

ALERTS

TRADING STANDARDS

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Please be aware

A malicious website called corona-virus-map[dot]com pretending to be the live map for Coronavirus COVID-19 Global Cases by Johns Hopkins University is circulating on the internet waiting for internet users to visit the website. Visiting the website infects the user with the **AZORult Trojan**, an information stealing program which can infiltrate a variety of sensitive data. It is likely being spread via infected email attachments, malicious online advertisements, and social engineering. Furthermore, anyone searching the internet for a Coronavirus map could navigate to this malicious website.



- **NEVER** open attachments or links in unsolicited emails
- **NEVER** give out personal information
- **DELETE** spam emails from your mailbox

Taking care when searching the internet

- When looking for sites offering things like **driving licenses**, **road tax applications**, **European Health cards**, **ALWAYS** choose the official government website that ends in **.gov.uk**

WHERE TO REPORT

Protect others by reporting incidents like this.

If you, or anyone you know, have been affected by this fraud or any other scam, report it to Action Fraud by calling 0300 123 2040 or visiting www.actionfraud.police.uk

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