

## General statement on Cybersecurity

In the development of devices by BENDER GmbH & Co. KG, the latest findings on the subject of cybersecurity are taken into account and monitored during the development process. Occurring security gaps are immediately analysed, and if necessary, corrected with updates.

The company BENDER GmbH & Co. KG is a member of CERT@VDE. CERT stands for Computer Emergency Response Team. In this expert group of computer security specialists, founded especially for medium-sized companies, security gaps are reported, and solutions are developed and provided. Through this membership, BENDER is notified of possible weaknesses at an early stage and can react accordingly.

<https://cert.vde.com>

Furthermore, the company BENDER GmbH & Co. KG is a member of the ACS (Alliance for Cyber Security) at the BSI (Federal Office for Information Security). Regular penetration tests and IT audits are used to check the security standard. IT security certifications are carried out according to the respective requirements. The sealing off of internal systems is always carried out according to the current state of the art in order to prevent external access. This prevents malicious code from reaching the devices during development.

<https://www.allianz-fuer-cybersicherheit.de/ACS/DE/Home/startseite.html>

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