

LESS IS MORE IN CYBER!

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Current State of Cyber Security

Coordinated Persistent Threat Actors





NEW THREAT LANDSCAPE







Real world Real threats: Levels of compromise in 2014



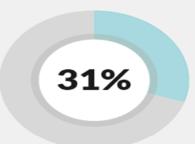
Table 1: Advanced malware concentration by industry

Had	Advanced	Malware

Agriculture	50%	Aerospace/Defense	30%	Entertainment/Media/Hospitality	18%
Auto/Transportation	40%	Services/Consulting	29%	Insurance	18%
Education	37%	Financial Services	28%	Chem/Manu/Mining	17%
Gov (Fed)	36%	Energy/Utilities	27%	Retail	17%
Telecom	36%	Gov (State/Local)	27%	Legal	10%
High Tech	32%	Healthcare /Pharm	22%	Average	27%

M-Trends 2015

How Compromises Are Being Detected





victims discovered the breach internally





victims notified by an external entity

Time from Earliest Evidence of Compromise to Discovery of Compromise



median number of days that threat groups were present on a victim's network before detection



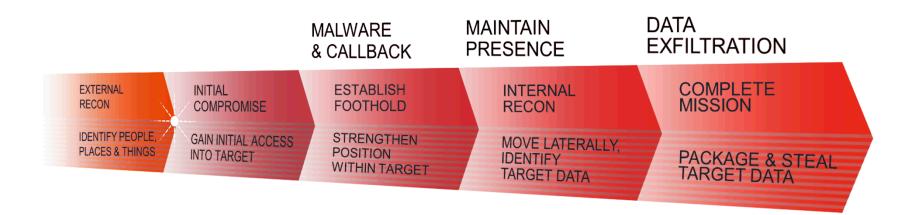
24 days less than 2013

Longest Presence: 2,982 days



AVOIDING DISCOVERY

ATTACKERS UTILIZE MULTIPLE VECTORS AND MULTIPLE FLOWS TO COMPLETE THEIR MISSION

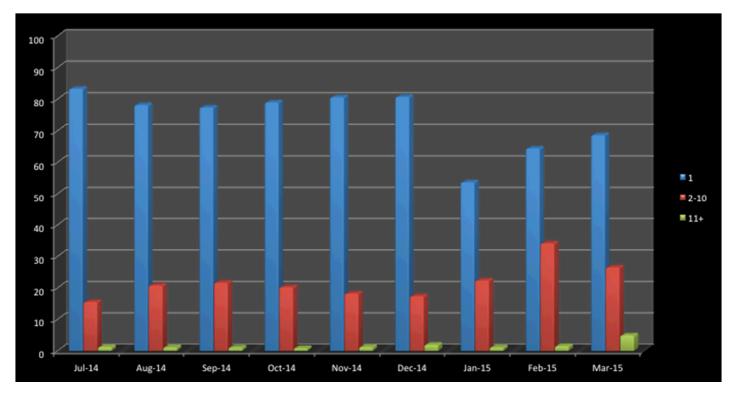


DETECTING THE EXPLOIT IS KEY SINCE EVERY PHASE AFTER THAT CAN BE ENCRYPTED BY THE ATTACKER



Ave. 74% attacks are custom designed & unique

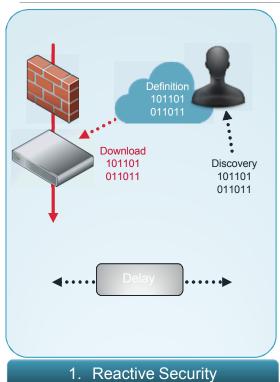
(% of number instances of each attack per company by month first seen)



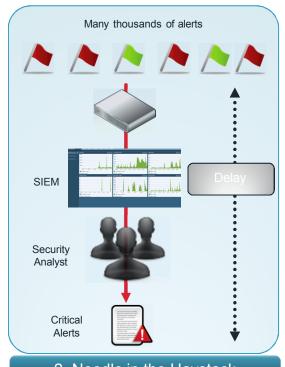
Ave. 99,000 unique samples per month



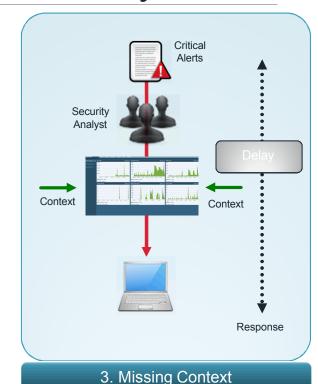
Traditional Defense-in-Depth – The Reality







2. Needle in the Haystack

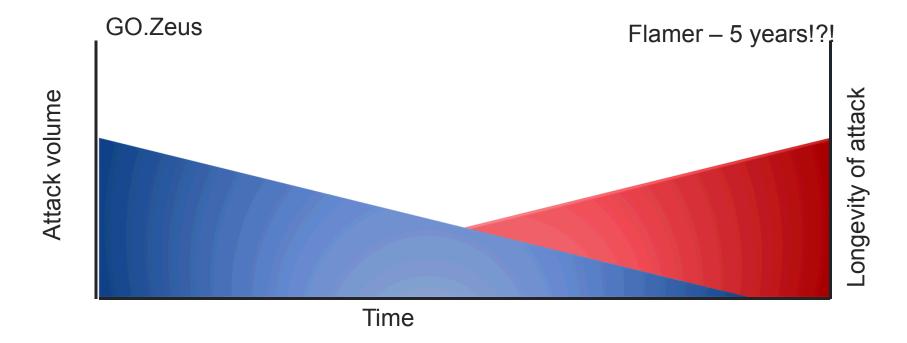


Manual Processing (More spend)

Limited Context (Delayed Response)



Impact: Less is more!





INCIDENT RESPONSE AND INTELLIGENCE IN ACTION: FIN4

WHO ARE THEY? FIN4 REPORT PUBLISHED Financially Motivated Group 4 Dec 2014 Tactics: Compromise email accounts; spear phishing Victim compromises were wide and broad Daily indicators of breached customers **Targets:** Healthcare and pharmaceuticals; advisory firms Signatures & recommendations used for widespread **Impact:** Insider trading advantage from early access to R&D detection and prevention and drug approval announcements

HOW DID WE FIND IT?

Summer 2014

- Incident response at major financial firms
- Similar activity, methodology, and targets

INCIDENT RESPONSE INFORMS PRODUCT DETECTION

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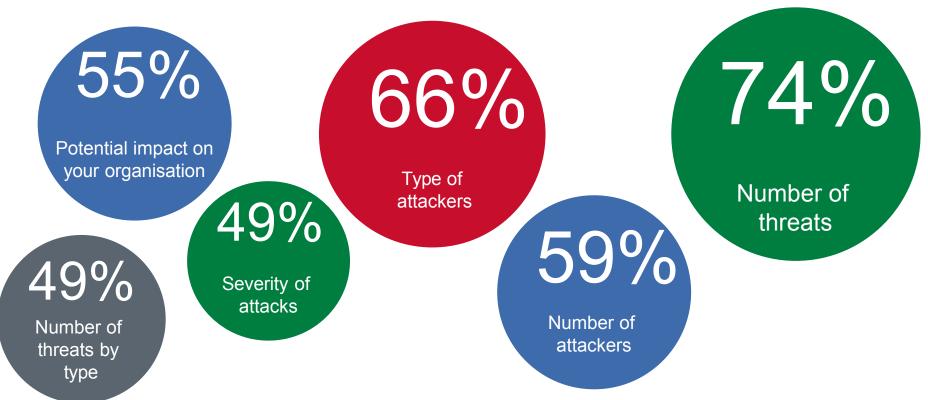
Deployed across FireEye products

IR INTELLIGENCE

- IOCs created
- Gathered intelligence informs log analysis (e.g. terms, IPs)
- Additional intelligence cycled back into products



How do you measure the cyber landscape?



PAC study: Incident Response Management - How European Enterprises are Planning to Prepare for a Cyber Security Breach



