

2021 State of Operational Technology and Cybersecurity Report

The 2021 State of Operational Technology and Cybersecurity Report from Fortinet finds that operational technology (OT) leaders continue to be involved in cybersecurity, but it remains a struggle. And over the past year, the pandemic only added to the security issues leaders had to face.



9 out of 10

organizations experienced at least one intrusion in the past year and 63% had 3 or more intrusions, which is similar to the results in 2020.



The most common intrusions were malware at 57% and phishing at 58%, which was up from 43% last year.



42% experienced insider breaches, which is up from **18%** last year.

Compared with bottom-tier organizations, top-tier organizations:



Are more likely to use **orchestration and automation** and have **security tracking and reporting** in place.



Are more likely to have **100% centralized visibility** in their security operations center.



Were more prepared, earlier, to **accommodate** work from home driven by the pandemic.

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