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## **Business Email Compromise Campaign Harvesting Credentials in Numerous Industries**

A business email compromise campaign emanating out of Western Africa is targeting companies in a wide swathe of industries, bucking a trend of these scams focusing on wire fraud and targeting CEOs.

The researchers saw emails targeting large retail organizations, universities, software and tech companies, engineering, real estate companies and churches. “These waves of emails are customized per organization, which is why we think it’s one individual or a small group because of the way the file structure is set up and the overlapping domains,” said Ronnie Tokazowski, senior malware analyst at Flashpoint. He added that so far, the attackers have sent 73 PDFs with redirect links, and of those 73, Flashpoint was able to identify 70 unique URIs and 29 domains involved.