

## Objective

Automate **vulnerability detection and remediation** from Software Composition Analysis (SCA) tools (e.g., **BlackDuck**) using an **Agentic AI system** that integrates with **ServiceNow** for ticket management and **Git** for automated code fixes with **Human-in-the-Loop (HIL)** validation.

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## Phase 1 – Problem Definition & Scope Alignment

**Goal:** Establish a clear understanding of objectives, agent roles, and success metrics.

#	Task	Description
1.1	Define POC objectives	Identify the problem, scope, and measurable outcomes
1.2	Identify agent roles	Define Parser, Analyzer, Remediator, Git, ServiceNow, and HIL Supervisor agents
1.3	Establish KPIs	Define performance, accuracy, and autonomy metrics
1.4	Risk & boundary analysis	Determine safety, compliance, and code modification limits

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## Phase 2 – Data & Knowledge Preparation

**Goal:** Prepare vulnerability data and knowledge sources for reasoning and context retrieval.

#	Task	Description
2.1	Collect SCA reports	Export sample BlackDuck reports (JSON/XML/CSV)
2.2	Define vulnerability schema	Identify key fields (CVE ID, package, version, severity, fix info)

2.3	Create preprocessing pipeline	Write parsers to standardize and clean data
2.4	Build vulnerability embeddings	Use CVE descriptions and fix data to generate vector representations
2.5	Connect CVE knowledge base	Integrate with public NVD / OSV databases for contextual enrichment
2.6	Configure ADK data connectors	Feed processed data into the agent environment

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## Phase 3 – Agent Architecture Design (Google ADK)

**Goal:** Design the autonomous agent system for parsing, analyzing, remediating, and integrating actions.

### ✓ Tasks

#	Task	Description
3.1	Design multi-agent structure	Define agents (Parser, Analyzer, Remediator, Git, ServiceNow, HIL) and their interactions
3.2	Define reasoning and memory flow	Configure ADK memory (short-term, episodic, long-term)
3.3	Build agent prompt templates	Create system prompts, roles, and behaviors
3.4	Integrate tools and APIs	Register APIs (Git, ServiceNow) within ADK
3.5	Define safety & guardrails	Implement constraints for code edits and workflow execution
3.6	Document orchestration flow	Map sequence: Parse → Analyze → Remediate → Validate → Integrate

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## Phase 4 – Prototype Development (FastAPI Backend)

**Goal:** Implement and deploy backend pipelines to operationalize agent interactions.

## ✓ Tasks

#	Task	Description
4.1	Setup FastAPI project	Scaffold backend with versioned routes
4.2	Implement ADK orchestration	Connect ADK agents to FastAPI endpoints
4.3	Integrate Git API	Enable branch creation, code commits, and PR generation
4.4	Integrate ServiceNow API	Enable automated ticket creation & updates
4.5	Implement HIL workflow	Build approval interface for human validation
4.6	Add observability hooks	Integrate logging, traces, and agent reasoning monitoring
4.7	Unit and API testing	Validate agent endpoints & responses

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## Phase 5 – Experimentation & Simulation

**Goal:** Validate end-to-end agent workflows in controlled experiments.

#	Task	Description
5.1	Test vulnerability parsing	Evaluate Parser Agent on various report formats
5.2	Validate severity classification	Check Analyzer Agent accuracy vs known CVSS levels
5.3	Test remediation generation	Assess fix suggestions and dependency updates
5.4	Conduct HIL simulations	Run human feedback cycles for generated patches
5.5	Measure performance metrics	Record latency, cost, and success rate

5.6    Iterate improvements                      Refine prompts, logic, and API calls

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## Phase 6 – Evaluation & Validation

**Goal:** Ensure the POC meets functional, security, and business expectations.

#	Task	Description
6.1	Evaluate accuracy & reliability	Compare outputs with ground-truth and manual baselines
6.2	Validate security guardrails	Test restricted Git actions and controlled execution
6.3	Conduct stress tests	Run agents on large SCA data sets
6.4	Generate technical report	Consolidate evaluation data & business metrics
6.5	Go/No-Go decision	Stakeholder review of readiness for MVP phase

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## Phase 7 – Streamlit Frontend & Demonstration

**Goal:** Build an interactive, user-facing dashboard to showcase the POC.

### Tasks

#	Task	Description
7.1	Design Streamlit UI layout	Build upload, view, and approval sections
7.2	Integrate FastAPI endpoints	Connect UI with backend agent endpoints
7.3	Add real-time visualizations	Display vulnerability trends, severity graphs, PR & ticket status
7.4	Implement HIL control UI	Add approve/reject workflow for remediations

7.5	Conduct demo session	Live run from scan to PR generation
7.6	Gather stakeholder feedback	Capture feedback and improvement areas

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