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LOCKBIT RANSOMWARE ATTACK ON BOEING 2023

Boeing is one of the biggest company in the aerospace technology which produce the mainly commercial planes and defence planes all over the world having its headquarters in USA

Recently boeing confirmed that they were the victims of Cyberattack on 2023, A Lockbit ransomware was the attribute to this incident

Boeing acknowleged to the incident and stated that tremendous amount of data was stolen from the company and had told from the lockbit gang that these data would be dumped online if boeing doesn’t pay them handfully

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Lockbit was the most active global ransomware group last year based on the number of victims, and it has hit 1,700 U.S. organizations since 2020, according to the U.S. Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency

The Lockbit group typically deploys ransomware on the victims or the organization and used to pull up the data for the extortion

**Key Takeaways from the Boeing Cyberattack**

* Ransomware Continues to Evolve: The Boeing Cyberattack showcases the evolution of ransomware attacks. Cybercriminals are becoming increasingly sophisticated, utilizing tactics such as data theft and extortion to pressure victims. Organizations must adapt to these new threats.
* The Importance of Prompt Detection: Boeing’s quick detection of the breach was crucial in preventing flight safety issues. Timely detection can significantly reduce the impact of a cyberattack, emphasizing the importance of robust intrusion detection and response systems.
* Collaborating with Law Enforcement: Boeing’s collaboration with law enforcement and regulatory agencies is a best practice. Such partnerships can aid in tracking down cyber criminals and mitigating the damage caused by the attack.
* Protecting Sensitive Data: Data theft and potential leaks are increasingly common in cyberattacks. Organizations should prioritize data protection, encryption, and secure storage to safeguard sensitive information.