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Alternatives to traditional text-based authentication:

An experiment, survey and literature review

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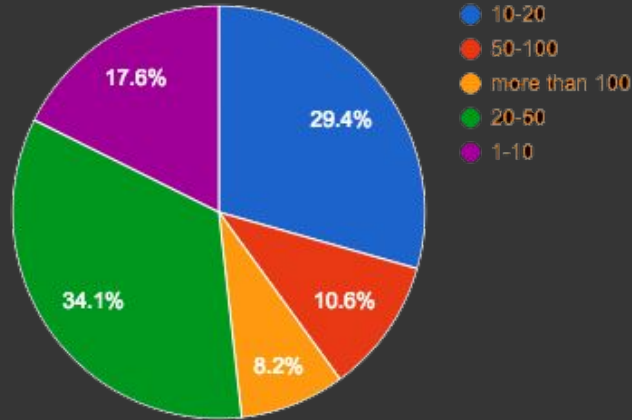
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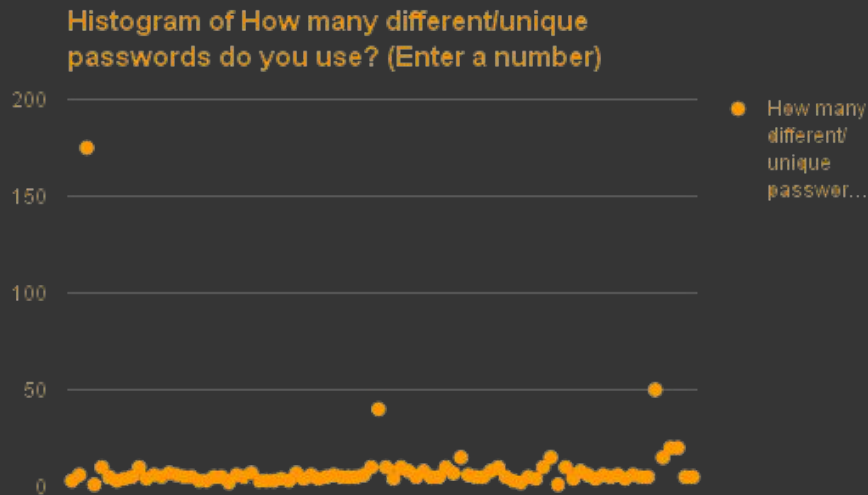
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How many **passwords** do
you have ?

How many passwords do you have?





Why?

- “In a 1995 study, researchers requested that system administrators send them hashed passwords. The researchers were able to crack about 40% of the approximately 14,000 passwords using a dictionary attack”



Why?

- “We thus have an explosion of new Internet services demanding authentication...the text-based password system has a fundamental flaw : It doesn’t scale well. This prompts the investigation of other authentication systems to remedy it. ”

-----Password and the evolution of imperfect authentication



Why?

→ Painful to remember



Why?

- Painful to remember
- I have to type? Really?

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What



What?

- Easy to use
- No need to remember
- Efficient
- Take advantage of new technology



How?

→ Fingerprint



How?

→ Fingerprint

→ Voice-DNA



How?

→ Fingerprint

→ Voice-DNA

→ Magic-link

Stay tuned!

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