



# 18 settembre: Missione Sicurezza

Identifica e combatti i rischi con la Security Intelligence IBM

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# IBM X-Force 2011 Trend and Risk Report









#### **IBM X-Force Mission Statement**

- Research & evaluate vulnerabilities and security issues
- **Develop** assessment & protection technology for IBM products / services
- Educate the media and user communities on emerging security issues.

#### **IBM X-Force Research and Development**

# Engine • Support content stream needs and capabilities • Support requirements for engine enhancement • Maintenance and tool development Research Research Industry/Customer Delivery

#### **Content Delivery**

- · Continue third party testing
- Execute to deliver new content streams for new and existing engines
- Develop new protocol parsers

- In-house reverse engineering and malware analysis teams
- Expand current capabilities in research to provide industry knowledge to the greater IBM

# Customer Deliverables • Blog Marketing and Industry

- Blog, Marketing and Industry Speaking Engagements
- X-Force Database
   Vulnerability Tracking
- Trend Analysis and Security Analytics

The world's leading security R&D organization



## We have a lot of data...

#### **IBM X-Force® Research and Development**

- Research and evaluate threat and protection issues
- <u>Deliver security protection</u> for today's security problems
- Develop new technology for tomorrow's security challenges
- Educate the media and user communities



#### X-Force Research

15B analyzed Web pages & images

**40M** spam & phishing attacks

**60K** documented vulnerabilities

**9B+** of security events daily

**1M+** of unique malware samples

## **Provides Specific Analysis of:**

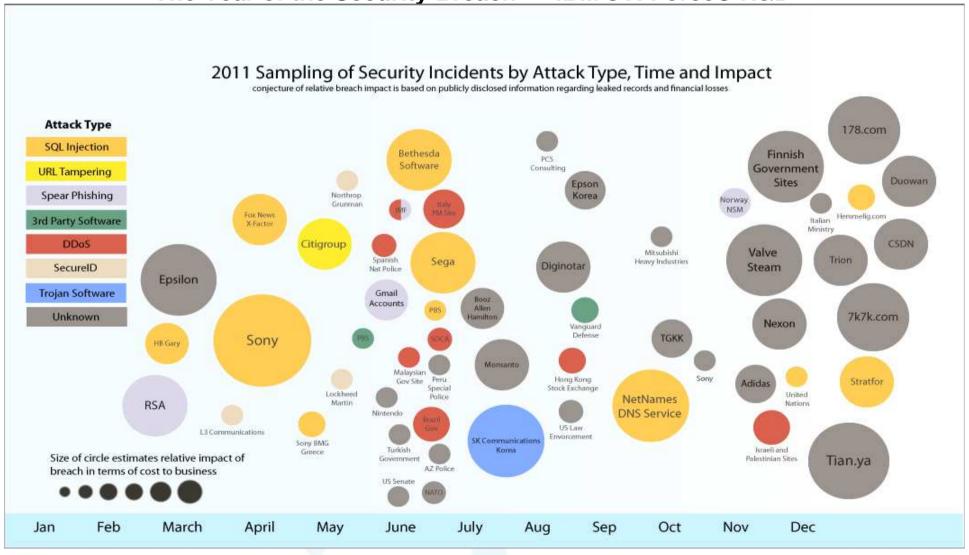
- Vulnerabilities & exploits
- Botnet command and control
- Malicious/Unwanted websites
- Spam and phishing
- Malware
- Emerging trends





# Cyber breaches are having a growing impact

"The Year of the Security Breach" - IBM's X-Force® R&D







# Last 4 Days of August 2012

Aug 27	2	AMNESTY &	A blog site belonging to Amnesty International - Livewine (livewine.amnesty.org) is targeted by hackers who post fake blog posts, including one that took a strong pro-Syrian government stance. <sup>23</sup>	Unknown	Organization: Human Rights	Hacktivisn
Aug 27	<b>(</b>		Hackers claiming allegiance to the Anonymous deface the website of Peter Hain, a former British cabinet minister in solidarity with WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange. <sup>36</sup>	Defacement	Organization: Politics	Hacktivisn
Aug 27	<b>(w)</b>	& INTERPOR	The website of the Interpol is the target of a distributed denial-of-service attack launched by Anonymous hackers as part of Operation Free Assange (MOPFreeAssange). <sup>29</sup>	DDoS	Law Enforcement	Hacktivisn
Aug 27		GlobelCarm	A hacker called Stun AKA @57UN hacks GlobalCerts (GlobalCerts, net), a firm that offers secure messaging and other similar solutions. The leak contains 1,249 records, several of which, with clear text passwords.	squ?	Industry: Information Technology	Hacktivisi
Aug 27	<b>(</b>	AND C	Anonymous Hackers hit the website of electronics manufacturer AVX as part of the attack campaigns dubbed #OperationGreenRights and #OpColtan. The attack leaves over 2,900 of the sites clients details exposed. <sup>31</sup>	squ	Industry: Technology	Hacktivisn
Aug 27	2	TVB	Hackers are suspected of attacking with a DDoS TVB's Miss Hong Kong beauty pageant server, thwarting the broadcaster's attempt for online voting. 52	DDoS	Industry: Media	Cyber Crime
Aug 27	Shahu harves	TOYOTA	Toyota's U.5. manufacturing company accuses a fired computer worker (librahimshah shahulhamee) of cracking into its proprietary plans for parts prices and designs on 23 August, downloading the information and sabotaging Toyota's internal computer software. <sup>23</sup>	Unauthorize d Access	Industry: Automotive	Cyber Crime
Aug 28	1	nov costcald/limits con	Members of Cyb3rSeC Crew claim the hack of cronicade(quimdio.com (a Colombian news web site) and dump 9,197 records with usernames, e-mails and hashed passwords. <sup>34</sup>	SQLI?	News	Cyber Crime
Aug 29	<b>(a)</b>		In name of Operation Ukraine, the Anonymous hack the lowil Society and Government web portal (civic kmu.gov.us) and publish its entire database, addresses, usernames and password hashes. 30 addresses, usernames and password hashes.	SQLi	Government	Hacktivisr
Aug 29		ATTENDED -	NullCrew continue to show their support for #OpFreeAssange, hacking the databases of the Africa College site (africacollege.leeds.ac.uk) owned by the University of Leeds. The leak contains database details and over 100 email addresses, password hashes and usernames. 300	Unknown	Education	Hacktivisi
Aug 29	2	ncr	In name of #OpFreeAssange, unknown hackers dump on pastebin a database of the Dundee University	SQLi	Education	Hacktivisi
			(dundee.ac.uk). The database contains 300 users with email and their home address. Inside the same attack,	Unknown	Education	Hacktivisi
			the unknown hackers also dump some details from the University College London (ucl.ac.uk) and few admin logins from the University of Leeds (leeds.ac.uk). 27 (Original link no more available).	Unknown	Education	Hacktivisi
Aug 30	?	RosGos	Ras Laffan Liquefied Natural Gas Co., a Qatari LNG producer, shuts down part of its computer systems targeted by an unidentified malware, probably Shamoon. <sup>26</sup>	Shamoon Malware	Industry: Energy	Cyber Warfare
Aug 30	0	PHILIPS	AoS AKA@AnonOpsSweden announces that Electronics giant Philips is hacked for the second time in a month and its databases raided. According to the hackers, over 200,000 emails with usernames and encrypted passwords were leaked. 39 Even in this case the company claims that old data have been leaked.	SQU?	Industry: Technology	Hacktivisr
Aug 30			The Anonymous hack blizzard.com.ua, an Ukrainian based gaming community and dump over 19,000 accounts that have further details. 43	SQLI	Online Gaming	Hacktivisi
Aug 30		POLICE	In name of #OpAssange, a hacker using the handle @OxOOXOO leaks several data from police.uk and 3 of its subdomains (police.uk, herts.police.uk, nottinghamshire.police.uk). Leaked data includes 97 records consisting of usernames, passwords, email addresses and names belonging to officers, and also hundreds of records consisting of login and contact details. <sup>42</sup>	SQLi	Law Enforcement	Hacktivisn
Aug 30		SIEMENS	In name of #OpGreenRights and #OpColtan, the Anonymous (@OpGreenRights) dump Siemens Switzerland (siemens.ch) and Fujitsu General Brazil	SQLi	Industry: Technology	Hacktivisn
		FLUTSU GENERAL	Switzerland (siemens.ch) and Fujitsu General Brazil (fujitsu-general.com.br) resulting in data from server databases leaked. <sup>48</sup>	SQLi	Industry: Technology	Hacktivisr
Aug 30	Islamist group Boko Haram (Claimed)		The details of about 60 Nigeria State Security Services Operatives remained on the comments section of a local news site for days before being deleted. The information published included names, ID numbers, bank details and addresses. Militant Islamist group Boko Haram is suspected to be behind the leak. <sup>64</sup>	Unknown	Law Enforcement	Cyber Warfare
Aug 31			NullCrew hackers once again show their support for Julian Assange. This time, they claim to have breached data.gov.uk, a UK government project that provides citizens with non-personal data which can be freely re- terior to the second of the second of the second of the holds nemeated. As files which contain all sorts of information. **	SQLI	Government	Hacktivisi
Aug 31		LADA	After the announce the hack, Nullcrew publishes the database of the Russian based auto company Lada (lada-auto.ru). Account details that have been leaked include usernames, emails and hashed passwords (1,404 emails and about 600 accounts without emails).**	SOLI	Industry: Automotive	Hacktivisi
Aug 31	( )	PHILIPS	For the third time in this month, Philips is targeted by hackers. This time the victim is advance philips.com, a subdomain for light technology. The data, leaked in name of #Opcoltan, contains approximately 65 records. <sup>47</sup>	SQLi	Industry: Technology	Hacktivisi





# Key drivers affecting the security software business

It is no longer enough to protect the perimeter – sophisticated attacks are bypassing traditional defenses, IT resources are moving outside the firewall, and enterprise applications and data are becoming distributed across multiple devices

#### 1. Advanced Threats

Sophisticated, targeted attacks, designed to gain continuous access to critical information, are increasing in severity and occurrence.



Advanced Persistent Threats
Stealth Bots Designer Malware
Targeted Attacks Zero-days



**Enterprise Customers** 

#### 2. Cloud Computing

Security is one of the top concerns of cloud, as customers drastically rethink the way IT resources are designed, deployed and consumed.



#### 3. Mobile Computing

Managing employee owned devices and securing connectivity to corporate applications are top of mind as CIOs broaden their support for mobile devices.











#### 4. Regulations and Compliance

Regulatory and compliance pressures continue to mount as companies store sensitive data and become susceptible to audit failures.









# **Key Messages from the 2011 Trend Report**

#### New Attack Activity

- Rise in Shell Command Injection attacks
- Spikes in SSH Brute Forcing
- Rise in phishing based malware distribution and click fraud

#### Progress in Internet Security

- Fewer exploit releases
- Fewer web application vulnerabilities
- Better patching

#### The Challenge of Mobile and the Cloud

- Mobile exploit disclosures up
- Cloud requires new thinking
- Social Networking no longer fringe pastime

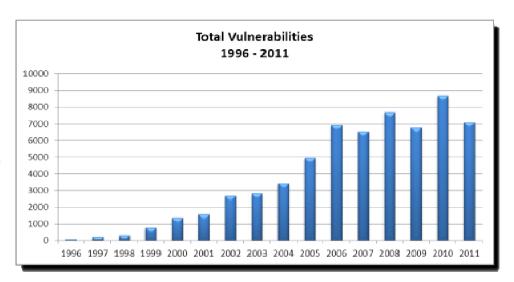
- Our statistics demonstrate some improvements in Internet software security, but attackers adapted their techniques in response. As a result, we saw several new attack trends emerge.
- It has become a sport for attackers to steal as many user names and passwords from a website as they can... and post them publicly..
- The emergence of cloud and the proliferation of mobile devices creates additional challenges for enterprise security.

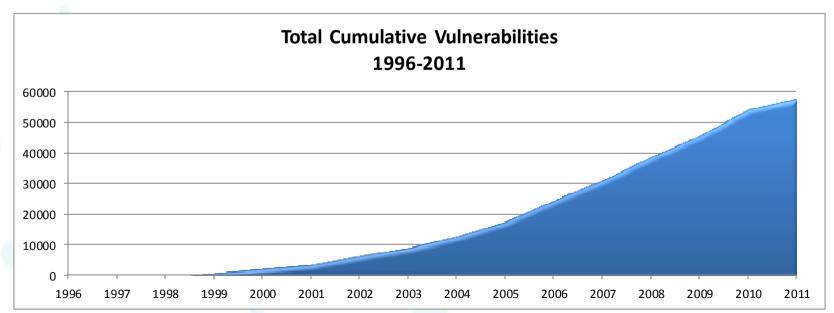


# 2010 Up, 2011 Down - In 2012 the Trend Will Continue - probably

#### **Public Vulnerability Disclosures**

- 2010 = highest # of vulnerabilities
- 2011 = down ~17.5% YoY
  - Web applications continue to be the largest category of disclosure.
- 2011 had less vulnerability disclosures than 2010.
   However some categories increased.
- **1H 2012 Update**: = 4,000





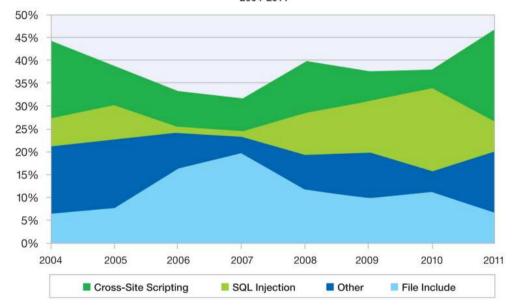




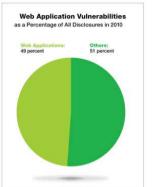
# Decline in web application vulnerabilities

- In 2011, 41% of security vulnerabilities affected web applications
  - Down from 49% in 2010
  - Lowest percentage seen since 2005

#### Web Application Vulnerabilities by Attack Technique 2004-2011

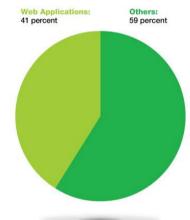






#### Web Application Vulnerabilities

as a Percentage of All Disclosures in 2011



Source: IBM X-Force® Research and Development

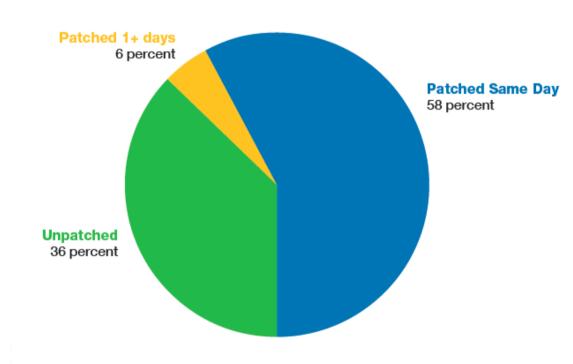




# **Patching Improved in 2011**

#### Vendor Patch Timeline 2011





	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
Unpatched %	36.0%	43.3%	45.1%	51.9%	44.6%	46.6%

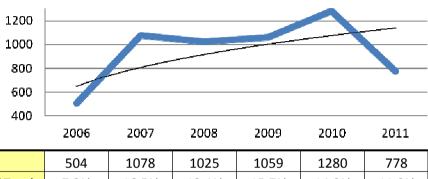


# We Track All Public Exploits...

Public exploit disclosures up in 2010 down in 2011

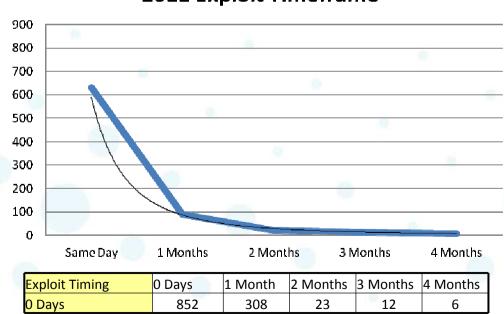
- Approximately 14.9% of the vulnerabilities disclosed in 2010 had public exploits, which is down slightly from the 15.7% 2009.
- 2011 has seen less public exploits than 1H 2010
- The vast majority of public exploits are released the same day or in conjunction with public disclosure of the vulnerability.

#### **True Exploits Released 2006-2011**



True Exploits	504	1078	1025	1059	1280	778
Percentage of Total	7.3%	16.5%	13.4%	15.7%	14.9%	11.0%

#### **2011 Exploit Timeframe**







# Challenging exploits: more vulnerabilities in widespread category

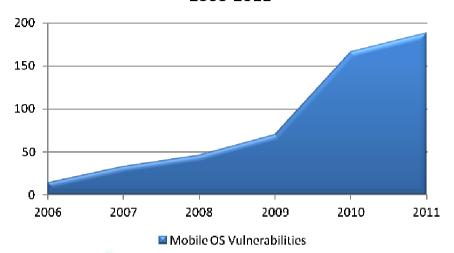
- 34 X-Force alerts and advisories in 2011
  - 16 fit the critical category
    - easy to exploit, sweet spot for malicious activity
    - most currently being exploited in the wild
  - 12 harder to exploit but high value
    - This number higher than previous years



Source: IBM X-Force® Research and Development



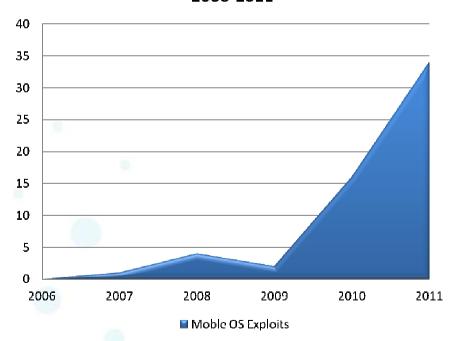
# Total Mobile Operating System Vulnerabilities 2006-2011



Attackers finally warming to the opportunities these devices represent

Continued interest in mobile vulnerabilities as enterprise users bring smartphones and tablets into the work place (BYOD)

# Mobile Operating System Exploits 2006-2011





### **MAC** malware



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In 2011, we started seeing Mac malware with functionalities that we've only seen before in Windows malware. This may indicate that cyber criminals are now becoming aware of how profitable targeting OS X might be.

In April, 2012 security professionals identified that a new piece of malware, Flashback, had infected more than half a million Apple computers in what was the largest scale attack on Mac OS X computers to date.<sup>1</sup>

Mac computers can also carry malware that could infect Windows PCs.

Note1 - Source: eWeek.com

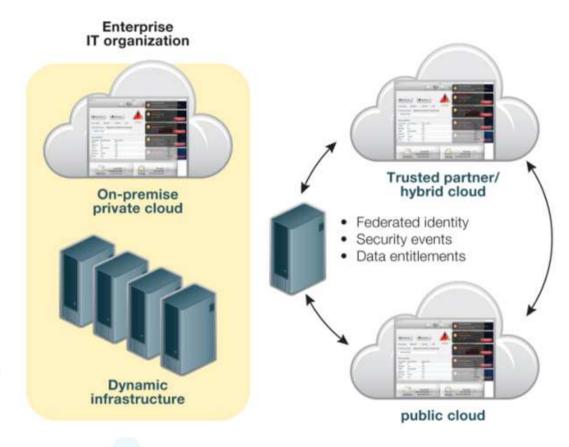




# **Challenges of cloud security**

- We saw a number of high profile cloud breaches in 2011 affecting well-known organizations and large populations of their customers
- Cloud computing offers new possibilities and new security challenges. These challenges range from governance, through to securing application and infrastructure. Fundamentally it is important to be able to assure the security of these new models in order to build trust and confidence

#### Securing access to cloud-based applications and services





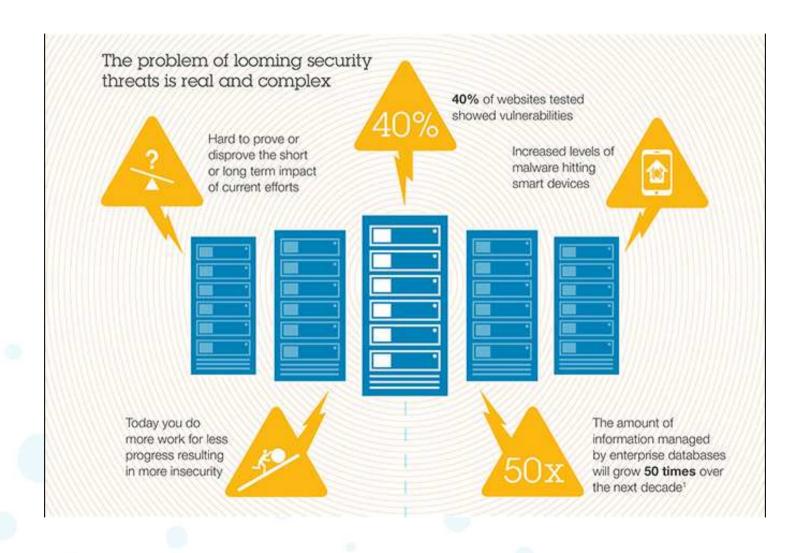
# Social Networking – no longer a fringe pastime

- Attackers finding social networks ripe with valuable information they can mine to build intelligence about organizations and its staff:
  - Scan corporate websites, Google, Google News
    - Who works there? What are their titles?
    - Create index cards with names and titles
  - Search Linkedin, Facebook, Twitter profiles
    - Who are their colleagues?
    - Start to build an org chart
  - Who works with the information the attacker would like to target?
    - What is their reporting structure?
    - Who are their friends?
    - What are they interested in?
    - What are their work/personal email addresses?



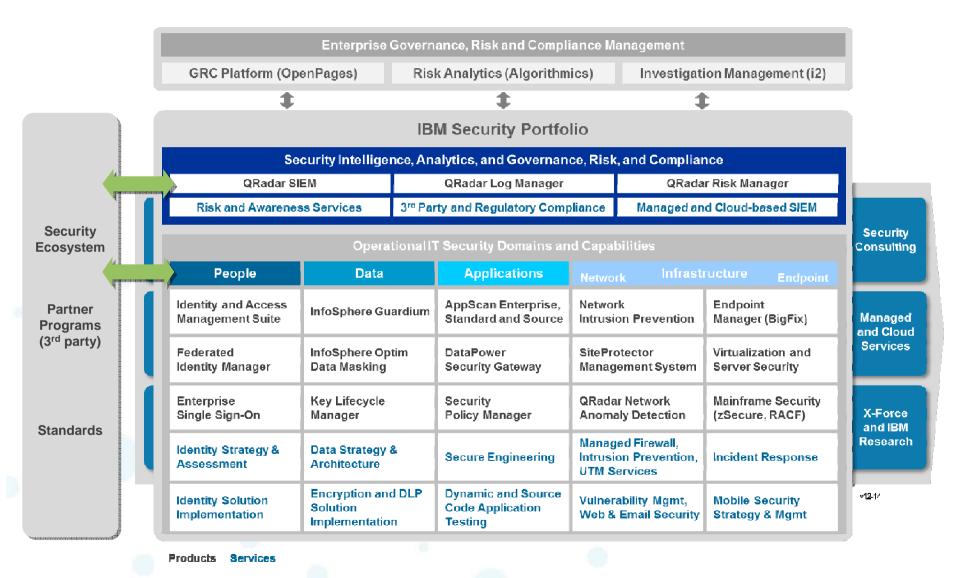


# Are we more secure today than we were yesterday?



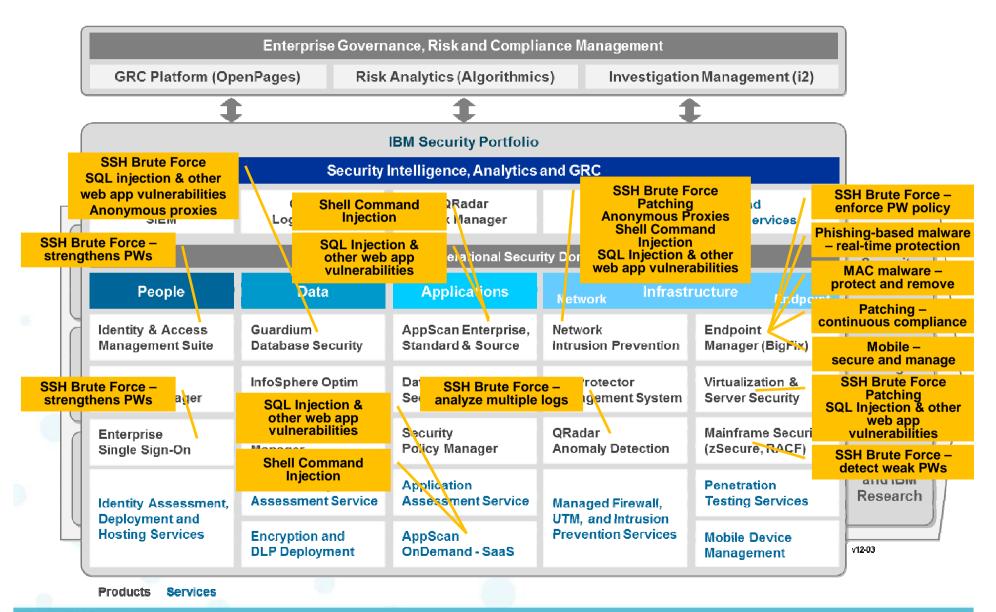


# Comprehensive portfolio across security domains





# Leading solutions in every segment





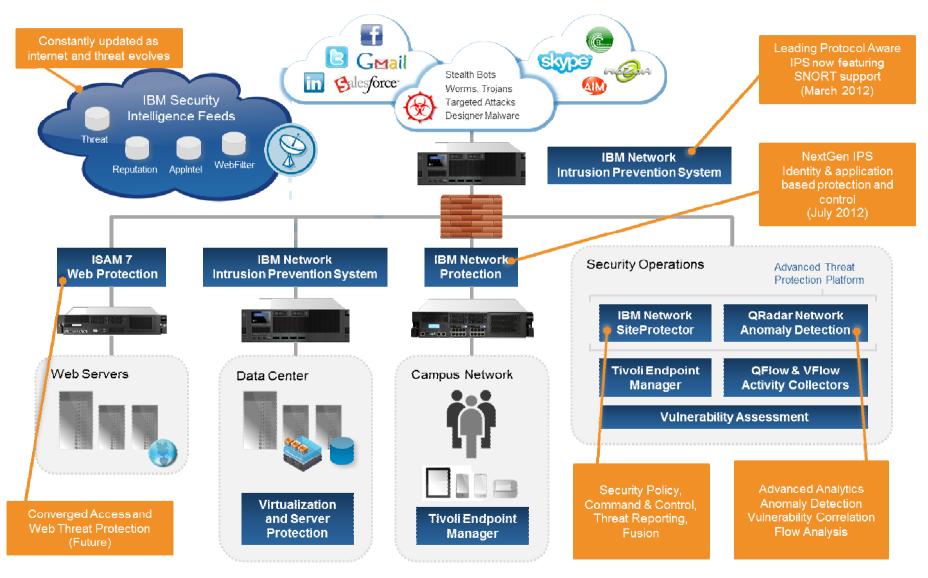
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#### **Advanced Threat Protection Platform**





# **Introducing Advanced Controls**





Web Category
Protection

Access
Control

Protocol
Aware
Intrusion

Protection
Client-Side
Protection

Botnet Protection

Network Awareness

Web Protection

Reputation

Allow marketing and sales teams to access social networking sites



Block attachments on all outgoing emails and chats



A more strict security policy is applied to traffic from countries where I do not do business



Advanced inspection of web application traffic destined to my web servers



Block known botnet servers and phishing sites



Allow, but don't inspect, traffic to financial and medial sites



Who

What

**Controls** 

**Security** 









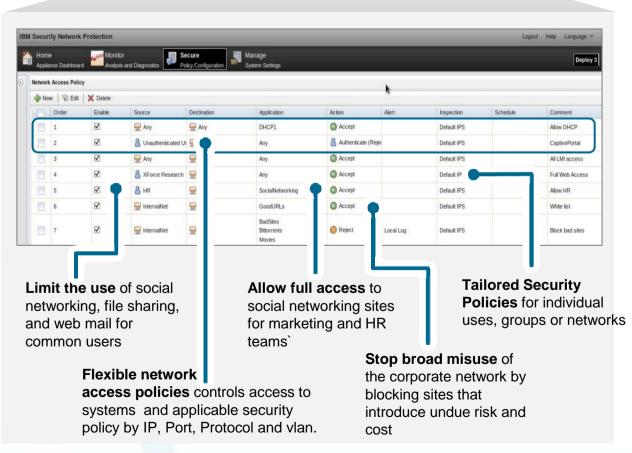
# Complete Control: Overcoming a Simple Block-Only Approach

- Network Control by users, groups, systems, protocols, applications & application actions
- Block evolving, high-risk sites such as Phishing and Malware with constantly updated categories
- Comprehensive up-to-date web site coverage with industry-leading 15 Billion+ URLs (50-100x the coverage comparatively)
- Rich application support with 1000+ applications and individual actions

"We had a case in Europe where workers went on strike for 3 days after Facebook was completely blocked...so granularity is key."

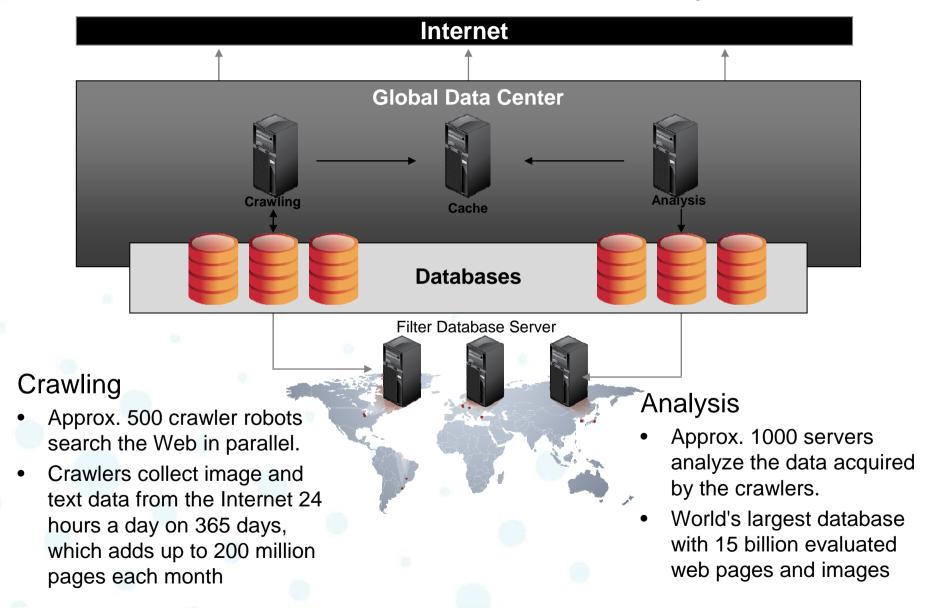
SecureDevice







# **IBM X-Force Global Datacenter - Content Analysis**







## **Security is Everywhere**

#### Tech Center: Database Security



#### TV-based botnets? DoS attacks on your fridge? More plausible than you think

Services (HHS) have banded together to share attack and threat intelligence in

By Dan Goodin | Published 18 days ago

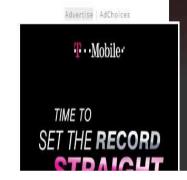


It's still premature to say you need firewall or antivirus protection for your television set, but a duo of recently diagnosed firmware vulnerabilities in widely used TV models made by two leading manufacturers suggests the notion isn't as far-fetched as many may think.

# Wearable firewall stops pacemaker — hacking

Millions of people use insulin pumps, pacemakers and other personal medical devices that rely on wireless communication to function. But what happens if someone was to tamper with that vital communication line between the health care provider and the patient?

Researchers from Purdue and Princeton universities have developed a solution to what could be catastrophic problem: a signaljamming personal firewall for medical devices.



## Rise of "forever day" bugs in industrial systems threatens critical infrastructure

By Dan Goodin | Published 29 days ago





# The future of security -

#### The Darwinian challenge: Evolve or lose

The **business environment** is evolving

- The IT environment is evolving
- The cyber threat environment is evolving

"It is not the strongest of the species that survives, nor the most intelligent that survives. It is the one that is the most adaptable to change."

Charles Darwin

- The challenge every function is facing is how to evolve with them to deliver New Security Solutions
- If the information security function does not change, the result will be losing influence, control and in this environment a real opportunity for impact with the business





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