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Overview:

* The Wells Fargo Breach was noticed on July 1st by one of their consumer information provider
* Around 5,000 customers information data were breached and taken.
* Wells Fargo is in the process of investigating and notified secret service.

How did this happen, and how to prevent it:

* Unfortunately, the investigators are unaware of how the data breach happened, but it is a possibility that an employees information was stolen and used for it.
* According to code.org and the Wells Fargo Website, these attacks can be prevented by using HTTPS sites, downloading safe software, freeze your bank account, check if the site is legitimist, and watch for suspicious activities on your account

Data Stolen, and How it can be used:

* The following Data was breached:
  + Names
  + Addresses
  + Birth dates
  + Social Security numbers
  + Bank and checking account numbers
  + Details of loan agreements
  + Bankruptcy info (if applicable to borrower)
  + W-2 tax forms
* The information ca be used to:
  + Track people down
  + Use their social security number
  + Draw money from someone’s banking account
  + Know and change details of loan agreement
  + Change Tax information and increase tax evasion time

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