


Earth Minotaur - Threat Group Cards: A Threat Actor Encyclopedia

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APT group: Earth Minotaur

Names	Earth Minotaur (<i>Trend Micro</i>)
Country	 China
Motivation	Information theft and espionage
First seen	2019
Description	<p>(Trend Micro) We believe that Earth Minotaur is an intrusion set which hasn't been publicly reported. In the first report of MOONSHINE exploit kit in 2019, the threat actor using the toolkit was named Poison Carp, Evil Eye. While both used the MOONSHINE exploit kit and had similar targets, we did not find further connections between Earth Minotaur and POISON CARP. The backdoor DarkNimbus had been developed in 2018 but was not found in any of POISON CARP's previous activity. Therefore, we categorized them as two different intrusion sets.</p>
Observed	Sectors: Tibetan and Uyghur activists as well as those who are interested in their causes.
Tools used	DarkNimbus , MOONSHINE .
Information	< https://www.trendmicro.com/en_us/research/24/l/earth-minotaur.html >

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