

Demystifying networking
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Lecture – 86
Closing thoughts on security

That was a lot of information and very scary, just because you use a computer and you are on World Wide Web, people can know so, many things about you.

Yeah.

And, they can make use of your information in such ways it is very scary really.

It does, but actually it is more about being aware. So, if you are aware of the risks that there are, then you can take certain countermeasures or you can have certain practices. And these practices will help you in becoming more secure. So, it is more about making you aware of what risk you are at and so that you can know what are the ways you can save guard yourself from those risks. So, what we have discussed is not about being afraid, but it is more about being aware of things.

Now, there are a lot of things in security that we can talk about, but in this small section we have just talked about what are the most important parts of it. And, we could actually do an entire course on security to get into the depths of each and every topic that we discussed, but now I feel is the right time for a quiz.