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## 2021 **TOP 5 Key Takeaways** CISO Survival Guide

1. While Secure Access Service Edge (SASE) is still early in its adoption lifecycle, almost all respondents (98%) see clear benefits and are directing future spend towards it.



2. Among SASE themes, Zero Trust Network Access (ZTNA) and Cloud-Native Firewalls are key priorities.

> According to our recent survey, 44% of CISOs have data access control as their #1 focus in privacy and compliance.

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4. When it comes to DevSecOps, it's not about "shifting left" anymore, but about "shift everywhere." Being secure requires visibility and policy controls throughout the DevOps lifecycle. ရ ရ ရ စို ရ ရ စို ရ ရ စို

**5.** More than half (60%) of CISOs believe network assets (including ephemeral) are most difficult to inventory.

Applications, Data, Endpoints and User Privileges remain unsolved Shadow IT.

## **Download** The 2021 CISO Survival Guide Report

Armed with insights from CISO roundtables, one-on-one CISO interviews, and an extensive survey we commissioned IDG to produce, which reached over 100 CISO and security leaders, our teams deconstructed four major trends in cybersecurity: Secure Access Service Edge (SASE); DevSecOps; Privacy & Compliance; and Security Automation. We collaborated closely over a six-month time frame, challenged each other and our own thesis multiple times, and leveraged learnings across our collective 50+cybersecurity investments to filter signal from noise.