

# Tømmergaarden A/S Secures its Weakest Security Link with BlackFog

34%

Monthly Decrease in exfiltration

24%

Monthly Decrease in suspicious behavior

19%

Monthly Decrease in spyware

## Tømmergaarden A/S

Industry: Building Materials

Location: Denmark

Size: 400 Employees

Web: [tmg.dk](http://tmg.dk)

## Company Bio

Tømmergaarden A/S is a chain of DIY stores headquartered in Denmark. With 18 stores based across Denmark, Tømmergaarden specializes in building materials stocking everything from wood and construction materials to power tools, electrical goods and lighting. Established in 1974 the company currently has around 400 full-time employees.



## The Challenge

Like most businesses today IT is an important function critical to the success of Tømmergaarden. Managing computers, mobile devices, printers, software and licencing are important functions of the IT department, but one of the biggest IT challenges facing Tømmergaarden was how to control what their staff were doing on company devices.

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## The Solution

Tømmergaarden heard about BlackFog Privacy from an IT distributor in Denmark in early 2018 and was very interested in the technology. BlackFog provides real-time protection against online threats, consisting of 11 layers of defense against ransomware, spyware, malware and unauthorized data collection and profiling. Providing an extra layer of security, BlackFog helps to protect a company’s privacy by monitoring only the information leaving your environment. Helping to fill the gap that firewalls and antivirus leave behind.

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## The Approach

After evaluating and testing BlackFog on 15 systems for a 3-4 week period, the company decided to install BlackFog on all of its 470 devices. "It was easy to see the value in BlackFog very early on, said Brian. "After we started running BlackFog we noticed in our antivirus reports that we had zero issues with employees clicking on malicious links because BlackFog was blocking the threats before they even got to our devices."

## The Results

Tømmergarden's IT department plan to eliminate their use of antivirus software in the near future using only BlackFog and Windows Defender for protection. Head of IT, Brian Kudsk commented, "When you have BlackFog installed you don't have the need for any other programs like anti malware because its included, even though BlackFog is not antivirus software, my concern is protecting our organization from malware and ransomware."

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## About BlackFog

BlackFog Privacy provides fileless cyberattack defense, offering real-time protection against online threats targeting your personal and corporate data. By proactively monitoring the outbound traffic BlackFog offers 11 layers of defense against ransomware, spyware, malware and unauthorized data collection and profiling.

