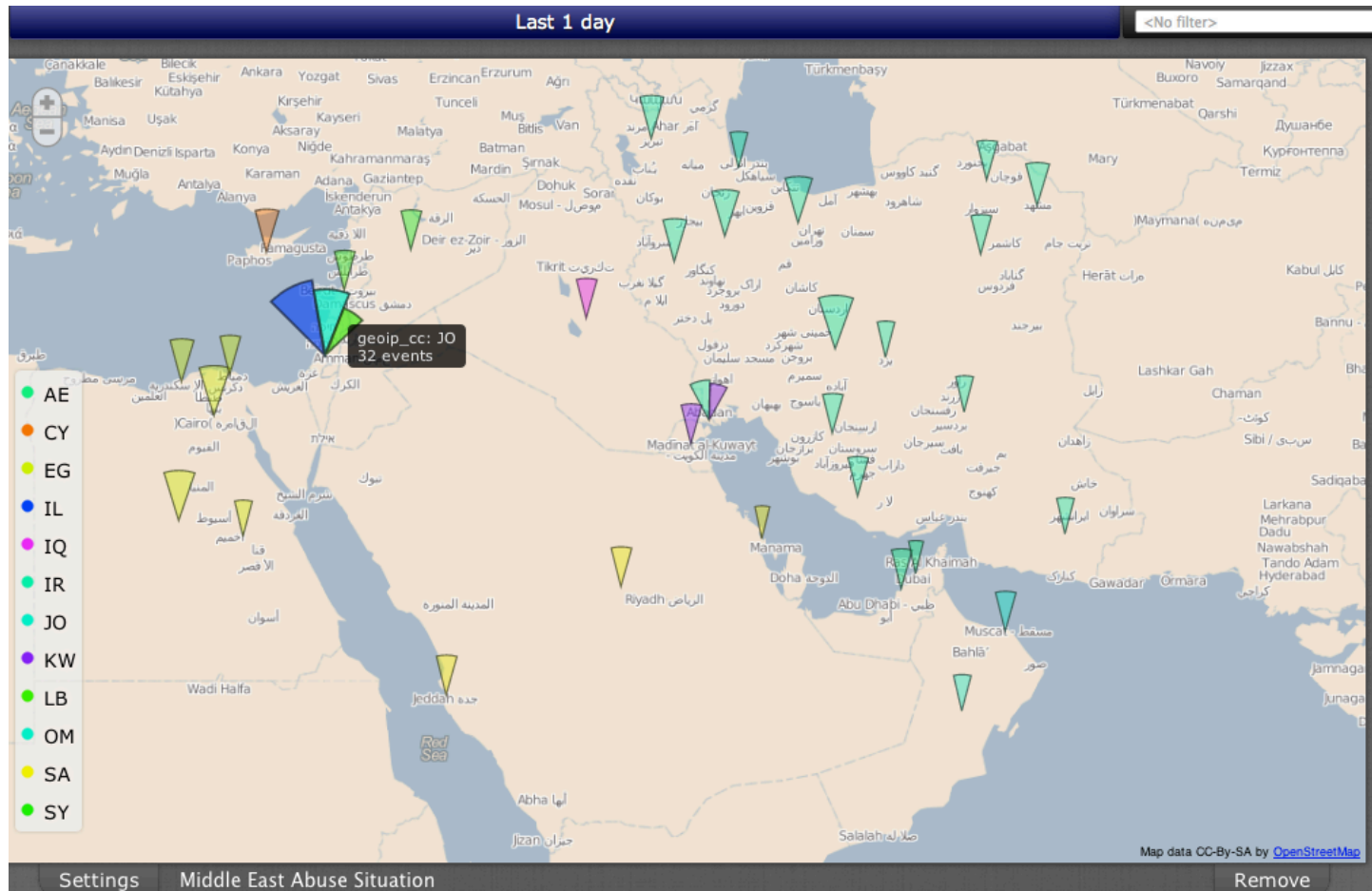


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The Problem?



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Sub Topics for Today

- Abuse Feed Ecosystem
- AbuseHelper
- VSRoom, Virtual Situation Room

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Abuse Feed Ecosystem

Feeders

Organizations, which gather intelligence on malicious activity and identities.

Proxies

CSIRT teams, which collect this information from various sources and report it to the cleaners.

Cleaners

Organisations, whose customers or networks are victims of cyber crime.

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Feeders

hobbyist

Various projects with varying motivations, such as ZONE-H or Malc0de.

non-profit

Organizations such as [ShadowServer](#), abuse.ch, Dragon Research Group or [SpamHaus](#).

commercial

Feed providers, such as Arbor Networks, [SpamHaus](#) Technology or Team Cymru.

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Proxies

government

National CERT teams, such as CERT-FI, CERT-EE, CERT-BE, CERT-IS, CERT-AT or CERT-EU.

academic

Various university network CSIRT teams, such as FUNET CERT in Finland.

industry

ISP or corporate CSIRT teams, which report to their constituency, such as their corporate customers.

Cleaners

- Various CSIRT teams, whose networks or customers are victims of cybercrime.
- The biggest challenge for them usually is connecting the dots between an ip address and a timestamp in an abuse report and the customer.
- Another challenge is prioritization of abuse reports into different categories.
- AbuseHelper can help in this. 😊

And Now teh Mad Tech ;)



Everybody's Different, Nobody's Perfect



abuse feeds

vary in format, formalism and transports.

data

varies in integrity, availability and duplication.

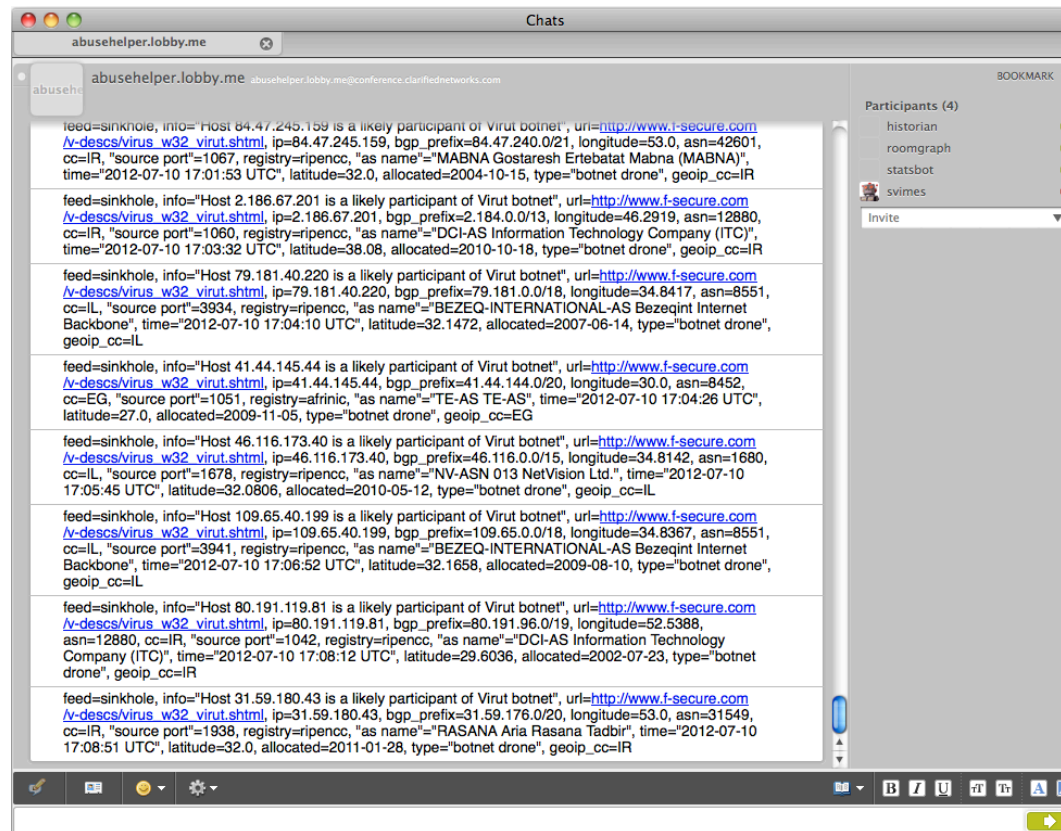
time

timespans, update frequencies, time and date formats.

ontology

provided details, schemas, terminology

AbuseHelper



AbuseHelper - Design Goals

The initial implementation was a collaboration between [CERT-EE](#) and [Clarified Networks](#), with the help of [CERT-FI](#).

why

To enable you to systematically deal with abuse in your country.

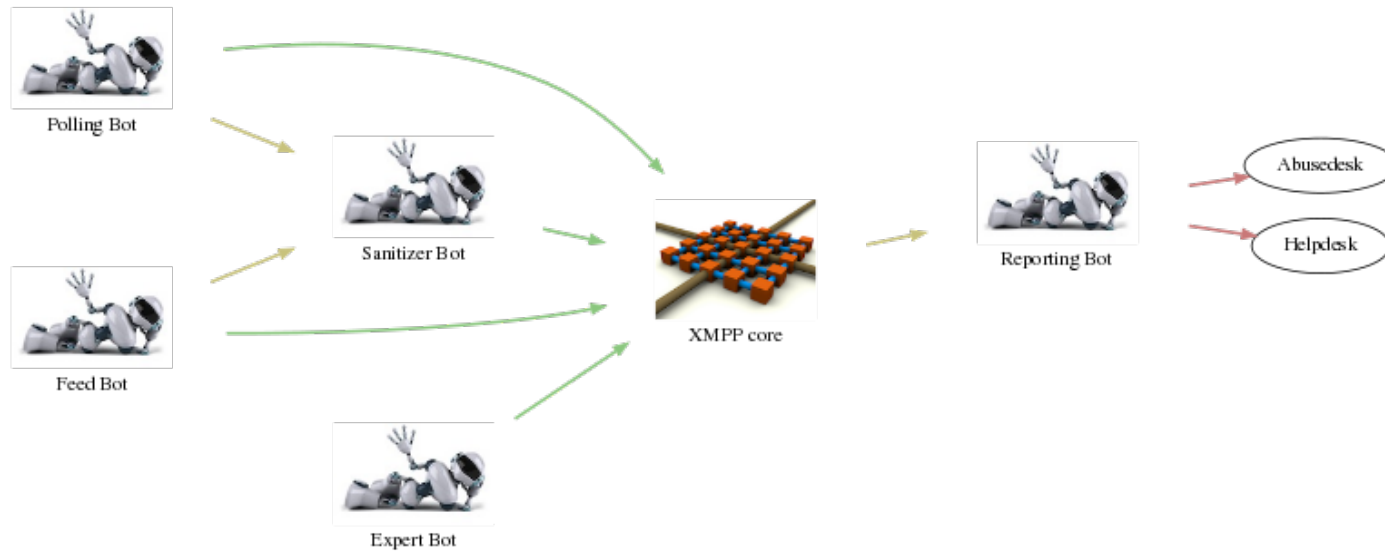
botnet inspired

AbuseHelper is an XMPP-driven technology, a benign botnet to fight malicious botnets.

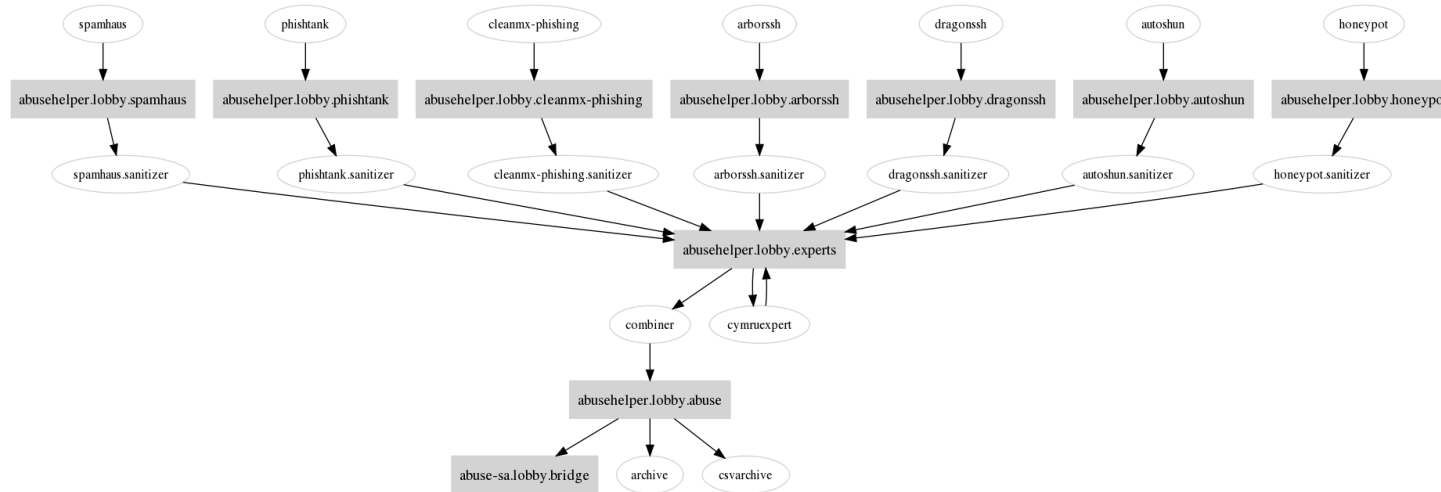
streaming architecture

Data is collected from various sources over various transports and fed through a processing pipeline to the final recipient of an actionable abuse report.

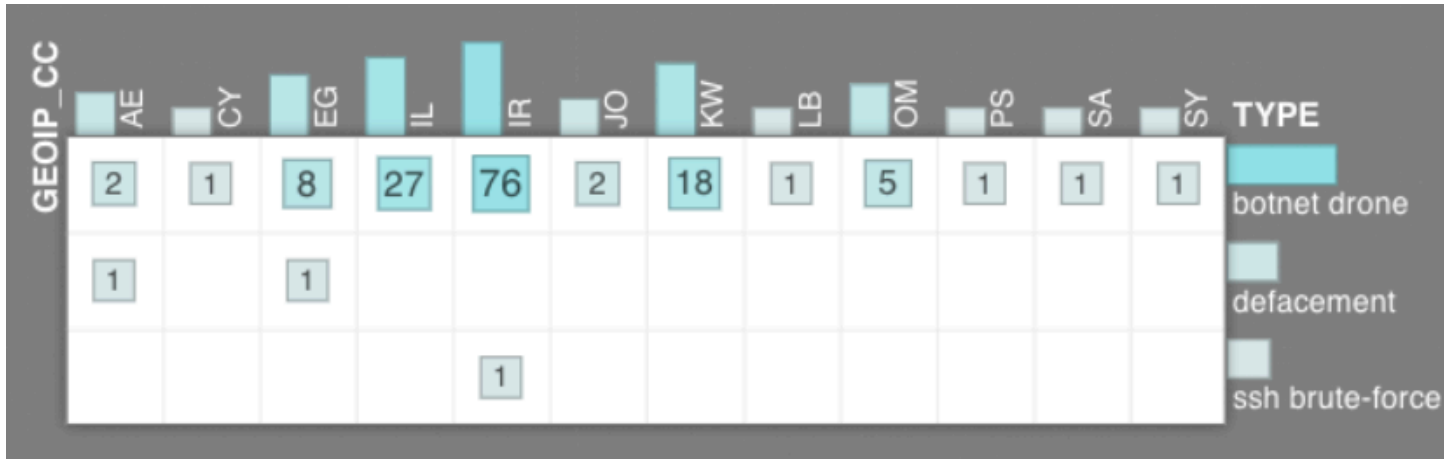
AbuseHelper - Bot Classes



AbuseHelper - Example Botnet



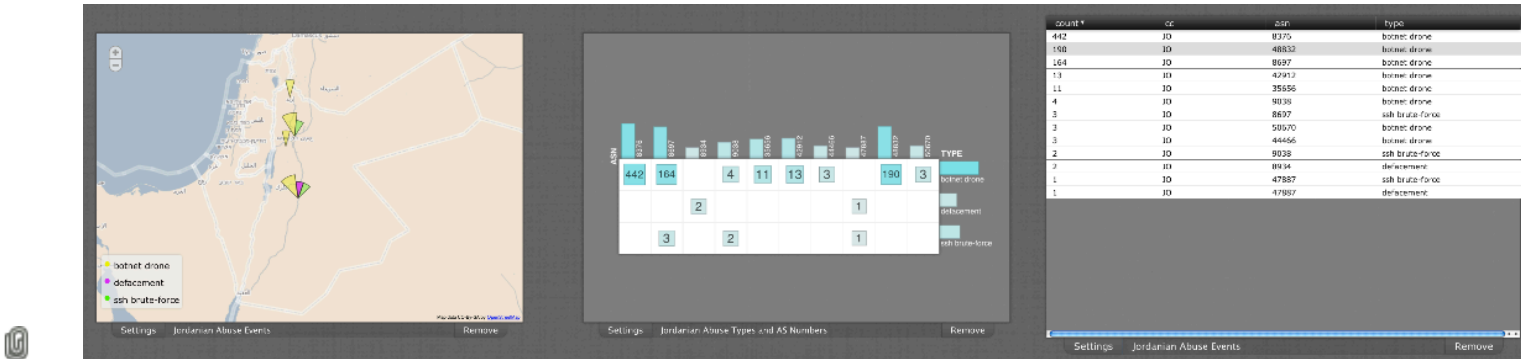
VSRoom, Virtual Situation Room



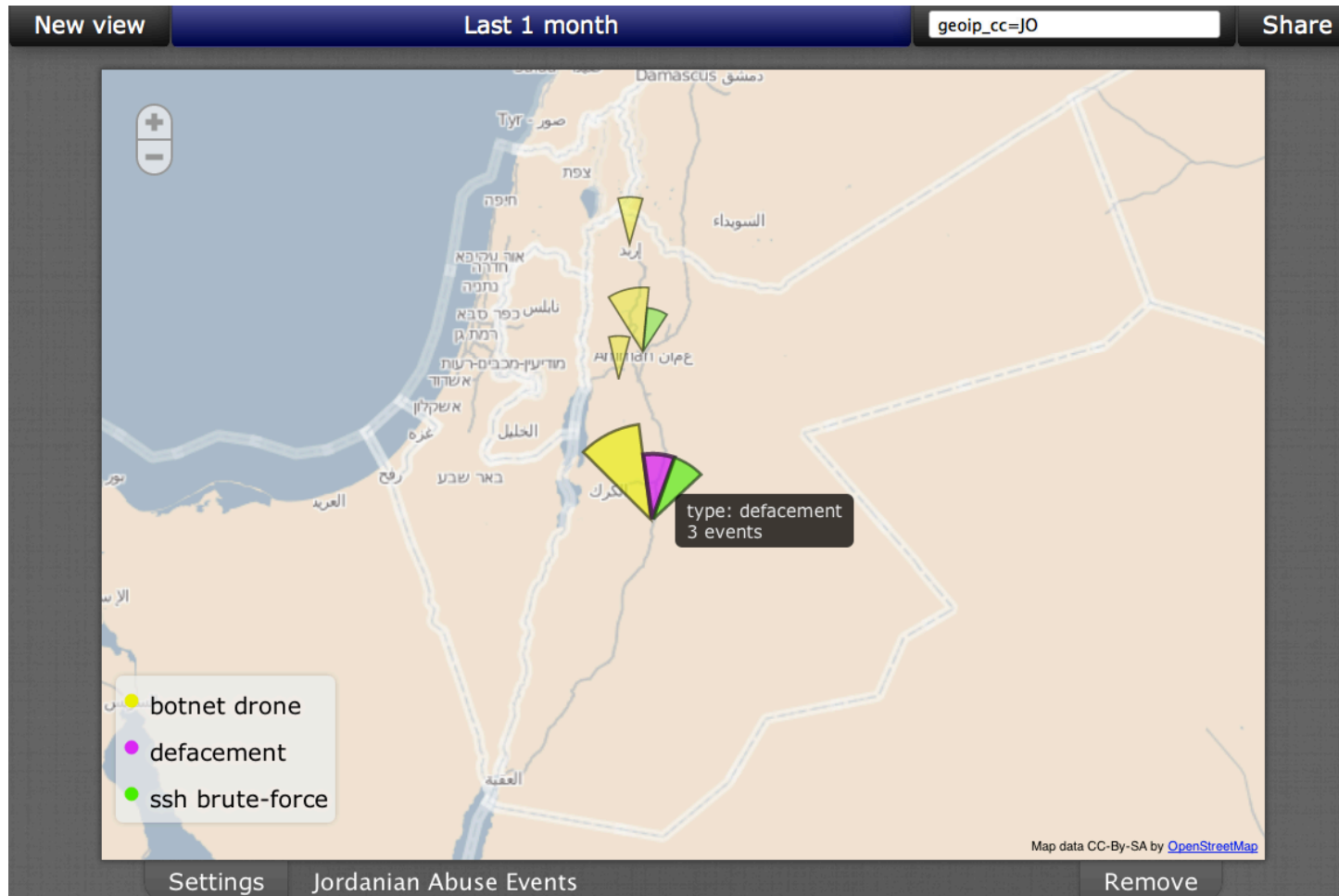
VSRoom - Design Goals

- Provide a generic browser-based user interface for visualizing XMPP event driven data.
 - Implemented in Javascript and HTML5.
 - Distinct views, view-specific and global parameters.
 - The user interface is a Javascript bot, which requests data from a historian bot.
- Enable the users to share their findings with their colleagues via VSRoom URLs.
 - Provide actionable visualizations and the ability to drill down to the level of a single abuse event.
- Visualize pre-processed and filtered data in the order of tens of thousands of events instead of millions.

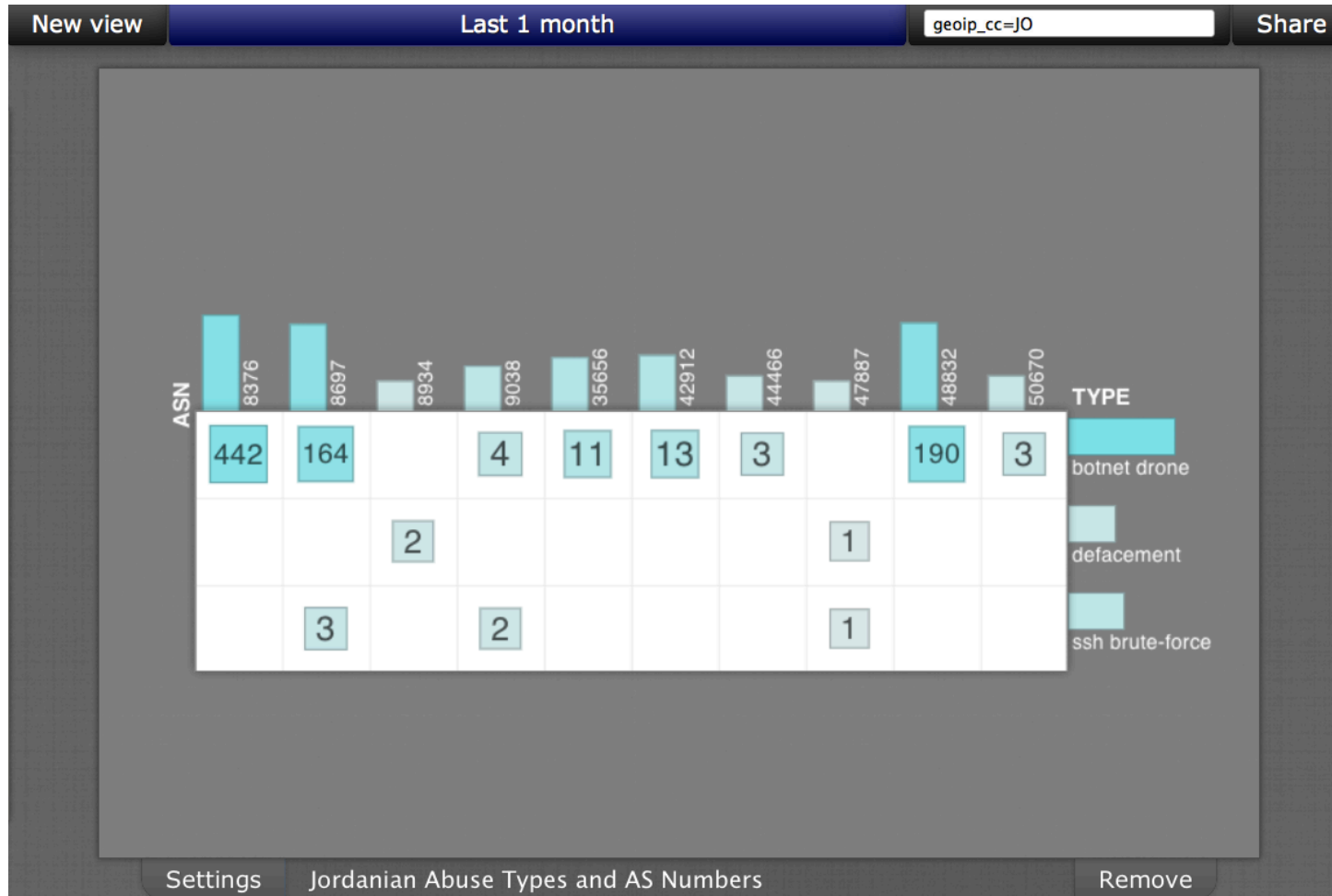
VSRoom - Basic Views



VSRoom - Map



VSRoom - Categorilla



Settings

Jordanian Abuse Types and AS Numbers

Remove

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VSRoom - List

New view Last 1 month geoip_cc=JO Share

count ▼	cc	asn	type
442	JO	8376	botnet drone
190	JO	48832	botnet drone
164	JO	8697	botnet drone
13	JO	42912	botnet drone
11	JO	35656	botnet drone
4	JO	9038	botnet drone
3	JO	8697	ssh brute-force
3	JO	50670	botnet drone
3	JO	44466	botnet drone
2	JO	9038	ssh brute-force
2	JO	8934	defacement
1	JO	47887	ssh brute-force
1	JO	47887	defacement

Settings Jordanian Abuse Events Remove

On to the Demo, Let's Go



Questions?



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Thank You!

reminder

CERT-FI was able to amp up their abuse handling capabilities 100x through automation. 😊

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