

Cyber Security Incident Response

Fighting Fire with Fire

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AGENDA

- Companies like yours
- What is the threat?
- What is the potential impact?
- What do leading practices look like?
- Staying ahead of the curve
- Appendix
- Q&A

COMPANIES LIKE YOURS



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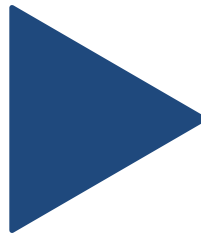
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WHAT IS THE THREAT?



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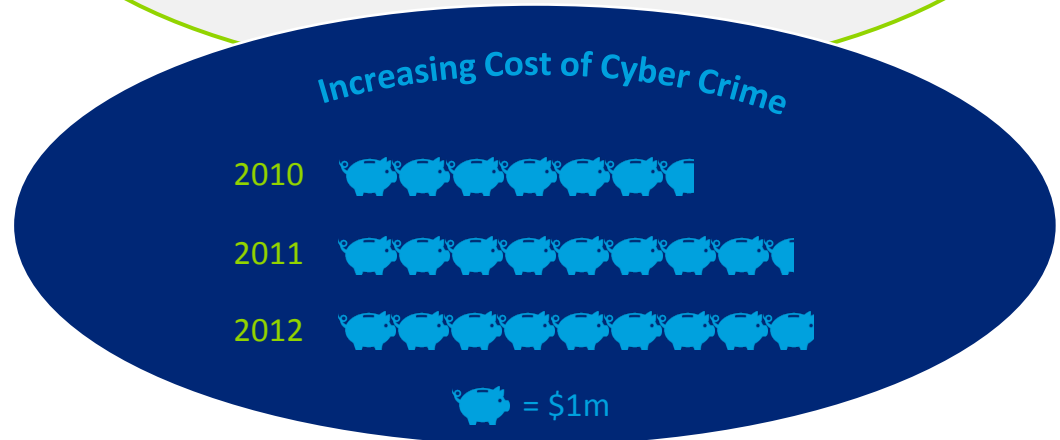
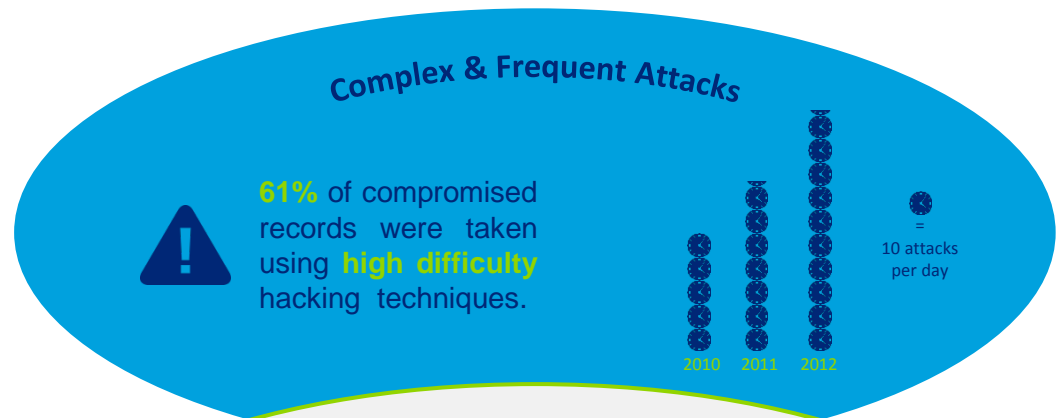
The advancing threat

The times they are a-changin’

The digital revolution is driving business innovation and growth, yet also exposing us to new and emerging threats.

The threat landscape is changing, and businesses have had to accept that it is not possible to prevent all forms of cyber attack, especially those that are particularly sophisticated and targeted.

The frequency of cyber attack is steadily increasing, and it only takes a single weakness for an attack to be successful.



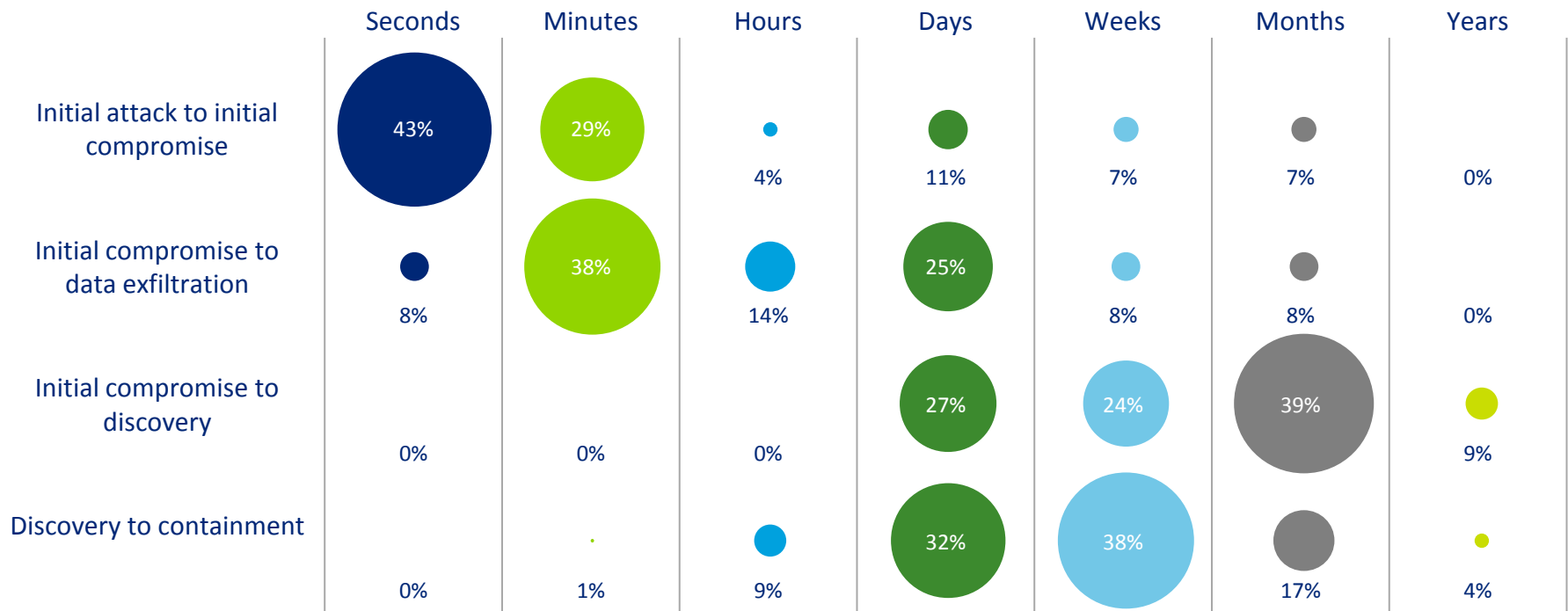
Data Sources: Verizon 2012 Data Breach investigations Report, Ponemon 2012 Cost of Cyber Crime Study

The advancing threat

The odds aren't in your favor

Attackers have a limitless number of attempts to compromise your defenses, but it only takes a single weakness on your part to get in.

It is an unfair game, but you can still prevent or significantly limit damage by quickly identifying and dealing with instances of compromise.



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WHAT IS THE POTENTIAL IMPACT?



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Consequences of an attack

- Financial losses and share price damage
- Brand and reputation
- Regulatory environment
- Costs of remediation and investigation
- Impact to operational capabilities
- Loss of intellectual property
- Risk to employees

Many organizations remain overconfident about their current level of security leaving them vulnerable to attack ...

\$110 billion

Estimated cost of cyber crime to U.S. economy¹

88%

Of organizations surveyed are confident that they are protected against external cyber threats²

Yet ...

59%

Of companies had knowingly experienced a security incident in the past 12 months²

¹2012 Cybercrime Report, Symantec

²2013 Deloitte TMT Global Security Study

WHAT DO LEADING PRACTICES LOOK LIKE?



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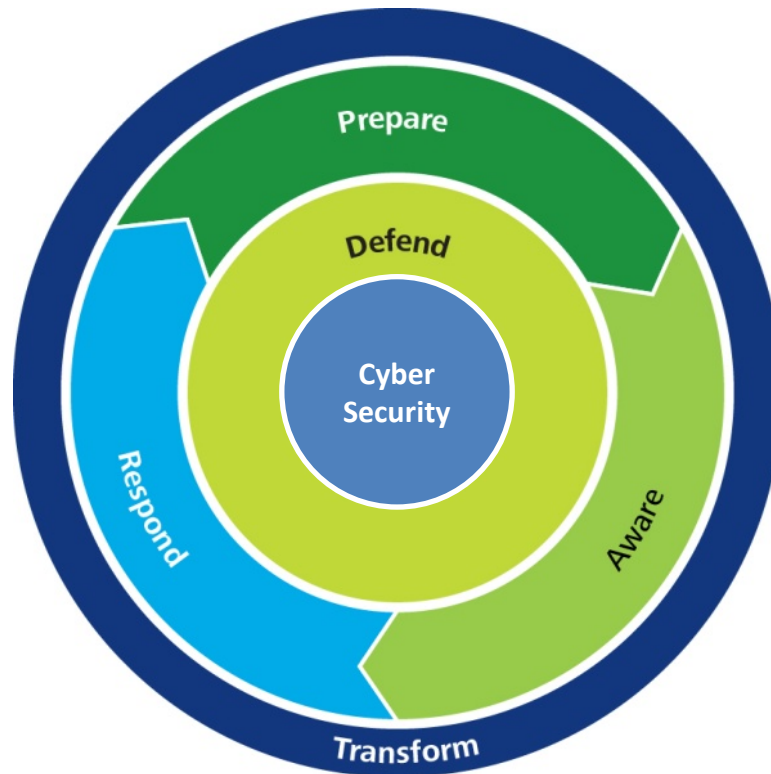
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Prepare, Be Aware, and Respond ...

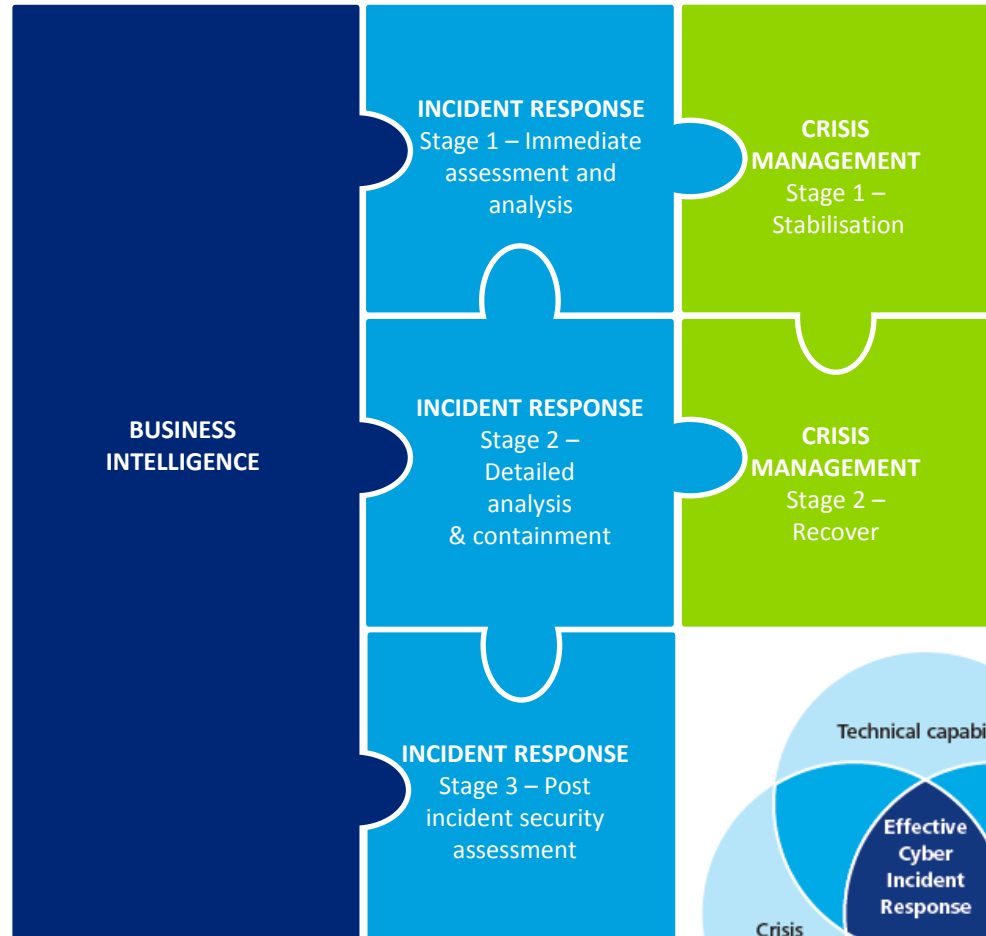
A leading practices response approach is founded on the following core principles:

- Be aware of their threat profile and vulnerabilities;
- Be prepared before an attack; and
- Respond effectively should an attack happen.



Effective Cyber Incident Response

- Manage and respond to high-consequence events which have the potential to seriously disrupt operations, damage reputation and destroy shareholder value
- Conduct technical and forensic analysis of incidents
- Assess incident and support containment / minimization of damage
- Execute technical incident response
- Manage public relations
- Manage internal communications and reporting



Using Business Intelligence

How would a potential global contagion impact us?



How would a significant redistribution of resources impact business as usual?

Can we manage the disconnect between the pervasiveness of rumour fuelled by social media and our ability to respond based on fact?

How can we ensure our message is consistent from an internal and external perspective?

How can we move from a reactive to proactive stance to more effectively understand the cyber threat?

What is the worst case scenario and what technical measures can we take to limit the impact without significantly damaging the business?

Leveraging Supporting Capabilities

Supporting Capabilities

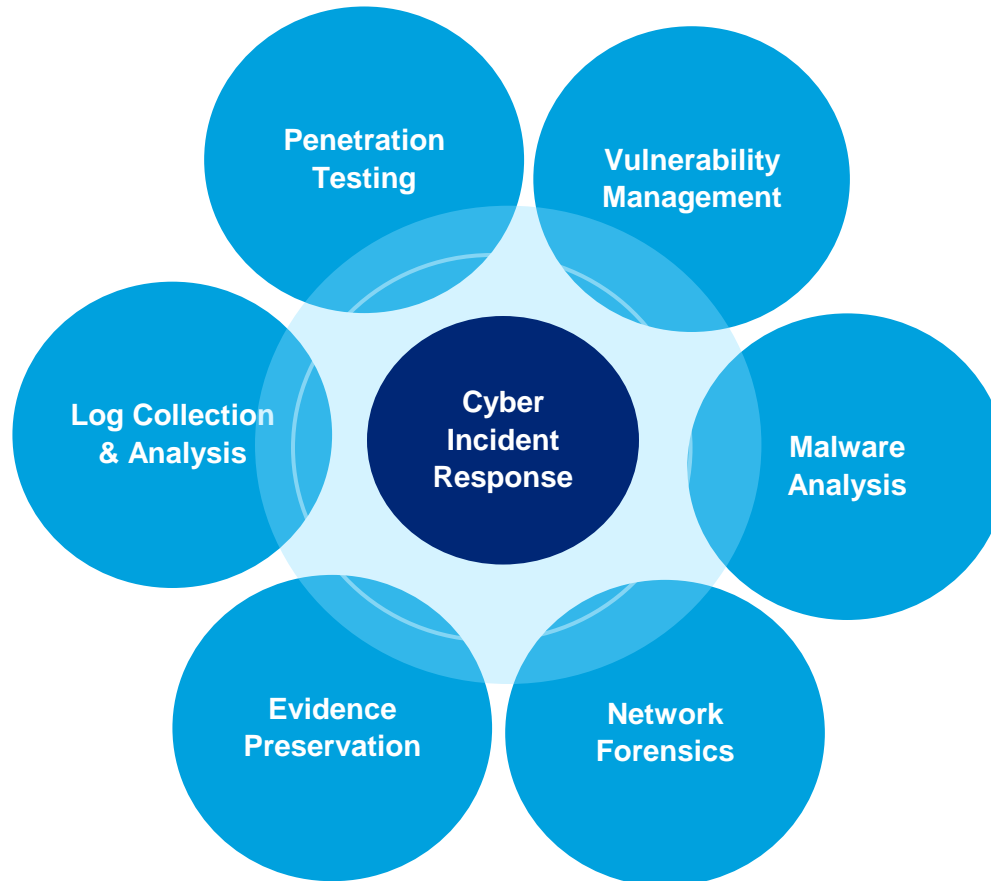
Cyber Security Education

Insider Threat Detection

Cyber Security Readiness Assessment

Solution Research and Development

Application Security Review



Supporting Capabilities

Cyber Threat Modeling

Third Party Threat Monitoring

Identity and Access Management

Brand Monitoring

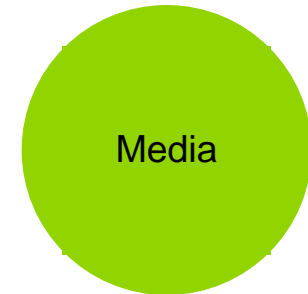
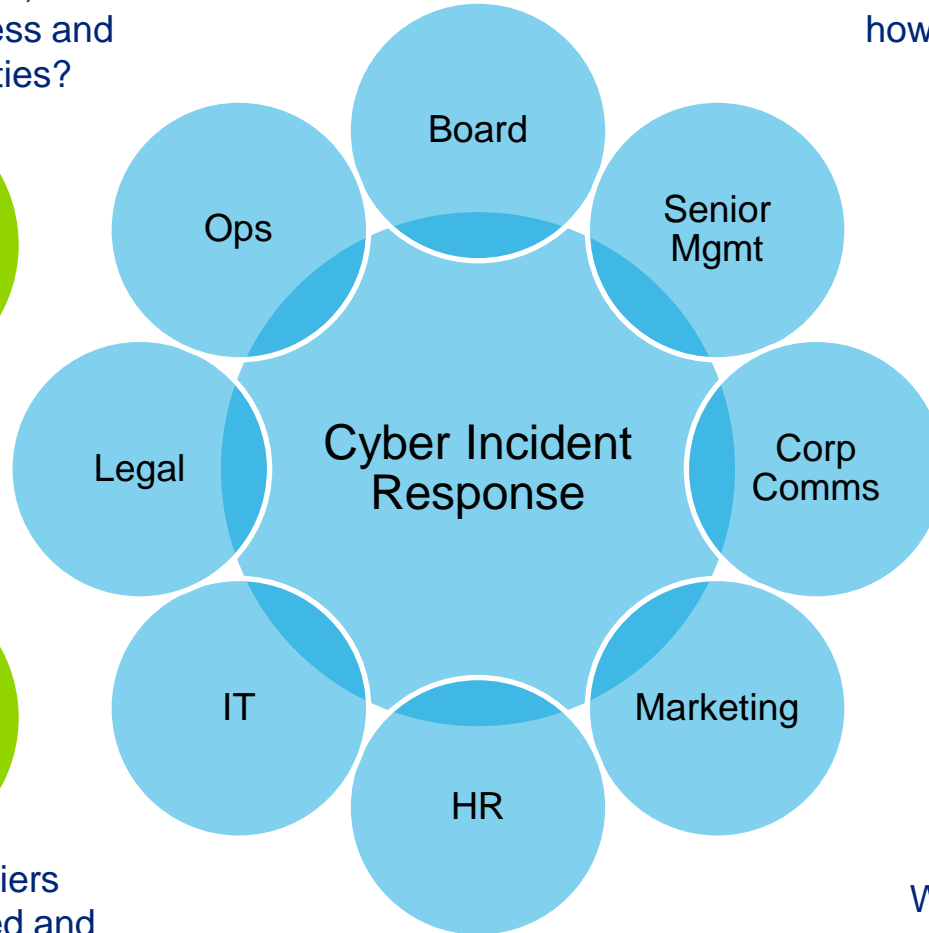
Cyber Threat Intelligence

Effective Crisis Management

How do you establish a single source of authorised information and intelligence picture (Common Operating Picture)?

Who should you contact, what is the escalation process and what are your liabilities?

What are your obligations and how should you fulfil them and with what frequency?



Who are the suppliers impacted or implicated and how best to coordinate?

What should be revealed and when?

STAYING AHEAD OF THE CURVE



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Build an effective CIR program - Preparation

A mature, leading practices based Cyber Incident response (CIR) program typically has formality with regard to IR preparation, collection and analysis, communication and post-incident investigation.



- Define incident handling team organization
- Confirm sign off authority and thresholds for response
- Document security procedures and methods to exchange information
- Identify support teams and team facilitators at all levels
- Identify individuals who can be quickly deployed
- Implement incident reporting mechanisms

Build an effective CIR program - Collection, analysis and preservation

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KEY ACTIVITIES

- Detect, capture and analyze network traffic and system data
- Create backups and isolate potentially compromised systems
- Identify, capture and analyze pertinent files within compromised local systems and other data sources
- Reconstruct sequence of events on compromised systems
- Identify additional investigative steps based on initial analysis
- Securely preserve and maintain data gathered
- Generate secure backups of data and evidence collected
- Preserve the chain of custody
- Document approach and steps taken to collect and analyze evidence
- Document output and key findings from evidence analysis
- Provide interim report on analysis of evidence and provide preliminary conclusions

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- Inform organization on progress of incident response
- Inform all parties affected by the incident in a secure manner
- Establish media and Internet monitoring
- Notify upstream and downstream parties, such as Internet Service Providers, and other service providers in a secure manner
- Maintain stakeholder contact lists and logs
- Consider informing the police/regulators

Build an effective CIR program - Post-incident Activities

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Containment

- Contain incident and minimize immediate damage
- Apply technical and administrative solutions to mitigate risk of further exposure
- Assess cause and symptoms of incident and eradicate any remaining attacker artifacts

Recovery and record

- Prioritize recovery activities to support the return to business as usual
- Issue formal report detailing the incident response process and providing recommendations for remediation
- Hold “lessons learned” meeting with all involved parties

Prevention

- Correct systemic weaknesses and deficiencies by revising security plans and policies
- Advise on technical and administrative solutions in order to minimize risk of future cyber incidents
- Monitoring to determine effectiveness of response measures

APPENDIX



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