

How Cybercrime Bypasses common security controls in the enterprises

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- we are so....

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What retail wireless security?

TJX has plenty of company in the blithe-indifference pool



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TJX may be in a class all by itself in terms of the number of records compromised in a data breach. But the retailer apparently has plenty of company when it comes to wireless security issues of the sort that led to the compromise it disclosed earlier this year.

A survey of over 3,000 retail stores in several major U.S. cities by wireless security vendor **AirDefense Inc.** reveals that a large number of retailers are failing to take even the most rudimentary steps for protecting customer data from wireless compromises.

Among the biggest issues: weakly protected client devices, wrongly configured wireless access points inside stores, data leakage, poorly named network identifiers, and outdated access-point firmware.

According to AirDefense, about 85% of the 2,500 wireless devices that it discovered in retail stores, such as laptops and barcode scanners, were vulnerable to wireless hacks. Out of the 4,748 access points that were monitored for the survey, about 550 had poorly named SSIDs that could give away the store's identity.

"One thing we did not expect was the large number of point-of-sale devices that looked as if they had been turned on" and left in essentially the configuration in which they arrived at the store, said Richard Rushing, chief security officer at AirDefense. Many of the access IDs that were being used by retailers had names that were dead giveaways, such as 'retail wireless', 'POS WiFi' or 'store n Rushing said. "I can guarantee that all of these stores were also configurations" on their access points, he said. "You really are doors of hackers," with such weak security practices, he said.

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White House

White House security officer's house exposes some interesting wireless security issues, but solid defenses inside

Richard Rushing, chief security officer of AirDefense, on a walk between the White House and the U.S. Treasury Department. At the laptop on Rushing's lap, a three-foot antenna protrudes from his briefcase, pulling in transmissions from nearby wireless devices at secured national institutions.

White House. We're looking for wireless security issues. (To see a photo of Rushing and his antenna, click on the photo below.)



As we sit, scanning the IDs of dozens of wireless networks in the area, the shadow of a uniformed White House security officer falls over our screen. He's the first one to notice our antenna, even though we've passed at least eight officers on our walk so far.

Damn, I'm thinking. Now we're in for an hour of police questioning, or maybe worse. I wonder when I'll get home tonight?

"Excuse me, gentlemen," the officer says politely. "I don't mean to interrupt, but what is that device you have there?"

Rushing, a trained penetration tester and ethical hacker, doesn't try to hide anything. "It's an antenna," he says.

The officer frowns for a moment. "It's in front of the White House. It's not of his briefcase." The officer frowns for a moment. "Cool," he says. "Without another word, he turns and walks away."

Definition of Bypass

noun

- ✓ a road passing around a town or its center to provide an alternative route for through traffic.

synonyms: **detour, alternative route, diversion, shortcut**

verb

Go past or around.

"bypass the farm and continue to the road"

synonyms: **go around, go past, make a detour around;**



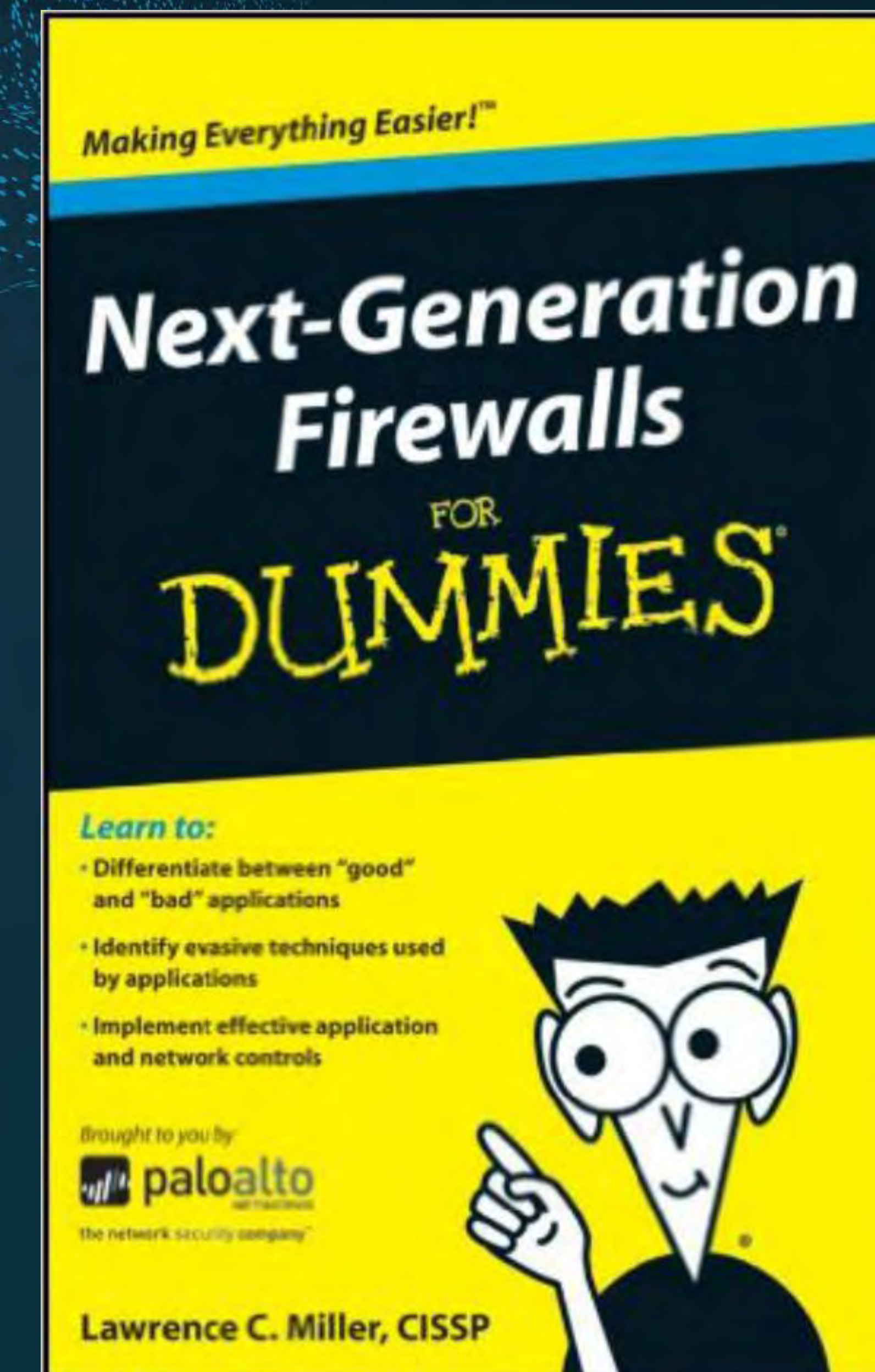
Items covered

- ✓ Network Controls
 - Firewalls
 - Web Application Firewalls
 - Sandboxes
 - Traffic
- ✓ Endpoint Controls
 - Antivirus
 - Exploit Mitigation
 - Advance Detection



Network controls--Firewalls

- ✓ Even Scanner like NMAP can tell information
 - Handshakes, Options, Resets, etc.
- ✓ Next Generation Firewall
 - Needs to allow more traffic to determine if to block
 - UDP rules them all
- ✓ IPV6 configuration never matches IPv4
 - CRC, Fragments, So many ways
- ✓ **Your Firewall Hides NOTHING!**



Network controls-- Firewalls

- ✓ Application specific rules require more packets
 - Packets will pass thru the firewall
 - Can be as much as 35 packets before being blocked
- ✓ So understand what application types
 - Allows for the best results
 - Many Exploits are Blocked by Signature
 - Customized the specific exploit
- ✓ Encryption is your friend



Web Application Firewall (WAF)

✓ Over 250 protocol-level evasion techniques have been released

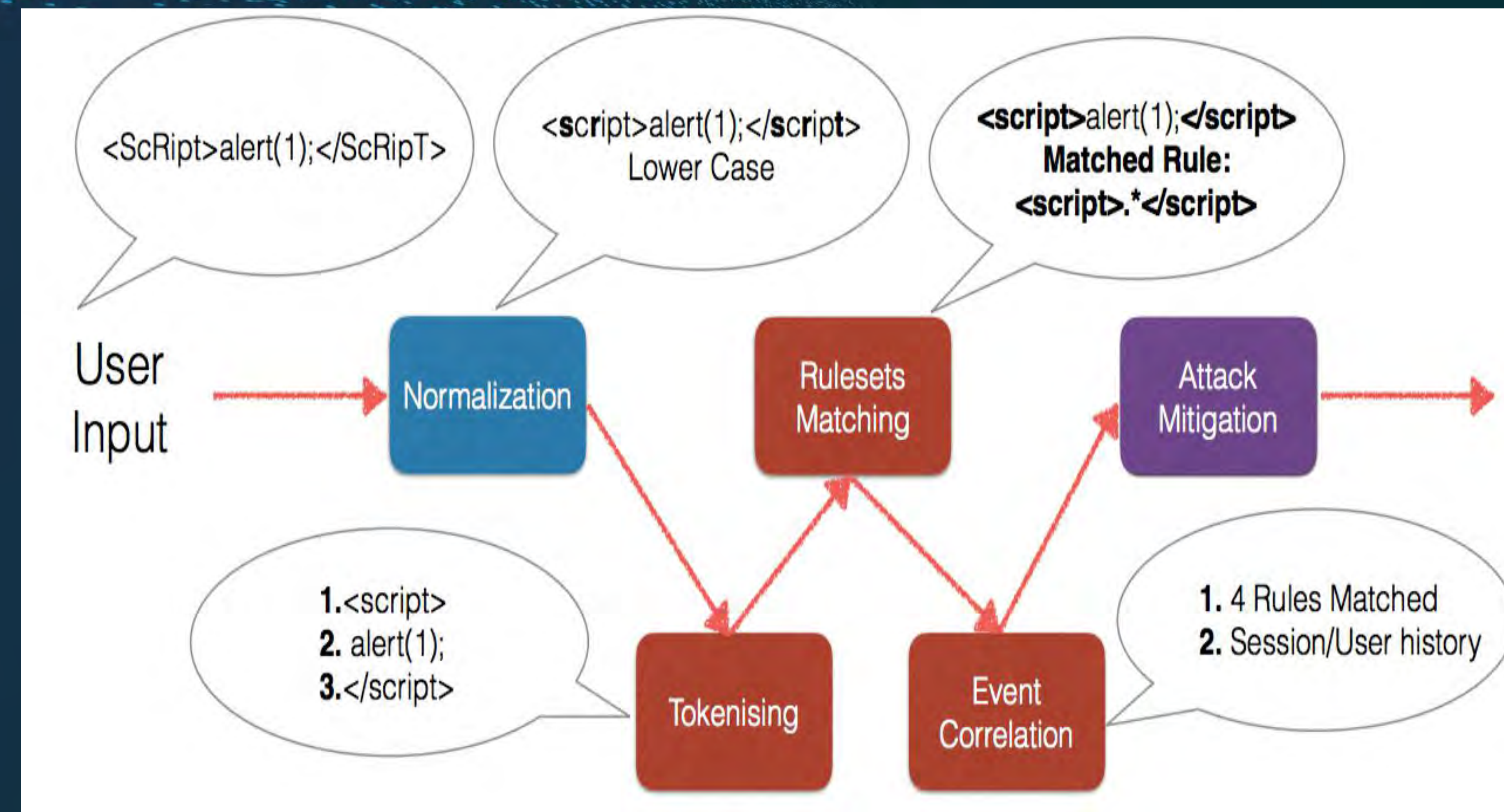
- Automating WAF Fingerprinting with Burp, Nmap and wafw00f

✓ HTTP Parameter Pollution – HPP

- Encoding Techniques for Bypassing

- HTTP Parameter Fragmentation – HPF

- Remote File Inclusion for WAF Bypassing



File Impersonation

- ✓ What determines the format of the file
 - Most of the time the extension is just used
 - Can use an Exploit
 - Can you embedded other code
- ✓ JPG images great place
 - If viewed with Browser
 - JPG Modified to be JavaScript, Or other format.
- ✓ Many other formats to use, Browser is the weak link



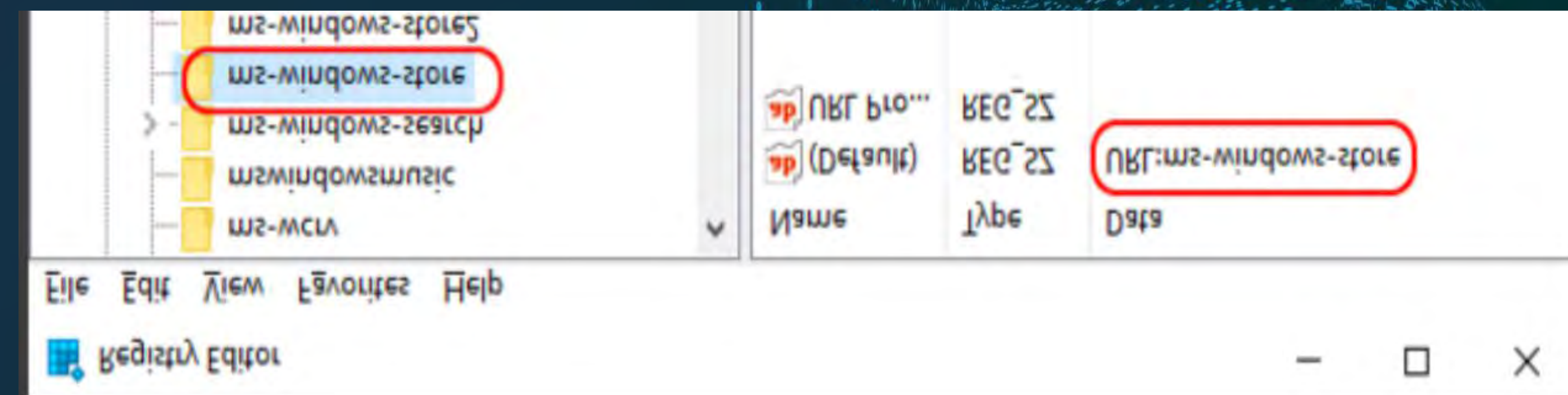
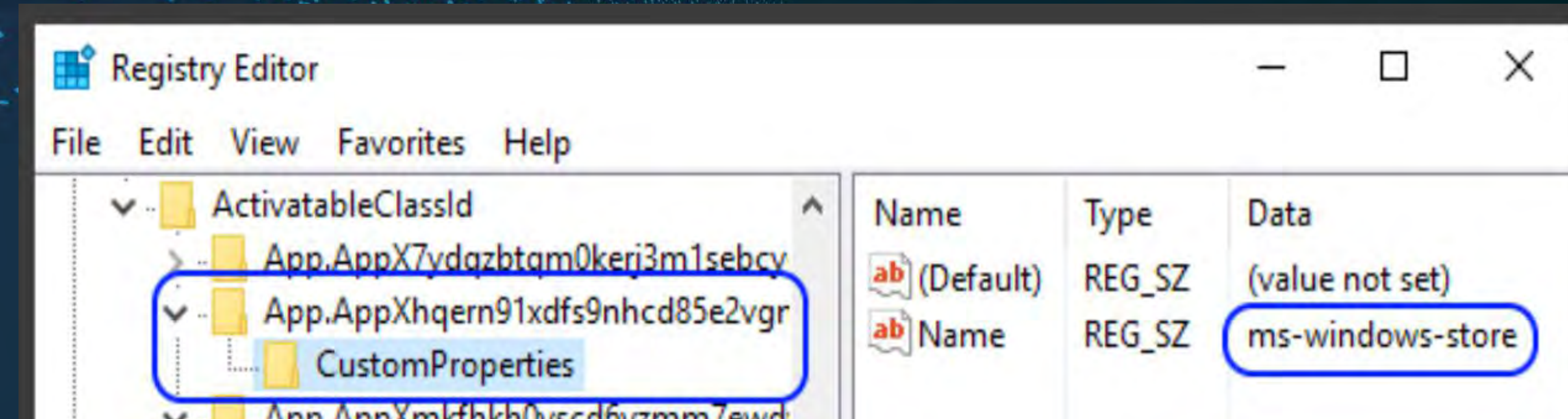
Browsers – Loading Files

✓ New Protocols all the time

- New unrestricted applications
- ms-windowstore://collection/?CollectionId=

✓ URL Interesting

- Enumerate all loadable protocols
- Which apps accept arguments so we can try to inject code
- (binary or pure JavaScript, depending on how the app was coded and how it treats the arguments Files



Sandbox

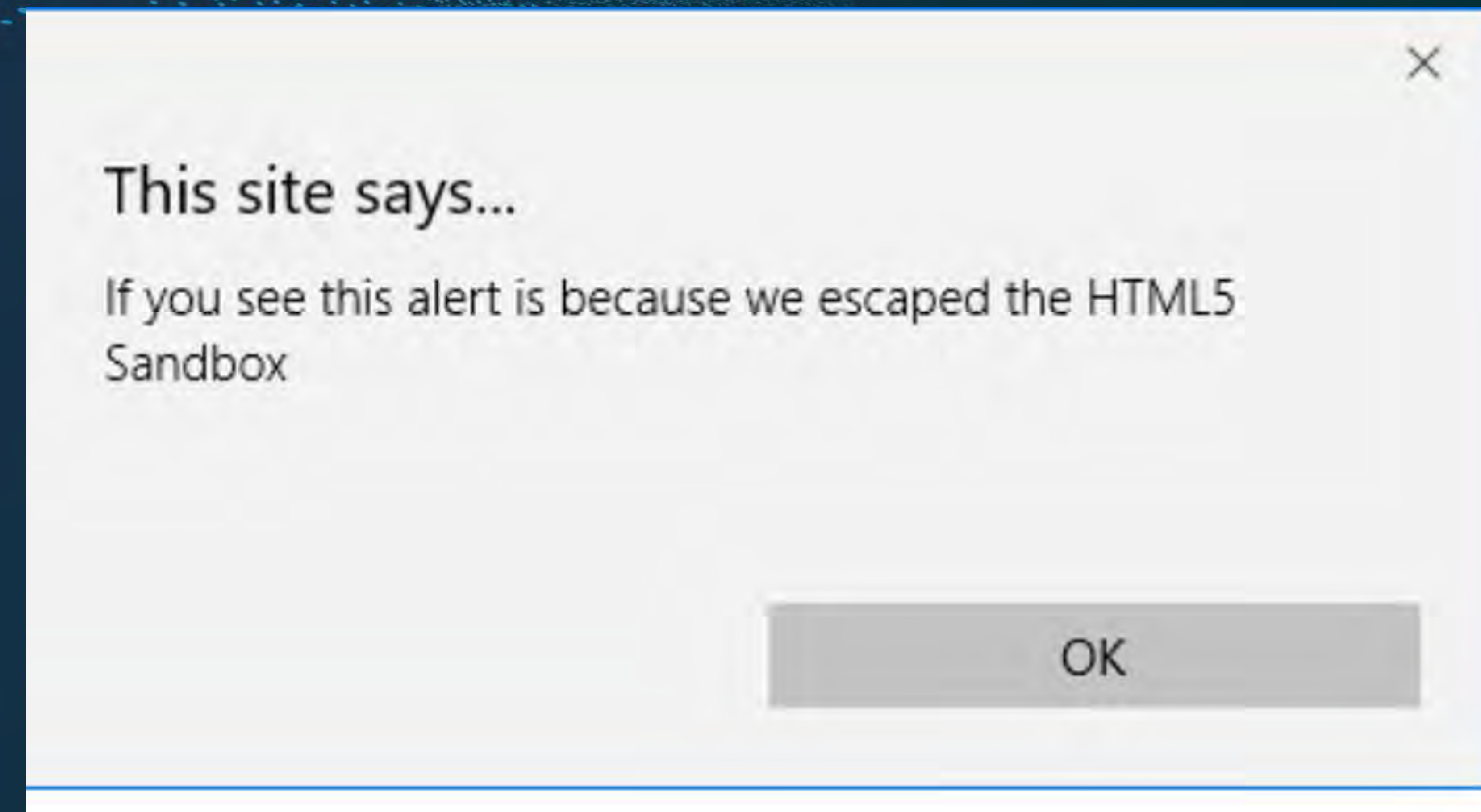
✓ HTML5 Sandbox

- Impose restrictions to a webpage using the sandbox

iframe attribute or the sandbox http header.

- `<iframe src="sandboxed.html" sandbox></iframe>`

✓ If you can escape, is it a sandbox?



Sandbox

- ✓ Waiting
- ✓ Waiting More.....
- ✓ New ways to see if your in a Sandbox
 - # CPU's
 - Count CPU Cycles
 - Embed Another document, Powerpoint inside and Excel file
- ✓ Just be good at the time of scanning



Endpoint Proxy/VPN

✓ IPV6 is rarely used but always configured

- IPv6 usually bypass most attempts to pick up Configuration

issues

- If the system receives an IPv6 Router Advertisement it will

immediately configure IPv6

✓ This may include a global address, a default route, and a new DNS server

Source	Destination	Src Port	Dst Port	Protocol	Info
172.21.1.103	172.21.1.1			ESP	ESP (SPI=0xcd180228)
172.21.1.1	172.21.1.103			ESP	ESP (SPI=0x4d82aee7)
2001:470:c4e8:10:2c29:6796:ord08s06-in-x0e.1e100.net	2001:470:c4e8:10:2c29:6796:ord08s06-in-x0e.1e100.net	1670	80	TCP	netview-aix-10 > http [SYN] Seq=0
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2001:470:c4e8:10:2c29:6796:ord08s06-in-x0e.1e100.net	2001:470:c4e8:10:2c29:6796:80	1670	80	HTTP	GET /complete/search?q=www.goog&c1
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ord08s06-in-x0e.1e100.net	2001:470:c4e8:10:2c29:6796:80	1670	80	HTTP/XML	HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Bypassing Endpoints

- ✓ How do they do it
 - Hooking
 - Malware – Man-in-the-Middle/Browser
 - Anti-Exploit – EMET, Traps, etc..
 - APM – Application Performance Monitoring
 - Application Virtualization – Microsoft App-V
 - 3rd Party Personal Firewalls – Zone-Alarm
 - Managed by a Kernel to User Injected DLL



Hooking Issues

- ✓ Unsafe Injection
- ✓ Predictable RWX Code Stubs
- ✓ Predictable RX Code Stubs
- ✓ ASLR bypass – OS functions
- ✓ Hook Bypass – Call Hook
- ✓ RWX Hook code Stubs
- ✓ RWX Hooked Modules

```
0:023> u 0x01f8
00000000' 01f8 8bff      nov    edi,edi
00000000' 01fa 55          push   rbp
00000000' 01fb 8bec        nov    ebp,esp
00000000' 01fd [redacted]  jmp    SHELL32!ShellExecuteExV+0x5 (00000000'754b1e0b)
00000000' 0202 cc          int    3
00000000' 0203 cc          int    3
```

```
0:000> u ntdll!ldrloaddll
ntdll!LdrLoadDll
77be2576 6813040178  push  78010413h
77be257b c3          ret
77be257c cc          int    3
77be257d 90          nop
77be257e 48          dec    eax
77be257f 78bd       js     ntdll!RtlLengthRequiredSid+0x16 (77be253e)
77be2581 7753       ja     ntdll!LdrLoadDll+0x60 (77be25d6)
77be2583 56          push  esi
```

LdrLoadDll Hook

```
Usage: Image
Allocation Base: 77b80000
Base Address: 77be2000
End Address: 77be3000
Region Size: 00001000
Type: 01000000 MEM_IMAGE
State: 00001000 MEM_COMMIT
Protect: 00000040 PAGE_EXECUTE_READWRITE
More info: lva\_n\_ntdll
More info: lva\_ntdll
More info: lva\_0x77be2576
```

RWX Permissions

Application Whitelisting

- ✓ Applications can only be executed that are allowed
 - Bit9, AppLocker, Coretrace
- ✓ Find Applications that are Approved and can be used to execute code
 - Office, POWERSHELL,
 - DLLInjection, PE-File Injection, Invoke Shellcode, Keylogging, Basic Code Execution – Scripts, Stating or Ending Applications
 - Full Code Execution - Injection/Execution



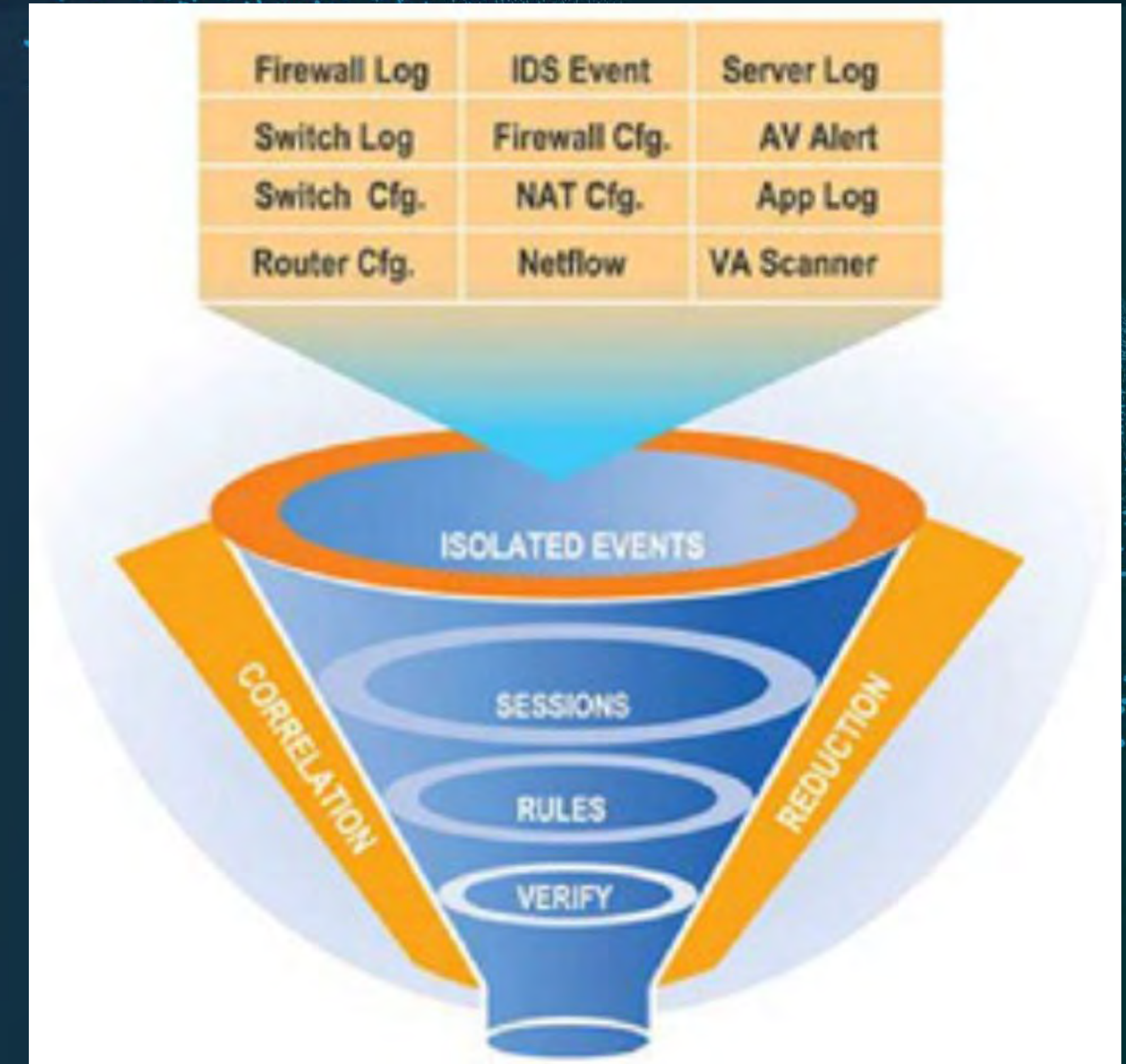
Security Logging Tools

✓ SIEMs

- Recording all the data
- Determine Issues and Problems

✓ Bypass

- Critical issues in Logging – Source, Destination
- Critical Levels control by Clients
- Time always WIN – Set to 2 years in the future
- NTP intercept, Change, or TimeZone



Take Away

✓ Plenty of ways around ALL Security Technology

- Nothing works 100% percent
- Endpoints are the Easy Part

✓ Solutions

- Defense in Depth
- Detection in Depth
- Variance is the key to success

✓ Different Solutions vs. Single Solution



Thank You!