

# *Stopping the Threat at the Door*

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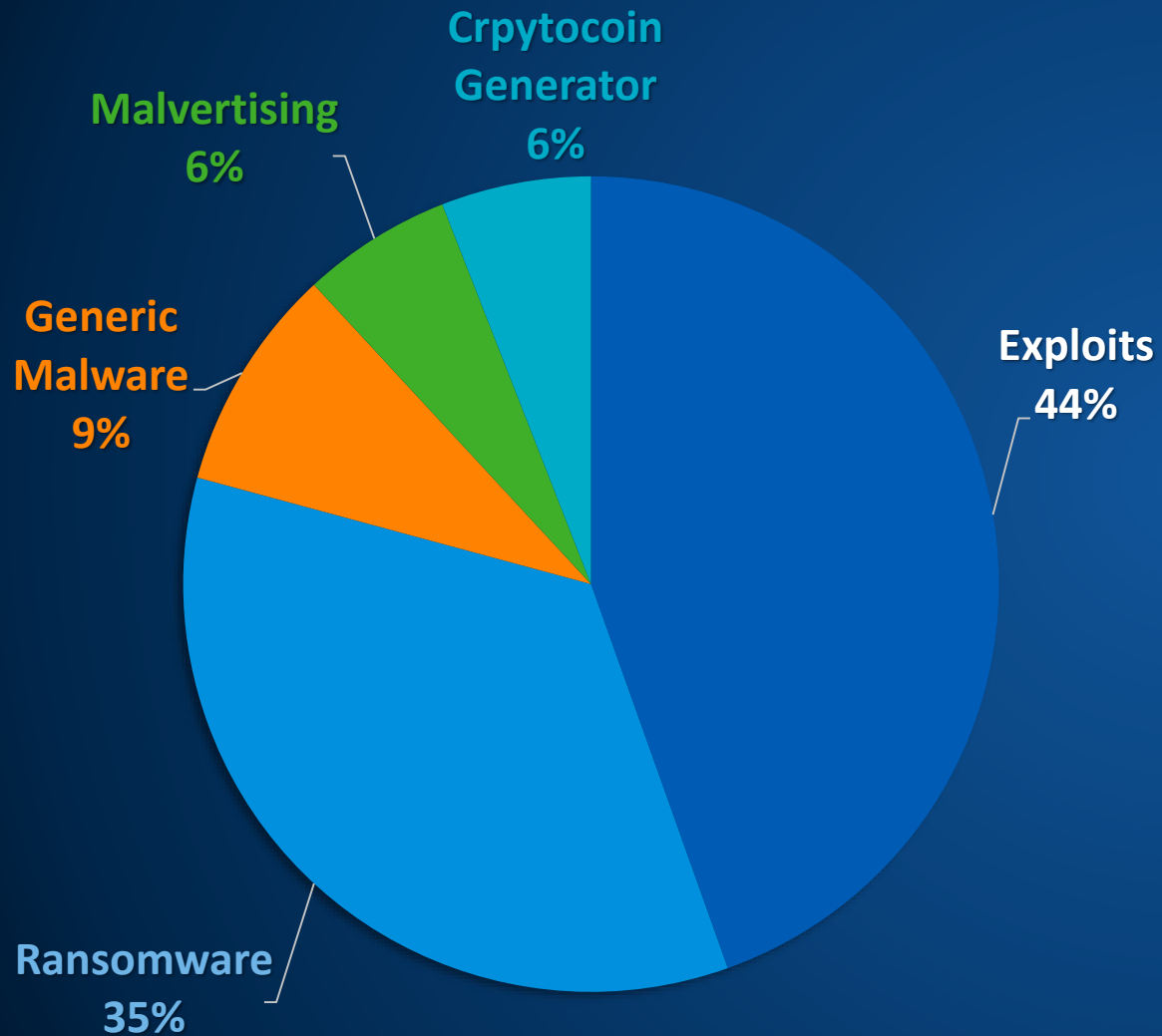
Sales Engineer – Ohio and Kentucky

Today

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# Top Threats in the US



## Phishing

- 93% of phishing emails have a ransomware payload (CSO Online)

## Exploits

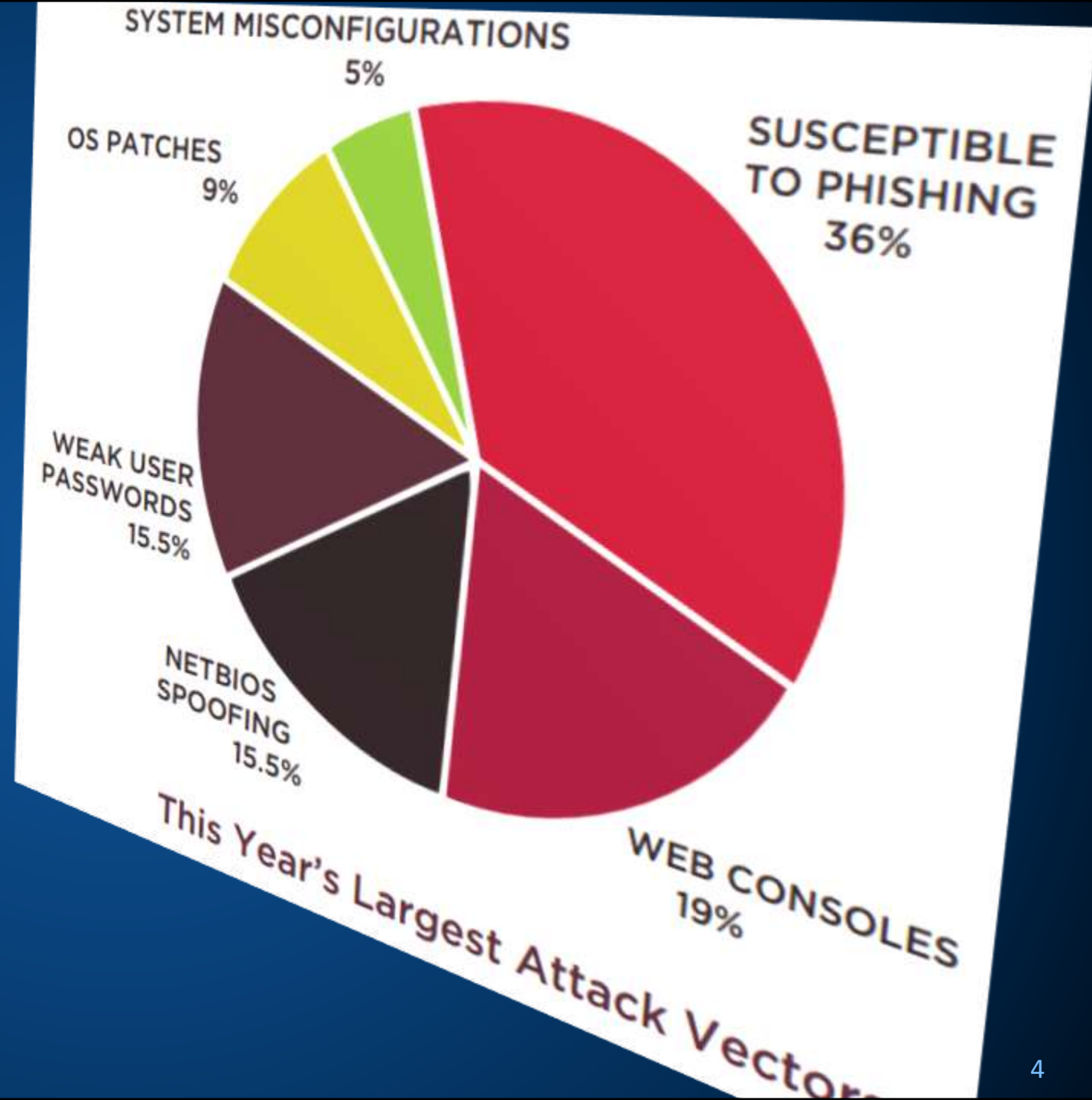
- Industrialized attacks
- Flash, Downloader, JS redirect, Malvertising

## Ransomware

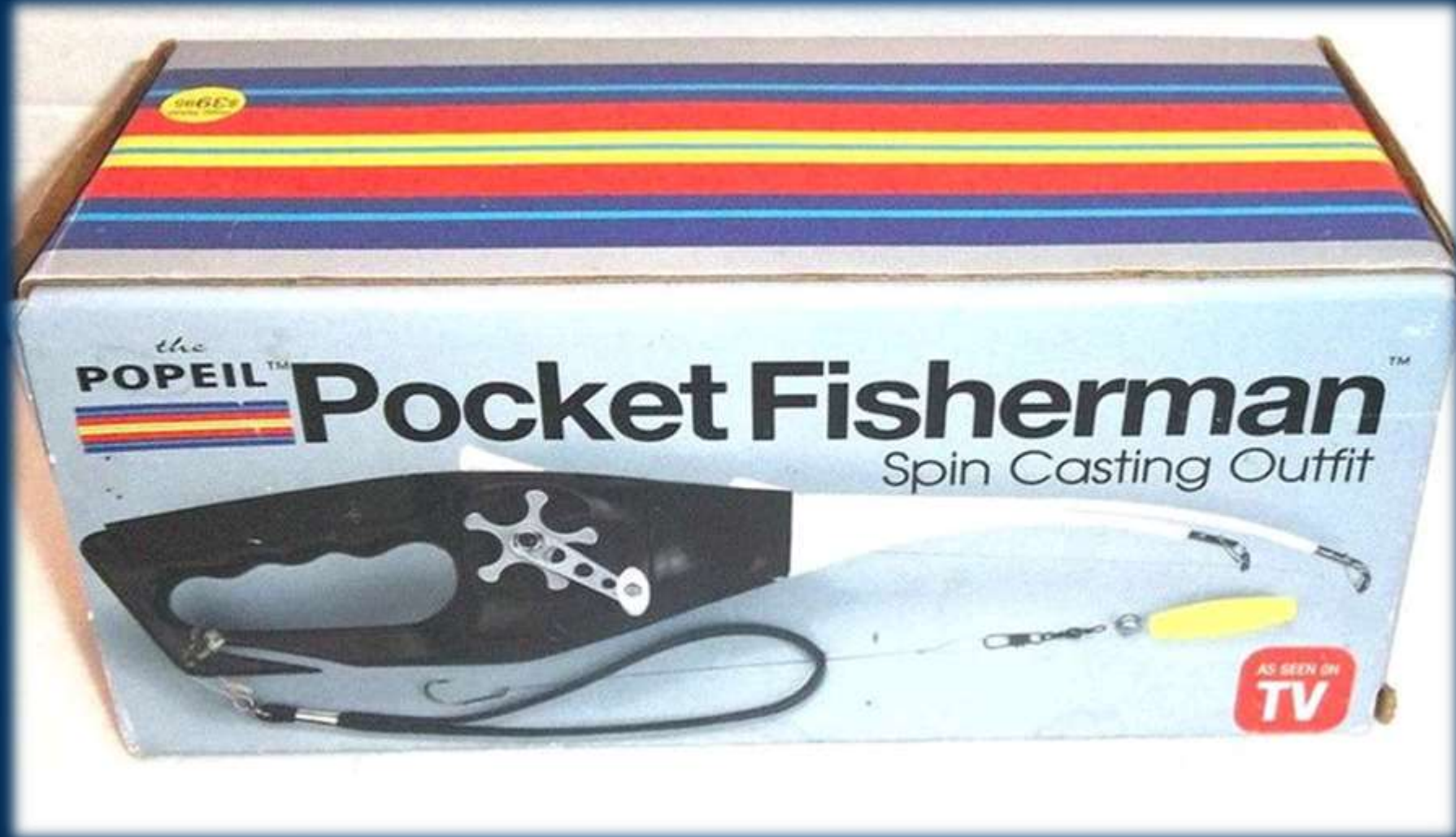
- Dropper, Phish, Shortcut, Doc Macro
- Successful attacker can earn up to **\$394,000 in a single month**

# Top Threats

Secure State  
Cleveland, Ohio



# HD Fishing



# HD Phishing

Dear Stephen [REDACTED],

Regarding the amount due 1672.98 GBP, we act on behalf of [REDACTED]. We would like to remind you that the amount above was [REDACTED] <http://eduroute.ac-rouen.fr/index.php?qewado=cvi&yhal>

Original invoice will be sent out to:  
Stephen [REDACTED]  
Fields [REDACTED]  
Loughton, Essex [REDACTED]

In order to avoid further costs, please forward the [REDACTED]

Sincerely,  
Todd Parks

Dear James [REDACTED],


Regarding the amount due 847.93 GBP, we act on behalf of [REDACTED]. We would like to remind you that the amount above was [REDACTED] <http://ringwoodgrantwriters.com/index.php?oxesu=5e8>


Original invoice will be sent out to:  
James [REDACTED]  
Road [REDACTED]  
Christchurch, Dorset [REDACTED]

In order to avoid further costs, please forward the [REDACTED]

Yours truly,  
Joseph Dawson

Attn: Your-150 Dollar Prime Credit Expires on 12/28. Shopper: [REDACTED] Spam x

 Amazon Update <AmazonUpdate@efficaciouscrbays.xyz> to me ▾

 Why is this message in Spam? It's similar to messages that were detected by our spam filters. [Learn more](#)



The Amazon Marketplace

-----SHOPPER/MEMBER:4726  
-----DATE-OF-NOTICE: 12/22/2015

Hello Shopper: [REDACTED]@gmail.com! To show you how much we truly value your years of business with us and to celebrate the continued success of our Prime membership program, we're rewarding you with-\$100 in shopping points that can be used on any item on our online shopping site! (this includes any marketplace vendors)

In order to use this-\$100 reward, simply go below to get your-coupon-card and then just use it during checkout on your next purchase. That's all there is to it!

[Please visit-here now to get your reward](#)

\*\*\*DON'T WAIT! The Link Above Expires on 12/28!

# Specifically & Local



Amazon Prime <digital-noreply@amazepime.com>

Matthew Pannebaker

8:36 AM

mpannebaker@gmail.com

ExternalMails



From: Wells F  
To: (bester)  
Subject: Wells F  
Date: Tue, 29

re apps

EN - English ▾

## Hey there, Matthew!

This wasn't a real attack, but it could have been!

Welcome to Sophos Phish Threat. In cooperation with your organization, Sophos Inc., Phish Threat performs simulated attacks just like this one to educate employees on the dangers of social engineering.

Follow the prompts below to complete the assigned training module(s) on social engineering, phishing, and how hackers might use YOU when attacking Sophos Inc..

Now sit back, relax, and enjoy the training!

**Full disclosure:** Training progress is recorded and reported! Don't say we didn't warn you!

P.S. Keep this quiet for now. Not everyone has checked their email, and we wouldn't want them to have an unfair advantage.

[START TRAINING](#)

# Tail-tell signs of Phishing...

It just doesn't look right

Generic salutations

Requests for sensitive data

Specific information on you

Scare tactics

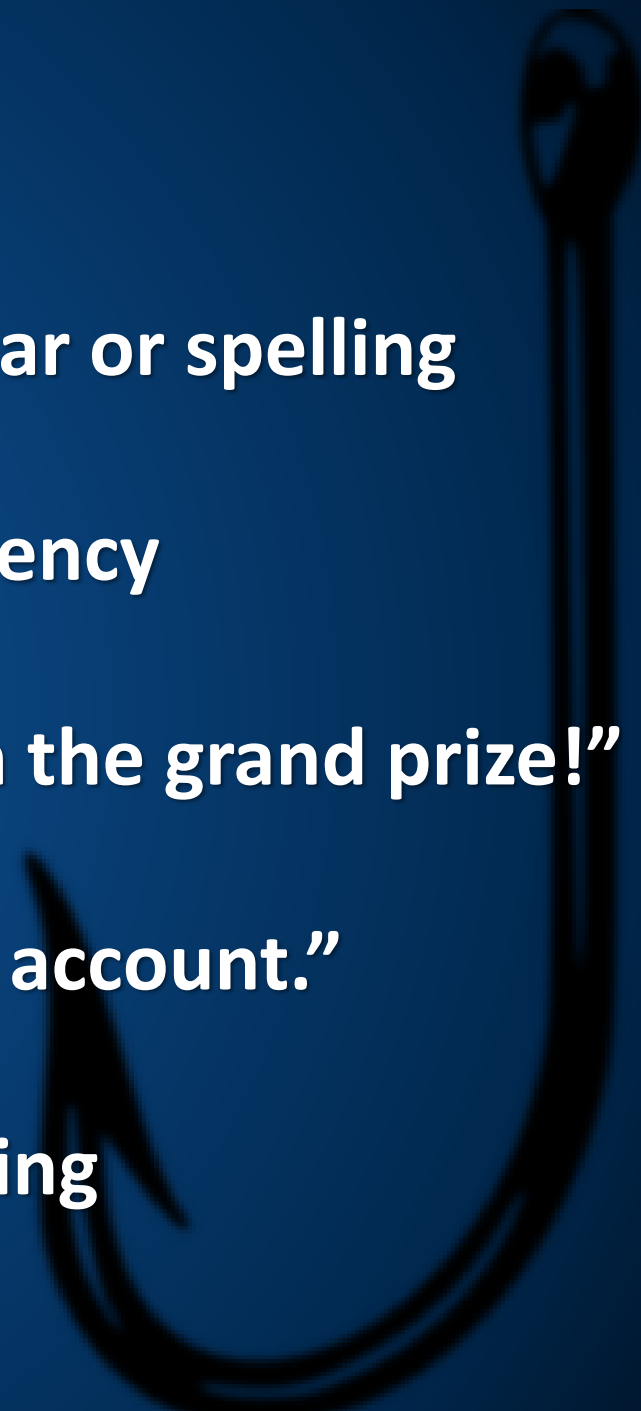
Poor grammar or spelling

Sense of urgency

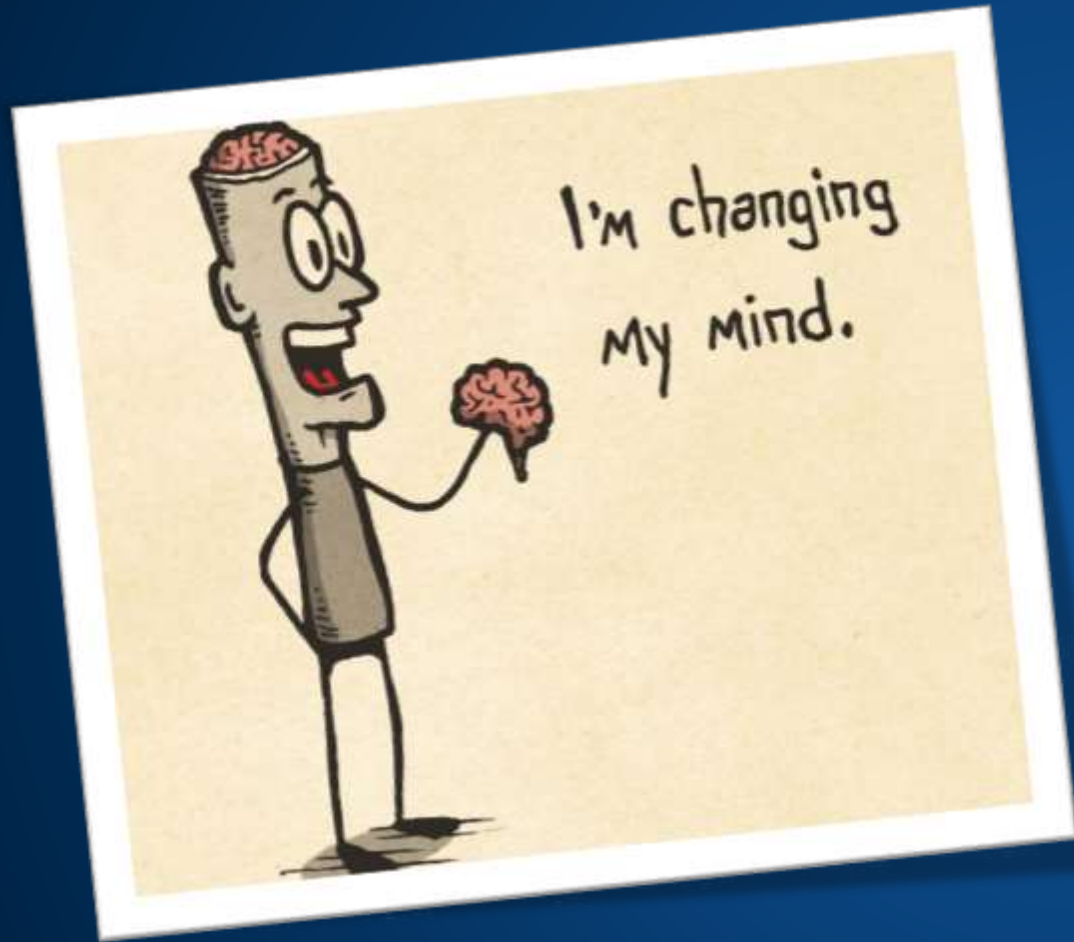
"You've won the grand prize!"

"Verify your account."

Cybersquatting





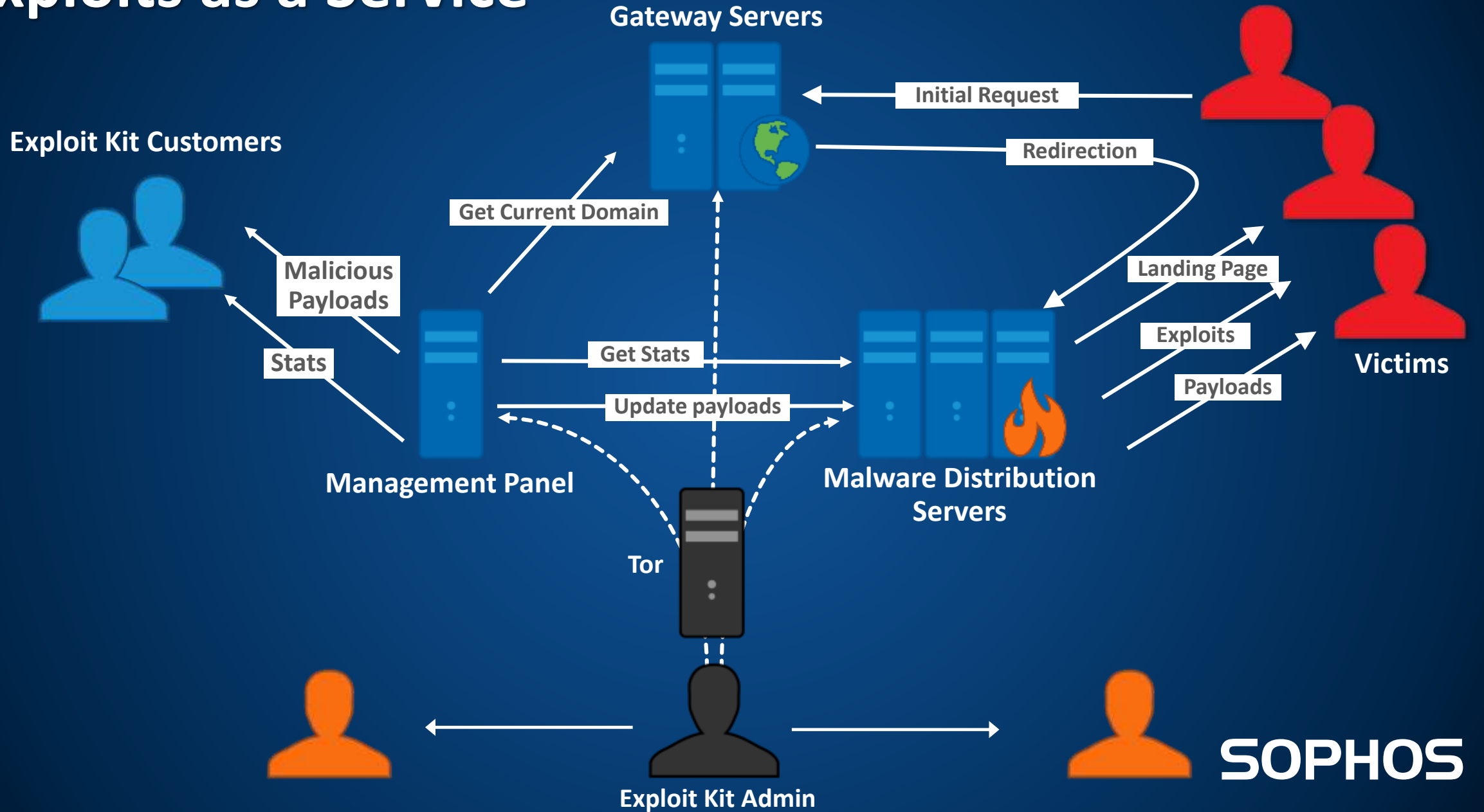


**Changing our minds  
about the  
how's and why's of  
hackers & malware...**

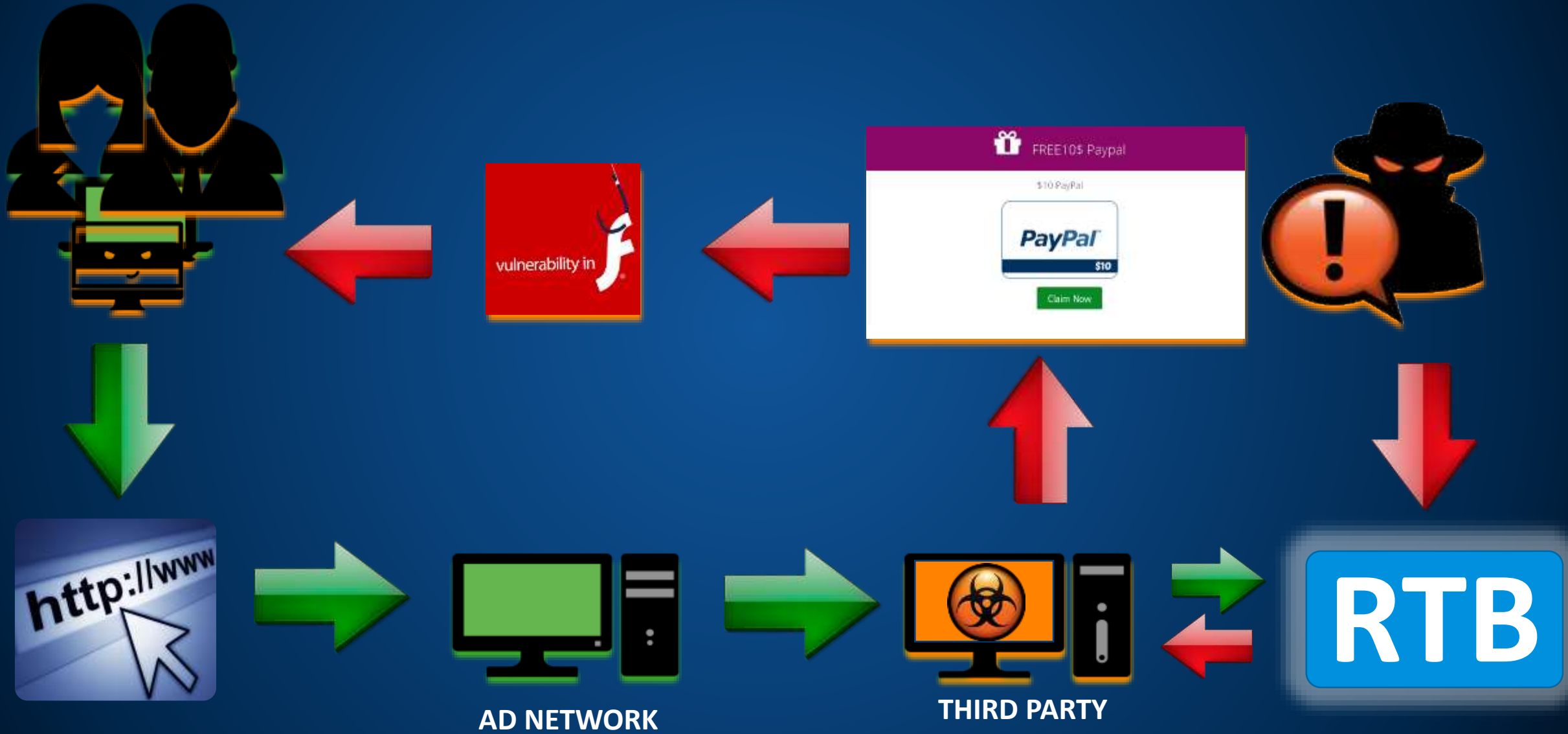


Pavel Vrublevsky

# Exploits as a Service



# Malvertising Threat Chain



No site is immune...



# Who Likes Extortion?



# Ransomware Is Hitting the Headlines...



## More than h... by ransomw...

Ransomware is booming, a...

TOM MENDELSON - 4/8/2016, 12:25

### RANSOMWARE ATTACKERS REFUSE TO DECRYPT HOSPITAL'S FILES AFTER BEING PAID OFF

By Justin Pot — May 24, 2016 4:43 PM

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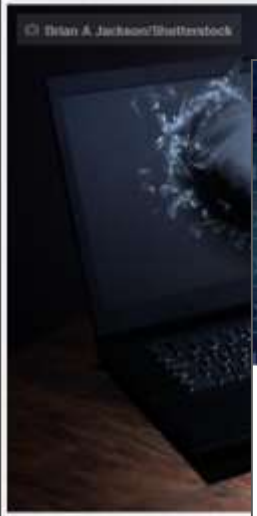
### CYBER.POLICE

ATTN

Remaining time to

# 71:29

Otherwise the case file will



Negotiating with criminals do  
Wichita learned last week. T  
ransomware, but only got "p  
reporting.



## Huge uptick in Zepto ransomware spam, warn researchers

Security researchers have raised concerns that attackers are gearing up for a massive Locky-related ransomware campaign

Warwick Ashford  
Security Editor  
04 Jul 2016 10:00

THIS ARTICLE COVERS Cybercrime

Ransomware that locks up business critical data and demands payment to release it continues to increase in popularity with cyber criminals, and a fresh campaign is underway, warn researchers.

Latest News

### SC Magazine > News > 2015 saw nearly 407K attempted ransomware infections

Genelle Corvix  
August 04, 2016

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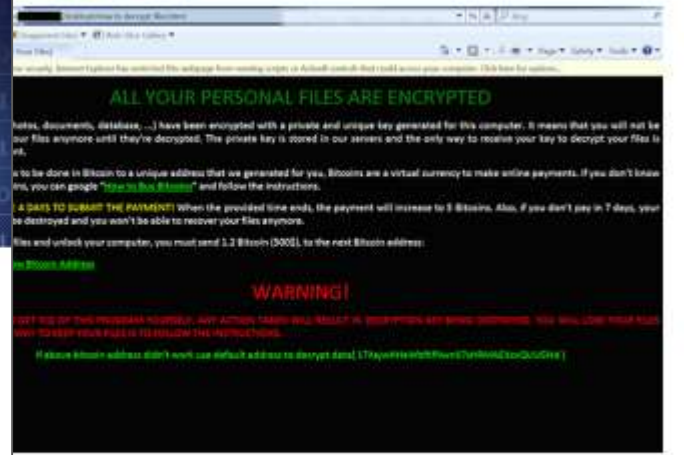
This article originally appeared on SC Magazine UK

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Ransomware poses a growth to enterprises. In 2015, there were 407,000 attempted ransomware infections.

## Beware Of Nasty zCrypt Ransomware Taking Vulnerable Windows PCs Hostage

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is not only a real thing, it's a real pain in the tuchus. I point this out because I recently had a conversation with someone who, up until a recent ransomware breakout at her place of work, thought it was a made up concept that only happens on TV. To the contrary, ransomware is a growing threat, and a new strain called zCrypt has caught the attention of

# The Columbus Dispatch



ONE LUCKY FAN WILL WIN TWO LEXUS LOUNGE SEASON TICKETS, A BREITLING WATCH & \$5,000 IN CASH!

Special Edition

Ransomware Defense For Dummies

READ EBOOK

## Ransomware cyberattack keeps Licking County vigilant

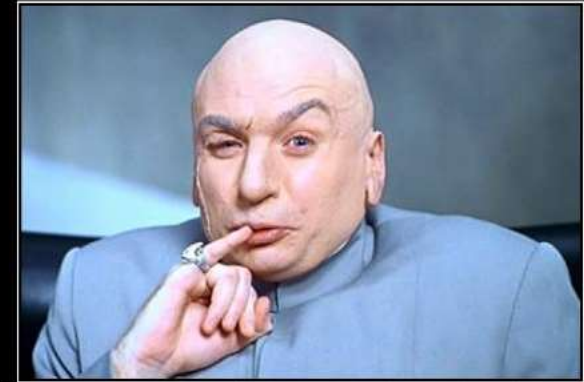




## ...And Keeps Growing...

- Estimated to be a **\$1 Billion** a year industry by the end of 2016 (FBI)
- Criminals are dedicated and professional – even setting up **customer care teams** to secure payment

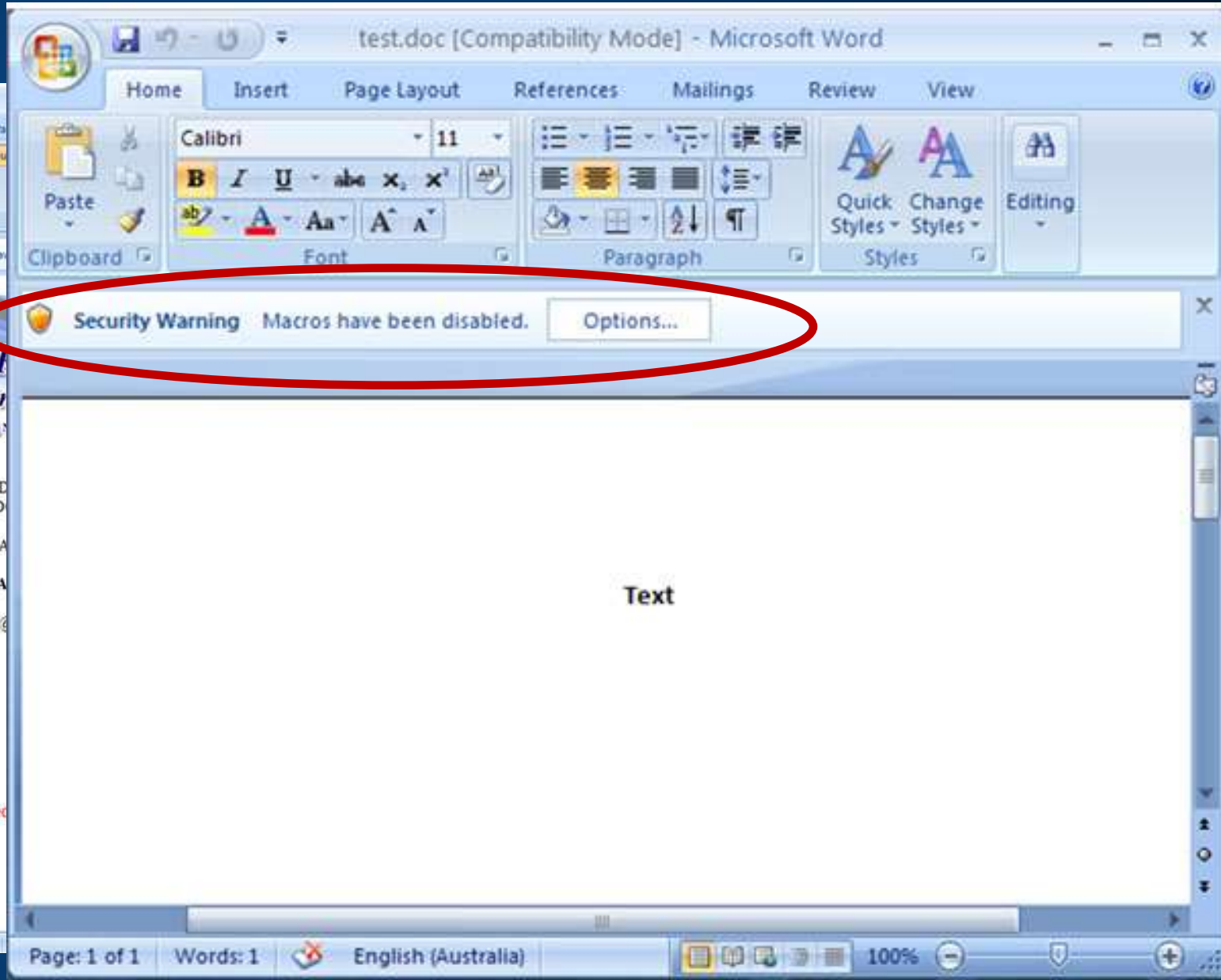
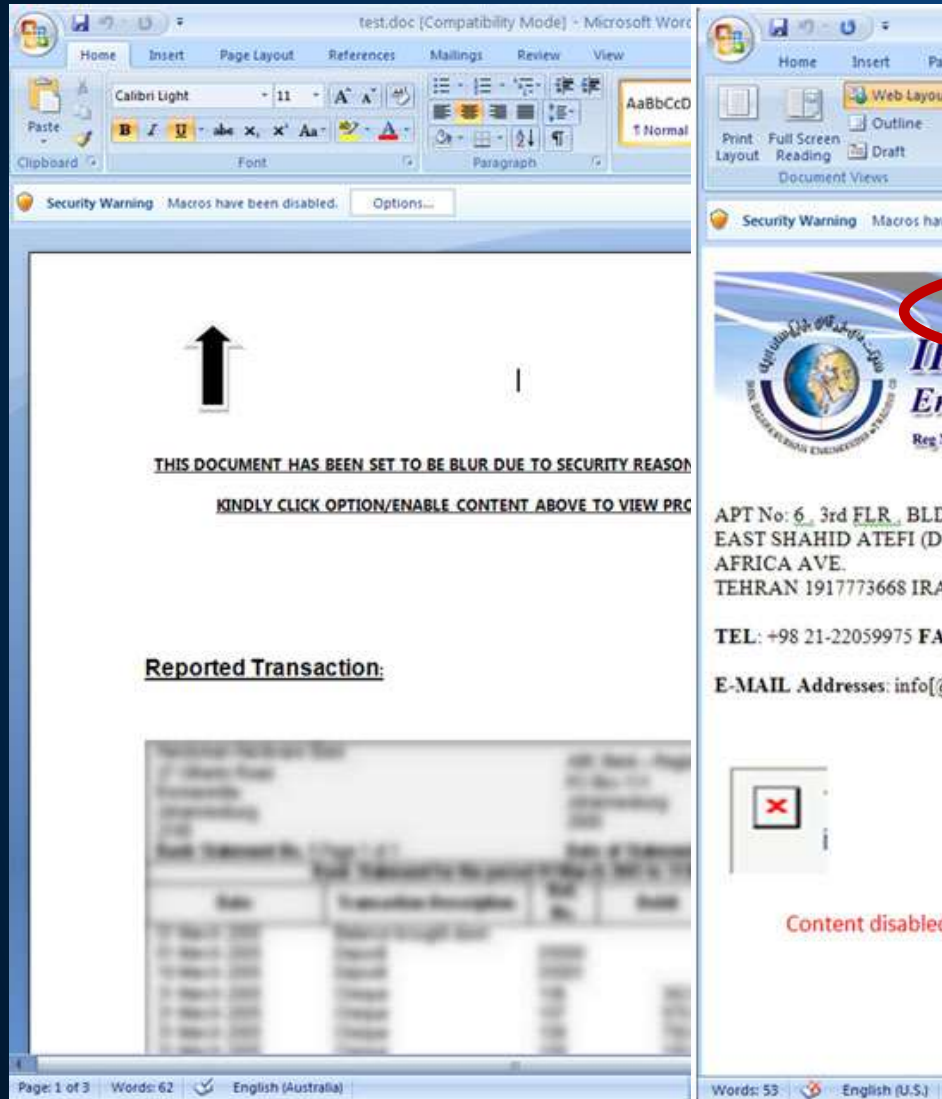
Precast  
Concrete  
~12bn



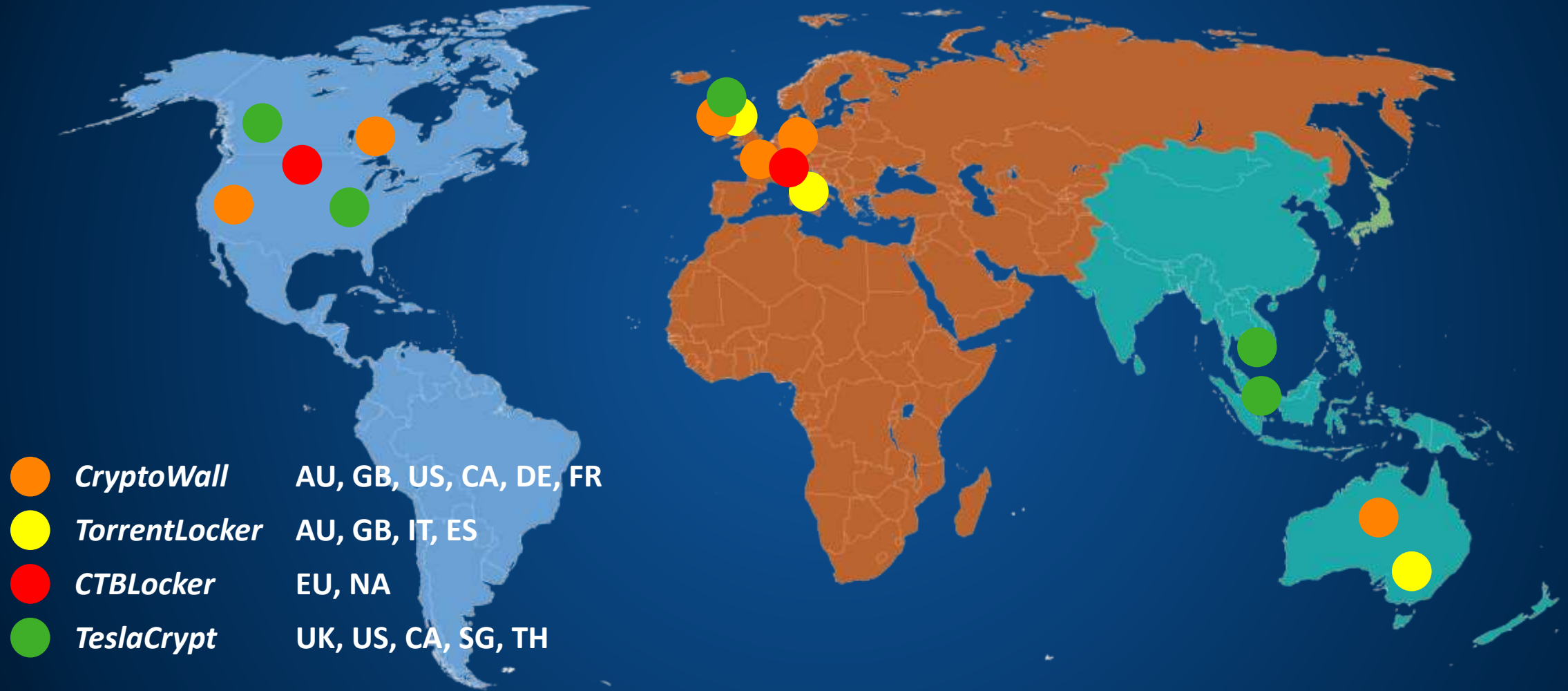
**\$1 BILLION DOLLARS**



# Document malware



# Ransomware Prevalence



# Targeted Ransomware

## Paths to exclude

windows

temp

cache

sample pictures

default pictures

sample music

program files

program file (x86)

games

sample videos

user account privileges

packages

## Files to exclude

help\_your\_files.txt

help\_your\_files.html

help\_your\_files.png

Iconcache.db

Thumbs.db

## Extensions to exclude

exe

dll

pif

scr

sys

msi

msp

com

htl

cpa

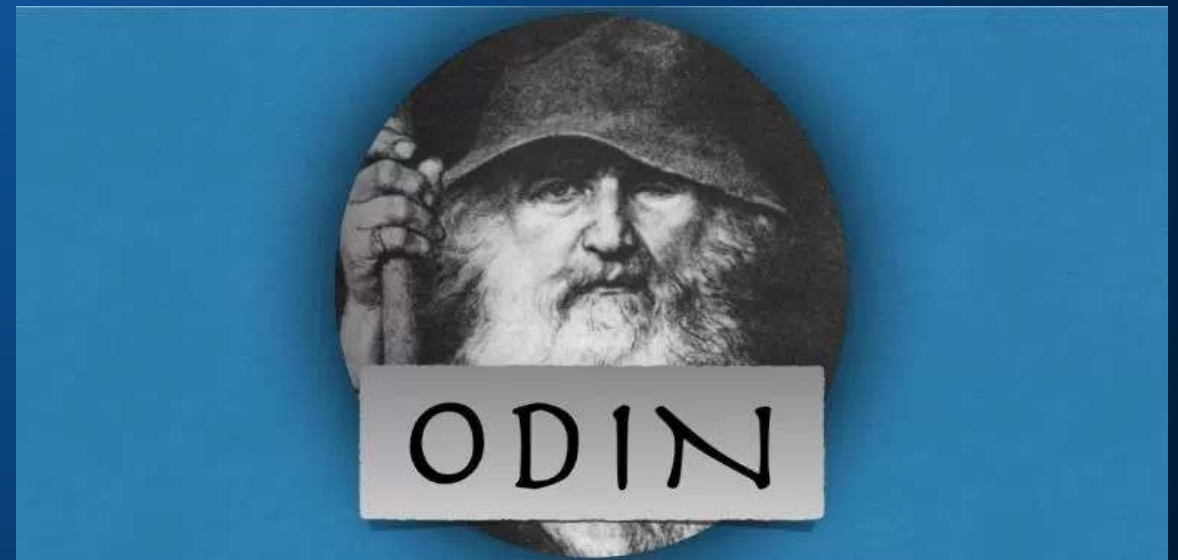
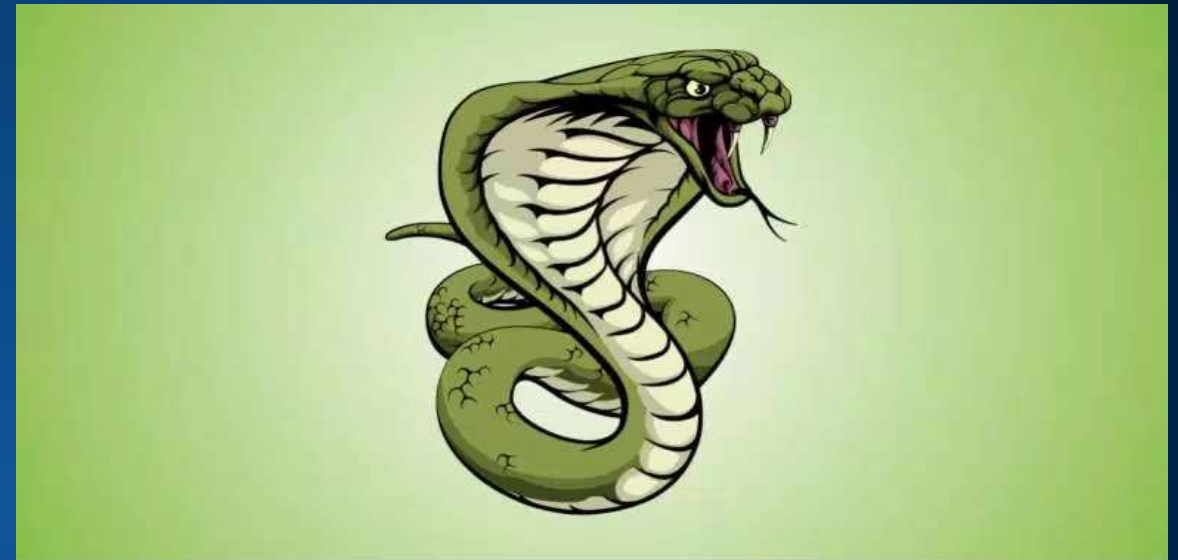
msc

bat

cmd

scf

# Malware with fancy names: Fantom, Mamba & Odin

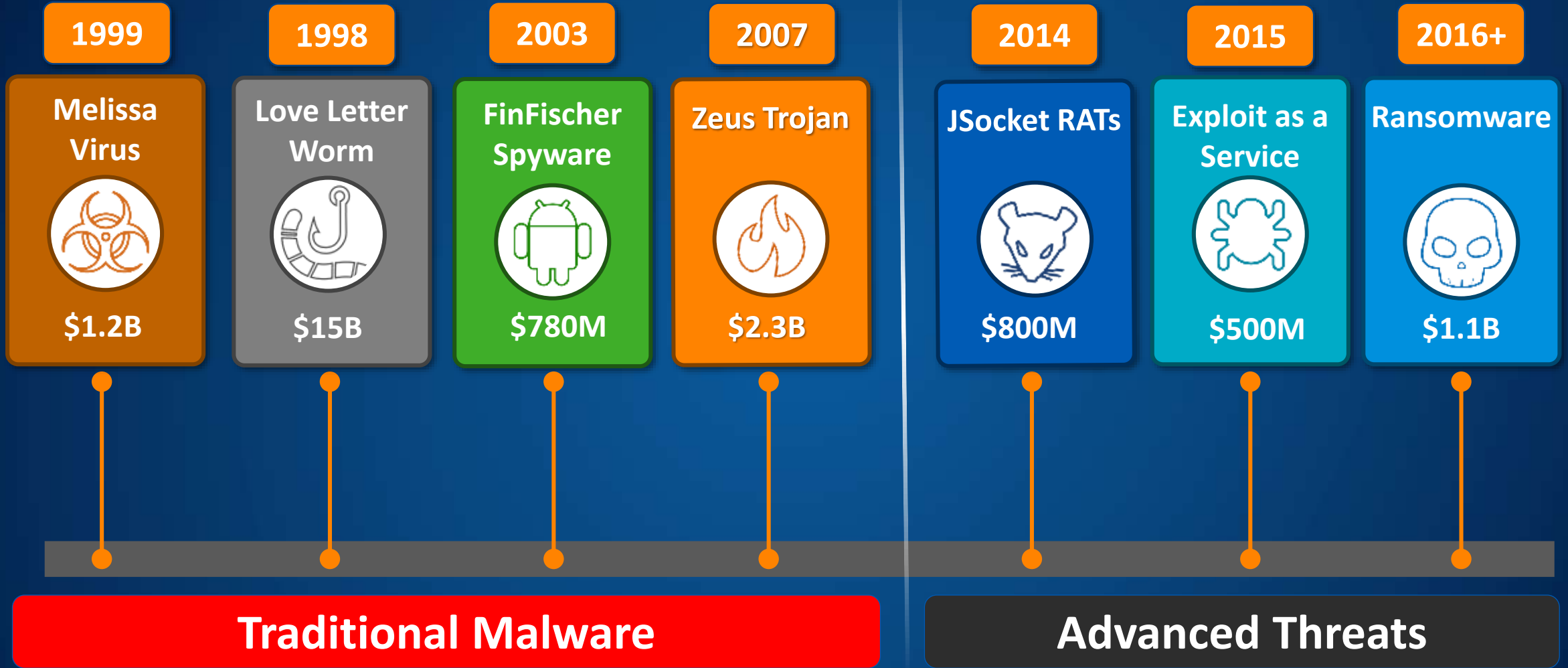


# Evolution of your industry...



# The Evolution of Threats

*From Malware to Exploits*



**Traditional Malware**

**Advanced Threats**

# The Evolution of Security

*From Anti-Malware to Anti-Exploit*



**Exposure Prevention**

- URL Blocking
- Web/App/Dev Ctrl
- Download Rep

**Pre-Exec Analytics**

- Generic Matching
- Heuristics
- Core Rules

**File Scanning**

- Known Malware
- Malware Bits

**Run-Time**

- Behavior Analytics
- Runtime Behavior

**Exploit Detection**

- Technique Identification

**Traditional Malware**

**Advanced Threats**



# *Intercepting* NeXt Gen Threats...

**SOPHOS**

Introducing...

SOPHOS

# INTERCEPT

A completely new approach to endpoint security.

# Intercepting Exploits



## Intercept X Exploit Mitigations

SOPHOS

Enforce Data Execution Prevention (DEP)  
Prevents exploit code running from data memory

Stack-based ROP gadget detection  
Stops standard Return-Oriented Programming attacks

## Exploit Prevention

- Monitors processes for attempted use of exploit techniques e.g Buffer overflow, code injection, stack pivot and others
- Blocks when **technique** is attempted
- Malware is prevented from leveraging vulnerabilities

Control-Flow Integrity (CFI) enhanced by hardware  
Stops advanced Return-Oriented Programming attacks

Stops attackers that attempt to bypass security hooks

Stops attacks that address a 64-bit function from Wow64

Stops attacks that load reflectively or from UNC paths

Stops execution in the presence of exploit shellcode

Safe Mode  
Stops use of VBScript in IE to execute malicious code

Untrusted Fonts (Windows 10 only)  
Stops execution of privilege (EOP) attacks via untrusted fonts

Kernel Lockdown  
Stops logic-flaw attacks that bypass mitigations

Stops abuse of the stack pointer

Stack Exec  
Stops attacker code on the stack

SEHOP  
Stops abuse of the structured exception handler

Process Protection  
Stops attacks that perform process hijacking or replacement

DLL Hijack Mitigation  
Gives priority to system libraries



# *Intercepting Ransomware with CryptoGuard*

## **Monitor File Access**

- If suspicious file changes are detected, file copies are created
- Cryptography events

## **Attack Detected**

- Malicious process is stopped and we investigate the process history

## **Rollback Initiated**

- Original files restored
- Malicious files removed

## **Forensic Visibility**

- User message
- Admin alert
- Root cause analysis details available

# Sophos Clean

*Malware Removal. Forensic-Level Cleanup. Second Opinion*



## Removes Threats

- **Deep System Inspection**
- **Removes Malware Remnants**
- **Full Quarantine / Removal**
- **Effective Breach Remediation**



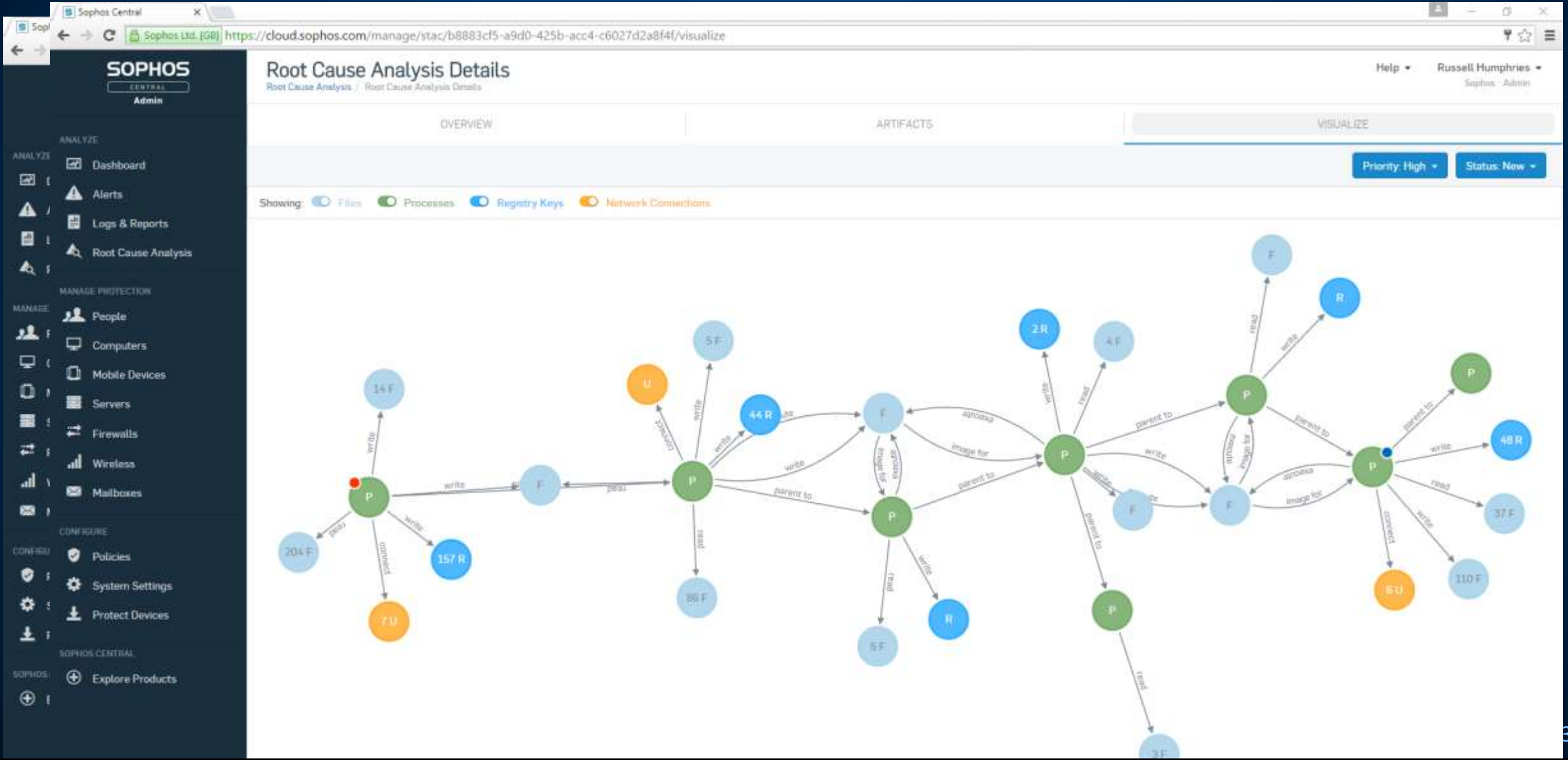
## On-Demand Assessment

- **Identifies Risky Files / Processes**
- **Constantly Refreshed Database**
- **Provides Additional Confidence**
- **Command-Line Capable**

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- 100% Automated with Intercept X
  - Also available as a standalone Forensic Clean Utility and On-Premise Managed AV

# Root Cause Analytics

*Understanding the Who, What, When, Where, Why and How*





**SOPHOS**





# Why Should You Worry About Your Mobile Devices?

2x

Data breaches involving smart phones and tablets more than doubled in 2015 (1)

15%

of large organizations have had a security or privacy breach involving smart phones or tablets in 2015 (1)

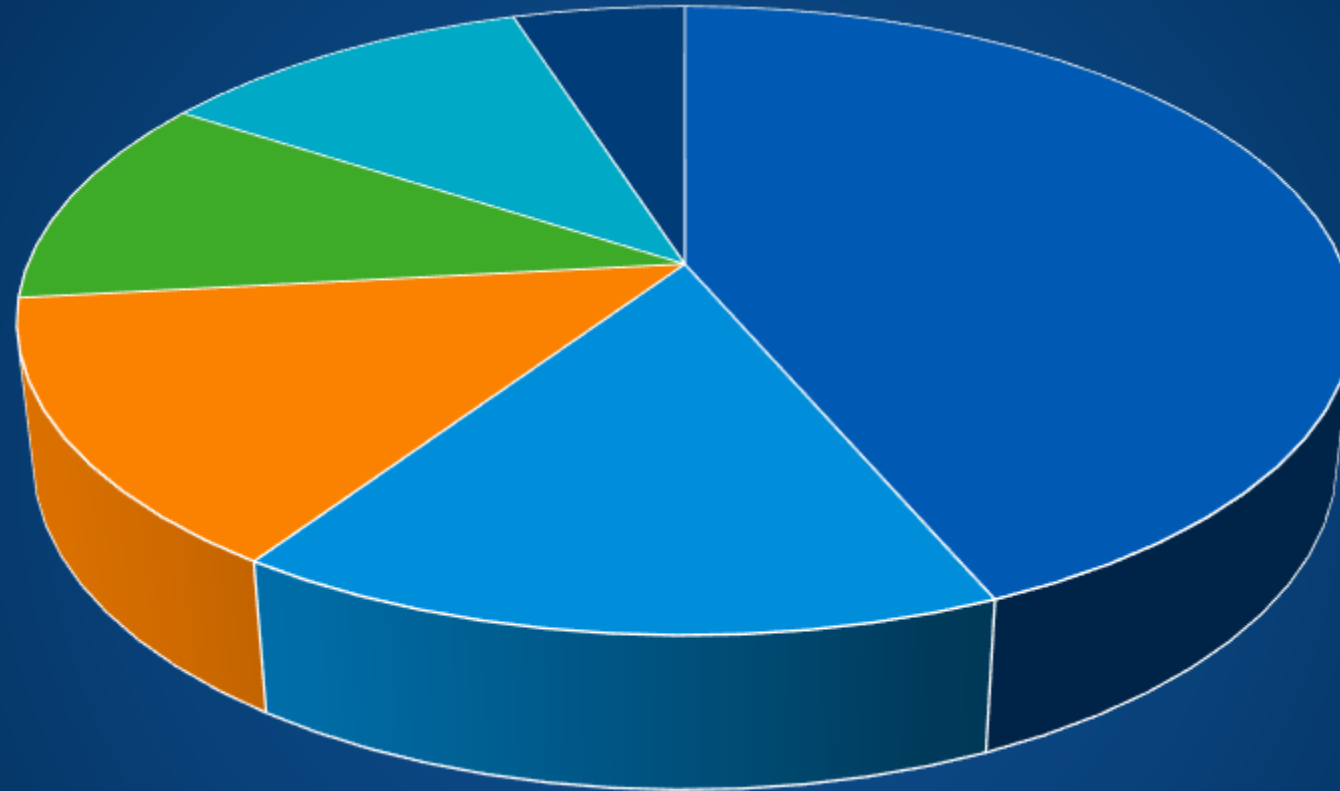


More than **200,000** phones are left in London Taxis each year!

Not managing mobile devices means flying blind, with **zero visibility**

Users find a way to access business resources on **unsecured** devices

# How Mobile Devices are Lost



■ Left in Public Space

■ Stolen at restaurant

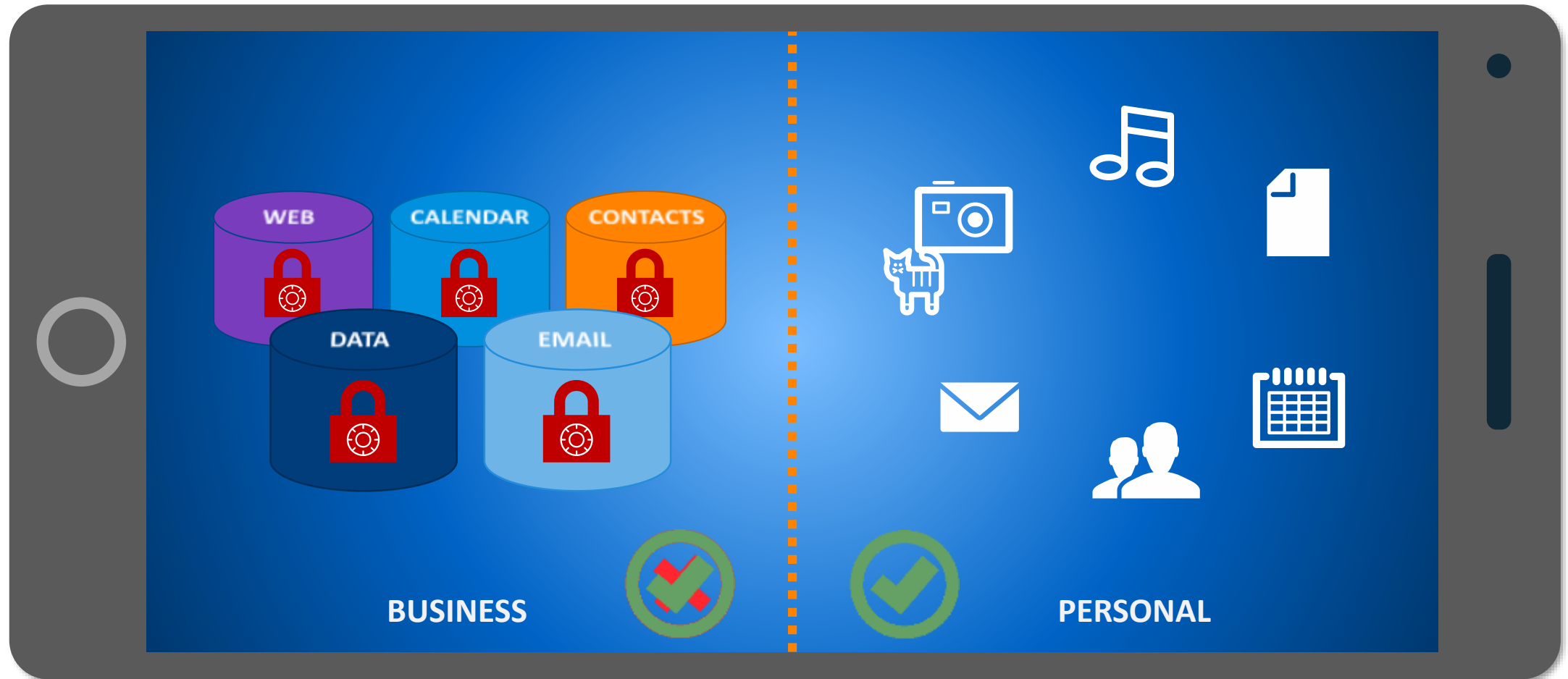
■ Taken from House or Car

■ Taken at nightclub

■ Pickpocketed

■ Stolen off the street

# Containers – Separate Business and Personal Data





**Should you worry about  
mobile malware?**

# Potentially Unwanted Apps (PUA) vs Malware



## *PUA*

Not entirely honest about its intentions

Often misuses your resources, leaves you with hidden costs

“Gateway drug”



## *Malware*

A **weapon**, *not* a fun tool, or a prank

Steals your data for money

Accesses data or resources with the intent to do harm

*You pay for what you get...*

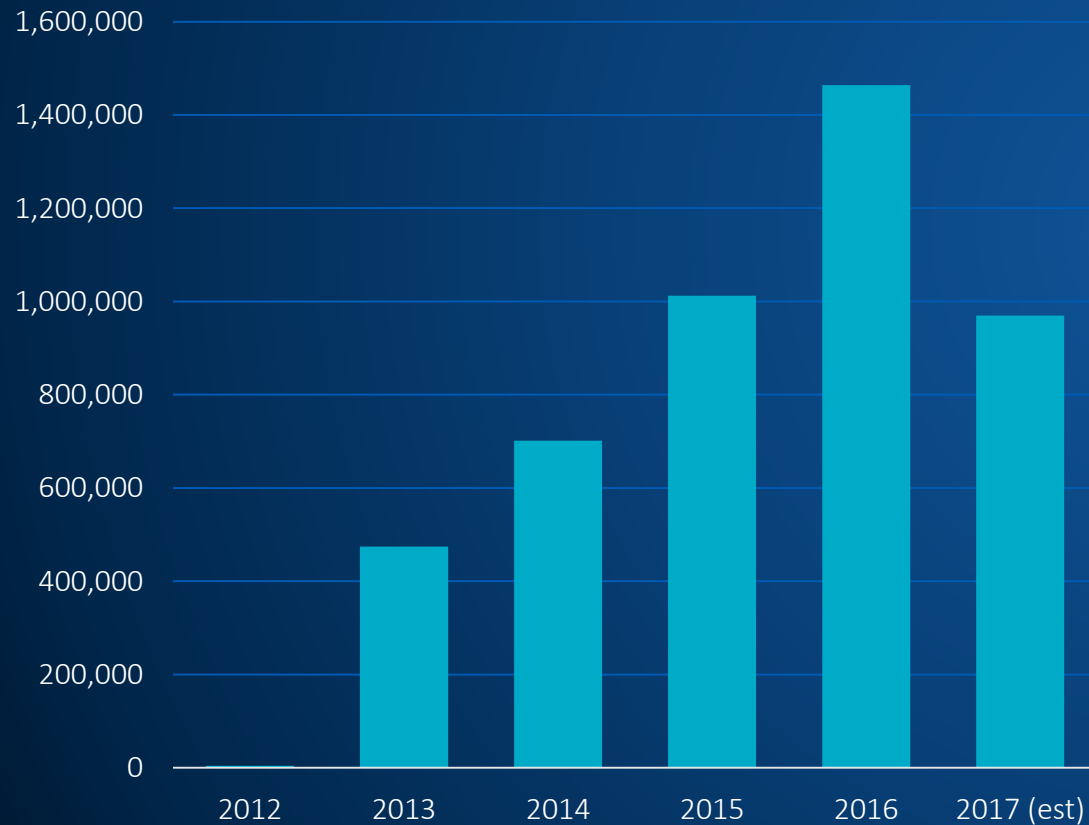


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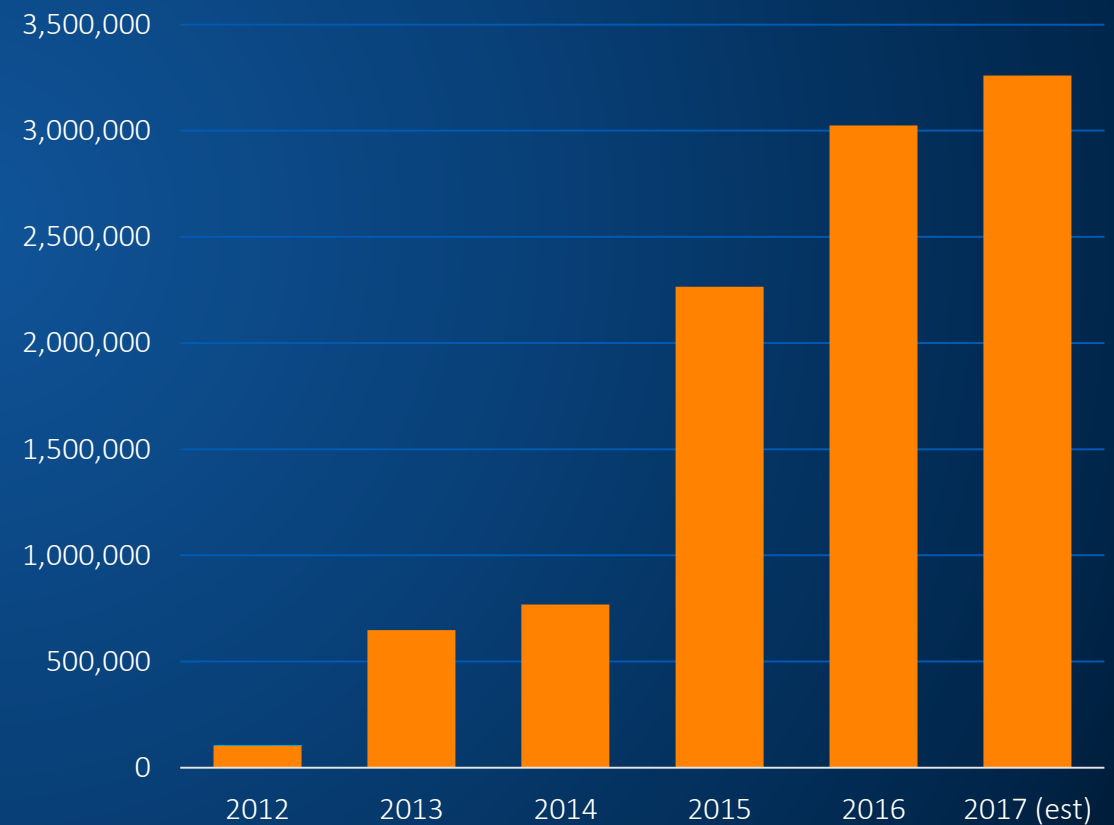


# Mobile Threats Are Real...

## Potentially Unwanted Applications



## Android Malware





# What about ransomware?

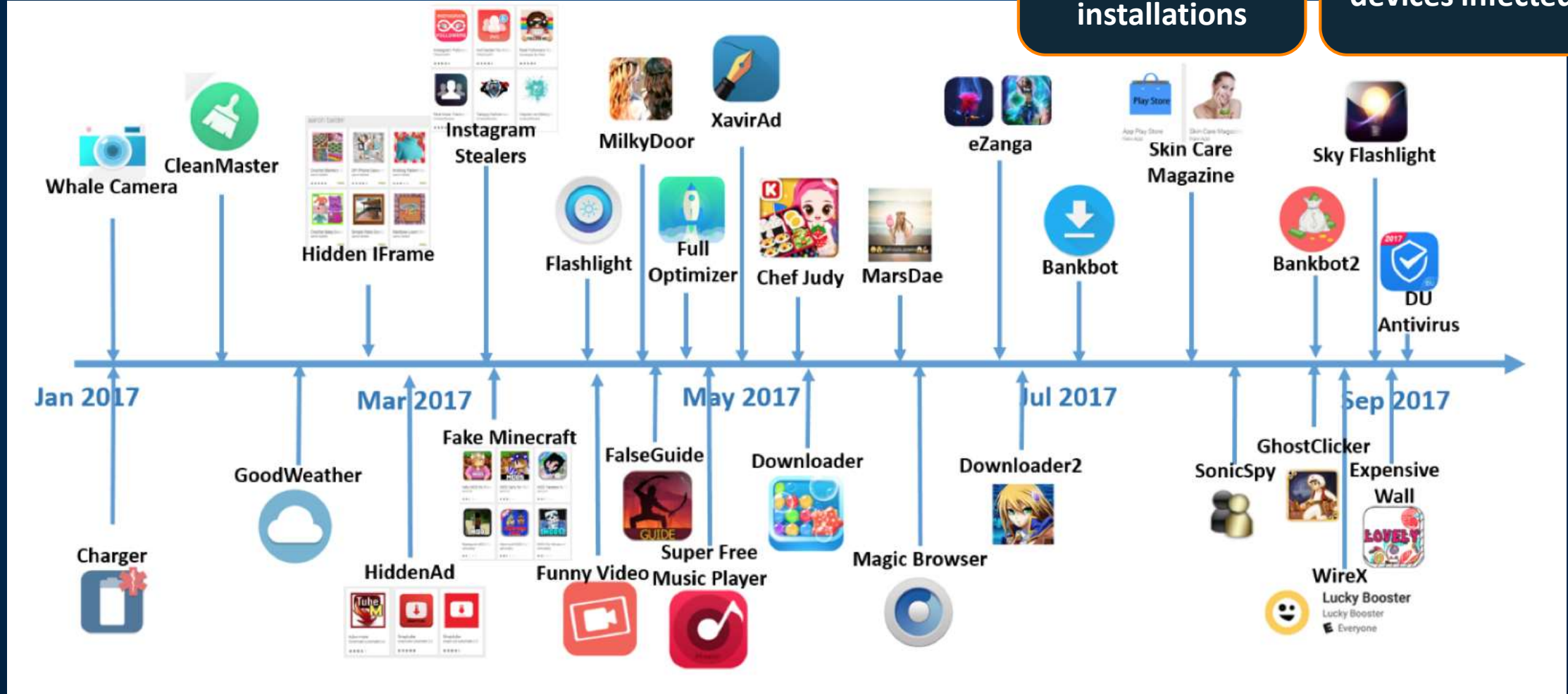
## Android ransomware 2015-2017



# Threats on Google Play Doubled

Many apps with 100,000-500,000 installations

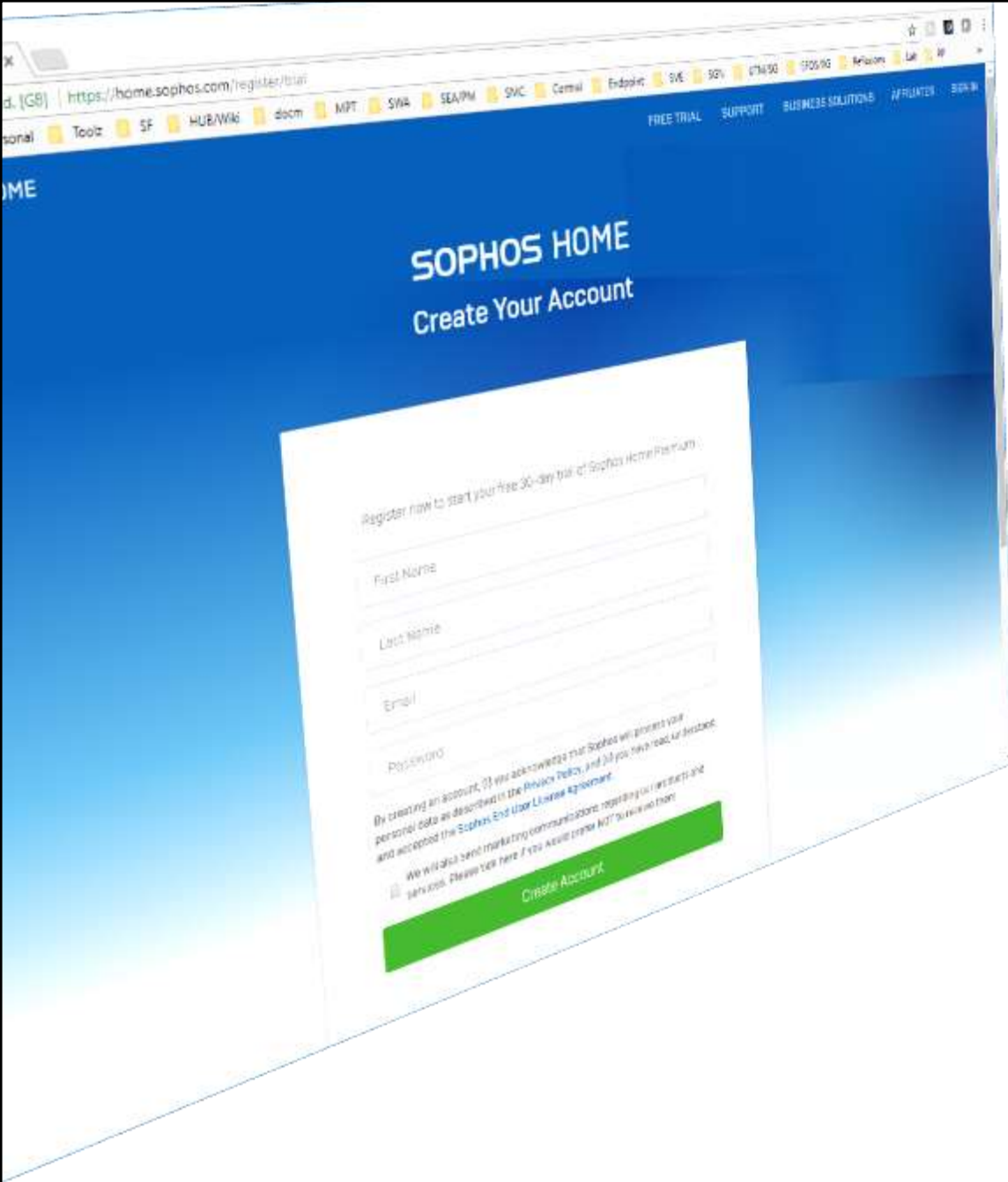
Millions of devices infected



# Sophos Security Best Practices and Recommendations



- Run an anti-malware app – **Sophos Mobile Security for Android** is **FREE**, or can be managed in Sophos Central
- Stick to the **official app stores**, not perfect but...
- Avoid low reputation apps – **think before installing**
- Make sure your device's OS is up to date (if you can...)
- If in doubt about your network, use VPN or use cellular/mobile data
- Manage your mobile devices with **Sophos Mobile**
- Configure Mobile Management for Security
  - Jailbreak/Rooting detection
  - Version check/enforce upgrades
  - Restrict devices and remove unneeded features if possible



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