

Cyber Safety Insights Report Global Results

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Survey Method

The research was conducted online by The Harris Poll on behalf of Norton™ LifeLock™ among more than 16,000 adults (aged 18+) in 16 countries. The survey was conducted October 9-30, 2018 in Australia (n=1,002), Brazil (n=1,051), Canada (n=1,026), China (n=1,051), France (n=1,065), Germany (n=1,001), Hong Kong (n=1,000), Italy (n=1,004), Japan (n=1,001), Mexico (n=1,050), Netherlands (n=1,003), New Zealand (n=1,002), Taiwan (n=1,000), UAE (n=1,001), UK (n=1,006), and US (n=1,004). Data are weighted where necessary to bring them in line with their actual proportions in the population. A global postweight was applied to ensure equal weight of each country in the global total. No estimates of theoretical sampling error can be calculated.

Figures on past year identity theft in the U.S. are from a separate online survey of 5,000 U.S. adults aged 18+ conducted by The Harris Poll on behalf of Norton™ LifeLock™ between January 2-18, 2019.

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Key Findings

Consumers around the world want it all when it comes to protecting their personal information. They are concerned about their privacy (83%), but most say they accept certain risks to make life more convenient (61%); they want companies to give them control of their personal data¹, but also say they are willing to sell their information for the right price²; they are in agreement that they want companies to be held accountable³, but are not willing to pay the companies/organizations that hold their most important personal information to secure it⁴.

Competing priorities aside, 3 in 4 consumers (76%) are more alarmed than ever about their privacy and a third or less trust healthcare providers (33%), financial institutions (25%), government (24%), retailers (14%), and social media providers (6%) <u>a lot</u> to protect their personal information. In fact, one in five (22%) have gone as far as deleting a social media account in the past 12 months due to privacy concerns.

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¹ Nearly all consumers say that it's important for companies to give them the ability to control (95%) and find out (95%) how their personal data is being used (or be fined).

² Over a third of consumers say they would accept money from companies in exchange for access to their Internet search history (38%) and location (37%).

³ 96% of consumers say that it's important for companies to give consumers a way to report misuse of personal data (or be fined).

⁴ The majority of consumers wouldn't pay social media providers (69%), retailers (62%), financial institutions (59%), or healthcare providers (57%) to protect their personal information

Key Findings Continued

Consumer concern appears to be warranted. Across 16 countries, more than a billion adults have been the victims of cyber crime, 800 million in the last year alone, and nearly 2 in 3 (64%) believe they are likely to experience cyber crime in the next year. Of those who did experience cyber crime in the past year, 38% had a financial loss and spent 6 hours on average resolving the crime.

Beyond cyber crime, 117 million adults, men and women, young and old, in 16 countries around the globe were impacted by identity theft in the past year. What's more, parents don't seem to know that it's <u>not</u> an adult-only problem—more than half (56%) are unaware that children can be victims of identity theft too.

So what do consumers do next? The majority (87%) say they want to do more to protect their privacy but many (55%) don't know how. While most (86%) say they have taken at least some steps to protect their online activities and personal information, they do not appear to be doing so with consistency or rigor⁵.

⁵ Less than half of consumers globally have taken any one measure to protect their online activities and personal information. The most common are limiting information shared on social media (49%) and clearing or disabling cookies (41%). Less than 1 in 5 are using anonymous payment methods (19%), using an encrypted email service (19%), deleting social media accounts (17%), or using VPNs (14%).

Key Findings continued

However, while consumers may not know how to protect their personal information, they do seem to be a bit more in the know when it comes to protecting against cyber crime (though they could be doing more!). Most are already taking the precautionary measures of not sharing passwords (80%), not opening suspicious files or links (79%), and limiting information shared on social media (77%) to protect themselves and their devices, but fewer are going as far as using paid anti-virus software (40%) or—in the US—an identity theft protection service (36%).

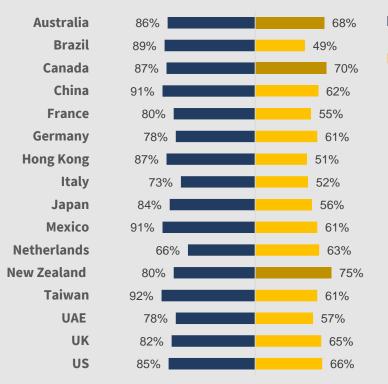
Protecting Personal Privacy

Consumers Are Concerned About Privacy, But Are Also Willing To Accept Certain Risks For Added Convenience

Global Total



% Agree by Country



- I am concerned about my privacy
- I accept certain risks to my online privacy to make my life more convenient

Those in New Zealand, Canada, and Australia are most likely to say they accept certain risks for convenience

Most Consumers Would Not Give Access to Their ID Info, Even at a Price, But Would Offer Their Internet Search History and Location

Price (per month) for Providing Access to Personal Information (Global Total)

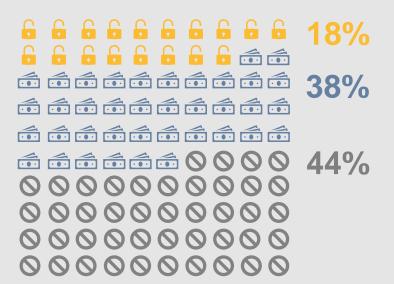


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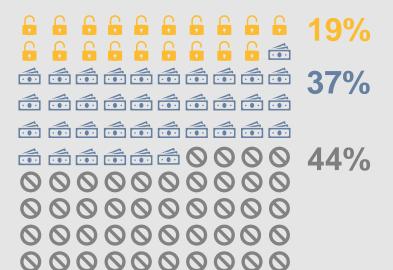




Internet Search History



Location



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Identification Document Information

(such as passport or driver's license information)



In General, Consumers in Italy, Mexico and the UAE are Most Inclined To Allow Access to Personal Information

Price (per month) for Providing Access to Personal Information by Country

Internet Search History

	Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
\$0 (give away)	16%	12%	18%	16%	18%	14%	18%	19%	16%	26%	23%	12%	10%	26%	17%	20%
\$1+	30%	45%	35%	34%	42%	36%	34%	52%	28%	42%	33%	33%	42%	51%	36%	35%
Would not sell	54%	43%	47%	49%	40%	49%	48%	29%	56%	32%	44%	55%	48%	23%	47%	45%

Location

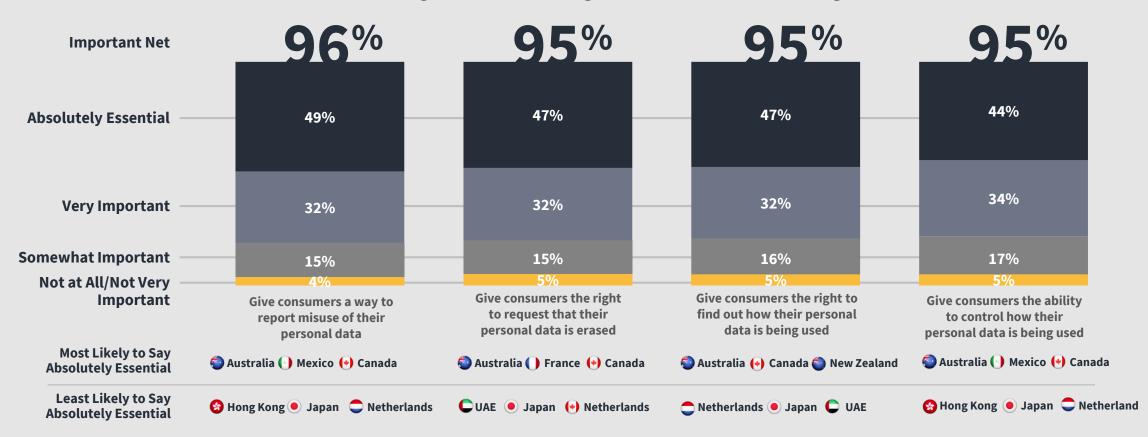
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\$1+	32%	36%	37%	35%	40%	40%	29%	53%	25%	35%	34%	36%	39%	48%	37%	36%
Would not sell	48%	48%	43%	47%	41%	43%	52 %	27%	59%	42%	40%	50%	53%	25%	43%	45%

Identification Document Information (such as passport or driver's license information)

	Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
\$0 (give away)	15%	11%	15%	14%	15 %	12%	14%	14%	13%	20%	22%	10%	4%	23%	16%	18%
\$1+	19%	28%	19%	27%	29%	26%	18%	37%	19%	37%	21%	19%	30%	48%	26%	25%
Would not sell	66%	61%	66%	60%	55%	63%	68%	49%	69%	43%	56%	71%	66%	29%	58%	57 %

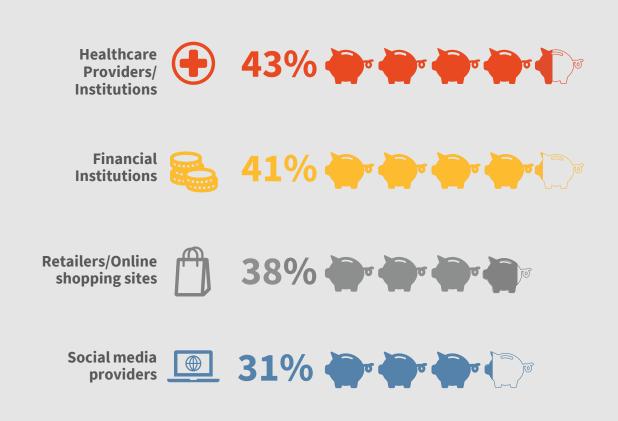
Consumers Emphasize The Importance of Accountability and Control Over Their Personal Information

Importance of Requiring Companies and Organizations to Do the Following or Impose Fines (Global Total)



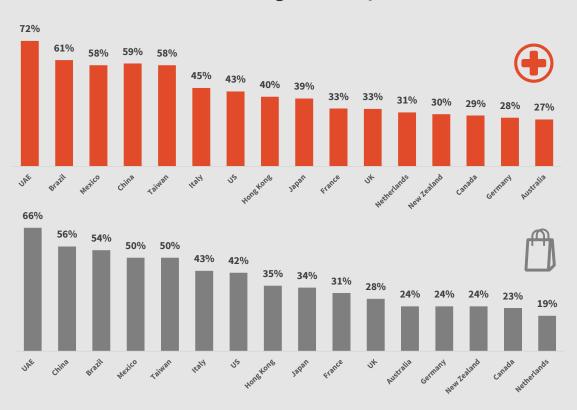
Most Consumers are Not Willing to Pay Companies a Monthly Fee to Ensure Their Personal Information is Protected

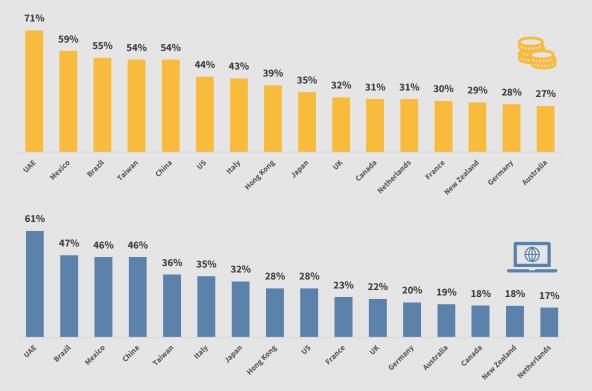
Willingness to Pay \$1+
Per Month to Ensure
Protection of Personal
Information
(Global Total)



Consumers in the UAE are Most Inclined to Pay to Protect Their Personal Information

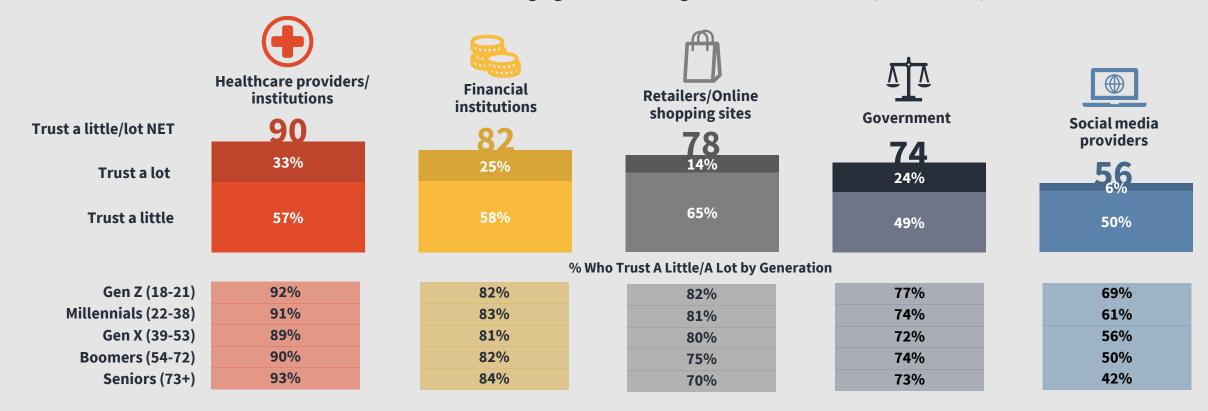
Willingness to Pay \$1+ Per Month to Ensure Protection of Personal Information by Country



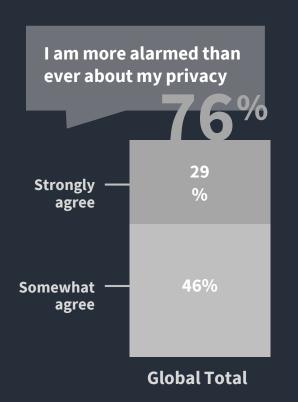


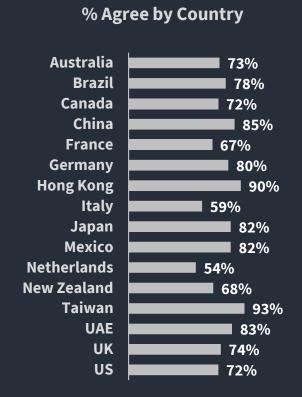
Trust in Social Media Providers to Protect Personal Information Trails Other Organizations Holding Sensitive Information

Trust in Managing and Protecting Personal Information (Global Total)

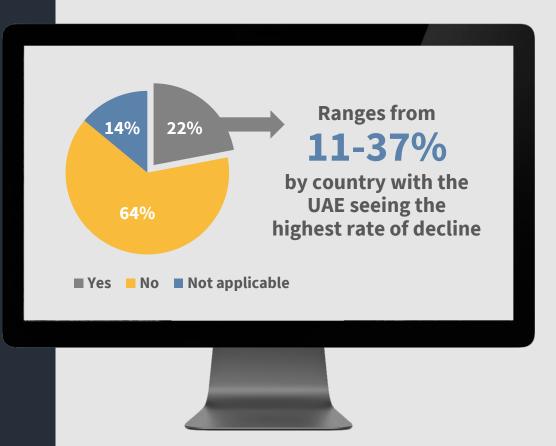


A Full 3 in 4 are More Alarmed Than Ever About Privacy and Over 1 in 5 Have Deleted a Social Media Account In Response

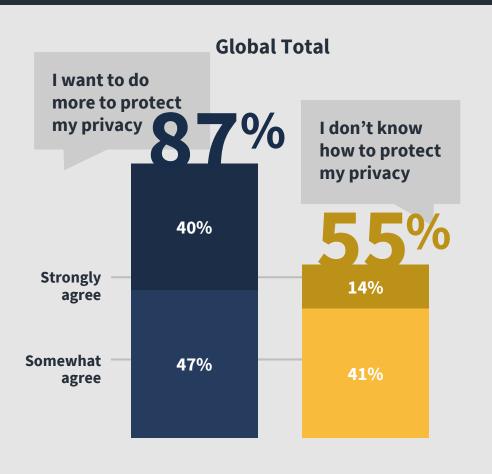




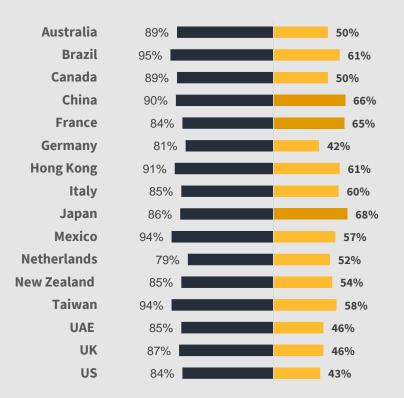
Deleted a social media account due to privacy concerns in past 12 months (Global Total)



While 87% of Consumers Want to Do More to Protect Their Privacy, More Than Half Don't Know How



% Agree by Country

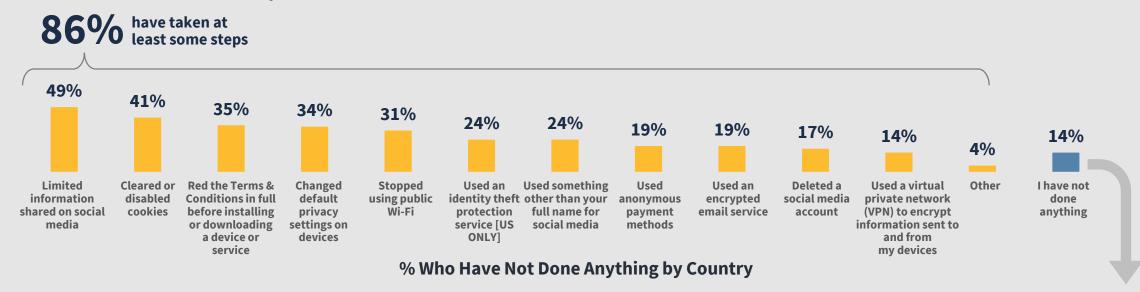


- I am concerned about my privacy
- I accept certain risks to my online privacy to make my life more convenient

Those in Japan, China and France are most likely to say they don't know how to protect their privacy

The Majority Have Taken Some Steps to Protect Their Online Privacy but No Single Activity is Performed Consistently by All

Steps Taken to Protect Online Activities and Personal Information (Global Total)



Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
14%	9%	10%	14%	15 %	11%	13%	16%	34%	6%	17%	11%	18%	7%	12%	14%

With some of the lowest rates of cyber crime and identity theft identified in this study, it's not surprising that

Japanese consumers are the least likely to have taken steps to protect their online activities and personal

information

Though Only 1 in 2 Consumers Do It Globally, Limiting Social Posts is Among the Top 3 Protective Actions Taken in All Countries

Top 3 Steps Taken To Protect Online Activities And Personal Information by Country

- Limited social media posts
- 2. Cleared or disabled cookies
- 3. Changed default privacy settings
- Limited social media posts
- 2. Read the Terms & Conditions in full
- 3. Cleared or disabled cookies
- Limited social media
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- Cleared or disabled cookies
- 3. Changed default privacy settings
- Limited social media posts
- Read the Terms & Conditions in full
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- 3. Did not use full name on social
- Limited social media posts
- 2. Read the Terms & Conditions in full
- 3. Changed default privacy settings

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Identity Theft: Incidence and Protecting Children

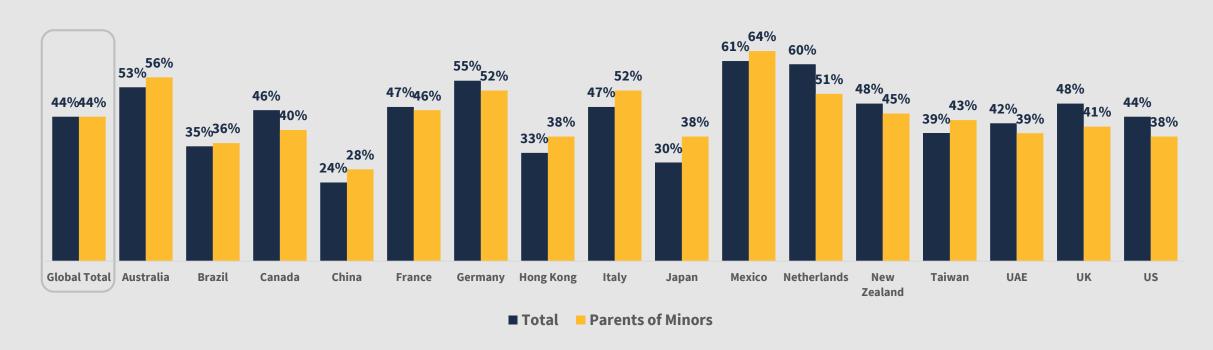
Over 117 Million Consumers* Were the Victim of Identity Theft Last Year



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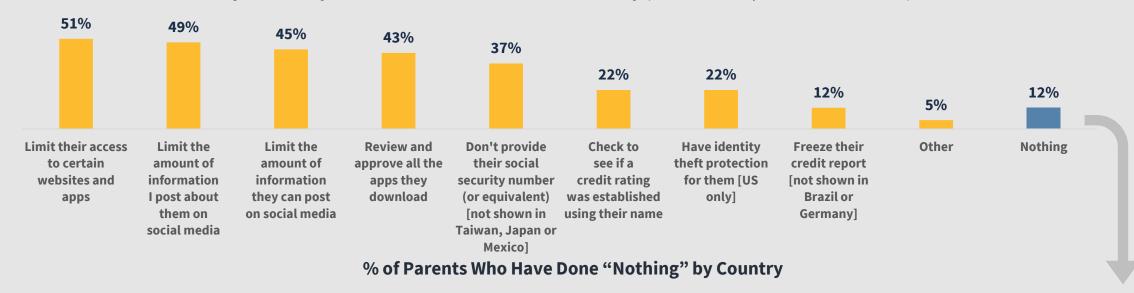
Majority (of Both Consumers and Parents) Don't Believe Youth Can Be ID Theft Victims, Though Certain Markets Are More in the Know: Australia, Germany, Mexico, Netherlands

% Believe Those Under 18 are at Risk of Identity Theft



Around the World, Parents Could be Doing More to Protect Their Children's Identity from Would-be Thieves

Steps Taken by Parents to Protect Children's Identity (Global Total, Parents of Minors)



Austra	alia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
179	%	5%	13%	7%	13%	14%	27%	8%	34%	2%	16%	17%	21%	3%	17%	13%

In line with their lower awareness of risk, parents in Japan and Hong Kong are most likely to have not taken any steps to protect their children's identity.

Similar to Their Own Protective Behaviors, Across All Countries, Limiting Social Posts (their child's and their own) is Among the Top **Practices Parents Employ to Protect Their Children's Identity**

Top 3 Actions Taken by Parents of Minors to Protect Children's Identity by Country

- 1. Limit own social posts
- 2. Limit access to sites/apps
- 3. Limit child's social posts
- 1. Don't provide CPF number
- 2. Limit access to sites/apps
- 3. Limit child's social posts
- 2. Don't provide SS number

posts

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- 2. Limit access to sites/apps
- 3. Review/approve all apps
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- 2. Limit own social posts
- 3. Limit access to sites/apps















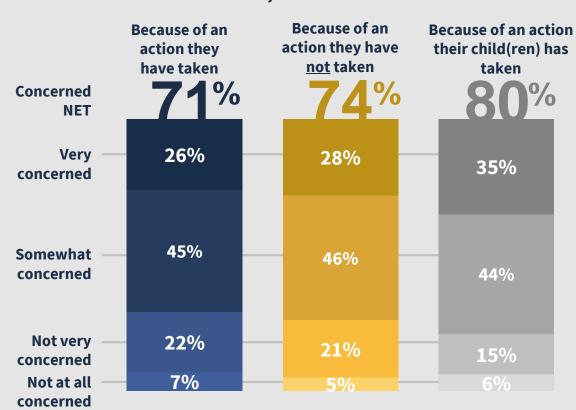






Most Parents Express Concern That Their Child Will Experience Identity Theft As a Result of An Action They Have or Their Child Has Taken

Global Total, Parents of Minors



% Very/Somewhat Concerned by Country

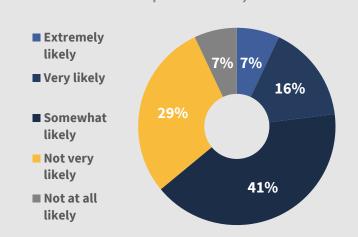
(among parents of minors)

	An action you have taken	An action you have <u>not</u> taken	An action your child(ren) has taken
Australia	65%	67%	76%
Brazil	88%	85%	92%
Canada	56%	59%	67%
China	78%	86%	91%
France	73%	77%	79%
Germany	70%	70%	79%
Hong Kong	73%	76%	82%
Italy	59%	63%	77%
Japan	69%	74%	81%
Mexico	88%	90%	91%
Netherlands	46%	57%	62%
New Zealand	54%	61%	73%
Taiwan	84%	87%	87%
UAE	68%	73%	80%
UK	65%	68%	72%
US	67%	65%	68%

Cyber Crime: ncidence and Impact

Consumers, Especially in Parts of APAC, Are Generally Aware of Their Cyber Crime Risk

Likelihood of Experiencing Cyber Crime in the Next Year(Global Total)



Percent of Consumers who Did Experience Cyber Crime* in Past 12 Months Globally

37%

*Cyber crime is defined as having personally experienced a crime committed with devices over the internet, including, but not limited to, detecting unauthorized access on an online account, learning information was exposed in a data breach, and detecting malicious software on a device. For a full list, please visit https://www.symantec.com/about/newsroom/press-kits/2018-norton-lifelock-cyber-safety-insights-report Please note, this definition is different than the definition used in past research.

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% Agree by Country

	% likely to experience cyber crime in next year	% who have experienced cyber crime in past year
Australia	55%	30%
Brazil	71%	46%
Canada	55%	32%
China	74%	48%
France	61%	34%
Germany	44%	28%
Hong Kong	77%	39%
Italy	40%	35%
Japan	77%	18%
Mexico	69%	48%
Netherlands	66%	24%
New Zealand	54%	33%
Taiwan	89%	44%
UAE	67%	54%
UK	62%	33%
US	65%	41%

With the exception of China, markets with the highest perceived risk are not the markets with the highest rates of cyber crime

Over 1 Billion Consumers* Have Ever Been the Victim of a Cyber Crime; More Than 800 Million in the Last Year Alone

Global 16
Country Total:
1.2 billion ever
867.2 million in
the last year



*In 16 countries

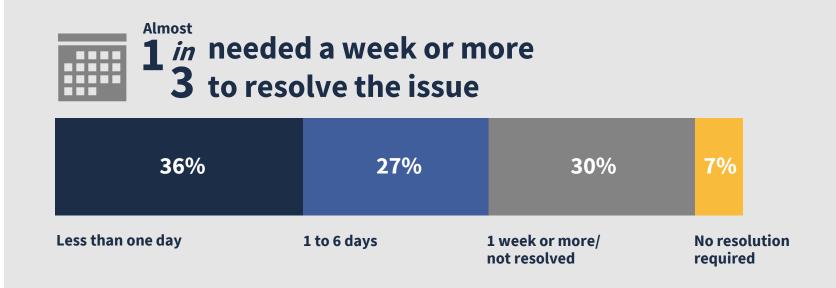
On Average, Past Year Cyber Crime Victims Spent 6 Hours Resolving Issues and Nearly 2 in 5 Were Impacted Financially*

Globally, those who experienced cyber crime in the past year spent an average of

6*hours resolving it









*Includes money lost or stolen, money that was stolen and returned, and money used to resolve the issue or repair/replace impacted device(s)

Past Year Cyber Crime Victims in the UAE Suffered the Most Financially and In Time Lost; Resolution Tended to Be Least Costly in Japan

Hours Spent Resolving Cyber Crime by Country

	Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	us
Average*	6.6	7.6	3.8	6.8	4.2	5.0	4.5	6.4	9.6	7.1	4.4	5.1	4.9	11.4	5.5	3.1
Median	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	2	2	2	1	4	2	2

% Who Spent A Week or More Resolving/Have Still Not Resolved Cyber Crime by Country

Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
31%	26%	28%	33%	24%	32%	33%	27%	24%	23%	32%	32%	20%	36%	38%	37%

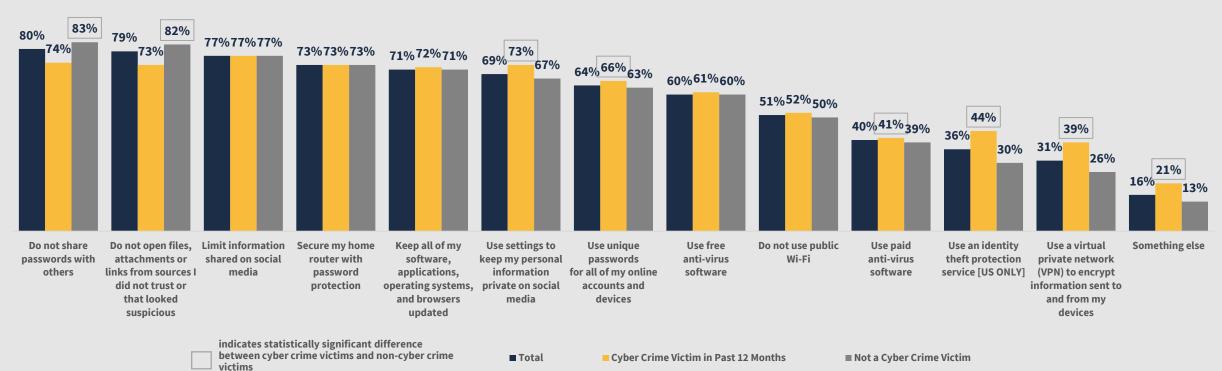
% Who Lost, Spent or Had Money Stolen Due to Cyber Crime* by Country

Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
38%	42%	37%	35%	35%	33%	25%	39%	14%	45%	35%	31%	25%	59%	44%	40%

Large Majority Take Some Action to Protect Against Cyber Threats, but May be Missing Critical Steps For Comprehensive Protection

Steps Taken To Protect Against Threats or Attacks Against Devices, Identity, and Home Wi-Fi Network

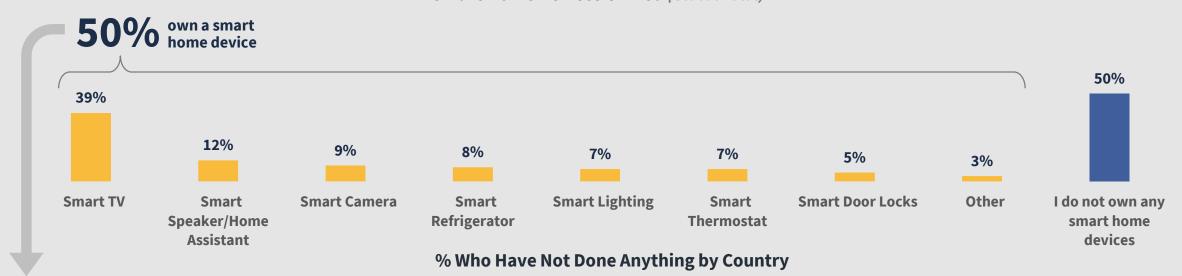
(Global Total)



Smart Devices: Ownership And Knowledge

Half of Consumers Own a Smart Home Device, Most Commonly a Smart TV; Ownership Is Highest in UAE and Lowest in Japan

Smart Home Devices Owned (Global Total)



Australia	Brazil	Canada	China	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Netherlands	New Zealand	Taiwan	UAE	UK	US
48%	56%	47%	63%	38%	46%	45%	55%	13%	58%	53%	47%	45%	80%	57 %	57%











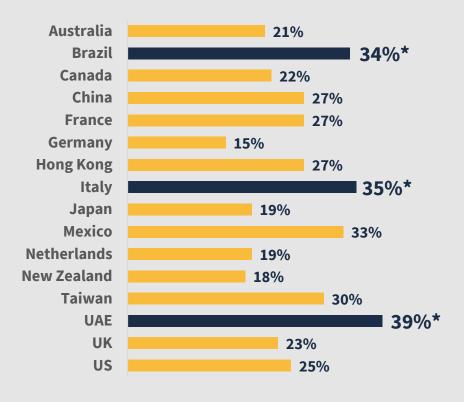


countries above global average for smart TV ownership

Smart Devices May Be Outsmarting Their Owners as Significant Minority Don't Know that Devices Can Be Hacked



% Incorrect by Country

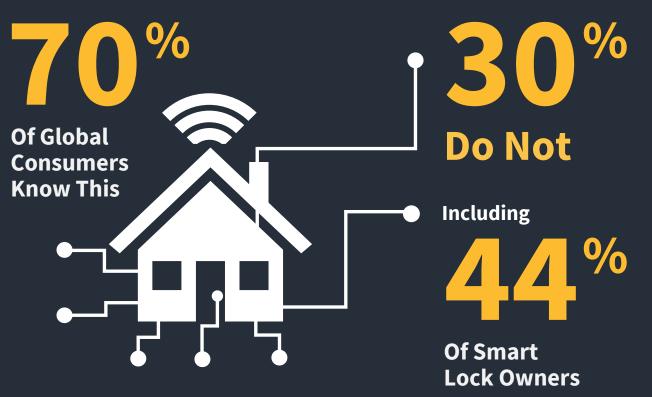


*Though still a minority, those in the UAE, Italy, and Brazil are most likely to not be aware that smart devices can be hacked

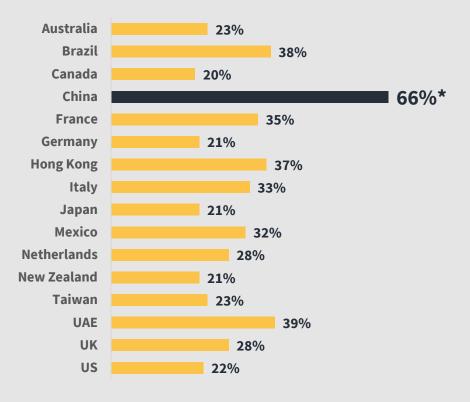
More than

4 *in* 10

Smart Door Lock Users are Unaware that Someone Can Gain Unauthorized Access and Break In



% Incorrect by Country

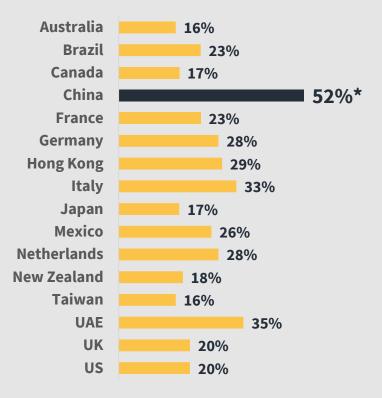


*Those in China are most likely to be unaware that someone can gain unauthorized access to smart door locks

Consumers are Unaware that Unauthorized Access to One's Email Account Could Lead To Access To All Linked Devices



% Incorrect by Country



*Those in China are least likely to know how vulnerable linked devices may be

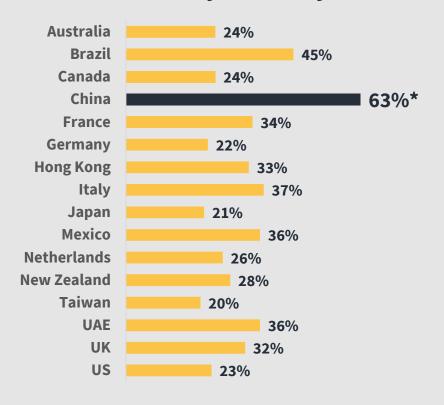
2 in Consumers Are Unaware that Someone Can Gain Unauthorized Access To Smart Baby Monitors

Someone Can Gain Unauthorized Access To Smart Baby Monitors To Spy On Children



Of Global Consumers are Incorrect

% Incorrect by Country

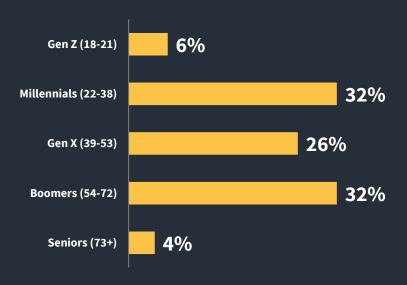


^{*}Again, those in China are most likely to be unaware that devices can be accessed

Demographics

Global Demographics

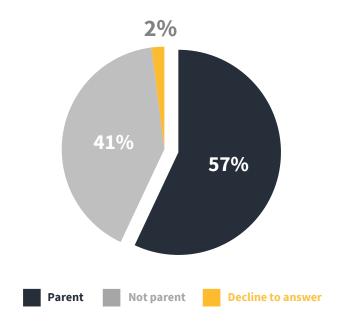
Age



Gender



Parent Status





In All 16 Countries, Detecting Malicious Software Was the Most Common Cyber Crime Experienced in the Past 12 Months

Top 3 Cyber Crimes Experienced in Past 12 Months by Country

- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Unauthorized bank access
- 3. Unauthorized email access
- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Unauthorized social media access
- 3. Unauthorized email access
- Malicious software
- Data breach of personal info
- 3. Unauthorized social media access
- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Unauthorized access to Wi-Fi network
- 3. Fraudulent email, text, or website
- Malicious software
- Unauthorized email access
- Unauthorized social media access
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- 2. Unauthorized social media access
- 3. Unauthorized access to Wi-Fi network
- 1. Malicious software
- Unauthorized email access
- Threaten of sensitive photo/ video release
- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Unauthorized social media access
- Unauthorized email access
- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Personal info stolen online
- 3. Unauthorized social media access
- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Unauthorized access to Wi-Fi network
- Unauthorized email access
- 1. Malicious software
- 2. Data breach of personal info
- 3. Unauthorized email access
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- 2. Data breach of personal info
- 3. Unauthorized email access

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Most Popular Cyber Defense Actions Vary Across Countries, But Not Opening Suspicious Files/Links and Not Sharing Passwords Consistently Top the List

Top 3 Steps Taken to Protect Devices, Identity, or Wi-Fi Networks by Country

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- 2. Do not open suspicious files
- 3. Limit social media sharing
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- 3. Privacy settings on social media
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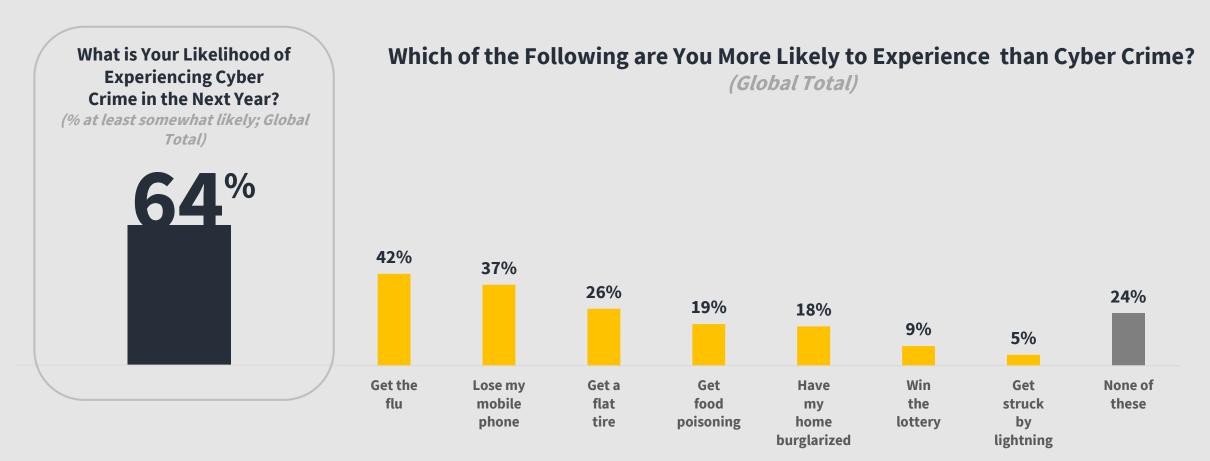
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Nearly 2 in Consumers Believe It Is Likely That They Will Experience Cyber Crime in the Next Year



Half of Parents With Children Ages 5-17 Report That Their Child Has Had a Negative Online Experience, Including Downloading a Malicious Program or Virus or Found Them Looking at Inappropriate Content

Children's Online Experiences (Global Total; Parents of 5-17 Year Olds)

