

# La Sicurezza e la qualità dei dati nella Gestione dell'impresa

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# Information security

Protecting **information** and **information systems** from unauthorized access, use, disclosure, disruption, modification, perusal, inspection, recording or destruction in order to provide:

- Integrity
- Confidentiality
- Availability

## Information Security (2)

- Public and private businesses manage a great amount of confidential information about their employees, customers, products, research, and financial status.
- Protecting confidential information is a **business**, **ethical** and **legal** requirement.
- For the *individual*, information security has a significant effect on **privacy**.

# Master

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**Master in Sicurezza dei Sistemi e delle Reti  
Informatiche per l'Impresa e la Pubblica Amministrazione**



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**Master in Governance e Audit  
dei Sistemi Informativi**



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Informatica per l'Impresa e la Pubblica Amministrazione**



# ISO 27001

- It formally specifies a management system that is intended to bring information security under explicit management control
- Benefits of compliance:
  - Improved effectiveness of Information Security
  - Senior Management takes ownership of Information Security
  - Focused staff responsibilities
  - Better awareness of security
  - Combined resources with other Management Systems (es QMS)
  - Mechanism for measuring the success of the security controls

# Critical infrastructures and citizens services



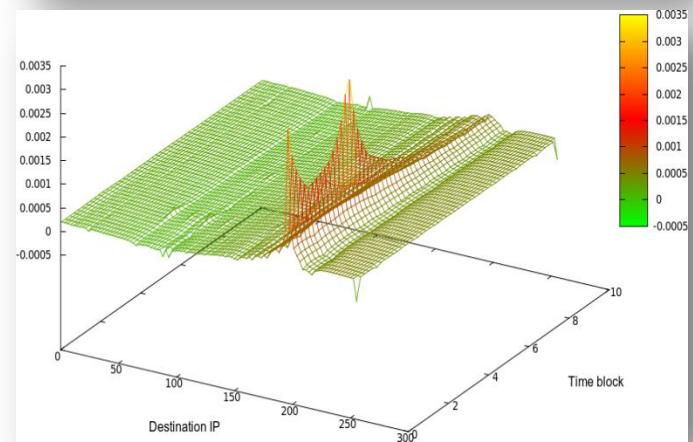
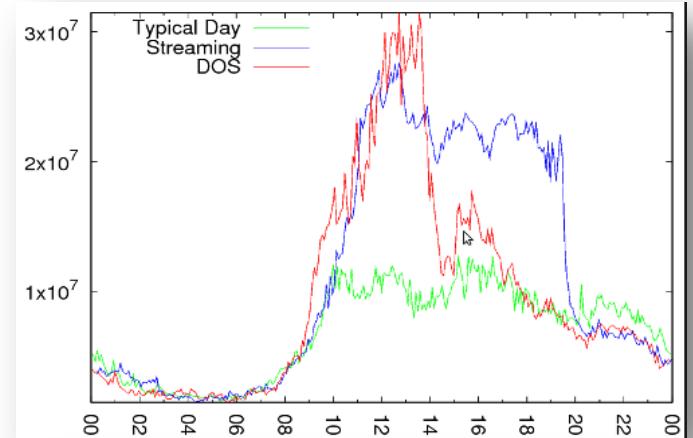
# Cyber Security

- USA “Cybersecurity Act of 2010 - S. 773”
- “Cyberspace is a vital asset to the nation and the United States should protect it.”
- More than 85% of the digital infrastructure is owned and operated by the private sector in US.
- The main objective of the bill is to increase collaboration between the public and the private sector on the issue of cyber security.

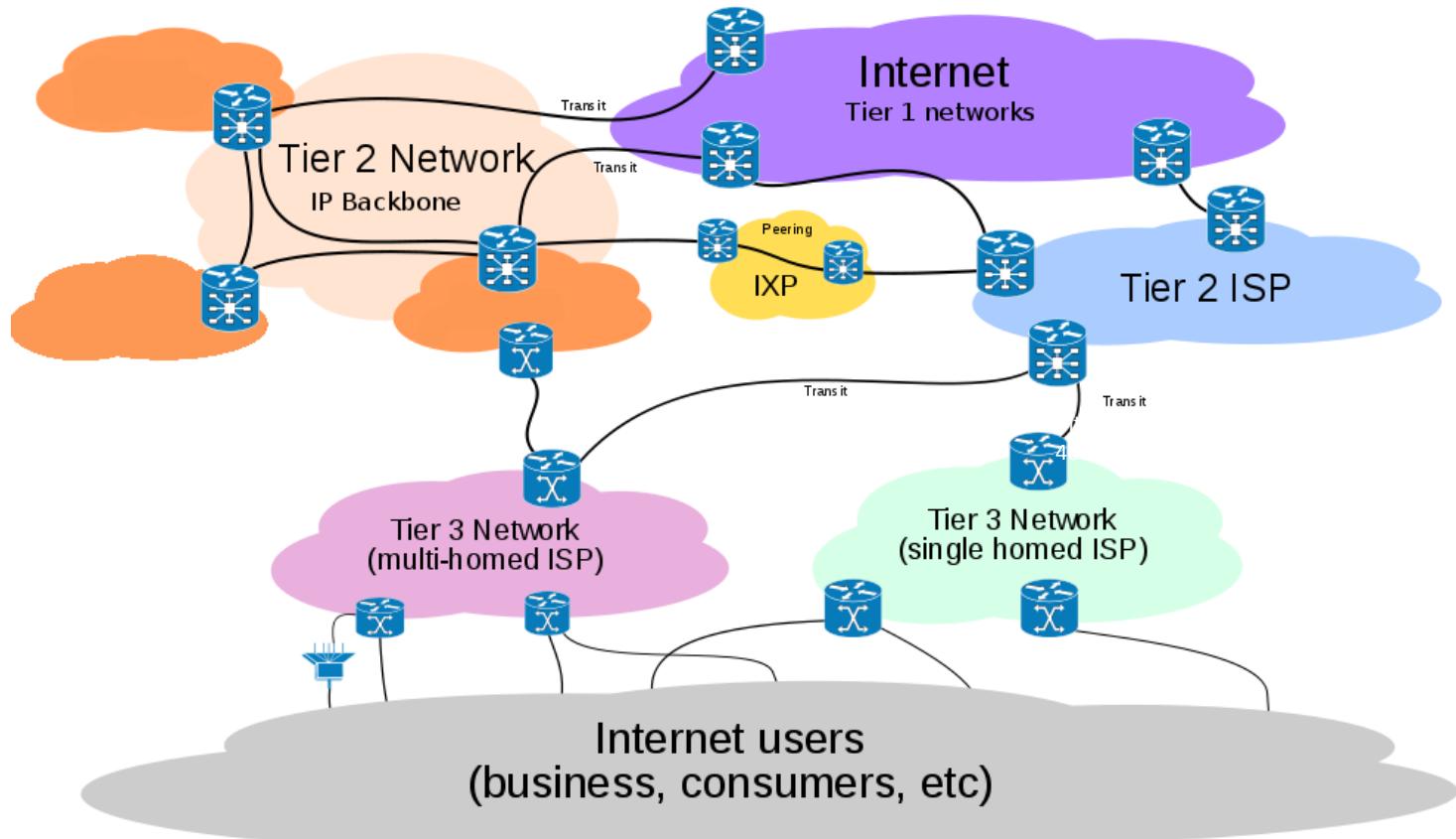
# The ExTrABIRE project, Final Conf. June 18, 2012

- **Exchanged Traffic Analysis for a Better Internet Resiliency in Europe – ExTrABIRE CIPS 2009 II Action Grants**

- Evaluate the overall ***resiliency*** of internet infrastructure of a Member State
- Assess the impacts of a coordinated ***cyber-attacks***
- Develop a national internet ***contingency plan***:
  - identification of processes and procedures;
  - organizational issues;
  - technical countermeasures.



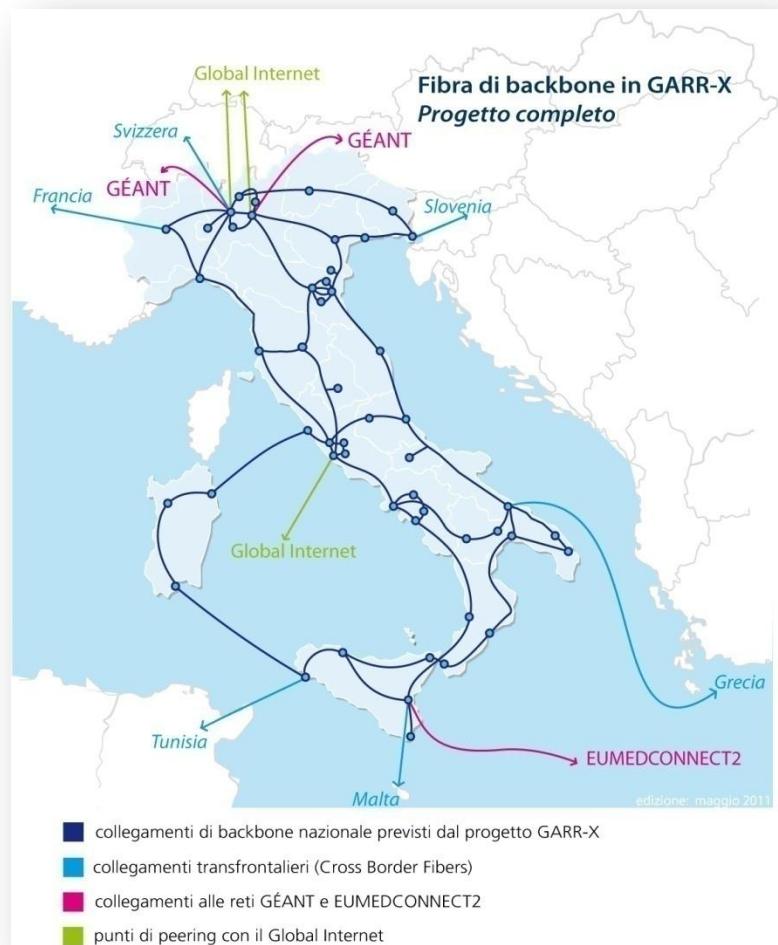
# Internet Infrastructure



The Hierarchical infrastructure of internet:

- Tier 1: Full mesh network
- Tier 2: National Internet providers
- Tier 3: Local Internet Service Providers

# Example Italian Infrastructure



What if the victim resource  
is the internet connectivity  
of a whole Member State?

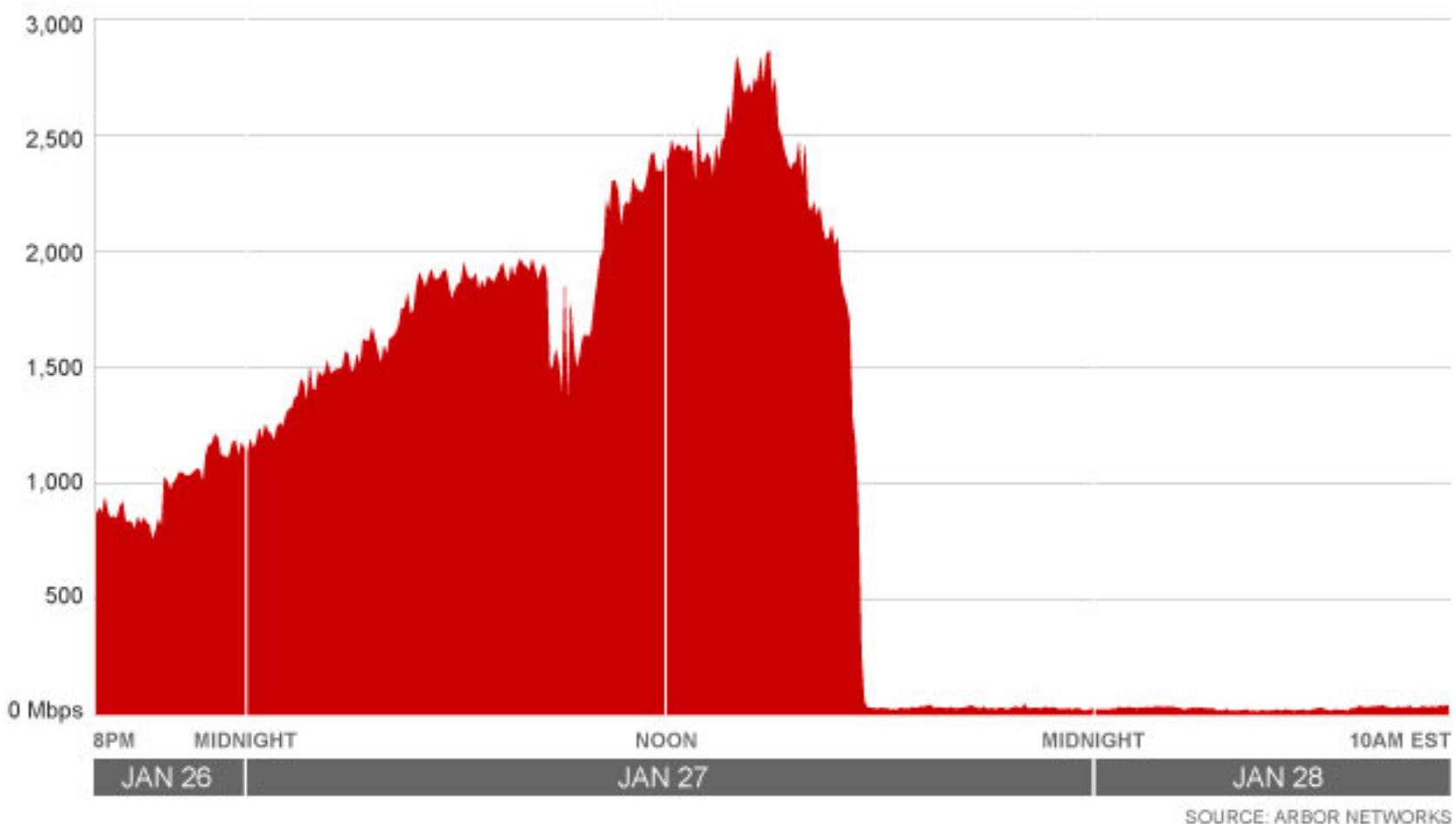


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# 2011: protests in North Africa



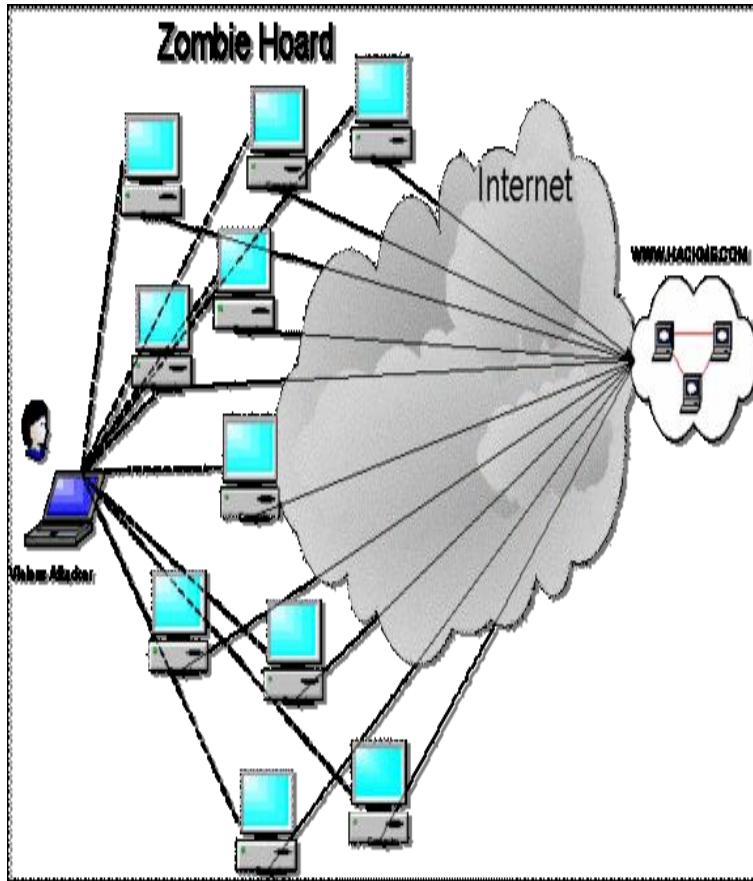
# Regimes fight back!



# A challenge

To ensure the Nation the capability of secure communication in spite of an untrusted Internet infrastructure

# Traditional DDoS Attacks



- Attempt to make a resource unavailable to legitimate users
- Financial and Political hacktivism

## Recent (D)DOS attacks (1/3)

“Mastercard International. The stock close on 6th Dec 2010 at **\$253.60**; Then, on 8th Dec 2010, after news broke that WikiLeaks hacker was bombarding the site with requests, the stock dropped to **\$246.18 ...”**



Joseph Lieberman	<a href="http://lieberman.senate.gov">lieberman.senate.gov</a>	2010-12-08
MasterCard	<a href="http://mastercard.com">mastercard.com</a>	2010-12-08
Borgstrom and Bodström	<a href="http://advbyra.se">advbyra.se</a>	2010-12-08
Visa	<a href="http://visa.com">visa.com</a>	2010-12-08
Sarah Palin	<a href="http://sarahpac.com">sarahpac.com</a>	2010-12-08
PayPal	<a href="http://thepaypalblog.com">thepaypalblog.com</a>	2010-12-09
Amazon	<a href="http://amazon.com">amazon.com</a>	2010-12-09 (Aborted)
PayPal	<a href="http://api.paypal.com:443">api.paypal.com:443</a>	2010-12-10
MoneyBookers	<a href="http://moneybookers.com">moneybookers.com</a>	2010-12-10
Conservatives4Palin	<a href="http://conservatives4palin.com">conservatives4palin.com</a>	2010-12-10

## Recent attacks (2/3)

- **Sony PlayStation Network**
  - Theft of millions of Credit Card numbers
  - Violations of users' privacy

(<http://www.wired.com/gamelife/2011/04/playstation-network-hacked/>)



“...hackers now have access to customers’ vital information...”

## Recent (D)DOS attacks (3/3)

- **Italian Government and house of Representatives**

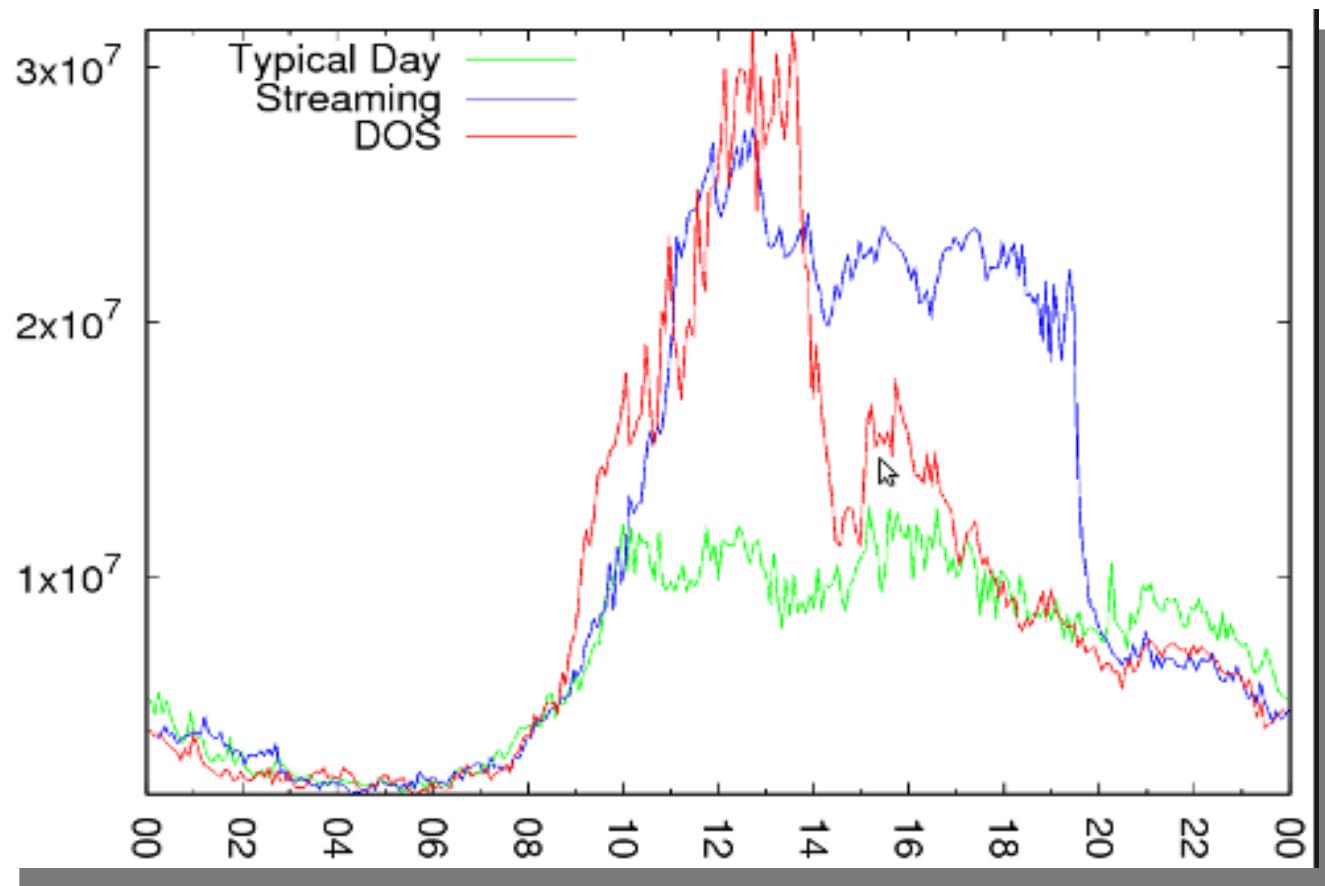
- Service disruption
- Hacktivism
- Political implications

([http://ansa.it/web/notizie/collection/rubriche\\_cronaca/02/13/visualizza\\_new.html\\_1588579791.html](http://ansa.it/web/notizie/collection/rubriche_cronaca/02/13/visualizza_new.html_1588579791.html))



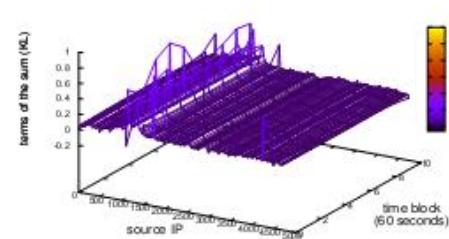
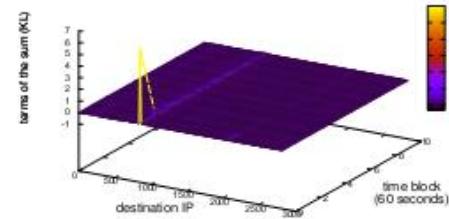
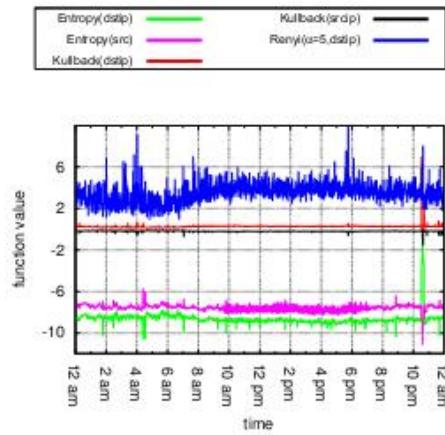
**Operation Italy part2 - Target Sorpresa : entra in #opitaly il 13 Febbraio 2011 alle 12 GMT PM - 13 italiane**

# Challenge: early DDoS detection



# Our results (Secrypt 2012)

## DDoS: Metrics comparison and Kullback-Leibler details



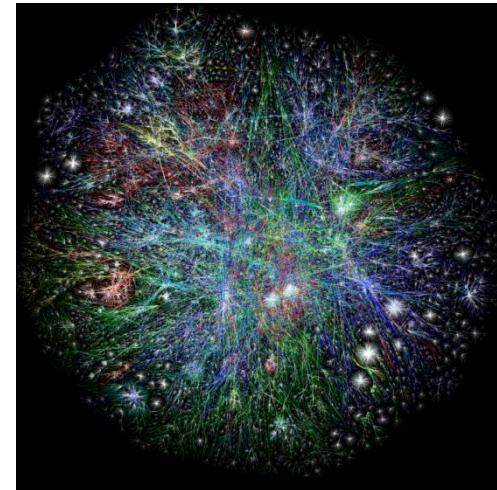
# BGP security

Some security issues:

- Control Plane: Does BGP peer correctly performs BGP protocol?
- Data plane: Does IP packets cross the right BGP defined path?

Attack effects

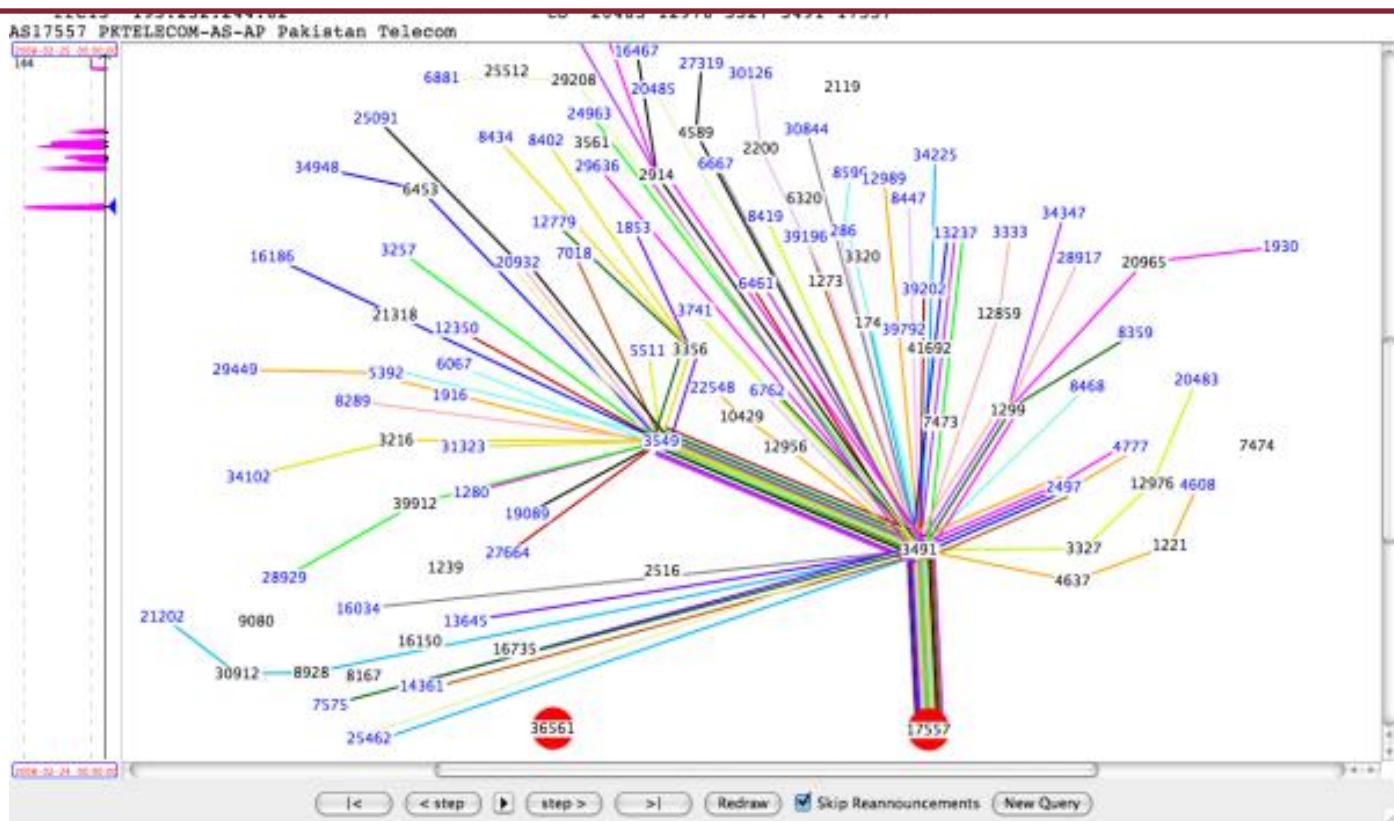
- black hole
- packet drop
- route hijacking



# Pakistan Youtube Hijacking

Sunday, 24 February 2008, 18:49 (UTC)

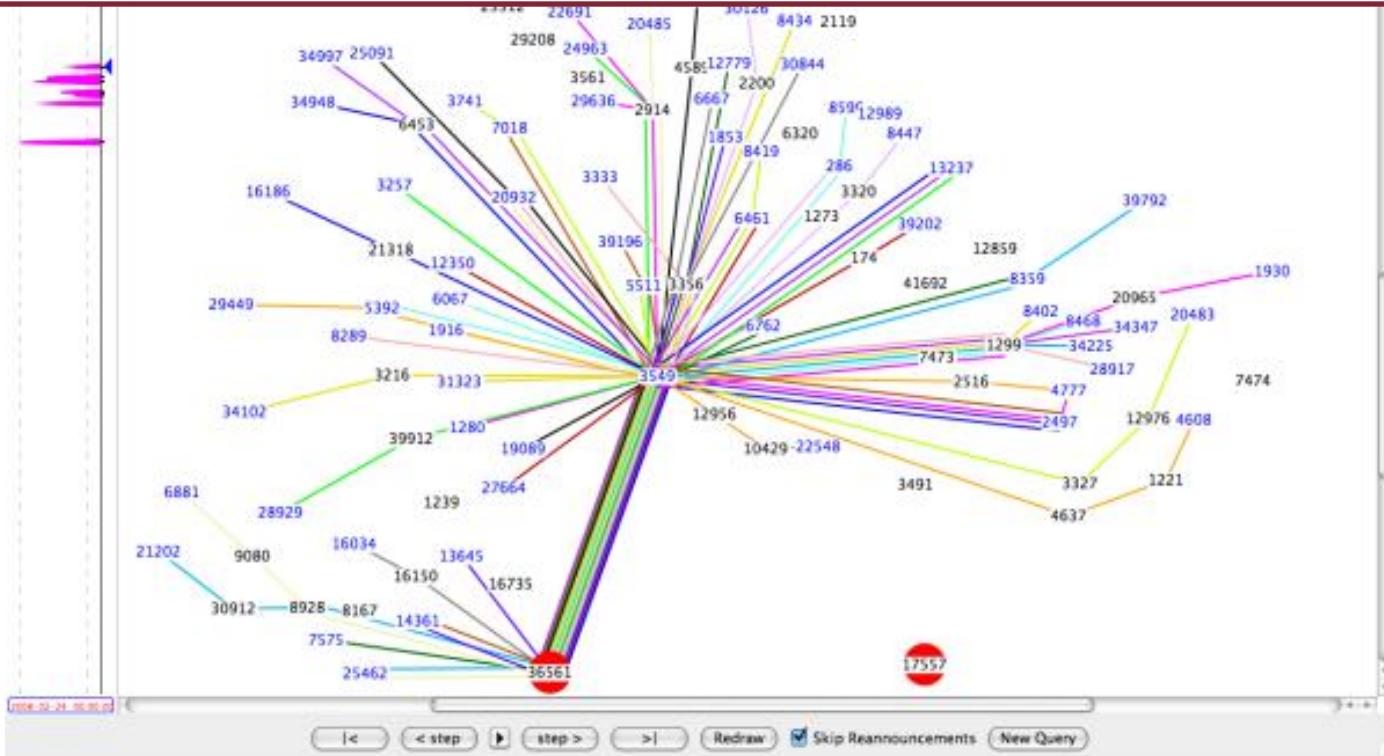
AS17557 (Pakistan Telecom) has been announcing 208.65.153.0/24 for the past two minutes



# Pakistan Youtube Hijacking

Sunday, 24 February 2008, 21:23 (UTC)

AS36561 (YouTube) has been announcing 208.65.153.0/24 since 20:07 (UTC). The bogus announcement from AS17557 (Pakistan Telecom) has been withdrawn, and RIS peers now only have routes to YouTube's AS36561



# BGP attacks

## Recent sensational attacks

- 2010, Chinese ISP hijacked US .gov and .mil web domain: 15% of the world's internet destinations was diverted through China.
- 2008, Pakistan Telecom (AS17557) hijacked some Youtube prefixes (AS36561) due an “unintentional” router misconfiguration

## Other examples:

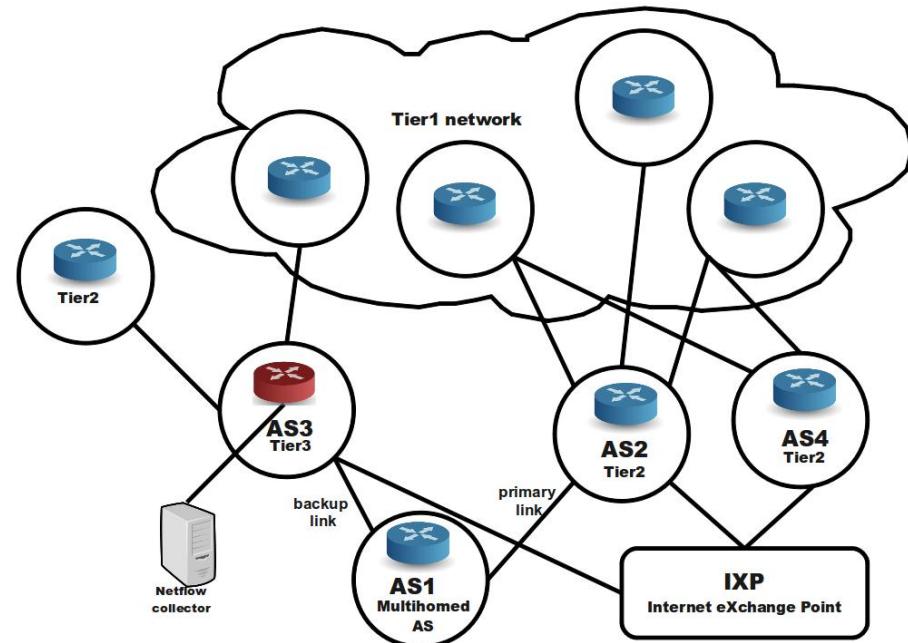
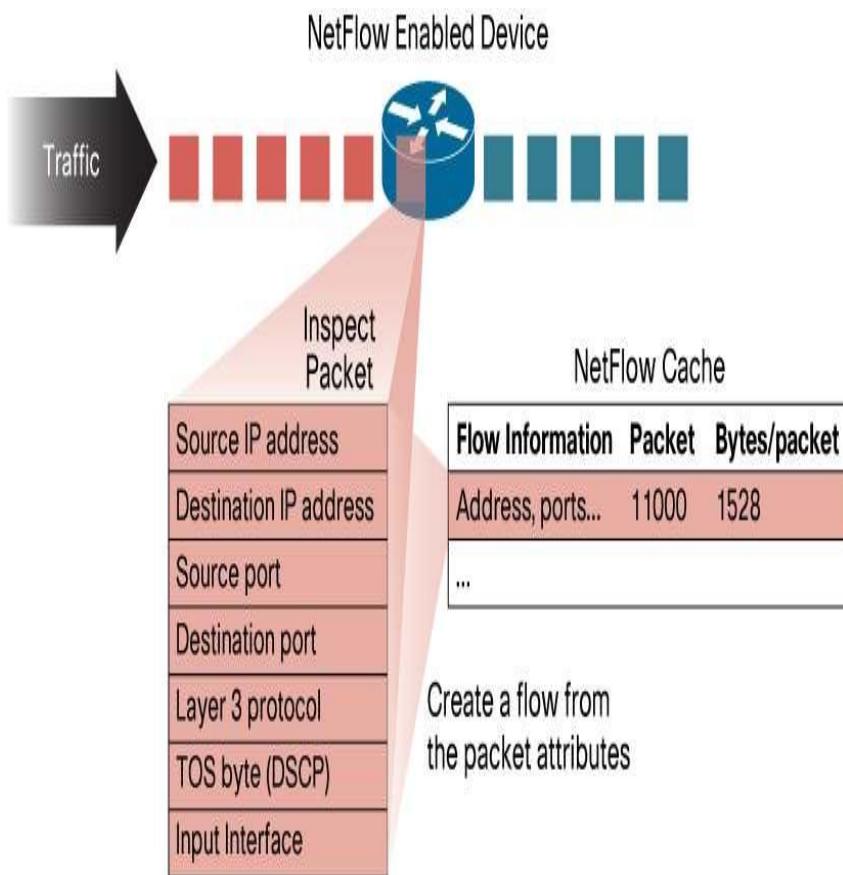
- 2006: Con-Edison hijacked a big chunk of the Internet
- 2004: TTNet in Turkey hijacks part the Internet

# Our proposal (ICCCN 2012)

NO online PKI but use Identity Base Encryption

- I.B.E signature for validating ASPath
- Aggregated signature
- ASPath revocation and AS management  
(accumulator, witnesses)
- BGP v4 compliant implementation based on  
OpenBGPd driver (OpenBSD)
- **2012 International Conference on Computer  
Communication Networks, Munich,Germany**

# Network flows Obfuscation



Large set (2 year) of network flows gathered from BGP router of Commercial and Institutional Internet Service Provider.  
Dataset expressiveness: 2 GBytes of full netflow entries contain 220 millions of flows, 4 billions of packets corresponding to 5TByte of exchanged data

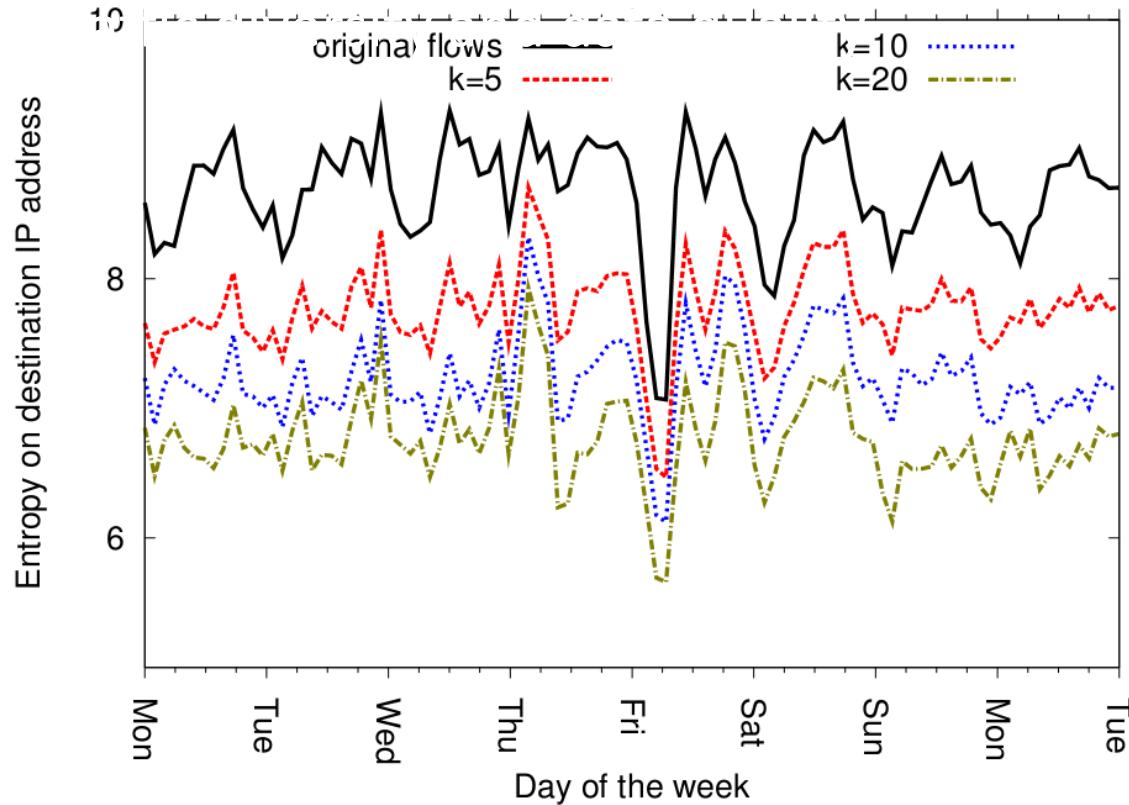
# Network Flows Obfuscation

Previous approaches provide encryption of identity fields (IP address) and different techniques on quantitative fields (e.g. TCP flags, traffic stats, etc.):

- Permutation
- Truncation
- Generalization

No formal proof of the obfuscation property of the solution proposed are provided!

# K-J Obfuscation (INFOCOM 2012)



# Conclusion

- Relevance of the information security governance
- Critical infrastructure and citizen service protection
- To share real attack data, while protecting valuable information (obfuscation, anonymization, etc.)
- Certifications and standards

# The final Conference of the ExTrABIRE Project



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