CGS® **RETAIL IS A TARGET**

From massive distributed denial of service (DDoS) attacks enabled by insecure Internet of Things (IoT) devices, to massive data breaches, security is warranted more than ever.

By understanding the threat landscape, you will be better postured to create a viable defense to

minimize the effects of an attack. Attackers are looking for a return, so the harder you make their job, the more likely they are to move on to a more appealing target.

OF THE 940 HACKING **BREACHES IN 2017**









THREAT LANDSCAPE



Have lost revenue becuase of a cyberattack.

trillion

Global cybercrime will cost annually by 2021.

1,579

Number of U.S. data breaches tracked in 2017, a record high.



were hacking in 2017, the highest ranking type.



The SEC is forming a new Cyber Unit to deal with the increasingly complex nature of cyber threats from foreign and domestic actors, such as traders in stolen market-moving information, market manipulators, and state-sponsored hackers.



Say their organizations plan to assess Internet of Things (IoT) security risks across the business ecosystem.

HOW TO PROTECT YOUR ASSETS

Understand what you need to protect

Identify your organization's "crown jewels" to help prioritize your defenses



System availability

Supply chain

Know who your adversaries are

To align your security practices.

- Cyber criminals/Organized crime
- Insiders
- Nation states

Keep it basic

Focus on basic hygiene before making the leap to expensive solutions



Understand your vulnerability footprint

Your organization's security is a unique and subjective challenge that is a combination of understanding the regulatory requirements, what you're protecting, and who you're protecting it from.

SOURCES: ID Theft Resource Center **Cybercrime Ventures Retail Dive** PwC Global State of Information Security Survey 2018

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