



Planning For Data Doomsday: Data Breach On Globe For A While

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ABSTRACT

Imagine if one day the internet was down not just in your neighborhood, but across the globe, technical fault by human (DATA LOSS) or some knocked out by a threat from space: an enormous solar storm. It sounds like science fiction, but it could become our reality earlier than we think if we don't prepare properly for the future the sun spits a wave frequency of magnetized plasma at us. And also, in server-side employee or biggest cyber-attack can destroy the whole data corruption. Black Swan Events It is difficult to predict rare events that could significantly change the course of our lives. The internet has played a vast role in helping us deal with the coronavirus pandemic, the recent Black Swan incident. However, internet researchers and operators are mostly blind to another occurrence of black swans which is a direct threat to internet infrastructure. In this paper, we examine the impact of solar superstorms that could potentially cause massive Internet outages covering the entire globe and lasting several days or months. We analyze the challenges by such activities and currently available mitigation techniques. Using

real-world datasets, we analyze the robustness of current Internet infrastructure and show that submarine cables have a higher risk of failure than land cables. In addition, the Americas have a higher risk of disconnection than Asia. Finally, we take steps to improve the resilience of the Internet.

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1. INTRODUCTION

What will happen if there is a global Internet Shutdown due to Giant Data Corruption And what about after losing data? Interruptions lasting a few minutes can cause huge losses to service providers and damage to cyber-physical systems. The economic impact of an Internet disruption for a day in the India is estimated to be over \$2.9 billion. What if the Internet remains non-functional for days or a while? This is the worst

case we have, fortunately, never encountered and face in recent history. The Internet is at risk from man-made cyber-attacks to natural disasters like earthquakes. The Internet is also affected by black swan events such as the recently we going through Covid-19, which profoundly alter human lives and, in turn, our Internet usage.

One of the greatest dangers facing the Internet and Data Corruption in huge amount with the potential for global impact is a powerful solar superstorm's radiation. Although humans are protected from these storms by Earth's magnetic field and atmosphere, they can cause significant damage to man-made infrastructure. The scientific community is generally aware of it. However, the networking community has largely ignored this risk when it comes to network topology and the design of geo-distributed systems such as DNS and data centers. Missing data is problem because nearly all standard usual methods complete information for all the infrastructure included in the analysis. On 1–2 September 1859, Carrington Event is one of the largest geomagnetic storms (as recorded by ground-based magnetometer) occurred, long before the arrival of technology.

Paying attention to this threat and planning defenses against it, is critical for the long-term flexibility in the internet Data Loss. First, we study the impact of solar storms on key building blocks of the Internet infrastructure long-haul land and submarine cable.

In upcoming decades will superstorm from lost connectivity during the space event, potential damage to electronic components, biggest cyber-attack can perform the whole data corruption of globe, and in the worst case, Orbital decay and re-

entry to Earth (especially in low Earth orbit) satellites such as Starlink. To study the effect of CME (coronal mass ejection) on terrestrial networks, we Use a comprehensive set of Internet topology datasets, including Submarine and land cables, DNS Route Servers, IXP, Internet Routers, etc. Since accurate modeling of repeater failures is not available, we employ a wide range of failure models based on GICs Features.

We provide many interesting insights about our Research Internet topology and its vulnerabilities

With increasing reliance on the internet, especially after the Covid pandemic, shutting down services even in small areas affects access to services such as payments, healthcare, commerce, education etc. leads economic losses.

However, how can revive from biggest data corruption due to cyber- attack threat and the top priority for recovery during a solar the event will be power grid, internet is also the necessary infrastructure for data management. While this paper focuses on the vulnerabilities of the Internet and data infrastructure alone, the interdependence with the power grid is discussed.

In Summary, As Follows:

- We present the first study that analyzes past threats to the Internet infrastructure posed by a high-risk event: solar superstorms.
- We investigate the effects of geomagnetically induced currents on various infrastructure components and how submarine cables are at highest risk of damage.
- We identify several weaknesses in the design of the current internet topology and associated land--distributed infrastructure such as DNS and autonomous systems.

- We discuss several open questions on improving Internet resiliency, including how Internet topology and other factors in solar superstorms during the design of the Internet subsystem.
- Using real-world datasets, we analyze the robustness of current Data infrastructure.
- We examine the impact of a solar superstorm that could potentially cause massive Data and Internet outages covering the entire globe and lasting several months.

2. Inspiration: On Real Pitfall

In this section, we present a discussion of the dangers posed by solar activity and the potential for extreme solar events that could affect Earth.

2.1 Past Data Breach

According to MSSP Alert's attack timeline, the Exchange breach began in January, when unusual activity was detected on Microsoft's Exchange Server from monitoring firm Volextiy. Last Tuesday, Microsoft officially revealed that they were the target of a state-sponsored cyberattack from a group based in China called Hafnium. The group used a 'previously unknown' exploit to target Microsoft on-premises email Exchange email servers. There is no complete information about this attack yet. Microsoft initially described the attack as 'limited and targeted', but a Bloomberg report suggests that at least 60,000 global customers of Microsoft's on-premise Exchange servers have been compromising.

Whereas the economic impact due to Internet restrictions in India in 2020, globally, at \$4.01 billion, it decreased by 50 percent from 2019.

2.2 What Did Cyber Attackers Do with Data?

The group gained access to Exchange servers using stolen passwords, or zero-day vulnerabilities, to disguise themselves as someone who should have had access. The group will then create a 'web shell' that allows them to remotely control the compromised email server.

Finally, the group would use that access to steal and delete data from the organizations network.

This is an effective, automated attack model, using the group they could potentially affect thousands of organizations in a short amount of time.

2.3 CME events

A Coronal Mass Ejection (CME) involves the emission of electrically charged solar matter and accompanying magnetic field into space.

With the first CME clearing the path of any ambient solar wind, the larger second CME reached Earth 17.6 hours later, instead of the more typical 3- or 4-day journey.

The communications network of the day, the telegraph network, suffered from equipment fires, and several operators experienced electric shock. this caused large-scale telegraph outages in Europe and North America. Even when the power was cut, telegraph messages could still be sent with the current generated by the CME. In which analyzed the risks posed by a Carrington-scale event.

2.4 After data once "deleted" from the internet?

Depends on which part/bit of the Internet. Some things really do disappear once they are deleted, but not that much Email is like the trash on your computer - when you delete something it goes to a place where you can see it and recover it when you need it. Then after a while (often 30 days) it is actually removed, then it is gone for good. Except for backups of course, and in some countries, copies kept (perhaps forever) by government-run surveillance operations. personal data? It has probably never been taken down, despite claims from various companies. Files kept on cloud services are sometimes really deleted immediately, but that's becoming less common. Subscribers want to be assured of being able to undo any mistake by recovering data. Recently I made a mistake building a new computer and close to 10,000 Dropbox files got deleted. Thankfully, Dropbox don't actually delete stuff so I could recover it all. It was messy, but I took that as a learning exercise - be more careful in future!

If you delete an email or file, that space on disk may be overwritten with new data.

Some systems will hold onto data until the drive fills up, then start overwriting the drive, starting the oldest data first. Thus, your email may be live on the server for a variable amount of time.

A lot of systems and subsystems are backed up globally on a daily/weekly basis. While live data discs can be overwritten, there is still a backup available somewhere. Some locations, such as the Internet Archive, allow data to be accessed years later. Not email or anything like that, but web sites, blogs, etc. Of course, this is not counting anyone who saved the data before it was deleted.

One feature of Snapchat and similar apps was to auto-delete images and other information after a few seconds, but capturing a screenshot is trivial. Others simply download the data when they find it, then repost it if it disappears, such as on Twitter.

In short, nothing is ever really removed from the Internet. It can be even more difficult to find where is it.

The data that crosses the Internet is fleeting, and it can be costly to capture and save, but there are intelligence agencies with vast resources that are committed to making this happen, the more data they can get out of their hands, For the purposes of "big data" analysis and correlation, and to create dossiers.



Fig.1: cloud servers across globe

3. IMPACT ON NETWORKS

Having established that solar superstorm are a real threat a Significant probability of occurrence in the near and long term in this section, we analyze its impact on the network. We provide an overview of how CMEs generate geomagnetically induced currents on Earth's surface and how they affect and cause for data corruption and internet cables. We also Briefly mention the impacts on satellite communication.

Communication satellites are among the systems seriously affected. The losses are caused by direct exposure to highly charged particles in the CME. These particles do not reach earth's surface because they are mostly blocked by the atmosphere. Hazards to communications satellites include damage to electronic components and additional strain on the satellite, particularly in low earth orbit systems such as starlink, which can cause orbital decay and uncontrolled reentry to earth.



Fig.2: Data Centers across globe

However, the focus of this paper is the impact on terrestrial communication networks, which carry most of the Internet traffic.

Hardware failure is the number one cause of network downtime. Informatically, there are so many interconnected hardware elements in the network that even if one critical component fails it could cause an outage and provide support It can be a complete or partial failure of any device like router, gateway, network controller etc.

- Link failure caused due to fiber optic cable cuts or network congestion.
- Device/Subsystems configuration changes
- Operational human errors and mismanagement of devices.
- Server hardware corruption or failure.
- denial of services security attacks.

- upgrade or patches failure in software and firmware.
- natural disasters on the network such as a minor accident, or even as unrelated as through a network line, etc.

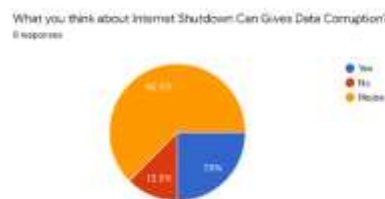


Fig.3: Graph Chart of Survey

According to our recent survey we found with the 62.5 % of people's majority says internet shutting down can cause the whole data breach in cloud data also. To prevent and secure it we need to follow above precautions or reasons.

3.1 Impact due to Long-Distance Cables

Downtime is not good for business, not good for IT and not good for employees. Every network operator and administrator know that much. Regardless of the size of the network and the type of business, Downtime affects productivity, disrupts business services, causes financial losses and of course creates headaches for IT. Just so that you are aware of the gravitas of an outage situation.

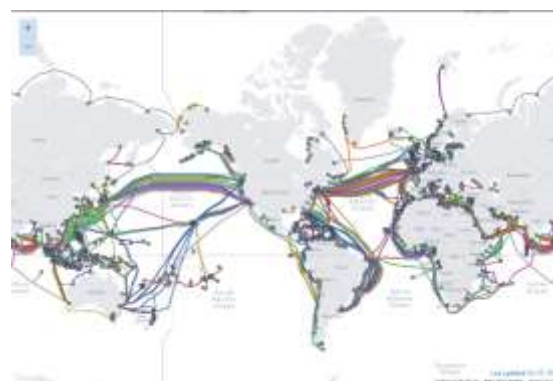


Fig.4: Submarine Cable line across globe

In case study, A 75-year-old Georgian woman is facing jail time after she accidentally sliced

through an underground cable and caused all Internet services in neighboring Armenia to crash and cutting off Armenia from Internet. As the BBC's report, under the Georgian Interior Ministry confirmed the woman admitted in case of damaging the fiber optic cables while scavenging for copper metal in the village of Ksani. She found the cable while collecting scrap metal and cut it with a view to stealing it and this act causes internet damage for a day.

4. Internet Infrastructure Design

In our case analysis, the current Infrastructure is heavily concentrated in higher latitudes that are at greater risk. We have to keep this threat in mind while expanding the infrastructure.

Data center and application service providers should be aware of Solar hazards during new deployments. We need to develop standardized tests to measure end-to-end flexibility of applications Under such extreme events. For submarine cables, in addition to equipment availability, access to the failure location for repair is also a challenge.

5. Analyzing The Impact

To better understand risk, we analyze different infrastructure The components that constitute the current Internet topology.

Most of the cables connecting to India are unaffected, and no city disconnects at low failure probabilities. Even under high-failure scenarios, some international connectivity remains (for example, India to Singapore, the Middle East, etc.). Unlike China, the major cities of Mumbai and Chennai did not lose Connectivity even with high failures.

Despite high failures, many cables connecting to Singapore remains unaffected. The reachable destinations under the scenario include Chennai (India), Perth (Australia), Jakarta (Indonesia), etc.

6. Final Survey Analysis

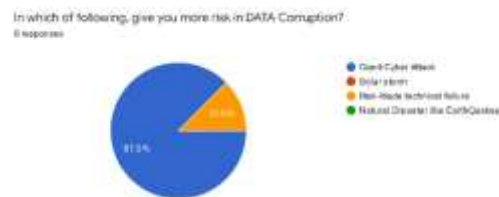


Fig.5: Survey Chart on Data Corruption

In the survey case study, we found 87.5% of people who say giant-cyber-attacks are by far the biggest issue in the future. We need to do security through that patch in our system and we can have cloud to keep our data secure. Take precautions and develop new technologies to prevent data corruption and develop automated backup systems and use powering off infrastructure temporarily, it could provide limited protection to systems from Corrupting Data. With Remote Backup, you can easily restore corrupted data. Instead of paying a cyber-criminal for an encryption key.

CONCLUSION

In this paper, we show that in upcoming decades data deletion causes whole internet and a powerful solar superstorm has the potential to cause massive disruption of the internet. Noticing this threat and planning a rescue against this, like our initial attempt in this paper, it is important to the long-term resilience of the Internet. many challenges remain Open in this place. A new paper warns humanity needs to build up its own internet infrastructure for future Data Corruption and solar storms or risk a crippling global communication outage.

To design more flexible systems that can be linked together from different operating parts. This will allow for faster recovery as the various components are slowly back online.

We see in this paper; how can we help operators Creating a disaster preparedness and recovery plan? We infer that This paper will provide an initial technical information towards accepting and answering these important questions.

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