As organizations continue to migrate their workloads to the cloud, 89% have selected a strategy of running their operations on multiple cloud service providers. Some reasons for a multi-cloud strategy include cost efficiency, increased speed of innovation, removing single points of failure, and workload optimization.

Organizations also are adopting a multi-cloud strategy to attract and retain top talent as this allows employees to work on interesting, innovative projects using their specific platform expertise. For all the benefits of a multi-cloud strategy, though, there are security implications to consider as an organization will have an increased attack surface.

Unique Challenges of Protecting the Cloud
Protecting the cloud has unique challenges as there are workloads running on infrastructure organizations don’t control but still are responsible for their security. Seventy-six percent of respondents to a recent study say existing tools have limited to poor cloud security features forcing organizations to invest in yet another security tool to gain proper visibility to cloud infrastructure and misconfiguration threats. This creates both additional complexity and burden for organizations to get their staff up to speed on both the tool as well as protecting cloud platforms.

Alert Logic Helps Secure the Cloud
Fortra’s Alert Logic provides a managed solution for cloud security by combining platform, intelligence, and cloud expertise to help organizations protect their cloud and hybrid environments. We are a pioneer in protecting the cloud — we do this by leveraging the security frameworks of cloud providers and giving customers a holistic view of the entire attack surface across hybrid environments.

With more than two decades of experience providing unrivaled security to thousands of organizations, Alert Logic customers have peace of mind knowing their environment is being monitored 24/7. Our expertise and technology ensures customers have:

- Continuous, around-the-clock threat detection and security
- A threat intelligence and expert team that can help identify and respond faster to attacks
- Broad and deep coverage across hybrid and multi-cloud environments
- Access to an industry-leading platform with our unwavering commitment to continuous product innovation

For more information or to speak with one of our cloud security experts, please visit AlertLogic.com

Resources:
1. 2022 Flexera State of the Cloud Report
2. ISC2 2022 Cloud Security Report