

Inside one of the biggest data leaks in Brazil

Take a deeper look into our discovery of a collection of personal records compiled by FIESP, the Federation of Industries of the State of São Paulo

FACTSHEET

Database: Unprotected Elasticsearch instance

Country: Brazil

Type of data exposed: Personal Identifiable Information (PII): names, DOBs, addresses,

IDs, tax IDs, emails

Number of records: 180,104,892

Estimated number of people affected: 34,817,273

Found on: Nov 12, 2018
Reported on: Nov 12, 2018
Secured on: Nov 17, 2018

Company/organization responded: No

Туре	elasticsearch
elasticsearch.version	6.3.2
elasticsearch.cluster_nodes	5
elasticsearch.size_in_bytes	86821215238
elasticsearch.docs	179942663
elasticsearch.indices	invalidos, municipios, bigdata, bigdata_sgest_pj, receitaws, sgc, fiesp, ecool, sce, campaigns, permissions, dashlogs, api, apilogs, pf_index, pj_index, fiesp_backup, pf_index_dist, campaings, users, aknalist, sr1, celulares, fiesp2, sgc1, messages, campaign, rm, notifications, bigdata_sgis, ceps, externo_cels, cep, bigdata_sgest, fiesp_pj, sr_pj, fiesp_test, fiesp1_pf, rm1, sr, externo, bigdata_sisae, groups, listtosend, filters, campaignfilters, celulares_rj, pf, user, bigdata_sieja



A quick glimpse at the Brazilian cybersecuritylandscape with the help of **Binaryedge.io** scanning engine shows:

- 265 open/exposed Elasticsearch instances
- 541 unprotected MongoDB databases
- 168 Redis
- 6,738 open SMB shares

DANGER OF OPEN ELASTICSEARCH INSTANCES

We have previously reported that the lack of authentication allowed the installation of malware or ransomware on the Elasticsearch servers. The public configuration allows the possibility for cybercriminals to manage the whole system with full administrative privileges. Once the malware is in place criminals could remotely access the server's resources and even launch a code execution to steal or completely destroy any saved data that the server contains.

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