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Thread: [The Rise of Ransomware: Trends and Defense Strategies for Businesses](#)

dozerx - October 29, 2024, 3:19 pm

Discuss how ransomware has evolved and share strategies for businesses to protect their data.

Prawnster - October 29, 2024, 7:39 pm

Ransomware doesn't seem to change or get much smarter imo, seems to be almost like a barbarian strategy of making money online lmao

Prawnster - October 30, 2024, 4:15 pm

(Oct 30, 2024 03:41 PM)Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I agree with what the above user said.
Thank you for the agreement!

Prawnster - October 30, 2024, 4:25 pm

(Oct 30, 2024 04:20 PM)Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Of course, logical thing to agree to.
Thank you thank you, how close are ya to Octoberfest award? :O

Game - October 30, 2024, 5:46 pm

Ransomware is just a fancy Lock Screen with some additional features like remote data erasure, persistence, etc.

I was victim of one as a kid, but as an aspiring nerd, I didn't tell my parents and managed to remove it and repair my computer.

Game - October 30, 2024, 5:51 pm

(Oct 30, 2024 05:48 PM)Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) nicely done. Sure you was sad at that point unit it was fixed
At first I was like... wtf, I didn't do that.

It said "your computer has been used to watch inn appropriate content online and had been locked until you pay a fine of £450 to the MET Police using the following payment details".

I was like, well that sir, is a lie and I'm not showing this to my parents for them to panic and tell me off or be dumb and pay it.

So I just did some research and fixed it myself.

Game - October 30, 2024, 5:54 pm

(Oct 30, 2024 05:52 PM)Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) id been like, mom wtf did u do on my computer.
Ngl, I considered saying I borrowed the laptop to my sister the day before and I just turned it on to be met with this shit.

I felt bad, so I just took a step back, thought about it and decided I would try to fix it first.