

What is the Cyber-security Information Sharing Partnership (CiSP)?

The cyber threat does not become a managed organisational risk until it is understood. Good situational awareness is key to managing this risk

CiSP is a joint industry and government scheme based in the National Cyber Security Centre (NCSC) designed to deliver situational awareness to its members and encourage the sharing of information on cyber risk to enable others to adopt appropriate mitigation.

CiSP is a secure social networking platform that enables its members to receive enriched cyber threat and vulnerability information and exchange information on threats and vulnerabilities as they occur in real time.



WHO IS CiSP FOR?

CiSP is funded by the UK Government through the National Cyber Security Programme and is offered as a free service and is primarily aimed at organisations who manage IT networks in the UK.

CiSP PRODUCTS

CiSP produces a wide range of products to cater for organisations at all levels of cyber maturity. These include, but are not limited to:

- Alerts and Advisories, including from national and international partners
- Best practice and guidance documents on common themes
- Quarterly Reports on threat trends
- Malware and phishing email analysis

CiSP BENEFITS

- Engagement with industry and government counterparts in a secure environment
- Early warning of cyber threats
- Ability to learn from experiences, mistakes and successes of others and seek advice
- An improved ability to protect your organisation's network
- Access to subject or sector specific content - including vulnerabilities, latest incidents and exercising
- Access to free network reporting tools to help protect organisational security.
- Improved cyber situational awareness at no costs to your organisation.

SCOTTISH INFORMATION SHARING NETWORK (SCINET GROUP)

CiSP has entered into a partnership with the law enforcement to set up regional groups for organisations to share threat and vulnerability information with other organisations in their region. The SCINET has been set up as a community for Scottish Businesses to engage.

CiSP is a tool for every kind of organisation within the UK, regardless of their cyber maturity or location. The regional groups allow organisations with less resource to spend on cyber-security access to threat information and recommended actions for free.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information on CiSP and how to join visit <https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/cisp> or alternatively contact Graham Bye, Scottish CiSP Co-ordinator graham.bye@sbrcentre.co.uk