

Threat Group Cards: A Threat Actor Encyclopedia

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Tool: NOKNOK

Names	NOKNOK
Category	Malware
Type	Backdoor
Description	(Volexity) The backdoor deployed by the macOS version of the malware-laden VPN application infection chain is called NOKNOK. This is downloaded by the VPN application and executed in memory.
Information	< https://www.volexity.com/blog/2024/02/13/charmingcypress-innovating-persistence/ >

Last change to this tool card: 06 March 2024

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All groups using tool NOKNOK

Changed	Name	Country	Observed	
APT groups				
	GreenCharlie		2020	
	Magic Hound, APT 35, Cobalt Illusion, Charming Kitten		2012-Jun 2025	

2 groups listed (2 APT, 0 other, 0 unknown)

Source: <https://apt.etda.or.th/cgi-bin/listgroups.cgi?u=6ea5383e-9a39-4a7e-a49c-ea19568fd3e0>