

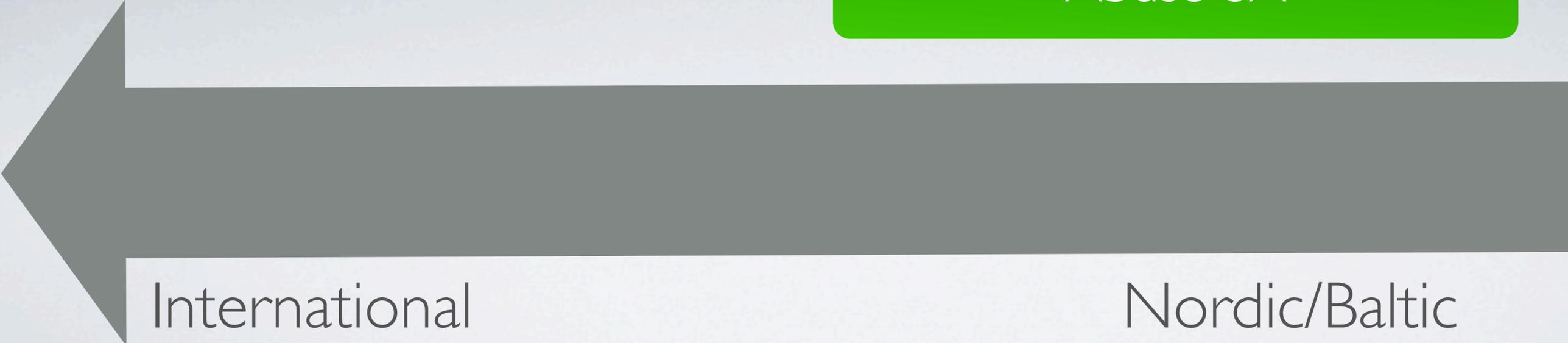
Codenomicon

Clarified

R&D

Integration

Production



International

Nordic/Baltic

US IN NUMBERS

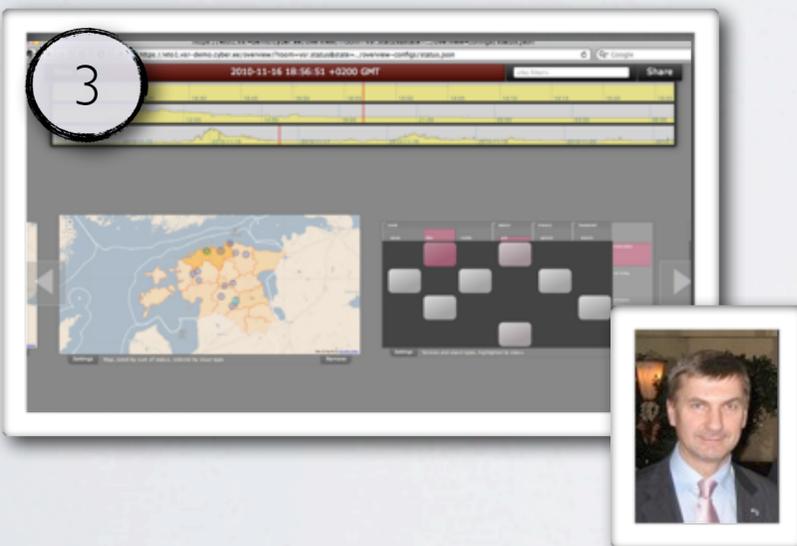
- **Clarified 2010:**

- Estonia (gov & NATO CCDCOE), Russia, Finland, Sweden
- CERTs, Banks, Large teleoperators, Large enterprises, other gov orgs.
- 1.5x growth, profitable, AAA-rating

- **Clarified 2011 - Joining forces with Codenomicon**, sales rep now includes:

- UK, Canada, Japan, Sweden, Netherlands, US
- Operating in US/European/APAC market
- As a whole: 70 person R&D community producing innovative solutions to protect you and your constituencies

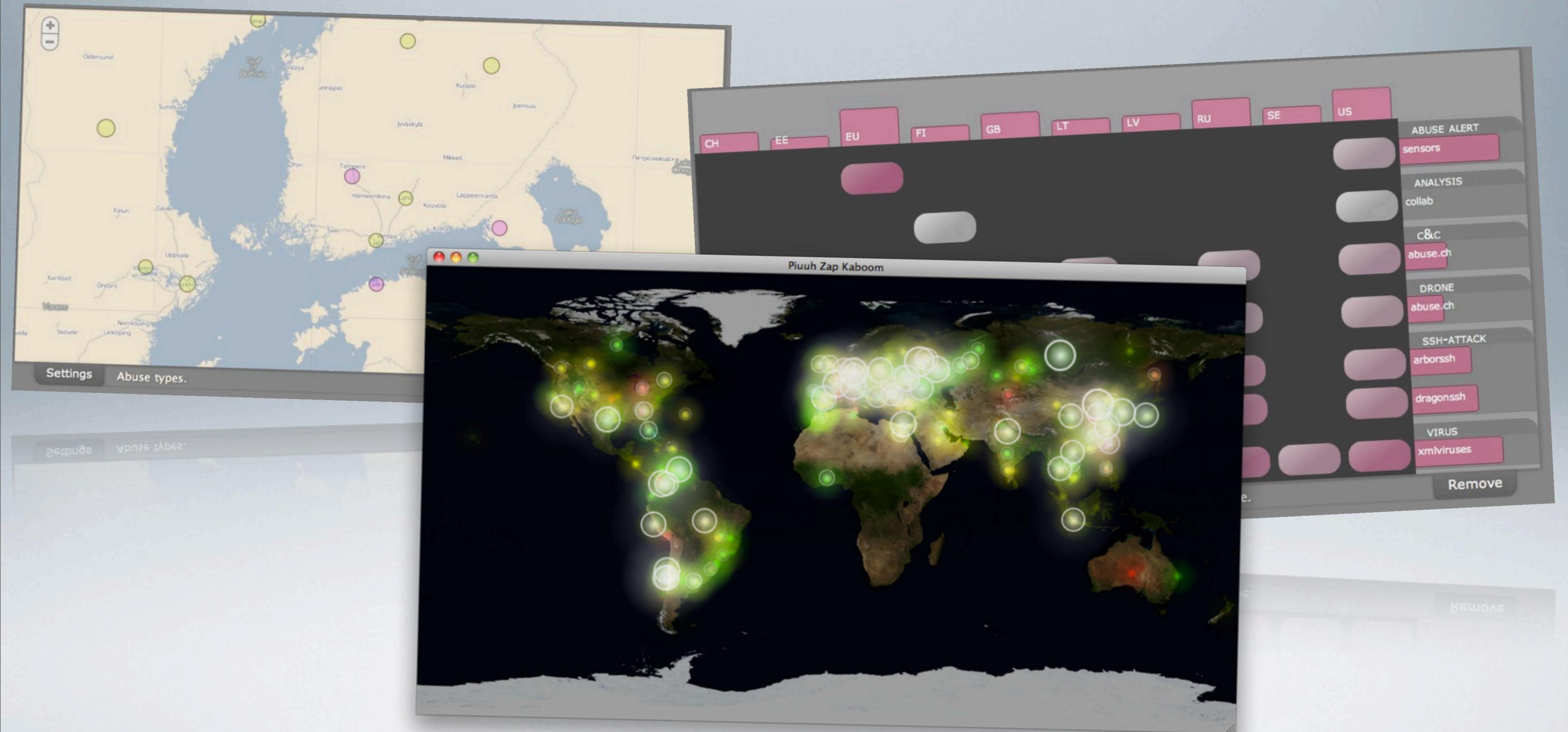




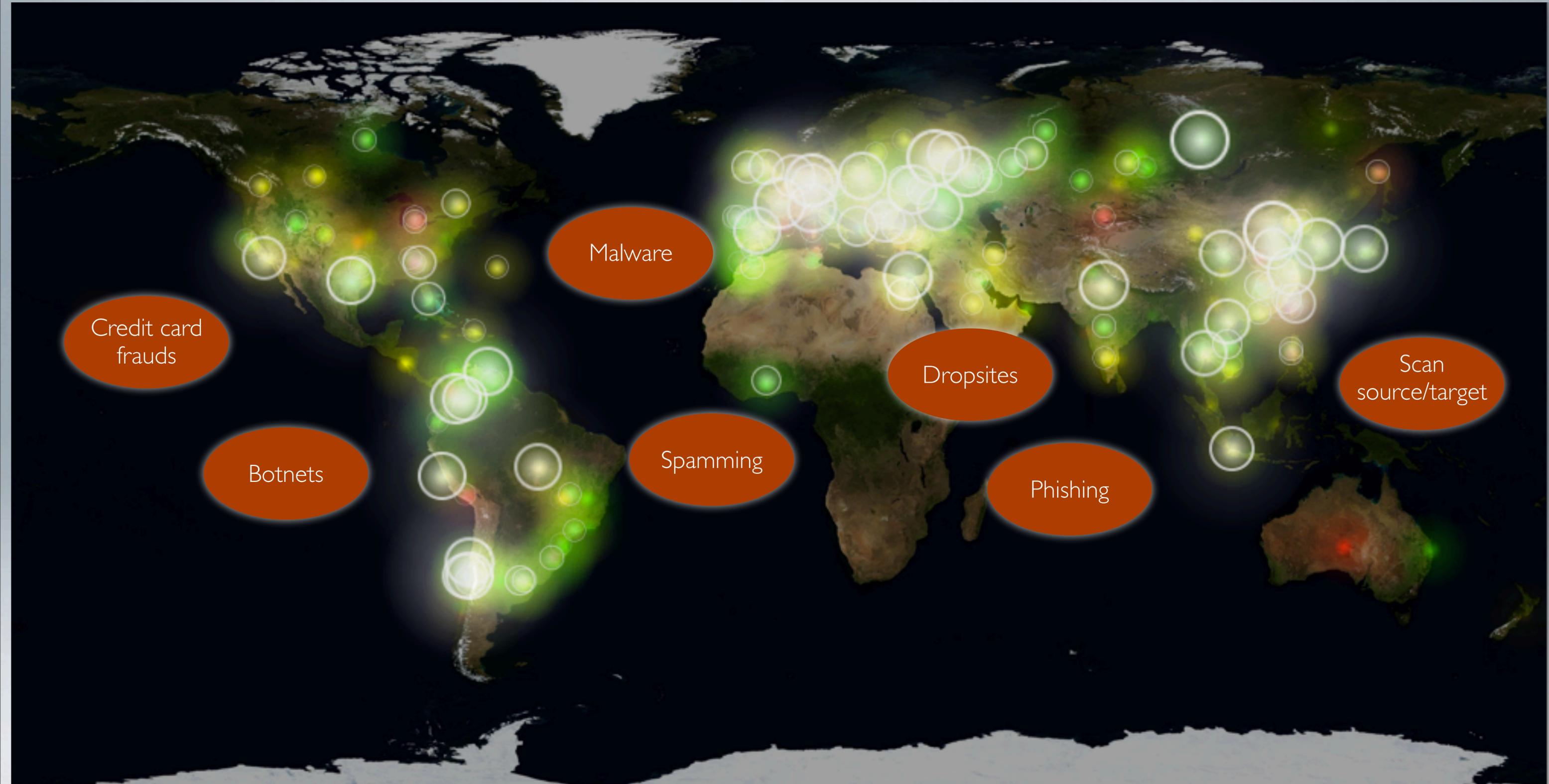
1. Analyzer used in Bredolab botnet takedown, Dutch TV-channel covers
2. White House still remembers our research results from 2002, Chief of Defense Command Finland tweets about it after his visit. (Clarified Networks and Codenomicon are spin-offs from Oulu University Secure Programming Group).
3. Virtual Situation Room deployment for Estonian Government
4. Situation rooms for NATO Baltic Cyber Shield exercise, covered by Swedish national TV (SVT)
5. Clarified Visualization in Mikko Hyppönen's TED talk, 300 000 views as of 2011-09
6. News coverage of CERT.be fighting against website hacks, AbuseHelper's TV-premiere.

RECENT (PUBLIC) EVENTS

ABUSE SITUATION AWARENESS



CHALLENGE: ABUSE IS REALITY



Screenshot of a real-time visualization showing abuse events.

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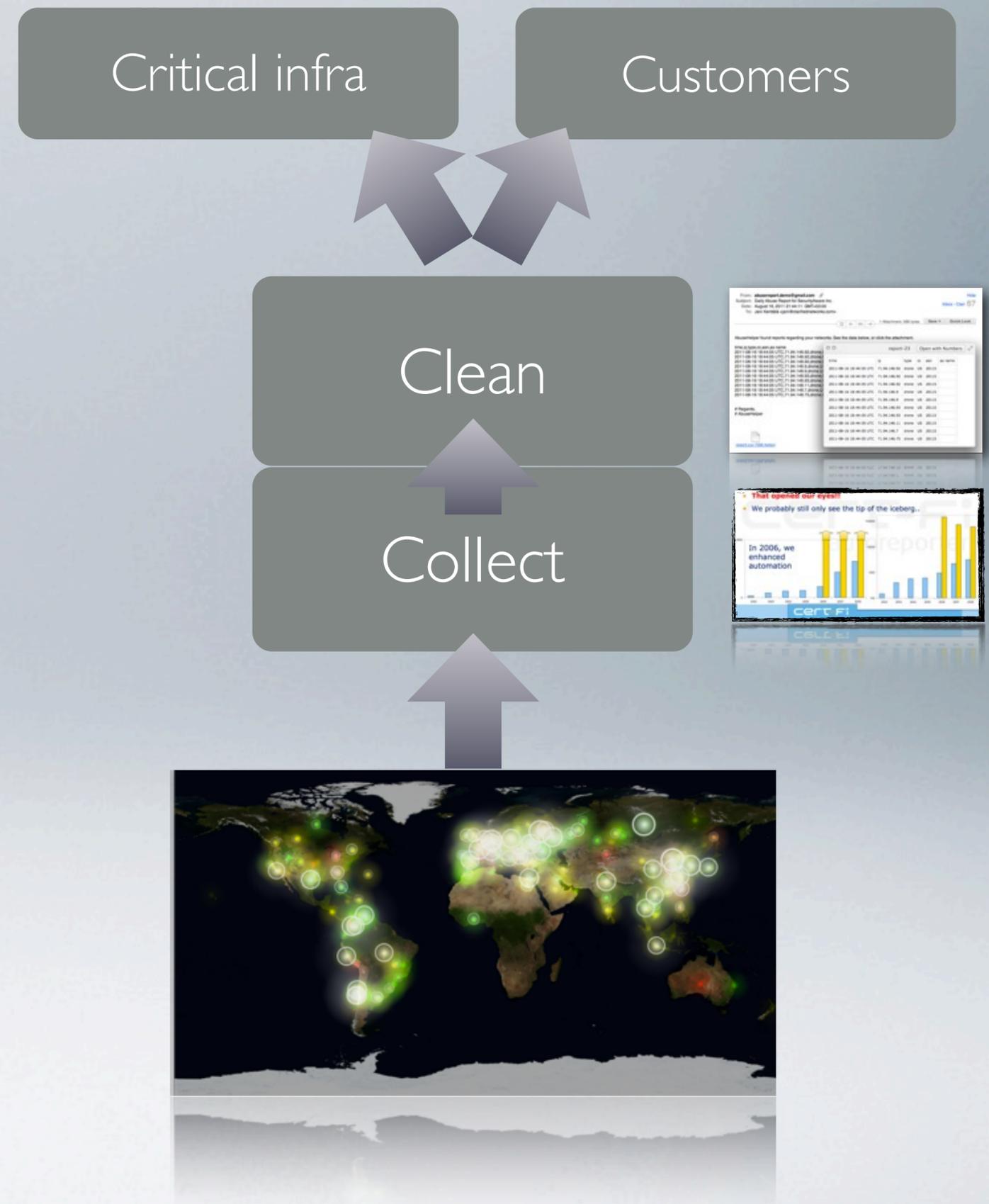
The screenshot shows a Safari browser window with the address bar displaying <https://www.clarifiednetworks.com/collab/abusehelper/Feeds>. The page title is "Feeds - abusehelper Collab". The page content includes a search bar, a navigation menu with "Feeds" selected, and a table of feeds. The table has columns for "provides", "output transport", and "URL".

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THE PROCESS

We help our customers to deal with Cyber threats (malware, spam, botnets etc) by:

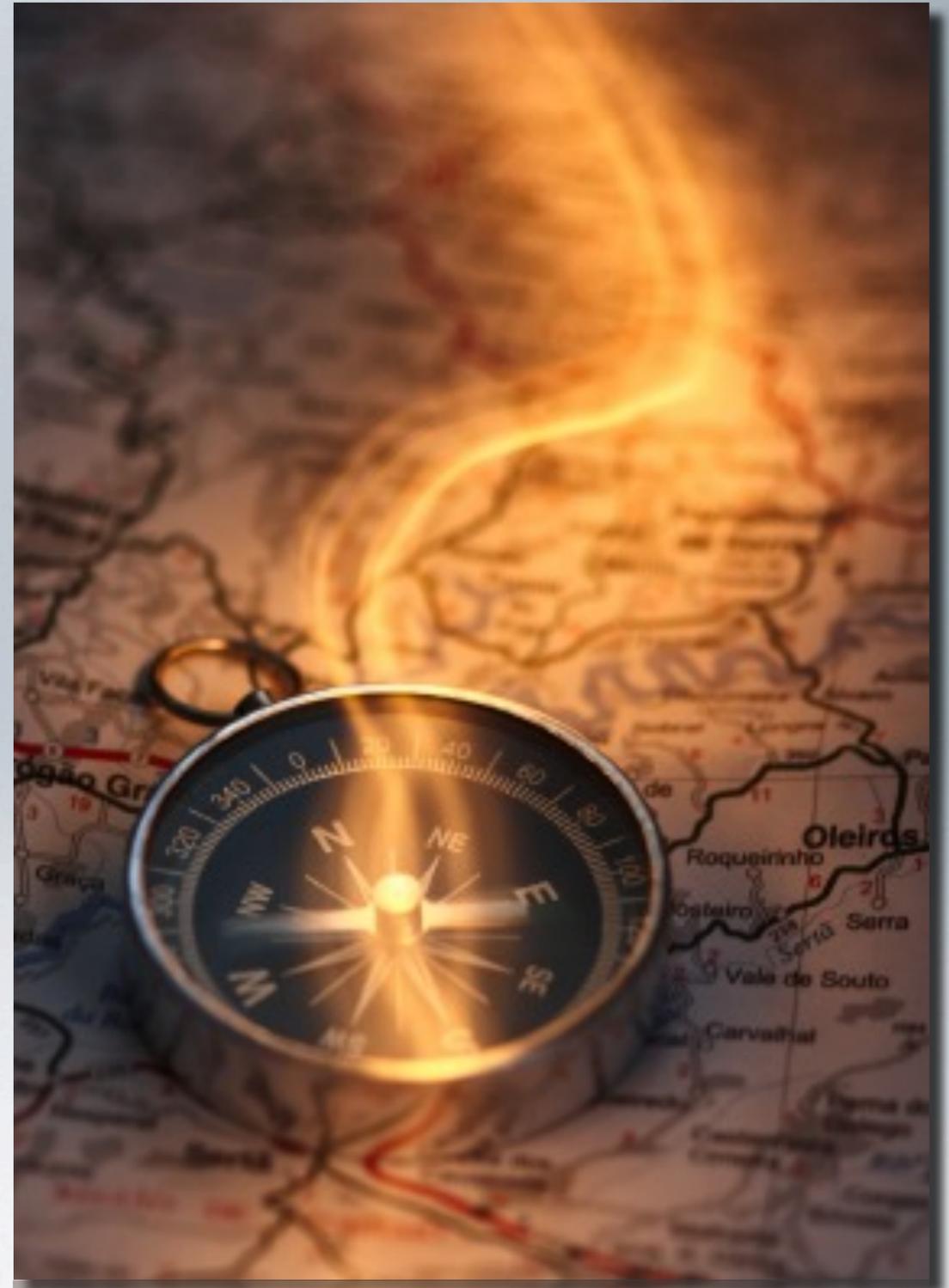
- fully automating the data collection from external sources,
- enabling **actionable reporting** to stakeholders, and
- **visualizing** the collected information for risk management and decision support
- Additionally we enable cross-organizational collaboration



RAISING THE MATURITY OF ABUSE HANDLING

UP TO THE FULL AUTOMATION

- Manual
- Ad hoc (in-house) scripts
- Hands on automata (abuse specific ticketing systems)
- **Hands off automata**
- Investigative capability



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Tim Rains – Microsoft 24 Aug 2011 10:38 AM | 5



In this final post in the series on select locations with consistently low malware infection rates, I share some key findings on how these regions maintain low infection rates.

My previous five blog posts in this series focused on the threat landscape and insights from security professionals in [Austria](#), [Finland](#), [Germany](#), and [Japan](#). All these regions have enjoyed relatively low malware infection rates over the past several years.

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“The infection rates and other metrics for Finland have consistently been below the world-wide averages, and we have often wondered ourselves what the reason is for this”

— Kimmo Bergius, Microsoft’s Chief Security Advisor

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NEWS

Nations with Low Malware Rates have Better ISPs

Austria, Finland, Germany and Japan top for security

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By **John E Dunn**

August 27, 2011 — CSO — Countries with good national security teams (CERTs) and diligent ISPs show consistently lower rates of malware infection than those states that adopt a less paternalistic approach to security, a new analysis by [Microsoft researchers](#) has suggested.

According to statistics drawn from the company’s widely-used Malicious Software Removal Tool (MSRT), the countries which have shown notably lower infection rates of malware are Austria, Finland, Germany and Japan.

Using the yardstick of computers cleaned per mile (CCM)*, Austria recorded a normalised rate of 3.3 CCM in Q4 2010, Finland 2.3, Germany 5.3, and Japan 2.3, all significantly below the global average taken from 116 countries of 8.3. These low rates have remained consistent since the first measurements taken in 2007.

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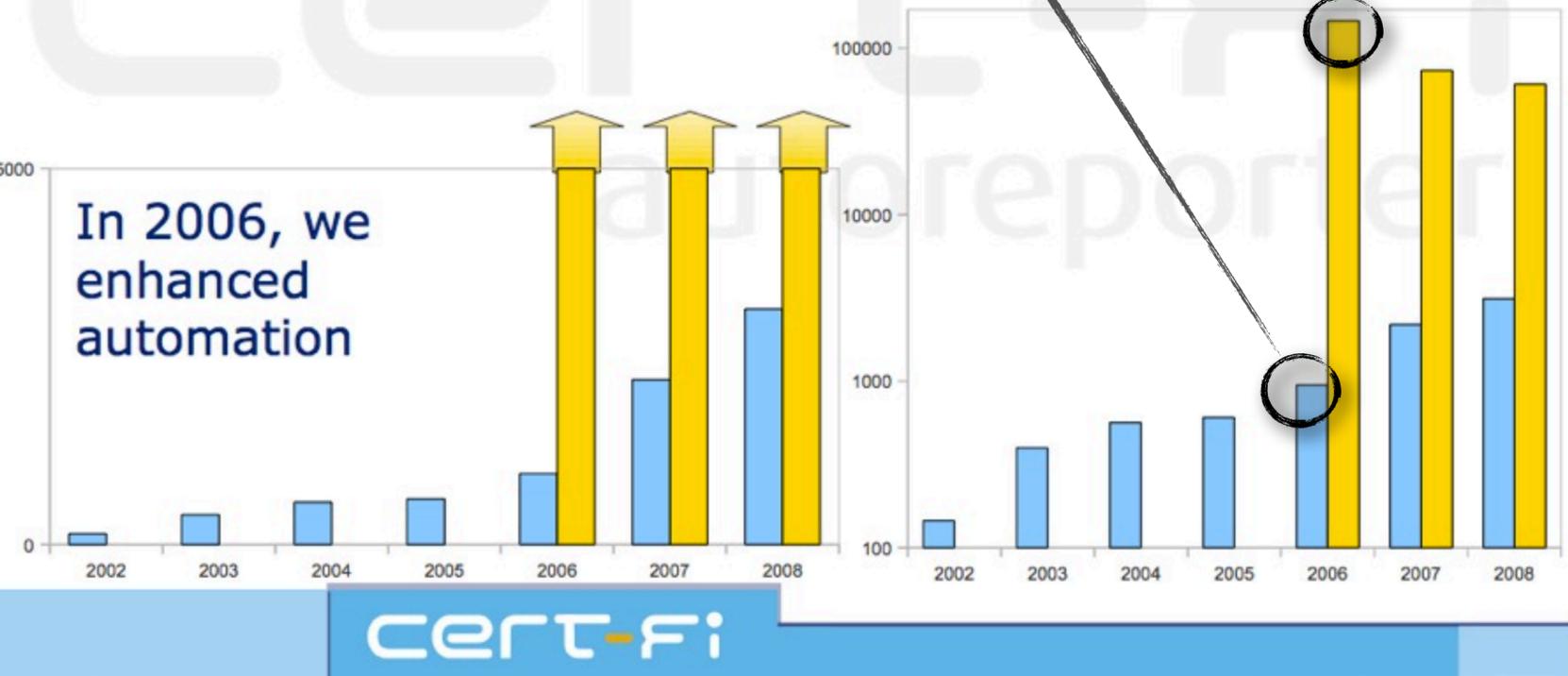
HOW DID IT WORK FOR CERT-FI?

1 000 manually handled cases

100 000 automatically handled cases

- **That opened our eyes!!**
- We probably still only see the tip of the iceberg..

In 2006, we enhanced automation



From: abusereport.demo@gmail.com
 Subject: Daily Abuse Report for SecurityAware Inc.
 Date: August 16, 2011 21:44:11 GMT+03:00
 To: Jani Kenttälä <jani@clarifiednetworks.com>

1 Attachment, 566 bytes Save Quick Look

AbuseHelper found reports regarding your networks. See the data below, or click the attachment.

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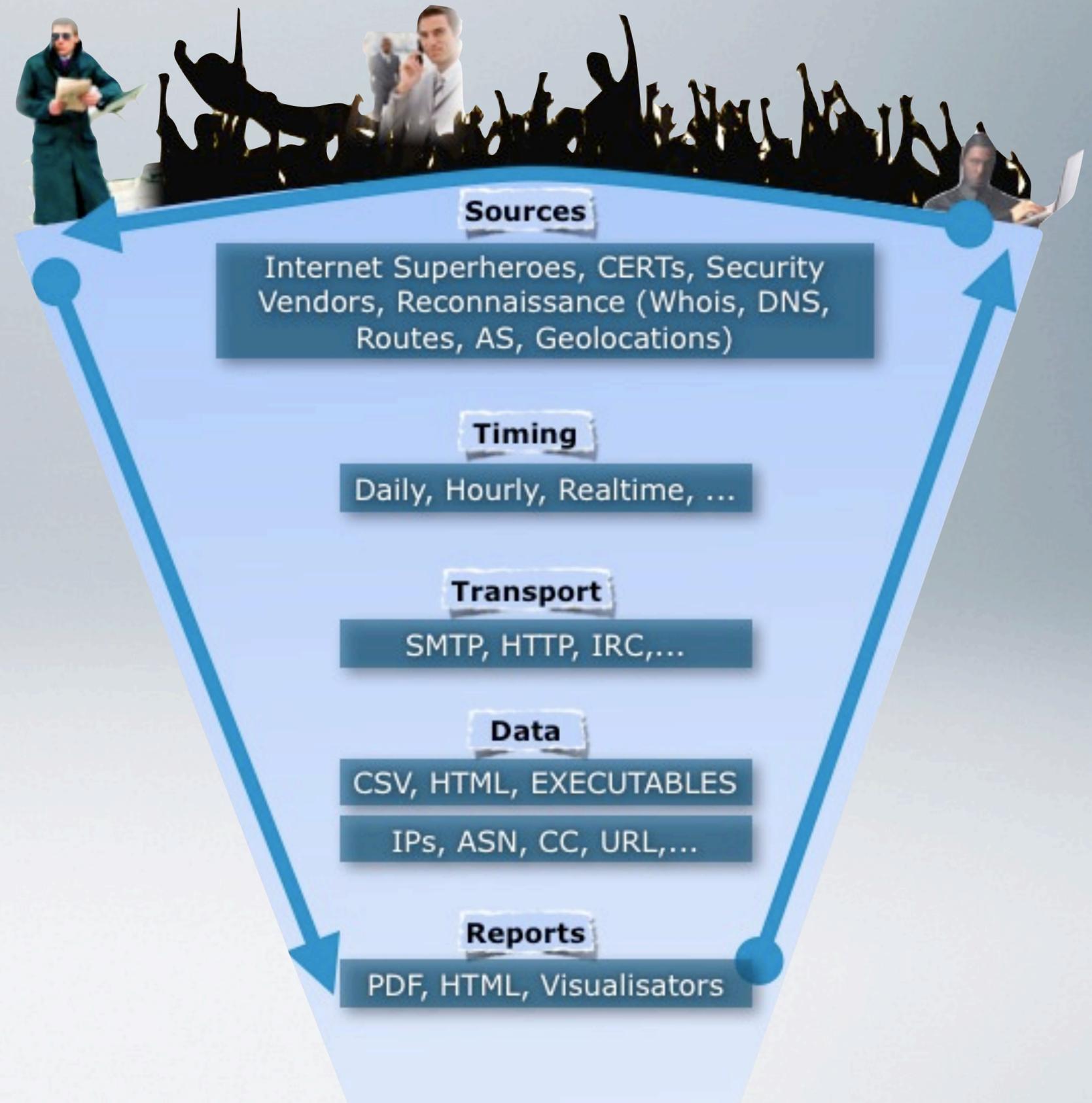
Regards,
AbuseHelper

[report.csv \(566 bytes\)](#)

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WHY THIS HASN'T BEEN DONE EARLIER?

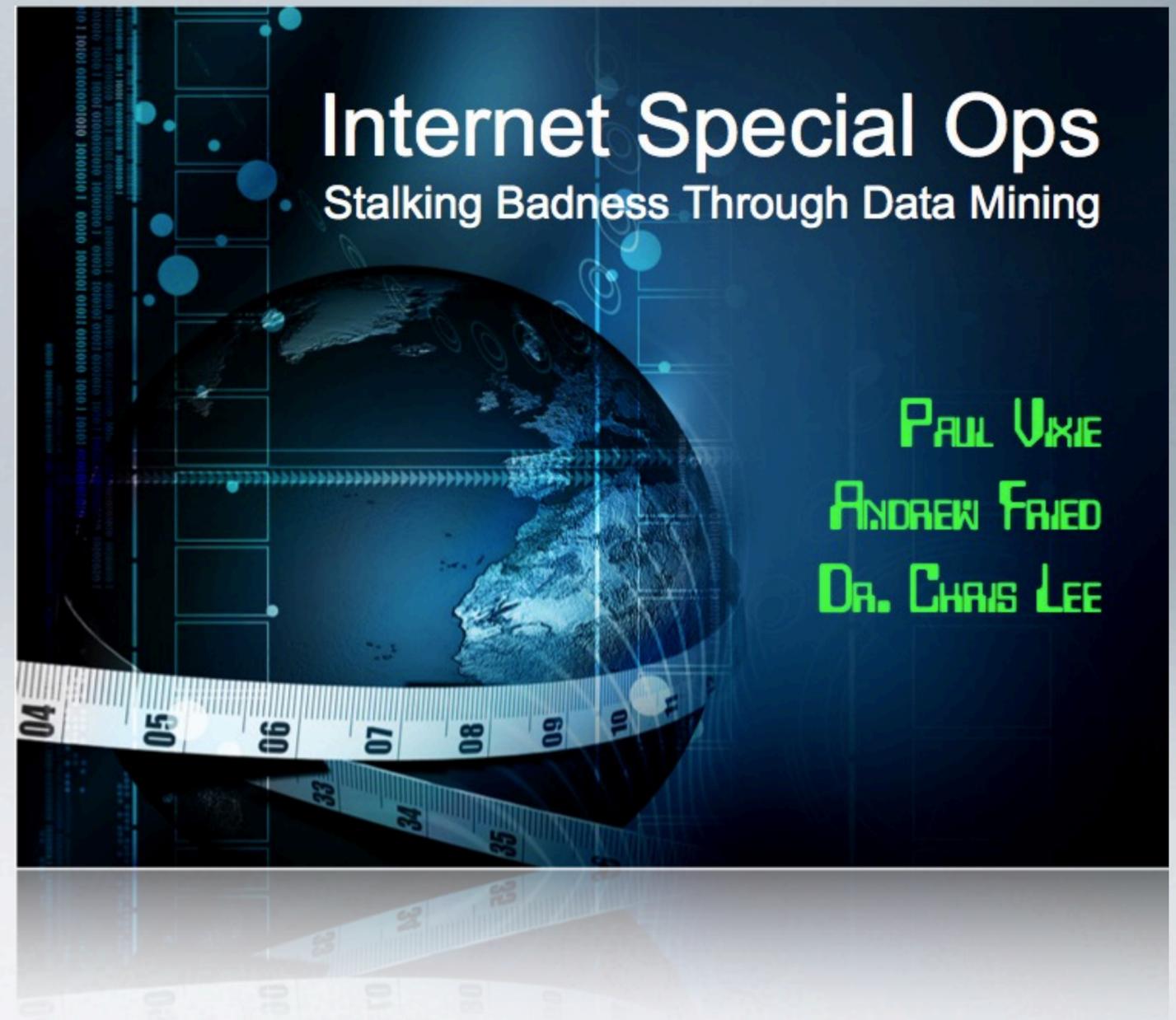
- Each feed is different in terms of timing, transport, data format, data content etc.
- On the other hand, reporting requirements may be very specific.



COMMUNITY HAS CALLED FOR IT

- *Ideally: Security data is collected and either shared or made readily accessible in a trusted community in real time.*
- *Today: Security data is mostly discarded or at least not shared in a common framework.*

-- Paul Vixie, Andrew Fried, Dr. Chris Lee - Stalking Badness Through Data Mining
presented at Black Hat USA -09



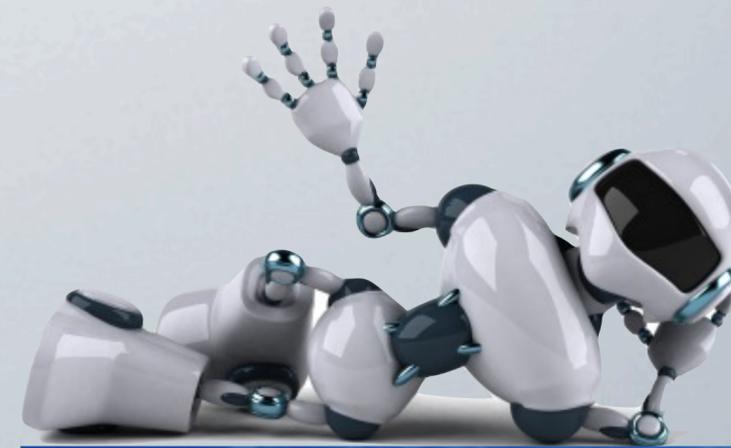
TOOLS FOR DEALING WITH ABUSE

- AbuseHelper
 - A tool for collecting and sharing suspected malicious activity
 - Collect and process Abuse Information
 - Sent out actionable reports
- Virtual Situation Room
 - Gain situational awareness over Abuse Information
 - Real-time visualizations from your perspective



ABUSEHELPER

- A tool for collecting and sharing suspected malicious activity
- Botnet inspired architecture
 - Distributed
 - Modular
 - Bot for each specific task
 - Build for various feed formats, download mechanisms, augmenting, sanitizing, normalizing, reporting
- Based on **6** CERT-FI and **2** CERT-EE generations of abuse handling automata
- **Fully automatic**



ABUSEHELPER BENEFITS

- **Handle more Abuse with less effort:**
 - With AbuseHelper you are able to consume more information sources than ever!
- **Stay up to date with newest feeds:**
 - New Abuse Feeds pop up on monthly basis. Some of them are specializing on latest threats, which you want to be aware of. In typical case you have incorporated new feed to your AbuseHelper within a week from discovery.
- **Save time & effort:**
 - Automate mundane tasks, such as abuse & incident data collection and reporting. Skip the bootstrapping time needed to build your own solution from the ground-up.
- **Modularity & extensibility:**
 - Bring together information from sources with wildly varying qualities (e.g. streaming real time data, daily mail reports, periodically polled HTTP resources, different data formats).
- **Robustness & scalability:**
 - With its botnet inspired architecture AbuseHelper is an extremely robust and scalable solution.
- **Sharing & collaboration:**
 - Benefit from the know-how of other similar actors, share yours to benefit them.
- **Open source for a closed community:**
 - Scalable, robust and actively developed open core, while still allowing non-publicly available extensions.

VSROOM

- Taps into stream of events and provides real-time visualizations
- Map based views, classification views, text based views.
- Benefits:
 - See up-to-date situation from your perspective:
 - National: how different nations are coping with abuse
 - Organizational: how large enterprises suborganizations and subcontractors are doing.



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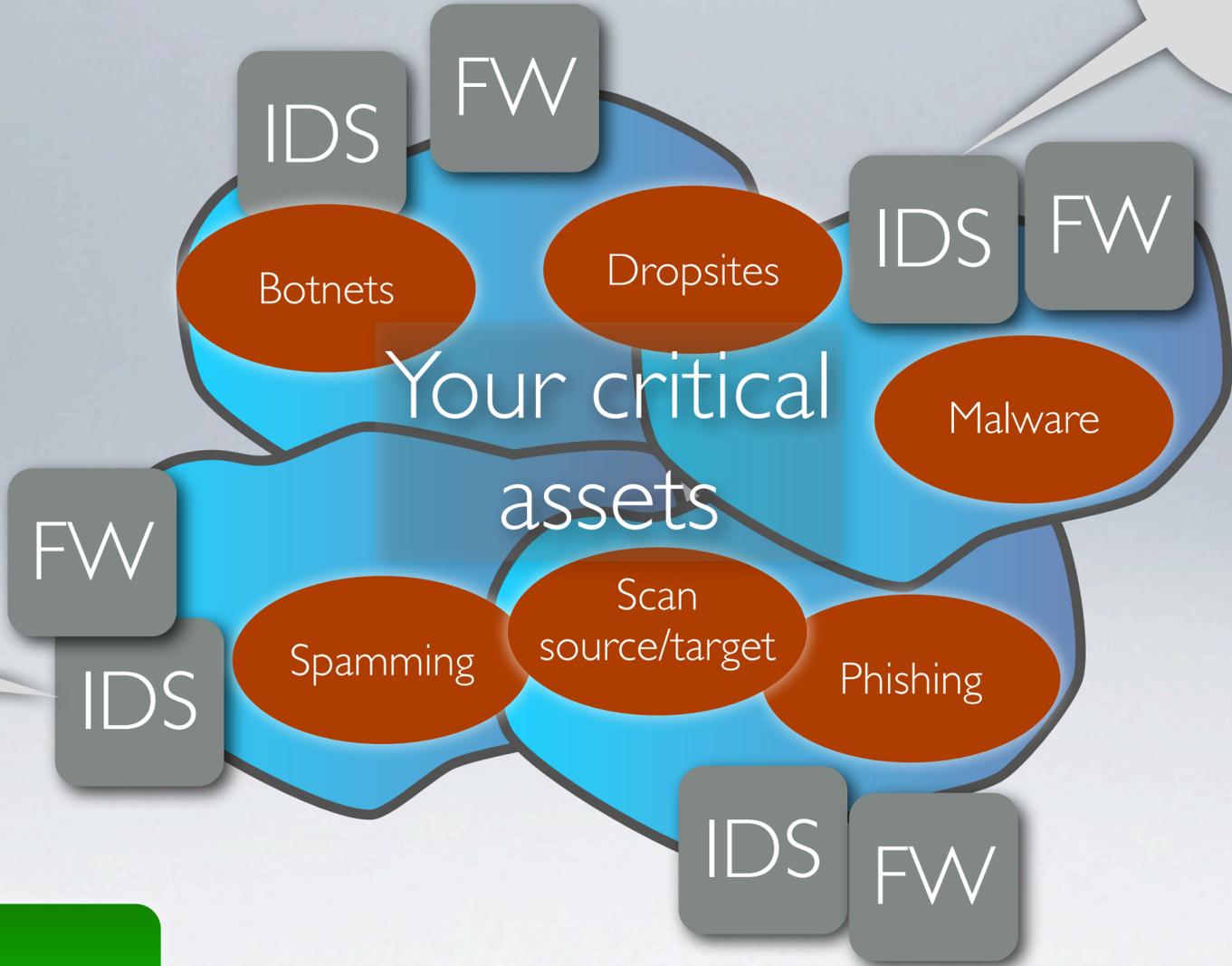
DShield

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Malwaredomainlist

ShadowServer

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Commercial Abuse Feeders

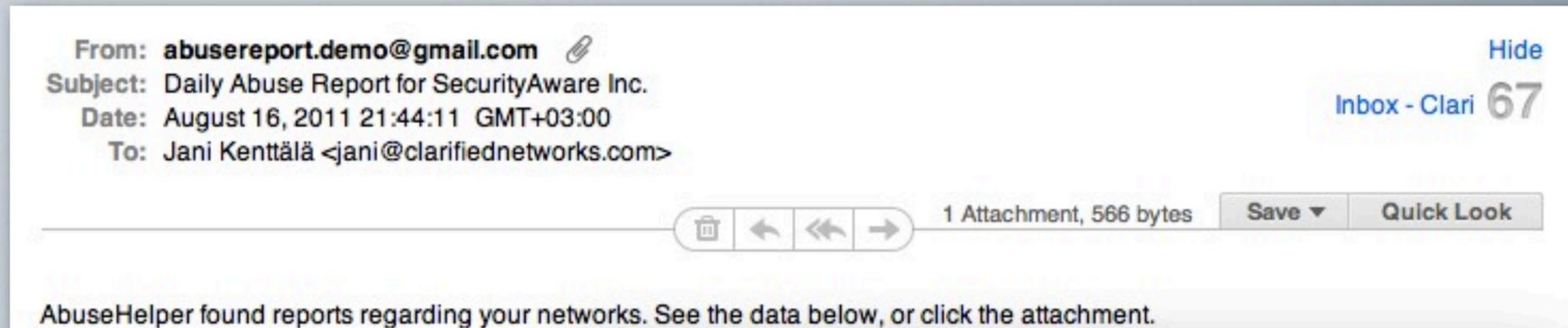
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Spamhaus

Abuse.ch

SecretOrgs

- Reports are fully tailorable
 - For example add inter-organizational details
- Report timing (real time, periodic), document templates, distribution methods - all tailorable as well



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Maturity

Activity

Impact

0 - Abuse

Manual or no abuse handling

Loss

1 - Pilot capability

Critical assets, feeds and constituencies mapped and pilot setup implemented.

Benefit demonstrated and work scoped

2 - Production automation

Feeds processed and actionable reports produced

Dirt removed from your network more efficiently

3 - Situational awareness and collaboration

Trends and situation visualized, timely collaboration enabled

Decision makers and experts collaborate on exact intelligence

4 - Private sensors

Private sensors confirm and extend 3rd party reports

Incidents confirmed, coverage improved

ROADMAP IN PRACTICE

- Pilot (maturity level 1)
 - sufficient integration to your environment to present tangible results
 - with CSIRT/CERT/Security team and decision makers
- Production (maturity levels 2-4)
 - full integration,
 - 24/7 operation,
 - reaching all stakeholders
- Typically done in 4 sprints

