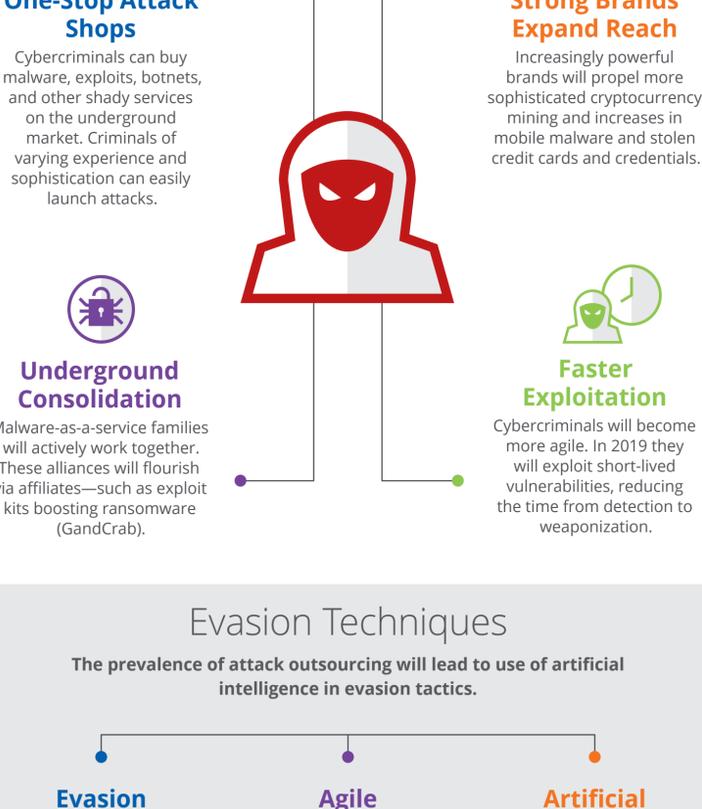


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Partners in Cybercrime

Cybercriminals will band together, creating fewer but stronger malware-as-a-service families.



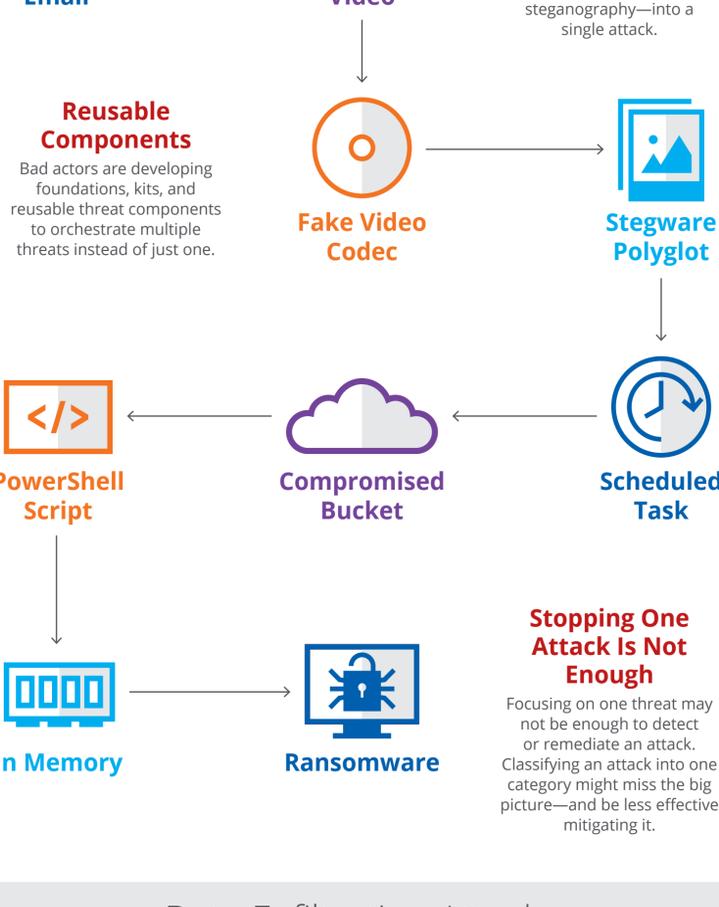
Evasion Techniques

The prevalence of attack outsourcing will lead to use of artificial intelligence in evasion tactics.



Which Attack Is It?

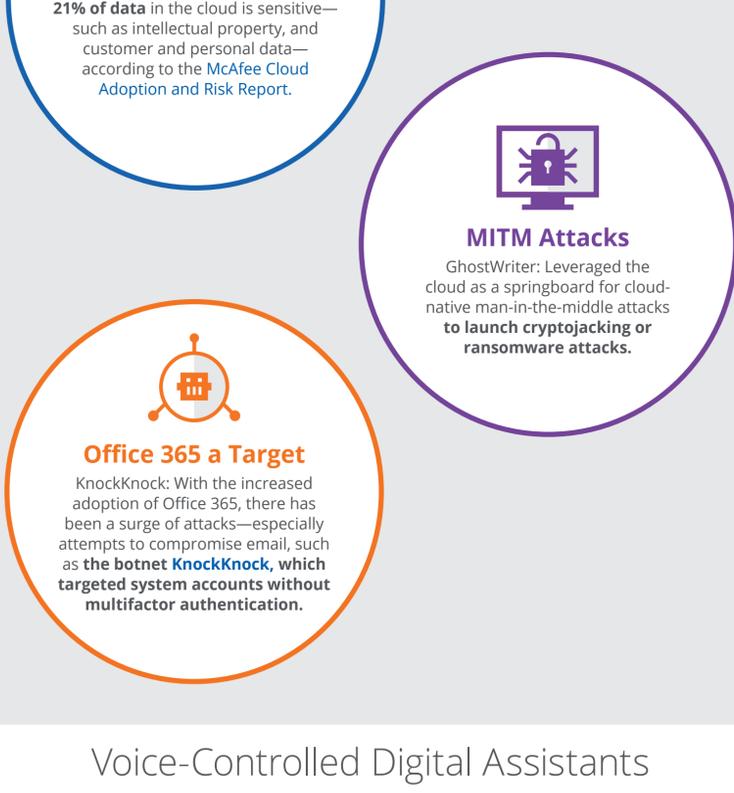
Synergistic attacks involving multiple threats working together act as a smokescreen, hindering defenders from identifying an actor's ultimate goal.



Data Exfiltration Attacks to Target the Cloud

More Data to Steal

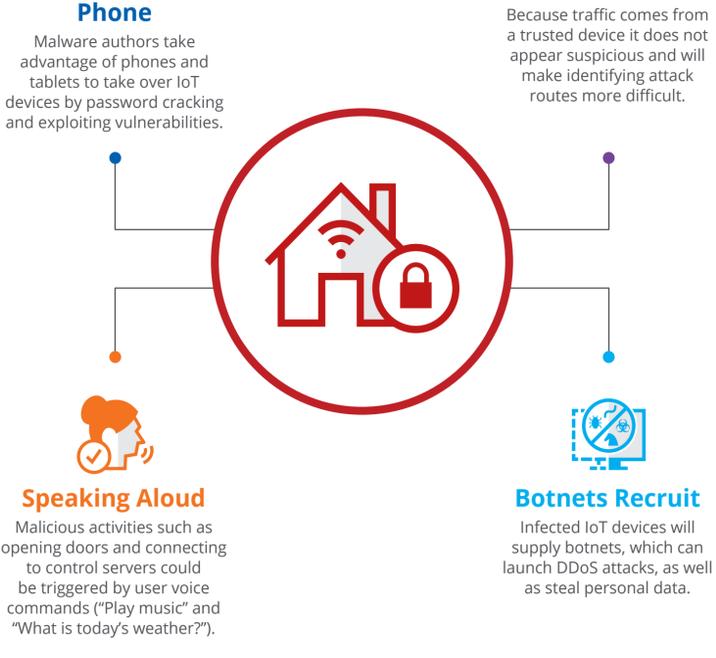
As enterprises continue to fully adopt multiple cloud models (SaaS, PaaS, IaaS), more data resides in the cloud than ever before. Attacks will follow the data and increasingly target these cloud services.



Voice-Controlled Digital Assistants

New Entry to the Home

As voice-controlled digital assistants are increasingly used to manage all the IoT devices within a home, they will be a preferred entry point into a home network for cybercriminals.



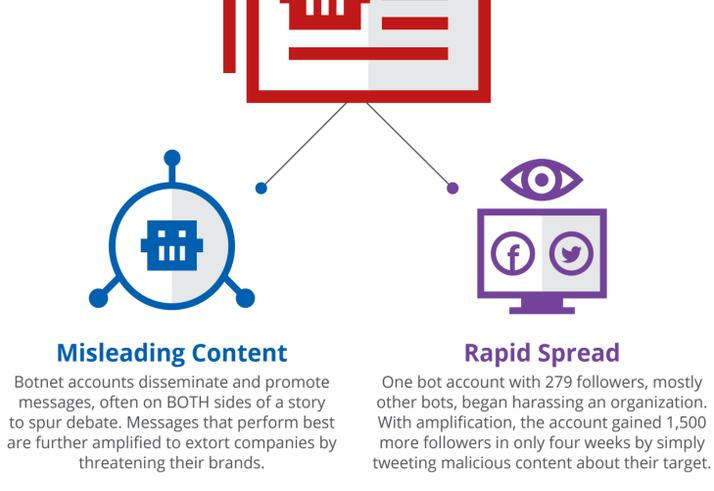
Identity Platforms and Edge Devices Under Siege

Large-scale identity platforms offer centralized secure authentication and authorization of users, devices, and services across IT environments—and a focus for criminals.



Rise of Misinformation Against Corporations

Fake news and extortion campaigns via social media will attack brands, originating not from nation-state actors but from criminal groups.



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