

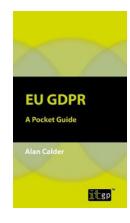
Introduction



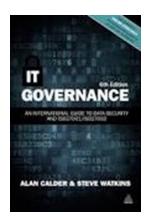


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AMCA: A breach and its context



40 years in business: never had a data breach

2015: Spent \$1 million to upgrade and modernise IT Infrastructure

What's to worry about?

Hackers accessed its systems in 2018

Went undiscovered for 7 months

Exfiltrated detailed personal records of 20 million US citizens

Hack discovered by a third party

\$400k with 3 cyber security companies to bolt the door

Filed for bankruptcy protection on 19 June 2019, preparatory to liquidation.

Fired 80% of its staff

Owner injected \$2.5 million for data breach notifications

Main customers terminated contracts, victims launched class action suit

AMCA: American Medical Collections Agency

AMCA: Lessons?



Spending \$200k on active cyber security would be better than throwing \$400k at the stable door

The past is not a guide to the future

Cyber security has to be pro-active, up-to-date and agile

Cyber insurance is not an adequate defence

Directors have to make themselves personally accountable for cyber security

Major fresh produce wholesaler

70 years in business: never had a data breach

Independent IT
infrastructure in each
OPCO/region – but
much not updated

£1 Million in Cyber breach cover

What's to worry about?

Successful EMOTET attack via a phishing email

Self-replicated across the Group

Released ransomware onto main group systems

Cyber insurer identified EMOTET but couldn't deploy resource

IT Team never had to deal with ransomware and overwhelmed by internal cries for help

No business continuity plans, no network diagrams, no asset records, and backups also infected



GDPR Compliance no longer up-to-date

Resorted to paper and pen for daily operations

Rebuilt and restored network from ground up.

Recovery costs nearing £5m million

EMOTET: Lessons?



It's better to invest in secure infrastructure before an attack than afterwards

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Internal teams are not trained to handle or respond to cyber attacks

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The nature and impacts of cyber threats



16% were breaches of public sector entities

15% were breaches involving healthcare organisations

10% were breaches of the financial industry

43% of breaches involved small businesses

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71% of breaches were financially motivated

25% of breaches were motivated by the gain of strategic advantage

32% of breaches involved phishing

29% of breaches involved use of stolen credentials

Source: Verizon, 2019 Data Breach Investigations Report

GDPR-readiness is a good thing!



59% reported compliance with all or most of GDPR's requirements;29% expecting to get there within a year

Less likely to have experienced a data breach in the last year (74% vs. 89%)

Shorter sales delays due to customer's privacy concerns (3.4 vs. 5.4 weeks).







Lower data breach costs only 37% vs. 64% of the least GDPR ready had a loss of over \$500,000 last year

Fewer records breached (79k vs. 212k records)

Shorter system downtime (6.4 vs. 9.4 hours)





Cyber security scarce skills

70% said the cybersecurity skills shortage had impacted their organisation (ESG & ISSA Research Report: The Life and Times of Cybersecurity Professionals 2018)

47% of respondents claim that the cybersecurity skills shortage has resulted in an inability to fully learn or utilize some security technologies to their full potential. (ESG annual cyber security survey)

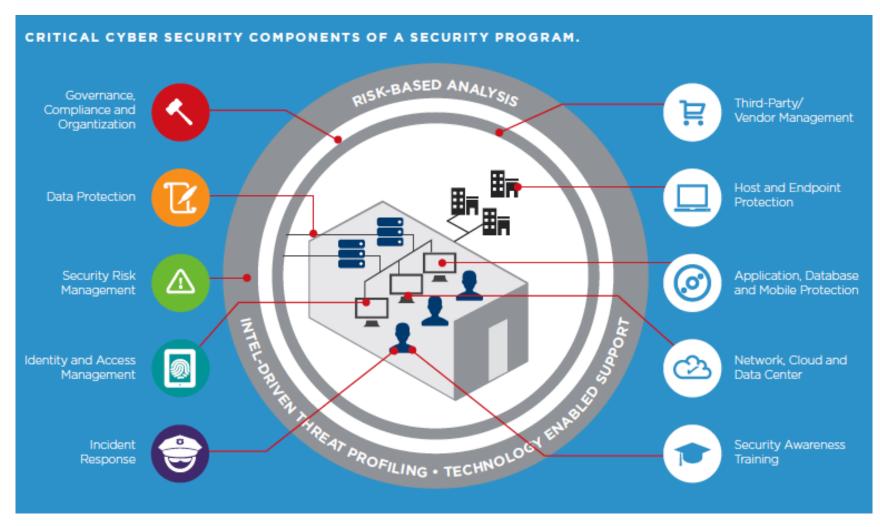
82% of employers surveyed in 8 countries report a shortage of cyber security skills (<u>Hacking the Skills Shortage</u>, <u>McAfee/CSIS</u>)

71% believe this talent gap causes direct and measurable damage to their organisation (<u>Hacking the Skills Shortage</u>, <u>McAfee/CSIS</u>)

Women make up only 14% of the US cyber security workforce

Critical elements of a cyber security team





Source: Mandiant https://www.fireeye.com/services.html

Cyber Security as a Service (CSaaS)





Addresses all aspects of information and cyber security, governance, risk management and compliance



One agreement with one trusted partner



Bring on board resources quickly and only when required



Eliminate the need to attract and retain expensive talent



Lower costs without compromising on security

Let's you get on with running the business!

Cyber Security as a Service (CSaaS)



Cyber security risk assessment



Managed protection



Response and recovery



Governance and assurance

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