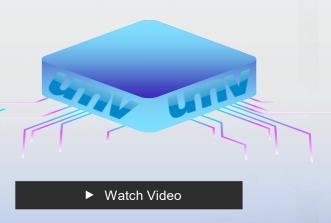




# For web server & Cloud VM integrated security WSS (Web Server Safeguard)

Complete web service security through real-time detection and isolation









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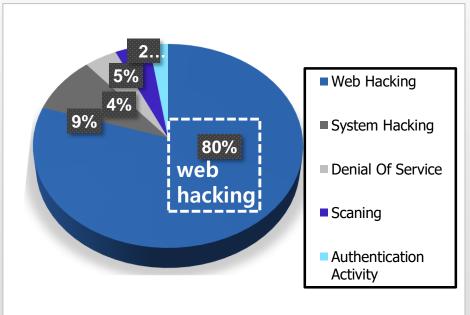




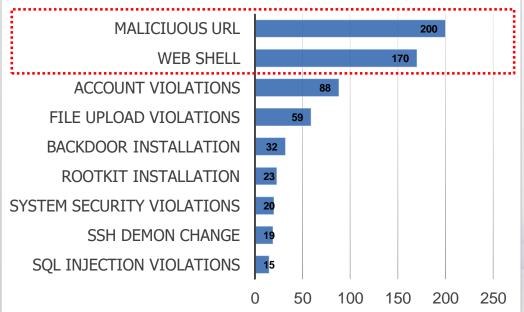
Worldwide, more than 80% of cyber attacks are carried out through web service servers, and the importance of web service security is increasing day by day. From August 2020 to January 2021, an average of 140,000 attacks using web shells were recorded each month, and the number is more than doubling every year

[Source: Web shell attacks continue to rise, Microsoft security Blog]

#### CYBER ATTACKS



#### **WEB ATTACKS**



[Source: KISA Security Control Trend]

[Source: KISA Internet Infringement Response Center / Infringement Trend]





#### WebShell attack damage case

Trigona ransomware distributed through improperly managed MS-SQL servers

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Installed not only on Windows servers but also on desktop environments... Detects malware such as Remcos RAT. After installing CLR Shell malware, administrator privileges are acquired and Trigona ransomware is installed and infected. It registers the Trigona binary in the Run key so that it can be run even after rebooting, and then deletes the volume shadow and disables the system restore function, making recovery after ransomware infection impossible.

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             @ groups delete user(string, string) : void @0600000D
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             Φ users_list(): void @060000005
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▲ CLR Shell malware used in attack [Data = AhnLab ASEC Analysis Team]

#### Chinese hacker organization Xiaoqing discloses personal information database of three hacked academic institutions to the dark web

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Personal information such as mobile phone number and address that appears to be member information is disclosed to the internal databases of three organizations, the Korean Archaeological Society, the Korean Educational Principles Society, and the Korean Parents' Association, on the dark web forum.

Including...there is a possibility of past leaked information. SQL commands were sent through the web and web administrator account information stored in the database was stolen. (Insert webshell) Xiaoqing stole or deleted internal company information through hacking. They also altered websites into their own web pages or created them without permission.

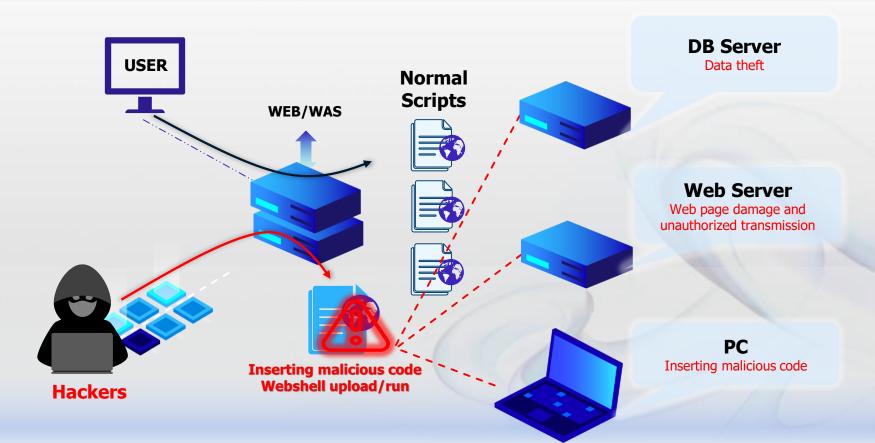


Type of web page uploaded to the website hacked by Xiaoqing/Photo provided by Korea Internet & Security Agency



#### What is web-based "Malware" or "WebShell"?

- It is an instruction program that is inserted by exploiting vulnerabilities in a web server, and when executed as a serverside script (ASP, JSP, PHP, CGI, PYTHON, etc.), it can take control of the server equivalent to root privileges.
- Web service ports for web services (http (80, 8080), https (443)) act as backdoors and are subject to severe hacking attacks, such as stealing confidential data, corrupting web pages and passing access to unauthorized pages, and spreading malware.

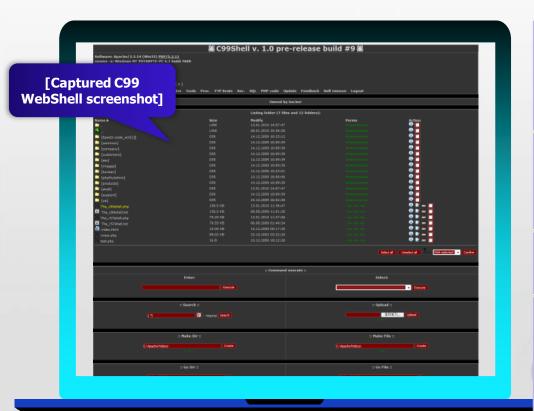






#### Web-based malware/ 'Webshell"

- Webshell avoids security systems and allows easy access to existing systems without separate authentication.
- Webshells are fatally dangerous because they are difficult to recognize unless a hacking incident occurs.



### System Command

- View system information
- System Shutdown
- Stop/remove specific programs (Example: Anti-Virus program)

#### Network

- port scanner
- TELNET, SSH, FTP
- Access (internal network access possible)

#### Database

- Data leakage, alteration, deletion

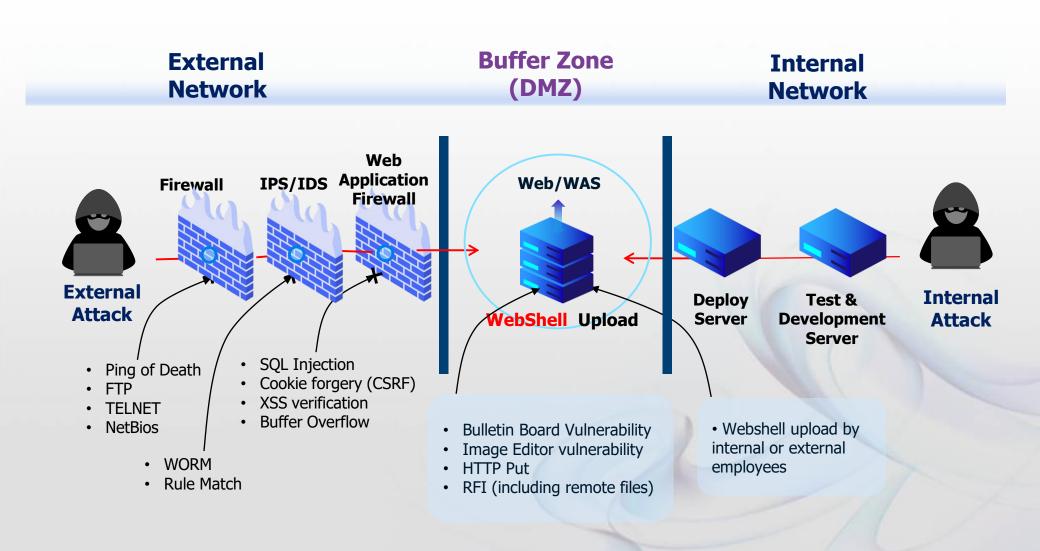
#### System File

- Hacking tool upload (keylog, backdoor)
- Modifying files (inserting malicious code)
- Delete system files
- View all system directories





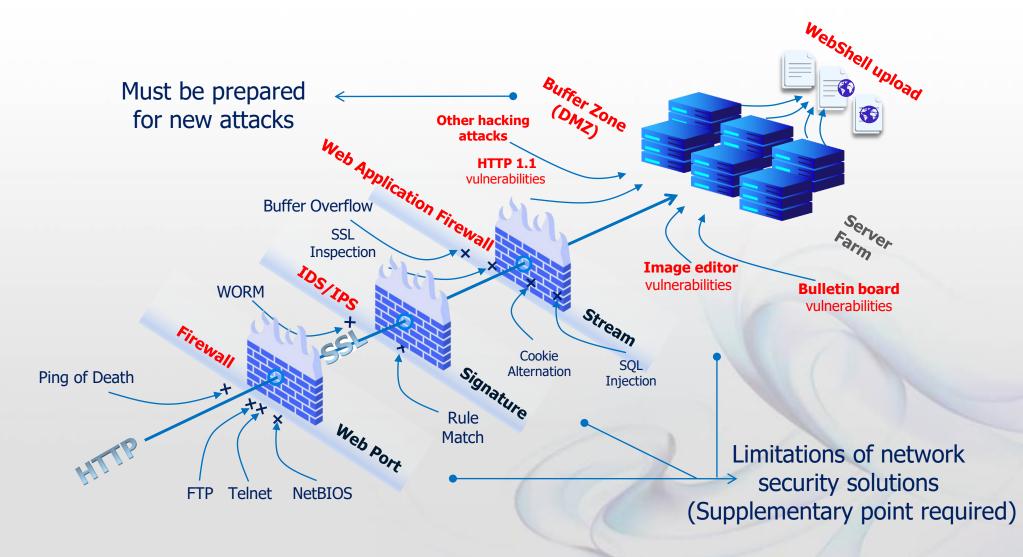
#### **Intrusion route of malicious code (WebShell)**







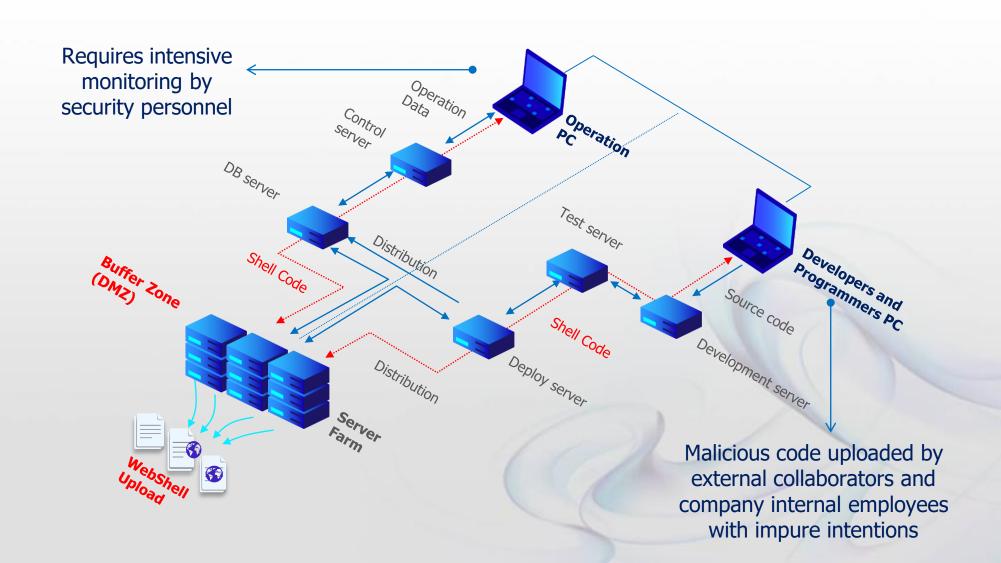
#### **Intrusion From External Network**







#### **Intrusion From Internal Network**

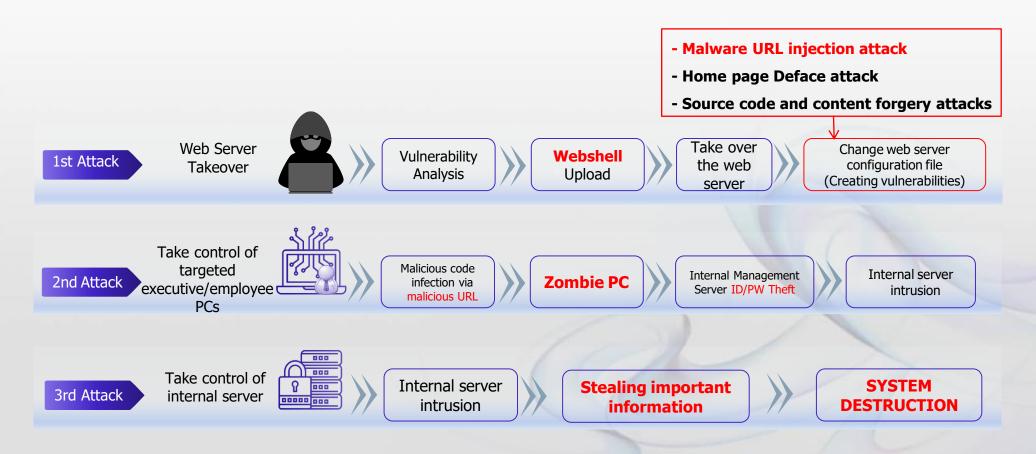






### **Web Hacking Process**

Recently, web hacking is a complex and continuous attempt (APT attack) based on web shells, and is carried out step by step with an accurate attack target.







#### **Web Attack Type**



Potential risk factors caused by internal and external partner employees



Network security solution Attacks targeting vulnerabilities

- Network security equipment vulnerabilities (analyzed by packet)
- Anti-virus compiled binary-based malware attack



**Web Hacking** 



Bulletin board upload attack
Upload attack using source code vulnerabilities

- Extension tampering vulnerability
- Attack disguised as an image file



Web server/WAS OS Zero Day Vulnerability Attack





### **Types of Web Attacks**

Major web-based attacks take advantage of web source code vulnerabilities and lead to source code and data modification, which takes the form of attacks such as web shells, malicious URLs, homepage forgery, and web server configuration file modification.











Source code and content forgery

Source code vulnerabilities

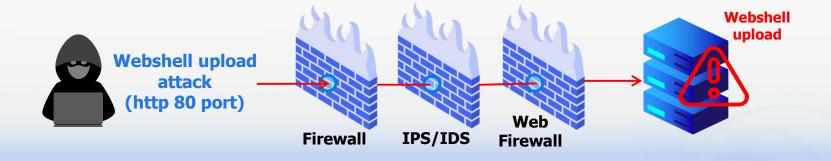




#### **Types of Web Attacks**

#### Webshell upload attack

Once uploaded and executed on a web server, server control equivalent to root authority is possible.



#### **System Commands**

- View system information
- System shutdown
- Stop/delete specific program (Anti-virus software, etc.)

#### **Network Commands**

- Port scanner
- TELNET, SSH, FTP access (access internal network)

#### System File Access

- Hacking tool upload (keylog, backdoor)
   File modification
- File modification (malware insertion)
- Delete system files
- View system directory

#### Database Access

- Data Breach
- Changing data
- Deleting data

#### User PC

- Malware Infection
- Data breach
- Administrator's main system access information leaked
- Trigger a DDoS attack

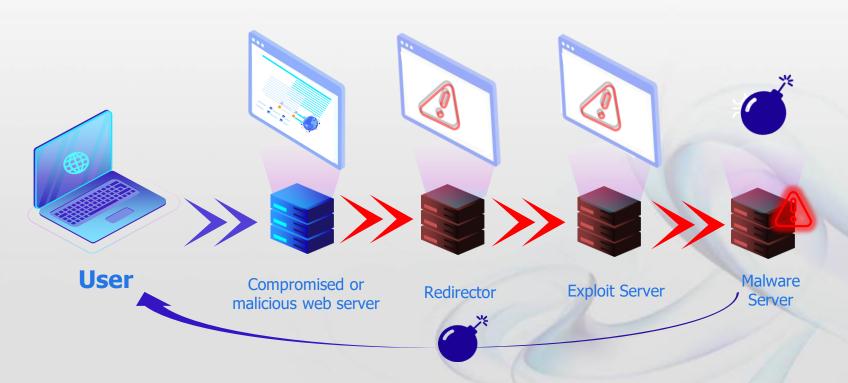




### **Types of Web Attacks**

#### **Malicious URL injection attack**

Malicious URLs are URLs or IP addresses that use web servers as a transit point for malicious code to distribute viruses, ransomware, etc. to PCs in large quantities, and can cause serious damage such as file encryption, personal information leaks, and DDoS attacks.



Source : MS Security intelligence report

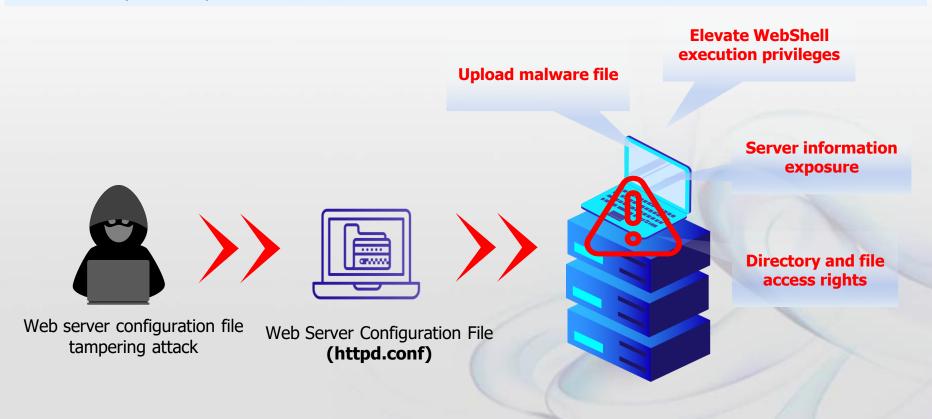




### **Types of Web Attacks**

#### Web server configuration file tampering attack

Hackers modify web server configuration files to create new vulnerabilities and use them as a secondary attack path.





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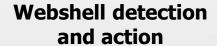


### WSS (Web Server Safeguard)?

**WSS** is a webshell-specific security solution that ensures safe operation of web servers by real-time monitoring of 'webshell', a malicious program used for web server hacking.









Prevent changes to web server configuration files



Malicious URL detection and action



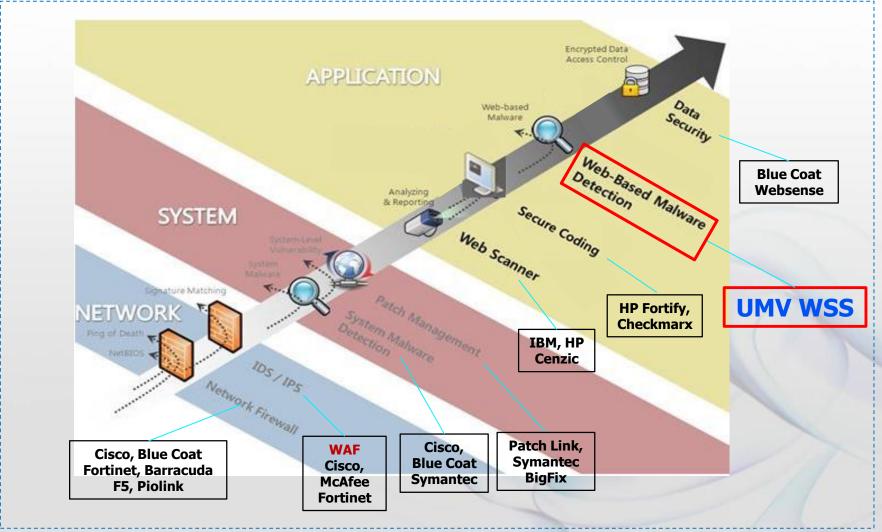
Cloud computing VM, Docker support





### **WSS Positioning**

**Web Security 3 Tier and Solutions** 







### **WSS Positioning**

#### **WEB Application Security**

- The core of Web Security is Web Application Security.
- Application Security should took care of very carefully from early stages of Development to maintenance after finishing to build.

#### **▶** Web Scanner

The program that analyze potential vulnerability or vulnerabilities on design via communication outside of web application.

#### **▷** Secure Coding

Writing code for considering security from design phase to minimize the vulnerability that may result from various cause such as lack of knowledge or mistakes of developers in development process.

#### ▶ Web-Based Malware Detection

In an existing working web application, the web shell is detected and removed in real time as a source code, notified the administrator, and the inserted web shell is almost difficult to detect. Hackers use this web shell for multiple purposes to hack

#### **Data Security Data Security**

In general, build database and stores data in web application environment, data security manage these data safely.

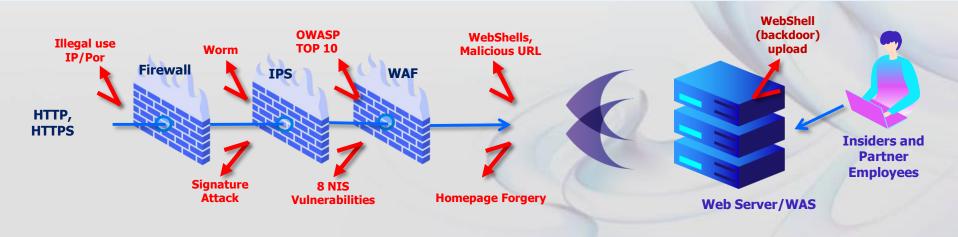




### Why WSS (Web Server Safeguard)?

WSS defends against various web attacks by hackers through web application vulnerabilities.

- \* Complementary relationship with WAF (Web Application Firewall), a network security appliance
  - There are limitations in network defense due to the diversification of intrusion methods (emerging need to detect/quarantine web server malware within the system)
  - Increase in information security incidents caused not only by external hacking but also by users within the organization
  - Unable to detect web server malware that penetrated before installing a web application firewall
  - Overload for full inspections
  - Possible penetration through network bypass vulnerability
  - Risks of encryption/encoding traffic and security policy exception handling







### **Overview and Key Features**

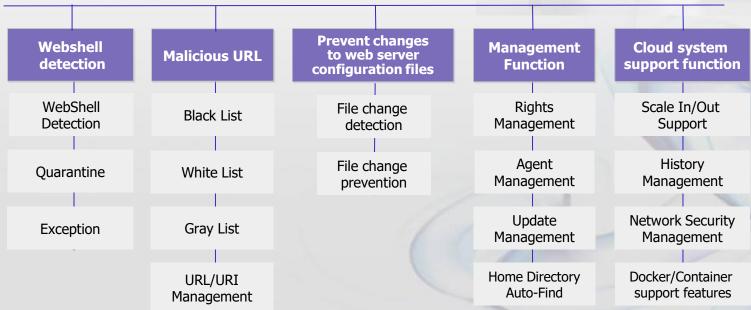
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Latest Version v2.7

Release Date May 2010

Manufacturer UMV Inc.





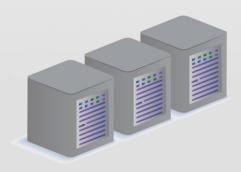




### **Configuring the WSS solution**

Consists of management server, agent, and manager program (PC)

WSS Management server	WSS Agent	Manager program (PC)
<ul> <li>Server SW installed on VM or HW Works by connecting to WSS Agent</li> <li>Save detection history and detection information</li> <li>Remote management control</li> <li>In addition to webshell pattern updates and agent deployment</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Program installed on web server/WAS</li> <li>Webshell detection and malicious distribution URL detection</li> <li>Webshell detection and filtering progress server transfer, etc.</li> <li>JDK 1.5 supported Unix, Linux, NT O/S support</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Installation on administrator-operated PC (Connect to WSS management server)</li> <li>Run webshell detection</li> <li>Monitoring, remote action, environmental settings</li> <li>Administrator authority management, statistics &amp; reporting, etc.</li> </ul>











#### **WSS** detection method

#### **Collects malware to improve detection performance.**

- √ Analysis of detection history of over 30,000 applied agents
- Operate personnel specialized in malicious code collection and analysis

#### **Pattern detection**



- Detection by comparing the existing webshell pattern with the pattern of the detected file.
- Generate webshell patterns with signatures / detect known webshells.

#### **Hash value detection**



- If the pattern continues to increase, the system speed deteriorates. For efficient performance, WSS detects by periodically updating the hash value provided by www.virustotal.com a malicious code sharing portal.

#### **Algorithm detection**

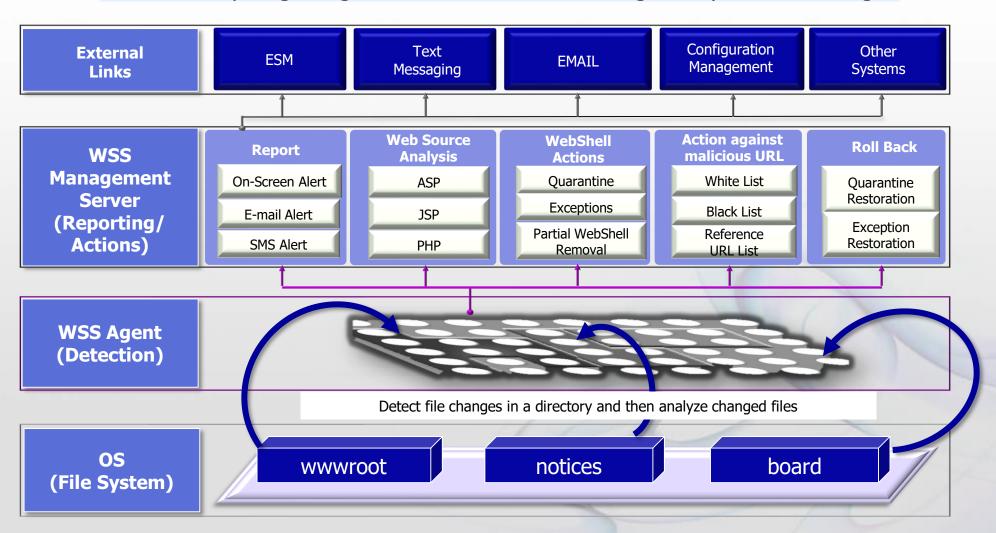


- Detects obfuscated or encoded web shells such as JAVA Script through internal code.



### Structure and operating principle

Detects tampering and generated malicious code through file system monitoring.







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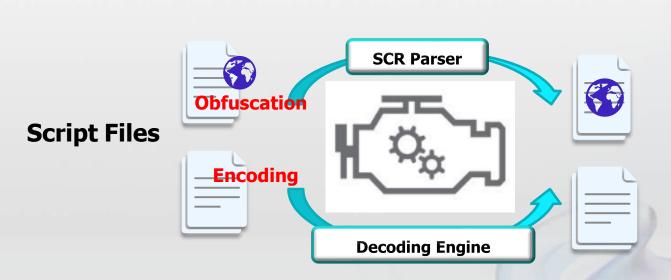






#### **Excellent detection performance**

- WSS supports detection of unknown malware through an analysis engine dedicated to obfuscation (SCR Parser).
- Malware collection to improve detection performance
  - Analysis of agent detection history applied to over 30,000 units
  - Operation of experts in malicious code collection and analysis
- Supports sophisticated pattern application and exception handling to minimize false positives
- Supports pattern customization considering the environment for each web server/WAS



**SCR Parser (Source Code Recombinant Parser)** 

Dedicated engine for analyzing and detecting obfuscated source code

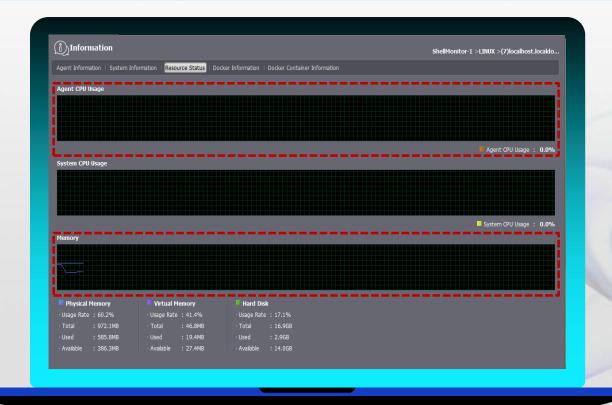
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### **Excellent stability**

- Minimize resource usage of the installation target server (CPU, memory)
- Portability: Supports all OS that supports JAVA 1.5 or higher (Windows, Linux, Unix)
- Supports management server HA (High Availability) redundancy configuration



[Detection agent resource utilization monitoring screen]





#### **Convenience of operation**

#### Supports efficient detection measures

- Supports automatic quarantine of known webshells and malicious URLs
- Provides UnKnown malware risk level and behavior details
- Convenient update support
  - Supports automatic updates of patterns and detection agents
- R&R (Role and Responsibility) support function
  - Supports one-click reporting function during quarantine
  - Supports automatic search for detection target directories
  - Supports automatic backup of the latest detection details to the management server
  - Supports detailed authority management tailored to the business situation of administrators/control personnel /operation personnel, etc.
  - Automatic setting and detection of detection target directories added during operation

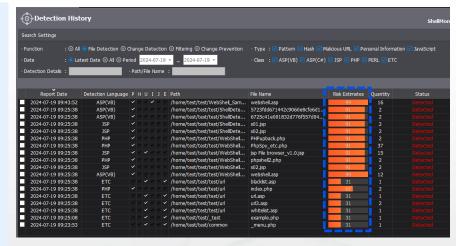
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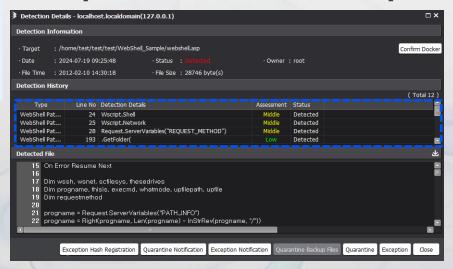
Detection Details : Request.ServerVariables("REQUEST\_METHOD")

Assessment : Middle Status : Detected Partial Quarantine :

[Detection pattern threat information screen]



#### [Detection list and risk estimates screen]



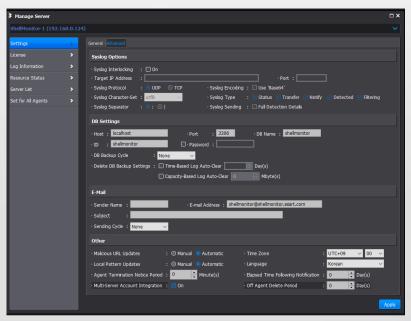
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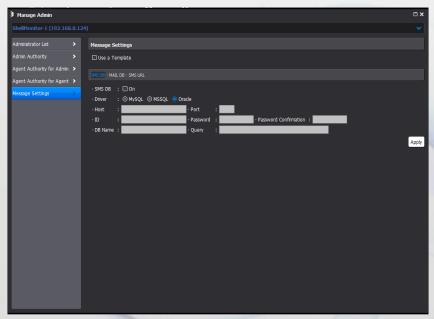




#### **Convenient expandability**

- Supports virtualization and cloud environments
  - Applicable to AWS, KT uCloud, MS Azure, G-Cloud, Naver Cloud and other clouds
- Parallel expansion support
  - Supports expansion without changing the existing system and network structure
- External system linkage support
  - SYSLOG, SMTP, API, etc.
  - ESM, SIEM, configuration management, SMS, EMAIL, etc.





[SYSLOG linking screen]

[SMS, EMAIL linking screen]





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#### **Webshell and Malicious URL Detection Functions**

| Function<br>Name                        | Functionality                | Description  |
|---|------------------------------|--|
| Real-Time<br>WebShell<br>Detection      | Detection                    | Detect and report webshell files through full and real-time detection        |
|   | Detection History<br>Actions | Measures against detection details through quarantine and exception measures |
| Real-Time<br>Malicious URL<br>Detection | Detection                    | Detect and report malicious URLs through full and real-time detection        |
|   | Detection History<br>Actions | Quarantine, partial quarantine, and exception measures for detected URLs     |
|   | Management<br>Functions      | Gray, White, and Black List URL management                                   |



[Detection Details Screen]



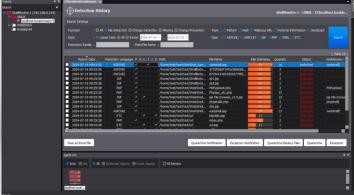




#### **Environment setting change detection and other functions**

| Function<br>Name                                       | Functionality                             | Description   |
|--|---|---|
| Web Server/WAS Configuration Settings Change Detection | Web Server<br>Settings File<br>Management | Report to the administrator when arbitrary or malicious changes are made to the web server configuration file |
| File and DB<br>Personal Info.<br>Detection             | Personal Info. Detection (File)           | Detection and reporting of personal information In web server files (PDF, HWP, DOC, PPT, EXCEL, TXT, etc.)    |
|  | Personal Info. Detection (DB)             | Detection and reporting of personal information in DB   |
| Uploaded File<br>Filtering                             | File Filtering                            | File upload bulletin board filtering out unauthorized files   |
| Breach response  | Attacker IP<br>Detection                  | When running a webshell, analyze the web server/WAS log and report the execution IP                           |





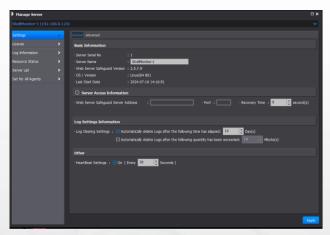
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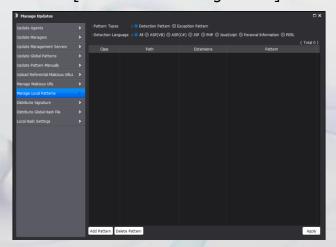


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| Function<br>Name       | Functionality   | Description   |
|------------------------|---|---|
|                        | Update<br>Management  | Agent, manager, pattern update and version management   |
|                        | Detection<br>notification and<br>External system<br>integration | Provides interconnection and interface to external systems such as control screen, ESM, SMS, EMAIL, etc.                |
| Management<br>function | Account and user permission management                          | Permission management by account and user   |
| Rep                    | Statistics and<br>Reporting                                     | Providing Reports and Statistics  |
|                        | stability   | Adjusting the resource usage rate of the installed web server/WAS Management server duplication support (Active/Active) |



#### [Environment Setting Screen]



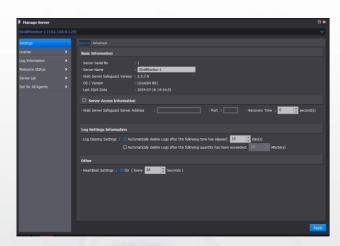
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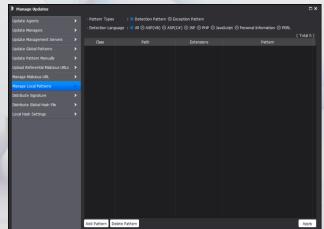


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[Update Management screen]





#### **Cloud-enabled features**

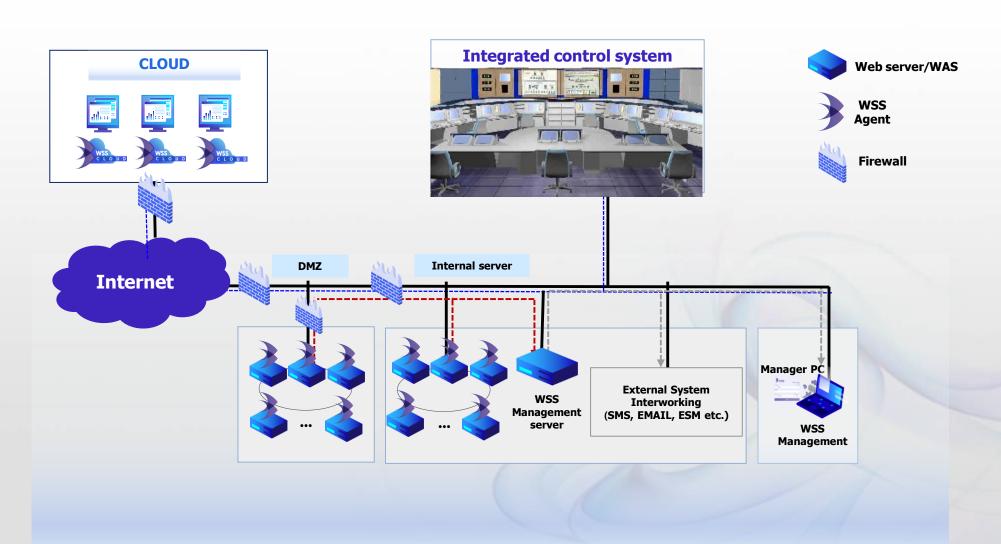
| Function Name               | Functionality                 | Description  |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Supports Scale              | Scale OUT                     | Automatic detection after automatic registration of detection target when WEB/WAS service scale out  |
| IN/OUT function             | Scale IN                      | When WEB/WAS service scale in, the history (log) of detection/change/deletion of deleted instances is automatically saved to the management server |
| Docker/Container<br>Support | Basic information provided    | Provides basic information about Docker to the Agent function  |
|                             | Classification and processing | Container classification and processing of detected files  |



### **WSS Configuration**



#### **On-Premise/Cloud Computing/Integrated control**





#### **Major customers**



#### **Public institutions**













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#### **Finance**

















#### **Enterprise**











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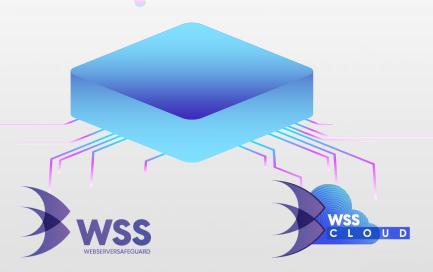








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