ABSTRACT

Development of a Wazuh SIEM for Preventing Access to Malicious URLs Using the Large Language Model based on BERT

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The threat posed by access to malicious URLs remains a significant issue in modern network security, as such URLs are frequently exploited in phishing, malware distribution, and data theft attacks. This study aims to develop a Security Information and Event Management (SIEM) system capable of automatically detecting and preventing access to malicious URLs. The system is built using Wazuh as the SIEM platform and leverages a BERT-based Large Language Model (LLM) for URL classification. The methodology involves training the LLM on a labeled URL dataset, integrating the model into Wazuh via a Flask API, and implementing an Active Response mechanism to block harmful access in real time. Experimental results demonstrate that the system can detect and prevent malicious URL access with accuracy 98%, precision 97%, recall 98% and F1-score 98%. In conclusion, integrating LLM into Wazuh enhances the SIEM's ability to respond to threats automatically and efficiently, able to show the alert directly on the SIEM and offering a practical contribution to network cybersecurity.

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