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Ready, Set, SOAR: How Utility Apps Can Up Level Your Playbooks!

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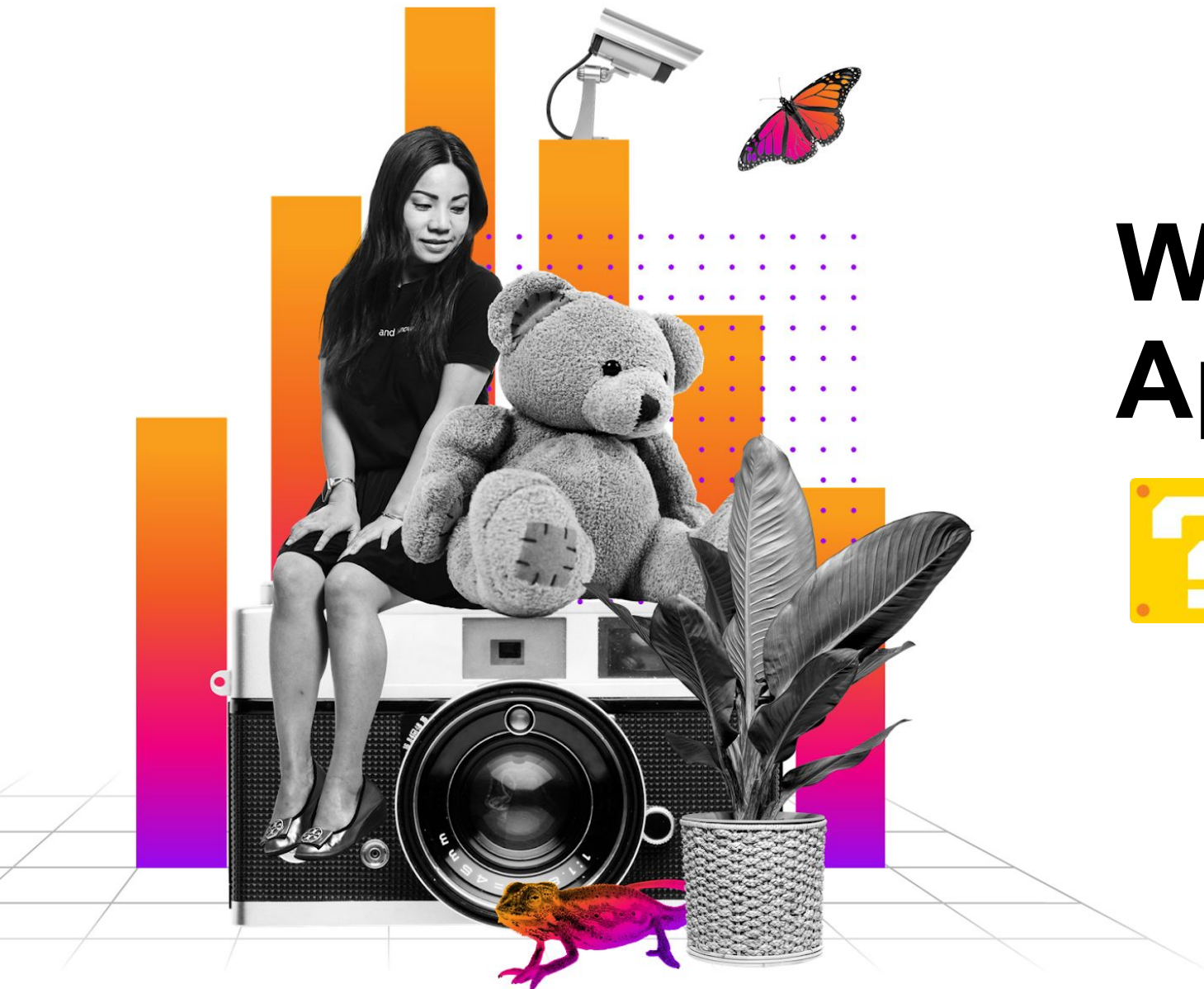


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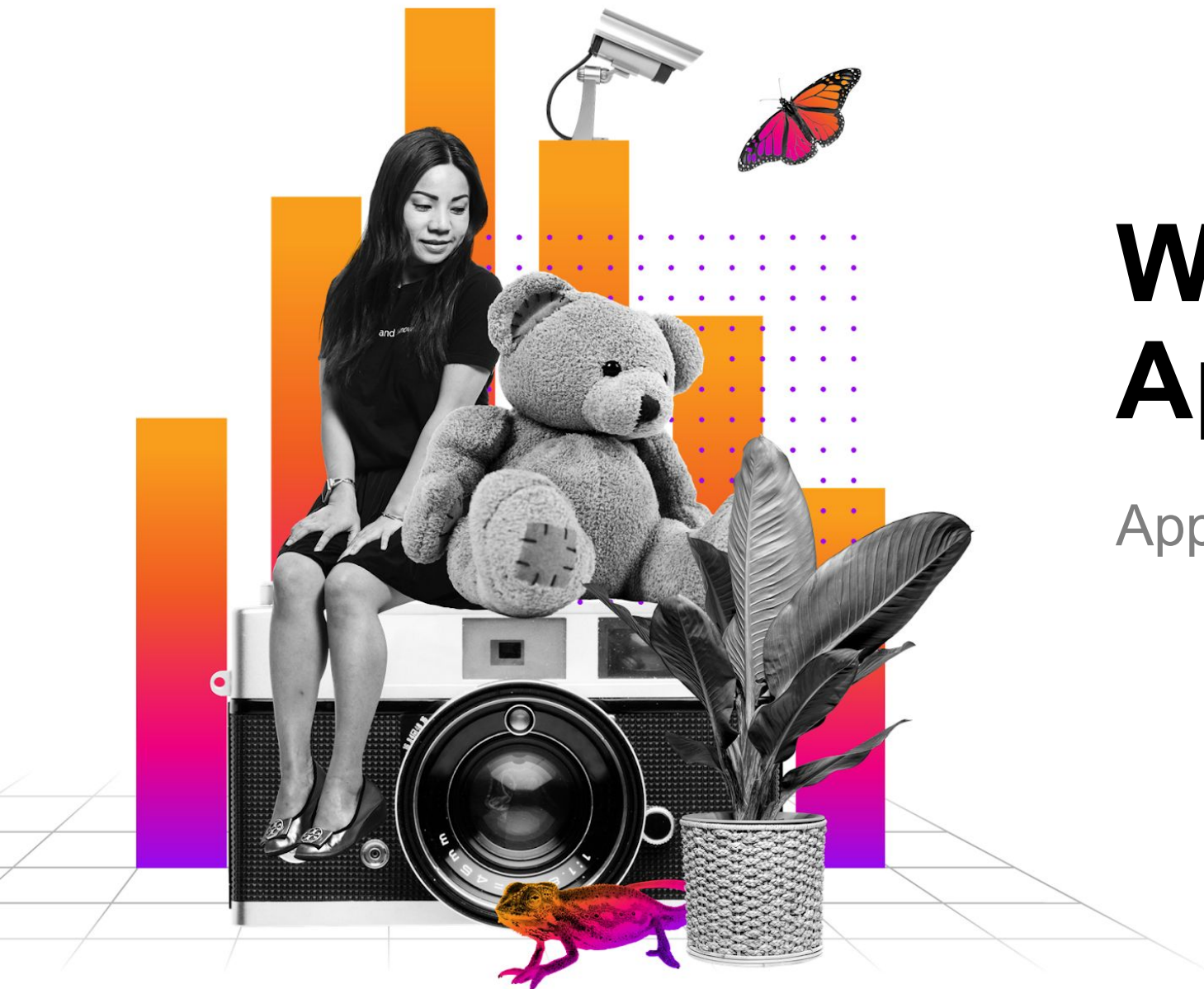
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What Are Utility Apps?



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What Are Utility Apps?

Apps that do more ✨

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SOAR Apps

350+ SOAR Apps on Splunkbase

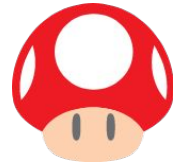
Most apps integrate with a single remote API

- Crowdstrike OAuth
- VirusTotal v3
- Splunk

Utility Apps do more than that!

- Generic across APIs
- Advanced data processing
- May or may not wrap an existing utility





Think beyond integration with 3rd party systems!



And Custom Functions?

Utility Apps

- Secret management
- Generic across use cases
- Natural grouping of related logic in actions

Custom Functions

- No secrets to be managed
- Use-case specific data transformation
- Grouping by convention (prefix, tags,...)



Your Favs & Our Favs

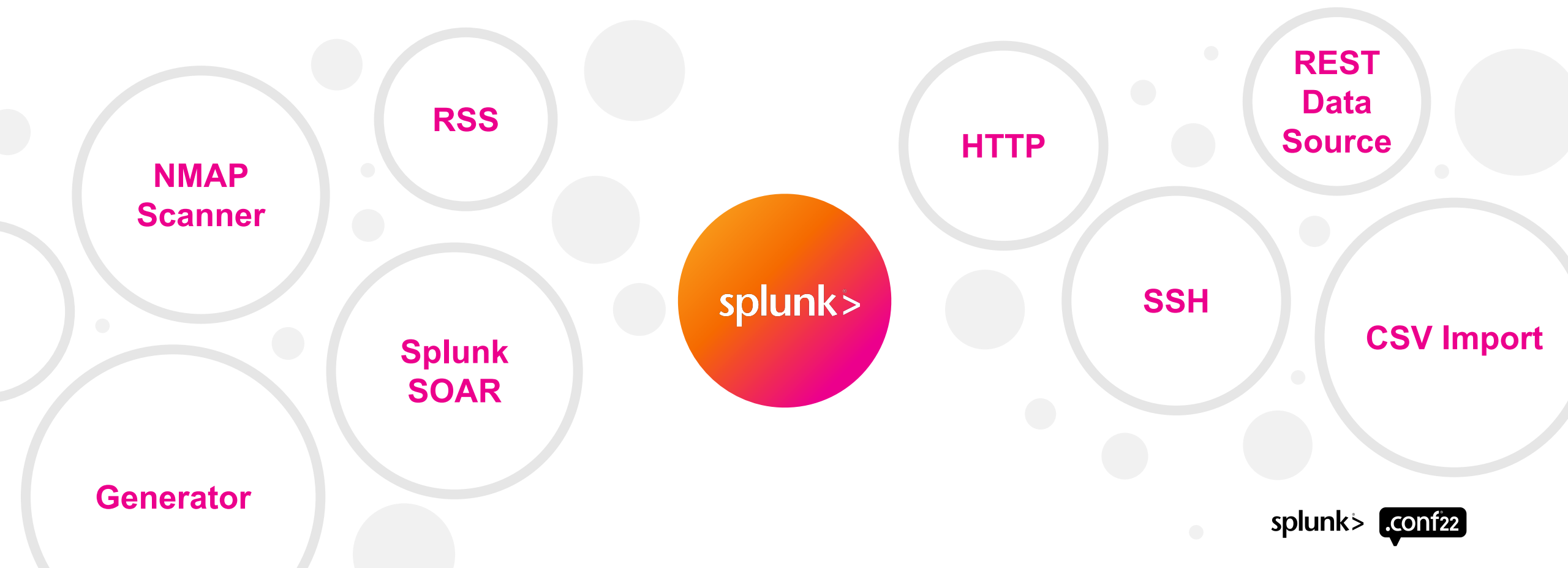
What Utility Apps do we have?



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Popular Utility Apps



Our Top 3 Utilities in SOAR

Splunk® SOAR



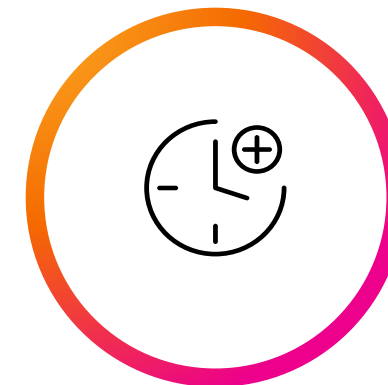
Exposes Splunk® SOAR
APIs as actions

Parser

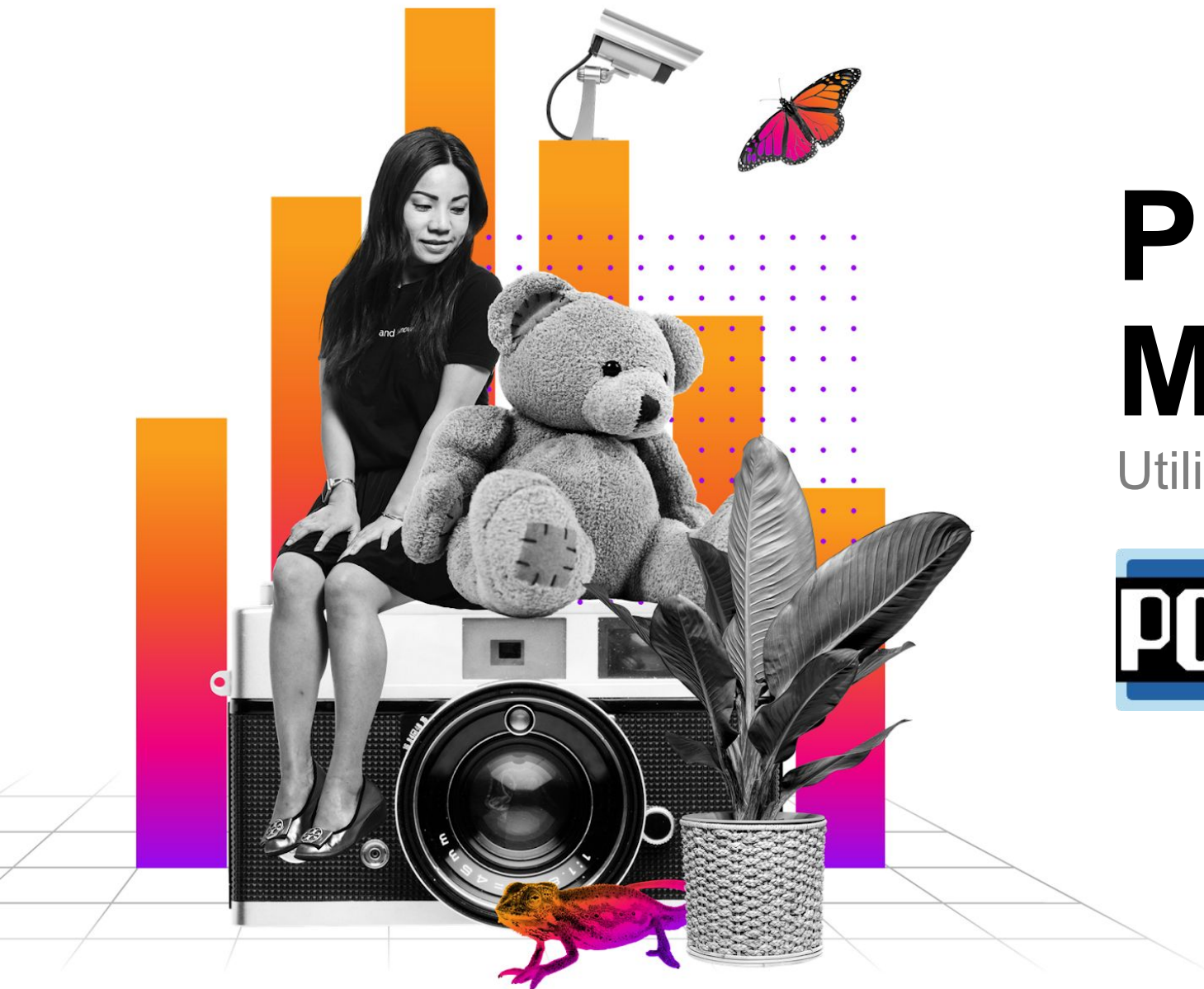


Extracts IOCs from
various file formats

Timer



Kicks playbooks at
scheduled intervals



Practice Makes Perfect

Utility Apps in action!



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Buttercup Games

Gaming Company
(Fictional)

Welcome to Buttercup Games

The Security team at Buttercup Games must provide a record time solution for these **3 scenarios**

1. Tackle **phishing** through in-game chat
2. Onboard new **alert** sources
3. Improve **reporting** capabilities

Their knowledge of the Splunk® SOAR ecosystem and their playbook development skills will help them through these challenges

Phishing through in-game chat

Scenario 1

Malicious actors try to steal digital currency via in-game chat. The security team needs a way to triage and enrich reported messages.

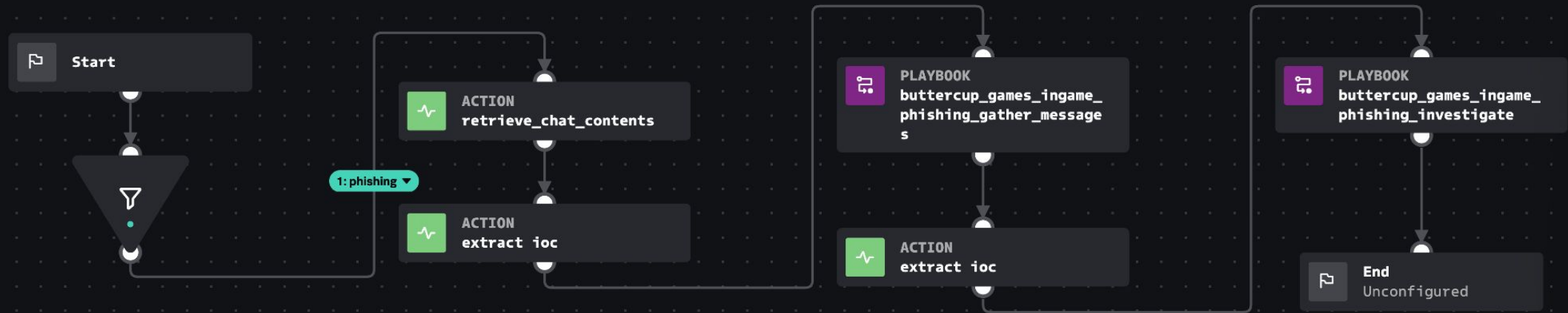
Utility Apps

Parser

HTTP



Congratulations! You won our
weekly Buttercup Coin raffle - Claim
your price at
<https://bitly.com/98K8eH>



Fetch chat content via HTTP App and save to Vault

Use the Parser to extract message artifacts from CSV

Collect CSV details as artifacts

Extract URL IOCs on added artifacts

Run phishing investigation playbook

Notify analysts of potentially malicious URLs and further actions

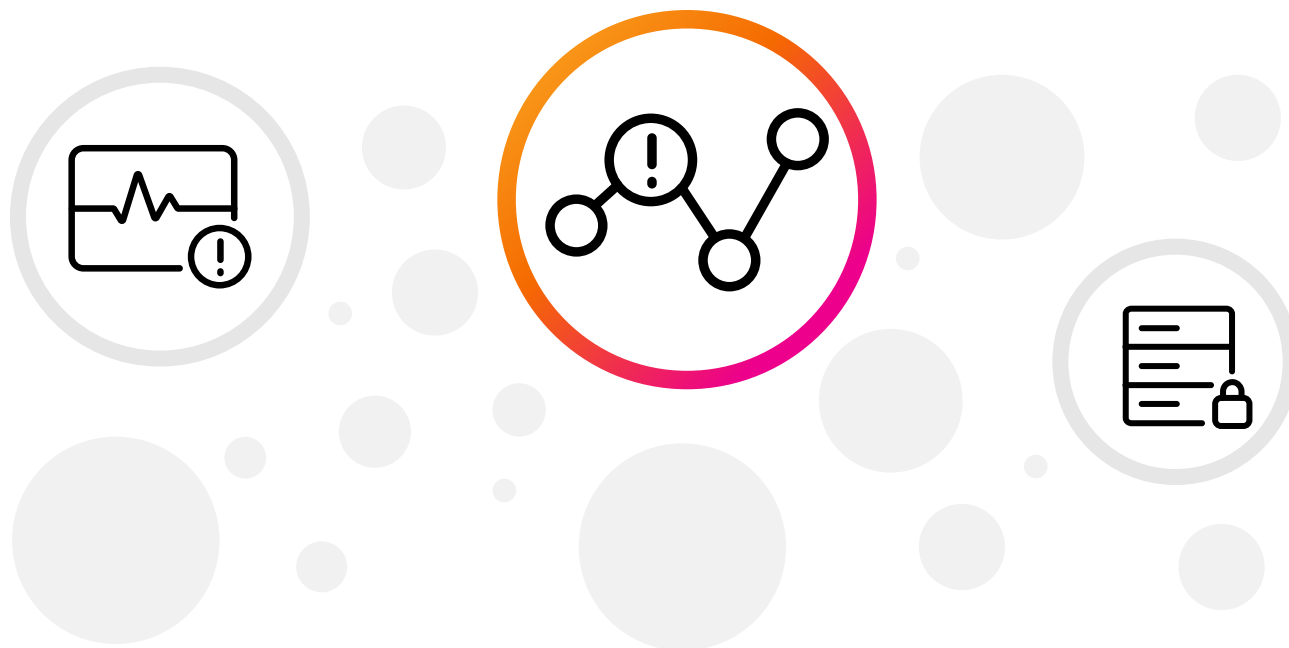
Onboard new alert sources

Scenario 2

Buttercup Go servers need to run stable, smoothly and securely to ensure the best player experience

Utility Apps

[REST Data Source](#)



ASSET CONFIGURATION CONFIGURE NEW ASSET

Asset (1)
cf_notifications

Asset Info **Asset Settings** Approval Settings Access Control

Custom Python REST handler
cloudflare_notifications.py

POST incoming for REST Data Source to this location
https://[redacted]8443/rest/handler/restdatasource_95e3bcff-bfca-454d-b59e-768da6280c38/cf_notifications

Advanced

SAVE CANCEL

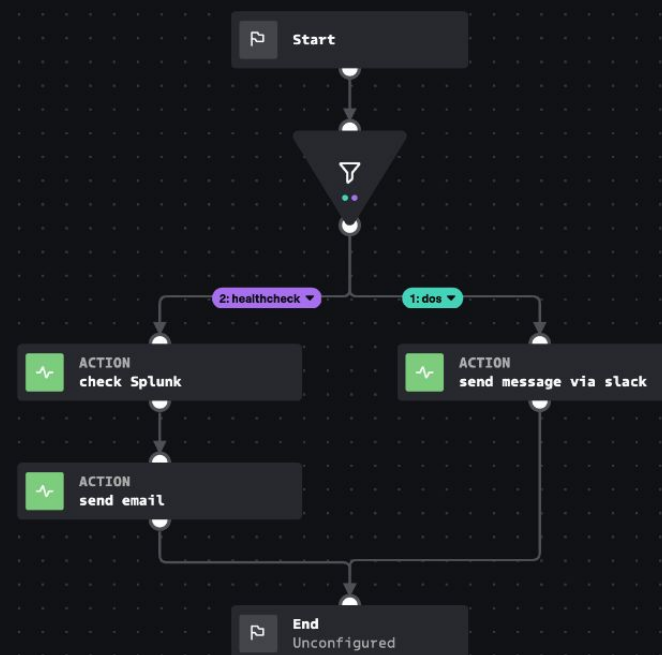
REST Data Source can consume
webhook data from any source!

Packaged handlers for FireEye, STIX

Deploy your own custom handlers

Enrich alert with additional
information

Notify stakeholders via
appropriate communication
channels



Improve reporting capabilities

Scenario 3

Weekly report of suspicious activity to Buttercup Go management to keep them informed of security operations affecting the gaming platform



Utility Apps

Timer

SMTP

Select a polling interval or schedule to configure polling on this asset.

Scheduled ▾

Every

week ▾

on

Monday ▾

at

09 ▾

:

00 ▾

SAVE

CANCEL

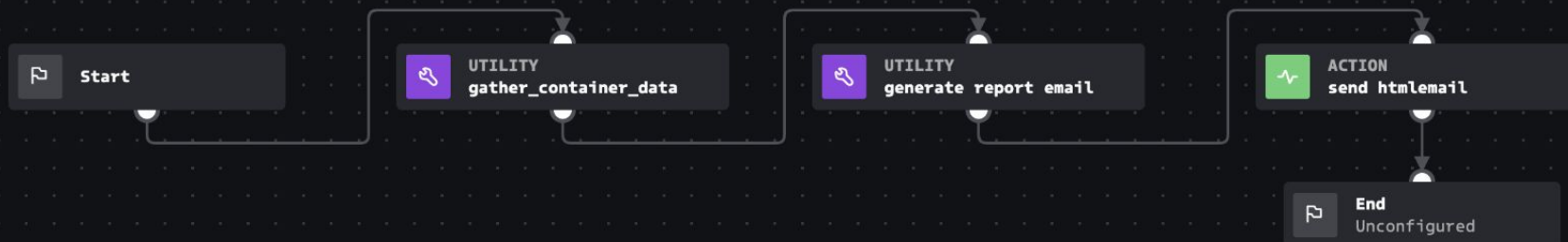
POLL NOW

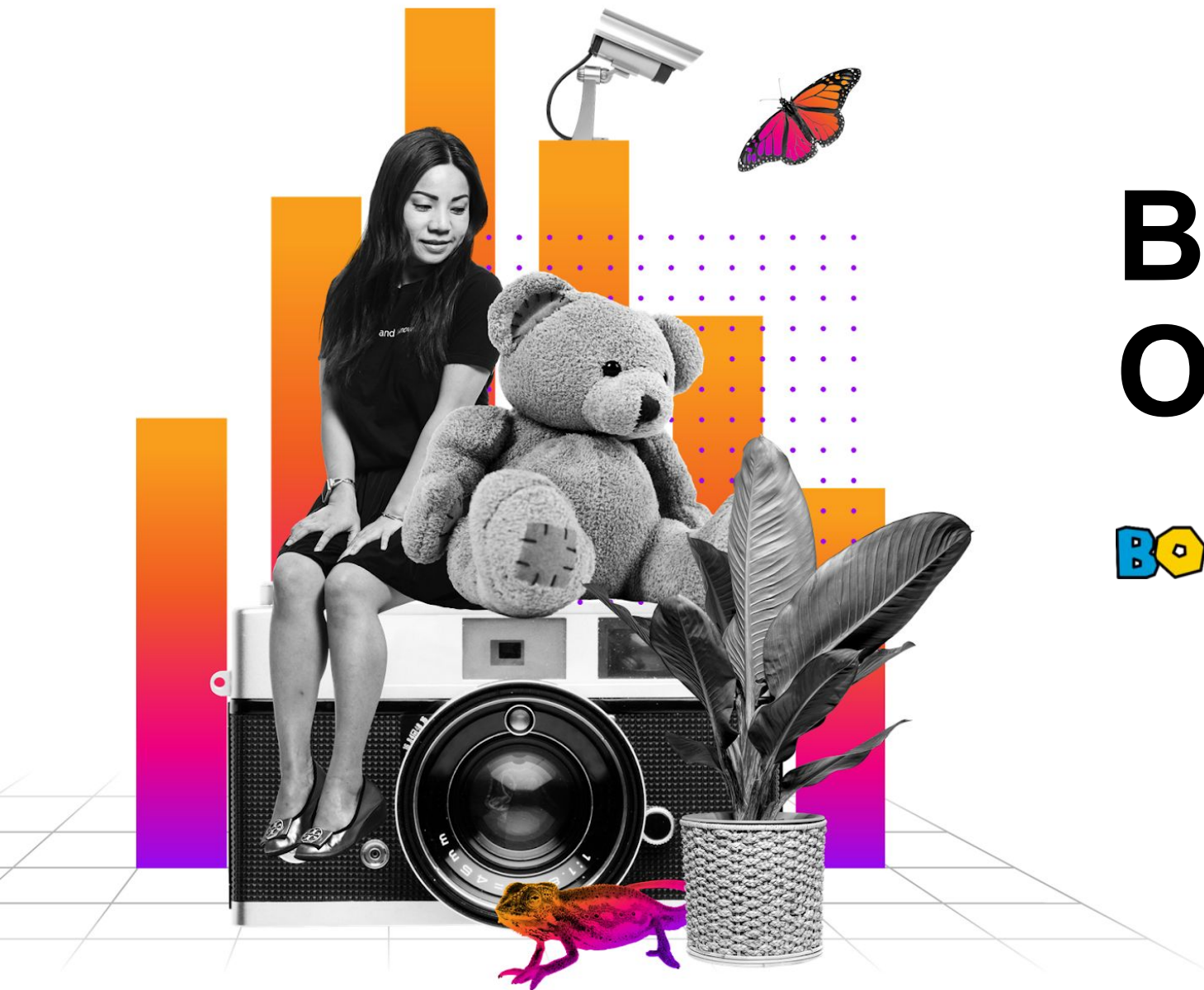
Create a new Timer asset with the required cadence

An individual Timer asset can be used across use cases!

Generate HTML mail containing report using SOAR REST API and custom functions

Send Email via SMTP app





Build Your Own App!

BONUS LEVEL

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SOAR App Editor

Creating Utility Apps got easier!

The **App Wizard** on the **Apps** page from Splunk® SOAR 5.1 onwards takes you right into the new in-product **App Editor**

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DISCARD LOCAL CHANGES

CLONE

SAVE

PUBLISH

DOWNLOAD

mynewapp_consts.py x

mynewapp_connector.py

exclude_files.txt

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use the .get() function

ram.get('optional_parameter', 'default_value')

_make_rest_call(

result, params=None, headers=None

1):

party device or service failed, action result should contain all the error details

is commented out, but after implementation, return from here

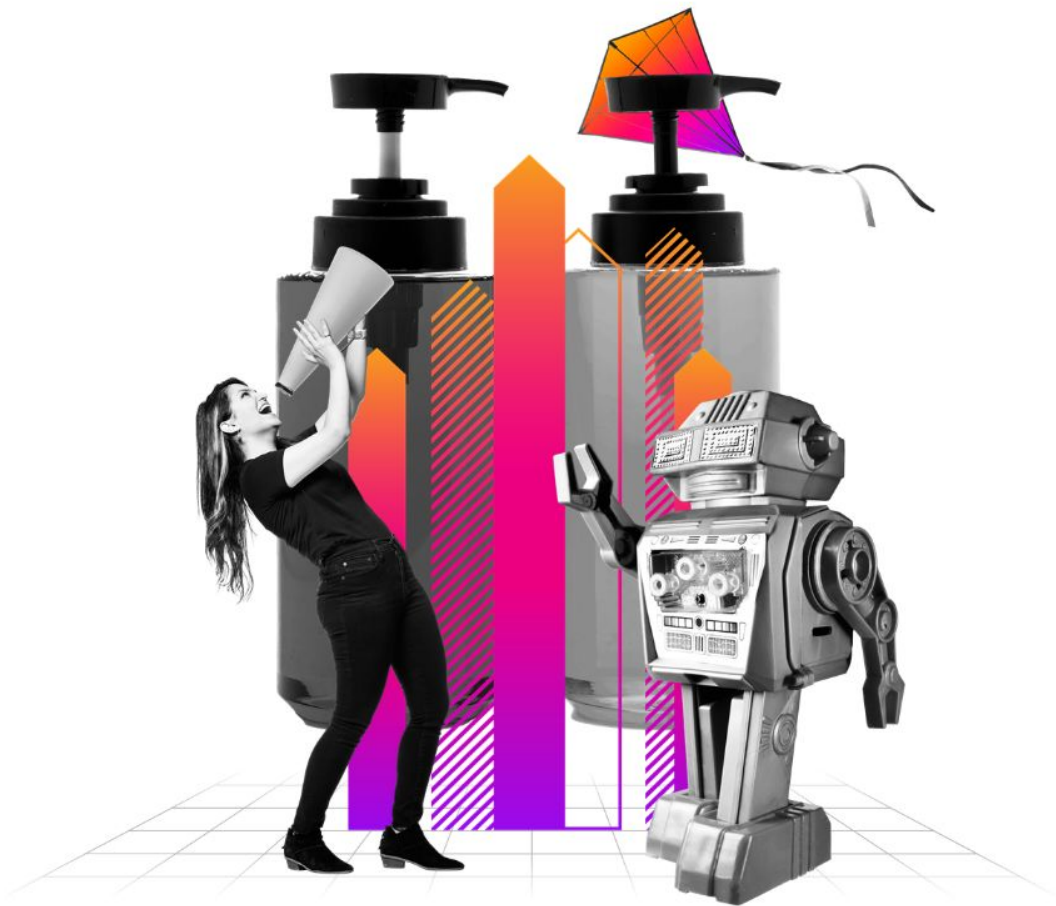
t.get_status()

to uncomment code as you deem fit

Asset ?

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What Are You Waiting For?



Apps



Search app names



Configured Apps (20)

Unconfigured Apps (162)

Draft Apps

Orphaned Assets

Explore Your Unconfigured SOAR Apps!

SOAR Apps on GitHub

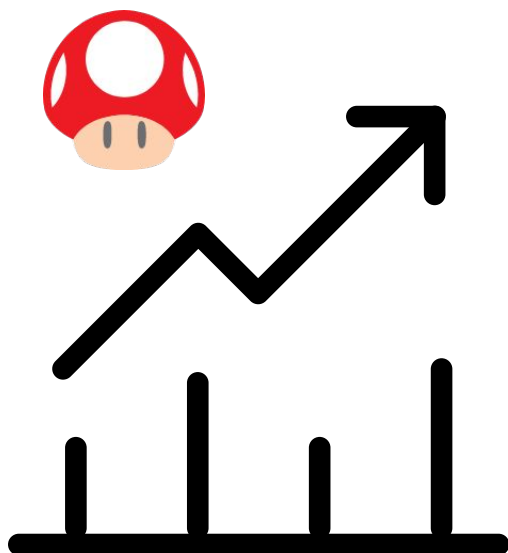
The **splunk-soar-connectors** Github organization hosts over 380 repositories with SOAR Apps

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Above And Beyond

Bring your playbooks to the next level



By using **Utility Apps** you can

- Integrate with new data sources and systems without developing net-new apps
- Reduce your need for custom code blocks
- Speed up playbook development for new use cases

Thank You

