

Resilient Smart working: the need of cyber security is also domestic

What can users do?



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In our homes, we have a large number of devices connected to the same network, with inadequate security protocols.

USE SAFE AND DEDICATED PASSWORDS FOR BUSINESS DEVICES

- a) Do not re-use the same password for personal and business accounts.
- b) Change your passwords frequently, avoiding the use of common words, important dates and personal information.
- c) Use a password manager to store your passwords, to save having to remember them all the time.



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Home networks are often not secure or updated connections.

USE SECURE AND UPDATED CONNECTIONS

- a) Use the corporate VPN (Virtual Private Network).
- b) Update devices with the latest security patch.
- c) Avoid promiscuous usage of the company devices, limiting the use of work devices for non-professional activities.



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Attacks aimed at stealing information, personal data and passwords are increasing.

BEWARE OF PHISHING!

- a) Do not use your personal email in the work domain. Avoid revealing financial and commercial information on social networks (including message boards/WhatsApp)
- b) Be wary of links and suspicious email; avoid downloading attachments from unknown senders. Before clicking on a link move the cursor over it and check that the address is reputable.
- c) Pay attention to suspicious calls from operators who may claim to be the company's technical support – they may be stealing information and passwords.



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Changing the way you relate to your work team can be confusing.

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH YOUR TEAM TO GUARANTEE OPERATIONAL RESILIENCE

- a) Don't be afraid to "disturb" your team - don't hesitate to contact them.
- b) Organize at least one meeting per day with your team.
- c) Choose the use of call and videocall over the use of mail and IM (Instant Messaging)



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"Perfect" security doesn't exist

BACK UP YOUR DATA REGULARLY

- a) Make and keep an up to date copy of all activities and data.
- b) Back up your data: this allows you to promptly restore your operations in the event of an attack.