



RANSOMWARE THREAT ACTORS TO LOOK OUT FOR

LOCKBIT GROUP

Often considered the most prolific group in the world. Last year, LockBit was responsible for **over 30%** of ransomware attacks.

ALPHV (BLACKCAT)

This group is responsible for many of the fuel logistics and transportation services attacks in Europe. They are responsible for 13% of all ransomware attacks so far in 2023.

Active since 2022, Royal Ransomware created a custommade file encryption program that disables antivirus software, steals large amounts of data, and encrypts the systems to prevent retrieval.

CLOP RANSOMWARE GROUP

In operation since 2019, this group began with brute-force tactics. Clop's attacks are evolving and show increasing sophistication, like double-extortion tactics. In March 2023, an attack hit over 130 victims by an exploitation of server vulnerabilities.

ROYAL RANSOMWARE

AVOS-LOCKER

Active since 2021, the AvosLocker ransomware group has been making a name for itself by **targeting critical infrastructure sectors** in the U.S., and other organizations worldwide. This group functions primarily through **RaaS** and is actively recruiting ransomware affiliates.

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