



Infrastructure Security Survey

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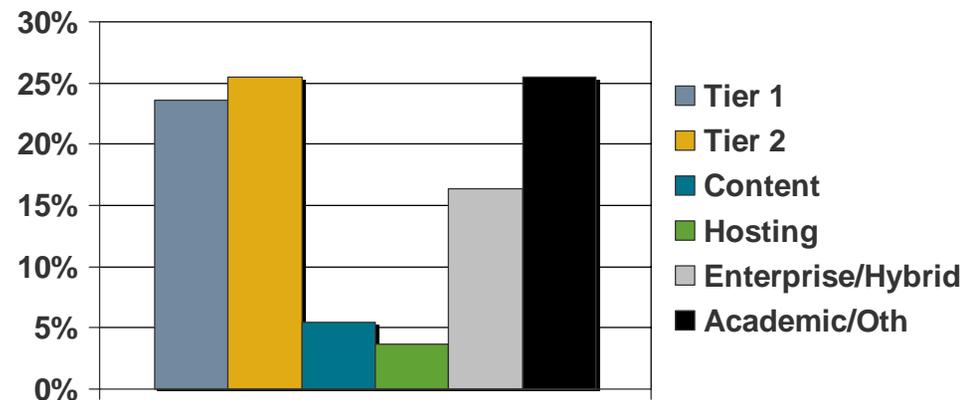


Security to the Core. Performance to the Edge.™

Security Survey Overview

- Bi-annual survey, second edition representing 2H2005
- 55 respondents from network security operators - 65% increase from previous edition
- Respondents distributed across Tier-1, Tier-2, Large Content, Hosting, Academic & Enterprise networks - self categorized

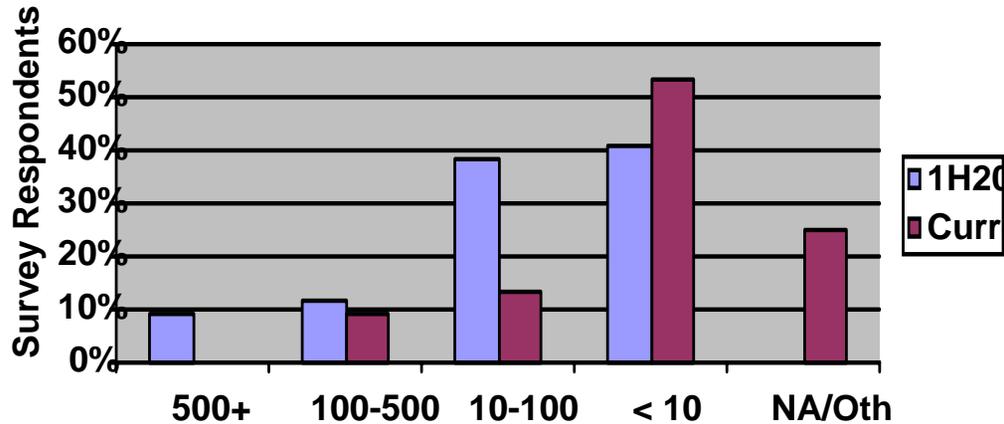
Respondent Organization Type



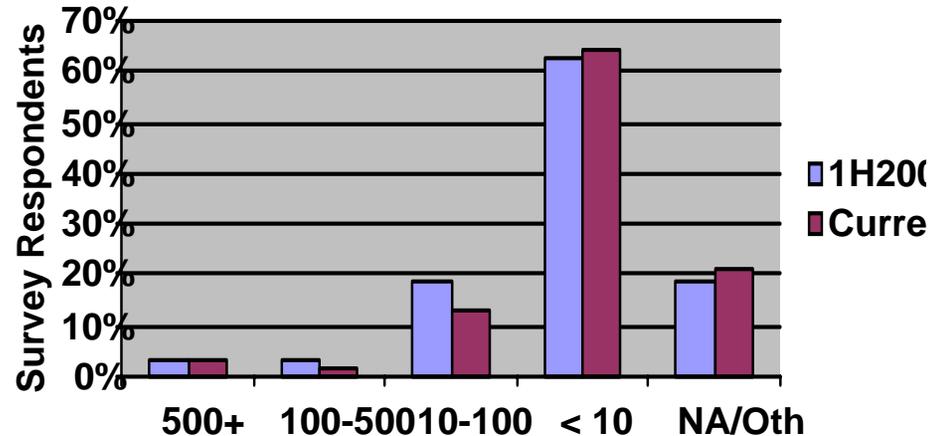
Impacting Attacks Frequency



Customer Impactin



Infrastructure Impact

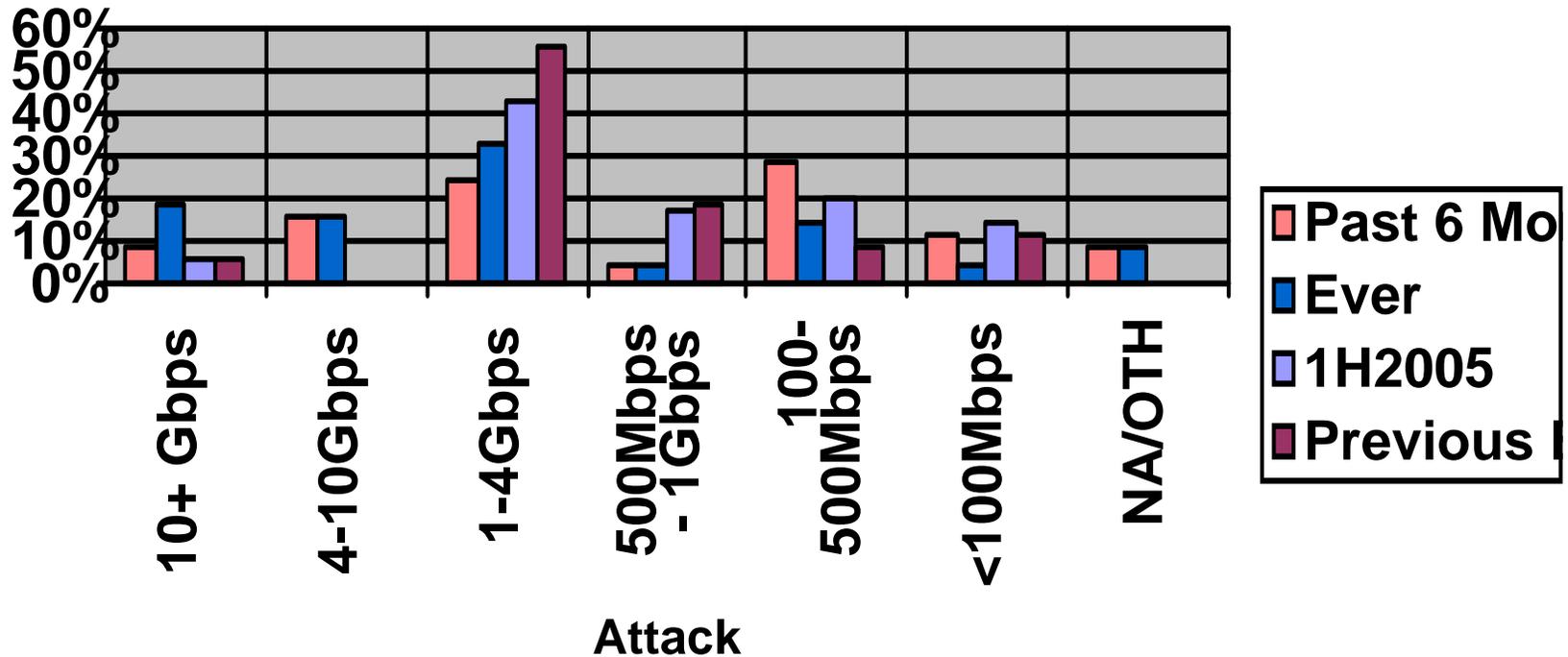


Actionable attacks only, infrastructure attacks may have been resultant of collateral damage



Largest Attacks Observed

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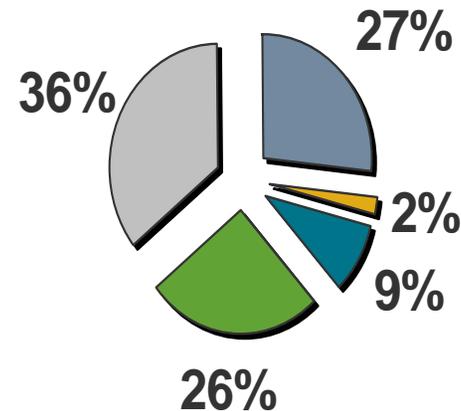


10 respondents have observed attacks greater than 10 Gbps sustained - an additional 25 from 1 - 10Gbps. Largest attack reported at 17 Gbps sustained!

Attack Vectors

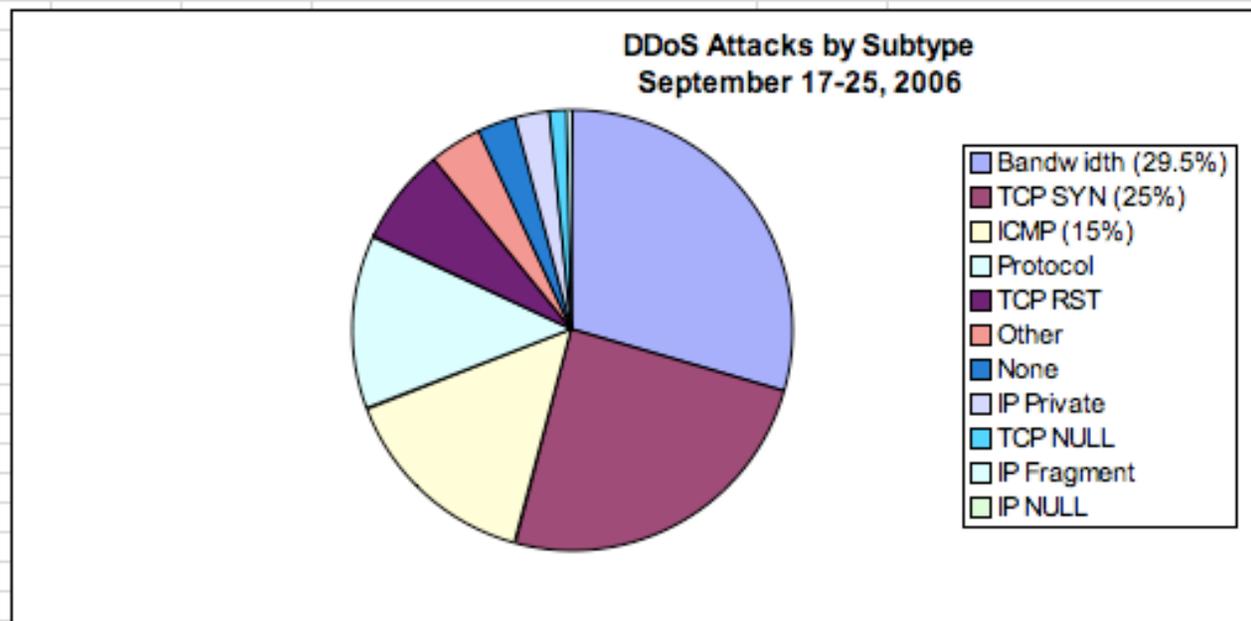
- Simple misuse “brute force” attacks still dominant
- Attacks of 14Mpps (SYN) and 22Mpps (UDP Flood) reported, also 17Gbps attack reported

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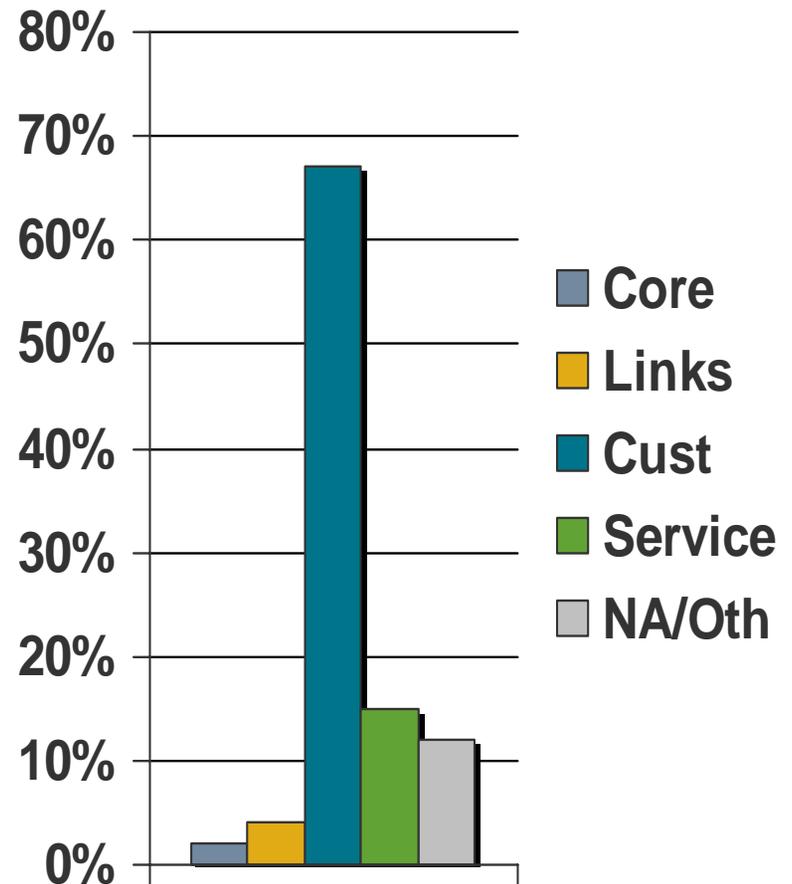


Bandwidth (29.5%)	1056	29.43964			
TCP SYN (25%)	886	24.70031			
ICMP (15%)	537	14.97073			
Protocol	461	12.85197			
TCP RST	263	7.332032			
Other	134	3.735712			
None	100	2.787845			
IP Private	93	2.592696			
TCP NULL	46	1.282409			
IP Fragment	8	0.223028			
IP NULL	3	0.083635			
			NOTES		
			16 ISPs around the world reporting		
			3587 total attacks seen		
			Largest Attacks in this timeframe	1.8 Gbps	Incoming attack
				4.3 Mpps	Incoming TCP SYN attacks (6 total)
			10% of all attacks against HTTP		
			783 attacks against US targets		846 attacks from US networks
			268 against Russian sites		168 from Japanese networks
			19 against UK networks		57 from UK networks



Attack Targets

- Core infrastructure and customer links rarely targeted - specific customers primary target
- Services such as DNS second target of choice



Attack Targets

- IRC/chat most common response
- Gaming servers
- Adult entertainment sites
- Gambling/Online bookmakers
- Religious/Political
- *“The kind that pay protection :-)”*

Trends in botnets

- Commonly observe 150K node botnets
- Smaller & better organized
- Better obfuscated
- More capabilities
- Using public IRC servers now
- More difficult to monitor
- More botnets - more firepower
- *“Better marketing by botherders”*

From: Botnet Hosting <bhosting@gmail.com>
Subject: **Bulletproof Hosting Solutions For Your Company**
Date: April 17, 2006 12:36:07 PM MDT
To: Customers@tcb.net

Tired of being scammed?
Tired of server's downtime?
Tired of high latency?
Being Blocked or Blacklisted too fast?

FORGET ABOUT THAT!

Get rid of asian datacenters and choose a better Spam friendly solution with us.
We have the latest development in Bulletproof Webservers that will handle your high complaint loads.

Botnet Hosting Servers

5 Ips that changes every 10 minutes (with different ISP)
Excellent ping and uptime.
100 percent uptime guarantee.
Easy Control Panel to add or delete your domains thru webinterface.
Redhat / Debian LINUX OS.
SSH Root Access.
FTP Access.
APACHE2 PHP CURL ZEND MYSQL FTP SSH.

We also have Direct Sending Servers, and we do Email Lists Mailings.

Contact us for pricing!

ICQ #: 317 107 327
MSN Messenger: support@offshoreboxes.com (do not email to this address)
AIM: botneth
yahoo: botnethosting

DO NOT REPLY TO THIS EMAIL, THIS IS AN AUTOGENERATED EMAIL.
USE IT ONLY TO REMOVE REQUESTS.

Botnet Employment

- Spamming (&& services marketing)
- [spear] Phishing
- DDOS
- ID Theft
- Form & keystroke logging
- Proxy
- Click Fraud
- Scanning
- SSH brute force attacks
- Recursive DNS/DDOS

- 1.5M node botnet observed in the wild



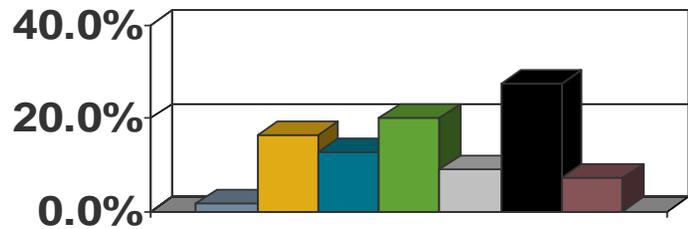
Think of the possibilities!

Security Organizations



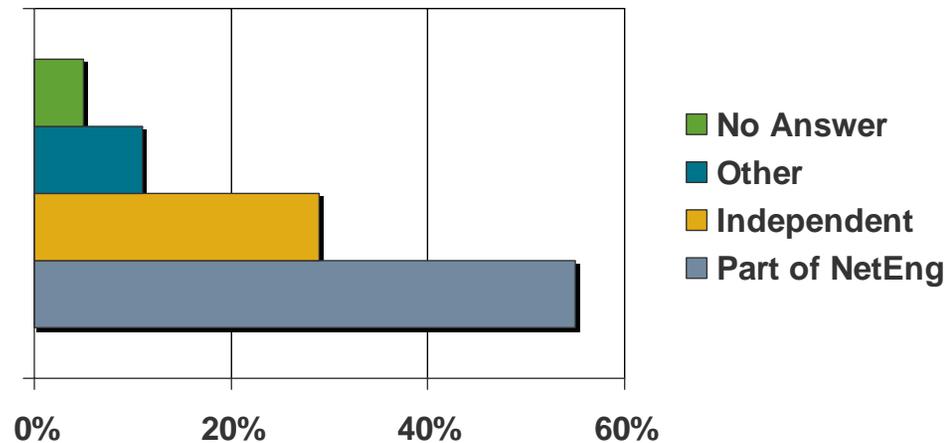
Dedicated Security Staff

Large dedicated staff indicative of large user pool; e.g., dial-up and residential broadband services



- 50 or more
- 10 to 49
- 5 to 9
- 2 to 4
- Just me
- No Dedicated
- No Answer

Team Organization

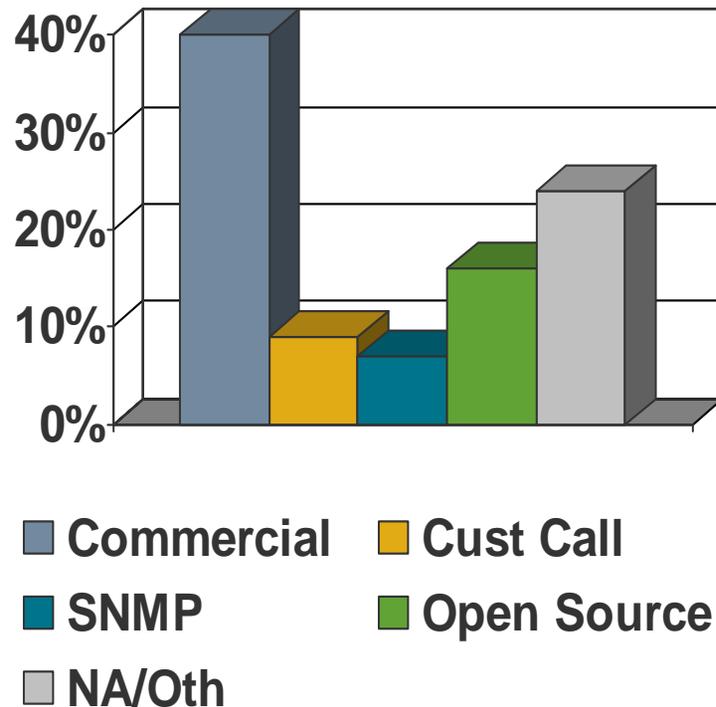


- No Answer
- Other
- Independent
- Part of NetEng

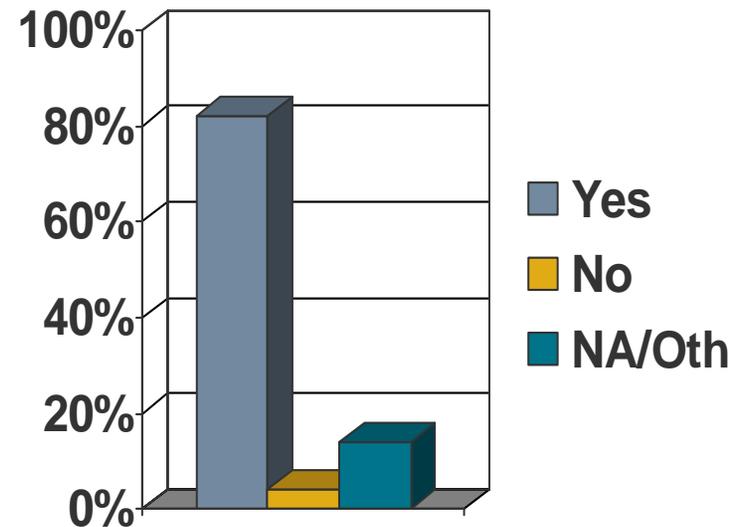
Attack Detection & Traceback



Attack Detection

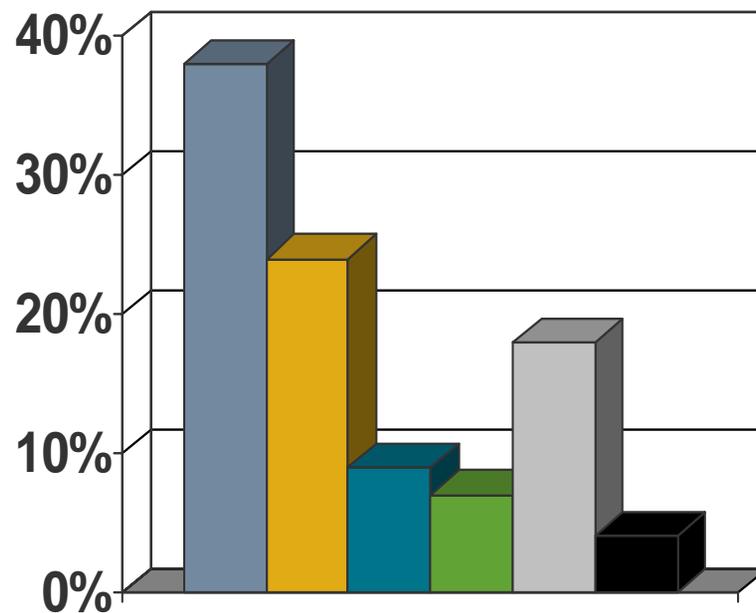
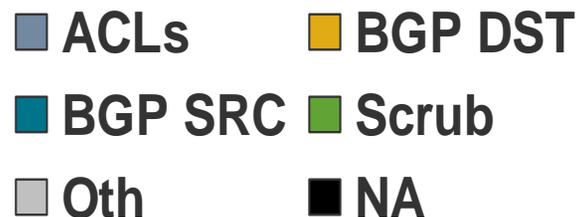


Traceback Capability



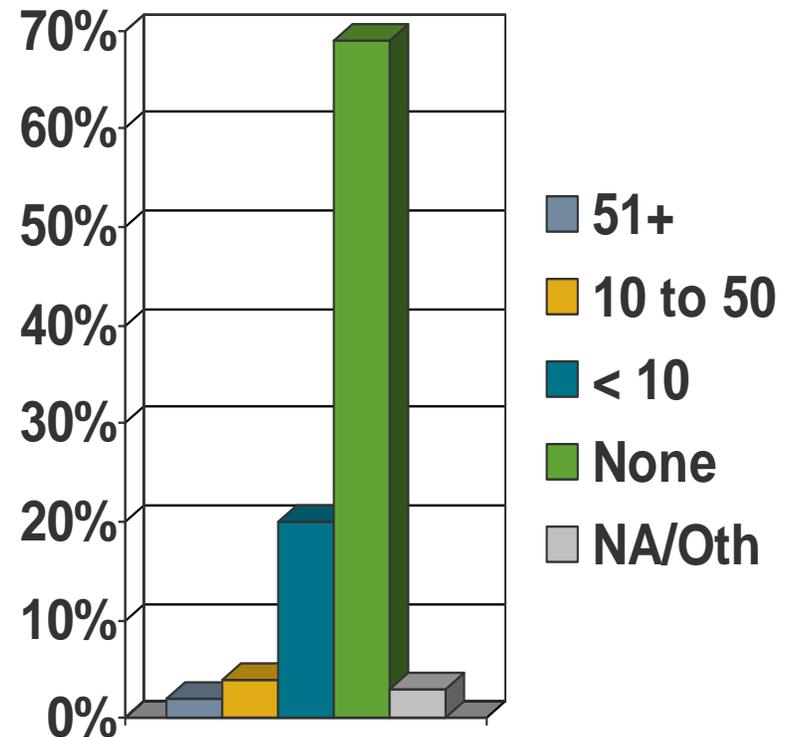
Mitigation

- ACLs are primarily destination-based with Network & Transport Layer policies
- Number 1 & 2 techniques effectively complete DOS attack!



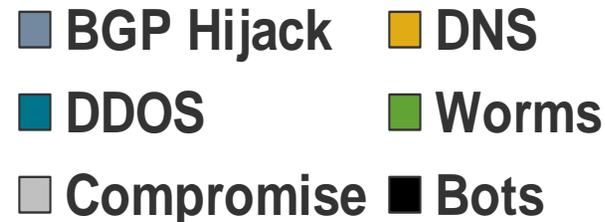
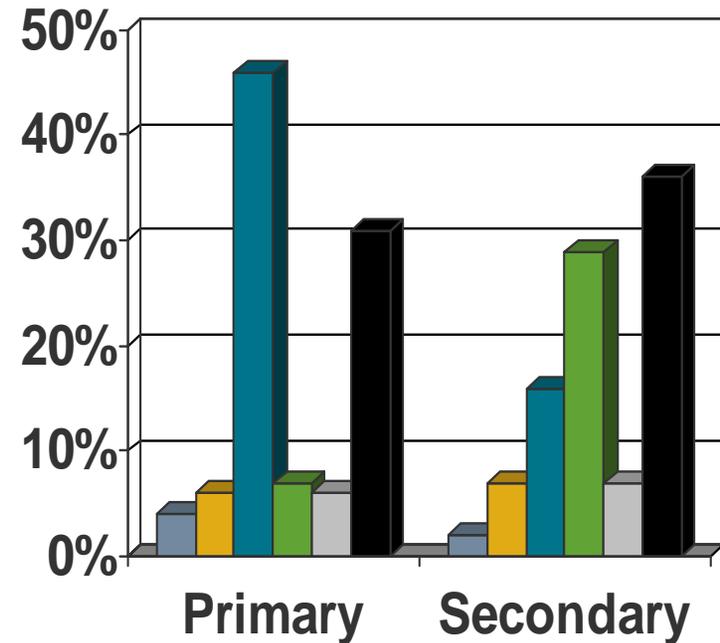
Law Enforcement Referrals

- **Less than 2% of actionable attacks referred to LEOs**
- **Referrals limited by:**
 - Lack of forensics detail
 - Belief in utility
 - Customer privacy request
 - Too many attacks to bother
- **Only 29% of respondents believe LEOs have the power and means to act upon information provided about attacks**



Primary Concerns

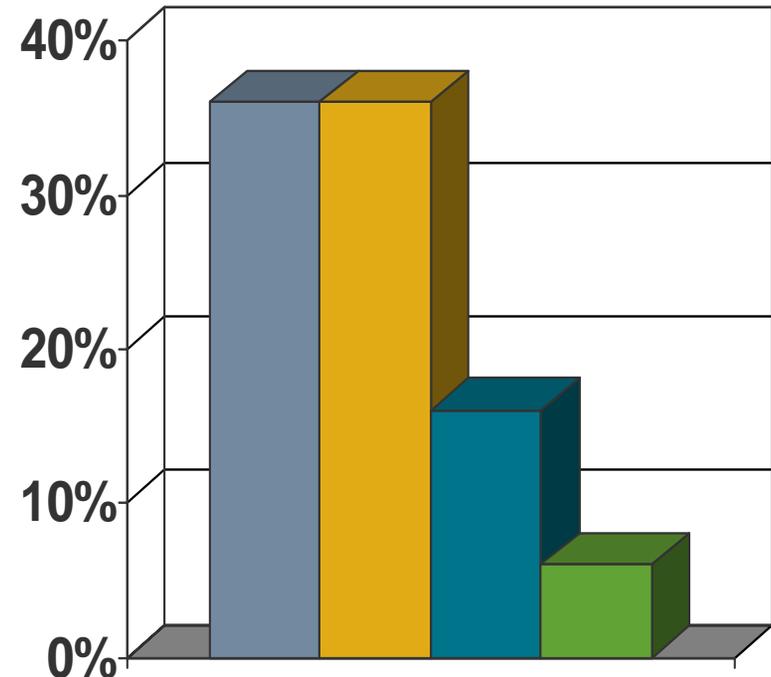
- Bots new category - most threats executed by bots
- Worm concern was implicit DDOS attributes (e.g., network congestion and control plane state)



Infrastructure/OSS Attacks

- Of those respondents that have experienced internal compromise, what was the source:

- Lack of BCP implementation
- SNMP walk
- Poor security practices
- Social Engineering



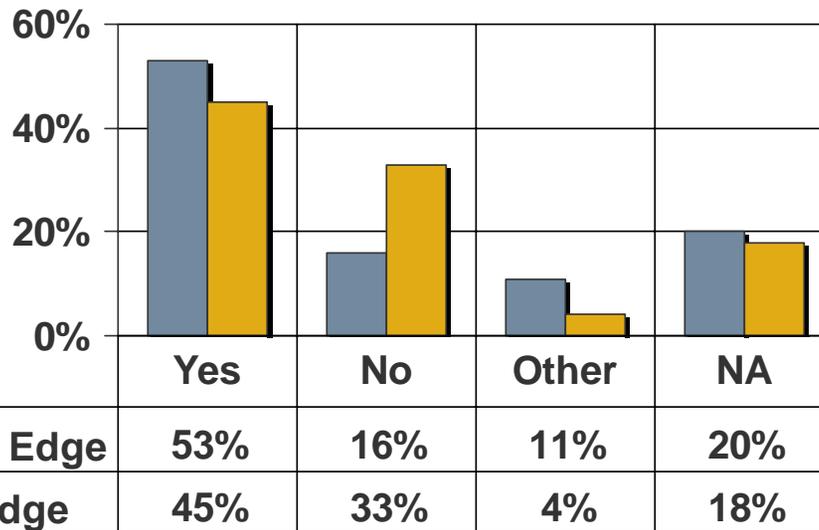
■ Password ■ Vulnerability
■ Insider ■ Oth

Ingress Filtering Employment



BCP38/uRPF Application

% Survey Respondents



Some concern uRPF loose mode introduces false sense of protection

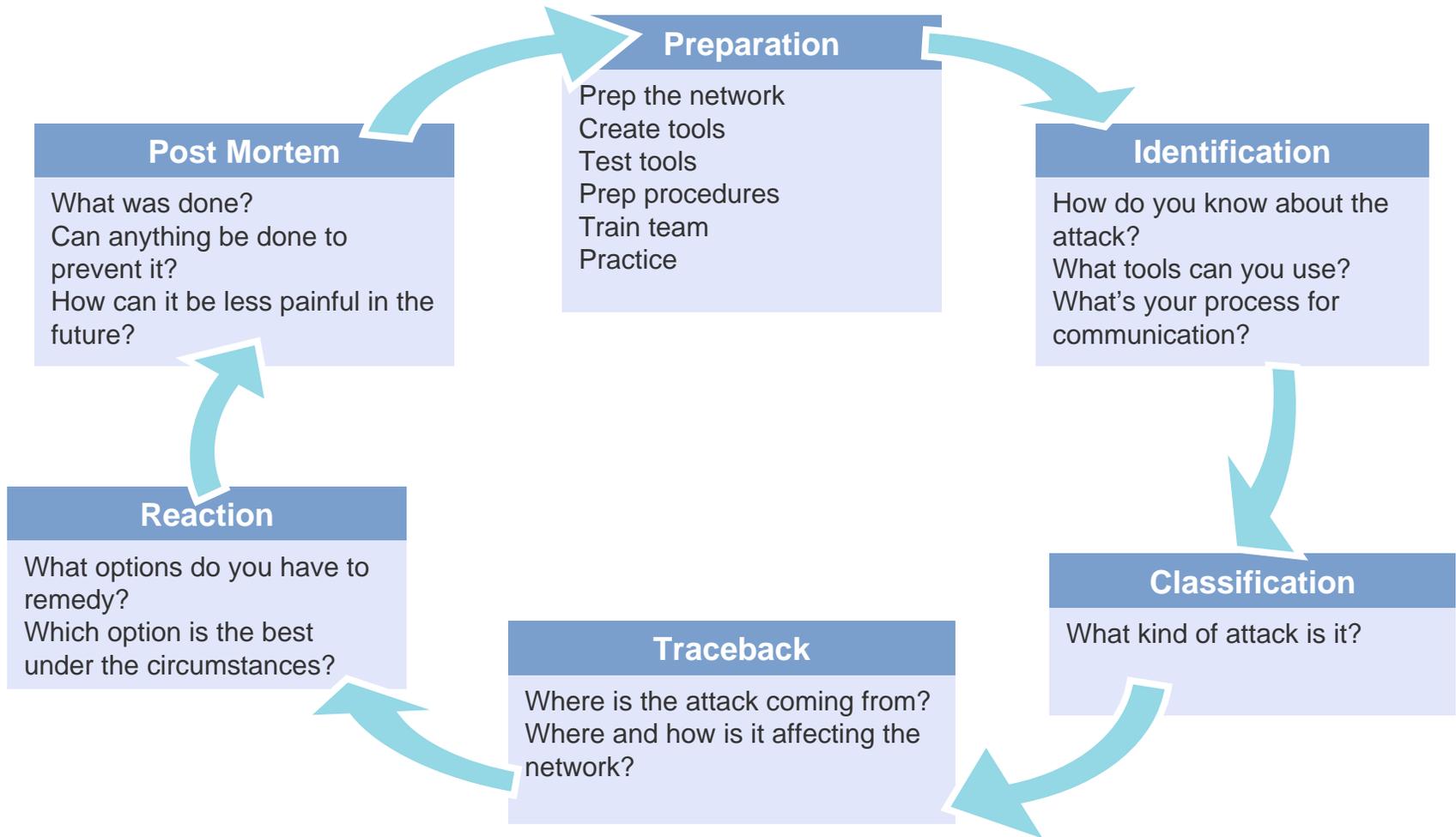
Note: Assume more-clueful operators replied so “YES” number is likely much lower. Also, uRPF (loose mode) allows spoofing of “real hosts”(e.g., permits DNS amplification attacks)

ISPs and Future Threats

- 31% believe ISPs are NOT in a position to mitigate future Internet threats
- 69% believe they are, but:
 - “Only in limited deployment for MS customers”
 - “Who else can do it - customers can’t!”
 - “Yes - but cost model is VERY tough!”
 - “Not with today’s margins!”
 - “\$\$\$!”
 - “Position, yes, paid to do so - NO!”



Six Phases of Incident Response



Finally....

*“Everybody’s got a plan -
until they get hit!”*

--Mike Tyson



.. Or should I say “bit”

Thanks!

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