Alert Triage Practice

Objective:

The objective of this task is to perform alert triage by analyzing a security alert, assigning an appropriate priority, and validating indicators of compromise using threat intelligence platforms.

Alert Triage Details

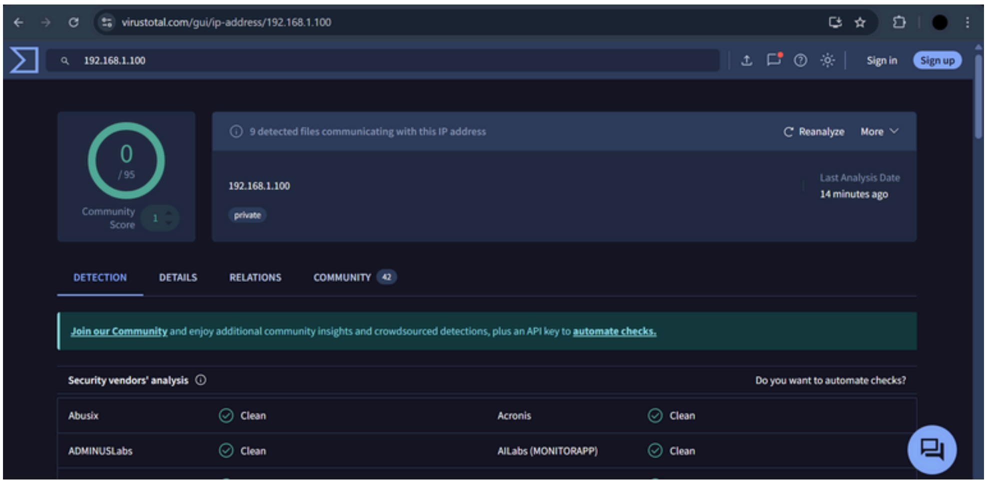
Alert ID	Description	Source IP	Priority	Status
2	Brute-force SSH	192.168.1.100	Medium	Open

Threat Intelligence Validation

Tool Used : VirusTotal

Indicator Checked:

IP Address: 192.168.1.100



virustotal.com/gui/ip-address/192.168.1.100

192.168.1.100

9 detected files communicating with this IP address

192.168.1.100

private

Last Analysis Date
14 minutes ago

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Security vendors' analysis

Do you want to automate checks?

Abusix	✓ Clean	Acronis	✓ Clean
ADMINUSLabs	✓ Clean	AILabs (MONITORAPP)	✓ Clean

Threat Intelligence Findings

The source IP address 192.168.1.100 was analyzed using VirusTotal. The IP address is classified as a private address and showed no malicious detections from security vendors. The alert was identified as a possible brute-force SSH attempt, assigned Medium priority, and kept open for monitoring.

Outcome:
No immediate escalation was required. The alert was monitored for further activity as part of routine SOC operations to avoid false positives.

Key Learning:
This task improved understanding of alert triage, IOC validation, and decision-making using threat intelligence tools.