3.3 Technology Stack:

TOOLS EXPLORED IN THIS PROJECT:

1. OSINT (Open-Source Intelligence) Tools :

Tool Name	Use Case	
Shodan	Scanning internet-connected devices, servers, and vulnerabilities	
Maltego	Mapping relationships between domains, emails, IPs, and social networks	
theHarvester	Gathering emails, subdomains, and IP addresses from OSINT sources	
SpiderFoot	Automated OSINT for data gathering and reconnaissance	
Amass	Subdomain enumeration and asset discovery	
Recon-ng	Automating OSINT reconnaissance with modular functionality	
WHOIS Lookup	Checking domain ownership and registration details	

2. Threat Intelligence Platforms (TIPs):

Tool Name	Use Case
MITRE ATT&CK	Cyber threat framework mapping attacker tactics and techniques
AlienVault OTX	Community-driven threat intelligence sharing
IBM X-Force Exchange	Threat intelligence feeds and research
VirusTotal	Analyzing suspicious files and URLs for malware detection
ThreatConnect	Advanced threat intelligence platform
Recorded Future	AI-powered threat intelligence and risk analysis

3. Network Scanning & Security Assessment Tools

Tool Name	Use Case
Nmap (Network Mapper)	Scanning network hosts, services, and vulnerabilities
Wireshark	Network packet analysis for intrusion detection
Angry IP Scanner	Fast network scanning for IP discovery
OpenVAS	Comprehensive vulnerability scanning and reporting
QualysGuard	Cloud-based vulnerability assessment

Web Application Security Tools

Burp Suite	Web vulnerability scanning and penetration testing
OWASP ZAP (Zed Attack Proxy)	Web application security testing
Nikto	Web server scanning for misconfigurations and vulnerabilities
SQLmap	Automated SQL Injection testing
W3af	Web application vulnerability scanning

1. Penetration Testing & Exploitation Tools

Tool Name	Use Case
Metasploit Framework	Automated penetration testing and exploit execution
Cobalt Strike	Adversary simulation and red teaming
ExploitDB	Database of known exploits for various applications
Hydra	Brute-force password cracking
John the Ripper	Password cracking for security testing

2. Security Information & Event Management (SIEM) Tools

Tool Name	Use Case
Splunk	Security log analysis and real-time monitoring
IBM QRadar	AI-driven threat detection and log analysis
Elastic SIEM	Open-source SIEM with real-time threat detection
ArcSight	Security event correlation and analysis