The First 72 Hours Matter

Effective Organizational Response to Security Incidents (NIS2) & data breaches (GDPR)

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Legal Requirements for NIS2 Compliance

What if Companies (Entities) fail to report incidents to Authorities?

Summary of requirements

- Existence of an Incident Response Policy (IRP) – (art. 13 – b) NIS2;
- Define an incident management process (art. 13 – g) NIS2;
- Reporting of a cybersecurity incident to the Incident Response Team (IRT) and the National Cybersecurity Authority

Deadlines to notify Authorities

- **6 Hours**: initial early warning
- **24 Hours**: early warning
- **72 Days**: impact and consequences update report
- 30 Days: final report

Failure to comply leads to Fines

- **EE (Essential Entities):** up to 10M EUR or up to 2% of annual net turnover
- **IE (Important Entities):** up to 7M EUR or up to 2% of the annual net turnover

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Can we reduce incident management costs?

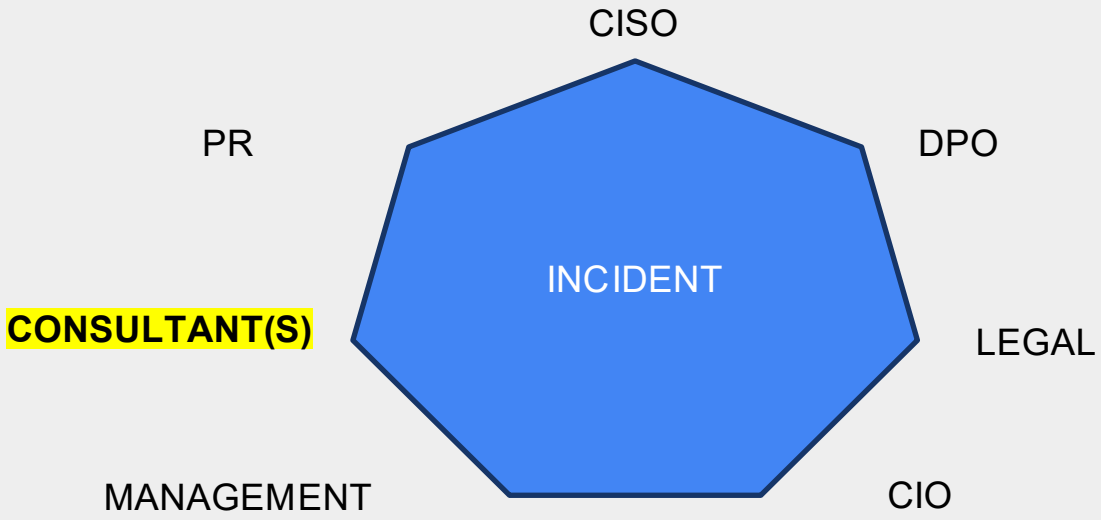
- Incident Management costs for a medium sized company

Based on experience, an average of 7 people (resources) participate in almost every incident.

- ~ 7500 EUR / 72h per incident + opportunity cost

- We took into consideration that the involvement possibility of the resources is not constant;
- Cost is only applicable to Romania;
- The cost includes the alignment overhead in the assessment and notification decision regarding the incident. The cost does not include the resources involved in addressing the impact of a security incident — tech & product, customer support and care.

An average of 7 resources intervene in case of an incident or a data breach



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Cyber Security Crisis Management

In Crisis Escalation, time is of essence.
But most incident management plans fail to provide a quick resolution

- unclear escalation paths in the first stages of incident response
- increased coordination overhead between decision making stakeholders
- lack of appropriate expertise in most of the companies
- time-critical reporting deadlines due to legal requirements – 24h for NIS2
- uncertainty in the impact assessment and the required legal next steps
- missing traceability of actions taken, leading to loss of organizational memory.

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THE FUTURE OF INCIDENT RESPONSE

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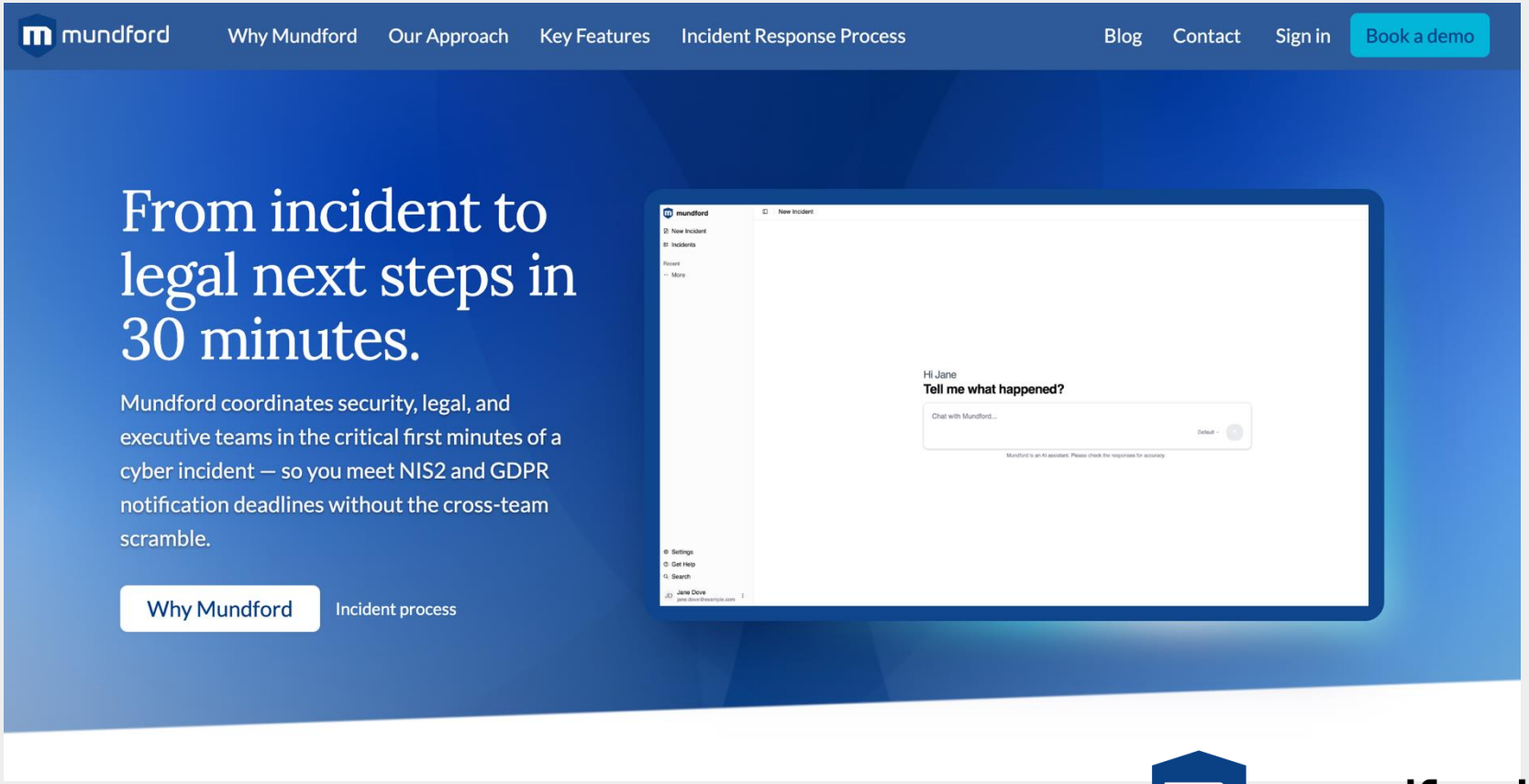
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- **Mundford** is your AI agent in the first stages of a cyber security incident or a data breach.
- **Mundford** combines the essential expertise of a CISO, Lawyer, and DPO to ensure your organization can respond rapidly to a cyber incident and meet strict European legal deadlines (GDPR, NIS2, DORA, AI Act).
- **Mundford** recommends in under 30 minutes, what you need to do right after an incident, focusing on and starting with, your immediate legal obligations.
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