

# Execution with macro\_pack

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# Masquerading Malicious Files

## Report check



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To: You



incident-report.xlsx

13 KB

← Excel File (xlsx)

Hey Joseph,

Can you take a quick look at this attached report? It is regarding the incident we had this morning. I have a meeting at 4pm and I need to make sure the data is correct!

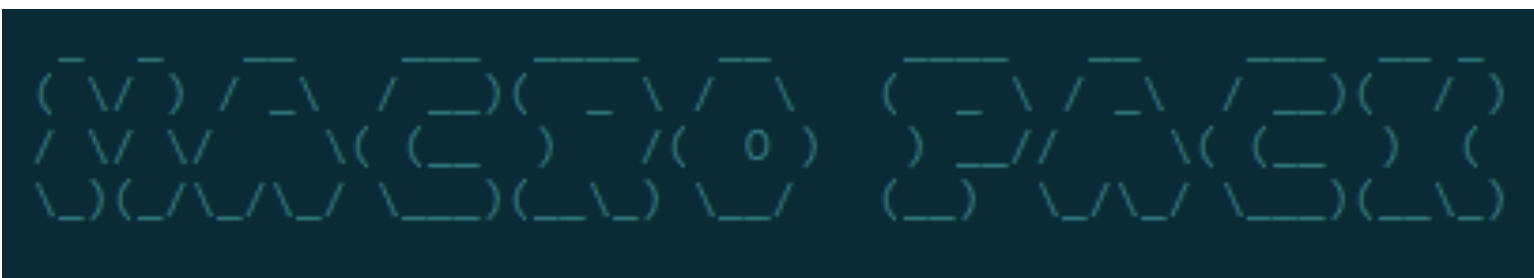
Regards,

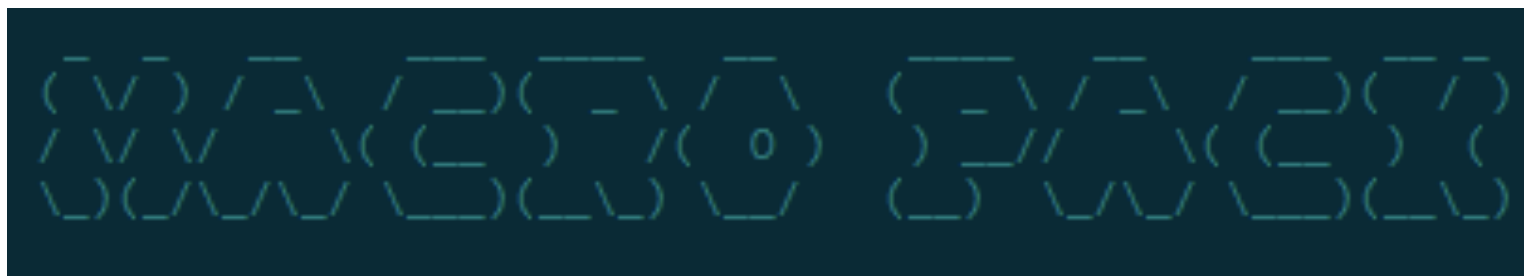
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ricardoreimao — ncat -nvlp 8080 — 80x12
[ricardo-macbookair:~ ricardoreimao$ ncat -nvlp 8080]
Ncat: Version 7.80 ( https://nmap.org/ncat )
Ncat: Listening on :::8080
Ncat: Listening on 0.0.0.0:8080

Ncat: Connection from 127.0.0.1.
Ncat: Connection from 127.0.0.1:50012.
C:\Windows\System\>
whoami
Administrator
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macro\_pack is a tool used to automatize obfuscation and generation of Office documents, VB scripts, shortcuts, and other formats for pentest, demo, and social engineering assessments.



Open source tool (Apache V2.0)

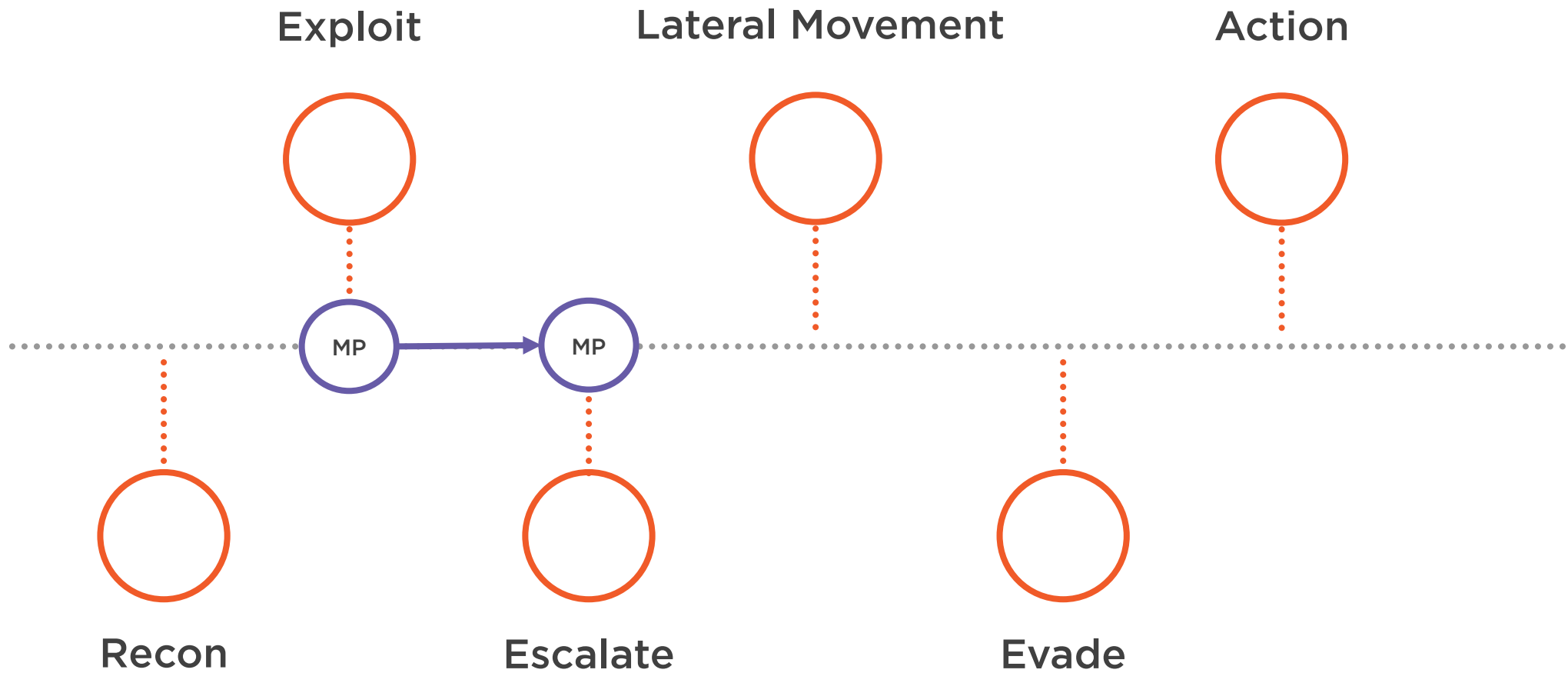
[https://github.com/sevagas/macro\\_pack](https://github.com/sevagas/macro_pack)

Automate the incorporation of malicious code into Microsoft Office files (masquerading)

Help us to exploit the easiest point of entry in a company: People



# Kill Chain



# MITRE ATT&CK

## Tactics

Initial Access  
Execution  
Persistence  
Privilege Escalation  
Defense Evasion  
Credential Access  
Discovery  
Lateral Movement  
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Command & Control  
Exfiltration  
Impact



# MITRE ATT&CK

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T1204:

User Execution

T1204.002

Malicious File

T1059:

Command and Scripting Interpreter

T1059.005

Visual Basic





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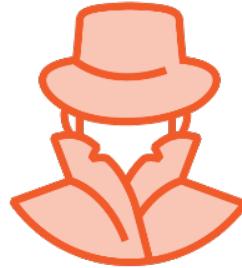
**T1566:  
Phishing**

**T1566.001  
Spearphishing  
Attachment**



# Staying Legal

Sending malware without authorization is **ILLEGAL** in most countries



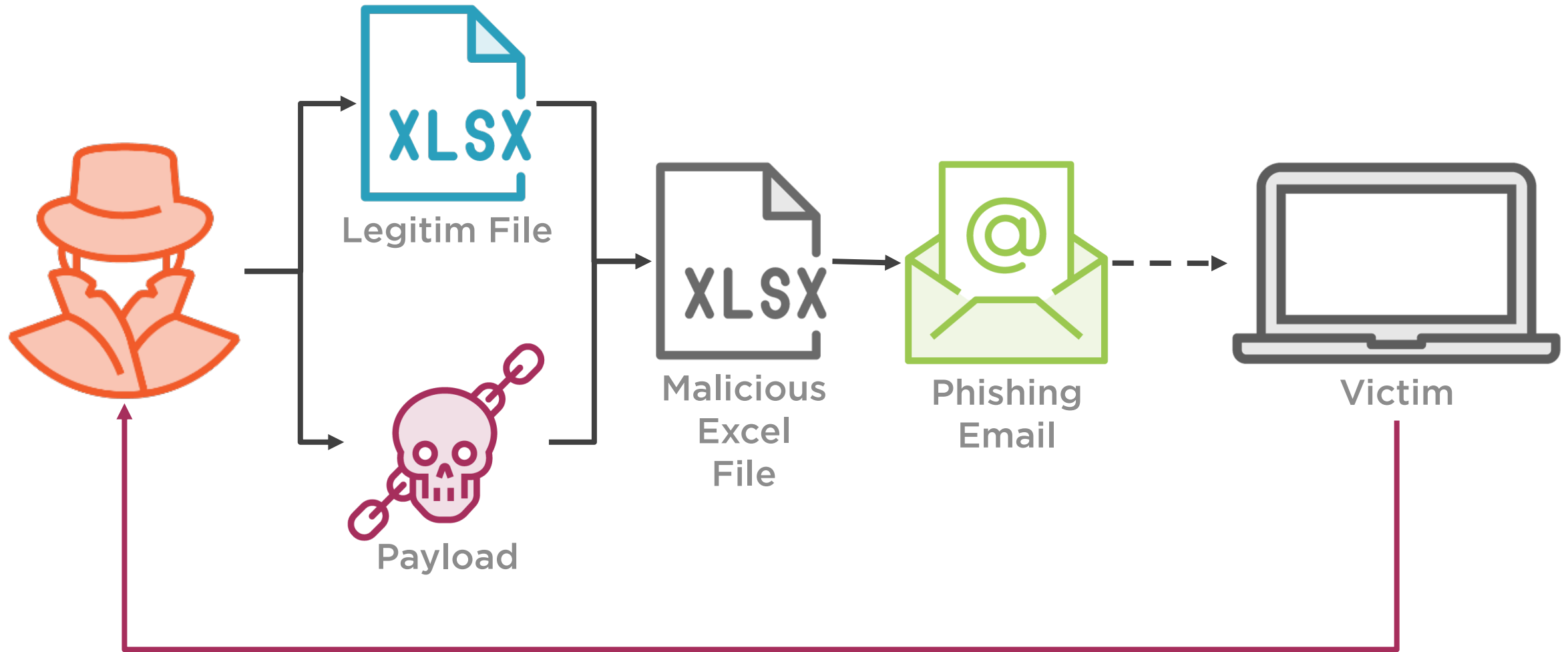
Letter of engagement, detailing dates and scope of what will be executed

Formal document, signed by the client, authorizing the types of attack you may perform

Always consult the client before any attack that may impact the network



# Attack Explanation



# Prerequisites



## Attacker Machine

Windows 10  
and/or  
Kali Linux



## Target Machine

Windows 10  
or  
Windows Server



# Demo Place Holder

1. Installation Tips and Tricks
2. First use instructions and common usage syntax
3. Use of main features on live targets or in live environment



# More Information

## Official Documentation

Several other capabilities

[https://github.com/sevagas/macro\\_pack](https://github.com/sevagas/macro_pack)

## macro\_pack Pro Mode

Several advanced features:

- Anti-virus bypassing
- Sandbox detection
- Weaponized templates

## Initial Access

“Initial Access with WiFi-Pumpkin”

“Initial Access with Aircrack-ng”

## Remediation

Security awareness trainings

Phishing simulation campaigns

Behavior-based detection systems



# Thank you!



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