Has this file been identified as malicious? Explain why or why not.

Yes the file is identified as malicious. The reasons are explained below:

- 1. The Vendor's ratio represents how many security vendors have flagged the file as malicious over all. Here, we can see it is 58/71 which is a high number of vendor flags, hence it can be stated malicious.
- 2. The Community Score is based on the collective inputs of the VirusTotal community. A file with a negative community score is more likely to be malicious. Here, it is -256, hence the file is malicious.
- 3. Upon further investigation, this file hash is known as the malware Flagpro, which has been commonly used by the advanced threat actor BlackTech.

