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 [github.com/cryptogramfan/Malware-Analysis-Scripts/blob/master/deobfuscate\\_ostap.py](https://github.com/cryptogramfan/Malware-Analysis-Scripts/blob/master/deobfuscate_ostap.py)

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## cryptogramfan/Malware-Analysis-Scripts



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#!/usr/bin/env python
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# A script that deobfuscates Ostap JSE (JScript Encoded) downloaders. The script is based
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# on Ostap samples analysed in August 2019, such as those delivering TrickBot. It will try
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# to identify the indexes containing Unicode character codes and then deobfuscate the sample
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# using subtraction and addition.
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# To use the script, supply a file as an argument or pipe it to stdin:
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```
# $ python deobfuscate_ostap.py ostap.jse
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```
# $ cat ostap.jse | deobfuscate_ostap.py
```

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#
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# Author.....: Alex Holland (@cryptogramfan)
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# Date.....: 2019-08-29
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# Version.....: 0.0.5
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# Reference_1: https://www.bromium.com/deobfuscating-ostap-trickbots-javascript-downloader/
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```
import os
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import sys
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```
import re
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```
index_0 = ""
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```
index_1 = ""
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```
indexes_raw = []
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```
indexes = []
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```
values_0 = []
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```
values_1 = []
```

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```
# Subtract index 0 values from index 1
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```
def subtract_values_1():
```

---

```
characters_sub = []
```

---

```
servers = []
```

---

```
urls = []
```

---

```
try:
```

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```
print("[+] Trying deobfuscation by subtracting index %s elements from index %s elements..." % (indexes[0], indexes[1]))
```

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---

```
charcodes_sub = [i - j for i, j in zip(values_0, values_1)]
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error subtracting index %s elements from index %s elements." % (indexes[0], indexes[1]))
```

---

```
subtract_values_2() # Try another subtraction instead
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
for charcode_sub in charcodes_sub:
```

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```
character_sub = chr(charcode_sub)
```

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```
characters_sub.append(character_sub)
```

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```
characters_sub = ".join(characters_sub)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error converting character codes to characters.")
```

---

```
subtract_values_2()
```

---

```
match = re.search("Script", characters_sub, re.IGNORECASE)
```

---

```
if match:
```

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```
print("[+] Deobfuscation using subtraction 1 was successful:\n")
```

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```
print(characters_sub)
```

---

```
match_url = re.search("http(s):\\V.+ (Drives|POST)", characters_sub, re.IGNORECASE)
```

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```
if match_url:
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```
servers.append(match_url.group())
```

---

```
for server in servers:
```

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```
server = re.sub("Drives.*$", "", server, re.IGNORECASE)
```

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```
server = re.sub("POST$", "", server, re.IGNORECASE)
```

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---

```
urls.append(server)
```

---

```
if urls:
```

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```
print("\n[+] Found URL(s):\n")
```

---

```
print(", ".join(urls))
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
else:
```

---

```
print("[!] Deobfuscation using subtraction 1 was unsuccessful.")
```

---

```
subtract_values_2()
```

---

```
return;
```

---

```
# Subtract index 1 values from index 0 values
```

---

```
def subtract_values_2():
```

---

```
characters_sub = []
```

---

```
servers = []
```

---

```
urls = []
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
print("[+] Trying deobfuscation by subtracting index %s elements from index %s elements..." % (indexes[1], indexes[0]))
```

---

```
charcodes_sub = [i - j for i, j in zip(values_1, values_0)]
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error subtracting index %s elements from index %s elements." % (indexes[1], indexes[0]))
```

---

```
add_values() # Try addition instead
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
for charcode_sub in charcodes_sub:
```

---

---

```
character_sub = chr(charcode_sub)
```

---

```
characters_sub.append(character_sub)
```

---

```
characters_sub = "".join(characters_sub)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error converting character codes to characters.")
```

---

```
add_values()
```

---

```
match = re.search("Script", characters_sub, re.IGNORECASE)
```

---

```
if match:
```

---

```
print("[+] Deobfuscation using subtraction 2 was successful:\n")
```

---

```
print(characters_sub)
```

---

```
match_url = re.search("http(s):\\W.+(Drives|POST)", characters_sub, re.IGNORECASE)
```

---

```
if match_url:
```

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```
servers.append(match_url.group())
```

---

```
for server in servers:
```

---

```
server = re.sub("Drives.*$", "", server, re.IGNORECASE)
```

---

```
server = re.sub("POST$", "", server, re.IGNORECASE)
```

---

```
urls.append(server)
```

---

```
if urls:
```

---

```
print("\n[+] Found URL(s):\n")
```

---

```
print(", ".join(urls))
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
else:
```

---

---

```
print("[!] Deobfuscation using subtraction 2 was unsuccessful.")
```

---

```
add_values()
```

---

```
return;
```

---

```
# Add index 0 values to index 1 values
```

---

```
def add_values():
```

---

```
characters_add = []
```

---

```
servers = []
```

---

```
urls = []
```

---

```
try:
```

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```
print("[+] Trying deobfuscation by adding index %s elements to index %s elements..." %  
(indexes[1], indexes[0]))
```

---

```
charcodes_add = [i + j for i, j in zip(values_1, values_0)]
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error adding index %s elements to index %s elements. Exiting." % (indexes[1],  
indexes[0]))
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
for charcode_add in charcodes_add:
```

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```
character_add = chr(charcode_add)
```

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```
characters_add.append(character_add)
```

---

```
characters_add = "".join(characters_add)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error converting character codes to characters. Exiting.")
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

---

```
match = re.search("Script", characters_add, re.IGNORECASE)
```

```
if match:
```

```
print("[+] Deobfuscation using addition was successful:\n")
```

```
print(characters_add)
```

```
match_url = re.search("http(s):\\W.+(Drives|POST)", characters_add, re.IGNORECASE)
```

```
if match_url:
```

```
servers.append(match_url.group())
```

```
for server in servers:
```

```
server = re.sub("Drives.*$", "", server, re.IGNORECASE)
```

```
server = re.sub("POST$", "", server, re.IGNORECASE)
```

```
urls.append(server)
```

```
if urls:
```

```
print("\n[+] Found URL(s):\n")
```

```
print(", ".join(urls))
```

```
exit(0)
```

```
else:
```

```
print("[!] Deobfuscation using addition was unsuccessful. Exiting.")
```

```
exit(0)
```

```
return;
```

```
if len(sys.argv) > 1:
```

```
file = open(sys.argv[1], 'r')
```

```
else:
```

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```
file = sys.stdin
```

---

```
while 1:
```

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```
input = file.read()
```

---

```
# Find array indexes
```

---

```
try:
```

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```
print("\n[+] Analysing %s" % os.path.basename(file.name))
```

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```
input = input.decode('utf-8')
```

---

```
except UnicodeError:
```

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```
print("[!] File not UTF-8. Treating as UTF-16.")
```

---

```
input = input.decode('utf-16')
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
indexes_raw = re.findall("[\d+]=\d+;", input)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error finding array indexes. Exiting.")
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
if not indexes_raw:
```

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```
print("[!] Array indexes not found. Exiting.")
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
# Put the index string into a list
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```
try:
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```
for index in indexes_raw:
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```
index = re.sub("[", "", index)
```

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```
index = re.sub("\]=\d+;", "", index)
```

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```
indexes.append(index)
```

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```
# Remove duplicates
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```
indexes = list(set(indexes))
```

---

```
print("[+] Found array indexes %s and %s." % (indexes[0], indexes[1]))
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error processing array indexes. Exiting.")
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
try:
```

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```
element_regex_0 = r"\[" + indexes[0] + r"\]=\d+;"
```

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```
element_regex_1 = r"\[" + indexes[1] + r"\]=\d+;"
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error creating regular expressions. Exiting.")
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
# Find the values of index 0 elements
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
print("[+] Searching for index %s elements..." % indexes[0])
```

---

```
array_0 = re.findall(element_regex_0, input)
```

---

```
for element in array_0:
```

---

```
element = re.sub("\[\d+\]=", "", element)
```

---

```
element = re.sub(";", "", element)
```

---

```
values_0.append(element)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error finding index %s elements. Exiting." % indexes[0])
```

---

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
if not values_0:
```

---

```
print("[!] No index %s elements found. Exiting." % indexes[0])
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
# Convert index 0 elements to integer values
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
values_0 = map(int, values_0)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error converting index %s elements to integers. Exiting." % indexes[0])
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
# Find the values of index 1 elements
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
print("[+] Searching for index %s elements..." % indexes[1])
```

---

```
array_1 = re.findall(element_regex_1, input)
```

---

```
for element in array_1:
```

---

```
element = re.sub("[\d+]=", "", element)
```

---

```
element = re.sub(";", "", element)
```

---

```
values_1.append(element)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error finding index %s elements. Exiting." % indexes[1])
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
if not values_1:
```

---

```
print("[!] No index %s elements found. Exiting." % indexes[1])
```

---

---

```
exit(0)
```

---

```
# Convert index 1 elements to integer values
```

---

```
try:
```

---

```
values_1 = map(int, values_1)
```

---

```
except:
```

---

```
print("[!] Error converting index %s elements to integers. Exiting." % indexes[1])
```

---

```
exit(0)
```

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```
subtract_values_1()
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```
subtract_values_2()
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```
add_values()
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```
exit(0)
```

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