



EUROPEAN SMES & CYBERSECURITY NEEDS

FIELD SURVEY KEY FINDINGS

CyberAgent has collected insights from partners across Europe and conducted a comprehensive review of current educational offerings. Understanding the preferences of SMEs regarding cybersecurity issues, our report seeks to bridge the gap between current competencies and define the ideal skill set required.

TOP 3 competencies and knowledge area needs



Data Privacy and Protection



Risk Assessment
& Management



Incident Response
& Recovery

TOP 3 identified gaps

1 LOW LEVEL OF THREAT AWARENESS

2 LOW LEVEL OF CYBERSECURITY
REGULAR TRAININGS

3 LOW LEVEL OF VULNERABILITY
ASSESSMENT

TOP 3 cybersecurity threats

**Phishing &
social
engineering**



**AI-driven
cyber-
attacks**



**Ransomware
attacks**



*Source: Survey conducted among
175 SMEs from Spain, Belgium,
Romania, Poland, Türkiye,
Lithuania, Norway, and Finland.*



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