

# Miridor

## Cybera's IDSaaS

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# HOW CYBERA SUPPORTS ALBERTANS

SHARING IT TOOLS  
AND SERVICES



ADVOCATING FOR  
ACCESS



ENABLING  
NEXT-GENERATION  
TECHNOLOGIES



DATA MINING



CONNECTING  
HIGH-SPEED  
NETWORKS



MONITORING AND  
PROTECTING  
AGAINST THREATS





# Part 1: The Service



# Miridor

From Spanish: mir·a·dor

/'mirədôr/

*noun*

1. a turret or tower attached to a building and providing an extensive view.



# Miridor: What is it?

- A multi-tenant Intrusion Detection System
- Based on Suricata
- Available to our members
- Requiring no software, agents, or hardware



# Miridor: Why did we make it?

- For our members
- Little budget and resources required for members to run this on their own
- Low barrier to entry
- Novel combination of Systems, Network, and Systems Operations



# Miridor: What does it do?

- Captures / analyses member traffic
- Stores and displays alerts
  - Abnormal activity
  - Active attacks
  - Insecure applications
  - Flag dangerous domains and IP addresses
- Filters and exports results for further analysis





# Miridor: What can it be used for?

- Identifying potential vulnerabilities
- Provide an external point of view
- Enhancing firewall rules
- Root cause analysis




# Miridor: What doesn't it do?

- Capture internal network traffic
- Deep packet inspection
- Malware analysis
- Function as a SIEM replacement



# Miridor Portal


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## Miridor Events

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Timestamp	Source	Destination	Protocol	Signature ID	Signature	Category	Severity
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2403373</a>	ET CINS Active Threat Intelligence Poor Reputation IP group 74	Misc Attack	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2001219</a>	ET SCAN Potential SSH Scan	Attempted Information Leak	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2500024</a>	ET COMPROMISED Known Compromised or Hostile Host Traffic group 13	Misc Attack	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010935</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to MSSQL port 1433	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010936</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to Oracle SQL port 1521	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2500012</a>	ET COMPROMISED Known Compromised or Hostile Host Traffic group 7	Misc Attack	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2001219</a>	ET SCAN Potential SSH Scan	Attempted Information Leak	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010939</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to PostgreSQL port 5432	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2403338</a>	ET CINS Active Threat Intelligence Poor Reputation IP group 39	Misc Attack	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010935</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to MSSQL port 1433	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010937</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to MySQL port 3306	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2036220</a>	ET INFO Android Device Connectivity Check	Potential Corporate Privacy Violation	1
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2031071</a>	ET INFO Microsoft Connection Test	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:54 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2402000</a>	ET DROP Dshield Block Listed Source group 1	Misc Attack	2
April 27, 2022, 3:53 p.m.			UDP	<a href="#">2101411</a>	GPL SNMP public access udp	Attempted Information Leak	2
April 27, 2022, 3:53 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010935</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to MSSQL port 1433	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
April 27, 2022, 3:53 p.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010937</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to MySQL port 3306	Potentially Bad Traffic	2
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### Options

#### Time Filters

Range | Start/End

Time Range

#### Data Filters

Source IP

Destination IP

Source Port

Destination Port

Signature ID

Severity

Run

Download

# Miridor Portal: Authentication

## Select an authentication source

Čeština | Dansk | Deutsch | English | Español | eesti keel | Euskara | Suomeksi | Français | עברית | Hrvatski | Magyar | Bahasa Indonesia | Italiano | 日本語 | Lëtzebuergesch | Lietuvių kalba | Latviešu | Nederlands | Nynorsk | Bokmål | Język polski | Português | Português brasileiro | Românește | русский язык | Sámeigiella | Slovenščina | Srpski | Svenska | Türkçe | 简体中文 | 繁體中文

## Select an authentication source

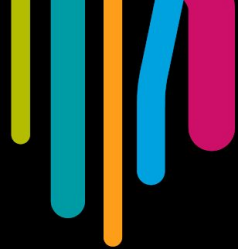
The selected authentication source will be used to authenticate you and to create a valid session.

- Login with a Google account
  - Login with a Microsoft account
  - Login via the Canadian Access Federation
- Microsoft Accounts (OAuth2)
  - Google Accounts (OAuth2)
  - Canadian Federated Access (SAML)

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# Miridor Portal: Table View

<u>Timestamp</u>	<u>Source</u>	<u>Destination</u>	<u>Protocol</u>	<u>Signature ID</u>	<u>Signature</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Severity</u>
April 29, 2022, 11:10 a.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2001219</a>	ET SCAN Potential SSH Scan	Attempted Information Leak	2
April 29, 2022, 11:10 a.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2500024</a>	ET COMPROMISED Known Compromised or Hostile Host Traffic group 13	Misc Attack	2
April 29, 2022, 11:10 a.m.			TCP	<a href="#">2010935</a>	ET SCAN Suspicious inbound to MSSQL port 1433	Potentially Bad Traffic	2



# Part 2: How it Works



# Suricata: What is it?

- High performance Intrusion Detection System
- Signature-based
- Open source



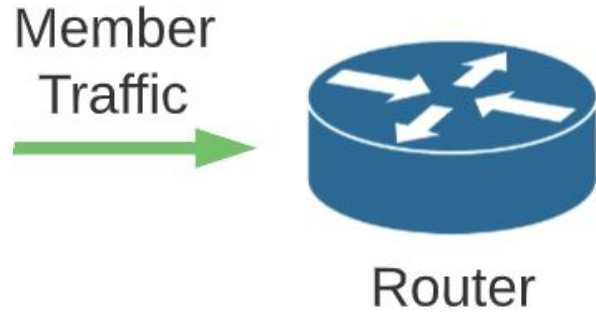
# Suricata: Why did we choose it?

- Choice between Zeek and Suricata
- How useful is it to us now?
- How much work is required to make it useful?

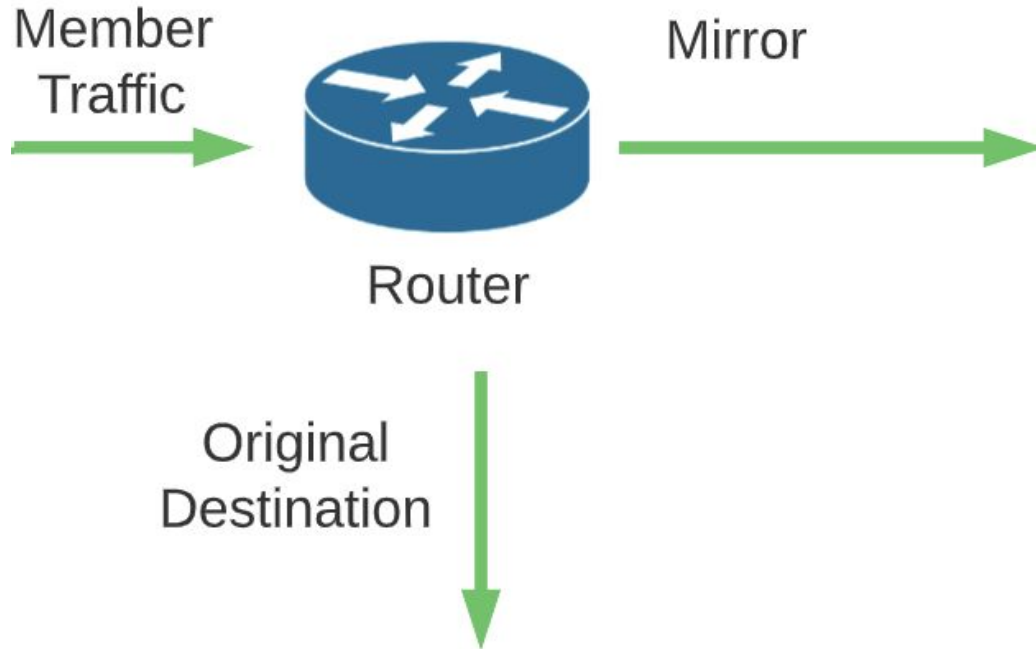




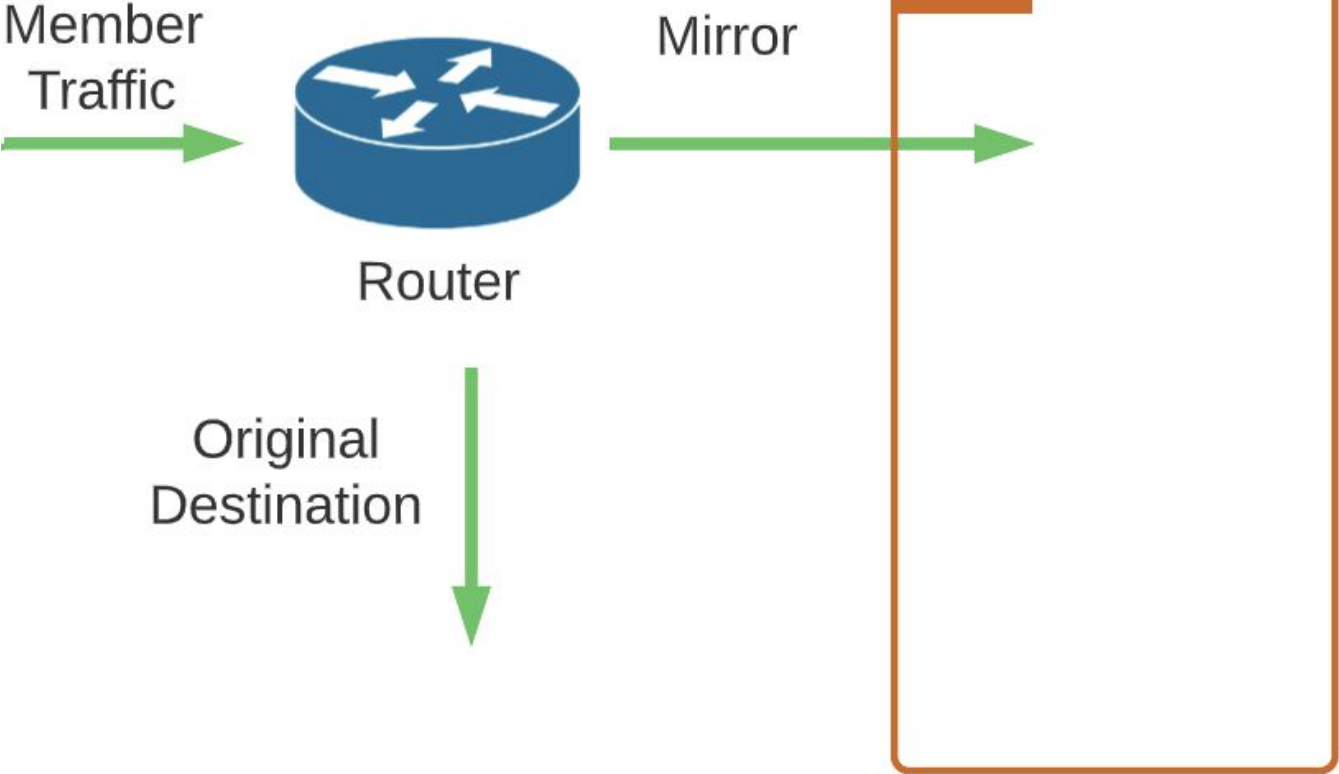
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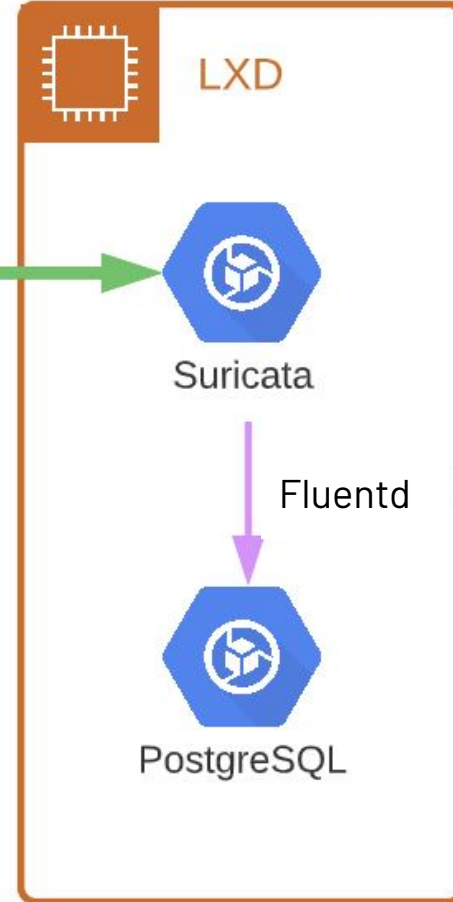
# Miridor: Data Flow

Member  
Traffic



Router

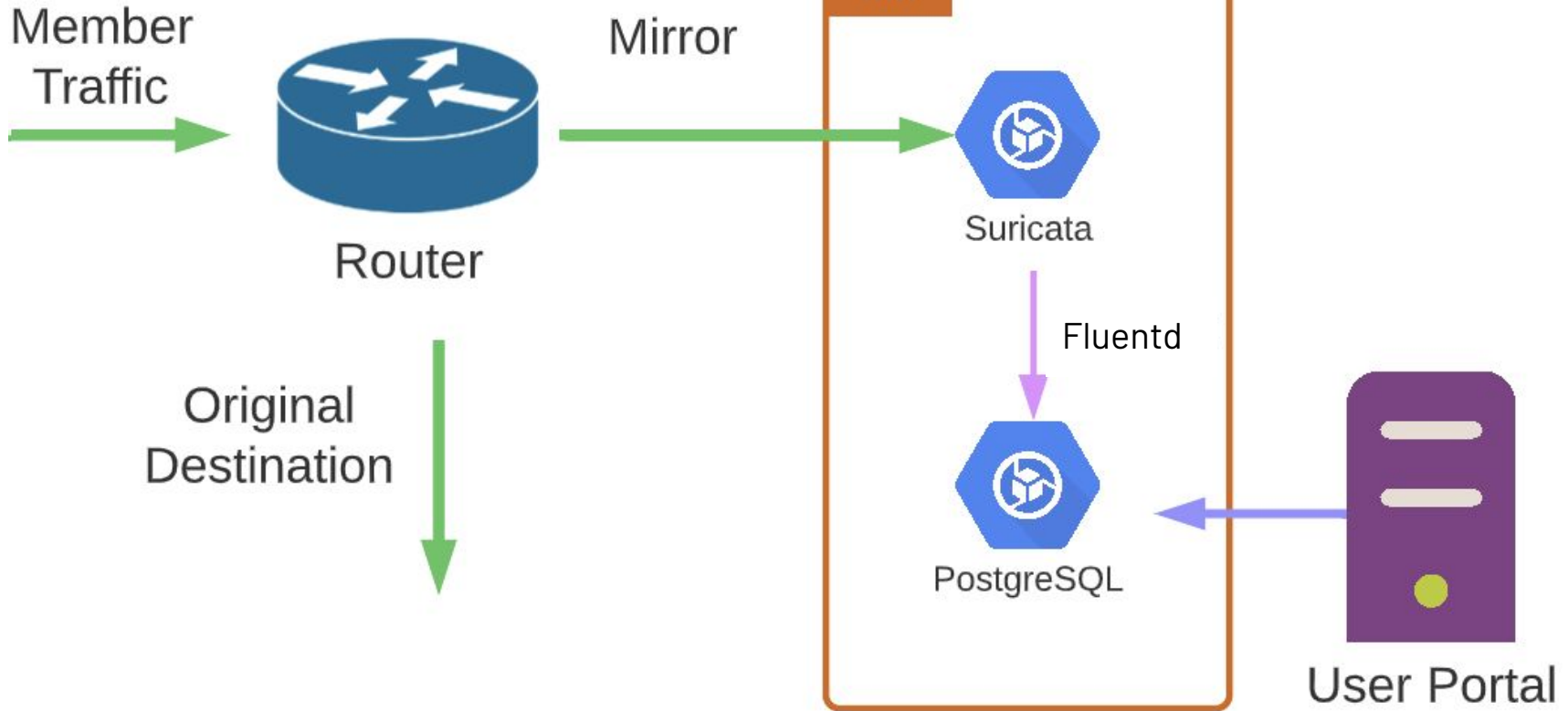
Mirror



Original  
Destination



# Miridor: Data Flow



# Thank you!

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