



CloudFlare DNS Anycast Services

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Network

- Over 80 locations soon
- All services over Anycast



CloudFlare DNS expertise

- Deliver DNS answers in fast and reliable manner worldwide
- Extensive experience in absorbing large DDoS attacks
 - Multilayer defense architecture
 - We answer less than 1% of DNS packets, and no-one complains
 - As most are attack packets
- Hard to use us as amplifiers
 - We block most attack traffic, and DNS packet size is kept under 512 bytes

DNS services: RRDNS

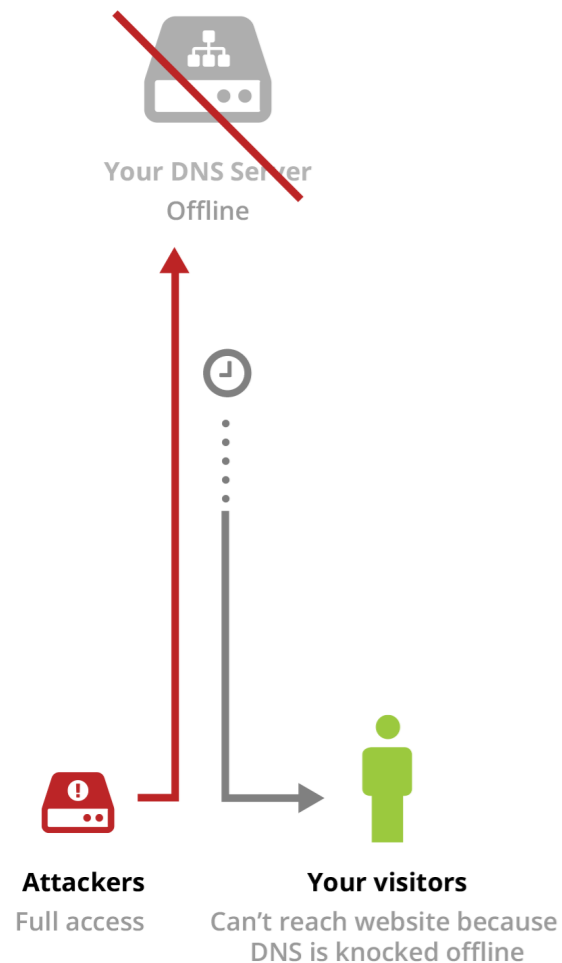
- Highly distributed authoritative server
- DNSSEC signing on the fly
- Data entered via API/UI replicated to edges in seconds
- FAST and reliable
- “ANY” suppressed

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dig cloudflare.com ANY
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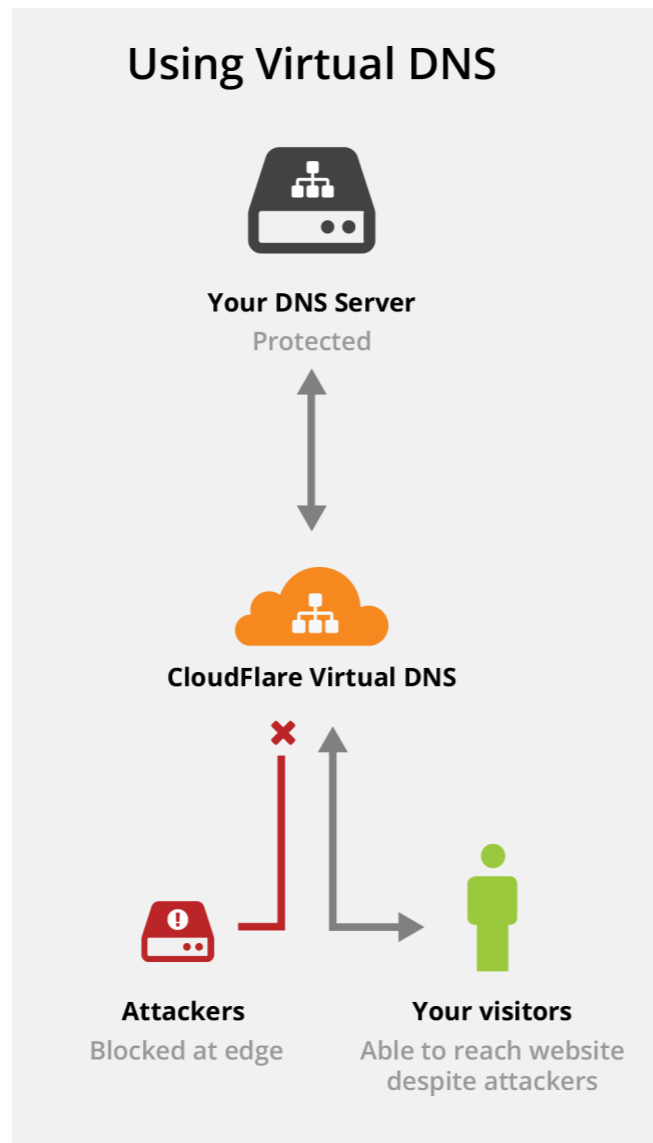
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cloudflare.com.      3788    IN HINFO  "Please stop asking for ANY"  
"See draft-ietf-dnsop-refuse-any"
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DNS products: Virtual DNS

Without Virtual DNS



Using Virtual DNS



- A proxy authoritative server
- We will cache data requested and answer from edge
- Intelligent fetching of answers from origins.
- No need to update us if zones added/deleted

The cost of staying online?

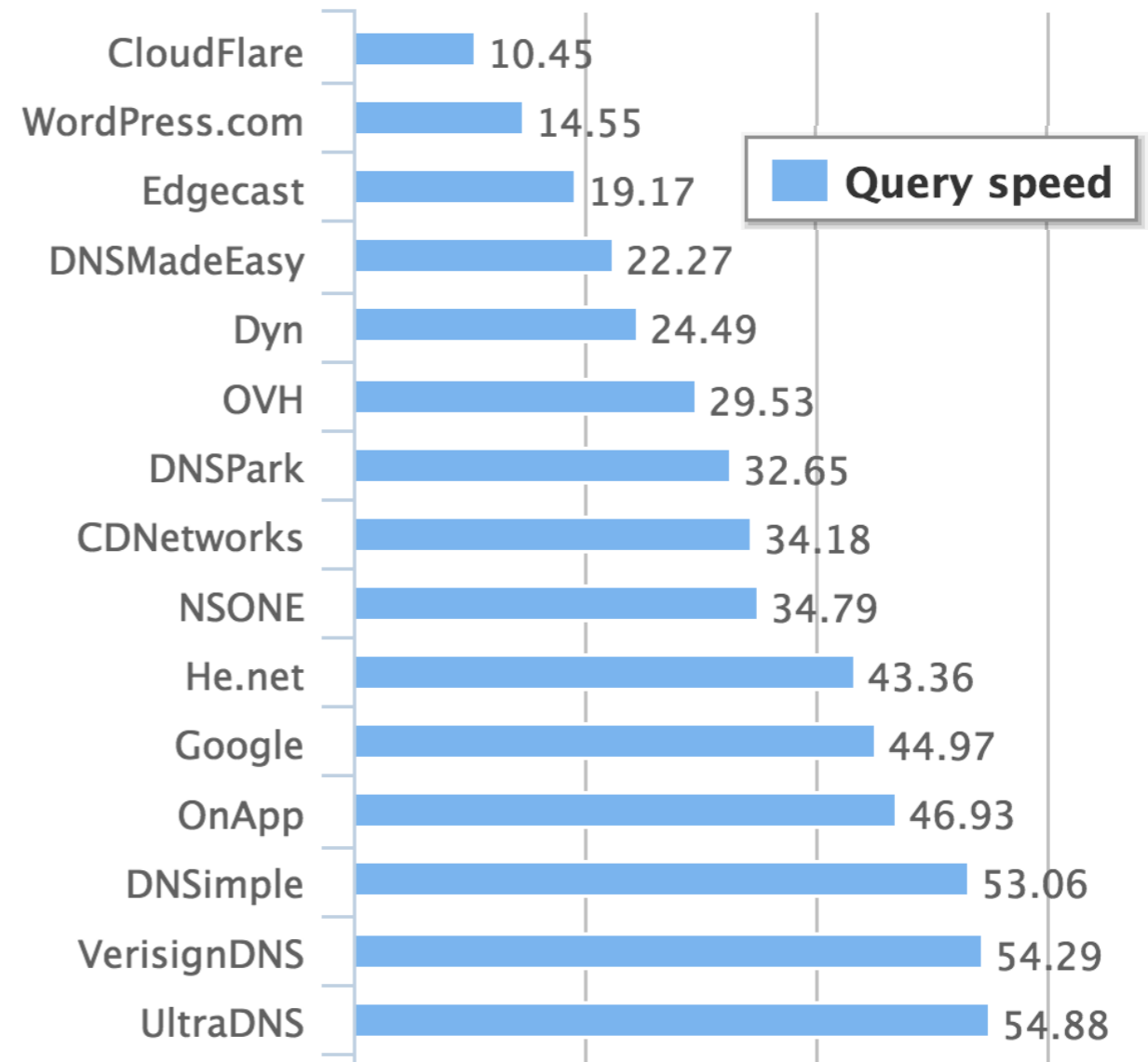
- Providers need to capacity plan for attacks
 - We have mitigated 5xx Mp/s attacks
- Attacks evolve all the time
 - we see them all

**19 DNS attack(s) /
44.11M pps**

**20 SYN attack(s) /
38.29M pps**

The new norm of DNS

- Anycast delivery
- Defense in depth
- DNSSEC on the fly
 - No need for 5-13 NS records
 - RSA needs to be retired (Key sizes 5x bigger than ECDSA)
 - Suppress ANY



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