

International Cooperation on Cybercrime: Issues and Challenges in the Asia- Pacific Region

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THE SEVERITY OF CYBERATTACKS



in business revenues lost to cyberattacks¹

Ranked **5th** among **Asian** top risks²



Ranked **6th** among **Global** top risks²

ASIAN FIRMS LAG IN CYBERSECURITY



Asian organisations take **1.7 times** longer than the global median to **discover a breach**⁸



Asian firms spent **47%** less on information security than North American firms⁹



of Internet users in Asia have **not received any education** on cybersecurity¹⁰

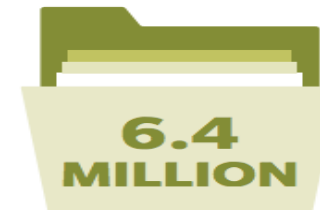
RECENT CYBERATTACKS EXAMPLES IN ASIA



personnel stolen from Singapore's defense ministry online database portal in Feb 2017⁴



stolen from cyberattack on a bank in Bangladesh in May 2016⁵



Children's data stolen in Hong Kong hacking of a digital toymaker firm in Dec 2015⁷

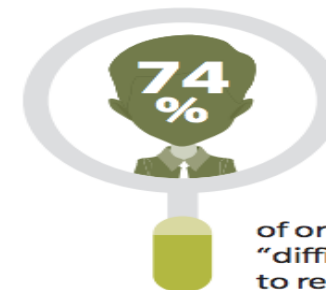


Philippine government websites **simultaneously hacked** in July 2016⁶

CHALLENGES FOR FIRMS IN MANAGING CYBERSECURITY



70% of firms do not have a strong understanding of their cyber posture



of organisations found it "difficult-to-extremely-difficult" to recruit cyber talent¹¹



Primary insurers are reluctant to provide single coverage above **\$100 MILLION**

Issues and Challenges

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► **Harmonization of laws**

► **MLA Process**

► **Law Applicable**

► **Uneven Capacities**

Developments

- ▶ **Accession to the Budapest Convention**
- ▶ **ASEAN Declaration to Prevent and Combat Cybercrime**
- ▶ **Hub Countries for Capacity Building**
- ▶ **Technology as a means for Justice!**



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