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## **HORIZON XDR/XPR**

**Administration Guide** 



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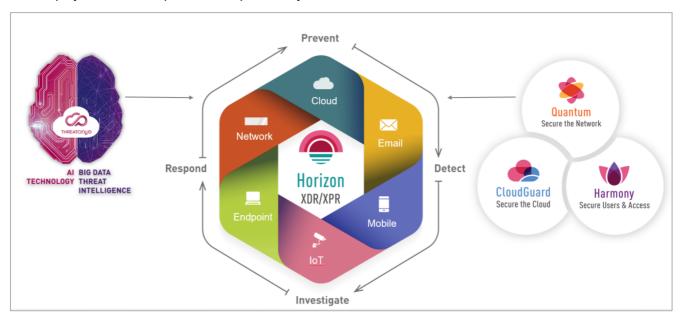
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## Introduction to Horizon XDR/XPR

Check Point Horizon XDR/XPR is an Extended Detection Response (XDR) and Extended Prevention Response (XPR) tool that provides a unified view of all the security operations across onboarded products and helps you detect, respond to and prevent cyber attacks.



Note - Check Point CloudGuard is not supported currently.

Horizon XDR/XPR uses Check Point ThreatCloud's Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) to analyze security events across the products to identify security risks in your organization. If a security risk is detected, it generates an <a href="incident">incident</a> (alert) with an appropriate priority based on the severity and confidence level of the detection, and provides mitigation to the incident. Incidents are also fully mapped to the MITRE ATT&CK framework and also allows you to view the internal and external intelligence available for an indicator and analyze files for threats.

### **Benefits**

- Unified view for all the security operations across products.
- Correlates multiple logs across products to a single security incident.
- Early automatic detection and response to security events across your products.
- Eliminates false positives.
- Provides a comprehensive understanding of your organization's security posture, which allows you to take more confident and effective actions to mitigate and prevent attacks.
- Advanced User Entity Behavioral Analytics (UEBA) detections.

### **Use Case**

You are subscribed to multiple products and you want a single application to prevent, detect, investigate, and respond to security attacks.

## **Supported Products**

Horizon XDR/XPR is supported with these products:

- Check Point Quantum Security Gateway Management
  - On-premises R81.10 with the R81.10 Jumbo Hotfix Accumulator Take 93 and higher.
  - Smart-1 Cloud
- Check Point Harmony Endpoint (EPMaaS)
- Check Point Harmony Email & Collaboration

## **API Support**

#### Horizon XDR/XPR API

You can use the Horizon XDR/XPR REST APIs to query incidents and forensic data in Horizon XDR/XPR.

To access Horizon XDR/XPR API:

- 1. Go to https://sc1.checkpoint.com/documents/latest/api\_reference/index.html.
- 2. Click Horizon.
- 3. In the Horizon XDR/XPR API widget, click Open.

### Horizon Threat Hunting API

You can use the Horizon Threat Hunting GraphQL APIs to query Horizon Threat Hunting and retrieve information about events reported by your devices.

To access Horizon Threat Hunting API:

- Go to https://sc1.checkpoint.com/documents/latest/api\_reference/index.html.
- 2. Click Horizon.
- 3. In the Horizon Threat Hunting API widget, click Open.

# **Getting Started**

To get started with Horizon XDR/XPR:

- Create an Account in the Infinity Portal
- 2. Access the Horizon XDR/XPR Administrator Portal
- 3. License the product
- 4. On-board Applications
- 5. Add Users
- 6. Address an Incident

## Creating an Account in the Infinity Portal

Check Point Infinity Portal is a web-based interface that hosts the Check Point security SaaS services. With Infinity Portal, you can manage and secure your IT infrastructures: networks, cloud, IoT, endpoints, and mobile devices.

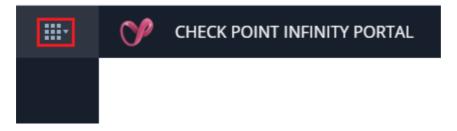
To create an Infinity Portal account, see the Infinity Portal Administration Guide.

## Accessing the Horizon XDR/XPR Administrator Portal

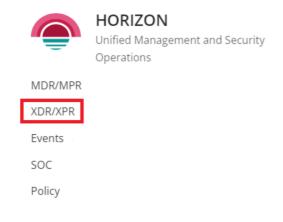
Note - The recommended browser is Google Chrome.

To access the Horizon XDR/XPR Administrator Portal:

- 1. Sign in to Check Point Infinity Portal.
- 2. Click the Menu button in the top left corner.



#### 3. Under Horizon, click XDR/XPR.



The "Overview" on page 14 page appears.

## Licensing the Product

When you create an account in the Infinity Portal and access the service, you get a free 30-day trial. After the 30-day trial period, you must purchase a software license to use the product. To purchase a license, you must create a Check Point User Center account. For instructions, see sk22716.

After you create a User Center account, contact your Check Point sales representative to purchase a license.

If you have licensed the product, you can view your current contract (license) information from the Infinity Portal > Global Settings > Contracts page.

## **On-boarding Products**

This table provides the on-boarding process for the supported products:

Product Family	Product Name	On-boarding Process
Check Point	Quantum Security Gateway	<ul> <li>On premises</li> <li>For R81.10 with the R81.10 Jumbo Hotfix Accumulator Take 93 and higher, see Sharing SmartConsole Configuration and Logs with Infinity Portal &gt; To share your on-premises Management Server log information with the Infinity Portal in the R81.10 Security Management Administration Guide.</li> <li>For R81.20, see Sharing SmartConsole Configuration and Logs with Infinity Portal &gt; To share your on-premises Management Server log information with the Infinity Portal in the R81.20 Security Management Administration Guide.</li> <li>Note - You can on-board only one Security Management Server. Multi-Domain Security Management Server is not supported.</li> <li>Smart-1 Cloud - Automatic if you subscribe to Horizon XDR/XPR.</li> </ul>
	Harmony Endpoint (EPMaaS)	Automatic if you subscribe to Horizon XDR/XPR. Ensure that you enable Threat Hunting in Harmony Endpoint. To enable, see "Enabling Threat Hunting" on page 67.  Note - You can on-board only one account (tenant) of Harmony Endpoint.
	Harmony Email & Collaboration	Automatic if you subscribe to Horizon XDR/XPR.  Note - You can on-board only one account (tenant) of Harmony Email & Collaboration.

After you successfully on-board, 3 appears for the product in the Source widget.



If odes not appear after 45 minutes of on-boarding, contact Check Point Support.

## Adding Users

To address incidents, you must assign it to a Security Operations Center (SOC) analyst (assignee) in your organization. To assign, you must add SOC analysts as users with Operator service specific role in the Horizon XDR/XPR portal. The specific service roles are in addition to the global rules and do not override them. For more information, see Specific Service Rules in the Infinity Portal Administration Guide.

To access Specific Service Roles, go to Global Settings > Users > New > Add User and expand Specific Service Roles.

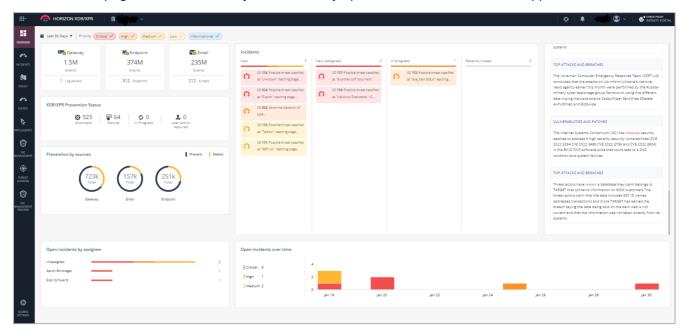
Role	Description
Admin	Full Read & Write access to all system aspects.
Operator	Has full access to handle incidents, including taking prevention actions, and read-only access to the Policy menu.  Typically, your SOC analyst.
Read-Only User	Has read-only access to the application.

# How to Address an Incident

Step	Owner	Action
1	Horizon XDR/XPR	Horizon XDR/XPR generates an incident.
2	Administrator	Assign the incident to a Security Operations Center (SOC) analyst.
3	SOC Analyst	In the "Incidents" on page 18 page, review these information on the incident:  Description Priority level Sources MITRE ATT&CK tactics involved. Assets involved. Identified Indicators of Compromise. Prevention actions taken and recommended prevention actions. Timeline of the incident
4	SOC Analyst	<ul> <li>See "Incidents - Insights &amp; Forensics" on page 36 to view insights and forensics (processes, files, URL, domains and Registry involved in the insight) related to the incident.</li> <li>See "Incidents - Affected Assets" on page 27 to view the assets involved in the incident.</li> <li>See "Incidents - Indicators &amp; Artifacts" on page 31 to view the indicators and artifacts involved the incident.</li> <li>See "Incidents - Attack Tree" on page 37 to view a graphical representation of the forensic report generated by Harmony Endpoint for each detection in an insight.</li> <li>See "Incidents - MITRE" on page 35 to know the MITRE ATT&amp;CK tactics used in the incident.</li> </ul>
5	SOC Analyst	To investigate the Indicator of Compromise involved in the incident and analyze a file, see "Intelligence" on page 48.
6	SOC Analyst	To investigate the logs further, see "Threat Hunting" on page 67.
7	SOC Analyst	Take the recommended prevention actions. See "Prevention" on page 26.

## Overview

The Overview page shows a summary of the security operations of the on-boarded applications.



To view the Overview page, access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Overview.

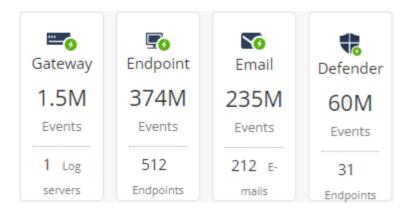
By default, the Overview page shows the data (all priorities) from the last 7 days.



To filter the data by priority:

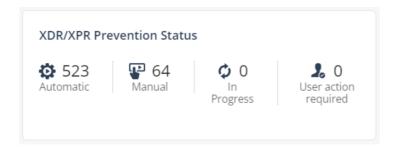
- 1. Select the time period. By default, it lists from the last 7 days.
- 2. Select the Priority. By default, all priority levels are selected.

### Sources



The Sources widget shows the number of logs and devices for the connected products.

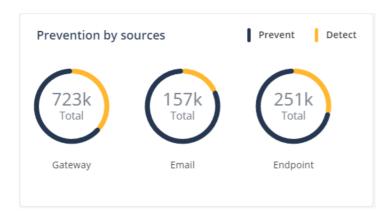
### XDR/XPR Prevention Status



The XDR/XPR Prevention Status widget displays the prevention status in Horizon XDR/XPR.

- Automatic The number of prevention steps taken automatically by Horizon XDR/XPR.
- Manual The number of prevention steps taken manually by the users.
- In Progress The number of prevention steps that are in progress.
- User action required The number of prevention steps that require user action.

## **Prevention by Sources**



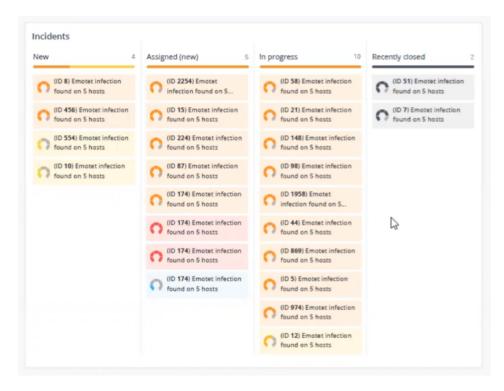
The Prevention by sources widget shows the number of security events analyzed for each on-boarded application and the respective security risk (detect/prevent) action.

## Open Incidents by Assignee



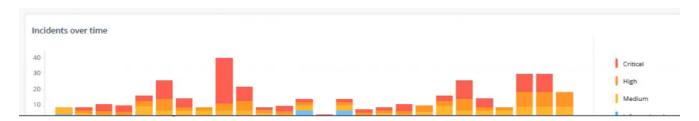
The Open incidents by Assignee widget lists the number of open incidents for each assignee. Incidents are color-coded based on the priority levels.

### Incidents



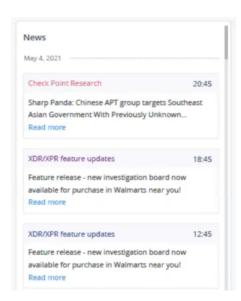
The Incidents widget lists incidents by status. Hover over the incident for more information. Incidents are color-coded based on the priority levels.

### **Incidents Over Time**



The Incidents over time widget shows the timeline of incidents by priority. Incidents are color-coded based on the priority levels.

## News



The News widget shows the latest cyber security news provided by Check Point Research.

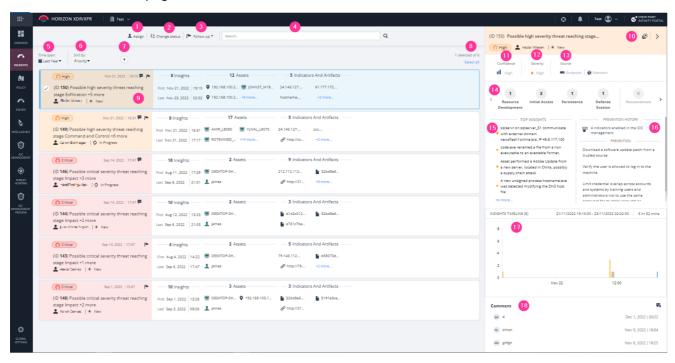
## Incidents

An incident is a collection of events from one or more products that together represent an attack story. Horizon XDR/XPR utilizes ThreatCloud's Artificial Intelligence (AI) and applies Machine Learning (ML) models to correlate between the events from on-boarded products (both benign and security events) into unified incidents. The incident's priority level is calculated based on the artifacts of the incident, including the confidence and severity levels of the detection. Incidents are actionable with prevention steps that can be taken within the Horizon XDR/XPR application.

The Incidents page shows the list of incidents and its details that includes:

- Insights that triggered the incident and its timeline
- Impacted assets and users
- Indicators
- Prevention history and recommended prevention actions. You can automate some of these actions. For more information, see "Automations" on page 38.

To view the Incidents page, access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents.



Lege nd	Item	Description
1	Assign	Assign a security expert to address the incident.
2	Change status	Change the status of the incident.  New In Progress Close - Handled Close - False Positive Close - Known Activity

Lege nd	Item	Description
3	Follow up	Indicates that the incident requires a follow-up.  Note - Horizon XDR/XPR does not send automatic reminders for follow-up.
4	Search	Search for the an asset, incident or a user.
5	Time span	Select the duration for which you want to view the incidents.  Last 24 hours Last week Last two weeks Last month Last year
6	Sort by	Select a criterion to sort the incidents.  Priority Creation date Last update Severity
7	+ (Filter)	Filter the incidents by:  Assignee Status Priority
8	Select all	Select or clear all incidents.

Lege nd	Item	Description	
9	Inciden	Shows incide	nt details.
	t	stage Exfiltra	2 Nov 21, 2022 19:10
		Legend	Description
		1	Priority of the incident:  Critical High Medium Low Informational
		2	Date and time when the incident was generated.
		3	View the comments added related to the incident.
		4	Add or remove the follow-up flag on the incident.
		5	Incident ID and title. Click the title to open the "Incidents - Overview" on page 22 page.
		6	Security Operations Center (SOC) analyst assigned to the incident. Shows Unassigned if an incident is unassigned.
		7	Status of the incident. Click to set the status.  New In Progress Close - Handled Close - False Positive Close - Known Activity
		8	Number of insights involved in triggering the incident with date and time when the first and last insight was created. Click to view "Incidents - Insights & Forensics" on page 36 page.  An insight is anaggregation of one or more logs into valuable observations indicating the nature of the activity.
		9	Number of assets involved in the incident.
		10	Number of indicators and artifacts involved in the incident.
		11	Opens the "Incidents - Overview" on page 22 page.

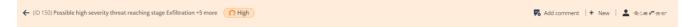
Lege nd	Item	Description
10		Opens the incident "Incidents - Overview" on the next page page in a new tab.
11	Confid ence	Confidence level of the detection:  High Medium Low
12	Severit y	Priority of the incident:  Critical High Medium Low Informational
13	Source	The source of the events correlated into the incident.  Indepoint (Harmony Endpoint)  Gateway (Quantum Security Gateway)  Email (Harmony Email & Collaboration)
14	MITRE ATT&C K	MITRE ATT&CK tactics and techniques involved in the incident. The numbers represent the number of insights related to each tactic.  Opens the "Incidents - Insights & Forensics" on page 36 page that shows the related insights.
15	Top Insights	Top insights for the incident.
16	Preven tion	Lists prevention actions taken and those that are recommended to be taken.
17	Insights Timelin e	Shows the timeline of insights and the duration between the first and the last insight.
18	Comm ents	Shows the comments added for the incident. Click to add a comment.

# **Top Banner**

The top banner is displayed in these pages:

- "Incidents Overview" on the next page
- "Incidents Affected Assets" on page 27
- "Incidents Indicators & Artifacts" on page 31

- "Incidents MITRE" on page 35
- "Incidents Insights & Forensics" on page 36
- "Incidents Attack Tree" on page 37.



You can see the incident title, priority of the incident and allows you to <u>add a comment</u> and <u>change incident</u> status.

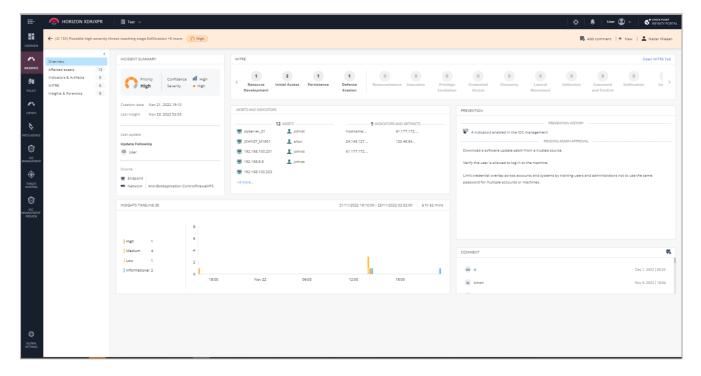
### Incidents - Overview

The Overview page shows the details of the incident and allows you to perform these actions:

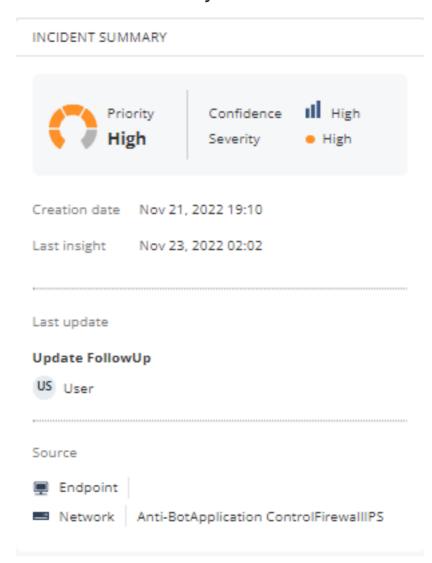
- "Managing Assets and Indicators" on page 25
  - · Copying an asset, indicator or artifact name to the clipboard
  - Viewingforensic details related to the chosen asset
  - · Viewing intelligence for asset, indicator or an artifact
  - · Searching for an asset, indicator or an artifact in an incident
- Execute prevention actions. See "Prevention" on page 26
- "Adding a Comment" on page 27

To view the Overview page, access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents:

- Click the incident title.
- Hover over the incident and click >.



## **Incident Summary**



#### The Incident Summary widget shows:

- Priority of the incident:
  - Critical
  - High
  - Medium
  - Low
  - Informational
- Confidence level of the detection:
  - High
  - Medium
  - Low
- Severity of the incident:

- Critical
- High
- Medium
- Low
- Informational
- Creation date Date and time when incident was created.
- Last insight Date and time when the last insight was added to the incident.
- Last update on the incident
- The source of the events correlated into the incident.
  - Endpoint (Harmony Endpoint)
  - Gateway (Quantum Security Gateway)
  - Email (Harmony Email & Collaboration)

#### **MITRE**



MITRE ATT&CK tactics and techniques involved in the incident. The numbers represent the number of insights related to each tactic.

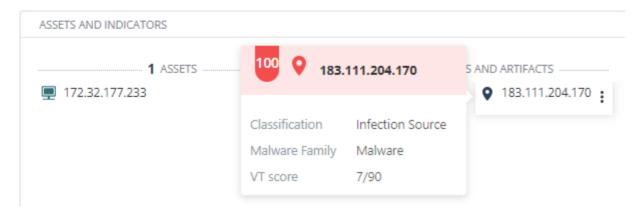
Click Open MITRE Tab to open the "Incidents - MITRE" on page 35 page.

#### Assets and Indicators



The Assets and Indicators widget shows:

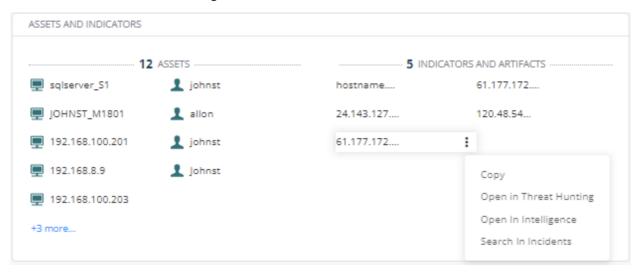
- Assets involved in the incident.
- Indicators and artifacts involved in the incident.



Hover over the indicator or artifact to view the risk level score (for example, 34), Classification, Malware Family and the VT score.

#### Managing Assets and Indicators

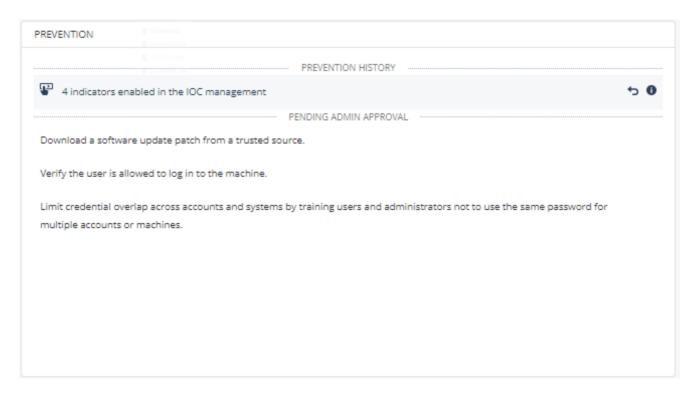
- 1. Click Incidents:
  - a. Click the incident title.
  - b. Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. In the Assets and Indicators widget, hover over the asset, indicator or an artifact.



- 3. Hover over :
- To copy an asset, indicator or artifact name to the clipboard, click Copy.
   Horizon XDR/XPR copies the name of the asset, indicator or the artifact to the clipboard.
- 5. To view forensic details related to the chosen asset, click Open in Threat Hunting.
  - Horizon XDR/XPR opens the "Threat Hunting" on page 67 page and shows the data for the asset, indicator or the artifact for the last seven days.
- 6. To view intelligence for an indicator or artifact, click Open in Intelligence.
  - Horizon XDR/XPR opens the Intelligence page and shows the available intelligence for the asset, indicator or the artifact.
- 7. To search for asset, indicator or artifact in incidents, click Search in Incidents.

Horizon XDR/XPR opens the "Incidents" on page 18 page and shows the incidents with the searched asset, indicator or the artifact.

#### Prevention



#### The Prevention widget shows:

- Prevention History Automatic ( ) and manual ( ) prevention actions that Horizon XDR/XPR takes. The available prevention steps include:
  - · Enable IoCs in the IoC Management
  - · Isolate an asset in Harmony Endpoint
  - Quarantine a file in Harmony Endpoint
  - Killing a process in Harmony Endpoint.

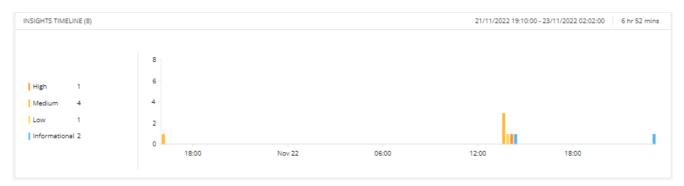
For more information, see Push Operations in the Harmony Endpoint Administration Guide.

• Isolate IP addresses (hosts) in the Quantum Security Gateway.

This is implemented using Check Point PlayBlocks that is currently available only to customers in the Early Availability (EA) program. To enroll to the EA program, contact <a href="mailto:yaelci@checkpoint.com">yaelci@checkpoint.com</a>.

Pending Admin Approval - Recommended prevention actions that can be taken from Horizon XDR/XPR and those that should be taken outside of Horizon XDR/XPR, for example in one of the onboarded products.

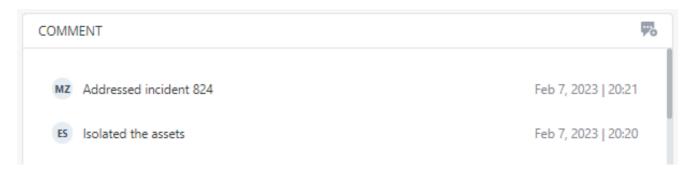
## **Insights Timeline**



The Insights Timeline widget shows the:

- Timeline of insights color-coded according to their severity.
- Date and time when the first and last insight was created.
- Duration between the first and last insight.

#### Comments



The Comments widget shows the comments added by the SOC analysts to the incident.

#### Adding a Comment

- 1. Click Incidents:
  - a. Click the incident title.
  - b. Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. In the Comments widget, click
- 3. Enter a comment (maximum 150 characters) and click Save.

## Incidents - Affected Assets

The Affected Assets page shows the details of assets involved in the incident and allows you to perform these actions:

- "Managing Indicators and Artifacts" on page 34
  - · Isolating an Asset
  - · Isolating an IP Address
  - · De-isolating an Asset
  - · De-isolating an IP Address
  - · Copying an Asset Name to Clipboard
  - Viewing Intelligence for an Asset
  - Searching for an Asset in Incidents
  - · Viewing Threat Hunting for an Asset
- "Creating an Exclusion for an Asset from an Incident" on page 30

To view the Affected Assets page:

- 1. Access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Affected assets.

To edit the columns in the table, click Edit columns and select the columns.

To export the data to an excel in CSV format, click Export All (CSV).

To search, in the Search field, enter the string. The table automatically filters and shows the content that matches with the string.

Column	Description	
Туре	Asset type:  Machine User IP address Email address	
Asset name	Asset name.	
Endpoint Status	Installation status of the Harmony Endpoint Security client on the machine.	
Endpoint Isolation Status	Isolation status of the machine. Applies only to machines with Harmony Endpoint Security client installed.	
Gateway Status	Isolation status of the asset on the gateway. Applies only to assets of type IP address.	
OS Name	Operating System of the machine.	
Last IP address	Last associated IP address with the asset. Applies only to endpoints and IP address.	
OS Version	Version of the Operating System.	

Column	Description
Computer Last Seen	Date when the asset was last seen in the logs of the on-boarded products.
GUID	Global Unique Identifier of the asset.
AD Domain	Active Directory domain of the asset.
Users	Users related to the asset.
Last IP Address	Last IP address associated with the asset.
Associated IPs	IP addresses associated with the asset.
Insights	Number of insights related to the incident in which the asset is involved. Hover over to view the insights by severity.
Indicators	Number of indicators related to the incident in which the asset is involved. Hover over to view the indicators by severity.
Related Incidents	Number of incidents where the asset was involved.

### Managing Affected Assets

- 1. Click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Affected assets.
- 3. Select the asset.
- 4. To isolate an affected endpoint from the network. Horizon XDR/XPR enforces isolation through Harmony Endpoint's Isolate Computer push operation, at the top of the page, click Isolate and then click Isolate on Endpoint.
  - A confirmation message appears. Click Yes.
- 5. To isolate an asset of the type IP address on the Quantum Security Gateway, at the top of the page, click Isolate and then click Isolate on Gateway.
  - A confirmation message appears. Click Yes.
- 6. To de-isolate an isolated endpoint in the network. Horizon XDR/XPR enforces isolation through Harmony Endpoint's Isolate Computer push operation, at the top of the page, click De-Isolate.
  - A confirmation message appears. Click Yes.
- 7. To de-isolate or unblock an isolated IP address in the network. Horizon XDR/XPR enforces isolation through the Quantum Security Gateway, at the top of the page, click De-Isolate.
  - A confirmation message appears. Click Yes.

8. To copy an asset name to the clipboard, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over , and click Copy Asset Name.

Horizon XDR/XPR copies the name of the asset to the clipboard.

9. To view intelligence for an IP address, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over , and click Open in Intelligence.

Horizon XDR/XPR opens the Intelligence page and shows the available intelligence for the IP address.

- Note This applies only to assets of type IP address.
- To isolate an IP address on the Quantum Security Gateway, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over , and click Isolate on GW.

A confirmation message appears. Click Yes.

- Notes:
  - This applies only to assets of type IP address.
  - This is implemented using Check Point PlayBlocks that is currently available only to customers in the Early Availability (EA) program. To enroll to the EA program, contact <a href="mailto:yaelci@checkpoint.com">yaelci@checkpoint.com</a>.
- 11. To search for an asset in the incidents table, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over \*, and click Search in Incidents.

Horizon XDR/XPR opens the "Incidents" on page 18 page and shows the assets involved in the incidents.

12. To view Threat Hunting for an asset, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over , and click Open in Threat Hunting.

Horizon XDR/XPR opens the "Threat Hunting" on page 67 page searching for the chosen asset in the logs from the past seven days.

### Creating an Exclusion for an Asset from an Incident

You can create exclusions for assets so that they do not create new incidents. For example, an asset that represents an approved network scanner.

Note - You can create exclusions from the Policy menu also. See "Exclusions" on page 38

To create an exclusion for an asset from an incident:

- Click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Affected assets.

3. In the table, at the end of the row, hover over and click Create Exclusion.

The Asset type and Exclusion value are pre-filled.

- 4. From the Asset type drop-down:
  - If the asset type is an IP address, select IPv4.
    - · Select an Exclusion value:
      - Single Enter the IP address.
      - o Range Enter From and To IP addresses.
      - CIDR Enter Subnet and Prefix.
- 5. (Optional) Select an Expiration date (UTC). After the expiration, the asset can create incidents.
- 6. (Optional) Enter Comments.
- 7. Click Submit.

### Incidents - Indicators & Artifacts

The Indicators & Artifacts page shows the indicators and artifacts in the incident.

An artifact of an incident is a domain, URL, IP address or a file affected in the incident. An indicator is a malicious artifact. For example, an artifact is a legitimate file involved in an incident and an indicator is a malicious domain.

You can use the Indicators & Artifacts page to perform these actions:

- "Managing Indicators and Artifacts" on page 34
  - · Copying an Indicator or an Artifact Value to Clipboard
  - Copying HASH of an Indicator to Clipboard
  - · Viewing Intelligence for an Indicator or Artifact
  - Viewing Threat Hunting for an Indicator or Artifact
- "Adding or Editing an Indicator or Artifact in IoC Management" on page 34
- "Removing an Indicator from IoC Management" on page 35

To view the Indicators & Artifacts page:

- Access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Indicators & Artifacts.

To edit the columns in the table, click Edit columns and select the columns.

To export the data to an excel in CSV format, click Export All (CSV).

To search, in the Search field, enter the string. The table automatically filters and shows the content that matches with the string.

The Indicator & Artifacts tab shows a list of all indicators and artifacts involved in the incident. The Domains, URL, IP Address and Files tabs offer a drill-down view into their respective type and their related information:

Column	Description	Indicators & Artifacts	Domains	URL	IP Address	Files
Туре	Indicator or an artifact.					$\bigcirc$
Value	Value of the indicator or artifact.			<b>Ø</b>	<b>Ø</b>	
Status IOC Mgmt	Indicates whether the indicator was enabled or disabled in the IoC management.					
XDR Confidence	Confidence level of the indicator, calculated by Horizon XDR/XPR.					
XDR Severity	Severity level of the indicator, calculated by Horizon XDR/XPR.					
Classification	Threat classification of the indicator. For example, Malware or Benign.					
Malware Family	The malware family associated with the indicator. For example, Invader.					
VT Score	VirusTotal score reported by virustotal.com.		<b>⊘</b>	<b>Ø</b>		
Related Assets	Assets related to the indicator or artifact.		<b>⊘</b>			

Column	Description	Indicators & Artifacts	Domains	URL	IP Address	Files
Related Incidents	Incidents related to the indicator or artifact.	<b>S</b>	<b>Ø</b>	<b>S</b>		
Global Top country	Top country where the indicator was seen in the Check Point telemetry.					
Global Top industry	Top industry where the indicator was seen in the Check Point telemetry.					
Registrar name	Name of the registrar.		$\bigcirc$			
Country	Country where the IP address is registered.	0	0	0		0
Owner	Organization to which the IP address is registered.	0	0	0		0
IP abuse	Confidence of abuse reported by abuseipdb.com.	0	0	0		0
File type	Type of file.					
File size	Size of the file.		0	0	0	
Signer	Authority that signed the certificate of the file.	0	0	0	0	<b>⊘</b>
Additional file names	Other known names seen for the file's hash in the on-boarded product logs.	0	0	0	0	
File path	Path of the file.	0	0	0	0	

Column	Description	Indicators & Artifacts	Domains	URL	IP Address	Files
File origin	Source application of the file.	0	0	0	0	<b>(</b>
Threat Emulation report	Download the Threat Emulation report for the file.	0	0	0	0	

### Managing Indicators and Artifacts

Copying an Indicator or an Artifact Value to the Clipboard

- 1. Click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Indicators & Artifacts.
- 3. At the end of the row, hover over .
- 4. To copy the indicator or artifact (of the type file) file name, click Copy file name.

Horizon XDR/XPR copies the file name to the clipboard.

5. To copy the indicator or artifact value, click Copy value.

Horizon XDR/XPR copies the value to the clipboard.

6. To copy the indicator or artifact (of the type file) file name, click Copy HASH.

Horizon XDR/XPR copies the HASH of the file to the clipboard.

7. To view the intelligence for indicators or artifacts, and click Open in Intelligence at the top of the table. You can select up to 20 indicators or artifacts.

Horizon XDR/XPR opens the "Intelligence" on page 48 page and shows the available intelligence for the indicator or artifact.

8. To view Threat Hunting for an indicator or artifact, click Open in Threat Hunting

Horizon XDR/XPR opens the "Threat Hunting" on page 67 page and shows the data for the indicator or artifact.

### Adding or Editing an Indicator or Artifact in IoC Management

- 1. Click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Indicators & Artifacts.

- 3. To add an artifact to IoC Management, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over and click Add to IOC Management.
  - Note -Adding an artifact to IoC Management changes its type from artifact to indicator.
- 4. To edit an indicator's setting in IoC Management, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over and click Edit in IOC Management.

Horizon XDR/XPR automatically populates Status, Action and Name fields.

- 5. Expand Advanced settings, and enter:
  - Confidence
  - Severity
  - Blade
  - Expiration date After the expiration date, the IoC is disabled automatically
- 6. Click Save.

### Removing an Indicator from IoC Management

- 1. Click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Indicators & Artifacts.
- 3. To remove an indicator from IoC Management, in the table, at the end of the row, hover over , and click Remove from IOC Management.
  - Note If you remove an indicator from IoC Management, it changes its type from an indicator to an artifact.
- 4. A confirmation message appears. click Yes.

### Incidents - MITRE

The MITRE ATT&CK is a framework that breaks down the cyber attack lifecycle into its component stages and provides in-depth information about how each stage was accomplished.

To view the MITRE page:

- 1. Access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click MITRE.



#### MITRE ATT&CK organizes information into a hierarchy:

- Tactics: The column headers, represent adversaries' tactical goals in a cyber attack.
- Techniques: The cells under the tactic, represent the known methodologies available to achieve each tactic.

The number in a cell indicates the number of insights associated with the tactic or technique in the incident. Click the number to view the "Incidents - Insights & Forensics" below page searching for the chosen tactic or technique.

## Incidents - Insights & Forensics

The Insights & Forensics page shows the details of insights and forensics (processes, files, URL, domains and Registry involved in the insight) related to the incident.

To view the Indicators & Artifacts page:

- 1. Access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Indicators & Forensics.

To edit the columns in the table, click Edit columns and select the columns.

To export the data to an excel in CSV format, click Export All (CSV).

To search, in the Search field, enter the string. The table automatically filters and shows the content that matches with the string.

### Incidents - Attack Tree

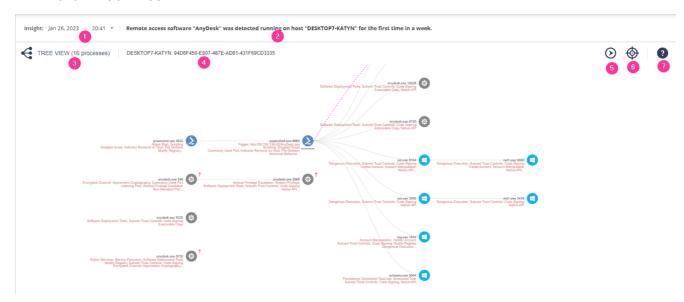
The Attack Tree shows a graphical representation of the forensic report generated by Harmony Endpoint for each detection in an insight.



Note - An insight can contain zero or multiple attack trees.

#### To view the Attack Tree page:

- 1. Access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Incidents:
  - Click the incident title.
  - Hover over the incident and click >.
- 2. Click Attack Tree.



Legend	Description
1	Date and time when the insight was generated. Click to view the insights and attack trees available for the incident. Click the attack tree to view its graphical representation.
2	Insight summary.
3	Process involved in the insight.
4	Asset involved in the insight.
5	Goes to that start of the tree.
6	Goes through the processes in the tree.
7	Opens the graph legends.

# **Policy**

On the Policy page, you can:

- Configure automatic response when Horizon XDR/XPR detects an IoC with a specified severity. See "Automations" below.
- Configure exclusions for assets that are not malicious. See "Exclusions" below.
- Send email, Slack and Microsoft Teams notifications when an incident with a specified priority is generated. See "Notifications" on the next page.

#### **Automations**

You can configure Horizon XDR/XPR to take prevention actions automatically when an incident is generated with a specified severity. Currently, the only automatic response supported is addition of indicator to "loC Management" on page 58.

For example, you can configure the automatic response that all IoCs with severity High must be added to "IoC Management" on page 58 with the Enabled status.

Note - By default, Horizon XDR/XPR automatically adds all the indicators to "IoC Management" on page 58 with the Disabled status.

To configure an automatic response:

- 1. Click Policy > Automations.
- 2. Enable the toggle button.
- 3. Select the required threshold (Confidence and Severity level).
- Note If the IoC is a file that matches the configured threshold, and if it is detected in a machine with Harmony Endpoint Security client installed, the file will be guarantined by Harmony Endpoint.

#### **Exclusions**

You can create exclusions for assets, so that Horizon XDR/XPR will not create incidents for these assets in the future. For example, an asset that represents an approved network scanner.

Note - These exclusions affect only the creation of incidents in Horizon XDR/XPR and do not affect the policies of the on-boarded products.

#### Configuring an Exclusion

To configure an exclusion for the Horizon XDR/XPR incidents:

- 1. Click Policy > Exclusions.
- 2. Click New.

The New Exclusion window appears.

- 3. Under Exclusion type, select Asset.
- 4. Select the required Asset type.
  - To add the exclusion for a machine, select Host.
  - To add the exclusion for IP address, select IPv4.
- 5. Under Exclusion value, select the required machine name or IP address.
  - If you selected Host, enter the required machine name.
  - If you selected IPv4:
    - · To add single IP address, select Single and enter the IP address.
    - To add a range of IP address, select Range and enter the From and To IP address.
    - To add the IP address in CIDR, select CIDR and enter the Subnet and Prefix.
- 6. (Optional) Under Expiration date (UTC), select the date when the exclusion expires.
  - Note The default time zone is UTC.
- 7. (Optional) Under Comment, enter a description about the exclusion.
- 8. Click Submit.

#### **Editing an Exclusion**

To edit an exclusion:

- 1. Click Policy > Exclusions.
- 2. Select the exclusion and click Edit.

The Edit Exclusion window appears.

3. Make the necessary changes for the exclusion and click Submit.

### **Exporting Exclusions**

To export the exclusions:

- 1. Click Policy > Exclusions.
- 2. Click Export All (CSV).

The system downloads the report in the CSV format.

#### **Notifications**

You can send email, Slack and Microsoft Teams notifications when an incident with a specified priority is generated.

#### Sending Email, Slack, and Microsoft Teams Notifications

To send notifications for Horizon XDR/XPR incidents:

- 1. Click Policy > Notifications.
- 2. Enable the toggle button.
- 3. In the Trigger section, select the incident priority for which you need to send notifications.
  - Critical
  - High and above
  - Medium and above
  - Low and above
  - Informational and above
- 4. To send email notifications:
  - a. Enable the Email toggle button.
  - b. Enter the email addresses of users and/or distribution lists.
  - c. To view how the email subject and body appears, click Preview Email.
- 5. To send Slack notifications:
  - a. Enable the Slack toggle button.
  - b. Click Edit.

Slack Channels pop-up appears.

c. Enter the Channel name and its URL.

To add multiple channels, click Add Channel and enter the Channel name and its URL.

- d. Click Save.
- e. To view how the Slack notification appears, click Preview Message.
- 6. To send Microsoft Teams notifications:
  - a. Enable the Microsoft Teams toggle button.
  - b. Click Edit.

Teams Channels pop-up appears.

c. Enter the Channel name and its URL.

To add multiple channels, click Add Channel and enter the Channel name and its URL.

- d. Click Save.
- e. To view how the Microsoft Teams notification appears, click Preview Message.
- 7. Click Save Changes.

### **Testing the Notifications**

To test the configured email, Slack, and Microsoft Teams notifications:

- 1. Click Policy > Notifications.
- 2. Click Test.
- 3. Under Test Platforms, select the platforms you need to test (Email, Slack, Teams).
- 4. Under Test, select the users.
  - To send the notifications to all the configured email addresses or channels, click All recipients.
  - To send the notifications to specific users or channels, click Specific and enter the required Recipients.
- 5. Click Send.

### **Events**

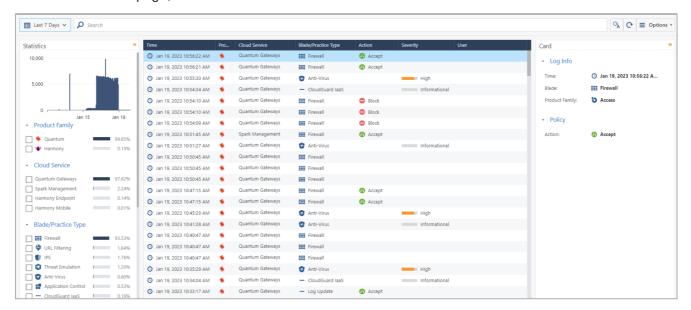
The Events page provides a unified interface to view security events of products supported by Horizon Events. For more information, see Horizon Events Administration Guide.

Note - Corrective action for an event must be taken in the product that generated the event. For example, if a benign URL is blocked, then access the product and correct the policy.

#### This page shows:

- "Statistics" below
- "Events Table" below
- "Card" on page 46

To view the Events page, access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Events.



### **Statistics**

On the Statistics page, you can:

- See a bar graph of the number of events for the selected time frame.
- Filter the event data in "Events Table" below.

For example, you can filter the events data for a product family, a Blade/Practice Type and more.

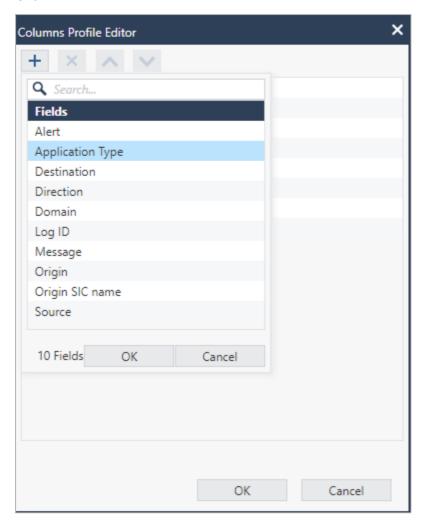
#### **Events Table**

Field Name	Description
Default Fields	
Time	Time of the event.

Field Name	Description
Product Family	Check Point product family. For example, Quantum, Harmony or CloudGuard.
Cloud Service	The cloud service used by the Check Point product. For example, Quantum Gateways.
Blade/Practice Type	Software blade that triggered the event. For example, Firewall, VPN, Syslog.
Action	Action enforced on the event:  Accept Block Detect Other
Severity	Severity of the event:  Critical Informational Low Medium High
User	User logged in at the time of the event.
Additional Fields	
Alert	Type of alert generated for the event. For example, spoof alert, mail.
Destination	Destination IP address.
Direction	Direction of the network traffic:  Inbound Outbound
Domain	Domain name sent to DNS request.
Log ID	Unique identity for logs. Includes Type, Family, Product/Blade, Category.
Message	Message displayed for the security event. For example, remote access client IP address and port were changed.
Origin	Name of the first Security Gateway that reported this event.
Source	Source IP address.

#### Managing the Events Table

- 1. To view the details of a specific log, double-click the row.
- 2. To view the default columns, right-click the table header row and click Default.
- 3. To modify the table columns, right-click the table header row and click Columns Profile Editor.
- 4. To add a new column to the table:
  - a. Click +.



b. Select the column from the list and click OK.

The new column appears in the Events table and in the Statistics pane.

- 5. To remove a column from the table:
  - a. Select the column you want to delete and click X.
  - b. Click OK.

The selected column is deleted from the Events table and from the Statistics pane.

6. To sort the columns:

- a. Select the column.
  - To move the column higher in the order, click .
  - To move the column lower in the order, click
- b. Click OK.

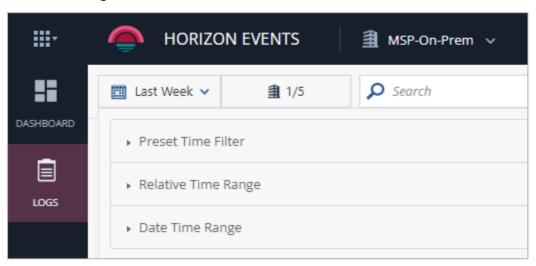
The column position is updated in the Events table and in the Statistics pane.

#### Viewing Events for a Time Period

By default, the Events table shows events for the last 7 days.

To view Events table for a specified period, use one of these to set the time range:

- Preset Time Filter
- Relative Time Range
- Date Time Range



### Searching for Events

You can search for events using free text or a filter.

- To search using free text, in the Search field, enter the text and press Enter.
   For example, if you enter Block, the search results show all the blocked events.
- To search using a filter, click the Search field, select a filter and enter the text.

For example, if the filter is Blade/Practice Type and text is URL Filtering, search as Blade/Practice Type:"URL Filtering".

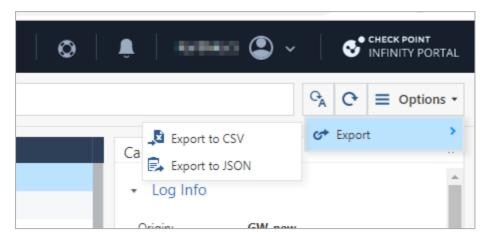
The search results show all events with Blade/Practice Type as URL Filtering.

Note - You can use logical operations AND, OR and NOT in the search.
For example, Block AND URL Filtering shows the blocked events with Blade/Practice Type as URL Filtering.

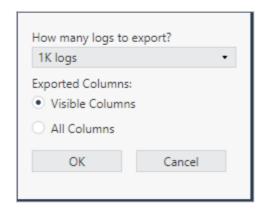
#### **Exporting Events**

You can export events from the Events table to a CSV file or to a JSON file.

1. In the Events window, click Options > Export.



- 2. Select one of these output file formats:
  - Export to CSV
  - Export to JSON
- 3. Enter the information for these fields:
  - In How many logs to export drop-down, select the number of logs you want to export.
  - In Exported Columns, select whether to export event data from Visible Columns or from All Columns.

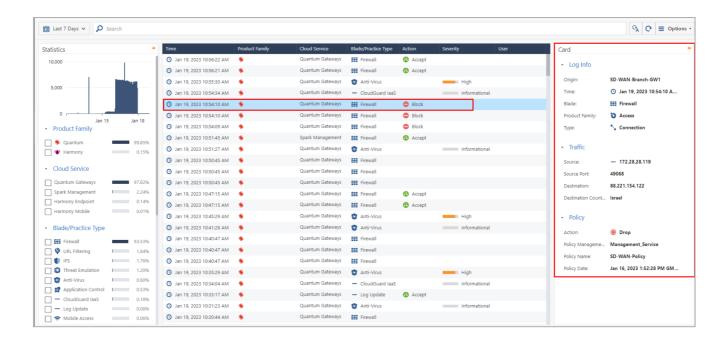


4. Click OK.

For CSV output, system generates an Excel sheet with the file name format: Events\_Logs\_Date\_Time.xls. For JSON output, system generates a json file with name format: Events\_Logs\_Date\_Time.json. Example, Events\_Logs\_Oct\_17\_2022\_01\_48\_24\_PM.

#### Card

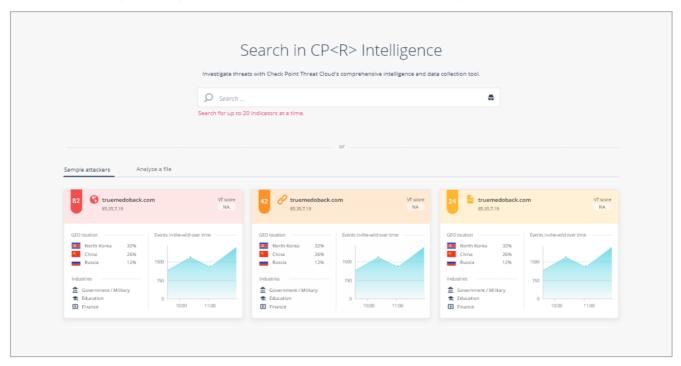
The Card pane shows the details for the event selected in the "Events Table" on page 42.



# Intelligence

The Intelligence page shows the intelligence available for an indicator derived from internal (Check Point's ThreatCloud, Research and Threat Emulation services) and external sources (reliable closed and open third-party feeds). On this page, you can also upload a file to Check Point's Threat Emulation Sandbox for analysis.

To view the Intelligence page, access Horizon XDR/XPR and click Intelligence.



The Sample attackers tab shows examples of the available intelligence. Click the tiles to view the intelligence data.

You can use the Intelligence page to perform these actions:

- "Viewing Intelligence for Indicators" below.
- "Analyzing a File" on page 54.

### Viewing Intelligence for Indicators

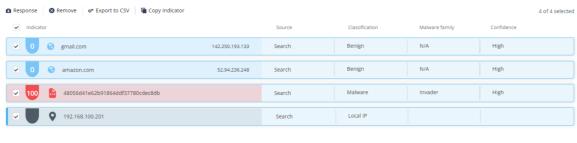
You can view the intelligence for a specific:

- URL
- Domain
- MD5, SHA1 or SHA256 hash of a file
- IP address

To view the intelligence for an indicator:

- 1. Click Intelligence.
- 2. Enter the indicator name(s) in the Search field and press Enter.

The search summary table is displayed. You can search for up to 20 indicators in a single search. The indicators can be of the same type or different types.





Item	Description
Risk	The indicator's risk level based on the Check Point reputation engine. The higher the risk, higher the degree of maliciousness. Value ranges from 1 to 100, where 100 indicates a higher risk level and/or level of maliciousness.
Indicator IP Address (For URLs and Domains)	IP address of the indicator.
File Type (For files)	Type of the file. For example, .exe, .dll.
Source	Indicates the source where you searched for the indicator.  Examples -  If you searched the indicator from the Search field, then the Source is displayed as Search.  If you search for amazon.com and added an indicator from Research > Communicating Files, the Source is displayed as amazon.com > Communicating Files.
Classification	Threat classification determined by Check Point engines. For example, Malware or Benign.
Malware family	The malware family associated with the indicator, determined by Check Point engines. For example, Invader.
Confidence	The confidence level of the indicator's classification, determined by Check Point engines.

 $3. \ \ \text{To view the} \ \underline{\text{Intelligence Dashboard}} \ \text{for the indicator, click the indicator row}.$ 



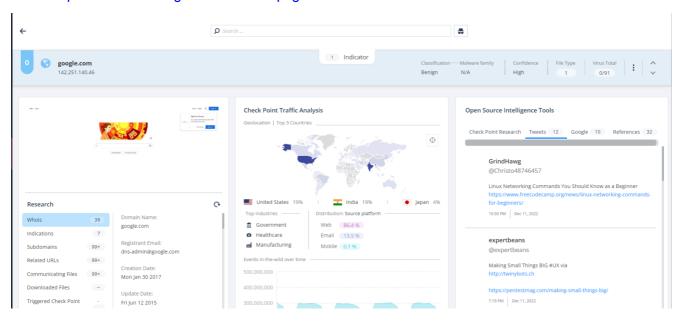
Note - To view (silent search) only Check Point's intelligence information, click



### Intelligence Dashboard

The Intelligence dashboard shows:

- "Indicator Information" below
- "Research" on the next page
- "Check Point Traffic Analysis" on page 52
- "Open Source Intelligence Tools" on page 52

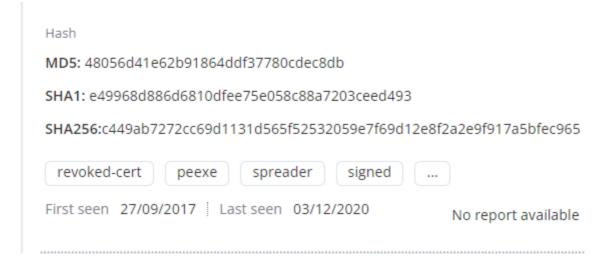


#### **Indicator Information**

The Indicator Information widget displays a high level overview of the analyzed indicator.

- For domains and URLs, this widget shows a live screenshot of the website.
- For files, the widget shows:
  - File hash details MD5, SHA1, and SHA256
  - Tags The file tags from VirusTotal. Indicates the different characteristics about the file.
     For example, the signed tag indicates that the file is signed by a valid authority.
  - First seen Date the file was first seen.
  - Last seen Date the file was last seen.

° Report - Check Point Threat Emulation Report (if available).



#### Research

The Research widget displays technical information about the indicator.

■ For domain and URLs, the widget shows:

Item	Description
Whois data	Shows registered users or assignees of an Internet resource such as a domain name or IP address block.
Indications	Summarized reputation data on this domain.
Subdomains	Sub-domains for this domain.
Related URLs	URLs under this domain.
Communicating Files	Files that were seen communicating with the searched domain.
Downloaded Files	Files downloaded from this domain.
Triggered Check Point Protections	Check Point protections triggered by the domain in:
User Agent	The user agent used to contact this domain during a malicious event.

■ For files, the widget shows:

Item	Description
File Names	The file names observed by Check Point for this file.
Network Activity	The network traffic the file created during Check Point Threat Emulation.

Item	Description
DNS Resolutions	DNS requests the file created during Check Point Threat Emulation.
Parent Process	The process that created the file.
Parent Archive	The hash of the available file archive.
Source URLs	URLs from which the file was downloaded.
Email Subjects	Email subjects that contains this file as an attachment.

#### **Check Point Traffic Analysis**

The Check Point Traffic Analysis widget shows a global view of the indicator's network traffic based on Check Point's global sensors. It gives a comparative view of the network traffic across different geographies. The widget shows:

Item	Description
Geolocation	The indicator's usage in different geographic locations.
	<ul> <li>Highlights the top 3 countries that have the highest number of hits for this indicator.</li> <li>To view the hits in a region, hover your mouse over that region.</li> <li>You can also zoom in and zoom out the map.</li> </ul>
Top industries	Top 3 industries where this indicator was seen.
Distribution	Types of platforms that accessed the indicator. For example, Web, Email.
Events in-the-wild over time	The number of events over time for the indicator.

#### Open Source Intelligence Tools

The Open Source Intelligence Tools widget shows the indicator information from Open Source Intelligence (OSINT). The widget has these tabs:

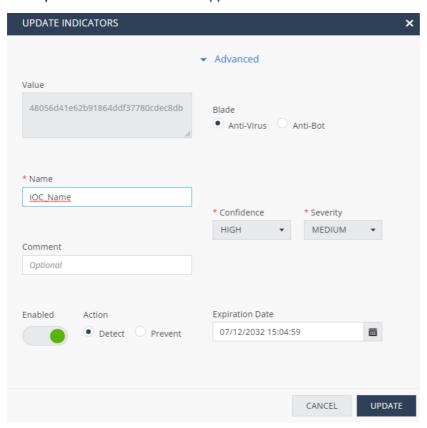
Tab	Description
Check Point Research	Articles published by Check Point Research that mention this indicator and/or malware family.
Tweets	Any tweets that mention the indicator, based on Check Point Research's social media crawler.
Google	Google Search results for the indicator.
References	Web page links that contains the indicator.

### Managing Indicators in IoC Management

Horizon XDR/XPR automatically classifies malicious artifacts as Indicators of Compromise (IoCs), and adds them to IOC Management according to the user-defined policy. From this screen, you can add, edit and remove indicators directly in IOC Management.

- 1. Click Intelligence.
- 2. Enter the indicator name in the Search field and press Enter.
- To add the indicator to IoC Management, at the top, click Response > Add Selected to IOC Management.

The Update Indicators window appears.



#### 4. Enter these:

- Name Enter a name for the indicator.
- (Optional) Comment

The name and comment appear in the log created when the relevant blade detects or prevents the loC.

■ Enable an Action - Detect or Prevent.

#### Click Advanced:

- Select a Blade that the IoC triggers.
- · Select Confidence and Severity levels for the trigger.
- Select an Expiration Date. After the expiration date, the IoC is deleted automatically.

If the values for these fields are not defined, indicators are added with default values, as shown in the previous screen.

- 5. Click Update.
- 6. To edit an indicator that already exists in IoC Management, click Response > Update Selected to IOC Management.
- 7. Make the changes in Update Indicators window and click Update.
- To delete an indicator from IoC Management, click Response > Remove Selected to IOC Management.

### Exporting the Search Summary to a CSV

- 1. Click Intelligence.
- 2. Enter the indicator name(s) in the Search field and press Enter.
- 3. In the Search Summary table, select the indicators you want to export.
  - By default, all the searched indicators are selected.
- 4. At the top, click Export to CSV.

The system downloads a .csv file in the name format Exported Summary Report Date Time.

For example, Exported Summary Report 2022-12-08 12-33-37.csv

# Copying and Removing an Indicator from the Search Summary

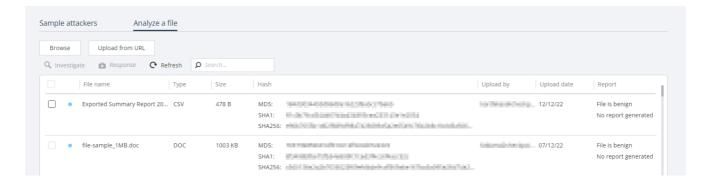
 To copy an indicator, select the indicator in the Search Summary table and at the top, click Copy Indicator.

You can copy the indicator name and search for the indicator in any external or internal resources, or share the indicator name with other applications.

2. To remove an indicator, select the indicator in the Search Summary table and at the top, click Remove.

### Analyzing a File

You can upload a file to Check Point's Threat Emulation Sandbox for analysis.



#### To analyze a file:

- 1. Click Intelligence > Analyze a file.
- 2. To browse and upload a file:
  - a. Click Browse.
  - b. In the Explorer window, select the file and click Open.

The file is added in the summary table.

- 3. To upload the file from a URL:
  - a. Click Upload from URL.
  - b. Enter the URL of the file and click **Upload**. For example, https://databases.about.com/library/samples/address.xls

The file is added in the summary table.

- 4. To refresh the summary table, click Refresh.
- 5. To search for a file in the summary table, enter the file name in the Search field and press Enter.

The summary table shows these file parameters:

Item	Description
File name	Name of the file.
Туре	Type of the file. For example, EXE, DLL, CSV.
Size	File size.
Hash	File hash details:  MD5 SHA1 SHA256
Upload by	Email address of the user who uploaded the file.
Upload date	The date on which the file was uploaded.

Item	Description
Report	The verdict returned by Check Point Threat Emulation analysis.  If the file was determined as malicious, the Threat Emulation report is available to download.

### Investigating a File

You can view the intelligence information for a file and investigate it from the Intelligence dashboard.

To investigate about a file:

- 1. Click Intelligence > Analyze a file.
- 2. Upload the file.
- 3. In the summary table, select the file to investigate. Click Investigate.

The intelligence information for the file is displayed.

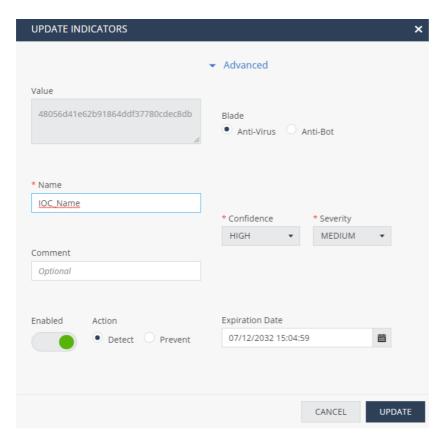
### Adding a File to IoC Management

To add a file to IoC Management:

- 1. Click Intelligence > Analyze a file.
- 2. Upload the file.
- 3. In the summary table, select the file to add to IOC Management.

Click Response > Add Selected to IOC Management.

The Update Indicators window appears.



#### 4. Enter these:

- Name Enter a name for the indicator.
- (Optional) Comment

The name and comment appear in the log created when the relevant blade detects or prevents the loC.

- Enable an Action Detect or Prevent.
- Click Advanced:
  - · Select a Blade that the IoC triggers.
  - Select Confidence and Severity levels for the trigger.
  - Select an Expiration Date. After the expiration date, the IoC is deleted automatically.

If the values for these fields are not defined, indicators are added with default values, as shown in the previous screen.

#### 5. Click Update.

# **IoC Management**

With IoC Management, you can view, create and edit Indicators of Compromise (IoCs) that apply to all the Check Point products on-boarded with Horizon XDR/XPR.

To view the IOC Management page, access Horizon XDR/XPR and click IOC Management.

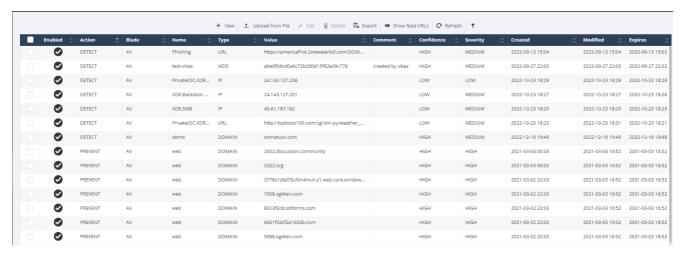
### **IOC Management Overview**

During the Horizon XDR/XPR onboarding process, two separate feeds for Detect and Prevent actions are created. To configure these feeds on the Management Server, see "Configuring IoC Management" on page 62.

Horizon XDR/XPR IoC management requires no new rules or policy installation. IoC management works directly on the Security Gateway. After configuration, the Security Gateway continually fetches intelligence data stored in a .cvs file on the Check Point web server. You can use the CSV file link with other products that support intelligence feeds from external sources, such as cloud-based mail protection platforms.

### Working with IoC Management

The loC Management table shows only the latest 30 loCs added to loC Management. To view the all loCs, click Export > Export All. See "Exporting loCs" on page 62.



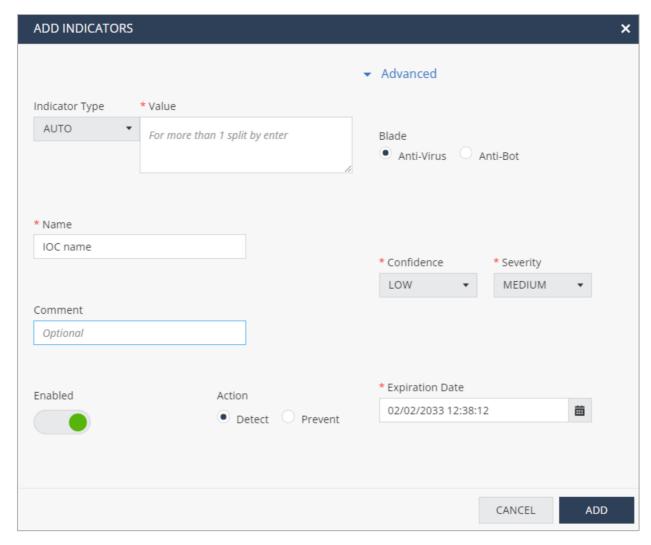
Item	Description
Enabled	Indicates whether the Action is enabled (enforced) on the IoC.
Action	The action enforced on the IoC:  Detect Prevent
Blade	The software blade that the IoC triggers:  Anti-Bot(AB) Anti-Virus(AV)

Item	Description
Name	Name of the IoC.
Туре	IoC type:  Domain IP address URL File - MD5, SHA1 or SHA256 hash key
Value	Value of the IoC.
Confidence	Confidence level of the IoC detection.
Severity	Severity of the IoC.
Created	Date and time on which the IoC was created.
Modified	Date and time on which the IoC was last modified.
Expires	Date and time when the IoC expires. After the IoC expires, it is deleted automatically.

### Creating a New IoC

- Note You can also add IoCs to IOC Management from:
  - Intelligence tab. See"Managing Indicators in IoC Management" on page 53.
  - Incidents tab. See "Adding or Editing an Indicator or Artifact in IoC Management" on page 34.
  - 1. In the IoC Management menu bar, click New.

The Add Indicators window appears.



#### 2. Enter these:

- Indicator Type Select the IoC type.
- Value Enter the value of the loC.
- Name Enter a name for the IoC.
- (Optional) Comment

This name and comment appears in the log created when the relevant blade detects or prevents the loC.

■ Enable an Action - Detect or Prevent.

#### 3. Click Advanced.

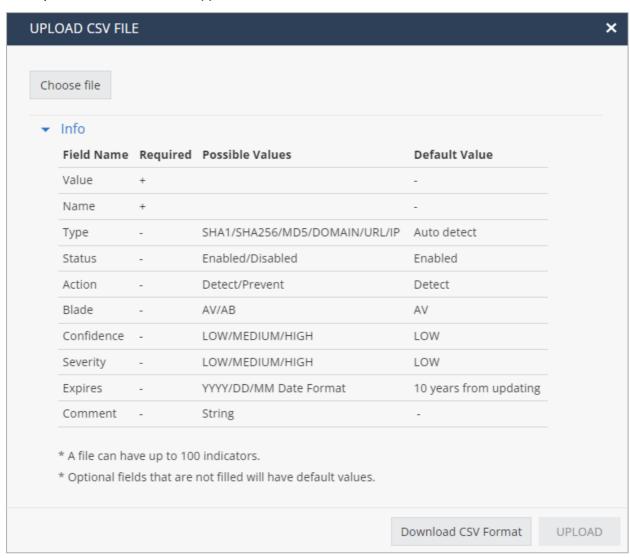
- Select a Blade that the IoC triggers.
- Select Confidence and Severity levels for the trigger.
- Select an Expiration Date. After the expiration date, the IoC is deleted automatically.
  If the values for these fields are not defined, indicators are added with default values, as shown in the previous screen.

#### 4. Click Add.

#### Adding IoCs by Uploading a CSV File

1. In the IoC Management menu bar, click Upload from File.

The Upload CSV File window appears.



- 2. If you have the CSV file to upload:
  - a. Click Choose file.
  - b. Browse the select the file and click Upload.
- 3. If you do not know the format of the CSV file:
  - a. Click Info > Download CSV Format.
    - The system downloads Upload\_Format.xls.
  - b. Enter the IoC information in Upload\_Format.xls and upload this file.

#### Editing and Deleting an IoC

- 1. To edit an IoC, select the IoC in the IoC Management table.
- 2. In the IoC Management menu bar, click Edit.

In the Edit Indicators window, enter the details and click Update.

3. To delete an IoC, select the IoC and click Delete.

#### Filtering IoCs

In the IoC Management menu bar, click
 The Filter pane appears.

2. Select the parameter to filter the loCs.

The IoC Management table refreshes and shows only the IoCs relevant to the applied filter.

#### **Exporting IoCs**

- 1. In the IoC Management menu bar, click Export.
- 2. Select one of these export options:
  - Export All To export information of all the loCs in the loC Management table.
  - Export Filtered To export information of the loCs relevant to the applied filter.
  - Export Selected To export information of only the selected IoCs in the IoC Management table.

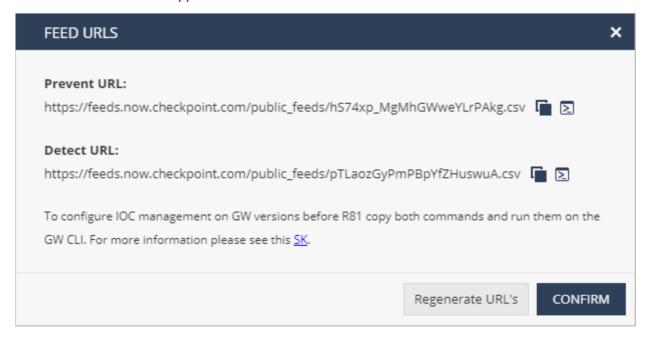
System downloads a CSV file with the IoC information.

### Configuring IoC Management

After you successfully onboard to Horizon XDR/XPR:

1. In the IoC Management menu bar, click Show feed URLs.

The Feed URLS window appears.



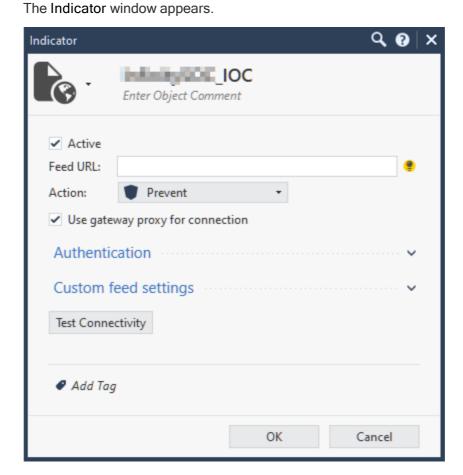
When you onboard to Horizon XDR/XPR, two feeds in .cvs format are created for Prevent and Detect actions. To create these files again, click Regenerate URLs.

2. Copy the Prevent URL and the Detect URL to a text file.

#### For example:

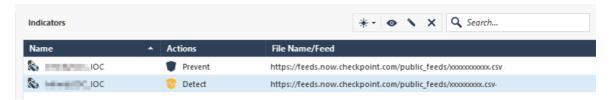
#### 3. In SmartConsole:

- a. From the left navigation panel, click Security Policies.
- b. In the middle top pane, click Threat Prevention > Indicators.
- c. From the top toolbar, click New > External IOC Feed.



- d. In Feed URL, enter the Prevent URL from step 2.
- e. In Action, select Prevent and click OK.
- f. Create a new External IOC Feed (Follow steps a to c).
- g. In Feed URL, enter the Detect URL from step 2.
- h. In Action, select Detect and click OK.

You have now created IoC feeds for Prevent and Detect actions.



i. Install the Threat Prevention policy on this Security Gateway.

For more information, see Importing External Custom Intelligence Feeds in SmartConsole.

4. In Horizon XDR/XPR, go to IOC Management and click Show Feed URLs.

Copy the full Security Gateway commands for Prevent and Detect.

#### Example:

```
ioc_feeds add --feed_name InfinitySOCPrevent --transport https --
resource "https://feeds.now.checkpoint.com/public_
feeds/xxxxxxxxxx1.csv" --feed_action Prevent

ioc_feeds add --feed_name InfinitySOCDetect --transport https --
resource "https://feeds.now.checkpoint.com/public_
feeds/xxxxxxxxxx2.csv" --feed_action Detect
```

#### 5. In SmartConsole:

- a. From the left navigation panel, click Gateways & Servers.
- b. Right-click the Security Gateway object and click Actions > Open Shell.

Alternatively, connect to the command line on the Security Gateway through a SSH client.

6. Run the commands you copied in step 4 from Horizon XDR/XPR:

#### Example:

```
ioc_feeds add --feed_name InfinitySOCPrevent --transport https --
resource "https://feeds.now.checkpoint.com/public_
feeds/xxxxxxxxxx1.csv" --feed_action Prevent

ioc_feeds add --feed_name InfinitySOCDetect --transport https --
resource "https://feeds.now.checkpoint.com/public_
feeds/xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx2.csv" --feed_action Detect
```

- 7. Close the shell after the operation completes successfully.
- Note If you generate the URLs again, the old feeds are no longer accessible. You must update the feeds on the Security Gateway and the indicator URL in SmartConsole.

### **Testing IoC Management**

As a simple test, block access to a website.

If the site is still accessible after you update the IoC feed:

- 1. Connect to the command line on the Security Gateway for each Cluster Member.
- 2. Log in to the Expert mode.
- 3. Fetch feeds in debug mode:

```
$FWDIR/bin/ioc_feeder -d -f
```

4. Examine this configuration file:

```
$FWDIR/conf/ioc_feeder.conf
```

If the file is corrupt, delete the feed, make the required changes in the feed, and add the feed again.

- 5. Examine these files for errors:
  - \$FWDIR/log/ioc\_feeder.elg

#### For example:

Feed log External IOC - External Indicators processing failedInfinitySOCPrevent: Failed to fetch feed. Resource: https://feeds.now.checkpoint.com/public\_feeds/PersonalFeed.csv, Reason: Peer certificate cannot be authenticated with given CA certificates

InfinitySOCDetect: Failed to fetch feed. Resource:
https://feeds.now.checkpoint.com/public\_feeds/PersonalFeed.csv,
Reason: Peer certificate cannot be authenticated with given CA
certificateshttps://supportcenter.checkpoint.com/supportcenter/por
tal?eventSubmit\_doGoviewsolutiondetails=&solutionid=sk132193

■ \$FWDIR/log/ext ioc push.elg

# **Threat Hunting**

Threat Hunting is an investigative tool which allows for advanced querying on all malicious and benign forensics events collected from the organization's endpoints with Harmony Endpoint installed.

The information collected lets you to:

- Investigate the full scope of an attack.
- Discover stealth attack by observation of a suspicious activity.
- Remediate the attack before it causes further damage.
- Proactively hunt for advanced attacks by searching for anomalies, and using hunting leads and enrichment.

#### Threat Hunting supports:

- Data collection and enrichment All events are collected through multiple sensors on the Harmony Endpoint, sent to a unified repository and enhanced by ThreatCloud, MITRE mapping and alerts from all Harmony Endpoint prevention engines.
- Rich toolset for custom queries, drill down and pivoting to suspicious activity.
- Predefined queries and a MITRE dashboard which map all activity and allow a quick start to proactive hunting.
- Remediation actions per result or a bulk operation integrated in the Threat Hunting flow (such as file quarantine and kill process).

The data is saved for 7 days, unless you purchased an extended retention license.

### Supported Versions

Endpoint Security Client version E84.10 and higher.

### **Enabling Threat Hunting**

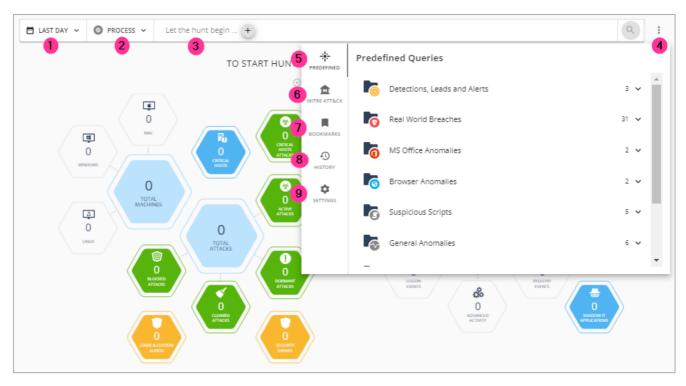
By default, Threat Hunting is disabled in Harmony Endpoint.

#### To enable Threat Hunting:

- 1. Go to Policy > Policy Capabilities.
- 2. Click the Analysis & Remediation tab.
- 3. From the Enable Threat Hunting list, select On.
- 4. Click Save & Install.
- 5. After the policy is pushed to the agents, wait a few minutes until data is sent by the agents.

Then you can go to the Threat Hunting view to start searching through events.

## **Using Threat Hunting**



Item	Description
1	Last Day - Time filter for the query. Users can choose between Last Day, Last 2 Days, Last Week and a Custom time period.
2	Process - Refine your query results according to the activity type.
3	Let the hunt begin - Click + and define the values to search in the logs. You can add multiple values and fields at a time.
4	Menu for predefined queries.
5	Predefined - Check Point's predefined queries, divided by category.  Note - Leads in Detections, Leads and Alerts are lead detections or signatures. If an incident is raised under this category, the term Lead. is prefixed to its protection name. For example, Lead.Win.BrwsrPassThft.B. It does NOT indicate an attack and we recommend that you ignore these incidents.  This is used by Check Point to analyze if a protection has to be developed. For example, create a new signature.
6	MITRE ATT&CK - Shows the MITRE ATT&CK framework of tactics and techniques. Each technique includes one or more queries, pre-defined by <a href="Check Point Research">Check Point Research</a> .
7	Bookmarks - Shows the custom queries saved as bookmarks, either as global (available for all users in the account) or private (available only for the user).  Users can also define email notifications for these saved queries, currently limited to 10.
8	History - See all the queries that you used.

Item	Description
9	Settings - Change the UI look and feel.

To hunt for threats, you can use predefined queries or by proactively creating your own queries.

- To use predefined queries:
  - 1. Go to Predefined Hunting Queries or

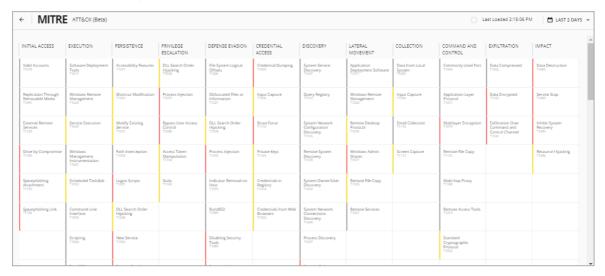
Click the icon next to the search box and select Predefined.

You can quickly find all active attacks and browse through different malicious events detected by Endpoint clients.

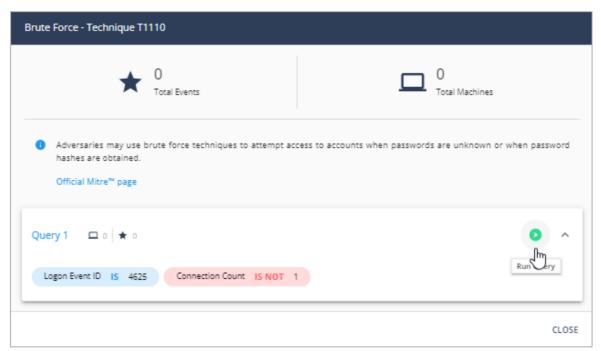
2. Click the icon next to the search box and select MITRE ATT&CK.

The MITRE ATT&CK dashboard provides real-time visibility on all the techniques observed by Harmony Endpoint across your endpoints. It maps all raw events to MITRE Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures (TTPs) regardless of status.

The MITRE ATT&CK dashboard is divided into 12 categories and each category is a stage in an attack. Each category includes multiple attack techniques.



When you click a technique, a window opens with an explanation about the technique and a list of predefined queries. Run a query to get a list of the events in which the specific technique implementation was used.



- To search for specific events by proactively creating your own queries:
  - 1. Go to Let the hunt begin and click the + sign.
  - 2. Select the required filters and enter the applicable information for the search.

#### 3. Click Add.

It shows the search results in a timeline. The timeline provides behavioral insights that indicate anomalies or attacks.

- 4. To filter events based on the timeline, click the required hexagon.
  - It shows detailed information about the event, together with intelligent enrichment, such as attack classification, malware family and MITRE technique details.
- 5. To create bookmark for the custom queries, after selecting the filters, click the in icon to the right of the search bar. You can choose to create the bookmark as global (available for all users in the account) or private (available only for the user).
- 6. You can also filter the results by date and process.

For the query results, you can choose to take remediation actions (Terminate Process, Quarantine File, Trigger Forensic Analysis, and Isolate Machine).

### Use Case - Maze Ransomware Threat Hunting

You want to investigate the maze ransomware attack. You read about it in the internet and you are afraid it may already have infiltrated your organization.

- 1. In the MITRE ATT&CK website: Search for Maze ransomware.
- 2. From the list of techniques that Maze ransomware uses, select the applicable technique. For example: Windows Management Instrumentation
- 3. From the Infinity Portal > Threat Hunting, click the icon on the right side of the search box, and go to MITRE ATT&CK.
- 4. In the MITRE ATT&CK dashboard, search for the technique you copied from the Maze website.
- 5. Click the technique to see all the events in your organization in which this technique was used.