

# EMAIL SELF-DEFENSE

Bulk surveillance violates our fundamental rights and makes free speech risky

**But we are far from helpless to do something about it**



The password protecting your email is only a thin layer of security that can't protect against the battering ram of sophisticated surveillance systems.

Each message passes through many computer systems on the way to its destination. Surveillance agencies take advantage of this to read million and millions of emails.

Even if you have nothing to hide, when you send normal email, the people you talk to are being exposed as well.