OK, here's the situation so far (I am continuing more detailed analysis):

For the recent event:

- Start time = 2010-10-09 14:53:18 from IP = 018.055.005.100
- End time = 2010-10-09 19:08:01

Another IP got in the act:

- Start time = 2010-10-09 18:31:49 from IP = 018.055.007.048
- End time = 2010-10-09 19:07:37

The Start times are the timestamp values for the initial session creation. End times are the timestamp values for final session termination time.

Web servers hosting these sessions are all in Ann Arbor - through

8,515 sessions in all - 7,605 had MachineIDs (a unique ID in the JSTOR cookie identifying the computer uniquely), and 910 had none (either a new machine to JSTOR, or previous cookie expired/was deleted).

Initial article hit was:

The Mystery of Misspelling
Author(s) Robert L. Coard
Published by: The University of Chicago Press
Stable URL: http://www.jstor.org/stable/1000034

The last article hit appears to be:

The Elementary School Journal
Vol. 50, No. 6 (Feb., 1950), pp. 358-359
Published by: The University of Chicago Press
http://www.jstor.org/stable/999011

So,

- Beginning DOI = 1000034, the 44th item in a sequential listing of our DOIs
- Ending DOI = 999011, 100th from the bottom in the same listing
They're clearly going after substantially the entire corpus.

More later...

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> Quantify MIT Abuse Cases
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> Key: OPS-1843
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> URL: http://ithaka.org
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> Project: Operations
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> Issue Type: Task
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> Reporter:  
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> Assignee:  
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> Priority: Urgent
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> is requesting a summary of both recent MIT abuse incidents to include...
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> Start / Stop times
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> # of articles downloaded
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> IPs of origin
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> affects on servers
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> ...any other relevant information as needed.
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> This message is automatically generated by JIRA.
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> If you think it was sent incorrectly contact one of the administrators: http://ithaka.org
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> For more information on JIRA, see: http://www.atlassian.com/software/jira