

# The vCISO

For those that don't have a dedicated information security leader

## The Threat Landscape

According to the UK Government 49% of UK businesses who identify attacks state they are attacked monthly, 31% say this is weekly.

Your organisation will be frequently facing cyberattacks, some you'll identify, others you might not. These attacks could be specifically targeting your data, IP or you could be an entry point to one of your customers.

If your organisation doesn't have a dedicated information security (IS) role but that element is part of an IT manager's role then your organisation is at greater risk of a targeted cyberattack and of that attack being successful.

Even if you have a small IS team, every organisation needs a cyber security leader – but budgets, the scarcity in the marketplace of people, and their potential workload means it doesn't always make sense to employ a full-time CISO.

Instead, the solution can be a Virtual CISO (vCISO)

## The Maintel Virtual CISO

This is a team of independent security professionals, who provide strategic and tactical guidance to your organisation on a part-time or project basis. They'll help you with a wide range of cybersecurity needs, including risk assessments, security policy development, incident response planning and compliance. They can also provide risk insights to your overall business strategy.

## Benefits

### Greater expertise

Even the most experienced CISO is still one person with one viewpoint. Our "vCISO" delivers a point person and a team of experts, all acting together to deliver results.

### Scalability

While a fixed team means limited capacity, our approach enables the ability to scale up and down as required.

### Cross industry networks and experience

Our exposure to threats across a broad variety of customer sectors, together with many years of experience in advanced threat and security posture enables us to provide a holistic solution.

### Significantly reduced cost

A top CISO with a similar CV to our experts can command a salary of over £120k, and they're in high demand. With our vCISO, you only pay for what you need.

### Reduced business risk

Our vCISO service has an immediate impact. There's no expensive search, lengthy recruitment processes or complex onboarding. Our vCISOs start working on day one.

### Increased security ROI

Most of our customers have made significant investments in security tooling or services. By reviewing vendor portfolios, managing supplier relationships, and leveraging our experience, we often save clients money.

Meet with an experienced vCISO

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