

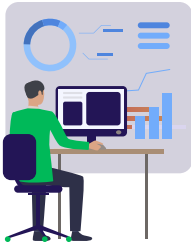
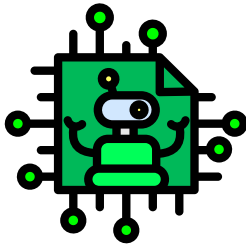






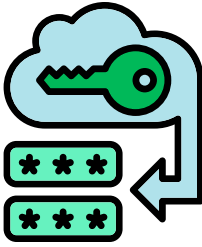
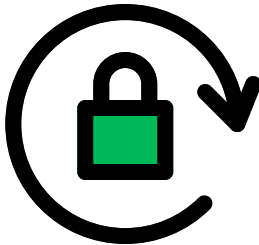


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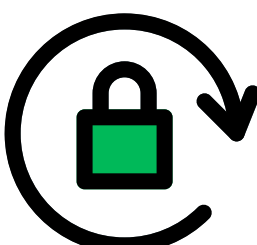
Malicious Insiders

 <p>Impact: Data theft, financial loss, reputational damage.</p>	 <p>What to Look For: Unauthorized access attempts, large data transfers, unusual working hours.</p>	 <p>PAM Solution: Enforces least privilege, implements session monitoring, and alerts on suspicious activity.</p>
 <p>Delinea Solution: Provides real-time threat intelligence, automated session recording, and AI-driven anomaly detection.</p>	 <p>Delinea Product: Secret Server, Privileged Behavior Analytics.</p>	 <p>Business Value: Reduces risk exposure, ensures compliance, and prevents financial losses due to insider threats.</p>

Negligent Employees

 <p>Impact: Accidental data leaks, compliance violations</p>	 <p>What to Look For: Poor password hygiene, clicking on phishing links.</p>	 <p>PAM Solution: Automates credential management and enforces multi-factor authentication.</p>
 <p>Delinea Solution: Offers secure credential vaulting, password rotation, and step-up authentication, workstation lock-down.</p>	 <p>Delinea Product: Secret Server, Privilege Manager.</p>	 <p>Business Value: Protects sensitive data, minimizes human error, and strengthens compliance posture.</p>

Compromised Credentials

 <p>Impact: Unauthorized system access, data breaches.</p>	 <p>What to Look For: Unusual login locations, multiple failed login attempts.</p>	 <p>PAM Solution: Implements just-in-time (JIT) access and credential rotation to limit exposure.</p>
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Delinea Solution:
JIT step-up of account privilege, continuous authentication monitoring, and adaptive access control.



Delinea Product:
Secret Server, Privilege Manager, Privilege Control for Servers



Business Value:
Reduces attack surface, enhances security, and prevents costly data breaches.

Third-Party Vendors



Impact:
Weak security postures leading to breaches.



What to Look For:
Overly broad access permissions, no access expiration policies.



PAM Solution:
Grants temporary access with strict logging and monitoring.



Delinea Solution:
Enables vendor privileged access management with session controls and automated revocation.



Delinea Product:
Privileged Remote Access, Secret Server.



Business Value:
Ensures vendor accountability, mitigates supply chain risks, and enforces least privilege.

Departing Employees



Impact:
Data exfiltration, sabotage.



What to Look For:
Large file downloads, access to sensitive data before resignation.



PAM Solution:
Immediately revokes access upon termination and monitors exit behaviors.



Delinea Solution:
Automates de-provisioning workflows and implements forensic audits.



Delinea Product:
Secret Server, Delinea IGA.

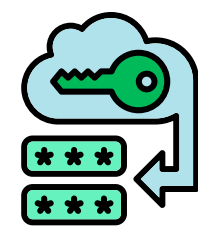


Business Value:
Prevents data loss, protects intellectual property, and minimizes insider threats.

Careless Privileged Users



Impact:
Accidental exposure of sensitive systems.



What to Look For:
Storing credentials in unsecured locations.



PAM Solution:
Enforces session recording and restricts privilege elevation.

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Delinea Solution:

Provides secure session management and privileged behavior analytics.



Delinea Product:

Secret Server, Privileged Behavior Analytics.



Business Value:

Ensures accountability, reduces exposure risk, and strengthens security posture.

Privileged Business Users



Impact:

Unauthorized changes to financial records.



What to Look For:

Altering financial reports, policy bypass attempts.



PAM Solution:

Restricts access to sensitive systems and enforces approval workflows.



Delinea Solution:

Implements role-based access controls with policy enforcement and audit trails.



Delinea Product:

Privileged Access Service, Secret Server.



Business Value:

Enhances financial integrity, prevents fraud, and ensures audit compliance.

Insider Collusion



Impact:

Coordinated fraud, intellectual property theft.



What to Look For:

Unusual collaboration between employees and vendors.



PAM Solution:

Implements behavior analytics and approval-based privileged access.



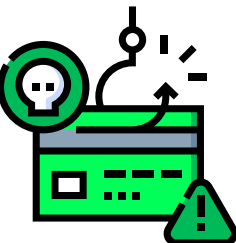
Delinea Solution:

Uses AI-driven anomaly detection and dynamic access policies.



Delinea Product:


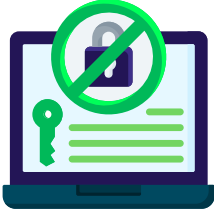




Privileged Behavior Analytics, Secret Server.




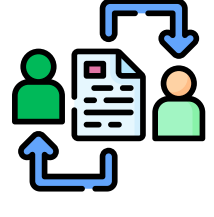

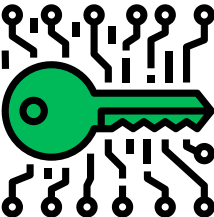


Business Value:

Detects fraudulent activity early, prevents data leaks, and protects company assets.

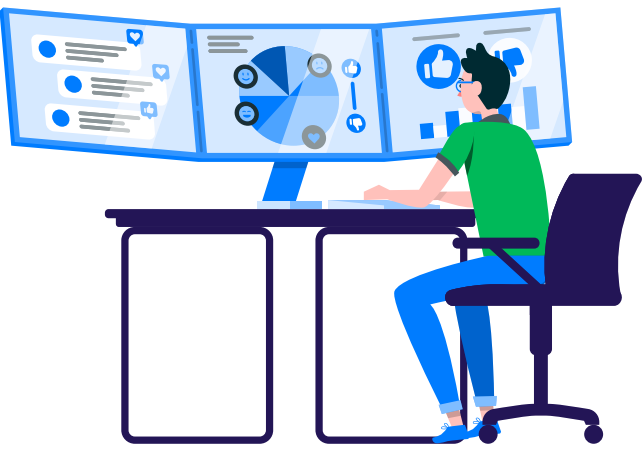
Shadow IT Activities

 Impact: Introduction of unapproved tools and vulnerabilities.	 What to Look For: Unauthorized software installations, external storage device usage.	 PAM Solution: Restricts access to install or run unapproved applications.
 Delinea Solution: Provides application control, just-in-time elevation, and endpoint security integration.	 Delinea Product: Privilege Manager, Secret Server.	 Business Value: Reduces IT risk, ensures compliance, and prevents security vulnerabilities.

Unintentional Data Handlers

 Impact: Misplaced or accidentally shared sensitive data.	 What to Look For: Sharing data over unsecured channels.	 PAM Solution: Restricts privileged file access and enforces logging on data transfers.
 Delinea Solution: Encrypts sensitive data at rest and in transit while enforcing secure file-sharing policies.	 Delinea Product: Secret Server, Privileged Access Service.	 Business Value: Prevents data breaches, ensures compliance with data protection regulations, and protects confidential information.

Conclusion:



By implementing a robust Privileged Access Management (PAM) solution, organizations can mitigate insider threats through access control, monitoring, and proactive security measures. Delinea enhances these capabilities with AI-driven insights, secure credential vaulting, adaptive access controls, and automated security workflows. This helps reduce risks, ensure compliance, and protect sensitive assets from insider threats.