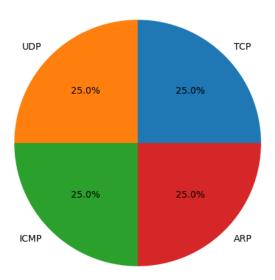
Network Security Analysis Report

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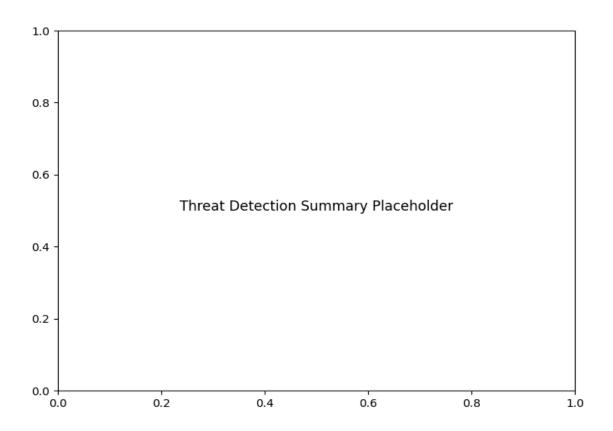
""markdown Executive Summary 6 instances of Potential DNS tunneling detected in analyzed traffic (100% of alerts) Suspicious activity concentrated between two internal IPs: 192.168.73.148 (source) and 192.168.73.2 (destination) All malicious traffic uses **UDP/DNS protocols** with no traditional attack packets (TCP/ICMP/ARP) observed Risk Assessment Critical Risks DNS tunneling exploitation: High severity (CWE-300). Enables data exfiltration/C2 channels bypassing traditional security controls. Internal host compromise: Repeated bidirectional DNS traffic between 192.168.73.148 and 192.168.73.2 suggests potential lateral movement. Operational Risks Lack of DNS traffic monitoring: No apparent controls to detect/block abnormal DNS payload patterns Sensor data discrepancy: Attack stats report 0 UDP packets despite 5 UDP-based threats in top_threats list Threat Observations Pattern Analysis: 5 consecutive DNS tunneling attempts between 2009-03-26T02:02:58 and 02:03:05 (7-second window) Bidirectional communication (packets 159↔160, 165↔166, 167) indicates protocol handshaking Technical Anomalies: Null port numbers in DNS traffic (standard DNS uses UDP/53) Absence of legitimate DNS server IPs in communications High frequency of DNS requests (6 events) from internal IP to internal IP Recommendations Immediate Actions Quarantine 192.168.73.148: Investigate for installed tunneling tools (e.g., DNSCat2, Iodine) Implement DNS filtering: Block TXT/NULL/CNAME record types except from authorized DNS servers Enforce maximum DNS query length (e.g., 100 bytes) Validate sensor configurations: Resolve UDP packet counting discrepancy between attack stats and top threats data Long-Term Controls Deploy DNS firewall solutions (e.g., Cisco Umbrella, Infoblox) with tunneling detection capabilities Establish network segmentation policies to restrict internal host-to-host DNS communications Enable DNS query logging with payload inspection for all critical subnets

Protocol Distribution

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Threat Detection Summary



Detection Type	Count
Potential DNS tunneling detected	6