



SECURITY STANDARDS AND CYBER LAWS

INTRODUCTION

- ▶ GROWTH OF CYBER SPACE
- ▶ ONSET OF INTERNET
- ▶ CYBER LAW OR LAW OF INTERNET



NEED FOR CYBER LAWS

- ▶ TACKLING CYBER CRIMES
- ▶ INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND COPYRIGHTS PROTECTION ACT



CYBER LAWS IN INDIA

- ▶ IT ACT PASSED IN 2000
- ▶ INTERNET IN INDIA
- ▶ IMPLEMENTATION OF CYBER LAW
- ▶ REASONS FOR DELAY IN IMPLEMENTATION OF CYBER LAWS IN INDIA



IT ACT PROVISIONS

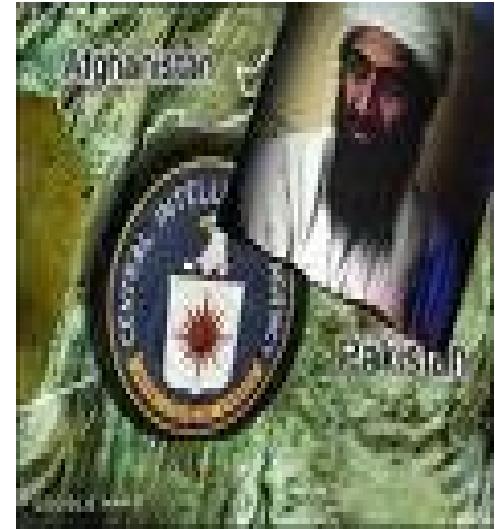
- ▶ email would now be a valid and legal form of communication in our country that can be duly produced and approved in a court of law.
- ▶ Companies shall now be able to carry out electronic commerce using the legal infrastructure provided by the Act.
- ▶ Digital signatures have been given legal validity and sanction in the Act.

IT ACT PROVISIONS

- ▶ The Act now allows Government to issue notification on the web thus heralding e-governance
- ▶ statutory remedy in case if anyone breaks into companies computer systems or network and causes damages or copies data

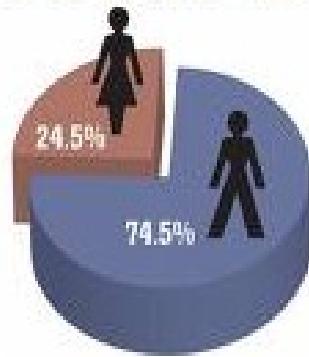
CYBER CRIMES

- ▶ CYBER CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS
eg ‘melissa’and ‘lovebug’ virus
- ▶ CYBER CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY
eg computer vandalism
- ▶ CYBER CRIMES AGAINST GOVERNMENT
- ▶ eg ‘Al-Qaeda’

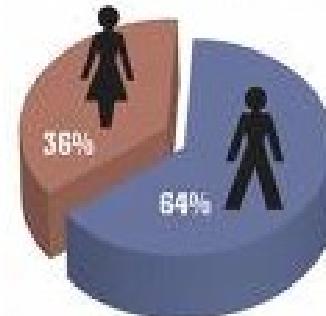


CYBER CRIMES

Source: FBI Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section
Who's Doing the Crimes?*



Who's Being Victimized?*



CRIME THROUGH ORKUT

- ▶ Koushambi ,24-year old software professional working for TCS was brutally killed by Manish Thakur, in a hotel room at Andheri.



INTERNET AND ITS EFFECT

- ▶ 20% – 30% of Internet pornography consumption is by children of ages 12 – 17.
- ▶ MySpace is being used by predators to meet and entice kids online.
- ▶ Specific marketing strategies are being used to attract children to porn sites.



OFFENCES AND LAWS IN CYBER SPACE

- ▶ TAMPERING WITH COMPUTER DOCUMENTS
- ▶ HACKING WITH COMPUTER SYSTEM
- ▶ PUBLISHING OBSCENE MATERIAL ON INTERNET
- ▶ BREACHING OF CONFIDENTIALITY AND PRIVACY



CYBER LAWS AMENDMENTS

- ▶ INDIAN PENAL CODE, 1860
- ▶ INDIAN EVIDENCE ACT, 1872
- ▶ BANKER'S BOOK EVIDENCE ACT, 1891
- ▶ GENERAL CLAUSES ACT, 1897

- THANK YOU