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Product Backgrounder

When you are using email or surfing the Internet you are putting yourself at the risk of contracting a virus or perhaps one of its friends.

Malicious code, often called malware, can hurt your computer and also your pocketbook. In 2006, the direct damages caused to businesses was \$13.3 billion, according to the 2007 Malware Report: The Economic Impact of Viruses, Spyware, Adware, Botnets and Other Malicious Code.

Beware of viruses

In its preparation of the report, Computer Economics surveyed IT security professionals and managers about the frequency and economic impact of malware attacks. These same professionals stated destructive viruses cause the greatest direct economic impact of any kind of malware.

Viruses are computer programs that can copy themselves and infect a computer without the user's permission or knowledge. A virus can spread through a variety of means, although email is a popular culprit. As well, the Internet and file sharing applications also provide ways for viruses to travel from one computer to another.

What a virus does once it gets to your computer varies. Some are designed to damage your programs, delete files or even reformat your hard drive. Others are more benign and simply replicate themselves or present text, video or audio messages. However, even if it is not maliciously causing damage, viruses can use up valuable computer memory space. This can cause system crashes or cause your PC to behave erratically.

Many threats out there

As well as viruses, computers are under constant attack from such malware as spyware and adware. These potentially harmful programs can impact you and your computer in a variety of ways. For example, spyware infects your PC without you knowing and can swipe your confidential information. This could result in identify theft and credit card fraud. Adware can take over your machine and direct your Internet browser to advertisements.

Just like viruses, these malware can create system problems by taking up important memory space. This could cause your PC to become non-responsive, behave strangely or cause programs to terminate.

Versatile solution

With so many attackers seeking a way into your computer and your life, you need to make sure you are protected. ParetoLogic Anti-Virus PLUS combines advanced anti-virus techniques with its already well-respected anti-spyware technology.



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ParetoLogic Anti-Virus PLUS features:

- Detection and complete removal of viruses, spyware and other malicious malware
- In-depth scanning and cleaning process that finds and eliminates even the most sophisticated threats
- Detection and removal of known rootkits, which try to stop detection of malware
- Blocking of access to malware related URLs
- Customizable scanning
- Quick, easy-to-use
- Free database updates to keep you protected against the latest threats