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Data Loss Database - 2004 yearly report

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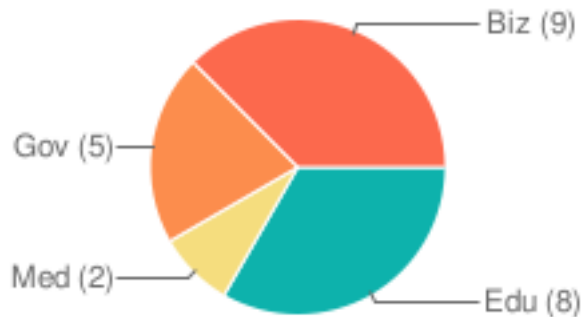
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Total Incidents: 24

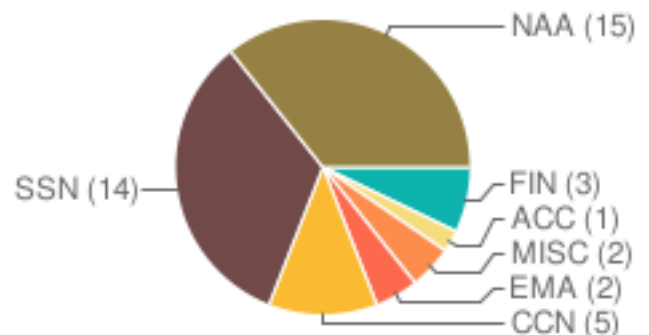
Total Records Affected: 32,317,590

The following graphs show data loss incidents by data type and by business type over the period of this report.

Incidents By Sector



Incidents By Data Type



Incidents

ID	Reported	Records	Orgs	Summary	Data Types
34	2004-01-08	10000	U.S. Treasury Department	10,000 email addresses to be exposed	EMA
35	2004-01-10	1800	New York University	Social Security numbers and names for about 1,800 posted on web site	SSN, NAA
36	2004-01-14	?	Airlines Reporting Corporation	Several major airlines lose customer information	CCN
37	2004-01-29	20000	University of Georgia	Social Security numbers and credit card numbers of 20,000 possibly accessed	SSN, CCN
38	2004-02-03	2100	New York University	Personal information including some Social Security numbers for 2,100 posted on internet	SSN, NAA
39	2004-02-13	90000	California Employment Dev. Dept.	Information on 90,000 people exposed	SSN, NAA
40	2004-03-17	178000	San Diego State University	380,000 people possibly affected by hack	SSN, NAA
41	2004-03-19	?	BJ's Wholesale Club	Undisclosed number of credit cards stolen via a security breach	CCN
42	2004-03-29	200000	GMAC Financial Services	Stolen laptops contain names, addresses, dates of birth, Social Security numbers, credit scores on 200,000	SSN, NAA
43	2004-04-16	?	Fleet Credit Card Services	New cards to an unspecified number of customers... a security breach at an unnamed merchant	CCN
44	2004-04-29	200000	Illinois Secretary of State	Up to 200,000 license plate records found	MISC
45	2004-04-29	145000	University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA)	UCLA	SSN, NAA
46	2004-05-07	380000	University of California San Diego	380,000 people possibly affected by hack	FIN
47	2004-05-12	95000	Spotcheck Alameda Alliance for Health	Social Security numbers, names and addresses of about 95,000 on stolen hard drive	SSN, NAA
48	2004-06-24	30000000	America Online	92 million email addresses for 30 million subscribers sold to spammers	EMA, NAA
49	2004-07-14	47000	Intuit	Stolen computer contains credit card information and personal details for about 47,000	CCN
50	2004-08-03	23000	Cal State San Marcos	Names and Social Security numbers for 23,000 on stolen laptop	SSN, NAA

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51	2004-09-16	30000	Teledata Communications	"I didn't know the magnification..."	MISC
52	2004-09-23	2000	Cal State Hayward	Over 2,000 notified about server breach	SSN, NAA
53	2004-11-25	550000	Brazos Higher Education Service Corporation Affiliated Computer Services (ACS)	Stolen laptop threatens student loan holder data	SSN, NAA
54	2004-12-21	100000	Delta Blood Bank	100,000 blood donors put at risk	SSN, NAA
55	2004-12-22	?	Hamilton County Ohio Clerk of Courts	Ohio	SSN, NAA
2034	2004-03-01	123690	Citibank	Tape with 123,690 financial transactions lost by security firm transporting tape to data center.	NAA, ACC, FIN
2033	2004-11-01	120000	Canada Revenue Agency - Laval Office	Stolen computers raise privacy concerns	SSN, NAA, FIN