



Week of June 23, 2025

Cybersecurity Headlines

Digital Threat Landscape

Cybercrimes, Scams, Threats, Vulnerabilities and Incidents



FBI cyber leader: US can't forget about China's 'Typhoon' groups amid Mideast conflict

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The U.S. should stay vigilant about the ongoing digital threat posed by China even though events in the Middle East have drawn attention to potential cyberattacks by Iran, according to a senior FBI official.

PACER electronic filing system under attack by hackers, federal judge warns lawmakers

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The federal judge overseeing efforts to modernize electronic case filing technology for U.S. courts told a congressional committee this week that the nation's court system is under constant attack by increasingly sophisticated hackers.

Citrix warns of exploitation of Netscaler devices through new bugs

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Citrix published an advisory on Wednesday about CVE-2025-6543, a vulnerability carrying a severity score of 9.2 out of 10 that affects its Netscaler ADC and Netscaler Gateway appliances. The company said exploits of the vulnerability "on unmitigated appliances have been observed."

Hackers stole data on 2.2 million people in cyberattack affecting American grocery chains

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Ahold Delhaize filed documents with regulators in Maine on Thursday explaining that the stolen information includes Social Security numbers, passports, financial account information like bank numbers, health information, and other sensitive employment data.

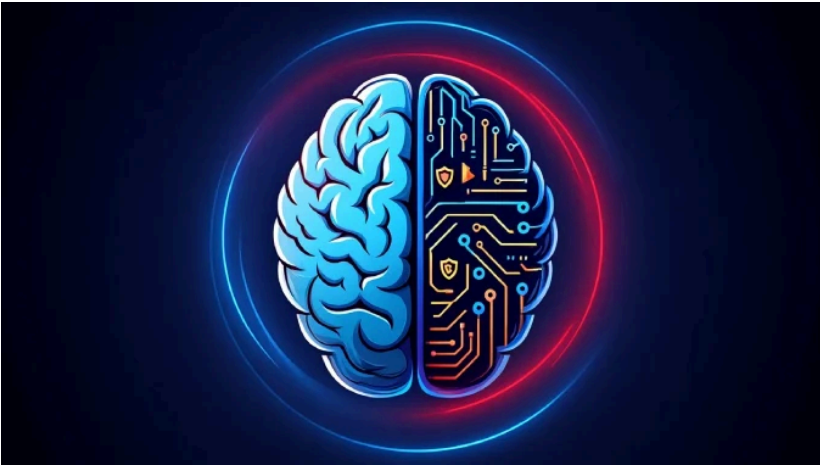
Industry Updates

Legislation, Business, Privacy, Updates, Related Technologies

Bipartisan bill seeks to ban federal agencies from using DeepSeek, AI tools from 'foreign adversaries'

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A pair of senators introduced a bill on Wednesday that would ban federal agencies from using artificial intelligence tools produced in countries considered "foreign adversaries" — a term that legally covers Russia, China, Iran and North Korea.



Google Adds Multi-Layered Defenses to Secure GenAI from Prompt Injection Attacks

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Google has revealed the various safety measures that are being incorporated into its generative artificial intelligence (AI) systems to mitigate emerging attack vectors like indirect prompt injections and improve the overall security posture for agentic AI systems.

<https://thehackernews.com/2025/06/us-house-bans-whatsapp-on-official.html>



U.S. House Bans WhatsApp on Official Devices Over Security and Data Protection Issues - The Hacker News

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The U.S. House of Representatives has formally banned congressional staff members from using WhatsApp on government-issued devices, citing security concerns. The development was first reported by Axios. The decision, according to the House Chief Admi...



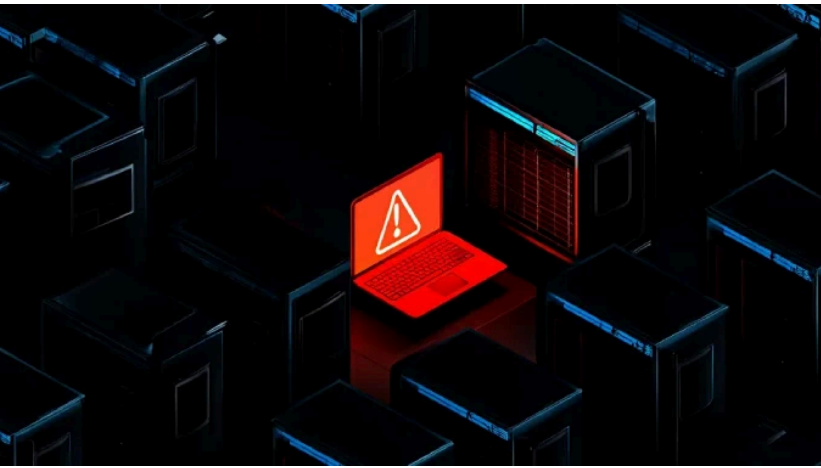
Weekly Recap: Chrome 0-Day, 7.3 Tbps DDoS, MFA Bypass Tricks, Banking Trojan and More - The Hacker News

Top News Patched Google Chrome Flaw Exploited by TaxOff — A threat actor known as TaxOff exploited CVE-2025-2783, a now-patched security flaw in Google Chrome, as a zero-day in mid-March 2025 to target Russian organizations with a backdoor codenam...



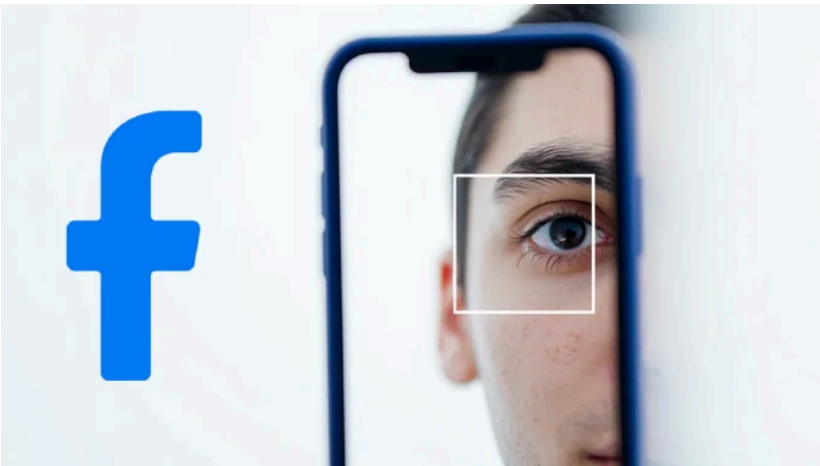
New U.S. Visa Rule Requires Applicants to Set Social Media Account Privacy to Public

"Effective immediately, all individuals applying for an F, M, or J nonimmigrant visa are requested to adjust the privacy settings on all of their personal social media accounts to 'public' to facilitate vetting necessary to establish their identity and admissibility to the United States," the embassy said in a post on X.



DHS Warns Pro-Iranian Hackers Likely to Target U.S. Networks After Iranian Nuclear Strikes - The Hacker News

The United States government has warned of cyber attacks mounted by pro-Iranian groups after it launched airstrikes on Iranian nuclear sites as part of the Iran–Israel war that commenced on June 13, 2025. Stating that the ongoing conflict has created...



Facebook's New AI Tool Asks to Upload Your Photos for Story Ideas, Sparking Privacy Concerns - The Hacker News

Facebook, the social network platform owned by Meta, is asking for users to upload pictures from their phones to suggest collages, recaps, and other ideas using artificial intelligence (AI), including those that have not been directly uploaded to the...

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