

# The Verdict: Ogletree Deakins Relies on Absolute for Endpoint Security



## BACKGROUND

Ogletree Deakins is one of the largest labor and employment law firms in the world, representing management in all types of employment-related legal matters. With more than 850 lawyers in 53 offices across the United States, Canada, Mexico, and Europe, Ogletree Deakins is the epitome of a modern, global, distributed law firm.

## RESULTS



GDPR  
Compliance



100's of Hours  
Saved



Hardware Cost  
Savings

## CHALLENGE

Ogletree Deakins' IT team is responsible for managing over 2,000 endpoints in more than 50 offices. With so many employees working remotely and data scattered on endpoints globally, effective asset intelligence and improved cybersecurity were the highest priorities. The firm also needed to ensure compliance with regulations such as GDPR and HIPAA. The IT team needed a solution to help them:

- Comply with GDPR and other regulations
- Enforce active encryption and anti-malware at all times
- Take security actions after an event occurs
- Maintain accurate historical records

Global law firm protects endpoints, secures data, and achieves GDPR compliance.

## SOLUTION

With Absolute, Ogletree's IT Procurement team, now has the granularity, visibility, and control they need over their endpoints – even when devices are not connected to their network. Using Absolute's historical logs, they can glean insight into who has used a device, when it was last turned on and logged into, the geographic location, as well as the condition it was in.

INDUSTRY

PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICES

PLATFORM





*"It is amazing, mind-blowing technology. We have the potential to eliminate a risk or compliance issue – that can save the day."*

**MIKE FALLAT**  
MANAGER, IT PROCUREMENT  
OGLETREE DEAKINS

Absolute helps Ogletree exponentially narrow the scope of their search when there is an issue or a potential risk. Uncertainty about a device's whereabouts and status has been eliminated. "We had a device out of the country that was stolen. With Absolute activated, that device showed up in the console and we were able to freeze it," said Mike Fallat, Manager, IT Procurement at Ogletree Deakins.

Absolute's Application Persistence® is the pièce de résistance for the team. "The application repair and reinstall is mind-blowing. Not only does it supplement SCCM in terms of data points, but it can keep SCCM itself running and functioning correctly. That's crazy. Additionally, the biggest thing is the ability to execute scripts with Reach, which takes Absolute to the next level of possibilities. Anything we need to do, even without the scripting skills, we can do. That is amazing, mind-blowing technology," Fallat disclosed.

## RESULTS

Absolute has helped Ogletree Deakins' IT team save over 100 hours a year through automated asset intelligence. "Now, we have the ability to do an endpoint data discovery and scan the files for sensitive information. We can determine that it's not at risk then grade that data and set up the different policies."

Peace of mind is one of the main benefits Absolute has brought to Ogletree Deakins' IT team, as it relates to risk and compliance. "I sleep better at night. Absolute is like an insurance policy for us. It offers protection that I haven't seen from any other product out there."

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## ABOUT ABSOLUTE

Absolute empowers more than 12,000 customers worldwide to protect devices, data, applications, and users against theft or attack – both on and off the corporate network. With the industry's only tamper-proof endpoint visibility and control solution, Absolute allows IT organizations to enforce asset intelligence, automated agent remediation, and data compliance for today's remote digital workforces. Absolute's patented Persistence® technology is embedded in the firmware of Dell, HP, Lenovo, and other leading manufacturers' devices for vendor-agnostic coverage, tamper-proof resilience, and ease of deployment. See how it works at [absolute.com](https://absolute.com) and follow us at [@absolutecorp](https://twitter.com/absolutecorp).



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