

Threat Group Cards: A Threat Actor Encyclopedia

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Tool: DOPLUGS

Names	DOPLUGS
Category	Malware
Type	Backdoor
Description	(Trend Micro) During analysis, we observed that the piece of customized PlugX malware is dissimilar to the general type of the PlugX malware that contains a completed backdoor command module, and that the former is only used for downloading the latter. Due to its different functionality, we decided to give this piece of customized PlugX malware a new name: DOPLUGS.
Information	< https://www.trendmicro.com/en_us/research/24/b/earth-preta-campaign-targets-asia-doplugs.html >
Malpedia	< https://malpedia.caad.fkie.fraunhofer.de/details/win.doplugs >

Last change to this tool card: 27 December 2024

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All groups using tool DOPLUGS

Changed	Name	Country	Observed
APT groups			
	Mustang Panda , Bronze President		2012-Jun 2025

1 group listed (1 APT, 0 other, 0 unknown)