EU Online Pet Advertising

The state of affairs in 2018

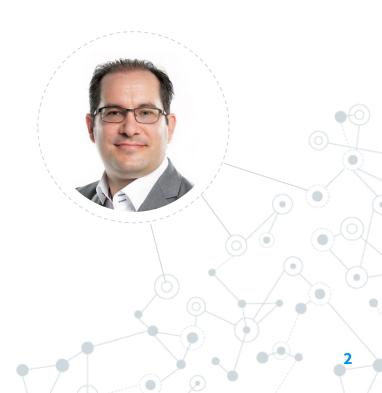
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Online Advert Tracking

How is it done?

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How it works



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OSINT: Data collected from publicly available sources to be used in an intelligence context.



Big Business

Observations on a busy marketplace

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501,009

Total Adverts Collected



1,245,095

Photos Collected

114,609

Advertisers

352,023 (70%)

Dog Adverts

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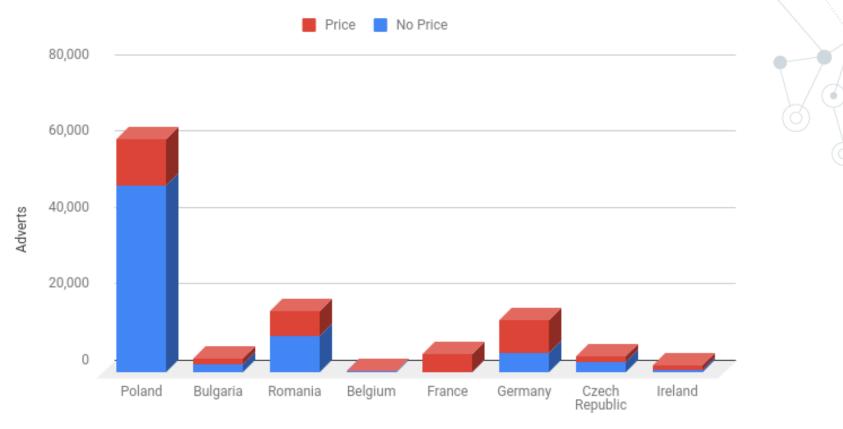
Dogs by Country

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Country

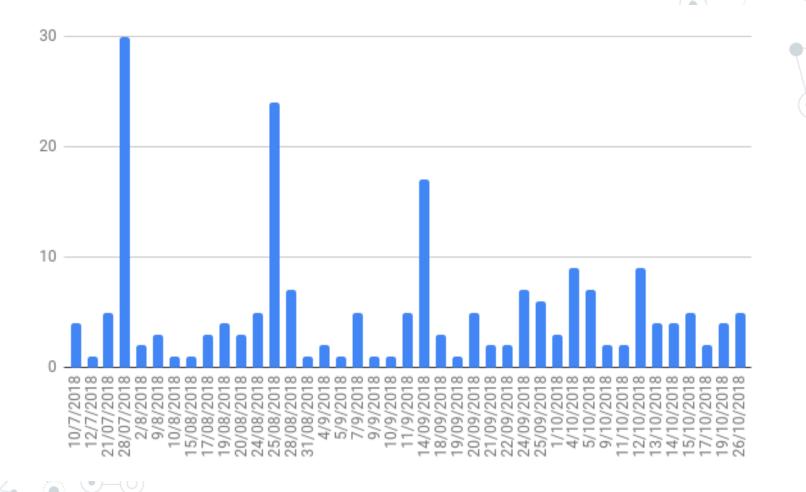
Cats by Country



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A Demanding "Hobby"



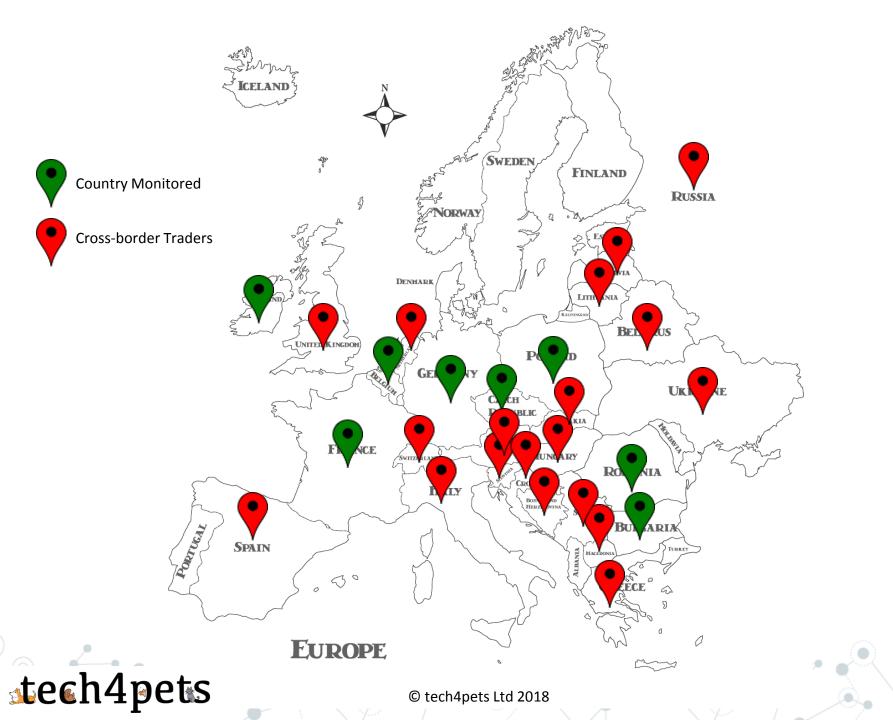
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EU-wide

Cross-border trade observations



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40,666

Adverts Linked to Pet Passport

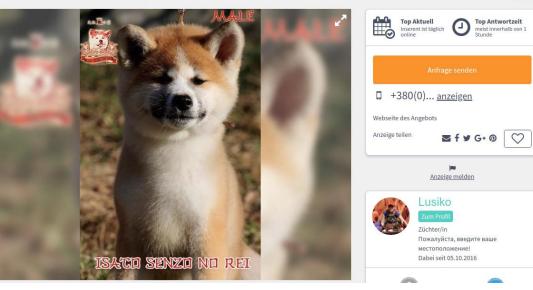




Cross-border Selling

Akita Boy - Sohn des Interchampion und Enkel des Weltmeisters

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Monitoring Benefits



Trends

- Species & breeds
- O Market size
- Location hotspots
- O Prices
- Peak periods



Welfare

- Problem selling
- Complaint tracking
- Over-breeding
- Smuggling
- Flagged keywords



Legal

- Banned breeds
- Tax avoidance
- Fraud detection
- Supporting evidence

Collaboration

- Working alongside sites
- Holistic view of selling
- Feedback to compliance
- Augment internal data

Research

- Massive dataset
- Assist in outreach
- Aid the legislative process



Proven

- Ocost effective
- Constant operation
- Reliable
- Outting edge technology

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Thanks!

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