

# Phone Number Extractor

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#### Where are Phone Numbers seen in DNI?



- Phone Numbers are located in MANY parts of DNI traffic
  - "Contact Us" parts of web pages
  - Signature Lines
  - Address Books
  - "Leaked" as METADATA in Mobile HTTP traffic
  - Collected as converged data from GPRS/CDMA/WLL traffic
  - Collected in signaling of VOIP traffic

# Phone Numbers in "Content"



- Looking inside the body of content, the Phone Number Extractor Looks for:
  - Telephony-related terms in the body of traffic and parses out any digits after that
    - Ex: "Tel:" or "Mobile" or "Fax" or "
  - Note that all punctuation is removed.
    - i.e. (92) 928.555-555 becomes 92928555555

## Phone Numbers on Websites

- ELEVISIONE .
- Many times phone numbers are in the body of a website
  - "Contact-Us"
  - Craigslist-like websites listing items for sale
  - Forums, etc...
- Traffic can be TO or FROM Port 80



# Normalization problems

- When a phone number is in the "body" of traffic, like a signature block or a "contact us" line on a webpage, it doesn't have to be normalized.
- XKS will extract the number exactly how it appears (minus punctuation and leading 0's) which can create problems.
- Look what happens to the '0' happen here:





# Phone Numbers on Websites



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# Phone Numbers in SIG Blocks



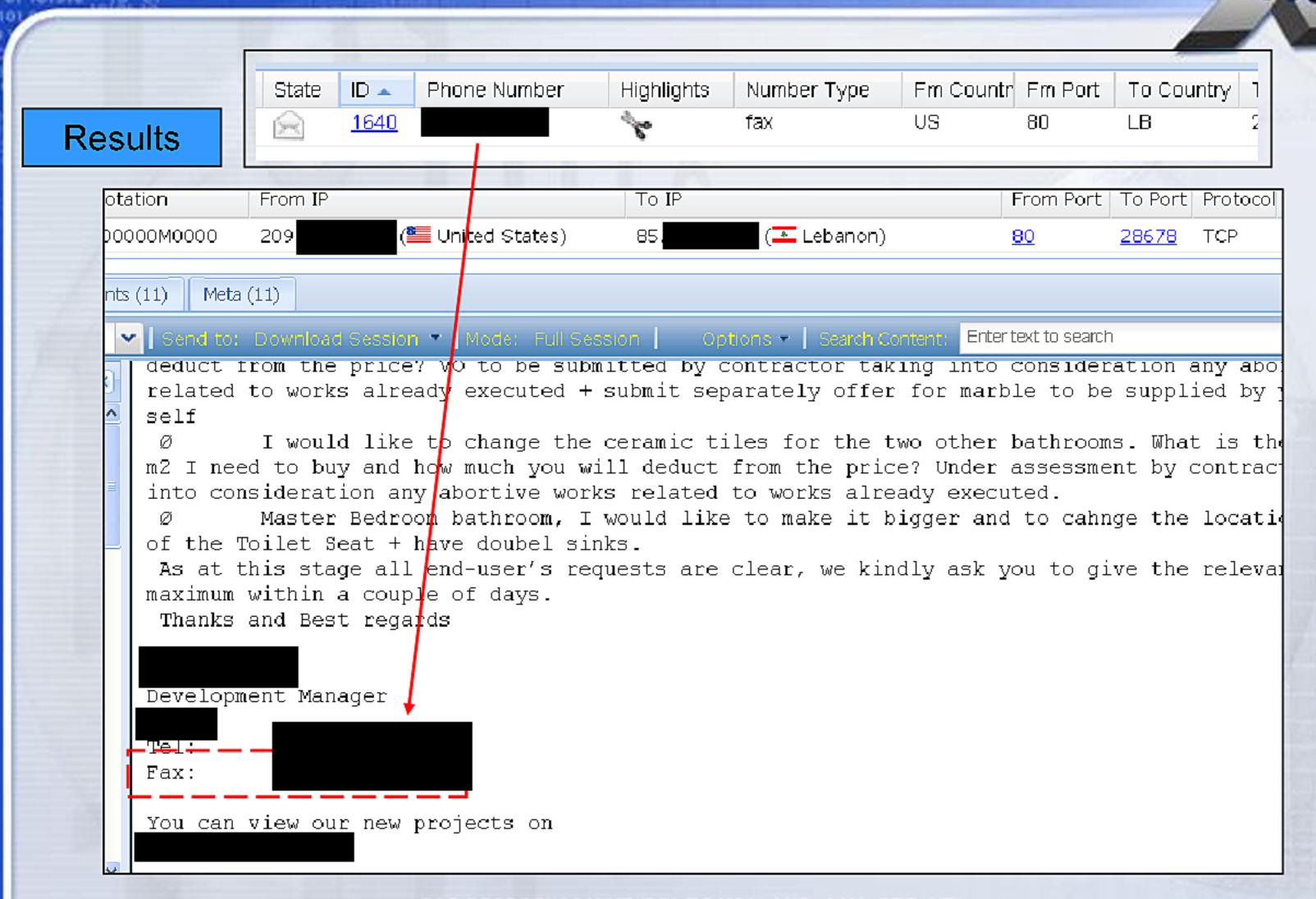
- Signature lines are SELECTOR-RICH environments (Emails, phones, names, titles, etc..)
  - Many SIG blocks have extraneous characters/numbers
    - XKS ignores dashes, parenthesis, etc..
    - XKS only parses out the numbers after

# Phone Numbers in SIG Blocks



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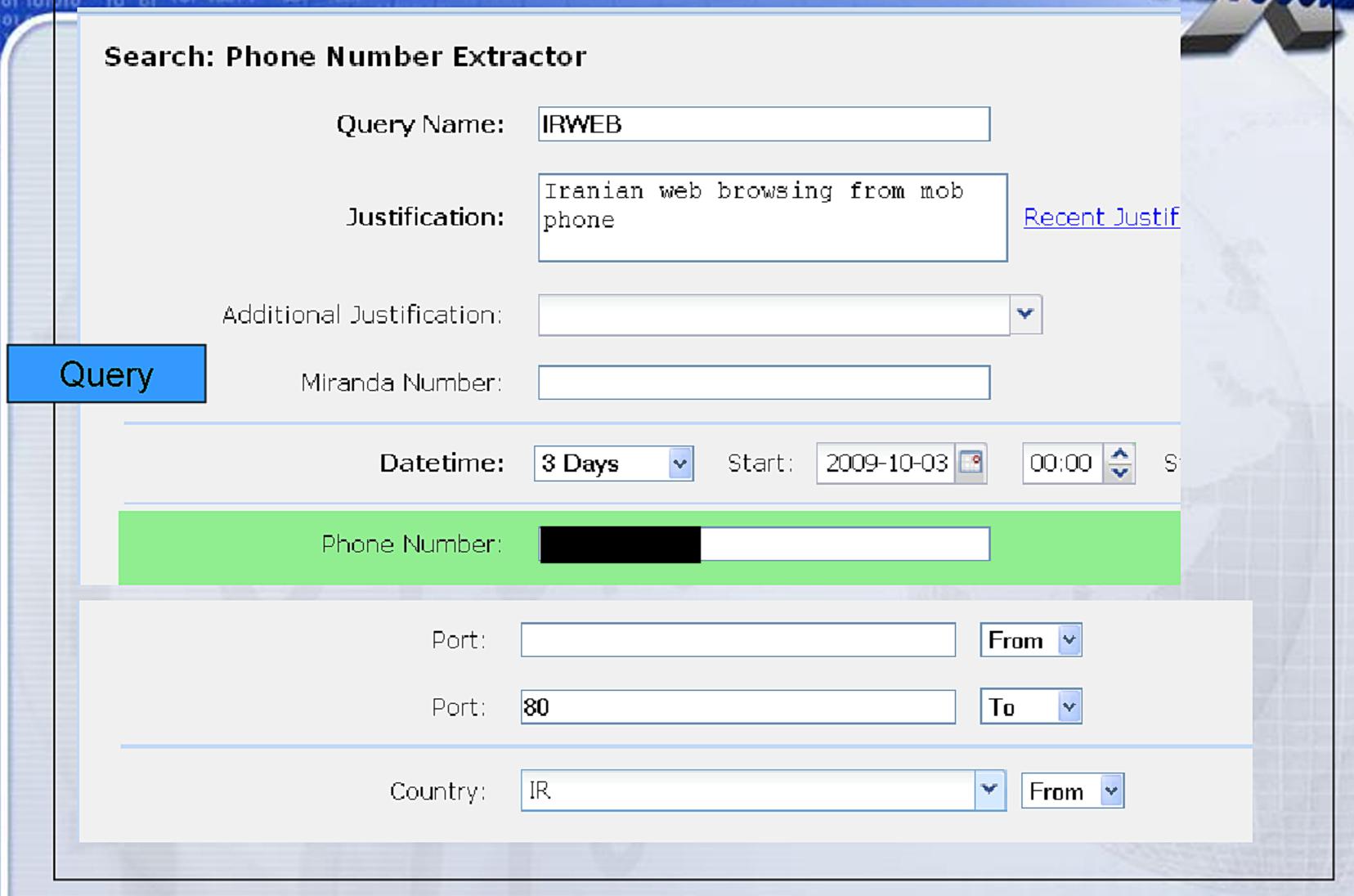
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- HTTP GET Requests contain many "leaked" phone numbers from the providers
  - GPRS activity commonly seen with DNR selectors

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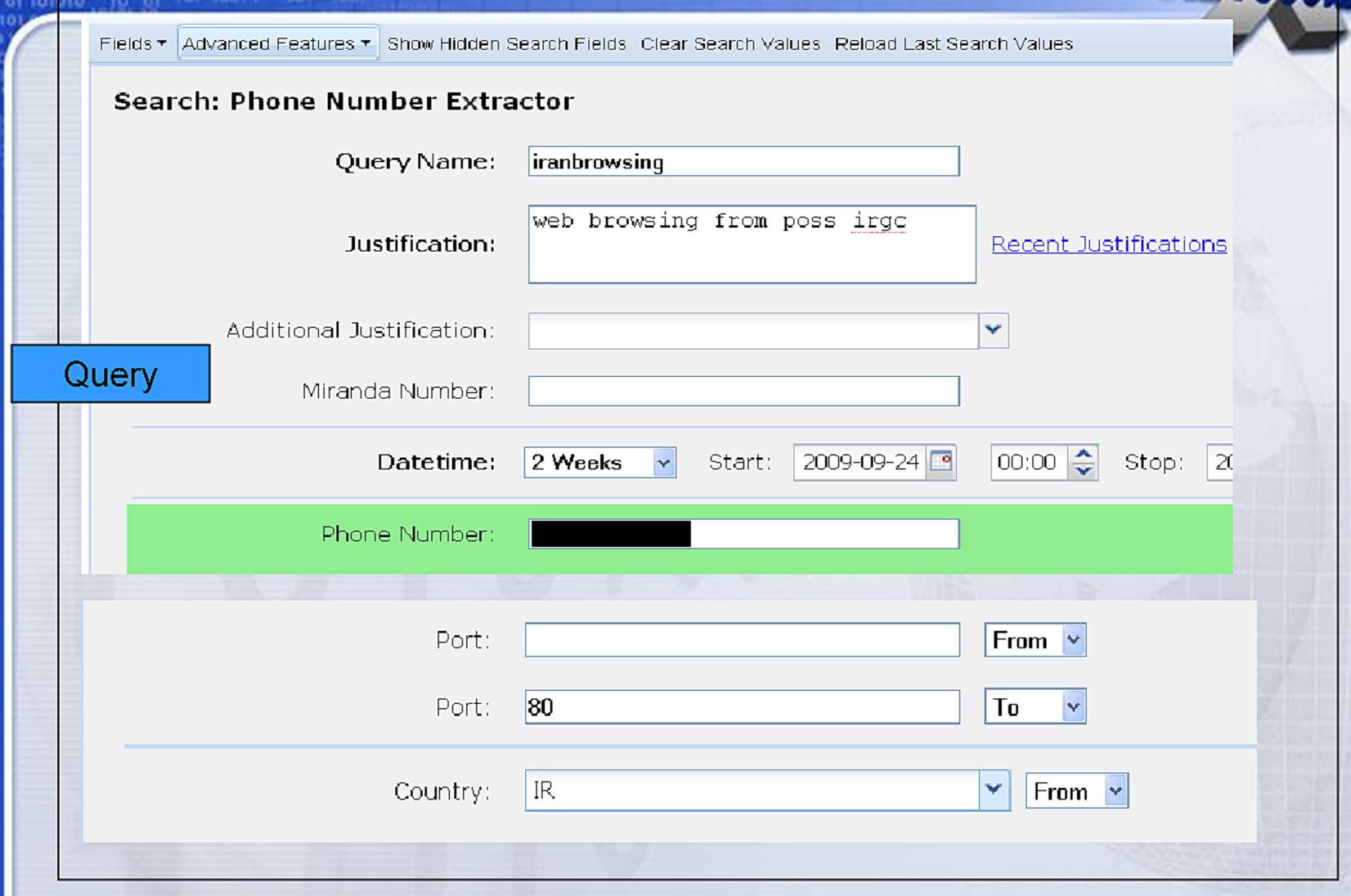


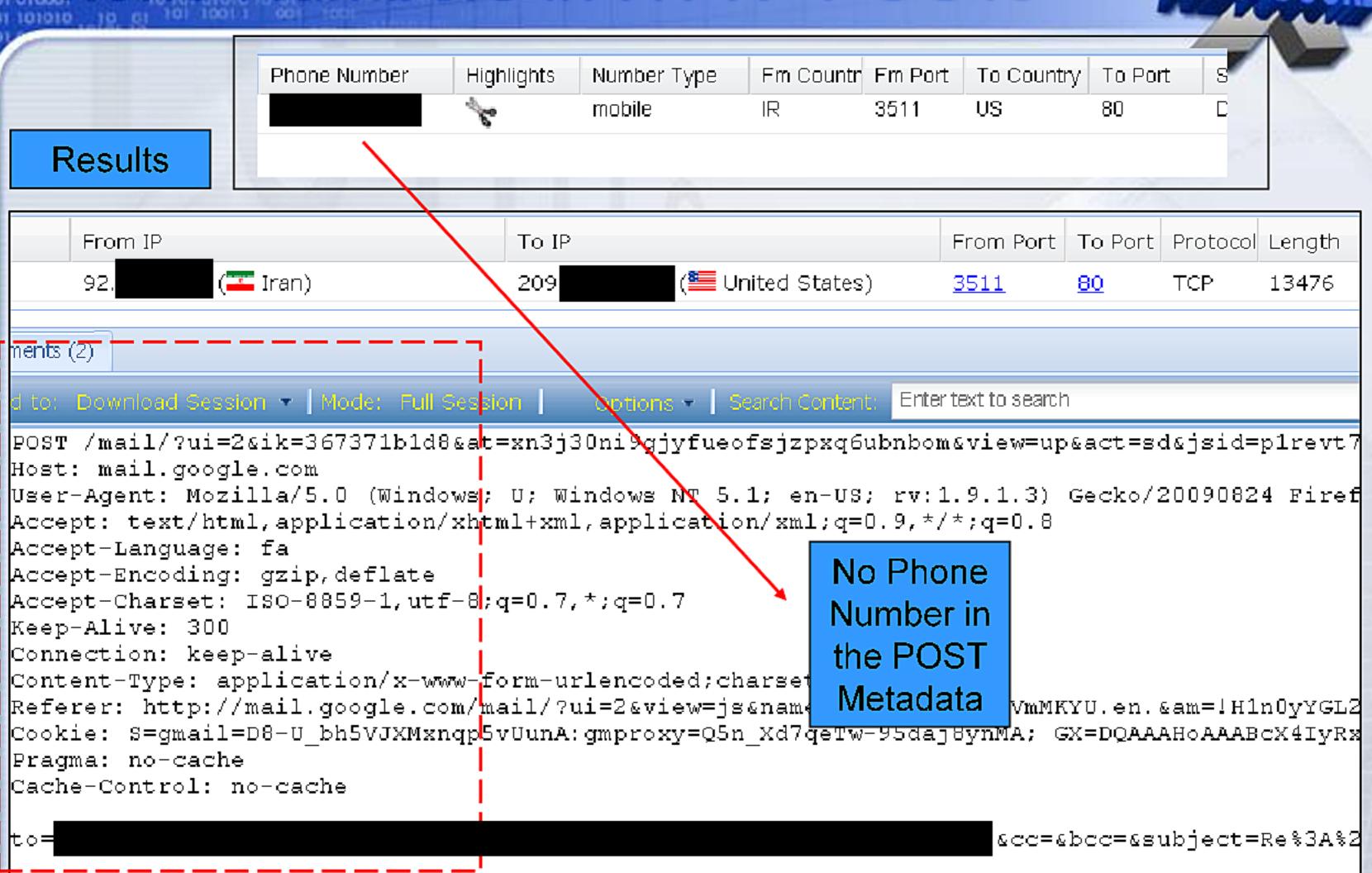


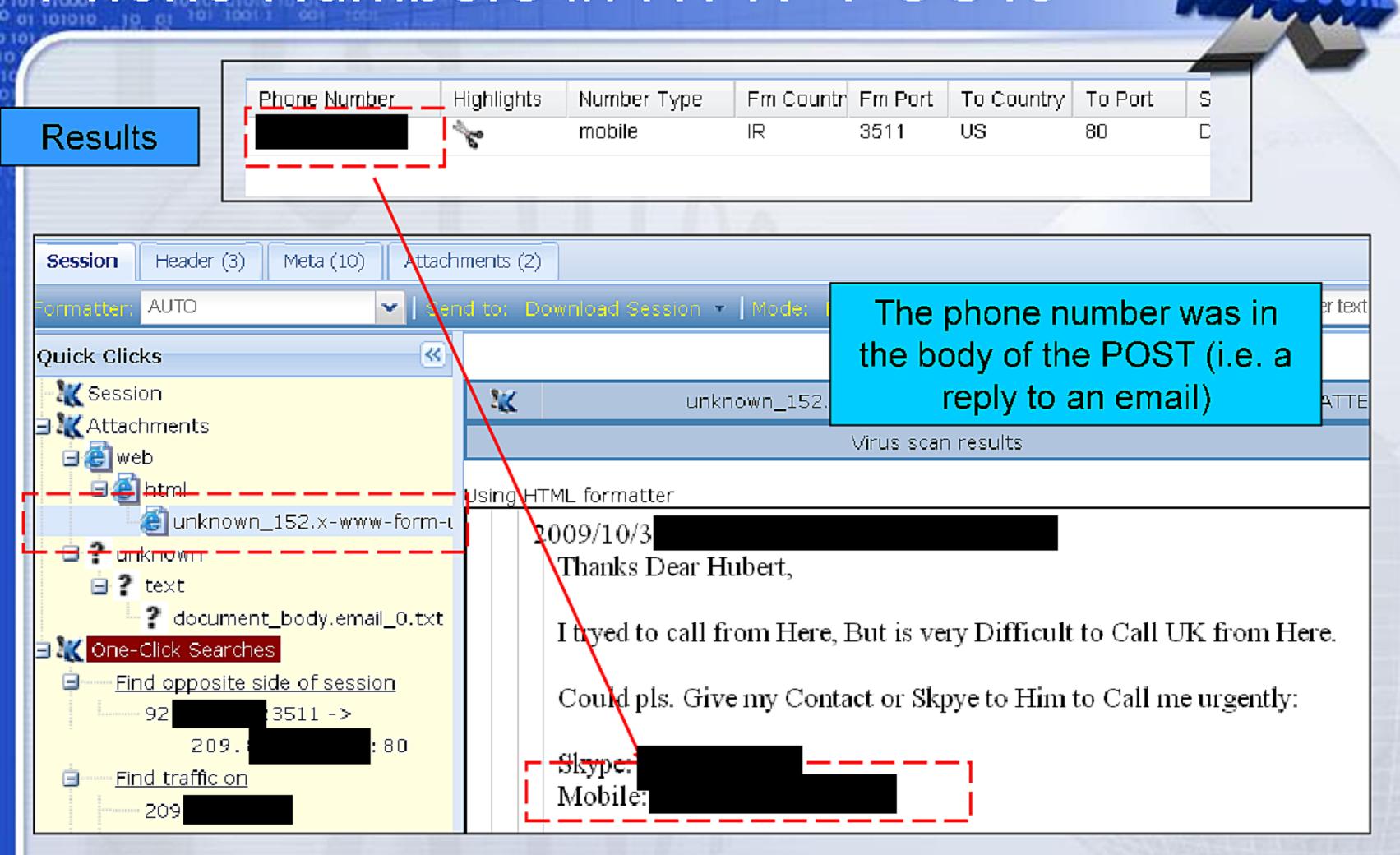
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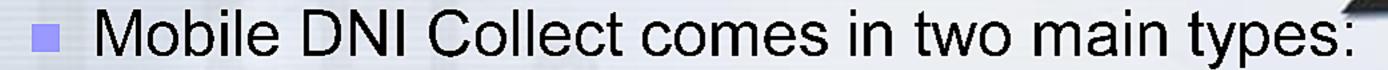
- Many times a phone number is submitted in an HTTP "POST" session
  - If a person fills in a form or replies to an email, the information in the body will be collected

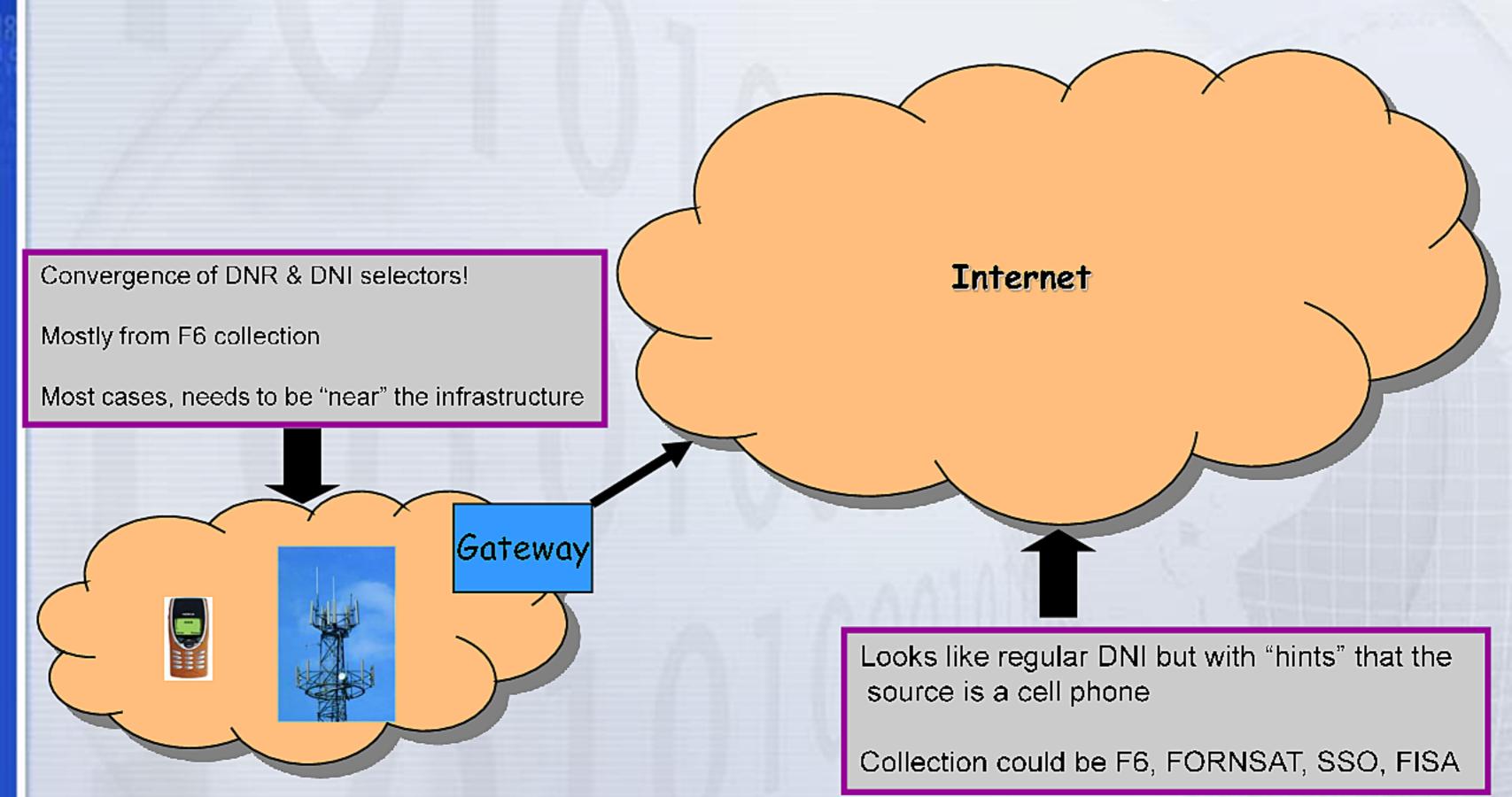






## Mobile DNI

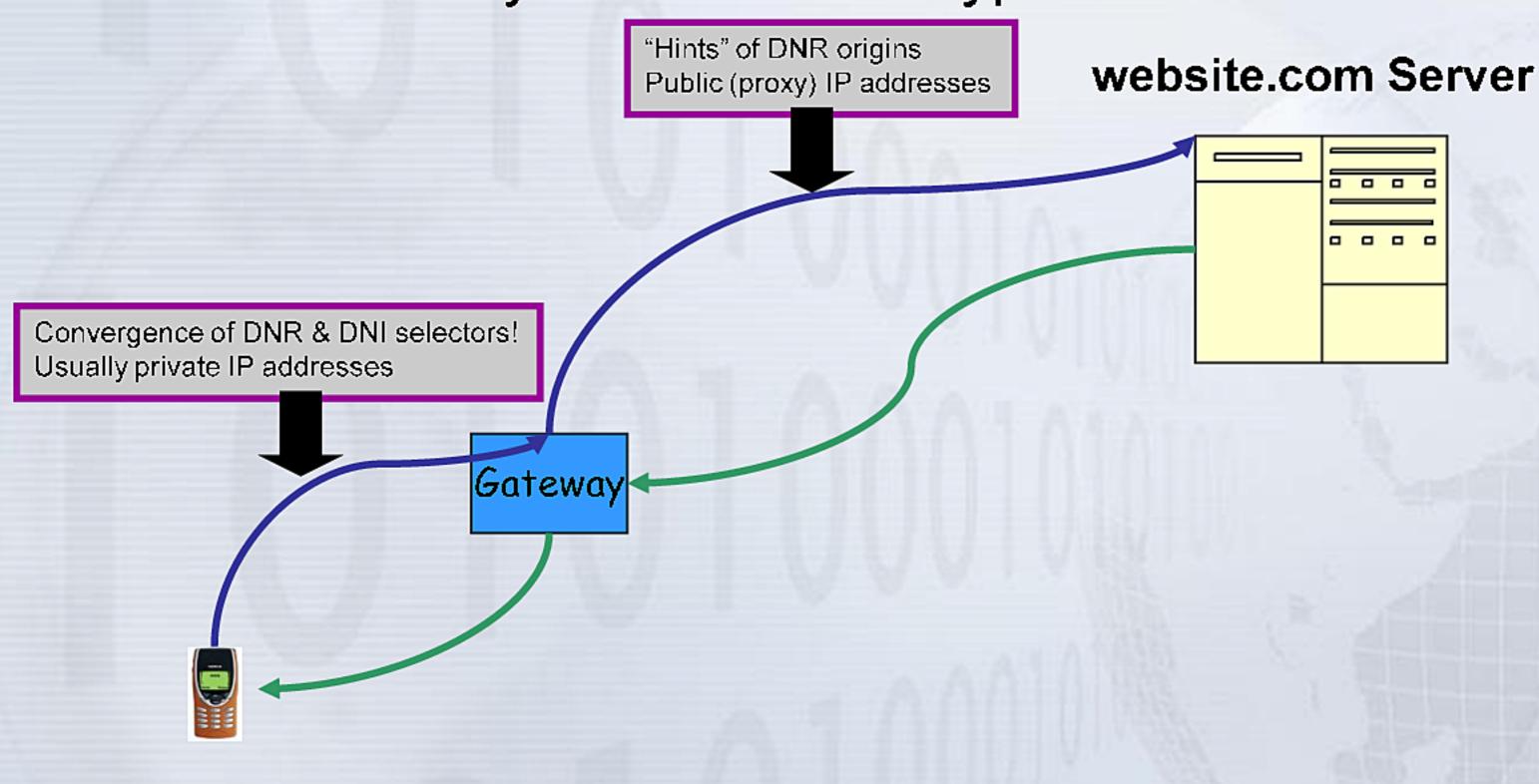




# Mobile DNI: HTTP Activity



HTTP activity comes in two types:



# Phone Numbers From Converged Collection



USER_A	ACTIVITY	USER_B	COOKIE	ACTIVE_	USER	ACTIVE_USER_
<yahoo></yahoo>	seen with machine ID		<imsi></imsi>	<imsi></imsi>	<yahoo></yahoo>	202.

Query

Phone Number:

	Datetime	Datetime End	Phone Number	Number Type	Country Code	Area
	2009-10-05 17:12:59	2009-10-05 17:12:59		imsi	pk	Mobilink
	2009-10-05 17:13:49	2009-10-05 17:13:55		imsi	pk	Mobilink
	2009-10-05 17:13:11	2009-10-05 17:13:11		imsi	pk	Mobilink
	16:07	2009-10-05 17:16:07		imsi	pk	Mobilink
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