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# Ransomware landscape: July 2024

Monthly summary of ransomware leak-site listings

Period: July 2024 | Compared with the previous month | Counts are listings by the date we first saw them

| 430 | +8.6% | 48 | 6 |
|---|---|---|---|
| listings this month | vs previous month (396) | groups that posted | groups seen for the first time |

**Key findings**

- 430 organizations were listed in July 2024, +8.6% against 396 in the month before.
- ransomhub was the most active group with 50 listings (11.6% of the month). The five most active groups account for 38.8% of all listings.
- Professional Services was the most listed sector with 119 listings (27.7%), followed by Technology (70).
- United States was the most listed country with 187 listings (43.5%).
- 6 groups listed for the first time this month.
- The busiest day was 2024-07-25 with 37 listings.

## Who is behind the listings

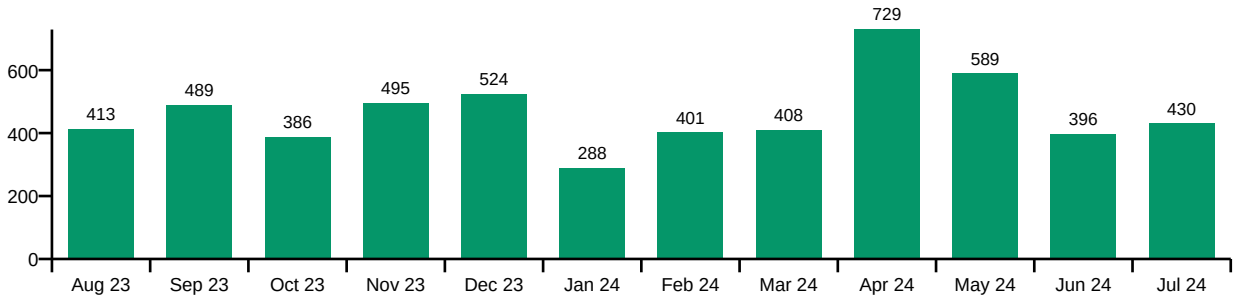


Dark: ransomhub (11.6%). Grey: the next four groups (27.2%). Light: all other groups (61.2%).

**What this means for your team**

- Activity is spread out: the five busiest groups (ransomhub, lockbit3, akira, hunters, play) made only 38.8% of listings, so watching a few groups is not enough. Track listings by sector and supplier instead.
- Professional Services had the most listings (119). If you work in it, or buy from it, check whether your suppliers were named this month.
- 6 groups listed for the first time. Add new names to your watchlist and note which sectors they went for.

## Listings per month, last 12 months




## Most active groups

| Group | Listings | Share | vs last month |
|---|---|---|---|
| ransomhub | 50 | 11.6% | -21 |
| lockbit3 | 40 | 9.3% | +28 |
| akira | 30 | 7.0% | +10 |
| hunters | 26 | 6.0% | +18 |
| play | 21 | 4.9% | -14 |
| medusa | 17 | 4.0% | 0 |
| meow | 17 | 4.0% | +16 |
| dragonforce | 14 | 3.3% | +7 |
| incransom | 13 | 3.0% | -5 |
| bianlian | 12 | 2.8% | +3 |

## Most listed sectors

| Sector | Listings | Share | vs last month |
|---|---|---|---|
| Professional Services | 119 | 27.7% | +10 |
| Technology | 70 | 16.3% | +1 |
| Healthcare | 59 | 13.7% | +11 |
| Manufacturing | 59 | 13.7% | +20 |
| Education | 22 | 5.1% | +11 |
| Government & Defense | 21 | 4.9% | +7 |
| Agriculture and Food Production | 15 | 3.5% | 0 |
| Energy & Utilities | 14 | 3.3% | 0 |

1 listings (0%) have no sector in the source data and are not ranked.

## Most listed countries

| Country | Listings | Share |
|---|---|---|
| United States | 187 | 43.5% |
| Canada | 15 | 3.5% |
| Germany | 13 | 3.0% |
| United Kingdom | 13 | 3.0% |
| Brazil | 11 | 2.6% |
| Italy | 10 | 2.3% |
| Spain | 9 | 2.1% |
| India | 8 | 1.9% |

## Groups that listed for the first time

BrainCipher, fog, lynx, madliberator, ransomcortex, vanirgroup

## About these numbers

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|---|---|
| **Listing** | A post on a ransomware group's leak site naming an organization. It is the group's claim, not a confirmed breach. |
| **Date** | We count a listing on the date we first saw it, which can be days or weeks after the attack. |
| **Share** | The group's, sector's or country's part of all listings in the month. |
| **vs last month** | Change in listings from the month before. 'new' means none the month before. Colour shows direction only. |
| **Limits** | Many victims are never listed, so this describes leak-site activity, not the true number of ransomware incidents. |

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