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**FISHING
&
PHISHING**

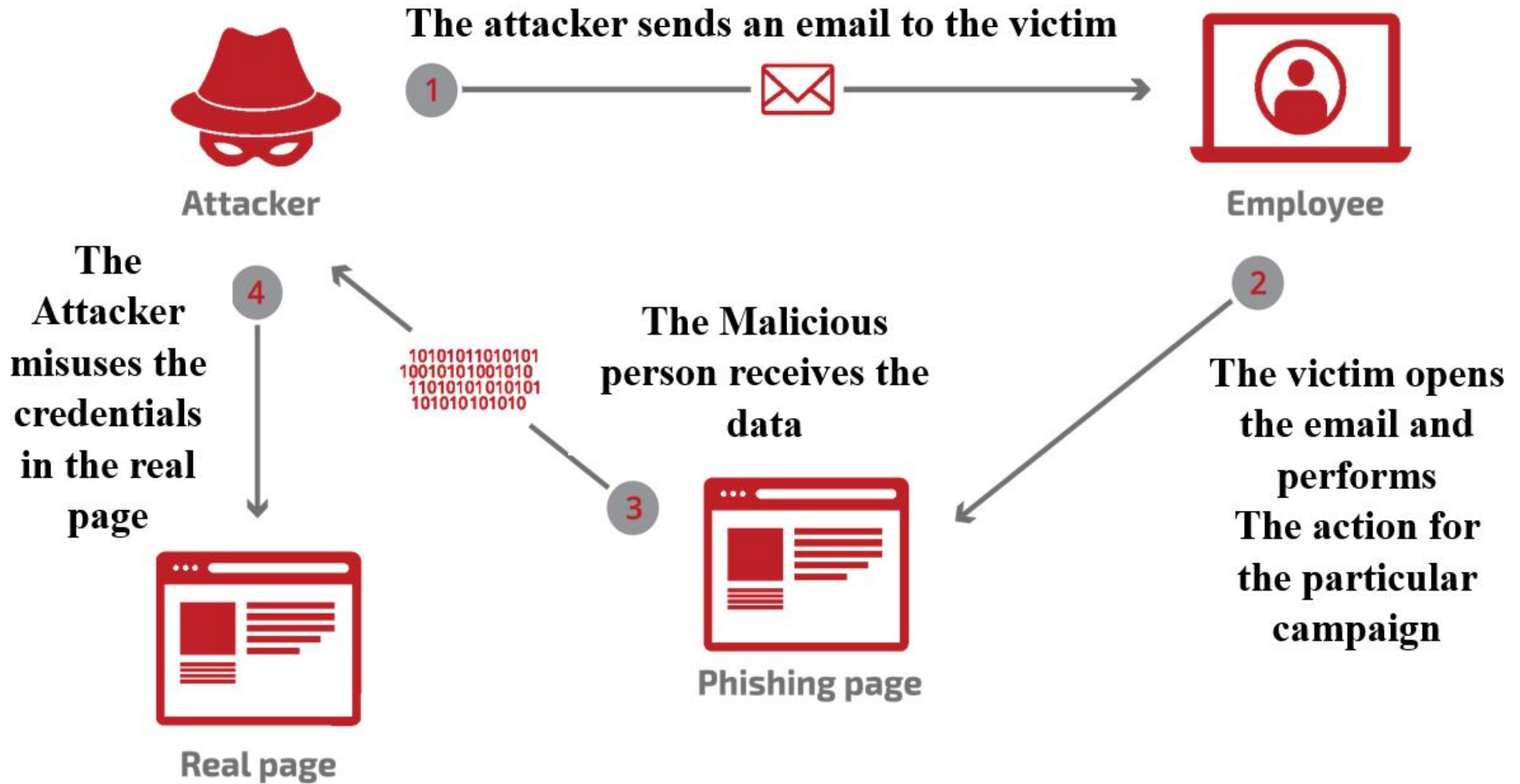


Phishing is the **fraudulent** attempt to obtain sensitive information or data, such as

- **Username**
- **passwords**
- **credit card details or**
- **other sensitive details,**



by impersonating oneself as a trustworthy entity in a digital communication

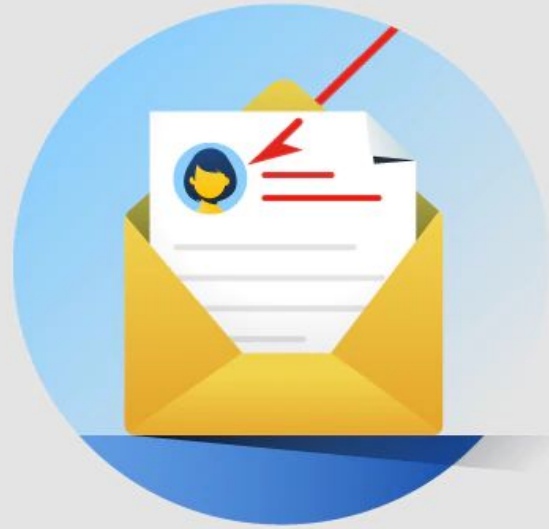


COMMON TYPES OF PHISHING



EMAIL PHISHING

Scammers create emails that impersonate legitimate companies and attempt to steal your information.



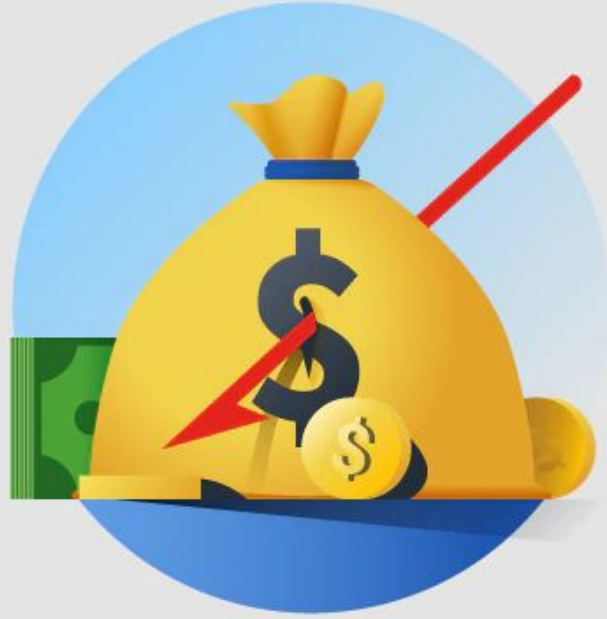
SPEAR PHISHING

Similar to email phishing, but the messages are more personalized. For example, they may appear to come from your boss.



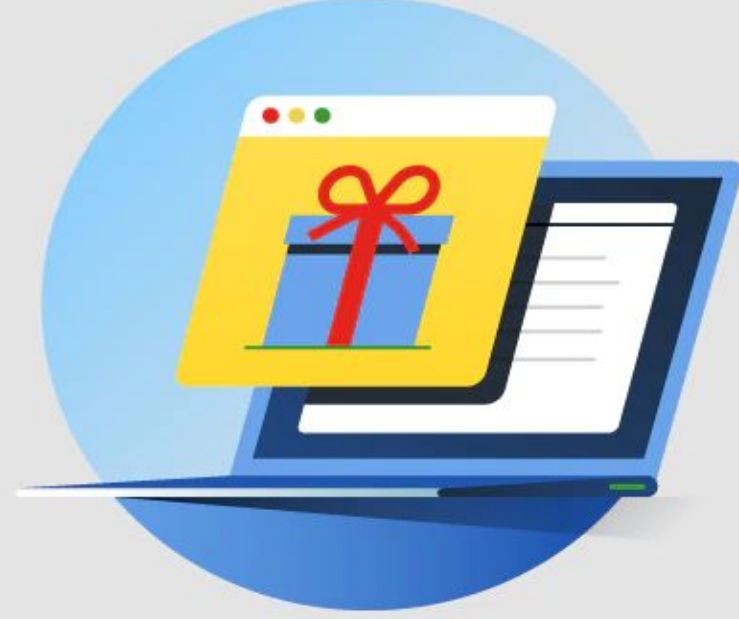
CLONE PHISHING

Scammers replicate an email you have received, but include a dangerous attachment or link.



WHALING

Scammers target high-ranking executives to gain access to sensitive data or money.



POP-UP PHISHING

Fraudulent pop-ups trick users into installing malware.

PHISHERS CAN TRICK US MOSTLY THROUGH



Emails



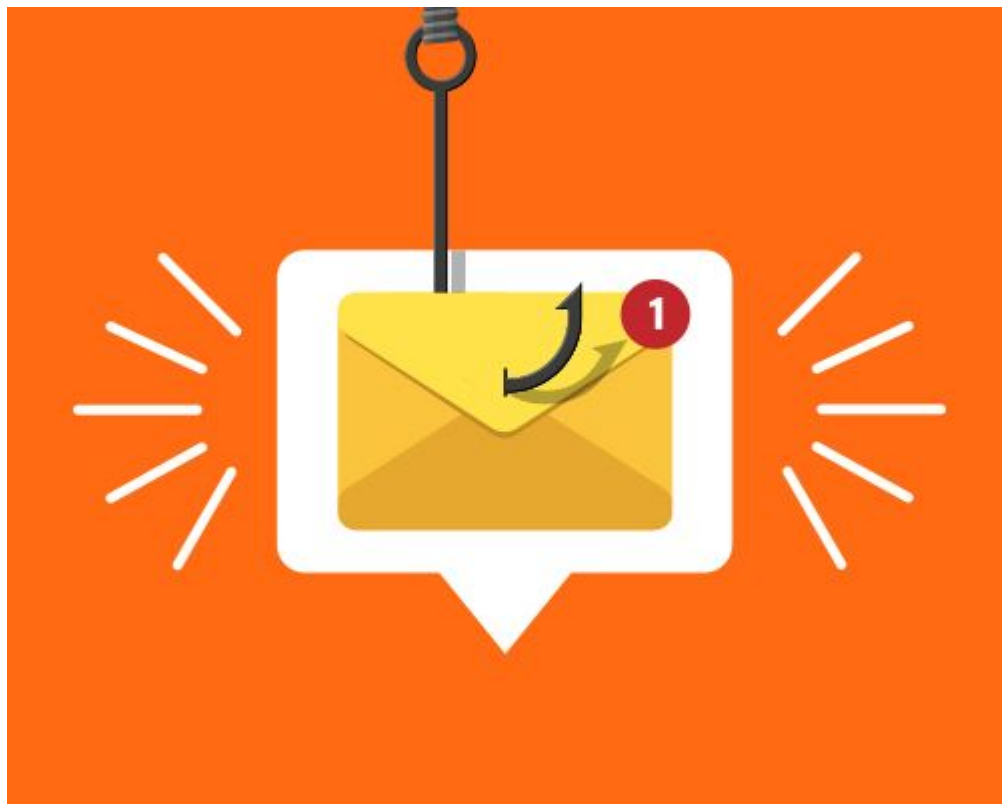
**Text
messages**



**Phone
calls**



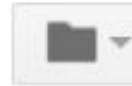
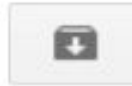
Emails



Google



Gmail



Important: Your Password will expire in 1 day(s)



Inbox x



MyUniversity

12:18 PM (50 minutes ago)



to me

Dear network user,

This email is meant to inform you that your MyUniversity network password will expire in 24 hours.

Please follow the link below to update your password

myuniversity.edu/renewal



Thank you
MyUniversity Network Security Staff



Update Required!!

Recently, there's been activity in your PayPal account that seems unusual compared to your normal account activities. Please log in to PayPal to confirm your identity.

This is part of our security process and helps ensure that PayPal continue to be safer way to buy online. Often all we need is a bit more information. While your account is limited, some options in your account won't be available.

How to remove my limitation?

You can resolve your limitation by following these simple steps:

- [Log in here.](#)
- Provide the information needed. The sooner you provide the information we need, the sooner we can resolve the situation.

"If this message sent as Junk or Spam, its just an error by our new system, please click at Not Junk or Not Spam"

Sincerely,

PayPal

← Back

Restore to inbox

Move

Delete

Not spam



Hi ,Your Loan Against Reference ID- 217XX for Rs 50 Lac is Pending.

Yahoo/Spam



Reference ID- 217XX <notification@mta93.mobsdigit.com>

To: samuraivijai@yahoo.com



Mon, 15 Feb at 16:07



For your security, we have disabled links in this email. If you believe it is safe to use, mark this message as not spam.

[Web Version](#)

Congratulations,

Your application for Business Loan can be approved.

Verify your Details Now

To Moveout, please [Click here](#)



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• Welcome, Your Application is selected, Check Now

Yahoo/Inbox ★



• **Loan Passed** <notification@rbd14.rebynder.com>

To: samuraivijai@yahoo.com



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To: samuraivijai@yahoo.com



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SIGNS OF EMAIL PHISHING

1 Fwd: WARNING: Closing and Deleting Your Account in Progress!

2 From: Account Team <jason136@maildomainxyz.co.net>

3 Hello User!

We received your instructions to delete your account.

We will process your request within 24 hours.

All features associated with your account will be lost.

4 To retain your account, click the link below as soon as possible.

5 <http://www.yourtrustedserviceprovider.com/accounts>

Thank You,

Account Team

1

**SUBJECT
LINE**

Sense of
urgency

2

SENDER

Legitimate
sender you deem
trustworthy

3

GREETING

Generic
greeting

4

**CLOSING
REQUEST**

A call for
immediate action

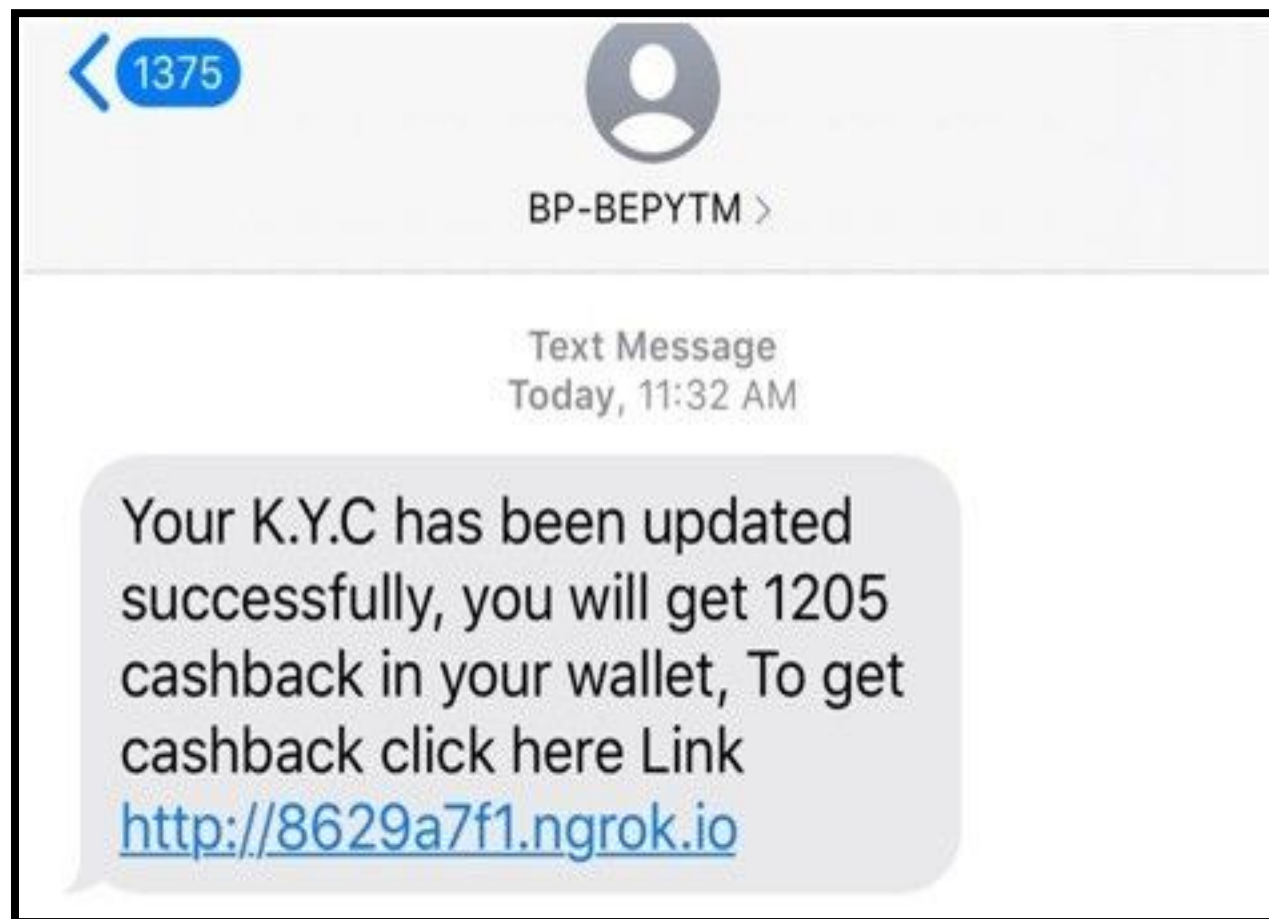
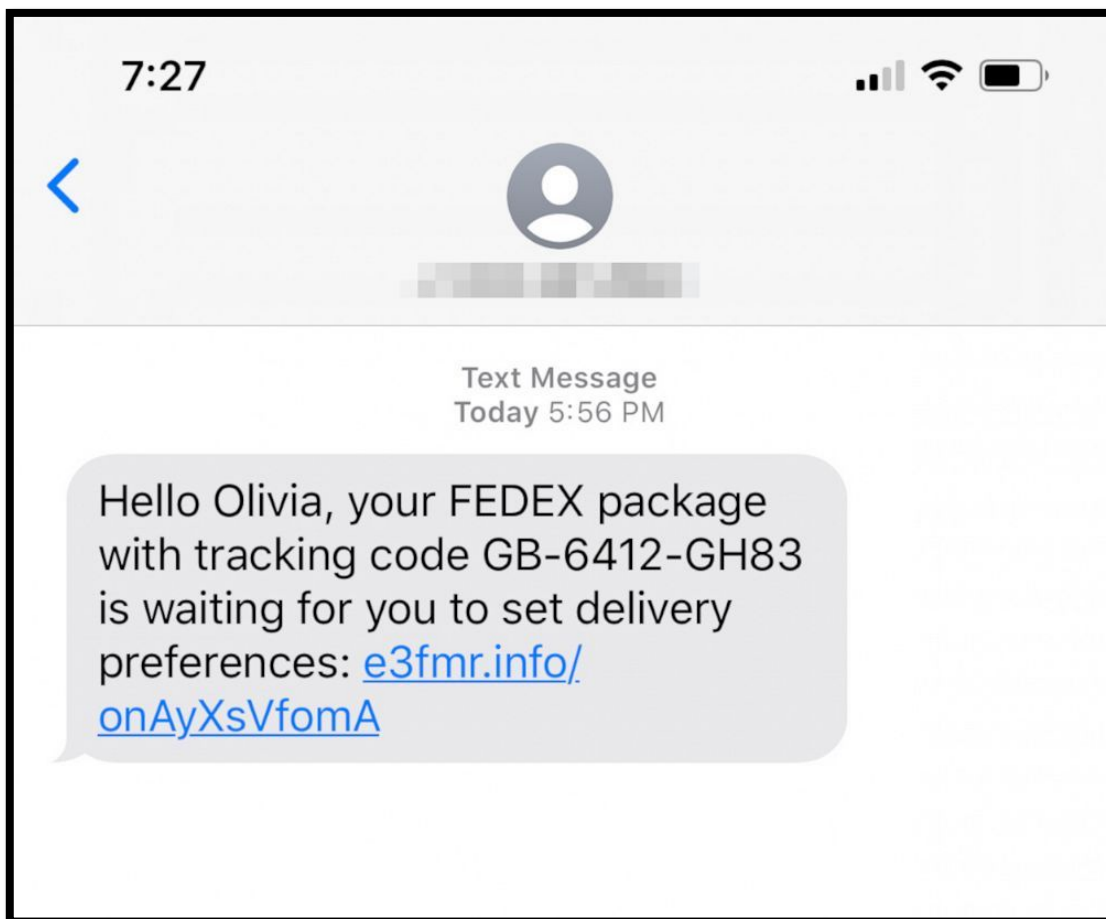
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HYPERLINK

Statement
requesting
you link



Smishing
SMS - Phishing



Text Message
Sun, 7 Jan, 2:04 am

Alert!!:Your Mobile No is Selected as winner of £1750000 on Coke Promo. Go to jangifts.net to claim. enter Ref: AU66725372 .helpline: info@mobilecola.co.uk

Add to contacts

Block number

Monday, 13 July 2020



O2:We were unable to process your latest bill. In order to avoid fees, please update your payment information via: <https://o2.uk.invoice142.com/?o2=2>

12:10



WhatsApp - Phishing

Today

🔒 Messages to this chat and calls are now secured with end-to-end encryption. Tap for more info.

1 UNREAD MESSAGE

I just received a free box of Walkers Crisps. Get yours before the offer ends. Thank me later 😊👏 <http://walkers-box.com/>

18:33



Cadbury FREE chocolate Basket

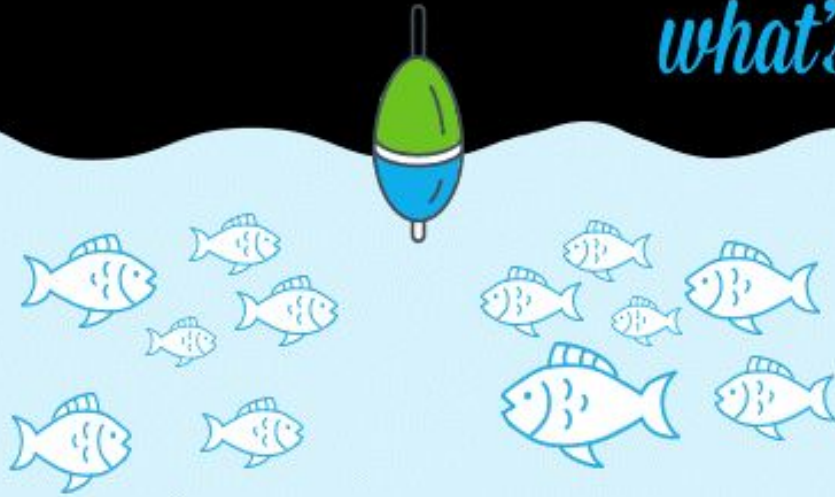
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WOW 😍 Cadbury India is giving FREE chocolate 🍫🍫 basket gift Hamper to celebrate their 70th anniversary, Click here to Get yours: <http://www.cadburyindia.com> .

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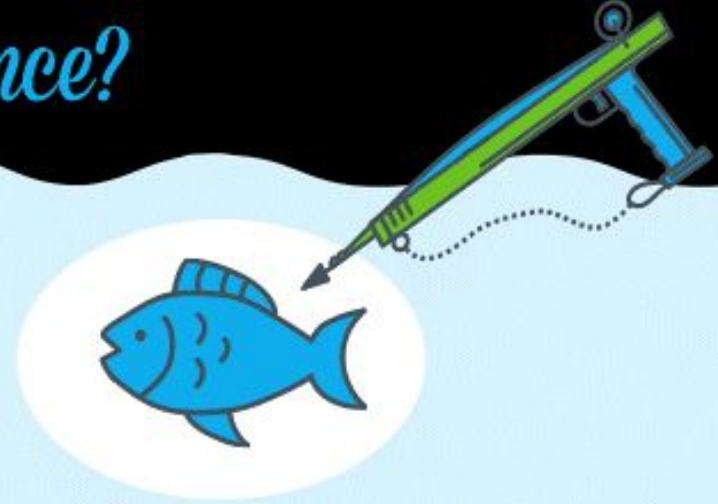


what's the difference?



PHISHING

IS A BROAD, AUTOMATED ATTACK
THAT IS LESS SOPHISTICATED.



SPEAR-PHISHING

IS A CUSTOMIZED ATTACK ON A SPECIFIC
EMPLOYEE & COMPANY

HOW TO PREVENT?

- Don't open suspicious mails / SMS
- Don't click on suspicious hyperlinks in the mails
- Don't send any financial info through mails to anyone.

(Account numbers, Usernames, Password..)

HOW TO PREVENT?

- Don't click on Pop-up Ads.
- Use Spam filters.
- Encrypt all sensitive company information
- Use Two – factor authentication

HOW AN ORGANIZATION CAN WITHSTAND PHISHING?



**TWO-FACTOR
AUTHORIZATION**



**STRICT
PASSWORD
POLICY**



**ANTI-PHISHING
TRAINING FOR
EMPLOYEES**



HOW TO RECOVER IF RESPONDED TO PHISHING?

- Change your Passwords
- Contact the Organization that was spoofed
- Contact your card providers /
Study your transaction statements
- Don't send any financial info through mails to anyone.
(Account numbers, Usernames, Password..)

HOW TO RECOVER IF RESPONDED TO PHISHING?

- Don't click on Pop-up Ads.
- Use Spam filters.
- Scan your computer for any Malware.
- Encrypt all sensitive company information
- Initiate the Cyber Crime to take actions by complaining to them

LEGAL ACTS AGAINST PHISHING

Phishing-A Cyber Crime, the provisions of Information Technology Act, 2000

The phishing fraud is **an online fraud** in which the fraudster disguise themselves and use false and fraudulent websites of bank and other financial institutions, URL Links **to deceive people into disclosing valuable personal data**, later on which is used to swindle money from victim account. Thus, essentially it is a **cyber crime** and it attracts many penal provisions of the Information Technology Act, 2000 as amended in 2008 adding some new provisions to deal with the phishing activity.

LEGAL ACTS AGAINST PHISHING

The following Sections of the Information Technology Act, 2000 are applicable to the Phishing Activity:

Section 66: The account of the victim is compromised by the phisher which is not possible unless & until the **fraudster fraudulently effects some changes by way of deletion or alteration of information/data electronically in the account of the victim residing in the bank server.** Thus, this act is squarely covered and punishable u/s 66 IT Act.

Section 66A: The disguised email **containing the fake link of the bank** or organization is used to deceive or to mislead the recipient about the origin of such email and thus, it clearly attracts the provisions of Section 66A IT Act, 2000.

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Section 66C: In the phishing email, the fraudster disguises himself as the real banker and **uses the unique identifying feature of the bank or organization say Logo, trademark** etc. and thus, clearly attracts the provision of Section 66C IT Act, 2000.

Section 66D: The fraudsters through the use of the phishing email containing the link to the fake website of the bank or organizations **personates the Bank or financial institutions to cheat upon the innocent persons**, thus the offence under Section 66D too is attracted.

*Thank you all for joining this
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