

Ransomware attacks are escalating.

According to Veeam's 2024 Ransomware Trends report, it was found that...



75%
of organizations have been hit by ransomware at least once in 2023.

Bad actors will now target your backup.

96% of attacks targeted backups and **76%** were successful.



Paying ransom ≠ solution

The ransom is only **32%** of the financial impact organizations will experience.




43% of affected data won't be recoverable.



Where does Hong Kong stand?

Hong Kong's national position strongly advises against paying ransoms to cybercriminals. The HKSAR government provides a comprehensive guideline for organizations to combat ransomware.

- Point 1:** Emphasizing the need for regular security assessments,
- Point 2:** Minimizing privileged account usage,
- Point 3:** Implementing endpoint security,
- Point 4:** Ensuring robust backup and disaster recovery strategies.

Fortifying Against Ransomware: Veeam's Alignment with HKSAR Strategies

- Prevent Attacks**
 - Application Control
 - Patch Applications
 - Configure Microsoft Office Macro Settings
 - Application Hardening
- Limit Impact of Cyber Attacks**
 - Restrict Admin Access
 - Patch Operating System Vulnerabilities
 - Implement Multi Factor Authentication
- Data Recovery and System Availability**
 - Daily Backups

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