



Your world. Our domain.

Hoe je big data inzet voor de veiligheid en stabiliteit van het internet

15-11-2017 | Technisch Webinar | SIDN Labs



Agenda

15:00

Intro Webinar

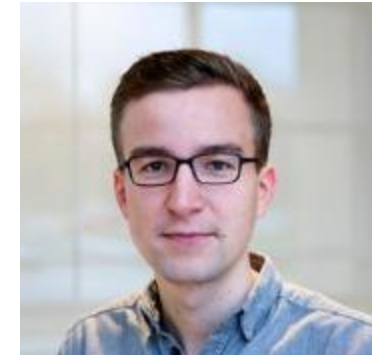
Sebastiaan Assink (relatiebeheerder SIDN)



15:05 – 15:15

Signalen die duiden op malafide activiteiten

Moritz Müller (research engineer SIDN Labs)



15:15 – 15:30

Wat is ENTRADA en hoe werkt het?

Maarten Wullink (research engineer SIDN Labs)



15:30 – 15:45

Gebruik van ENTRADA binnen SIDN (use cases)

15:45 – 15:55

Uitloop + mogelijkheid tot stellen van vragen

Poll: Analyseer jij je DNS-verkeer?

Signals for malicious activities

Suspicious Domain Name Signals

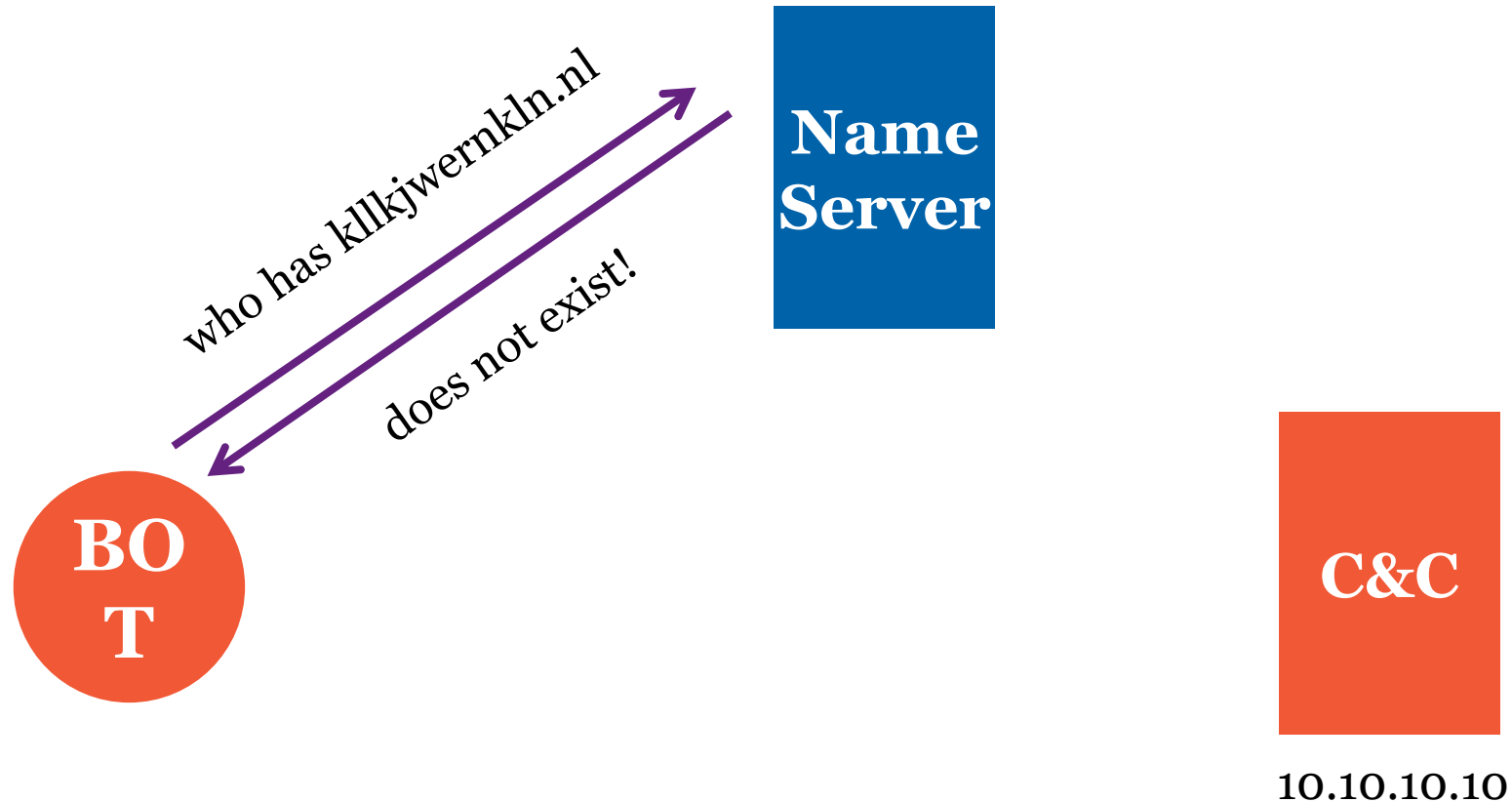
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- Query patterns
- Domain registration features

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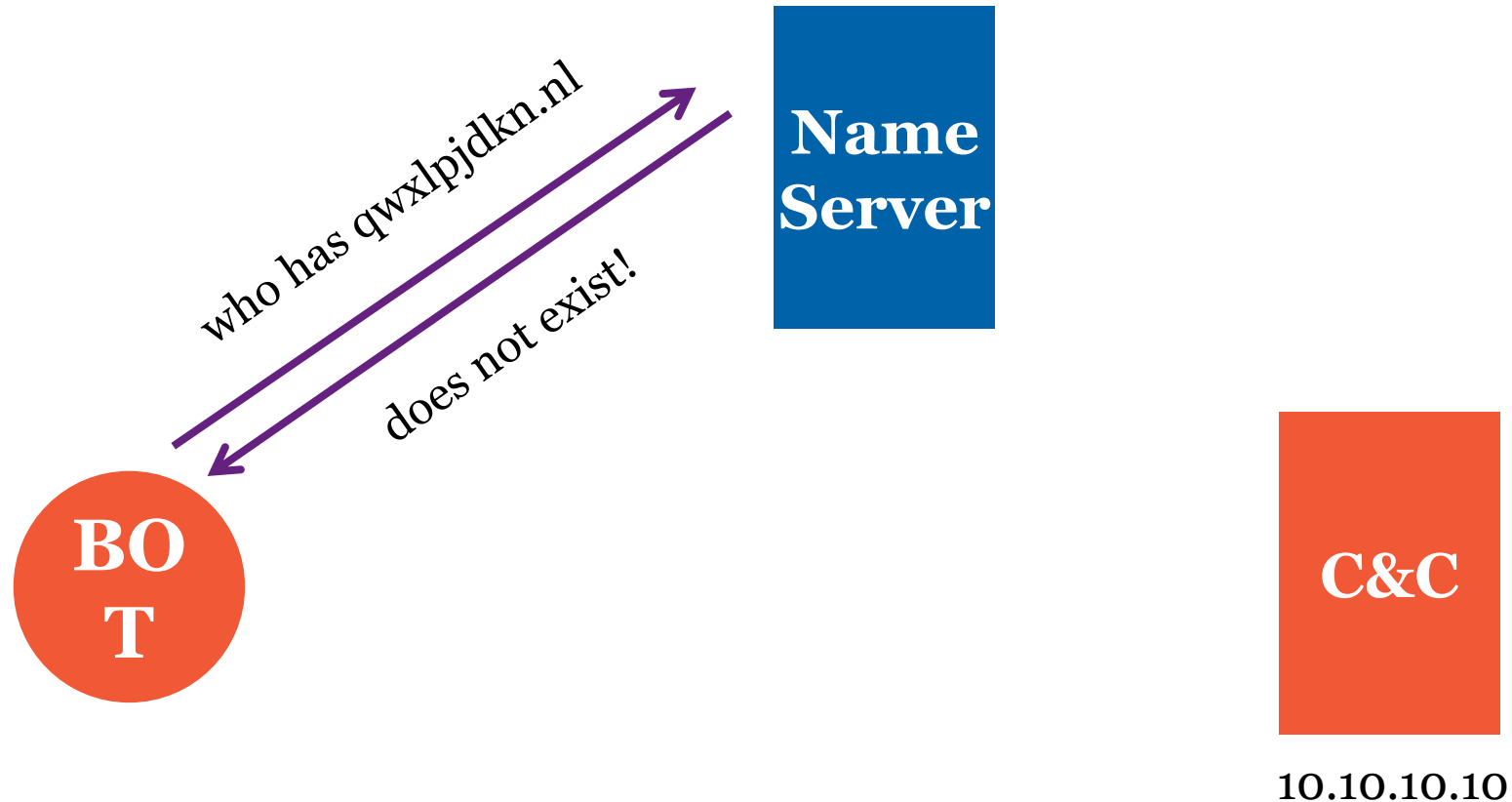
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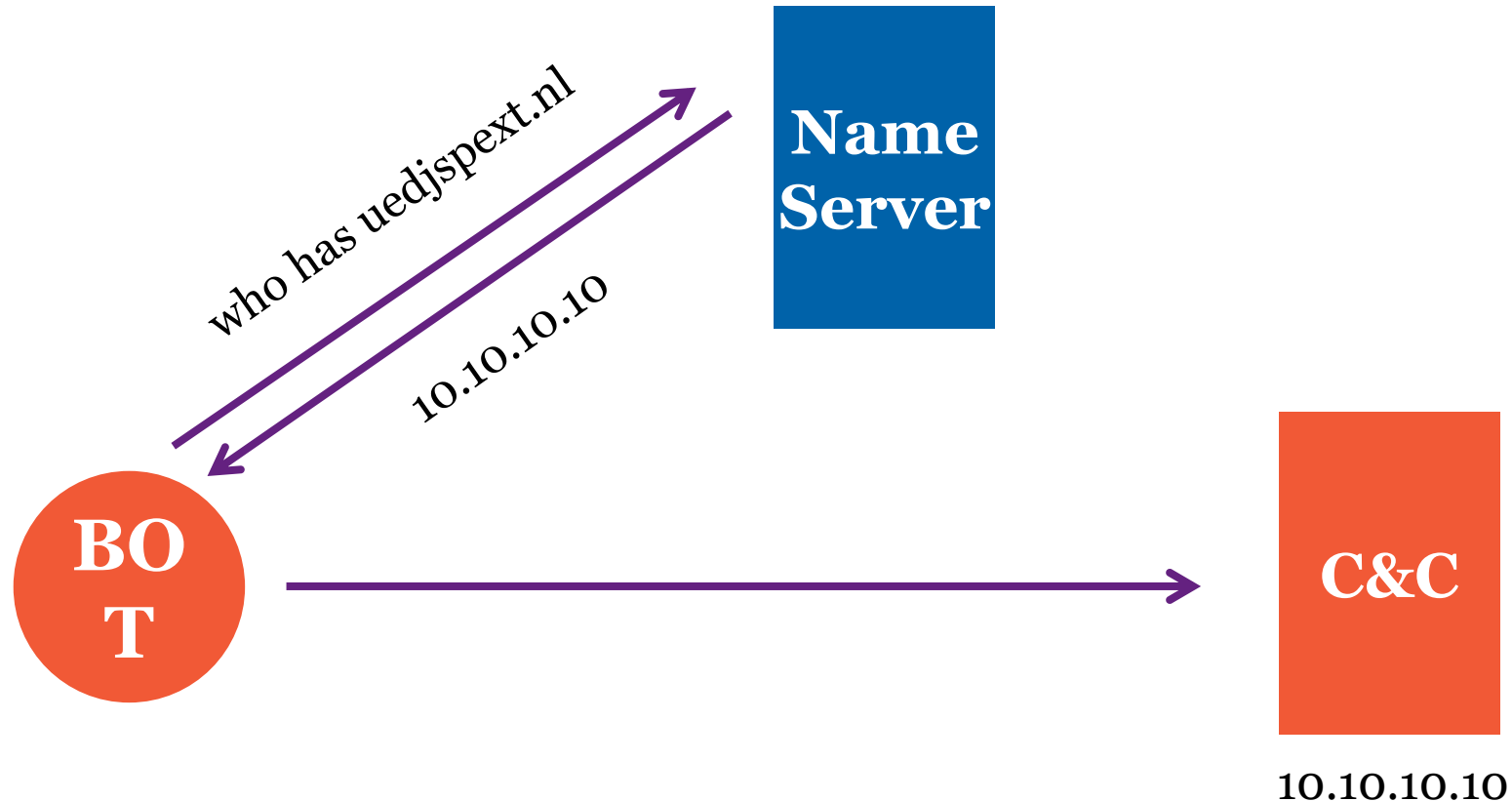
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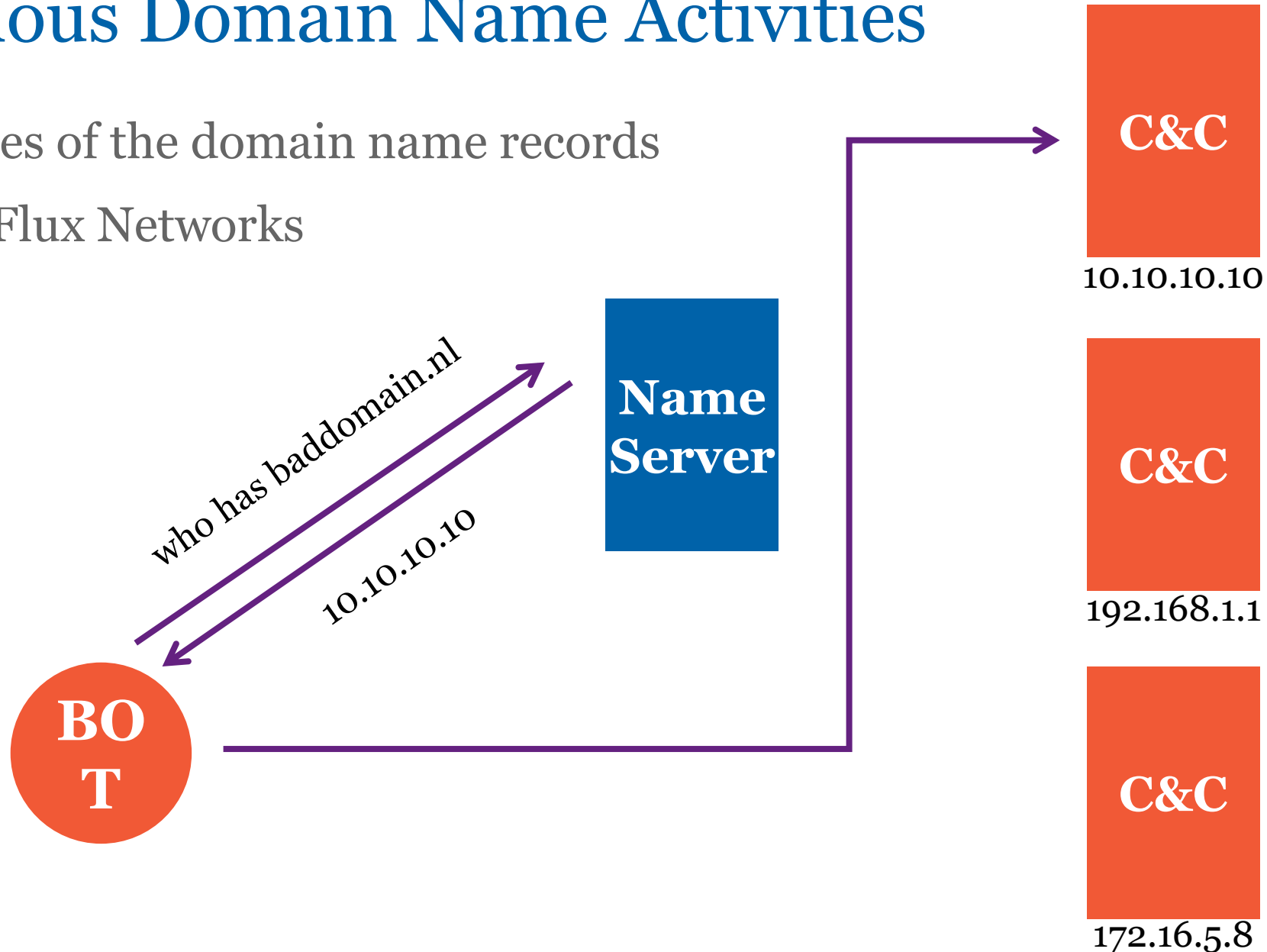


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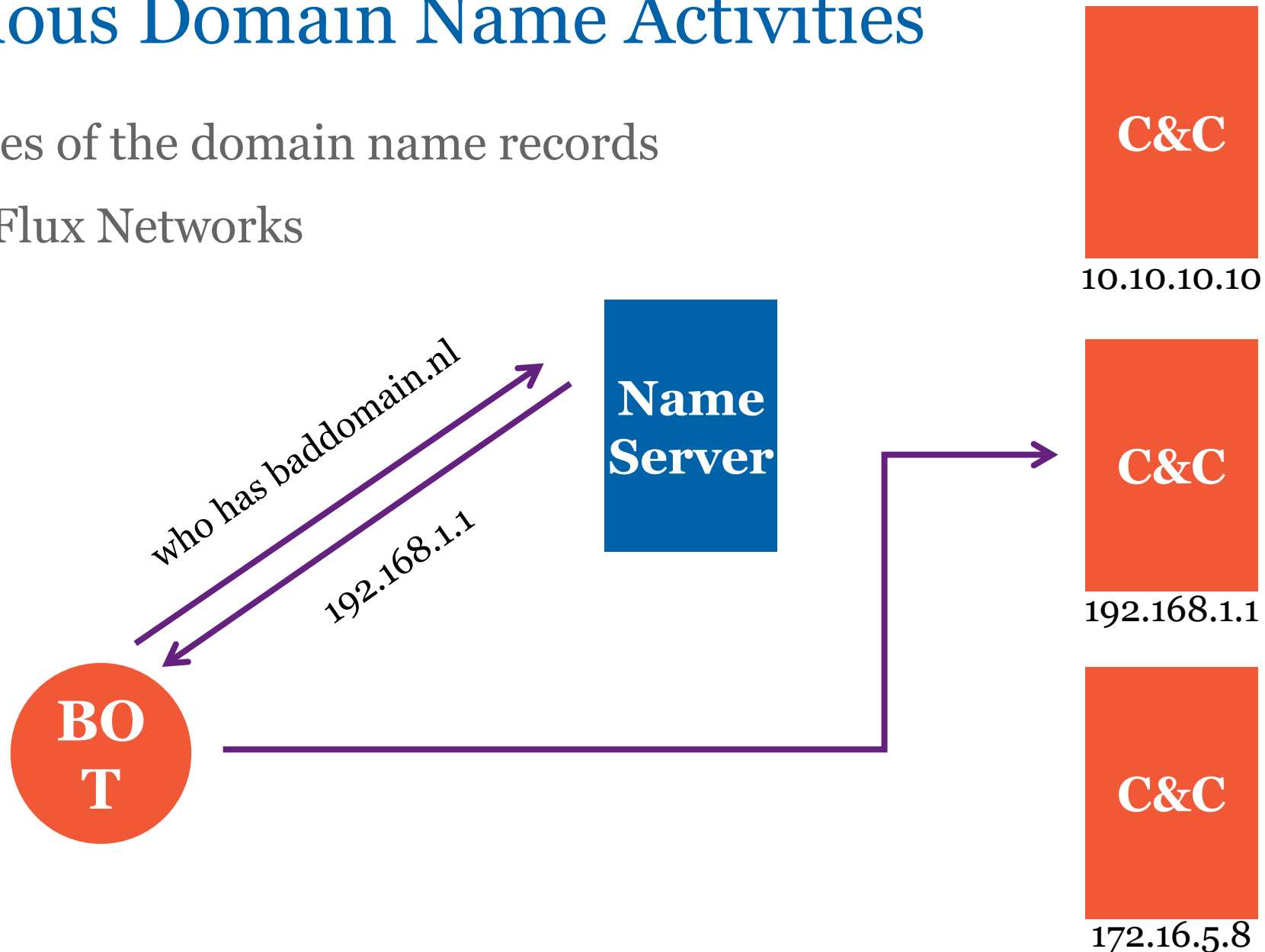
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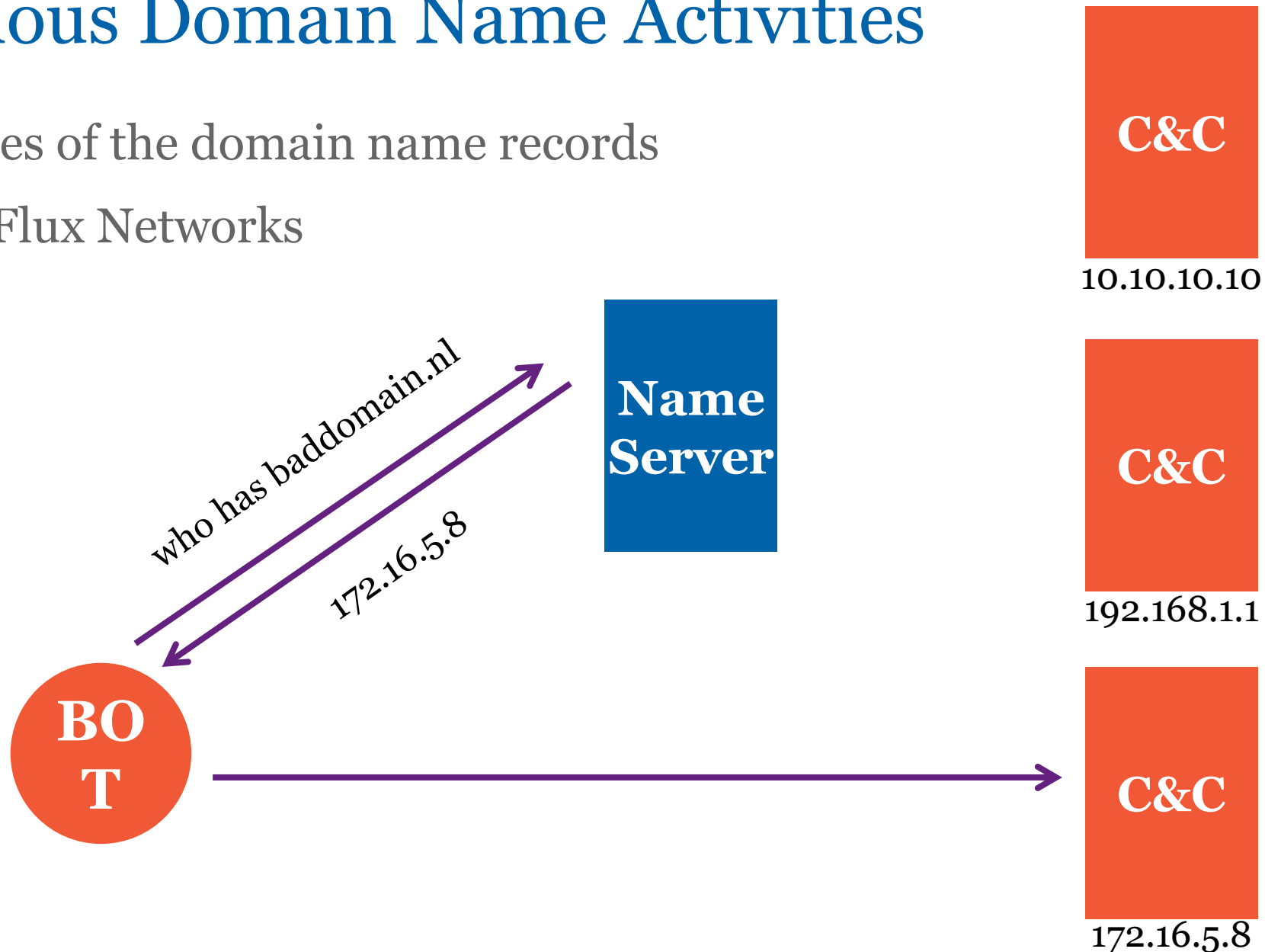
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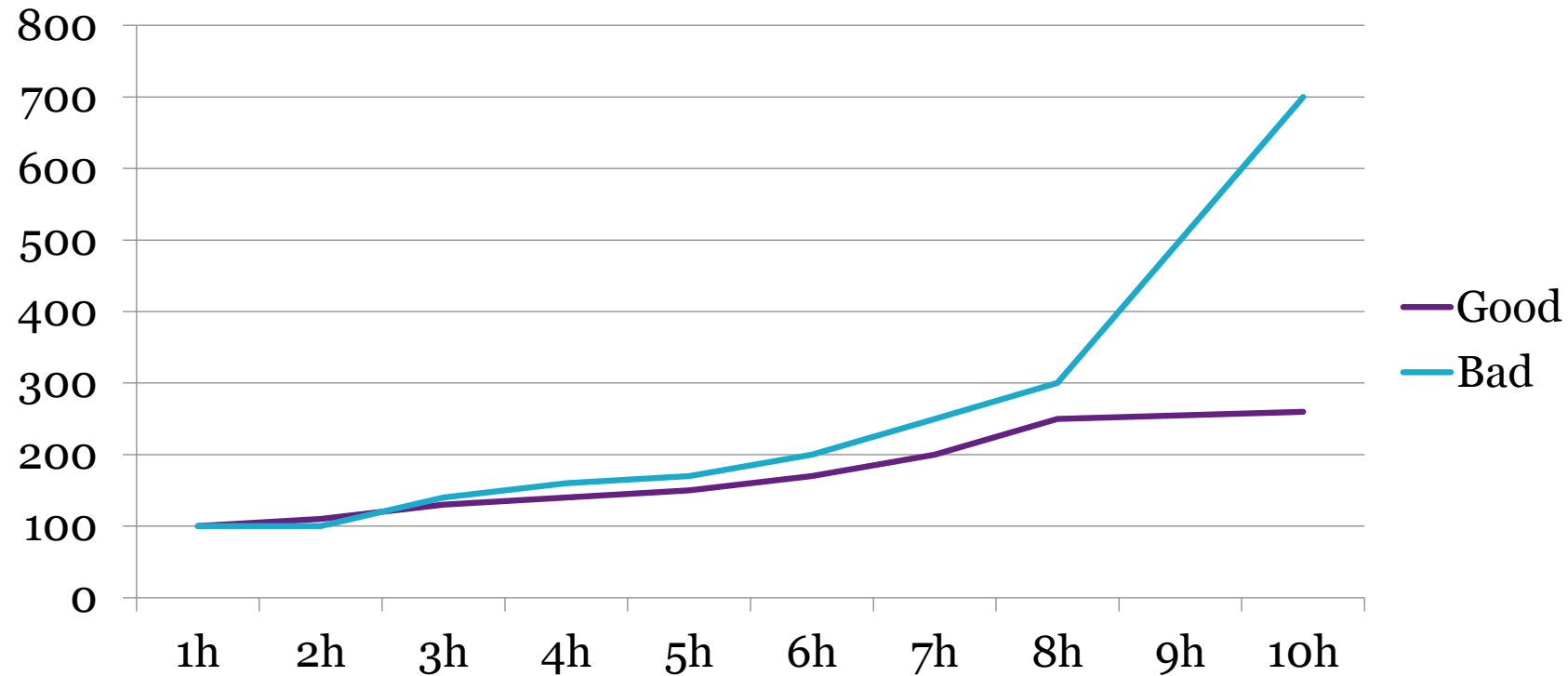
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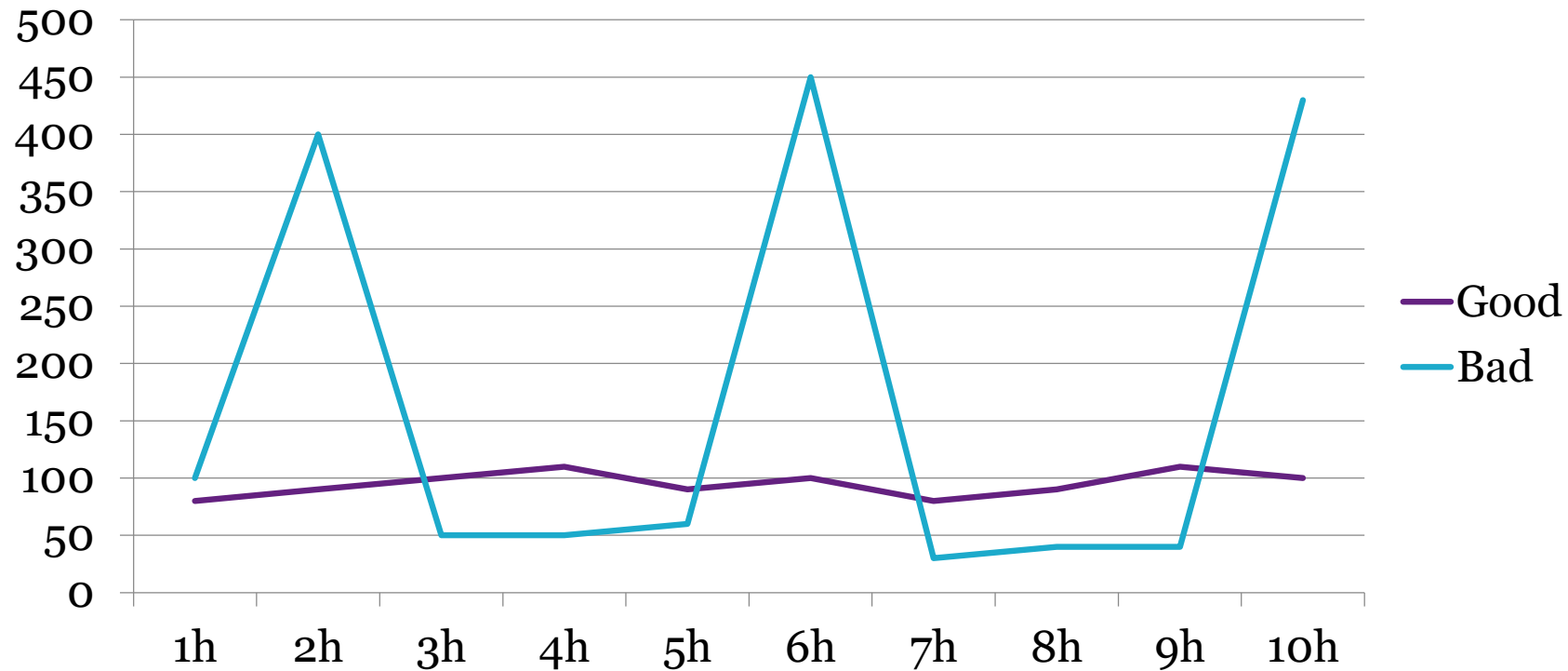
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- Query patterns: Steep query increase



Suspicious Domain Name Activities

- Query patterns: Regular patterns



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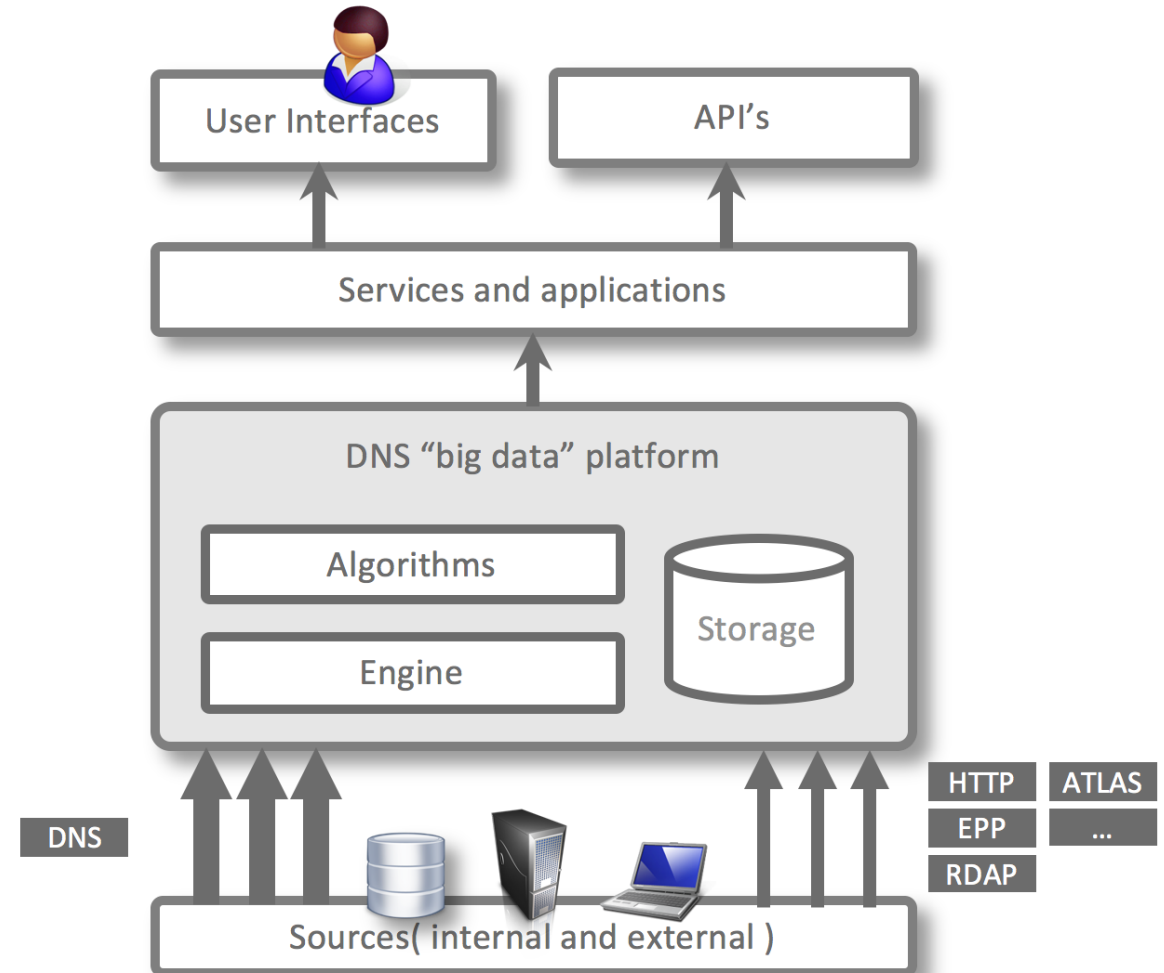
- Domain registration features
 - Very young and active domains
 - Suspicious registration data

Technical Background of ENTRADA

ENTRADA Architecture

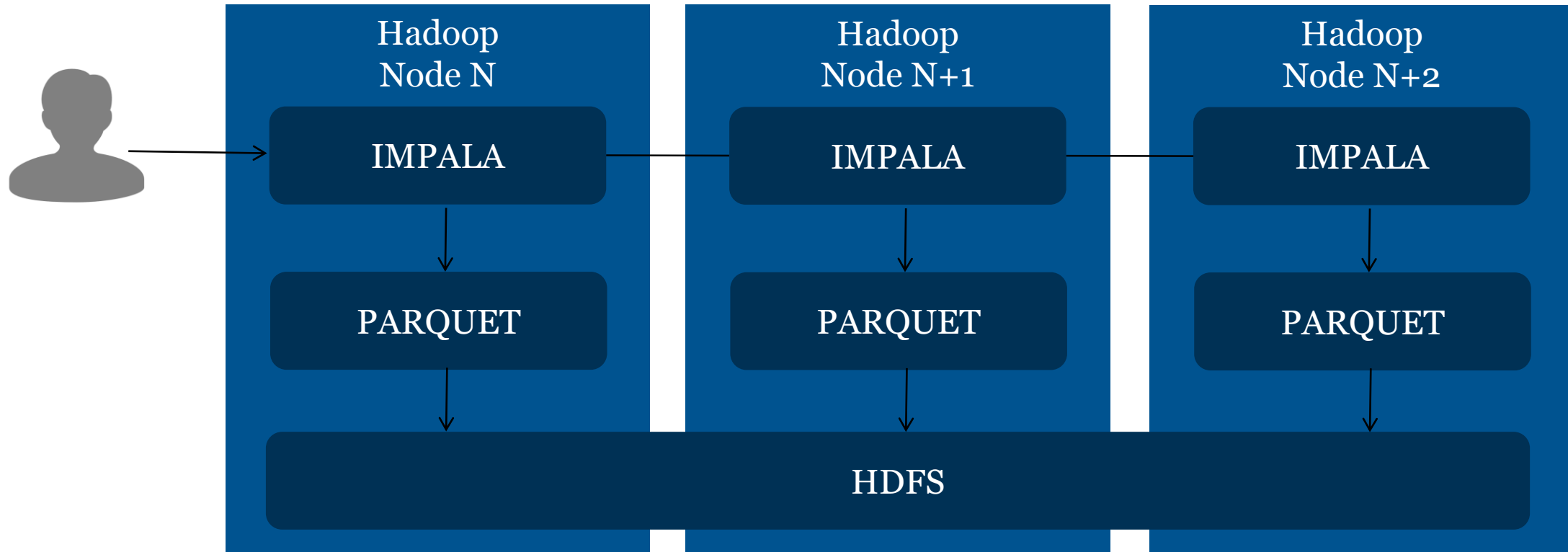
Main components

- Data sources
- Platform
- Applications and services
- Privacy framework



SQL on Hadoop

Best fit for our requirements



Impala

Data formats

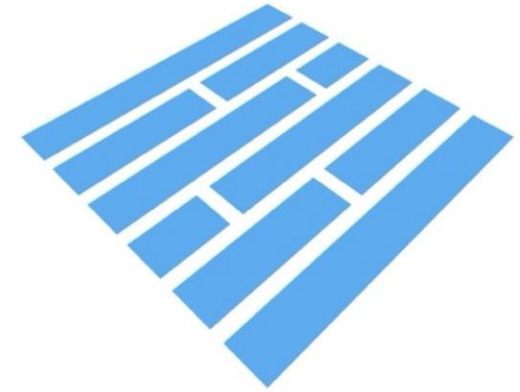
- Text
- Hadoop formats
- Apache Avro
- Apache Parquet

Interfaces

- Web-based GUI
- Command line (impala-shell)
- Python (Impyla)
- JDBC



Apache Parquet



- Why not just use the PCAP files?
 - Reading (compressed) PCAP data is just too slow
 - Analytical engines cannot read PCAP files

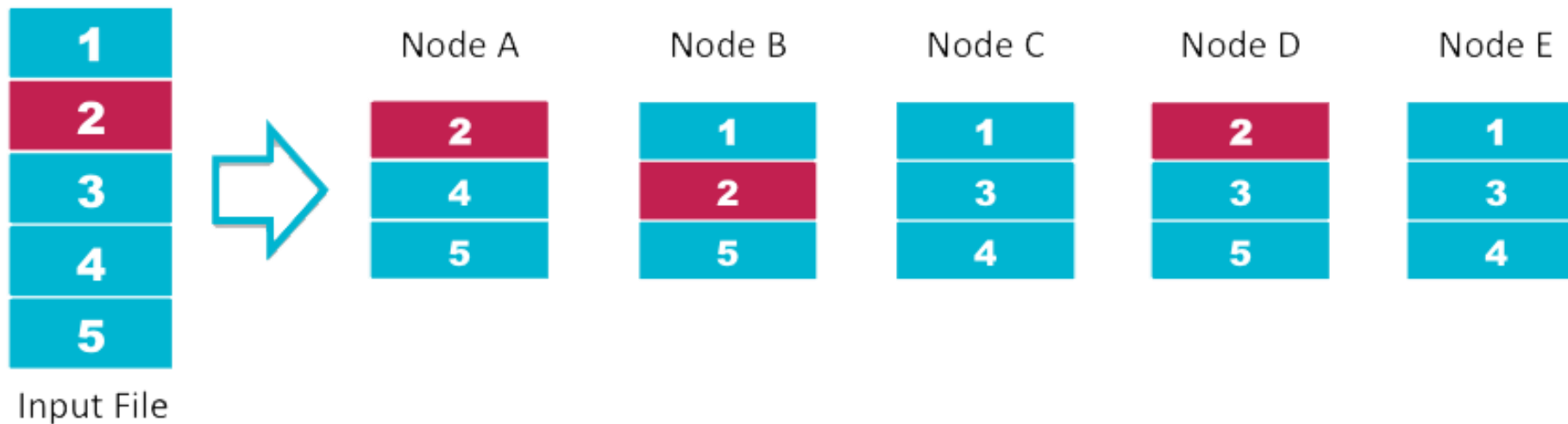


Stel je vraag over ENTRADA!

HDFS

- Distributed file system for storing large volumes of data
- High availability through replication of data blocks
- Scalable to hundreds of PB's and thousands of servers

HDFS Data Distribution



Cluster Design

nano sized

location I
management node



location II
data nodes



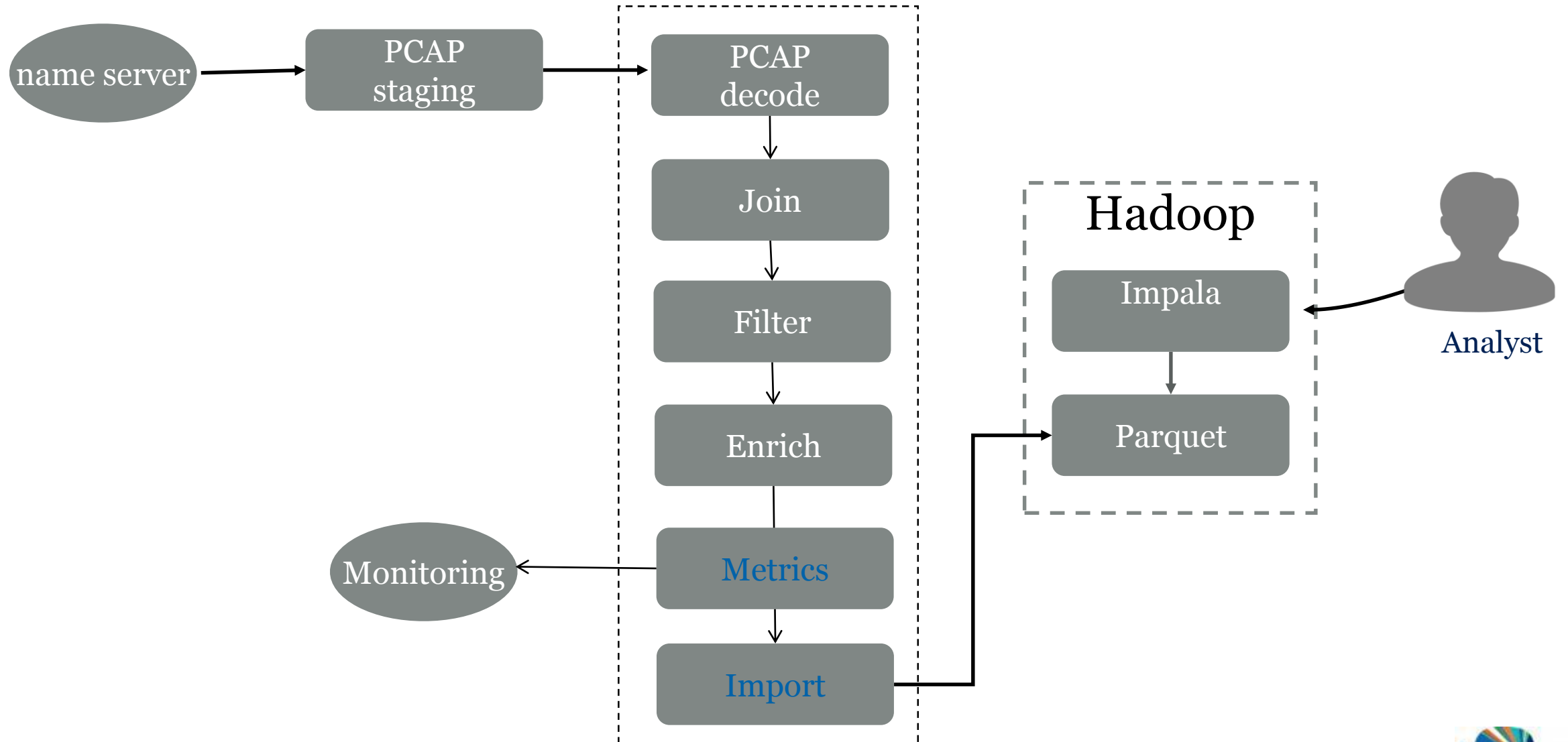
location III
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2Gb/s network



Workflow



Query data available for analysis within 10 minutes

Security Use Cases at SIDN

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- DGA detection
- nDEWS
- Botnet infection
- Phishes on subdomains
- Data exchange Fraudehelpdesk

- Wat zijn jullie use cases?

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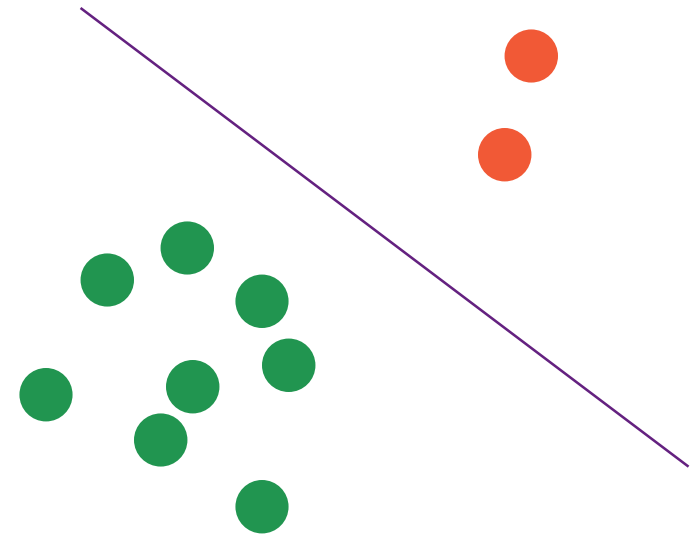
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Security Use Cases

- nDEWS: Detection of new malicious domain names
- checks for every new domain name:
 - number of queries, unique sources, unique ASes, unique countries
 - uses k-means ($k=2$) clustering to split domains



Security Use Cases

- Detect botnet infections
 - Cutwail botnet used for sending SPAM
 - Bots use their own, *home-brew*, recursive resolver
 - limited port range
 - limited DNS query ID range
 - many MX queries
 - many NX queries



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 - filter ENTRADA for keywords in subdomain labels
- Verify user submissions automatically
 - e.g. from PhishTank or Fraudehelpdesk
 - features: domain name age, registrar, *DNS query peak*

Other Use Cases

- Stats: stats.sidnlabs.nl
- Research, e.g.:
 - How do recursive resolvers select authoritative name servers? ([tech report](#))
 - How to understand and predict changes of anycast catchments? ([tech report](#))
- Adhoc queries, e.g.:
 - Do we see strange queries for a domain name?
 - What else is a resolver querying?
- Policy changes, e.g.:
 - What happens if we change zone file updates from 2h to 1h?
 - What would happen if QNAME minimization gets widely adopted?

Use cases in other organizations

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- *Your use case here!*



Resources

- ENTRADA
 - Documentation: <http://entrada.sidnlabs.nl/>
 - Software: <https://github.com/SIDN/ENTRADA/>
- Malicious Domain Names
 - General background:
https://www.sidnlabs.nl/downloads/publications/Muller_Master_Thesis_EIT_SP.pdf (chapters 2 and 3)
 - nDEWS: <https://www.sidn.nl/a/veilig-internet/realtime-kwaadaardige-domeinregistraties-herkennen>
 - Cutwail: <https://www.sidnlabs.nl/a/weblog/entrada-koppeling-met-abusehub>

Poll: Is er interesse in een praktische
vervolgworkshop?

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Dankjewel voor je aandacht!