Journey to Cyber Resilience

Recovering Your Business from a Sophisticated Attack

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Agenda

- 1 Cyber attacks and Risks
- 2 Cyber Attack Evolves
- 3 Cyber Recovery Solution
- 4 Follow up

Cyber attacks and Risks

WHAT IS THE 3RD WORLD ECONOMY?

CYBERCRIME



State of Cybercrime

The Damage & Costs Continue to Rise

Cybercrime To Cost
The World \$10.5
Trillion Annually By
2025

Cybercrime Magizine, Nov. 13, 2020



The Evolving Cyber Threat Landscape

A Cyber Attack Occurs

every



verizon/

71%

of breaches are financially motivated

accenture

\$13M

Avg cost of Cybercrime for an organization

verizon/

43%

of breaches involved small business

accenture

\$5.2T

of global risk over the next 5 years

Avg Cost of Cyber Attack
by Industry

Industry	Avg Cost
Banking	\$18.4M
Utilities	\$17.8M
Software	\$16M
Automotive	\$15.8M
Insurance	\$15.8M
High Tech	\$14.7M
Capital Markets	\$13.9M
Energy	\$13.8M
US Federal	\$13.7M
Consumer Goods	\$11.9M
Health	\$11.9M
Retail	\$11.4M
Life Sciences	\$10.9M
Media	\$9.2M
Travel	\$8.2M
Public Sector	\$7.9M
accei	nture

Ask: What's your plan to recover from a Cyber Attack?

Evolution of Cyber Threat Actors

Different Motivations, Techniques, & Goals

CRIME

INSIDER

ESPIONAGE

HACKTIVISM

TERRORISM

WARFARE













Theft & extortion for financial gain

Trusted insiders steal or extort for personal, financial, & ideological reasons.
Increasingly targeted because of privileged access to systems

Corporate or Nationstate actors steal valuable data Advance political or social causes

Sabotage & destruction to instill fear

Nation-state actors with destructive cyber weapons (Not Petya)

Cyber Security Evolve

Organizations are desperate to stay out of the news







69%

increase in reported cyber attacks in 2020

34%

of attacks in 2020 involved an insider

67%

of respondents not confident in ability to recover 82%

of employers report a shortage in cybersecurity skills

Recent Guidance

Gartner.

Detect, Protect, Recover: How Modern Backup Applications Can Protect You From Ransomware

Published 6 January 2021 - ID G00733304 - 20 min read

By Nik Simpson, Ron Blair

Infrastructure and operations leaders responsible for

features that aid in detecting ra

Overview

Key Findings

- Increasingly sophisticated ransomv
- No single solution can completely protect an organization from
- The threat from increasingly sophisticated ransomware is grow organizations worldwide
- Ransomware is frequently deployed as a component of a broad administrative functions.

Recommendations

Infrastructure and operations leaders responsible for data center

 Eliminate network sharing protocols — Avoid the use of simple implementing storage for backup data.

https://www.gartner.com/doc/reprints?id=1-25



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18 May 2021

The Chief Executive All Authorized Institutions

Dear Sir/Madam.



protection features as critical p Backup your data, system images, and configurations, regularly test them, and keep the backups offline: Ensure that backups are regularly tested and that they are not connected to the business network, as many ransomware variants try to find and encrypt or delete accessible backups. Maintaining current backups offline is critical because if your network data is encrypted with ransomware, your organization can restore systems.

> FROM: Anne Neuberger, Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy National Security Advisor for Cyber and Emerging Technology

SUBJECT: What We Urge You To Do To Protect Against The Threat of Ransomware

DATE: June 2, 2021

The number and size of ransomware incidents have increased significantly, and strengthening our nation's resilience from cyberattacks – both private and public sector is a top priority of the President's.

Under President Biden's leadership, the Federal Government is stepping up to do its' part, working with like-minded partners around the world to disrupt and deter ransomware actors. These efforts include disrupting ransomware networks, working with international partners to hold countries that harbor ransomware actors accountable, developing cohesive and consistent policies towards ransom payments and enabling rapid tracing and interdiction of virtual currency proceeds.

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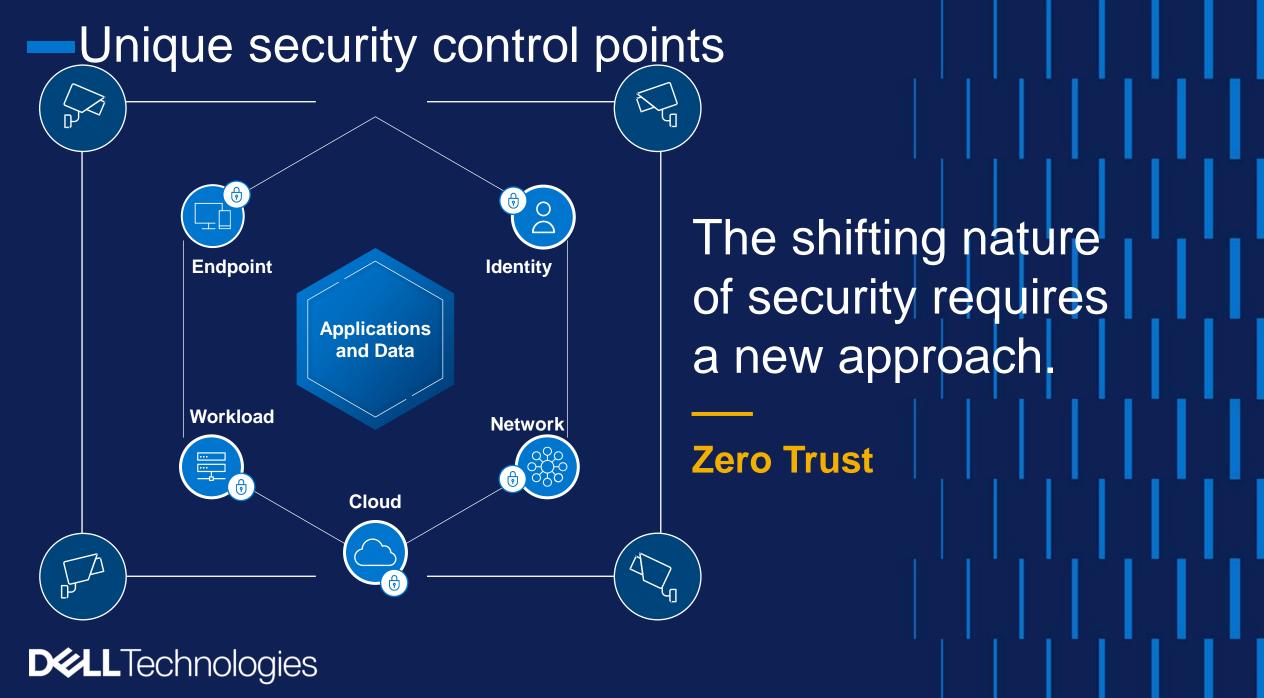
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Zero Trust Journey

Brings **explicit control** to the IT environment.







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Supply Chain

Starts with the foundation – PC

Enable zero trust features on Servers, Network and Storage

Unlock resources/skill shortage

Knowing what is good in your environment

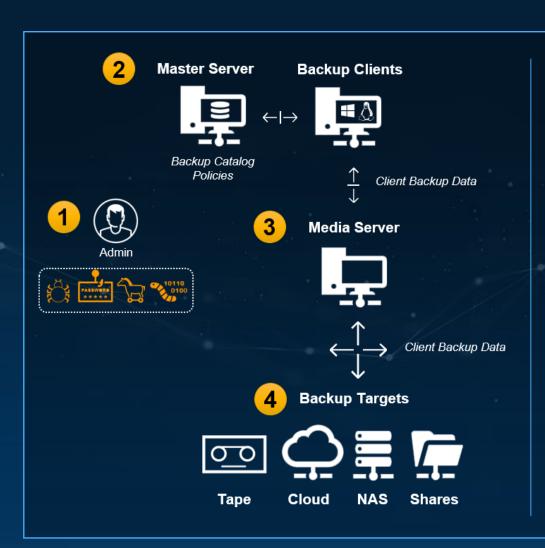
Trusted Peripherals

Do you have an un-compromised policy engine?

Engage our Services



Ransomware Increasingly Targeting Primary Backups



- 1 IT and Backup admins are main targets for compromise
- Master Server (Backup Catalog): Backup master server is targeted and infected resulting in encrypted/wiped backup catalog, or pre-mature policy expiration
- Media Server: All mounted filesystems on the media server are targeted and encrypted/wiped
- **Backup Targets:**

Disk / NAS: Filesystems on the media server are targeted and encrypted/wiped. Backup repositories can become encrypted/wiped from ransomware crawling network file shares

Tape: Provides a better chance to recover from the destructive event if threat was removed from the environment prior to attack. However, if backup catalog is held hostage or destroyed, recovering from the tape will be increasingly difficult

Cloud: General-purpose or Public Cloud offer the advantage of remote protection but are inherently less secure due to reliance on internet (always on) or unsecure networks, leaving data, backups and catalogs exposed

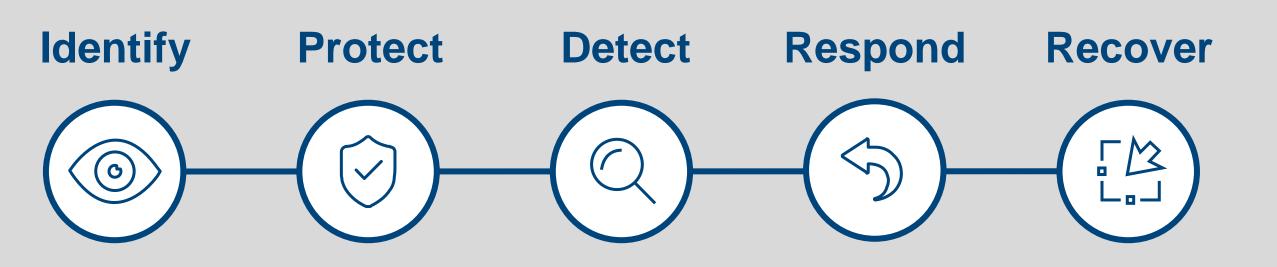
Disaster Recovery is not Cyber Recovery

Disaster Recovery / Business Continuity is Not Enough to Address Modern Cyber Threats

Category Disaster Recovery		Cyber Resilience			
Recovery Time	Close to Instant	Reliable & Fast			
Recovery Point	Ideally Continuous	1 Day Average			
Nature of Disaster	Flood, Power Outage, Weather	Cyber Attack, Targeted			
Impact of Disaster	Regional; typically contained	Global; spreads quickly			
Topology	Connected, multiple targets	Isolated, in addition to DR			
Data Volume	Comprehensive, All Data	Selective, Includes foundational services			
Recovery	Standard DR (e.g. failback)	Iterative, selective recovery; part of CR			

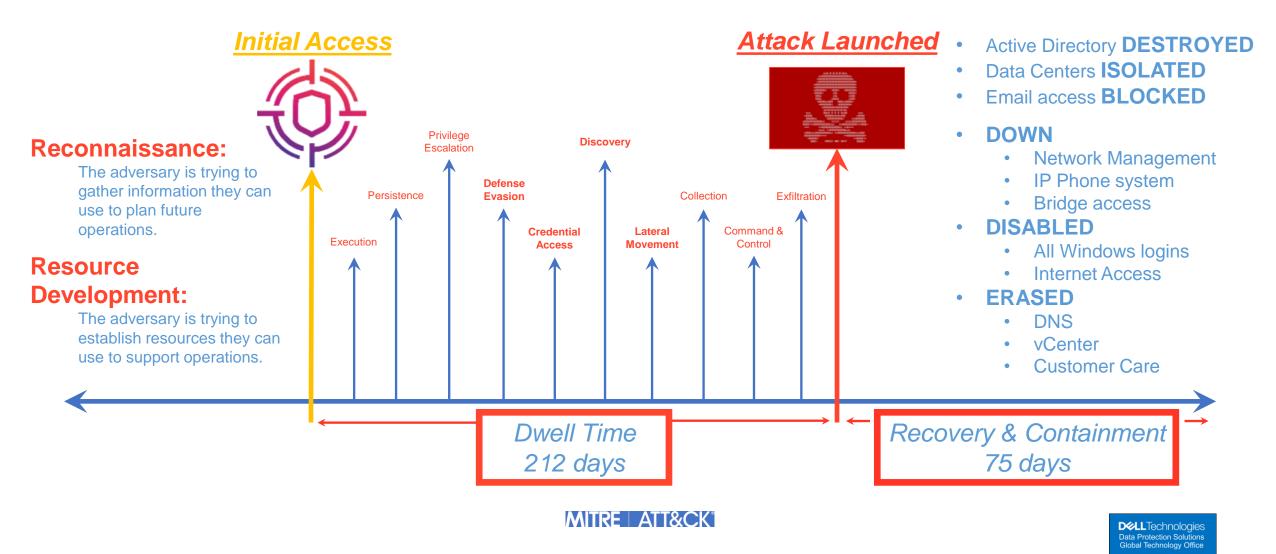
In addition, tape backup is not a resilient solution due to the performance and the difficulty to rebuild a complex environment.

Cybersecurity Framework



Anatomy of a Cyber Event

Planning, Execution, Results



Mitre Att&ck Impact Analysis

Attack Type	Attack Description	Mitre Att&ck Impacts	Backup	Immutability	Isolation	Intelligence
Ransomware	 Infects endpoints and servers Encrypts all CIFS and NFS shares it can access 	Data Encrypted for Impact	(!)			
Ransomware + Backup Deletion	 Infects endpoints and servers Backups are manually deleted (admin credentials) 	Data Encrypted For ImpactData DestructionInhibit System Recovery	\otimes			
Ransomware + Platform Wipe	 Infects endpoints and servers Backup infrastructure is wiped at platform level 	Data Encrypted For ImpactData DestructionDisk Wipe	\otimes	\otimes		
Ransomware + Firmware Attack	 Infects endpoints and servers Backup and other platforms are crashed at firmware level 	Data Encrypted For ImpactData DestructionFirmware Corruption	\otimes	\otimes		
Ransomware + VM Level Attack	 Infects endpoints and servers VMs are deleted (includes SW-defined backup infra) 	Data Encrypted For ImpactData Destruction	\otimes	\otimes		
Dormant Ransomware	 Infects endpoints and servers VMs are deleted (includes SW-defined backup infra) 	Data Encrypted For ImpactData DestructionData Manipulation	\otimes	\otimes		
Hidden Encryption	Infects endpoints and servers	Data Manipulation	\otimes	\otimes		

Worst case scenario

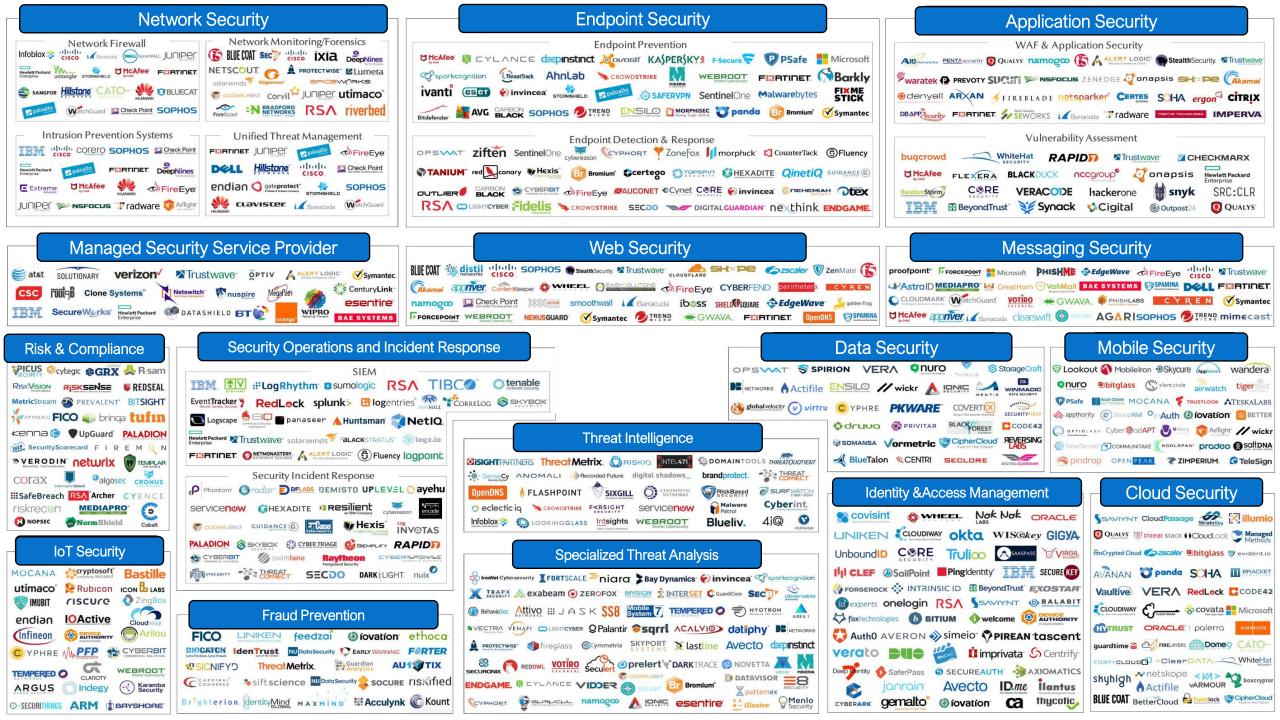


Imagine a severe but plausible scenario where:

All Production and DR systems have been impacted by a cyber event including the backup systems.

The business needs to be recovered from the ground up.





Cyber Resilience is not a Secure Backup

Secure/Immutable backups

Objective:

Make sure NO Ransomware can destroy your Backups.

USE CASE: RESTORE DATA

Key Takes:

- Better Together
- Superior Competitor Value
- Disaster Recovery
- Multi Deployment (On Prem and Cloud)
- Flexible Consumptions Models (Apex / TLA)

Dell Key Advantages:

- Immutability and Retention Lock
- Data Domain Invulnerable Architecture
- Scale up VS Scale Out (network ports to monitor and administrate)
- Cyber Anomaly Threat detection
- Ecosystem with other SW vendors

Cyber Resilience

Objective:

Warranty Return to Business After An Attack

USE CASE: REBUILT BUSINESS

Key Takes:

- Map Organization's Survival Time Objective
- Map Organization Business Survival Priorities
- Map Organization Governance Policies
- Compliance with New Cyber Regulations (NIS2, DORA, etc...)

Dell Key Advantages:

- True Isolated Protection Storage and Clean Rooms
- Offline Deep Analytics Impact Oriented
- Immediate Readiness and Response, blue teams, run books
- One Vendor with Unmatched Supply Chain and Flexibility

Cyber recovery



Isolation

Physical & logical separation of data



Immutability

Preserve original integrity of data



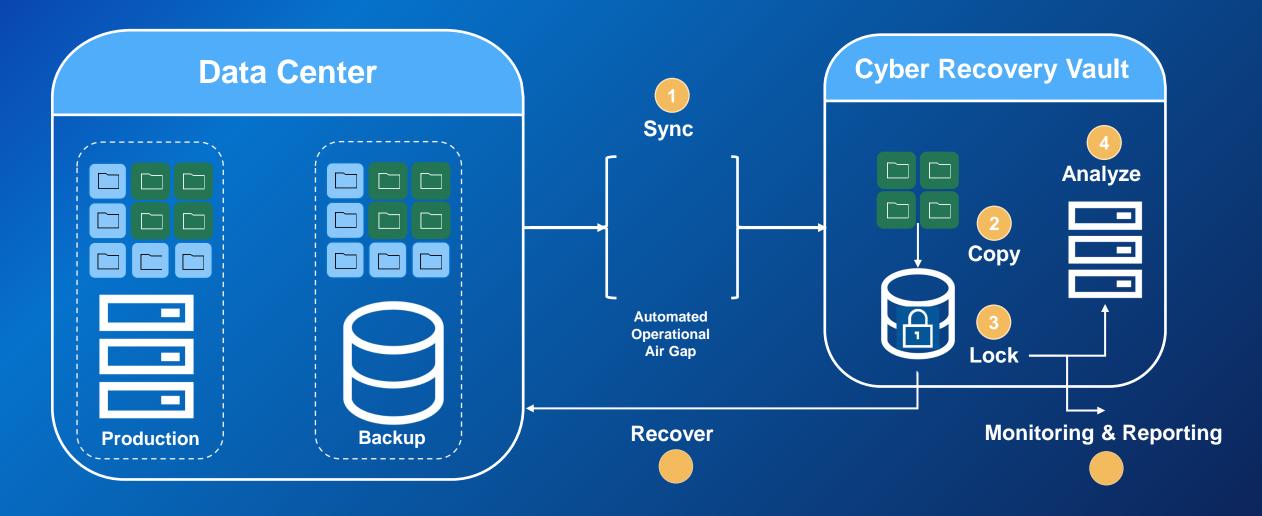
Intelligence

ML & analytics identify threats



PowerProtect Cyber Recovery

Data Vaulting and Recovery Processes



Proactive Analytics

Anomaly Detection, Threat Isolation

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CyberSense scans critical data sources, including unstructured files and databases to create an observation. Data can be located on network file systems or in backup images.



Analysis Machine learning algorithms are used to analyze the

statistics to indicate if an attack on the data has occurred.



Investigate

Forensic reporting and analysis tools are available after an attack to find corrupted files and diagnose the type of ransomware.



Analytics

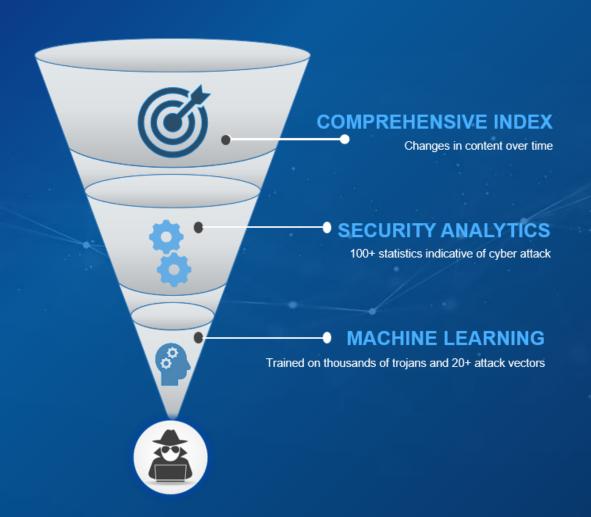
More than 180 statistics generated from each observation. Statistics include analysis of file entropy, similarity, corruption, mass deletion/creations, and much more.



The process repeats and a new observation is created by scanning network or backup data. New observations are compared to previous observations to see how data changes.

Dell EMC CyberSense Analytics:

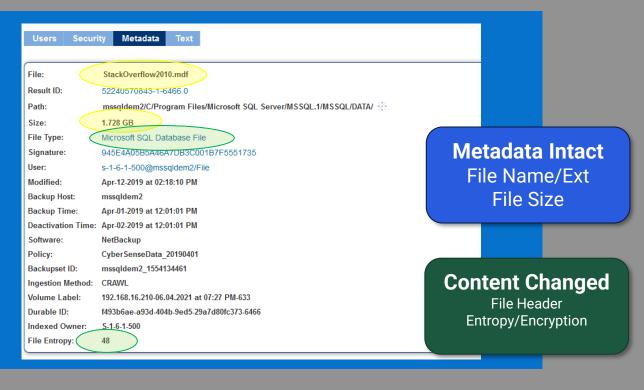
Machine Learning Enables Early Detection & Rapid Recovery from a Cyber Attack



Dell EMC Cyber Recovery with CyberSense

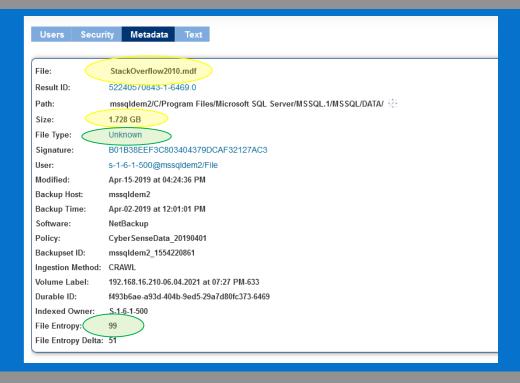
- Attack Vector Notification
- Ransomware
- Corrupted File Details
- Data Changes / Deletions
- Breached User Accounts
- Breached Executables
- Recovery of Last Good Copy

Comparison of Metadata vs Content Analytics AlphaLocker – Strong Encryption Maintaining Original File Name



Pre-Attack Version
Last good version

Post-Attack Version
Corrupted file



Key Data to Protect by Industry



Healthcare

Electronic Medical Records, scheduling, payment and billing systems



Financial Services

Payments, Core Banking, Trading, Treasury, Sheltered Harbor data



Life Sciences

Research and development, drug discovery & Clinical trial data



Retail

Point of sale, inventory, shipping



Legal

Document management, conflicts checking, billing, email



Oil & Gas

Seismic & geographical exploration data



Government

Property records and taxes, justice systems, payment collection, licenses



Manufacturing

Plant manufacturing and scheduling, ordering systems, inventory

Cyber Recovery Vault Recommendations

Applications



Intellectual Property

- Source code
- Proprietary algorithms
- Developer libraries



Host and Build Tools

- Physical/Virtual platform builds
- Dev Ops tools & automation scripts
- Firmware / microcode / patches
- Vendor software
 - Binaries (golden images)
 - Configurations & settings



Documentation

- CMDB / asset D/R and Cyber Recovery Runbooks & checklists
- Management extracts
- HR resources & contacts lists

Supporting infrastructure



Authentication, Identity & Security

- Active Directory / LDAP
- DNS dumps
- Certificates
- Event logs (including SIEM data)



Networking

- Switch / router configuration
- Firewall / load-balancer settings
- IP Services design
- Access Control configuration
- Firmware / microcode / patches



Storage

- Backup hardware configuration
- SAN / array configurations
- Storage abstraction settings
- Firmware / microcode / patches

Flexible deployment options







On-premises

Maximum control of data and infrastructure with a more secure on-premises vault solution.

Multi-cloud

A Multi-cloud managed service providing a secure dedicated vault with predictable performance.

Managed Services

Quick and easy deployment with a more secure on-premises vault solution and enhanced security.







ARE YOU RESILIENT?

Dell Technologies can help you via our Cyber workshop to evaluate and assist in that journey

LOGIC COMPUTER

They will follow up with you to define the action plan

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