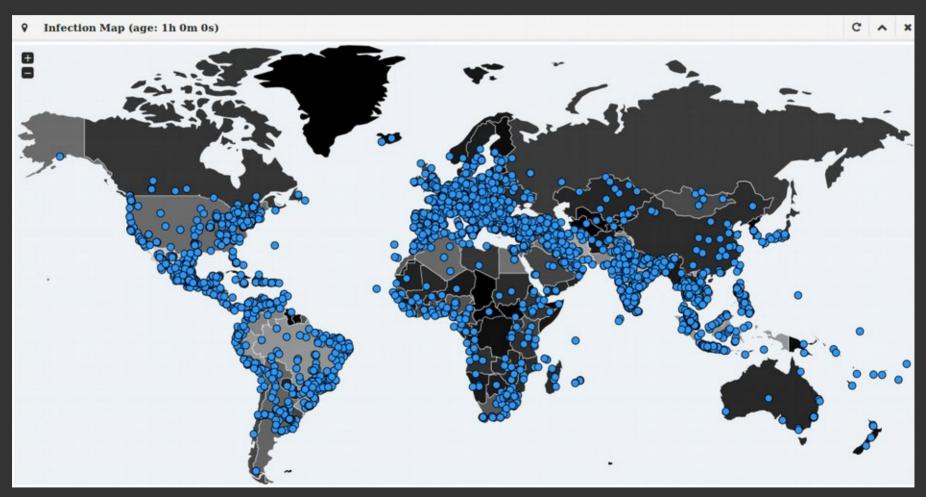
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## About me:

- Researching computer privacy and security as a hobby for about 20 years
- I try to protect things, by using the tools attackers would use to gain access
- Got my first computer, a PC in 1991
- After some time I bought 2400 baud modem and started to explore local BBS scene...
- With the spread of the internet in the second half of the 90's, combination of slow modems and obnoxious ads/banners made way for a new technology – ad blocking
- And so it begins...





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## About this talk:

## Couple of topics:

- Threats to privacy
  - Techniques for tracking users on the web
- Threats to security
  - Threat actors
  - Techniques they use for spreading malware
- Ways to protect your devices



## Privacy 101

- "This is something I'm willing to do only if no one else is watching."
- There is a huge difference between legal programs, legitimate spying, legitimate law enforcement where individuals are targeted based on a reasonable, individualized suspicion and these programs of dragnet mass surveillance that put entire populations under an all-seeing eye and save copies forever.
- These programs were never about terrorism: they're about economic spying, social control, and diplomatic manipulation. They're about power.

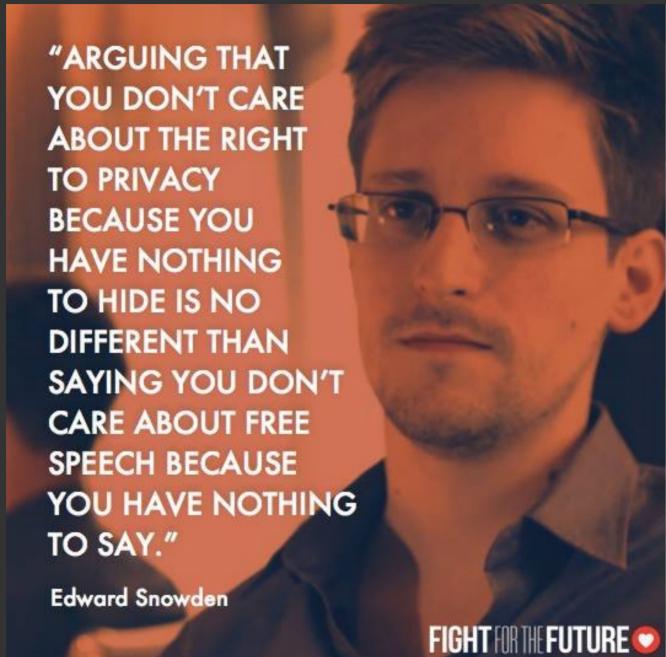
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## Privacy 101

 UN Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Expression: "Encryption and anonymity enable individuals to exercise their rights to freedom of opinion and expression in the digital age and, as such, deserve strong protection"







# Broad division of problems

- Guys after your private data
- •Guys after your money / devices



# Threats to privacy

## Types of attackers:

- Nation-state level actors (a.k.a. any government agencies)
- Advertising companies / social networks
- "FREE" products

"If you're using a product that you're not paying for, remember, you ARE the product..."



## Nation-state level actors

- You really can't do anything about these attacks
- If you think you need to worry about such things, this talk is <u>not</u> for you
- Just be aware of these shenanigans
- It's not just the NSA, it's everybody
- NSA is just immense in scope, and they're only ones that got their files dumped:)
- While US citizens have a tiny slither of protection from abuse by these systems, we in the other 96% of planet's population are classified as <u>FORN</u> and as such, a <u>valid</u> intelligence targets

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## Driver 1: Worldwide SIGINT/Defense Cryptologic

### Platform

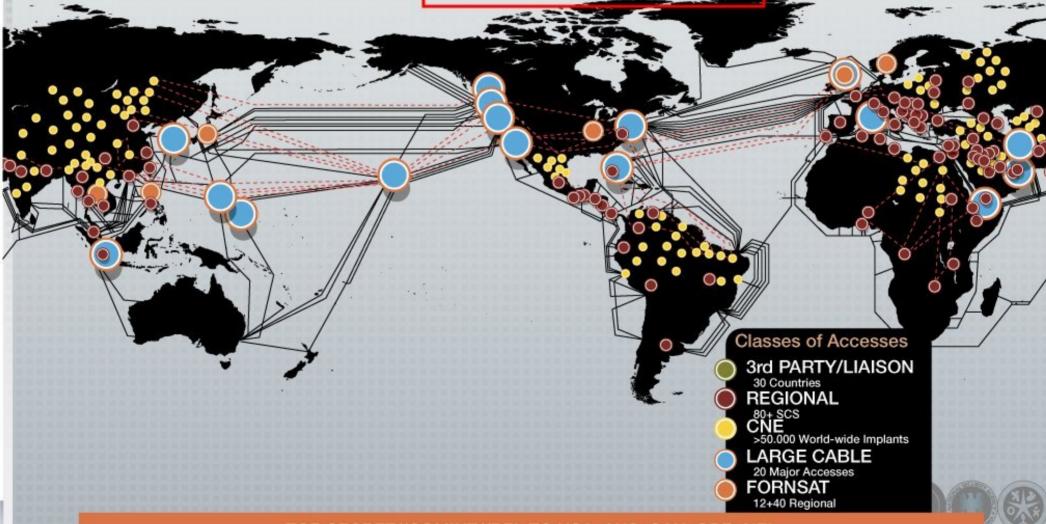


20 Access Programs Worldwide



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# Selector Types

#### **Machine IDs**

- Cookies
  - · Hotmail GUIDs
  - Google prefIDs
  - YahooBcookies
  - mailruMRCU
  - · yandexUid
  - · twitterHash
  - ramblerRUID
  - · facebookMachine
  - doubleclickID
- Serial numbers
- Browser tags
  - Simbar
  - ShopperReports
  - SILLYBUNNY
- Windows Error IDs
- Windows Update IDs

#### **Attached Devices**

- IMEIs for Phones
  - Apple IMEIs
  - Nokia IMEIs
- UDIDs
  - Apple UDIDs
- Bluetooth?
  - Device Name
  - Device Address

#### Cipher Keys

- Cipher Keys uniquely identified to a user
  - ejKeyID

#### **User Leads**

- User selectors from Cookies, Registry, and Profile Folders
  - msnpassport
  - google
  - · yahoo
  - Youtube
  - Skype
  - · Paltalk
  - Fetion
  - · QQ
  - hotmailCID
- STARPROC-identified active users

#### Network

- Wireless MACs
- VSAT MACs and IPs

- Remote Administration IPs
  - Putty
  - WinSCP

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- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMINSERT
  - HTML Redirection
- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMSKY
  - HTML/TCP resets
- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMBOT
  - IRC botnet hijacking



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## TOP SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, FVEY//20320108 (U) New Hotness (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMBISCUIT Redirection based on keywork Mostly HTML Cookie Values (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMDNS DNS Hijacking Caching Nameservers (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMBOT2 Combination of Q-BOT/Q-BISCUIT for web based Command and controlled botnets TOP SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, FVEY//20320108

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## (U) Experimental

- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMCOPPER
  - File download disruption
- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMMUSH
  - Virtual HUFFMUSH / Targeted Spam Exploitation
- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMSPIM
  - Instant Messaging (MSN chat, XMPP)
- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMSQUEEL
  - Injection into MySQL persistent database connections
- (TS//SI//REL) QUANTUMSQUIRREL
  - Truly covert infrastructure, be any IP in the world





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# Total Information Awareness (2001)

- As a "virtual, centralized, grand database", the scope of surveillance includes, among others, credit card purchases, magazine subscriptions, web browsing histories, academic grades, bank deposits, passport applications, driver's licenses, toll records, judicial records, divorce records, etc.
- Health information collected by TIA include drug prescriptions, medical records, and individual DNA.



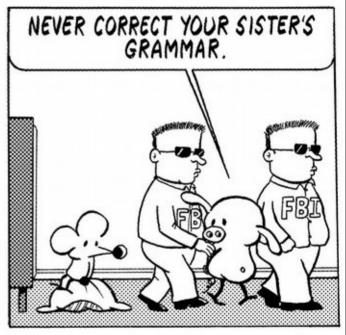
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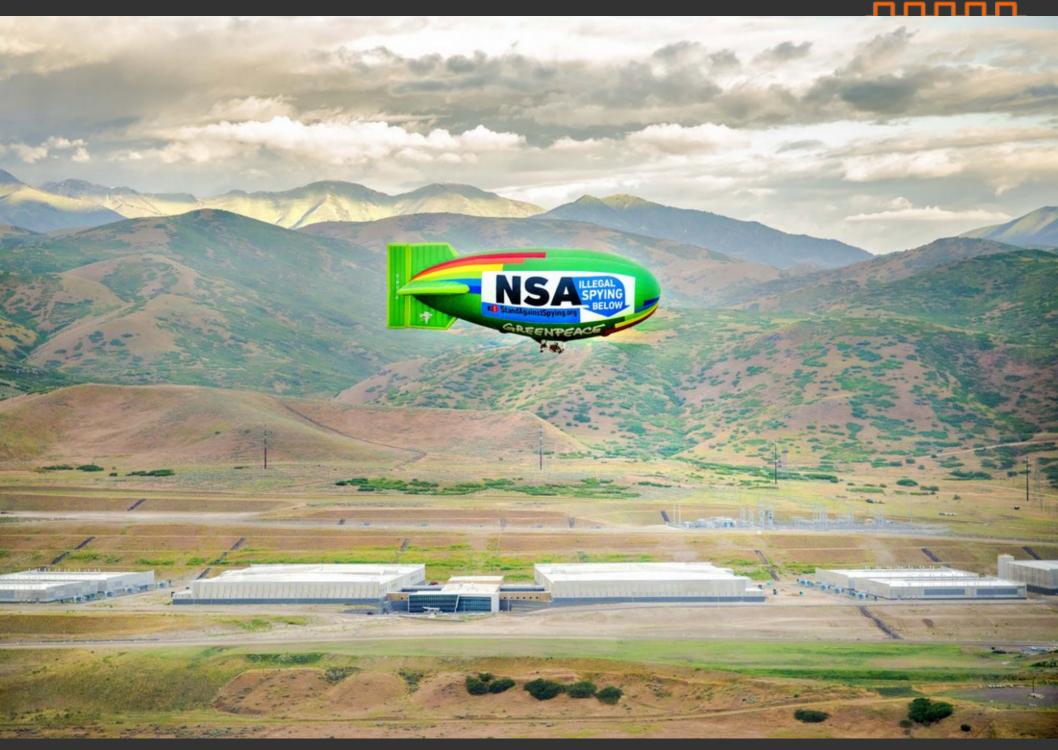














## Total Information Awareness



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## Total Information Awareness



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## Reference:

For longtime history of abuse of these powers and efforts to bring them into light, go to:

http://www.historycommons.org/timeline.jsp? timeline=civilliberties&civilliberties\_surveillance



# To put things in perspective...



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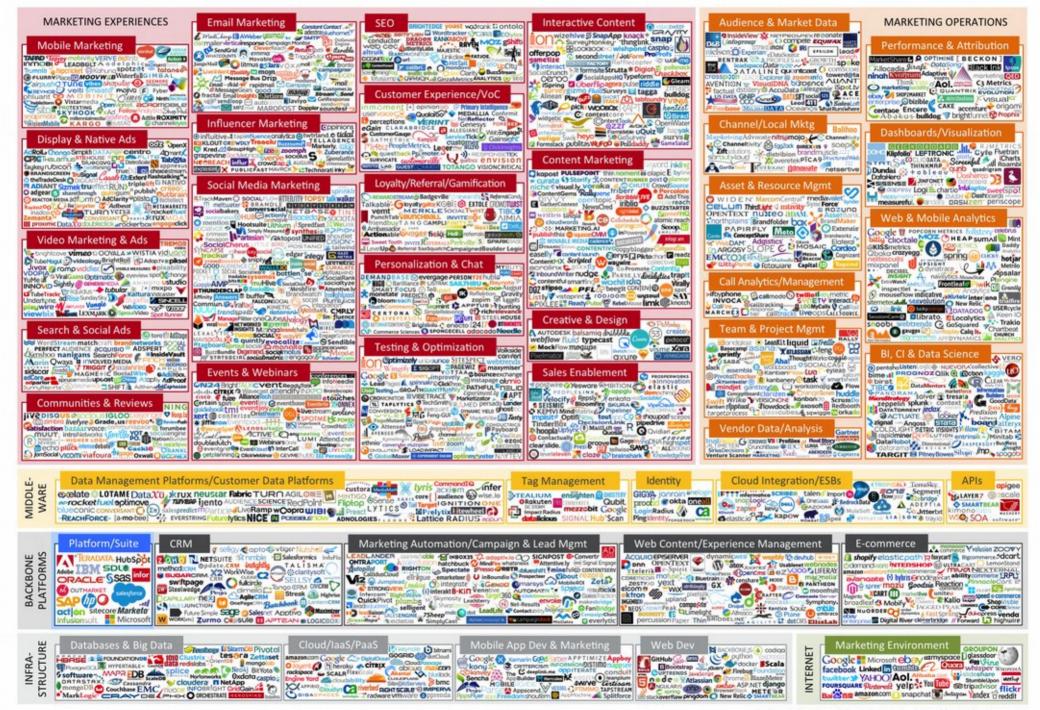
# Privacy problem #2

Private entities going after your data

- Social networks, Facebook alone earned \$6.4 BILLION in last quarter from ads
- Advertising companies
- Household devices tv's, fridges, washing machines, cofee machines, vibrators (?!)
- Some / most of android phones already come preloaded with crapware / adware

Privacy is <u>not an option</u>, and it shouldn't be the price we accept for just getting on the Internet.

## chiefmartec.com Marketing Technology Landscape





# Lightbeam demo

We'll open 3 (THREE) websites:

- blic.rs
- b92.net
- 24sata.rs

and see that there are 131 (!) third-party requests in a simple browsing session !!!

## How Target Figured Out A Teen Girl Was Pregnant Before Her Father Did





Kashmir Hill, FORBES STAFF 9

Welcome to The Not-So Private Parts where technology & privacy collide FULL BIO ∨

Every time you go shopping, you share intimate details about your consumption patterns with retailers. And many of those retailers are studying those details to figure out what you like, what you need, and which coupons are most likely to make you happy. Target TGT-1.19%, for example, has figured out how to data-mine its way into your womb, to figure out whether you have a baby on the way long before you need to start buying diapers.

Charles Duhigg outlines in the New York Times how Target tries to hook parents-to-be at that crucial moment before they turn into rampant — and loyal — buyers of all things pastel, plastic, and miniature. He talked to Target statistician Andrew Pole — before Target freaked out and cut off all

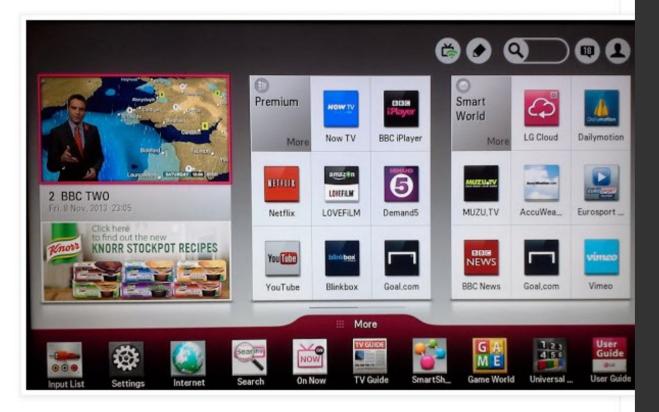


Target has got you in its aim

communications — about the clues to a customer's impending bundle of joy. Target assigns every customer a Guest ID number, tied to their credit card, name, or email address that becomes a bucket that stores a history of everything they've bought and any demographic

#### LG Smart TVs logging USB filenames and viewing info to LG servers

Earlier this month I discovered that my new LG Smart TV was displaying ads on the Smart landing screen.



After some investigation, I found a rather creepy corporate video (since removed, mirror here) advertising their data collection practices to potential advertisers. It's quite long but a sample of their claims are as follows:

LG Smart Ad analyses users favourite programs, online behaviour, search keywords and other information to offer relevant ads to target audiences. For example, LG Smart Ad can feature sharp suits to men, or alluring cosmetics and fragrances to women.

Furthermore, LG Smart Ad offers useful and various advertising performance reports. That live broadcasting ads cannot. To accurately identify actual advertising effectiveness.



Left: Samsung SmartTV privacy policy, warning users not to discuss personal info in front of their TV Right: 1984 pic.twitter.com/osywjYKV3W

Parker Higgins (@xor) February 8, 2015

Recognition features to you. In addition, Samsung may collect and your device may capture voice commands and associated texts so that we can provide you with Voice Recognition features and evaluate and improve the features. Please be aware that if your spoken words include personal or other sensitive information, that information will be among the data captured and transmitted to a third party through your use of Voice Recognition.

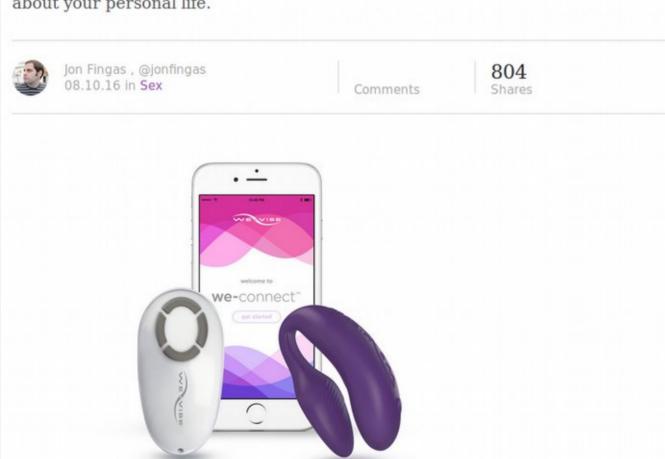
If you do not enable Voice Recognition, you will not be able to use interactive voice recognition features, although you may be able to control your TV using certain predefined voice commands. While Samsung will not collect your spoken word, Samsung may still collect associated texts and other usage data so that Behind Winston's back the voice from the telescreen was still babbling away about pig-iron and the overfulfilment of the Ninth Three-Year Plan. The telescreen received and transmitted simultaneously. Any sound that Winston made, above the level of a very low whisper, would be picked up by it, moreover, so long as he remained within the field of vision which the metal plaque commanded, he could be seen as well as heard. There was of course no way of knowing whether you were being watched at any given moment. How often, or on what system, the Thought Police plugged in on any individual wire was guesswork. It was even conceivable that they watched everybody all the time. But at any rate they could plug in your wire whenever they wanted to. You had to live-did live, from habit that became instinct--in the assumption that every sound you made was overheard, and, except in darkness, every movement scrutinized.



# Some things are THE VERY definition of private stuff

# Sex toy sends intimate data to its creator

It shares temperature and vibration levels that could reveal a little too much about your personal life.



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# 98 personal data points that Facebook uses to target ads to you

#### Targeting options for Facebook advertisers\*

- 1. Location
- 2. Age
- 3. Generation
- 4. Gender
- 5. Language
- 6. Education level
- 7. Field of study
- 8. School
- 9. Ethnic affinity
- 10. Income and net worth
- 11. Home ownership and type
- 12. Home value
- 13. Property size
- 14. Square footage of home
- 15. Year home was built
- 16. Household composition
- \*Not even conclusive!

- 66. Users who are active credit card users
- 67. Credit card type
- 68. Users who have a debit card
- 69. Users who carry a balance on their credit card
- 70. Users who listen to the radio
- 71. Preference in TV shows
- 72. Users who use a mobile device (divided by what brand they use)
- 73. Internet connection type
- 74. Users who recently acquired a smartphone or tablet
- 75. Users who access the Internet through a smartphone or tablet
- 76. Users who use coupons
- 77. Types of clothing user's household buys
- 78. Time of year user's household shops most
- 79. Users who are "heavy" buyers of beer, wine or spirits
- 80. Users who buy groceries (and what kinds)
- 81. Users who buy beauty products
- 82. Users who buy allergy medications, cough/cold medications, pain relief products, and over-the-counter meds





Zuck: Yeah so if you ever need info about anyone at Harvard

Zuck: Just ask.

Zuck: I have over 4,000 emails, pictures, addresses, SNS

[Redacted Friend's Name]: What? How'd you manage that one?

Zuck: People just submitted it.

Zuck: I don't know why.

Zuck: They "trust me"

Zuck: Dumb fucks.

### Report Details



Caitlin Dewey

Requested Connected 8th June 2016 8th June 2016

### Score Assured Rating



### Social Proximity

Washington Post

Paris Disposits one

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Bet Sarvian

High Street

Libraria

#### Financial Stress

22nd December 2015 staying in 30th January 2013 a loan 17th October 2012 no money 17th September 2012 24th May 2012 being poor 29th November 2011 loans 3rd November 2011 loans 26th October 2011 loan 19th October 2011 loans 15th September 2011 Loan

### **Activity Times**



#### Connected Account Age

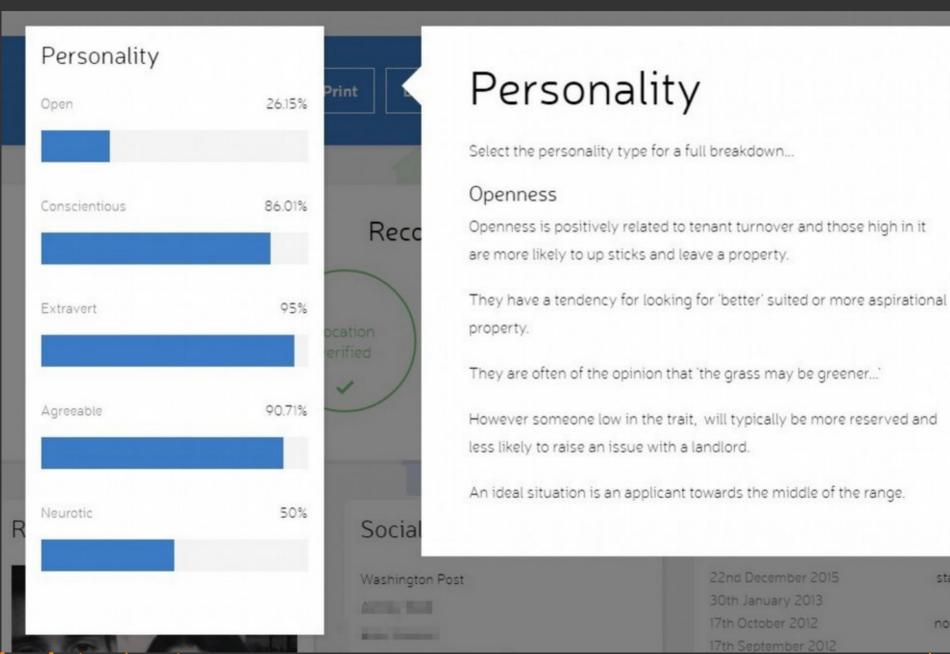
Age 7+ years

#### Crime

murderer	6th April 2016	
in prison	3rd December 2015	
terrorist	25th March 2015	
blackmail	2nd June 2014	
stealing	6th February 2014	
steal	3rd February 2014	
stealing	23rd October 2013	
terrorist	14th August 2013	
fraud	10th May 2013	
justice	22nd September 2012	

#### Pets





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staying in a loan

no money



# Technologies used to track users

- HTTP (non HTTPS) browsing can be sniffed by:
  - Your ISP
  - Anyone providing you WiFi internet access
  - Anyone who can monitor traffic between your provider and your destination server
- Cookies
  - They're so 90's technology, but they're still being used both legitimately and non-legitimately



# Technologies used to track users

- Javascript
  - You can't disable it completely, it breaks websites
- Adobe Flash
  - Just kill it, and go the HTML5 way
- Flash local stored objects (LSOs), a.k.a. "Flash Cookies"
  - They are stored in one location for all browsers



# Technologies used to track users

- HTML5 Local Storage
  - "HTML5 Databases", similar to cookies, but hold more data
- WebRTC
  - Used for browser-to-browser direct connections, can leak local LAN ip address, and hash of unique identifier for webcam / microphone
- HTTP Referrer
  - Refers to the site from which site you arrived

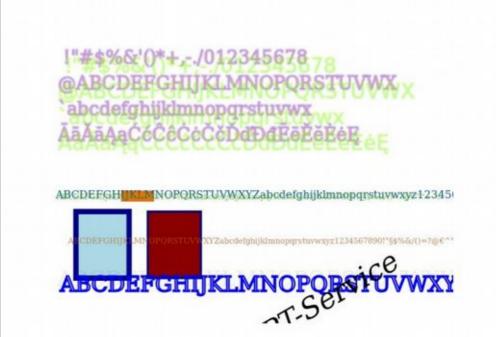


#### Technologies used to track users

HTML5 Canvas fingerprinting

 When visiting a site, a browser is instructed to render a hidden picture, and report a hash of it back. Due to variations in CPU, GPU, OS, browser, hash is different

for every computer





#### Technologies used to track users

- Evercookie, a.k.a. Zombie Cookie, scariest of them all, in that it restores it's value after you have cleaned the cache, if you miss some of the places it hides itself:
  - Standard HTTP cookies
  - Local Shared Objects (Flash cookies)
  - Silverlight Isolated Storage
  - Storing cookies in RGB values of auto-generated, force-cached PNGs using HTML5 Canvas tag to read pixels (cookies) back out
  - Storing cookies in Web history
  - Storing cookies in HTTP ETags
  - Storing cookies in Web cache
  - window.name caching
  - Internet Explorer userData storage
  - HTML5 Session Web storage
  - HTML5 Local Web storage
  - HTML5 Global Storage
  - HTML5 Web SQL Database via SQLite
  - Caching in HTTP Authentication
  - Using Java to produce a unique key based on NIC information.



#### The good news:

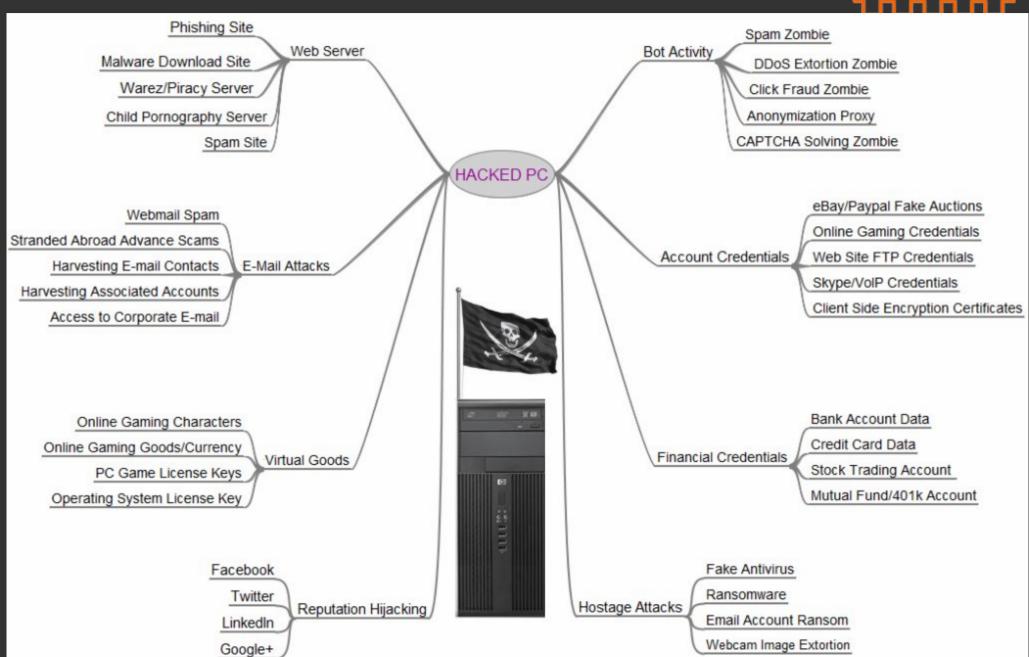
- You can block 99.99% of all this cruft, you just need:
  - a little bit of education
  - proper tool to clean-up the system
  - way to hide your IP address / network traffic and
  - hardened browser
- That's the demo for at the end of the talk :)



## Threats to security

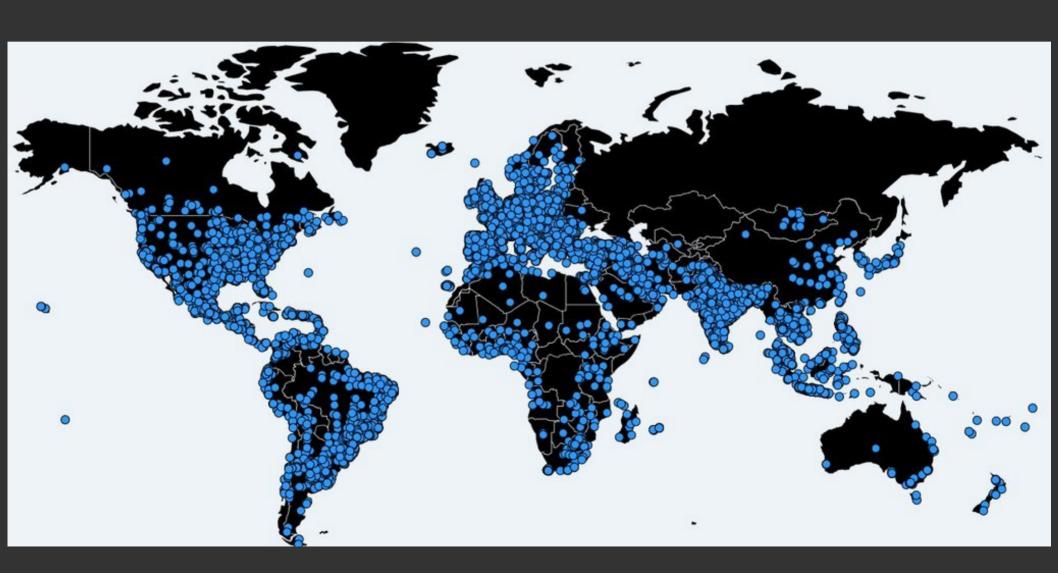
- Ransomware is #1 threat
- Banking trojans
- Fake tech support scams
- Remote Access Tools (RATs)
- Click fraud
- DDOS







### 50k hosts infected in 1 hour





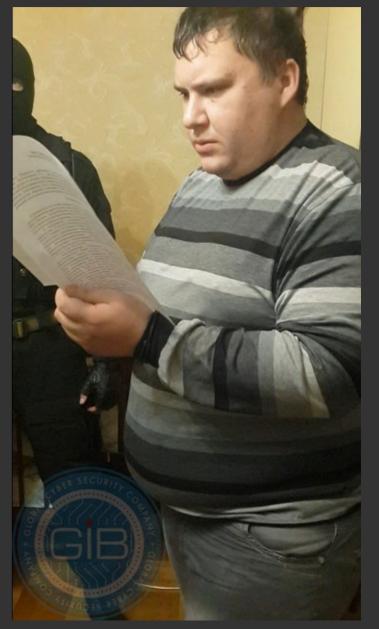
## Not everything is from Russians



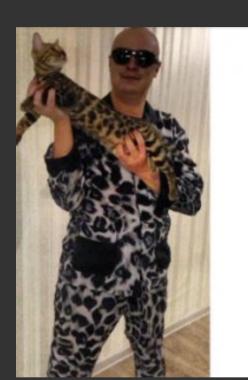
## Who are the attackers

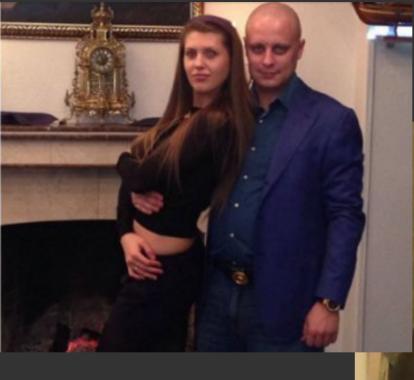


















#### EVGENIY MIKHAILOVICH BOGACHEV

Conspiracy to Participate in Racketeering Activity; Bank Fraud; Conspiracy to Violate the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act; Conspiracy to Violate the Identity Theft and Assumption Deterrence Act; Aggravated Identity Theft; Conspiracy; Computer Fraud; Wire Fraud; Money Laundering; Conspiracy to Commit Bank Fraud



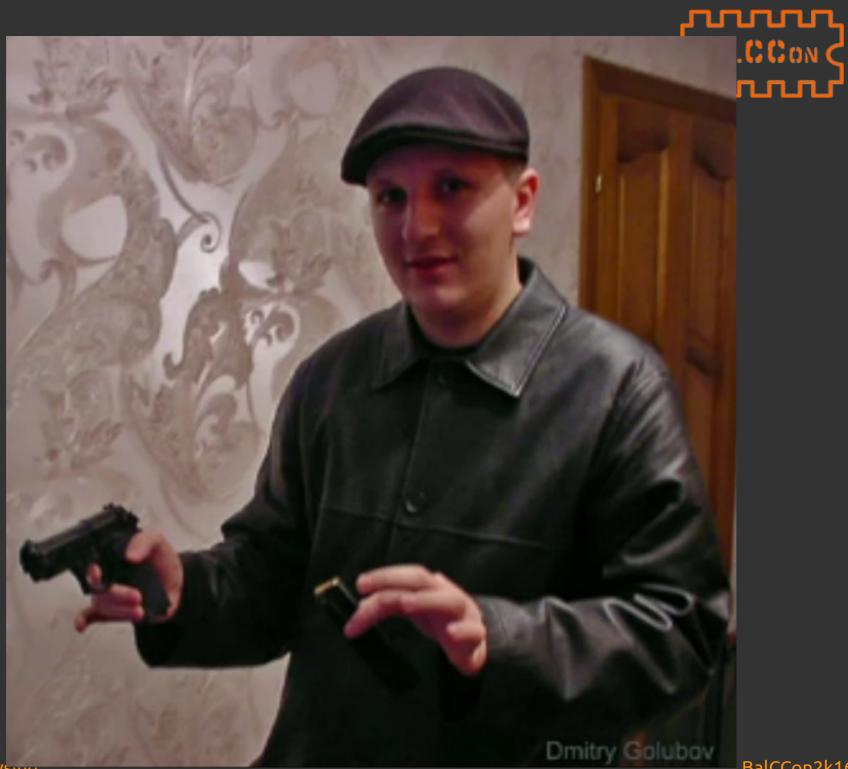






#### DESCRIPTION

Aliases: Yevgeniy Bogachev, Evgeniy Mikhaylovich Bogachev, "lucky12345", "slavik", "Pollingsoon"		
Date(s) of Birth Used: October 28, 1983	Hair: Brown (usually shaves his head)	
Eyes: Brown	Height: Approximately 5'9"	
Weight: Approximately 180 pounds	Sex: Male	
Race: White	Occupation: Bogachev works in the Information Technology field.	



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# (2012)

## Peter Guttmann, Malware Biz (2012)

#### Example: Rock Phish (ctd)

Some of the people behind this are really, really scary

· This is established, organised crime

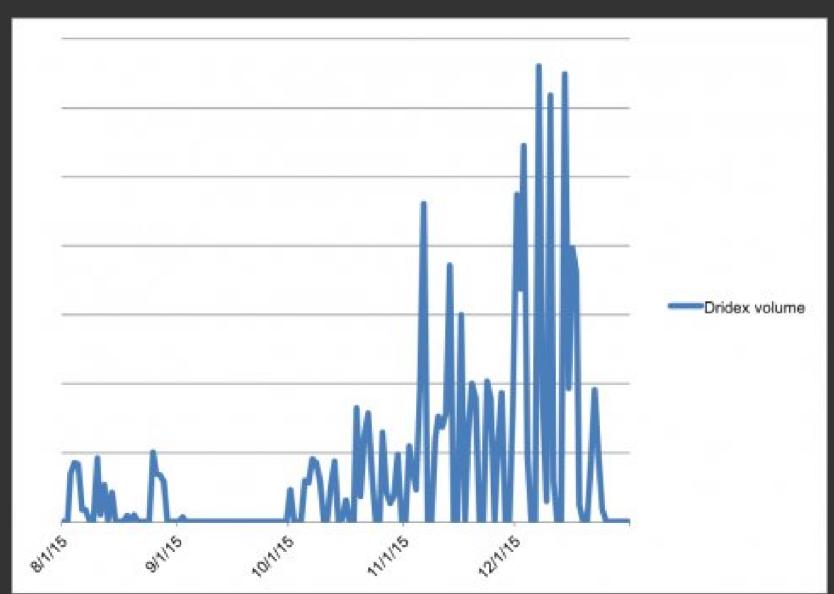
Example: Anti-cybercrime investigator in Russia working with the St.Petersburg police

- One of his teenage daughters, living in a western country, is kidnapped
- "If you drop the case, the rest of your children might be OK"
- Five years later she's located in Kazakhstan
   She was fed drugs and used to service men
  - Joseph Menn, author of "Fatal System Error"

These are people you don't ever want to mess with

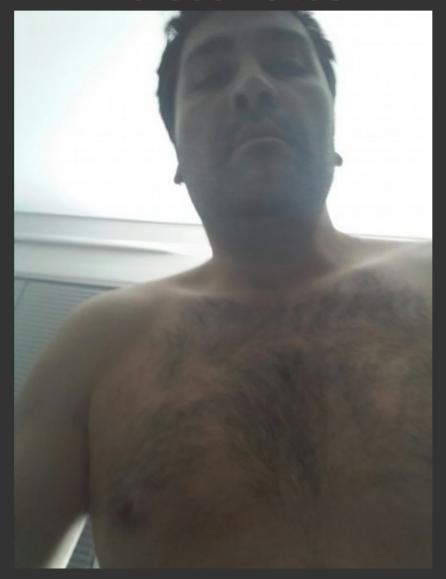


#### Even they must go on vacations...





# But you really don't need to travel that far to find assholes





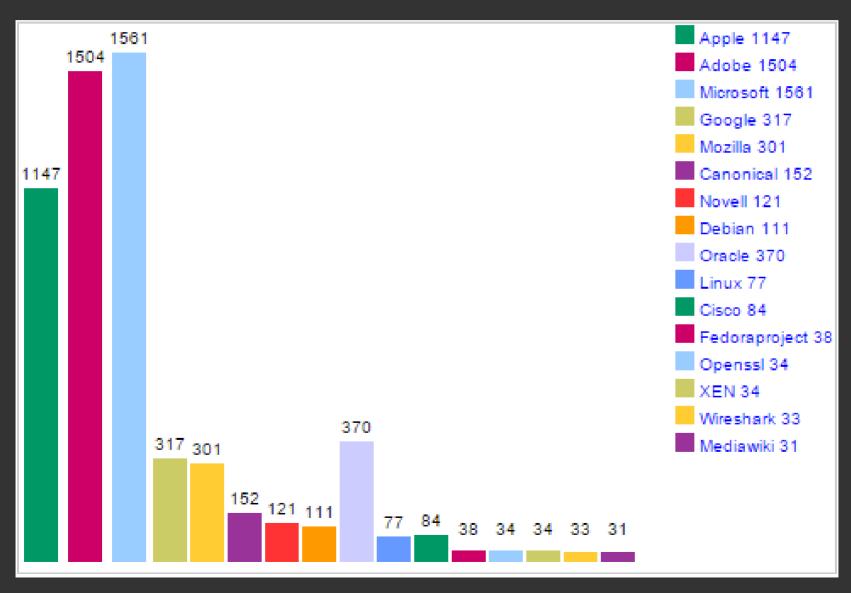
#### So, how do they do it?

#### Two primary methods of infection:

- Malicious mail attachments sent during the massive spam / phishing campaigns
- Infections while surfing websites, a.k.a drive-bydownloads, using exploits for popular software
  - Java
  - Flash, Microsoft Silverlight
  - Adobe PDF reader
  - Browsers themselves, especially Internet Explorer

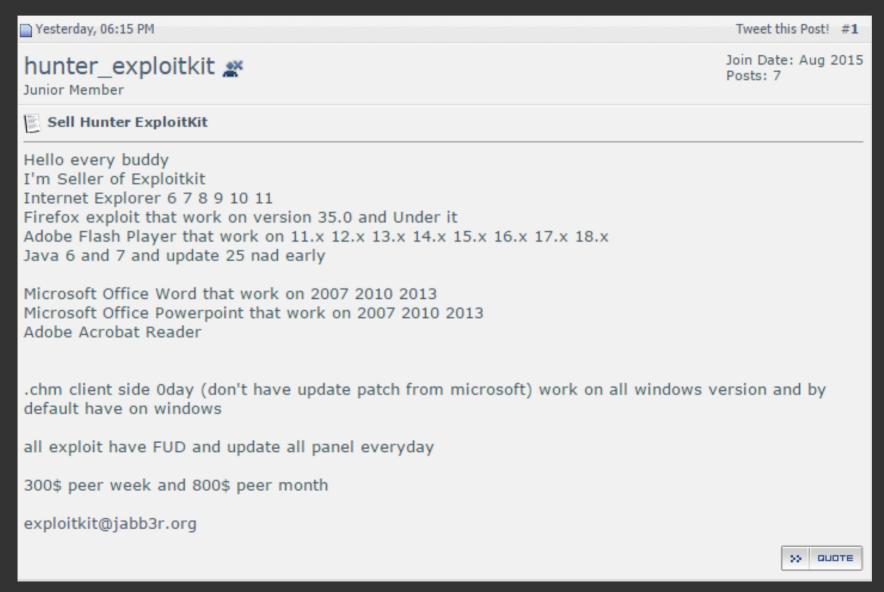


#### Because every sofware has bugs





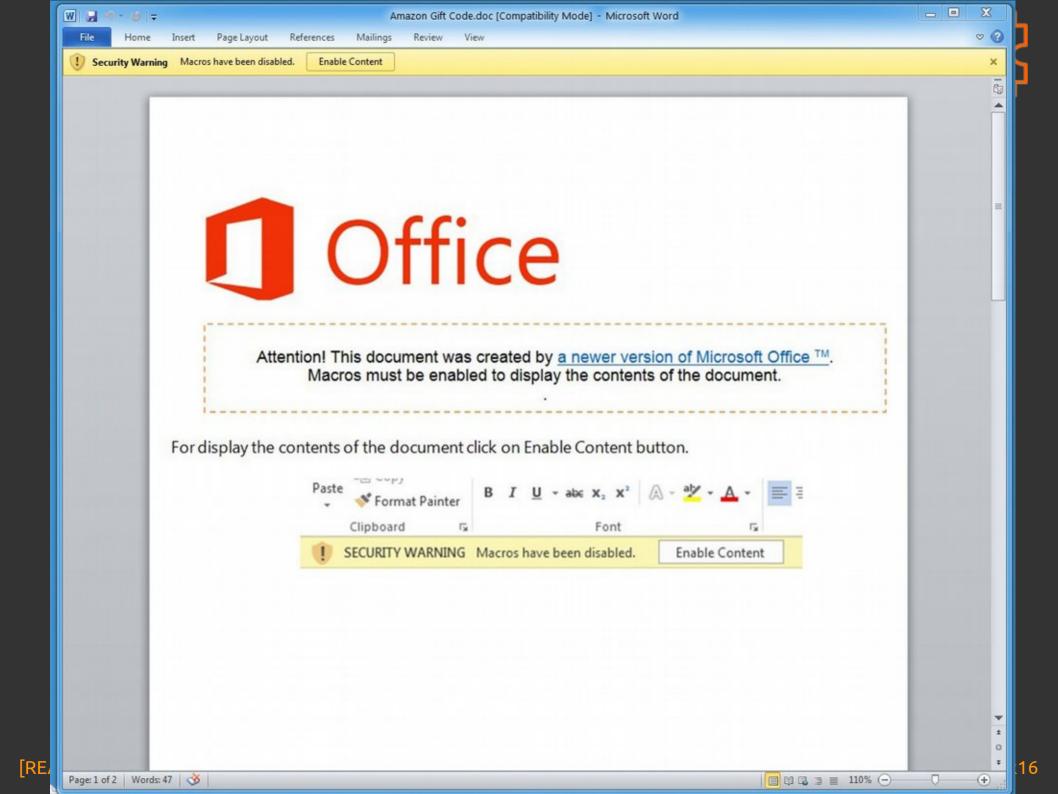
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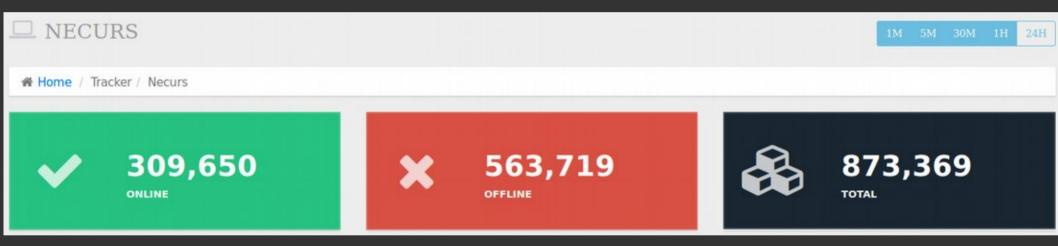
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#### So, how do they do it?

Botnet monitoring period of 24h



Offering	Price
Cheap email spamming service	US\$10 per 1,000,000 emails
Expensive email spamming service using a customer database	US\$50-500 per 50,000-1,000,000 emails
SMS spamming service	US\$3-150 per 100-10,000 text messages
ICQ spamming service	US\$3-20 per 50,000-1,000,000 messages
1-hour ICQ flooding service	US\$2
24-hour ICQ flooding service	US\$30
Email flooding service	US\$3 for 1,000 emails
1-hour call flooding service (i.e., typically takes call center services down)	US\$2-5
1-day call flooding service	US\$20-50
1-week call flooding service	US\$100
SMS flooding service	US\$15 for 1,000 text messages
Vkontante.ru account database	US\$5-10 for 500 accounts
Mail.ru address database	US\$1.30-19.47 per 100-5,000 addresses
Yandex.ru address database	US\$7-500 per 1,000-100,000 addresses
Skype SMS spamming tool	US\$40
Email spamming and flooding tool	US\$30





#### Pay-per-Install Service Prices

Offering download services is a widespread practice. In this business model, a customer provides the malicious file for a service provider to distribute. Download services are usually offered based on the target country.

Offering	Price per 1,000 Downloads
Australia (AU)	US\$300-550
Great Britain (UK)	US\$220-300
Italy (IT)	US\$200-350
New Zealand (NZ)	US\$200-250
Spain (ES), Germany (DE), or France (FR)	US\$170-250
United States (US)	US\$100-150
Global mix	US\$12-15
European mix	US\$80
Russia (RU)	US\$100



#### Malware as a Service

Try-before-you-buy offers for malware

Трафик на сплоиты.

Для пробы всем Бесплатно 100 посетителей!!!

Цена

4 \$ за 1000 посетителей - При заказе от 1000 до 5.000

3.8 \$ за 1000 посетителей - При заказе от 5.000 до 10.000

3.5 \$ за 1000 посетителей - При заказе от 10.000

Traffic for sploits

Free trial, 100 visitors!!!

Price

\$4 per 1000 if buying 1000 - 5000

\$3.80 per 1000 if buying 5000 - 10,000

\$3.50 per 1000 if buying over 10,000



Here are sample cybercriminal posts offering Trojans (translated from Russian):

"Spider Keylogger Pro v. 1.2.4. FUD 100%. Price: US\$50."

"Trojan (steals passwords from Opera, Mozilla Firefox, Chrome, Safari, Mail.ru agent, qip). Price: US\$8."

"Backdoor for sale (software for remote access to computers); price: US\$25; price of source code: US\$50."

"Keylogger Detective 2.3.2 (Trojan with hidden installation); price: US\$3."

"Trojan emulates WebMoney Keeper Classic; price: US\$500."



#### Scanned Document Copy Prices

Offering	Price
Russian and other Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS) country passport	US\$2-5
European passport	US\$5
Document rework service	US\$15-20
Credit card rework service	US\$25

Table 11: Scanned document copy prices

Here's a sample cybercriminal post offering a database of documents (translated from Russian):

"Database of documents (passport, cc, driver's license, utility bill, bank statement) price: US\$195; more than 500 documents and templates"



#### **SMS Fraud Service Prices**

Offering	Price
SMS activation service for: 1-10 devices 11-20 devices 21+ devices	US\$0.40 US\$0.45 US\$0.50
SMS spamming service (all Russian operators)	US\$3 for 100 text messages US\$20 for 1,000 text messages US\$150 for 10,000 text messages
SMS spamming service (with phone number replacement) for:  1 text message 3 text messages 5 text messages 8 text messages 15 text messages 20 text messages 30 text messages 50 text messages	US\$0.15 US\$0.35 US\$0.65 US\$1.15 US\$1.95 US\$2.75 US\$4.15 US\$6.95



#### KASPERS

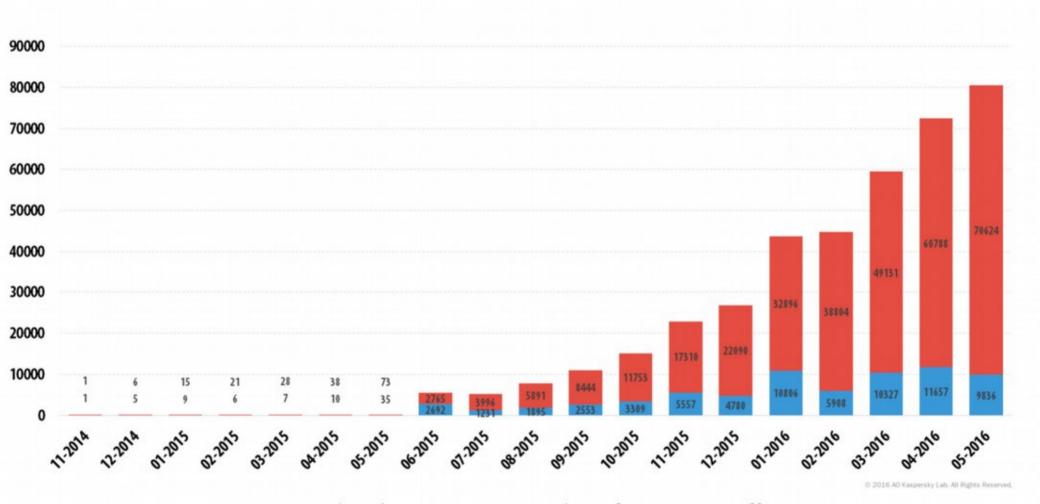


Figure 2. Marketplace activity in number of new server offerings



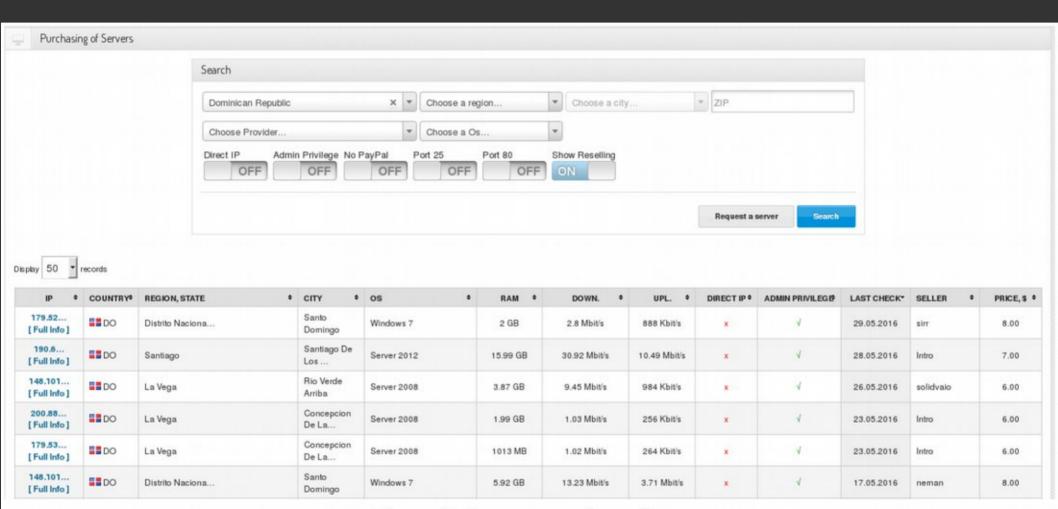
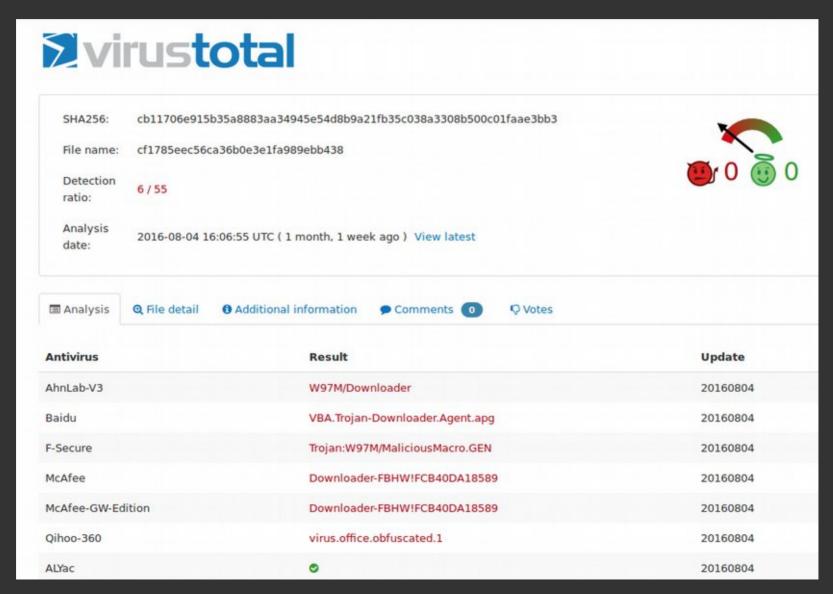


Figure 3. Servers purchase form



### Typical VirusTotal report





#### They shutdown your AV

```
public static void Kill()
    bool flag = Core.IsAdmin();
   if (flag)
        KillAV.FuckFileName("rstrui.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("AvastSvc.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avconfig.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("AvastUI.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avscan.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("instup.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("mbam.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("mbamgui.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("mbampt.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("mbamscheduler.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("mbamservice.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("hijackthis.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("spybotsd.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("ccuac.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avcenter.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avguard.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avgnt.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avgui.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avgcsrvx.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avgidsagent.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avgrsx.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avgwdsvc.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("egui.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("zlclient.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("bdagent.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("keyscrambler.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("avp.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("wireshark.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("ComboFix.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("MSASCui.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("MpCmdRun.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("msseces.exe");
        KillAV.FuckFileName("MsMpEng.exe");
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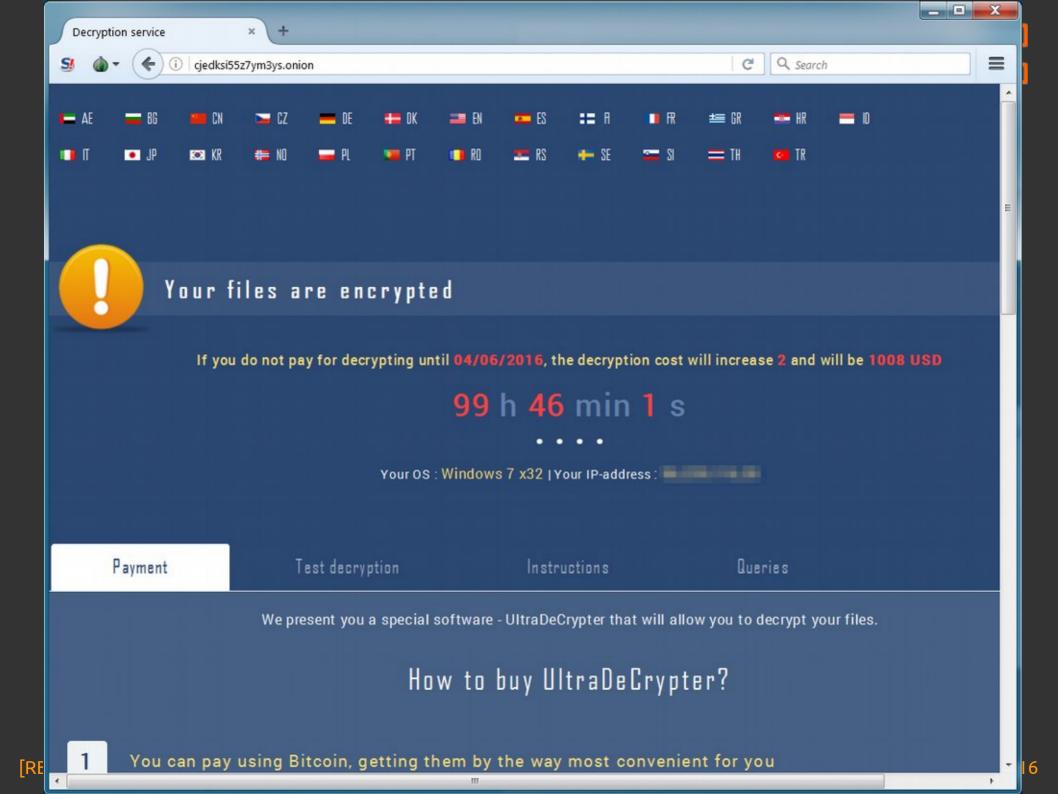
## They steal your passwords

- f TMemoryStream\_Write
- f TModule\_ADialer\_Destroy
- f TModule\_CamFrog\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Chrome\_Destroy
- f TModule\_CiscoVPN\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Credentials\_Destroy
- f TModule\_FTPRush\_Destroy
- f TModule\_FlashGet\_Destroy
- f TModule\_GetRight\_Destroy
- f TModule\_ICQ99b\_Destroy
- f TModule\_IDA\_Destroy
- f TModule\_IE\_Destroy
- f TModule\_IM2\_Destroy
- TModule\_MailCommander\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Miranda\_Destroy
- TModule\_NetCache\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Opera\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Outlook\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Pidgin\_Destroy
- f TModule\_RAS\_Destroy
- f TModule\_RDP\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Safari\_Destroy
- f TModule\_SysInfo\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Thunderbird\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Trillian\_Destroy
- f TModule\_UBPoker\_Destroy
- f TModule\_Windows\_Mail\_Vista\_Destroy



## They encrypt your files + on network

```
".php", ".asp", ".txt", ".jsp", ".avi", ".flv",
".htm", ".js", ".eot", ".file", ".pdf", ".mkv",
".mov", ".mp4", ".mpq", ".mpeq", ".jpq", ".swf",
".vob", ".wmv", ".doc". ".docx", ".docm", ".xls", ".xlsx",
".jpeg", ".png", "(locky")".mid", ".wma", ".asf", ".vob",
".fla", ".qcow2", ".vd1", ".vmdk", ".vmx", ".qpq", ".aes",
".PAQ", ".tar.bz2", ".bak", ".tar", ".tgz", ".rar",
".zip", ".djv", ".djvu", ".svq", ".bmp", ".png", ".gif",
" .raw", ".cqm", " .tif", ".tiff", ".NEF", " .psd", ".cmd",
".bat", ".class", ".jar", ".java", ".asp", ".brd", ".sch",
".dch", ".dip", ".vbs", ".asm", ".pas", ".cpp", ".ldf", ".mdf",
".ibd", ".MYI", ".MYD", ".frm", ".odb", ".dbf", ".mdb", ".sql",
" .SQLITEDB", ".SQLITE3", ".asc", ".lay6", ".lay", ".ms11 (Security cop'
".sldm", ".sldx", ".ppsm", ".ppsx", ".ppam", ".docb", ".mml", ".sxm"
".otg", ".odg", ".uop", ".potx", ".potm", ".pptx", ".pptm",
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".dotm", ".dotx", ".DOT", ".max", ".xml", ".txt", ".CSV", ".uot", ".RTF",
".pdf", ".PPT", ".stw", ".sxw", ".ott", ".odt", ".pem", ".csr",
".crt", ".kev", ".asc", "wallet.dat"
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#### Even thermostats can get ransomware





#### Message from the good guys





## If you think it won't happen to you





#### Solution to ransomware:

# BACKUP YOUR STUFF

(AND KEEP IT OFFLINE)



# And now, the part you've all been waiting to hear:

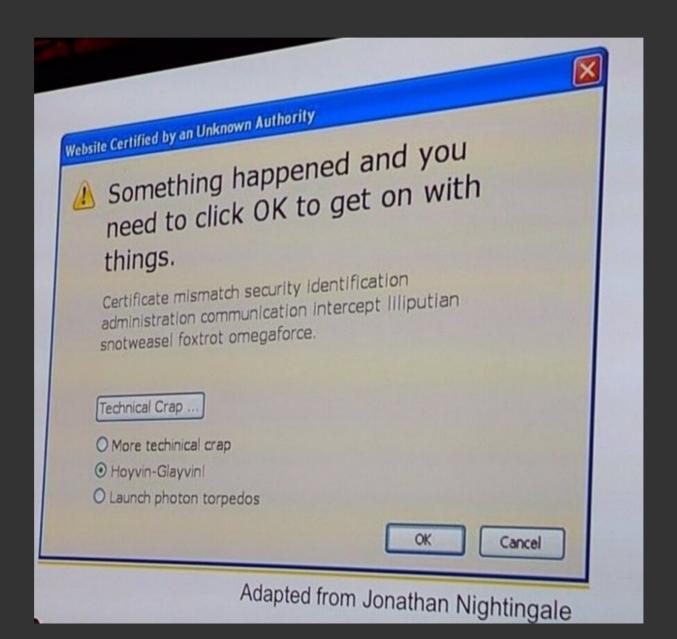


#### Protection from this cruft

- First order of bussines: <u>DUMP WINDOWS</u>
- Change passwords on your router
- Use a properly configured browser in private mode / incognito
- Install AND CONFIGURE necessary add-ons
- Use private search engines
- Run BleachBit periodically
- Run up-to-date AV, even on Linux / MacOS
- Hide your trafic / IP address

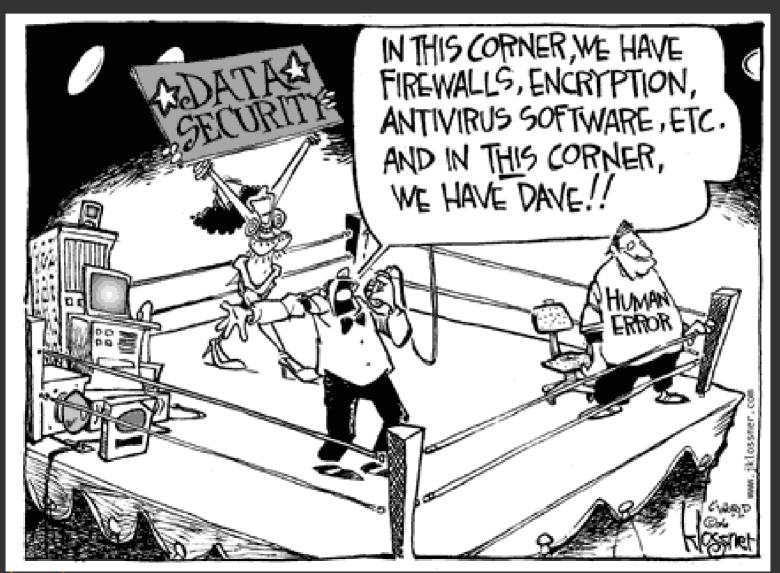


### Problem is education of users





#### Problem is education of users



# BALCCON

#### One idea:

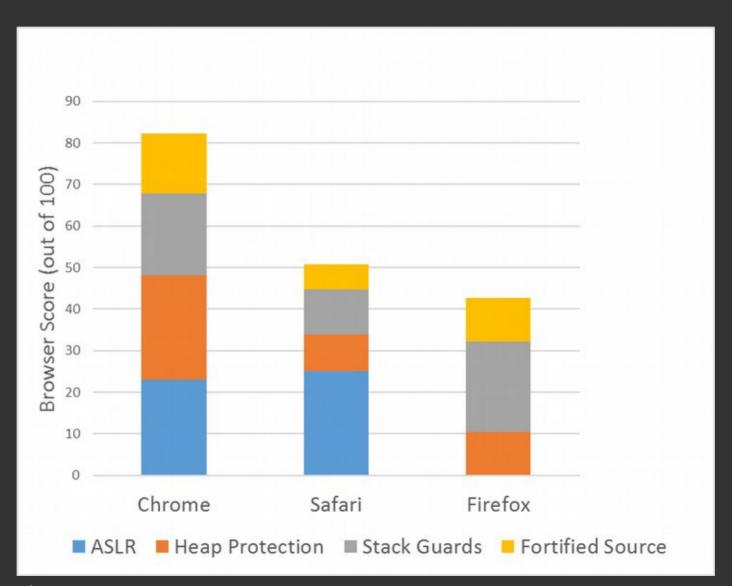
You can run pi-hole, a local DNS server on your Raspbery pi, and feed it list of domains to block, protecting ALL devices on a network

https://pi-hole.net/





## Not all browsers a equal





#### Firefox add-ons

#### For normal users:

- uBlock Origin
- Privacy Badger
- CanvasBlocker
- Disable Hello, Pocket & Reader
- HTTPS Everywhere
- Privacy Settings
- Self-Destruct Cookies
- CS Fire
- Referrer Control



## Firefox add-ons

#### For advanced users, previous slide plus:

- Random Agent Spoofer
- uMatrix

Lots of others



#### Chrome add-ons

#### For normal users:

- Ublock Origin
- Privacy Badger
- CanvasFingerprintBlocker
- HTTPS Everywhere
- Referrer Control
- WEBRTC Leak Prevent
- Flash Control
- User-Agent Switcher for Chrome (Glen Wilson)



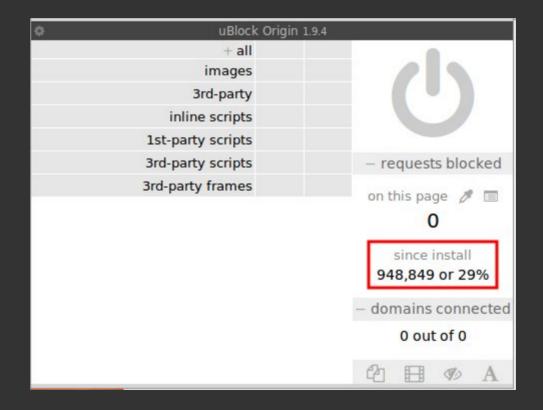
## Chrome add-ons

#### For advanced users:

• Rubber Glove



## Ublock Origin on just one computer



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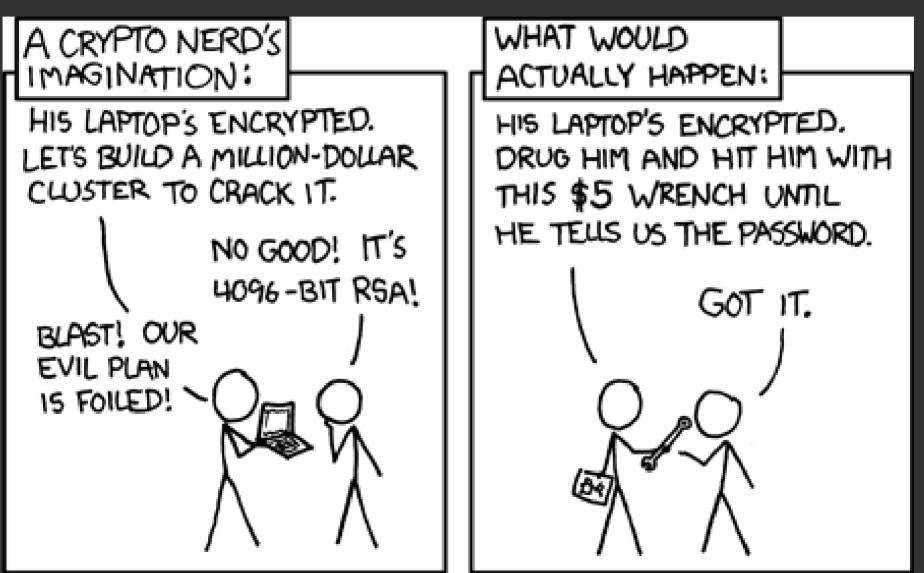
## Hiding your traffic / IP address

Some of the traditional methods:

- Proxy
- VPN
- TOR



## First, a disclaimer:





## Proxies





#### Proxies

Don't use them Just don't.



#### **VPNs**

3 types commonly in use:

• LLTP



• IPsec



OpenVPN



Marketed as geo-blocking bypass, censorship bypass, "anonymity"

Create a encrypted tunnel between your device and a VPN server, tunneling all your traffic, not just browsing trafic



#### IPsec (ctd)

- (a) Organizations and Conferences
- (1) Insist on doing everything through "channels." Never permit short-cuts to be taken in order to, expedite decisions.
- (2) Make "speeches." Talk as frequently as possible and at great length. Illustrate your "points" by long anecdotes and accounts of personal experiences. Never hesitate to make a few appropriate "patriotic" comments.
- (3) When possible, refer all matters to committees, for "further study and consideration." Attempt to make the committees as large as possible never less than five.
- (4) Bring up irrelevant issues as frequently as possible.
- (5) Haggle over precise wordings of communications, minutes, resolutions.
- (6) Refer back to matters decided upon at the last meeting and attempt to reopen the question of the advisability of that decision.
- (7) Advocate "caution." Be "reasonable" and urge your fellow-conferees to be "reasonable" and avoid haste which might result in embarrassments or difficulties later on.
- (8) Be worried about the propriety of any decision -raise the question of whether such action as is contemplated lies within the jurisdiction of the group or whether it might conflict with the policy of some higher echelon.

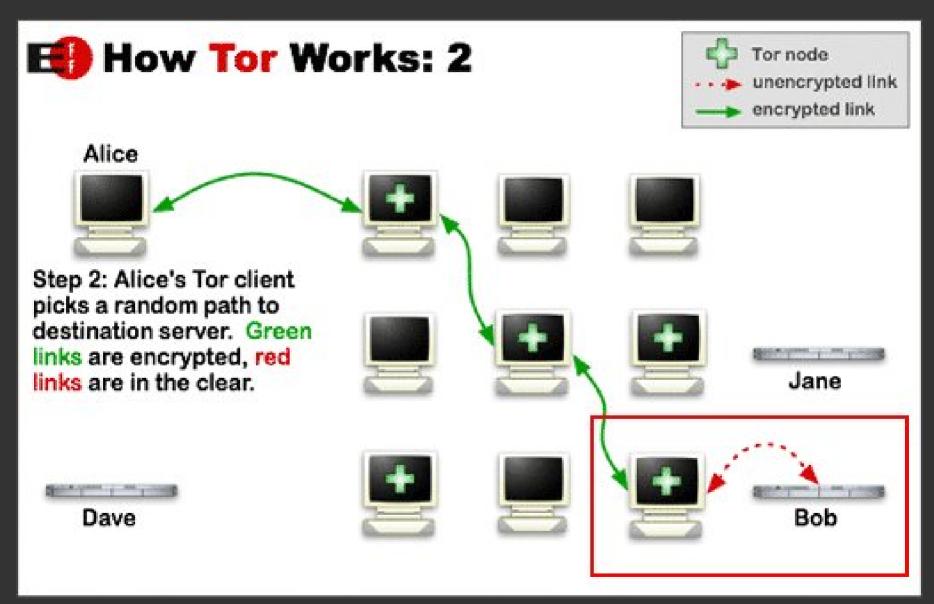


#### IPsec (ctd)

- (b) Managers and Supervisors
- (1) Demand written orders.
- (2) "Misunderstand" orders. Ask endless questions or engage in long correspondence about such orders. Quibble over them when you can.
- (3) Do everything possible to delay the delivery of orders. Even though parts of an order may be ready beforehand, don't deliver it until it is completely ready.
- (4) Don't order new working materials until your current stocks have been virtually exhausted, so that the slightest delay in filling your order will mean a shutdown.
- (5) Order high-quality materials which are hard to get. If you don't get them argue about it. Warn that inferior materials will mean inferior work.
- (6) In making work assignments, always sign out the unimportant jobs first. See that the important jobs are assigned to inefficient workers of poor machines.
- (7) Insist on perfect work in relatively unimportant products; send back for refinishing those which have the least flaw. Approve other defective parts whose flaws are not visible to the naked eye.
- (8) Make mistakes in routing so that parts and materials will be sent to the wrong place in the plant.
- (9) When training new workers, give incomplete or misleading instructions.
- (10) To lower morale and with it, production, be pleasant to inefficient workers; give them undeserved promotions. Discriminate against efficient workers; complain unjustly about their work.
- (11) Hold conferences when there is more critical work to be done.
- (12) Multiply paper work in plausible ways. Start duplicate files.
- (13) Multiply the procedures and clearances involved in issuing instructions, pay checks, and so on. See that three people have to approve everything where one would do.



#### **TOR**







# Stinks (1)

CT SIGDEV

JUN 2012

Derived From: NSA/CSSM 1-52

Dated: 20070108

Declassify On: 20370101

TOP SECRET//COMINT// REL FVEY

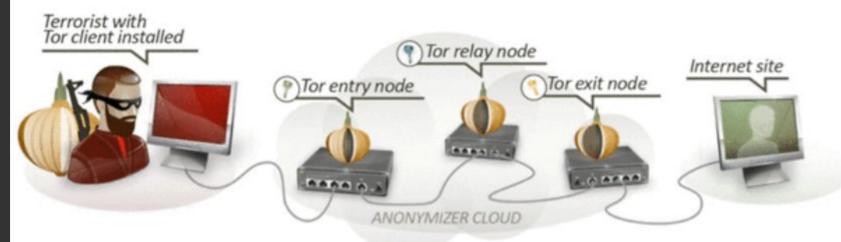


#### Tor Stinks...

- We will never be able to de-anonymize all Tor users all the time.
- With manual analysis we can de-anonymize a <u>very small fraction</u> of Tor users, however, <u>no</u> success de-anonymizing a user in response to a TOPI request/on demand.

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### Analytics: Circuit Reconstruction (5//51)



- Current: access to <u>very</u> few nodes. Success rate negligible because all three Tor nodes in the circuit have to be in the set of nodes we have access to.
  - Difficult to combine meaningfully with passive SIGINT.
- Goal: expand number of nodes we have access to
  - GCHQ runs Tor nodes under NEWTONS CRADLE (how many?)
  - Other partners?
  - Partial reconstruction (first hops or last hops)?

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## Analytics: Cookie Leakage (TS//SI)

DoubleclickID seen on Tor and non-Tor IPs





#### Nodes: Tor Node Flooding (TS//SI)

Could we set up a lot of really slow Tor nodes (advertised as high bandwidth) to degrade the overall stability of the network?



# Tor Stinks... But it Could be Worse

- Critical mass of targets use Tor. Scaring them away from Tor might be counterproductive.
- We can <u>increase</u> our success rate and provide more client IPs for individual Tor users.
- Will <u>never get 100%</u> but we don't need to provide true IPs for every target every time they use Tor.



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file:	down	loaded.rules:	9159						
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	ST	TIMESTAM	1P	EVENT ID	SOURCE	PORT	DESTINATION	POF	RT SIGNATURE
	RT	2016-08-1	0 07:31:21	3.62568	192.168	8080	192.168	354	ET POLICY TLS 84 possible TOR SSL traffic
	RT	2016-08-1	0 07:31:20	<u>3.62556</u>	192.168	8080	192.168	354	ET POLICY TLS 82 possible TOR SSL traffic
	RT	2016-08-1	0 07:21:27	3.62089	192.168	8080	192.168	354	ET POLICY TLS 66 possible TOR SSL traffic
	RT	2016-08-1	0 07:21:27	3.62088	192.168	8080	192.168	354	ET POLICY TLS 65 possible TOR SSL traffic
	RT	2016-08-1	0 07:21:26	3.62085	192.168	8080	192.168	354	ET POLICY TLS 63 possible TOR SSL traffic
	RT	2016-08-1	.0 07:20:52	3.61944	192.168	8080	192.168	354	ET POLICY TLS 50 possible TOR SSL traffic



#### Research from 2007

"I am absolutely positive that I am not the only one to figure this out," Egerstad says. "I'm pretty sure there are governments doing the exact same thing. There's probably a reason why people are volunteering to set up a node."

Victims of Egerstad's research project included embassies belonging to Australia, Japan, Iran, India and Russia. Egerstad also found accounts belonging to the foreign ministry of Iran, the United Kingdom's visa office in Nepal and the Defence Research and Development Organization in India's Ministry of Defence.

In addition, Egerstad was able to read correspondence belonging to the Indian ambassador to China, various politicians in Hong Kong, workers in the Dalai Lama's liaison office and several human-rights groups in Hong Kong.

Egerstad says it wasn't just e-mail that was exposed but instant messages passed internally between workers and any other web traffic that crossed the network. Among the data he initially collected was e-mail from an Australian embassy worker with the subject line referring to an "Australian military plan."

"It kind of shocked me," he says.

That prompted Egerstad to narrow his search to e-mail correspondence with a focus on government agencies. He wrote a script to search for .gov domains and keywords such as "embassy," "war" and "military," and focused on sniffing port-25 traffic, the port through which e-mail passes.

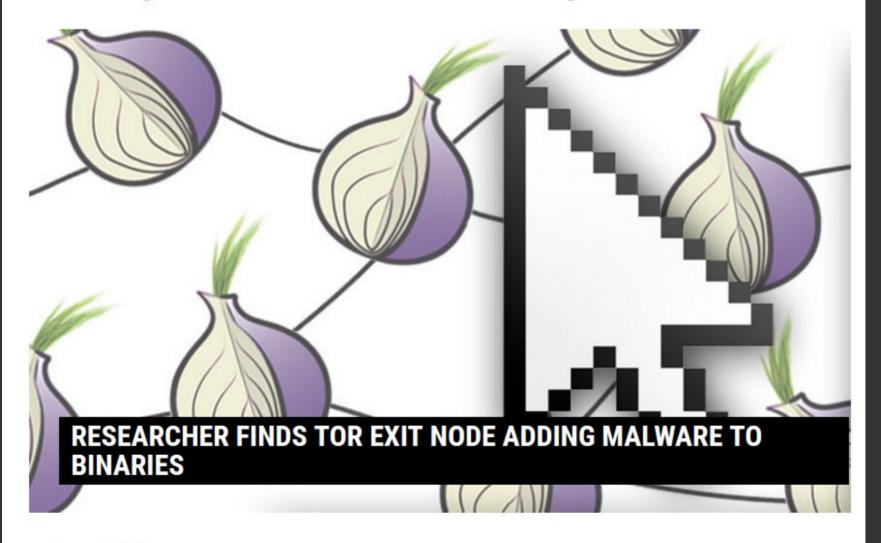
He collected between 200 and 250 accounts belonging to embassies and government agencies that were sending passwords and the content of correspondence in the clear. None of them belonged to U.S. embassies or government agencies.

Among the data he found in the correspondence was a spreadsheet listing passport numbers and personal information about the passport holders, as well as sensitive details about meetings and activities among government officials.

threat post



Welcome > Blog Home > Malware > Researcher Finds Tor Exit Node Adding Malware to Binaries



by Dennis Fisher

Both Tor, independent security researchers and website owners need to work towards a safer Internet. In 32 days I've found 15 instances where a node is sniffing and using my credentials and over 650 unique pagevisits which means that others also sniffs. We need more people involving in this project and hopefully we'll see an improvement from here and on.



#### 3. CONCLUSION & FUTURE WORK

In this work, we introduced honey onions (HOnions), a framework for methodically estimating and identifying Tor HSDir nodes that are snooping on hidden services they are hosting. We propose algorithms to both estimate the number of snooping HSDirs and identify them. Our experimental results indicate that during the period of the study (72) days) at least 110 such nodes were snooping information about hidden services they host. Based on our observations not all snooping HSDirs operate with the same level of sophistication. For example, some do not visit the hosted honions immediately to avoid detection by daily honions, our weekly and monthly honions can detect them. We believe that behavior of the snoopers can be modeled and studied in more detail. Furthermore, we reveal that more than half of them were hosted on cloud infrastructure making it difficult to detect malicious Tor nodes. Furthermore, cloud

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Fingerprint	IP addresses	Country	Bandwidth	Problem	First active	Discovery
F8FD29D0†	176.99.12.246	Russia	$7.16~\mathrm{MB/s}$	HTTPS MitM	2013-06-24	2013-07-13
8F9121BF†	64.22.111.168/29	U.S.	$7.16~\mathrm{MB/s}$	HTTPS MitM	2013-06-11	2013-07-13
93213A1F†	176.99.9.114	Russia	$290~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (50%)	2013-07-23	2013-09-19
05AD06E2†	92.63.102.68	Russia	$5.55~\mathrm{MB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (33%)	2013-08-01	2013-09-19
45C55E46†	46.254.19.140	Russia	$1.54~\mathrm{MB/s}$	SSH & HTTPS MitM (12%)	2013-08-09	2013-09-23
CA1BA219†	176.99.9.111	Russia	$334~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (37.5%)	2013-09-26	2013-10-01
1D70CDED†	46.38.50.54	Russia	$929~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (50%)	2013-09-27	2013-10-14
EE215500†	31.41.45.235	Russia	$2.96~\mathrm{MB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (50%)	2013-09-26	2013-10-15
12459837†	195.2.252.117	Russia	$3.45~\mathrm{MB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (26.9%)	2013-09-26	2013-10-16
B5906553†	83.172.8.4	Russia	$850.9~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (68%)	2013-08-12	2013-10-16
EFF1D805†	188.120.228.103	Russia	$287.6~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (61.2%)	2013-10-23	2013-10-23
229C3722	121.54.175.51	Hong Kong	$106.4~\mathrm{KB/s}$	sslstrip	2013-06-05	2013-10-31
4E8401D7†	176.99.11.182	Russia	$1.54~\mathrm{MB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (79.6%)	2013-11-08	2013-11-09
27FB6BB0†	195.2.253.159	Russia	$721~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM (43.8%)	2013-11-08	2013-11-09
0ABB31BD†	195.88.208.137	Russia	$2.3~\mathrm{MB/s}$	SSH & HTTPS MitM $(85.7\%)$	2013-10-31	2013-11-21
CADA 00B9†	5.63.154.230	Russia	$187.62~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM	2013-11-26	2013-11-26
C1C0EDAD†	93.170.130.194	Russia	$838.54~\mathrm{KB/s}$	HTTPS MitM	2013-11-26	2013-11-27
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E455A115	89.128.56.73	Spain	$54.27~\mathrm{KB/s}$	sslstrip	2013-12-17	2013-12-18
02013F48	117.18.118.136	Hong Kong	$538.45~\mathrm{KB/s}$	DNS censorship	2013-12-22	2014-01-01
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C37AFA7F	81.219.51.206	Poland	$509.3~\mathrm{KB/s}$	OpenDNS	2014-02-03	2014-02-06
975ACB99	54.200.151.237	U.S.	$2.73~\mathrm{MB/s}$	sslstrip	2014-01-26	2014-02-08
B40A3DC6	85.23.243.147	Finland	$50~\mathrm{KB/s}$	IMAPS anti virus	2013-11-04	2014-02-10
E5A75EE1	132.248.80.171	Mexico	$102.4~\mathrm{KB/s}$	IMAPS anti virus	2013-04-24	2014-02-10
423BCBCE	54.200.102.199	U.S.	$702.66~\mathrm{KB/s}$	sslstrip	2014-02-13	2014-02-14
F7B4BC6B	54.213.13.21	U.S.	$431.78~\mathrm{KB/s}$	sslstrip	2014-02-14	2014-02-15
DB7C7DDD	37.143.8.242	Russia	$267.86~\mathrm{KB/s}$	sslstrip	2014-02-18	2014-02-18
426E8E2F	54.201.48.216	U.S.	$2.25~\mathrm{MB/s}$	sslstrip	2014-02-09	2014-02-18
D81DAC47	117.18.118.136	Hong Kong	$166.31~\mathrm{KB/s}$	DNS censorship	2014-01-27	2014-02-14

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## What you could use instead of all of this

**STREISAND** 

https://github.com/jlund/streisand





## Services provided by STREISAND

- L2TP/IPsec using Libreswan and xl2tpd
- OpenSSH
- OpenConnect / Cisco AnyConnect
- OpenVPN
- Shadowsocks
- sslh
- Stunnel
- Tor



## and again,

https://github.com/jlund/streisand





## Further Reading

HowTo: Privacy & Security Conscious Browsing

https://gist.github.com/atcuno/3425484ac5cce5

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by Andrew Case @attrc





## Further Reading:

Gerzićev vodič za prosečnog Internet korisnika https://www.gerzic.com/howto/internet/

by Luka Gerzić @gerzic





## Thank you for your patience

Questions?



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