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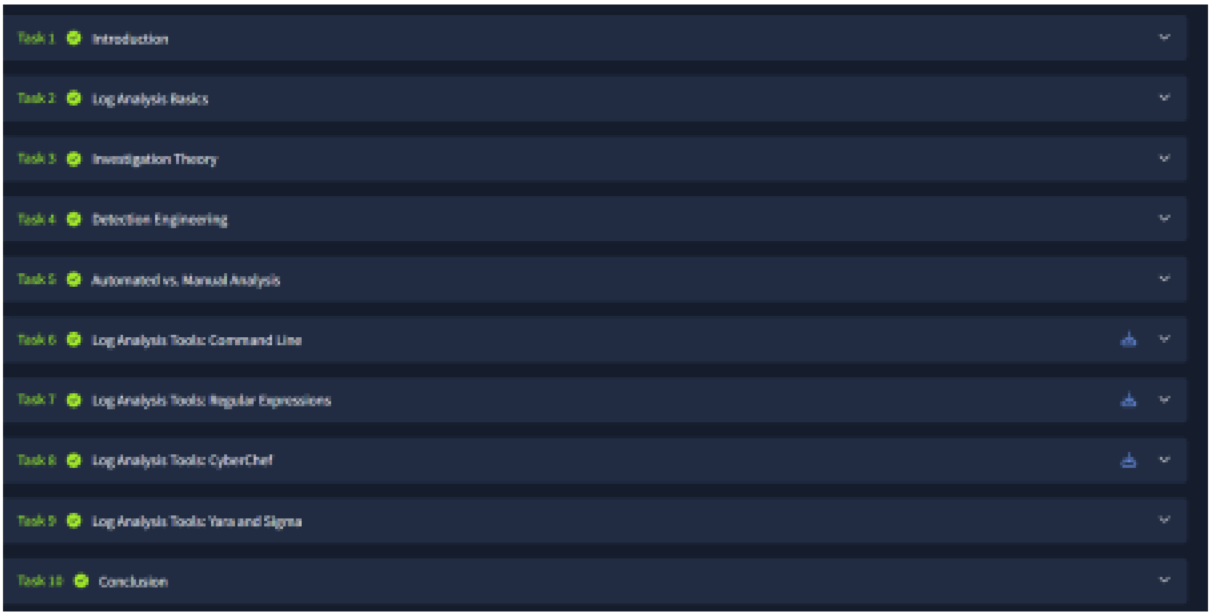
Intro to Log Analysis

AIM:

To learn about log analysis, best practices, and essential tools for effective detection and response.

PROCEDURE:

Complete the given task as per the instructions.



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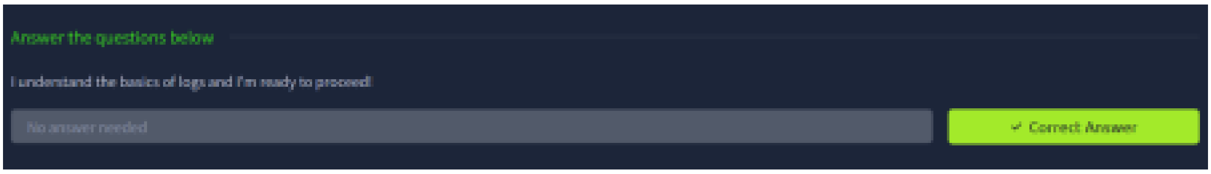
Task 1:Introduction

Answer the questions below

I'm ready to proceed!

No answer needed

Task 2:Log Analysis Basics

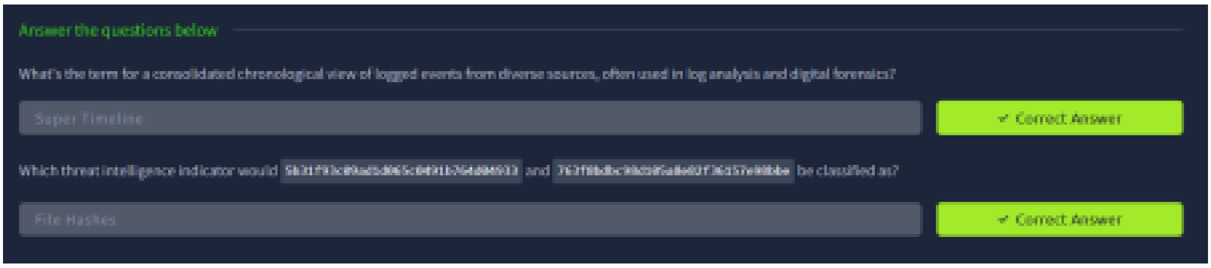


Answer the questions below

I understand the basics of logs and I'm ready to proceed!

No answer needed

Task 3:Investigation Theory



Answer the questions below

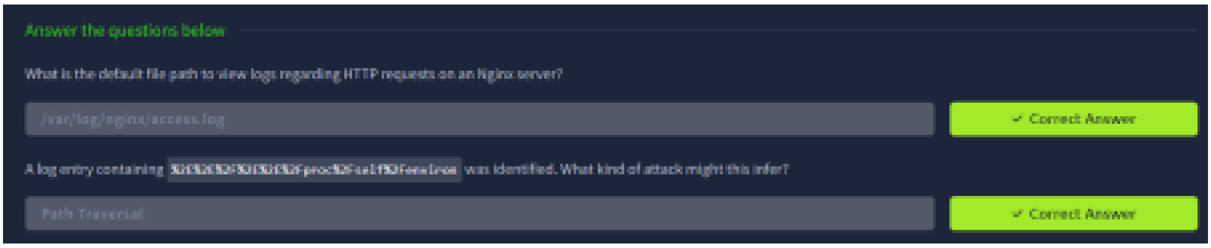
What's the term for a consolidated chronological view of logged events from diverse sources, often used in log analysis and digital forensics?

Super Timeline

Which threat intelligence indicator would `5b31f93c09ad1d065c0491b764d04933` and `763f8bdbc98d105a8e82f36157e98bbe` be classified as?

File Hashes

Task 4:Detection Engineering



Answer the questions below

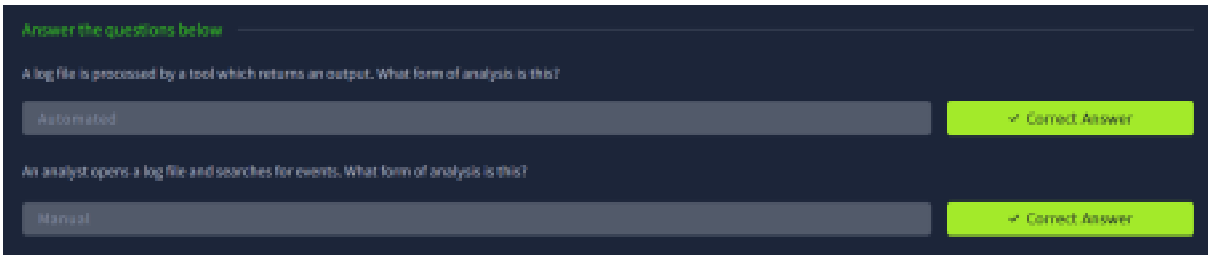
What is the default file path to view logs regarding HTTP requests on an Nginx server?

/var/log/nginx/access.log

A log entry containing `%2E%2E%2F%2E%2E%2Fproc%2Fself%2Fenviron` was identified. What kind of attack might this infer?

Path Traversal

Task 5:Automated vs. Manual Analysis



Answer the questions below

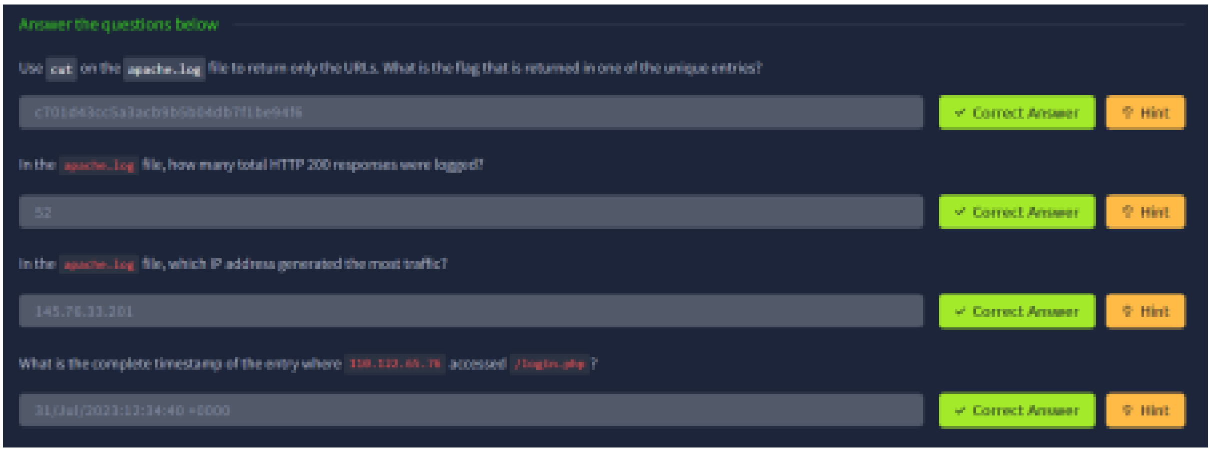
A log file is processed by a tool which returns an output. What form of analysis is this?

Automated

An analyst opens a log file and searches for events. What form of analysis is this?

Manual

Task 6:Log Analysis Tools: Command Line



Answer the questions below

Use `cut` on the `apache.log` file to return only the URLs. What is the flag that is returned in one of the unique entries?

c701d43cc5a3acb9b5b04db7f1be94f6

In the `apache.log` file, how many total HTTP 200 responses were logged?

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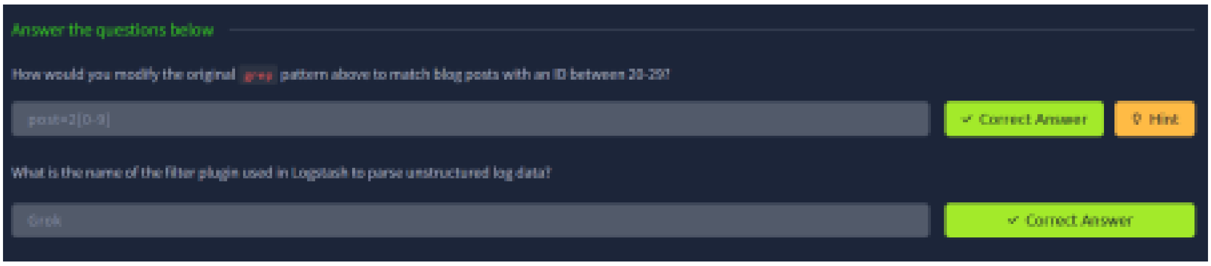
In the `apache.log` file, which IP address generated the most traffic?

145.76.33.201

What is the complete timestamp of the entry where `110.122.65.76` accessed `/login.php`?

31/Jul/2023:12:34:40 +0000

Task 7:Log Analysis Tools: Regular Expressions



Answer the questions below

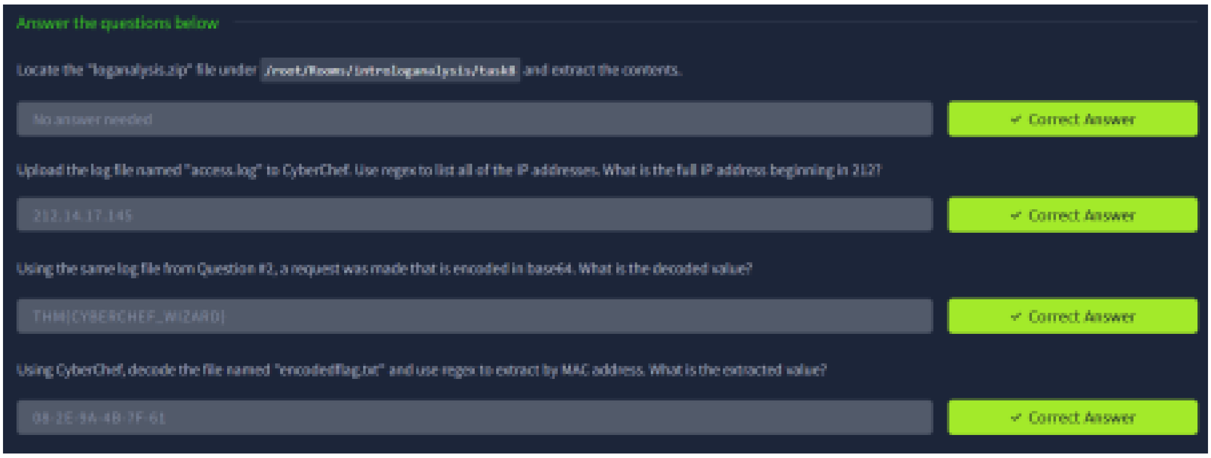
How would you modify the original `grep` pattern above to match blog posts with an ID between 20-29?

post=2[0-9]

What is the name of the filter plugin used in Logstash to parse unstructured log data?

Grok

Task 8:Log Analysis Tools: Cyber Chef



Answer the questions below

Locate the "loganalysis.zip" file under `/root/Rooms/introloganalysis/task8` and extract the contents.

No answer needed

Upload the log file named "access.log" to CyberChef. Use regex to list all of the IP addresses. What is the full IP address beginning in 212?

212.14.17.145

Using the same log file from Question #2, a request was made that is encoded in base64. What is the decoded value?

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Using CyberChef, decode the file named "encodedflag.txt" and use regex to extract by MAC address. What is the extracted value?

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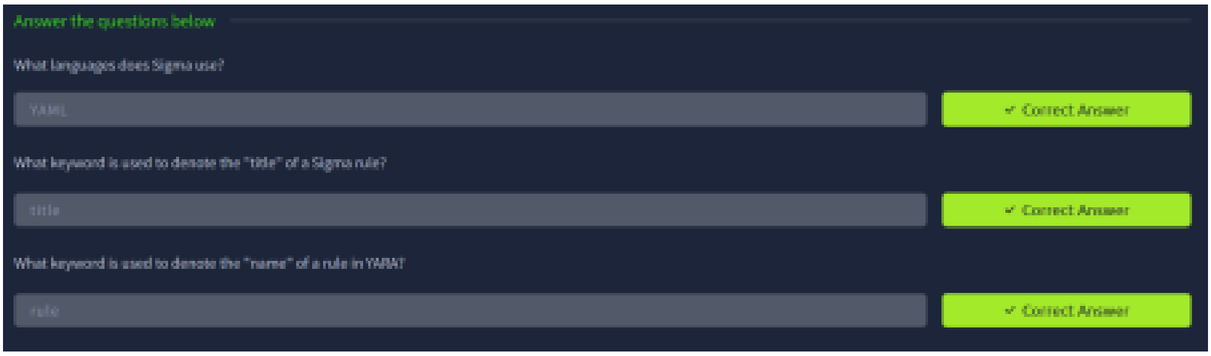
Task 9:Log Analysis Tools: Yara and Sigma



Answer the questions below

What languages does Sigma use?

YAML

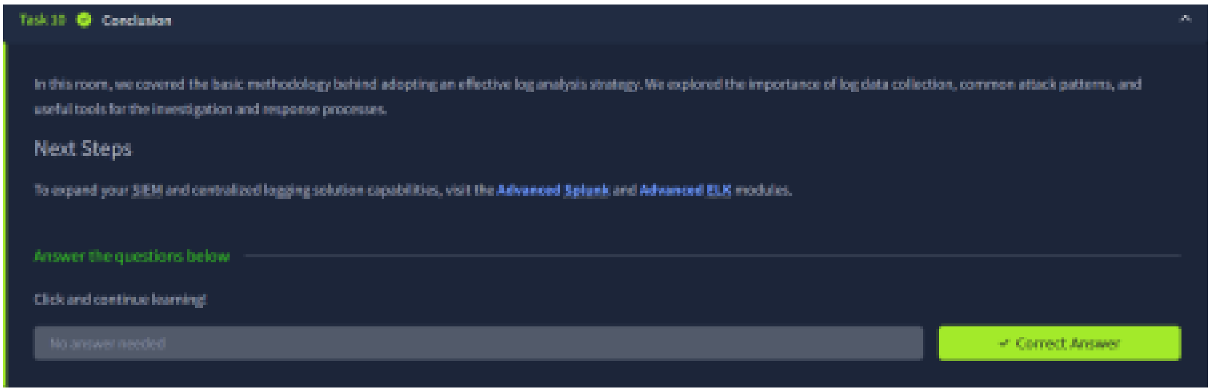
What keyword is used to denote the "title" of a Sigma rule?

title

What keyword is used to denote the "name" of a rule in YARA?

rule

Task 10:Conclusion



Task 10 Conclusion

In this room, we covered the basic methodology behind adopting an effective log analysis strategy. We explored the importance of log data collection, common attack patterns, and useful tools for the investigation and response processes.

Next Steps

To expand your SIEM and centralized logging solution capabilities, visit the Advanced Splunk and Advanced ELK modules.

Answer the questions below

Click and continue learning!

No answer needed

RESULT:

Thus, the experiment is completed successfully in try hack me platform.