

# FOCUS | CYBERSECURITY COMPANIES (ranked by number of full-time local employees)

2021 rank	Company   Website CEO/President	Address Phone	No. of local FT employees Year founded	Cybersecurity services offered
<b>1</b> 2020: 2	<b>Rite-Solutions Inc.</b>   rite-solutions.com Dennis McLaughlin	1 Corporate Place, 2nd Floor Middletown, R.I. 02842 (401) 847-3399	<b>215</b> 2000	Systemwide cybersecurity and information assurance services
<b>2</b> 2020: 1	<b>Carousel Industries of North America Inc.</b> <sup>1</sup>   carouselindustries.com Jeff Gardner, CEO	659 South County Trail Exeter, R.I. 02822 (800) 401-0760	<b>211</b> 1992	Incident response and business-continuity planning, security assessments, team augmentation
<b>3</b> 2020: 4	<b>Vertikal6</b>   vertikal6.com Rick Norberg, CEO	30 Service Ave. Warwick, R.I. 02886 (401) 825-4400	<b>54</b> 2010	Backup and disaster recovery, cloud/Azure, event management, information technology compliance, IT vulnerability assessment, end-user training and testing, advanced endpoint protection
<b>3</b> 2020: 3	<b>CAI Software LLC</b> <sup>2</sup>   caisoft.com Brian Rigney, CEO	36 Thurber Blvd. Smithfield, R.I. 02917 (401) 232-2600	<b>54</b> 1978	Server and network endpoint monitoring, cloud security solutions, information technology security awareness training, acceptable use policy, firewalls, content filtering, email filtering
<b>5</b> 2020: 7	<b>SyNet Inc.</b>   synetinc.com Stephen Beauvais, president	64 Dewey Ave. Warwick, R.I. 02886 (401) 736-6450	<b>32</b> 1987	Surveillance systems
<b>6</b> 2020: 6	<b>NetCenergy</b>   netcenergy.com Donald R. Nokes, president	1125 Pontiac Ave. Cranston, R.I. 02920 (401) 921-3100	<b>26</b> 2003	Fully managed information technology systems security solutions, which meet or exceed National Institute of Standards and Technology recommendations and comply with industry-compliance standards
<b>7</b> 2020: 13	<b>IT Support RI</b>   itsupportri.com Nick Bernfeld and Paul Riendeau, CEOs	70 Woodland Road North Smithfield, R.I. 02896 (401) 522-5200	<b>25</b> 2002	Cybersecurity training, encrypted emails, encrypted local and off-site backups, encrypted virtual private networks, security firewalls
<b>7</b> 2020: 8	<b>Ananke IT Solutions</b>   ananke.com John Conway	20 Main St. East Greenwich, R.I. 02818 (401) 331-2790	<b>25</b> 1994	Information technology services company providing professional, managed, cybersecurity and disaster-response services
<b>9</b> 2020: 11	<b>Freedom Tech Solutions</b>   ftssupport.com George Jemery	920 Hartford Ave. Johnston, R.I. 02919 (800) 940-0040	<b>22</b> 2001	Security inspections, including antivirus and malware, breach policies and procedures, patches and updates, server hardening
<b>10</b> 2020: 14	<b>Technology Advisory Group</b>   techadvisory.com Gary Harlam, owner	250 Centerville Road Warwick, R.I. 02886 (401) 228-6400	<b>21</b> 1996	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and U.S. Department of Defense-oriented compliance solutions for business-computer networks
<b>11</b> 2020: 15	<b>Compass IT Compliance LLC</b>   compassitc.com Jerry Hughes, managing partner, owner and senior vice president of operations; William DePalma, managing partner, owner and senior vice president of sales	2 Asylum Road North Providence, R.I. 02904 (401) 353-3024	<b>20</b> 2010	Information technology security, compliance, and risk management services
<b>12</b> 2020: NL	<b>Secured Network Services</b>   sns.com Brad Mirza, executive vice president and Rhode Island office manager	135 Atwood Ave. Cranston, R.I. 02920 (401) 473-3100	<b>18</b> 2002	Vulnerability scanning, awareness training, 24/7 monitoring, multifactor authentication and other organizationwide improvements
<b>13</b> 2020: 17	<b>Logicomm Inc.</b>   logicomm-inc.com Jim Van, partner; Peter Petrovich, director of security	111 Irving Ave. Providence, R.I. 02906 (401) 369-8730	<b>13</b> 1997	Architecture, cloud, endpoint, firewall, network
<b>14</b> 2020: 16	<b>NeQter Labs LLC</b>   neqterlabs.com Richard Astie, co-founder and CEO	163 Exchange St. Pawtucket, R.I. 02860 (401) 608-6522	<b>10</b> 2018	Cybersecurity compliance software, security information and event management, vulnerability scanning, network monitoring, alerting
<b>15</b> 2020: 17	<b>East Coast Technology Group</b>   ectne.com Steven J. Gietz, founder and president	1300 Highland Corporate Drive Cumberland, R.I. 02864 401-464-9005	<b>8</b> 2002	Personalized business managed information technology services, cybersecurity preventive, penetration reporting with 24/7 monitoring, firewall installation and computer support services
<b>16</b> 2020: NL	<b>PacketLogix Inc.</b>   packetlogix.com Terrence Boylan, CEO	16 Cutler St., Suite 1 Warren, R.I. 02885 (401) 216-6425	<b>7</b> 2002	Network security, cloud security, PC and Mac security, server security, mobile security, cybersecurity training, penetration testing, social engineering testing, encryption, security policies and procedures, and cybersecurity consulting
<b>17</b> 2020: 20	<b>Provdotnet LLC</b>   provdot.net Ron Sacks, CEO and managing partner	935 Westminster St. Providence, R.I. 02903 (401) 441-5213	<b>4</b> 2003	Integrated information technology design and deployment, disaster recovery, hybrid cloud

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Number of local full-time employees:

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<sup>1</sup> Carousel Industries of North America Inc. was acquired by NWN Corp. of Waltham, Mass., on May 7.  
<sup>2</sup> Also known as Computer Associates.