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Our nation's secrets are in jeopardy, the same secrets that make your company profitable. The FBI estimates billions of US dollars are lost to foreign competitors every year. These foreign competitors deliberately target economic intelligence in advanced technologies and flourishing U.S. industries. Furthermore, FBI investigations indicate economic espionage and trade secret theft against US businesses are on the rise. Over the past two years, foreign actors have targeted and collected against US companies, universities, think tanks and government research facilities for oil and natural gas information concerning upstream, midstream, and downstream processes. The FBI continues to lead efforts to mitigate, neutralize, and disrupt the theft of intellectual property and trade secrets that could be used by foreign governments or foreign companies to gain an unfair economic advantage.

Join us to learn more about the threats your company may be experiencing and best practices on how to better protect your company.



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