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Latest Tech News

Fintech startup Effectiv raises \$4M from Accel to help banks tackle fraud and improve risk management	With cutting-edge AI and an intuitive user interface, Effectiv's solutions enable rapid adaptation to new trends and aim to significantly reduce the cost to manage fraud and risk.
Antimatter Announces \$12 Million Series A Led by NEA and First Cryptographic Infra Solution for Data Security	Antimatter—founded in 2020 by Andrew Krioukov, Michael Andersen, and Beau Trincia—is solving customer data security requirements with a bold and comprehensive new approach: a cryptographic infrastructure solution that provably guarantees data can only be accessed by customer-approved individuals, even if the app or servers are compromised.
Citrix Doubles Down On SSE, Delivers ZTNA	The service is available as a standalone ZTNA platform or as part of a full-featured SSE, complete with secure web gateway (SWG), cloud access security broker (CASB), and data loss prevention (DLP).
New form of data wiper malware linked to attack on Viasat	Officially Viasat denies that malware is involved. In a blog post yesterday, the company said it had found "no evidence of any compromise or tampering with Viasat modem software or firmware images and no evidence of any supply-chain interference" in the attack.
Google tests its Privacy Sandbox and unveils new user controls	"Today, developers can see and begin testing the code for Topics, FLEDGE and Attribution Reporting in the Canary version of Chrome, and we'll progress to origin trials with a limited number of Chrome Beta users as soon as possible,"
Hackers are using fake 'emergency' requests to obtain customer data	A court order is required to obtain subscriber information in the U.S., but there is an alternative way to obtain data. In a case involving imminent harm or death, an authority can file an emergency data request that bypasses an official review and does not require the provision of a court order. That's what hackers are exploiting.
CYE launches new group to provide advanced cyber architecture	CYE, a Herzliya, Israel-based cybersecurity company that provides organizations with data-driven cybersecurity solutions at scale, has launched a new group called Critical Cyber Operations to provide what it calls a "data-driven and mathematically-proven cybersecurity investment optimization capability that allows rapid, accurate and efficient cybersecurity maturity construction."
Office 365 Government Secret Arriving Mid-Year	Office 365 Government Secret is being designed to support Impact Level 6 (IL6) work, which means that "Secret" information will get stored and processed. IL6 also signifies that the data can "only be processed in a DoD private/community or Federal government community cloud," according to Microsoft's IL6 overview document.
Vulnerabilities in Wyze cams exposed users to device takeover and video access	The authentication bypass, officially named, CVE-2019-9564, would allow an attacker to bypass a login process by sending a NULL authentication request.

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StateScoop - Local cyber is finally getting its moment, city CISOs say	"Local government is right in the middle of everything that's going on right now, and at the same time we're seeing more effort in the federal government in actually helping to step up our game in cybersecurity."
VentureBeat - Gartner lists seven cybersecurity trends for 2022	Taken together from the standpoint of enterprises focused on new digital initiatives, the seven trends show clearly that cybersecurity needs to be a business enabler first. The two trending proof points of cybersecurity's business value are decentralized decision-making and faster response times to business challenges.
VentureBeat - Google Cloud security survey is 'aggressive' move vs. Microsoft	This line of argument — that Microsoft is a fundamental part of the cybersecurity problem, rather than the solution — has been made in the past by Microsoft security rivals such as CrowdStrike.
Network World - Opinion Zero trust requires network visibility	This translates to logging information from network infrastructure at every level, from the core switches all the way "out" to the edge switches in the branch networks and all the way "in" to the virtual switches in the data center
eWeek - California Privacy Rights Act and Enterprise Data Management: Key Updates	The new law broadens the existing CCPA definition of an individual's sensitive data to include any information reasonably capable of being associated with a person. The new law also makes it easier for consumers to regulate the processing of sensitive information.
sdxCentral - Should CISOs Face Criminal Charges for Negligence, Failure?	It depends on how the security enforces best practices and strategies across the whole organization, and also the technologists, developers, and others who are responsible for deploying those practices, he said. "If you take the approach of just blaming the security team, you're blaming the one group that is absolutely concerned about security all day long."

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