



# The Devil's in the Detail





# A Real World Problem

## Taliban using Skype phones to dodge MI6

TALIBAN fighters targeting British troops in Afghanistan are using the latest 'internet phones' to evade detection by MI6, security sources said last night.

Skype, a popular piece of consumer software that allows free calls to be made over the web, has been adopted by insurgents to communicate with cells strung out across the country.

Unlike traditional mobile calls, which can be monitored by RAF Nimrod spy planes, Skype calls – the commercial application of a technology called Voice Over Internet Protocol (VOIP) – are heavily encrypted.

Voice calls are broken into millions of pieces of data before being sent down the line and reassembled by the other caller's computer.

The British and American governments are investing considerable resources to crack the codes, and in the UK the Government is introducing legislation to force internet service providers to log all web activity by subscribers, which could then be turned

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over to the security services on demand. The disclosure comes as the 8,000 British troops in Afghanistan are facing attacks almost daily from an increasingly well co-ordinated Taliban.

'The trouble with this technology is that it is easily available but devilishly hard to crack,' the source said. 'The technology can now be accessed on mobile internet devices and the country's mobile phone network is expanding rapidly.'

Skype was created in 2003 and three years ago was bought by eBay for £1.4 billion. It has 300 million accounts and at any one time, more than 12 million people are using the service.

Sir David Pepper, the head of GCHQ, the British Government's top-secret listening post, has told MPs that internet calls are 'seriously undermining' his organisation's ability to intercept communications.

Skype said last night it did not want to comment.



**WEB OF DECEIT:** Taliban internet calls are hard to monitor



# Principals of Data Retention

- Collect
  - All Records must be collected in a timely & secure manner
  - Records should not be modified
- Retain
  - Data must be held in a secure & tamperproof environment
  - Minimal operational overheads to maintain availability of data
  - Data must be available as and when needed with minimum delay
- Analyse
  - Records must be queried in both pre defined reports and in a ad-hoc manner
  - Queries should return “Without Undue Delay”
  - Reports should be made availble in many formats
  - Authentication should be used to safeguard data access
- Dispose
  - Once retention has expired records should be deleted in an irretrievable manner
  - Legal Hold should be available on records under investigation



## Data Created

- 100's of Billions of Records
- Records typically short but Structured
- Huge Growth on a periodic basis
- Example:
  - 1 department of a European Telco = 13.6Tb / Qtr
  - Storage up to 24 Months (may be extended)
  - Therefore total required: 108.8 Tb
- Rapid access / querying required so “Off-Line” not an option



# Reporting

- Complex correlations
  - Who called who, when, from where, how long
  - Who called who but didn't get answered
  - Repeating patterns of call behaviour
  - Interconnections with calls and other communication activity (SMS)
  - Who owned this IP address
  - Who accessed these websites & When?
  
- Historical Access
  - Up to 24 months
  - (Option for longer Periods)

**Top 100 Calls Between Two Numbers** author: administrator created: May 18  
starting May 18, 2005 4:00:00 PM, ending May 18, 2006 3:59:59 PM GMT-08:00

View Query/Library Filter

Table Graph

Rows 1-100 of 100

calling_number	called_number	No of Calls	Earliest Record	Latest Record
2617168110	7140014	113	Tue 04/04/06 12:20:06 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:47:19 PM
4142349177	04142349177	95	Tue 04/04/06 01:42:46 PM	Tue 04/04/06 01:48:30 PM
4142809884	02124516686	87	Tue 04/04/06 01:43:47 PM	Tue 04/04/06 01:56:37 PM
2517169040	2126092387	82	Tue 04/04/06 10:58:11 AM	Tue 04/04/06 11:34:59 AM
2617168110	04146216221	81	Tue 04/04/06 11:51:55 AM	Tue 04/04/06 12:43:37 PM
2648149010	582642417525	79	Tue 04/04/06 12:07:09 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:38:17 PM
2648149010	2417525	79	Tue 04/04/06 12:07:08 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:38:16 PM
2418770866	2415135410	64	Tue 04/04/06 11:04:48 AM	Tue 04/04/06 11:31:35 AM
2517169110	2334705	46	Tue 04/04/06 11:32:48 AM	Tue 04/04/06 11:52:32 AM
2126135810	6818886	46	Tue 04/04/06 01:44:58 PM	Tue 04/04/06 01:54:58 PM
2517169360	4140475909	44	Tue 04/04/06 11:16:05 AM	Tue 04/04/06 11:48:16 AM
2127153124	02763420188	43	Tue 04/04/06 12:19:17 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:44:30 PM
2556149070	2125068041	42	Tue 04/04/06 11:23:39 AM	Tue 04/04/06 11:46:47 AM
2464149010	2122743107	42	Tue 04/04/06 11:04:11 AM	Tue 04/04/06 11:15:27 AM
2617168150	582617212639	41	Tue 04/04/06 12:04:02 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:31:30 PM
2617168150	7212639	41	Tue 04/04/06 12:03:48 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:31:26 PM
4141138102	00573157495183	40	Tue 04/04/06 01:43:48 PM	Tue 04/04/06 01:56:21 PM
2418227551	2415131401	39	Tue 04/04/06 11:07:01 AM	Tue 04/04/06 12:04:00 PM
2694149140	04146656862	37	Tue 04/04/06 12:13:56 PM	Tue 04/04/06 12:30:19 PM



# Flexible Investigation Interface

to	calling_number	called_number	outpulsed_number	call_seizure_start_date	netwok_time	initial_switch_id	final_switch_id	call
2006-04-04T11:48:16.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:48:16	000018	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:47:40.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:47:40	000021	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:47:22.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:47:22	000018	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:47:02.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:47:02	000018	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:46:42.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:46:42	000020	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:46:45.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:46:45	000025	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:46:20.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:46:20	000024	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:44:47.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:44:47	000018	34	34	114
2006-04-04T11:43:55.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:43:55	000019	34	34	114
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2006-04-04T11:22:43.000000Z	201 11 888 8888	4148-47888888	999584-4148-47888888	2006-04-04T11:22:43	000019	34	34	114
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Quickly investigate calls between specific numbers





Reports

- All Report Definitions
  - CDR Reports
  - Cerner
  - Compliance Analytics Package
  - Custom
  - Customer reports
  - EU Data Retention
    - CDR
      - Investigation Reports
      - Summary Reports
  - Foundation
  - ISP
  - McAfee
  - Sendmail
  - SenSage Solutions
  - Source Specific Reports
  - Symantec

Top 100 calls between 2 nos. with subscriber details-0

calling_number	Callers Name	called_number	Recipients Name	No of Calls	Earliest Record	Latest Reco
1111676233	Christina Darrigo	1111911266	Adelino Darosa	2	Tue 07/22/08 04:28:15 PM	Wed 07/23/08 03:1
1112252790	Francis Sullivan	1113669653	Beverly Troisi	2	Tue 07/22/08 10:12:34 AM	Tue 07/22/08 10:42
1112914853	Joanna Swanson	1111642406	Annmaria Trifone	2	Tue 07/22/08 11:32:51 AM	Tue 07/22/08 09:16
1113889823	Joanna Lambert	1111444676	Beverly Scaglione	2	Tue 07/22/08 11:03:54 AM	Tue 07/22/08 01:11
1114231186	Maureen Smith	1119950602	Richard Ziegler	2	Tue 07/22/08 11:28:05 AM	Tue 07/22/08 09:37
1115428990	Eleanor Mccarthy	1118116764	Francis Wagner	2	Tue 07/22/08 08:27:40 AM	Tue 07/22/08 08:31
1116704203	Michael Smith-Porter	1116106310	Paula Kalagher	2	Tue 07/22/08 09:26:56 AM	Tue 07/22/08 09:14
1117701055	unknown	1111642798	Joanna Boas	2	Tue 07/22/08 09:16:51 PM	Tue 07/22/08 10:57
1117948938	Eleanor Powers	1116925156	Nancy Lavallee	2	Tue 07/22/08 06:15:15 PM	Wed 07/23/08 06:3
1118189264	Manuel Darosa	1112040315	Stacy Kalambalikis	2	Tue 07/22/08 11:35:13 AM	Tue 07/22/08 12:35
1119040580	Richard Anton	1118955720	Francisca Ayala	2	Tue 07/22/08 09:27:59 AM	Tue 07/22/08 05:44
1119283154	Barbara Lavallee	1115204644	Beverly Yankee	2	Tue 07/22/08 01:39:28 PM	Tue 07/22/08 03:23
1119637801	Joannah Brunelli	1112891151	Diane Lavalle	2	Tue 07/22/08 12:35:44 PM	Tue 07/22/08 04:00
1119978239	Malvina Darmetka	1120158573	Richard Anderson	2	Tue 07/22/08 02:28:54 PM	Tue 07/22/08 04:37
1120366879	Eleanor Tapply	1113425316	Helen Kalantari	2	Tue 07/22/08 05:08:02 PM	Tue 07/22/08 08:17
1121087515	Paula Provost	1113208743	Francis Tivnan	2	Tue 07/22/08 03:10:41 PM	Tue 07/22/08 09:27
1116767612	James Anketell	1112031873	Eleanor Sturtevant	2	Tue 07/22/08 03:26:55 PM	Tue 07/22/08 04:26
1118227725	Francisco Barbosa	1113292514	Lillian Provost	2	Tue 07/22/08 11:20:44 AM	Tue 07/22/08 07:05
1119194224	Karin Darcy	1112100517	Shirley Abreu	2	Tue 07/22/08 11:17:29 AM	Tue 07/22/08 11:59
1119313931	Eleanor Pimental	1118205789	Francis Sullivan	2	Tue 07/22/08 10:32:03 AM	Tue 07/22/08 04:35
1120074559	Michelle Williams	1116285312	Linda Kalagher	2	Tue 07/22/08 02:08:36 PM	Tue 07/22/08 05:50
1111111116	Kathleen Jones	1112511862	Eleanor Simpson	1	Tue 07/22/08 09:40:05 AM	Tue 07/22/08 09:40
1111341701	Beverly Sullivan	1111818423	Peter Tripp	1	Wed 07/23/08 03:20:23 AM	Wed 07/23/08 03:2

Rows Returned 1,000

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Folder: Summary Reports Top 100 calls between 2 nos. with subscriber details-0

Run Report Status

0

Disk Use Total 1.69 MB

13 Report Definitions

Logged in as administrator

Host: demo.ufp.sensage.com:80



# Comprehensive Analytics

**Reports organized in directory tree**

**Identify anomalous activity and drill down to investigate**

**Top 100 SMSers by Data Volume**

author: administrator created: May 18, 2006 8:22:38 AM GMT-07:00  
 starting May 18, 2005 5:00:00 PM, ending May 18, 2006 4:59:59 PM GMT-07:00

calling_number	Total Bytes
2767	~3,800,000
72536	~800,000
811	~600,000
1027	~500,000
4024	~450,000
2562	~400,000
4020	~350,000
83986	~300,000
4013	~250,000
866	~200,000
4848	~180,000
2100	~160,000
262	~140,000
7733	~120,000
238	~100,000
100	~90,000
23456	~80,000
1100	~70,000
6602	~60,000
2277	~50,000





**SenSage Console**

File Edit View Help

Save Revert Refresh Dashboards Reports Administration Options Pane

**Dashboards**

- Compliance Dashboards
- Custom Dashboards
  - SE
    - Danny
    - Elia
    - Pete
    - Peter
    - Richard
      - ISP
      - Tim
      - Wes
    - SenSage Solutions

Search

Widgets

- System Alerts
- Security Alerts
- Exception Alerts
- Text
- Image
- McAfee Intrushield Top 20 Most C...
- McAfee Intrushield Systems At Risk
- McAfee MWS Virus Summary By ...
- McAfee MWS Virus Email Summary
- McAfee Intrushield Attacks Summ...
- McAfee Intrushield Top 10 Source...
- McAfee MWS Virus Summary
- McAfee MWS Virus Web Details
- McAfee MWS Virus Web Summary
- McAfee Intrushield Top 10 Target...

**ISP**

### Top 100 denied sites

Site	Count
ladson.com.com	1,488
feeds.feedburner.com	1,420
utils.win antivirus.com	1,138
www.z7.mh.com	954
feeds.ign.com	925
toolbar.nohofree.net	893
www.benluxcams.nl	798
js.rexol.net	664
cs_host	

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### Top denied categories

Category	Requests
Computing/Internet	2,359
Pornography	2,298
none	1,799
Personal%20Pages	1,764
Spyware	1,167
Games	935
General%20News	633
Malicious%20Sites	524
Entertainment/Creation/Job sites	382
Portal%20Sites	346

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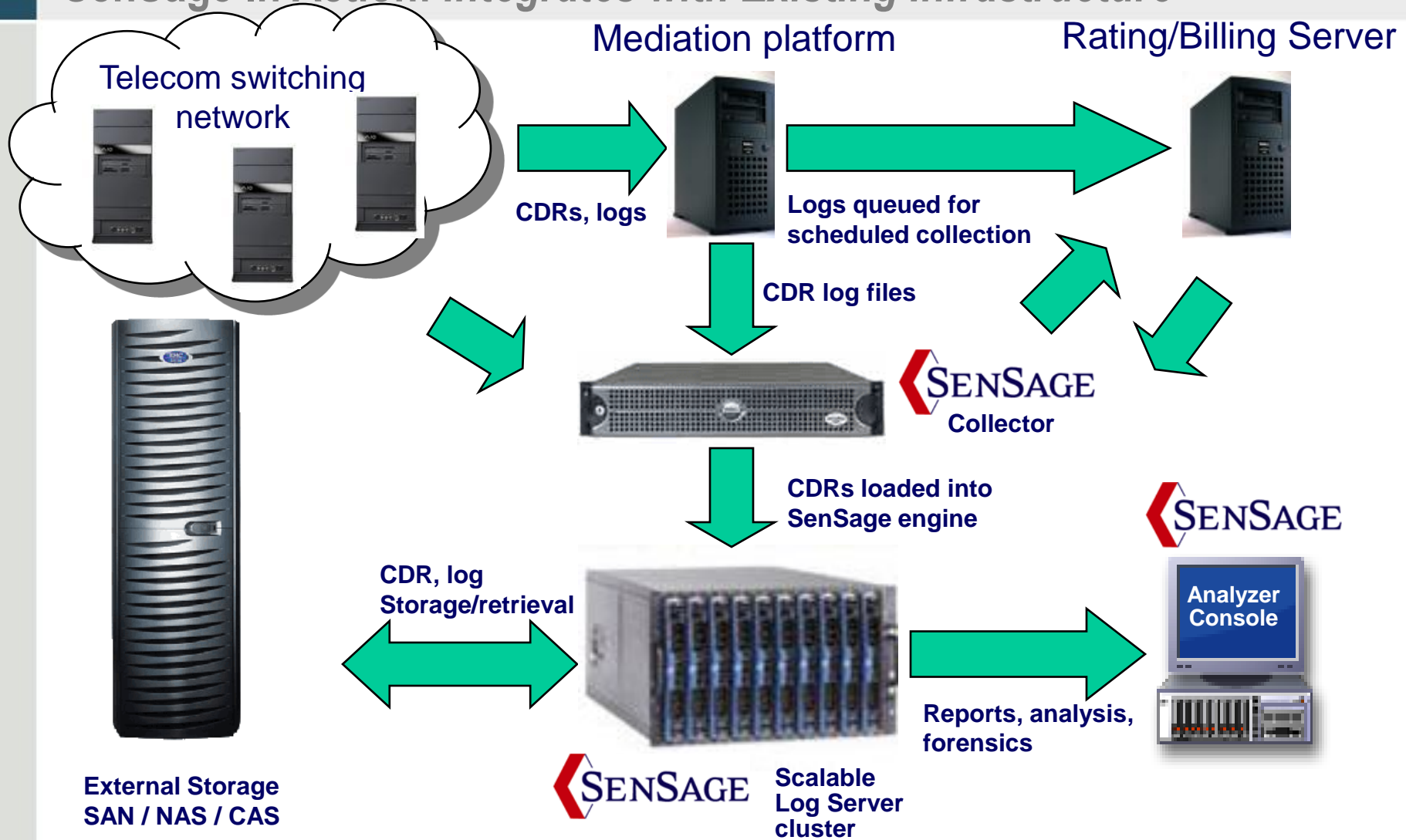
**Denieds**

Listing of the top denied sites and categories.

Run Report Status ✔ 0 | Logged in as administrator | Host: demo.ufp.sensage.com:80



# SenSage In Action: *Integrates with Existing Infrastructure*





## Example: Recent EMC/SenSage “100 billion” POC Results

- Off-the-shelf software and hardware
- Load & Query performance test
  - Simulate Telco Events; 10M subscribers, 135M calls/day, 2 years retained data
  - Search all events from a source / between sources within 3 month range
- Event load & retention rate
  - 100B records; approximately 26TB of raw data
  - Loaded 300,000 records/sec. on a sustained basis
  - No filtering or summarization required
  - Net result was 13 TB of online storage (2 copies stored for D/R)
- Response time on typical law enforcement requests
  - Who has “Charlie McAlister” called over any 3 mos.
    - results with detail in 6 minutes
  - List calls between “Charlie McAlister” & “Mauro Bonfanti”
    - results with detail in 6.8 minutes



## IP Use Case Middle East Operator

- Requirement to identify specific individuals accessing a defined list of “Interesting” websites (5000 initial list) on specific dates

### Mandate from Ministry of Interior

Anonymizers	Government/Military	Provocative%20Attire
Art/Culture/Heritage	Health	Religion%20and%20Ideology
Business	Humor	Search%20Engines
Chat	Instant%20Messaging	Sexual%20Materials
Computing/Internet	Internet%20Radio/TV	Shareware/Freeware
Consumer%20Information	Job%20Search	Shopping/Merchandizing
Criminal%20Skills	Malicious%20Sites	Spam%20Email%20URLs
Dating/Social	Mobile%20Phone	Sports
	Non-	
	Profit%20Organizations/A	
Education/Reference	dvocacy%20Groups	Spyware
Entertainment/Recreation		
/Hobbies	Nudity	Stock%20Trading
Extreme	P2P/File%20Sharing	Streaming%20Media



## Data Sources & Volumes

- **Bluecoat ProxySG**
- **RADIUS – Session/Authentication Logs**
  - DSLUsers , WiFi , PrePaid
- 50 – 60 Gb / Day
- Oracle Subscriber Database
  
- Solution: SenSage system (~ \$300k project) providing correlated queries with look-ups to databases of Subscriber information
- Operational within 8 weeks from project start
- Answers with 60 seconds



## Secondary Usage

- Checking and Investigating for revenue assurance purposes
- Determine
  - double-billing
  - missed billing
  - use of prepaid service cards

## Penetration - EMEA

- Germany
    - Cable Provider
  - Greece
    - National Carrier
    - Mobile Operators
  - Ireland
    - Major Mobile Operator
  - Italy
    - National Carrier
    - Multiple Mobile Operators
  - Poland
    - Major Mobile Operator
  - Slovenia
    - Cable Provider
    - Multiple Mobile Operators
- Many more projects  
in pipeline

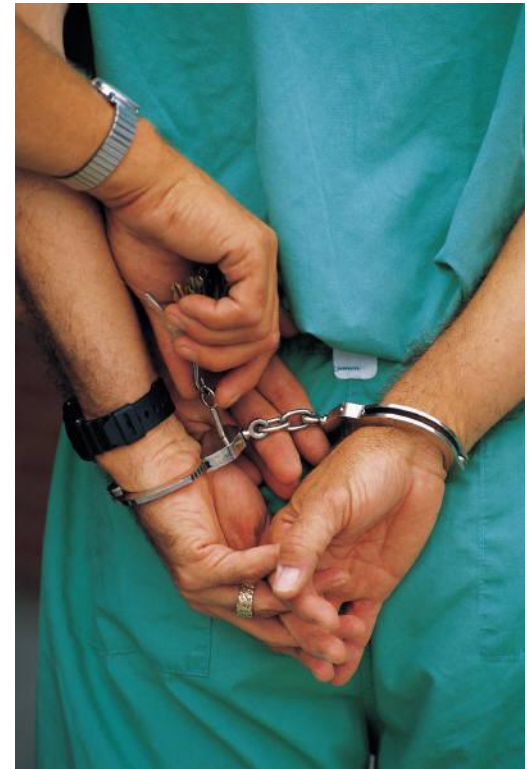
## Penetration - Non EU

- Middle East
  - National Carrier
  - Major Mobile Operators
- Brazil
  - Major Mobile Operator
- Japan
  - Major Mobile Operator
- US
  - National Operator
  - Cable Operators



## SenSage Summary

- **100's Million Subscribers**
- **Multiple LEAs served Daily**
- **Cost Effective Solutions**
- **Rapid Deployments**
- **Satisfied Customers**
- **Finding the Devils**





## Case Study: Telecom Italia

