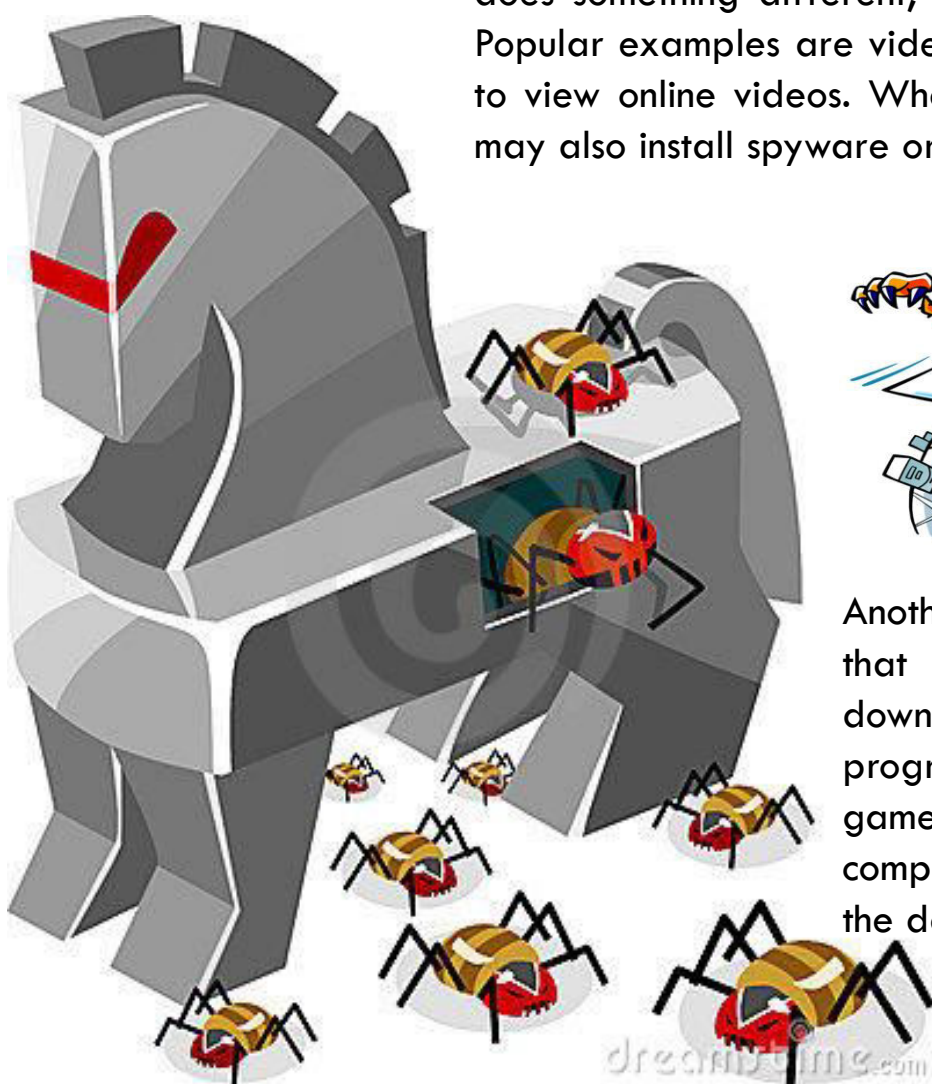


TROJAN HORSE

Trojans are malicious programs that pretend to be legitimate software, but actually carry out hidden, harmful functions.

A Trojan program pretends to do one thing, but actually does something different, usually without your knowledge. Popular examples are video codecs that some sites require to view online videos. When a Trojan codec is installed, it may also install spyware or other malicious software.



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Another example is a malicious link that says "Cool Game." When you download and install the game program, it turns out not to be a game at all, but a harmful Trojan that compromises your computer or erases the data on your hard drive.

How to protect yourself against Trojans

Good antivirus and endpoint security solutions can detect and remove spyware programs, which are treated as a type of Trojan. Make sure it is always updated.



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