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Helix Connect

Open XDR Platform



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Agenda

- 1) Intro and Sales Pitch
- 2) Technical Deep Dive
- 3) Roadmap
- 4) Hands-on exercises
- 5) Pre-Sales Resources

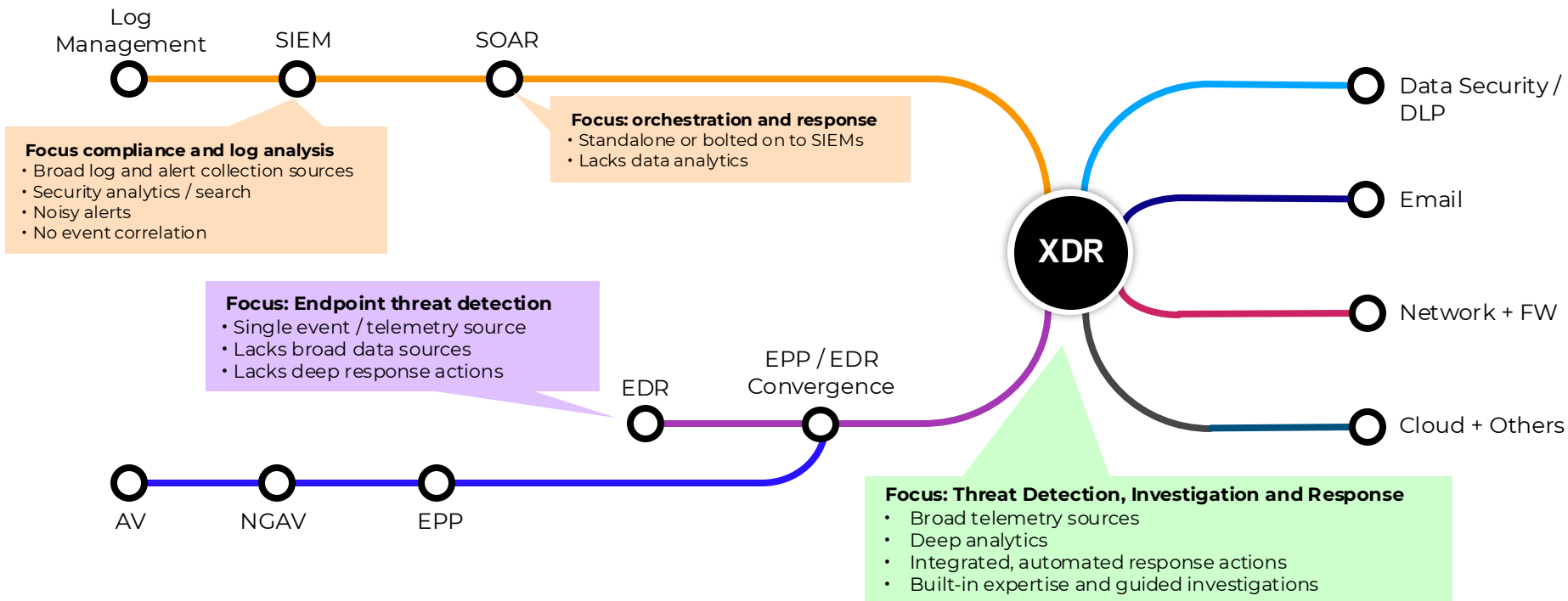
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Point Solutions are Incomplete



Why do you need XDR?

ALERT FATIGUE



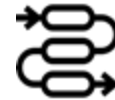
**Threat
prioritization
with analytics**

LONG, MANUAL PROCESSES



**Built-in
automation and
orchestration**

STAFF, SKILLS GAPS



**AI-driven
processes
and expertise**

Minimize MTTR and increase SOC efficacy across your connected enterprise

XDR: The Convergence of Point Technologies

Network

- FW
- IDS/IPS
- Sandboxing
- NG-FW
- NDR

Email

- Spam
- Malware
- Phishing
- ETDR

Endpoint

- Endpoint FW
- AV
- NG-AV
- EPP
- EDR
- Encryption
- DLP

SIEM

- Log Mgmt
- Compliance
- Analytics
- SOAR

Cloud

- Cloud Compute
- Containers
- CSPM
- CWPP
- CNAPP
- CDR
- SD-WAN
- SWG
- CASB
- SSE / SASE

Vulnerability

- Vulnerability Management
- Attack Simulation
- EASM

Identity

- SSO
- IDAM
- ITDR

Threat Intel

- TIP
- T1aaS

XDR

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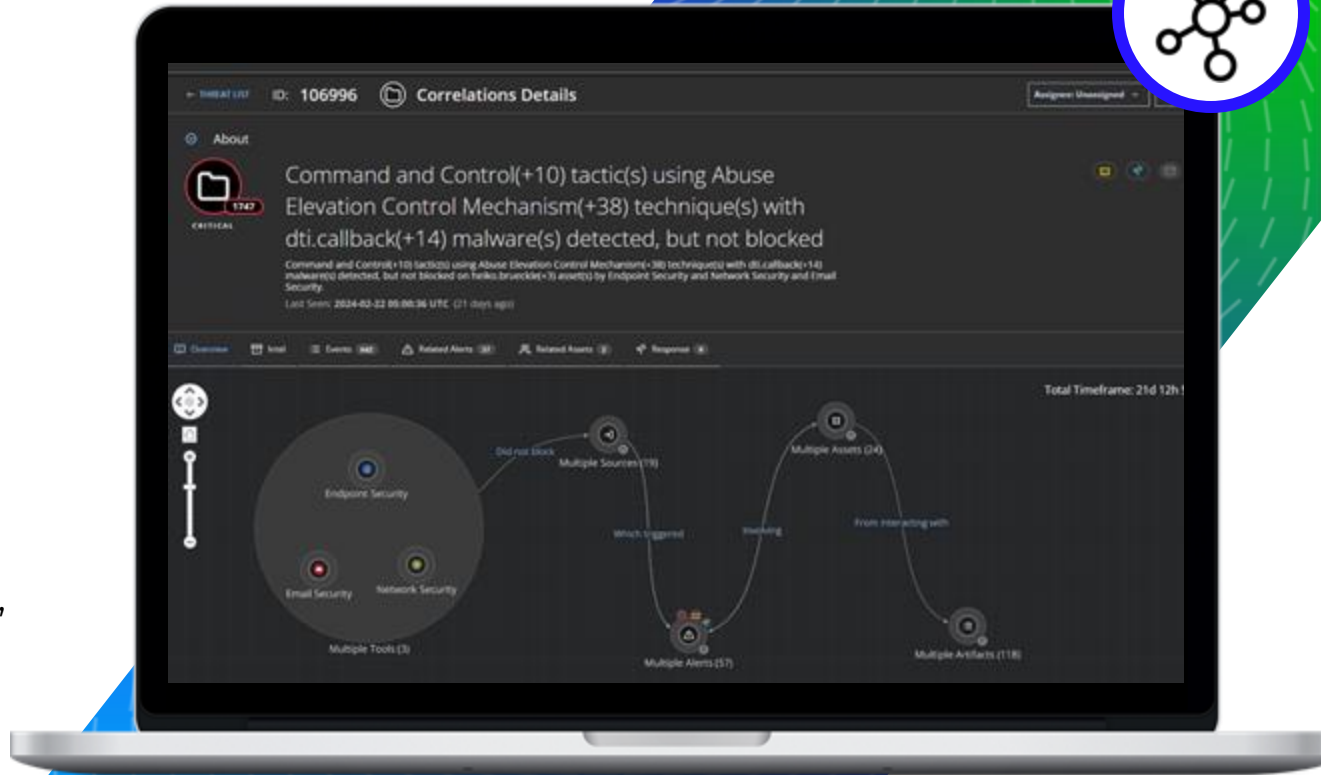
Adjacent

- OT / IoT
- Web / API Security
- Code / Supply Chain
- Browser Isolation

Integrate + Analyze + Prioritize

Helix Connect

Speed detection and response with multi-vector, multi-vendor correlation



How Helix Connect Works

1. Broad data Ingestion

Open and native integrations

2. Detections:

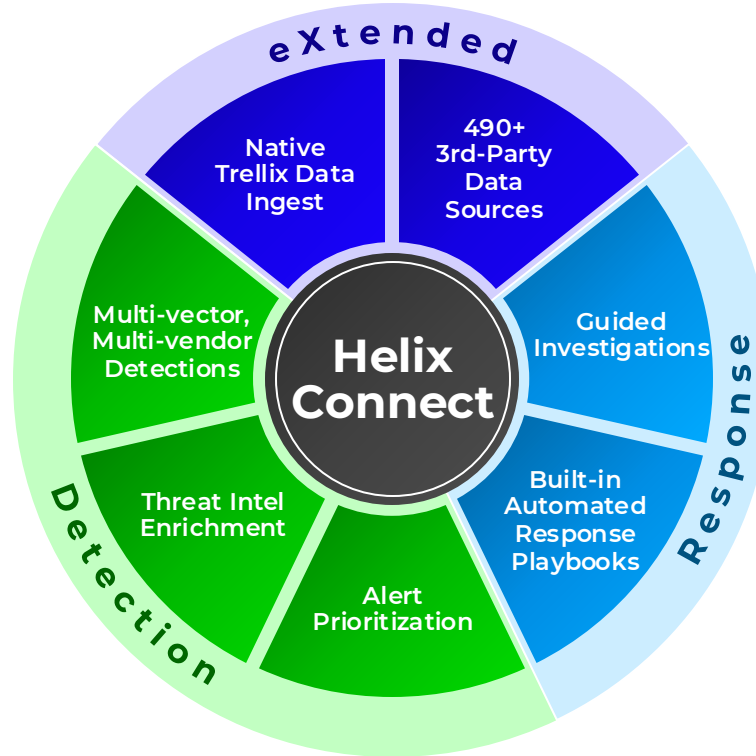
Analytics

Automated threat elimination

Noise suppression

Enrichment

Prioritization



3. Response

On-prem / cloud orchestration and response

AI-guidance

Pre-built, customizable playbooks

What Can Helix Connect do for You?

40-60+
siloes tools

4-10K
unranked
alerts a day

30 minutes
to begin
remediations

1

location
to view
correlated
data

>70%

less false
positives
and events
prioritized
by impact

5

minutes
or less to
remediation
actions

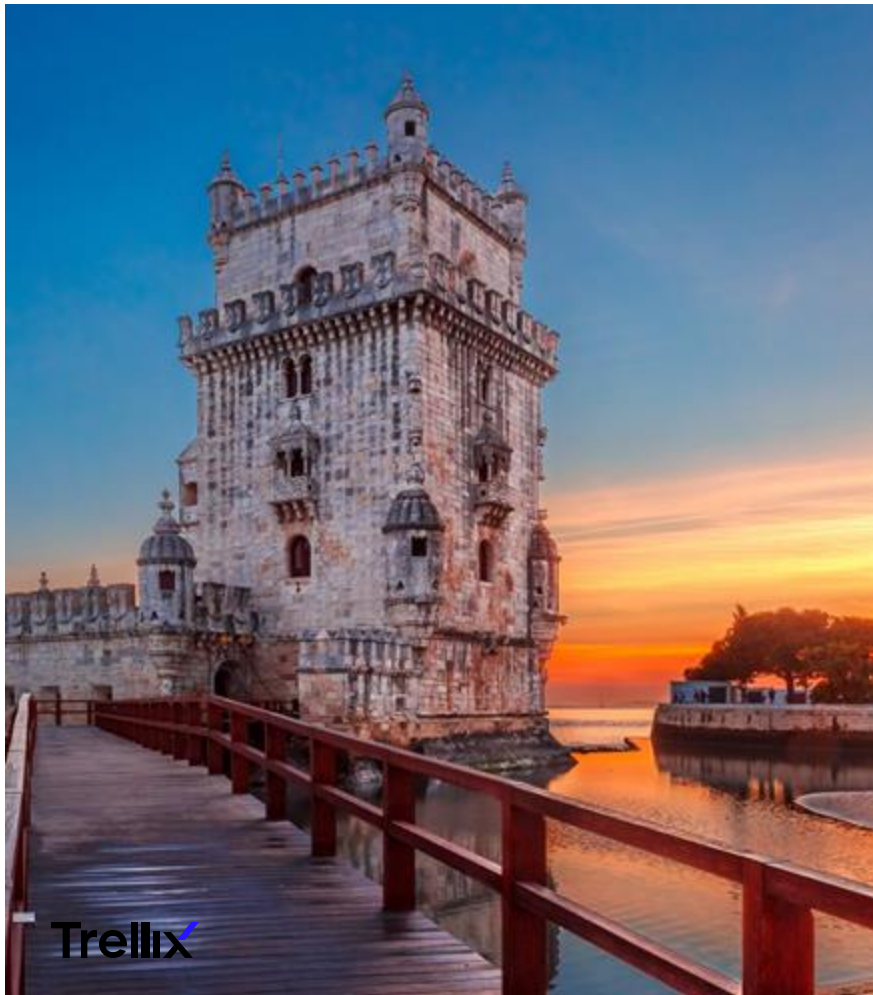
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Technical Deep Dive

- Architecture and integrations
- Events data
- Alert mechanisms
- Response tools



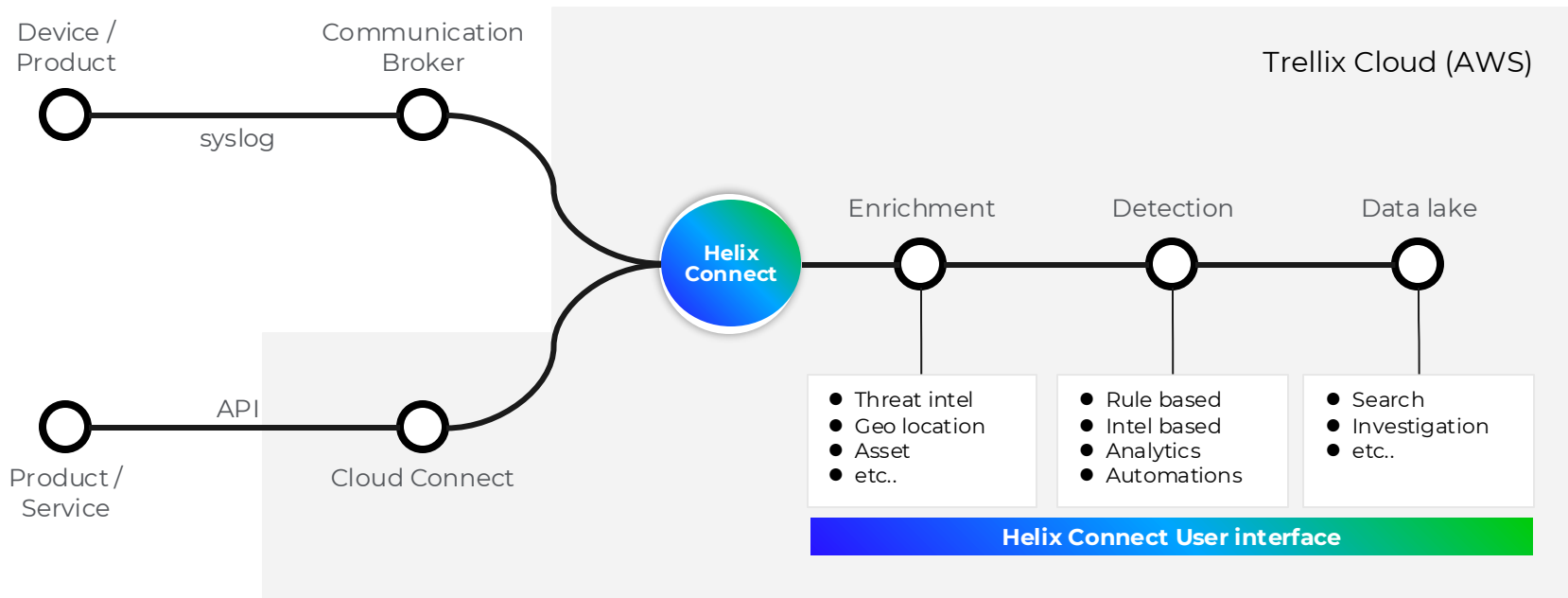


Architecture and Integrations























- Architecture
- Integration Hub
- Communication Broker
- Apps

Helix Connect architecture



Integration Hub

Allow events and logs to be sent to Helix Connect through API connections.

Agentless Device Security Agentless Device Security Cloud Security		Akamai For secure access to the Akamai SIEM API SIEM		Alibaba Cloud Object Storage Service This Helix integration is for Alibaba Object Storage Service. Cloud Infrastructure		Amazon Security Lake This Helix integration will forward any files found in a given S3 bucket to Helix Cloud Storage	
Amazon Security Lake Alert Forwarding Amazon Security Lake Alert Forwarding Forwarding		Amazon Verified Access This Helix integration will forward any files found in a given (AWS Access Verified) S3 bucket to Helix Cloud Security		Artifactory This integration will receive webhook notifications from JFrog Artifactory... Cloud Infrastructure		Asset Discovery Asset Discovery Cloud Infrastructure	
Audit Logs Audit Logs Cloud Security		Audit Logs Audit Logs Cloud Security		Auth0 Log Stream This integration will receive webhook notifications from Auth0 Log Stream... Cloud Security		AWS CloudTrail This integration will forward AWS CloudTrail logs from the designated bucket into... Cloud Security	
AWS CloudWatch This integration will forward AWS CloudWatch logs from the designated log group to Helix Cloud Infrastructure		AWS DNS Firewall This integration will forward AWS dns firewall logs from the designated log group to Helix Cloud Security		AWS GuardDuty This integration will forward AWS GuardDuty events from the designated bucket to Helix Cloud Security		AWS Lattice Logs This integration will forward AWS VPC Lattice logs from the designated bucket into... Cloud Infrastructure	
AWS Network Firewall AWS Network Firewall Network Security		AWS S3 This Helix integration will forward any files found in a given S3 bucket to Helix Cloud Storage		AWS Security Hub This integration will forward AWS securityhub events from the designated bucket to Helix Cloud Security		AWS VPC Flow Logs This integration will forward AWS VPC Flow logs and AWS Transit Gateway flow logs... Cloud Infrastructure	

Communication Broker

Allow events and logs to be sent to Helix Connect through syslogs.

- XDR uses the **Communication Broker (Comm Broker) Sender** to accept machine-generated messages and logs from hardware devices, operating systems, applications, security appliances, network devices, and databases through a variety of methods.
- The Comm Broker looks for events formatted as the following (in descending order of preference): JSON, CEF syslog, LEEF 1.0 & 2.0 syslog, RFC-5424 Syslog (<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc5424>), RFC-3164 Syslog (<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc3164>)
- Communications Broker resides on a Trellix Network Security appliance "NX" or may be installed as an "Unmanaged Comm Broker" on a customer-managed Linux host.
- The log messages received by the Comm Broker are compressed and encrypted for transport to the customer's Helix instance, which resides in an Amazon Web Services™ virtual private cloud (VPC).
- The receiver component present in the customer's VPC decrypts the received data and decompresses the log messages. At that point, the log messages are parsed, indexed, analyzed, and correlated with real-time threat intelligence from Trellix.

Apps – New, Beta, Legacy

🔍 Search Menu



DASHBOARDS

- Summary
- Custom
- Operational
- Detection
- Health
- Reports
- Threats

INVESTIGATE

- Alerts
- Cases
- Correlated Alerts
- Threats
- Search Jobs
- Entities
- Alerts **BETA**
- Cases **BETA**
- Search **BETA**

TASKS & AUTOMATIONS

- Playbooks
- Playbook Activities
- Response Actions
- Devices
- Library **BETA**

CONFIGURE

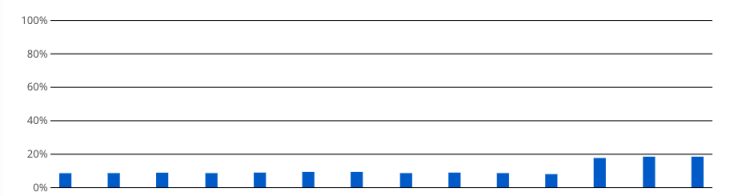
- Lists
- Rules
- Rule Packs
- Searches
- Rules **BETA**
- Tags **BETA**
- Integration Hub **BETA**
- Network ↗

...inst your live data stream. Rules are used to match events against queries and thresholds, and to then generate alerts on those matches. Trellix provides a set of rules define your own set of rules based on your own detection strategy. [Learn More](#)

Collapse Widgets

	Impacted Rules
s(severity)	76
is(srczone)	68
as(severity)	53
roperties.os) has(eventtype) or (m...	49
as(auth_success) has(severity)	44

Rule Coverage Trend(Enabled Trellix Rules, Past 14 Days) ⓘ



RESET ALL FILTERS

	Rule Pack	Distinguishers	Query	Tags	Status	Asserti...	Dependen...	Alerti...	Covered	Tun...	Securit...	Create
	All ▾	<input type="text" value="Search"/>	<input type="text" value="Search"/>	<input type="text" value="Search"/>	All ▾	All ▾	All ▾	All ▾	All ▾ ⓘ	All ▾		
	Windows	hostname	metaclass:windows e...	windows,Badrabbit,...	Enabled	0	No	on	No	No	0	2024-1
	Windows	hostname	metaclass:windows e...	windows,Midas,rans...	Enabled	0	No	on	No	No	0	2024-1
	Windows	hostname	//metaclass:windows f	windows method1	Enabled	0	No	on	No	No	0	2024-1

Organization:
UK_SE_DEMO

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Events data



- Format
- TQL

Event Format

🕒 2023-03-31 20:28:35 UTC ▾ rawmsghostname: browworker3 ▾ class: bro_http ▾ program: bro_http ▾

```
1427115410.449748 Csjzac2yzoZvp7YA0d 10.224.72.20 23535 23.99.20.198 443 1 GET 23.99.20.198 /msdmoe.dll - Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 6.1; rv:36.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/36.0 0 336896 200 OK - - - (empty) - - - - FswUB5NYVqpOANT5a application/x-dosexec
```

metadata: {"batch_id": "9fd19adc-d002-11e... ▾ **_eventid:** 9fd19adc-d002-11ed-b63e-0800... ▾ **connectionid:** csjzac2yzoZvp7yaod ▾ **depth:** 1 ▾ **domain:** 23.99.20.198 ▾

dstcity: san francisco ▾ **dstcountry:** united states of america ▾ **dstcountrycode:** us ▾ **dstdomain:** microsoft.com ▾ **dstipV4:** 23.99.20.198 ▾ **dstisp:** microsoft corporation ▾

dstlatitude: 37.77493 ▾ **dstlongitude:** -122.41942 ▾ **dstport:** 443 ▾ **dstregion:** california ▾ **dstusagetype:** dch ▾ **event_epoch:** {"day": "23,"epochtime_field": "eve... ▾

eventtimeutc: 2015-03-23T12:56:50.449Z ▾ **httpmethod:** get ▾ **meta_cbid:** 7436249471320405 ▾ **meta_cbname:** edsvc ▾ **meta_i:** 10.12.1.138/514/tcp ▾

meta_omh: <23>Mar 1 22:17:27 browworker3 ... ▾ **meta_oml:** 292 ▾ **meta_rts:** 2023-03-31T20:28:35.000Z ▾ **meta_rule:** bro_http-2223679616 ▾ **meta_sip4:** 10.12.1.226 ▾

meta_sp: 54386 ▾ **metaclass:** http_proxy ▾ **raw_pri:** 23 ▾ **rawsrchostname:** 10.12.1.226 ▾ **rcvbodybytes:** 336896 ▾ **rcvdfleid:** fswub5nyvqpoant5a ▾

rcvdmimetype: application/x-dosexec ▾ **sentbodybytes:** 0 ▾ **srcipV4:** 10.224.72.20 ▾ **srcisp:** private ip address lan ▾ **srcport:** 23535 ▾ **srcusagetype:** rsv ▾ **statuscode:** 200 ▾

statusmsg: ok ▾ **tags:** (empty) ▾ **uri:** /msdmoe.dll ▾ **uri_parsed:** /msdmoe.dll ▾ **useragent:** mozilla/5.0 (windows nt 6.1; rv:3... ▾

Raw

Parsed

Metadata

Geo

Events

You can send any data you want into Helix as preformatted JSON. For the rules, analytics, and intel to apply, it must conform to the taxonomy.

Sender Name

Field Mapping

Class Name

Add New Integrations

Cancel Add & Verify Integration

Details

Integration Name *
Integration Name

Description
Description

Tags
Assign Tags

Feature Settings

Ingest
You can send any data you want into Helix as preformatted JSON. In order for the rules, analytics, and intel to apply, it must conform to the FireEye Helix taxonomy for field names.

Sender Name ⓘ
Sender Name


(Optional) Field Mapping ⓘ
(Optional) Field Mapping

(Optional) Helix Class Name ⓘ
(Optional) Helix Class Name

JSON

You can send any data you want into Helix as preformatted JSON. In order for the rules...

General



Preformat Your Data

- You can send any data you want into Helix as preformatted JSON. In order for the rules, analytics, and intel to apply, it must conform to the FireEye Helix taxonomy for field names.
- Ensure that the desired Helix ID is selected in the selection box above, and click next.

Submit and Note API Key

- Note the URL and example curl command below. This will allow you to send JSON-formatted events into the Helix ID you have selected.
- After clicking Submit and Verify, you will be presented with the API key to use. Please record it and use it in place of the \$APIKEY variable as shown below.
- Example with curl:
- `curl -XPOST -H "Authorization: $APIKEY" -d '{"class":"myclass", "rawmsg":"My message"}' {UploadURI}`

Example: Generic AV Log

LOG {"victim": "jessica.salt", "md5hash": "4373CF0D42926B15F95E35683D883A1C", "type": "ransomware"}

Class myav

Parser {"victim": "username", "md5hash": "md5", "type": "malwaretype"}

PARSED_LOG

- username : jessica.salt
- md5hash : 4373CF0D42926B15F95E35683D883A1C
- malwaretype : ransomware

[Legacy] Alert Rule class=myav malwaretype=ransomware

[Legacy] Alert Parameters [name= Ransomware Alert] [TAGS= T1204.002, T1486] [Distinguishers= username]

- Query Language (TQL) is a data analysis language used in queries to retrieve events for further analysis.
- TQL queries are used in searches and rules in Helix, and other Trellix products.

☰ Trellix | Helix → Search

🔍 Search ☆ Search ⋮

🕒 Time Range: Last 4 Hours

Welcome to Global Search

Run one of the following searches or create your own search above

class=trellix_audit 🔍

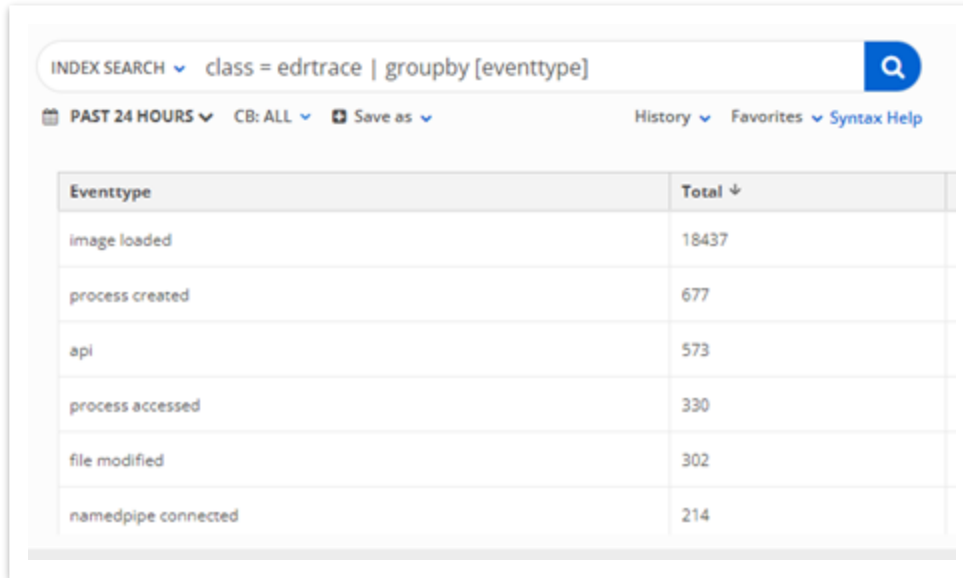
srcipv4=1.2.3.4 🔍

Show more examples

Anatomy of a TQL query

High-level anatomy of an TQL query:

<filter section> | <transform section>



The screenshot shows a search interface with a search bar containing the query 'class = edrtrace | groupby [eventtype]'. Below the search bar, there are filters for 'PAST 24 HOURS', 'CB: ALL', and 'Save as'. There are also links for 'History', 'Favorites', and 'Syntax Help'. The main content is a table with two columns: 'Eventtype' and 'Total'. The table contains the following data:

Eventtype	Total ↓
image loaded	18437
process created	677
api	573
process accessed	330
file modified	302
namedpipe connected	214

TQL query can use three types of clauses:

- **Searches:** data to be located based on exact matches, comparisons, ranges, and expressions
- **Directives:** modifiers that instruct the search engine how to query [Limit, Page_size, Offset, Start, End]
- **Transforms:** allow you to modify the way that your query results are returned and displayed [Groupby, Histogram, Sort, Table]

TQL - Examples

Trellix | XDR → Threats

INDEX SEARCH

PAST 24 HOURS | CB: ALL | Save as

History | Favorites | Syntax Help

Search Results LOCAL:2023-10-23T08:40:59+02:00 UTC:2023-10-23T06:40:59Z Show Timeline

Viewing 1-10 of at least 542 results in 0.02 seconds List View

1 2 3 4 5 > H

2023-10-23 06:36:06 UTC	rawloghostname: edtrace	class: edtrace
context_tags: escalated, workstation	event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve...	eventid: 6a234419-d96c-4678-b16f-5663...
eventtime: 2023-10-23T06:35:26.123Z	eventtype: file modified	file_created_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z
file_modified_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z	filepath: c:\users\jessica.salt\appdata\loc...	hostname: client5
md5: d41d8cd98f00b204e9800998fed...	parentfileid: f9d716b-bc9f-4106-8b96-874eb...	sha1: da39a3ee5e6b-4b0d32556ef956...
sha256: e3b0c44298fc1c149afb4c8996f...	size: 0	srcipv6: 10.0.0.100
uuid: c6290105-4e43-4b39-9e7-c8bd...		
2023-10-23 06:26:21 UTC	class: trelix_audit	
event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve...	eventtime: 2023-10-23T06:26:21.843Z	eventtype: search
products: helix	query: jessica.salt groupby [eventtype]	username: trelix customer support
uuid: 4047ec68-3c5c-53d6-adde-d5e...		
2023-10-23 06:25:56 UTC	class: trelix_audit	
event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve...	eventtime: 2023-10-23T06:25:56.271Z	eventtype: search
products: helix	query: jessica.salt	username: trelix customer support
uuid: 4047ec68-3c5c-53d6-adde-d5e...		
2023-10-23 06:21:07 UTC	rawloghostname: edtrace	class: edtrace
context_tags: escalated, workstation	event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve...	eventid: 35fa1391-6442-46a1-9ed7-bc7b...
eventtime: 2023-10-23T06:20:26.107Z	eventtype: file modified	file_created_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z
file_modified_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z	filepath: c:\users\jessica.salt\appdata\loc...	hostname: client5
md5: d41d8cd98f00b204e9800998fed...	parentfileid: f9d716b-bc9f-4106-8b96-874eb...	sha1: da39a3ee5e6b-4b0d32556ef956...
sha256: e3b0c44298fc1c149afb4c8996f...	size: 0	srcipv6: 10.0.0.100
uuid: c6290105-4e43-4b39-9e7-c8bd...		

TQL - Examples

The screenshot displays the Trellix XDR interface. At the top, the navigation bar shows 'Trellix | XDR → Threats'. The search bar contains the query 'jessica.salt start:4 hours ago end:1 hour ago'. Below the search bar, there are filters for 'PAST 24 HOURS', 'CB: ALL', and 'Save as'. On the right side, there are links for 'History', 'Favorites', and 'Syntax Help'. The main content area shows 'Search Results LOCAL:2023-10-23T08:48:55-02:00 UTC:2023-10-23T06:48:55Z'. A 'Show Timeline' button and a 'List View' link are also present. The results section indicates 'Viewing 1-10 of at least 39 results in 0.01 seconds'. Three result entries are visible, each with a timestamp and a list of fields including context_tags, event_epoch, eventid, eventtime, eventtype, file_created_time, file_modified_time, filepath, hostname, md5, parentfileid, sha1, sha256, size, and srcip4.

```
2023-10-23 05:30:06 UTC → rawmsghostname: edtrace → class: edtrace →  
  
context_tags: isolated, workstation → event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve... eventid: 96842e5-8d8-470-a4ed-e601... → eventtime: 2023-10-23T05:25:26.070Z → eventtype: file modified → file_created_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z → file_modified_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z →  
filepath: c:\user\jessica.salt\appdata\loc... → hostname: client5 → md5: e41d8c09800b204e9800996ed... → parentfileid: f9d716b-bcf-4106-8096-874eb... → sha1: da39a3e5e6b-4b0d32556ef956... → sha256: e3b0c44298fc1418794648996f... → size: 0 → srcip4: 10.0.0.100 →  
uuid: c6290105-4e43-4b39-9ef7-c8bd... →  
  
2023-10-23 05:21:06 UTC → rawmsghostname: edtrace → class: edtrace →  
  
context_tags: isolated, workstation → event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve... eventid: 4693363e-0704-4901-a879-877b... → eventtime: 2023-10-23T05:20:26.052Z → eventtype: file modified → file_created_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z → file_modified_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z →  
filepath: c:\user\jessica.salt\appdata\loc... → hostname: client5 → md5: e41d8c09800b204e9800996ed... → parentfileid: f9d716b-bcf-4106-8096-874eb... → sha1: da39a3e5e6b-4b0d32556ef956... → sha256: e3b0c44298fc1418794648996f... → size: 0 → srcip4: 10.0.0.100 →  
uuid: c6290105-4e43-4b39-9ef7-c8bd... →  
  
2023-10-23 05:18:07 UTC → rawmsghostname: edtrace → class: edtrace →  
  
context_tags: isolated, workstation → event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"eve... eventid: ce373338-5d9f-4a25-9084-05eb2... → eventtime: 2023-10-23T05:17:37.673Z → eventtype: file modified → file_created_time: 2023-10-23T05:17:37.665Z → file_modified_time: 2023-10-23T05:17:37.667Z →  
filepath: c:\user\jessica.salt\appdata\loc... → hostname: client5 → parentfileid: e7063668-a466-45e7-88c7-53b3... → size: 92118 → srcip4: 10.0.0.100 → uuid: c6290105-4e43-4b39-9ef7-c8bd... →  
2023-10-23 05:16:06 UTC → rawmsghostname: edtrace → class: edtrace →
```


TQL - Examples

The screenshot shows the Trellix XDR interface with a search query: `INDEX SEARCH jessica.salt start:"4 hours ago" end:"1 hour ago" | groupby[eventype]`. The results are grouped by event type:

Eventtype	Total
file modified	33
process created	2
file read	2

Below the table, two search results are shown. The first result is for a file modified event on 2023-10-23 06:21:07 UTC. The second result is for a file modified event on 2023-10-23 06:18:06 UTC.

```
2023-10-23 06:21:07 UTC - remotehostname: edtrace - class: edtrace -  
  
context_tags: escalated, workstation - event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"ev... eventid: 33fa1391-6442-46a1-9ed7-6c7b... - eventtime: 2023-10-23T06:20:26.107Z - eventtype: file modified - file_created_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z - file_modified_time: 2023-01-17T18:18:17.547Z -  
filepath: c:\user\jessica.salt\appdata\loc... - hostname: client5 - md5: d41d8cf98950524e9800998f... - parentfileid: f9d718b-bc9f-4106-8b96-874eb... - sha1: da3b43ee5eb4b0d3235bf9f58... - sha256: e3bc044298b1c148ef84c899f... - size: 0 - srcipv6: 10.0.0.100 -  
uid: c290105-4e43-4c39-9ef7-c8bd... -  
  
2023-10-23 06:18:06 UTC - remotehostname: edtrace - class: edtrace -  
  
context_tags: escalated, workstation - event_epoch: ["day":23,"epochtime_field":"ev... eventid: 7096562-6e0-4824-bd44-8bc6f... - eventtime: 2023-10-23T06:17:37.790Z - eventtype: file modified - file_created_time: 2023-10-23T06:17:37.691Z - file_modified_time: 2023-10-23T06:17:37.695Z -  
filepath: c:\user\jessica.salt\appdata\loc... - hostname: client5 - parentfileid: c7063668-a46d-46a7-88c7-53b3... - size: 10118 - srcipv6: 10.0.0.100 - uid: c290105-4e43-4c39-9ef7-c8bd... -
```

Alert mechanisms

- Rules
- Analytics
- Correlations
- UEBA
- Investigative tips
- Case management
- Wise



Rules

Rules

Create and manage rules which match events against queries and then generate alerts to match. Trellix provides a set of rules and you can also define your own set of rules based on your own detection strategy.



Actions ▾

<input type="checkbox"/>	ID	Rule Name	Origin	Status	Severity	Created By	Last Updated	Tags
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.932	4SHARED ONLINE [API Usage]	Trellix	● Enabled	Low	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Network Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.929	4SHARED ONLINE CONTENT ACCESS [URI Domain]	Trellix	● Enabled	Low	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Network Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.3440	AADINTERNALS UTILITY [Hacking Command Used]	Trellix	● Enabled	High	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.3438	AADINTERNALS UTILITY [Installation]	Trellix	● Enabled	Medium	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.3441	AADINTERNALS UTILITY [PTASpy Artifact Found]	Trellix	● Enabled	High	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.3439	AADINTERNALS UTILITY [Usage]	Trellix	● Enabled	Medium	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.1603	ABADDON POS [URI GET]	Trellix	● Enabled	Medium	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Network Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Malware <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.878	AMAZON CLOUD DRIVE [New Installation]	Trellix	● Enabled	Low	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.879	AMAZON CLOUD DRIVE [New Process Creation]	Trellix	● Enabled	Low	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.2692	AMMY RAT [Connection - POST]	Trellix	● Enabled	Medium	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Network <input type="checkbox"/> Network Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.1359	APACHE METHODOLOGY [MaxClients Error]	Trellix	● Enabled	Low	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Host Artifact <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.1.3808	APPLIANCE HEALTH [Critical - <%= devicename %>]	Trellix	● Enabled	High	Trellix	08/22/2024 9:11:01PM	<input type="checkbox"/> Endpoint <input type="checkbox"/> Health <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic

Analytics

50+ deployed analytics

- Brute force
- Phishing
- Data exfiltration
- Suspicious domains
- Reconnaissance commands
- Login activity anomalies
- Process execution anomalies
- Cloud data/resource access
- Windows share access
- Account creation/deletion activity
- AWS resource scanning
- MFA fatigue activity
- Scheduled task backdoors

Trellix Rules | Reset Layout [13] Customer Rules

Risk	Name
all	OKTA ANALYTICS
●●●● MEDIUM	OKTA ANALYTICS [MFA Fatigue] ID: 1.1.3951
●●●● LOW	OKTA ANALYTICS [MFA Fatigue] ID: 1.1.3950
●●●● LOW	OKTA ANALYTICS [Brute Force] ID: 1.1.3763
●●●● CRITICAL	OKTA ANALYTICS [Abnormal Logon] ID: 1.1.3421
●●●● HIGH	OKTA ANALYTICS [Abnormal Logon] ID: 1.1.3407
●●●● MEDIUM	OKTA ANALYTICS [Abnormal Logon] ID: 1.1.3406
●●●● LOW	OKTA ANALYTICS [Abnormal Logon] ID: 1.1.3405
●●●● CRITICAL	OKTA ANALYTICS [Brute Force Success] ID: 1.1.3179
●●●● HIGH	OKTA ANALYTICS [Brute Force Success] ID: 1.1.3178
●●●● MEDIUM	OKTA ANALYTICS [Brute Force Success] ID: 1.1.3177

ACE – Advanced Correlation Engine

Example 01 – A Simple Rule

Create an alert every time we see an event from source IP 121.131.141.151

```
threshold: 1
within: 1m
items:
  - type: fields
    match: srcipv4 == 121.131.141.151
require: 1
```

ACE – Advanced Correlation Engine

Example 02 – A Simple Rule with a Threshold

Create an alert if we see 10 events in a 1-minute window from source IP 121.131.141.151
1,000 events will generate 100 alerts.

```
threshold: 10
within: 1m
items:
  - type: fields
    match: srcipv4 == 121.131.141.151
require: 1
```

ACE – Advanced Correlation Engine

Example 03 – A Simple Rule with Groupby

Create an alert on ten login failures for the same user within 60 seconds.

```
threshold: 10
within: 60s
groupby: username
items:
  - type: fields
    match: class== "ms_windows_event" && eventid=="4624" &&. event_type == "audit_failure"
require: 1
```

ACE – Advanced Correlation Engine

Example 04 – A Rule that correlates multiple events.

Create an alert when the same user has login success followed by failure within 60 seconds.

```
threshold: 1
within: 60s
groupby: username
items:
  - type: fields
    match: class== "ms_windows_event" && eventid=="4624" &&. event_type == "audit_failure"
  - type: fields
    match: class== "ms_windows_event" && eventid=="4624" &&. event_type == "audit_success"
require: 2
ordered: true
```


ACE – Advanced Correlation Engine

Example 05 – A Rule with Cardinality

Create an alert when the same user has logs in from five different IP addresses in ten minutes.

```
threshold: 1
within: 600s
groupby: username
items:
  - type: cardinality
    item:
      - type: fields
        match: class== "ms_office365" && action contains "userloggedin" && result == "success"
require: 5
cardinalityGroupby: srcipv4
```

User & Entity Behavior Analytics Analytics

Monitor user and entity activity over time to identify anomalies

Examples

- Account logs in from a particular country for the first time
- Host executes a particular process for the first time
- Sum of byte count for host in past day is some standard deviations above daily average

Investigative tips

- Investigative Tips provide a series of "next steps" for investigating an alert.
- For Trellix provided rules, these searches are generated by incident responders and intelligence analysts based on the data they would look for to determine if an alert is a true positive.

The screenshot shows the Trellix Investigative Tips interface for alert ID# 7500472. The alert title is "TRELLIX ENDPOINT ENS [OAS - ransom conti!b7b5e1253710]". The severity is "High" and the action is "Trellix, Endpoint, ENS, On Access Scan, md-action". The interface includes a navigation bar with tabs: TIMELINE, AUTOMATIONS, INVESTIGATIVE TIPS (selected), INTEL, EVENTS (5), AFFECTED ASSETS (2), HISTORY, and NOTES. Below the navigation bar, there are ten search suggestions, each with a "Search not yet run" button:

- Were there any other rules that fired for these IPs? (60m Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Were there any related intel hits? (60m Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Were there any related analytics advisories? (5h Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Were there any related IDS hits? (60m Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Were there any related AV hits? (60m Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Were there any other rules that fired for this user? (60m Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Were there any related AV hits for this user? (60m Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Are there any related alerts for user(s) in this alert? (4h Time Offset) Search not yet run
- Are there any related alerts for user(s) in this alert? (4h Time Offset) Search not yet run

Case management

Cases

Create, manage, and assign cases to track investigation and Response actions.

Filter

Actions ▾

+ Create Case

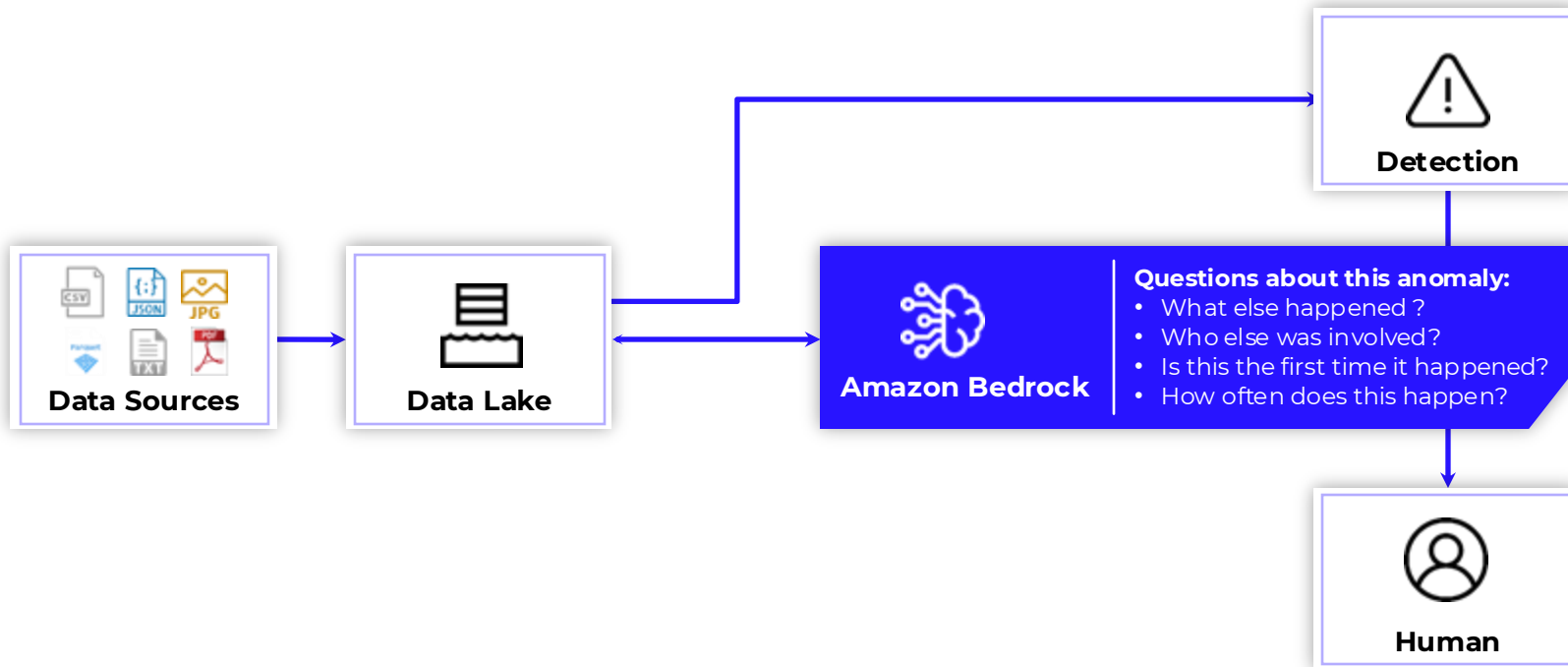
Assignee: Unassigned, Filippo ▾ | Status: All ▾ | Time Filter: All Time ▾

Showing 5 out of 5 results

<input type="checkbox"/>	Severity	Case Name	Assigned To	Status	Created By	Case Created	Last Updated	Tags	⚙️
<input type="checkbox"/>	MED	Alert_EBC33 ID: 16 Affected Assets: 2	UN Unassigned	Open	FS Filippo Sitzia	10/16/2024 11:04:41 AM	10/17/2024 05:41:03 PM	Malware	⋮
<input type="checkbox"/>	MED	Case with Search john.butter ID: 17 Affected Assets: 0	UN Unassigned	Closed	FS Filippo Sitzia	10/17/2024 10:33:11 AM	10/17/2024 05:40:51 PM	Anomaly Ransomware	⋮
<input type="checkbox"/>	MED	web link ID: 7 Affected Assets: 2	FS Filippo Sitzia	Open	FS Filippo Sitzia	07/02/2024 08:58:53 AM	10/17/2024 05:40:19 PM	Test03 Endpoint	⋮
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIGH	Phishing from fake invoice ID: 19 Affected Assets: 2	FS Filippo Sitzia	Open	FS Filippo Sitzia	10/17/2024 05:39:04 PM	10/17/2024 05:39:04 PM	Multi-Vector Email IC	⋮
<input type="checkbox"/>	MED	test ID: 10 Affected Assets: 0	UN Unassigned	Open	FS Filippo Sitzia	08/23/2024 01:49:08 PM	08/23/2024 01:49:08 PM		⋮

Trellix Wise for Helix Connect

Generative AI can ask key questions and understand answers



GenAI and customer data

Does Trellix Wise use customer data to train models?

Trellix Wise does NOT use customer data to train models or share data with third parties!

- GenAI models are already pre-trained on general security knowledge and **do not need to be fine-tuned**.
- Decisions are made solely based on the **tactical information at hand**, so they are not biased by previous occurrences or other situations.
- This ensures gen AI decisions are **grounded** and **not hallucinations**.

Auto Investigation: How good is it?

What does it look like when Trellix Wise investigates an alert?

The screenshot shows an alert titled "WINDOWS METHODOLOGY [Powershell DownloadFile]" with ID# 2479324. The alert is categorized as "Medium" and is associated with several tags: "windows, Command and Control, Execution, md-info, Command and Scripting Interpreter (T1059)", "Ingress Tool Transfer (T1105)", and "PowerShell (T1059.001)".

The alert was first seen on 2024-08-08 at 15:20:11 and last seen at the same time. The description states: "This rule looks for a Powershell command that includes the .NET webclient class or any indication of a URL. Attackers can use this method when using Powershell as a downloader for additional payload..."

Several links are provided for further information, including GitHub, MSDN, Microsoft Learn, and MITRE ATT&CK pages.

On the right side, there are options to "Log Events", "MetaClasses [1]" (showing "windows"), and "Not Assigned" with an "ASSIGN" button.

The "Most Recent Event" is a "Windows Process" event. The event details are as follows:

hostname	074912-dsquiller-finance.selabs.trellix.com	eventid	4688
msg	a new process has been created. creator subject: secu...	username	david.squiller
pprocess	c:\users\david.squiller\desktop\19625_cutepuppy\jg...	process	c:\windows\system32\cmd.exe
args	C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe /c powershell.exe -e...	severity	info
deviceid	86fd081fa53d	class	ms_windows_event
metaclass	windows	meta_cid	88888888

Methodology alerts are not “good” or “bad,” they must be investigated.

Was this use of Powershell malicious?

Auto Investigation: Who is involved?

Trellix Wise uses the rich context provided by integrations to understand the role of the user.

After analyzing the provided information, here is my assessment:

Explanation:

1. User profile: David Squiller is a Director in the Sales department, not a support account or super user. His role doesn't typically involve running PowerShell scripts or executing potentially malicious files.
 2. IP profile: No specific IP address is provided for analysis.
 3. Standard tools: The command executed is not a standard tool. It's a PowerShell command that downloads and executes a script from a GitHub repository, which is highly suspicious.
 4. Story in the data: The most plausible story is malicious activity. A file named "19625_cutepuppyjpg.exe" (likely masquerading as an image) executed a command to run PowerShell with bypassed execution policy, downloading and executing a script from GitHub. This is a common technique used by attackers.
 5. Evidence of success: The alert indicates the process was successfully created, suggesting the malicious activity was likely successful in its initial stages.
 6. Importance of target: While David Squiller is not marked as a VIP, he is a Director, which makes him a potentially valuable target for attackers.
- Given these factors, especially the successful execution of a suspicious PowerShell command and the target being a Director, I believe this alert should be escalated to critical severity.

Auto Investigation: What is normal?

Trellix Wise understands what tools are normal and if they are being used suspiciously.

After analyzing the provided information, here is my assessment:

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Auto Investigation: What happened?

Trellix Wise creates a complete story based on all of the evidence.

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Auto Investigation: Do we care?

Trellix Wise considers everything and makes a decision.

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Deprioritizing Noisy Alerts

Trellix Wise declines to escalate this alert using a transparent decision making process.

← BACK | ID# 6187108 | WINDOWS METHODOLOGY [Base64 Char Args]

●●●● Medium windows, methodology, Defense Evasion, md-info, Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information (T1140) ⓘ

First Seen: 2024-08-06 20:19:11 | Last Seen: 2024-08-06 20:19:11

This rule looks for a command with a long string of consecutive base64 characters. This rule merely matches on characters and does not attempt to decode, so it could trigger on a string that is not...

<https://attack.mitre.org/techniques/T1140>

Most Recent Event | Windows Process

hostname	corpdc2v.corp.example.com	eventid	4688
msg	a new process has been created. creator subject: secu...	username	corpdc2v\$
pprocess	c:\program files\tenable\nessus agent\nessus-agent...	process	c:\program files\tenable\nessus agent\inasl...
args	"C:\Program Files\Tenable\Nessus Agent\inasl" -P data...	severity	info
class	ms_windows_event	metaclass	windows
meta_cbid	147580330534800		

Log Events

MetaClasses [1]

windows

2024-08-06 20:13 UTC

Trellix Wise is evaluating every alert to ensure it's **not** important.

But this only works if you can audit what it's doing.

It shows its work, walking you through its decision making process, step by step.

Trellix Wise fully understands the situation

It knows why the alert was triggered and what it was looking for.

Decision:

The alert was likely triggered due to the presence of a long base64 encoded string in the command line arguments of the Nessus Agent. However, this is expected behavior for this security scanning tool. The base64 string contains metadata about the system, including OS version, IP addresses, and Nessus plugin information.

Other rules that fired (like "powershell methodology [base64 string]" and "windows methodology [base64 char args]") are likely false positives triggered by the legitimate use of base64 encoding by the Nessus Agent.

Given that this appears to be normal activity from an authorized security tool, and there's no evidence of malicious intent or compromise, raising the severity to critical is not warranted. The current medium severity is appropriate, as it allows for investigation without causing undue alarm.

Trellix Wise fully understands the situation

It knows what behavior is expected in an enterprise environment.

Decision:

The alert was likely triggered due to the presence of a long base64 encoded string in the command line arguments of the Nessus Agent. However, **this is expected behavior for this security scanning tool**. The base64 string contains metadata about the system, including OS version, IP addresses, and Nessus plugin information.

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Trellix Wise fully understands the situation

It puts this alert in the context of the other alerts for this host and realizes they are also false positives.

Decision:

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Trellix Wise fully understands the situation

It knows what is worth investigating and what is not.

Decision:

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55882 rev. 0 [AI Updated] TRELLIX NETWORK NX [Malware-Object]

Created 2024-09-11 16:03 UTC martin.holste@fireeye.com

Priority: Medium Severity: 4 Classification: Other

Description: A Malware Object alert refers to a malicious determination from dynamic MVX analysis of a binary. This alert indicates that an endpoint downloaded a malicious binary. However, it is

EVENTS 10 ALERTS 1 REVISIONS NOTES 1

Start typing new notes here

ESCALATED: True
TOTAL EVENTS ANALYZED: 33
HUMAN TIME SAVED: 03m 15s
DATA CONSIDERED:

Alert field values:
md5=20d4e89e8fc5721189042bad9db24cea
rule=duplicate-md5sum
class=fireeye_rx_alert
virus=malware.binary.dll
action=notified
dstisp=intel corporation
sha256=6d09e9954eced953ef37f8ab93af62e01a7c0cb0bc99f4697fa1060bfe18aa39
dstip4=143.185.248.173
dstport=5000
srcip4=10.11.65.181
srcport=61119
eventlog=malware-object
meta_cbid=1697231167105
metaclass=antivirus
attackinfo=get /launcher http/1.1
accept: /*/*
user-agent: certutil url agent
host: pool.supportxmr.com:5000
cache-control: no-cache

NX Auto Triage Example:

- **Complete**
Analyzed 33 events
- **Valuable**
Saved over 3 minutes of analyst time
- **Transparent**
Provides data considered so analyst can audit the decision

```
Were there any other rules that fired for this source IP?
(60m Time Offset)
detect_rulenames
trellix mvision [<%= category %>]
psexec usage
trellix network nx [smartvision-event]
malware methodology [certutil user-agent]
trellix intel hit [non-dns fqdn]
trellix intel hit [non-dns fqdn - non-attributed malicious
(tips)]
trellix intel hit [non-dns fqdn - non-attributed suspicious
(tips)]
trellix network nx [infection-match]
```

```
Were there any related intel hits? (60m Time Offset)
type,intelmatchvalue
4,haleassetss.com
4,pool.supportxmr.com
```

```
Were there any related AV hits? (60m Time Offset)
class,rule,virus
fireeye_nx_alert,,
fireeye_nx_alert,bot-command,local.infection
```

```
What types of Trellix threats were found for these IPs? (24h
Time Offset)
class,srcipv4,dstipv4,virus
fireeye_nx_alert,10.11.65.181,143.185.248.173,local.infectio
n
fireeye_nx_alert,10.11.65.181,175.72.196.116,local.infection
fireeye_nx_alert,10.11.65.181,163.147.166.94,local.infection
```

```
What types of logs are available for the source IP? (10m
Time Offset)
metaclass,class
cloud,mcafee_epo
```

Data considered contains all of the questions and answers asked of the data:

- What other rules fired for this IP?
- Were there any intel hits?
- AV hits?
- What types of threats were found for these IP's?
- What types are logs are available for these IP's?
- Etc.

Human analyst has transparent view into all data the AI considered when making its decision.

Complete, correct analysis of the NX alert with decision to escalate:

1. User profile:

The username "demo.user" is mentioned, which suggests **this may be a test or demo account rather than a regular user**. There's no indication of it being a support or super user account.

2. IP address profile:

The source IP 10.11.65.181 is **an internal IP address**. It appears in multiple logs, suggesting it could be used by multiple users or be a **shared resource**.

3. Standard tools consideration:

The alert mentions "certutil url agent" in the user-agent string. **Certutil is a legitimate Windows tool, but its use to download files can be abused by attackers**. This usage is suspicious in this context.

4. Story from the data:

The data strongly suggests malicious activity:

- A malware object (meterpreter.dll) was downloaded
- Connection to a known malicious domain (pool.supportxmr.com)
- Multiple related alerts and intel hits for bot activity and infections
- **Use of certutil to download the malware**

5. Evidence of success:

While the initial alert states it's unknown if the file was executed, there are multiple subsequent alerts for "local.infection" associated with this IP, suggesting **the malware was likely executed successfully**.

6. Importance of target and success likelihood:

The target appears to be an internal system (based on the IP), and there's strong evidence of successful infection across multiple destinations.

Given this analysis, I believe **this alert should be raised to critical severity**. The **evidence points to a successful malware infection** that has spread to multiple systems, indicating an active and potentially severe security incident.

Response tools

- Tasks
- Triggers
- Transformations
- Automations



Tasks and Automations

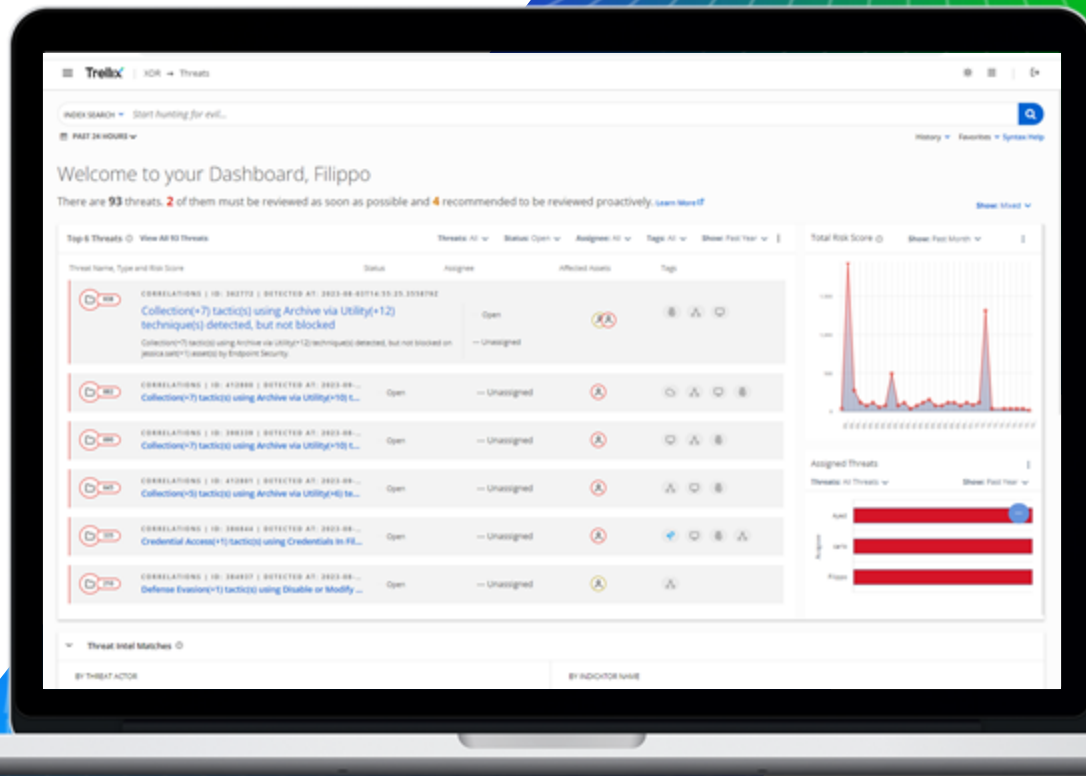
- Tasks are granular actions to enrich, analyze, and respond, including both out-of-box Trellix and those that result from 3rd party integrations.
- Automations enable you to link multiple tasks together with robust logic.

The screenshot displays the Trellix automation editor interface. On the left is a sidebar menu with sections: TRIGGERS (Manual Trigger), COMPONENTS (Automations, Tasks, Transform), and PATH VARIATIONS (Logic, End Branch, Terminate Automation). The main workspace shows a vertical workflow: Manual Trigger (node_2nk) -> Custom transform (node_2nk) -> vt-test-1 Lookup Hashes (node_396) -> End Branch. A top navigation bar includes 'Integration Hub' and 'Available Integrations'. On the right, a 'Code Editor' window shows the following JavaScript code:

```
1 let input = {
2   foo: ""
3 };
4 let output = {
5   bar: ""
6 };
7
8 function main() {
9   output.bar = input.foo;
10 }
11
12
```

Demo - Checkpoints

- Integration Hub
- Search and TQL
- Assets
- Risk Score
- Alert Rules
- Events, Alerts, Correlations
- Threat Intelligence
- Investigative Tips
- Tasks and Automations
- Case management
- Wise
- Reporting



Roadmap

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Hands-on!!!



PizzaHack APT uses FTP protocol

Let's hunt!

- Port 21 connections
- External IPs
- Other suspicious ports
- Internal hosts involved

John Butter might be a target Let's hunt!

- Job profile
- Office location
- Risk score
- Relevant alerts

WinSCP usage found on the trace

Let's hunt!

- Total events analyzed
- Human time saved
- Remediation recommendations

Pre-Sales Resources

POV Guideline



Data Sources for XDR

XDR effectiveness depends on the data sources available for analysis

Data Source	What is Collected	How Logs are Used in XDR
Connection Logging	Logs connection information and duration between two hosts.	Identify APT activity from known bad IP addresses. Track movement of malicious hosts around the network.
DNS Logging	All DNS requests are logged.	Identify malware or APT activity.
Files Logging	Names/hashes of files are logged.	Identify malicious files used by attackers, or invalid versions of files.
SMTP Logging	Logs all SMTP headers.	Identify internal spam abuse or augment SMTP logs.
HTTP Logging	Similar to proxy/Web server logs, but does not include user names.	See attacks on internal Web servers or malware leaving an egress.
SSL Certificate Logging	Logs certificate information such as CA.	Identify known bad certificates or invalid certificate chains.
Tunnel Logging	Identify and report on tunneled traffic, such as teredo, IPv6 over IPv4, or GRE.	Identify possible data exfiltration or command and control.
Software Logging	Detect versions of applications in use. For example, old Java versions, Web browser versions, and so on.	Identify abnormal or vulnerable software in use.

Critical Data Sources

A list of sources required to detect and respond to cyber attacks

- Threat Detection Appliances
- Web Proxy (with user tracking)
- DNS Resolution and Relay events
- Authentication Events
- AD/LDAP, Wireless, VPN, etc.
- Firewalls (including NAT logs)
- Email server and transactions
- Endpoint Security
- AV, HIPS, EDR, etc.
- DHCP Assignments
- Operating System events
- Windows, Linux, etc.
- Windows/Linux Process Tracking
- IDS / IPS
- Database Security/Audit events
- Email Filtering/Security events
- NAC events
- PowerShell logs
- Cloud Infrastructure

Data Sources by Priority

- Trellix recommends an outside-in approach when prioritizing log source collection
- Perimeter and Network Access categories should be considered a “must have” for detection and analytics efficacy
- Log Format – CEF/LEEF is preferred when the option is available



Perimeter

- Evidence Collector
- Web proxy
- Firewall / NAT
- DNS
- Remote Access
- Security tools
- Cloud logs

Network Access

- IIS / Apache logs
- ERP web server logs
- Authentication (SSO, Radius, NAC, Active Directory)
- DHCP logs

Host

- Unix and Windows system events
- Active Directory events

Data

- Database logs
- Unix and Windows file access logs
- File integrity monitoring logs

Bandwidth calculation

Here are some rough calculations based on the Helix environment size.

(EPS * average message size * (1 - compression ratio))/1MB = megabytes/second transferred over WAN to the virtual private cloud.

Keep in mind that this is a worst-case calculation. The average message size we are using is 4 KB, but in practice this is closer to 2KB.

- **2,500 EPS** – $(2500 * 4096 * (1 - 0.75))/1,048,576 = \mathbf{2.4 MB/sec}$
- **5,000 EPS** – $(5000 * 4096 * (1 - 0.75))/1,048,576 = \mathbf{4.9 MB/sec}$
- **10,000 EPS** - $(10000 * 4096 * (1 - 0.75))/1,048,576 = \mathbf{9.8 MB/sec}$
- **40,000 EPS** - $(40000 * 4096 * (1 - 0.75))/1,048,576 = \mathbf{39.1 MB/sec}$

EPS Calculations

- Be mindful of what the customer plans on sending to XDR. Our goal is to help the customer find evil, not become their **digital attic**.
- Ensure that the log sources are those where we have good rules and analytics coverage and aren't simply going to fill up their EPS limit without benefit.
- Ensure that there isn't event duplication: for example, we don't need both network metadata from Evidence Collector or a Commbroker and their DNS logs, as the network devices already see those.
- If possible, use metrics from existing SIEM.
- If the customer cannot provide a clear EPS number, then guidance is as follows:
- **1 EPS per user.**
 - Beware of edge cases where this does not hold true. Publicly facing web servers, where event generation is going to be far higher than the customer's user counts.

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