May 15-06: Network Forensic UI

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Introduction

Background

- Deepsweep is a device for monitoring network traffic
- Outputs stream of traffic for analysis

Problem

- DeepSweep is an existing device
- Does not have GUI for displaying this traffic

Solution

- Xplico is an existing web UI for displaying traffic
- Collect traffic from DeepSweep and display in Xplico

Functional Requirements

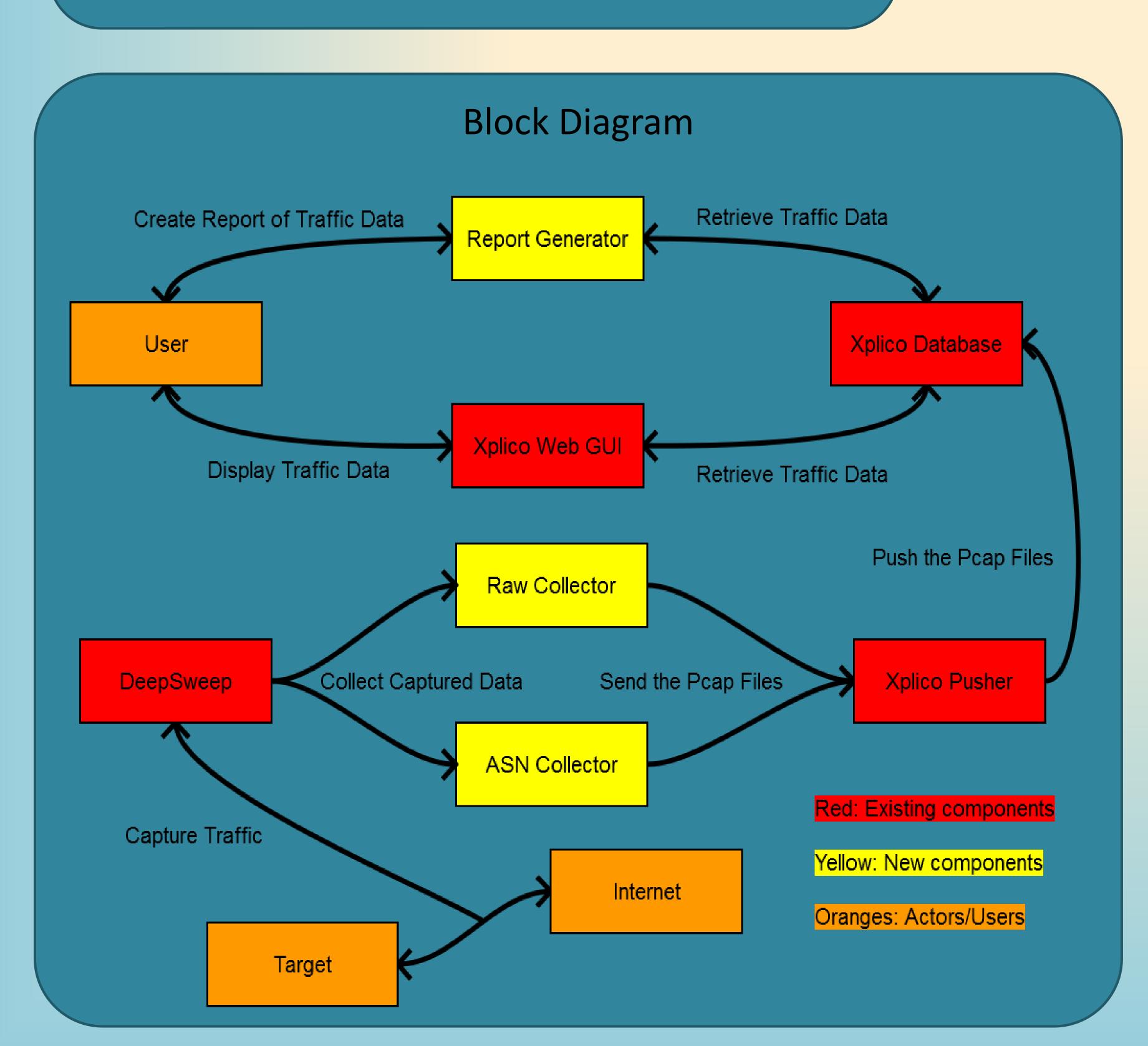
- 1. Xplico: Start Pusher and the Collectors
- 2. Raw Collector: Create pcaps from raw traffic
- 3. ASN Collector: Create pcaps from ASN.1 traffic
- 4. Xplico Pusher: Upload new pcaps to Xplico
- 5. Xplico: Display uploaded traffic in web GUI
- 6. Xplico: Generate reports for traffic

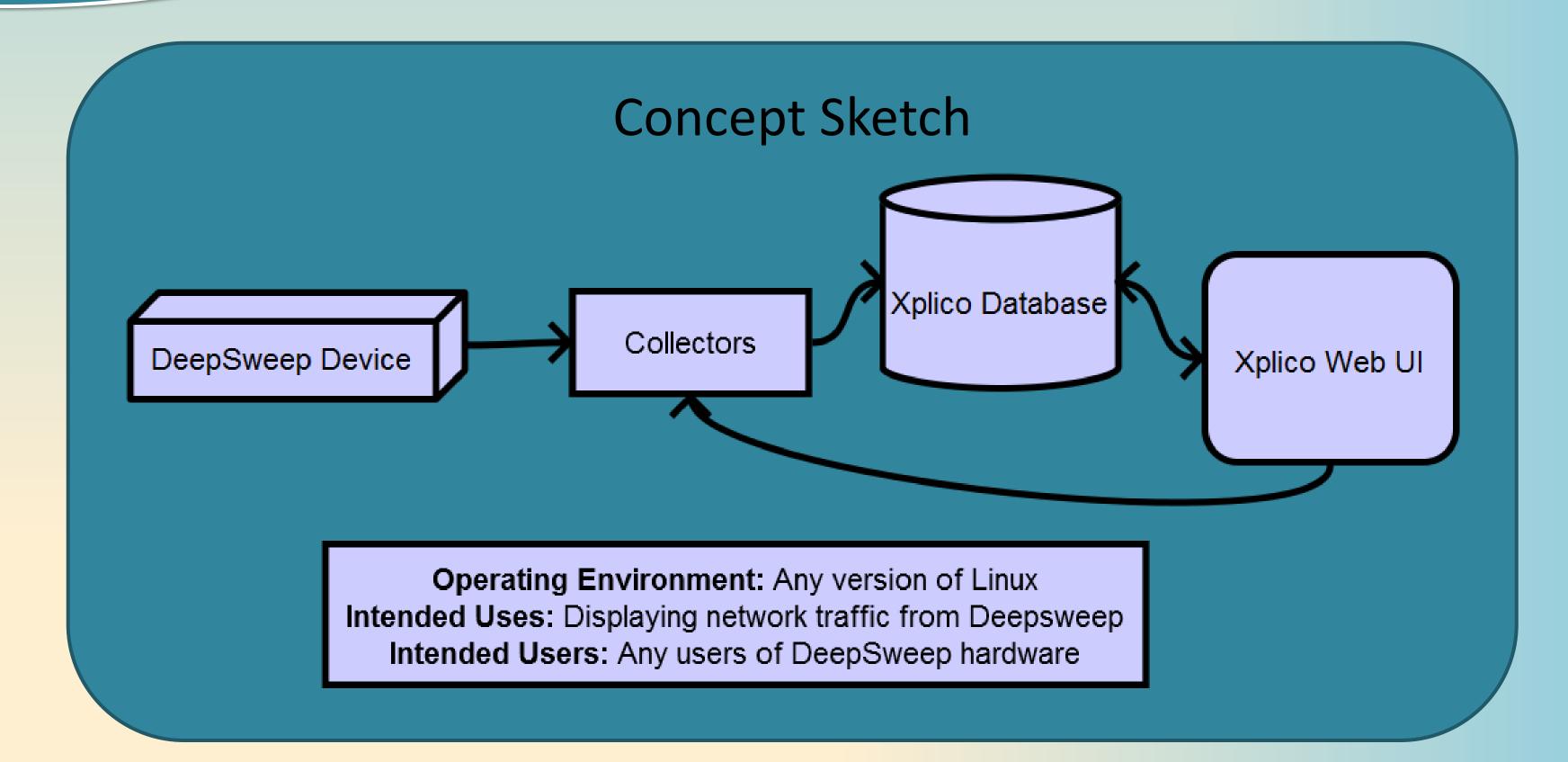
Non-Functional Requirements

Reliability: Performs consistently and recovers from errors

Maintainability: Documentation is up-to-date and accurate

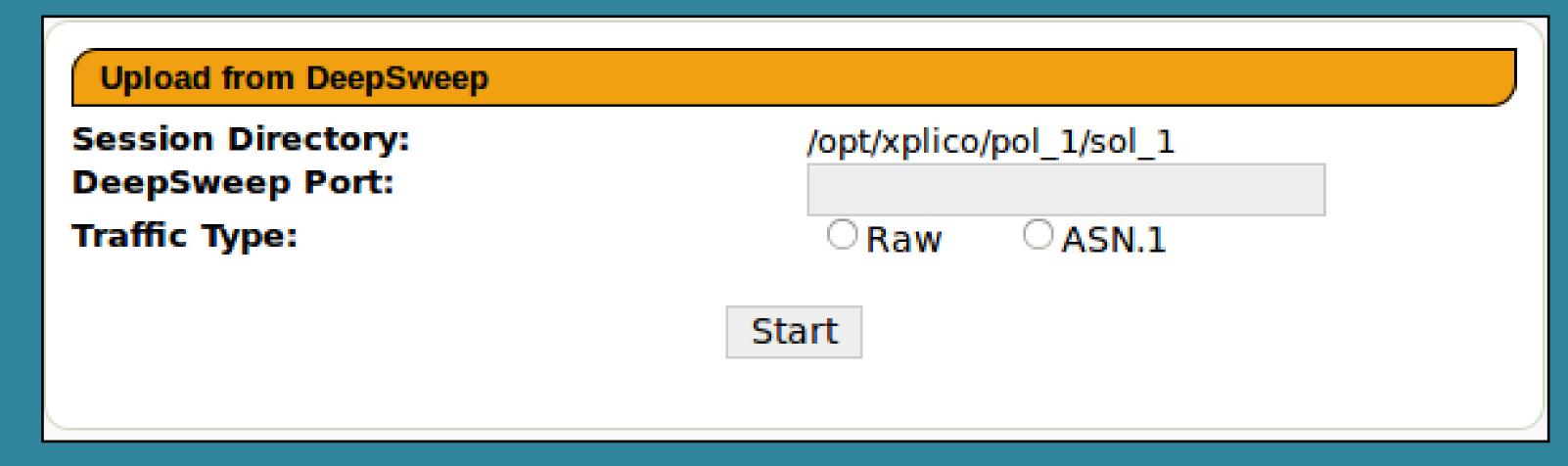
Extensibility: Easy to add and upgrade additional features



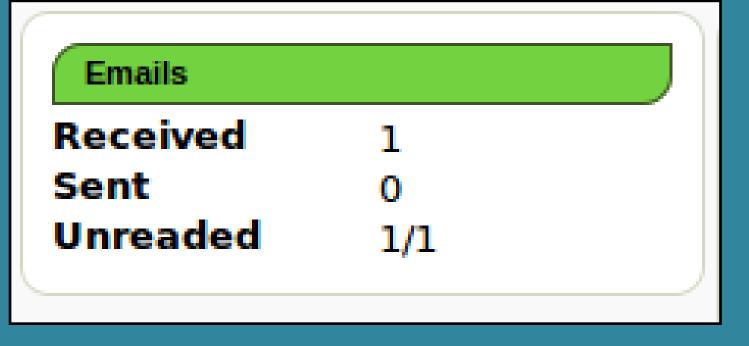


GUI Screenshots

Starting Collectors



Example Result Summary



Dns - Arp - Icmpv6

DNS res 529

ARP/ICMPv6 0/0

Technical Details

ASN & Raw Collectors (Java): Listens for traffic on a port, and converts traffic to pcap (packet capture) files

Xplico Pusher (C): Copies pcap data into Xplico's database

Xplico Database (SQL) : Stores data from uploaded pcaps

Xplico Web GUI (PHP): Displays data from uploaded pcaps, and provides options for starting collectors

Report Generator (PHP): Creates PDFs of the data

Test Plan

Component Tests: Test each module once it was written

Integration Tests: Connect and test modules together

Stress Tests: Test entire system by sending multiple pcaps continuously over a period of time

Benchmark Tests: Test entire system by sending multiple pcaps and timing how long it to decode them