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Securing your Applications & Data
With
Web Application Firewalls

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Cyberwar: The Web App Aspect

Web Application Security Challenge

Countermeasure: WAF

Selection Considerations

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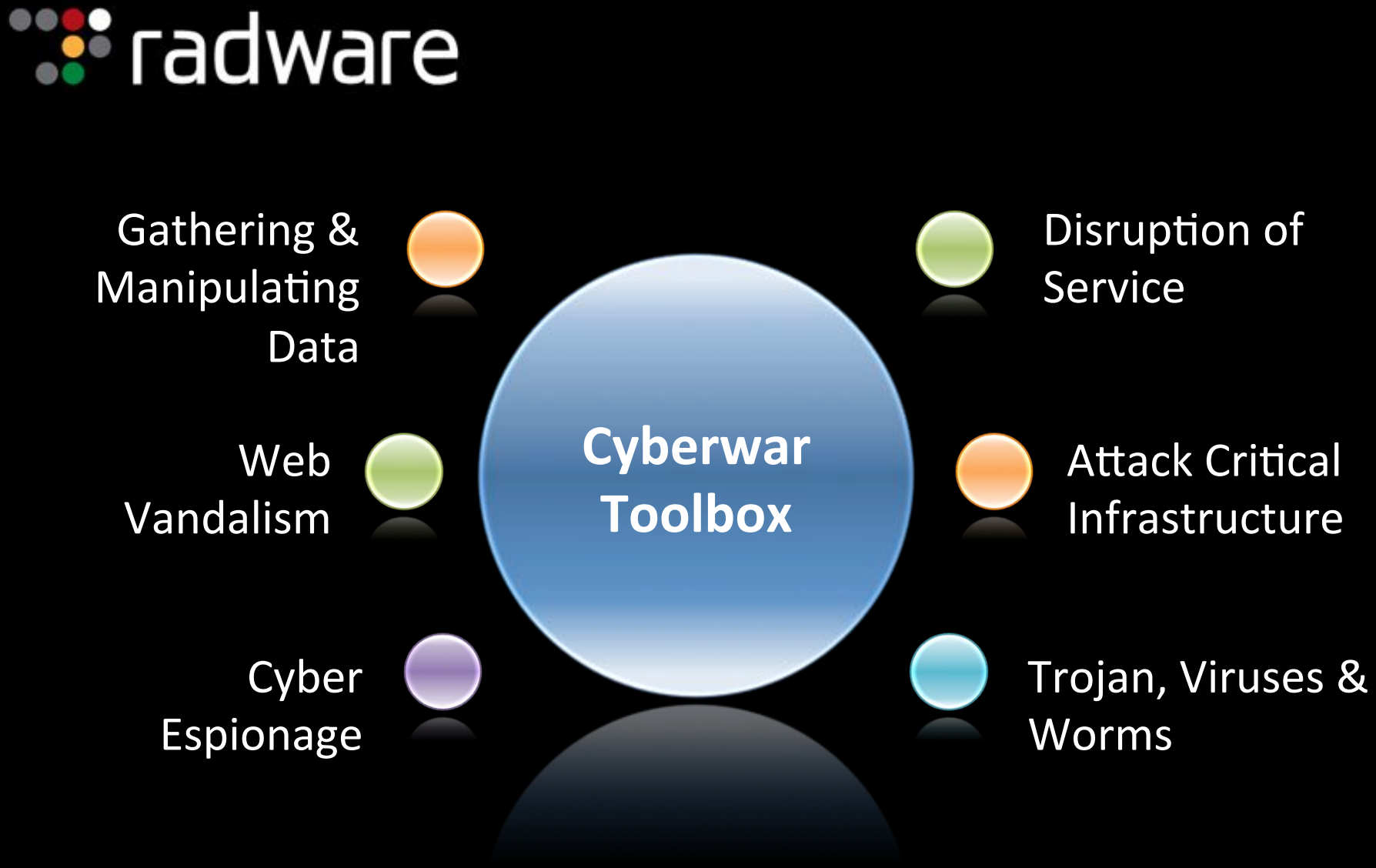
The Web Application Aspect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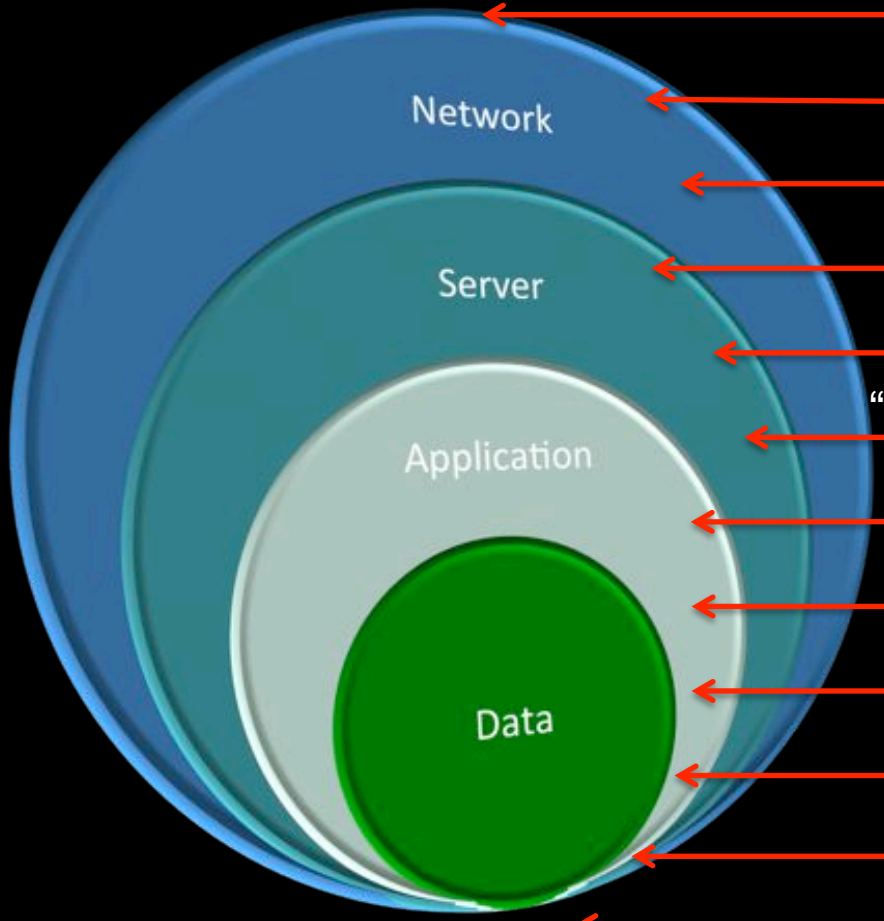
Gathering & Manipulating Data
Disruption of Service
Cyberwar Toolbox
Web Vandalism
Attack Critical Infrastructure
Cyber Espionage
Trojan, Viruses & Worms

Targeting Different Layers



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Network scan

Intrusion

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OS Commanding

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Application vulnerability, malware

High and slow Application DoS attacks

XSS, Brute force

SQL Injection, LDAP Injections

XML manipulations, Web Services Abuse

Leakage of Sensitive Data

McAfee, 2007,
The Internet security report

Approximately **120 countries** have been developing ways to use **the Internet as a weapon** and target financial markets, government computer systems and utilities.

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Chinese Hacker Spies Behind Google Attack Sitting on Endless Supply of Zero-Days

8 March 2012

India/Bangladesh cyber

The ongoing cyberwar

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Pentagon Digs In on Cyberwar Front

Elite School Run by Air Force Trains Officers to Hunt Down Hackers and Launch Electronic Attacks

Cyberwar – The Web App Aspect

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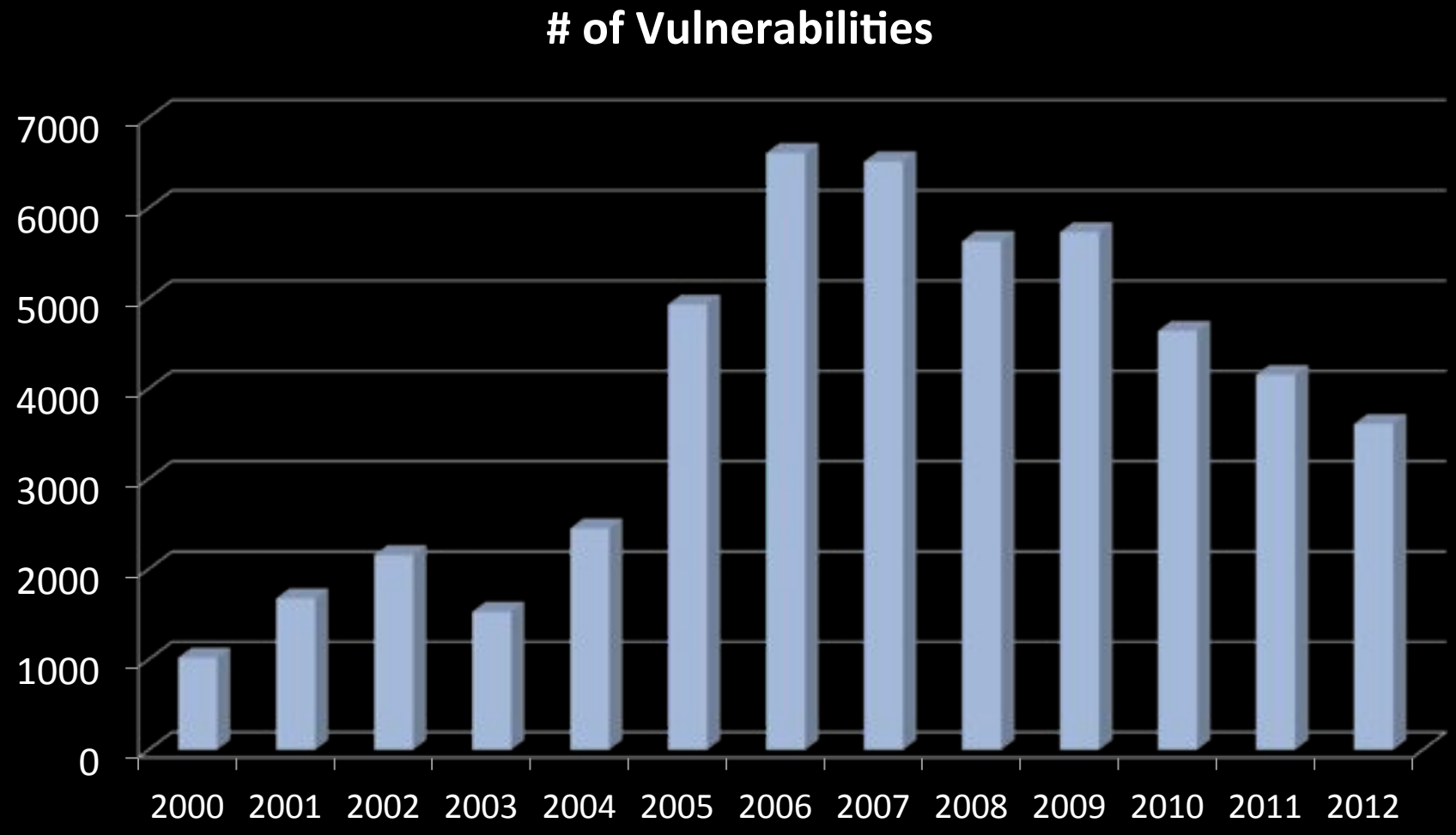
Web Applications Security Challenge

Web Apps are Easy to Exploit

- Whole system open to attack
- Can target different layers
- Thousands of Web security vulnerabilities
- Minimal attention to security during development
- Traditional defences inadequate

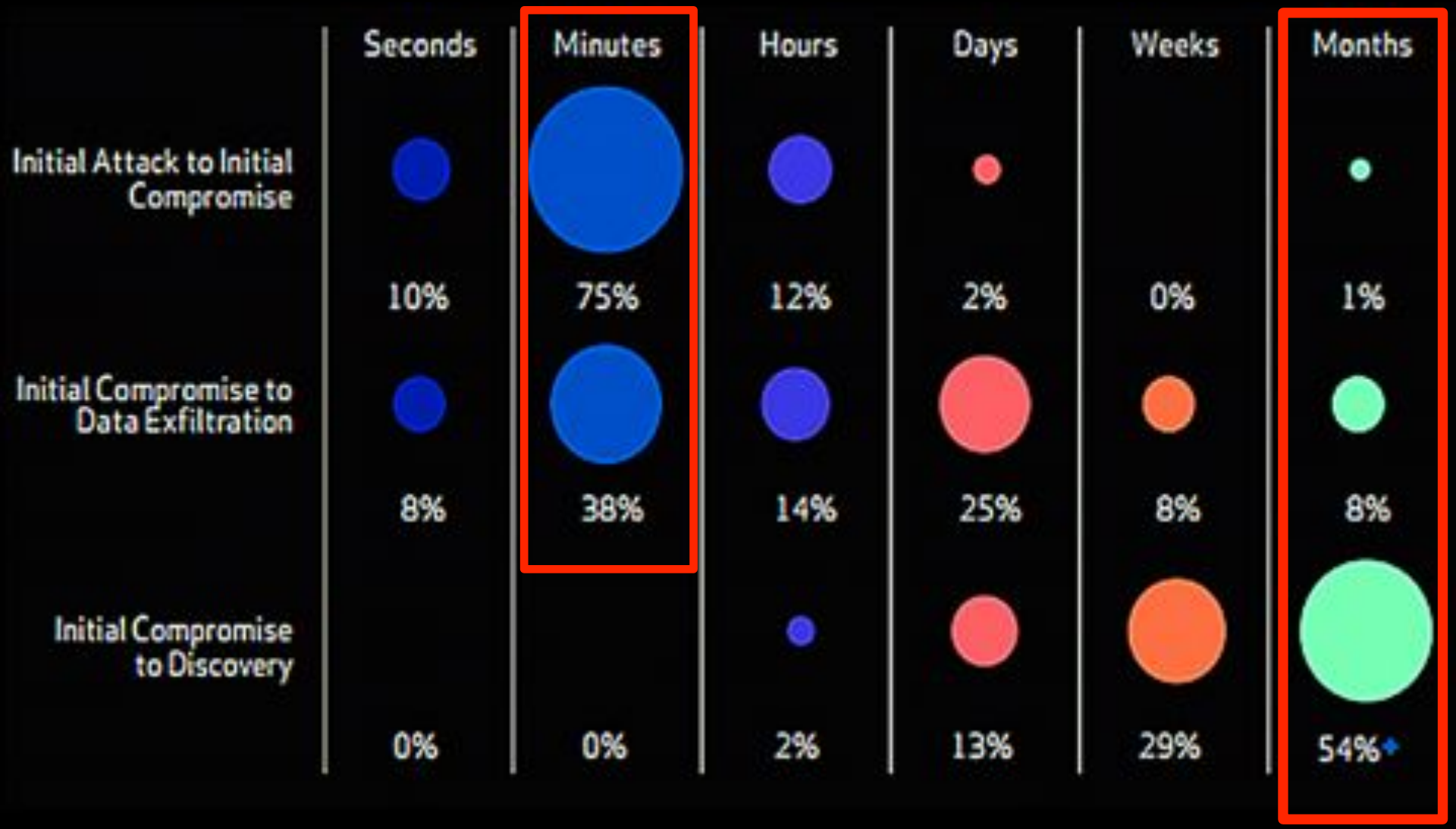
All they need is a browser

Thousands of Vulnerabilities Every Year



- Source: National Vulnerabilities Database

Minutes to Compromise, Months to Discover



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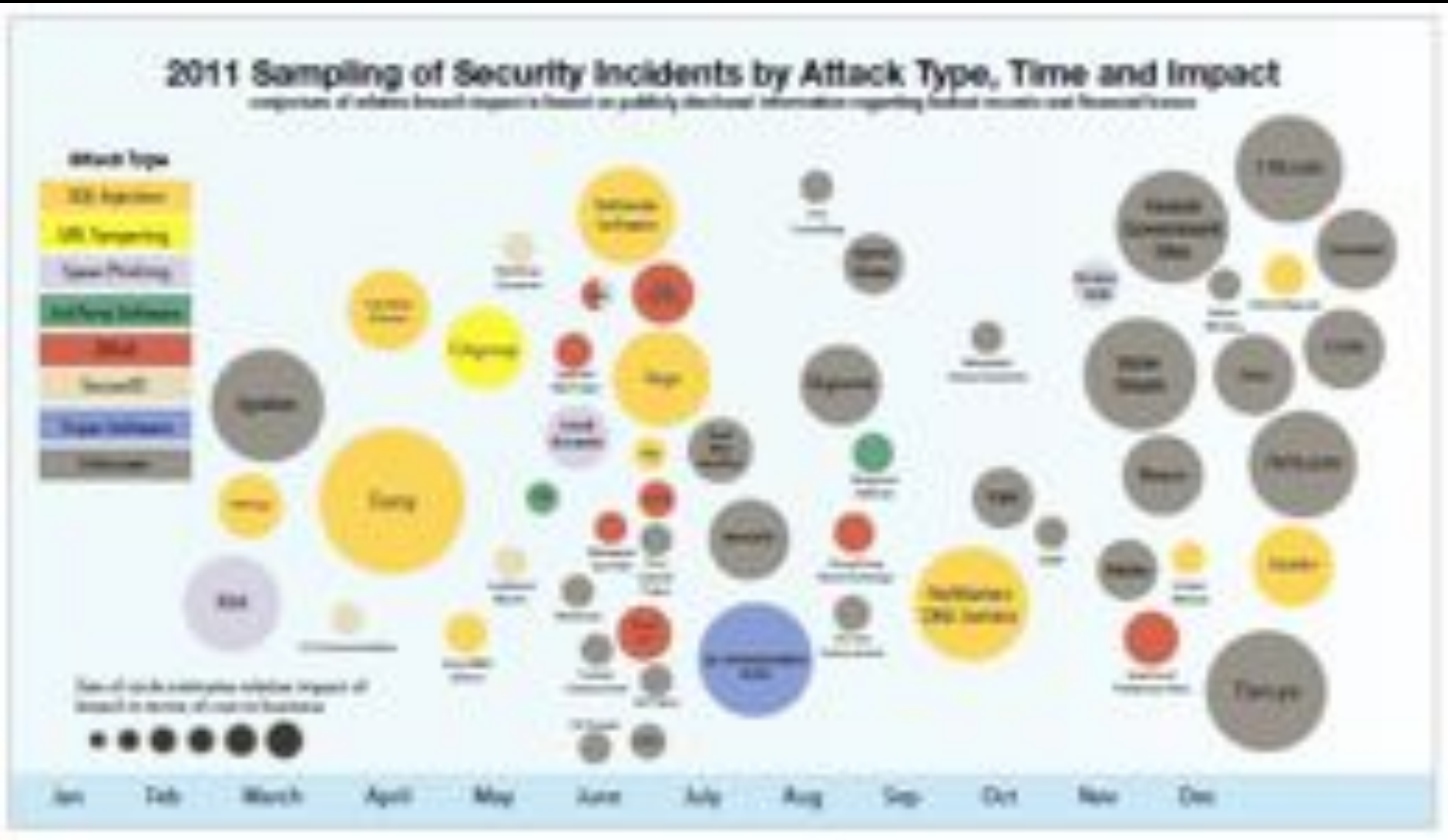
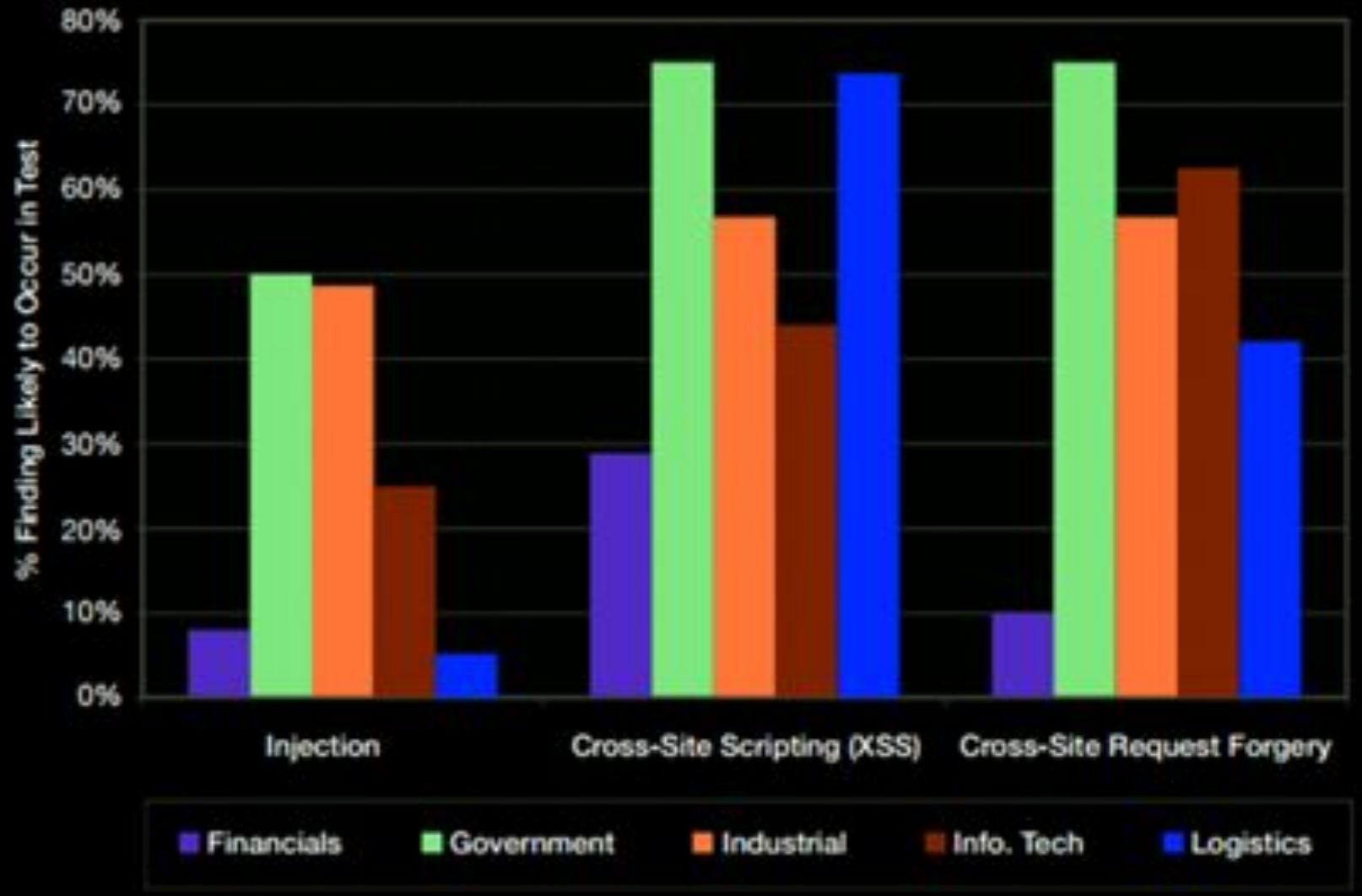
SQL Injections are Dominant



Trends for Web App Vulnerability Types



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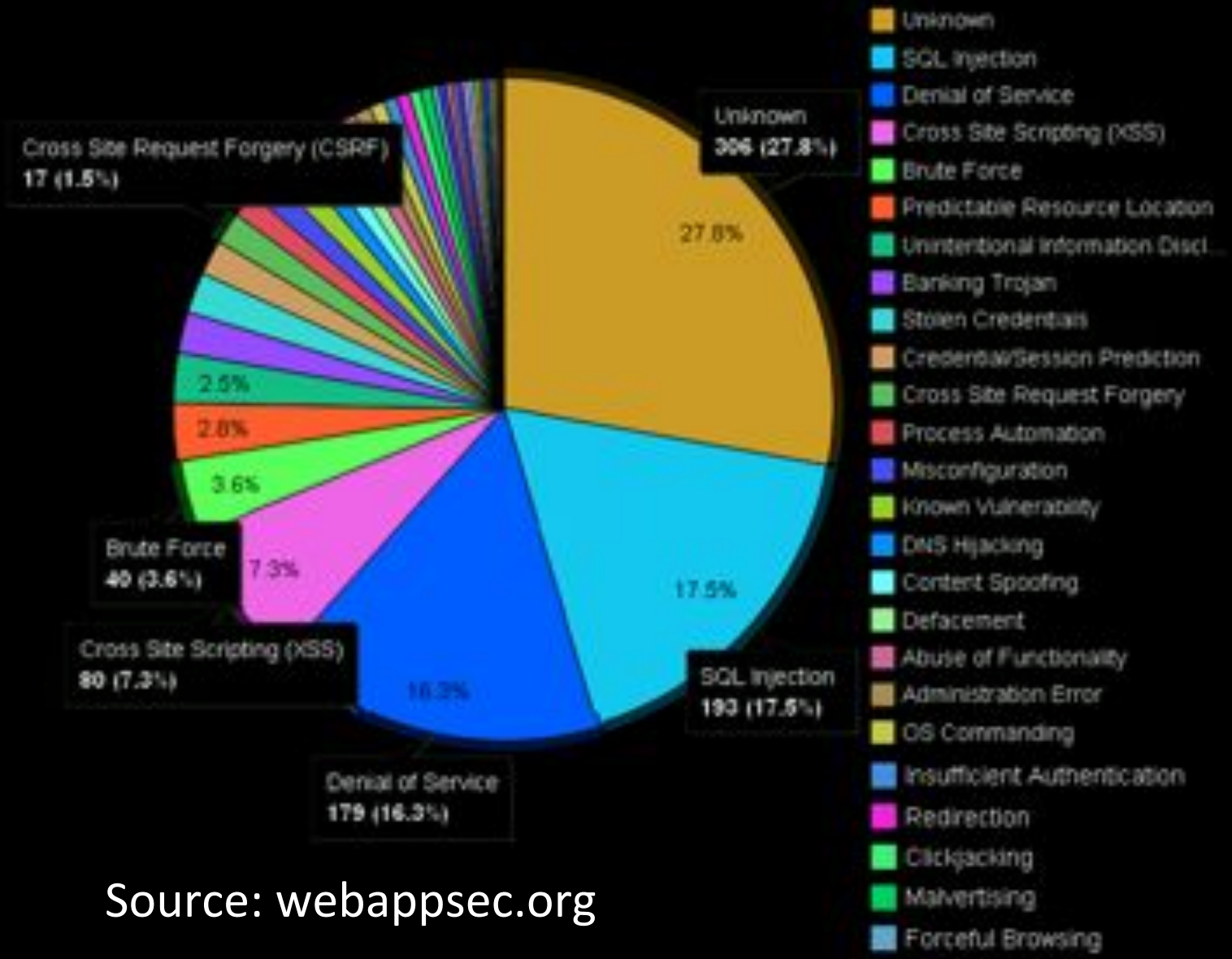
Top Attack Methods



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Web Site Defacements (before)

Web Site Defacement (after)

City of Detroit Defacement – Jan 2010

DATALOSS db
open security foundation

Welcome, smich | my account | my submissions | logout

RiskBased SECURITY

About | Search | Submit New | Primary Sources | Laws | Stats | Analysis | Mail Lists | The Blotter | Fringe | Supporters

Showing Incident 7488

This incident has 0 proposed changes. Know of details that have changed? Submit them

SUMMARY

37,187 names, phone numbers, email addresses, passwords and addresses dumped on the Internet

Records	37,187
Record Types	NAA EMA MISC PWD ADD
Breach Type	Hack
Date	
Organization	
Affected Organization	
Data Rec	
Submitted	

Sep 9, 2012

Dominos Pizza (India)

37,187 names, phone numbers, email addresses, passwords and addresses

SIMILAR INCIDENTS

Records	Date	Organizations
98,000	2001-03-05	Amazon, Bibliofind.com
46,000	2001-04-02	ADDR.com
32,000	2008-04-12	Ross-Simons
34,000	2008-05-31	VyStar Credit Union

Address: India

Have a better address for this incident? Suggest it!

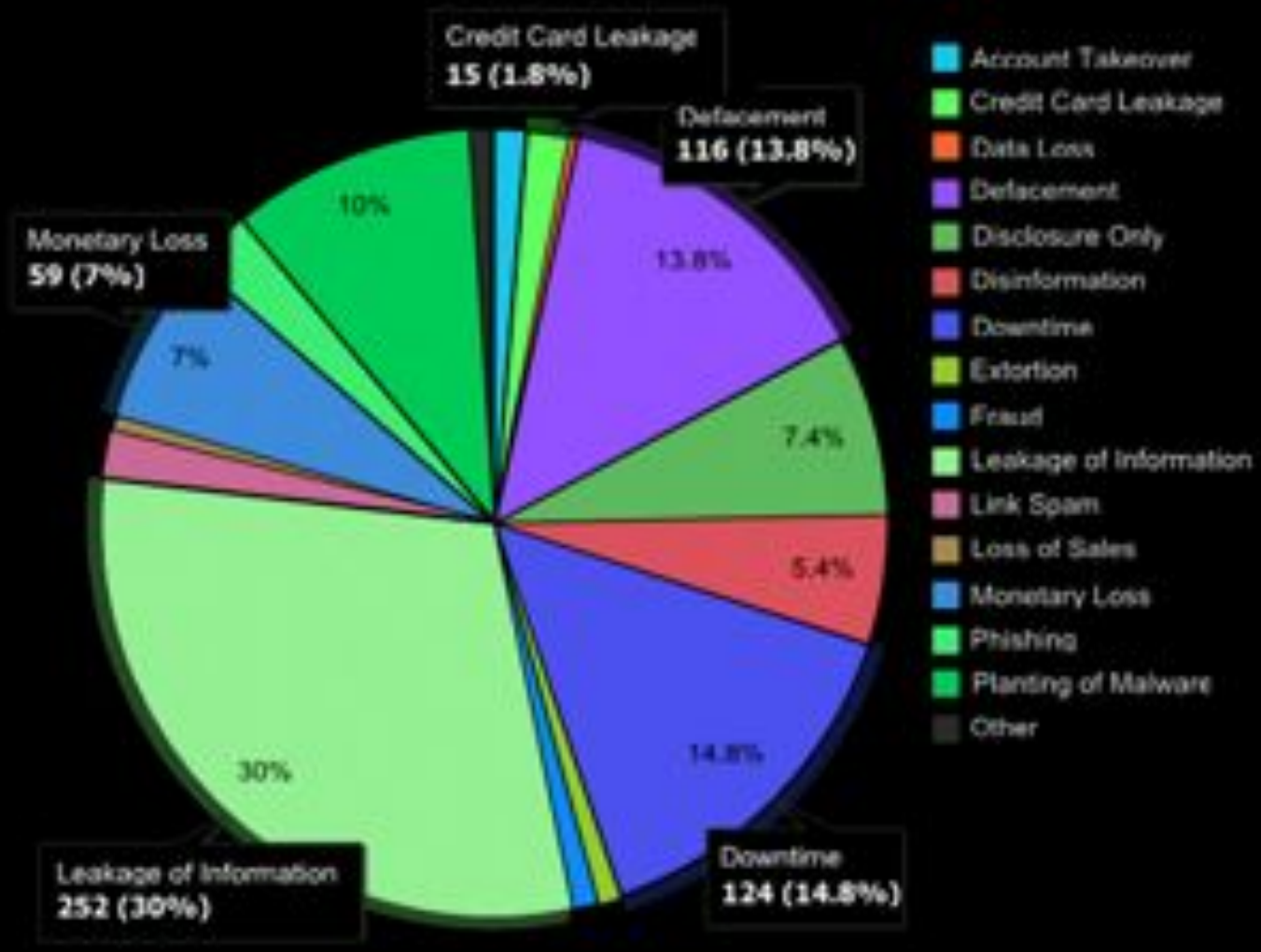
TIMELINE

Date	Event
2012-09-09	Incident Occured
None Add Data	Incident Discovered By Organization
2012-09-09	Organization Reports Incident
None Add Data	Organization Mails Notifications
None Add Data	Records Recovered
None Add Data	Lawsuit Filed
None Add Data	Arrest Made

Data Security Breaches

Jan 31, 2011:
"Online dating Web site **PlentyOfFish.com** has been hacked, exposing the **personal information and passwords** associated with almost **30 million accounts**"

Top Web Attack Impacts



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Lost Record Cost Rises

The average total cost of a data breach rose to **$6.75 million** in 2009

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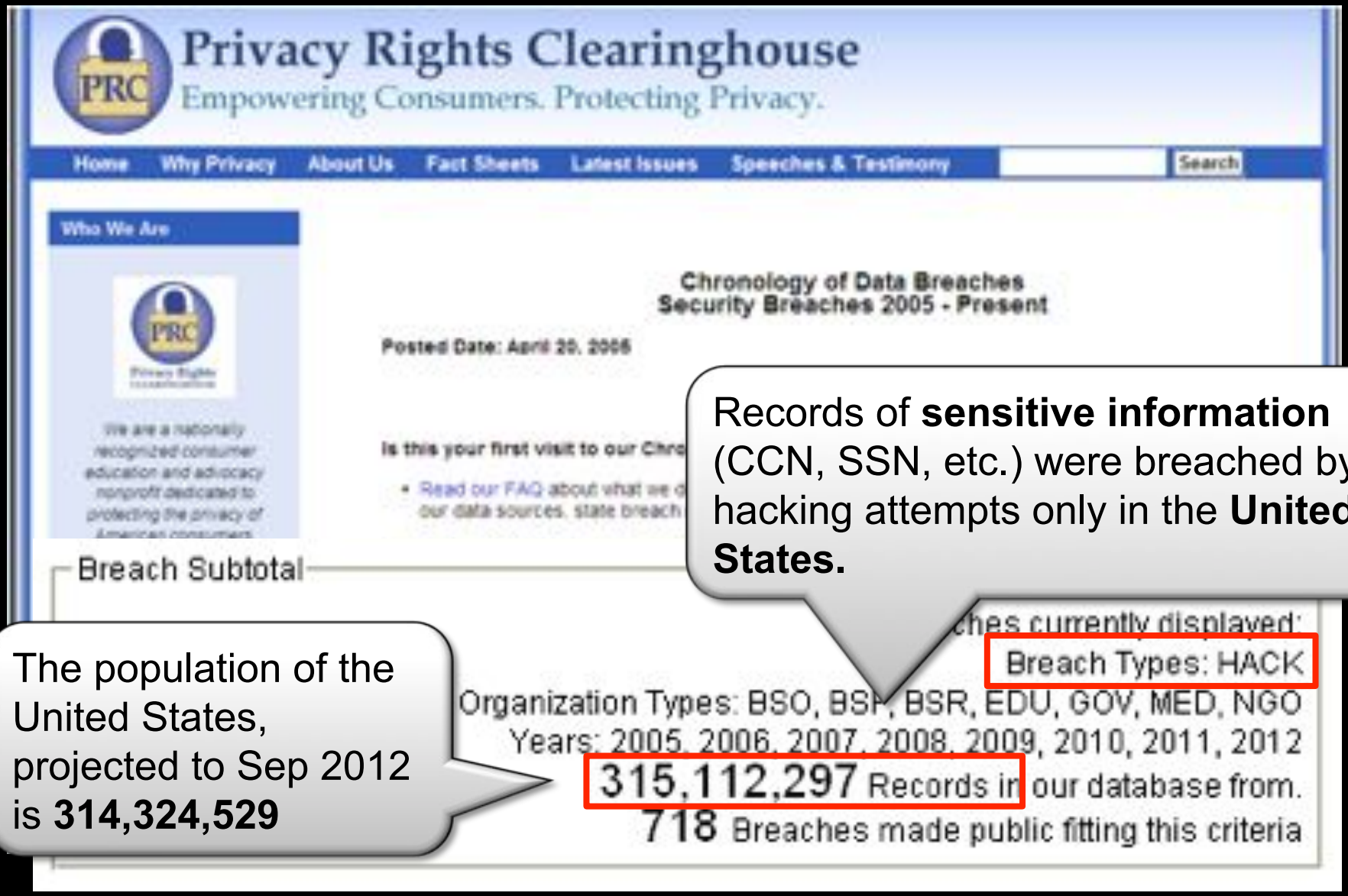
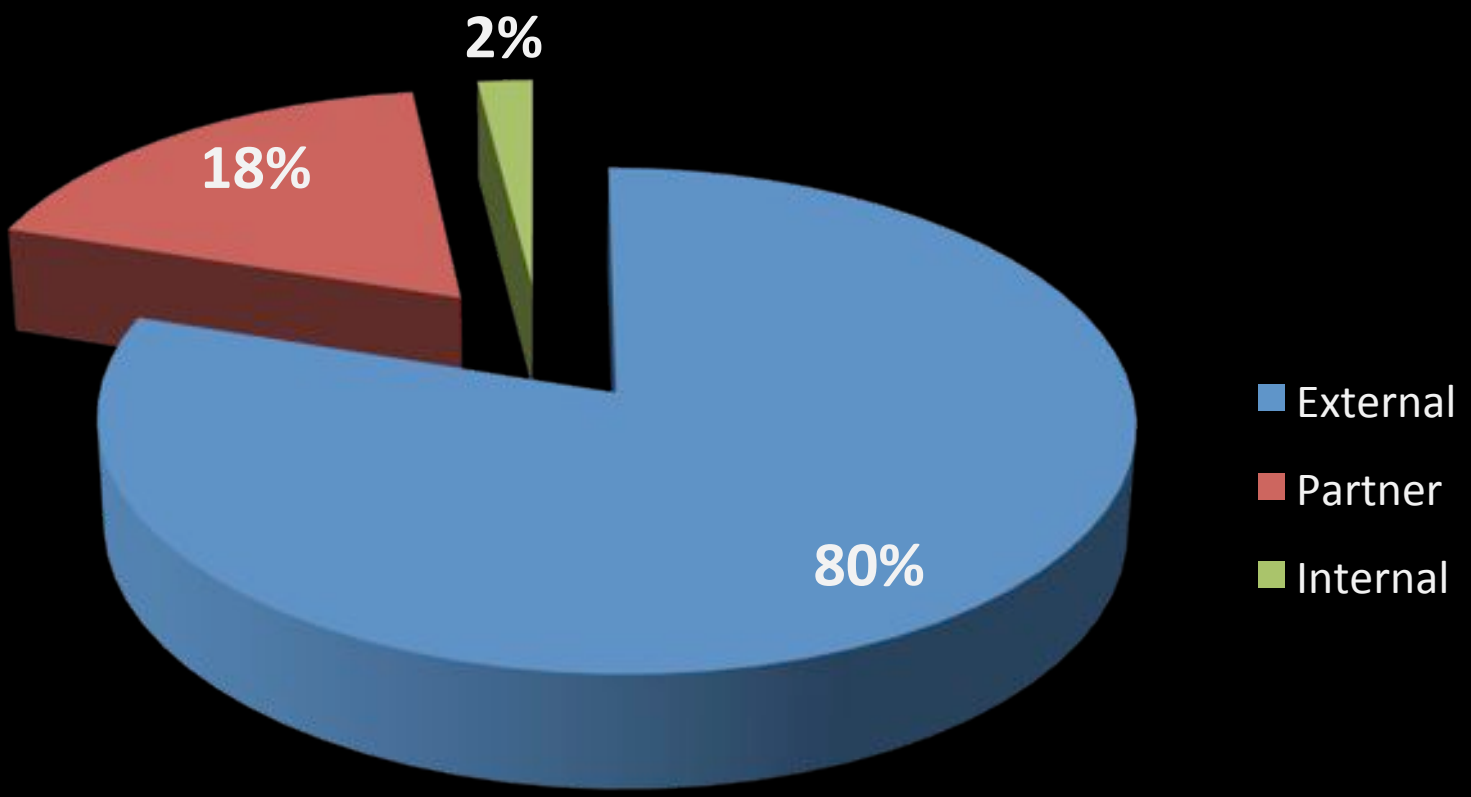
Millions of Records Breached



Records of **sensitive information** (CCN, SSN, etc.) were breached by hacking attempts only in the **United States.**

The population of the United States, projected to Sep 2012 is **314,324,529**

Source of Breach



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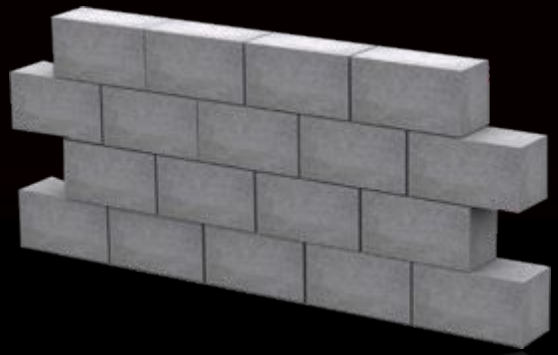
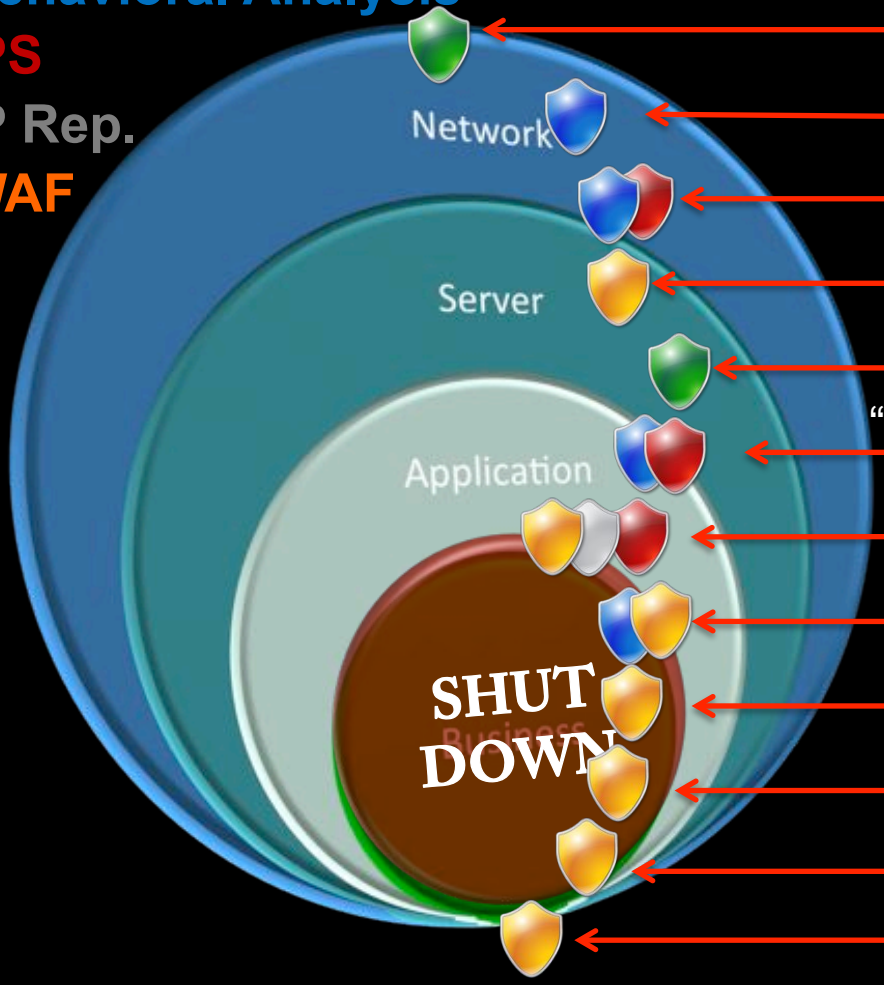
Countermeasures:
Web Application Firewall



Mapping Security Protection Tools

DoS Protection
Behavioral Analysis
IPS
IP Rep.
WAF



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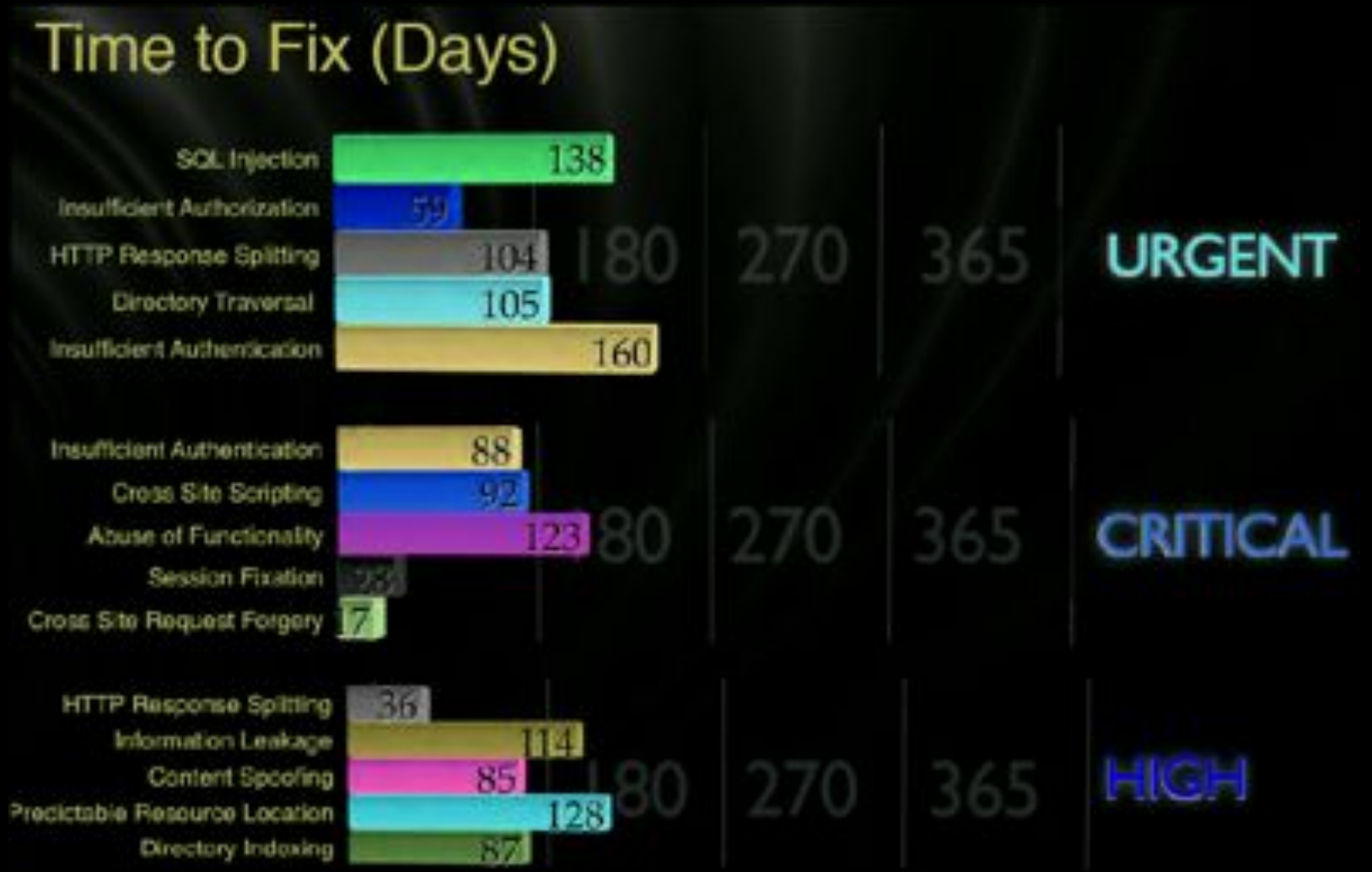
Cost Effective, Time to Security



Source: WhiteHat Security

Security Intelligence Timeline

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Why WAF

- Time to Security
- Centralized Security
- Protect 3rd Party Modules
- No App Modification
- Security While App Changes
- Application Visibility
- **Cost Effective**

WAF Selection Considerations

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Mapping Your Requirements - Essential

- Zero Day vs. Know attacks
- False Negative vs. False Positive
- Time to Security
- Auto Policy Generation
- Performance / Scalability

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Mapping Your Requirements - Advanced

- Cost of Ownership
- Changes to Existing Environment
- Inline vs. out-of-path
- Reverse Proxy vs. Bridge
- Level of Protection

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Standard Web Application Protection

Data Leak Prevention

- Credit card number (CCN) / Social Security (SSN)
- Regular Expression

Terminate TCP, Normalize, HTTP RFC

- Evasions
- HTTP response splitting (HRS)

Signature & Rule Protection

- Cross site scripting (XSS)
- SQL injection, LDAP injection, OS commanding

Advanced Web Application Protection

Parameters Inspection	• Buffer overflow (BO) • Zero-day attacks
User Behavior	• Cross site request forgery • Cookie poisoning, session hijacking
Layer 7 ACL	• Folder / file level access control • White listing or black listing
XML & Web Services	• XML Validity and schema enforcement
Role Based Policy	• Authentication • User Tracking

Priorities make things happen

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Summary

Smart Network. Smart Business.

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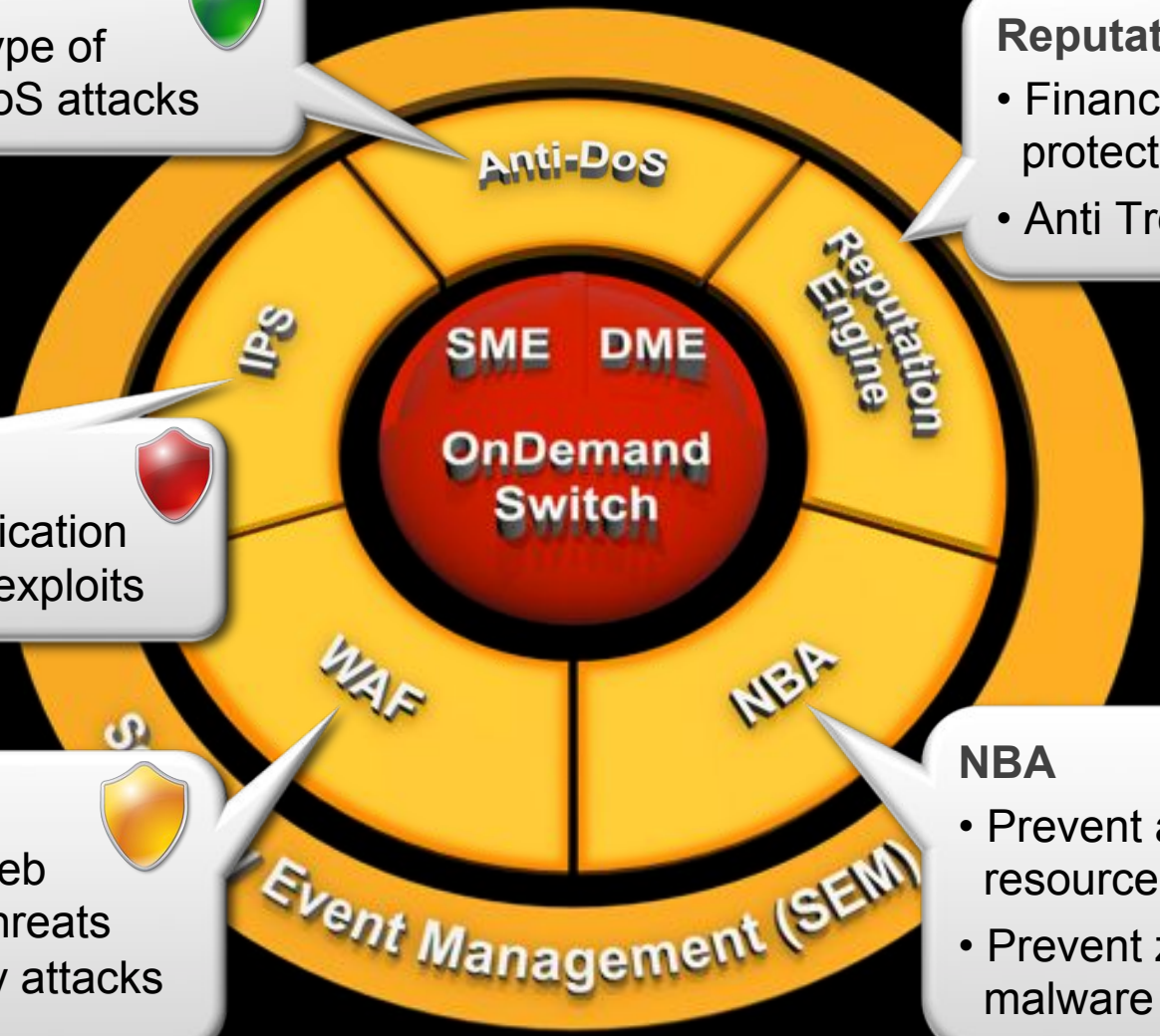
DoS Protection

- Prevent all type of network DDoS attacks

Reputation Engine

- Financial fraud protection
- Anti Trojan & Phishing



IPS

- Prevent application vulnerability exploits

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- Mitigating Web application threats and zero-day attacks

NBA

- Prevent application resource misuse
- Prevent zero-minute malware

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