



Recovering Your Organization After a Ransomware Attack

PowerProtect Cyber Recovery

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Cyber threats 2021: the facts



Every 11 seconds

A cyber or ransomware attacks occur¹



\$6T

Total global impact of cyber crime in 2021²



\$13M

Average cost of cybercrime for an organization³



Banking	\$18.4M
Utilities	\$17.8M
Software	\$16.0M
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

¹Cybersecurity Ventures: <https://cybersecurityventures.com/global-ransomware-damage-costs-predicted-to-reach-20-billion-usd-by-2021>
<https://cybersecurityventures.com/cybercrime-damages-6-trillion-by-2021>

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³Accenture Insights, Ninth Annual Cost of Cyber crime Study March, 2019 - <https://www.accenture.com/us-en/insights/security/cost-cybercrime-study>

Threat vectors are increasing



156 million phishing emails sent W every day

16 million make it through filters

8 million are opened

800,000 LINKs are click'd

IF 12% click on phishing emails

All it takes is **ONE**

* By cartoonist John Klossner - May 2016

Cyber Events are Increasing

Both in frequency & sophistication

Microsoft Exchange



According to Voexity, attacks using the four zero-days may have started as early as January 6, 2021. Dubex reported suspicious activity on servers in the same month.

<https://www.dlnet.com/article/ever-it-is-you-need-to-know-about-microsoft-exchange-server-hack/>

Solarwinds



In March 2020, nation-state hackers, compromised a DLL file linked to software update for the Orion platform by SolarWinds.

<https://www.solarwinds.com/blog/biggest-data-breaches>

Kaseya



In this latest incident the hackers showed that by going after the software supplier of multiple organizations they can pop dozens, perhaps hundreds of victims in one go.

<https://www.bbc.com/news/health-57209809>

Ransomware



...big-game hunting ransomware families (are) continuing to refine and change their tactics, techniques and procedures to become more evasive and nation state-like in sophistication

<https://www.informationweek.com/news/ransomware-attacks-melior-2021/>

Worldwide Guidance

One common theme sticks out

Gartner



"Create an **isolated recovery environment**.."

"Ensure that backups are **not connected to the business network**"



Hong Kong
Monetary
Authority

"Secure tertiary data backup should be **disconnected** ... [to] withstand targeted cyber attacks ... or ... malicious insiders."

SingCERT
Singapore Computer Emergency Response Team

"It is important that the backup data is stored **offline** and not connected to your network."



"It is critical to maintain **offline**, encrypted backups of data"



"Data Vault requirement: **'Air gapped'**"



"Ensure backups are **not connected** to the networks they back up."

ACSC Australian
Cyber Security
Centre

"Daily backups of important data, software and settings, **stored disconnected**..."



Have a good and verified backup of all your business-critical files and personal data and keep it updated, and isolated from the network (July 2022)

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Cyber Resilience is a Strategy

Cyber Recovery is a Solution

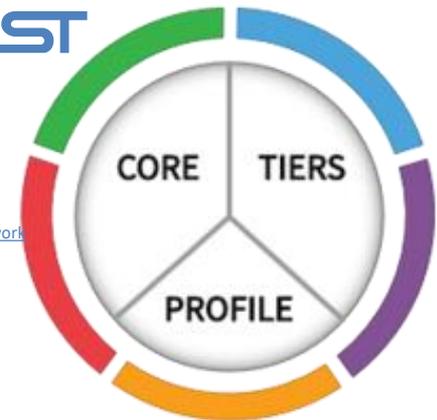
“Resilience” means the ability to prepare for and adapt to changing conditions and withstand and recover rapidly from disruptions. This includes the ability to withstand and recover from deliberate attacks, accidents, or naturally occurring threats or incidents.

Cyber Resilience is a **STRATEGY** that incorporates people, process and technology into a holistic framework that protects an entire business, organization or entity.



<https://www.nist.gov/cyberframework/framework>

<https://www.nist.gov/cyberframework/new-framework>



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyber_resilience



Disaster Recovery Is Not Cyber Recovery

Disaster Recovery / Business Continuity is not enough to address modern cyber threats

Category	Disaster Recovery	Cyber Resilience
Probability	Low	High
Data to Recovery	Impact known	Impact unknown
Recovery Point	Typically known	Typically unknown
Recovery Time	Close to instant	Trusted, verified, reliable & fast
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

3 I's of Cyber Recovery

Modern threats require modern solutions



Isolation

Physical & logical separation of data

PowerProtect Cyber Recovery vault is protected with operational air gap either on-premises or in cloud and multi-cloud offers



Immutability

Preserve original integrity of data

Multiple layers of security and controls protect against destruction, deletion and alteration of vaulted data



Intelligence

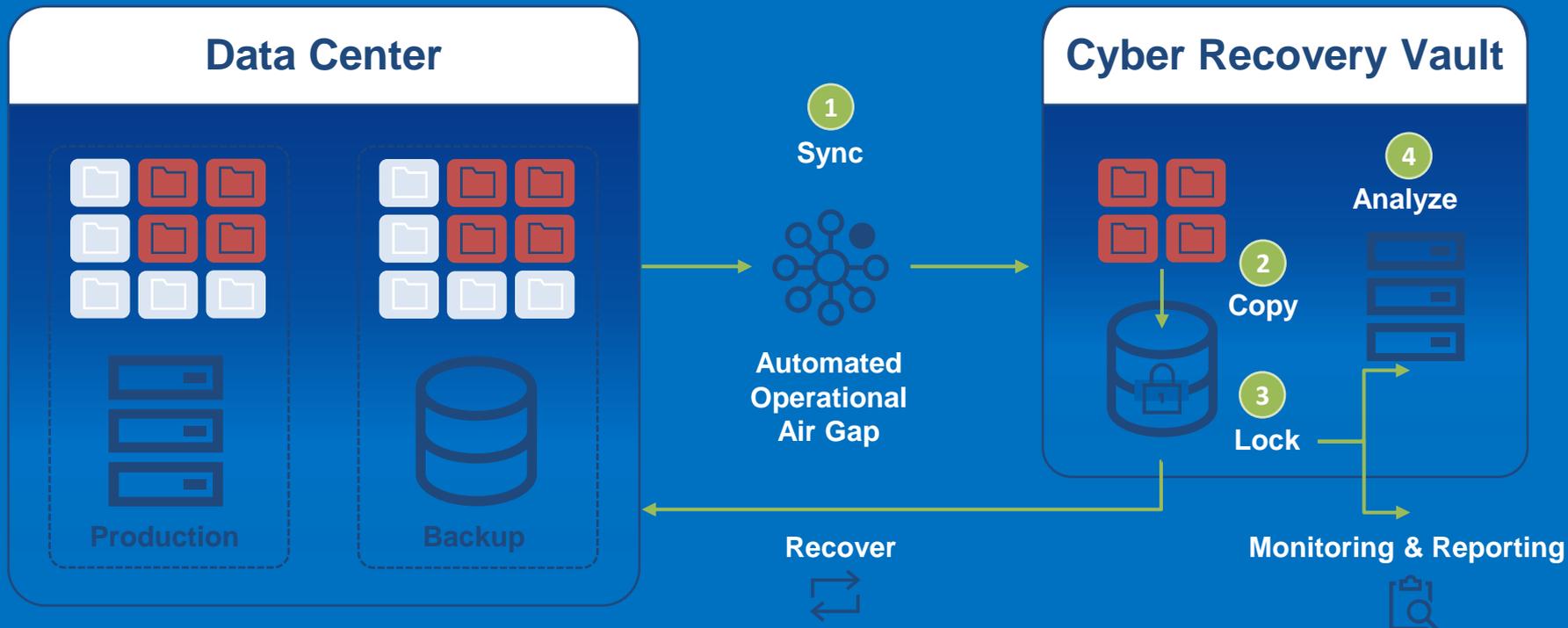
ML & analytics identify threats

CyberSense enables assured recovery of good data and offers insight into attack vectors from within the Cyber Recovery vault



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Data Vaulting and Recovery Processes



Cyber Recovery Solution Differentiators



- Retention-locked copies of backup data & catalog
 - Separate security officer credentials
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- IT or Backup admins can't access, override security credentials, or retention policies in the vault
 - Architecture supports multi-vendor backup software
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- Network isolation & removal from management network
 - Advanced HW NTP Clock Tampering
 - Meets stringent Sheltered Harbor vault requirements
 - Full file content analytics & machine learning trained for attack vectors to identify possible compromise
 - In-vault intelligence tools to accelerate recovery of "clean" copies



Sheltered Harbor Data Vaulting



Data Vault Requirements

- ✓ “Unchangeable”
- ✓ “Separated”
- ✓ “Survivable”
- ✓ “Accessible”
- ✓ “Decentralized”
- ✓ “Owned & managed by institution or service provider”



PowerProtect Cyber Recovery

is the only turnkey data vaulting solution endorsed by Sheltered Harbor





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Cyber recovery & data protection leadership

2015	First “Isolated” recovery solution with custom deployment
2018	Introduced PowerProtect Cyber Recovery solution
2019	First technology vendor in Sheltered Harbor Alliance Partner Program
2020	First Endorsed Sheltered Harbor Solution – PowerProtect Cyber Recovery
2021	Introduced PowerProtect Cyber Recovery for Multi-Cloud & AWS
2022	Introduced PowerProtect Cyber Recovery for Azure

2000+

Cyber Recovery Customers

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**Data Protection
Appliances & Software***

* Based on combined revenue from the IDC 3Q20 Purpose-Built Backup Appliance (PBBA) Tracker, with select Storage Software segments from the 3Q20 Storage Software and Cloud Services Qview.
** IDC 3Q20 Storage Software and Cloud Services Qview

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Dell Data Protection Portfolio Ecosystem

