

Australian ports shut down by cyber attacks

I – Global comprehension

1. Who was cyber attacked?
2. What about imports and exports?
3. How is the cyber-attack qualified by the journalist?
4. What do hackers probably ask for?
5. According to you, what will happen if the authorities don't accept the hackers' terms?
6. Name the 4 cities concerned by the attacks:
7. What's the name of the port operator affected by the attack?
8. What is the company's 3-fold action to solve the problem?
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9. Has Melbourne been cyber attacked lately?
10. What was the previous target?
11. What was the cost of that hacking?
12. What could the impact of the delay be on people?
13. According to a statement, what has DP World decided to do?
14. What are they doing in the meantime?

II - Vocabulary

Stranded:	extortion plot:	worst case scenario:
To contain the situation:	to investigate:	to notify:
The relevant authorities:	in jeopardy:	Around the clock:

III - Answer the questions:

Would you like to work as a cyber security expert?

Do you think companies have enough security systems to protect their data?

What would you do if you were an engineer responsible for networks to protect the firm's data?

What are the best security systems available today?

Do you think they are efficient enough?

Do you think a worldwide cyber-attack could take place soon?

Do you consider the Anonymous hacker group as heroes?

Do you consider yourself as a hacker?

Do you know any famous hackers who have allowed major leaks?

Are they useful to the world?

Is it a good idea for governments to have a tighter control on the internet traffic to improve security?