

Collector Add-On: Silo for Research

Analysts often revisit the same sources of information to keep up with frequently changing websites, files and videos (daily, weekly, monthly). While these repetitive collections are vital, it is inefficient to spend valuable investigation time executing on them repeatedly.

Time zones also present a challenge to proper collection tradecraft. Analysts must assume someone is always watching and blend in with the crowd. This often means accessing desired content at odd hours, meaning late nights for your analysts.

Video collection is also a key element of analyst research efforts, but collecting it can be cumbersome and time consuming. Analysts typically have to use less than desirable tools and manual workarounds in order to download the videos needing evaluation.

Automate Investigative Collection

Collector is an automated collection module that enhances Silo for Research with the following capabilities:

- Content collection scheduling, including recurring collection (e.g., daily, weekly, time of day) via an intuitive UI
- Options for fully rendered web content in PDF, PNG and MHTML formats
- Access to an advanced video downloader
- Scheduled content collections downloaded to Authentic8 Secure Storage
- Scheduled collection tradecraft including customized browser fingerprint and tunneling through any of the egress nodes available to you in Silo for Research, including Dark Web/Tor

Benefits

- Eliminate repetitive and late-night content gathering activities by your analysts
- Enhance tradecraft by blending in and accessing content at regionally-appropriate times of day
- Optimize analyst video research efforts with a supported advanced video download capability
- Manage the attribution of automated collections and maintain your cover

Contact Us

If your organization is interested in automating content collection, please contact your account manager.