Reducing Time to Data

Define millions of inbound web requests

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Define Millions Of Inbound Web Requests

Harness power of splunk to reduce the time to data

- Millions of inbound web requests
  - What are the requests?
  - Where are the requests coming from?
  - Data visualization?
  - Pattern?
  - Automated reporting?

Turn data points into action items
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Example: Usage profile, legacy certificate hash versus current

- **2+**: In millions for OCSP requests in 24 hours
- **1.7**: In millions, legacy cert hash issuance
- **141**: Certificate types
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How would one data compare without splunk?

- Excel
  - Create a workbook with worksheets of the data to compare
    - Vlookups
    - Scripted compare logic
    - Attempt to throw more resources at it
    - Attempt to reduce time frame to actually come back with data
  - Result: nothing and/or reduced information set

- Custom code
  - Data compare (any/all methods)
    - Index the millions of events in a given time period
    - Attempt to perform data correlation
    - Attempt to throw more resources at it
    - Attempt to reduce time frame to actually come back with data
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Deep diving the data with splunk

- Import a custom own data set
- Real time data compare
- Minutes away from the data
- Automated reporting / visualization
How Easy It Is?

SOURCES

Verify custom data

| inputlookup <custom data set name>

Verify target data

EventCode=5125 "*<Legacy CA name match>*" | dedup Certificate_Serial_Number

Data compare

| lookup cert_serial_num Serial_NUMBER as Certificate_Serial_Number OUTPUT Requester_Name as LegacyUser | search LegacyUser =**" | table LegacyUser,Certificate_Serial_Number

Profit
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- Retrieving real time data
- Data visualization
- Default parsing
  - Host breakdown
  - Source
  - Custom lookup
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- Simple data visualization overlay
- Simple dashboard creation
Key Takeaways
Reducing time to data

1. Customize the splunk experience
2. Reduce time to data using splunk
3. Leverage the power of splunk cloud
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