

The Cloud and Cybersecurity

What you need to know!



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Today We're Going To Cover:

- ▶ A number of **serious and growing threats** to you that can no longer be ignored or passed off as “That won’t happen to me...”
- ▶ Why firewalls and antivirus software **aren’t enough anymore to protect yourself**, and what you need to have in place to protect yourself from the storm of trouble brewing.
- ▶ How mobile phones and cloud applications are **seriously jeopardizing** your security and data protection – and what you need to do to protect yourself.
- ▶ How to be proactive and some free or low-cost tools to use.

Ultimately We're Going To Cover...

How To **Avoid Being A Sitting Duck** To Cybercriminals and a Growing Number Of IT-Related Threats And

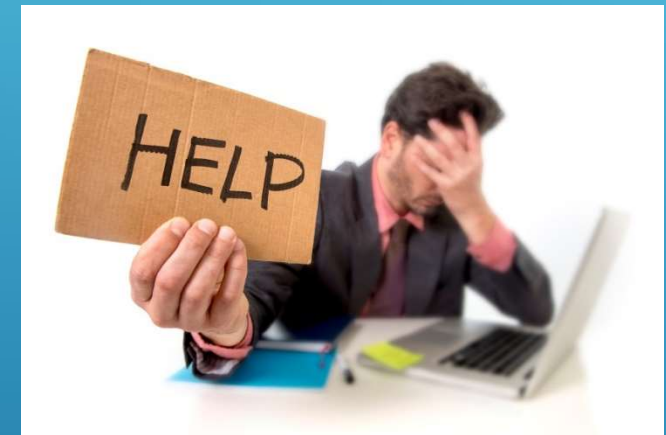
**Protect Everything You've
Worked So Hard To Achieve**



Why I'm Talking To You About This Today

100% of the clients we've taken on as new clients in the past year were **SHOCKED** when we showed them they:

- **Were infected with malware and viruses**, even though they had antivirus installed and a firewall.
- **Did NOT** have all their data backed up.



And ALL firmly believed “That can *never* happen to *me!*”

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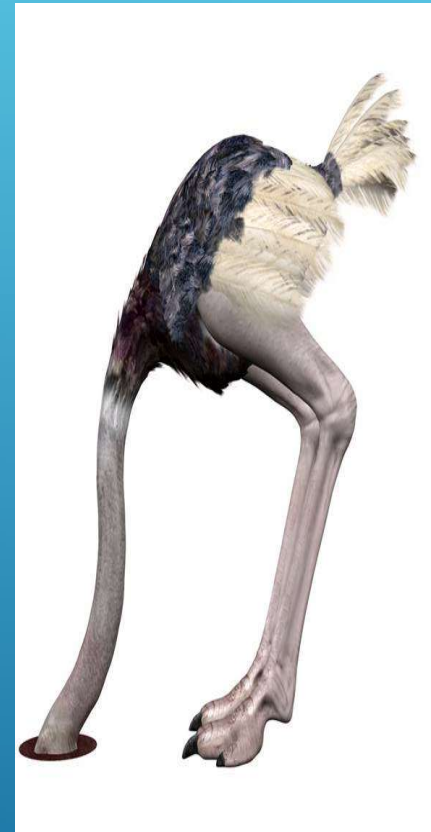
“Success breeds
complacency.
Complacency breeds
failure. Only the
paranoid survive.”

– *Andrew Grove, former CEO of
Intel*



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Please **DO NOT**
underestimate the
importance of
addressing and
protecting yourself
from this threat.



A Quick Overview Of The Sophistication And Proliferation Of The **Cybercrime Business**



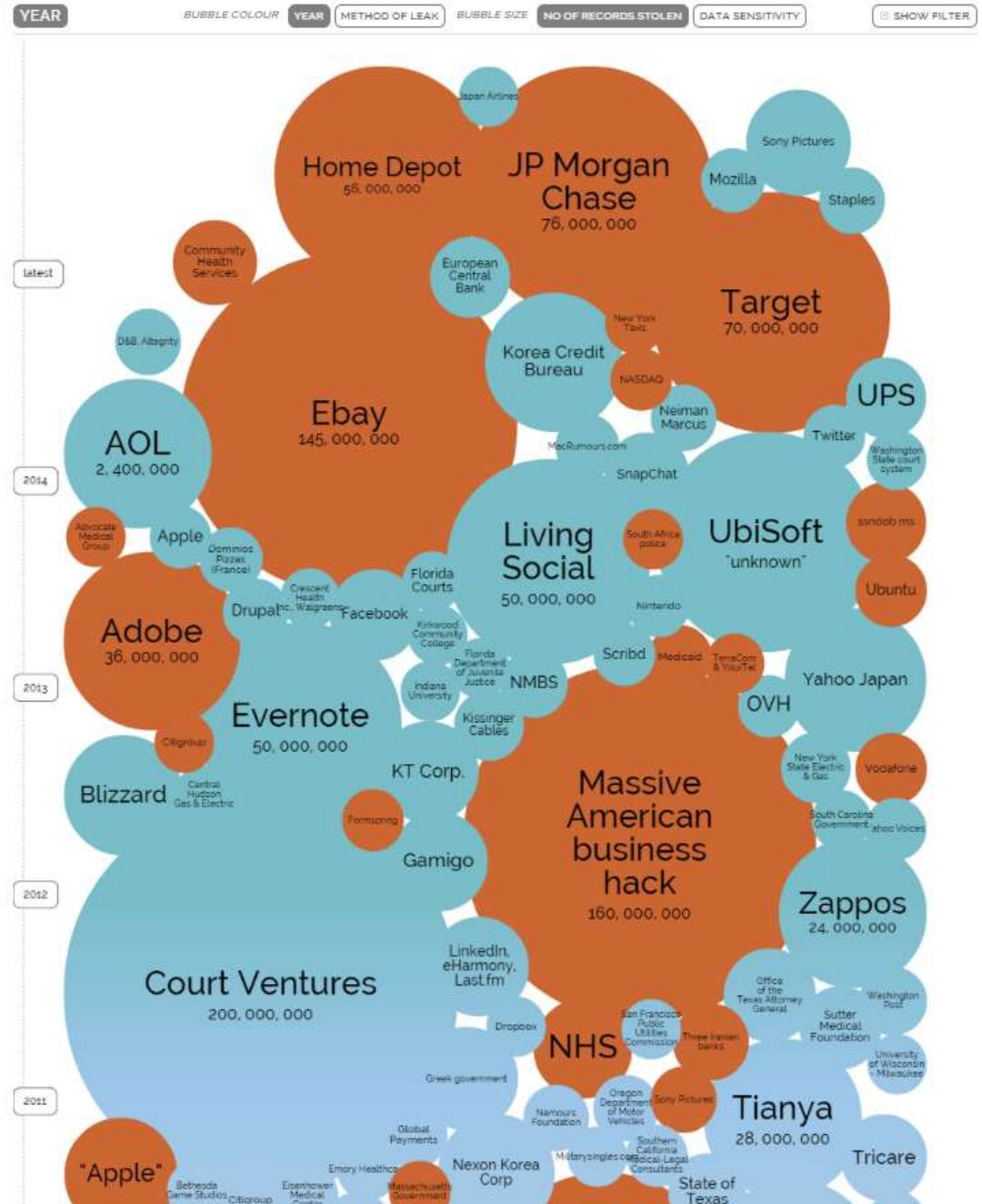
The Evolution Of Crime



World's Biggest Data Breaches

Selected losses greater than 30,000 records

interesting story



80 Million Households And 7 Million Small To Medium Businesses HACKED



The Criminal Digital Underground's Thriving **Black Market**

- Credit card details sell for: \$2-\$90
- iTunes accounts sell for about: \$8
- Physical credit cards sell for: \$190
- Card cloners can be bought for: \$200-\$300
- Fake ATMs can be bought for: \$35,000
- **THIS IS A BUSINESS:** anyone can easily buy training, tools and services for committing fraud, hacking systems, buying stolen credit cards, setting up fake websites, etc.



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Additional Damages And Costs NOT INCLUDED In The Above Number:

- Reputational damage
- Loss of clients
- Class action lawsuits, individual lawsuits
- Legal fees to handle a breach
- Compliance lawsuits (fines for non-compliance)
- Replacement of data
- Downtime, loss of productivity
- Time required to re-enter data and get your internal systems back up and running again

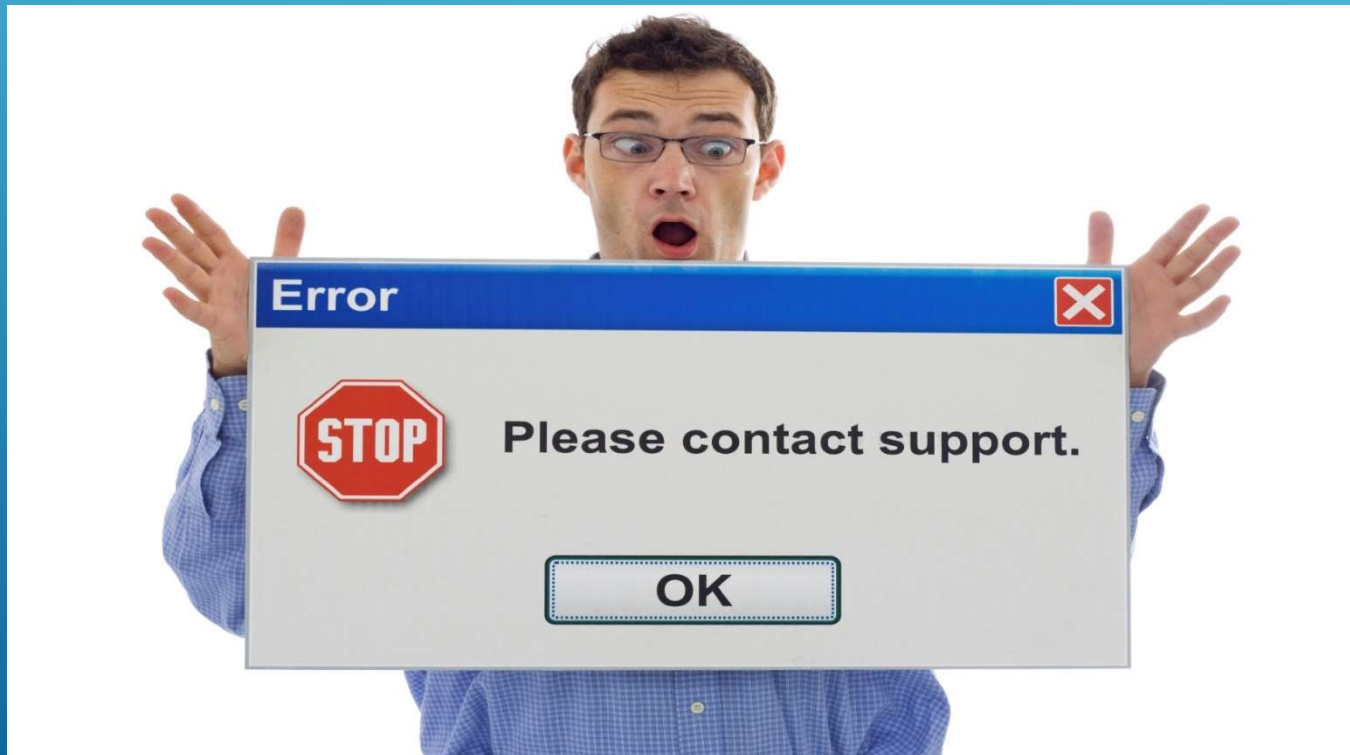
“But We’re Small... Nobody Would Bother To Hack Us, Right?” Wrong!

- **One in five** small businesses falls victim to cybercrime each year, and that number is GROWING.
(Source: National Cyber Security Alliance)
- Small businesses **are low-hanging fruit** because they don’t believe they are a target, and therefore have very loose or no security systems and protocols in place.
- **Half of all cyber-attacks** are aimed at SMBs.
(Source: Forbes Article, “5 Ways Small Businesses Can Protect Against Cybercrime”)

Why Don't You Hear More About It?

- It's extremely embarrassing to admit you've been hacked.
- Many people *don't even know* they've been hacked.
- *Horrible PR; do you REALLY want your clients (or patients!) to know their information was accessed?*
- The legal ramifications (fines, lawsuits, legal fees) can be *significant, so many incidents go unreported.*

The 6 Biggest Threats To you Right Now And How To Stop Them



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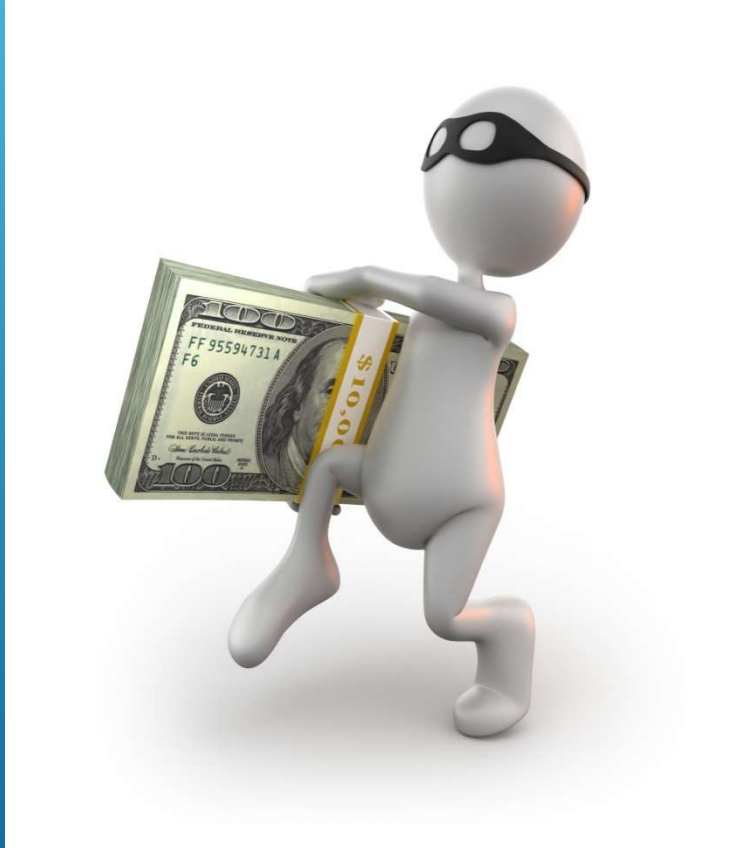
#1: Malware

82,000

NEW Malware Threats Are Being Released *Per Day*

Source: PC World

#2: Bank Fraud



**FDIC Does NOT
Protect You From
Bank Fraud, And The
Bank Is NOT
Responsible For
Getting Your Money
Back!!!**

Don't Let Your Business Pay The Price For Bank Fraud

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Businesses handle most of their banking using online applications or web apps today. Many executives trust in the relationships they have with vendors, including their banks. When problems come up, businesses expect vendors to fix them somehow. Take note: if your online bank accounts are hacked, resulting in the loss of data or funds, don't count on your bank to make everything good again.

Recent court rulings suggest that banks need to only show that they have "reasonable security measures" to protect their business customers. The definition of "reasonable" is still up for discussion, as no U.S. federal standards yet exist for online banking security nor is there a federal data breach law that would cover business bank account breaches. [Judges ruled in June](#) that a Missouri escrow firm that lost \$440,000 in a 2010 cyber heist cannot hold its bank liable and worse, the firm is also on the hook to pay the bank's legal fees. The Missouri District Court found that the escrow firm had not followed security precautions suggested by its bank. In an interview, the CEO of the escrow firm stated that his company would probably go out of business as a result.

While banks generally reimburse consumers for any theft related to personal credit cards and accounts, that is not always or even typically the case with business accounts which don't have the same protections. [Online attacks against business are growing](#), yet there's no clear demarcation line for liability, says Mickey Estey, an insurance broker specializing in professional liability related to media and network security, for [R-T Specialty LLC](#). "The trend is incident specific," he says.

Banks Are
Prevailing In
Cybercrime
Cases; PLUS
You Might Have
To Pay The
Bank's Legal
Fees If You Sue
Them!

Tips For Protecting Yourself:

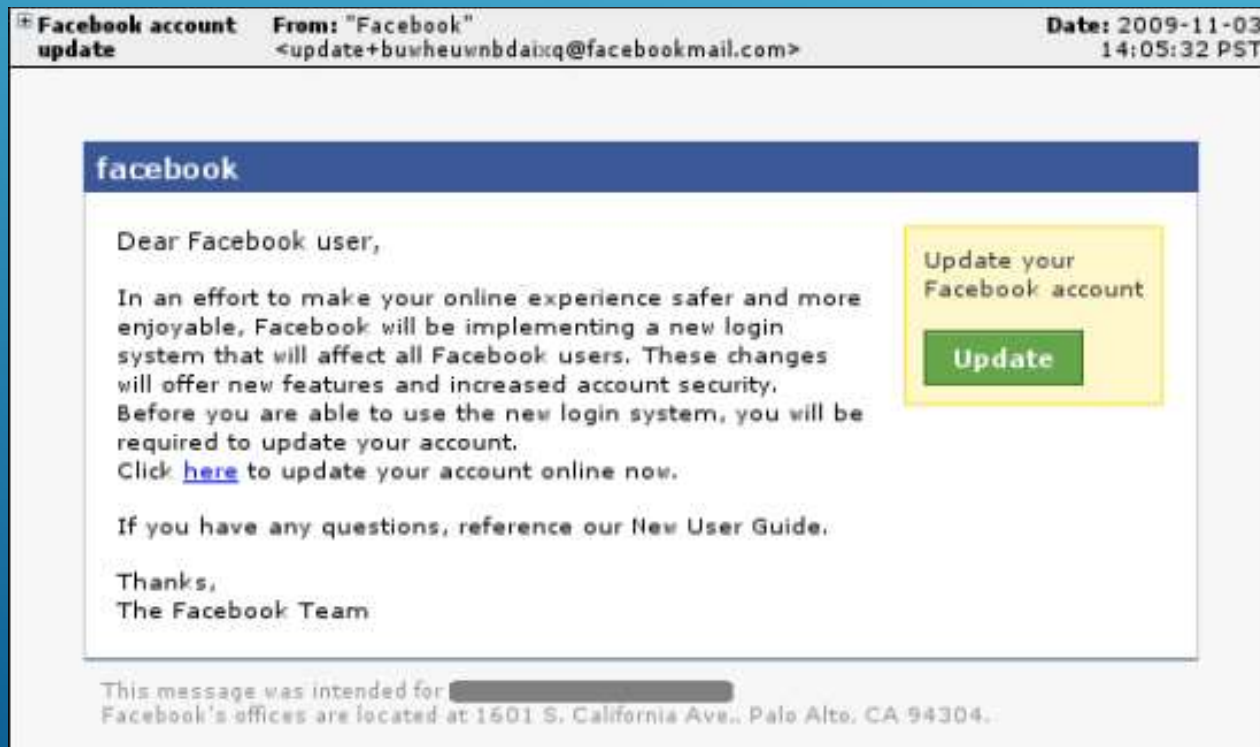
- ▶ Cancel your debit cards; they are the #1 way bank accounts get compromised.
- ▶ Have a dedicated PC for online banking and DON'T use that PC for accessing any other websites, e-mail access or social media sites, or for downloading files and applications.
- ▶ Sign up for e-mail alerts from your bank whenever a withdrawal over \$100 happens.
- ▶ Require YOUR signature for any wire transfers.
- ▶ Have your money spread out in multiple accounts to minimize the risk.
- ▶ Carry CRIME insurance.



#3: Social Media

Threat #1: Security

600,000 Facebook Accounts Are Hacked Every Single DAY.



#4: Ransomware

A writer once asked a literary agent, “What kind of writing pays the most?” Her answer was simple: “Ransom notes.”

That's sort of what's happening in the cybercrime world — sensitive data in the wrong hands is used to extort money.





By BRIAN MASTROIANNI / CBS NEWS

Dangerous escalation in ransomware attacks

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When Hollywood Presbyterian Medical Center revealed that it paid 40 bitcoins -- roughly \$17,000 -- in ransom to hackers who essentially held the hospital's computer system hostage, it marked a dangerous escalation in the high stakes surrounding ransomware.

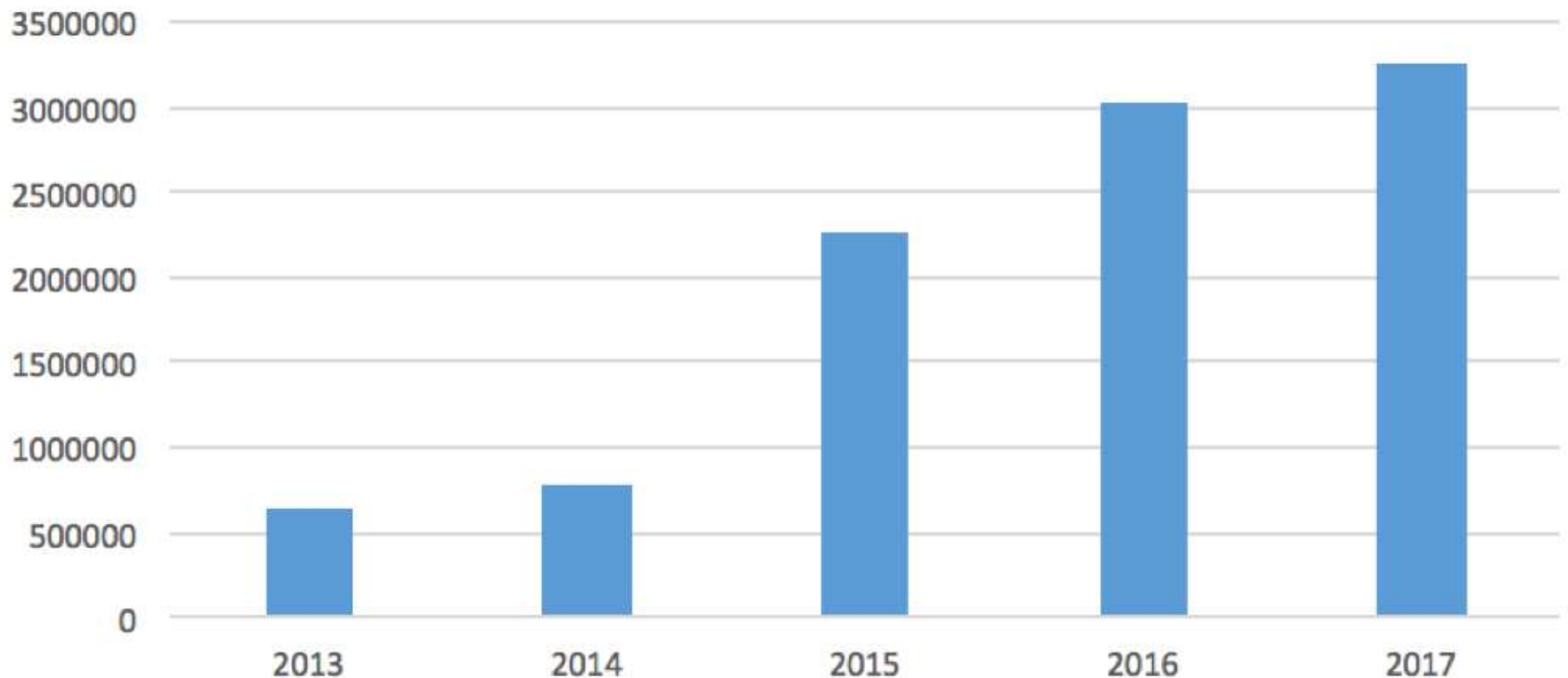
Ransomware is exactly what it sounds like -- malicious software used by hackers to block access to a computer system until a ransom is paid. It has become more common in recent years. The number of ransomware attacks increased from 100,000 in January 2013 to 600,000 by the end of that year, according to a 2014 report by antivirus software maker Symantec.

While the threat of ransomware isn't exactly new, high-profile cases like this

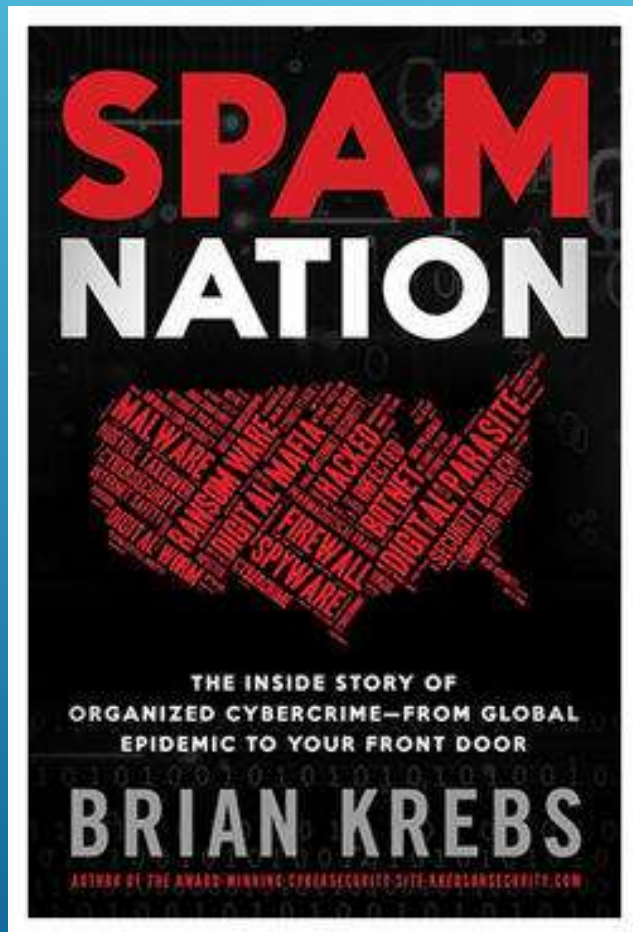
Ransomware Is Proliferating

#5: Unsecured, Unmonitored Mobile Devices

Android mal samples growth per year



#6: Spam!



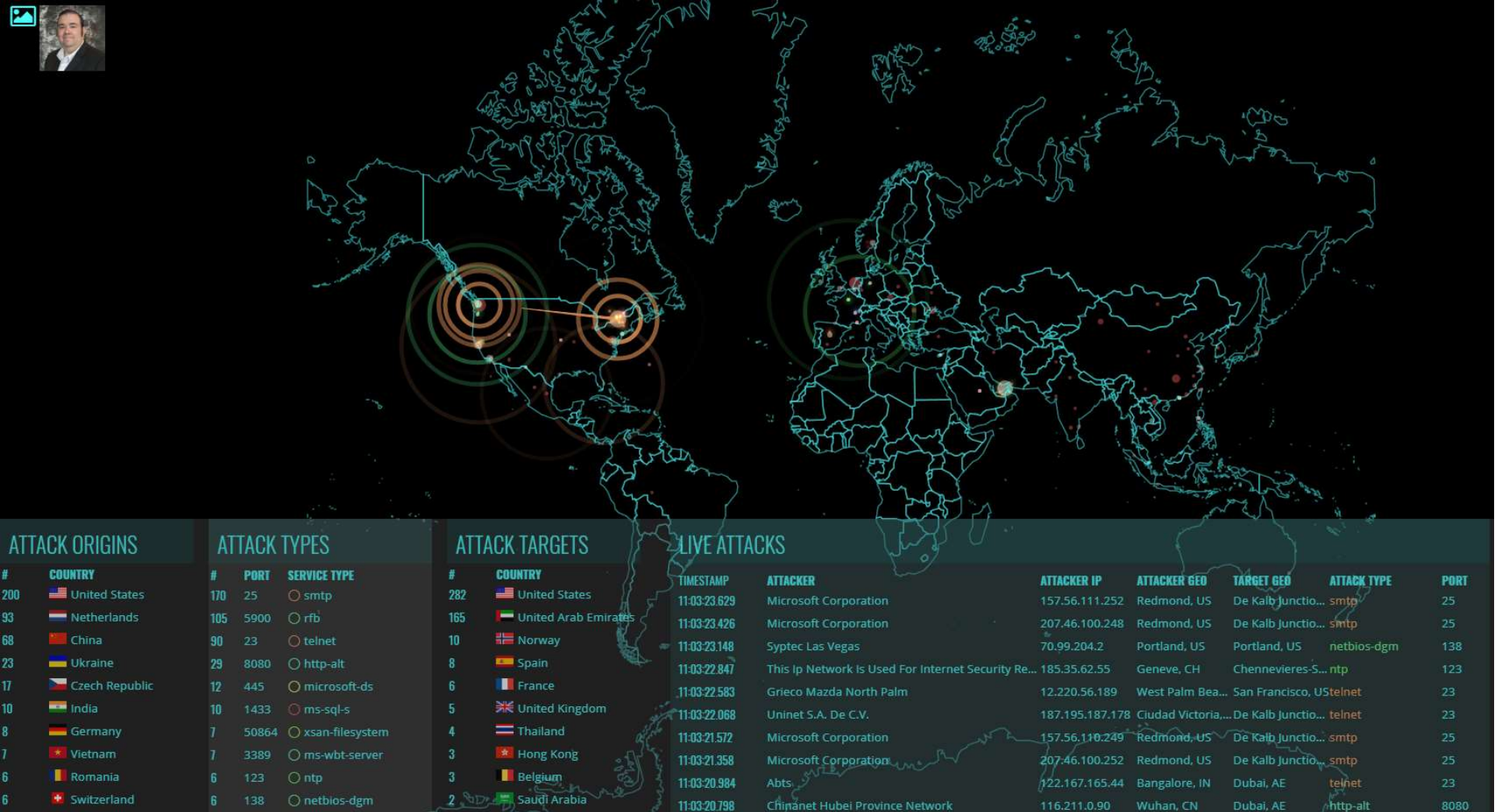
“Spam remains the single biggest driver of big breaches today. If we look at some of the biggest data breaches in recent memory – JPMorgan, Target, RSA Security come to mind – they all began with poisoned e-mail.”

– *Brian Krebs, Spam Nation*

<https://krebsonsecurity.com/>

SO HOW DO YOU PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THIS?

Active attacks at 11:05 am on 11/7/17



How To Protect Yourself:

- ▶ **Having a firewall and antivirus is NOT sufficient protection anymore;** today's sophisticated threats require a layered approach.
- ▶ **Get EDUCATED** on how to spot a phishing e-mail, what websites to avoid, what files you should never download, how to appropriately use e-mail, so you aren't inadvertently opening the door to cybercriminals. In some circumstances, **you might want to lock down and limit certain activities on your network** to prevent yourself from doing these things by mistake or something else doing them for you.
- ▶ You need to install and maintain a professional-grade backup **IMPORTANT:** If you're using 3rd-party cloud-based applications, it's CRITICAL to get your data backed up on-site or to a completely different place.
- ▶ You should have **ongoing monitoring and maintenance of computers and network** (firewall, software patches, backups, etc.).

Free or cheap tools:

Password Management:
Lastpass, Dashlane, Keepass

Antivirus and Anti-malware:
Webroot and Malwarebytes

DNS Filter:
OpenDNS personal

Firewall Scanner:
Shields Up by Gibson Research

Id Theft Protection:
LifeLock or ID Agent

Use 2FA with any service that offers it:
Yubico

