TechCorp SME Network Architecture & SOC Scenario

Company Profile: TechCorp Manufacturing A/S

Business: Industrial manufacturing and automation solutions

Size: 150 employees

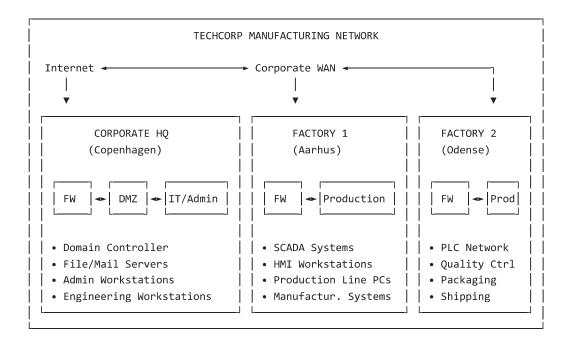
Locations:

- Corporate HQ (Copenhagen) Administration, IT, Engineering
- Factory 1 (Aarhus) Primary manufacturing facility
- Factory 2 (Odense) Secondary production & packaging facility Industry: Manufacturing (automotive parts & industrial components)

Security Maturity: Growing (recently invested in SOC capabilities due to increased cyber threats against manufacturing)

Network Architecture Overview

Multi-Site Infrastructure



Technical Infrastructure

Network Segments:

Corporate HQ (Copenhagen):

• External: 0.0.0.0/0 (Internet)

• DMZ: 172.16.100.0/24 (Public-facing services)

• IT LAN: 192.168.10.0/24 (Admin & office workstations)

• Server VLAN: 192.168.20.0/24 (Corporate servers)

• Engineering: 192.168.30.0/24 (CAD/Engineering workstations)

• Management: 192.168.99.0/24 (Network equipment)

Factory 1 (Aarhus) - Primary Manufacturing:

• Production IT: 10.1.10.0/24 (Manufacturing IT systems)

• SCADA Network: 10.1.20.0/24 (Supervisory control systems)

• PLC Network: 10.1.30.0/24 (Programmable Logic Controllers)

• HMI Network: 10.1.40.0/24 (Human Machine Interfaces)

• Safety Systems: 10.1.50.0/24 (Emergency shutdown systems)

Factory 2 (Odense) - Secondary Production:

• Production IT: 10.2.10.0/24 (Manufacturing IT systems)

• PLC Network: 10.2.30.0/24 (Packaging & quality control)

• HMI Network: 10.2.40.0/24 (Operator interfaces)

Key Systems:

Corporate HQ Systems:

System	IP Address	Role	OS	Critical
Domain Controller	192.168.20.10	DC01-TCORP	Windows Server 2019	3
File Server	192.168.20.15	FS01-TCORP	Windows Server 2019	3
Web Server	172.16.100.10	WEB01-TCORP	Linux Ubuntu	2
Mail Server	172.16.100.20	MAIL01-TCORP	Linux Ubuntu	3
ERP Database	192.168.20.25	ERP01-TCORP	Windows Server 2019	3
Engineering Server	192.168.30.10	CAD01-TCORP	Windows Server 2019	2
Backup Server	192.168.20.35	BACKUP01-TCORP	Linux Ubuntu	2
HQ Firewall	172.16.100.1	FW-HQ-TCORP	Cisco ASA 5516	3

Factory 1 (Aarhus) OT Systems:

System	IP Address	Role	OS/Platform	Critical
SCADA Server	10.1.20.10	SCADA01-F1	Windows Server 2016	4
Historian Database	10.1.20.15	HIST01-F1	Windows Server 2016	3
HMI Station 1	10.1.40.20	HMI01-F1	Windows 10 IoT	3
HMI Station 2	10.1.40.21	HMI02-F1	Windows 10 IoT	3
Production Line PLC	10.1.30.50	PLC-LINE1	Siemens S7-1500	4
Packaging PLC	10.1.30.55	PLC-PACK1	Allen-Bradley	3
Safety PLC	10.1.50.10	PLC-SAFE1	Pilz Safety	4
Factory 1 Firewall	10.1.10.1	FW-F1-TCORP	Fortinet FortiGate	3

System	IP Address	Role	OS/Platform	Critical
HMI Station	10.2.40.20	HMI01-F2	Windows 10 IoT	3
Quality Control PLC	10.2.30.60	PLC-QC2	Siemens S7-1200	3
Packaging Line PLC	10.2.30.65	PLC-PACK2	Allen-Bradley	3
Factory 2 Firewall	10.2.10.1	FW-F2-TCORP	Fortinet FortiGate	3

Employee Workstations & Users:

Corporate HQ (Copenhagen):

- Management: 192.168.10.10-19 (CEO, Production Director, CFO)
- Engineering: 192.168.30.20-49 (Design engineers, process engineers)
- IT/Admin: 192.168.10.80-89 (IT administrators, system engineers)
- Sales/Admin: 192.168.10.60-79 (Sales, HR, accounting)

Factory 1 (Aarhus) - 65 employees:

- Production IT: 10.1.10.20-39 (Production supervisors, IT support)
- HMI Operators: 10.1.40.20-29 (Production line operators)
- Maintenance: 10.1.10.40-49 (Maintenance technicians)

Factory 2 (Odense) - 35 employees:

- Production IT: 10.2.10.20-29 (Supervisors, quality control)
- HMI Operators: 10.2.40.20-25 (Packaging operators)

Common Usernames:

Corporate:

- Management: ceo.andersen, prod.director, cfo.hansen
- IT Admins: admin.jensen, it.support, sysadmin.nielsen
- Engineering: eng.larsen, design.petersen, process.olsen

Factory Operations:

- F1 Supervisors: f1.supervisor, prod.manager.f1, shift.lead.f1
- F1 Operators: operator.001, operator.002, maint.tech.f1
- **F2 Supervisors:** f2.supervisor, quality.mgr.f2
- F2 Operators: pack.operator.001, qc.tech.f2

SOC Monitoring Scope

IT Infrastructure Log Sources:

- 1. Windows Domain Controller (DC01-TCORP)
 - Authentication events across all sites
 - Account management (creation, lockout, privilege changes)
 - Kerberos authentication

Group policy changes

2. Web Server (WEB01-TCORP)

- Apache access logs (customer portal, supplier access)
- o Application errors
- Failed login attempts to admin panels
- Suspicious HTTP requests

3. Corporate Firewalls (All Sites)

- Allow/deny decisions
- Site-to-site VPN traffic
- Internet access from factories
- o Port scan detection

4. DNS Server (DC01-TCORP)

- o DNS queries from all sites
- o Malicious domain detection
- DNS tunneling attempts
- Unusual query patterns

OT Infrastructure Log Sources:

5. SCADA Systems (Factory 1)

- Operator login/logout events
- System alarm events
- Configuration changes
- Production data access

6. HMI Workstations (Both Factories)

- Windows authentication logs
- Application access logs
- USB device connections
- o File transfer activities

7. Factory Firewalls (F1 & F2)

- IT/OT network boundary traffic
- External connections from production networks
- Inter-factory communications
- Maintenance remote access

8. Industrial Network Equipment

- Managed switch logs (VLAN changes, port security)
- Wireless access point logs (maintenance devices)
- VPN gateway logs (vendor remote access)

Typical Daily Activity Patterns

Corporate HQ (Copenhagen) - Business Hours: 08:00 - 17:00 CET

- High authentication activity (arrivals, breaks, departures)
- Engineering workstation activity (CAD, design work)
- ERP system access (orders, planning, accounting)
- Email and file server usage
- Management reporting and analysis

Factory 1 (Aarhus) - Production Schedule:

- Day Shift: 06:00 14:00 (Peak production)
 - HMI operator logins at shift start
 - High SCADA activity during production runs
 - Quality control data logging
- Evening Shift: 14:00 22:00 (Continued production)
 - Shift handover procedures
 - o Production line changeovers
- Night Shift: 22:00 06:00 (Maintenance & cleaning)
 - ** Limited HMI activity expected**
 - Automated systems continue
 - Planned maintenance activities

Factory 2 (Odense) - Packaging Schedule:

- Day Shift: 07:00 15:00 (Primary packaging operations)
- Afternoon: 15:00 19:00 (Shipping preparation)
- Night: 19:00 07:00 (Minimal activity, cleaning)
 - Very limited legitimate activity

24/7 Automated Systems:

- SCADA data collection and historian logging
- Production line sensors and monitoring
- Environmental controls (HVAC, lighting)
- Security cameras and access control
- Network infrastructure monitoring
- Backup operations (typically 02:00 AM)

Suspicious Activity Indicators:

Time-Based Anomalies:

- Corporate users accessing systems outside 08:00-17:00
- Production changes during non-shift hours
- Engineering access to factory systems after hours
- Weekend activity on production systems without scheduled maintenance

Location-Based Anomalies:

- Corporate users authenticating from factory networks
- Factory operators accessing corporate systems
- Cross-site access without business justification
- External VPN access to OT networks