# Gameover Zeus – Bad Guys and Backends

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# Criminal Overview

## Fraud Cycle

- Spam, infection, account takeover, fraud
- International wire, DDoS attack against FI, cashout, funds laundered
- Losses ranged from $10,000 to $6,900,000

## Dirtjumper C2 Monitoring – Credit to Dell SecureWorks

```
11/06/2012 18:03:46  02|300|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/06/2012 21:33:43  01|300|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/07/2012 08:48:50  02|999|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/08/2012 06:48:58  12|300|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/09/2012 03:43:54  02|100|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/10/2012 18:53:56  01|100|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/11/2012 23:53:55  01|100|1500  https://[redacted].com
11/12/2012 23:53:54  01|100|1500  https://[redacted].com/authentication/logon
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# The Gameover Zeus Operation

# Brief History of Zeus

## Evolution of the Zeus Family

| Version | Date | Description |
|---|---|---|
| Zeus 1 | Emerged in 2005 | Sold as crimeware kit |
| Zeus 2 | Emerged in 2009 | Sold as crimeware kit, code for 2.0.8.9 leaked in 2011 |
| Murofet, Licat | September 2010 – September 2011 | Private builds |
| Gameover Zeus | September 2011 – June 2014 | Private builds, introduced P2P protocol |

```
POST /gameover2.php HTTP/1.1
Accept: */*
X-ID: 7777
User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 6.0; Windows NT 5.1; SV1; .NET CLR 2.0.50727)
Host: pinkmite.com
Content-Length: 3091
Connection: Keep-Alive
```

# The Operation

## Technology

- *JabberZeus* crew / Zeus 2.1.0.x
  - Domain generation algorithm (DGA)
  - Regular expression support
  - File infector
- September 11, 2011: Upgrade 2.1.0.x to *Mapp 13*
- Initially peer-to-peer + traditional comms via `gameover2.php`

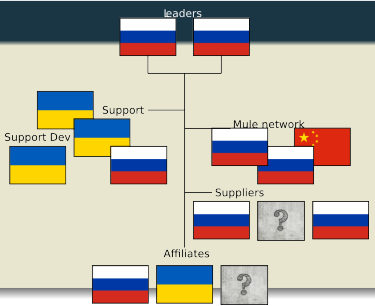
## Monetization

- Focus on corporate banking, additionally affiliate-specific attacks
- Individual operators often dropped other malware
  - CryptoLocker – first in-house development, destructive

# The Organization

## Group Composition

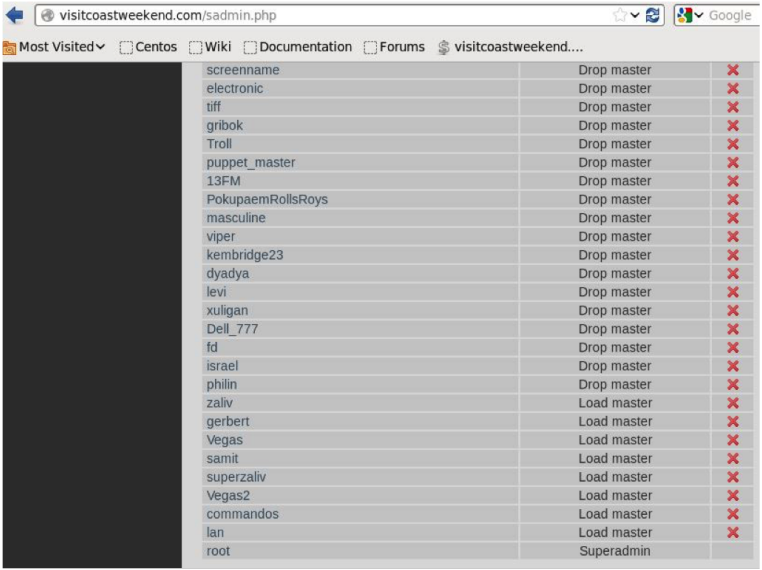
- Experienced criminal organization (5 years)
- A mix of mainly Russian and Ukranian actors
- Dual leadership
- Support staff
- More than 20 affiliates




## 3rd Party Services

- 3rd party techs to set up and secure systems
- Preferred suppliers like loaders, exploit kits and spammers

# Businessclub



# Infrastructure

## Bulletproof Hosting

- Exclusive servers together
- Virtual IP addresses
- New address in 2 business days
- Exclusive and also very expensive

## Proxies, Proxies Everywhere!

- Proxies towards peer-to-peer network
- Proxies towards customers
- Multiple physical servers
- Zeus backend instances

# Peer-to-Peer Network

## Gameover Zeus (*Mapp*) Builder

- Internal name *Mapp* – command line application (still called `zsb.exe`)
- Builder gets *kbucket* peer list from a bot
  - *kbucket*: distributed hash table (DHT) terminology
  - Gameover Zeus uses *hashes*, but no *table*
- Used to control the peer-to-peer network using a private RSA key
- Can also enumerate peer-to-peer nodes

## Peer-to-Peer Network Monitoring

- Debug builds of bots to spot and fix issues with the peer-to-peer layer
- Backend had `kbucket.php` to extract reachable nodes

# C2 Protocol

```
000000  c7 d0 e2 7f e6 75 bd 0f  02 b1 f6 e2 90 ec 9b 72  |.....u.........r|
000010  a7 5b b8 e8 11 24 35 bf  30 82 cc 1a 03 78 a1 70  |.[...$5.0....x.p|
000020  d3 96 ee 80 e4 40 1e 7f  9d 80 ab 35 fb 0f fe 57  |.....@.....5...W|
000030  7c 27 6a b2 a2 e0 42 8e  aa 7c df 17 3c 3e 98 13  ||'j...B..|..<>..|
000040  bd 4e 33 f7 5c da e8 80  92 58 69 ee 5b e8 d4 ce  |.N3.\....Xi.[...|
000050  ca ed e8 20 5a b8 42 a0  66 b8 c0 99 25 4e f2 ee  |... Z.B.f...%N..|
000060  08 f0 47 07 ce fb 7d 6e  0d 03 ca 25 27 2a fc 71  |..G....n...%'*.q|
000070  5a 43 41 41 ee 10 d7 7b  03 98 1b 5d f6 40 cb 95  |ZCAA.......].@..|
000080  92 32 d1 86 76 46 68 0a  61 a7 17 de 55 e8 2f 89  |.2..vFh.a...U./.|
000090  46 0e 3d 1b 3c ca 4d cf  58 14 6e 77 97 2d 04 3a  |F.=.<.M.X.nw.-.:|
0000a0  9d 58 77 d9 5c be c0 99  1c a6 78 99 6c 7a 75 a6  |.Xw.\.....x.lzu.|
0000b0  36 8d 78 0b bf 53 a9 df  fe cf e9 79 58 be e1 7b  |6.x..S.....yX...|
0000c0  44 d6 42 0a 00 48 e8 96  97 49 6c 71 52 5a 4d 40  |D.B..H...IlqRZM@|
0000d0  bb c2 43 0a 47 0c 8c 68  3f 5b 97 61 8d a2 4e af  |..C.G..h?[.a..N.|
0000e0  dd 6a b5 c7 d4 46 53 4f  0c 4d a0 0b 02 e9 51 9b  |.j...FSO.M....Q.|
0000f0  28 21 78 e8 37 37 95 cf  c3 0a 26 bb 42 aa c1 95  |(!x.77....&.B...|
000100  4c 75 21 42 60 68 e8 a6  b1 b6 76 fb 23 db 5d 0d  |Lu!B`h....v.#.].|
000110  d0 6f 0f 87 4a 86 c7 5a  b4 c0 86 1f ba 32 ba 89  |.o..J..Z.....2..|
000120  d7 06 d8 e7 d0 f5 9b 0d  c1 ff fa b4 54 80 7e c1  |............T.~.|
000130  02 cc 94 e6 c6 58 ab f2  54 b9 6c ac 28 1f 5a 75  |.....X..T.l.(.Zu|
000140  5e 4b 5e b2 1d 35 3c 81  03 64 39 fc 8b db 7b 15  |^K^..5<..d9.....|
        ...
```

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```
000000  50 4f 53 54 20 2f 77 72  69 74 65 20 48 54 54 50  |POST /write HTTP|
000010  2f 31 2e 31 0d 0a 48 6f  73 74 3a 20 64 65 66 61  |/1.1..Host: defa|
000020  75 6c 74 0d 0a 41 63 63  65 70 74 2d 45 6e 63 6f  |ult..Accept-Enco|
000030  64 69 6e 67 3a 0d 0a 43  6f 6e 6e 65 63 74 69 6f  |ding:..Connectio|
000040  6e 3a 20 63 6c 6f 73 65  0d 0a 43 6f 6e 74 65 6e  |n: close..Conten|
000050  74 2d 4c 65 6e 67 74 68  3a 20 32 33 38 0d 0a 58  |t-Length: 238..X|
000060  2d 49 44 3a 20 37 37 37  37 0d 0a 0d 0a 14 19 f4  |-ID: 7777.......|
000070  55 13 e7 98 b8 f0 35 01  e3 9a 94 96 2a 11 5c be  |U.....5.....*.\.|
000080  aa ee 00 00 00 00 00 00  00 07 3c d6 3f 15 81 00  |..........<.?...|
000090  8a b7 2f 62 c4 1a 5e d4  3f 9b 5e 88 8e 65 00 00  |../b..^.?.^..e..|
0000a0  00 00 00 00 00 17 00 00  00 17 00 00 00 36 42 7c  |.............6B||
0000b0  9a 24 45 60 94 51 43 79  e1 53 36 0e 95 23 35 7d  |.$E`.QCy.S6..#5.|
0000c0  95 52 42 7c 66 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 14 00 00 00  |.RB|f...........|
0000d0  14 00 00 00 81 4c f2 55  b1 13 1d b1 4f ad f8 61  |.....L.U....O..a|
0000e0  d4 3f cd 9b ef c8 69 3d  67 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  |.?....i=g.......|
0000f0  08 00 00 00 08 00 00 00  04 6f 5d a5 02 74 0e e2  |.........o]..t..|
000100  c9 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  04 00 00 00 04 00 00 00  |................|
000110  ee 07 3c d6 c8 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 10 00 00 00  |..<.............|
000120  10 00 00 00 15 36 0e a8  f1 06 82 54 f3 9f 6e 0f  |.....6.....T..n.|
000130  9a df 4a 5e ca 00 00 00  00 00 00 00 04 00 00 00  |..J^............|
000140  04 00 00 00 ca 07 3c d6  cb 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  |......<.........|
        ...
```

# Configuration

```
Target Pattern(s):
(?:^https??://\S+?\.macys\.com/.+?\.ognc(\?|\))
X-ID: 7777
pcre_pattern
(?:bgcolor="#ffffff">(?P<inject>))
data_end
data_inject
<div id="namefr" style="display:none;"><iframe width="50" height="50" id="myfx" name="myfx"></iframe></div>
<link href="http://ajax.googleapis.com/ajax/libs/jqueryui/1.8/themes/base/jquery-ui.css" rel="stylesheet" type="text/css"/>
<style type="text/css">
.ui-dialog-titlebar{ background: white }
.text1a{font-family: Arial; font-size: 8px;}
.subm{font-family:Arial;font-size:12px;font-weight:bold;font-style
:normal;color:#666666;text-transform:uppercase;text-decoration:none;letter-spacing:normal;word-spacing:0;line-height:14px;text-align:
left;vertical-align:baseline;direction:ltr;cursor:pointer;}
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none;letter-spacing:normal;word-spacing:0;line-height:14px;background-color:
#f5f6f1;vertical-align:baseline;direction:ltr;border-bottom-color:#cccccc;border-bottom-style:solid;border-bottom-width:1px;border-co
llapse:collapse;margin-right:10px;margin-left:10px;padding:2px}
</style>
<script src="http://ajax.googleapis.com/ajax/libs/jquery/1.4/jquery.min.js"></script>
<script src="http://ajax.googleapis.com/ajax/libs/jqueryui/1.8/jquery-ui.min.js"></script>
<div id="msg" style=" display:none; height:60px;">
<div id="box" class=sunclass style="border-top-style: solid; border-top-color: #cccccc;border-top-width:
1px;padding-top:20px;padding-bottom:20px;">
<font style="font-weight:700;font-family: Arial;font-size: 12px;">The <span id="ername" style="color:#666666;">Passcode</span> you
entered does not match our records. Please verify and make sure you re-enter your <span id="ername1" style="color:#666666;" >
passcode </span> nbsp correctly.</font>
</div>
</div>
```

# Commands

```
EncryptedString <0D3h, 9, offset aDdos_type> ; "ddos_type"
EncryptedString <11h, 0Ch, offset aDdos_address> ; "ddos_address"
EncryptedString <97h, 8, offset aDdos_url> ; "ddos_url"
EncryptedString <7Fh, 0Ch, offset aDdos_execute> ; "ddos_execute"
EncryptedString <93h, 0Bh, offset aOs_shutdown> ; "os_shutdown"
EncryptedString <31h, 9, offset aOs_reboot> ; "os_reboot"
EncryptedString <87h, 0Dh, offset aBot_uninstall> ; "bot_uninstall"
EncryptedString <0FEh, 0Ah, offset aBot_bc_add> ; "bot_bc_add"
EncryptedString <0ABh, 0Dh, offset aBot_bc_remove> ; "bot_bc_remove"
EncryptedString <9Ch, 16h, offset aBot_httpinject_di> ; "bot_httpinject_disable"
EncryptedString <99h, 15h, offset aBot_httpinject_en> ; "bot_httpinject_enable"
EncryptedString <32h, 14h, offset aFs_find_add_keywo> ; "fs_find_add_keywords"
EncryptedString <91h, 0Fh, offset aFs_find_execute> ; "fs_find_execute"
EncryptedString <22h, 0Ch, offset aFs_pack_path> ; "fs_pack_path"
EncryptedString <99h, 0Ch, offset aUser_destroy> ; "user_destroy"
EncryptedString <0E7h, 0Bh, offset aUser_logoff> ; "user_logoff"
EncryptedString <9Ah, 0Ch, offset aUser_execute> ; "user_execute"
EncryptedString <7Fh, 10h, offset aUser_cookies_get> ; "user_cookies_get"
EncryptedString <90h, 13h, offset aUser_cookies_remo> ; "user_cookies_remove"
EncryptedString <50h, 0Eh, offset aUser_certs_get> ; "user_certs_get"
EncryptedString <0E0h, 11h, offset aUser_certs_remove> ; "user_certs_remove"
EncryptedString <0D1h, 0Eh, offset aUser_url_block> ; "user_url_block"
EncryptedString <1, 10h, offset aUser_url_unblock> ; "user_url_unblock"
EncryptedString <80h, 11h, offset aUser_homepage_set> ; "user_homepage_set"
EncryptedString <32h, 15h, offset aUser_emailclients> ; "user_emailclients_get"
EncryptedString <42h, 14h, offset aUser_flashplayer_> ; "user_flashplayer_get"
EncryptedString <9Fh, 17h, offset aUser_flashplaye_0> ; "user_flashplayer_remove"
```

## Things you do not expect to see in financial malware

### Georgia

Targeting government and intelligence agencies

საგარეო დაზვერვა
საიდუმლო რუსეთი
დაზვერვ ქრასნოდარ

*foreign intelligence*
*russia secret*
*intelligence krasnodar*

### Turkey

Targeting government, Syrian conflict

militan kampı suriye
istihbarata karşı koyma
rus paralı askerleri suriye

*militia camp syria*
*counter intelligence*
*russian mercenaries syria*

### Ukraine

Targeting intelligence agencies, Crimea conflict

Цілком таємно
СЛУЖБА БЕЗПЕКИ УКРАЇНИ
Федеральна служба безпеки

*top secret*
*federal security service*
*security service of ukraine*

# P2P Poisoning Attack

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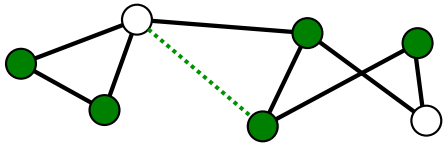

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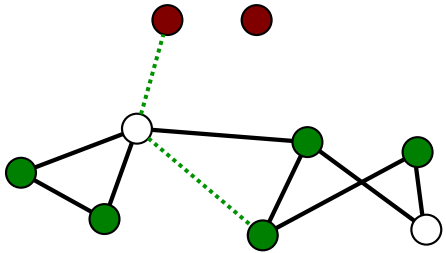

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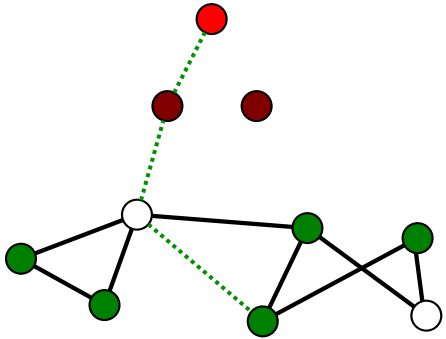
## C2 Proxies

- Plain HTTP proxies
- Additional layer between botnet and backend



# Peer-to-Peer Protocol Primitives

## Message Types

| Type | Purpose | Comment |
|---|---|---|
| 00 | Version Request | Ask for binary/config version |
| 01 | Version | Report version information |
| 02 | Peerlist Request | Ask peer for neighbor peers |
| 03 | Peerlist | Send up to 10 neighbor peers |
| 04 | Data Request | Ask for binary or config |
| 05 | Data | Current binary or config |
| 06 | Proxy List | Contains list of proxy nodes |
| 50 | Proxy Announcement | Used to propagate a proxy node |
| 204 | C2 Message | Sent to proxy nodes, wraps C2 data |

# Peerlist Request

| | |
|---|---|
| Type | 02 |
| Padding Length | 50 |
| Session ID | c577aabe9d03a499601d2df4139e9c816bef8ce7 |
| Bot ID | e74bce83d714216729aac4b7b238f14d89cf55eb |

```
00000000  6f 94 02 50 c5 77 aa  be 9d 03 a4 99 60 1d 2d f4
00000010  13 9e 9c 81 6b ef 8c  e7 4b ce 83 d7 14 21 67 29
00000020  aa c4 b7 b2 38 f1 4d  89 cf 55 eb 53 4d 31 9b 94
00000030  5c f5 53 57 24 87 7a  6b bd 3a 24 0a 3b d2 f6 9a
00000040  01 a6 b5 e0 ab 4e a6  35 86 ca 4c 9e b3 d8 a1 4a
00000050  f0 ee c9 b6 72 c2 4b  9a c6 52 e4 12 58 ed fd 45
00000060  12 da 17 dc 98 b8 17  59 ab 1e 0a 4f 6c 7d 8e f7
00000070  b3 a2 a9 37 86 36 3a  f7 2e 26 25 64 b1 44 cf fe
00000080  2e d7 46 97 3c 35 de  ff e2 b4 8d 14 53 3b 35 8a
00000090  ca 88 38 f7 4a 14 74  cb 29 af 99 a7 ba 10 e6 73
000000a0  8d 9f 29 24 72 7b 65  ad 1b ef ef b7 a2 ae 2b 97
000000b0  df ea 28 8a 2f 4a 06  2a ed 5b aa da 51 a7 a5 06
000000c0  d6 48 7e b8 65 d1 58  41 65 4f 01
```

# Peerlist Response

| | |
|---|---|
| Type | 03 |
| Padding Length | 02 |
| Session ID | c577aabe9d03a499601d2df4139e9c816bef8ce7 |
| Bot ID | 517262b78f557456f15c7a65f370b8150d261b5f |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Peerlist | 517262b78f557456f15c7a65f370b8150d261b5f | 59.90.10.180:1026 |
| | 51f1dab7004aaad6381c703a639dc758146cbd4f | 125.23.117.36:7875 |
| | 5025d1bf2fb998c4b2256596587d7eb603efd7a2 | 108.76.33.46:1732 |
| | 50bc0620feef71b6a5d087d6f48637e95af1c5d5 | 81.90.26.57:7221 |
| | 522b0c1d8b7fb6cda19ea4407dc82f24a67008f0 | 66.189.57.144:5807 |
| | 52338ca13970ab8878908b9bafc70537fed2a85c | 86.57.196.12:9607 |
| | 55c363c17e8b3528f2e20080e5fbc32eef6fcb28 | 62.7.187.92:6200 |
| | 53ce43f39cc89e3335ef2e36bf4ec5a9166f7c1b | 59.92.54.113:9033 |
| | 53df3e87386c6c9d862126d00cabafb2344e82a6 | 78.47.101.178:2514 |
| | 56d9de127d908485aede02865d5725db684290b9 | 219.76.74.28:1048 |

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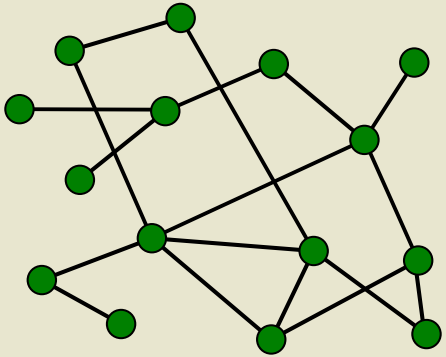

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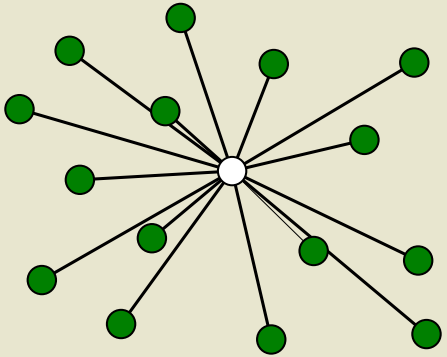

## Poisoning Example

- Bot peerlist before the attack:

| Bot ID | IP address | Port |
|---|---|---|
| c2ad2c7621e8cc9057e8ee0fe678acdf216f8d0f | 186.88.196.115 | 10355 |
| c28df459e506e3fbaf0fe4e09c3e8a1fcc697f39 | 142.163.184.154 | 12631 |
| 3e6684b8016ad93410bc94803d1da9502239f582 | 208.41.173.138 | 13850 |
| c19aff3ecf6a2e0443640baad118ee528ccd43ce | 95.104.110.191 | 15550 |
| 3d0445ac21017cf284191485fc045e23a4d65dba | 75.38.136.56 | 10169 |
| 5b68273785dc1a0e19d1461ccb5688e150528697 | 98.203.40.174 | 21918 |
| e10fa5a555f3653837ceef2380da034dc7190261 | 174.134.88.28 | 19433 |
| c1ff72dda4362153a43079ed35301537aaf56634 | 74.234.107.231 | 25975 |
| 93b2028482d876a9dd4a3b01b2265956f189aed4 | 190.206.20.161 | 29346 |
| c3575bcd52b97c1484bee81dfa1bfcf5d3fd1343 | 79.113.161.10 | 16824 |

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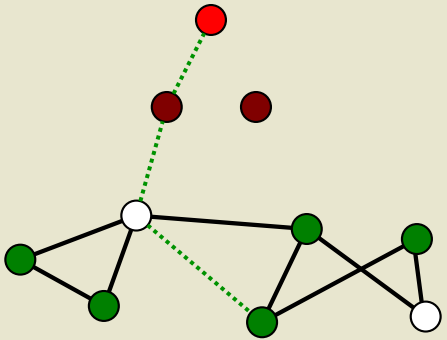
| Bot ID | IP address | Port |
|---|---|---|
| f1d2d2f924e986ac86fdf7b36c94bcdf32beec15 | 10.0.0.1 | 14521 |
| e242ed3bffccdf271b7fbaf34ed72d089537b42f | 10.0.0.2 | 25486 |

# Sinkholing Attack

## Things to Consider

- Peer-to-peer poisoning prevents propagation of information between peers
- But C2 communication still possible



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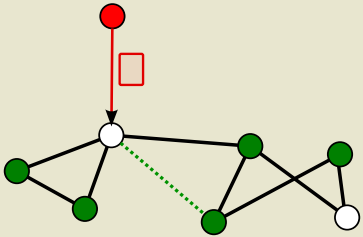

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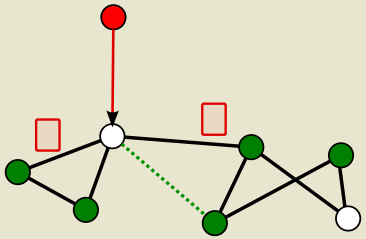

# Controlling the DGA Layer

## Backup Channel Takeover

- Reverse-engineered and reimplemented Domain Generation Algorithm
- Pointed pre-computed DGA domains to a web server
- Served a special seed peerlist from there

## Top-Level Domains

- 5 US-based (`.com`, `.org`, `.net`, `.biz`, `.info`)
- ...and `.ru`
- Required collaboration with domain registries
  - Some volunteered
  - Others required a court order

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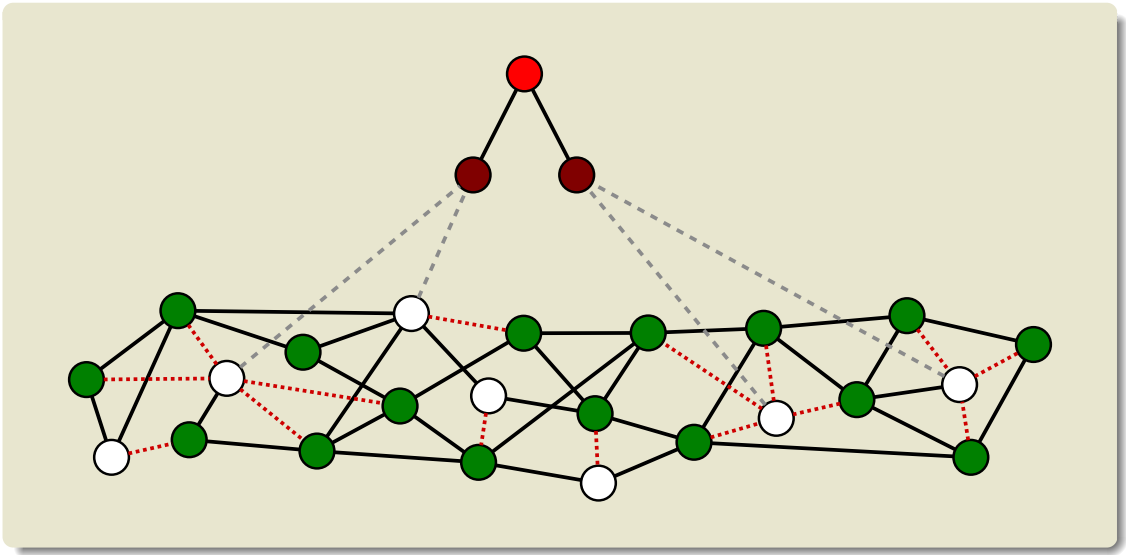

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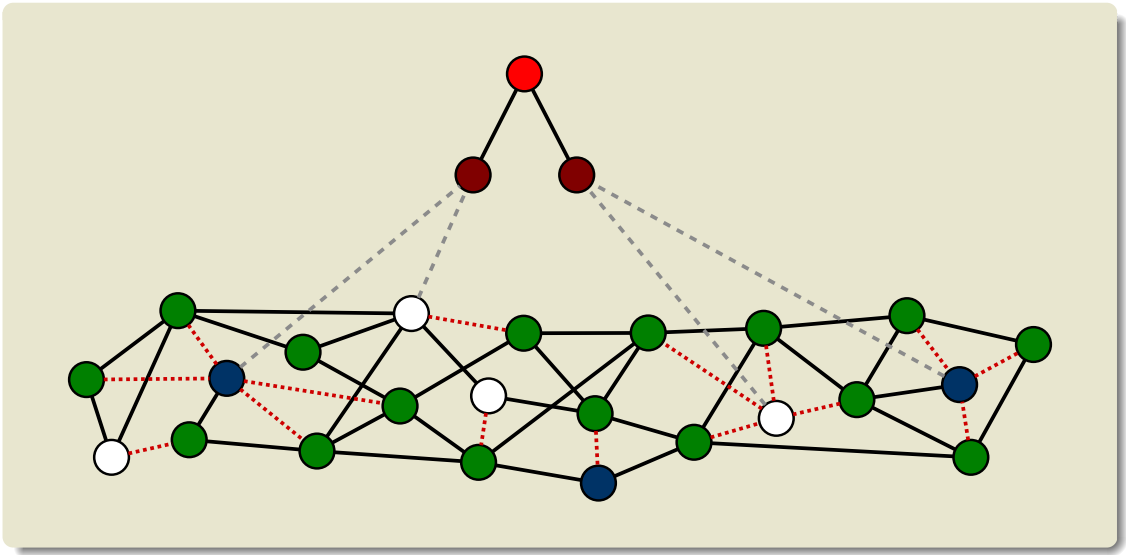

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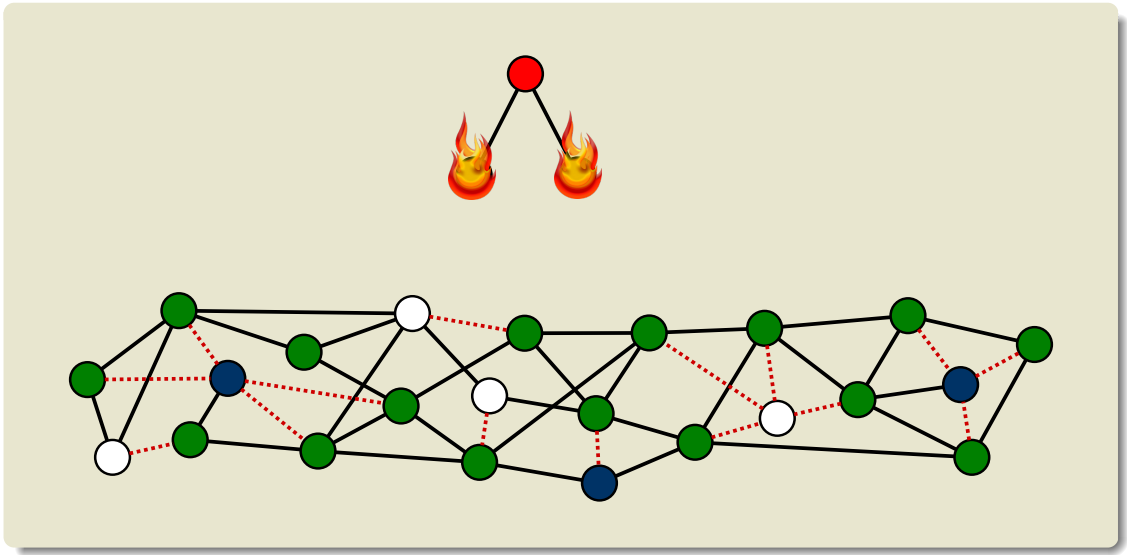

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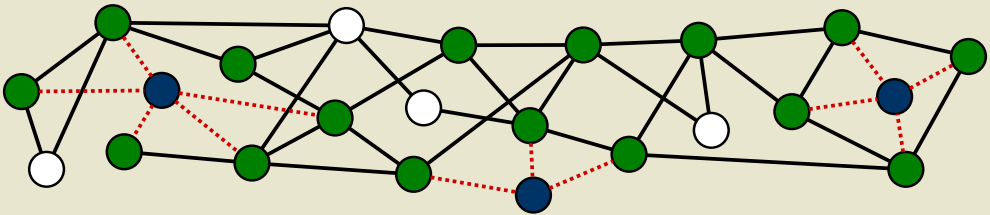

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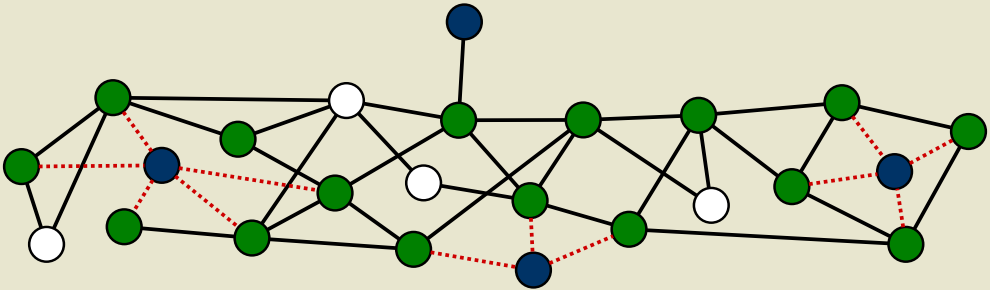

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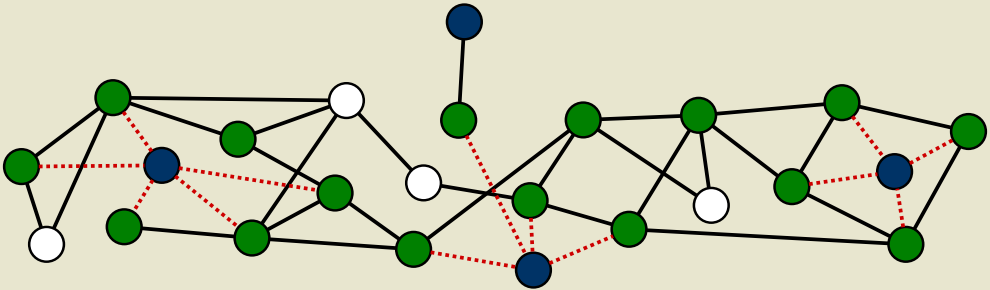

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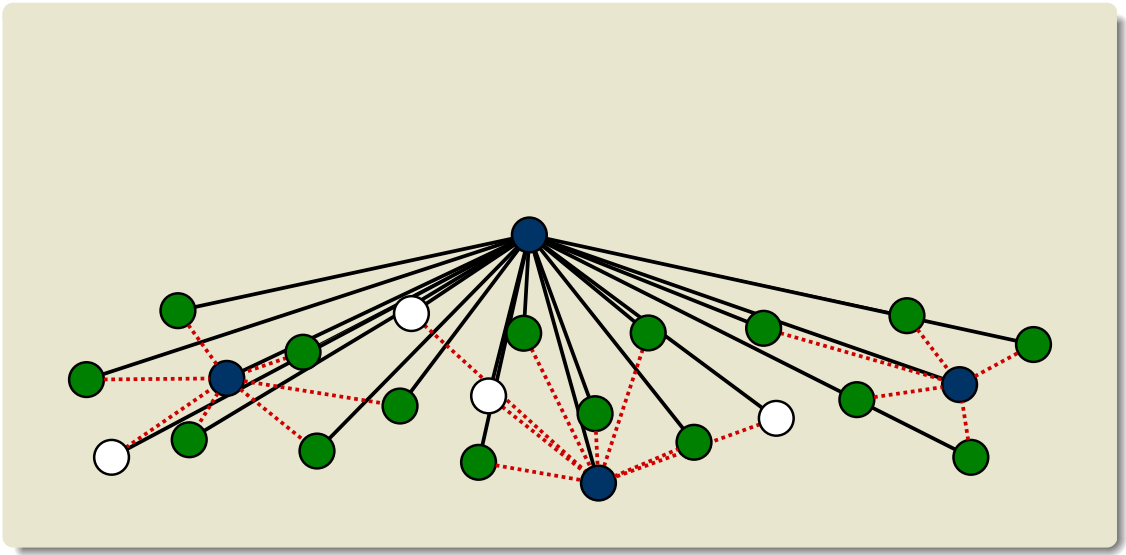

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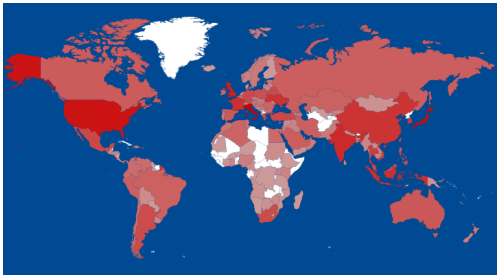

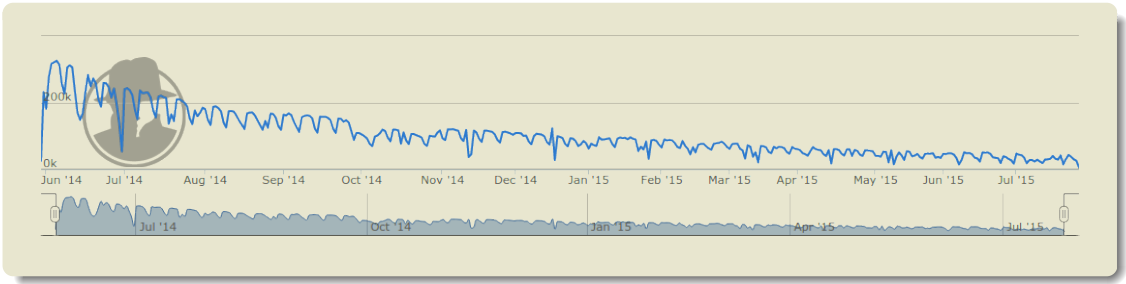

# The Criminal Investigation

# Infection Method

## Blackhole Exploit Kit

- Specific configuration for Gameover Zeus
- `cron_update.php` file
- Redirect to Google's Chrome page without proper referrer

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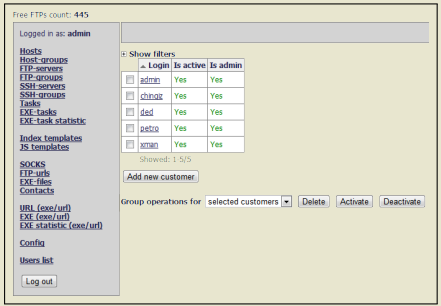

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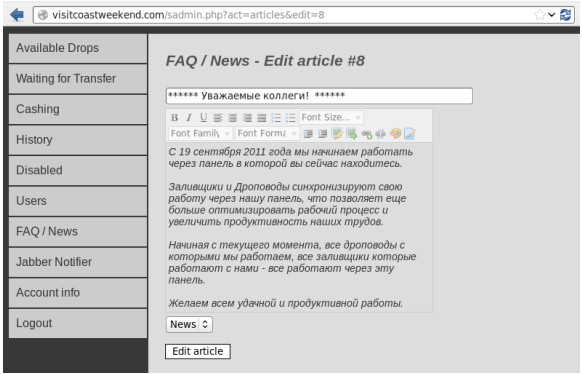

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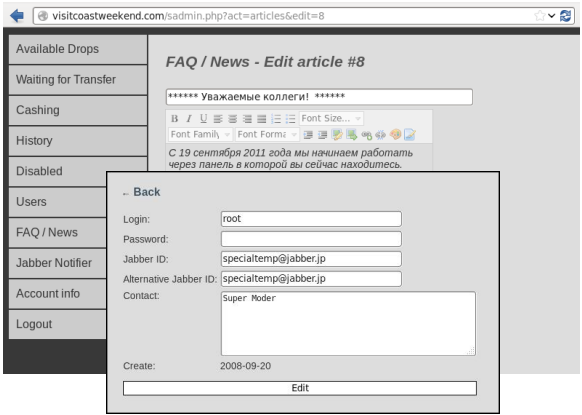

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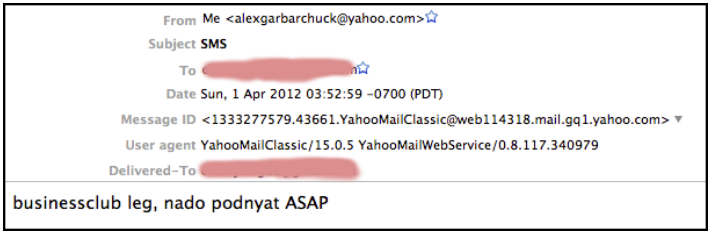

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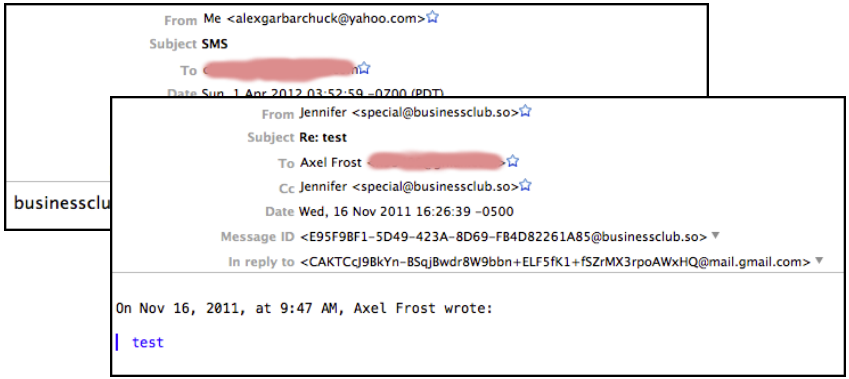

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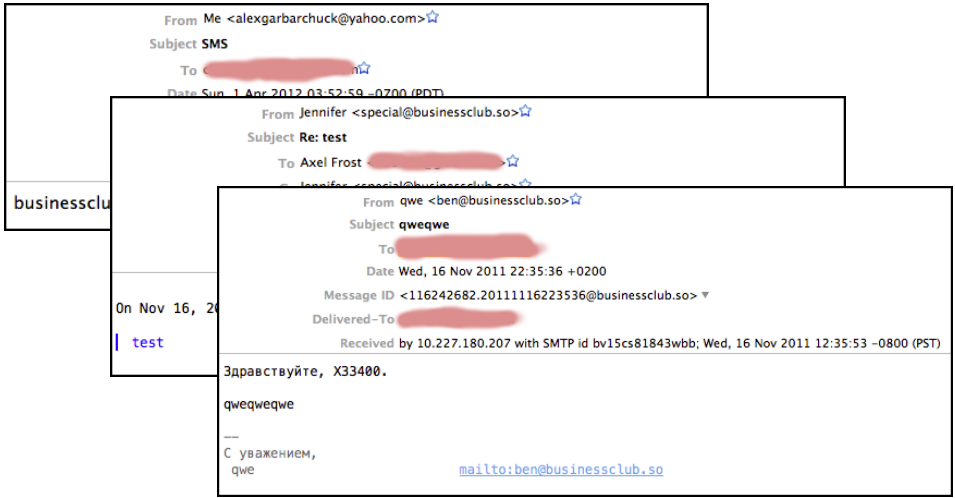

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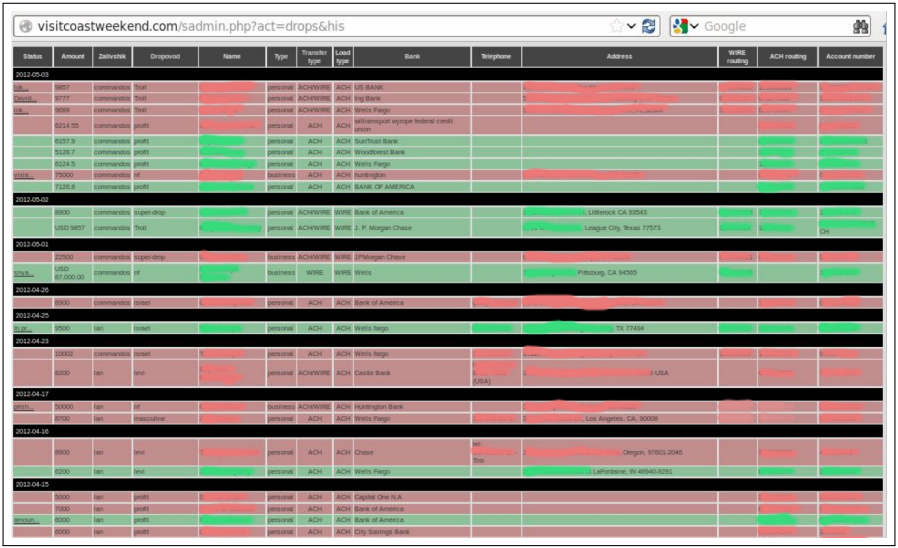


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# Connecting the Dots

## Personal Account

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| [redacted]@rambler.ru | Evgeniy | Bogachev | Otradnaya 22 | 46.158.238.206 |
| [redacted]@rambler.ru | Evgeniy | Bogachev | Otradnaya 22 | 212.117.170.62 |
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## Businessclub `root` Login

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- Cross-reference records obtained
- Criminal forum registrations and posts
- Developed trail from access to Businessclub to ownership of personal account

# Civil Action

## Temporary Restraining Order

- Ordered defendants (Bogachev) to cease activity
- Authorized establishment of substitute server
- Ordered Registries to redirect DGA traffic
- Ordered Registries to cease CryptoLocker DGA registration
- Ordered Internet Service Providers to block connections with DGA `.ru` domains

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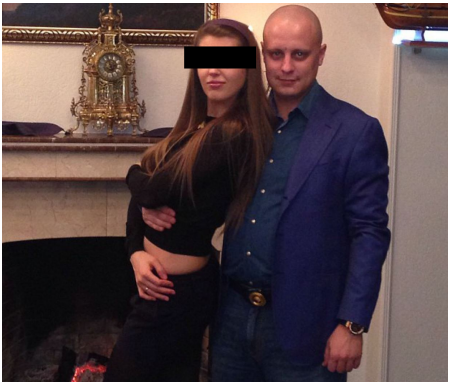

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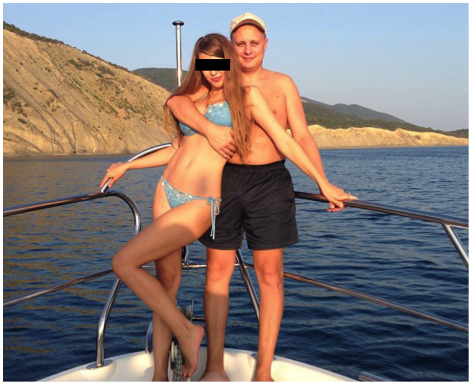
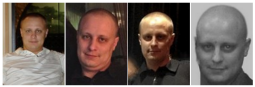


# The Challenge

# WANTED
## BY THE FBI

Conspiracy to Participate in Racketeering Activity; Bank Fraud; Conspiracy to Violate the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act; Conspiracy to Violate the Identity Theft and Assumption Deterrence Act; Aggravated Identity Theft; Conspiracy; Computer Fraud; Wire Fraud; Money Laundering; Conspiracy to Commit Bank Fraud

## EVGENIY MIKHAILOVICH BOGACHEV



**Aliases:** Yevgeniy Bogachev, Evgeniy Mikhaylovich Bogachev, "lucky12345", "slavik", "Pollingsoon"

### DESCRIPTION

**Date(s) of Birth Used:** October 28, 1983
**Height:** Approximately 5'9"
**Weight:** Approximately 180 pounds
**NCIC:** W890989955
**Occupation:** Bogachev works in the Information Technology field.
**Hair:** Brown (usually shaves his head)
**Eyes:** Brown
**Sex:** Male
**Race:** White

**Remarks:** Bogachev was last known to reside in Anapa, Russia. He is known to enjoy boating and may travel to locations along the Black Sea in his boat. He also owns property in Krasnodar, Russia.

### CAUTION

Evgeniy Mikhailovich Bogachev, using the online monikers "lucky12345" and "slavik", is wanted for his alleged involvement in a wide-ranging racketeering enterprise and scheme that installed, without authorization, malicious software known as "Zeus" on victims' computers. The software was used to capture bank account numbers, passwords, personal identification numbers, and other information necessary to log into online banking accounts. While Bogachev knowingly acted in a role as an administrator, others involved in the scheme conspired to distribute spam and phishing emails, which contained links to compromised web sites. Victims who visited these web sites were infected with the malware, which Bogachev and others utilized to steal money from the victims' bank accounts. This online account takeover fraud has been investigated by the FBI since the summer of 2009.

Starting in September of 2011, the FBI began investigating a modified version of the Zeus Trojan, known as GameOver Zeus (GOZ). It is believed GOZ is responsible for more than one million computer infections, resulting in financial losses of more than $100 million.

# Why does it matter?

# Thank You.