

Certificate Transparency Observatory

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Certificate Transparency

- RFC 6962 by Laurie, Langley, Käspert
- Public, verifiable logging of SSL/TLS certificates
- Fast detection of misissued Certificates and (possibly) rogue CAs

Current State of CT

- 13 Logs, ~15 Mio certificates logged
- Some query interfaces for log data available

crt.sh CA ID	5												
CA Name/Key	<p>Subject:</p> <pre>commonName = GeoTrust Global CA organizationName = GeoTrust Inc. countryName = US</pre> <p>Subject Public Key Info:</p> <pre>Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption Public-Key: (2048 bit) Modulus: 00:da:cc:18:63:30:fd:f4:17:23:1a:56:7e:5b:df: 3c:6c:38:e4:71:b7:78:91:d4:bc:a1:d8:4c:f8:a8: 43:b6:03:e9:4d:21:07:08:88:da:58:2f:66:39:29: bd:05:78:8b:9d:38:e8:05:b7:6a:7e:71:a4:e6:c4: 60:a6:b0:ef:80:e4:89:28:0f:9e:25:d6:ed:83:f3: ad:a6:91:c7:98:c9:42:18:35:14:9d:ad:98:46:92: 2e:4f:ca:f1:87:43:c1:16:95:57:2d:50:ef:89:2d: 80:7a:57:ad:f2:ee:5f:6b:d2:00:8d:b9:14:f8:14: 15:35:d9:c0:46:a3:7b:72:c8:91:bf:c9:55:2b:cd: d0:97:3e:9c:26:64:cc:df:ce:83:19:71:ca:4e:e6: d4:d5:7b:a9:19:cd:55:de:c8:ec:d2:5e:38:53:e5: 5c:4f:8c:2d:fe:50:23:36:fc:66:e6:cb:8e:a4:39: 19:00:b7:95:02:39:91:0b:0e:fe:38:2e:d1:1d:05: 9a:f6:4d:3e:6f:0f:07:1d:af:2c:1e:8f:60:39:e2: fa:36:53:13:39:d4:5e:26:2b:db:3d:a8:14:bd:32: eb:18:03:28:52:04:71:e5:ab:33:3d:e1:38:bb:07: 36:84:62:9c:79:ea:16:30:f4:5f:c0:2b:e8:71:6b: e4:f9</pre> <p>Exponent: 65537 (0x10001)</p>												
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The CT Observatory

- Aggregates CT data from all Logs
- Provides a web front end with data visualization and analysis
- Powered by Django, crt.sh, d3.js, jQuery, Bootstrap, Docker

Welcome to the CT Observatory!

15580517 Certificates

A total of [15580517 certificates](#) from 10 logs have been collected and observed by this observatory.

8124258 active

7456259 expired

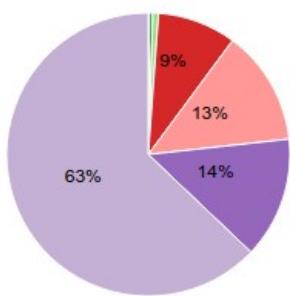
0 revoked

0 misissued

Number of occurrences in logs

This chart shows the number of occurrences of a certificate in all monitored logs.

- 13
- 9
- 7
- 8
- 5
- 6
- 4
- 1
- 2
- 3



15423 Certificate Authorities

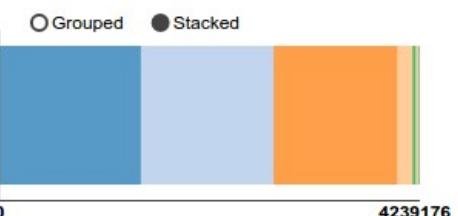
A total of [15423 CAs](#) are observed.

0 correctly operating

0 show interesting behaviour

10 Logs

A total of [10 logs](#) are being observed. The biggest log holds 14278450 certificates and the smallest log holds 1062 certificates.



Log	Entries
Google Pilot log	14276616
Google Aviator log	13375477
Google Rocketeer log	12500994
Certly.IO log	1496779
Symantec log	342234
DigiCert Log Server	291281
Izenpe log	74373
WoSign log	17043
Venafi log	15900
Symantec VEGA log	1063

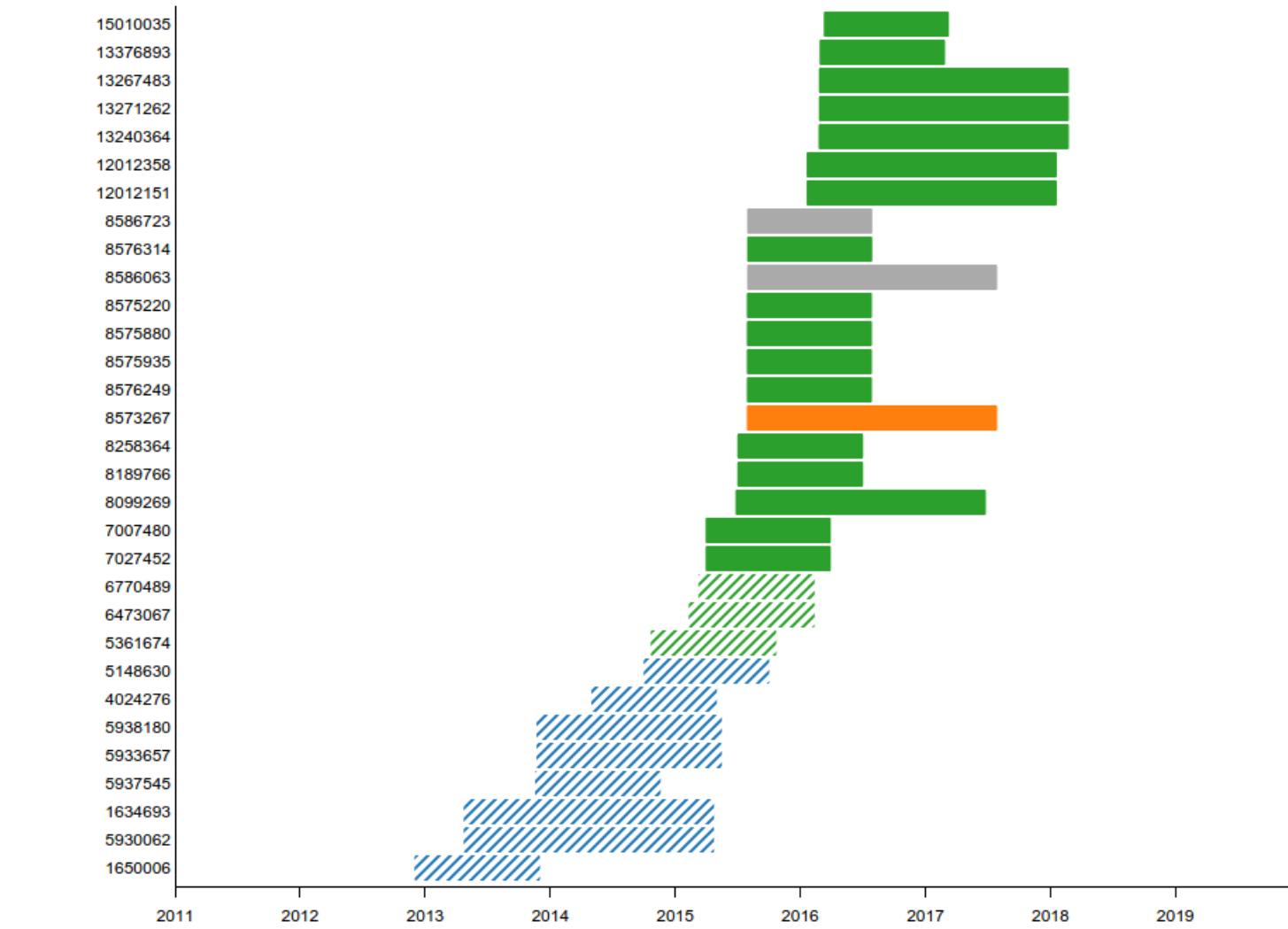
Most frequent signature algorithms

notBefore, per month

Timeline

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Order by [notBefore](#) [notAfter](#) [length](#)



- sha1, expired
- sha256, expired
- sha256, active
- other, active
- ecdsa, active

signature_algorithm sha256WithRSAEncryption	notBefore 2015-11-03 00:00:00	notAfter 2018-11-28 12:00:00
has_expired False	digest_md5 68:42:3D:55:EA:27:D0:B4:FD:A1:87:8F:CA:B7:A1:EB	digest_sha1 25:09:FB:22:F7:67:1A:EA:2D:0A:28:AE:80:51:6F:39:0D:E0:CA:21

certificate_identity

Information from certificate_identity:

dNSName
example.com  

dNSName
example.org  

dNSName
www.example.com  

commonName
www.example.org

dNSName
example.edu  

organizationName
Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

dNSName
www.example.edu  

dNSName
www.example.org  

dNSName
example.net  

organizationalUnitName
Technology

dNSName
www.example.net  

This certificate has been issued by [DigiCert SHA2 High Assurance Server CA](#).

[List all certificates with CN=www.example.org.](#)

Issuer

Information about the **issuer** directly from the certificate:

C

US

O

DigiCert Inc

OU

www.digicert.com

CN

DigiCert SHA2 High Assurance Server CA

Subject

Information about the **subject** directly from the certificate:

C

US

ST

California

L

Los Angeles

O

Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

OU

Technology

CN

www.example.org

Tree

DigiCert High Assurance EV Root CA

DigiCert SHA2 High Assurance Server CA

Future Work

- Data Mining/Big Data Analysis to detect “interesting events“, e.g.
 - Switching a CA
 - Switching to weaker crypto
 - New extensions
- In-depth analysis of historical certificate data
- Provide better service for domain administrators

The CT Observatory



Soon at <https://ct-observatory.org>
<https://github.com/USECAP/ct-infrastructure>
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