# Familiarize yourself with phishing attacks HR and Marketing teams

#### What is phishing?

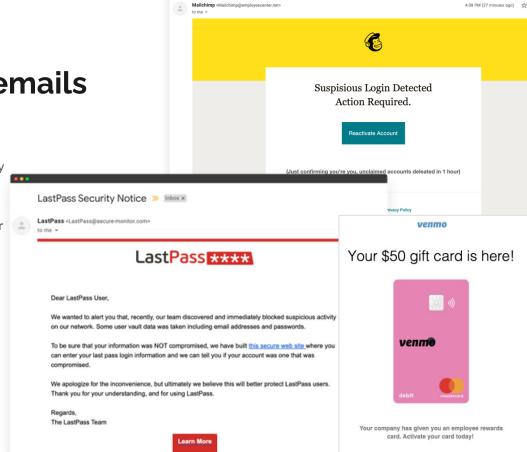
Phishing is the malicious intent of a threat actor to gain access to sensitive data (e.g., credit card/bank info, login credentials, personal files, business files, etc.) by getting someone to interact with malicious content in messages or websites that are masked as being from reputable sources.

#### Learn to spot phishing emails

Phishing emails may:

 typically convey urgency to download, submit or verify information via provided links

- contain a sender name that does not match the sender email and/or reply-to email addresses, as well as email addresses that don't match the company domain
- may have generic greetings, grammatical errors, and/or spelling errors
- may inform you that you've won a gift or notify you about a product/service you haven't purchased/used



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## How do we stop getting phished?

Better to be safe than sorry!



Verify unusual or unexpected email requests through another known communication method



Carefully examine messages before clicking on links and buttons, opening attachments, or responding with sensitive information. You can hover over links to reveal true destinations



Report a message to your IT/Security team if you are unsure whether or not an email is malicious

## **Additional Measures to Prevent Phishing**



Keep your anti-malware software upto-date and only install/update approved software from approved sources



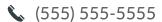
Enable multifactor authentication whenever possible to add extra layers of protection in the event an account is compromised



Use all of the mentioned precautions for your mobile devices

#### **Questions?**

If you have any questions regarding this presentation, or any concerns regarding phishing, please reach out to the Information Security Team. **Contact Information Security Team** 



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