

# **Cyber Security Issues**



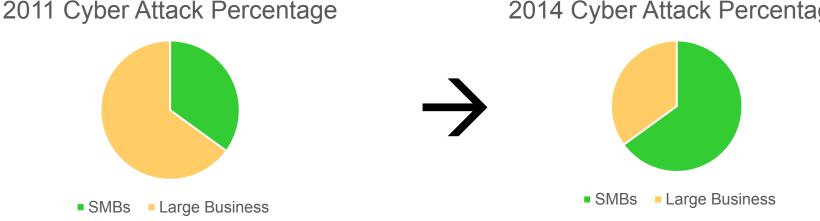
# **Overview**

- > Cyber Growing Problem for SMBs
- > Understanding the Attacker
- > Addressing the Cyber Problem
- Summary / Q&A



#### **Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs Cyber Attacks Favoring SMBs**

- Cyber attacks targeting SMBs have grown from less than 40% in 2011 to over 60% in 2014  $\geq$ (Symantec Security Threat Report and Verizon Data Breach Report)
- Target data breach was initiated by a small business owner clicking a link in a phishing attack
  - His compromised credentials to the Target portal for suppliers led to the installation of bots that found unencrypted PII on backend systems and unencrypted PCI on PoS devices



2014 Cyber Attack Percentage

SMBs provide faster success than layered defense-in-depth found at many large businesses



# Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs Hacker Perspective of SMB

Inbound Logistics	Operations	Outbound Logistics	Marketing and Sales	Service	
<ul> <li>Suppliers</li> <li>Handling materials</li> <li>Warehouse</li> <li>Inventory management</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Conversion</li> <li>Assembly</li> <li>Packaging</li> <li>Maintenance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Warehouse</li> <li>Order fulfillment</li> <li>Shipment</li> <li>Delivery</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Channels</li> <li>Product, pricing, promotion, distribution</li> <li>Business development</li> <li>Salesforce</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Installation</li><li>Repair</li><li>Training</li></ul>	

Procurement	Technical Development	Human Resources	Infrastructure
Requirements	Process design	Talent acquisition	General management
Purchasing	Product design	Training	Finance
Vendor management	R & D	Succession planning	Accounting
Fixed assets	Sunsetting	Compensation, benefits	IT



#### **Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs** Most SMBs Are Not Prepared to Battle Cyber Attacks

- More than 40% of SMBs do not have adequate IT security budget (Ponemon Institute Nov 2013)
  - Are considered easier prey by well-funded hacker groups targeting a larger business network
    - Source:Federal Bureau of Investigation
- > 77% of SMBs believe their company is safe from cyber attacks
  - Source: National Cyber Security Alliance
- National Small Business Association survey found that almost half of SMBs have the business owner or no one specific handle IT security
  - Approx. 1/4th of the SMBs had an IT security expert involved in their IT system

# SMBs need a low-cost, easy-to-deploy, secure compute environment that provides layered defense-in-depth



### Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs Common Reasons for Lack of Cyber Security

- Lack of cyber security policy
- Lack of time, budget and expertise to enforce cyber security policy and implement comprehensive security defenses
- > No dedicated IT security specialist on the payroll
- > Outsourcing security to unqualified contractors or system administrators
- Lack of cyber security and risk awareness
- Lack of employee training on cyber threats and vulnerabilities
- > Failure to regularly update security controls
- Failure to secure endpoints
- > Not needed, because data is not of great value

Small businesses with revenues less than \$100M cut security spending by 20% in 2014, while large businesses increased their cyber spending by 5% PWC's Global State of Information Security Survey 2015



### Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs SMB Cyber Equation



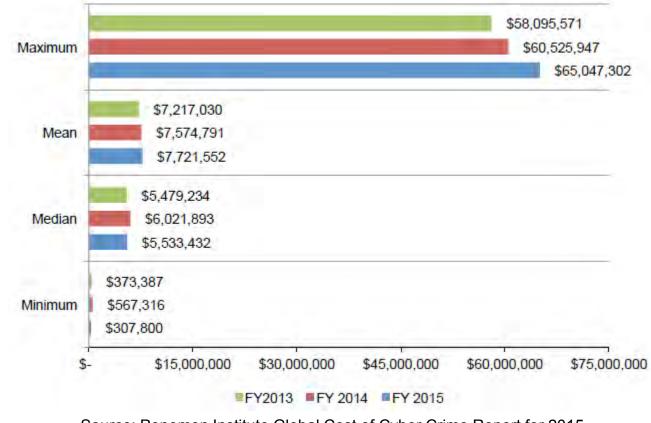


# Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs Cyber Attack Effects on SMBs

- > 60% of SMBs close doors within six months of a data breach
  - Source: National Cyber Security Alliance
- Loss of Intellectual Property
  - Competition
  - Costs
- Loss of Contract for Third-Party Data Loss
- > Litigation and Legal Expenses



### Cyber is a Growing Problem for SMBs Cyber Attack Costs



Source: Ponemon Institute Global Cost of Cyber Crime Report for 2015

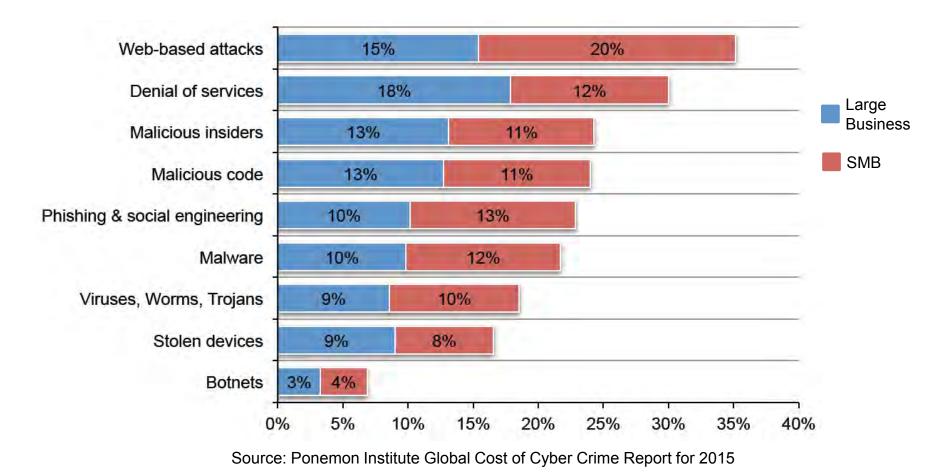


#### **Common Attack Vectors**

- > Employee and Affiliate Misuse
- > Phishing
- Malware
- SQL Injection
- Cross-Site Scripting
- > Brute Force Password Cracking
- > Denial of Service
- Social Engineering Man-in-the-Middle
- Device Theft

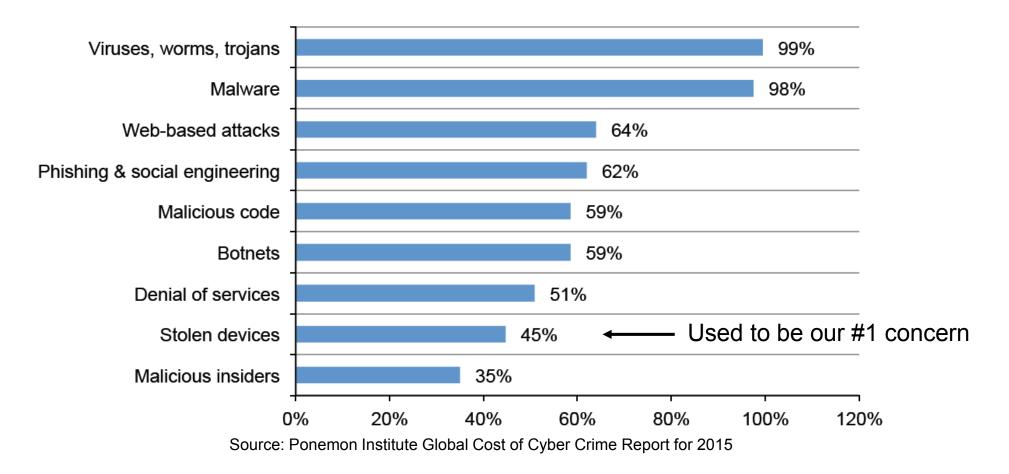


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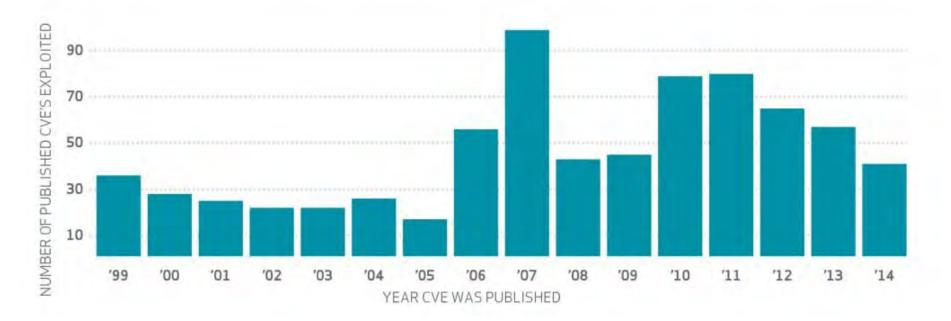
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### Understanding the Attacker Attack Methods by Age of Attack Method

- 95% of data breaches investigated by Verizon from 2014 were caused by Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures (CVE) issues over a year before the exploit
- > 97.7% of all breaches were from 10 CVEs



Source: Verizon Data Breach Investigations Report 2015 http://www.verizonenterprise.com/DBIR/2015/



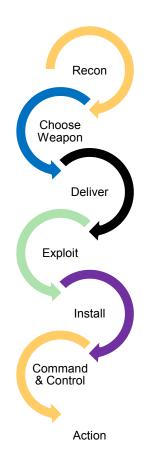
**Types of Cyber Attacks** 

- Non-invasive: Using cyber assets to damage an entity without entering the entity's cyber domain
  - Cyber bullying is one example
- Indiscriminate: Damaging cyber, and potentially non-cyber, domain(s) of an entity with no discriminating intent to damage one or more specific entity(ies)
- Targeted: Intent to damage cyber, and potentially non-cyber, domain(s) of a specific entity or group of entities
  - Ad Hoc: Hacking activities "on-the-fly", often in a single sitting ... commonly referred to as "the 8-minute hacker"
  - APT: Advanced, Persistent Threat that may take months to recon a target before delivering specific agent(s) designed to exploit specific vulnerability(ies)
  - Cyber Warfare: Nation state and/or crime group sponsored attacks that typically used multiple APT and Ad Hoc attacks simultaneously



### Understanding the Attacker Attack Methodology / Kill Chain

- Reconnaissance: Map network, identify vulnerabilities, identify potential targets, etc.
- Choose weapon: Determine the agent(s) that will perform exploit
- > Deliver the weapon to the target
- Exploit the system to execute the weapon
- Install the weapon on target asset(s)
- Command & control of the weapon in the target network – could include laterally propagating the network, installing additional agents, etc.
- > Take action using weapon against target asset(s)





# Addressing the Cyber Problem High-Level Steps

### Manage Cyber Risks

- Accept
- Avoid
- Mitigate
- Transfer
- Requires Senior Leadership Involvement
  - Formally Publish Cyber Policy
  - Regular Cyber Risk Reports
  - Train Employees and Affiliates
  - Enforcement



# Addressing the Cyber Problem Mitigating Common Attack Vectors

- Employee and Affiliate Misuse
  - Formal, published cyber policy with cyber awareness training
  - Test employee / affiliate behavior via simulated attack
  - Log analysis to track behavior in system access
- > Phishing
  - Test employee / affiliate behavior via simulated phishing attacks
  - Log analysis to discover phishing attacks and delete / block emails
- > Malware
  - Open sources, such as TotalVirus and OTX, provide external threat intel on malware and malicious behavior patterns
  - Data encryption limits scope of data w/o certificate
  - Application whitelist / blacklist ... do not allow unauthorized applications
  - Compartmentalized virtual desktop limits scope of malware downloaded from web / email



## Addressing the Cyber Problem Mitigating Common Attack Vectors

- SQL Injection and Cross-Site Scripting
  - Internal penetration testing to discover and fix vulnerable applications
  - Log analysis to discover data exfiltration and break connection
  - Detonation Chamber (application sandbox)
- > Brute Password Cracking
  - Enforce password complexity in applications / systems
  - Internal penetration testing to discover and fix vulnerable applications
- Social Engineering Man-in-the-Middle
  - Test employee / affiliate behavior via simulated attack
- Device Theft
  - Device encryption
  - Virtual, compartmentalized workspace



# Addressing the Cyber Problem vPolicyEnforcer Overview

#### Complete Tool for SMB

- **Policy Management (PoM)**: Enforce Cyber from Leader Policy
- Malware Analysis and Vulnerability Exploitation (MAVE): Low-Hanging Fruit
- Log Analysis System (LAS): Discover issues through activity patterns
- **Privacy Data Security (PriDaS)**: Protect Data through Encryption
- Device Whitelist / Blacklist (DWB): Restrict User Device Access
- Application Whitelist / Blacklist (AWB): Restrict Applications Access
- **Polymorphic Attack Surface (PAS)**: Reset the cyber kill chain
- **Transaction Detonation Chamber (TDC)**: Verify clean transactions using sandbox concept
- Secure, Compartmentalized, Virtual Workspace (SCW): "Dumb User" Protection
- Easy to Use



# **Define and Enforce Cyber Policy**

**Percolate Cyber Status to Management** 

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Polymorphic Attack Surface			
Transaction Detonation Chamber	Information Security Policy / Home		
- Log Analysis System	Information Security Policy		1
SSIM			
Device Whitelist/Blacklist	CompanyName Information Security Policy		
Application Whitelist/Blacklist			
Windows (AppLocker)	Acceptable Use Policy		
Linux (AppArmor)	Audit Policy		
	Clean Desk Policy		
Malware Analysis & Vulnerability Exploitation	Digital Signature Policy		
Malware Detection	Disaster Recovery Policy		
Analysis of Network	Email Policy		
💌 Vulnerability Assessment 💻	Encryption Policy		
OpenVAS •	End User Key Encryption Protection Policy Ethics Policy		
Nessus	Password Construction Guidelines		
	Password Protection Policy		
SecureScan	Response Planning Policy		
Exploitation			
Policy Management			
Information Security Policy			
Privacy Data Security			
♦ Secure, Compartmentalized, Virtual Workspace			



# Summary

# > Cyber is a growing concern for SMBs

- Attackers have shifted focus to SMBs
  - Access to large business
  - Easier targets
- Can have devastating effects
- > Cyber issues can be resolved
  - Senior leadership policy with enforcement
- vPolicyEnforcer was developed specifically to address unique SMB issues