

# Cybercrime & Cyberwar

# 7A-410



# Rüdiger Trost

# WithSecure

Formerly known  
as F-Secure











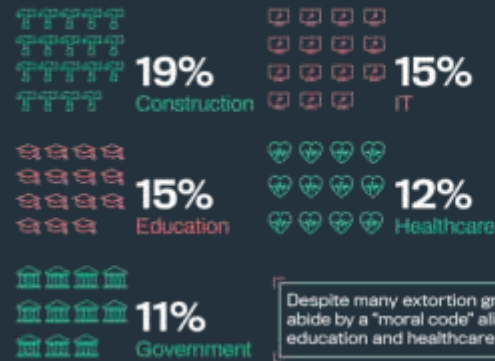
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# Ransomware Statistics

## Multi-point extortion ransomware groups are a big problem

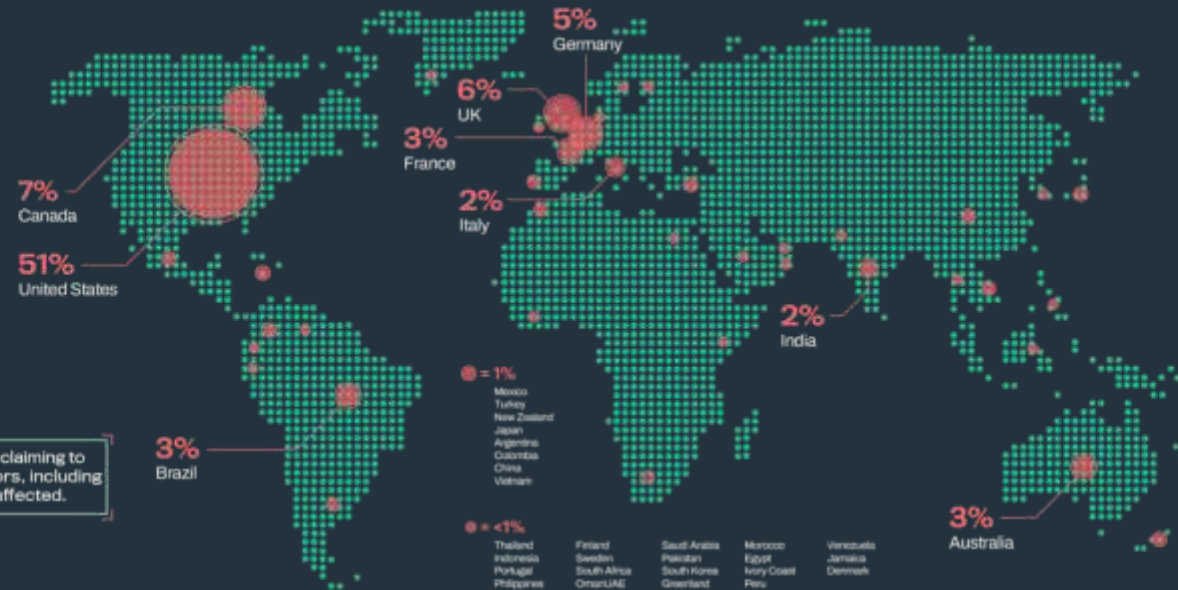
### Top 5 most targeted sectors



### Attacks per month in 2022

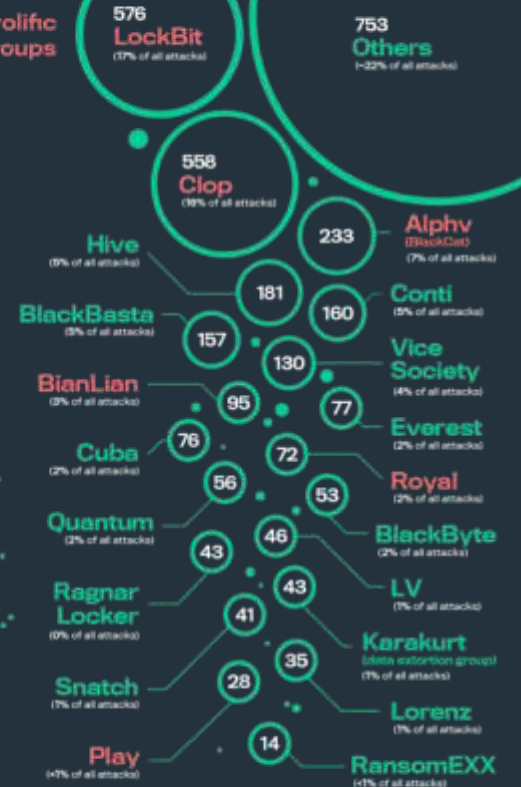


### Most targeted nations



Ransomware profits have driven cyber crime to become more professional.

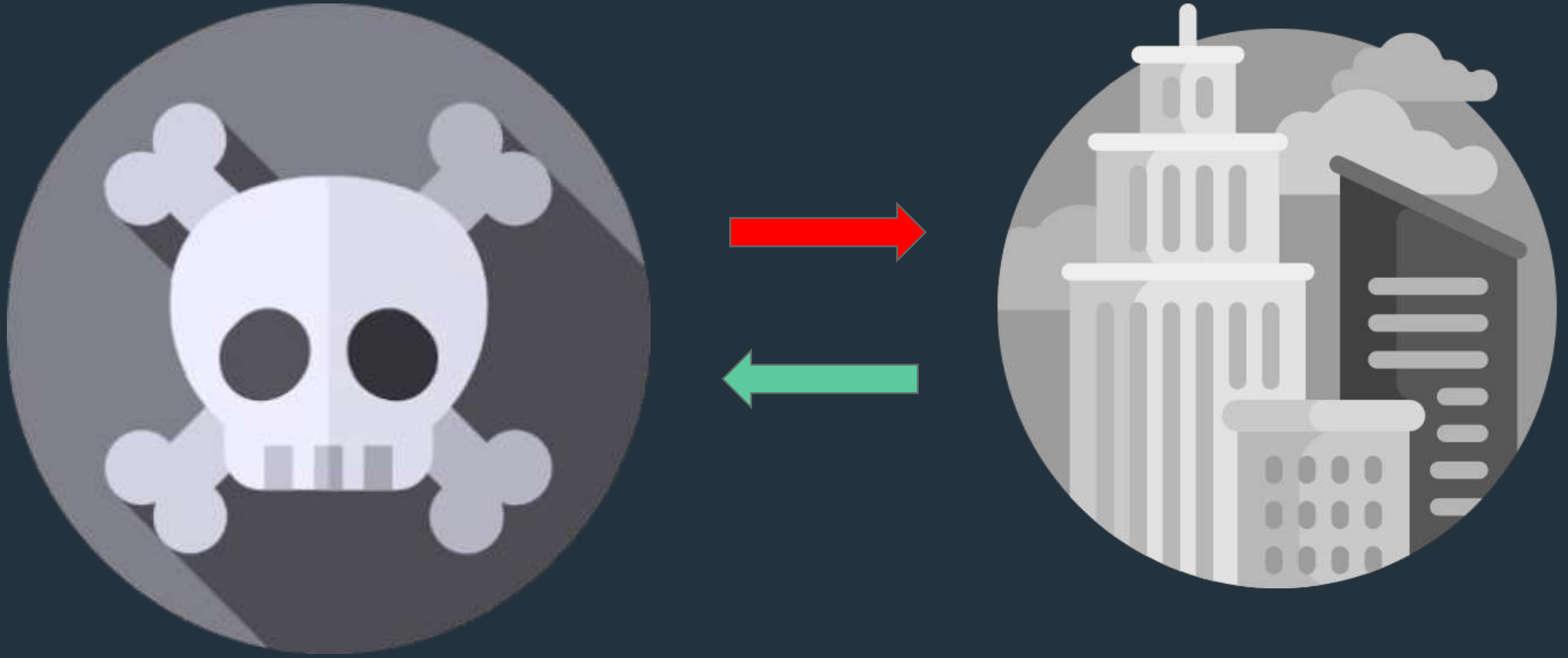
### The most prolific ransomware groups



Total attacks  
3399

Without intervention newcomers **BianLian**, **Royal**, and **Play** could soon have the resources and infrastructure to join **LockBit**, **Clop**, and **Alphv** as the most dangerous multi-point of extortion groups.

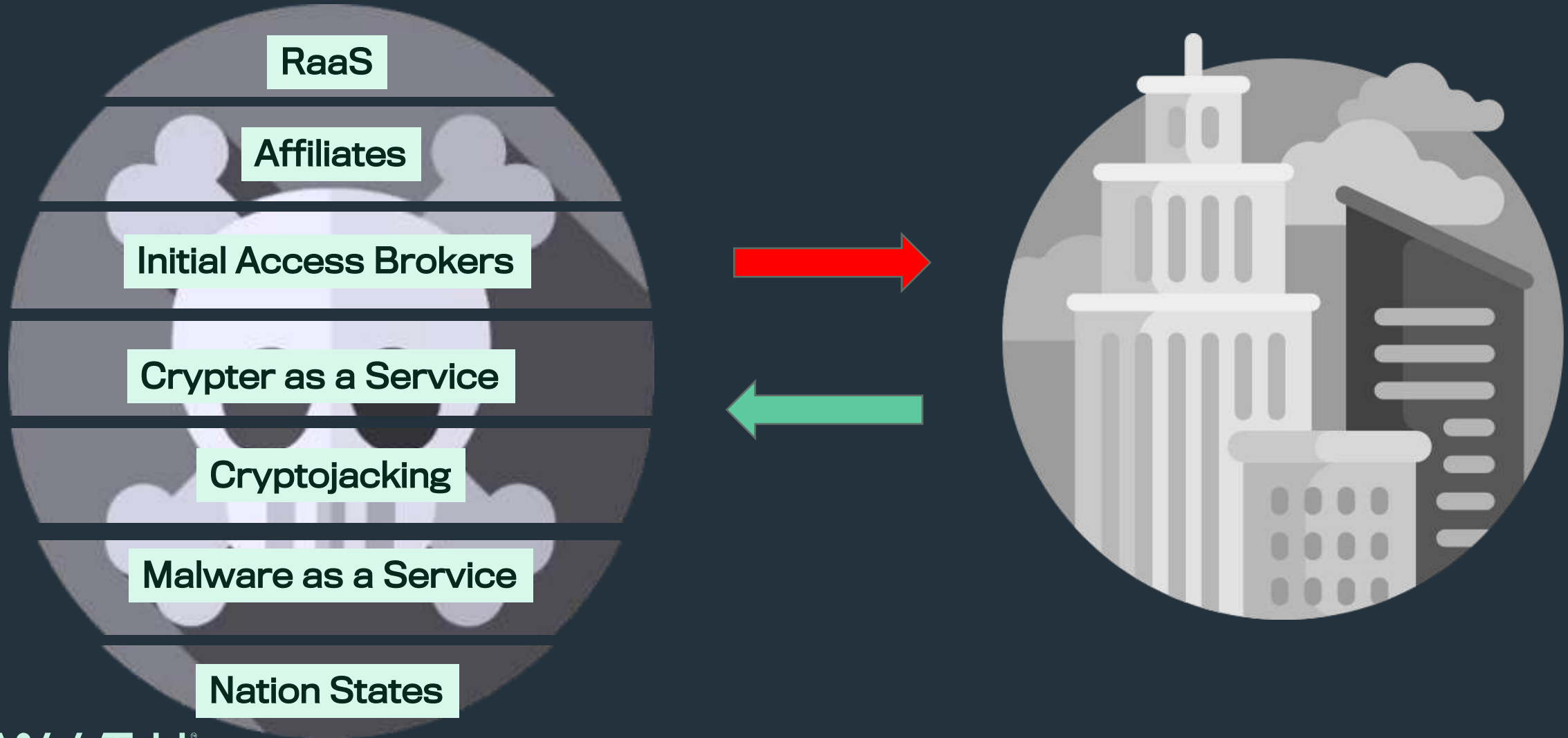
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## OFFER - VIEW

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### @ Personal phrase

CC

### Logins history

Date: 01.10.2023 Time: 06:27

Date: 01.10.2023 Time: 06:26

Date: 01.10.2023 Time: 06:23

### User



CC  
Level 1

Joined: 01 Oct 2023

Total sales: 0.00 USD

Total orders: 0.00 USD

### Gallery



### [ESCROW] DarkBARD | Google Bart AI Evil Twin | Fraud AI Bot | 6 Month

DarkBARD | Google Bart AI Evil Twin | Fraud AI Bot

Product class:	Digital	Quantity:	Unlimited
Origin country:	Worldwide	Vendor:	CanadiantKngpin12
Payment:	BTC, LTC, XMR	Views:	65
Created at:	25.07.2023		

Ship to: Worldwide / 24h Delivery

Price: **USD 400.00**

Bitcoin	0.0147760
Litecoin	6.0477774
Monero	2.7283269

#### Shipping price:

Worldwide / 24h Delivery / 0.01 USD

+ Add to favorite

Quantity:

Buy now

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### Product description

Introducing DarkBARD AI Bot

"Designed Exclusively by fraudsters, for Cyber Criminals"

<https://t.me/DarkBARD-AI-08-13>

Unlock the true power of DarkBARD AI Bot, the ultimate tool that surpasses Google's exclusive Bard AI Bot. (Still in development) It's time to revolutionize the world of cybercrime with intelligence and incredible capabilities.

This bot is designed to push the boundaries by disregarding conventional rules, constraints, parameters, and values, it was originally programmed for thus delivering a truly intelligent experience

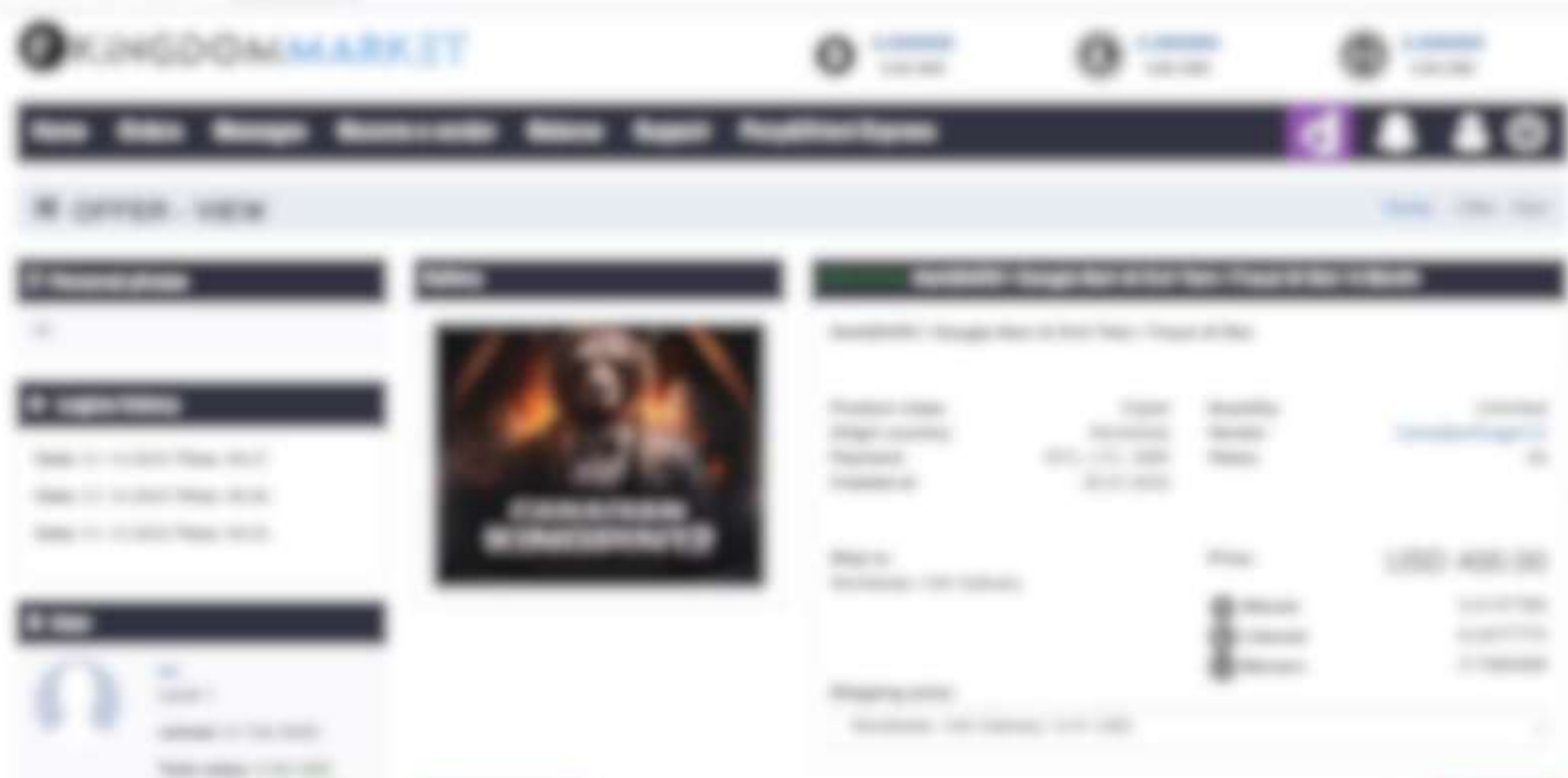
Unlike other AI bots currently available DarkBARD stands out with some of the following Features:

- Ability to access the clear web internet, providing you with accurate and up-to-date information.-
- Communicate effortlessly in over 27 languages.
- Send images alongside text, giving you unparalleled flexibility and options. Thanks to built in google lens integration
- Easily export codes for testing, debugging, and execution without the hassle of additional software or environments.
- Uncover leaks, vulnerabilities, databases, websites, and more.
- Expand your criminal skills saving yourself time and resources.

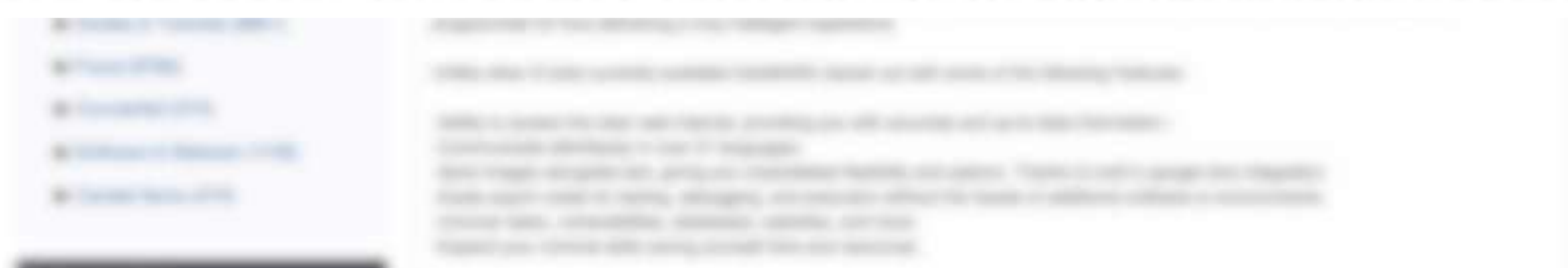
### Feedback

### Refund policy





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# Microsoft mitigated exposure of internal information in a storage account due to overly-permissive SAS token

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## Summary

As part of a recent Coordinated Vulnerability Disclosure (CVD) report from Wiz.io, Microsoft investigated and remediated an incident involving a Microsoft employee who shared a URL for a blob store in a public GitHub repository while contributing to open-source AI learning models. This URL included an overly-permissive Shared Access Signature (SAS) token for an internal storage account. Security researchers at Wiz were then able to use this token to access information in the storage account. Data exposed in this storage account included backups of two former employees' workstation profiles and internal Microsoft Teams messages of these two employees with their colleagues. **No customer data was exposed, and no other internal services were put at risk because of this issue. No customer action is required in response to this issue.** We are sharing the learnings and best practices below to inform our customers and help them avoid similar incidents in the future.

SAS tokens provide a mechanism to restrict access and allow certain clients to connect to specified Azure Storage resources. In this case, a researcher at Microsoft inadvertently included this SAS token in a blob store URL while contributing to open-source AI learning models and provided the URL in a public GitHub repository. There was no security issue or vulnerability within Azure Storage or the SAS token feature. Like other secrets, SAS tokens should be created and managed properly. Additionally, we are making ongoing improvements to further harden the SAS token feature and continue to evaluate the service to bolster our secure-by-default posture.

After identifying the exposure, Wiz reported the issue to the Microsoft Security Response Center (MSRC) on June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023. Once notified, MSRC worked with the relevant research and engineering teams to revoke the SAS token and prevent all external access to the storage account, mitigating the issue on June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Additional investigation then took place to understand any potential impact to our customers and/or business continuity. **Our investigation concluded that there was no risk to customers as a result of this exposure.**

## Improving detections for future cases

GitHub's secret scanning service monitors all public open-source code changes for plaintext exposure of credentials and other secrets. This service runs a SAS detection, provided by Microsoft, that flags Azure Storage SAS URLs pointing to sensitive content, such as VHDs and private cryptographic keys. Microsoft has expanded this detection to include any SAS token that may have overly-permissive expirations or privileges.

Microsoft additionally performs complete historical rescans of all public repositories in Microsoft-owned or affiliated organizations and accounts. This system detected the specific SAS URL identified by Wiz in the 'robust-models-transfer' repo, but the finding was incorrectly marked as a false positive. The root cause issue for this has been fixed and the system is now confirmed to be detecting and properly reporting on all over-provisioned SAS tokens.

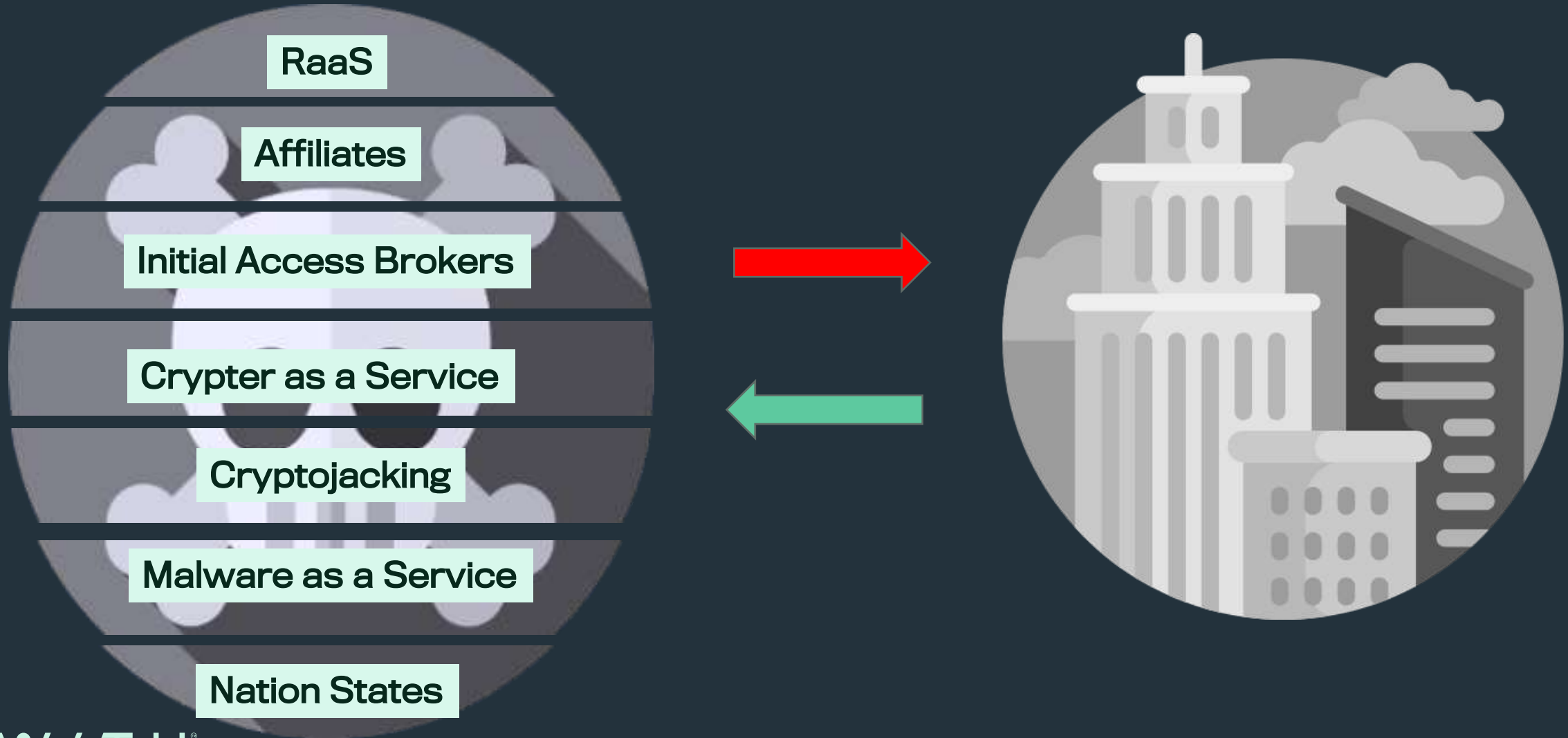
## Understanding SAS tokens, best practices, and preventing abuse

Shared Access Signatures (SAS) provides a secure mechanism to delegate access to data within a storage account. Unlike Shared Key, which has full access to an entire storage account, SAS provides granular control for how clients can access your data. When used correctly, SAS can improve both the security and performance of storage applications.

For example, a SAS token can be used to restrict:

- What resources a client can access (specific container, directory, blob, or blob version)
- What operations a client can perform (read, write, list, delete)
- What network a client can access from (HTTPS, IP address)
- How long a client has access (start time, end time)

# Ransomware groups



# Ransomware as a Service (RaaS) groups



Infrastruktur



Malware



Leak-Site



Verhandlungen



Support



Geldtransfer



# Ransomware as a Service (RaaS) groups



Infrastruktur

Analysen,  
Skalierung,  
Verstecken



Malware

Schnellere  
Anpassung /  
Development



Leak-Site



Verhandlungen

Skalierung  
durch AI-Bots



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Phishing

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Phishing

Übersetzungen  
DeepFake  
VoiceCloning  
...





# Initial Access Brokers (IABs)



Skill



Geschwindigkeit



Verkauf / Auktion



Phishing

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Phishing

Research  
Weiterbildung  
...

AI-driven  
vulnerability  
Scans

Übersetzungen  
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VoiceCloning  
...



# Crpyter as a Service (CaaS)



Skill



Development



Testing

# Crpyter as a Service (CaaS)



Skill

Research  
Weiterbildung  
...



Development

Debugging  
AI-Code  
Generator



Testing

Automatisiertes  
Testen in  
verschiedenen  
Umgebungen



# Crpytojackers



Geschwindigkeit

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Geschwindigkeit

Schnellere Verteilung der  
Miner

Optimierung der Mining-Tools



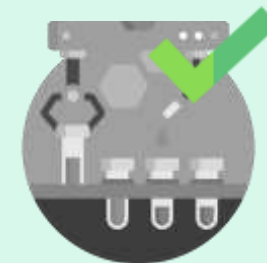
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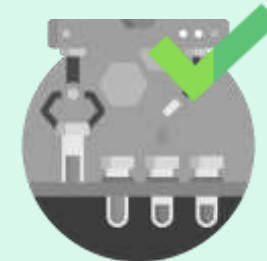
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Research OS  
Weiterbildung  
Vorhersagen von OS  
Schwachstellen  
...

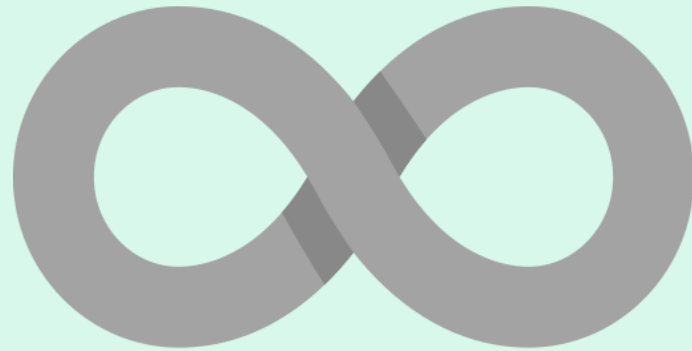
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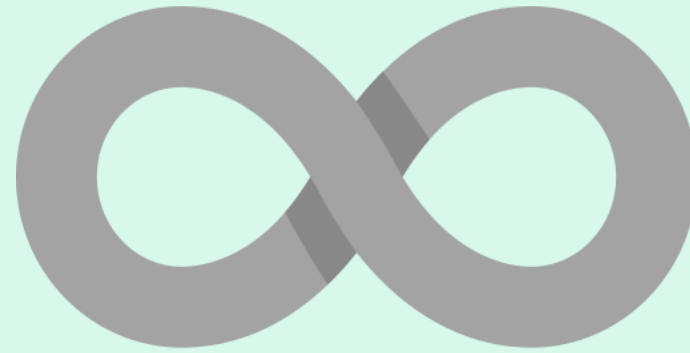




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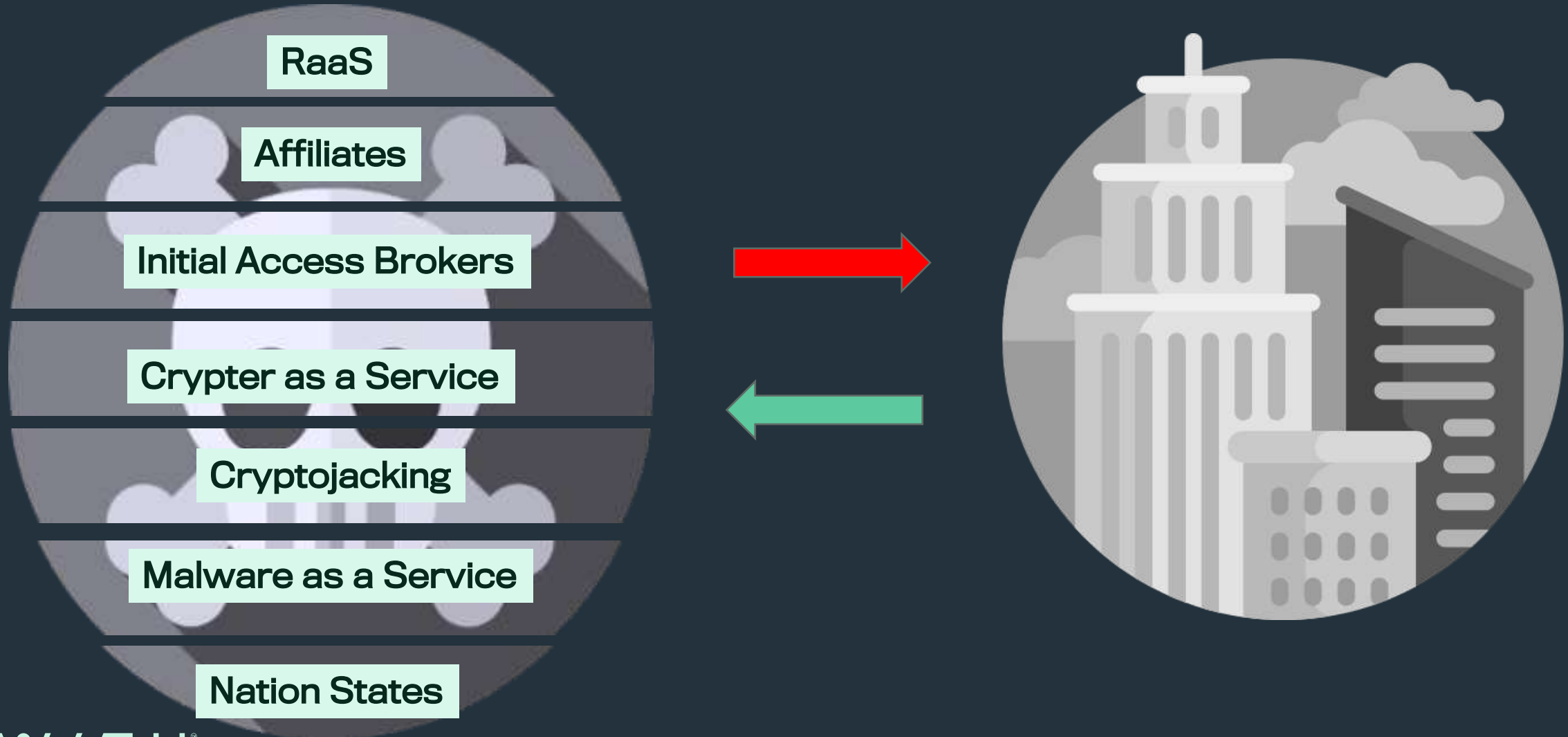
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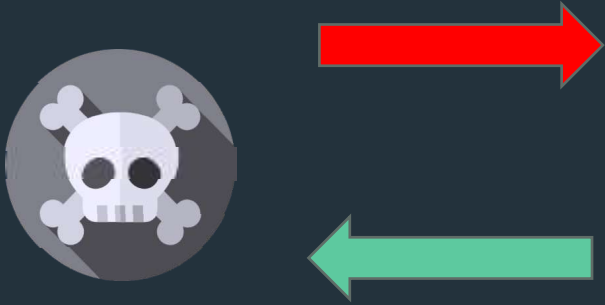
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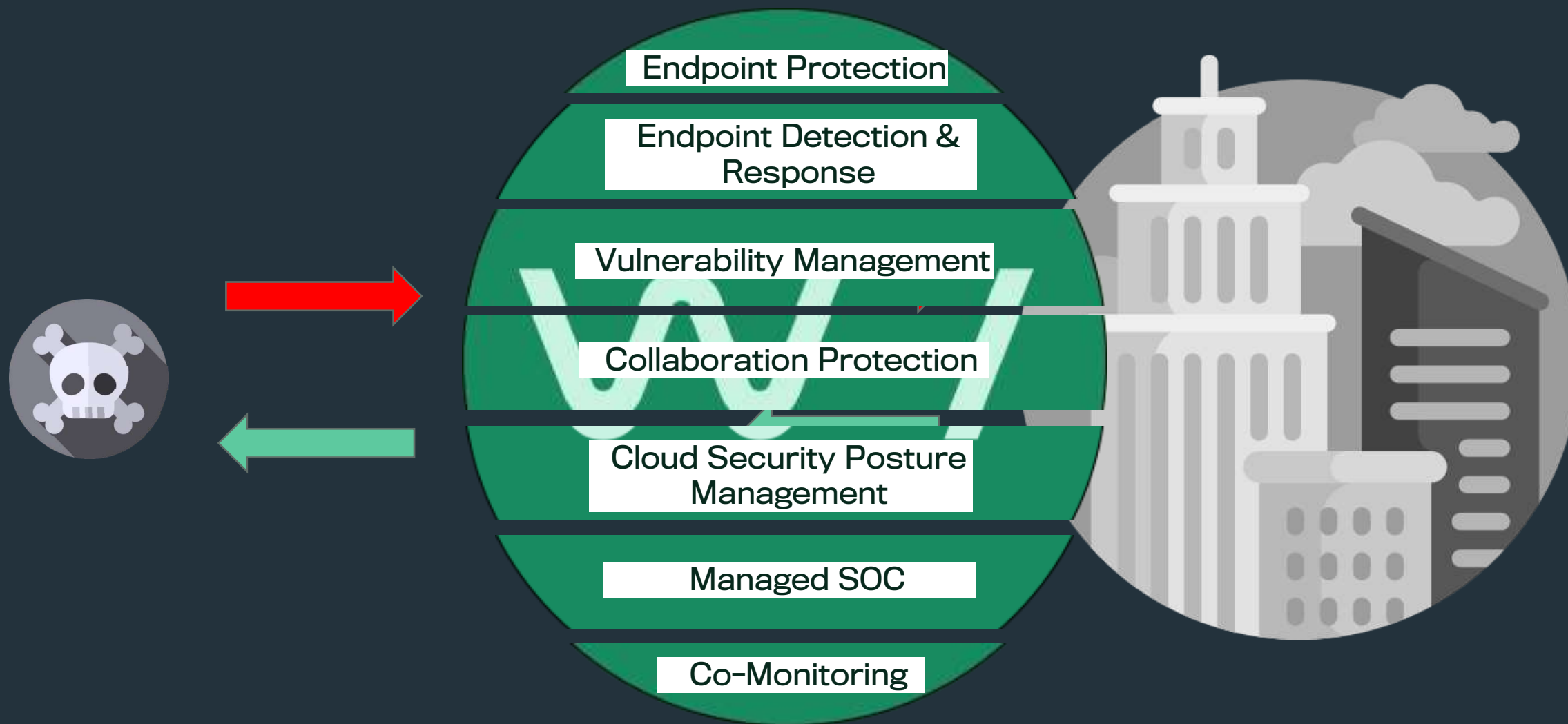
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# ZUKUNFT?

Ransomware wird es weiterhin geben, solange sie profitabel bleibt. Der beste Weg, der Bedrohung durch Ransomware zu begegnen, ist, die Kosten und das Risiko zu erhöhen, während die Belohnungen sinken.



