New malware using web application has turned into a source of attack, very difficult to detect

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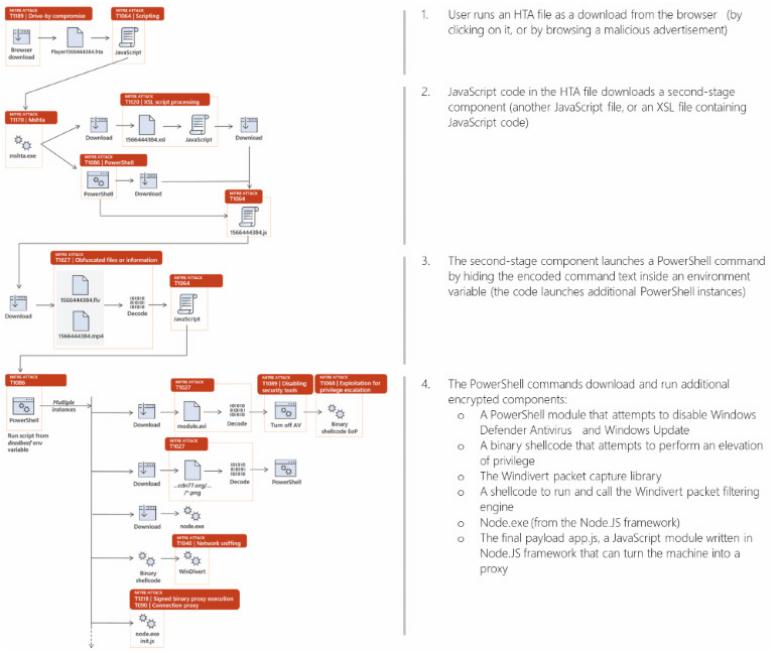
This type of malware has a very complex mechanism of operation, it turns your computer into a bridge to continue access to the network (Proxy), then transfer to other devices.

Because the new malware has a fast spreading mechanism, hackers only need to create click-frauds, when a user clicks on it and transmits it to other devices via a computer network. Microsoft said hackers could use this malware to launch attacks on enterprise computer systems.



Describe the attack method of Nodersok malware. Photo: Microsoft.

Currently, there is no way to prevent this type of malicious code.

In early August, Windows Defender, Microsoft's antivirus detection software, was rated as one of the best anti-virus software by security researchers at the German AV-TEST Institute. However, according to Microsoft, Windows Defender can currently identify and block Nodersok, but it is difficult to determine which device is distributed.

Therefore, Microsoft encourages users to stay alert to unknown data and avoid launching HTA files in the computer system.

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