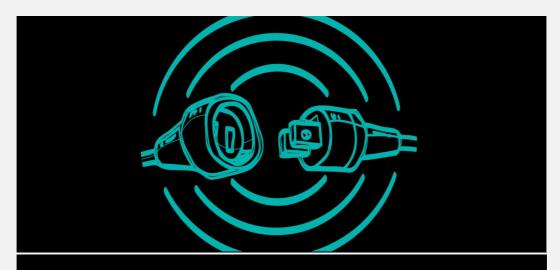
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Azerbaijan

Azerbaijan has advanced 2 more places in terms of mobile internet speed

In August of this year, Azerbaijan ranked 120th among 182 countries with a speed of 28.7 Mb/s according to the median speed of fixed broadband Internet.

Source: <u>xeberler.az</u> 18 September 2023

More than 12,500 International Mobile Equipment Identity (IMEI) codes connected to the network were blocked with the status of "clone"

"AzInTelecom" LLC continues intensive measures against the registration of mobile devices brought to Azerbaijan with copied IMEI codes, and 12,589 IMEI codes have been blocked by giving them the status of "clone".

Source: xeberler.az 19 September 2023

The number of fake domains in Azerbaijan, which are similar to state domain names, has been announced

The head of the State Service of Special Communication and Information Security of the Republic of Azerbaijan noted detection for 52 fake domains similar to the state institutions of Azerbaijan.

Source: xeberler.az 23 September 2023

Centralized Antivirus System has blocked 2.8 million harmful viruses

At the 2nd Summit of Heads of Information Technologies of State Institutions, the head of the State Service of Special Communication and Information Security of the Republic of Azerbaijan in his speech noted that 2 million 808 thousand harmful viruses sent to state institutions were blocked during the first half of the year.

Source: xeberler.az 23 September 2023

373 reports on gaps in the information resources of state institutions were prepared

During the audit of the information system of state institutions in Azerbaijan, 373 reports were prepared on the gaps found in the information resources in the first half of 2023. Government agencies were addressed with appropriate reports and recommendations were made to eliminate gaps

Source: <u>xeberler.az</u> 23 September 2023

Kazakhstan

Internet scammers from East Kazakhstan defrauded Kazakhstanis out of 80 million tenge

Employees of the "Cyberpol" criminal police of the East Kazakhstan region opened a criminal case of Internet fraud cases. Scammers deceived people out of 80 million tenge.

Source: <u>profit.kz</u> 22 September 2023

Owners of information systems will be punished for leaking personal data of Kazakhstan citizens

Two chatbots were discovered on a social network, which collected the personal information of Kazakhs for three years and then distributed it.

Source: <u>profit.kz</u> 28 September 2023

Uzbekistan

The number of services in "my.gov.uz" will be increased to 700

According to the President's Resolution, from 1 June 2024, new digital services will, as a rule, be implemented primarily in the mobile application of the Unified Portal of Interactive Government Services. The number of services provided on the Unified Portal will be increased to 700, and the level of their automation will reach 65 percent.

Source: <u>uzdaily.uz</u> 20 September 2023

The order of the chairman of the State Security Service on "Assessment of the level of cyber security of information facilities of Uzbekistan" was adopted

The assessment is carried out at the request of managers of cybersecurity and critical information infrastructure facilities in the State Security Service. Also, the assessment can be carried out at the initiative of the authorized body or on its instructions from the State Unitary Enterprise "Cyber Security Center". Based on the results of the assessment, a report is drawn up indicating the shortcomings that require elimination.

Source: <u>uzdaily.uz</u> 26 September 2023









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