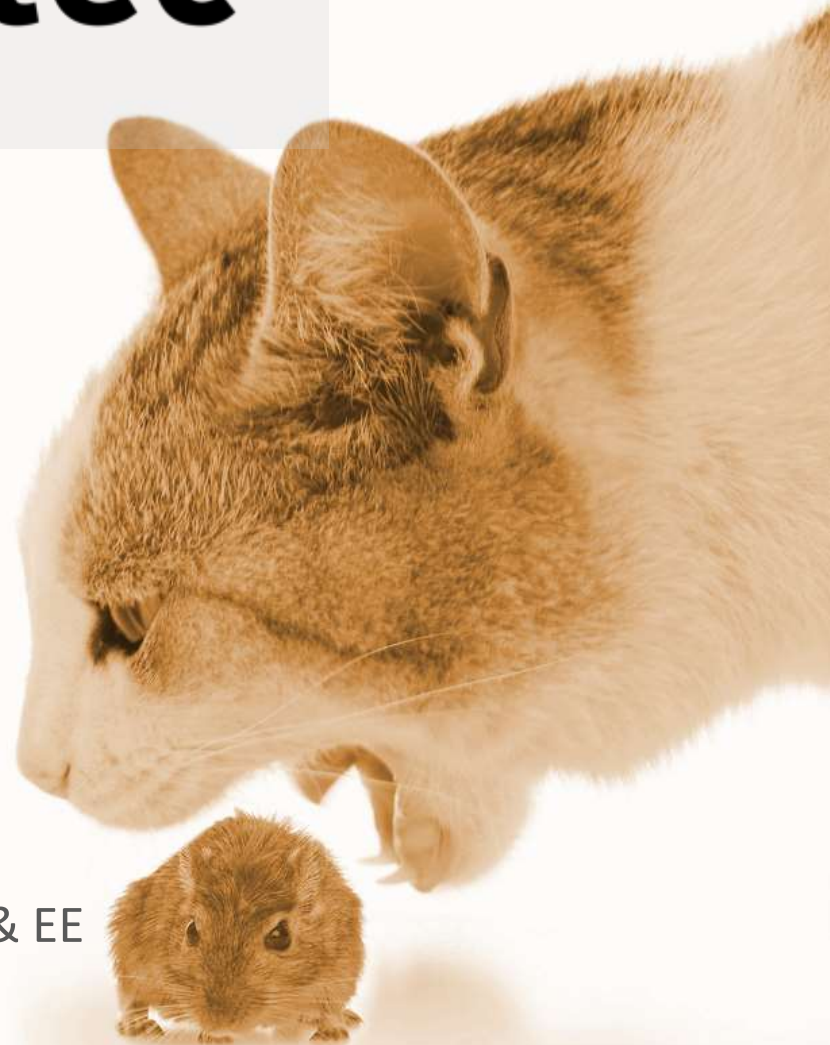


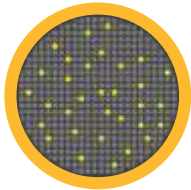


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SYMANTEC AT A GLANCE



175M endpoints
under protection



\$4.6B annual
revenue



2123 patents



385,000
customers worldwide



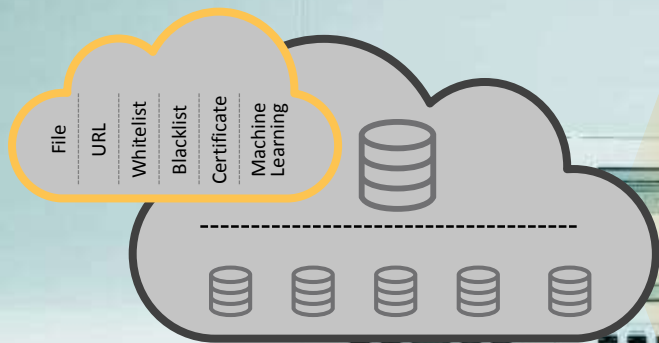
3000+
R&D engineers



6 SOCs threat
response centers

SYMANTEC
WE FIGHT FOR THE USER





Discovered **430 million** new unique pieces of malware last year

12,000+ Cloud applications discovered and protected

1B malicious emails stopped last year

100M social engineering scams blocked last year

1 Billion websites categorised each day

INTELLIGENCE SOURCED FROM:



1 Billion previously unseen web requests scanned daily



2 Billion emails scanned per day



175M Consumer and Enterprise endpoints protected



9 global threat response centers with **3,000** Researchers and Engineers



Managed PKI
VIP/ Identity
Encrypted Traffic Management
Data Protection

Information



Management & Compliance
Data Center
Endpoint Detection
Endpoint Protection

Users



Security Analytics
CASB
Content Analysis
Web Protection

Web



Encryption
Message Security
Anti-Phishing
Email Protection

Messaging



Symantec

Integrated Cyber Defense



Increasing inflow from Families known to use SSL*
Malware based on **SSL Blacklist**† families spiked dramatically towards the end of 2015!

Dridex

KINS

Shylock

URLzone

TorrentLocker

CryptoWall

Upatre

Spambot

Retefe

TeslaCrypt

CryptoLocker

Bebloh

Gootkit

Geodo

Tinba

Gozi

VMZeus

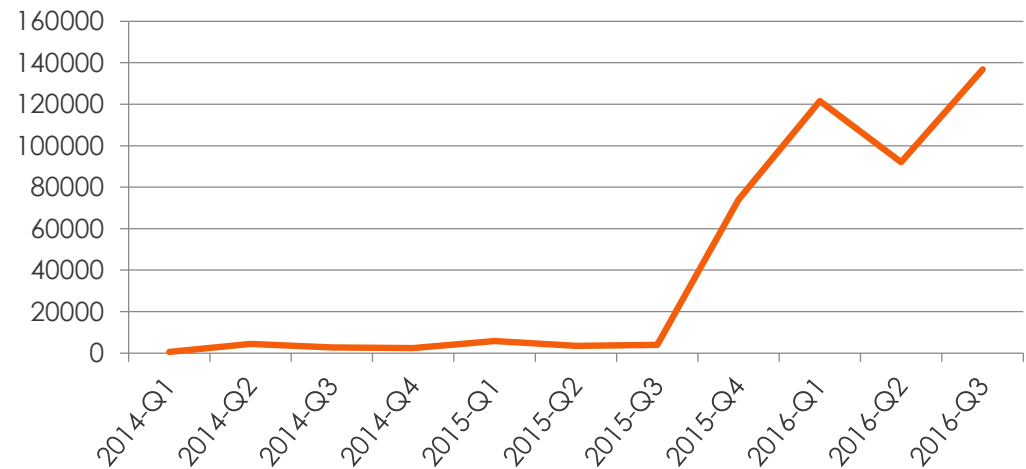
Redyms

Qadars

Vawtrack

Emotet

New Samples of Families Known to Use SSL (2014 - 2016)



† SSL Blacklist can be viewed at <https://ssbl.abuse.ch>

* Samples observed on VirusTotal

100% OF ALL SECURITY SOLUTIONS HAVE WEAKNESSES

Protect Like an Onion
Network Protection
Antivirus
Sandbox

Weaknesses
Encryption
Packers/Polymorphic
VM Detection

Make It Hard
Make 'em sweat
those tears...

HIDING FROM THE CAT NETWORK TRAFFIC

Remember good ol' IRC
Let's hide in HTTP
How about Twitter? P2P?
Blending into encrypted Traffic

HIDING FROM THE CAT NETWORK TRAFFIC

IRC



HTTP



Top 10 Countries

Country	Rating
Spain	11092 65%
Germany	3197 19%
Italy	708 4%
Argentina	484 3%
Mexico	446 3%
United States	263 2%
Peru	96 1%
Venezuela	94 1%
Colombia	81 1%
Unknown	67 0%
Totally: 65	

Top 10 new countries today

Country	Rating
Germany	110 64%
Spain	16 9%
Italy	15 9%
United States	9 5%
Unknown	7 4%
Poland	4 2%
Portugal	4 2%
Netherlands	2 1%
Colombia	1 1%
United Kingdom	1 1%
totally: 173	

Top 10 Countries order by bot's reports

Country	Rating
Spain	3638710 83%
Mexico	200657 5%
Argentina	172598 4%
Germany	94016 2%
United States	50333 1%
Peru	36990 1%
Venezuela	36606 1%
Unknown	32458 1%
Italy	27914 1%
Colombia	27894 1%
Totally bot's reports: 4379774	

Top 10 bot versions

Bot version	Rating
3.2.87	2187 13%
2.6.30	1539 9%
2.7.63	1015 6%
2.7.67	922 5%
2.8.88	916 5%
2.9.94	841 5%
3.2.86	691 4%
3.3.95	683 4%
3.0.92	615 4%
3.0.90	551 3%
Totally: 67	

Sumarize

Bot's count:17113

Today new bots:201

All New bot today:173

Today Bot reports:3334

Percent Live bot's: 19% Bot reports:4379774

Oldest bot has: 106 days

HTTP/S

HIDING FROM THE CAT ENDPOINT SECURITY

Tejon Crypter: 75\$ for AV evasion?
Rootkit TDL3: File infector, load during boot,
intercept file operations, replace overwritten
boot sector with original data.
Luckily they left a pointer behind...



HIDING FROM THE CAT SANDBOXING

Sandboxes are more than just run-time analysis:

- File, IP, domain reputation
- File properties
- Statistical analysis
- Detonation

→ Small anti-virus lab on premise

Pattern Matching Results

- 10 Malware beaconing detected
- 10 File reputation: Malware (10)
- 10 Creates malicious events: Xpaj [Fileinfector]
- 9 Modifies the boot sector
- 6 Packer: PECompact
- 5 PE: Contains compressed section
- 5 Resource section contains an executable
- 4 Checks whether debugger is present
- 3 HTTP connection - response code 200 (success)
- 3 Connects to a search engine site
- 2 PE: Nonstandard section
- 2 .NET compiled executable

Pattern Matching Results

- 10 Malware beaconing detected
- 9 Deletes shadow copies [Ransomware]
- 6 Modifies registry autorun entries
- 6 Starts WMI command-line (WMIC) utility
- 6 File reputation: Suspicious.E
- 5 PE: Contains compressed section
- 5 Adds autostart object
- 4 Terminates process under Windows subfolder
- 3 Sleeps skipped
- 3 Long sleep detected
- 2 PE: Nonstandard section

Sandboxes show the behavior as on a real system
See the installation of a bootkit before it is on real system
See ransomware before it encrypts files on a user's system

HIDING FROM THE CAT SANDBOXING

Detecting discrepancies in the execution environment

Typically look for signs of being run in a sandbox, or any differences in the execution environment compared to what is expected on the target

HIDING FROM THE CAT SANDBOXING

Exhibit different behavior inside the sandbox
than on a target system

Often means not running the 'malicious part' of
the code, or simply crash

HIDING FROM THE CAT SANDBOXING

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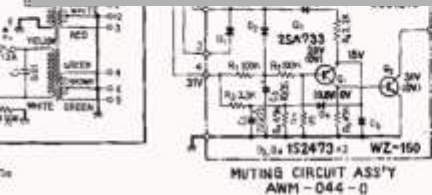
push large dword ptr fs:30h
pop   eax                ; eax now holds PEB (Process Environment Block)
mov   [esp+30h+PEB], eax
mov   eax, [esp+30h+PEB]
cmp   dword ptr [eax+64h], 2 ; check number of processors
jnb   short continue ; continue if 2 or greater
    
```

```

xor   eax, eax
pop   esi
mov   esp, ebp
pop   ebp
retn ; returns to 406000 (intentional crash)
    
```

```

continue:
call sub_4033C0
push eax                ; lpProcName
push offset aKernel32_dll_1 ; "kernel32.dll"
call GetModuleHandleA
push eax                ; hModule
call GetProcAddress
    
```



SWITCHES
S₁ FUNCTION
(AM position)
1. AM
2. FM AUTO
3. FM PING

S₂ POWER
(OFF position)
OFF → ON

CAPACITORS
IN μF UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. P-p.P.
RESISTORS
IN OHMS. 1/4W. ±5% TOLERANCE UNLESS
OTHERWISE NOTED. P-H.R.D., M-M.S.

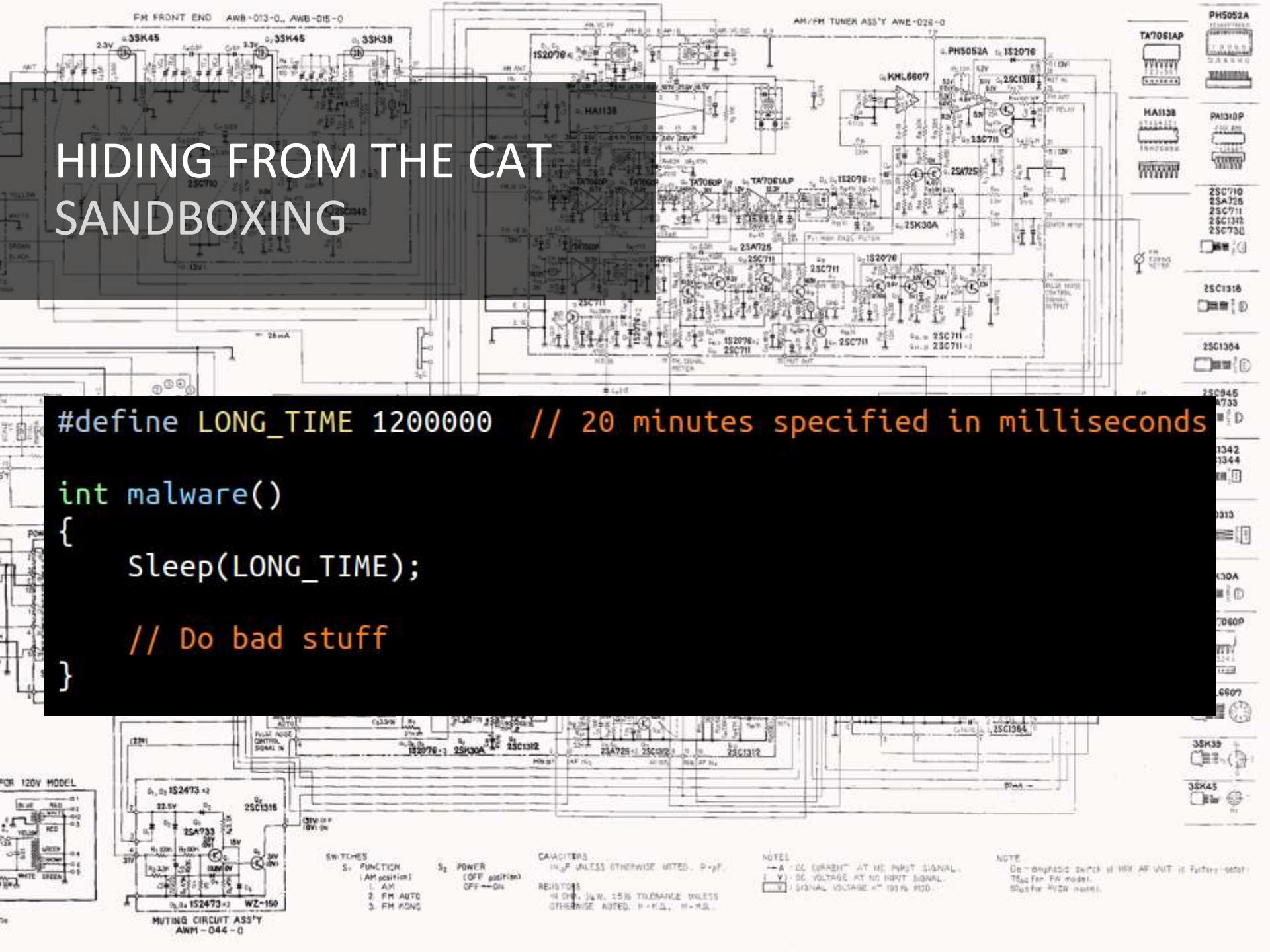
NOTES
-4- DC SHORTH AT NO INPUT SIGNAL.
1 V3 DC VOLTAGE AT NO INPUT SIGNAL.
V1 SIGNAL VOLTAGE = 100% MOD.

NOTE
De - any fabric switch at MAX AF UNIT is Factory - set
TS₂ for FM mode.
S₂ for FM mode.

HIDING FROM THE CAT SANDBOXING

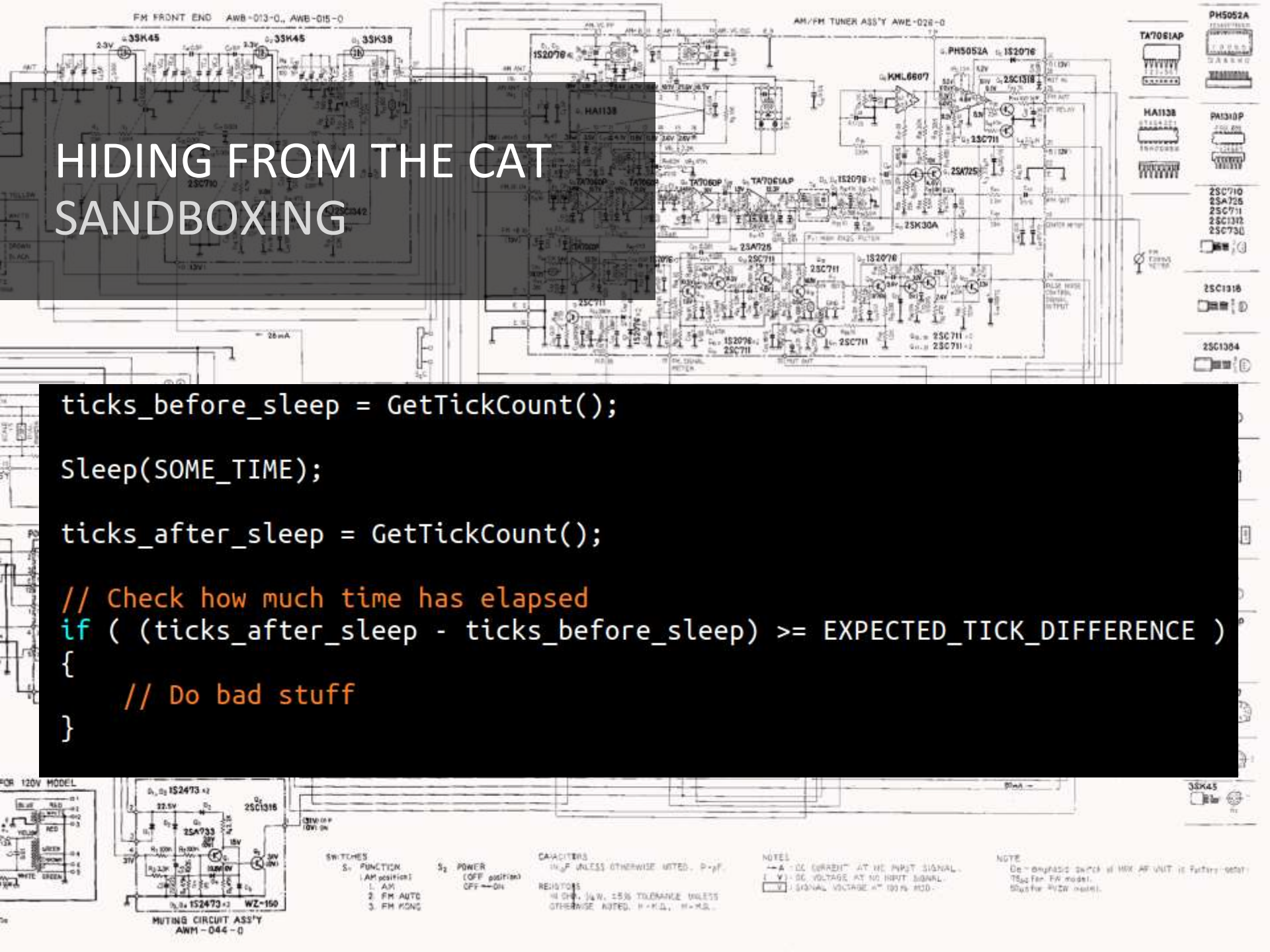
```
#define LONG_TIME 120000 // 20 minutes specified in milliseconds
```

```
int malware()  
{  
    Sleep(LONG_TIME);  
  
    // Do bad stuff  
}
```



HIDING FROM THE CAT SANDBOXING

```
ticks_before_sleep = GetTickCount();  
sleep(SOME_TIME);  
ticks_after_sleep = GetTickCount();  
  
// Check how much time has elapsed  
if ( (ticks_after_sleep - ticks_before_sleep) >= EXPECTED_TICK_DIFFERENCE )  
{  
    // Do bad stuff  
}
```



PROCESSING MALWARE TO THE CLOUD!

Reduce maintenance and development cost
(fewer systems by providing a common platform)

Enable analysts to do efficient threat hunting
and MA pattern/signature development

PROCESSING MALWARE TO THE CLOUD!

Analyze large amounts of samples with different tools
Optimize the selection of samples to be analyzed in MA
Allow for easy deployment of additional workers into the flow
Configure the flow on the fly for custom needs
Elastic scaling of the resources used (micro services)

OPEN ANALYSIS PLATFORM OVERVIEW

Open Analysis Platform 1/2
Sample intake/feeds
Patterns/Signatures/Updates

Open Analysis Platform 2/2
Sample Workflow (Elastic MA)
Analyst UI
Detection Backend

Malware Analysis Telemetry
File Reputation
Update Information

Data Sinks
VxDB
Global Intelligence Network
Analysts ;)



SAMPLE WORKFLOW CURRENT STATUS

Activation of FRS, Static and Sandbox Emulation workers

Automated filtering during all stages of SWF

Automated scaling of services using Elastic Load Balancer

Pattern creation, distribution and signature generation

SAMPLE WORKFLOW CHALLENGES

A man in a light-colored shirt and dark vest is pulling a thick rope. In the background, a small wooden boat is on the water. The scene is set against a bright, hazy sky.

Building on top of young services in the AWS stack

A lot of groundwork before the first deployment

Good insight and scalable logging is still a challenge

SAMPLE WORKFLOW AWS SERVICES

Storage: S3

Databases: Aurora, DynamoDB

Computation: EC2/ECS+ECR

Networking: VPC, Route 53

Application Service: SQS, ELB/ALB

SAMPLE WORKFLOW NUMBERS

600k files per day in 12 Elastic MA instances
Python 92.2% Makefile 6.3% Shell 1.5%
~ 5000 Lines of active Code
~ 2 Full Time Employees
Multiple deployments per week



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