Intrusion Detection Sensor (IDS),
  1. consider installing more disk,
  2. removing detected data more frequently,
  3. putting the IDS on an Uninterruptable Power Supply
  4. analyzing the detected data on a more frequent (hourly) basis, with automated tools
  5. troubleshoot any remaining issues with IDS
  6. dedicate a full time Analyst to IDS

#### Decision Matrix:

- Leave things as they are, GIAC Enterprises to assume consequences.
- or**
- Decide which items internal resources can be used to troubleshoot and repair
  - Decide which items will require attention from external resources

#### Action Plan:

The plan will be developed based on the output of the Decision Matrix. Naturally, due to the large number of issues a prioritized approach will be required. Syn-Apps Consulting is prepared to go ahead once a decision is made and direction is given.

## 3.2 Detailed analysis

### 3.2.0 Background

The Snort rules used as examples in the detects below have been obtained from the Snort 1.6.3 Ruleset Updated -- 10/10/2000. These rules do not in all cases directly match the Ruleset in use by GIAC Enterprises, and are used here as a basis for developing the hypothesis of how the detects were created. GIAC Enterprises is invited to make their Ruleset available, in cases where there is a strong divergence between the rule that I have assumed to be in place, and the rule actually in place, in the Snort Intrusion Detection System.

### Supplementary Information used to develop the analysis of the Snort Rules

Identify and install tools that aid in detecting signs of intrusion. <http://www.cert.org/security-improvement/practices/p042.html>

Writing rules and understanding alerts for Snort, a network intrusion detection system <http://www.cert.org/security-improvement/implementations/i042.14.html>

Writing Snort Rules How To write Snort rules and keep your sanity Current as of version 1.6 by Martin Roesch <http://www.snort.org/>

Three types of data files were provided for analysis. It is assumed that the start of the period to be analyzed is August 15<sup>th</sup> at 00:00:00 and ends on September 14<sup>th</sup> at 24:00:00 as this is the time which is to some degree covered by all of the provided data sets.

One type was labeled SnortA## where ## is a randomly assigned numeric value. This file type contained data with the following characteristics:

```
08/11-00:33:44.374672  [**] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [**] 159.226.23.155:37822 -> MY.NET.6.7:25
08/11-00:33:46.103627  [**] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [**] 159.226.23.155:113 -> MY.NET.6.7:28835
08/11-00:33:47.338274  [**] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [**] 159.226.23.155:37822 -> MY.NET.6.7:25
```

This will be referred to as **Type 1 data**.

Type 1 data sets were unavailable for August 21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29,30, 31, September 1, and 4. Most data sets covered the whole day, on September 9<sup>th</sup> the data set ran over to September 10<sup>th</sup> by 2 hours, this may provide duplicate data for those 2 hours as this was not excluded. This should be a minor issue judging by the overall traffic provided.

The second file type was labeled SnortS##, where ## is again a randomly assigned numeric value. This file type contained data with the following characteristics:

```
Aug 15 00:46:11 195.114.226.41:2244 -> MY.NET.1.2:21 SYN **S*****
Aug 15 00:46:12 195.114.226.41:2250 -> MY.NET.1.8:21 SYN **S*****
Aug 15 00:46:14 195.114.226.41:2252 -> MY.NET.1.10:21 SYN **S*****
```

This will be referred to as **Type 2 Data**.

Type 2 data sets were unavailable for August 19,20,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,29,30,31, September 1, and 12. The Data set for September 5<sup>th</sup> did not cover the whole day.

```
08/28-00:27:14.211201 128.194.9.94:1575 -> MY.NET.201.190:6699
TCP TTL:116 TOS:0x0 ID:41583 DF
**SFR**U Seq: 0xB3D2B34 Ack: 0x80025E Win: 0x5010
TCP Options => EOL EOL
```

This will be referred to as **Type 3 Data**

In order to understand, and help determine an approach to analyze the data, it was considered appropriate to break down the data, and determine the number and types of attacks, that the network was under during the sampling period. The following duplicate files have not been included in the data. SnortA20 contains the same data set as SnortA21, therefore SnortA21 was excluded, SnortS20 contains the same data set as SnortS21, therefore S21 was excluded, SOOS9 contains the same data set as SOO10, and therefore SOO10 was excluded.

### 3.2.1 Analysis of Type 1 Data

#### TOP Detects in the Alert (Type 1) Files

Type of Alert	Total of this Type
Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC	15405
Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517	4480
WinGate 1080 Attempt	3857
SYN-FIN scan!	3065
Attempted Sun RPC high port access	1869
SNMP public access	607
SMB Name Wildcard	315
Null scan!	154
NMAP TCP ping!	131
SUNRPC highport access!	63
Queso fingerprint	46
Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt	41
External RPC call	40
TCP SMTP Source Port traffic	8
Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623	8
Happy 99 Virus	1
Total Detected Types of Attacks	30090

#### Top 20 Addresses Attracting Attention in the Alert ( Type1) Files

Detection and Destination Address	Number of attempts
Attempted Sun RPC high port access at MY.NET.217.42	1054
SNMP public access at MY.NET.101.192	788
Attempted Sun RPC high port access at MY.NET.219.26	391
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.60.8	258
SMB Name Wildcard at MY.NET.101.192	253
Attempted Sun RPC high port access at MY.NET.218.218	240
Attempted Sun RPC high port access at MY.NET.217.82	174
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.60.11	167
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.100.2	91
SUNRPC highport access! at MY.NET.211.2	57
Attempted Sun RPC high port access at MY.NET.220.58	52
Attempted Sun RPC high port access at MY.NET.105.2	45
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.60.16	39
External RPC call at MY.NET.6.15	27
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.98.197	25
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.98.124	21
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.97.237	18
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.98.162	18
NMAP TCP ping! at MY.NET.1.8	16
WinGate 1080 Attempt at MY.NET.98.193	15

### 3.2.1.1 Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC

#### Snort Rule

**Custom** - This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from a version other than 1.6.3.

possibly, an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture any traffic from 159.226.X.Y to MY.NET.X.Y It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more options specified.

```
alert TCP 159.226.0.0/16 any -> $HOME_NET any (msg:" Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC ";
```

**Description:** This rule has been generated to log any TCP traffic with a source address belonging to The Computer Network Center, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Institute of Computing Technology, Chinese Academy of Sciences. GIAC Enterprises obviously has a special interest in keeping track of traffic from Institute of Computing Technology Chinese Academy of Sciences.

**Known Issues:** The standard issues involved with network scanning, Operating System evaluation for exposures, exposure of proprietary corporate data to potential competitors, Denial of Service (DoS) etc. There is more information required from GIAC Enterprises, in order to better understand their concerns with this address block, and perhaps be able to adjust (tune) the snort rules accordingly. As an example see Figure 1. This drawing depicts how the E-mail system between GIAC Enterprises and the Chinese Academy of Sciences is working, based on sensor data. Port 113 traffic incoming from the Chinese Academy of Sciences to MY.NET.253.41, MY.NET.253.42, MY.NET.253.43 are Ident (Identify) requests. The Ident requests are as a result of E-mail sent from GIAC Enterprises to the Chinese Academy of Sciences. The Sendmail program at the Chinese Academy of Sciences, has been configured to attempt to identify the individual sending the E-mail from GIAC Enterprises therefore the Ident traffic. The Sendmail program at NV-PICTUREVISION has not been configured to identify an individual, therefore it does not generate the Ident traffic. The rule above does not track the outgoing traffic to the Chinese Academy of Sciences, just the incoming traffic, therefore we do not see the outgoing E-mail traffic, and have one half of the information required. This E-mail/ident traffic alone generates 13532 detects out of the 15405. Has GIAC Enterprises received many Virii from this site through E-mail?

**MY.NET.6.7 is assumed not to be an E-mail server. It is being probed for E-mail Services. This is a concern.**

#### Known SMTP Exposures:

CAN-2000-0738 WebShield SMTP 4.5 allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service by sending e-mail with a From: address that has a . (period) at the end,

which causes WebShield to continuously send itself copies of the e-mail.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0738>

CAN-2000-0657 Buffer overflow in AnalogX proxy server 4.04 and earlier allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a long HELO command in the SMTP protocol.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0657>

CVE-2000-0582 Check Point FireWall-1 4.0 and 4.1 allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service by sending a stream of invalid commands (such as binary zeros) to the SMTP Security Server proxy.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2000-0582>

CVE-1999-0203 In Sendmail, attackers can gain root privileges via SMTP by specifying an improper "mail from" address and an invalid "rcpt to" address that would cause the mail to bounce to a program.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0203>

CVE-1999-0047 MIME conversion buffer overflow in Sendmail versions 8.8.3 and 8.8.4. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0047>

CVE-1999-0130 Local users can start Sendmail in daemon mode and gain root privileges. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0130>

CVE-1999-0131 Buffer overflow and denial of service in Sendmail 8.7.5 and earlier through GECOS field gives root access to local users.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0131>

CVE-1999-0203 In Sendmail, attackers can gain root privileges via SMTP by specifying an improper "mail from" address and an invalid "rcpt to" address

that would cause the mail to bounce to a program. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0203>  
CVE-1999-0204 Sendmail 8.6.9 allows remote attackers to execute root commands, using ident. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0204>  
CVE-1999-0206 MIME buffer overflow in Sendmail 8.8.0 and 8.8.1 gives root access. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0206>  
Advisory CA-1997-05 MIME Conversion Buffer Overflow in Sendmail Versions 8.8.3 and 8.8.4 <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-1997-05.html>  
SANS CVE Entries <http://www.sans.org/y2k/CVE.htm>

The vast majority of the remaining traffic (the last two sections below) is made up of two different types, first from the Chinese Academy of Sciences to MY.NET.X.Y port 23 and from MY.NET.X.Y port 23 to the Chinese Academy of Sciences **is a major concern**. This is **Telnet** traffic it is used to create a Virtual Terminal service on a remote machine. It allows the user who logs on, to run programs on that machine as well as **potentially become ROOT** on the machine.

BugtraqID: 459 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/459.html>

BugtraqID: 594-Possible to set the TERM environmental variable before connecting. <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/594.html>

Nt4.0 Telnet to port 53 vulnerability <http://support.microsoft.com/support/kb/articles/Q169/4/61.ASP>

Win2k Telnet.exe malicious server vulnerability <http://www.insecure.org/sploits/NT.NTLM.auto-authentication.html>

Windows 2000 Telnet Client NTLM Authentication" Vulnerability <http://www.insecure.org/sploits/NT.NTLM.auto-authentication.html>

## Detection:

08/11-00:33:47.338274 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.23.155:37822 -> MY.NET.6.7:25  
08/11-02:13:17.167679 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.63.200:113 -> MY.NET.253.43:55219  
08/11-02:13:19.466406 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.63.200:1843 -> MY.NET.253.43:25  
  
08/11-01:51:05.043450 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.108:1051 -> MY.NET.6.7:23 to  
08/11-02:23:28.664773 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.108:1051 -> MY.NET.6.7:23 then  
08/11-02:23:44.834384 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.108:1054 -> MY.NET.60.8:23 to  
08/11-02:25:17.278243 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.108:1054 -> MY.NET.60.8:23 then  
08/11-02:25:24.710017 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.108:1055 -> MY.NET.6.7:23 to  
08/11-03:01:53.618330 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.108:1057 -> MY.NET.6.7:23 then  
08/16-20:42:09.047163 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.3:4628 -> MY.NET.6.7:23 to  
08/16-20:50:55.336179 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.3:4628 -> MY.NET.6.7:23

09/11-10:58:58.817818 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.3:23 -> MY.NET.163.32:1060 to  
09/11-11:17:22.505410 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.45.3:23 -> MY.NET.163.32:1060 then  
08/11-16:11:43.712817 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.41.166:23 -> MY.NET.60.11:10593 to  
08/11-16:21:53.440338 **[\*\*] Watchlist 000222 NET-NCFC [\*\*]** 159.226.41.166:23 -> MY.NET.60.11:10593

There are 15405 total detects logged to various addresses on MY.NET.X.X. they are not listed here in the interests of keeping this reasonably brief.

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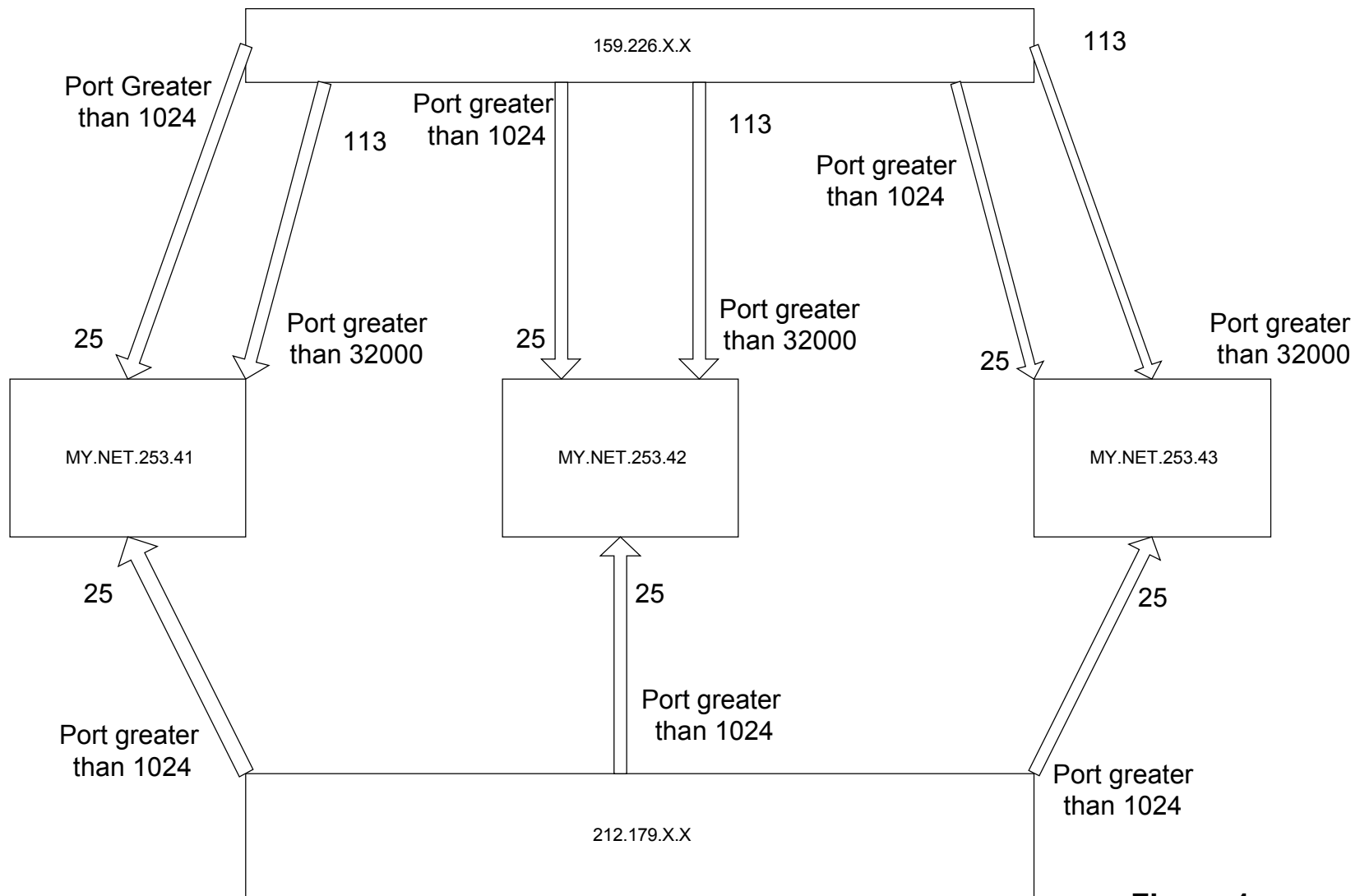
Beijing, China

Netname: NCFC

Netnumber: 159.226.0.0

Coordinator: Qian, Haulin (QH3-ARIN) hlqian@NS.CNC.AC.CN

+86 1 2569960



**Figure 1**  
E-mail Systems

### 3.2.1.2 Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517

#### Snort Rule

Custom - This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from a version other than 1.6.

possibly, an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture any traffic from 212.79.X.X to MY.NET.X.X It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more options specified.

```
alert TCP 212.179.0.0/16 any -> $HOME_NET any (msg:" Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 ";)
```

**Description:** This rule has been generated to log any TCP traffic with a source address belonging to NV-PICTUREVISION in Israel. GIAC Enterprises obviously has a special interest in keeping track of traffic from them.

**Known Issues:** Stacheldraht and Trinity distributed denial of service (DDoS), "ILOVEYOU" virus, EvilFTP, phAse Zero, ExploreZip.worm, and SubSeven. Are all known to be distributed by, take part in, and communicate within an Internet Relay Chat (IRC) channel. There is more information required from GIAC Enterprises, in order to better understand their specific reason for leaving this address block open. Several machines at GIAC Enterprises appear to be participating in IRC, sessions with this address block, NV-PICTUREVISION.

CERT® Co-Ordination Center: Results of the Distributed-Systems Intruder Tools Workshop [http://www.cert.org/reports/dsit\\_workshop-final.html](http://www.cert.org/reports/dsit_workshop-final.html)

CERT® Advisory CA-1994-14 Trojan Horse in IRC Client for UNIX <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-1994-14.html>

CAN-2000-0138 A system has a distributed denial of service (DDOS) attack master, agent, or zombie installed, such as (1) Trinoo, (2) Tribe Flood Network (TFN), (3) Tribe Flood Network 2000 (TFN2K), (4) stacheldraht, (5) mstream, or (6) shaft. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvekey.cgi?keyword=Stacheldraht>

SANS Institute, Help Defeat Denial of Service Attacks: Step-by-Step <http://www.sans.org/dosstep/index.htm>

SANS Institute, NAPSTER - Should You Be Worried About It? <http://www.sans.org/infosecFAQ/napster.htm>

SANS Institute, Gnutella defeats many perimeter defenses <http://www.sans.org/infosecFAQ/gnutella.htm>

SANS Institute, The "stacheldraht" Distributed Denial of Service Attack Tool <http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/stacheldraht.htm>

SANS Institute, Distributed Denial of Service Attack Tools: trinoo and wintrinoo <http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trinoo.htm>

### Detection:

08/11-11:35:46.194548 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.58.2:23 -> MY.NET.98.168:1026 to 08/11-11:51:55 Telnet from MY.NET.98.168

08/15-11:24:13.774593 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.32.2:7070 -> MY.NET.10.77:1357 Real Audio

08/16-09:06:07.879318 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.61.247:2052 -> MY.NET.5.29:443 to 08/16-09:08:27 single machine single port  
HTTPS

08/17-00:51:52.776518 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.44.62:30246 -> MY.NET.15.41:6690

08/17-12:45:31.229873 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.66.2:4807 -> MY.NET.181.87:6699 to 08/17-12:50:46 single machine single port  
(IRC, Napster)

08/18-02:58:42.142904 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.32.2:7070 -> MY.NET.98.164:1745 to 08/18-03:02:17 single machine single port  
possibly Real Audio

08/18-07:09:45.681474 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.61.252:1875 -> MY.NET.5.29:443 to 08/18-07:18:44 single machine single  
port

possibly HTTPS

08/20-09:05:41.982563 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.29.150:1098 -> MY.NET.53.28:4407 to 08/20-09:08:38 single machine single  
port

08/20-10:22:34.092107 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.61.244:2350 -> MY.NET.5.29:443 to 08/20-10:27:29 single machine single  
port

possibly HTTPS

09/03-03:37:20.882995 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.27.111:1526 -> MY.NET.206.154:6700 to 09/03-03:51:05 single machine single port

09/03-07:30:23.843182 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.62.74:1984 -> MY.NET.224.78:6346

09/03-13:22:15.772022 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.27.6:1948 -> MY.NET.253.105:26411

09/03-13:22:16.947056 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.27.6:1947 -> MY.NET.253.105:21

09/03-13:22:17.317752 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.27.6:1948 -> MY.NET.253.105:26411



09/03-13:22:37.089030 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.27.6:1948 -> MY.NET.253.105:26411  
09/06-08:41:41.245944 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.61.5:21263 -> MY.NET.220.42:2367  
**09/06-18:47:21.629523** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.47.30:6346 -> MY.NET.223.62:2995 to **09/06-22:59:21** single machine various ports  
**09/07-03:27:11.855673** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.58.4:42790 -> MY.NET.253.42:25 to **09/07-03:27:35** possible e-mail  
**09/07-03:27:14.459009** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.58.4:42795 -> MY.NET.253.41:25 to **09/07-03:28:01** possible e-mail  
**09/09-10:45:10.461542** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.66.2:22756 -> MY.NET.221.94:6699 to **09/09-10:57:36** single machine single port  
(IRC, Napster)  
**09/12-10:20:43.120997** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.127.45:1063 -> MY.NET.202.58:6688 to **09/12-10:30:50** single machine single  
port(IRC)  
**09/12-13:14:42.722174** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.7.36:1462 -> MY.NET.253.42:25 to **09/13-04:35:26** possible e-mail  
09/13-12:10:54.004320 [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.58.204:1430 -> MY.NET.205.254:6699 (IRC, Napster)  
**09/13-15:09:12.472237** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.61.5:21263 -> MY.NET.204.150:2669 to **09/13-15:15:23** single machine single port  
**09/14-07:41:19.868471** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.58.174:2172 -> MY.NET.157.200:6699 to **09/14-07:45:26** single machine single port  
(IRC Napster)  
**09/14-10:44:51.813279** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.7.36:1192 -> MY.NET.253.43:25 to **09/14-10:46:18** possible e-mail  
**09/14-22:43:16.170099** [\*\*] Watchlist 000220 IL-ISDNNET-990517 [\*\*] 212.179.67.195:6699 -> MY.NET.208.178:2575 to **09/14-22:43:47** single machine  
single port (IRC, Napster)

inetnum: **212.179.58.0 - 212.179.58.255**  
netname: NV-PICTUREVISION  
person: Nati Pinko  
address: Bezeq International  
address: Petach Tikvah Israel  
phone: +972 3 9257761

### 3.2.1.3 WinGate 1080 Attempt

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET !53 -> $HOME_NET 1080 (msg:"MISC-WinGate-1080-Attempt"; flags: S; )
```

**Description:** This Snort rule has been created to capture any traffic coming from any source address, not using port 53, destined for MY.NET port 1080. This port has many well known vulnerabilities some of which are mentioned below.

**Known Issues:** This activity is associated with individuals probing for Windows machines that they can then “Nuke”, or for crashing a Proxy Service on UNIX Machines

ISS Notification: NukeNabber connection timeout denial of service <http://xforce.iss.net/static/1540.php>

CERT@ Vulnerability Note VN-98.03 Topic: WinGate IP Laundering [http://www.cert.org/vul\\_notes/VN-98.03.WinGate.html](http://www.cert.org/vul_notes/VN-98.03.WinGate.html)

CERT@ Windows 95/98 Computer Security Information TechTip [http://www.cert.org/tech\\_tips/win-95-info.html](http://www.cert.org/tech_tips/win-95-info.html)

CERT@ Incident Note IN-99-01 "sscan" Scanning Tool [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-99-01.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-99-01.html)

CVE-1999-0290 The WinGate telnet proxy allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a large number of connections to localhost.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0290>

CVE-1999-0291 The WinGate proxy is installed without a password, which allows remote attackers to redirect connections without authentication.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0291>

CVE-1999-0441 Remote attackers can perform a denial of service in WinGate machines using a buffer overflow in the Winsock Redirector Service.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0441>

CVE-1999-0494 Denial of service in WinGate proxy through a buffer overflow in POP3.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0494>

#### Detection:

There were various detects, from many subnets, to many of MY.NET.X.X. These entries require further investigation once there is a network map provided showing which nodes on MY.NET provide which services.

The following detects are important, as this is a node mapping the MY.NET network and starts at

**09/11-18:40:36.435240 [\*\*] WinGate 1080 Attempt [\*\*] 168.187.26.157:1518 -> MY.NET.1.9:1080**

scans the following subnets 1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO 14,2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54 and ends with

09/11-19:16:00.783231 [\*\*] WinGate 1080 Attempt [\*\*] 168.187.26.157:1270 -> MY.NET.54.234:1080. Obviously an automated scan, hitting approximately 5-10 nodes per second. There were some addresses duplicated, and also out of sequence, so it is likely that the script on 168.187.26.157 may have been having problems, or that there were routing issues from 168.187.26.157 from/to MY.NET.X.X.

#### Supporting data from the Type 2 Files

**Sep 11 18:41:16 168.187.26.157:1854 -> MY.NET.1.205:1080 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\***

Scanned the following subnets @ 5-10/sec 1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO 14,2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54

Kuwait Ministry of Communications (NET-MOC-KW)

Netname: MOC-KW

Netnumber: 168.187.0.0

Coordinator: Sharif, Majeed (MS695-ARIN) msharif@KEMS.NET

(965) 2443808

### 3.2.1.4 SYN-FIN scan!

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET any (msg:"SCAN-SYN FIN"; flags: SF; )
```

**Description:** This rule has been created to detect illegal combinations of flags in a TCP session. A node (client) wishing to communicate with another node (server) establishes the TCP connection with a TCP packet containing a SYN, the initial sequence number it wishes to use, to the well known port it wishes to connect to. If the server is willing and able to establish a connection, it responds with a packet, which contains a SYN-ACK, increments the client's initial sequence number by 1 and supplies the server's initial sequence number. If that port is not active on the server, a reset is sent instead to the client node. The client responds to the server's SYN with an ACK, and increments the server's initial sequence number by 1. The initial sequence numbers are incremented as appropriate to each node, with each transfer of data. Communication then continues until the session is complete. The start of session tear down is initiated with a FIN from, which ever node has completed first. The other node responds with an ACK, and if it has completed its portion of the session, as well, it responds with a FIN, if it has not completed its side of the communication it continues until it is complete. The node that has sent its FIN will continue to respond even though it may already have sent a FIN, until both ends of the conversation have sent a FIN, to which the other node responds with an ACK.. As can be observed, the combination of SYN and FIN do not naturally occur together at the same time, in a normal session. This combination of TCP flags is generally used to evade filtering routers or Firewalls which do not maintain state, and thereby pass traffic into the network being protected, for the purpose of mapping it out.

#### Known Issues:

CERT® Incident Note IN-99-01 "sscan" Scanning Tool [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-99-01.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-99-01.html)

CERT Incident Note IN-98.02 New Tools Used For Widespread Scans [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-98.02.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-98.02.html)

#### Detection:

**08/17-09:39:01.814788 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1242 -> MY.NET.217.46:994**

08/17-15:40:13.987546 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1063 -> MY.NET.217.46:994

08/17-15:40:31.391622 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1063 -> MY.NET.217.46:994

08/17-15:41:19.562367 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1063 -> MY.NET.217.46:994

**130.149.41.70** Canonical name: bessy.physik.TU-Berlin.DE

Technische Universitaet Berlin (NET-TUB)

Netnumber: 130.149.0.0

Coordinator: Kasielke, Dieter (DK116-ARIN) Kasielke@ZRZ.TU-BERLIN.DE

+49 30 314 23733

**08/18-06:10:13.466733 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 18.116.0.75:111 -> MY.NET.6.15:111**

08/18-06:10:13.848468 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 18.116.0.75:111 -> MY.NET.15.127:111

08/18-06:10:17.256725 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 18.116.0.75:111 -> MY.NET.100.130:111

**18.116.0.75** Canonical name: FLUTTER.MIT.EDU

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (NET-MIT-TEMP)

Netname: MIT

Netblock: 18.0.0.0 - 18.255.255.255

Coordinator: Schiller, Jeffrey I (JIS-ARIN) jis@MIT.EDU

+1 617 253-8400 (FAX) +1 617 258-8736

**09/02-00:28:03.467564 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 210.101.101.110:111 -> MY.NET.6.15:111 and**

09/02-10:14:17.559327 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 210.101.101.110:23 -> MY.NET.6.15:23

inetnum: **210.101.64.0 - 210.101.127.255**

netname: KORNET  
descr: Korea Telecom  
person: Gisu Choi e-mail: mgr@ns.kornet.nm.kr  
phone: +82 2 766 1407 fax-no: +82 2 766 6008  
country: KR

09/02-20:12:37.581548 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 24.201.209.192:6688 -> MY.NET.202.254:2547  
Videotron Ltee (NETBLK-VL-2BL)

Netname: VL-2BL

**Netblock: 24.200.0.0 - 24.202.255.255**

Maintainer: VLCA

Coordinator: Roy, Pierre (PR163-ARIN) pierre\_roy@VIDEOTRON.COM for abuse, E-mail abuse@videotron.ca  
(514) 985-8656

**09/07-21:33:23.187413 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.1.4:9704**

213.25.136.60 then maps the following subnets, 1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13, tests the one node MY.NET.14.2, continues mapping the following subnets 15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85 subnets in a random fashion using port 9704 as the source and destination until **09/07-21:33:30.514289**.

### Supporting data from the Type 2 Files

Sep 7 21:33:23 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.1.4:9704 SYNFIN \*\*SF\*\*\*\*

1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,MY.NET.14.2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85

Sep 7 21:40:36 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.85.254:9704 SYNFIN \*\*SF\*\*\*\*

### Supporting data from the Type 3 files

09/07-21:33:30.514289 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.1.4:9704

starts and maps the following subnets 1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,MY.NET.14.2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85

09/07-21:40:44.000483 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.85.254:9704

inetnum: **213.25.136.0 - 213.25.136.15**

netname: E-SOLUTIONS

descr: e-SOLUTIONS.com Poland Sp. z o.o. PL

person: Wieslaw Kosidlak e-mail: wkosidlak@mfirelas.com

phone: +48 81 7453340

fax-no: +48 81 7453315

**09/11-06:45:13.077482 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.1.3:21**

starts and maps 1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO 14.2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,

104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,17  
8,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,2  
23,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,253,254

09/11-07:06:48.842343 [\*\*] SYN-FIN scan! [\*\*] 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.254.250:21. Port 21 was used as the source and destination ports in both cases

## Supporting data from the Type 2 Files

Sep 11 06:45:13 **210.61.144.125**:21 -> MY.NET.1.3:21 SYNFIN \*\*SF\*\*\*\*

mapping 1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO 14,2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,  
104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,  
152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,178,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,  
198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,223,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,25  
3,254

Sep 11 07:06:48 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.254.250:21 SYNFIN \*\*SF

## Supporting data from the Type 3 Files

### 210.61.144.125

09/11-06:45:14.854416 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.1.3:21

starts and maps the following subnets 1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,  
104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,17  
8,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,2  
23,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,253,254

09/11-07:06:50.833774 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.254.254:21

inetnum: **210.61.144.0 - 210.61.144.255**

netname: HINET8-144-TW

descr: Abnet Information Co., Ltd

descr: Taipei, Taiwan TW

person: Wen-Lon Li

address: Abnet Information Co., Ltd

phone: +886-2-558-2115

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e-mail: [abnet@ms15.hinet.net](mailto:abnet@ms15.hinet.net)

### 3.2.1.5 Attempted Sun RPC high port access

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET 32771 (msg:"MISC-Attempted Sun RPC high port access"; )
```

**Description:** This rule has been created to detect the individuals that are attempting to compromise the Remote Procedure Call (RPC) programs directly. The normal port for the portmapper service is port 111. When the portmapper service is quizzed, on port 111, it would identify what RPC services are running on that machine, those services are generally located in the 32700 port area on a machine implementing a SUN operating System. In this case the individual is going directly for the RPC services without accessing the portmapper. This method of accessing the services directly, is considered more “stealthy” than asking the portmapper, and then accessing the ports, after being informed by the RPC service where they are. In the Sun implementation of UNIX, it is generally recognized that the RPC ports start at 32771, hence the attack (and Snort rule) is specifically targeting (identifying) Sun machines. The ports found open, will represent services running which will then provide information on which services to attack.

#### Known Issues:

CVE-1999-0008 Buffer overflow in NIS+, in Sun's rpc.nisd program <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0008>

CVE-1999-0212 Solaris rpc.mountd generates error messages that allow a remote attacker to determine what files are on the server.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0212>

CVE-1999-0320 SunOS rpc.cmsd allows attackers to obtain root access by overwriting arbitrary files.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0320>

CVE-1999-0974 Buffer overflow in Solaris snoop allows remote attackers to gain root privileges via GETQUOTA requests to the rpc.rquotad service.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0974>

CAN-1999-0195 Denial of service in RPC portmapper allows attackers to register or unregister RPC services or spoof RPC services using a spoofed source IP address such as 127.0.0.1. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0195>

CAN-1999-0568 rpc.admind in Solaris is not running in a secure mode. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0568>

CAN-1999-0795 The NIS+ rpc.nisd server allows remote attackers to execute certain RPC calls without authentication to obtain system information, disable logging, or modify caches. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0795>

CERT® Advisory CA-2000-17 Input Validation <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-2000-17.html>

CERT® Incident Note IN-2000-10 [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-2000-10.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-2000-10.html)

CERT® Summary CS-2000-03 <http://www.cert.org/summaries/CS-2000-03.html>

CERT® Incident Note IN-99-04 Similar Attacks Using Various RPC Services [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-99-04.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-99-04.html)

CA-99-08 - Buffer Overflow Vulnerability in rpc.cmsd <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-08-cmsd.html>

CA-99-05 - Vulnerability in statd exposes vulnerability in automountd <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-05-statd-automountd.html>

CA-98.11 - Vulnerability in ToolTalk RPC Service <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-98.11.tooltalk.html>

ID FAQ - The trouble with RPCs [http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trouble\\_RPCs.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trouble_RPCs.htm)

RFC for RPC Binding Protocols for ONC RPC Version 2 <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc1833.txt>

#### Detection:

09/02-09:39:11.608534 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] 212.204.196.241:857 -> MY.NET.6.15:32771

09/07-05:37:39.663140 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] 212.204.196.241:665 -> MY.NET.6.15:32771

inetnum: 212.204.196.241 - 212.204.196.250

netname: S193

descr: Widexs BV

notify: [hostmaster@widexs.nl](mailto:hostmaster@widexs.nl)

person: M Mace e-mail: mace@s072.widexs.nl

address: Hoofddorp NL

phone: +31 23 5698073

09/06-23:10:10.012419 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **193.64.205.17**:56880 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771 to  
09/06-23:13:18.324468 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] 193.64.205.17:56880 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771  
inetnum: **193.64.205.0 - 193.64.205.15**  
netname: TARVEASUNNOT-FI-2  
descr: KPNQwest Finland 193.64/15 superbblock  
notify: hostmaster@FI.KPNQwest.net  
person: Janne Jaaskelainen phone: +358 9 54919390  
address: ESPOO, FINLAND

09/07-21:10:18.892811 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **207.29.195.22**:2646 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771  
NetReach, Inc. (NETBLK-NRCH-NETREACH-NET)  
Ambler, PA 19002 AUS  
Netname: NRCH-NETREACH-NET  
Netblock: **207.29.192.0 - 207.29.207.255**  
Coordinator: NetReach, Inc. (IN17-ARIN) admin@netreach.net  
215.283.2300

09/08-16:34:54.280910 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **205.188.4.42**:5190 -> MY.NET.210.2:32771  
America Online, Inc (NETBLK-AOL-DTC)  
Sterling, VA 20166 AUS  
Netname: AOL-DTC  
Netblock: **205.188.0.0 - 205.188.255.255**  
Coordinator: America Online, Inc. (AOL-NOC-ARIN) domains@AOL.NET  
703-265-4670

09/11-21:24:53.037663 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **209.10.41.242**:21 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771  
Globix Corporation (NETBLK-GLOBIXBLK3)  
NY, NY 10012  
Netname: GLOBIXBLK3  
Netblock: **209.10.0.0 - 209.11.159.255**  
Coordinator: Hostmaster, Globix Corporation (GCH2-ARIN) arin-admin@GLOBIX.NET  
212.334.8500 (FAX) 212.334.8615

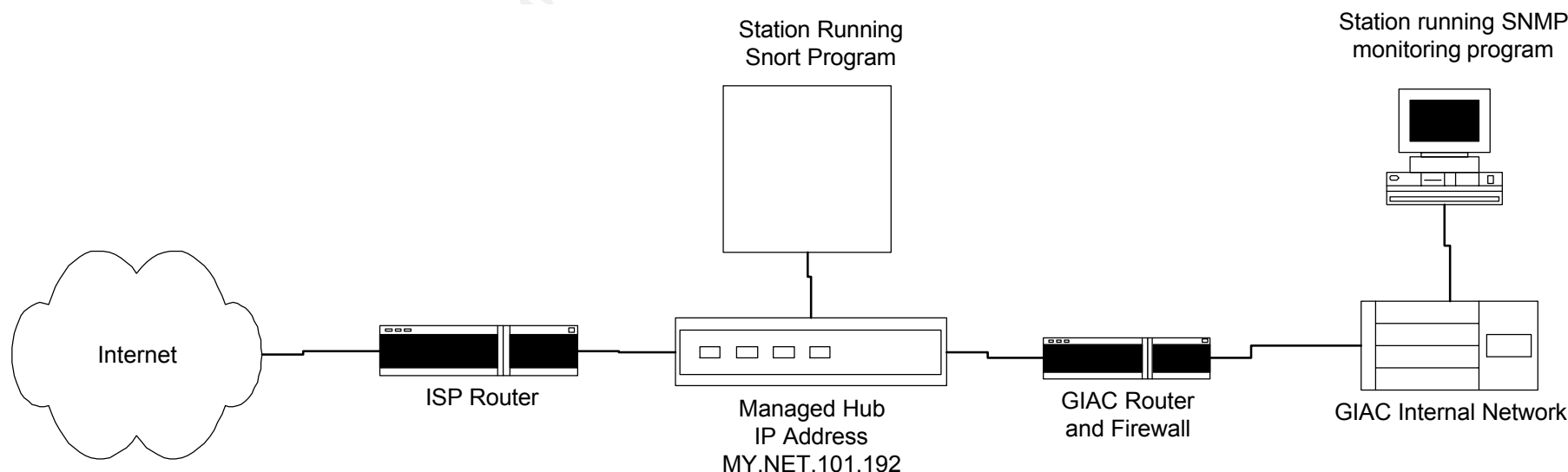
### 3.2.1.6 SNMP public access

Snort Rule Custom - This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture SNMP traffic to port 161 on MY.NET.X.X It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more options.

```
alert UDP any any -> $HOME_NET 161 (msg:"SNMP public access ";;)
```

#### Description:

The Simple Network Monitoring Protocol (SNMP) is a network management protocol used to monitor the status of network equipment. It can provide information such as whether a device is functioning normally, how busy it is, and in some cases SNMP can be used to adjust the operating parameters. The vulnerability here is that the device at MY.NET.101.192 has the standard default community name (SNMP equivalent of a password) as "public". It is impossible to tell whether this is true for just the "read" community or the "read and write" community. At a minimum, anyone else running a program that can perform SNMP "gets" on the device at MY.NET.101.192 will be able to download the settings in that device. In a worst case the settings could be changed, possibly locking out the network monitoring device, and making the device in-operable. The monitoring device probably has its IP address assigned by Dynamic Host Control Protocol (DHCP), it is booted every morning, the address lease is renewed at boot time, therefore the IP address changes on a daily period. The attached drawing presents a plausible location for this device. Default SNMP community strings is noted as item 10 on the SANS list of Top Ten Security Issues <http://www.sans.org/topten.htm>



#### Known Issues:

For vulnerability information see the following:

CAN-2000-0885 Buffer overflows in Microsoft Network Monitor (Netmon) allow remote attackers to execute arbitrary commands via a long Browser Name in a CIFS Browse Frame, a long SNMP community name, or a long username or filename in an SMB session, aka the "Netmon Protocol Parsing" vulnerability. NOTE: It is highly likely that this candidate will be split into multiple candidates.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0885>

CVE-1999-0294 All records in a WINS database can be deleted through SNMP for a denial of service.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0294>



CVE-1999-0472 The SNMP default community name "public" is not properly removed in NetApps C630 Netcache, even if the administrator tries to disable it.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0472>

CVE-2000-0221 The Nautica Marlin bridge allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a zero length UDP packet to the SNMP port.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2000-0221>

CVE-2000-0379 The Netopia R9100 router does not prevent authenticated users from modifying SNMP tables, even if the administrator has configured it to do so.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2000-0379>

CVE-2000-0515 The snmpd.conf configuration file for the SNMP daemon (snmpd) in HP-UX 11.0 is world writable, which allows local users to modify SNMP configuration or gain privileges.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2000-0515>

CAN-1999-0186 In Solaris, an SNMP subagent has a default community string that allows remote attackers to execute arbitrary commands as root, or modify system parameters.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0186>

CAN-1999-0254 A hidden SNMP community string in HP OpenView allows remote attackers to modify MIB tables and obtain sensitive information.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0254>

CAN-1999-0499 NETBIOS share information may be published through SNMP registry keys in NT.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0499>

CAN-1999-0516 An SNMP community name is guessable.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0516>

CAN-1999-0517 An SNMP community name is the default (e.g. public), null, or missing.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0517>

CAN-1999-0792 ROUTERmate has a default SNMP community name which allows remote attackers to modify its configuration.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0792>

The Phrack article - Network Management Protocol Insecurity: SNMPv1 <http://www.2600.net/phrack/p50-07.html>

Network Node Manager V6.1 Buffer Overflow Insecurity <http://www.delphisplc.com/thinking/whitepapers/security/DST2K0012.txt>

## Detection:

```
08/15-19:59:52.855020  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.97.154:1049 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 08/15-20:18:19
08/16-19:38:33.208653  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.97.244:1042 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 08/16-19:47:31 Source Address changes
08/17-16:13:10.575484  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.177:1047 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 08/17-16:13:30 Source Address changes
08/19-11:50:50.750779  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.148:1039 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 08/19-11:55:30 Source Address changes
08/20-16:30:47.670389  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.97.246:1057 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 08/20-16:32:56 Source Address changes
08/20-19:40:10.476871  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.191:1046 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 08/20-19:52:25 Source Address changes
09/02-07:54:01.499976  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.181:1051 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/02-08:46:52 Source Address changes
09/03-12:42:35.351628  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.109:1045 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/03-17:39:19 Source Address changes
09/03-19:23:50.069324  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.114:1063 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/03-20:39:56 Source Address changes
09/07-18:42:57.351709  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.190:1071 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/07-18:45:07 Source Address changes
09/09-15:50:00.735356  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.97.206:1052 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/09-15:51:10 Source Address changes
09/10-15:27:45.937458  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.172:1042 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/10-20:10:16 Source Address changes
09/11-18:31:00.333609  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.97.217:1066 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/11-21:00:02 Source Address changes
09/12-17:48:35.407166  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.201:1048 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/12-18:31:24 Source Address changes
09/13-18:34:12.286961  [**] SNMP public access [**] MY.NET.98.171:1059 -> MY.NET.101.192:161 to 09/13-19:35:04 Source Address changes
```

### 3.2.1.7 SMB Name Wildcard

#### Snort Rule:

Custom - This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture SMB traffic to port 137 on MY.NET.X.X It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more options

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET 137 (msg:"SMB Name Wildcard ";
```

**Description:** This detection rule has been implemented to capture NetBIOS Server Message Block (SMB) network traffic on port 137. Ports 135, 136, 137, 138, and 139 are used by Microsoft NT, all versions, as well as Windows 95, and 98 for communication. There are various commands available such as , NBTSTAT -A (Target IP Address) which the educated intruder can use to obtain desirable information about a target host, in addition this port can be used to introduce various Virus infections and worms. There are a large number of exposures, from this group of ports. Global File Sharing, a feature enabled by having these ports open, is item 7 on the SANS list of Top Ten Security Issues <http://www.sans.org/topten.htm>

#### Known Issues:

CERT® Coordination Center Windows NT Configuration Guidelines Tech Tip [http://www.cert.org/tech\\_tips/win\\_configuration\\_guidelines.html](http://www.cert.org/tech_tips/win_configuration_guidelines.html)

CERT® Incident Note IN-2000-02 Exploitation of Unprotected Windows Networking Shares [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-2000-02.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-2000-02.html)

CERT® Vulnerability Note VN-2000-03 Topic: Denial of Service Attack in NetBIOS Services [http://www.cert.org/vul\\_notes/VN-2000-03.html](http://www.cert.org/vul_notes/VN-2000-03.html)

CAN-2000-0885 Buffer overflows in Microsoft Network Monitor (Netmon) allow remote attackers to execute arbitrary commands via a long Browser Name in a CIFS Browse Frame, a long SNMP community name, or a long username or filename in an SMB session, aka the "Netmon Protocol Parsing" vulnerability. NOTE: It is highly likely that this candidate will be split into multiple candidates. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0885>

CAN-2000-0544 Windows NT and Windows 2000 hosts allow a remote attacker to cause a denial of service via malformed DCE/RPC SMBwriteX requests that contain an invalid data length. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0544>

CAN-1999-0520 A system-critical NETBIOS/SMB share has inappropriate access control. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0520>

CAN-1999-0519 A NETBIOS/SMB share password is the default, null, or missing. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0519>

CAN-1999-0518 A NETBIOS/SMB share password is guessable. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0518>

CAN-1999-0495 A remote attacker can gain access to a file system using .. (dot dot) when accessing SMB shares. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0495>

CVE-1999-0391 The cryptographic challenge of SMB authentication in Windows 95 and Windows 98 can be reused, allowing an attacker to replay the response and impersonate a user. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0391>

CVE-1999-0225 Windows NT 4.0 allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a malformed SMB logon request in which the actual data size does not match the specified size. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0225>

IN-2000-02 Exploitation of Unprotected Windows Networking Shares [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-2000-02.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-2000-02.html)

SANS Intrusion Detection FAQ, Port 137 Scan [http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/port\\_137.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/port_137.htm)

#### Detection:

```
08/11-16:13:19.788046 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 205.229.90.194:63733 -> MY.NET.181.37:137
08/11-16:15:33.790499 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 131.118.254.222:137 -> MY.NET.6.7:137
08/11-16:16:04.289653 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 168.143.29.9:137 -> MY.NET.60.17:137
08/11-16:16:05.792099 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 168.143.29.9:137 -> MY.NET.60.17:137
08/11-16:26:04.299200 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 62.136.168.18:1124 -> MY.NET.70.121:137
08/11-16:28:02.117131 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 166.72.86.217:137 -> MY.NET.100.230:137
08/11-16:28:46.525879 [**] SMB Name Wildcard [**] 207.79.66.3:614 -> MY.NET.253.53:137
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08/11-16:28:46.525941 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 207.79.66.3:137 -> MY.NET.253.53:137  
08/11-16:30:34.358284 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 131.118.254.222:137 -> MY.NET.6.7:137  
08/11-16:30:37.362453 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 131.118.254.222:137 -> MY.NET.6.7:137  
08/11-16:34:17.629689 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 162.33.184.239:137 -> MY.NET.60.11:137  
**08/11-16:35:13.544620 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 166.72.86.217:137 -> MY.NET.100.165:137 to 08/11-16:38:42**  
08/11-16:36:08.602748 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 168.143.29.9:137 -> MY.NET.60.17:137  
08/11-16:39:35.261511 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 166.72.86.217:137 -> MY.NET.100.230:137  
08/11-16:41:20.567074 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 216.164.133.254:137 -> MY.NET.60.8:137  
08/11-16:42:10.039852 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 206.171.108.1:724 -> MY.NET.6.7:137  
08/11-16:42:11.495774 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 206.171.108.1:724 -> MY.NET.6.7:137  
08/11-16:45:37.056832 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 131.118.254.222:137 -> MY.NET.6.7:137  
08/11-16:46:06.899175 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 168.143.29.9:137 -> MY.NET.60.17:137  
08/11-16:47:52.458244 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 168.167.8.12:137 -> MY.NET.253.24:137  
08/11-16:48:00.142286 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 166.72.86.217:137 -> MY.NET.100.230:137  
08/11-16:51:16.439948 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 64.7.58.194:137 -> MY.NET.20.10:137  
08/11-16:51:17.369342 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 24.28.62.226:1975 -> MY.NET.70.121:137  
08/11-16:52:02.576485 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 209.150.98.231:137 -> MY.NET.130.91:137  
08/11-16:52:02.576547 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 209.150.98.231:137 -> MY.NET.130.91:137  
08/11-16:56:11.373867 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 168.143.29.9:137 -> MY.NET.60.17:137  
**08/15-20:00:00.271636 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] MY.NET.101.160:137 -> MY.NET.101.192:137 to 08/20-19:50:11**  
**09/02-07:54:03.629167 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] MY.NET.101.160:137 -> MY.NET.101.192:137 to 09/13-19:29:55**  
**08/19-22:57:41.121096 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 129.37.161.200:137 -> MY.NET.100.130:137 to 08/19-22:58:42**  
09/09-10:52:16.881113 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 129.37.160.81:137 -> MY.NET.100.130:137  
08/18-12:13:28.981943 [\*\*] SMB Name Wildcard [\*\*] 4.17.88.66:137 -> MY.NET.6.15:137



08/20-17:22:40.162264 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.112.241.246:1866 -> MY.NET.201.58:6699 Rogers@Home Bloor (NETBLK-ON-ROG-BLOOR-2)  
09/06-13:58:22.763407 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.113.80.28:1993 -> MY.NET.203.110:1464 < See type 3 analysis at the end of this section  
09/09-01:04:12.702304 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.115.96.111:1584 -> MY.NET.222.198:20 Rogers@Home Surrey (NETBLK-BC-ROG-1-1SURREY-5)  
09/06-19:35:28.946592 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.160.189.151:2093 -> MY.NET.220.206:6699 Road Runner-Columbusnrm2mcr-24-160-188-0-24-160-191-255  
08/18-02:22:16.211087 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.164.181.31:6699 -> MY.NET.217.26:1159 ServiceCo LLC - Road Runner (NET-ROAD-RUNNER-5)  
**09/11-04:49:39.789570 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50110 -> MY.NET.208.13:23 to 09/11-05:16:34 all port 23**  
09/11-05:05:15.617311 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50110 -> MY.NET.208.114:135 @Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1) Redwood City, CA 94063  
09/11-05:08:27.725009 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50110 -> MY.NET.208.146:77 @Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1) Redwood City, CA 94063  
09/11-05:17:08.347707 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50110 -> MY.NET.208.225:23 @Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1) Redwood City, CA 94063  
09/11-05:17:36.813698 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50110 -> MY.NET.208.226:2000 @Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1) Redwood City, CA 94063  
09/11-05:18:51.565916 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50110 -> MY.NET.208.241:23 @Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1) Redwood City, CA 94063  
09/06-16:50:56.129540 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.180.196.93:6699 -> MY.NET.217.250:2493 @Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-3) Redwood City, CA 94063  
08/16-19:17:36.848025 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.200.201.223:1635 -> MY.NET.162.183:6346 Videotron Ltee (NETBLK-VL-D-MF-18C8C900) Montreal, QC  
Canada  
09/12-18:56:17.389378 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.201.116.208:1242 -> MY.NET.209.210:6000 Videotron Ltee (NETBLK-VL-D-MD-18C97400) Montreal, QC  
Canada  
09/06-10:45:09.693242 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 24.232.79.188:1042 -> MY.NET.206.114:6699 Cablevision S.A. (NETBLK-DIALUP-4) Buenos Aires, AR  
08/17-05:54:29.219132 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 128.61.59.79:1338 -> MY.NET.217.34:6699 Georgia Institute of Technology (NET-GATECH-EDU) Atlanta, GA  
09/08-20:18:44.900710 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 128.61.105.106:6699 -> MY.NET.218.202:49455 Georgia Institute of Technology (NET-GATECH-EDU) Atlanta, GA  
09/03-21:20:23.811989 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 128.153.151.115:1410 -> MY.NET.205.50:832 Clarkson University (NET-CLARKSON) Potsdam, NY  
09/13-13:27:15.448853 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 128.138.14.148:1417 -> MY.NET.179.52:6699 University of Colorado (NET-COLORADO) Boulder, CO  
09/06-11:59:43.392789 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 128.194.51.187:3223 -> MY.NET.210.114:6688 Texas A&M University (NET-TAMU-NET) College Station, Texas  
09/08-14:00:26.231456 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 128.226.152.34:1584 -> MY.NET.206.114:6699 State University of New York (NET-BINGHAMTON) Binghamton, NY  
09/06-12:40:15.686069 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 129.93.214.47:1168 -> MY.NET.223.186:6699 University of Nebraska-Lincoln (NET-HUSKERNET) Lincoln NE  
09/03-11:44:47.774295 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 129.59.24.21:1540 -> MY.NET.204.126:6699 Vanderbilt University (NET-VANDERBILT) Nashville, TN  
09/12-01:08:16.376861 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 130.49.220.26:1248 -> MY.NET.226.6:6699 University of Pittsburgh (NET-U-PITT) Pittsburgh, PA  
09/12-01:27:10.803183 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 130.239.142.167:1180 -> MY.NET.223.58:6699 Umea University (NET-UMUNET) Umea, SE  
08/17-09:04:37.256707 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1110 -> MY.NET.217.46:994 Technische Universitaet Berlin (NET-TUB) Berlin GERMANY  
08/17-12:41:10.144753 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:0 -> MY.NET.217.46:1062 Technische Universitaet Berlin (NET-TUB) Berlin GERMANY  
08/17-08:43:32.411061 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 130.239.11.230:6699 -> MY.NET.181.173:4554 Umea University (NET-UMUNET) Umea, SE  
09/05-17:11:57.165483 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 131.155.192.220:52782 -> MY.NET.5.7:21 Eindhoven University of Technology (NET-TUEINDHOVEN)  
NETHERLANDS  
09/05-11:14:09.669789 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 132.199.220.223:2675 -> MY.NET.205.26:6699 University of Regensburg (NET-UNIR-LAN) Regensburg, DE  
08/15-00:49:41.935984 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 137.82.136.39:6699 -> MY.NET.97.150:1340 University of British Columbia (NET-UBC) Vancouver, Canada  
09/12-15:03:22.834735 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 139.91.171.50:1460 -> MY.NET.211.234:6699 Foundation of Research and Technology Hellas (NET-FORTH) Crete,  
GREECE  
09/06-17:17:53.195699 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 141.40.205.133:6699 -> MY.NET.224.34:1693 Leibniz Rechenzentrum (LRZ) (NET-LRZ-WEIHSTEPH) Muenchen,  
DE  
09/11-17:49:05.140901 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 150.216.127.179:6699 -> MY.NET.206.66:1865 East Carolina University (NET-ECUNET) Greenville, NC 27834  
09/08-18:56:39.751099 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 151.196.73.119:37196 -> MY.NET.253.112:22 Windermere Information Systems Technology (NETBLK-BA-151-196-73-  
64-128) Annapolis, MD  
09/10-10:44:47.461045 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 153.19.25.156:1079 -> MY.NET.223.42:6346 POLIP (NET-TASKPOLIP) Uniwersytet Gdanski Gdansk, PL

09/09-21:11:13.643976 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 62.2.64.86:1070 -> MY.NET.218.10:6699 CABLECOM-MAIN-NET Zuerich, CH  
09/13-00:05:21.928777 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 62.10.136.40:1159 -> MY.NET.212.134:2 TISCALINET Cagliari, Italy  
09/08-12:59:46.211994 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 63.144.227.21:3115 -> MY.NET.208.190:5501 Sterling University Grove (NETBLK-QWEST-63-144-227-0) Tallahassee, FL  
09/02-16:25:42.155352 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 63.226.208.41:28517 -> MY.NET.253.41:22 U S WEST Communications Svcs, Inc. (NETBLK-USW-INTERACT99)  
Minneapolis, MN  
08/17-09:46:44.698226 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 193.251.71.243:6699 -> MY.NET.146.68:1387 France Telecom IP2000 ADSL BAS Rennes, France  
09/06-04:15:37.743959 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 194.94.18.43:1546 -> MY.NET.220.42:6346 ROGGENKAMP Network for student appartments Bielefeld, Bielefeld, Germany  
09/09-21:22:02.605745 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 194.237.99.150:1511 -> MY.NET.223.38:6699 MOTALA-KOMUN IT-Enheten/Data Motala, Sweden  
09/10-09:23:42.094521 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 195.132.204.48:1737 -> MY.NET.220.154:6699 CYBERCABLE, Lyonnaise Communication, PARIS, FRANCE  
09/07-09:57:12.506948 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 195.150.132.211:1117 -> MY.NET.202.158:6346 PETROINFORM, Krakow, PL  
09/03-01:56:22.365955 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 200.145.151.163:2195 -> MY.NET.221.114:6699 RNP (Brazilian Research Network) (NETBLK-BRAZIL-BLK2) Sao Paulo, BR  
08/11-20:18:48.417718 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 200.52.201.4:1409 -> MY.NET.217.222:6699 MEGA CABLE S.A. DE C.V. (NETBLK-MEGACABLE-RED-1)  
GUADALAJARA,MX  
08/16-01:42:30.220172 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 207.151.147.201:58190 -> MY.NET.60.8:21 Los Nettos (NETBLK-LOS-NETTOS-BLK3) USC Info Sciences Marina del Rey,  
CA  
09/14-04:42:35.562188 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 207.230.248.254:6699 -> MY.NET.208.18:4617 In2net Network Inc. (NETBLK-IN2NETT-BLK-1) Vancouver, BC Canada  
09/10-23:14:41.993432 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 211.111.108.136:6346 -> MY.NET.224.34:3034 KRNIC-KR-25 Korea Network Information Center, Seoul, Republic of Korea  
09/03-16:06:17.788917 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 212.33.70.83:1190 -> MY.NET.206.66:6688 Prizmanet Elektronik Yayincilik Hizm. San. ve Tic. A.S., Istanbul-Turkey  
09/11-19:23:44.441830 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 213.6.43.74:2148 -> MY.NET.208.114:6399 MOBILCOM-CITYLINE-NET Dialpool, Duesseldorf, Germany  
09/02-10:47:37.939613 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 213.56.48.243:1800 -> MY.NET.201.198:4704 FR-OLEANE-BLOCK-7, Olean SA, Gennevilliers, France  
09/11-03:09:17.614037 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 216.161.190.169:4995 -> MY.NET.226.54:4913 U S WEST Interact Services (NETBLK-USW-INTERACT98) Minneapolis, MN  
09/05-22:03:52.540729 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 216.63.200.250:1174 -> MY.NET.203.106:6699 WCHTKS BASIC DSL RBACK1 216.63.200.0 (NETBLK-SBCIS30284) Plano,  
TX  
09/09-20:42:00.111596 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] 216.123.60.71:1130 -> MY.NET.202.134:3105 NETCOM Canada Inc. (NETBLK-NETCOM-CA-BLK4) Toronto, ON, Canada

24.180.134.156 Also recorded as an Nmap TCP Ping scan of MY.NET.208.X and Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt

@Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1)

Redwood City, CA 94063 USA

Netname: BLTMMMD1-MD-1

Netblock: **24.180.128.0 - 24.180.143.255**

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net  
(650) 556-5599

The sources of the vast majority, of the scans are from dialup or cable modem users. It is impossible to tell if the scan was initiated by the owner of that machine or by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party that "owns" that machine. In any case, it is quite likely that the machines that belong to dialup or cable modem users, are poorly secured, and therefore likely to be used in a Distributed Denial of Service attack. At this point little effective action can be taken, other than identifying that @ Home Network was a major player, and therefore needs to be more closely watched. A longer term solution will require building a database of identified frequent problem sites and addresses.



### 3.2.1.9 NMAP TCP ping!

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET any (msg:"IDS28 - PING NMAP TCP"; flags: A; ack: 0; )
```

**Description:** The detection rule has been created to detect the specific ping footprint of the Operating System fingerprinting tool named Nmap. The following is taken from "Nmap network security scanner man page" available at [http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap\\_manpage.html](http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap_manpage.html)

"Nmap is designed to allow system administrators and curious individuals to scan large networks to determine which hosts are up and what services they are offering. Nmap supports a large number of scanning techniques such as: UDP, TCP connect(), TCP SYN (half open), ftp proxy (bounce attack), Reverse-ident, ICMP (ping sweep), FIN, ACK sweep, Xmas Tree, SYN sweep, and Null scan." The tool Nmap is available at <http://www.insecure.org/nmap/>. There is an article called "Remote OS detection via TCP/IP Stack Fingerprinting" by Fyodor, at, <http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap-fingerprinting-article.html>, the paper describes how Nmap was implemented.

A paper by Ofir Arkin, *Network Scanning Techniques*, in section 4.3 *TCP/IP Stack Fingerprinting* gives another description of the tricks that Nmap uses. It is available at <http://www.sys-security.com/html/papers.html>

ID FAQ - What is nmap and what can it do? [http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/What\\_is\\_nmap.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/What_is_nmap.htm)

Information Security Reading Room - Nmap - The Tool, It's Author and It's Implications <http://www.sans.org/infosecFAQ/nmap.htm>

#### Known Issues:

CAN-2000-0324 pcAnywhere 8.x and 9.x allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a TCP SYN scan, e.g. by nmap.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0324>

Once an intruder can determine what operating system is running, then the exploits for that operating system can be put into play.

Cisco Advisory Notices: <http://www.cisco.com/warp/public/707/advisory.html>

Compaq (Digital UNIX) <http://www.compaq.com/support>

FreeBSD <http://www.freebsd.org/security/>

HP HP-UX For the US, Canada, Asia-Pacific, & Latin America: <http://us-support.external.hp.com>

For Europe: <http://europe-support.external.hp.com>

To Retrieve a Security Patch Matrix: [ftp://us-ffs.external.hp.com/export/patches/hp-ux\\_patch\\_matrix/](ftp://us-ffs.external.hp.com/export/patches/hp-ux_patch_matrix/)

IBM AIX <http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/support/rs6000.support/downloads>

<http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/rs6k/fixes.html>

Microsoft <http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/current.asp>

Nortel Networks (Bay Networks): <http://www12.nortelnetworks.com/> (you will need to know your equipment type, and may need an account)

SCO (OpenServer and Unixware) <http://www.sco.com/security/> (Security Bulletins and Patches)

<http://www.sco.com/support/ftplists/index.html> (General OS patches)

Sun Solaris <http://sunsolve.sun.com> (Recommended & Security Patches)

SGI <http://support.sgi.com>

Linux

Caldera <http://www.caldera.com/support/security/>

Debian <http://www.debian.org/security/index.en.html>

Mandrake: <http://www.linux-mandrake.com/en/fupdates.php>

Red Hat: <http://www.redhat.com/support/updates.html>

SuSe <http://www.suse.com/support/download/updates/index.html>

<http://www.suse.de/en/support/security/index.html>

### Detection:

08/11-12:57:26.064901 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **205.128.11.157**:80 -> MY.NET.1.8:53  
08/11-12:57:26.064946 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 205.128.11.157:53 -> MY.NET.1.8:53  
08/11-22:52:09.700179 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 205.128.11.157:80 -> MY.NET.1.9:53  
08/11-22:52:09.700228 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 205.128.11.157:53 -> MY.NET.1.9:53  
08/20-00:42:09.533868 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 205.128.11.157:80 -> MY.NET.1.10:53  
08/20-00:42:09.534100 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 205.128.11.157:53 -> MY.NET.1.10:53

HeadHunter.net (NETBLK-INFLOW-HED2)

Atlanta, GA 30309 USA

Netname: INFLOW-HED2

Netblock: **205.128.11.0 - 205.128.11.127**

Coordinator: Powers, Adam (AP336-ARIN) apowers@inflow.com  
404.873.8397

08/11-23:42:06.552435 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **209.218.228.201**:80 -> MY.NET.1.8:53  
08/11-23:42:06.552484 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 209.218.228.201:53 -> MY.NET.1.8:53

RND Networks (NETBLK-ATWORK-RND2)

Mahwah, NJ 07430 AUS

Netname: ATWORK-RND2

Netblock: **209.218.228.128 - 209.218.228.255**

Coordinator: Leung, Stephen (SL109-ARIN) stephen@RNDNETWORKS.COM  
201-512-9771 x 228

08/16-01:42:30.231975 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **207.151.147.201**:58192 -> MY.NET.60.8:21  
08/16-01:42:30.235007 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 207.151.147.201:58194 -> MY.NET.60.8:31898  
08/16-01:42:51.248359 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 207.151.147.201:58194 -> MY.NET.60.8:40833

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Marina del Rey, CA 90295 USA

Netname: LOS-NETTOS-BLK3

Netblock: **207.151.0.0 - 207.151.255.255**

Coordinator: LosNettos Hostmaster (LH-ORG-ARIN) hostmaster@LN.NET  
310.822.1511 x198

08/17-12:15:42.997099 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **213.8.52.189**:80 -> MY.NET.60.14:80

inetnum: **213.8.0.0 - 213.8.7.255**

netname: EURONET

descr: Ramat-Gan pop.

descr: send SPAM and ABUSE complaints to abuse@inter.net.il



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address: Park Sibel, Rosh Haain  
address: Israel  
phone: +972-3-9020020  
fax-no: +972-3-9024222  
e-mail: dudi@xchange.wan.inter.net.il

08/19-08:17:02.783410 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **192.55.91.36**:62449 -> MY.NET.5.111:42185  
08/20-15:12:12.562098 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 192.55.91.36:58331 -> MY.NET.5.29:40045  
NASA Lewis Network Control Center (NET-LERC-CRAYNET2)  
Cleveland, OH 44135 US  
Netname: LERC-CNET2  
Netnumber: **192.55.91.0**  
Coordinator: NASA - John H. Glenn Research Center at Lewis Field (ZN14-ARIN) gnoc@grc.nasa.gov  
(216) 433-9850 pager-(216) 549-0650

09/02-13:01:18.139069 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **2.2.2.2**:80 -> MY.NET.60.14:80 **The source address is a Reserved address, obviously spoofed.**

09/02-16:25:40.522963 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **63.226.208.41**:28521 -> MY.NET.253.41:1  
U S WEST Communications Svcs, Inc. (NETBLK-USW-INTERACT99)  
Minneapolis, MN 55413 USA  
Netname: USW-INTERACT99  
Netblock: **63.224.0.0 - 63.231.255.255**  
Coordinator: U S WEST ISOps (ZU24-ARIN) abuse@uswest.net  
612-664-4689

09/02-07:26:07.823169 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **202.187.24.3**:80 -> MY.NET.60.14:80  
09/07-03:52:20.386042 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 202.187.24.3:80 -> MY.NET.179.77:80  
09/12-22:36:20.070878 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 202.187.24.3:80 -> MY.NET.1.3:53  
inetnum **202.187.24.0 - 202.187.24.255**  
netname JARING-UNITAR2  
descr Universiti Tun Abdul Razak  
descr 47300 Petaling Jaya Selangor MY  
notify dbmon@apnic.net, inverse  
notify ip-request@jaring.my, inverse

09/08-18:56:36.842935 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **151.196.73.119**:37198 -> MY.NET.253.112:22  
09/08-18:56:39.753348 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 151.196.73.119:37200 -> MY.NET.253.112:30462  
09/08-18:57:06.505923 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 151.196.73.119:48518 -> MY.NET.253.112:32999  
Dixie Printing & Packaging (NETBLK-DIXIE-196-73)

Oliver Viitamaki - GCIA Practical – October 2000

7358 Baltimore-Annapolis Blvd

Glen Burnie, MD 21061 USA

Netname: DIXIE-196-73

Netblock: **151.196.73.0 - 151.196.73.63**

Coordinator: Ongoing Business Support Services (OBS-ORG-ARIN) business-support@MERCURY.BALINK.COM

800-475-7840 Fax- 703-453-6770

09/11-04:48:14.514481 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] **24.180.134.156**:50114 -> MY.NET.208.1:35829 to

09/11-05:18:51.575120 [\*\*] NMAP TCP ping! [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50112 -> MY.NET.208.241:23 <<Scan of 208, subnet various ports

@Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1)

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: BLTMMMD1-MD-1

Netblock: **24.180.128.0 - 24.180.143.255**

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net

(650) 556-5599

### 3.2.1.10 SUNRPC highport access!

#### Snort Rule

Custom - This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture what appears to be successful access to the ports identified as SUNRPC Highports. The rule would be similar to the one below. This rule would need to be supplied by GIAC Enterprises, in to better understand what differentiates it from the *Attempted SUN RPC highport access* above.

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET 32771:32780 (msg:"SUNRPC highport access!"; ack: 1; [options here to discriminate between the two])
```

**Description:** In this discussion this Alert will be treated the same as Attempted SUN RPC highport access, above, except one has to assume that there was success, and therefore this is a more significant issue. This rule has been created to detect the individuals that are successful in compromising the Remote Procedure Call (RPC) programs directly. The normal port for the portmapper service is port 111. When the portmapper service is quizzed, on port 111, it would identify what RPC services are running on that machine, those services are generally located in the 32700 port area. In this case the individual is successful in going directly for the RPC services without accessing the portmapper. This method of accessing the services more directly, is considered more “stealthy” than asking the portmapper, and then accessing the ports, after being informed by the RPC service where they are. In the Sun implementation of UNIX, it is generally recognized that the RPC ports start at 32771, hence the attack (and Snort rule) is specifically targeting Sun machines. The ports which are open, and successfully attached to, will represent services running which will then be the service to attack.

#### Known Issues:

CVE-1999-0008 Buffer overflow in NIS+, in Sun's rpc.nisd program <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0008>

CVE-1999-0212 Solaris rpc.mountd generates error messages that allow a remote attacker to determine what files are on the server.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0212>

CVE-1999-0320 SunOS rpc.cmsd allows attackers to obtain root access by overwriting arbitrary files.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0320>

CVE-1999-0974 Buffer overflow in Solaris snoop allows remote attackers to gain root privileges via GETQUOTA requests to the rpc.rquotad service.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0974>

CAN-1999-0195 Denial of service in RPC portmapper allows attackers to register or unregister RPC services or spoof RPC services using a spoofed source IP address such as 127.0.0.1. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0195>

CAN-1999-0568 rpc.admind in Solaris is not running in a secure mode. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0568>

CAN-1999-0795 The NIS+ rpc.nisd server allows remote attackers to execute certain RPC calls without authentication to obtain system information, disable logging, or modify caches. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0795>

CERT® Advisory CA-2000-17 Input Validation <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-2000-17.html>

CERT® Incident Note IN-2000-10 [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-2000-10.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-2000-10.html)

CERT® Summary CS-2000-03 <http://www.cert.org/summaries/CS-2000-03.html>

CERT® Incident Note IN-99-04 Similar Attacks Using Various RPC Services [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-99-04.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-99-04.html)

CA-99-08 - Buffer Overflow Vulnerability in rpc.cmsd <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-08-cmsd.html>

CA-99-05 - Vulnerability in statd exposes vulnerability in automountd <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-05-statd-automountd.html>

CA-98.11 - Vulnerability in ToolTalk RPC Service <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-98.11.tooltalk.html>

ID FAQ - The trouble with RPCs [http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trouble\\_RPCs.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trouble_RPCs.htm)

RFC for RPC Binding Protocols for ONC RPC Version 2 <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc1833.txt>

#### Detection

09/02-09:39:11.608534 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] 212.204.196.241:857 -> MY.NET.6.15:32771

inetnum: 212.204.196.241 - 212.204.196.250

descr: WeBHold  
person: Luc Willemars  
address: Zaandam  
address: NL  
phone: +31 75 6141212  
e-mail: Luc.Willemars@WeBHold.nl

09/06-23:10:10.012419 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **193.64.205.17**:56880 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771  
netname: TARVEASUNNOT-FI-2  
descr: Tarveasunnot Oy  
descr: FI-02630 ESPOO FI  
route: **193.64.0.0/15**  
descr: KPNQwest Finland 193.64/15 superbloc  
person: Janne Jaaskelainen  
address: Tarveasunnot Oy  
phone: +358 9 54919390  
notify: hostmaster@kpnqwest.fi

09/07-21:10:18.892811 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **207.29.195.22**:2646 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771  
NetReach, Inc. (NETBLK-NRCH-NETREACH-NET)  
Ambler, PA 19002 US  
Netname: NRCH-NETREACH-NET  
Netblock: **207.29.192.0 - 207.29.207.255**  
Coordinator: NetReach, Inc. (IN17-ARIN) admin@netreach.net  
215.283.2300

09/08-16:34:54.280910 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **205.188.4.42**:5190 -> MY.NET.210.2:32771  
America Online, Inc (NETBLK-AOL-DTC)  
Sterling, VA 20166US  
Netname: AOL-DTC  
Netblock: **205.188.0.0 - 205.188.255.255**  
Coordinator: America Online, Inc. (AOL-NOC-ARIN) domains@AOL.NET  
703-265-4670

09/11-21:24:53.037663 [\*\*] SUNRPC highport access! [\*\*] **209.10.41.242**:21 -> MY.NET.211.2:32771  
Globix Corporation (NETBLK-GLOBIXBLK3)  
NY, NY 10012  
Netname: GLOBIXBLK3  
Netblock: **209.10.0.0 - 209.11.159.255**  
Coordinator: Hostmaster, Globix Corporation (GCH2-ARIN) arin-admin@GLOBIX.NET  
212.334.8500 (FAX) 212.334.8615

### 3.2.1.11 Queso fingerprint

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET any (msg:"IDS29 - SCAN-Possible Queso Fingerprint attempt"; flags: S12; )
```

**Description:** The Queso program is an older version of an Operating System (O/S) fingerprinting program. It identifies remote systems by looking at the response received by sending packets with different characteristics and TCP flags to an open port and comparing the responses to an internal table. It needs to have an open port to talk to. To prevent Queso from fingerprinting the O/S, limit the number of open services, and place filters on the Intrusion Detection System watching those services. Documentation can be found at <http://www.apostols.org/projectz/queso/>

There is an article called “Remote OS detection via TCP/IP Stack Fingerprinting” by Fyodor, at, <http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap-fingerprinting-article.html>, the paper describes how Nmap was implemented, a tool similar to Queso, but a newer implementation. The same issues are still true for Queso.

A paper by Ofir Arkin, *Network Scanning Techniques*, in section 4.3 *TCP/IP Stack Fingerprinting* gives another description of the tricks that Nmap uses. It is available at <http://www.sys-security.com/html/papers.html>

#### Known Issues:

CAN-2000-0324 pcAnywhere 8.x and 9.x allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a TCP SYN scan, e.g. by nmap.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0324>

Once an intruder can determine what operating system is running, then the exploits for that operating system can be put into play.

Cisco Advisory Notices: <http://www.cisco.com/warp/public/707/advisory.html>

Compaq (Digital UNIX) <http://www.compaq.com/support>

FreeBSD <http://www.freebsd.org/security/>

HP HP-UX For the US, Canada, Asia-Pacific, & Latin America: <http://us-support.external.hp.com>

For Europe: <http://europe-support.external.hp.com>

To Retrieve a Security Patch Matrix: [ftp://us-ffs.external.hp.com/export/patches/hp-ux\\_patch\\_matrix/](ftp://us-ffs.external.hp.com/export/patches/hp-ux_patch_matrix/)

IBM AIX <http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/support/rs6000.support/downloads>

<http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/rs6k/fixes.html>

Microsoft <http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/current.asp>

Nortel Networks (Bay Networks): <http://www12.nortelnetworks.com/> (you will need to know your equipment type, and may need an account)

SCO (OpenServer and Unixware) <http://www.sco.com/security/> (Security Bulletins and Patches)

<http://www.sco.com/support/ftplists/index.html> (General OS patches)

Sun Solaris <http://sunsolve.sun.com> (Recommended & Security Patches)

SGI <http://support.sgi.com>

Linux

Caldera <http://www.caldera.com/support/security/>

Debian <http://www.debian.org/security/index.en.html>

Mandrake: <http://www.linux-mandrake.com/en/fupdates.php>

Red Hat: <http://www.redhat.com/support/updates.html>

SuSe <http://www.suse.com/support/download/updates/index.html>

<http://www.suse.de/en/support/security/index.html>

#### Detection:

08/15-15:30:15.258499 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 216.123.63.13:4232 -> MY.NET.75.106:1488

08/17-15:49:40.548646 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1068 -> MY.NET.217.46:994  
09/03-02:17:47.893294 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 24.19.244.80:6699 -> MY.NET.162.200:3889  
09/03-20:49:29.075604 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 24.24.137.232:1342 -> MY.NET.219.194:6355  
09/05-09:00:54.631991 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 24.3.161.193:32814 -> MY.NET.145.9:110  
09/06-09:31:55.767609 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 147.126.59.89:37262 -> MY.NET.253.24:113  
09/07-19:27:42.236314 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:4114 -> MY.NET.204.214:6355  
09/07-22:17:10.280425 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:2436 -> MY.NET.201.86:6355  
09/07-22:45:53.172847 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:3475 -> MY.NET.209.130:6355  
09/08-17:49:55.816019 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:4683 -> MY.NET.217.182:113  
09/08-19:24:14.509505 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:1535 -> MY.NET.209.130:6355  
09/08-20:14:18.371606 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:3240 -> MY.NET.210.194:113  
09/08-20:14:56.799825 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 128.61.105.106:6699 -> MY.NET.218.202:49452  
09/08-20:14:57.789482 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 128.61.105.106:0 -> MY.NET.218.202:6699  
09/09-03:18:36.048804 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 216.15.191.130:33869 -> MY.NET.253.43:25  
09/09-15:01:09.888516 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 216.15.191.130:56815 -> MY.NET.6.35:25  
09/10-10:29:43.642064 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:3360 -> MY.NET.223.42:113  
09/10-15:16:55.765640 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:4279 -> MY.NET.217.26:6346  
09/11-02:39:51.343881 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:3644 -> MY.NET.208.26:6355  
09/11-09:13:54.380467 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:1524 -> MY.NET.224.34:6346  
09/11-15:54:44.962789 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 216.15.191.130:39926 -> MY.NET.6.34:25  
09/13-03:16:38.464594 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 216.15.191.130:40335 -> MY.NET.253.42:25  
09/13-05:23:19.543649 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 216.15.191.130:32770 -> MY.NET.253.41:25  
09/14-01:05:01.718720 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 129.2.146.48:6699 -> MY.NET.201.146:1184  
09/14-10:22:54.817324 [\*\*] Queso fingerprint [\*\*] 213.228.1.13:1581 -> MY.NET.219.0:6346

64.80.63.121

CollegePark/LexingtonCrossing (NETBLK-PAET-MI-CPRK-LEX)

Gainesville, FL 32608 US

Netname: PAET-MI-CPRK-LEX

Netblock: 64.80.63.0 - 64.80.63.255

Coordinator: Darby, Brian (BD114-ARIN) bdarby@campuslink.com

734-975-8075

### 3.2.1.12 Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET any (msg:"IDS5 - SCAN-Possible NMAP Fingerprint attempt"; flags: SFPU; )
```

#### Description:

The detection rule has been created to detect the footprint of the Operating System fingerprinting tool named Nmap. The following is taken from “*Nmap network security scanner man page*” available at [http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap\\_manpage.html](http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap_manpage.html)

“Nmap is designed to allow system administrators and curious individuals to scan large networks to determine which hosts are up and what services they are offering. Nmap supports a large number of scanning techniques such as: UDP, TCP connect(), TCP SYN (half open), ftp proxy (bounce attack), Reverse-ident, ICMP (ping sweep), FIN, ACK sweep, Xmas Tree, SYN sweep, and Null scan.” The tool Nmap is available at <http://www.insecure.org/nmap/>. There is an article called “Remote OS detection via TCP/IP Stack Fingerprinting” by Fyodor, at, <http://www.insecure.org/nmap/nmap-fingerprinting-article.html>, the paper describes how Nmap was implemented.

A paper by Ofir Arkin, *Network Scanning Techniques*, in section 4.3 TCP/IP Stack Fingerprinting gives another description of the tricks that Nmap uses. It is available at <http://www.sys-security.com/html/papers.html>

ID FAQ - What is nmap and what can it do? [http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/What\\_is\\_nmap.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/What_is_nmap.htm)

Information Security Reading Room - Nmap - The Tool, It's Author and It's Implications <http://www.sans.org/infosecFAQ/nmap.htm>

#### Known Issues:

CAN-2000-0324 pcAnywhere 8.x and 9.x allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a TCP SYN scan, e.g. by nmap.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0324>

Once an intruder can determine what operating system is running, then the exploits for that operating system can be put into play.

Cisco Advisory Notices: <http://www.cisco.com/warp/public/707/advisory.html>

Compaq (Digital UNIX) <http://www.compaq.com/support>

FreeBSD <http://www.freebsd.org/security/>

HP HP-UX For the US, Canada, Asia-Pacific, & Latin America: <http://us-support.external.hp.com>

For Europe: <http://europe-support.external.hp.com>

To Retrieve a Security Patch Matrix: [ftp://us-ffs.external.hp.com/export/patches/hp-ux\\_patch\\_matrix/](ftp://us-ffs.external.hp.com/export/patches/hp-ux_patch_matrix/)

IBM AIX <http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/support/rs6000.support/downloads>

<http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/rs6k/fixes.html>

Microsoft <http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/current.asp>

Nortel Networks (Bay Networks): <http://www12.nortelnetworks.com/> (you will need to know your equipment type, and may need an account)

SCO (OpenServer and Unixware) <http://www.sco.com/security/> (Security Bulletins and Patches)

<http://www.sco.com/support/ftplists/index.html> (General OS patches)

Sun Solaris <http://sunsolve.sun.com> (Recommended & Security Patches)

SGI <http://support.sgi.com>

Linux

Caldera <http://www.caldera.com/support/security/>

Debian <http://www.debian.org/security/index.en.html>

Mandrake: <http://www.linux-mandrake.com/en/fupdates.php>

Red Hat: <http://www.redhat.com/support/updates.html>

SuSe <http://www.suse.com/support/download/updates/index.html>  
<http://www.suse.de/en/support/security/index.html>

### Detection:

08/15-10:23:16.502216 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 216.181.188.154:1951 -> MY.NET.6.44:110  
08/16-01:42:40.602586 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 207.151.147.201:58191-> MY.NET.60.8:21  
08/17-10:08:26.121492 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 130.149.41.70:1050 -> MY.NET.217.46:994  
08/18-09:01:49.485959 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 24.23.198.174:1467 -> MY.NET.217.46:2928  
09/02-16:25:42.155404 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 63.226.208.41:28518 -> MY.NET.253.41:22  
09/08-18:56:39.751302 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 151.196.73.119:37197 -> MY.NET.253.112:22  
09/11-04:48:56.731170 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] **24.180.134.156**:50111 -> MY.NET.208.5:23 + various nodes on MY.NET.208 .X all port 23  
09/11-05:00:29.685702 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50111 -> MY.NET.208.74:21  
09/11-05:05:15.620812 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50111 -> MY.NET.208.114:135  
09/11-05:13:59.133815 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50111 -> MY.NET.208.190:1025  
09/11-05:17:25.440117 [\*\*] Probable NMAP fingerprint attempt [\*\*] 24.180.134.156:50111 -> MY.NET.208.226:2000

### **24.180.134.156**

@Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1)

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: BLTMMMD1-MD-1

Netblock: **24.180.128.0 - 24.180.143.255**

Coordinator:

Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net  
(650) 556-5599



### 3.2.1.13 External RPC call

#### Snort Rule:

Custom -This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture traffic to port 111 on MY.NET.X.X It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more features:

```
alert TCP !$HOME_NET any -> $HOME_NET 111 (msg:" External RPC call "; offset: 40; depth: 8; )
```

**Description:** This is item number 3 on the SANS list of Top Ten Security Issues <http://www.sans.org/topten.htm>

The individuals are attempting to access the Portmapper service on port 111. Issuing a request such as "rpcinfo -p", once a connection is established will dump a list of currently registered Remote Procedure Call services available on that machine. This information can then be used to formulate an attack. This approach to information gathering is efficient, but noisy, and readily detected, and is generally not used by a sophisticated operator, unless they are aware of a specific, new, exploit, and are going for a kill.

#### Known Issues:

CVE-1999-0008 Buffer overflow in NIS+, in Sun's rpc.nisd program <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0008>

CVE-1999-0212 Solaris rpc.mountd generates error messages that allow a remote attacker to determine what files are on the server.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0212>

CVE-1999-0320 SunOS rpc.cmsd allows attackers to obtain root access by overwriting arbitrary files.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0320>

CVE-1999-0974 Buffer overflow in Solaris snoop allows remote attackers to gain root privileges via GETQUOTA requests to the rpc.rquotad service.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0974>

CAN-1999-0195 Denial of service in RPC portmapper allows attackers to register or unregister RPC services or spoof RPC services using a spoofed source IP address such as 127.0.0.1.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0195>

CAN-1999-0568 rpc.admind in Solaris is not running in a secure mode. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0568>

CAN-1999-0795The NIS+ rpc.nisd server allows remote attackers to execute certain RPC calls without authentication to obtain system information, disable logging, or modify caches. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0795>

CERT® Advisory CA-2000-17 Input Validation <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-2000-17.html>

CERT® Incident Note IN-2000-10 [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-2000-10.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-2000-10.html)

CERT® Summary CS-2000-03 <http://www.cert.org/summaries/CS-2000-03.html>

CERT® Incident Note IN-99-04 Similar Attacks Using Various RPC Services [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-99-04.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-99-04.html)

CA-99-08 - Buffer Overflow Vulnerability in rpc.cmsd <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-08-cmsd.html>

CA-99-05 - Vulnerability in statd exposes vulnerability in automountd <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-05-statd-automountd.html>

CA-98.11 - Vulnerability in ToolTalk RPC Service <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-98.11.tooltalk.html>

CAN-2000-0800 String parsing error in rpc.kstatd in the linuxnfs or knfsd packages in SuSE and possibly other Linux systems allows remote attackers to gain root privileges. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0800>

ID FAQ - *The trouble with RPCs* [http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trouble\\_RPCs.htm](http://www.sans.org/newlook/resources/IDFAQ/trouble_RPCs.htm)

#### Detection:

08/18-06:10:13.484691 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 18.116.0.75:111 -> MY.NET.6.15:111  
08/19-01:39:20.501009 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 141.223.124.31:2796 -> MY.NET.6.15:111  
08/19-01:41:50.539748 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 141.223.124.31:3033 -> MY.NET.100.130:111  
08/19-10:11:34.529565 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 209.160.238.215:2572 -> MY.NET.6.15:111  
08/19-10:11:47.587415 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 209.160.238.215:4980 -> MY.NET.15.127:111  
08/19-10:13:58.565702 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 209.160.238.215:2815 -> MY.NET.100.130:111  
09/02-00:28:06.989407 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 210.101.101.110:861 -> MY.NET.6.15:111  
09/03-11:47:57.195160 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 210.100.199.219:3478 -> MY.NET.100.130:111  
09/03-11:42:36.076230 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 210.100.199.219:2378 -> MY.NET.6.15:111  
09/10-03:15:33.932802 [\*\*] External RPC call [\*\*] 161.31.208.237:874 -> MY.NET.6.15:111

### 3.2.1.14 TCP SMTP Source Port traffic

#### Snort Rule:

Custom -This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture traffic from any machine, port 25, to any machine on MY.NET.X.X. It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more features:

```
alert TCP !a 25 -> a any (msg:" TCP SMTP Source Port traffic ";
```

**Description:** Sendmail is the program most often used on UNIX mailservers. It uses SMTP to communicate. Sendmail vulnerabilities are listed as item 5 on the SANS list of Top Ten Security Issues <http://www.sans.org/topten.htm>

#### Known Issues:

CAN-2000-0738 WebShield SMTP 4.5 allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service by sending e-mail with a From: address that has a . (period) at the end,

which causes WebShield to continuously send itself copies of the e-mail.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0738>

CAN-2000-0657 Buffer overflow in AnalogX proxy server 4.04 and earlier allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service via a long HELO command in the SMTP protocol.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0657>

CVE-2000-0582 Check Point FireWall-1 4.0 and 4.1 allows remote attackers to cause a denial of service by sending a stream of invalid commands (such as binary zeros) to the SMTP Security Server proxy.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2000-0582>

CVE-1999-0203 In Sendmail, attackers can gain root privileges via SMTP by specifying an improper "mail from" address and an invalid "rcpt to" address that would cause the mail to bounce to a program.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0203>

CVE-1999-0047 MIME conversion buffer overflow in Sendmail versions 8.8.3 and 8.8.4. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0047>

CVE-1999-0130 Local users can start Sendmail in daemon mode and gain root privileges. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0130>

CVE-1999-0131 Buffer overflow and denial of service in Sendmail 8.7.5 and earlier through GECOS field gives root access to local users.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0131>

CVE-1999-0203 In Sendmail, attackers can gain root privileges via SMTP by specifying an improper "mail from" address and an invalid "rcpt to" address that would cause the mail to bounce to a program. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0203>

CVE-1999-0204 Sendmail 8.6.9 allows remote attackers to execute root commands, using ident. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0204>

CVE-1999-0206 MIME buffer overflow in Sendmail 8.8.0 and 8.8.1 gives root access. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0206>

Advisory CA-1997-05 MIME Conversion Buffer Overflow in Sendmail Versions 8.8.3 and 8.8.4 <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-1997-05.html>

SANS CVE Entries <http://www.sans.org/y2k/CVE.htm>

#### Detection:

08/17-00:06:16.011962 [\*\*] TCP SMTP Source Port traffic [\*\*] 206.46.170.21:25 -> MY.NET.97.181:25,  
5 occurrences during a 30 minute period, probably normal SMTP mail traffic between SMTP Mail Servers.

09/10-15:36:32.348040 [\*\*] TCP SMTP Source Port traffic [\*\*] 156.40.66.2:25 -> MY.NET.253.53:757

3 occurrences during an hour, the last two close together. This is symptomatic of a user directly picking up mail from 156.40.66.2, an external mail server. This could be a possible policy violation.

### 3.2.1.15 Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623

#### Snort Rule:

Custom This rule has been custom designed by the installer/maintainer of the Snort Intrusion Detection system at this site, or is from an earlier version of Snort. It has been set up to capture traffic from any machine, to any machine on MY.NET.X.X. port 21 It will be similar to the following, although the actual rule may have more features:

```
alert TCP !a any -> a 21 (msg:" Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 ";[options here will be specific for WU-ftpd as determined by the rule designer])
```

#### Description:

24.17.189.83 has scanned MY.NET.99.104, MY.NET.150.24, MY.NET.202.190, and MY.NET.202.202 looking for wu-ftpd exploits. The specific MY.NET machines should be checked to see if they are at the latest version of the wu-FTP server and if not then upgraded, or ftp disabled if possible. This is a targeted attack, therefore 24.17.189.83 has knowledge that those machines may be FTP servers.

#### Known Issues:

CVE-1999-0080 wu-ftp FTP server allows root access via

"site exec" command. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0080>

CVE-1999-0081 wu-ftp allows files to be overwritten via the rnfr command. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0081>

CVE-1999-0368 Buffer overflows in wuarchive ftpd (wu-ftpd) and ProFTPD lead to remote root access, a.k.a. palmetto.

<http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0368>

CVE-1999-0878 Buffer overflow in WU-FTPD and related FTP servers allows remote attackers to gain root privileges via MAPPING\_CHDIR. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0878>

CVE-1999-0879 Buffer overflow in WU-FTPD and related FTP servers allows remote attackers to gain root privileges via macro variables in a message file. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0879>

CVE-1999-0880 Denial of service in WU-FTPD via the SITE NEWER command, which does not free memory properly <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0880>

CVE-1999-0997 wu-ftp with FTP conversion enabled allows an attacker to execute commands via a malformed file name that is interpreted as an argument to the program that does the conversion, e.g. tar or uncompress. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0997>

CAN-1999-0076 Buffer overflow in wu-ftp from PASV command causes a core dump. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0076>

CAN-1999-0156 wu-ftpd FTP daemon allows any user and password combination. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-1999-0156>

CAN-2000-0573 The Ireply function in wu-ftpd 2.6.0 and earlier does not properly cleanse an untrusted format string, which allows remote attackers to execute arbitrary commands via the SITE EXEC command. <http://www.cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CAN-2000-0573>

#### Detection:

```
09/08-04:53:17.038845  [**] site exec - Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:3446 -> MY.NET.99.104:21
09/08-05:25:41.092146  [**] site exec - Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:4640 -> MY.NET.150.24:21
09/08-05:25:41.167678  [**] Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:4640 -> MY.NET.150.24:21
09/08-05:59:01.961301  [**] site exec - Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:2362 -> MY.NET.202.202:21
09/08-05:59:02.084974  [**] site exec - Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:2363 -> MY.NET.202.190:21
09/08-05:59:04.101862  [**] site exec - Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:2362 -> MY.NET.202.202:21
09/08-05:59:04.191384  [**] Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [**] 24.17.189.83:2362 -> MY.NET.202.202:21
```

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09/08-05:59:04.271433 [\*\*] site exec - Possible wu-ftpd exploit - GIAC000623 [\*\*] 24.17.189.83:2363 -> MY.NET.202.190:21

@Home Network (NETBLK-BB1-RDC1-TX-10)

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: BB1-RDC1-TX-10

Netblock: **24.17.176.0 - 24.17.191.255**

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net  
(650) 556-5599

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### 3.2.1.16 Happy 99 Virus

#### Snort Rule

```
alert TCP any any -> $HOME_NET 25(msg:"Happy99 Virus"; content: "X-Spanska\ :Yes"; )
```

**Description:** A mail message with the features of the Happy 99 Virus has been sent to MY.NET .6.35, and MY.NET.179.80 Those computers are likely infected, and may have infected other machines unless an anti Virus campaign is in place. Recommendation: verify presence of infection and remove institute anti-virus campaign.

**Known Issue:** "Happy 99" virus information can be found at <http://www.symantec.com/avcenter/venc/data/happy99.worm.html>

Detection:

08/16-14:36:46.954418 [\*\*] Happy 99 Virus [\*\*] **128.8.198.101**:12805 -> MY.NET.6.35:25

128.8.198.101 Canonical name: wmuc.umd.edu

University of Maryland (NET-UMDNET)

College Park, MD 20742 US

Netname: UMDNET

Netnumber: **128.8.0.0**

Coordinator: University of Maryland DNS Administration (UM-ORG-ARIN) dnsadmin@NOC.UMD.EDU  
(301) 405-3003

08/20-15:41:12.157972 [\*\*] Happy 99 Virus [\*\*] **24.2.2.66**:58102 -> MY.NET.179.80:25

No match for "**24.2.2.66**".

## 3.2 Analysis of Type 2 Data

### 3.2.1 First generic type:

This generic type consists of various scans, generated by various tools, all have the following in common. There is one source node, it is sending packets at MY.NET.A.X, where A is a subnet number. And X is a node on that subnet. This type of scanning is generally referred to as a horizontal scan.

#### 3.2.1.1 Destination Port 21

FTP has been designed to use two operating ports, 20 (FTP-Data) and 21 (FTP-Control) . Port 21 is used to setup and control the FTP session. It has a number of vulnerabilities. Further information can be found at:

CA-99-13 Multiple Vulnerabilities in WU-FTPD <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-13-wuftpd.html>

CA-2000-13 Two Input Validation Problems In FTPD <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-2000-13-wuftpd.html>

CA-97.27 FTP Bounce and the following Trojans [http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-97.27.FTP\\_bounce.html](http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-97.27.FTP_bounce.html)

Back Construction, Blade Runner, Dolly Trojan, Fore, FTP Trojan, Invisible FTP, Juggernaut 42, Motlv FTP, Larva, Net Administrator, Traitor 21, WebEx, WinCrash

CERT: CA-99-03-FTP-Buffer-Overflows <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-03-FTP-Buffer-Overflows.html>

SITE STATS-Getting "STATS" from a web server gives good information on how to exploit other weaknesses, such as the PASV exploit. [http://www.infowar.com/iwftp/iw\\_sec/iw\\_sec\\_01\\_followup.shtml](http://www.infowar.com/iwftp/iw_sec/iw_sec_01_followup.shtml)

Advisory: IIS FTP Exploit/DoS Attack-Buffer overflow in the NLIST command can crash or break into the FTP server. [http://www.securityfocus.com/templates/archive.pike?list=1&msg=007b01be47b2\\$0fd4d5f0\\$abd40018@CORE](http://www.securityfocus.com/templates/archive.pike?list=1&msg=007b01be47b2$0fd4d5f0$abd40018@CORE)

FTP PASV "Pizza Thief" Exploit-Predicting possible connections in order to redirect output.

Vulnerability in Broker FTP Server v. 3.0 Build 1-LIST <http://www.ntbugtraq.com/default.asp?pid=36&sid=1&A2=ind9906&L=ntbugtraq&F=P&S=&P=629>

BugtraqID: 599 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/599.html>

BugtraqID: 572-This client has a vulnerability in the code that processes the response to a CWD command. <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/572.html>

BugtraqID: 269-CWD or LS commands with strings longer than 155 overflow the buffer <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/269.html>

BugtraqID: 301 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/301.html>

BugtraqID: 442-A buffer overflow exists in the authentication code, so that long hostnames or usernames can be used to break into the system. <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/442.html>

BugtraqID: 650 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/650.html>

BugtraqID: 658 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/658.html>

BugtraqID: 401 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/401.html>

Malformed RPC Packet DoS Vulnerability in Windows 2000, <http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/fq00-066.asp>

Faststream FTP++ 2.0,W2k,DOS <http://www.delphisplc.com/thinking/whitepapers/>

Exploit code released for Firewall-1 FTP PASV security vulnerability [http://www.securiteam.com/exploits/Exploit\\_code\\_released\\_for\\_Firewall-1\\_FTP\\_PASV\\_security\\_vulnerability.html](http://www.securiteam.com/exploits/Exploit_code_released_for_Firewall-1_FTP_PASV_security_vulnerability.html)

EFTP vulnerable to two DoS attacks <http://archives.neohapsis.com/archives/bugtraq/2000-09/0089.html>

#### 210.61.144.125

Sep 11 06:45:13 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.1.3:21 SYNFIN \*\*SF\*\*\*\*

mapping 1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO 14,2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,

104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,  
152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,178,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,  
198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,223,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,25  
3,254

Sep 11 07:06:48 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.254.250:21 SYNFIN \*\*SF

inetnum: **210.61.144.0 - 210.61.144.255**

netname: HINET8-144-TW

descr: Abnet Information Co., Ltd

descr: Taipei, Taiwan TW

person: Wen-Lon Li

address: Abnet Information Co., Ltd

phone: +886-2-558-2115

fax-no: +886-2-558-2116

e-mail: [abnet@ms15.hinet.net](mailto:abnet@ms15.hinet.net)

**195.114.226.41** Scanned the various subnets below , using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Aug 15 00:46:11 **195.114.226.41**:2244 -> MY.NET.1.2:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

1,2,4,5,6,7,10,11,12,13,MY.NET.14.2:21,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,  
130,

139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,178,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,20  
1,202203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,223,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,232,253,254,

Aug 15 02:35:53 195.114.226.41:4249 -> MY.NET.254.252:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

@15-30 hosts per sec, out of sequence, low speed network connection??

inetnum: 195.114.226.0 - 195.114.226.255

netname: MW02

descr: MultiWeb

person: Duncan Schoen

address: Multiweb BV

address: Netherlands

phone: +31 72 5140626

fax-no: +31 72 5140621

e-mail: [beheer@multiweb.nl](mailto:beheer@multiweb.nl)

**213.188.8.45** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Aug 16 04:13:27 213.188.8.45:2415 -> MY.NET.208.42:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Aug 16 04:13:28 213.188.8.45:2404 -> MY.NET.201.246:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

to

Aug 16 04:14:17 213.188.8.45:2420 -> MY.NET.221.78:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: 213.188.8.0 - 213.188.9.255

netname: NO-ELTELE-OST-FAST

descr: Fast Search & Transfere ASA Norway



role: EITele Rogaland Contact Role  
address: EITele Rogaland As  
address: Professor Olav Hansensvei 13  
address: N-4003 Stavanger Norway  
phone: +47 51 87 44 00  
fax-no: +47 51 87 44 01  
e-mail: ragnhild.aass@etr.no

**24.94.176.113** Scanned only MY.NET.100.X, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Aug 18 21:00:03 24.94.176.113:1476 -> MY.NET.100.0:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Aug 18 21:00:03 24.94.176.113:1482 -> MY.NET.100.6:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Aug 18 21:00:03 24.94.176.113:1483 -> MY.NET.100.7:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Aug 18 21:00:03 24.94.176.113:1484 -> MY.NET.100.8:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Aug 18 21:00:03 24.94.176.113:1485 -> MY.NET.100.9:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

RoadRunner-KansasCity-Leavenworth-DHUB (NETBLK-KC-RR-176)

Kansas City, MO 64133 US

Netblock: 24.94.176.0 - 24.94.176.255

Coordinator: Channell, Bruce (BC87-ARIN) abuse@rr.com

877-777-2263 (FAX) 703-345-3504

**4.54.37.160** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Aug 18 02:41:41 4.54.37.160:3618 -> MY.NET.6.12:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

fast, 3 subnets in 9 seconds, went .6,.60,.1

Aug 18 02:50:27 4.54.37.160:4239 -> MY.NET.1.204:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

BBN Planet (NET-SATNET)

Cambridge, MA 02138

US

Netblock: 4.0.0.0 - 4.255.255.255

Coordinator: Soulia, Cindy (CS15-ARIN) csoulia@genuity.net

800-632-7638

**210.100.192.254** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 5 18:33:24 210.100.192.254:37885 -> MY.NET.18.154:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: 210.100.128.0 - 210.100.255.255

netname: PUBNET

descr: Korea Telecom

descr: Seoul KR

remarks: ISP in Korea

person: Gisu Choi

address: Korea Telecom

phone: +82 2 766 1407

fax-no: +82 2 766 6008  
e-mail: mgr@ns.pubnet.nm.kr

**212.143.237.22** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 5 18:05:53 212.143.237.22:3545 -> MY.NET.10.50:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: 212.143.0.0 - 212.143.0.255

netname: NV-BB

descr: NetVision Ltd. IL

route: 212.143.0.0/16

descr: Netvision Ltd.

descr: Internet Service Provider

descr: Haifa 31605 Israel

phone: +972 48 560 600

fax-no: +972 48 551 132

e-mail: noc-team@netvision.net.il

trouble: Send abuse and spam reports to abuse@netvision.net.il

**195.130.128.202** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 8 16:19:19 195.130.128.202:21035 -> MY.NET.5.37:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: 195.130.128.0 - 195.130.149.255

netname: TELENET

descr: Telenet Operaties N.V. BE

route: 195.130.128.0/19

changed: Piet.Spiessens@telenet.be

address: B-2800 Mechelen Belgium

e-mail: tech@telenet-ops.be

trouble: IMPORTANT: To report intrusion attempts, hacking,

trouble: IMPORTANT: spamming, or other unaccepted behavior

trouble: IMPORTANT: by a Telenet/Pandora customer, please

trouble: IMPORTANT: send a message to abuse@pandorC.De

**24.17.189.83**

Sep 8 03:48:41 24.17.189.83:2041 -> MY.NET.1.60:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO 14,2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,

104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,17

8,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,2

23,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,253,254 @ 10 nodes per sec, some out of sequence

Sep 8 06:27:48 24.17.189.83:3915 -> MY.NET.254.254:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

@Home Network (NETBLK-BB1-RDC1-TX-10)

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: BB1-RDC1-TX-10

Netblock: 24.17.176.0 - 24.17.191.255

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net  
(650) 556-5599

**213.188.8.45** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 9 05:24:37 213.188.8.45:4253 -> MY.NET.201.222:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: 213.188.8.0 - 213.188.9.255

netname: NO-ELTELE-OST-FAST

descr: Fast Search & Transfere ASA

role: EITele Rogaland Contact Role

address: Professor Olav Hansensvei 13

address: N-4003 Stavanger Norway

phone: +47 51 87 44 00

fax-no: +47 51 87 44 01

e-mail: [ragnhild.aass@etr.no](mailto:ragnhild.aass@etr.no)

**212.170.19.199** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 11 11:42:05 212.170.19.199:1784 -> MY.NET.5.1:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,14...nets @ 5-10/sec

Sep 11 11:49:41 212.170.19.199:4112 -> MY.NET.13.249:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: 212.170.0.0 - 212.170.15.255

netname: TTDNET

descr: Telefonica Data Espana (NCC#1999085999 )

address: Telefonica Data Espana

address: 28040 Madrid Spain

phone: +34 902 230 210

fax-no: +34 91 4567825

e-mail: [secure@telefonica-data.com](mailto:secure@telefonica-data.com)

trouble: For security related problems contact:

trouble: - [security@ttd.net](mailto:security@ttd.net)

trouble: For problems relating electronic mail abuse contact:

trouble: - [spam@ttd.net](mailto:spam@ttd.net)

trouble: For problems relating dns servers contact:

trouble: - [redip\\_servicios@tsai.es](mailto:redip_servicios@tsai.es)

trouble: - Port scanning related problems:

trouble: - [scan@ttd.net](mailto:scan@ttd.net)

remarks: Information <http://www.telefonica-data.com>

notify: [david.ortega@telefonica-data.com](mailto:david.ortega@telefonica-data.com)

**64.1.198.164** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 10 21:30:37 64.1.198.164:4684 -> MY.NET.222.7:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Concentric Network Corporation (NETBLK-CONCENTRIC-BLK5)

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Netname: CONCENTRIC-BLK5

Netblock: 64.0.0.0 - 64.3.255.255

Coordinator: DNS and IP ADMIN (DIA-ORG-ARIN) hostmaster@CONCENTRIC.NET

(408) 817-2800 Fax- - - (408) 817-2630

**206.18.105.224** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 21

Sep 13 20:02:15 206.18.105.224:2610 -> MY.NET.5.141:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

scanning nets5,6,7

Sep 13 20:07:00 206.18.105.224:3216 -> MY.NET.7.213:21 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

The Internet Group (NETBLK-CERF-TIG-A)

Nuevo, CA 92567 USA

Netname: CERF-TIG-A

Netblock: 206.18.96.0 - 206.18.111.255

Coordinator: DNS Administrator (CERF-HM-ARIN) dns@CERF.NET

(619) 812-5000 Fax- - - - (408) 522-9911

### 3.2.1.2 Destination Port 23

This port is generally used for Telnet. The Telnet service provides a Virtual Terminal service on the remote machine. It can ultimately provide ROOT access to a machine. If the Telnet port is open for access, then the intruder can Telnet in to the machine and start trying Username and Password combinations. Success will be quick and easy if all of the well known standard passwords have not been changed from the defaults. If the default passwords have been changed then this becomes a slightly more challenging way to obtain access. Further information can be found at:

BugtraqID: 459 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/459.html>

BugtraqID: 594-Possible to set the TERM environmental variable before connecting. <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/594.html>

Nt4.0 Telnet to port 53 vulnerability <http://support.microsoft.com/support/kb/articles/Q169/4/61.ASP>

Win2k Telnet.exe malicious server vulnerability <http://www.insecure.org/sploits/NT.NTLM.auto-authentication.html>

Windows 2000 Telnet Client NTLM Authentication" Vulnerability <http://www.insecure.org/sploits/NT.NTLM.auto-authentication.html>

NetStructure 7180 backdoor vulnerability [http://www.securiteam.com/exploits/NetStructure\\_7180\\_backdoor\\_vulnerability.html](http://www.securiteam.com/exploits/NetStructure_7180_backdoor_vulnerability.html)

3Com's HiPer ARC vulnerable to a Denial of Service attack. [http://www.securiteam.com/exploits/3Com\\_s\\_HiPer\\_ARC\\_vulnerable\\_to\\_a\\_Denial\\_of\\_Service\\_attack.html](http://www.securiteam.com/exploits/3Com_s_HiPer_ARC_vulnerable_to_a_Denial_of_Service_attack.html)

**129.186.93.133** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 23

Sep 6 21:24:04 129.186.93.133:1544 -> MY.NET.1.12:23 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,178,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200

Sep 6 22:29:25 129.186.93.133:4725 -> MY.NET.200.72:23 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Iowa State University (NET-CYCLONENET)

Ames, IA 50011 US

Netname: CYCLONENET

Netblock: 129.186.0.0 - 129.186.255.255

Coordinator: Contact, Technical (TC42-ARIN) tech-contact@IASTATE.EDU  
515-294-2256

**128.171.57.194** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 23

Sep 6 12:52:36 128.171.57.194:1061 -> MY.NET.1.7:23 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,15,17,18,20,21,25,26

University of Hawaii (NET-HAWAII)

University of Hawaii

Honolulu, HI 96822 US

Netname: HAWAII

Netnumber: 128.171.0.0

Coordinator: University of Hawaii Keller Hall202 (ZU32-ARIN) netcontact@HAWAII.EDU  
808 521-2879

**205.238.205.3** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 23

Sep 11 13:18:20 205.238.205.3:9358 -> MY.NET.201.36:23 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

KINGS COLLEGE (NET-KINGS-EPIX)

WILKES-BARRE, PA 18711 US

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Netname: KINGS-EPIX

Netnumber: 205.238.205.0

Coordinator: Blanck, William R. (WB385-ARIN) bblanck@EPIX.NET  
(717)-674-4135

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### 3.2.1.3 Destination Port 53

This port is generally used for Domain Name System (DNS) transfers. The DNS programs use UDP transfers in normal operation. TCP is only used in situations where there is a large amount of information to be transferred, and most implementations use a source port of 53, both UDP and TCP. In the situations below, the systems performing the scan are using destination port 53, in order to evade filtering routers or firewalls in order to map a network.

For vulnerabilities further information can be found at:

IN-2000-04 Denial of Service Attacks using Nameservers [http://www.cert.org/incident\\_notes/IN-2000-04.html](http://www.cert.org/incident_notes/IN-2000-04.html)

CA-2000-03 Continuing Compromises of Nameservers <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-2000-03.html>

CA-99-14 Multiple Vulnerabilities in BIND <http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-99-14-bind.html>

CA-98.05 Multiple Vulnerabilities in BIND [http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-98.05.bind\\_problems.html](http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-98.05.bind_problems.html)

DoS in Windows NT DNS servers by flooding port 53 with too many characters. <http://support.microsoft.com/support/kb/articles/Q162/9/27.asp>

**193.120.216.2** Scanned various subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 53

Sep 11 07:23:42 193.120.216.2:2666 -> MY.NET.60.39:53 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

route: **193.120.0.0/16**

descr: IEUNET-AGG-ROUTE-1

descr: Principal address block of EUnet Ireland

remarks: Aggregated route covering multiple EUnet Ireland networks Esat Net is the trading name for EUnet Ireland Ltd.

notify: noc@esat.net

role: Esat.Net NOC

address: Dublin 2, Ireland

phone: +353 1 6790832

fax-no: +353 1 6708118

e-mail: noc@esat.net

**206.186.79.9** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 53 @ approx. 15 nodes per sec

Sep 9 22:35:21 206.186.79.9:2351 -> MY.NET.1.4:53 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Sep 9 22:35:21 206.186.79.9:2352 -> MY.NET.1.5:53 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

1,2,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,13,14,2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,

104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,17

8,179,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,201,201,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,223,2

24,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,253,254,1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,NO14,15,17,18,20,21,25,26

Sep 10 02:13:08 206.186.79.9:2450 -> MY.NET.254.204:53 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Sprint Canada Inc. (NETBLK-INSINC-BLK2)

Vancouver, BC V6A 4E6 CA

Netname: INSINC-BLK2

Netblock: **206.186.0.0 - 206.186.255.0**

Coordinator: Network Operations Contact (NOC71-ORG-ARIN) noc@SPRINT-CANADA.NET

800-665-3633 Fax- 800-555-5641

### 3.2.1.4 Destination Port 27374

Scanning for this port is a **scan for Bad Blood, SubSeven, SubSeven 2.1 Gold, SubSeven 2.1.4 Defcon8, Trojans.**

Further information can be found at <http://www.commodon.com/threat/threat-sub7.htm>  
and <http://xforce.iss.net/static/2245.php>

#### 35.10.82.111

Aug 16 04:35:21 35.10.82.111:2814 -> MY.NET.1.6:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Scanned subnets, using various source ports all going to destination port 27374

1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,MY.NET.14.2, 15,17,18,20,21,25, 26, high speed all in sequence, more than 50 per sec,  
starts skipping nodes, possibly has a map,

Aug 16 04:37:08 35.10.82.111:1443 -> MY.NET.26.237:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Aug 16 04:58:52 35.10.82.111:2246 -> MY.NET.1.2:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

pattern as above, but continues with 26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,messed with 70.221,70.223 then continues with

71.31,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,155,156,157,158,159,  
160,161,162,163,178,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,21  
8,219,220,221,222,223,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,253,254,

Aug 16 05:16:28 35.10.82.111:3144 -> MY.NET.254.254:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Michigan State University (NETBLK-MICH-618)

Computer Laboratory

East Lansing, MI 48824 AUS

Netname: MICH-618

Netblock: **35.8.0.0 - 35.10.255.255**

Coordinator: Nelson, Doug (DEN4-ARIN) nelson@msu.edu  
517-353-2980

**207.19.142.78** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports all going to destination port 27374

Sep 5 16:20:18 207.19.142.78:1093 -> MY.NET.223.159:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

scanned 223,224,225,226,227,228,230,220,221,223,224,225,227,228,229,230,231,232,200,201,202,203,204,206,208,209,210

Sep 5 16:33:13 207.19.142.78:3924 -> MY.NET.210.205:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Baltimore County Public Library (NETBLK-UU-207-19-140-143)

Towson, MD 21204 USA

Netname: UU-207-19-140-143

Netblock: **207.19.140.0 - 207.19.143.255**

Coordinator: Old, Chip (CO53-ARIN) fold@BCPL.NET  
410-887-6180 (FAX) 410-887-2091



### 3.2.1.5 Destination Port 12346

This is a **scan for GabianBus, NetBus 1.0 X-bill Trojans**

Further information can be found at BugtraqID: 1013 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/1013.html>

Sep 9 06:56:04 210.55.227.138:3519 -> MY.NET.200.4:12346 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*  
200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,  
218,219,220,221,222,223,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232, some out of sequence, 5 nodes per sec  
inetnum: **210.55.227.0 - 210.55.227.255**  
netname: WORLD-NET  
descr: Word-Net Ltd.  
descr: 6-8 Nugent St. Auckland NZ  
rev-srv: home.world-net.co.nz  
rev-srv: shell.world-net.co.nz  
person: Thomas Lee  
address: P.O. Box 8591 Symonds Street Auckland  
phone: +64-9-3099004 fax-no: +64-9-3099811  
e-mail: thomas@world-net.co.nz

### 3.2.1.6 Destination Port 1243

This is a **scan for BackDoor-g, Sub 7.2, Tiles virii**

Further information can be found at <http://www.commodon.com/threat/threat-sub7.htm> and <http://xforce.iss.net/static/2245.php>

Sep 8 23:27:41 **62.136.41.111**:2715 -> MY.NET.1.151:1243 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*  
Sep 8 23:27:41 **62.136.41.111**:2720 -> MY.NET.1.156:1243 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*  
Sep 8 23:27:41 **62.136.41.111**:2723 -> MY.NET.1.159:1243 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*  
Sep 8 23:27:41 **62.136.41.111**:2727 -> MY.NET.1.163:1243 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*  
inetnum: **62.136.0.0 - 62.136.255.255**  
netname: POL-CAG1  
descr: CAG Block 1  
descr: Planet Online Limited  
descr: In case of problems please call +44 113 234 6068  
descr: Please do not send abuse reports to tech or admin contacts  
descr: Planet Online Limited  
descr: The White House  
descr: Melbourne St.  
person: Darren Marshall  
address: Planet Online LTD  
address: The Whitehouse  
address: Melbourne St Leeds LS2 7PS  
address: Great Britain  
phone: +44 1132345566

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### 3.2.1.7 Destination Ports 27374 and 12346

The scanning activity for port **27374** is a scan for **Bad Blood, SubSeven, SubSeven 2.1 Gold, SubSeven 2.1.4 Defcon8, Trojans.**

**12346** is a scan for **GabianBus, NetBus 1.0, X-bill Trojans**

Further information on port 27374 issues can be found at <http://www.commodon.com/threat/threat-sub7.htm> and <http://xforce.iss.net/static/2245.php>

Further information on port 12346 issues can be found at BugtraqID: 1013 <http://www.securityfocus.com/bid/1013.html>

Sep 9 07:00:32 **210.55.227.138**:4507 -> MY.NET.232.247:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Sep 9 07:00:33 210.55.227.138:4518 -> MY.NET.232.252:12346 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Sep 9 07:00:33 210.55.227.138:4519 -> MY.NET.232.253:27374 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: **210.55.227.0 - 210.55.227.255**

netname: WORLD-NET

descr: Word-Net Ltd.

descr: 6-8 Nugent St. Auckland NZ

rev-srv: home.world-net.co.nz

rev-srv: shell.world-net.co.nz

notify: nic@netgate.net.nz

person: Thomas Lee

address: P.O. Box 8591 Symonds Street Auckland NZ

phone: +64-9-3099004

fax-no: +64-9-3099811

country: e-mail: thomas@world-net.co.nz

Aug 15 17:20:34 **195.57.243.171**:64525 -> MY.NET.60.8:22 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Aug 15 17:20:34 195.57.243.171:64526 -> MY.NET.60.8:383 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

inetnum: **195.57.243.0 - 195.57.243.255**

netname: BITELNET

descr: Internet Service Provider

person: Jose A. Mejias

address: BITel S.A.

address: Palma de Mallorca 07014 (Balears) SPAIN

phone: +34 971 225700

fax-no: +34 971 225701

## 3.2.2 Second Generic Type

### 3.2.2.1 Destination Port 7000

The following are scans for X-Windows Font Server (if safe) and Remote Grab, Kazimas, Exploit Translation Server, SubSeven 2.1 Gold Trojans (if unsafe) threat-sub7 <http://www.commodon.com/threat/threat-sub7.htm>

Xforce SubSeven Info <http://xforce.iss.net/static/2245.php>

The Simovits Consulting Trojan listing identifies this as **potentially, SubSeven 2.1 Gold, Remote Access / ICQ Trojan**

<http://www.simovits.com/nyheter9902.html>

Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.42:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.70.142:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.48:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.60.43:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.45:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.33:7003 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.60.12:7003 UDP  
Aug 15 05:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.1.13:7003 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.70.142:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:20 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.48:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:20 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.60.43:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:19 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.45:7000 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:20 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.6.33:7003 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:20 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.60.12:7003 UDP  
Aug 15 06:27:20 24.3.39.44:7001 -> MY.NET.1.13:7003 UDP

continues in bursts until the end of supplied information

@Home Network (NETBLK-MD-COMCAST-OWML-1)

425 Broadway

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: MD-COMCAST-OWML-1

Netblock: **24.3.32.0 - 24.3.39.255**

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net

(650) 556-5599

### 3.2.2.2 Source and Destination Port 9704

This address has already been mentioned in the Type 1 (SYN-FIN scan)

#### Exposure

CVE-1999-0048 Talkd, when given corrupt DNS information, can be used to execute arbitrary commands with root privileges.

<http://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0048>

Sep 7 21:33:23 **213.25.136.60**:9704 -> MY.NET.1.4:9704 SYNFIN \*\*SF\*\*\*\*  
1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,MY.NET.14.2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85  
Sep 7 21:40:36 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.85.254:9704 SYNFIN \*\*SF\*\*\*\*  
09/07-21:33:30.514289 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.1.4:9704  
inetnum: 213.25.136.0 - 213.25.136.15  
netname: E-SOLUTIONS  
descr: e-SOLUTIONS.com Poland Sp. z o.o. PL  
person: Wieslaw Kosidlak e-mail: wkosidlak@mfras.com  
phone: +48 81 7453340  
fax-no: +48 81 7453315

### 3.2.2.3 Source Port 7777

This traffic is more than likely Napster, block incoming TCP port 7777 to any port greater than 1024 It also uses port 6699, 8875,8888, 9009.

The Napster site ( <http://www.napigator.com/> ) the audio and video exchange network.

Sep 6 20:24:49 **209.123.198.156**:7777 -> MY.NET.213.10:1071 UDP to  
Sep 6 20:29:58 209.123.198.156:7777 -> MY.NET.213.10:1068 UDP

Sep 7 22:40:35 209.123.198.156:7777 -> MY.NET.204.126:2317 UDP to  
Sep 7 22:53:40 209.123.198.156:7777 -> MY.NET.204.126:2432 UDP  
Net Access Corporation (NETBLK-NAC-NETBLK02)  
Newton, NJ 07860  
Netname: NAC-NETBLK02  
Netblock: **209.123.0.0 - 209.123.255.255**

Coordinator: Pavely, Ryan (RP2938-ARIN) paradox@NAC.NET  
201-983-0725 (FAX) 201-983-0453

Sep 9 20:59:53 **63.248.55.245**:7777 -> MY.NET.204.126:4855 UDP to  
Sep 14 17:00:01 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.204.126:2682 UDP

Sep 9 20:43:01 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.204.166:1519 UDP to  
Sep 10 23:58:13 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.204.166:1200 UDP

Sep 9 20:43:01 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.213.10:3969 UDP to  
Sep 10 00:40:24 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.208.238:1227 UDP

Sep 11 20:51:59 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.208.58:1055 UDP to  
Sep 14 16:18:53 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.208.58:1428 UDP

Sep 13 22:02:14 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.213.78:1068 UDP to  
Sep 14 17:00:01 63.248.55.245:7777 -> MY.NET.213.78:2526 UDP

Flashcom, Inc. (NETBLK-NETBLK-FLASHCOM-2)  
Huntington Beach, CA 92649 US  
Netname: NETBLK-FLASHCOM-2  
Netblock: **63.248.0.0 - 63.248.255.255**  
Coordinator: Benton, Curtis (CB373-ARIN) [curtisb@flashcom.com](mailto:curtisb@flashcom.com)  
(714) 891-7891

#### **3.2.2.4 MY.NET.X.X Source Port 53,**

**Probably Normal, Local DNS Server traffic, more information required to know if these machines, MY.NET.1.3, MY.NET.1.4, & MY.NET.1.5, are DNS Servers but at this point it would appear that they are.**

Aug 15 09:37:02 MY.NET.1.4:53 -> MY.NET.101.99:1088 UDP To various hosts and ports greater than 1024 in MY.NET.X.Y  
Sep 3 09:03:25 MY.NET.1.4:53 -> MY.NET.120.32:1302 UDP  
Aug 16 15:44:15 MY.NET.1.3:53 -> MY.NET.101.89:53051 UDP To various hosts and ports greater than 1024 in MY.NET.X.Y  
Sep 3 09:03:21 MY.NET.1.3:53 -> MY.NET.152.15:1986 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:18 MY.NET.1.5:53 -> MY.NET.179.78:2082 UDP To various hosts and ports greater than 1024 in MY.NET.X.Y  
Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.5:53 -> MY.NET.111.169:1932 UDP

#### **3.2.2.5 MY.NET.X.X Source and Destination Port 123,**

**Probably Normal, Network Time Protocol traffic, more information required to know if these machines, MY.NET.1.4, & MY.NET.1.5, are NTP Servers.**

Sep 3 09:03:20 MY.NET.1.5:123 -> MY.NET.179.54:123 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.4:123 -> MY.NET.100.96:123 UDP

#### **3.2.2.6 MY.NET.1.13 Source Port 7003, & 40531**

MY.NET.1.13 is probably a compromised host not an X-Windows font Server.

The following are scans for X-Windows Font Server (if safe) and Remote Grab, Kazimas, Exploit Translation Server, SubSeven 2.1 Gold Trojans (if unsafe)

threat-sub7 <http://www.commodon.com/threat/threat-sub7.htm>

Xforce SubSeven Info <http://xforce.iss.net/static/2245.php>

The Simovits Consulting Trojan listing identifies this as potentially, SubSeven 2.1 Gold, Remote Access / ICQ Trojan <http://www.simovits.com/nyheter9902.html>

Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.53.207:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:19 MY.NET.1.13:40577 -> MY.NET.6.20:111 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:19 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.60.164:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:19 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.100.83:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:19 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.110.82:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.60.170:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:20 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.53.110:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:21 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.53.76:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:21 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.53.149:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:21 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.60.182:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:21 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.60.175:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:21 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.60.167:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.60.12:7003 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.13:7003 -> MY.NET.53.106:7001 UDP  
Sep 3 09:03:22 MY.NET.1.13:40531 -> MY.NET.6.33:7008 UDP

### 3.2.3 Third Generic Type

The following, are scans, of a single machine looking for open ports. The destination IP address stays the same the ports change, also referred to a "Vertical Scan". This is a dangerous situation, as generally these machines may have already been targeted, as having a specific set of features, that can be exploited. The intruder is now checking which ports are available to be exploited, or a specific port to be used for a known exploit.

Sep 8 15:09:35 **159.226.185.4**:41023 -> **MY.NET.97.199**:10242 UDP to  
Sep 8 15:10:48 159.226.185.4:64959 -> MY.NET.97.199:52607 UDP

The Computer Network Center Chinese Academy of Sciences (NET-NCFC)  
Institute of Computing Technology Chinese Academy of Sciences  
Beijing 100080, China  
Netname: NCFC  
Netnumber: **159.226.0.0**  
Coordinator: Qian, Haulin (QH3-ARIN) hlqian@NS.CNC.AC.CN  
+86 1 2569960

Sep 8 15:10:33 **210.125.174.11**:60053 -> **MY.NET.97.199**:28167 UDP to  
Sep 8 15:19:56 210.125.174.11:53952 -> MY.NET.97.199:12489 UDP  
Various ports, both source & destination, just this host  
inetnum: **210.125.128.0 - 210.125.255.255**  
descr: Korean Education Network  
descr: San 56-1, Shilrim-dong, Kwanak-gu, Seoul, Korea  
person: Eunkyung Kim  
phone: +82 2 880 5364  
fax-no: +82 2 887 0130  
e-mail: mgr@kren.nm.kr

Sep 4 11:42:13 **216.99.200.242**:16589 -> **MY.NET.97.216**:953 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Aracnet Internet Services (NETBLK-ARACNET-COM-1)  
Beaverton, OR 97005-2241 US  
Netname: ARACNET-COM-1  
Netblock: **216.99.192.0 - 216.99.223.255**  
Coordinator: aracnet.com (AN44-ORG-ARIN) noc@ARACNET.COM  
(503) 626-7696

Sep 4 20:07:27 **24.180.174.167**:4523 -> **MY.NET.60.11**:1545 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*



Sep 4 20:50:18 **24.180.174.167**:2751 -> **MY.NET.253.42**:9876 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
@Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-2)  
Redwood City, CA 94063 US  
Netname: BLTMMMD1-MD-2  
Netblock: **24.180.160.0 - 24.180.175.255**  
Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net  
(650) 556-5599

Sep 4 20:25:26 **209.123.109.175**:1575 -> **MY.NET.219.118**:24 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Sep 5 19:35:37 **209.123.109.175**:2975 -> **MY.NET.207.74**:528 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Net Access Corporation (NETBLK-NAC-NETBLK02)  
Newton, NJ 07860  
Netname: NAC-NETBLK02  
Netblock: **209.123.0.0 - 209.123.255.255**  
Coordinator: Pavely, Ryan (RP2938-ARIN) paradox@NAC.NET  
201-983-0725 (FAX) 201-983-0453

Sep 5 17:11:15 **131.155.192.220**:2510 -> **MY.NET.5.7**:257 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Eindhoven University of Technology (NET-TUEINDHOVEN)  
Eindhoven NETHERLANDS  
Netname: TUENET1  
Netnumber: **131.155.0.0**  
Coordinator: Schillemans, Joop F.A. (JFAS-ARIN) rcjoop@URC.TUE.NL  
+31 40-472147

Sep 5 17:11:49 **147.208.171.139**:2682 -> **MY.NET.98.160**:2005 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Intel Corporation (NET-INTEL-FSO)  
Santa Clara, CA 95052-8119 US  
Netname: INTEL-FSO  
Netnumber: **147.208.0.0**  
Coordinator: Sedayao, Jeff (JS751-ARIN) sedayao@ORPHEUS.SC.INTEL.COM  
(408) 765-2935 (FAX) (408) 653-0449

Sep 8 12:50:51 **207.123.169.54**:5173 -> **MY.NET.220.190**:593 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Sep 11 09:22:09 **207.123.169.54**:22706 -> **MY.NET.217.206**:339 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
Sep 11 09:22:30 **207.123.169.54**:13490 -> **MY.NET.202.150**:988 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*  
BBN Planet (NETBLK-BBN-PLANET)  
Cambridge, MA 02173 US  
Netname: BBN-PLANET  
Netblock: **207.120.0.0 - 207.123.255.255**  
Coordinator:BBN Network Operations Center (BNOC-ARIN) ops@BBNPLANET.COM

800-632-7638 617-873-8730 fax: 617-873-6315

Sep 8 18:56:33 **151.196.73.119**:8360 -> **MY.NET.253.112**:118 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Dixie Printing & Packaging (NETBLK-DIXIE-196-73)

Glen Burnie, MD 21061 USA

Netname: DIXIE-196-73

Netblock: **151.196.73.0 - 151.196.73.63**

Coordinator: Ongoing Business Support Services (OBS-ORG-ARIN) business-support@MERCURY.BALINK.COM

800-475-7840 Fax- 703-453-6770

Sep 9 17:34:21 **147.208.171.139**:2739 -> **MY.NET.97.230**:31792 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Intel Corporation (NET-INTEL-FSO)

Santa Clara, CA 95052-8119 US

Netname: INTEL-FSO

Netnumber: **147.208.0.0**

Coordinator: Sedayao, Jeff (JS751-ARIN) sedayao@ORPHEUS.SC.INTEL.COM

(408) 765-2935 (FAX) (408) 653-0449

Sep 10 18:23:59 **216.234.161.76**:3660 -> **MY.NET.218.34**:393 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Tera-Byte Online Services (NETBLK-TERA-BYTE-1)

Edmonton, AB T5J0K1 CA

Netname: TERA-BYTE-1

Netblock: 216.234.160.0 - 216.234.191.255

Coordinator: Network Operations Centre (NO58-ORG-ARIN) noc@TERA-BYTE.COM

+1-780-413-1868 Fax- +1-780-413-1869

Sep 13 16:52:25 **216.99.200.242**:28883 -> MY.NET.98.188:648 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

**starts out TCP, changes to UDP**

Sep 13 17:06:25 **216.99.200.242**:56815 -> MY.NET.98.188:5002 UDP

Aracnet Internet Services (NETBLK-ARACNET-COM-1)

Beaverton, OR 97005-2241 US

Netname: ARACNET-COM-1

Netblock: **216.99.192.0 - 216.99.223.255**

Coordinator: aracnet.com (AN44-ORG-ARIN) noc@ARACNET.COM

(503) 626-7696

Sep 14 04:42:35 **207.230.248.254**:6699 -> **MY.NET.208.18**:4617 NULL \*\*\*\*\*

In2net Network Inc. (NETBLK-IN2NETT-BLK-1)

Vancouver, BC V6Z 1N9 CA

Netname: IN2NETT-BLK-1

Netblock: **207.230.248.0 - 207.230.248.255**

Coordinator: Lai, David (DL552-ARIN) david@LYNX.BC.CA

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### 3.2.4 Fourth Generic Type

This category is a special case where it appears that MY.NET.217 is communicating out to a group of nodes at 198.62.155.x, possibly a cluster of nodes serving a specific need or MY.NET.217.10 is compromised.

```
Aug 28 15:38:59 198.62.155.109:40490 -> MY.NET.217.10:1490 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:38:57 198.62.155.10:39850 -> MY.NET.217.10:2032 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:38:57 198.62.155.11:39851 -> MY.NET.217.10:868 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:38:57 198.62.155.104:39868 -> MY.NET.217.10:665 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:38:57 198.62.155.102:39899 -> MY.NET.217.10:471 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:39:00 198.62.155.105:40595 -> MY.NET.217.10:984 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:39:00 198.62.155.111:40546 -> MY.NET.217.10:1482 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:39:00 198.62.155.101:40547 -> MY.NET.217.10:1992 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:39:00 198.62.155.106:40541 -> MY.NET.217.10:1013 SYN **S*****
```

The source address changed among the nodes 103,109,10,11,104,102,105,111,101,106,107,103,109,10,11,109,111,101,  
the destination address always stayed the same ....

```
Aug 28 15:40:48 198.62.155.106:42978 -> MY.NET.217.10:392 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:40:48 198.62.155.102:42974 -> MY.NET.217.10:906 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:40:48 198.62.155.104:42976 -> MY.NET.217.10:781 SYN **S*****
Aug 28 15:40:48 198.62.155.103:42975 -> MY.NET.217.10:818 SYN **S*****
```

Smart Consulting (NET-SMART-NET)

Fredrick, MD 21702 US

Netname: SMART-NET

Netnumber: 198.62.155.0

Coordinator: Smart, Robert (RS622-ARIN) bsmart@GREBYN.COM  
301-662-0374

## 3.2.5 Fifth Generic Type –Tools

### 3.2.5.1 Nmap

**24.180.134.156** Scanned subnets indicated below, using various source ports, caught as an NMAP scan

Sep 11 04:48:03 24.180.134.156:3089 -> MY.NET.208.1:757 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

Sep 11 04:48:56 24.180.134.156:50111 -> MY.NET.208.5:23 **NMAPID** \*\*SF\*P\*U

1,2,5,6,9,13,17,18,21,25,29,33,34,37,38,41,45,49,50,53,54,57,61,65,66,69,70,73,74,77,78,81,85,89,93,94,97,98,101,102,105,106,109,110,113,114,117,121,122,125,129,133,137,138,141,145,146,149,153,154,157,161,165,166,169,173,177,178,181,182,185,186,189,190,193,197,201,205,206,209,213,214,217,221,225,226,229,230,233,237,241,245

Sep 11 05:19:13 24.180.134.156:50108 -> MY.NET.208.245:23 SYN \*\*S\*\*\*\*\*

@Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1)

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: BLTMMMD1-MD-1

Netblock: **24.180.128.0 - 24.180.143.255**

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) [noc-abuse@noc.home.net](mailto:noc-abuse@noc.home.net)  
(650) 556-5599

### 3.2.5.2 QUESO

Sep 11 09:13:54 64.80.63.121:1524 -> MY.NET.224.34:6346 SYN 21S\*\*\*\*\* RESERVEDBITS

**The following is supporting evidence from the Analysis of Type 1 data**

09/11-09:13:54.380467 [\*\*] **Queso fingerprint** [\*\*] 64.80.63.121:1524 -> MY.NET.224.34:6346

64.80.63.121

CollegePark/LexingtonCrossing (NETBLK-PAET-MI-CPRK-LEX)

Gainesville, FL 32608 US

Netname: PAET-MI-CPRK-LEX

Netblock: 64.80.63.0 - 64.80.63.255

Coordinator: Darby, Brian (BD114-ARIN) [bdarby@campuslink.com](mailto:bdarby@campuslink.com)  
734-975-8075

Sep 13 19:21:29 24.3.161.193:33044 -> MY.NET.145.9:110 SYN 21S\*\*\*\*\* RESERVEDBITS

**The following is supporting evidence from the Analysis of Type 1 data**

09/05-09:00:54.631991 [\*\*] **Queso fingerprint** [\*\*] 24.3.161.193:32814 -> MY.NET.145.9:110

@Home Network (NETBLK-NJ-COMCAST-UNION-1)

Redwood City, CA 94063 US

Netname: NJ-COMCAST-UNION-1

Netblock: 24.3.160.0 - 24.3.175.255

Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) [noc-abuse@noc.home.net](mailto:noc-abuse@noc.home.net)  
(650) 556-5599

### 3.3 Analysis of Type 3 Data

This section of data contains packets that have various illegal bit combinations set. It has a number of nodes communicating with MY.NET.X.X, but more importantly some **Out Of Band traffic headed out** from MY.NET.X.X This information can be found under the heading **Suspicious Traffic**, below

The information appears to have been collected with a filter that detects the SYN-FIN flags together at the same time.

#### **210.61.144.125 This address has already been mentioned in the Type 1 (SYN-FIN scan) and Type 2 (Scans to port 21) analysis**

##### **Standard FTP issues mentioned earlier**

09/11-06:45:14.854416 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.1.3:21

starts and maps the following subnets 1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85,94,97,98,99,100,104,105,106,107,108,109,110,111,112,115,120,130,138,139,140,141,142,143,144,145,146,150,151,152,153,154,155,156,157,158,159,160,161,162,163,178,179,180,181,182,183,184,185,186,188,190,198,199,200,201,202,203,204,205,206,207,208,209,210,211,212,213,214,215,216,217,218,219,220,221,222,223,224,225,226,227,228,229,230,231,232,253,254

09/11-07:06:50.833774 210.61.144.125:21 -> MY.NET.254.254:21

inetnum: **210.61.144.0 - 210.61.144.255**

netname: HINET8-144-TW

descr: Abnet Information Co., Ltd

descr: Taipei, Taiwan TW

person: Wen-Lon Li

address: Abnet Information Co., Ltd

phone: +886-2-558-2115

fax-no: +886-2-558-2116

e-mail: [abnet@ms15.hinet.net](mailto:abnet@ms15.hinet.net)

#### **213.25.136.60 This address has already been mentioned in the Type 1 (SYN-FIN scan) and Type 2 (Source and Destination Port 9704) analysis**

##### **Exposure**

CVE-1999-0048 Talkd, when given corrupt DNS information, can be used to execute arbitrary commands with root privileges.

<http://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-1999-0048>

09/07-21:33:30.514289 **213.25.136.60:9704** -> MY.NET.1.4:9704

starts and maps the following subnets 1,2,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12,13,MY.NET.14.2,15,17,18,20,21,25,26,53,54,60,68,69,70,71,75,85

09/07-21:40:44.000483 213.25.136.60:9704 -> MY.NET.85.254:9704

inetnum: **213.25.136.0 - 213.25.136.15**

netname: E-SOLUTIONS

descr: e-SOLUTIONS.com Poland Sp. z o.o. PL

person: Wieslaw Kosidlak e-mail: [wkosidlak@mfrelas.com](mailto:wkosidlak@mfrelas.com)

phone: +48 81 7453340

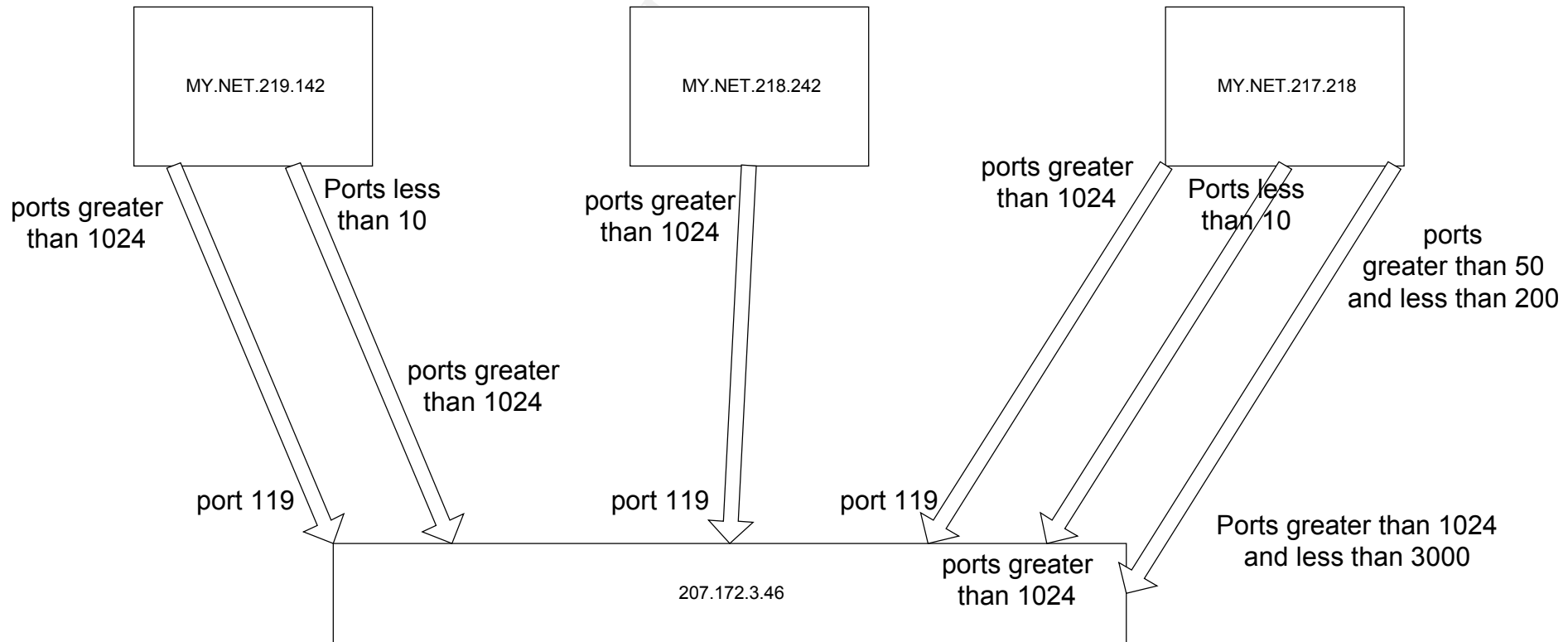
fax-no: +48 81 7453315

09/01-00:07:56.201741 **24.108.139.90:191** -> MY.NET.221.66:1438  
09/01-00:11:19.168802 24.108.139.90:1438 -> MY.NET.221.66:6355 one machine, one port  
Videon CableSystems Alberta Inc (NET-VIDEONCABALB)  
Edmonton, Alberta T5S 1S2 CA  
Netname: VIDEONCABALB  
Netblock: **24.108.0.0 - 24.109.15.255**  
Coordinator: Kevin, Patzer (PK110-ARIN) k.patzer@videon.ca  
780.486.6892

09/06-13:58:22.763407 [\*\*] Null scan! [\*\*] **24.113.80.28:1993** -> MY.NET.203.110:1464 from Type 1 analysis  
09/01-07:44:41.858576 **24.113.80.28:2439** -> MY.NET.207.34:2272 to  
09/01-08:49:10.942426 24.113.80.28:0 -> MY.NET.207.34:2439 using the two ports noted  
Rogers@Home Lngly (NETBLK-BC-ROG-LNGL-2)  
Toronto, ON M4Y 2Y5 CA  
Netname: BC-ROG-LNGL-2  
Netblock: **24.113.80.0 - 24.113.81.255**  
Coordinator: Network Security, Fraud (AD30-ARIN) abuse@rogers.home.net  
(416) 935-4729

09/11-04:48:57.783879 **24.180.134.156:50111** -> MY.NET.208.5:23 to  
09/11-05:19:11.134298 24.180.134.156:50111 -> MY.NET.208.245:23, 208 subnet, port 23  
@Home Network (NETBLK-BLTMMMD1-MD-1)  
Redwood City, CA 94063 US  
Netname: BLTMMMD1-MD-1  
Netblock: 24.180.128.0 - 24.180.143.255  
Coordinator: Operations, Network (HOME-NOC-ARIN) noc-abuse@noc.home.net  
(650) 556-5599

## Suspicious traffic



**Figure 2**  
Suspicious Traffic  
that had SYN and Fin set  
as well as combinations of  
other flags

## Description



The following traffic has been detected outgoing from MY.NET.219.142, MY.NET.218.242, and MY.NET.217.218 it is all going to 207.172.3.46. The server 207.172.3.46 claims to be a News server, the traffic data that has been collected by the probe would indicate otherwise. There are many illegal flag combinations set in the data. The overall basis for the detect is discussed below with a description of the three way handshake.

The Three Way Handshake works as follows, a node (client) wishing to communicate with another node (server) establishes the TCP connection with a TCP packet containing a SYN, the initial sequence number it wishes to use, to the well known port it wishes to connect to, the Maximum Segment Size (MSS) and Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) size. If the server is willing and able to establish a connection, it responds with a packet, which contains a SYN-ACK, increments the client's initial sequence number by 1, supplies the server's initial sequence number, MSS and MTU. If that port is not active on the server, a reset is sent instead to the client node. The client responds to the server's SYN with an ACK, and increments the server's initial sequence number by 1. The initial sequence numbers are incremented as appropriate to each node, with each transfer of data. Communication then continues until the session is complete. The start of session tear down is initiated with a FIN from, which ever node has completed first. The other node responds with an ACK, and if it has completed its portion of the session, as well, it responds with a FIN, if it has not completed its side of the communication it continues until it is complete. The node that has sent its FIN will continue to respond even though it may already have sent a FIN, until both ends of the conversation have sent a FIN, to which the other node responds with an ACK.. As can be observed, the combination of SYN and FIN do not naturally occur together at the same time, in a normal session. Therefore one can conclude that the packets having this combination of flags, as a minimum must be crafted.

```
08/29-14:38:43.705179 MY.NET.219.142:1052 -> 207.172.3.46:119
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:31489 DF
*1SF**AU Seq: 0xA Ack: 0x5F4EE3F8 Win: 0x5010
04 1C 00 77 00 00 0A 5F 4E E3 F8 01 B3 50 10 ...w...._N....P.
05 B4 2F CB 20 20 20 20 00 .../.
```

```
08/29-14:39:11.535016 MY.NET.219.142:1052 -> 207.172.3.46:119 to
08/29-17:08:30.879081 MY.NET.219.142:1137 -> 207.172.3.46:119
```

```
09/01-03:30:24.867890 MY.NET.218.242:1075 -> 207.172.3.46:119
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:16403 DF
21SF**** Seq: 0xC1660 Ack: 0x19ECC Win: 0x5010
TCP Options => Opt 32 (32): 2020 2000 6515 CA33 82A3 0014 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 EOL EOL EOL
EOL EOL EOL EOL EOL
```

```
09/01-03:30:24.867890 MY.NET.218.242:1075 -> 207.172.3.46:119 to
09/01-04:57:08.155219 MY.NET.218.242:1102 -> 207.172.3.46:119
```

```
09/01-17:06:17.833362 MY.NET.217.218:1099 -> 207.172.3.46:119
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:55949 DF
**SF*P*U Seq: 0xE2B0AB Ack: 0xFC13 Win: 0x5010
00 00 FC 13 2D 2B 50 10 22 38 7F 03 20 20 20 20 ....-+P."8..
20 00 .
```

```
09/01-17:06:17.833362 MY.NET.217.218:1099 -> 207.172.3.46:119 to
09/14-02:29:29.560104 MY.NET.217.218:1337 -> 207.172.3.46:119
```

### Example 1

```

09/04-23:10:36.591951 MY.NET.217.218:0 -> 207.172.3.46:1156
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:56176 DF
2*SFRPA* Seq: 0x77000A Ack: 0x1B014E1C Win: 0x5010
20 20 20 20 20 20 00

```

## Example 2

```

=====
09/05-13:02:54.730088 MY.NET.217.218:0 -> 207.172.3.46:1074
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:13082 DF
**SFRPAU Seq: 0x77007C Ack: 0xD89835A7 Win: 0x5010
D8 98 35 A7 20 3F 50 10 22 38 2A EE 20 20 20 20 ..5. ?P."8*.
20 00
.
```

=====

```

=====
09/05-13:15:28.575665 MY.NET.217.218:0 -> 207.172.3.46:1074
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:36189 DF
**SF*P*U Seq: 0x77007C Ack: 0xE8483EC9 Win: 0x5010
```

=====

## Example 3

```

=====
09/05-16:28:43.201535 MY.NET.217.218:2328 -> 207.172.3.46:119
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:18313 DF
**SF*P** Seq: 0x12F Ack: 0xEA7D8CA8 Win: 0x5010
00 00 01 2F EA 7D 8C A8 10 0B 50 10 1C 84 D2 56 .../.}....P....V
20 20 20 20 20 00
.
```

=====

```

=====
09/05-16:33:10.619588 MY.NET.217.218:2328 -> 207.172.3.46:119
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:13511 DF
**SFR*AU Seq: 0x12F Ack: 0xEDFD8E89 Win: 0x5010
20 00
.
```

=====

Example 1, 2 and 3 demonstrate the existence of packets with the same Sequence number, over a very short period of time. The sequence number field is a 4 byte field. It does not wrap in a normal TCP conversation, unless a very large number of bytes of information are transferred, certainly not within 1 minute as in Example 1, or less than 13 minutes as in Example 2 or in less than 5 minutes as in Example 3. If the packets were TCP retry, the remainder of the contents of the packet would be the same, they are not. Therefore one has more evidence that these are crafted packets being sent out from MY.NET.217.218.

The probe is collecting data from only one view point, that of its position in the network, and the filter that has been loaded into it. In order to determine with some certainty, exactly what the compromise is, would require capturing the data flow in both directions from the 3 compromised hosts.

Another set of issues is due to the NAPSTER/InternetRelayChat/Trojan set of ports in use as part of this activity, examples below.

```

=====
09/08-02:31:35.313799 MY.NET.217.218:6699 -> 128.118.215.123:1823
```

*Oliver Viitamaki - GCIA Practical – October 2000*

```
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:4697  DF
21SFRPA* Seq: 0x2B0056  Ack: 0x217B08B8  Win: 0x5010
21 7B 08 B8 22 DF 50 10 22 38 6A C8 20 20 20 20  !{..".P."8j.
20 00
```

```
==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+
09/08-02:32:05.728602 MY.NET.217.218:6699 -> 128.118.215.123:1823
TCP TTL:126 TOS:0x0 ID:5739  DF
21SFRPA* Seq: 0x550056  Ack: 0x217B0906  Win: 0x5010
1A 2B 07 1F 00 55 00 56 21 7B 09 06 0A DF 50 10  .+...U.V!{....P.
22 38 82 7A 20 20 20 20 20 00  "8.z
```

```
==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+==+
```

```
08/28-09:55:13.260265 MY.NET.202.202:1694 -> 128.61.68.140:6699 Georgia Institute of Technology (NET-GATECH-EDU)
08/29-01:10:11.515712 MY.NET.201.82:2021 -> 141.161.120.190:6699 Georgetown University (NET-GEORGETOWN-NET)
09/04-03:11:49.883185 MY.NET.218.74:1169 -> 198.164.220.55:6699 University of New Brunswick (NETBLK-NEWBRUN) NBNET001
09/04-14:09:22.979271 MY.NET.222.110:1325 -> 193.129.5.70:6699 UUNET UK
09/06-21:39:04.979855 MY.NET.208.102:1607 -> 216.161.236.5:6699 U S WEST Interact Services (NETBLK-USW-INTERACT98)
09/08-14:39:40.758761 MY.NET.210.206:1092 -> 171.64.115.13:6699 Stanford University Network (NETBLK-NETBLK-SUNET)
09/12-11:39:21.498008 MY.NET.209.94:1065 -> 169.229.90.83:6699 University of California, Office of the President
09/12-11:49:34.238617 MY.NET.209.94:1071 -> 152.17.106.86:6699 Wake Forest University (NET-WAKE-FOREST)
09/13-12:45:19.296837 MY.NET.222.82:0 -> 169.229.117.60:6699 University of California, Office of the President
```

The following nodes have all transmitted packets with illegal combinations of flags. They should be evaluated for battle damage. The severity of the compromise on these hosts is to a large degree dependent on site policy, as the activity show signs of Napster/IRC activity. These nodes should be checked for known virus infections, and checked that they are running the latest versions of software. If Napster/IRC activity is not allowed on this site then stronger action should be taken as per site policy.

MY.NET.201.82, MY.NET.201.110, MY.NET.201.146,  
MY.NET.202.10, MY.NET.202.26, MY.NET.202.50, MY.NET.202.102, MY.NET.202.202,  
MY.NET.203.98,  
MY.NET.204.74, MY.NET.204.78,  
MY.NET.205.190, MY.NET.205.226,  
MY.NET.206.26, MY.NET.206.134, MY.NET.206.162, MY.NET.206.182,  
MY.NET.208.6, MY.NET.208.102, MY.NET.208.178, MY.NET.208.162,  
MY.NET.209.94,  
MY.NET.210.150, MY.NET.210.206, MY.NET.210.218,  
MY.NET.211.182,  
MY.NET.212.6,  
MY.NET.217.54, MY.NET.217.154, MY.NET.217.206, MY.NET.217.218, MY.NET.217.222, MY.NET.217.242,  
MY.NET.218.14, MY.NET.218.74, MY.NET.218.82, MY.NET.218.154, MY.NET.218.158, MY.NET.218.242,  
MY.NET.219.30, MY.NET.219.130, MY.NET.219.142, MY.NET.219.178, MY.NET.219.230,  
MY.NET.220.10, MY.NET.220.18, MY.NET.220.82, MY.NET.220.114, MY.NET.220.134, MY.NET.220.142, MY.NET.220.190,  
MY.NET.221.218,  
MY.NET.222.82, MY.NET.222.110, MY.NET.222.198, MY.NET.222.210, MY.NET.222.218, MY.NET.222.250,  
MY.NET.223.14, MY.NET.223.26, MY.NET.223.54,  
MY.NET.226.22, MY.NET.226.234

## Known Issues

It is difficult with this information to know exactly what the compromise is. It has the features of a remote control program (Trojan) of some nature. It is impossible to separate the Napster/IRC traffic from the Trojan traffic, without more information directly from the compromised nodes.

CIAC-2318 IRC On Your Dime? [http://ciac.llnl.gov/ciac/documents/CIAC-2318\\_IRC\\_On\\_Your\\_Dime.pdf](http://ciac.llnl.gov/ciac/documents/CIAC-2318_IRC_On_Your_Dime.pdf)

RFC1459, IRC Protocol <http://www.irchelp.org/irchelp/rfc/>

The above links describe some of the issues.

## Exposure

One has to conclude that 207.172.3.46 is the server in this situation and the MY.NET.X.Y hosts are the clients. There are likely other external hosts participating as well. The hosts MY.NET.219.142, MY.NET.218.242, and MY.NET.217.218 are certainly compromised. The full packets have to be captured to attempt to decode the activity. This may not be possible depending on the type of communication, as some covert channels are encrypted. The hosts larger group of hosts listed above are participating in IRC type activities, and if they are not compromised now, without strong precautions, soon will be. They are transmitting packets with illegal combinations of flags, that alone suggests a problem.

## Assignment 4 – Analysis Process

A decision was made after Stephen Northcott's presentation on Friday morning October 20<sup>th</sup> that the Practical Exam needed a process to be followed in order to have the opportunity to be successful with it. It was calculated that there was roughly 4 weeks to complete the Practical. It became obvious to me after some careful consideration that:

The first week should be spent gathering and analyzing all available information, getting the general format of the presentation down, having a look at the data to be analyzed, and running it through a few scripts (if any were to be found).

The second week would be spent in completing the "Analyze This" section. This included the analysis and writing it up.

About 2/3<sup>rd</sup>'s of the third week would be spent completing the "Evaluate an Attack".

Four days would be spent on the analysis of the 4 Network Detects.

Any remaining time would be used in cleanup of the whole Practical Assignment.

The first Monday back after the course ( I had additional classes on Saturday and Sunday), I downloaded the information and was still surprised at (scared by) the volume of information. This almost made me drop the plan, instead I decided to PANIC for the first 15 minutes and get that out of the way, so that the PANIC, wouldn't have to be done at "crunch time" at the end , then I could get back to the plan.

I looked through the Practicals that other students had submitted for DC and Parliament Hill, downloaded the ones marked as Honours, and a few others that had what I thought to be good information and started reading. By the end of the first week I had read the 3 recent Practicals that had attained an Honors status, scanned about 6 or so others and written up 2 of the Network detects.

By the end of the second week I had some of the "Analyze This" section complete. The method that I chose to look at the data, was to put all of the Type 1 files together into 1 massive file, run a Perl script by Wynn Fenwick, to break out the threat vectors. Then sort the file into smaller pieces using the Unix command "grep", with appropriate modifiers. The smaller files were manually scanned through, using Microsoft Word, Excel, and Notepad as appropriate. Any one of the Microsoft Editors or "grep", were used as appropriate, for further filtering of the data. A similar manual process was used to sort through the other 2 types of datafiles.

I started the third week by completing the "Evaluate an Attack" section. This took a small portion of that week, then back to the "Analyze This" section.

The fourth week was spent completing the 2 remaining sections of 4 Network Detects, the remaining time was again put into "Analyze This" and cleanup.

It became obvious after returning to the "Analyze This " section so many times, that there could be a more effective way to look at this data. It also

became obvious that each solution could very easily end up being problem specific. An answer could be to load the data into a database, it would have to be organized to be able to find all common items. Examples are, common attacks, common source addresses, common destination addresses, common tools, and quite possibly also provide a list of items not common to any. This area requires more thought, and possibly more

analysis, before a workable solution becomes obvious.

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Attached there is an html file (port.html) that I use to keep track of known Viruii, Trojans, and reference material sites.