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# 1. Introduction

This Proof of Concept (PoC) highlights the practical use of two cybersecurity tools during the Digisuraksha Internship: ThreatView.io and Pew Research Center.

ThreatView was used to analyze Indicators of Compromise (IOCs) in real-time, while Pew Research offered data-driven support for awareness reporting.

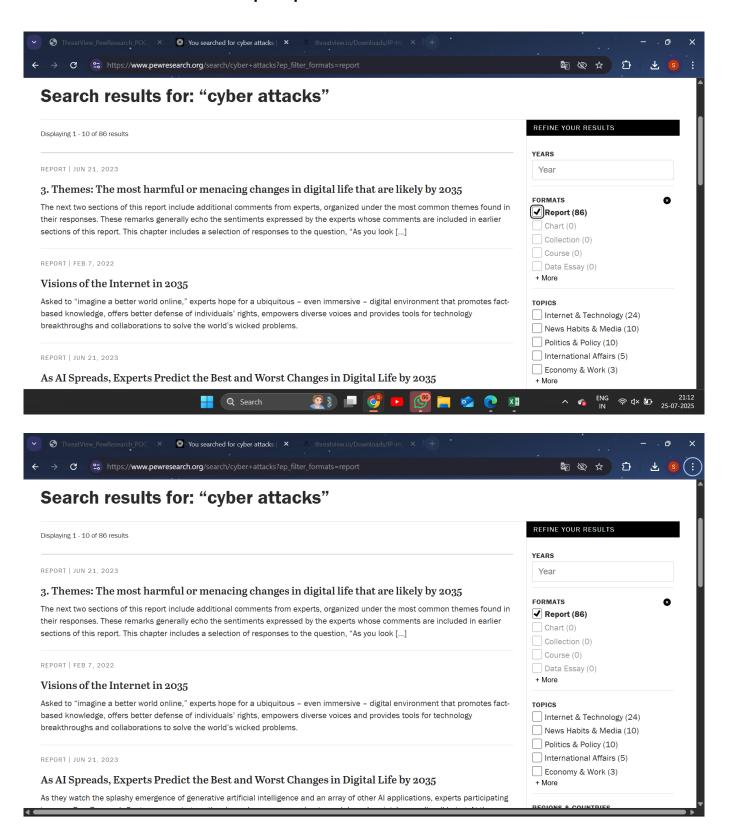
## 2. Tool 1: ThreatView.io - Threat Intelligence Feed Analyzer

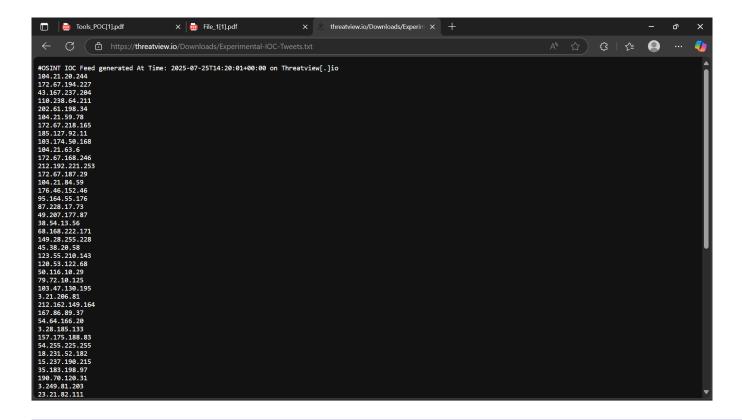
ThreatView.io provides daily threat feeds related to malicious IPs, phishing domains, malware hashes, and OSINT-based indicators.

Step-by-Step Usage:

- 1. Open https://threatview.io and click on the "Feeds" tab.
- 2. Choose IP, domain, or OSINT feed based on your use case.
- 3. Use Ctrl+F to manually search for a suspicious IP/hash you found in memory/network analysis.
- 4. Optionally cross-verify with VirusTotal or AbuseIPDB.

Screenshots:





# ThreatView Summary

### Use Cases:

- IOC verification (IPs, domains, hashes)
- Malware/phishing campaign detection
- DFIR (Digital Forensics & Incident Response)

#### **Best Practices:**

- Download feeds and automate parsing
- Validate with multi-source lookup tools (VirusTotal, Shodan)

#### Limitations:

- No custom search or analysis UI
- No real-time IOC submission or API

### **Checklist Summary:**

- [?] Feed-based IOC access

- [?] No login needed
- [?] IOC correlation with forensics
- [?] Free, lightweight tool

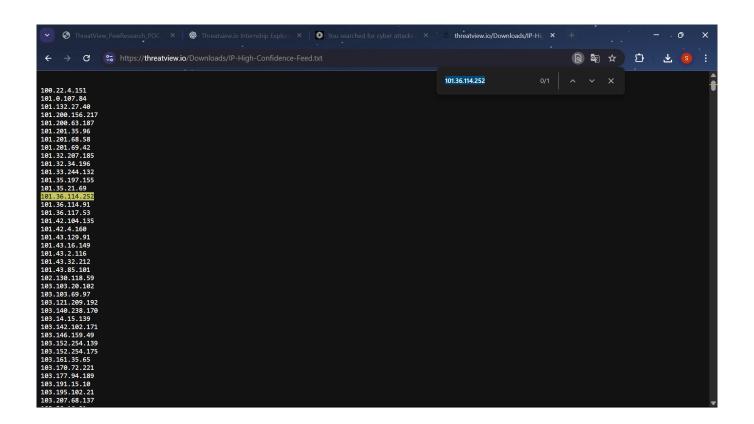
# 3. Tool 2: Pew Research Center - Cybersecurity Perception Tracker

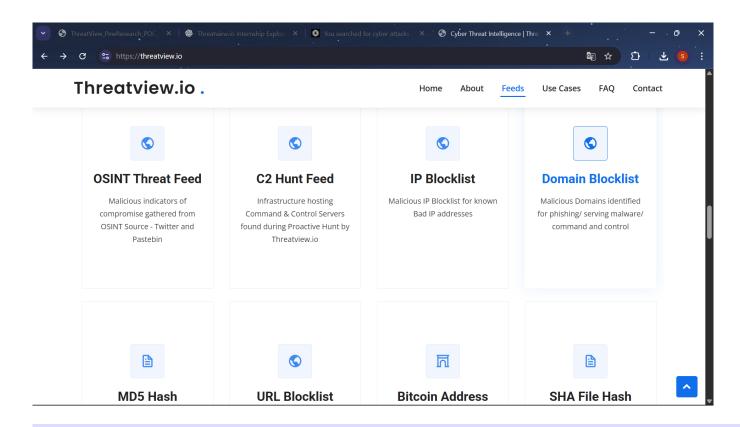
Pew Research Center is a public data platform offering well-researched reports on digital privacy, cybersecurity awareness, and internet trends.

#### How It Was Used:

- 1. Visited https://pewresearch.org and searched for "cyber attacks".
- 2. Accessed related reports and statistical findings.
- 3. Used expert comments and figures in the awareness section of the report.

### Screenshots:





# **Pew Research Summary**

## Use Cases:

- Strengthen documentation with user perception data
- Back awareness campaigns with real stats
- Report user behavior trends in phishing, data breach cases

## Limitations:

- Not technical (no IOC or hash data)
- Reports are not real-time or region-filtered

## **Checklist Summary:**

- [?] Trustworthy source
- [?] Public and freely accessible
- [?] Great for social engineering reports
- [?] Ideal for awareness and training content

# 4. Conclusion

This PoC reflects a strong blend of technical threat analysis and non-technical user awareness building.

ThreatView.io supported the forensic verification of real IOCs, while Pew Research added human behavior insights and data-driven evidence.

Together, they form a solid foundation for both technical investigation and awareness-based reporting in cybersecurity internships.