

# NCC GROUP BOARD DIRECTORS SURVEY

#### **METHODOLOGY NOTE**

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## **Q2.** Does your organisation have a cybersecurity strategy in place? Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

Significance Level: 95% Total Yes No Don't know

		ROLE			LENGT	TH OF EMPLOY	MENT		NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES	HA	ORGANISA AVE A CYBE RITY STRAT	R	TRUST	IN NCC
		Executive													
ı		board member/	Non-executive												
	Owner/	director/	board member/	Less than	Six months	1 year	3 years						Don't		Do not
Total	principal	partner	director	six months	– 1 year	- 3 years	- 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	know	Trust	trust
	*a	b	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*	*m	n	*0
200	15	164	21	4	1	27	64	101	58	142	186	11	3	107	24
100%	100%	100%		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
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186	14	154	18	2	2	25	61	96	54	132	186	-	-	103	23
93%	93%	94%	86%	50%	50%	93%	95%	95%	93%	93%	100%	-	-	96%	96%
11	1	8	2	1	2	2	2	4	3	8		11	_	4	,
6%	7%	5%	10%	25%	50%	7%	3%	4%	5%	6%	-	100%		4%	4%
0 /8	1 /0	370	1076	25 /6	30 /6	1 /0	370	4 /0	378	0 /6	-	100 /8	-	4 /0	476
3	-	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	3	-	-
2%	-	1%	5%	25%	-	-	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	100%	-	-



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		ANNUAL T	URNOVER					SECTOR			
Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services
	а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k
200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%
186 93%	33 100%	31 91%	38 93%	80 94%	15 83%	9 90%	7 100%	7 88%	23 92%	12 86%	-
11 6%	-	2 6%	2 5%	4 5%	1 6%	1 10%	-	1 13%	2 8%	2 14%	1 100%
3 2%	-	1 3%	1 2%	1 1%	2 11%	-	-	-	-	-	- -



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Significance Level: 95% Total Yes No Don't know

					SECTOR				
Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
	*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
200 100%	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
186 93%	23 100%	28 97%	4 100%	26 100%	9 82%	10 100%	8 100%	4 80%	1 100%
11 6%		1 3%	-	-	1 9%	-	-	1 20%	
3 2%	-	-	-	-	1 9%	-	-	-	-



## Q3. How often, if at all, does your organisation review, practice or update the cybersecurity strategy? Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees whose organisation has a cybersecurity strategy in place

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			ROLE			LENG'	TH OF EMPLOY	MENT		NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES	SECU	RITY STRAT	TEGY?	TRUST II	N NCC
			Executive													
			board member/	Non-executive												
		Owner/	director/	board member/	Less than	Six months	1 year	3 years						Don't		Do not
	Total	principal	partner	director	six months	– 1 year	- 3 years	– 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	know	Trust	trust
Significance Level: 95%		*a	b	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*	*m	n	*0
Total	186	14	154	18	2	2	25	61	96	54	132	186	-	-	103	23
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	-	-	100%	100%
Once per quarter	49	5	41	3	_	1	10	10	28	11	38	49	_	_	29	6
	26%	36%	27%		-	50%	40%	16%	29%	20%	29%	26%	-	-	28%	26%
Twice per year	58	2	52	4	1	1	4	27	25	18	40	58	_	_	33	11
	31%	14%	34%	22%	50%	50%	16%	44%	26%	33%		31%	_	_	32%	48%
								h								
Once per year	45	2	39	4	1	-	5	18	21	18	27	45	-	-	29	5
. ,	24%	14%	25%	22%	50%	-	20%	30%	22%	33%	20%	24%	-	-	28%	22%
No set time period for reviewing and updating the strategy	25	2	18	5	-	-	3	5	17	7	18	25	-	-	11	1
	13%	14%	12%	28%	-	-	12%	8%	18%	13%	14%	13%	-	-	11%	4%
We have not reviewed or updated since the strategy was put																
in place	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
·	1%	-	-	6%	-	-	-	2%	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-
Don't know	8	3	4	1	_	-	3	-	5	_	8	8	-	-	1	-
	4%	21%	3%	6%	-	-	12%	-	5%	-	6%	4%	-	-	1%	-
NETS																
Net: Regularly	152	9	132	11	2	2	19	55	74	47	105	152	-	-	91	22
	82%	64%	86%		100%	100%	76%	90%	77%	87%	80%	82%	-	-	88%	96%
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	Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services
Significance Level: 95%		а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k
Total	186	33	31	38	80	15	9	7	7	23	12	-
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	-
Once per quarter	49	7	8	10	24	4	3	2	3	9	2	-
	26%	21%	26%	26%	30%	27%	33%	29%	43%	39%	17%	-
Twice per year	58	14	13	13	18	5	1	1	1	9	5	-
	31%	42%	42%	34%	23%	33%	11%	14%	14%	39%	42%	-
		d	d									
Once per year	45	10	5	7	21	3	3	3	3	4	4	-
	24%	30%	16%	18%	26%	20%	33%	43%	43%	17%	33%	-
No set time period for reviewing and updating the strategy	25	2	5	7	10	2	2	-	-	1	-	-
	13%	6%	16%	18%	13%	13%	22%	-	-	4%	-	-
We have not reviewed or updated since the strategy was												
put in place	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%	-	-	-	-
Don't know	8	-	-	1	7	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
	4%	-	-	3%	9%	7%	-	-	-	-	8%	-
NETS												
Net: Regularly	152	31	26	30	63	12	7	6	7	22	11	-
	82%	94%	84%	79%	79%	80%	78%	86%	100%	96%	92%	-



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						SECTOR				
	Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	186 100%	23 100%	28 100%	4 100%	26 100%	9 100%	10 100%	8 100%	4 100%	1 100%
Once per quarter	49 26%	4 17%	6 21%		10 38%	1 11%	2 20%	2 25%	1 25%	
Twice per year	58 31%	14 61%	11 39%	1 25%	7 27%	1 11%	2 20%	-	-	-
Once per year	45 24%	2 9%	6 21%	1 25%	4 15%	4 44%	3 30%	3 38%	2 50%	-
No set time period for reviewing and updating the strategy	25 13%	3 13%	4 14%	1 25%	1 4%	3 33%	3 30%	3 38%	1 25%	1 100%
We have not reviewed or updated since the strategy was put in place	1 1%	- -	-	- -	-	-	-	-		-
Don't know	8 4%	-	1 4%	1 25%	4 15%	-		-	-	
NETS										
Net: Regularly	152 82%	20 87%	23 82%	2 50%	21 81%	6 67%	7 70%	5 63%	3 75%	



## **Q6. When was the last time that you sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at your current organisation?**Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

			ROLE Executive			LENG <sup>.</sup>	TH OF EMPLOY	MENT		NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES	H/A	ORGANISA AVE A CYBE RITY STRATI	R	TRUST	IN NCC
			board member/	Non-executive		0: 4										
	Total	Owner/ principal	director/ partner	board member/ director	Less than six months	Six months - 1 year	1 year – 3 years	3 years - 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know	Trust	Do not trust
Significance Level: 95%	Total	*a	b	*C	*d	- i yeai *e	- 3 years *f	- 5 years	b years+	i i	j	k k	*	*m	n	*0
Total	200 100%	15 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Within the last month	37 19%	3 20%	33 20%	1 5%	2 50%	-	5 19%	9 14%	21 21%	5 9%	32 23%	36 19%	1 9%	-	27 25%	5 21%
Within the last six months	66	4	58	4	-	2	7	31	26	25	i 41	64	2	-	42	8
	33%	27%	35%		-	50%	26%	48% h	26%	43%	29%	34%	18%	-	39%	33%
Within the last year	46 23%	2 13%	42 26%	2 10%	-	-	9 33%	18 28%	19 19%	16 28%	30 21%	44 24%	1 9%	1 33%	22 21%	8 33%
Within the last three years	13 7%	2 13%	8 5%	3 14%		-	-	-	13 13% g	3 5%	10 7%	12 6%	1 9%	-	9 8%	2 8%
I have sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at my current organisation, but less recently than within the last three years	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	_	1	1	-	-	1	-
I have never sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at my	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	1%	1%	-	-	1%	-
current organisation	37 19%	4 27%	22 13%	11 52%	2 50%	2 50%	6 22%	6 9%	21 21%	9 16%	28 20%	29 16%	6 55%	2 67%	6 6%	1 4%
NETS																
Net: Within the last year	149 75%	9 60%	133 81%	7 33%	2 50%	2 50%	21 78%	58 91% h	66 65%	46 79%	103 73%	144 77%	4 36%	1 33%	91 85%	21 88%



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Significance Level: 95%		а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k
Total	200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%
								100 /6				100 /6
Within the last month	37 19%	7 21%	5 15%	9 22%	15 18%	3 17%	5 50%	1 14%	2 25%	3 12%	1 7%	-
	1976	2170	15%	2270	1076	1770	30%	1470	23%	1276	170	-
Within the last six months	66	13	19	13	20	6	2	2	3	7	9	-
	33%	39%	56% cd	32%	24%	33%	20%	29%	38%	28%	64%	-
Within the last year	46	9	9	7	21	2	1	3	2	9	2	1
·	23%	27%	26%	17%	25%	11%	10%	43%	25%	36%	14%	100%
Within the last three years	13	3	-	3	7	-	1	-	-	2	1	-
	7%	9%	-	7%	8%	-	10%	-	-	8%	7%	-
I have sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at my current organisation, but less recently than within the last three												
years	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
I have never sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at my												
current organisation	37	1	1	9	21	7	1	1	1	4	1	-
	19%	3%	3%	22% ab	25% ab	39%	10%	14%	13%	16%	7%	-
				ab	ab							
NETS												
Net: Within the last year	149	29	33	29	56	11	8	6	7	19	12	1
	75%	88%	97%	71%	66%	61%	80%	86%	88%	76%	86%	100%
		d	cd									



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Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	200 100%	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
Within the last month	37 19%	10 43%	1 3%		8 31%	1 9%	2 20%		-	
Within the last six months	66 33%	8 35%	11 38%	1 25%	8 31%	5 45%	2 20%	2 25%	-	
Within the last year	46 23%	4 17%	10 34%	1 25%	2 8%	2 18%	3 30%	4 50%	-	-
Within the last three years	13 7%	-	2 7%	-	1 4%	1 9%	1 10%	1 13%	3 60%	-
I have sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at my current organisation, but less recently than within the last three years	1 1%	- -	-	-	1 4%	-	- -	-	-	-
I have never sat through a table-top cyber-scenario at my current organisation	37 19%	1 4%	5 17%	2 50%	6 23%	2 18%	2 20%	1 13%	2 40%	1 100%
NETS										
Net: Within the last year	149 75%	22 96%	22 76%	2 50%	18 69%	8 73%	7 70%	6 75%	-	



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#### **J303044 MC2 Board Directors Survey**

Q12. Thinking about the following government tools and schemes to help businesses defend against cyber-attack, please indicate which of the following, if any, you have personally read or used in relation to your Board-level role

Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

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			ROLE			LENGT	H OF EMPLOY	MENT		NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES		ITY STRAT	
	Total	Owner/ principal	Executive board member/ director/ partner	Non-executive board member/	Less than six months	Six months – 1 year	1 year – 3 years	3 years – 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know
Significance Level: 95%		*a	b	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*	*m
Total	200 100%	15 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%
Action Fraud	67 34%	4 27%	58 35%	5 24%	- -	2 50%	10 37%	27 42%	28 28%	21 36%	46 32%	65 35%	1 9%	1 33%
10 Steps to Cyber Security guide	66 33%	5 33%	57 35%	4 19%	1 25%	-	6 22%	24 38%	35 35%	17 29%	49 35%	64 34%	1 9%	1 33%
The Cyber Essentials scheme	58 29%	2 13%	52 32%	4 19%	3 75%	1 25%	9 33%	15 23%	30 30%	22 38%	36 25%	56 30%	2 18%	-
Cyber Streetwise	55 28%	5 33%	46 28%	4 19%	1 25%	-	9 33%	19 30%	26 26%	17 29%	38 27%	54 29%	1 9%	-
None of these	59 30%	8 53%	40 24%	11 52%	1 25%	2 50%	8 30%	10 16%	38 38%	11 19%	48 34%	52 28%	6 55%	1 33%
	The Cyber Essentials scheme  Cyber Streetwise	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 33%  The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 29%  Cyber Streetwise 55 28%  None of these 59	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 33% 33%  The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 29% 13%  Cyber Streetwise 55 5 28% 33%  None of these 59 8	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide       66       5       57         33%       33%       35%         The Cyber Essentials scheme       58       2       52         29%       13%       32%         Cyber Streetwise       55       5       46         28%       33%       28%         None of these       59       8       40	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 33% 33% 35% 19% 19%   The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 29% 13% 32% 19%   Cyber Streetwise 55 5 46 4 4 28% 33% 28% 19%   None of these 59 8 40 11	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 33% 33% 35% 19% 25%  The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 29% 13% 32% 19% 75%  Cyber Streetwise 55 5 46 4 1 28% 33% 28% 19% 25%  None of these 59 8 40 11 1	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 - 33% 33% 35% 19% 25% -  The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 1 1 - 29% 13% 32% 19% 75% 25% 25% 29% 13% 32% 19% 75% 25% 25% 28% 33% 28% 19% 25% -  None of these 59 8 40 11 1 2	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 - 6 33% 33% 35% 19% 25% - 22%  The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 1 9 75% 25% 33%  Cyber Streetwise 55 5 46 4 1 - 9 9 25% - 33%  None of these 59 8 40 11 1 2 8	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 - 6 24 33% 33% 35% 19% 25% - 22% 38% The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 1 9 15 29% 13% 32% 19% 75% 25% 33% 23% Cyber Streetwise 55 5 46 4 1 - 9 19 19 25% Cyber Streetwise 59 8 40 11 1 1 2 8 10	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 - 6 24 35 33% 33% 35% 19% 25% - 22% 38% 35% 35% 19% 25% - 22% 38% 35% 35% 35% 35% 19% 25% - 22% 38% 35% 35% 35% 35% 35% 35% 35% 35% 35% 35	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 - 6 24 35 17  The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 33 1 9 15 30 22  Cyber Streetwise 55 5 46 4 1 - 9 19 26 17  Z8% 33% 28% 19% 25% - 33% 30% 26% 29%  None of these 59 8 40 11 1 2 8 10 38 11  30% 53% 24% 52% 52% 50% 30% 30% 16% 38% 19%	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 1 - 6 24 35 17 49 25% - 22% 38% 35% 29% 35% The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 1 9 15 30 22 36 29% 13% 32% 19% 75% 25% 33% 23% 30% 38% 25% 25% Cyber Streetwise 55 5 46 4 1 - 9 19 26 17 38 26% 28% 33% 28% 19% 25% - 33% 30% 26% 29% 27% None of these 59 8 40 11 1 1 2 8 10 38 11 48 34%	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 1 - 6 24 35 17 49 64 33% 33% 35% 19% 25% - 22% 38% 35% 29% 35% 34% The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 1 9 15 30 22 36 56 29% 13% 32% 19% 75% 25% 33% 23% 30% 38% 25% 30% Cyber Streetwise 55 5 5 46 4 1 - 9 19 26 17 38 54 28% 33% 28% 19% 25% - 33% 30% 26% 29% 27% 29% None of these 59 8 40 11 1 1 2 8 10 38 11 48 52 30% 53% 53% 24% 52% 55% 50% 30% 16% 38% 19% 34% 28%	10 Steps to Cyber Security guide 66 5 57 4 1 - 6 24 35 17 49 64 1 33% 33% 35% 19% 25% - 22% 38% 35% 29% 35% 34% 9% The Cyber Essentials scheme 58 2 52 4 3 1 9 15 30 22 36 56 2 29% 13% 32% 19% 75% 25% 33% 23% 30% 38% 25% 30% 18% Cyber Streetwise 55 5 5 46 4 1 1 - 9 19 26 17 38 54 1 28% 33% 28% 19% 25% - 33% 30% 26% 29% 27% 29% 9% None of these 59 8 40 11 1 1 2 8 10 38 11 48 52 6 30% 53% 53% 24% 55% 50% 30% 30% 16% 38% 11% 34% 28% 55%



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Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

Significance Level: 95%
Total
Action Fraud
10 Steps to Cyber Security guide
The Cyber Essentials scheme
Cyber Streetwise
None of these

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		ANNUAL I	UKNUVEK					SECIOR			
	£10,000,000	£20,000,000	£50,000,000				Motor			Transport &	Accommodation & food
Total	- 19,999,999	- £49,999,999	- £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	trades	Wholesale	Retail	storage (inc. postal)	services
Total						*f		*h	*i	(IIIC. postal) *:	*k
	а	b	С	d	*e	"T	*g	"n	-1	"J	"К
200	33	34	41	85	18	10	7	8	25	14	1
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
67	15	11	16	24	4	4	1	2	12	5	1
34%	45%	32%	39%	28%	22%	40%	14%	25%	48%	36%	100%
66	17	10	11	26	4	7	2	2	6	3	-
33%	52%	29%	27%	31%	22%	70%	29%	25%	24%	21%	-
	cd										
58	14	11	10	21	3	6	3	4	6	4	-
29%	42%	32%	24%	25%	17%	60%	43%	50%	24%	29%	-
55	12	12	17	13	2	5	-	4	5	4	-
28%	36%	35%	41%	15%	11%	50%	-	50%	20%	29%	-
	d	d	d								
59	2	4	9	39	8	1	2	1	7	3	-
30%	6%	12%	22%	46%	44%	10%	29%	13%	28%	21%	-
1				abc							



Q12. Thinking about the following government tools and schemes to help businesses defend against cyber-attack, please indicate which of the following, if any, you have personally read or used in relation to your Board-level role

Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

Significance Level: 95%
Total
Action Fraud
10 Steps to Cyber Security guide
The Cyber Essentials scheme
Cyber Streetwise
None of these

					SECTOR				
Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
	*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
200 100%	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
67	7	9	1	10	3	5	2	1	-
34%	30%	31%	25%	38%	27%	50%	25%	20%	-
66 33%	10 43%	12 41%	-	8 31%	5 45%	2 20%	3 38%	2 40%	-
58 29%	6 26%	8 28%	-	6 23%	4	3	4 50%	1 20%	-
55 28%	10 43%	6 21%	1 25%	7 27%	4 36%	2 20%	4 50%	1 20%	-
59 30%	6 26%	7 24%	2 50%	10 38%	3 27%	3 30%	2 25%	3 60%	1 100%



Q13\_SUM. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

#### **SUMMARY TABLE**

Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

								NETS	
	Total	Strongly agree	Tend to agree	Tend to disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know	Agree	Disagree	Mean
Our organisation is sufficiently prepared to deal with cybersecurity									
threats	200	69	97	26	3	5	166	29	3.19
	100%	35%	49%	13%	2%	3%	83%	15%	
It is just as much the role of non-executive directors as of									
executive directors to pay attention to cybersecurity issues	200	86	76	28	9	1	162	37	3.20
	100%	43%	38%	14%	5%	1%	81%	19%	
Regulators should take a tougher stance against companies that									
are found to have insufficient cyber security defences	200	65	88	40	4	3	153	44	3.09
	100%	33%	44%	20%	2%	2%	77%	22%	
Companies should be penalised for failing to meet basic									
cybersecurity requirements	200	59	83	41	12	5	142	53	2.97
	100%	30%	42%	21%	6%	3%	71%	27%	
Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than market									
volatility at the moment	200	33	66	58	38	5	99	96	2.48
	100%	17%	33%	29%	19%	3%	50%	48%	
Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than health and									
safety issues at the moment	200	28	66	58	40	8	94	98	2.43
	100%	14%	33%	29%	20%	4%	47%	49%	



#### Q13\_1. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

It is just as much the role of non-executive directors as of executive directors to pay attention to cybersecurity issues
Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

			ROLE			LENG	TH OF EMPLOYI	MENT		NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES	HA	ORGANISA NE A CYBE RITY STRAT	R	TRUSTI	N NCC
	Total	Owner/	Executive board member/ director/ partner	Non-executive board member/	Less than	Six months - 1 year	1 year – 3 years	3 years – 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know	Trust	Do not trust
Significance Level: 95%	Total	*a	b	*C	*d	*e	- 5 years *f	g g	h	i	j	k	*	*m	n	*0
Total	200 100%	15 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Strongly agree (4.0)	86 43%	6 40%	65 40%	15 71%	- -	3 75%	9 33%	27 42%	47 47%	22 38%	64 45%	82 44%	4 36%	-	50 47%	7 29%
Tend to agree (3.0)	76 38%	8 53%	63 38%	5 24%	2 50%	1 25%	10 37%	23 36%	40 40%	25 43%	51 36%	70 38%	4 36%	2 67%	46 43%	7 29%
Tend to disagree (2.0)	28 14%	1 7%	26 16%	1 5%	2 50%		4 15%	9 14%	13 13%	9 16%	19 13%	24 13%	3 27%	1 33%	8 7%	8 33%
Strongly disagree (1.0)	9 5%		9 5%	-	-	-	4 15%	5 8% h	-	2 3%	7 5%	9 5%	-	-	3 3%	2 8%
Don't know	1 1%	-	1 1%	-		-	-	-	1 1%	-	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	- -	-
NETS																
Net: Agree	162 81%	14 93%	128 78%	20 95%	2 50%	4 100%	19 70%	50 78%	87 86%	47 81%	115 81%	152 82%	8 73%	2 67%	96 90%	14 58%
Net: Disagree	37 19%	1 7%	35 21%	1 5%	2 50%	-	8 30%	14 22%	13 13%	11 19%	26 18%	33 18%	3 27%	1 33%	11 10%	10 42%
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	3.20 .85 .06	3.33 .62 .16	3.13 .88 .07	3.67 .58 .13	2.50 .58 .29	3.75 .50 .25	2.89 1.05 .20	3.13 .93 .12	3.34 .70 .07	3.16 .81 .11	3.22 .86 .07	3.22 .85 .06	3.09 .83 .25	2.67 .58 .33	3.34 .74 .07	2.79 .98 .20



#### Q13\_1. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

It is just as much the role of non-executive directors as of executive directors to pay attention to cybersecurity issues
Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

				ANNUAL T	URNOVER					SECTOR			
		Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services
Significance Level: 95%		- rotal	а	b	C	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k
Total		200 100%	33 100%	34	41	85	18 100%	10	7	8	25 100%	14	1
		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Strongly agree	(4.0)	86	12	10	16	44	10	7	4	4	7	4	-
		43%	36%	29%	39%	52% b	56%	70%	57%	50%	28%	29%	-
Tend to agree	(3.0)	76	13	16	16	29	4	3	1	4	10	7	1
	, ,	38%	39%	47%	39%	34%	22%	30%	14%	50%	40%	50%	100%
Tend to disagree	(2.0)	28	7	5	8	7	4	-	1	-	4	3	-
		14%	21%	15%	20%	8%	22%	-	14%	-	16%	21%	-
Strongly disagree	(1.0)	9	1	3	1	4	-	-	1	-	4	-	-
		5%	3%	9%	2%	5%	-	-	14%	-	16%	-	-
Don't know		1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NETS													
Net: Agree		162	25	26	32	73	14	10	5	8	17	11	1
		81%	76%	76%	78%	86%	78%	100%	71%	100%	68%	79%	100%
Net: Disagree		37	8	8	9	11	4	-	2	-	8	3	-
		19%	24%	24%	22%	13%	22%	-	29%	-	32%	21%	-
Mean score		3.20	3.09	2.97	3.15	3.35 b	3.33	3.70	3.14	3.50	2.80	3.07	3.00
Standard deviation		.85	.84	.90	.82	.83	.84	.48	1.21	.53	1.04	.73	-
Standard error		.06	.15	.16	.13	.09	.20	.15	.46	.19	.21	.20	-



#### Q13\_1. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

It is just as much the role of non-executive directors as of executive directors to pay attention to cybersecurity issues
Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

						SECTOR				
	Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	200 100	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree	.0) 86 43	13 57%	8 28%	1 25%	9 35%	4 36%	6 60%	5 63%	3 60%	1 100%
Tend to agree	.0) 76 38		11 38%	2 50%	12 46%	6 55%	4 40%	2 25%	1 20%	
Tend to disagree	.0) 28 14	6 -	7 24%	1 25%	5 19%	1 9%	-	1 13%	1 20%	
Strongly disagree	.0) 9 5		2 7%				-		-	
Don't know	1	6 -	1 3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	
NETS										
Net: Agree	162 81	21 6 91%	19 66%	3 75%	21 81%	10 91%	10 100%	7 88%	4 80%	1 100%
Net: Disagree	37 19	2 9%	9 31%	1 25%	5 19%	1 9%	-	1 13%	1 20%	
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	3.20 .85 .06	3.39 .89 .19	2.89 .92 .17	3.00 .82 .41	3.15 .73 .14	3.27 .65 .19	3.60 .52 .16	3.50 .76 .27	3.40 .89 .40	4.00



#### Q13\_2. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than market volatility at the moment Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

													ORGANISA			
			ROLE			LENG <sup>*</sup>	TH OF EMPLOY	MENT		NUMBER OF	<b>EMPLOYEES</b>	SECU	RITY STRAT	EGY?	TRUST	IN NCC
	Tota	Owner/ principal	Executive board member/ director/ partner	Non-executive board member/	Less than six months	Six months – 1 year	1 year - 3 years	3 years - 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know	Trust	Do not trust
Significance Level: 95%		*a	b	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*	*m	n	*0
Total	200 100	15 6 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Strongly agree	4.0) 33 17	1 %	26 16%	6 29%	-	-	4 15%	13 20%	16 16%	7 12%	26 18%	30 16%	3 27%	-	22 21%	2 8%
Tend to agree	3.0) 66	9 60%	55 34%	2 10%		1 25%	14 52%	17 27%	34 34%	23 40%	43 30%	62 33%	3 27%	1 33%	29 27%	9 38%
Tend to disagree	2.0) 58	1 7%	49 30%	8 38%	1 25%	2 50%	5 19%	23 36%	27 27%	23 40% j	35 25%	52 28%	4 36%	2 67%	35 33%	5 21%
Strongly disagree	1.0) 38	3 20%	31 19%	4 19%	3 75%	1 25%	4 15%	11 17%	19 19%	4 7%	34 24% i	37 20%	1 9%	-	20 19%	8 33%
Don't know	5	1 % 7%	3 2%	1 5%		-	-	-	5 5%	1 2%	4 3%	5 3%	-	-	1 1%	-
NETS																
Net: Agree	99 50	10 67%	81 49%	8 38%		1 25%	18 67%	30 47%	50 50%	30 52%	69 49%	92 49%	6 55%	1 33%	51 48%	11 46%
Net: Disagree	96 48	4 % 27%	80 49%	12 57%	4 100%	3 75%	9 33%	34 53%	46 46%	27 47%	69 49%	89 48%	5 45%	2 67%	55 51%	13 54%
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	2.48 .99 .07	2.57 .94 .25	2.47 .98 .08	2.50 1.15 .26	1.25 .50 .25	2.00 .82 .41	2.67 .92 .18	2.50 1.01 .13	2.49 .99 .10	2.58 .80 .11	2.44 1.06 .09	2.47 1.00 .07	2.73 1.01 .30	2.33 .58 .33	2.50 1.03 .10	2.21 1.02 .21



#### Q13\_2. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than market volatility at the moment Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

			ANNUAL T	URNOVER		SECTOR								
	Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services		
Significance Level: 95%		а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k		
Total	200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%		
Strongly agree (4	33 17%	6 18%	4 12%	6 15%	15 18%	1 6%	3 30%	2 29%	4 50%	5 20%	2 14%	-		
Tend to agree (3	0) 66 33%	11 33%	11 32%	13 32%	29 34%	5 28%	2 20%	3 43%	1 13%	6 24%	5 36%	-		
Tend to disagree (2	58 29%	12 36%	11 32%	15 37% d	17 20%	9 50%	3 30%	1 14%	3 38%	9 36%	6 43%	1 100%		
Strongly disagree (1	38 19%	4 12%	7 21%	7 17%	20 24%	2 11%	2 20%	1 14%	-	5 20%	1 7%	-		
Don't know	5 3%		1 3%	-	4 5%	1 6%		-			-	-		
NETS														
Net: Agree	99 50%	17 52%	15 44%	19 46%	44 52%	6 33%	5 50%	5 71%	5 63%	11 44%	7 50%	-		
Net: Disagree	96 48%	16 48%	18 53%	22 54%	37 44%	11 61%	5 50%	2 29%	3 38%	14 56%	7 50%	1 100%		
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	2.48 .99 .07	2.58 .94 .16	2.36 .96 .17	2.44 .95 .15	2.48 1.06 .12	2.29 .77 .19	2.60 1.17 .37	2.86 1.07 .40	3.13 .99 .35	2.44 1.04 .21	2.57 .85 .23	2.00 - -		



#### Q13\_2. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than market volatility at the moment Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

						SECTOR				
	Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	200 100%	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree (	0) 33 17%	6 26%	4 14%		4 15%	1 9%	-	1 13%	-	
Tend to agree (	0) 66 33%	6 26%	15 52%	3 75%	10 38%	3 27%	2 20%	4 50%	1 20%	
Tend to disagree (	0) 58 29%	3 13%	6 21%		5 19%	3 27%	3 30%	2 25%	3 60%	1 100%
Strongly disagree (	0) 38 19%	7 30%	3 10%	1 25%	6 23%	3 27%	5 50%	1 13%	1 20%	
Don't know	5 3%	1 4%	1 3%		1 4%	1 9%		-	-	
NETS										
Net: Agree	99 50%	12 52%	19 66%	3 75%	14 54%	4 36%	2 20%	5 63%	1 20%	
Net: Disagree	96 48%	10 43%	9 31%	1 25%	11 42%	6 55%	8 80%	3 38%	4 80%	1 100%
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	2.48 .99 .07	2.50 1.22 .26	2.71 .85 .16	2.50 1.00 .50	2.48 1.05 .21	2.20 1.03 .33	1.70 .82 .26	2.63 .92 .32	2.00 .71 .32	2.00



#### Q13\_3. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than health and safety issues at the moment Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

			ROLE		LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT N			NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES	HA	ORGANISA VE A CYBE RITY STRAT	R	TRUST I	N NCC		
		Owner/	Executive board member/ director/	Non-executive board member/	Less than	Six months	1 year	3 years						Don't		Do not
	Total	principal	partner	director	six months	– 1 year	- 3 years	- 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	know	Trust	trust
Significance Level: 95%		*a	b	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*1	*m	n	*0
Total	200 100%	15 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Strongly agree (4.0	28 14%	3 20%	21 13%	4 19%	-	1 25%	4 15%	11 17%	12 12%	10 17%	18 13%	27 15%	1 9%	-	19 18%	3 13%
Tend to agree (3.0)	66 33%	3 20%	56 34%	7 33%	1 25%	-	8 30%	23 36%	34 34%	22 38%	44 31%	60 32%	5 45%	1 33%	39 36%	8 33%
Tend to disagree (2.0)	58 29%	5 33%	47 29%	6 29%	2 50%	-	10 37%	17 27%	29 29%	16 28%	42 30%	54 29%	2 18%	2 67%	24 22%	5 21%
Strongly disagree (1.0	40 20%	3 20%	34 21%	3 14%	-	1 25%	5 19%	13 20%	21 21%	7 12%	33 23%	40 22%	-	-	22 21%	7 29%
Don't know	8 4%	1 7%	6 4%	1 5%	1 25%	2 50%	-	-	5 5%	3 5%	5 4%	5 3%	3 27%	-	3 3%	1 4%
NETS																
Net: Agree	94 47%	6 40%	77 47%	11 52%	1 25%	1 25%	12 44%	34 53%	46 46%	32 55%	62 44%	87 47%	6 55%	1 33%	58 54%	11 46%
Net: Disagree	98 49%	8 53%	81 49%	9 43%	2 50%	1 25%	15 56%	30 47%	50 50%	23 40%	75 53%	94 51%	2 18%	2 67%	46 43%	12 50%
Mean score Standard deviation	2.43 .98	2.43 1.09	2.41 .97	2.60 .99	2.33 .58	2.50 2.12	2.41 .97	2.50 1.01	2.39 .97	2.64 .93	2.34 .99	2.41 .99	2.88	2.33 .58	2.53 1.02	2.30 1.06
Standard deviation Standard error	.98	.29	.08	.99	.33	1.50	.19	.13	.10	.13	.08	.07	.23	.33	.102	.22



#### Q13\_3. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than health and safety issues at the moment Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

			ANNUAL T	URNOVER					SECTOR			
	Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services
Significance Level: 95%		а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k
Total	200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree (4.0)	28 14%	9 27% d	6 18%	4 10%	7 8%	2 11%	2 20%	2 29%	1 13%	2 8%	3 21%	-
Tend to agree (3.0)	66 33%	13 39%	12 35%	11 27%	29 34%	7 39%	2 20%	1 14%	3 38%	7 28%	5 36%	1 100%
Tend to disagree (2.0)	58 29%	6 18%	12 35%	16 39%	22 26%	7 39%	3 30%	2 29%	1 13%	9 36%	4 29%	-
Strongly disagree (1.0)	40 20%	5 15%	3 9%	10 24%	22 26% b	1 6%	2 20%	2 29%	3 38%	5 20%	2 14%	-
Don't know	8 4%	- -	1 3%	-	5 6%	1 6%	1 10%	-	-	2 8%	-	-
NETS												
Net: Agree	94 47%	22 67% cd	18 53%	15 37%	36 42%	9 50%	4 40%	3 43%	4 50%	9 36%	8 57%	1 100%
Net: Disagree	98 49%	11 33%	15 44%	26 63% a	44 52%	8 44%	5 50%	4 57%	4 50%	14 56%	6 43%	-
Mean score	2.43	2.79 cd	2.64	2.22	2.26	2.59	2.44	2.43	2.25	2.26	2.64	3.00
Standard deviation Standard error	.98 .07	1.02 .18	.90 .16	.94 .15	.96 .11	.80 .19	1.13 .38	1.27 .48	1.16 .41	.92 .19	1.01 .27	-



#### Q13\_3. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Cybersecurity is a lower risk to our organisation than health and safety issues at the moment Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

						SECTOR				
	Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	200 100%	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree (4.0	28 14%	5 22%	3 10%		5 19%	2 18%	-	1 13%	-	-
Tend to agree (3.0	66 33%	5 22%	14 48%	2 50%	8 31%	2 18%	3 30%	4 50%	1 20%	1 100%
Tend to disagree (2.0	58 29%	10 43%	5 17%	2 50%	6 23%	3 27%	3 30%	1 13%	2 40%	
Strongly disagree (1.0	40 20%	3 13%	6 21%	-	6 23%	3 27%	4 40%	2 25%	1 20%	-
Don't know	8 4%		1 3%	-	1 4%	1 9%	-		1 20%	-
NETS										
Net: Agree	94 47%	10 43%	17 59%	2 50%	13 50%	4 36%	3 30%	5 63%	1 20%	1 100%
Net: Disagree	98 49%	13 57%	11 38%	2 50%	12 46%	6 55%	7 70%	3 38%	3 60%	-
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	2.43 .98 .07	2.52 .99 .21	2.50 .96 .18	2.50 .58 .29	2.48 1.08 .22	2.30 1.16 .37	1.90 .88 .28	2.50 1.07 .38	2.00 .82 .41	3.00



#### Q13\_4. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Our organisation is sufficiently prepared to deal with cybersecurity threats Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

				ROLE	LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT NUMBER OF EMI			EMPLOYEES	HA	ORGANISA VE A CYBE RITY STRAT	R	TRUST	IN NCC				
		Total	Owner/ principal	Executive board member/ director/ partner	Non-executive board member/	Less than six months	Six months – 1 year	1 year - 3 years	3 years – 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know	Trust	Do not trust
Significance Level: 95%		Total	*a	b	*c	*d	*e	- 5 years   *f	g g	h	i	j	k	*	*m	n	*0
Total		200 100%	15 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Strongly agree	(4.0)	69 35%	9 60%	55 34%	5 24%	-	-	8 30%	26 41%	35 35%	20 34%	49 35%	66 35%	3 27%	-	42 39%	8 33%
Tend to agree	(3.0)	97 49%	5 33%	81 49%	11 52%	3 75%	2 50%	12 44%	29 45%	51 50%	30 52%	67 47%	94 51%	3 27%	-	55 51%	12 50%
Tend to disagree	(2.0)	26 13%	- -	22 13%	4 19%	1 25%	1 25%	6 22%	8 13%	10 10%	7 12%	19 13%	19 10%	4 36%	3 100%	8 7%	4 17%
Strongly disagree	(1.0)	3 2%	-	3 2%	-	- -	1 25%	1 4%	-	1 1%	1 2%	2 1%	2 1%	1 9%	-	- -	-
Don't know		5 3%	1 7%	3 2%	1 5%	-	-	-	1 2%	4 4%	-	5 4%	5 3%	-	-	2 2%	-
NETS																	
Net: Agree		166 83%	14 93%	136 83%	16 76%	3 75%	2 50%	20 74%	55 86%	86 85%	50 86%	116 82%	160 86%	6 55%	-	97 91%	20 83%
Net: Disagree		29 15%	- -	25 15%	4 19%	1 25%	2 50%	7 26%	8 13%	11 11%	8 14%	21 15%	21 11%	5 45%	3 100%	8 7%	4 17%
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error		3.19 .72 .05	3.64 .50 .13	3.17 .73 .06	3.05 .69 .15	2.75 .50 .25	2.25 .96 .48	3.00 .83 .16	3.29 .68 .09	3.24 .67 .07	3.19 .71 .09	3.19 .72 .06	3.24 .68 .05	2.73 1.01 .30	2.00	3.32 .61 .06	3.17 .70 .14



#### Q13\_4. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Our organisation is sufficiently prepared to deal with cybersecurity threats Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

	Total	£10 – 19
Significance Level: 95%		
Total	200 100%	
Strongly agree (4.0)	69 35%	
Tend to agree (3.0)	97 49%	
Tend to disagree (2.0)	26 13%	
Strongly disagree (1.0)	3 2%	
Don't know	5 3%	
NETS		
Net: Agree	166 83%	
Net: Disagree	29 15%	
Mean score Standard deviation	3.19 .72	
Standard error	.05	1

Г			ANNUAL T	URNOVER		SECTOR										
	Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services				
		а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k				
	200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%				
(4.0)	69 35%	12 36%	9 26%	14 34%	31 36%	6 33%	5 50%	2 29%	4 50%	7 28%	6 43%	-				
(3.0)	97 49%	16 48%	19 56%	19 46%	41 48%	8 44%	4 40%	5 71%	3 38%	10 40%	6 43%	1 100%				
(2.0)	26 13%	5 15%	5 15%	5 12%	9 11%	4 22%	1 10%	-	1 13%	4 16%	2 14%	-				
(1.0)	3 2%	-	1 3%	-	2 2%	- -	-	-	-	3 12%	-	-				
	5 3%	-	-	3 7%	2 2%	- -	-	-	-	1 4%	-	-				
	166 83%	28 85%	28 82%	33 80%	72 85%	14 78%	9 90%	7 100%	7 88%	17 68%	12 86%	1 100%				
	29 15%	5 15%	6 18%	5 12%	11 13%	4 22%	1 10%	- -	1 13%	7 28%	2 14%	-				
	3.19 .72 .05	3.21 .70 .12	3.06 .74 .13	3.24 .68 .11	3.22 .73 .08	3.11 .76 .18	3.40 .70 .22	3.29 .49 .18	3.38 .74 .26	2.88 .99 .20	3.29 .73 .19	3.00				



#### Q13\_4. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Our organisation is sufficiently prepared to deal with cybersecurity threats Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

						SECTOR				
	Total	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	200 100%	23 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree (4.0	69 35%	8 35%	12 41%		11 42%	2 18%	4 40%	1 13%	-	1 100%
Tend to agree (3.0	97 49%	13 57%	13 45%	4 100%	11 42%	6 55%	6 60%	4 50%	3 60%	
Tend to disagree (2.0	26 13%	2 9%	3 10%		3 12%	2 18%	- -	2 25%	2 40%	
Strongly disagree (1.0	3 2%	-			-	-	- -	- -	-	
Don't know	5 3%		1 3%	-	1 4%	1 9%	-	1 13%	-	-
NETS										
Net: Agree	166 83%	21 91%	25 86%	4 100%	22 85%	8 73%	10 100%	5 63%	3 60%	1 100%
Net: Disagree	29 15%	2 9%	3 10%	-	3 12%	2 18%	-	2 25%	2 40%	
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	3.19 .72 .05	3.26 .62 .13	3.32 .67 .13	3.00	3.32 .69 .14	3.00 .67 .21	3.40 .52 .16	2.86 .69 .26	2.60 .55 .24	4.00



#### Q13\_5. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Companies should be penalised for failing to meet basic cybersecurity requirements Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

				ROLE			LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT						DOES ORGANISATION HAVE A CYBER SECURITY STRATEGY?			TRUST IN NCC	
		Total	Owner/	Executive board member/ director/ partner	Non-executive board member/	Less than	Six months – 1 year	1 year – 3 years	3 years – 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know	Trust	Do not trust
Significance Level: 95%			*a	b	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*1	*m	n	*0
Total		200 100%	15 100%	164 100%	21 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Strongly agree	(4.0)	59 30%	5 33%	51 31%	3 14%		-	9 33%	18 28%	32 32%	15 26%	44 31%	59 32%	-	-	40 37%	8 33%
Tend to agree	(3.0)	83 42%	8 53%	61 37%	14 67%	1 25%	3 75%	9 33%	30 47%	40 40%	27 47%	56 39%	76 41%	6 55%	1 33%	40 37%	6 25%
Tend to disagree	(2.0)	41 21%	2 13%	37 23%	2 10%	1 25%	1 25%	7 26%	12 19%	20 20%	12 21%	29 20%	37 20%	3 27%	1 33%	21 20%	9 38%
Strongly disagree	(1.0)	12 6%	-	11 7%	1 5%	2 50%	-	1 4%	3 5%	6 6%	3 5%	9 6%	9 5%	2 18%	1 33%	6 6%	1 4%
Don't know		5 3%	-	4 2%	1 5%	-	-	1 4%	1 2%	3 3%	1 2%	4 3%	5 3%	-	-	-	-
NETS																	
Net: Agree		142 71%	13 87%	112 68%	17 81%	1 25%	3 75%	18 67%	48 75%	72 71%	42 72%	100 70%	135 73%	6 55%	1 33%	80 75%	14 58%
Net: Disagree		53 27%	2 13%	48 29%	3 14%	3 75%	1 25%	8 30%	15 23%	26 26%	15 26%	38 27%	46 25%	5 45%	2 67%	27 25%	10 42%
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error		2.97 .87 .06	3.20 .68 .17	2.95 .91 .07	2.95 .69 .15	1.75 .96 .48	2.75 .50 .25	3.00 .89 .18	3.00 .82 .10	3.00 .89 .09	2.95 .83 .11	2.98 .89 .08	3.02 .86 .06	2.36 .81 .24	2.00 1.00 .58	3.07 .89 .09	2.88 .95 .19



#### Q13\_5. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Companies should be penalised for failing to meet basic cybersecurity requirements Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

				ANNUAL T	URNOVER					SECTOR			
		Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services
Significance Level: 95%			а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k
Total		200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree	(4.0)	59 30%	11 33%	13 38%	12 29%	22 26%	3 17%	4 40%		3 38%	8 32%	4 29%	
Tend to agree	(3.0)	83 42%	13 39%	11 32%	15 37%	39 46%	5 28%	2 20%	3 43%	2 25%	10 40%	6 43%	
Tend to disagree	(2.0)	41 21%	8 24%	8 24%	10 24%	14 16%	4 22%	4 40%	3 43%	2 25%	5 20%	4 29%	1 100%
Strongly disagree	(1.0)	12 6%	- -	1 3%	2 5%	9 11%	6 33%		1 14%	1 13%			-
Don't know		5 3%	1 3%	1 3%	2 5%	1 1%	- -	-			2 8%	-	-
NETS													
Net: Agree		142 71%	24 73%	24 71%	27 66%	61 72%	8 44%	6 60%	3 43%	5 63%	18 72%	10 71%	 -
Net: Disagree		53 27%	8 24%	9 26%	12 29%	23 27%	10 56%	4 40%	4 57%	3 38%	5 20%	4 29%	1 100%
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error		2.97 .87 .06	3.09 .78 .14	3.09 .88 .15	2.95 .89 .14	2.88 .92 .10	2.28 1.13 .27	3.00 .94 .30	2.29 .76 .29	2.88 1.13 .40	3.13 .76 .16	3.00 .78 .21	2.00 - -



#### Q13\_5. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

## Companies should be penalised for failing to meet basic cybersecurity requirements Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

						SECTOR				
	Tot	Information & communication	Finance & insurance	Property	Professional, scientific & technical	Business administration and support services	Public administration and defence	Education	Health	Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services
Significance Level: 95%		*a	*b	*c	*d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i
Total	20	0 23 0% 100%	29 100%	4 100%	26 100%	11 100%	10 100%	8 100%	5 100%	1 100%
Strongly agree		9 11 0% 48%	11 38%	-	5 19%	2 18%	4 40%	3 38%	1 20%	
Tend to agree		3 9 2% 39%	11 38%	1 25%	16 62%	6 55%	3 30%	4 50%	4 80%	1 100%
Tend to disagree	2.0)	1 1% 3 13%	5 17%	2 50%	4 15%	2 18%	1 10%	1 13%	-	
Strongly disagree	1.0)	2 - 6% -	1 3%	-	1 4%		2 20%	-	-	
Don't know		5 3% -	1 3%	1 25%	-	1 9%	-	-	-	
NETS										
Net: Agree	14	2 1% 20 87%	22 76%	1 25%	21 81%	8 73%	7 70%	7 88%	5 100%	1 100%
Net: Disagree		3 7% 3 13%	6 21%	2 50%	5 19%	2 18%	3 30%	1 13%	-	
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	2.9 .8 .0		3.14 .85 .16	2.33 .58 .33	2.96 .72 .14	3.00 .67 .21	2.90 1.20 .38	3.25 .71 .25	3.20 .45 .20	3.00



#### Q13\_6. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

Regulators should take a tougher stance against companies that are found to have insufficient cyber security defences Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

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			ROLE										RITY STRAT		TRUST	N NCC
	Tot	Owner/	Executive board member/ director/ partner	Non-executive board member/ director	Less than	Six months - 1 year	1 year - 3 years	3 years – 5 years	5 years+	500-999	1000+	Yes	No	Don't know	Trust	Do not trust
Significance Level: 95%		*a	<del> </del>	*c	*d	*e	*f	g	h	i	j	k	*1	*m	n	*0
Total	20 10		164 % 100%	21 6 100%	4 100%	4 100%	27 100%	64 100%	101 100%	58 100%	142 100%	186 100%	11 100%	3 100%	107 100%	24 100%
Strongly agree (4	.0) 6	6 8% 6 40	54 % 33%	5 6 24%	2 50%	-	9 33%	19 30%	35 35%	17 29%	48 34%	62 33%	3 27%	-	38 36%	9 38%
Tend to agree (3	.0) 8	9 60	66 % 40%	13 62%	1 25%	1 25%	11 41%	34 53%	41 41%	27 47%	61 43%	81 44%	5 45%	2 67%	45 42%	7 29%
Tend to disagree (2	.0) 4	) )% -	37 23%	3 6 14%	1 25%	3 75%	6 22%	9 14%	21 21%	13 22%	27 19%	36 19%	3 27%	1 33%	21 20%	7 29%
Strongly disagree (**	/	-2%	4 2%	- 6 -	-	-	1 4%	1 2%	2 2%	1 2%	3 2%	4 2%	-	-	2 2%	1 4%
Don't know		- 2%	3 2%	- 6 -	-	-	-	1 2%	2 2%		3 2%	3 2%	-	-	1 1%	-
NETS																
Net: Agree	15 7	3 15 7% 100		18 6 86%	3 75%	1 25%	20 74%	53 83%	76 75%	44 76%	109 77%	143 77%	8 73%	2 67%	83 78%	16 67%
Net: Disagree	4 2	-2%	41 25%	3 6 14%	1 25%	3 75%	7 26%	10 16%	23 23%	14 24%	30 21%	40 22%	3 27%	1 33%	23 21%	8 33%
Mean score	3.0	3.40	3.06	3.10	3.25	2.25	3.04	3.13	3.10	3.03	3.11	3.10	3.00	2.67	3.12	3.00
Standard deviation	.7	.51	.82	.62	.96	.50	.85	.71	.80	.77	.79	.79	.77	.58	.79	.93
Standard error	.0	.13	.06	.14	.48	.25	.16	.09	.08	.10	.07	.06	.23	.33	.08	.19
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#### Q13\_6. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

Regulators should take a tougher stance against companies that are found to have insufficient cyber security defences Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

			ANNUAL T	URNOVER		SECTOR								
	Total	£10,000,000 - 19,999,999	£20,000,000 - £49,999,999	£50,000,000 - £99,999,999	£100,000,000+	Production	Construction	Motor trades	Wholesale	Retail	Transport & storage (inc. postal)	Accommodation & food services		
Significance Level: 95%		а	b	С	d	*e	*f	*g	*h	*i	*j	*k		
Total	200 100%	33 100%	34 100%	41 100%	85 100%	18 100%	10 100%	7 100%	8 100%	25 100%	14 100%	1 100%		
Strongly agree (4	65 33%	10 30%	15 44%	11 27%	27 32%	3 17%	3 30%		3 38%	8 32%	4 29%			
Tend to agree (3	88 44%	16 48%	14 41%	16 39%	38 45%	9 50%	4 40%	5 71%	3 38%	10 40%	6 43%	-		
Tend to disagree (2	9) 40 20%	7 21%	5 15%	13 32%	14 16%	5 28%	3 30%	1 14%	2 25%	6 24%	4 29%	1 100%		
Strongly disagree (1.	)) 4 2%	-	-	-	4 5%	1 6%	-	1 14%	-	-	-	-		
Don't know	3 2%			1 2%	2 2%	- -	-		-	1 4%	-	-		
NETS														
Net: Agree	153 77%	26 79%	29 85%	27 66%	65 76%	12 67%	7 70%	5 71%	6 75%	18 72%	10 71%			
Net: Disagree	44 22%	7 21%	5 15%	13 32%	18 21%	6 33%	3 30%	2 29%	2 25%	6 24%	4 29%	1 100%		
Mean score Standard deviation Standard error	3.09 .78 .06	3.09 .72 .13	3.29 .72 .12	2.95 .78 .12	3.06 .83 .09	2.78 .81 .19	3.00 .82 .26	2.57 .79 .30	3.13 .83 .30	3.08 .78 .16	3.00 .78 .21	2.00		



#### Q13\_6. Thinking overall about cybersecurity, to what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

Regulators should take a tougher stance against companies that are found to have insufficient cyber security defences Base: All Board Directors at Companies with 500+ Employees

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SECTOR Arts, Business entertainment Public Professional, administration recreation Information & Finance & scientific and support administration and other Total communication insurance Property & technical and defence Education Health services services Significance Level: 95% \*a \*b \*c \*d \*e \*g Total 23 29 26 11 10 200 4 5 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 100% (4.0)10 8 Strongly agree 65 12 3 7 3 33% 43% 28% 46% 27% 70% 38% 20% 13 2 Tend to agree (3.0)88 11 3 11 3 44% 48% 45% 75% 42% 64% 10% 38% 40% Tend to disagree (2.0)40 5 3 2 2 2 20% 4% 17% 25% 12% 9% 20% 25% 40% 100% Strongly disagree (1.0)2 2% 7% Don't know 4% 3% 2% NETS 153 21 21 3 23 10 6 Net: Agree 8 3 91% 75% 88% 91% 80% 60% 77% 72% 75% 2 Net: Disagree 44 7 3 2 2 22% 25% 9% 40% 4% 24% 12% 20% 25% 100% Mean score 3.09 3.41 2.96 2.75 3.35 3.18 3.50 3.13 2.80 2.00 Standard deviation .78 .59 .88 .50 .69 .60 .85 .83 .84

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