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# a Raspberry Pi powered gateway to stop Hackers, Malware and more

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# ABOUT US

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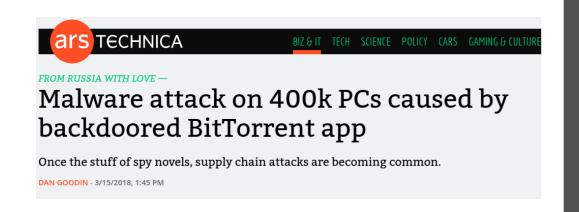
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## THE PROBLEM

Small businesses, medium size companies and home users are defenseless against ransomware, IoT attacks and hackers







U.S. Small Businesses Lose \$75 Billion a Year to Ransomware



500 an hour,

Reaper: Calm Before the IoT Security Storm?

It's been just over a year since the world witnessed some of the world's top online Web sites being taken down for much of the day by "Mirai," a zombie malware strain that enslaved "Internet of Things" (IoT) devices such as wireless routers, security cameras and digital video recorders for use in large-scale online attacks.

SECURITY

## Ransomware shuts down 1 in 5 small businesses after it hits

Ransomware hit one third of small-to-medium businesses worldwide last year, and experts say the "human factor" was often to blame.

BY CLAIRE REILLY / AUGUST 2, 2017 12:40 AM PDT



# THE PROBLEM

IoT devices are everywhere and not protected













## THE PROBLEM

Cybersecurity technology is expensive for home users and small businesses













## THE CHALLENGE

A device that protects people's networks against cyber threats



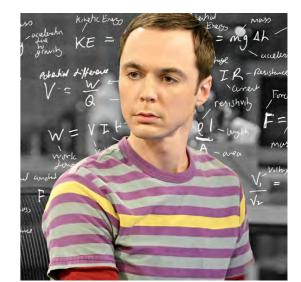
**CHEAP** 



**EASY** 



**SMALL** 



**SMART** 



## THE IDEA

A device that protects people's networks against cyber threats



#### RASPBERRY PI

- > Small and powerful
- > Cheap
- > Popular (over 19 million RPis sold)



#### **BRO IDS**

- > Smart
- > Lightweight
- > Open source



#### CUSTOM PYTHON CODE

- > Versatile
- > Popular among developers

# THE OUTCOME



#### **Bro IDS**

- > Network traffic analysis
- > Metadata extraction

## Core Python app

- Advanced correlation and traffic statistics
- > Alerting
- > Gluing all the stuff together

## **Dnscrypt-proxy**

- > DNS traffic encryption
- > Prevent DNS disclosure

#### **NGINX**

> Admin web console

## THC Hydra

> Detect vulnerable accounts

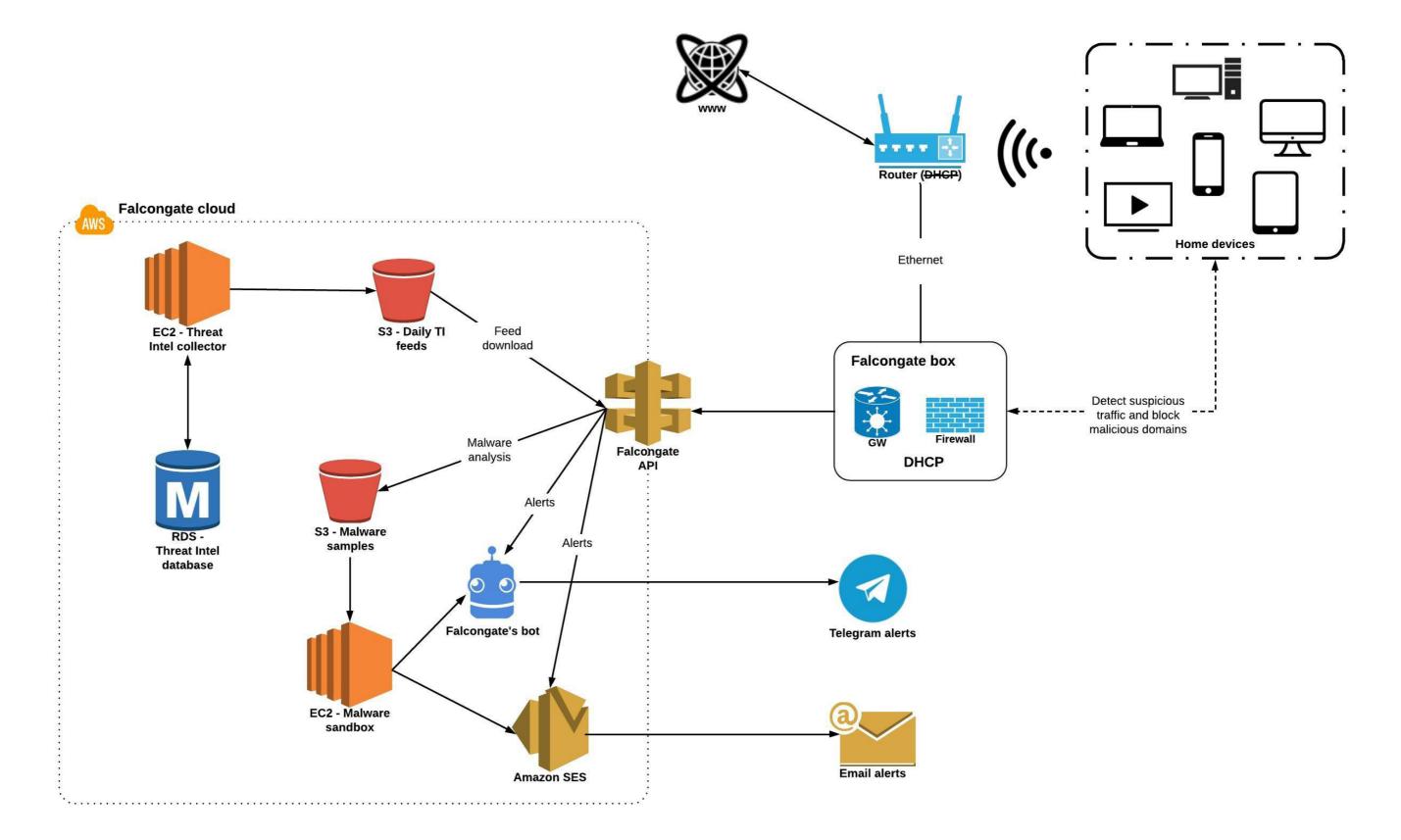
## Open Source Intelligence

- > Malicious IP and domain feeds
- > Default passwords feed

## Nmap

Port discovery

# FALCONGATE PLATFORM OVERVIEW



## CURRENT FEATURES

- > Pro-actively blocks known malware based on our free Threat Intelligence feeds.
- > Blocks malware using the Tor network (can be disabled).
- Detects active malware based on existing VirusTotal reports.
- > Detects well-known malware traffic patterns like DGA and spamming.
- Detects network intrusion patterns like port scanning and tracerouting.
- > Detects and alerts on the presence of vulnerable default vendor accounts in any device in the network.
- Encrypts all your DNS traffic to protect all the devices against DNS spoofing and stops ISPs from spying on your DNS requests.



## THE FUTURE

- > Use of Machine Learning models for anomaly detection.
- > Additional network statistics and data visualizations in the admin web console.
- Additional heuristic rules for threat detection.
- Improved alerting.
- Apply for funding to develop further the platform:
  - » Develop a custom board for the device
  - » Develop a custom case
  - » Dedicated iOS/Android app for the user console
  - » Connect additional Threat Intel sources
  - » And much more..

