

Purple Team Lifecycle

Overall
Status: **Completed**

PB1140 - Domain Password Spray

Lifecycle Project Manager

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- Lifecycle Kickoff: 2/1/2021
- Simulation Start: 2/3/2021
- Simulation End: 2/6/2021
- Configuration Identified: 11/29/2020
- Change Management Referred: 2/6/2021
- Configuration Deployed: TBD

Status Code Legend

● Attack Simulation

● Defense Simulation

● System Configuration Change

● Information

<p>APT Lifecycle Ingest and Research</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Lifecycle Type: Attack Simulation ● Lifecycle Objective: Alert 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ingest Source: Atomic Purple Teaming ● Mitre T1110.003 https://attack.mitre.org/techniques/T1110/003
<p>Attack methodology</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Use domain password spray to check for common passwords. Identify this activity in logs. 	
<p>Defense methodology</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Use DomainPasswordSpray.ps1 to spray the domain controller authentication process. <pre style="background-color: #f0f0f0; padding: 5px;">powershell -ep bypass Import-module .\DomainPasswordSpray.ps1 Invoke-DomainPasswordSpray -Password Winter2020!</pre>	
<p>Lifecycle Adjustments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Search within optics stack for evidence of execution of password spray. Select the logs-endpoint-winevent-security-* index. Toggle the event. Action, event_status_value, and user_name fields as columns. The hunt involves timeline analysis and inspection of log entries. Note event.code 4624 and 4625 and event_status_value "Account logon with misspelled or bad password" 	
<p>Change Management</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Additional changes to the optics stack were not necessary, however attention was made to event.code 4624 or 4625 while analyzing on a timegraph. Aggregation can be used for threshold alerting. 	
<p>Lessons Learned</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Deploy threshold alert for event.code 4624 /w event_status_value "User logon with misspelled or bad password" ● Affected Users: Password Spray compromised account of Luis.Graves ● Rollback: Remove alert of aggregate threshold 	
<p>Lessons Learned</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Strong password policies can limit the effects of a password spray. 	