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RANSOMWARE

ACCFISA Protection Program

Warning! Access to your computer is limited.

WHY?
From your computer was detected mailing (spam) advertises illegal sites with child pornography, which contradicts law and harm other network users.

Probably your computer has been infected and as a result our service blocked access to your computer, including a fully networked access (except for our staff).

As the virus sends the illegal spam mail is very dangerous and modifies itself every 48 hours, including removing our program protection, you have 48 hours, otherwise we will remove all protection program data including the operating system and all your files without the possibility of recovery.

To solve this problem you need to buy and send sms with MoneyPak or Paysafecard or Ukash code (**100\$ or 100€**) and your Reference Number: [REDACTED] to the special service phone number: **+18722161445** or email: **antispam@cyberservices.com**

You can buy MoneyPak card at the nearest stores : Walgreens, Walmart, CVS/ pharmacy, Kmart, SevenEleven, Rite Aid or go to www.moneypak.com to find location stores near you.

To find Paysafecard location stores near you visit www.paysafecard.com or Ukash at www.ukash.com

After that our experts within 1-3 hours Will do audit and clean up your computer from viruses sending out spam and send you sms on the cell phone or email (from which you sent card code and your reference number) control code (which unlock your PC) that must be enter here:

*Do not attempt in any way to remove the protection program, because if you try to do this, your operating system Windows will be unusable.

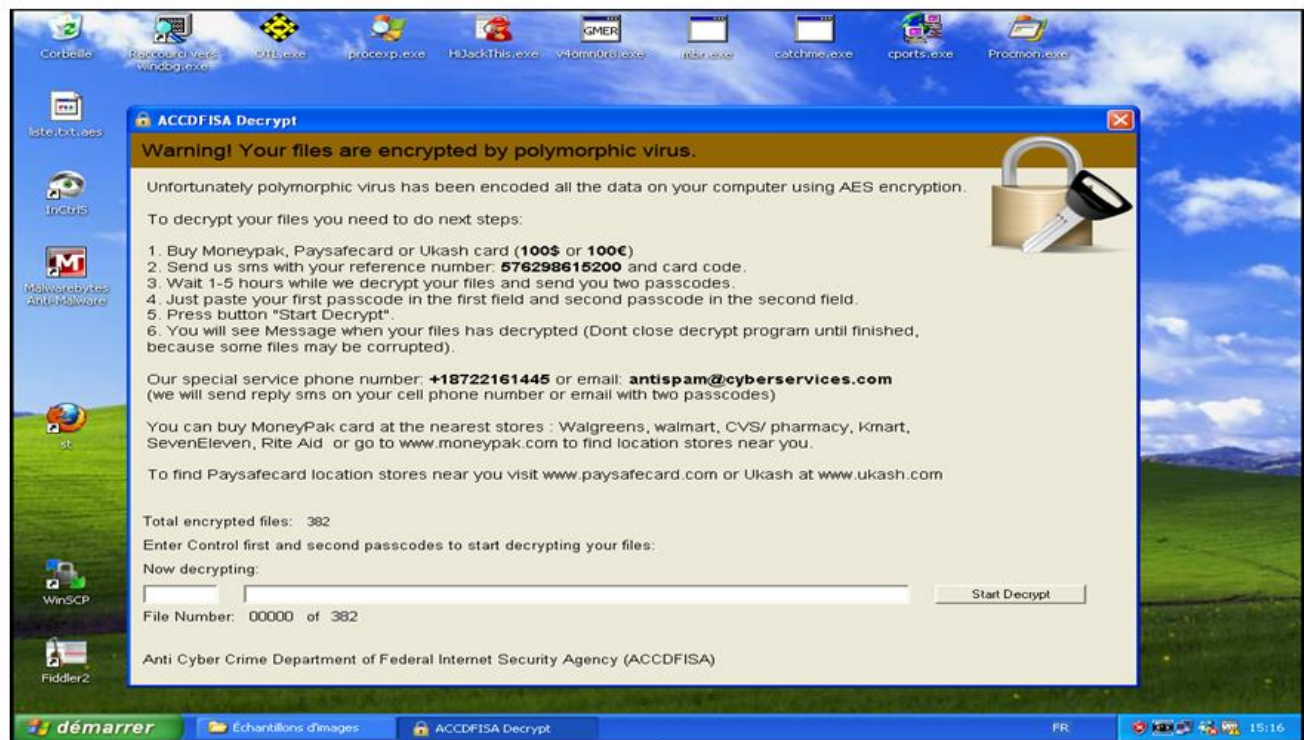
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DEFINITION

Ransomware comprises a class of malware which restricts access to the computer system that it infects, and demands a ransom paid to the creator of the malware in order for the restriction to be removed.



HOW IS RANSOMWARE CONTRACTED

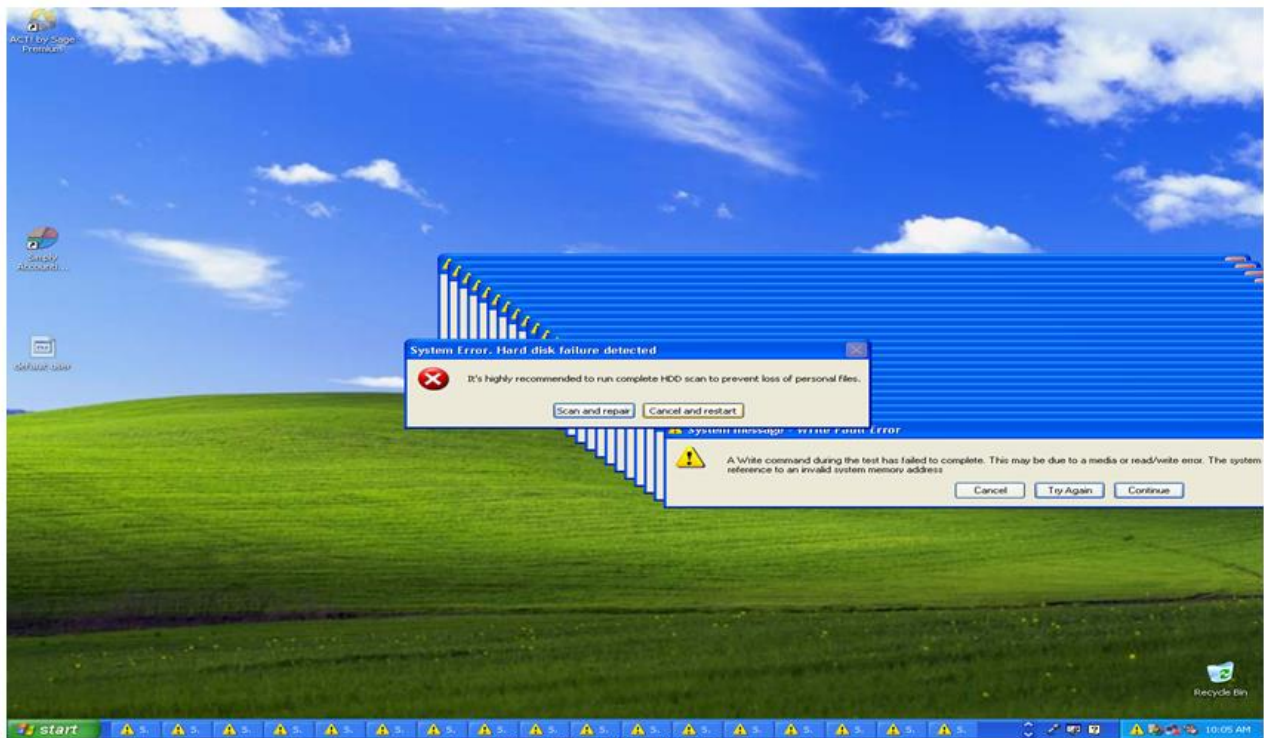
- installed from an e-mail attachment,
- an infected program,
- a compromised or malicious web site.

!YOU HAVE TO CLICK ON AN EXECUTABLE FILE OR A DOWNLOAD!



TYPES of RANSOMWARE

- Repeating advertising displays. **EFFECT:** continuously interrupting applications and slowing computer operations.
- Computer screen lockup. **EFFECT:** Inability to access files or applications.
- MFT (Master File Table) corruption. **EFFECT:** Doomsday.
- File encryption: **EFFECT:** Doomsday.



PREVENTIVE COUNTERMEASURES

- Watch where you click.
- Periodic backups.
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- Use of antivirus software is no guarantee of protection but its better than nothing.

Malware Protection

Warning! Access to your computer is limited and all your important files has been decrypted with AES-256-KEY.

From your computer was detected mailing (spam) sending a very dangerous polymorphic virus which contradicts law and harm other network users. Your computer has been also infected by this very dangerous polymorphic virus, which modifies itself every 24 hours and in this case virus detection by antiviruses is very difficult.

What virus do:

1. Encrypt all your important files with 128 symbols random generated password (different passwords for each computer) using AES algorithm and send this password to the hackers server. It will be done only once and there is no way to get this password back, only catch it when its sending to server.
2. Sending spam to others users and harm computers with same virus.
3. Totally block safe mode without any chance to resume.
4. Hackers require **\$2000** to decrypt your files.

What our team do:

1. We waiting a moment when password sending to hackers server and successfully catch this password and send it to our server (this is very difficult because password sent to hackers servers only once time!) If you see this message we have already catch password.
2. Our Malware Protection blocked access to your computer, including networked access (except for our staff), otherwise virus can modify itself an infect your computer again!
3. Removing all virus data from your computer after payment and getting you password to unlock computer and decrypt files.

What you should not to do:

1. Disabling our Malware Protection. (virus can infect your computer again and encrypt data again and noone can help you to decrypt, because noone has password). Noone can decrypt file if this encrypt with aes 256-bit key and strong password. Some note about AES: Therefore, to brute-force an AES-256-ECB encryption key in a known-plaintext attack, using all possible combinations, on a Cray XE6 with one million Opteron 6282 SE cores, it would take up to ~66,282,862,563,751,221,625,826,507,369,649,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 years to complete the known-plaintext attack.
2. Rename your encrypted files (for ex. encrypted file has name somefile.jpg.aes and you rename it back to somefile.jpg) because virus can encrypt your file twice and noone never decrypt this and our team too! If you want look at your file first copy it and then rename.
3. Never delete our Malware Protection program files, because virus can delete or corrupt all your important files.
4. Trying to get password by yourself or by others specialist and decrypt files - You never get this password because password only we have password. Virus sent it already to remote server and delete password from your computer. Even you will be start virus again its generate new password! You have NOWAY to get password - only waste a time and loose hairs every minute, especially if you break our rules and your files will be decrypted forever!

What you can do:

Our team help you to solve this problem, but not for free, because we had to do very difficult work to catch this very dangerous virus. You need to buy and send sms with MoneyPak or Paysafecard or Ukash code (**\$300** or **€300**) and your Reference Number to our special service phone number or email.

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Our Garanties:

If you dont trust us you can send any one file (no more 5mb) and your reference number to our email, we decrypt it and will send you reply with succeseffuly decrypted file. And at last We require a very small summ for this very difficult work, not a \$2000 USD. And we get 100% guarantee that you get all your files back. You are lucky.

Your Reference Number and our contacts (please write down this data):

Your Reference #: 0012140809940 Our service phone: +16464816878 email: security116@gmail.com



REMOVAL

- **NEVER pay the ransom**
- Run antivirus software,
- Identify specific ransomware version and check the internet for removal instructions,
- Safe boot,
- Use computer recovery function,
- Malwarebytes software.



Presentation No. 2 by Dan Lee:

Dan Lee gave a presentation about how he replaced the screen on a Dell Latitude D520 laptop computer that had been dropped. He showed before and after pictures of the damaged laptop plus a YouTube video of a similar model being repaired by a technician. He said a screen replacement by the Geek Squad or similar company could cost in the \$300 range. He paid just \$20.95 for a screen from EBay.

Bob Blum brought in and gave away some unneeded items.

Computer Problems:

GwenDoly Yarborough requested assistance with a Compaq Presario 2500 with a wildly flickering screen. When connected to the senior center's projector, the desktop image appeared normal. This was an older computer which also had a dead battery. She was advised that it did not make sense to put more money into it. Besides the obvious issue with the screen, there are other related items that could be causing the screen to not display properly. One suggestion made was that she connect it to a separate monitor and use it like a desktop.

Russ Vaughan asked for advice on how to improve Wi-Fi in his house. Several suggestions were offered by club members. Bob Rapczynski suggested installation of a Wi-Fi "extender" and offered to provide an extra one he had.