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Realistic attack log generation for training and SIEM evaluation

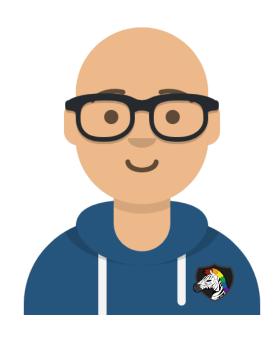
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#### Where did it come from?



#### Deliver a training package

How to regex and conduct search-time extraction

How to filter the mundane and find the unusual

How to leverage geo location

Make it interactive

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## Where do we get the logs?

#### A real attack

- 2 Authentic
- Full of sensitive information
- Parts of the attack missing
- Not scalable

#### Produce some

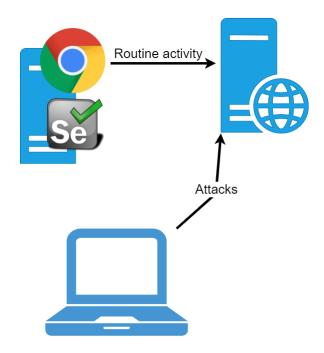
- 2 Authentic
- Completely controllable content
- Can control the attack
- Not scalable easily
- Slow to produce
- Static items, such as user agent and source IP

#### Spoof some

- Completely controllable content
- Can control the attack
- Scales very easily
- Can produce thousands of sessions per second
- Not totally authentic
- Nothing out there to do it

# producing real logs

- · Deploy a web application
- Engineer a vulnerability into it
- Modify it to use GET parameters so they show up in the logs
- · Setup a selenium hub
- Write code to drive user activity that differs a little every time
- Run the simulation for a few days
- Attack the application
- Harvest the logs



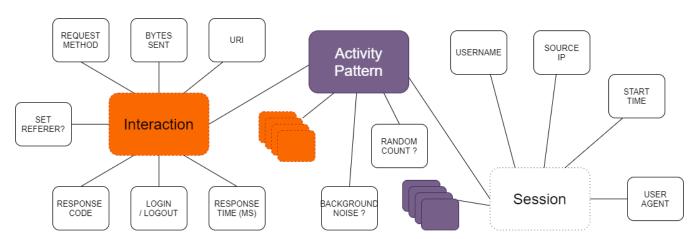
# spoofing logs

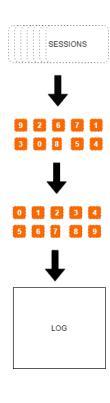
Logs file are easy, its just text

{source\_ip} - {usemame} {datetime} "{method} {uri\_with\_query} HTTP/1.1" {status\_code} {size} "{referer}" "{user\_agent}"

Most the fields are easy, we just have to do some clever things to track the "referrer"

Each interaction with the webserver will have a purpose and we need to define these interactions.





Information Classification: General

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#Fields: date time s-ip cs-method cs-uri-stem cs-uri-query s-port cs-username c-ip
2021-09-01 00:08:00 20.47.116.177 GET cdn-cgi/scripts/7d0fa10a/cloudflare-static/r
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# **Spoofed attack logs**

- · 3 different applications to spoof
- 3 different log output formats
- Background noise spoofing
- Session login state tracking
- · Accurate "referrer" field
- Configurable log duration, session count and start time
- Dynamic sessions so no two are the same
- Multiple attacks, including bruteforce and command injection
- · Customisable server FQDN
- Customisable web endpoints

#### The use cases

#### Training

Students have a realistic log bundle to work from, which can span weeks or months and contains millions of routine user sessions to wade through.

Attacks and scenarios can be customised quickly, or with a little effort the entire interaction can be modelled.

#### **Product Evaluation**

- How easy is it to conduct IP ASN / GEO lookups?
- Does it handle common log formats?
- Can you urldecode?
- Can you quickly see anomalous data?

#### **CTFs**

If we hide a flag in the attack, we have a reusable CTF generator that promotes blue team skills.



# Demo

# **Getting started**

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Docker Host >
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testing session counts - SESSION COUNT: 100' SESSIONS PER USER: '10'
     ... we have '102' sessions which should be between 90 and 110
     ... we have 17 unique source IPs, and should have around 20
     ... we have 17 unique users, and should have around 20
     ... session interactions deviate between 1 and 13 with a deviation of 3.23
            Number of legitimate sessions to spoof (default: 2000)
--max-sessions-per-user MAX SESSIONS PER USER
            Max number of legitimate sessions per user (default: 3)
            Override the emulated web apps default fqdn
   testing session population - sessions should start between 20360910 and 20360918
   ... earliest session is 2036-09-10 08:10:00 and latest is 2036-09-17 20:29:00
       session start time deviation is 203189 and should be 172800 which is factor difference of 1.18
            Set the attackers user-agent. Use RD for random (default: RD)
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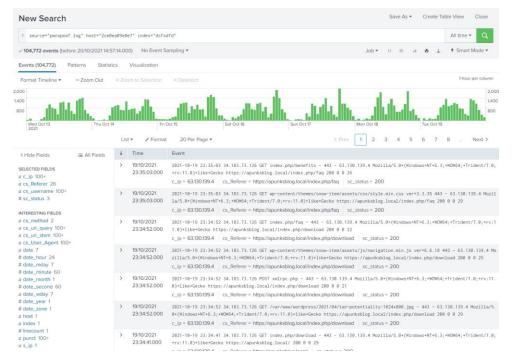
## What does a session look like



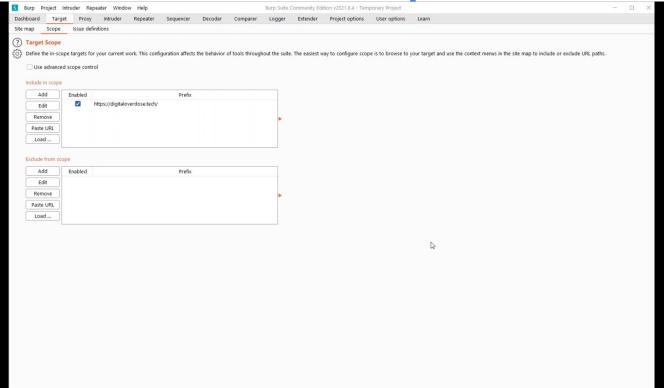
# **IOC** output

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/pwmspoof # python pwmspoof.py wordpress --iocs --attack-type command injection --log-start-date 20211013 --log-end-date 20211020
Information Classification: Ge
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# **Analyzing the logs**



Latest feature – custom endpoints



# ROADMAP

#### Right now

- Functional testing
- ? Cl pipelines
- Be able to pip install it
- More apps
- More options for CTFs

#### This year

- Even more apps
- Even more attacks
- Basic web scraping
- Better GEO lookups

#### Future aims

What else can we spoof?

