



## DEVELOPING CYBERSECURITY TRAINING FOR MANUFACTURING

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## **ABSTRACT**

 Cybersecurity is a concern in manufacturing. All manufacturing organizations must manage cybersecurity risks. This presentation will help manufacturers understand its criticality and develop training strategies to manage cybersecurity risks.







## **AGENDA**

- THE CHALLENGE FOR MANUFACTURING
- CURRENT ISSUES
- THE COURSE OF ACTION
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  - COMPANY-WIDE TRAINING
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# THE CHALLENGE FOR MANUFACTURING













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Manufacturing is full of ...

THESE THINGS - TRADE SECRETS, PATENTS, DEVELOPING IDEAS, INFORMATION, DRAWINGS, ETC. - MUST BE PROTECTED!









 50% of Manufacturers **Experienced Data** Breaches in Past Year (Industry Week, Jun 24, 2019)









 A June 2019 Security Magazine article provided the following data according to the 2019 Manufacturing and Distribution Report.

# **Internet Of Things**







Robots for manufacturing







 "Digital technologies—Industrial Internet of Things, artificial intelligence, and robotics, among others continue to receive significant attention. These technologies are rewriting the rules of competition for industrial companies, while also increasing their vulnerability to the growing threat of cyber attacks and data breaches." 7







## **CURRENT ISSUES**

 "More than half of the companies participating in the survey reported they have at least some automation in production processes/machining (79 percent), assembly (64 percent), and packaging (60 percent)." <sup>7</sup>







## **CURRENT ISSUES**

 "Larger companies are roughly twice as likely as smaller companies to have extensively automated their production process/machining (56 percent vs. 31 percent), assembly (53 percent vs. 21 percent), and packing (45 percent vs. 23 percent)."7







### THE BOTTOM LINE -

"Manufacturers face a barrage of cybersecurity threats today, and half of companies have fallen victim to at least one data breach during the past 12 months" 6











Image Source: http://betweenwallandmain.com/focus-monitoring-reviewing-policies-procedures/







• Salo Fajer, chief technology officer with Digital Guardian, sums it up succinctly: "The weakest link in data defense is the employee. Train them on your policies regarding the use of confidential data. It also helps to perform regular security awareness training and invite your contractors, vendors and partners to participate, as they should be subject to your data protection policies as well."





## THE COURSE OF ACTION-Training



Image Source: https://www.moonstone.co.za/training-requirements-under-the-new-fit-and-proper-determination/









Ron Christie of UC-Riverside "Studies have shown that a
substantial number of cyber-attacks
involve the unintended actions of
users of information systems, and
this risk can be significantly lowered
through an effective training
program."<sup>4</sup>









- All employees should be required to complete information security awareness training.
- Provide this training for new hires so that a culture of information security is taught at the onset.
- If your supply chain has access to information systems, they should be required to complete training as a supplement to non-disclosure agreements









- Training can be offered online.
- Local community colleges can often provide resources for smaller manufacturers.
- Your cybersecurity awareness training does not need to be an all-day affair; can be video-based training classes; can be one hour modules.



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## TRAINING CONTENT











#### **Computer Usage**

 Company guidelines for the use of company-issued computers, as well as portable media (particularly that which interfaces with company hardware, software and data).

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#### **Social Networking**

 Address whether social networking is appropriate on company assets; company's guidelines for what employees should share (or not) about their work in order to prevent company secrets being inadvertently leaked.

Image Source:









#### **Email**

 Guidelines for using the company email system. For example, are employees restricted from sending company email to their personal accounts?

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#### **Browsing**

• What are the company's guidelines regarding browsing the Internet?

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#### **Mobile Device Security**

 Guidelines for the appropriate use of company mobile phones, BYOD, USB drives and other mobile media.

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#### **Passwords**

 How frequently should passwords be changed? What password format(s) are acceptable?

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#### **Data Security**

 Define company-critical data, drawing, trade secrets, research notebooks, data security systems; provide detailed instructions regarding how to keep them secure.

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#### What to Do if Hacked

 Provide guidelines as to who employees should contact if they suspect a cyber-attack or a virus on a computer.

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#### **Information Privacy**

• Emphasize how important it is to maintain the privacy of information related to assets like collected personal information, employee records, financial data, and other business-related details.

Image Source:









#### **International and Domestic Travel**

 The focus regarding travel should be in preventing company information from being discussed in public areas such as airports, hotels, and restaurants, such that critical data or trade secrets might be overheard.

Image Source:







## ONE FINAL THOUGHT

POLICIES, PROCEDURES, TRAINING, AND ALL OTHER INFORMATION SECURITY METHODS IN MANUFACTURING ARE CRITICAL. COLLABORATION WITH YOUR I.T. FUNCTION IS EQUALLY AS CRITICAL!



Image Source: https://www.lakewoodwater.org/lwd/page/information-technology ning/index.html







## CONCLUSION



A recent observation from Samir Agarwal, in his article "The 3 Major Cybersecurity Gaps Enterprises Face" (July 6, 2017 issue of Security Magazine,) highlights the complexity and challenge this topic has for manufacturing. It is an issue that large through small manufacturing organizations must keep at the forefront of all employee.





## CONCLUSION



"Cybersecurity becomes more challenging every year as hackers, criminals and other bad actors look for new and more sophisticated ways to break into systems and wreak havoc. Within the past few years, ransomware and distributed denial-of-service attacks have become commonplace across a variety of industries. With attacks such as these, time is of the essence. Enterprises can't spend days or weeks assessing what happened before taking action -- the damage will have already been done."

https://youtu.be/ArvEq2tzMMY





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