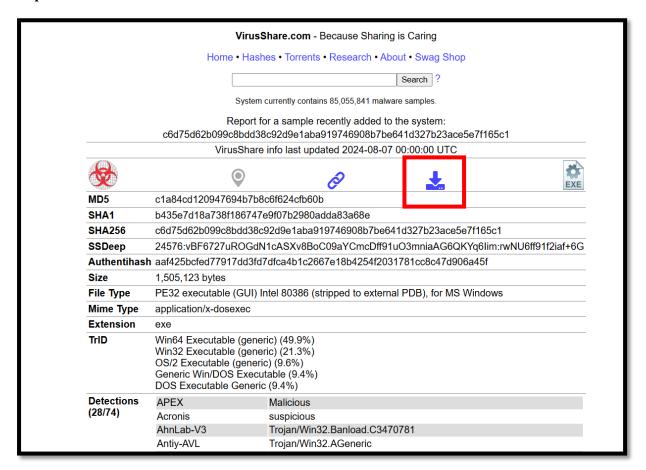
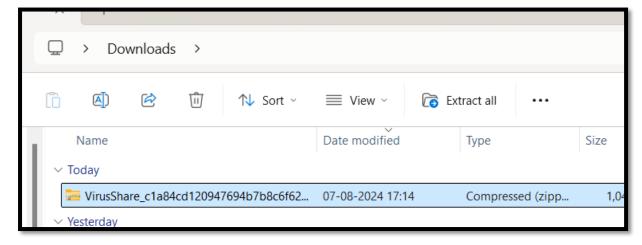
## **Practical No 9**

**AIM:** Malware Analysis and Detection: Analyze and identify malware samples using antivirus tools, analyze their behavior, and develop countermeasures to mitigate their impact.

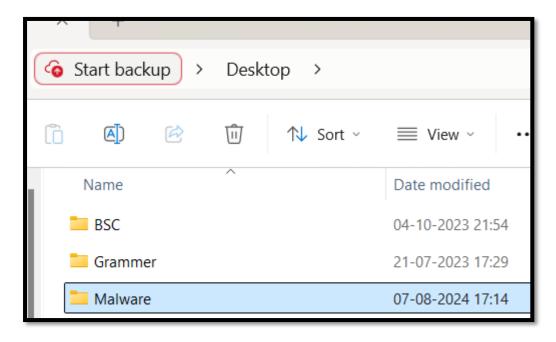
**Step 1:** Visit the website VirusShare.com for downloading the virus samples.

Step 2: Click on Download.

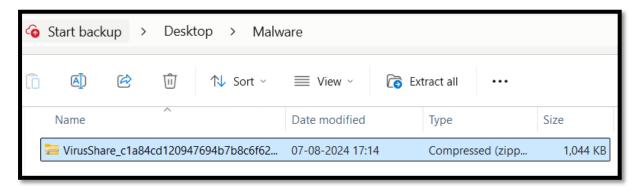




**Step 3:** Create a folder on the desktop name as Malware.



**Step 4:** Paste the zip file in that folder.



Step 5: Now scan the zip file on the website www.virustotal.com. Choose a file and scan it.



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For safety reasons, access to the site is granted by invitation only. To request to be added to the list, please email Melissa at Melissa97@virusshare.com with 'access' in the subject. She will review your request and hopefully send you an invitation link. Access to the site may be revoked at any time.

The use of bots, scripts, or other methods to scrape data from the site, download samples at an excessive rate, or otherwise affecting the performance of the site, backend systems, or user experience will not be tolerated.

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All samples are delivered in password-protected zip-files for safety. The password for <u>all</u> zip-compressed malware samples is "infected".

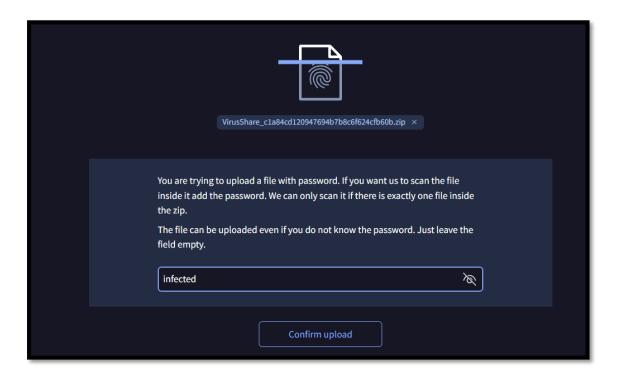
You can follow VirusShare via Mastodon at @VXShare@infosec.exchange.

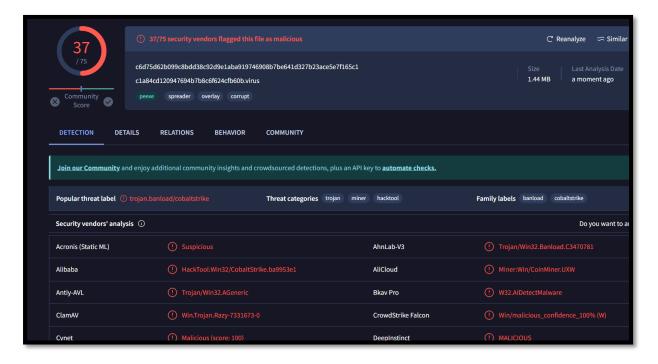
If you need to contact the administrator, he can be emailed at admin@virusshare.com

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Step 6: FIND THE SUITABLE REMEDIATION.

- 1. **Disconnect from the Internet:** Disconnect your computer from the internet to prevent the virus from spreading and to minimize further damage.
- 2. **Use Antivirus Software:** Run a full system scan using reputable antivirus software. Make sure your antivirus definitions are up to date before initiating the scan.
- 3. **Quarantine Infected Files:** If your antivirus software identifies infected files, quarantine or delete them as per the recommendations of the antivirus program.
- 4. **Update Your Operating System:** Ensure that your operating system is up to date with the latest security patches and updates. This helps in closing vulnerabilities that malware may exploit.
- 5. **Enable Firewall:** Make sure your computer's firewall is enabled to prevent unauthorized access.
- 6. **Change Passwords:** Change passwords for your important accounts, especially if you suspect that sensitive information may have been compromised.
- 7. **Restore from Backup:** If you have a recent and clean backup of your files, restore your system to that backup. This can help eliminate the virus from your system.