



# Suspicious Local User Creation and Privilege Abuse

1 message

<rangammabokka46@gmail.com>  
Reply-to: rangammabokka46@gmail.com  
To: rangammabokka46@gmail.com

Sat, May 24, 2025 at 9:04 PM

A new local user was created and added to the administrators group.

At least 1 events occurred between 2025-05-24 20:43 India Standard Time and 2025-05-24 20:53 India Standard Time

```
@timestamp: 2025-05-24T15:23:19.574Z
_id: 4EzkApcBju6GhRx1QNCJ
_index: .ds-winlogbeat-8.10.2-2025.05.14-000001
agent: {
  "ephemeral_id": "e554b7b3-41cc-4d4b-82ad-de9408b80f6f",
  "id": "e5e3a761-acc3-41a2-88c5-ee2b2b236970",
  "name": "Viticm-SOC",
  "type": "winlogbeat",
  "version": "8.10.2"
}
ecs: {
  "version": "1.12.0"
}
event: {
  "action": "added-user-account",
  "category": [
    "iam"
  ],
  "code": "4720",
  "created": "2025-05-24T15:23:23.076Z",
  "ingested": "2025-05-24T15:23:22.584704800Z",
  "kind": "event",
  "module": "security",
  "outcome": "success",
  "provider": "Microsoft-Windows-Security-Auditing",
  "type": [
    "user",
    "creation"
  ]
}
host: {
  "architecture": "x86_64",
  "hostname": "viticm-soc",
  "id": "7e25c1a1-4745-47c6-abe9-ec7f50bf1d98",
  "ip": [
    "fe80::2674:6aaf:881:b09b",
    "192.168.52.131"
  ],
  "mac": [
    "00-0C-29-C5-7F-10"
  ],
  "name": "viticm-soc",
  "os": {
    "build": "19045.5854",
    "family": "windows",
    "kernel": "10.0.19041.5848 (WinBuild.160101.0800)",
    "name": "Windows 10 Home",
    "platform": "windows",
    "type": "windows",
    "version": "10.0"
  }
}
log: {
  "level": "information"
}
message: A user account was created.
```

Subject:  
Security ID: S-1-5-21-3403377879-2231786425-1901733960-1001  
Account Name: ranga  
Account Domain: VITICM-SOC  
Logon ID: 0x55FBA

New Account:  
Security ID: S-1-5-21-3403377879-2231786425-1901733960-1002  
Account Name: attacker  
Account Domain: VITICM-SOC

Attributes:  
SAM Account Name: attacker  
Display Name: <value not set>  
User Principal Name: -  
Home Directory: <value not set>  
Home Drive: <value not set>  
Script Path: <value not set>  
Profile Path: <value not set>  
User Workstations: <value not set>  
Password Last Set: <never>  
Account Expires: <never>  
Primary Group ID: 513  
Allowed To Delegate To: -  
Old UAC Value: 0x0  
New UAC Value: 0x15  
User Account Control:  
Account Disabled  
'Password Not Required' - Enabled  
'Normal Account' - Enabled  
User Parameters: <value not set>  
SID History: -  
Logon Hours: All

Additional Information:

Privileges -  
num\_hits: 3  
num\_matches: 3  
related: {  
"user": [  
"ranga",  
"attacker"  
]  
}  
user: {  
"domain": "VITICM-SOC",  
"id": "S-1-5-21-3403377879-2231786425-1901733960-1001",  
"name": "ranga",  
"target": {  
"domain": "VITICM-SOC",  
"id": "S-1-5-21-3403377879-2231786425-1901733960-1002",  
"name": "attacker"  
}  
}  
}  
winlog: {  
"activity\_id": "{fad47bef-ccb5-0000-da7d-d4fab5ccdb01}",  
"api": "wineventlog",  
"channel": "Security",  
"computer\_name": "Viticm-SOC",  
"event\_data": {  
"AccountExpires": "%1794",  
"AllowedToDelegateTo": "-",  
"DisplayName": "%1793",  
"HomeDirectory": "%1793",  
"HomePath": "%1793",  
"LogonHours": "%1797",  
"NewUACList": [  
"SCRIPT",  
"LOCKOUT"  
],  
"NewUacValue": "0x15",  
"OldUacValue": "0x0",  
"PasswordLastSet": "%1794",  
"PrimaryGroupId": "513",

```
    "PrivilegeList": "-",
    "ProfilePath": "%%1793",
    "SamAccountName": "attacker",
    "ScriptPath": "%%1793",
    "SidHistory": "-",
    "SubjectDomainName": "VITICM-SOC",
    "SubjectLogonId": "0x55fba",
    "SubjectUserName": "ranga",
    "SubjectUserSid": "S-1-5-21-3403377879-2231786425-1901733960-1001",
    "TargetDomainName": "VITICM-SOC",
    "TargetSid": "S-1-5-21-3403377879-2231786425-1901733960-1002",
    "TargetUserName": "attacker",
    "UserAccountControl": [
        "2080",
        "2082",
        "2084"
    ],
    "UserParameters": "%%1793",
    "UserPrincipalName": "-",
    "UserWorkstations": "%%1793"
},
"event_id": "4720",
"keywords": [
    "Audit Success"
],
"logon": {
    "id": "0x55fba"
},
"opcode": "Info",
"process": {
    "pid": 828,
    "thread": {
        "id": 3384
    }
},
"provider_guid": "{54849625-5478-4994-a5ba-3e3b0328c30d}",
"provider_name": "Microsoft-Windows-Security-Auditing",
"record_id": "64617",
"task": "User Account Management"
}
```