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NyQuil - June 13, 2023, 12:41 am

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Dread.Reaper - June 13, 2023, 3:20 am

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Yea... thats why windows changed that.?

Also .scr is no safer than an EXE and security software treats it accordingly.

Toe Jam - June 14, 2023, 1:44 pm

Best payload filetypes now are probably .js and a vba macro in office files (docx,docm,xlsm,etc).

Sage - June 14, 2023, 1:46 pm

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Hmm...

Far as Im aware .new is just another dumb ass text format.

Dont appear to be executable as far as I can tell. But wtf do I know honestly first time I heard of this file extension.

If I came across this, Id likely guess it was a piece of an update or some crap and delete it lol

NyQuil - *June 14, 2023, 10:53 pm*

last i mess around with executables in at least windows 7 you could rename .exe, .scr, .pif, etc same as dark comet and it would still execute as a e(x)ecutable, might of changed. Just wondering.

Dread.Reaper - *June 15, 2023, 3:37 am*

What about .com files?

I feel these are overlooked a great deal. I mean even the extension could be socially engineered to believe its a web link.