

PASSWORD CRACKING STATISTICS

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SOURCES

Where are these stats from?

- Rockyou breach (2009)
- Gawker password dump (2010)
- Sony Pictures breach (2011)
- VK hack (2012)
- Myspace breach (2013)
- 000webhost.com hack (2015)
- ClixSense hack (2016)
- uTorrent breach (2016)
- Faithwriters file (2018)
- Outlook/Hotmail password breach (2019)

TOP 12 MOST COMMON PASSWORDS (2020)

1) 123456 2) 123456789 3) picture1 4) password

5) 12345678 6) 111111 7) 123123 8) 12345

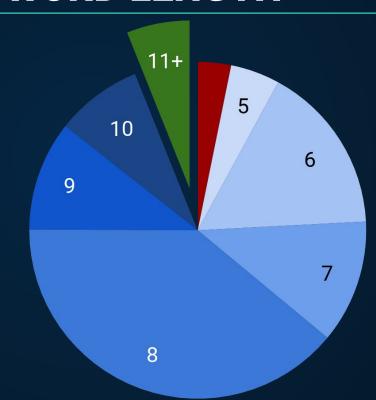
9) 1234567890 10) senha 11) 12345678 12) qwerty

In 2016, the top 25 passwords made up 10% of all surveyed passwords!

PASSWORD LENGTH



- **5** 4.74%
- 6 16.25%
- 7 11.85%
- 8 39.05%
- 9 10.55%
- 10 8.32%
- **11+** 6.07%



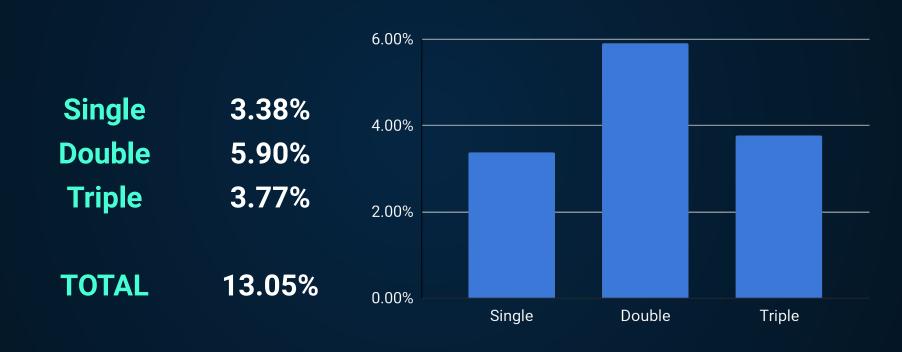
PASSWORDS WITH SYMBOLS



Contains symbols 1.02%



DICTIONARY WORDS W/ APPENDED DIGITS



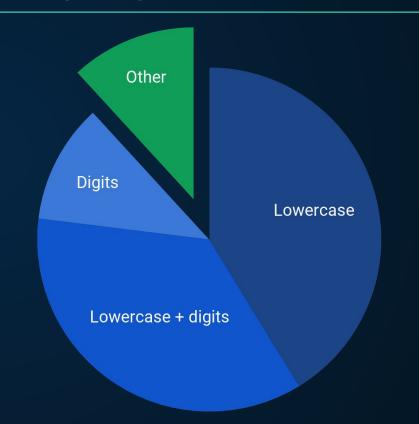
CHARACTER SETS

Lowercase 41.25%

Lowercase + digits 35.70%

Digits 11.24%

Other 11.81%



APPLICATION

If we cracked a password dump with

1-10 CHARACTERS

and

LOWERCASE
LETTERS + DIGITS

that would be

3,760,620,109,779,060 passwords

or a

34 PB (34,000,000 GB) file

APPLICATION

That would capture

~82.8% of all passwords

and would take

just over 5 hours

for an MD5 hash + 8 top-tier GPUs (\$1,200 each)

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