

Impact of Modern Technology on Organisations

Task 1

(a) Below are four statements regarding the impact of modern technology on an organisation's IT infrastructure. Identify which statements are true and which are false.

	True	False
1. Modern technology has reduced the demand on a business's network & internet connection.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Modern technology has put increased pressure on staff to be available outside of work hours.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Modern technology has allowed us to make our products and services available worldwide.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Modern technology has made the need for encryption technology very important.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(b) A law firm has decided to start using cloud storage to store its business data. They are concerned about how this might impact on the organisation's IT infrastructure. Identify two positive impacts and two negative impacts that it might have.

Positive

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Negative

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(c) If the law firm's private data was stolen while it was stored on the cloud storage service, how might this negatively impact on the firm? Identify two possible impacts.

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Task 2

(a) Many businesses use modern technology to support collaboration. Identify two benefits of using modern technologies this way.

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