

CEREBRATE

AN INTRODUCTION

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A QUICK INTRODUCTION TO CEREBRATE

- What is Cerebrate?
- Why have we been working on this?
- What sort of benefits does this bring for MISP communities?
- What is there and where are we headed?
- Demonstration

WHAT IS CEREBRATE?

- Open source **community management and orchestration** tool
- Central tool for the Melicertes 2 project
- Tight integration with various open-source tools
- Planned as the primary MISP management tool

WHAT ISSUES IS IT TRYING TO TACKLE?

- Community management
 - ▶ **Repository** of organisations and individuals
 - ▶ Management of **sharing groups**
 - ▶ **Exchange** of contact and sharing group information
 - ▶ **Constituency** lookups and searching
 - ▶ Cryptographic key lookup for **information signing**
- Local tool management
 - ▶ Instrumentation of **local tool interconnections**
 - ▶ Local tool **fleet management**
 - ▶ **Feeding** the local tools with Cerebrate data

SO WHERE ARE WE TODAY?

- Currently in **pilot** phase
- We're close to releasing **v1.5**
- Still plenty of things for us to do, we view Cerebrate as a **long term** project
- If you want to get started -
`https://github.com/cerebrate/cerebrate`
- Expect many more **updates**, features in the future
- We encourage everyone to **get involved**, try it out, let us know what doesn't work for you

WHAT IS AVAILABLE CURRENTLY?

- A set of **Common functionalities**
- **Contact Database**
- **Sharing group management**
- **Cerebrate to Cerebrate synchronisation**
- **Mailing list management**
- Local tool orchestration - **integration modules**
- **Inbox** system
- Local tool **fleet management**

- **Team based user management** with customisable RBAC rules
- Optional support for external user and **identity management via keycloak**
- Powerful **API**
- **Management tools** for administrators

- Index of **Organisations and Individuals**
- Flexible meta-data model (community specific, constituency, etc)
- Content aware **search functionalities**

- Similar to **MISP's implementation**
- Create and manage sharing groups from Cerebrate
- MISPs can **ingest the sharing groups** for information sharing

- **Connect** Cerebrates to one another
- **Diagnose** connectivity issues
- Remotely **browse the data** of the remote instance
- **Fetch** organisation, individual, sharing group data

- Tool agnostic integration layer
- Integrate other tools with Cerebrate for a set of tasks
 - ▶ **Manage** tools
 - ▶ **Feed** the tool with / feed off the tool's contact information
 - ▶ **Orchestrate** the **interconnection** between local tools
 - ▶ Open a **dialogue** with partners to interconnect tools