





Ultimate endpoint data security



Office-IT

ICT

- Headquartered in Olen, Netherlands
- Using Kaspersky Endpoint Security Cloud

"In the context of the total solutions we offer our clients, the Kaspersky Endpoint Security Cloud is now our standard."

Eric Liekens CEO Office-IT

Office-IT manages, supports and optimizes business processes, using an efficient, secure and innovative ICT infrastructure.

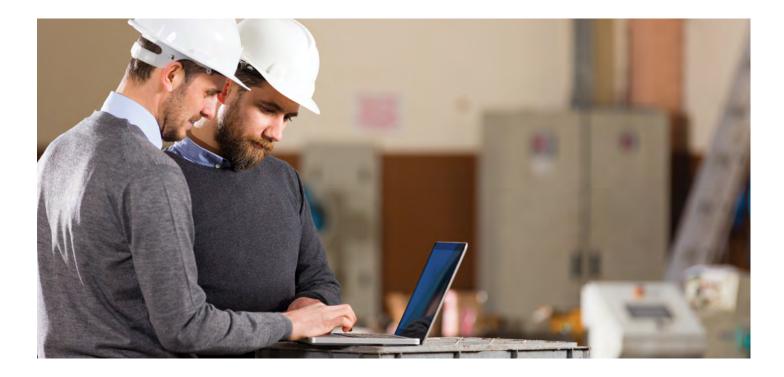
Thanks to Office-IT's tailor-made, high-quality, total solutions, companies can focus fully and without concern on their core business. Originally a Belgian company, Office-IT quickly grew into a reputable and trusted business partner for organizations throughout Europe. Its clients are medium-sized enterprises in a wide variety of market sectors.

Office-IT's head office and two data centers, each with their own cloud service, are located in the Antwerp region. Here knowledgeable ICT experts are committed to achieving optimal results. They use an extensive range of managed and cloud services, with a broad selection of high-end solutions. For them, the security, continuity and efficiency of their clients' business operations is always the driving principle.

Says CEO Eric Liekens, "Our clients mainly come to us because they do not have the capacity for an in-house ICT department, or because ICT has become far too complex. The time has passed when you gave someone an anti-virus package and that was it. Clients are now looking for a partner who takes everything out of their hands and delivers a reliable, tailor-made solution, fully adapted to their company's needs."

Challenge

"The current economic climate is characterized by a stream of new ICT developments, an increasing need for rapid innovation and growing cyber threats. The cloud-managed solution that we previously applied to cyber threats at the endpoints was working less and less well. It could, for example, no longer detect CryptoLocker or other, current malware. As a result, our team was always putting out fires. We were constantly restoring contaminated workplaces. We were successful in this, of course, but there was so much to deal with that we didn't have time to proactively look for the causes. Which is why we were in search of an efficient, manageable, cloud-managed solution, with more functionality. And, above all, one which would resist the new generation of rapidly spreading viruses and CryptoLockers."





Powerful protection against current threats like ransomware and CryptoLockers



Control Control console is user-friendly and provides powerful tools



Cost Price/quality relationship is good

Performance Enables ICT team to act proactively

The Kaspersky Lab solution

The selection of Kaspersky Endpoint Security Cloud followed an intensive test period. Eric Liekens explains, "We manage 100 firewalls, through which an infected email, for example, can sometimes pass. We released those emails in an internal test environment, to look at their effect on a PC. Five products were tested and, to be honest, Kaspersky Lab stopped everything. This made the choice for Kaspersky Endpoint Security Cloud a relatively quick one.

"The software is installed at the end user location and offers complete and worry-free data protection. It is possible to remotely manage all types of endpoints, at any time and from anywhere. The software can be deployed rapidly using one, simple, intuitive, cloud-based console. This console is userfriendly, has powerful cyber security tools and management functions and, if desired, provides ongoing, clear insight into security status."

Liekens continues, "Cloud management is straightforward and simplifies the work of our help desk. Registration is per user and quickly provides insight into whether all devices are operating correctly and when the last update took place. If a problem arises it is immediately visible and can be acted upon. And if a virus has already been detected, analysis and reports are quickly available – so you can retrieve its entire history. Furthermore, no additional hardware or infrastructure is required, as the console is managed in the Cloud. This endpoint security solution is also a useful tool in the context of the burden of proof that the future European GDPR (General Data Protection Regulation) will probably impose.

2012

founded

15 employees



Cloud security solution well received

Rucon Ventilatoren has been a client of Office-IT for many years and has used Kaspersky Endpoint Security Cloud for the past 18 months. This international company represents renowned European ventilator products, used in nonresidential construction, smoke extraction and industry. The orders are managed and followed up by a fully-automated logistics department.

"There is an obvious difference in terms of security," says CEO Arend Reinders. "We now have far less trouble from incoming malware and related problems. Kaspersky Lab provides excellent warning of suspicious email attachments, for example. That kind of thing is much better detected. You are warned by a popup and the vigilance of the Kaspersky Lab solution is very good. Another big advantage is that the Kaspersky Lab security software can be used on both Windows and Mac. We have approximately 30 different types of devices on the company network and they all use the same protection. Kaspersky Lab provides us with far more protection than our previous software. We are very satisfied with it."

Conclusion: Kaspersky Lab is the new standard

For Office-IT, good security and straightforward management have been the deciding factors in favor of the exclusive use of this data security system. Says Eric Liekens, "The Kaspersky Endpoint Security Cloud is now our standard, in the context of the total solutions we offer our clients. This also makes things much simpler for us. We are no longer constantly putting out fires. We have broken that cycle. We now have the reports produced by our systems and those of Kaspersky Lab. Moreover, we can operate proactively, which is also very important. Since integrating this solution across the board, we no longer get anxious calls from our clients, even during a major ransomware attack. Our customers survive these events, unscathed. Things are a lot more peaceful now – and that's good news for everyone."

IT Security News: business.kaspersky.com/

www.kaspersky.com



Cyber Threats News: www.securelist.com