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Internet of Things Security

Goals for Today

Learning Objectives:

Define Internet of Things and recognize its place in computing today

Understand IoT security challenges and the state of current security research

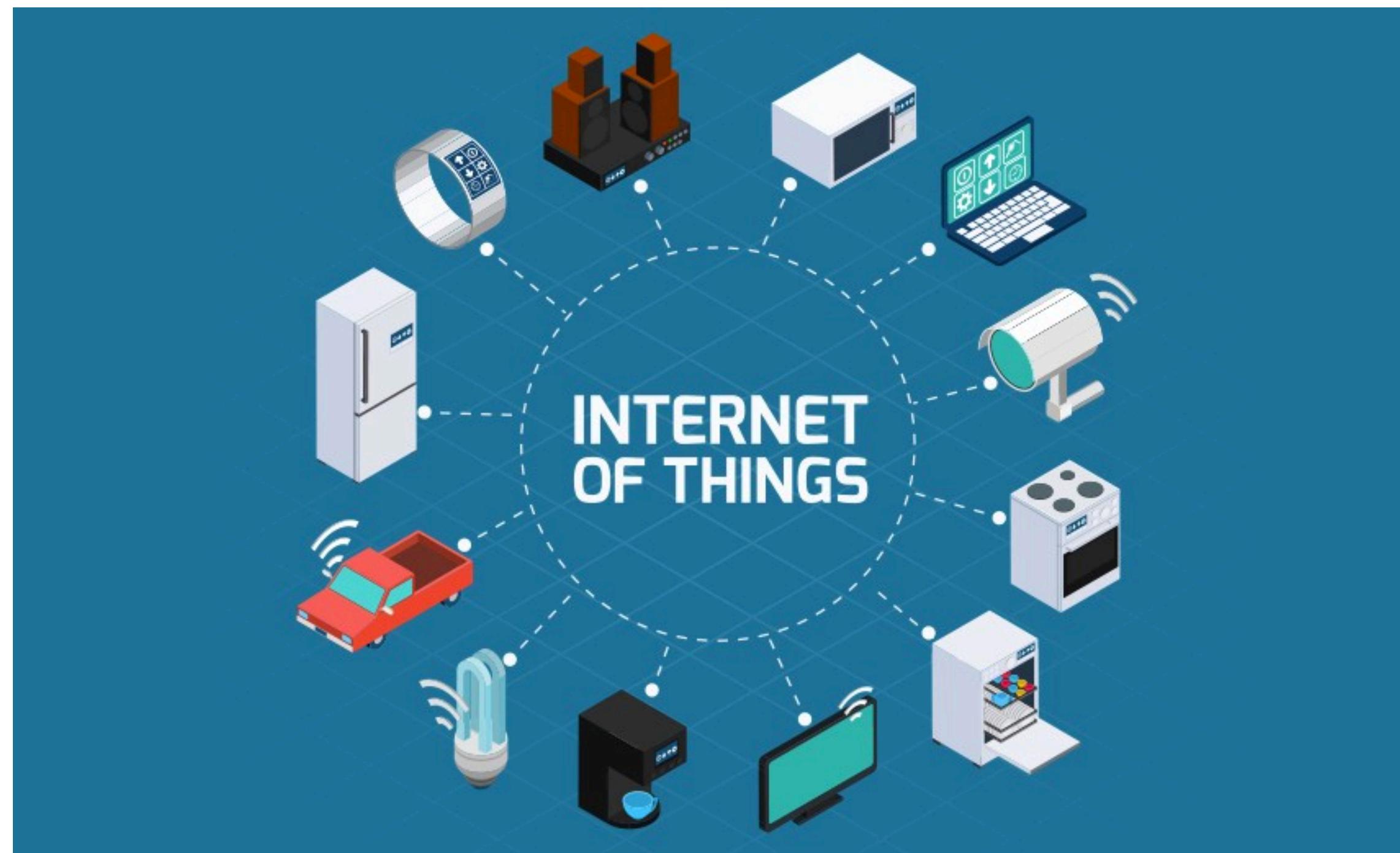
Announcements, etc:

Final Exam is on Dec 13 at 7pm

Forensics CP2 due Friday, Dec 6th at 6PM

What is the Internet of Things?

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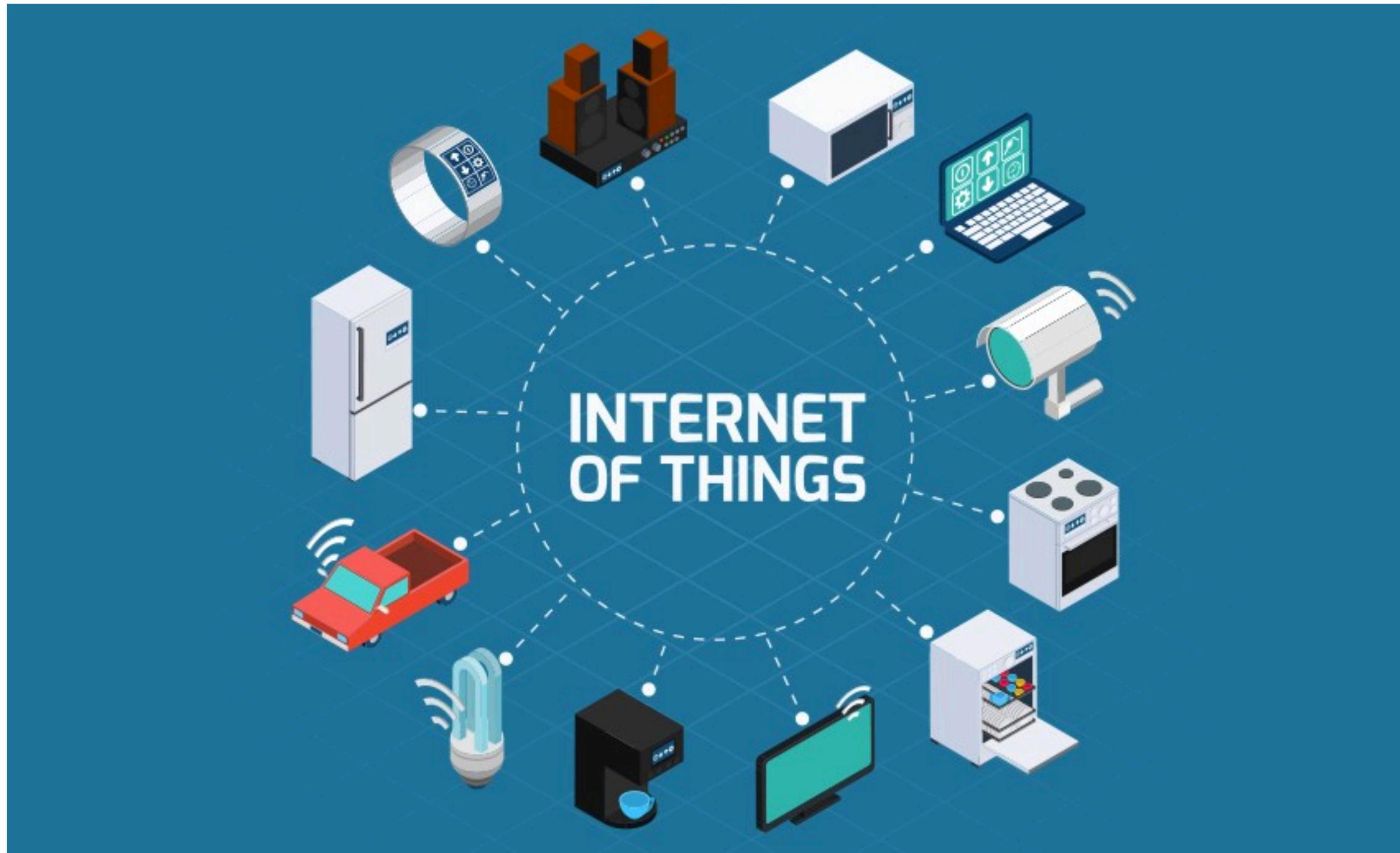


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From Wikipedia:

“The **Internet of Things (IoT)** is a system of interrelated computing devices, mechanical and digital machines, objects, animals or people that are provided with unique identifiers (UIDs) and the ability to transfer data over a network without requiring human-to-human or human-to-computer interaction.”

Internet of Things

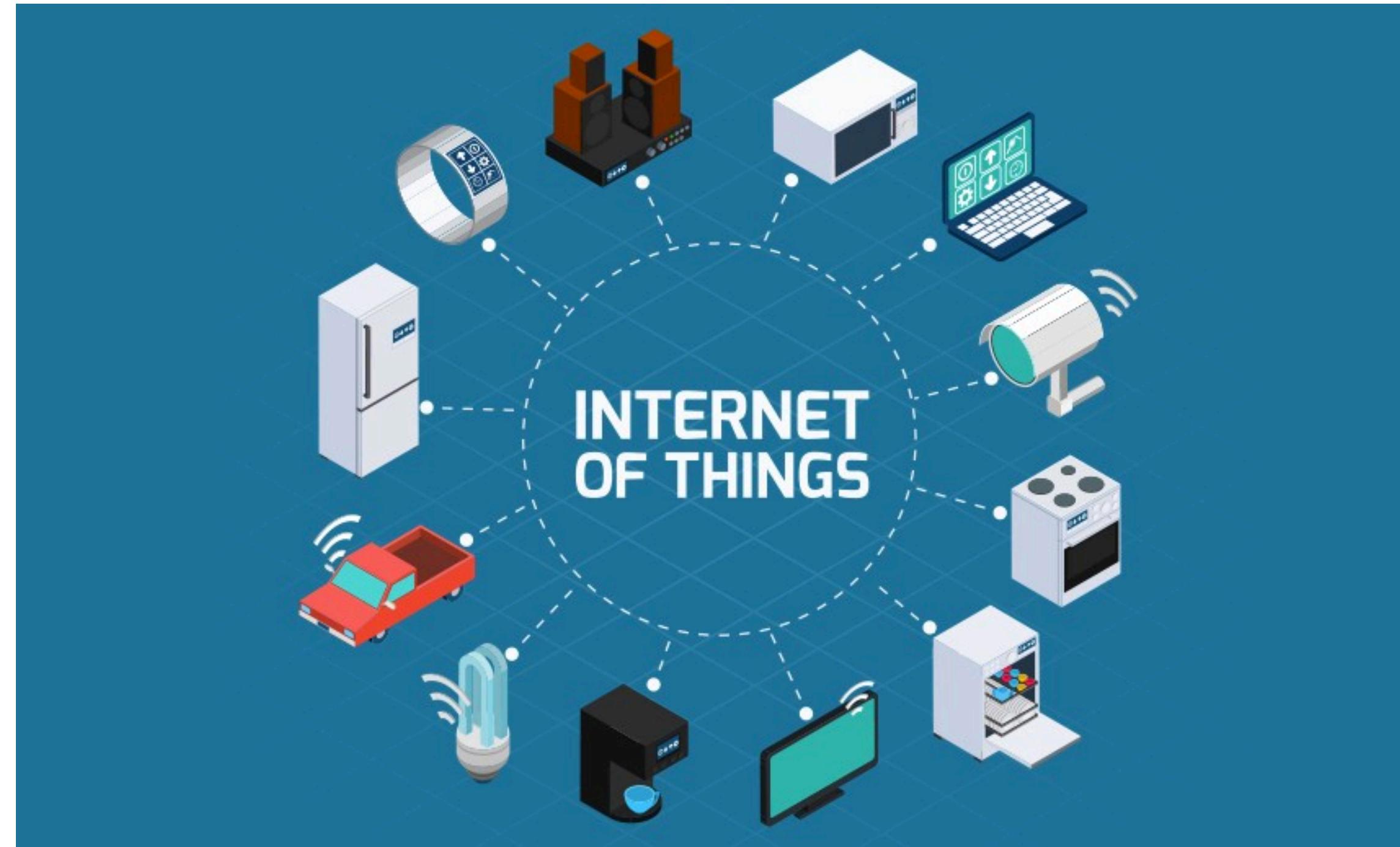


From Google:

“The interconnection via the Internet of computing devices embedded in everyday objects, enabling them to send and receive data.”

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Internet of Things



From me:

“An IoT device is one that combines sensing and networked control to actuate in the real world.”

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IoT Examples



<https://www.theverge.com/2019/5/29/18644973/ecobee-smart-thermostat-premium-glass-leak-sensor>

More IoT Examples

Rethink the refrigerator

From creating shopping lists to coordinating schedules to playing your favorite song and mirroring your TV shows, the Family Hub™ keeps your life more connected than ever.



Smart toasters are here

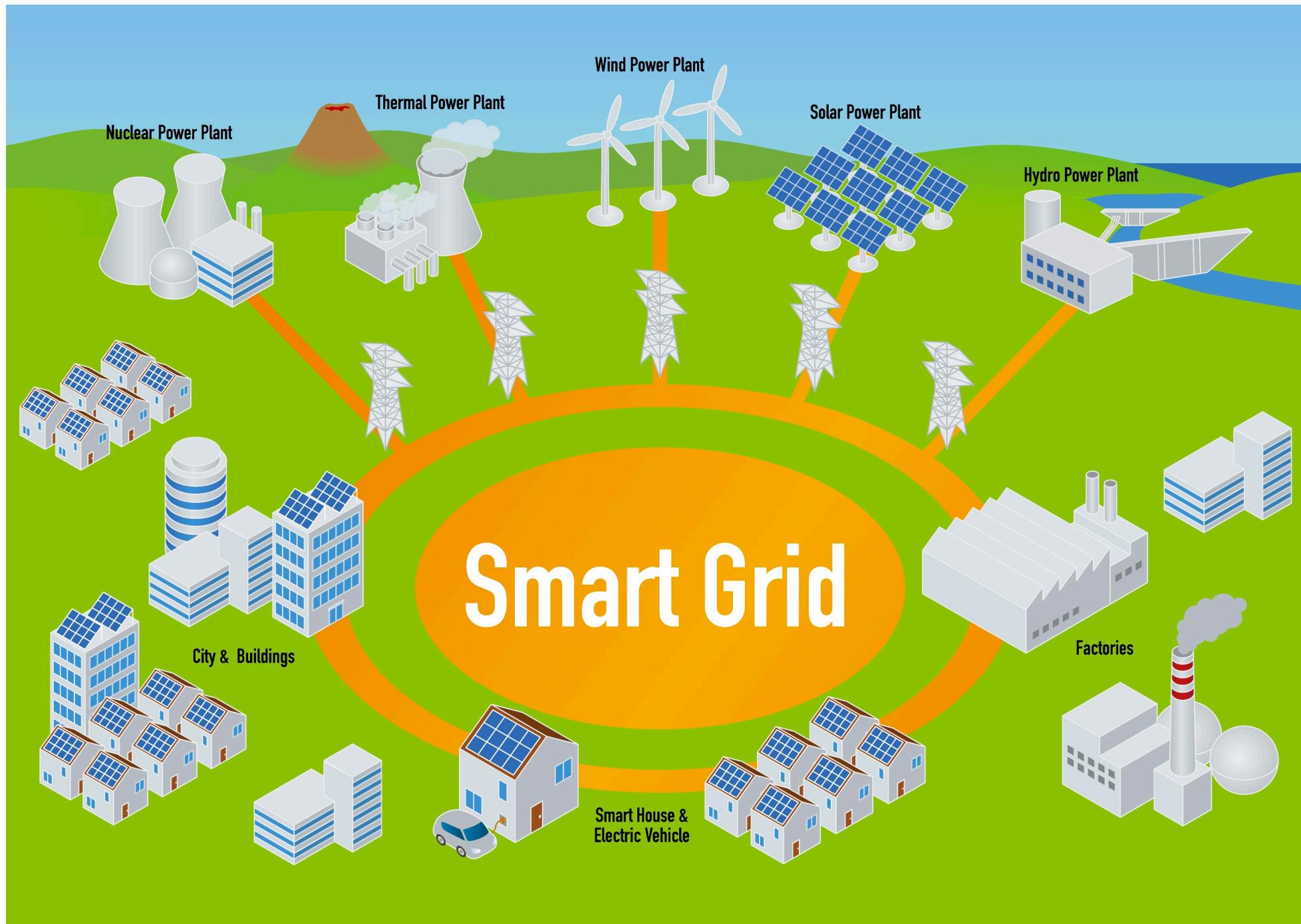


What Are Smart Clothes?

Discover how your clothes can improve your life

<https://www.designnews.com/automation-motion-control/10-weirdest-iot-applications>

Even More IoT Examples



<https://blog.westmonroepartners.com/the-utility-iot-can-the-smart-grid-make-our-homes-businesses-cities-smarter/>

IoT is much more than just the home – it expands to our critical infrastructure, to our cities, and our everyday lives

Smart home devices attract hackers in their first five minutes online

'World's first Bluetooth hair straighteners' can be easily hacked

Researchers demonstrate new ways to hack your stupidly complex smart home

'I'm in your baby's room': Nest cam hacks show risk of internet-connected devices

How one lightbulb could allow hackers to burgle your home

Security flaws in a popular smart home hub let hackers unlock front doors

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Heterogenous ecosystem

Devices are running on a diverse set of hardware, running bespoke (often vulnerable!) software, and are globally distributed

Wider Attack Surface

Could attack sensor, the device itself, the software controlling the device, the cloud backend

Lack of realistic security measurements

Devices are sitting behind NATs or private networks, making it challenging to diagnose security problems at scale

Mirai

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.

Cyberattack Knocks Out Access to Websites

Popular sites such as Twitter, Netflix and PayPal were unreachable for part of the day

21 KrebsOnSecurity Hit With Record DDoS

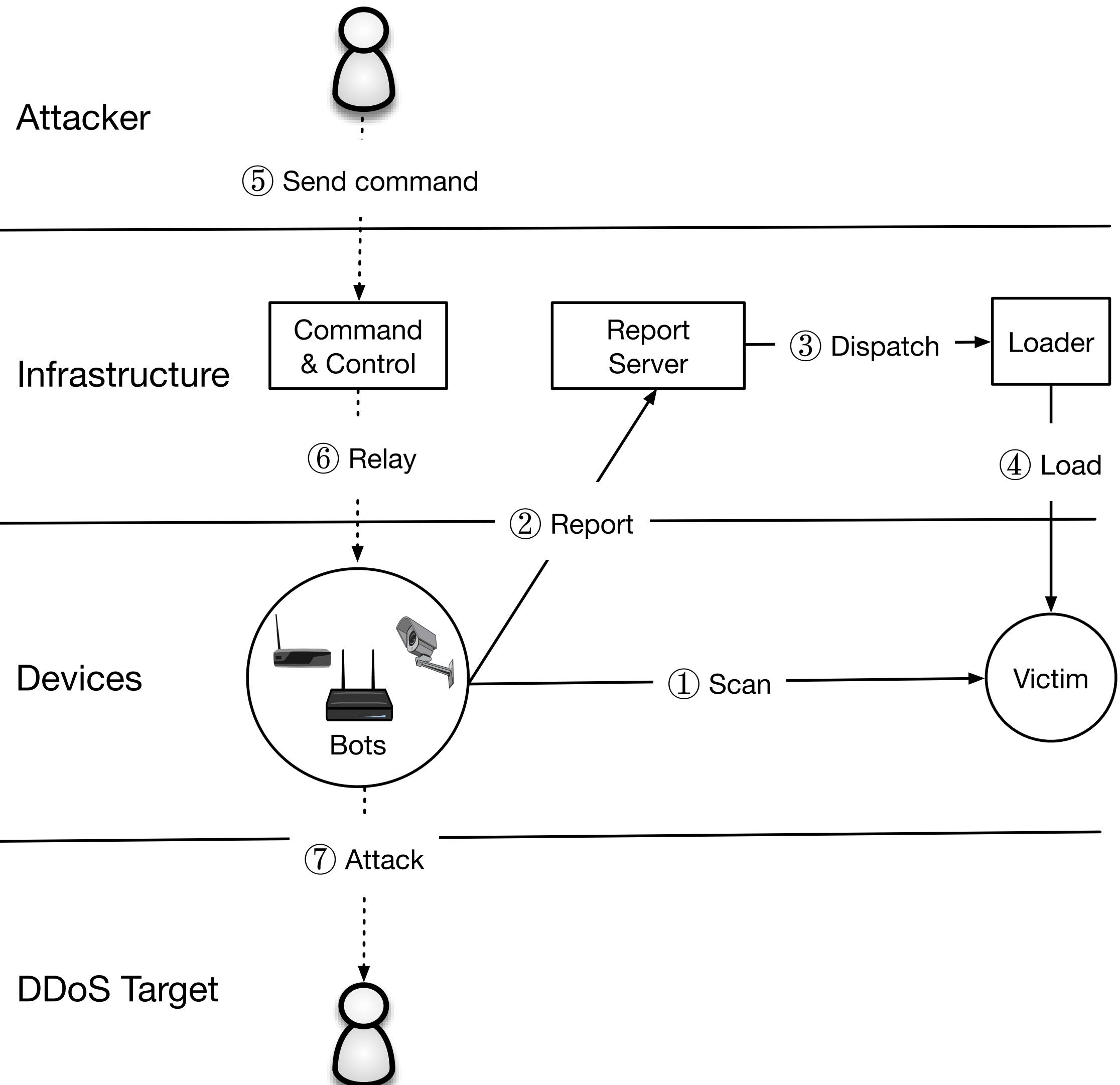
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KrebsOnSecurity
In-depth security news and investigation

01 Source Code for IoT Botnet ‘Mirai’ Released

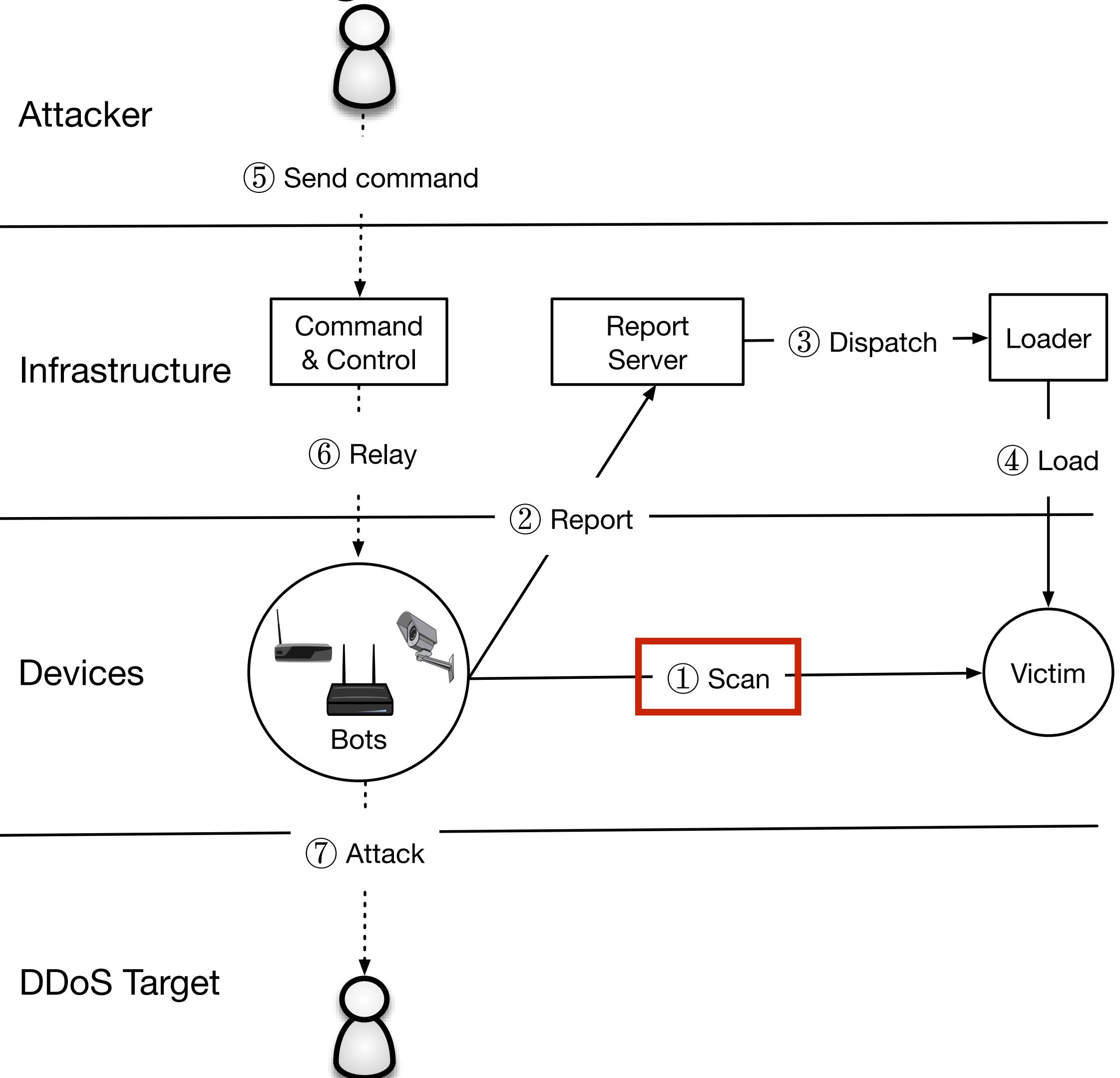
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How Did Mirai Work?

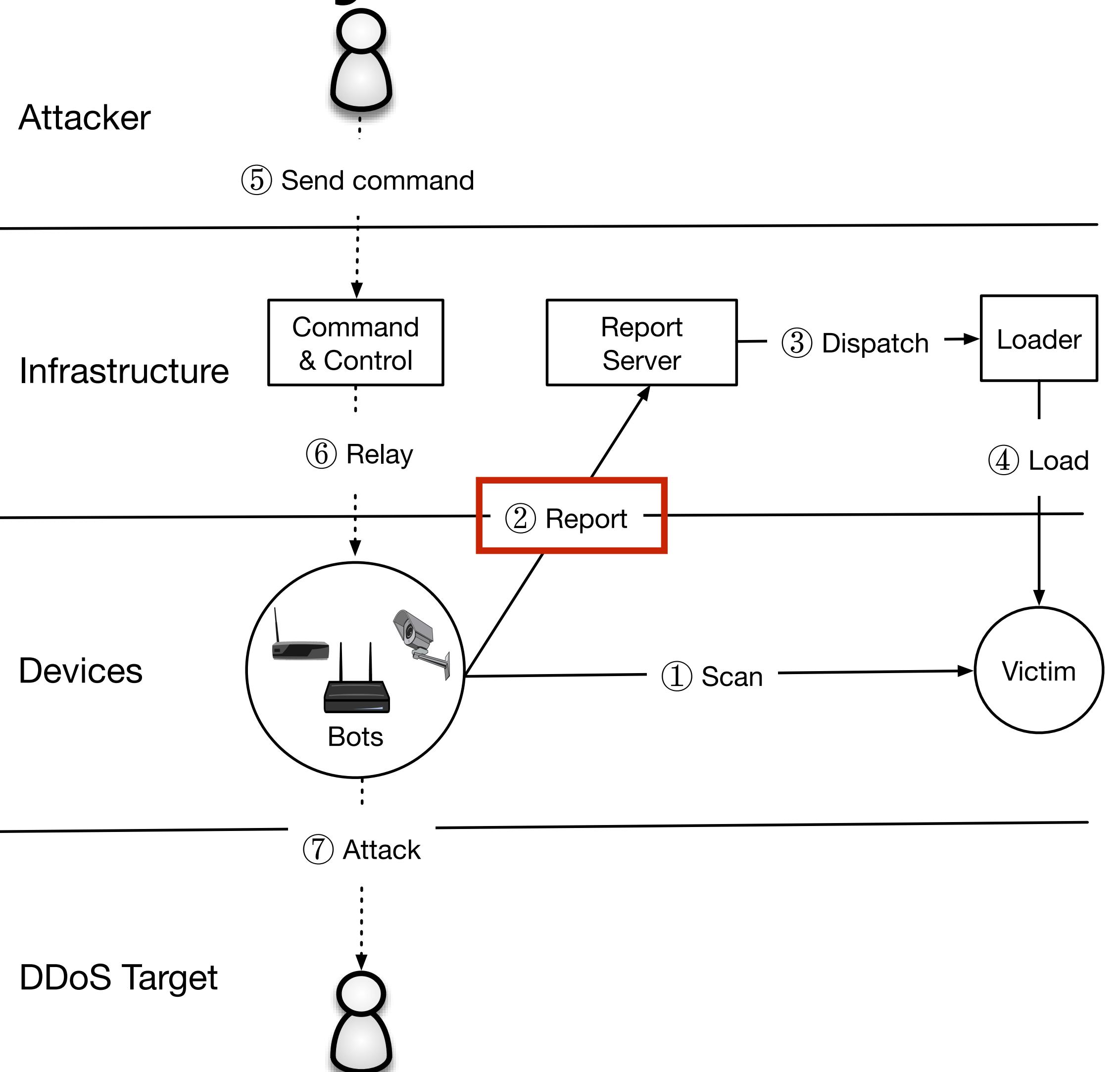


Mirai infected IoT devices with weak, default credentials

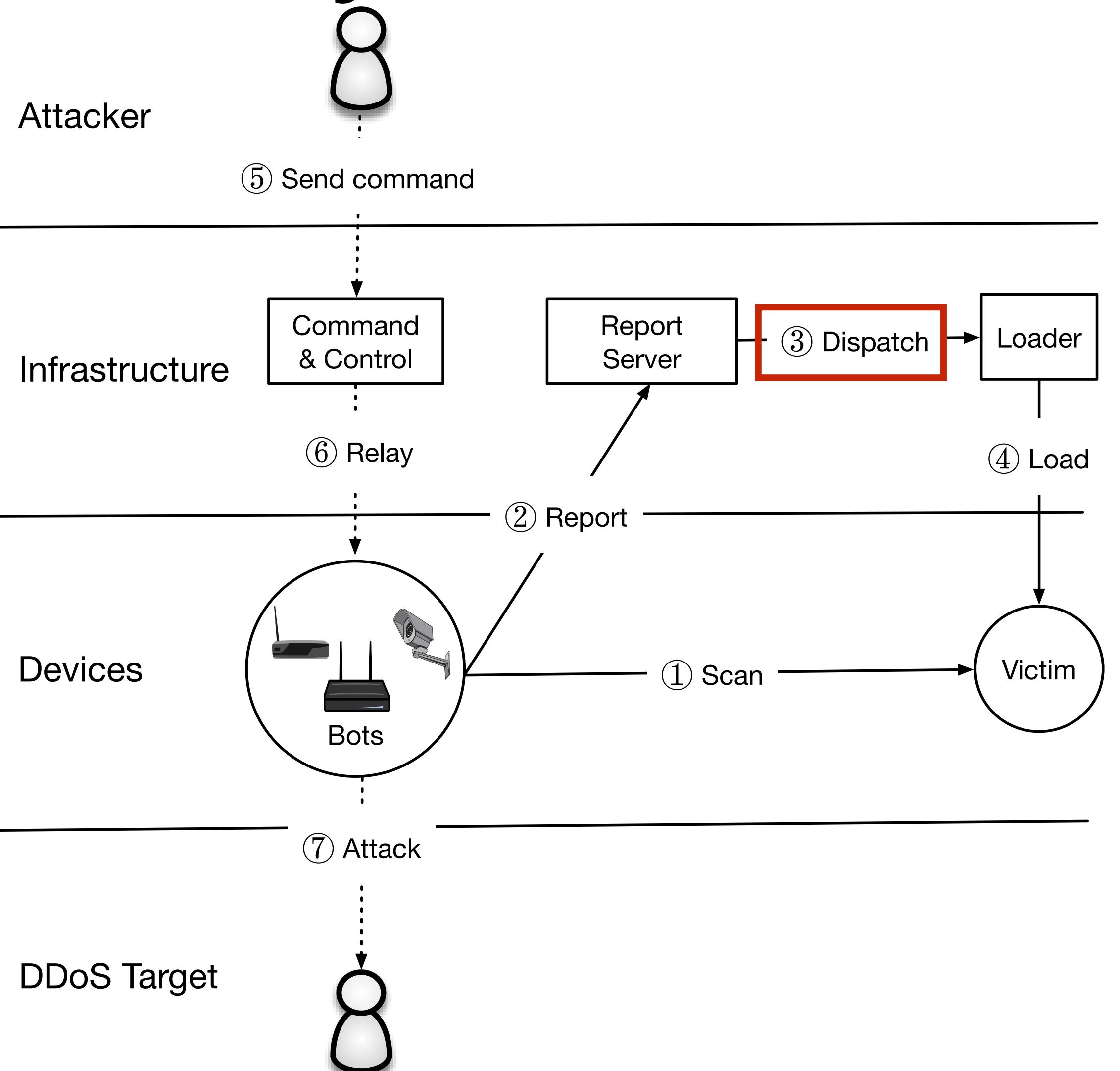
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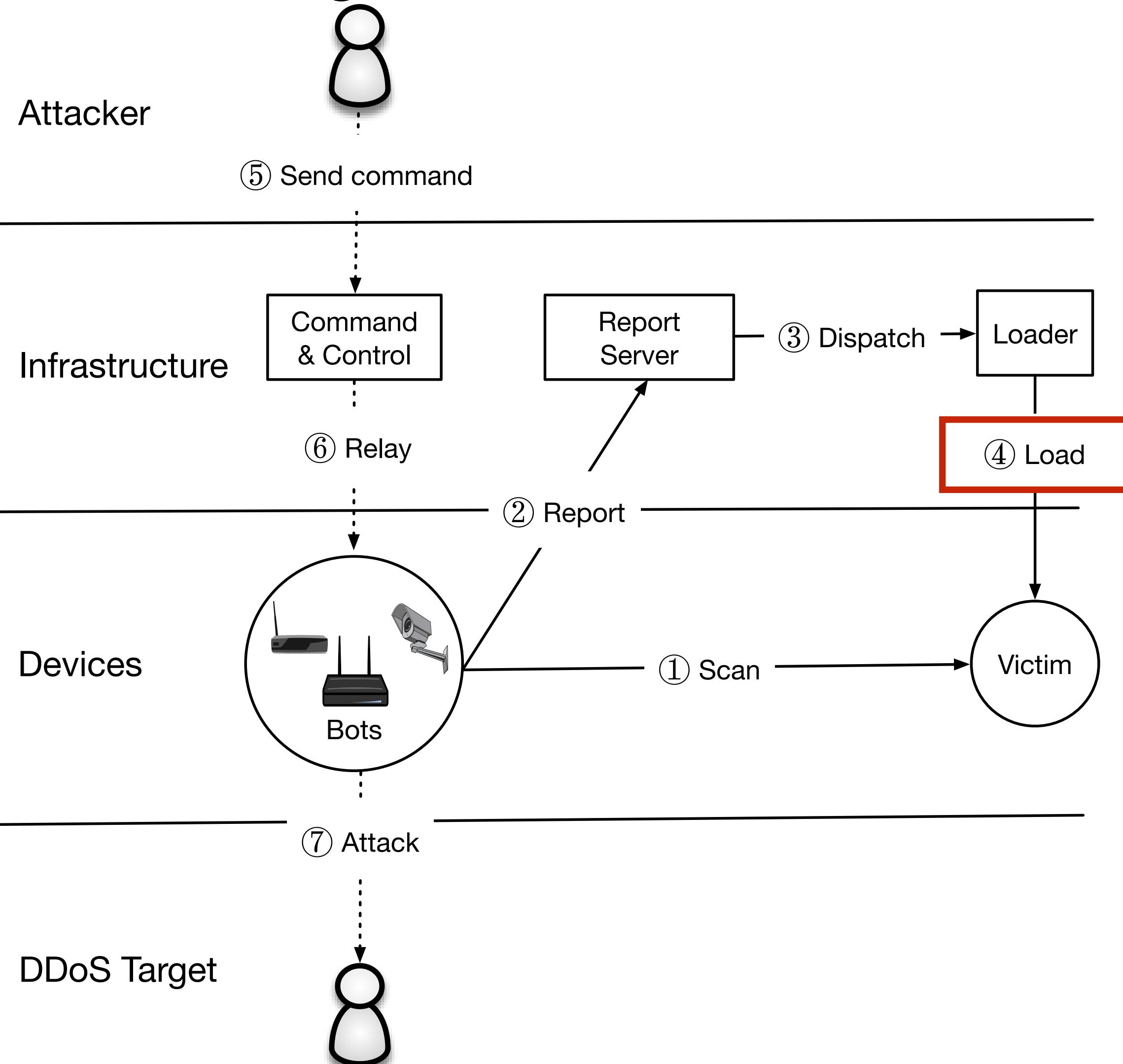
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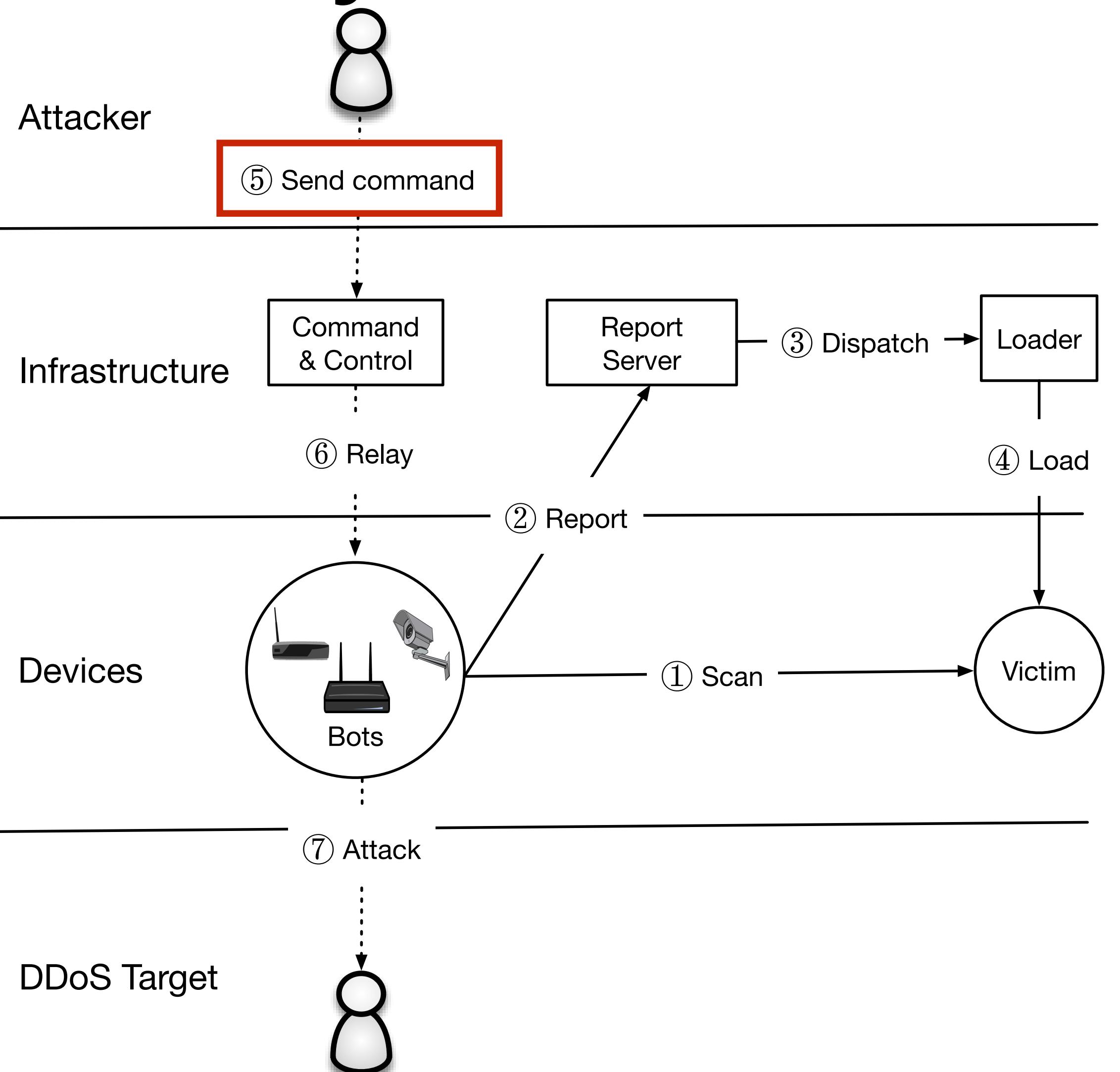
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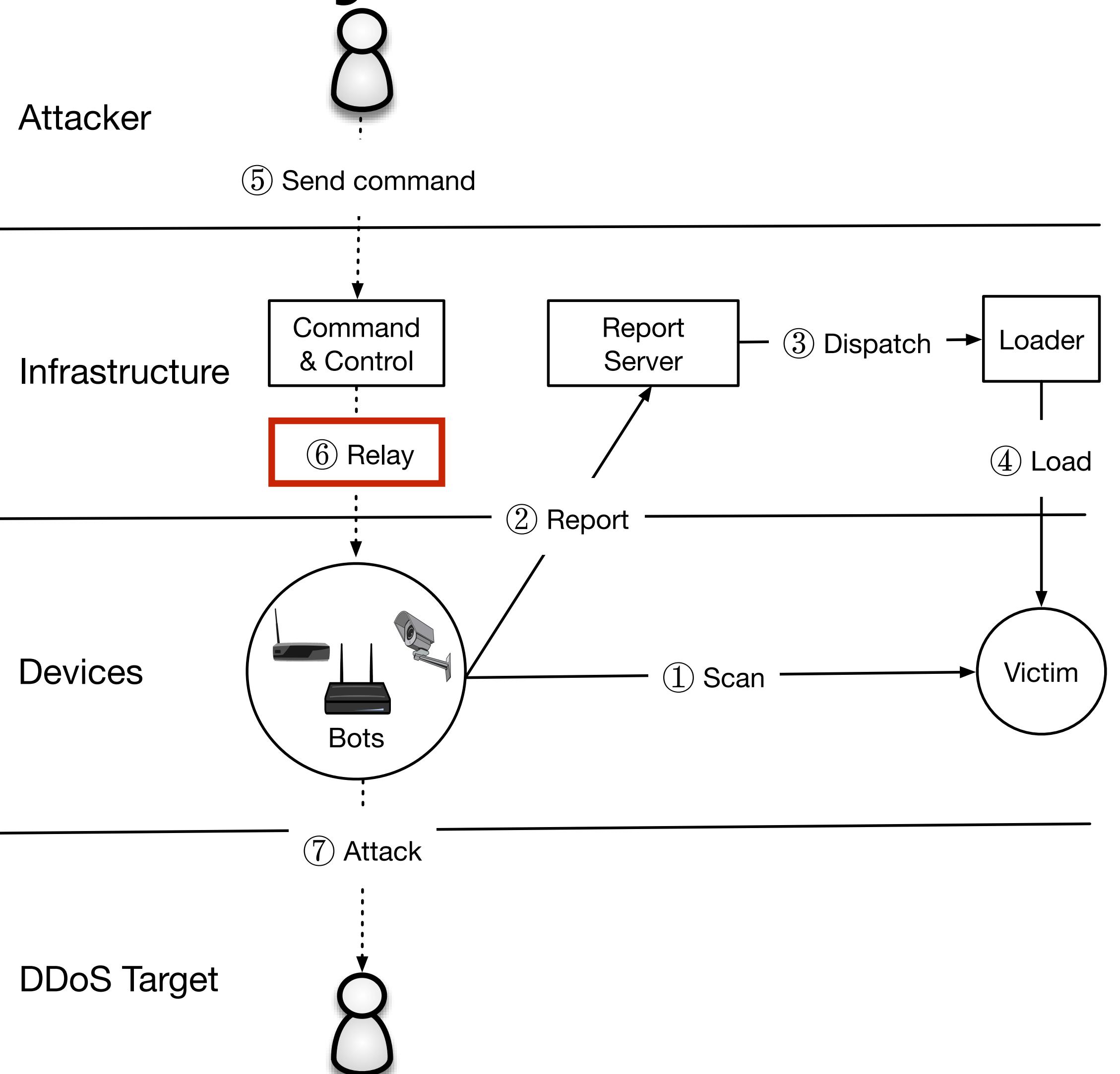
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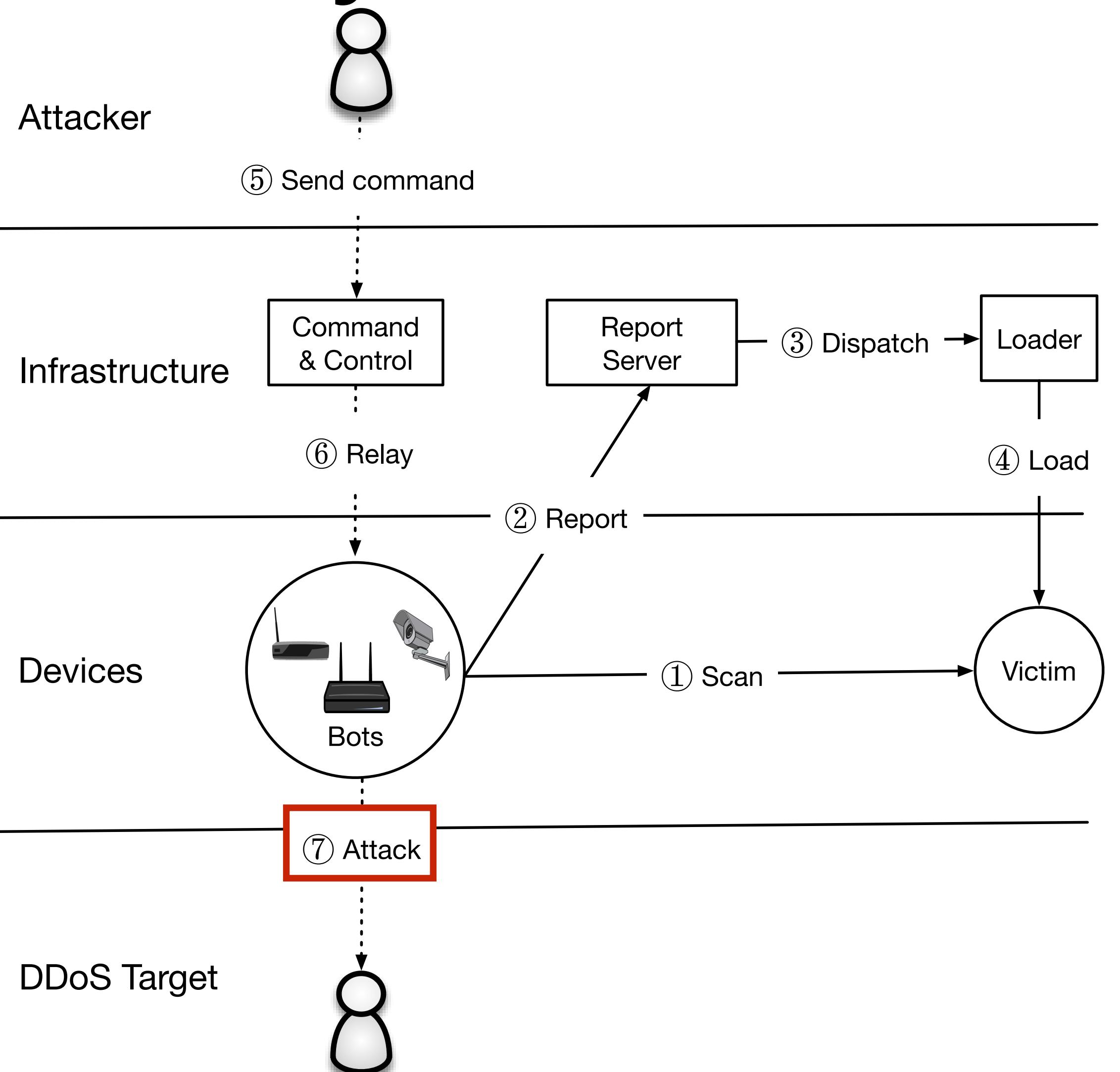
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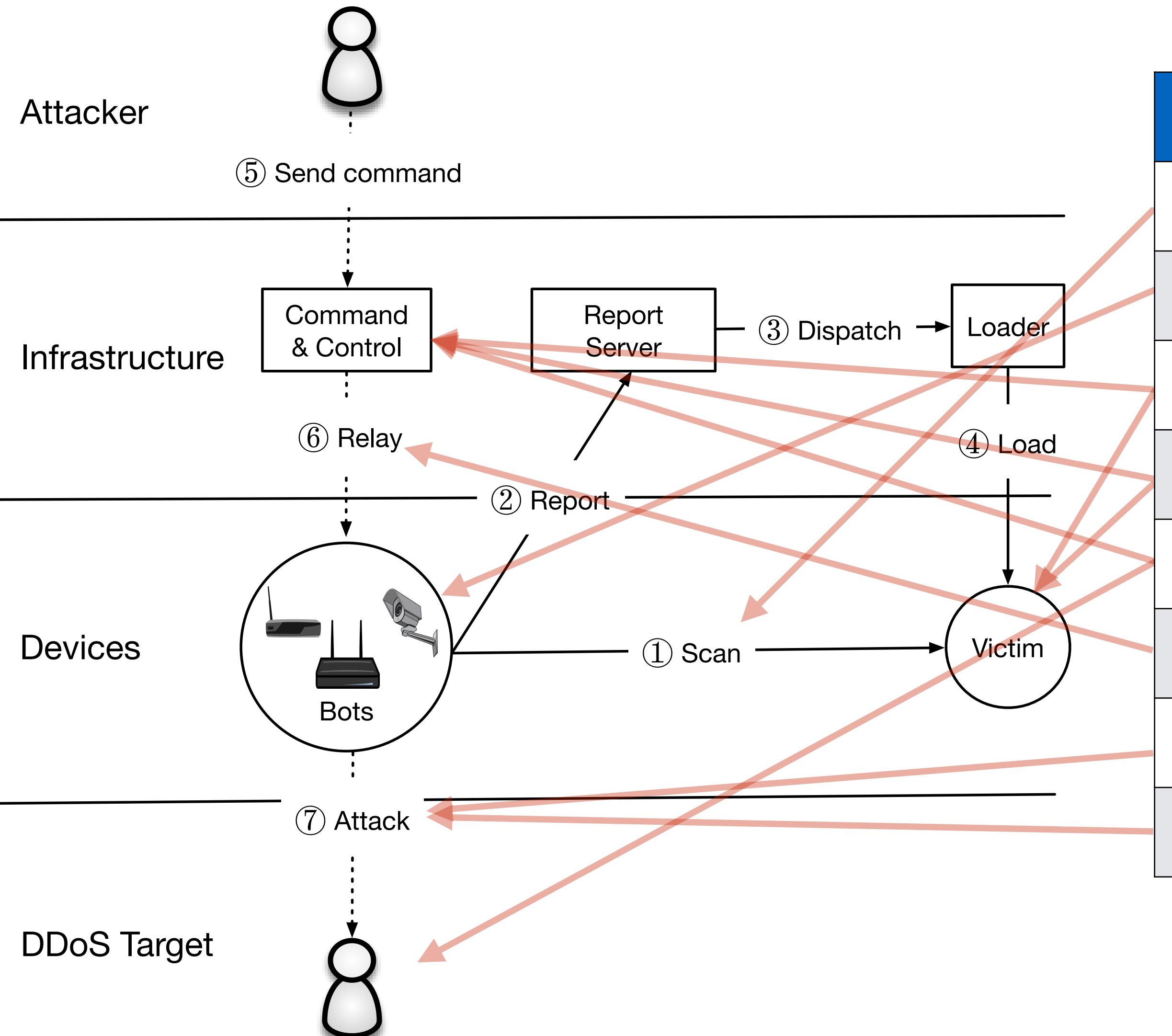
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Measurements



| Data Source | Size |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Network Telescope | 4.7M unused IPs |
| Active Scanning | 136 IPv4 scans |
| Telnet Honeypots | 434 binaries |
| Malware Repository | 594 binaries |
| Active/Passive DNS | 499M daily RRs |
| C2 Milkers | 64K issued attacks |
| Krebs DDoS Attack | 170K attacker IPs |
| Dyn DDoS Attack | 108K attacker IPS |

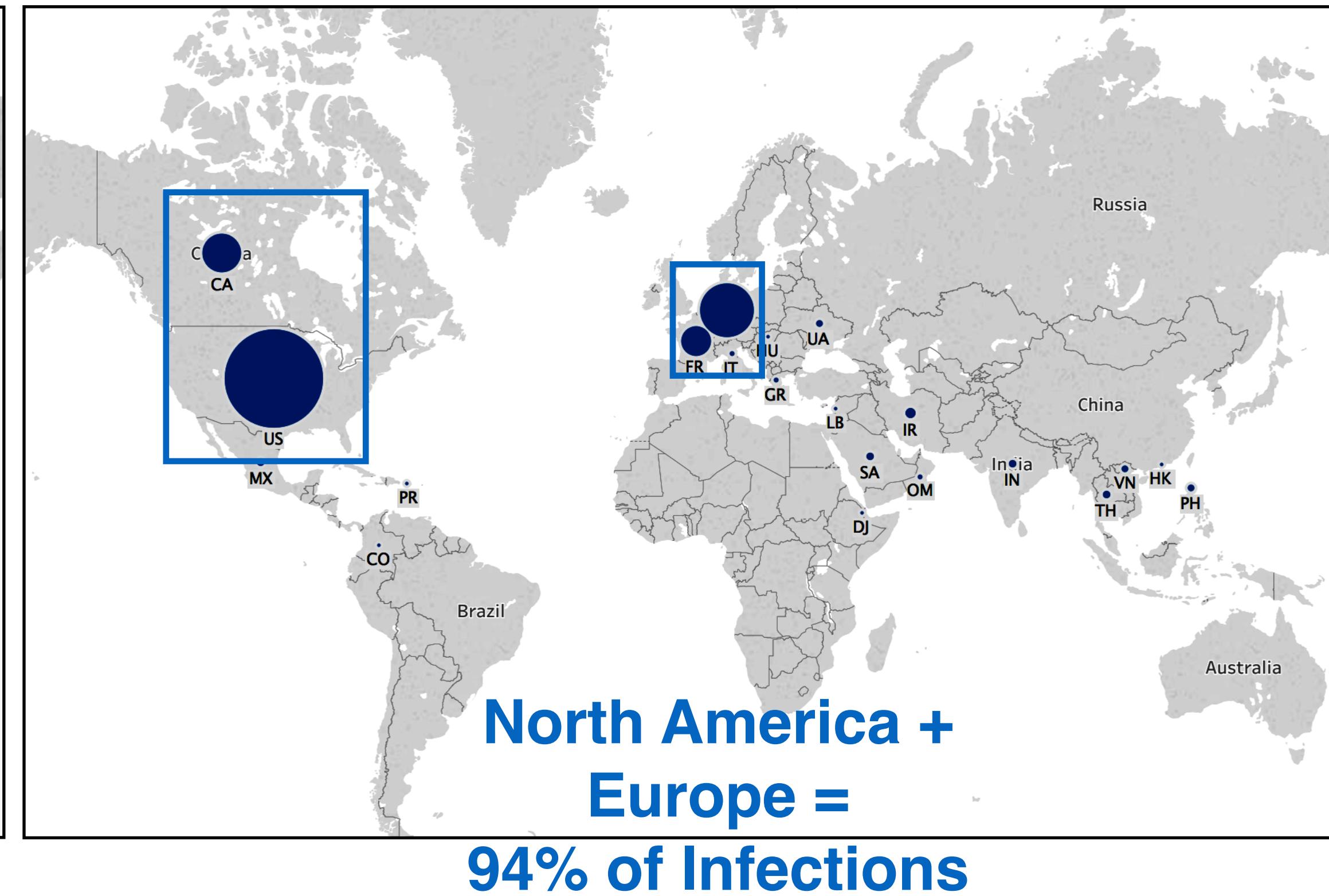
July 2016 - February 2017

Geography

Mirai



TDSS/TDL4



Composition

Targeted Default Passwords

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|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 123456 | ACTi IP Camera | klv1234 | HiSilicon IP Camera | 1111 | Xerox Printer |
| anko | ANKO Products DVR | jvbzd | HiSilicon IP Camera | Zte521 | ZTE Router |
| pass | Axis IP Camera | admin | IPX-DDK Network Camera | 1234 | Unknown |
| 888888 | Dahua DVR | system | IQinVision Cameras | 12345 | Unknown |
| 666666 | Dahua DVR | meinsm | Mobotix Network Camera | admin1234 | Unknown |
| vizxv | Dahua IP Camera | 54321 | Packet8 VOIP Phone | default | Unknown |
| 7ujMko0vizxv | Dahua IP Camera | 00000000 | Panasonic Printer | fucker | Unknown |
| 7ujMko0admin | Dahua IP Camera | realtek | RealTek Routers | guest | Unknown |
| 666666 | Dahua IP Camera | 1111111 | Samsung IP Camera | password | Unknown |
| dreambox | Dreambox TV Receiver | xmhdipc | Shenzhen Anran Camera | root | Unknown |
| juantech | Guangzhou Juan Optical | smcadmin | SMC Routers | service | Unknown |
| xc3511 | H.264 Chinese DVR | ikwb | Toshiba Network Camera | support | Unknown |
| OxhlwSG8 | HiSilicon IP Camera | ubnt | Ubiquiti AirOS Router | tech | Unknown |
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| 204.13.250.5 | ns2.p05.dynect.net |
| 208.78.71.5 | ns3.p05.dynect.net |
| 204.13.251.5 | ns4.p05.dynect.net |
| 198.107.156.219 | service.playstation.net |
| 216.115.91.57 | service.playstation.net |

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- Top targets are linked to Sony PlayStation
- Attacks on Dyn interspersed among attacks on other game services

How a Dorm Room *Minecraft* Scam Brought Down the Internet

The DDoS attack that crippled the internet last fall wasn't the work of a nation-state. It was three college kids working a *Minecraft* hustle.

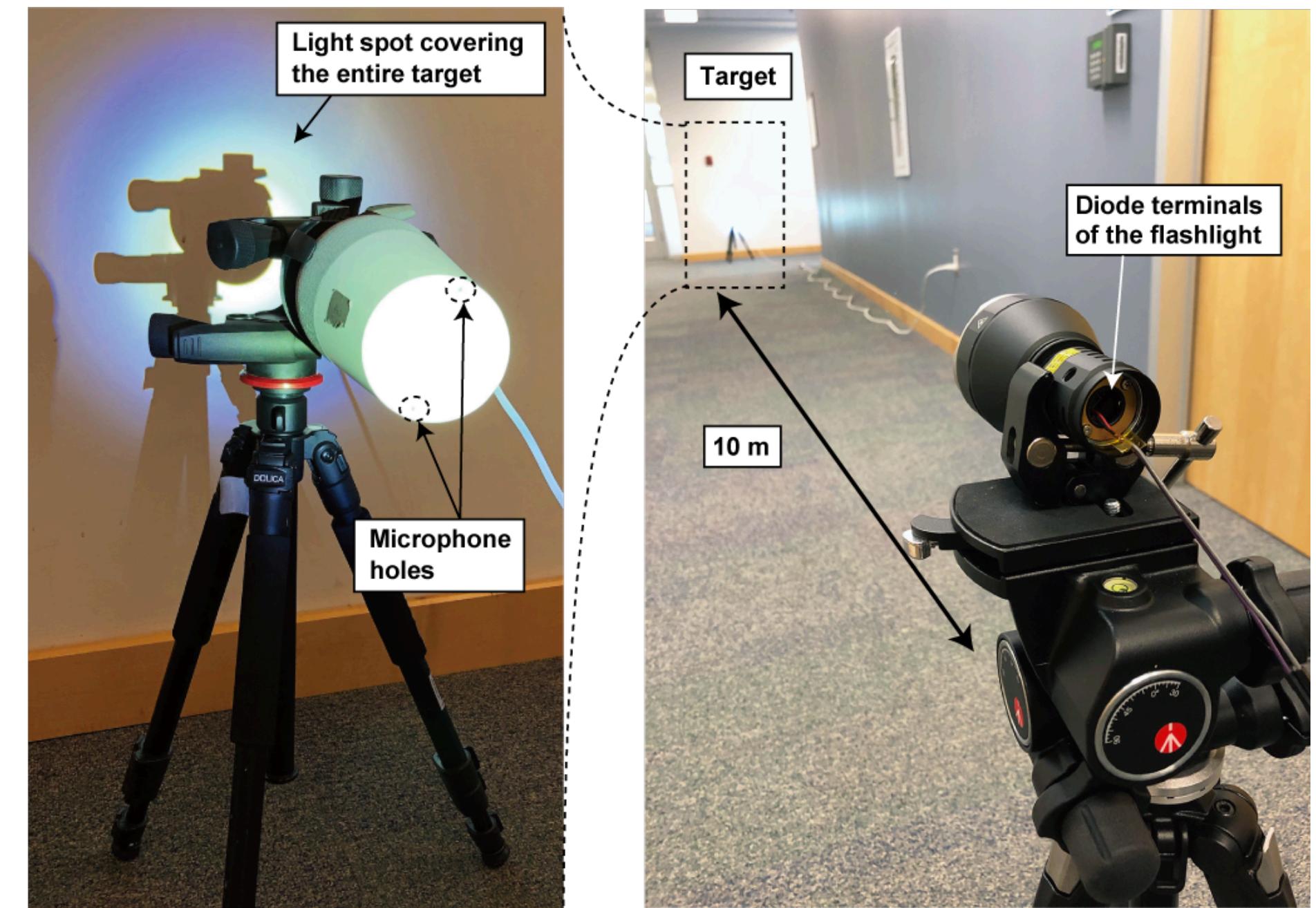
Where else could IoT go wrong?

Attacking the Sensors



LIGHT COMMANDS

Laser-Based Audio Injection on
Voice-Controllable Systems



<https://lightcommands.com/>

Attacking the Mobile App



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TABLE I: Summary of IoT Devices under Testing

| Device Type | Vendor | Device Model | Firmware Version | Official Mobile App (Android ¹) | Protocol and Format (Encrypted: Yes/No) |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|---|---|
| IP Camera | D-Link | DCS-5010L | 1.13 | com.dlink.mydlinkmyhome | HTTP, K-V Pairs (N) |
| Smart Bulb | TP-Link | LB100 | 1.1.2 | com.tplink.kasa_android | UDP, JSON (Y) |
| | KONKE | KK-Light | 1.1.0 | com.kankunitus.smartplugcronus | UDP, String (Y) |
| Smart Plug | Belkin | Wemo Switch | 2.00 | com.belkin.wemoandroid | HTTP, XML (N) |
| | TP-Link | HS110 | v1_151016 | com.tplink.kasa_android | TCP, JSON (Y) |
| | D-Link | DSP-W215 | 1.02 | com.dlink.mydlinkmyhome | HNAP, XML (N) |
| Printer | Brother | HL-L5100DN | Ver. E | com.brother.mfc.brprint | LPD & HTTP, URI (N) |
| NAS | Western Digital | My Passport Pro | 1.01.08 | com.wdc.wd2go | HTTP, JSON (N) |
| | | My Cloud | 2.21.126 | com.wdc.wd2go | HTTP, JSON (N) |
| | QNAP | TS-212P | 4.2.2 | com.qnap.qmanager | HTTP, K-V Pairs (N) |
| IoT Hub | Philips | Hue Bridge | 01036659 | com.philips.lighting.hue | HTTP, JSON (N) |
| Home Router | NETGEAR | N300 | 1.0.0.34 | com.dragonflow | HTTP, XML (N) |
| | Linksys | E1200 | 2.0.7 | com.cisco.connect.cloud | HNAP, XML (N) |
| | Xiaomi | Xiaomi Router | 2.19.32 | com.xiaomi.router | HTTP, K-V Pairs (N) |
| Story Teller | Xiaomi | C-1 | 1.2.4_89 | com.xiaomi.smarthome | UDP, JSON (Y) |
| Extension Socket | KONKE | Mini-K Socket | sva.1.4 | com.kankunitus.smartplugcronus | UDP, String (Y) |
| Humidifier | POVOS | PW103 | v2.0.1 | com.benteng.smartplugcronus | UDP, String (Y) |

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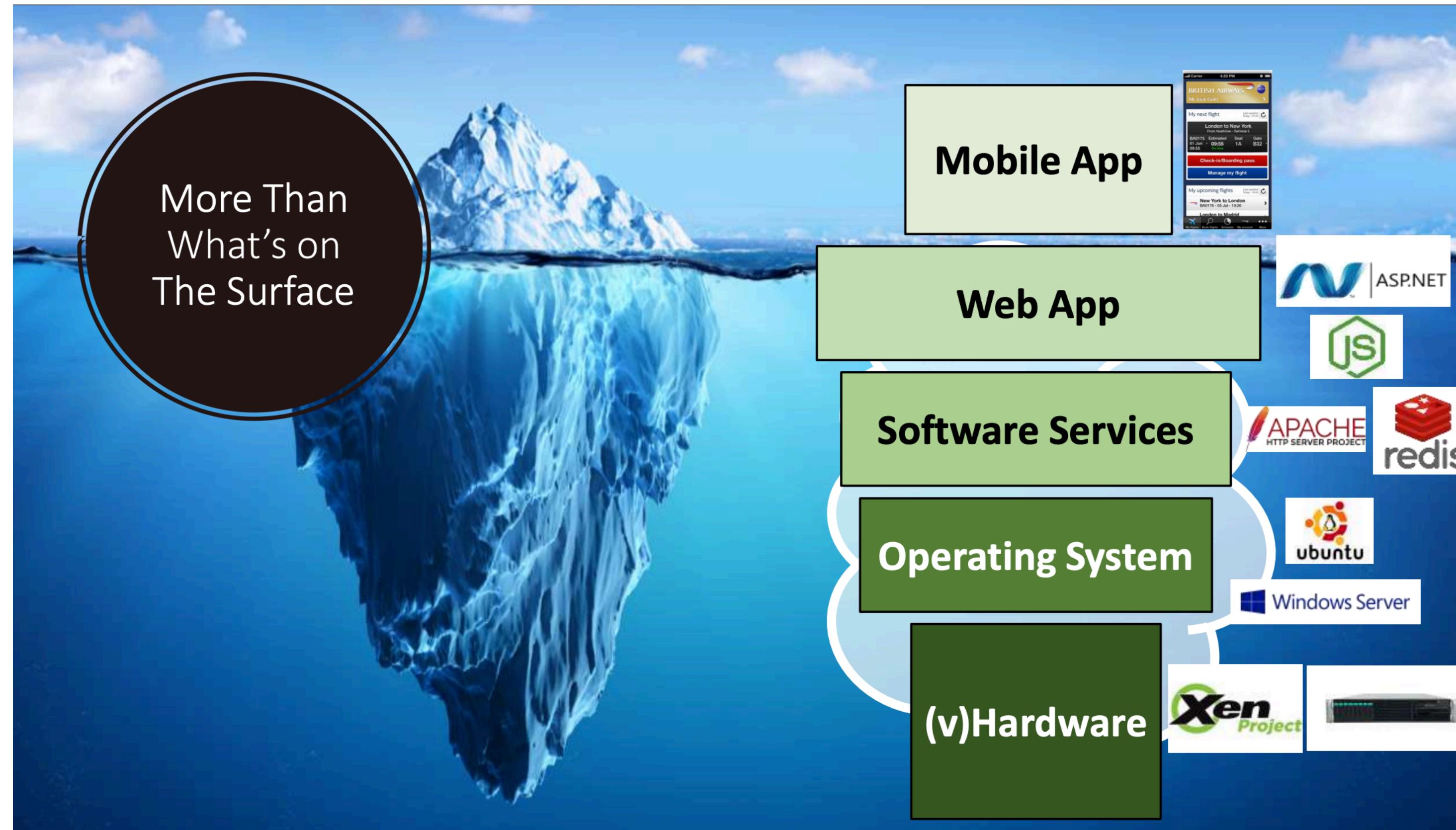
TABLE II: Summary of Discovered Vulnerabilities

| Device | Vulnerability Type | # of Issues | Remotely Exploitable? |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Belkin WeMo (Switch) | Null Pointer Dereference | 1 | No |
| TP-Link HS110 (Plug) | Null Pointer Dereference | 3 | No |
| D-Link DSP-W215 (Plug) | Buffer Overflow (Stack-based) | 4 | Yes |
| WD My Cloud (NAS) | Buffer Overflow (Stack-based) | 1 | Yes |
| QNAP TS-212P (NAS) | Buffer Overflow (Heap-based) | 2 | Yes |
| Brother HL-L5100DN (Printer) | Unknown Crash | 1 | Not determined |
| Philips Hue Bridge (Hub) | Unknown Crash | 1 | Not determined |
| WD My Passport Pro (NAS) | Unknown Crash | 1 | Not determined |
| POVOS PW103 (Humidifier) | Unknown Crash | 1 | Not determined |

IoTFuzzer: Discovering Memory Corruptions in IoT Through App-based Fuzzing

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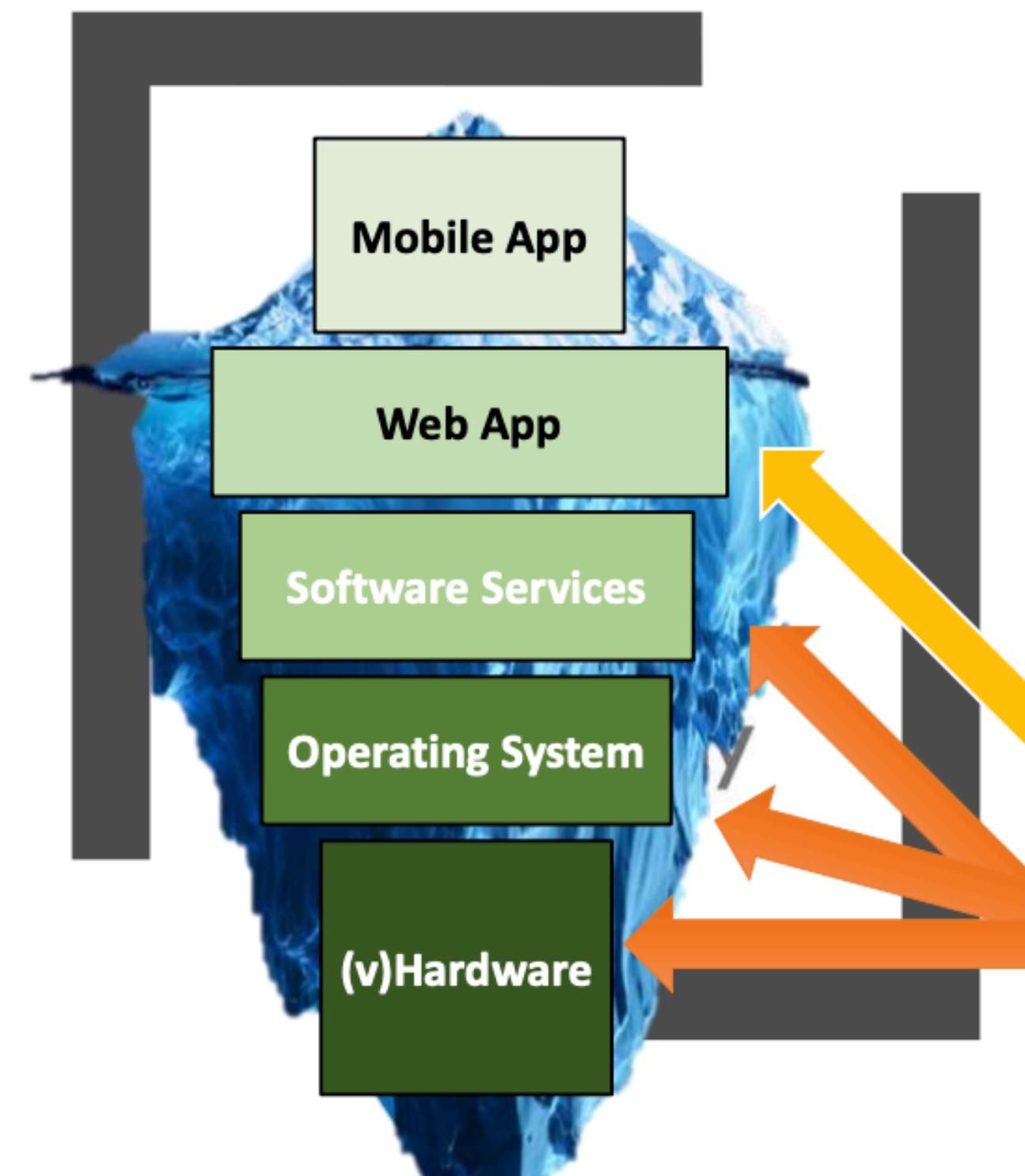
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Google Play Store

- Top 5,000 apps from August 2018
- We found
 - Over **600 0-DAY**
 - Over **900 N-DAY**
- 0-day vulnerabilities affect web apps
- N-day affects software below the web apps

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| Books & Reference | 332 | 15 | 49 | 55 | 71 | 190 | 365 | 653 | 501 | 354 | 1,873 |
| Business | 145 | 5 | 22 | 10 | 37 | 74 | 93 | 258 | 150 | 113 | 614 |
| Entertainment | 1,177 | 36 | 108 | 158 | 170 | 472 | 746 | 913 | 942 | 783 | 3,384 |
| Games | 1,283 | 34 | 81 | 147 | 106 | 368 | 290 | 804 | 651 | 444 | 2,189 |
| Lifestyle | 363 | 20 | 50 | 79 | 72 | 221 | 262 | 665 | 311 | 237 | 1,475 |
| Misc | 199 | 6 | 21 | 45 | 46 | 118 | 76 | 422 | 163 | 105 | 766 |
| Tools | 792 | 19 | 84 | 184 | 115 | 402 | 729 | 796 | 812 | 464 | 2,801 |
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What can we do about it?

Future Directions

Security Hardening

Automatic Updates

Device Attribution + Provenance

Defragmentation

End-of-life

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