

official data security incidents

Jul-Sep 2023

Analysis of UK figures from the Information Commissioner's Office

total data security incidents

01

7,656

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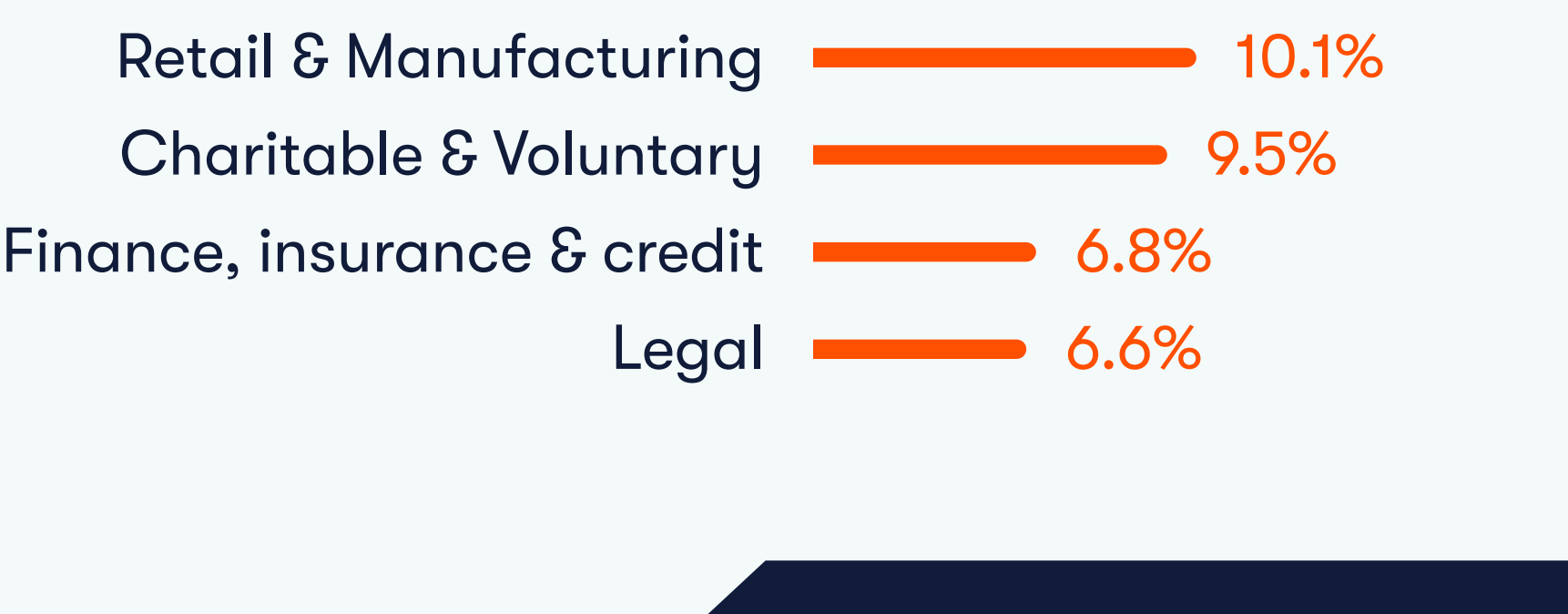
Apr-Jun 2023
6,607 reported cases

top 7 sectors for data security incidents

cyber & non-cyber

02

21.1% Education



most common type of security incident

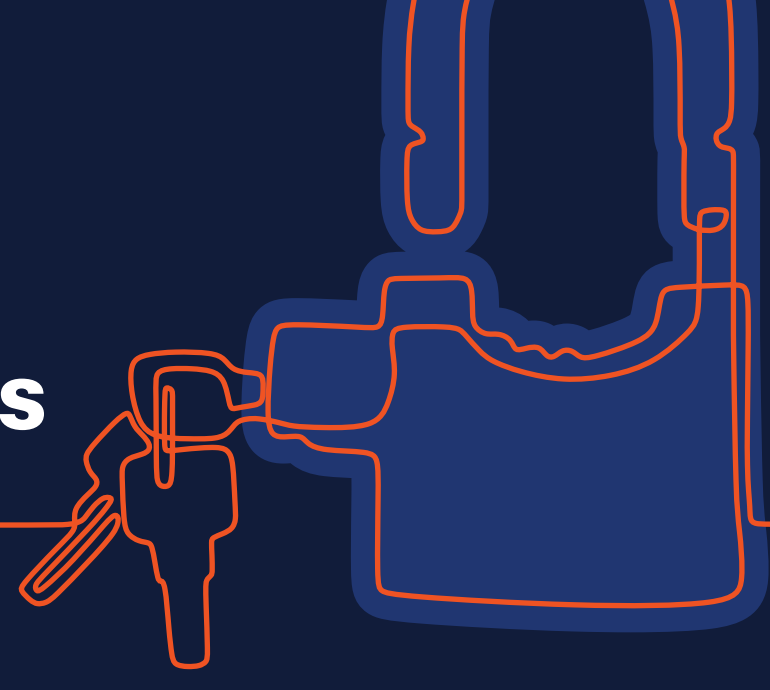
cyber & non-cyber

03

14.1%

1,078 incidents

Unauthorised access



12.6%

963 incidents

Ransomware

12%

938 incidents

Data emailed to incorrect recipient

most common type of incident by sector

04

Legal - Phishing

Healthcare - Unauthorised access

Education & Childcare - Ransomware

top cyber security incidents

05

34.1%

Ransomware

26.1%

Phishing

0.1%

Cryptographic flaw

4.7%

Malware

6.6%

Brute Force

7.5%

Hardware/software misconfiguration

20.9%

Other cyber incident

0% Denial of service

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