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# Week in Review

According to an article in The New York Times this week, high level executives make up the majority of tablet users in the workplace. That may change, though, as in the workplace tablet usage increases. It was predicted this week that, during 2015, manufacturer shipments of tablets will exceed shipments of desktops and laptops. This suggests more tablet use in the workplace going forward. While this is good news for the tablet industry, employers should be mindful of new data security issues in the headlines this week. A cyber forensic expert revealed this week that Google Glass wearers can steal tablet and smartphone passwords from almost ten feet away using software that maps the shadows of fingertips typing on the tablet or smartphone. Read the article below to learn how this wearable technology is creating new security challenges.

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