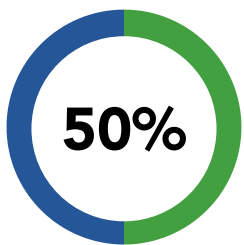


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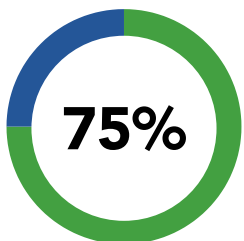
The 2026 AI Security and Exposure Benchmark highlights crucial insights from 300 surveyed U.S. Chief Information Security Officers. Many organizations face significant barriers, especially limited visibility into their AI environments and reliance on outdated security tools.

67%

Limited visibility into AI ecosystems remains a major challenge for organizations, complicating effective security measures and risk management.



Cite **lack of expertise** as a barrier



Are relying on **legacy security tools**

75%



of US enterprises experienced an **attacker** inside their environment



\$2.48M

Average yearly spend on cybersecurity

A staggering number of businesses report experiencing cyberattacks, with a notable average spending of **\$2.48 million** annually on cybersecurity measures. By focusing on enhancing expertise and adopting innovative solutions, organizations can better secure their AI assets and thrive.

100%

While 100% of enterprises have **some** AI adoption, only 18% have managed to implement it on an enterprise-wide basis, reflecting significant gaps in deployment.

11%

Enterprises with dedicated AI security tools

18%

Percentage of enterprise-wide AI deployment

The **disparity between AI adoption and implementation** underscores the need for organizations to strategize effectively. A concerted focus on enterprise-wide deployment can enhance visibility and security, ensuring that AI functionalities are both robust and secure, ultimately reinforcing the overall cybersecurity posture.