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ESCANS MALWARE ALSO TALKS ABOUT FAKE ANTI-VIRUS

eScan has conducted an in-depth research and come-up with a comprehensive report based on malware URLs collected. The report is a representation of the growing malicious mobile applications, fake facebook contests & promotions, holiday phishing scams, hotel 'wrong transaction' Malware emails and most importantly fake Anti-Virus softwares. Recent past also witnessed cybercriminals who had designed a new wave of malware targeted solely at Mac users. A year back, there were approximately 5000 pieces of malware code produced for Macs and with the passing year, this number is increasing at approximately 10 percent by the month. The report provides information on traditional techniques like SQL injection, web app hijacking & unauthorized server access, which will take a back seat.