



2014 DATA BREACH INVESTIGATIONS REPORT

CYBER-ESPIONAGE

DOS ATTACKS

CRIMEWARE

WEB APP ATTACKS

INSIDER MISUSE

MISCELLANEOUS ERRORS

PHYSICAL THEFT AND LOSS

PAYMENT CARD SKIMMERS

POINT-OF-SALE INTRUSIONS

92%

THE UNIVERSE OF THREATS MAY SEEM LIMITLESS, BUT 92% OF THE 100,000 INCIDENTS WE'VE ANALYZED FROM THE LAST 10 YEARS CAN BE DESCRIBED BY JUST NINE BASIC PATTERNS.

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