

Security Connections

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Featured News

Researchers detect surge in Samsam ransomware that spreads via vulnerabilities

A ransomware campaign with an unusual method of propagation—infecting servers through unpatched vulnerabilities, then spreading laterally across the local network—experienced a marked spike in activity Monday, according to researchers at Talos.

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Product News and Announcements

Cisco AMP on Meraki MX Now Available in Open Beta

Get a sneak peek at what Cisco Advanced Malware Protection brings to the MX Security Appliance.

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Gartner Market Guide for Endpoint Detection and Response

The market for endpoint detection and response solutions is quickly expanding. By 2018, 80 percent of leaders' and visionaries' endpoint-protection platforms will include detection and response capabilities, up from 45 percent in 2016. Gartner cites Cisco as a representative vendor.

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Gartner Competitive Landscape: Carrier-Class Network Firewalls

This research provides essential competitive insights into carrier network firewall providers. Cisco is included as a market player in this report from Gartner.

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See how ZixGateway with Cisco Technology uses four simple delivery methods while providing a superior mobile experience.

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Security: Automation Through Integration - Cisco Live 2016, Berlin

Learn how the Cisco Identity Services Engine and Firesight Management Center integrate through pxGrid to automate workflows that use indicators of compromise to identify malware.

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Cisco Firepower NGFW Workshop Webinar: Security from the Network to the Endpoint

In case you missed it, you can now watch the TechWiseTV workshop for an up-close-and-personal look into the industry's first fully integrated, threat-focused next-generation firewall that keeps customers safer, mitigates advanced threats faster, and simplifies operations better.

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Validating Cisco's Threat-Centric Security Solutions

Light Reading commissioned the independent test lab EANTC to evaluate a range of security tools and functions, including virtual elements, from Cisco. This webinar details the tests performed and looks at key results and takeaways.

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Cisco Talos Security Intelligence and Research Group Updates

Talos researchers create threat intelligence for Cisco products to protect customers from both known and emerging threats. Stay informed with the latest updates on the [Talos blog](#).

- [Ransomware: Past, Present, and Future](#)
- [Nuclear Drops Tor Runs and Hides](#)

News, Articles, and Blogs

Reducing Time to Detection: Breaking the One-Day Barrier

To consistently and significantly reduce the median time to detection (TTD) we must combine sophisticated threat defenses with skilled security researchers.

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Learn how to recognize a forged sender address and how you can help protect your organization.

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Tackle the Cybersecurity Problem with Best Practices Approach

Get comprehensive guidelines to best security practices from the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

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Detecting Ransomware from the Outside Looking In

Ransomware is some of the most evasive malware. Cisco's AMP Threat Grid uses an outside-looking-in approach to detect it.

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An integrated threat defense can turn the fight against advanced malware in your favor.

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