

Task 5. Look at the article from Task 6 and guess whether these sentences are *true* (T) or *false* (F):

- a. Beef companies in Korea have had their Internet systems attacked.
- b. A virus could erase all of the data on 60,000 computers in S. Korea.
- c. S. Korean computer specialists say the attacks have finished.
- d. South Korea's government is blaming its northern neighbour.
- e. The attacks happened at the same time as similar ones in America.
- f. Hackers used Michael Jackson fans to spread computer viruses.
- g. The article says a cyber attack cannot represent an act of war.
- h. The Internet is being used as a playground to solve world conflicts.

Task 7. Match the following synonyms from the article:

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| 1. beefing up | a. wipe out |
| 2. mystery | b. deadly |
| 3. erase | c. unknown |
| 4. chaos | d. almost the same as |
| 5. originated | e. occurred simultaneously |
| 6. coincided | f. strengthening |
| 7. malignant | g. wars |
| 8. evolved | h. havoc |
| 9. pretty much | i. developed |
| 10. conflicts | j. started |

Task 8. Match the following phrases from the article (sometimes more than one combination is possible):

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| 1. beefing up their Internet | a. data on infected machines |
| 2. Up to 60,000 computers in South Korea | b. known as "malware" |
| 3. erase all | c. virus software company |
| 4. security experts say | d. act of war |
| 5. South Korea's largest anti- | e. have been hit |
| 6. coincided with a similar series | f. international conflicts |
| 7. hackers created viruses that fans | g. security systems |
| 8. malignant software, | h. in the USA |
| 9. pretty much an | i. there is more to come |
| 10. a new battleground for | j. unknowingly downloaded |

Task 11. Find words in the text from Task 10 corresponding to the definitions below.

- (a) to move money from one bank account to another illegally or dishonestly
- (b) a symbol that represents an organisation or company
- (c) risking money, often in a game, hoping to win more if you are lucky
- (d) made to look like something real in order to trick people
- (e) an official examination of a situation within a company