# It only takes SECONDS for them, to take everything.

### Ransomware and Phishing

In 2022,



ransomware attack, out of which 64% were actually infected

## Phishing is responsible for

of ransomware infections

#### SECURITY TIPS

- Always check for red flags in email—poor spelling and grammar, use of generic salutations such as "Dear Customer" rather than actual names, unusual sender email addresses, requests for personal information from unknown senders, etc.
- Check to see if a link will take you somewhere safe by hovering over it and reviewing the URL before clicking
- Local backups, stored on hard drives or media is crucial. Keep your backup media in a safe environment.
- Use multifactor authentication (MFA) to prevent data breaches and cyber-attacks, wherever possible.

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