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IDENTITY THEFT KEY STATS IN 2023...

Identity Theft was Number 1 complaint to the FTC ...AGAIN!



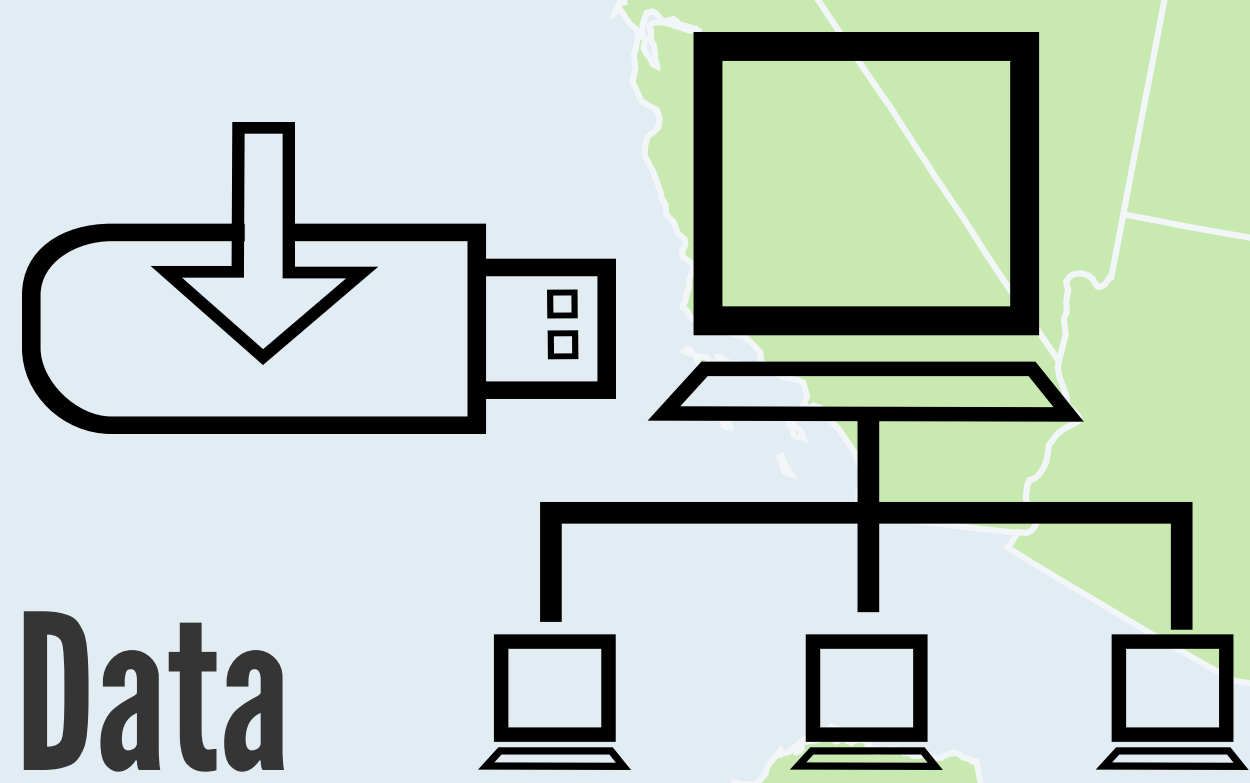
Over 15 million US Adults were victims of Identity Fraud



'Phishing' attack emails running at 3.4 BILLION per day!



3205 Data Compromises in 2023 up 72% from 2021 with over 350 million victim records compromised



Consumer Identity Fraud losses were a whopping \$23 billion



Account TakeOver Fraud increased to \$13 billion in losses whilst New Account Fraud hit \$5.3 billion!

Those are 20% increases year on year







Child identity theft costs American families approximately \$1 billion each year. It affects one out of every 50 children and takes a long time for parents and guardians to resolve



If you don't believe Identity Theft has a real impact on a victim's life, take a look at these comments...

The Indelible Mark of Identity Fraud

Identity Fraud Victim Impact Statements

-  "They took my rent money and spent it on food, leaving me struggling to pay my bills."
"Makes me very wary and untrusting. I am also unhappy with my bank."
-  "My health has suffered from stress."
"I feel watched."
"It ruined my credit score."
-  "It makes me angry that the thieves are not caught."
"I am worried that something like this will happen to me again."
-  "It made me depressed, and I had to prove I wasn't lying."
"After my identity fraud my accounts were overdrawn, and I couldn't pay my utilities or buy food."

Source: Identity Fraud Study, Javelin Strategy & Research, 2023



THE TAKE AWAY.....



Identity Theft continues to be an every day occurrence. The shift and trends in type of fraud are fastmoving as fraudsters become more sophisticated. We need to be vigilant and create good habits to keep ourselves safe. For more information and tips and help visit us at www.idresolution.net or scan the QR Code

