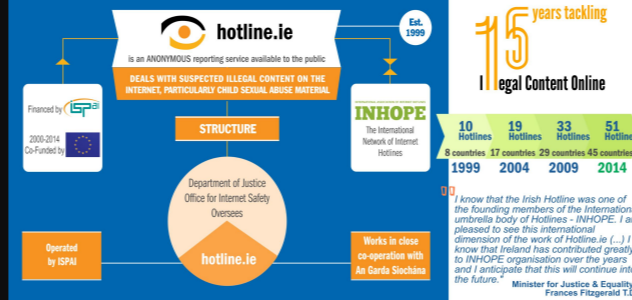
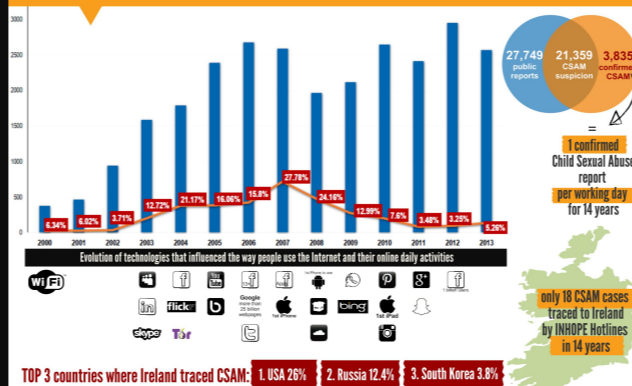


Do not ignore suspected illegal content on the Internet, report it to www.hotline.ie
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1999 to 2013: volume of public reports received vs. confirmed as Child Sexual Abuse Material (CSAM)



1999 - 2014: Insights

1999 ISPai Hotline.ie Service was launched within an industry self-regulatory framework as one of the key recommendations of the Government's Working Group on the Illegal and Harmful Use of the Internet (1998).	2000 81.7% of reports referred to websites 78.2% of reports assessed as CSAM were traced to the USA	2001 1st case of email spam advertising Child Sexual Abuse Material	2002 1st reports concerning Peer to Peer (P2P) where files can be shared directly between users 50% of reports referred to email spam	2003 56.7% of reports referred to spam & 36.3% to websites Unsolicited commercial emails advertising illegal drugs & CSAM for sale but none were sent from email servers in Ireland
2008 8 cases of Child Trafficking CSAM traced to Russia dropped by 88.9% Ireland & Australia put down a network of Child Pornography websites	2007 1st & only case of Child Sex Tourism - traced to Germany 62% more illegal content than in 2006 increase of CSAM traced to Spain 3.3%	2006 35.2% of all CSAM was traced to Russia (peak - to date) Internet service at target of reports received: email 95.5%	2005 1st 4 cases of Child Trafficking 1st decrease in email spam but still no. 1 (48.9%) 1st year when reports referred to IM 0.3% & mobile 0.3%	2004 1st case of Child Grooming 57.8% of reports referred to email spam (peak) spike in reports that referred to Chat 2%
2009 1st case of CSAM traced to Ireland following a report received via Hotline.ie 1st case of mirroring services - CSAM was copied to all mirror locations worldwide, including Ireland	2010 1 report assessed in 2008 led to an arrest in the USA - the suspect was sentenced to 6 years in prison & was registered as a sex offender 1st CSAM report referring to cloud - subsequently led to the arrest of 2 suspects in Spain	2011 1 report led to the arrest of a 34 year old teacher in Bulgaria. He was in possession of a large collection of CSAM involving 7-12 year olds. Increase of CSAM traced to Germany 15.5%	2012 highest no of reports received in a year since establishment - 22.3% over 2011 increase in financial scams 12.9% reports referring to email spam remain low 1.4%	2013 Highest no of CSAM reports traced to Ireland, 7 cases (5 cloud related) Highest no of financial scams 25.4% of all illegal reports 1 report led to 928 unique cyberlockers each containing sets of CSAM traced to Taiwan

On April 15th, INHOPE signed, on behalf of all Member Internet Hotlines worldwide, a cooperation agreement with INTERPOL on the exchange of information related to Child Sexual Abuse Material

Ireland is part of a 12 month EU funded Project coordinated by INSAFE & INHOPE in collaboration with INTERPOL aiming to achieve faster escalation of new CSAM images or videos to Law Enforcement where attempts can be made to identify new child victims of sexual abuse. Other participating countries: Germany, Finland, Bulgaria, Romania, Netherlands, Hungary, Austria and Poland.

According to INHOPE, in the 1st half of 2014, in Europe

91% of reported CSAM was removed from the Internet within 1 to 3 days

98% of CSAM was reported to Law Enforcement within a day

"The prevention of abuse of children requires active monitoring and vigilance. This is the business of everyone in society. It cannot be dealt with alone by internet providers or parents or NGOs or schools - it is a whole of society issue. It is about everyone being vigilant, everybody taking responsibility. It takes the whole of society in partnership to make sure that we keep children safe." Minister for Justice & Equality, Frances Fitzgerald T.D.

Let's work together to make a difference! YOUR report MATTERS!!!