Home Network Monitoring Setup

ElasticStack SIEM

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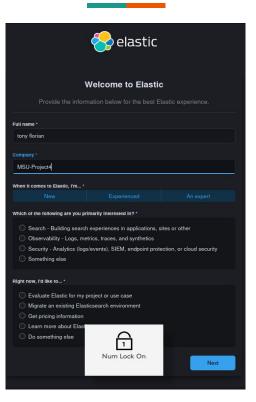


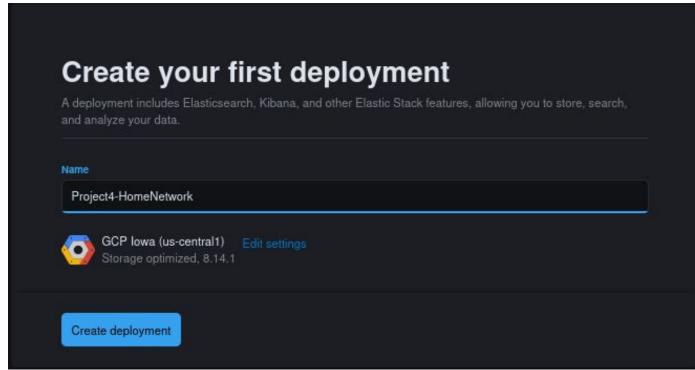
What is ElasticStack and Why Use It?

- A data analytics platform designed to provide visibility into many kinds of datasets
- It can be configured as a SIEM solution at a bargain compared to big name SIEM vendors such as Splunk
- It provides great support for security monitoring, including pre-made rules and dashboards to provide mitigate common vulnerabilities and attack methods
- It also provides integrations with common platforms such as Azure, AWS, and CISCO products
- As you will see in our demonstrations, Elastic can provide nearly all of the same functionality that a
 dedicated SIEM platform would
- Elastic's low cost to feature ratio makes it well-suited for low budget organizations looking to launch a security monitoring environment from scratch

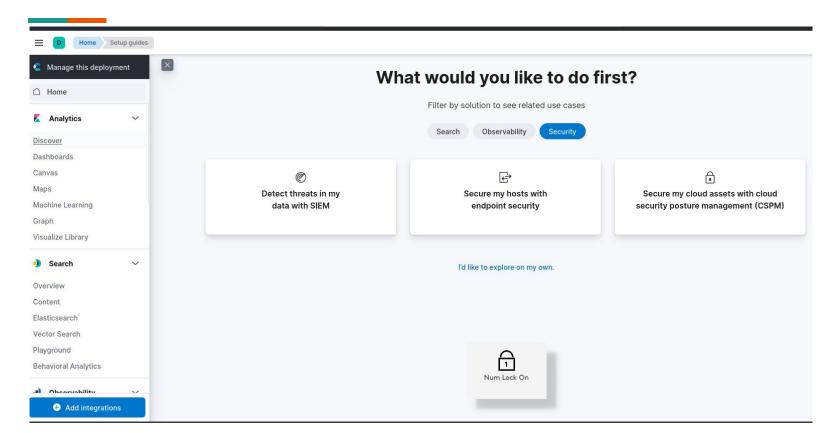


Initial Registration





Post Deployment HomePage

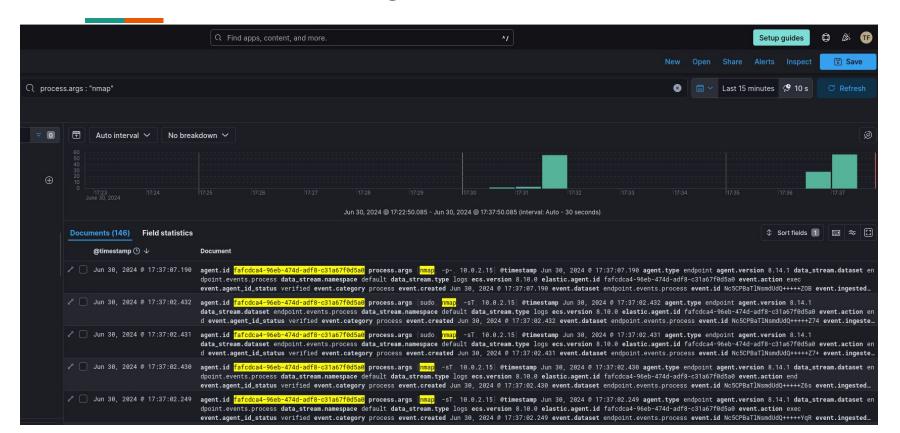




Simulated Attack

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└$ ifconfig
eth0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
        inet 10.0.2.15 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 10.0.2.255
        inet6 fe80::a00:27ff:fe1b:5269 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0×20<link>
       ether 08:00:27:1b:52:69 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
       RX packets 38971 bytes 43415361 (41.4 MiB)
       RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
       TX packets 22703 bytes 9561110 (9.1 MiB)
       TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
        inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
        inet6 :: 1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0×10<host>
        loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
       RX packets 6 bytes 340 (340.0 B)
       RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
       TX packets 6 bytes 340 (340.0 B)
       TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
 —(project4® kali)-[~]
s nmap 10.0.2.15
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-06-30 16:53 EDT
Nmap scan report for 10.0.2.15
Host is up (0.00011s latency).
All 1000 scanned ports on 10.0.2.15 are in ignored states.
Not shown: 1000 closed tcp ports (conn-refused)
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 0.08 seconds
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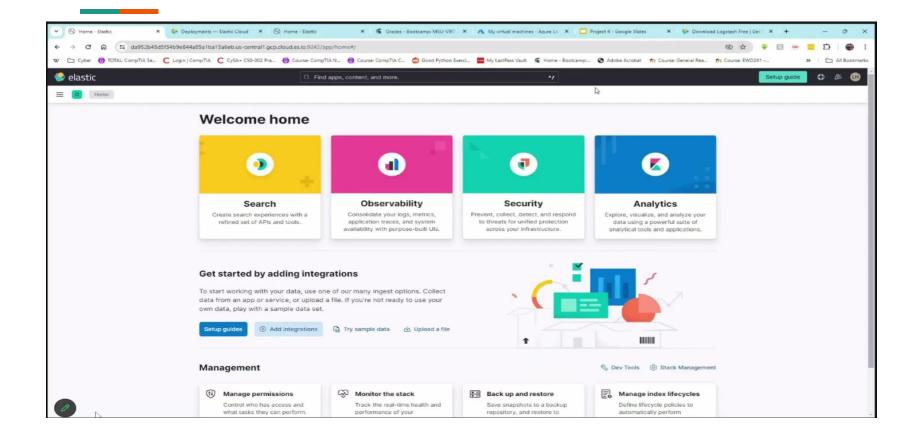
Simulated attack Logs



Live Demo (Adding Agent)



Live Demo (Alerts)



Live Demo (DashBoards)

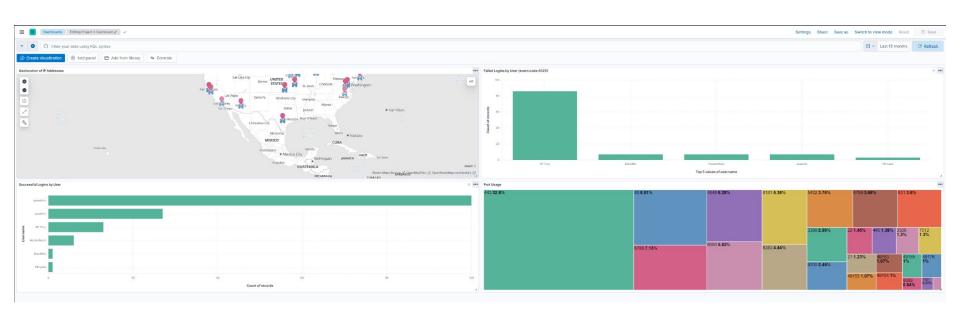


Demonstration Summary

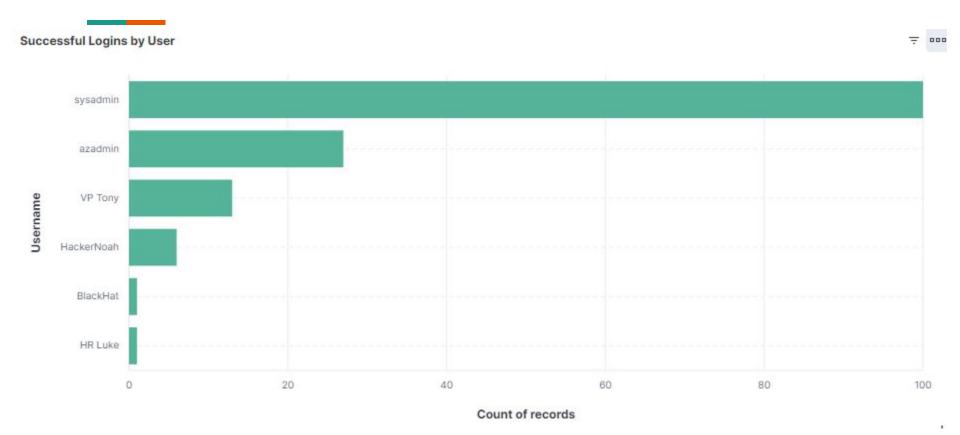
- Adding Agents
 - o Connecting Streams of data between HOST and Elastic-Deployment
 - This allows for multiple assets to be monitored in and outside of the network
- Creating Alerts
 - Customized alerts can generate reports/emails that are sent to the SOC team/administrators based on the thresholds set.
- Visualized Dashboards
 - Used to correlate information from the data stream using graphs/maps



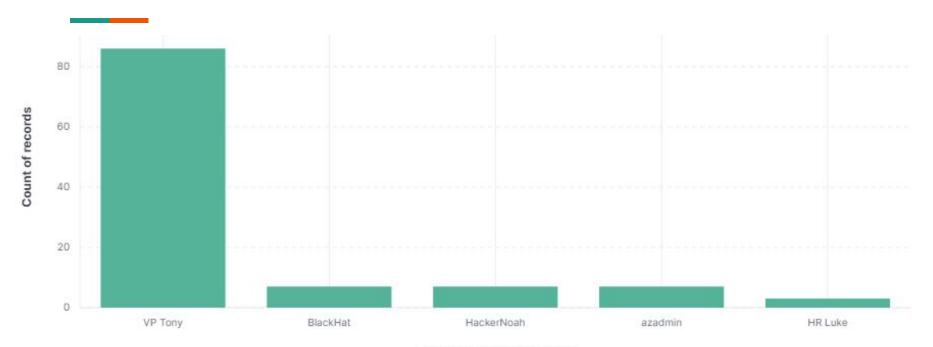
Example of a ElasticSearch Dashboard



Successful Logins By User Bar Graph

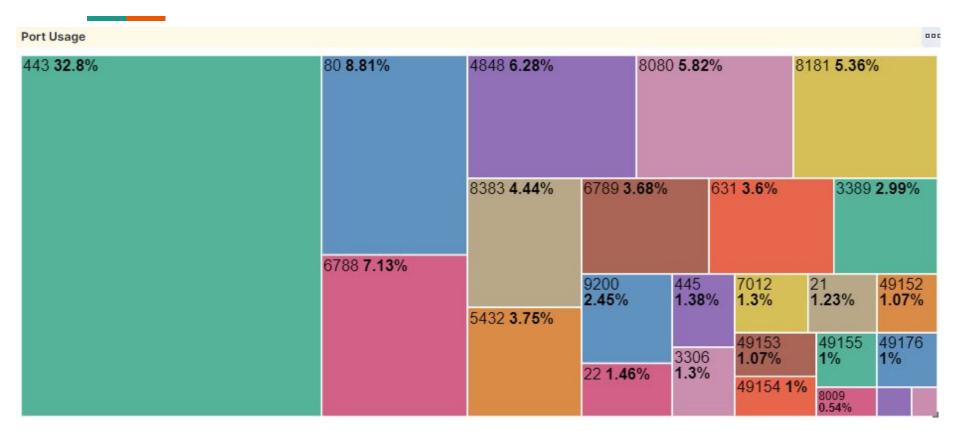


Failed Logins By User Column Chart

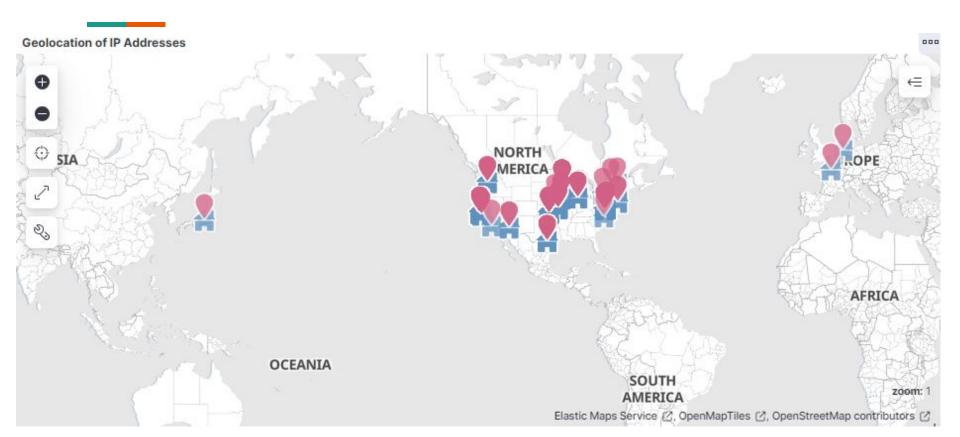


Top 5 values of user.name

Port Usage TreeMap



IP Address Geolocations





Reference Material

- For more Information Regarding ELK (ElastickStack)
 - o https://www.elastic.co/docs
- Learn more about different SIEMs
 - https://www.exabeam.com/explainers/siem-tools/siem-solutions/
- ElasticStack in the real world
 - https://www.elastic.co/customers/tamus



Pricing Comparison

ElasticSearch pricing depends on the size of the deployment. With 45 GB of available data storage, our cost would be \$97.82/month or \$1,173.84 per year. If we wanted 720 GB of storage instead, and scaled the rest of our deployment accordingly, the cost is around \$2190 per month.

For comparison, a ballpark estimate for a small organizations Splunk deployment is \$150 per GB of ingested data. At that price, a comparable Splunk environment to the one we created in the ElasticStack would cost about \$6750 per year, roughly 6x the price.