


Enhanced security. Faster turnaround times. Less disk space. The benefits surprising one MFT user

 **Industry:**
Investment

 **Product:**
Fortra's GoAnywhere MFT

 **Solution:**
Managed File Transfer


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THE CHALLENGE

A leading specialist investment group needs to generate payment files from servers which it then makes available to its clients. Every day it copies hundreds of Gigabytes of files from the data sources to an external FTP server within its DMZ, where trading partners can pick up the files. With new projects rolling out, file sizes are expected to grow exponentially, increasing turnaround time and disk space required. In addition to this, previous transfers were made using clear text, with the group now looking to secure incoming and outgoing files both in transit and at rest.

THE SOLUTION

Fortra's GoAnywhere MFT provides common FTP/S, SFTP, HTTPS, AS2 protocols for secure inbound file transfer. Built-in encryption capabilities can automatically protect inbound files. By leveraging the out-of-the-box workflow functionality the group have made use of over 60 built-in automation actions to streamline their previously archaic data flows and automate encryption. By installing Fortra's GoAnywhere Gateway and GoAnywhere MFT, the investment group can keep their file sharing services in a centralised location safely inside their private network, these files are stay encrypted and protected at all times.

THE BENEFITS

As the sensitive files are now centralised in a single location and stay encrypted and protected at all time the investment company can have confidence that their sensitive data is securely stored deep inside Fortra's GoAnywhere MFT Server, whilst data can be safely accessed by those with permissions within the DMZ. This approach supports PCI-DSS compliance and, with the files stored on the GoAnywhere server, the amount of disk space required is reduced and turnaround times are faster, squeezing costs and improving efficiency.


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