



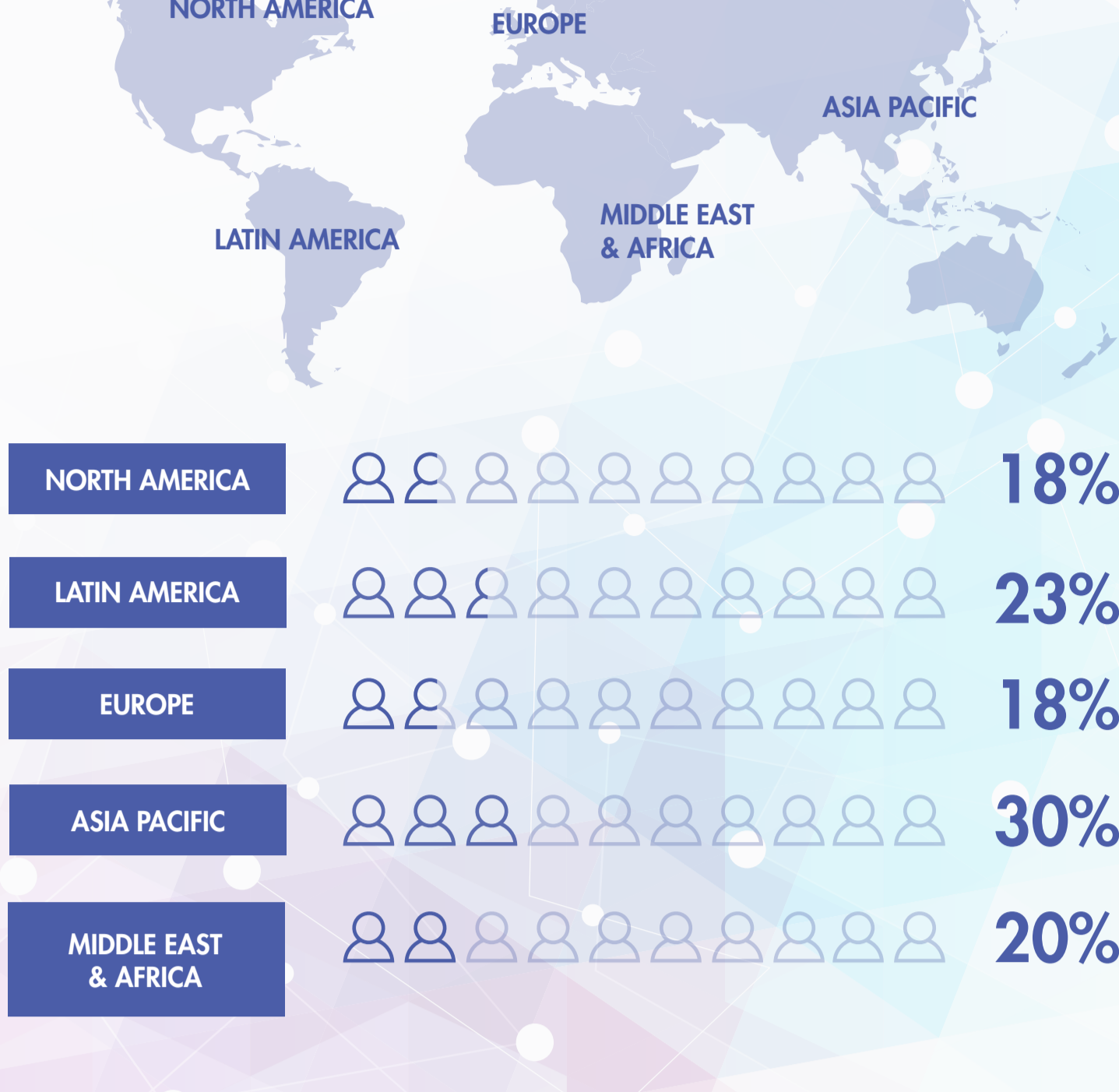
The Benefits of Virtual Private Networks



A VPN (Virtual Private Network) is a service that lets users access the web safely and privately by routing your connection through a server and hiding your online actions

VPN USAGE ACROSS THE WORLD IN Q1, 2018

Source: globalwebindex.com

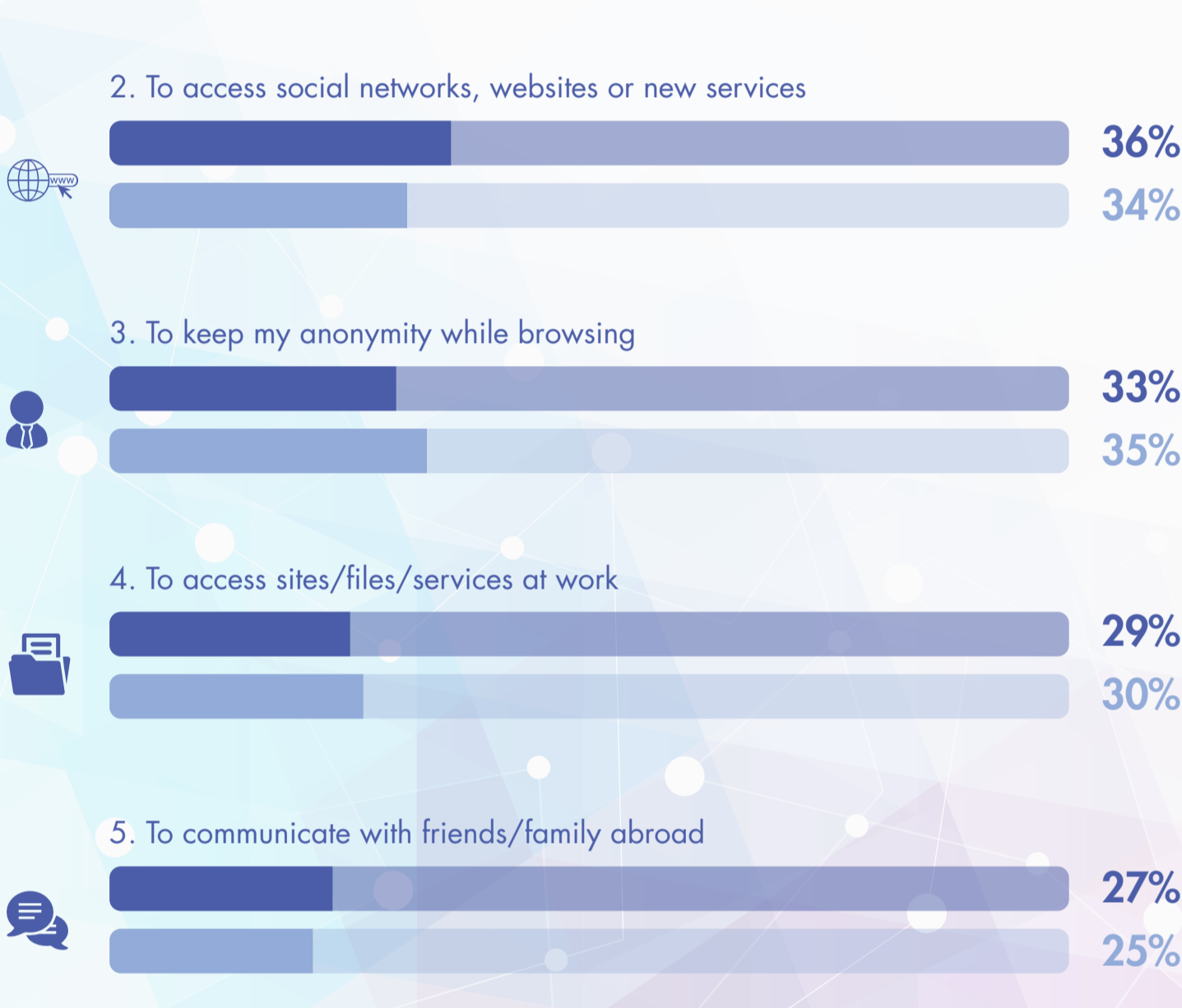
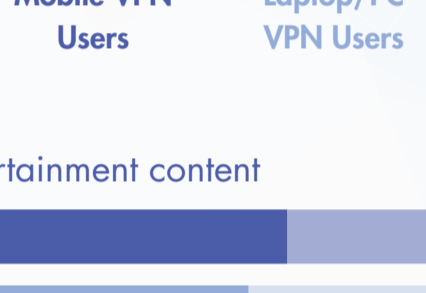


The Asia Pacific region has the highest density of VPN users, at

30%

PERCENTAGE OF PC OR MOBILE VPN USERS WHO ARE USING VPNS FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS

Source: Globalwebindex Q1 2018 Base 33,405 PC VPN Users and 25,10+ Mobile VPN Users



65%

of U.S. tech sector workers now use a virtual private network (VPN) on either work devices, personal ones or both, according to an international cybersecurity awareness survey

4 MAIN BENEFITS OF A VPN

- 1** A VPN is the easiest solution in all cases wherein an economical, isolated, secure, private network needs to be created or accessed over the Internet
- 2** A VPN allows users to leverage existing centralized network security infrastructure to provide a unified defense against cyber threats throughout the company's networked devices regardless of location
- 3** A VPN provides secure access to needed internal services for a mobile workforce increasing their productivity
- 4** A VPN reduces security risk by allowing access to specific network resources to only users who are authorized, encrypting data and thereby protecting against insecure Wi-Fi access, and providing continuity of centralized unified threat management

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