MIS 5206 Protection of Information Assets - Unit #1a -

Case Study: Snowfall and a stolen laptop

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Agenda

- Daily class schedule and schedule of breaks
- Introductions
- Case study analysis
- Frameworks for Protecting Information Assets
- Test taking tip
- Quiz

Daily class schedule

		Unit #	Assignment Topics				
		0 a	Video – Introduction to MIS5206				
		0b	Videos - Understanding an Organization's Risk Environment				
Saturday 5 <	2 hours	1a	Case Study 1: Snowfall and a stolen laptop				
	2 hours	1b	Data Classification Process and Models				
Su	nday J	2a	Risk Evaluation				
50		2b	Case Study 2: Autopsy of a Data Breach: The Target Case				
Mo	nday J	3 a	Creating a Security Aware Organization				
1010		3b	Physical and Environmental Security				
Tuesday		4a	Midterm Exam				
		4b	Case Study 3: A Hospital Catches the "Millennium Bug"				
Wedne	Lychze	<mark>5</mark> a	Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery Planning				
wearie		5b	Team Project Assignment				
Thu	Lveber	6a	Network Security				
IIId		6b	Cryptography, Public Key Encryption and Digital Signatures				
F	riday 🖌	7a	Identity Management and Access Control				
·		7b	Computer Application Security & Team Project Presentations				
Sati	urday -{	8	Team Project Presentations & Review				
		9	Final Exam				
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Introductions

Meet in Teams via Zoom Break Out Rooms for 5 minutes and figure out:

– What one question would you like answered about the ITACS program ?

When we return, each group's representative will:

- Tell me your name
- Ask your team's question

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Case Study Analysis – Group Work

- 1. What information security reporting or organizational governance relationship exists between Information Security and the organization(s) Ballard and Francesco report into?
 - Is this a problem?
- 2. What evidence is the basis for Information Security Office (ISO) conclusion that the Dean's stolen laptop did not contain personally identifiable information on RIT students, faculty, or staff?
- 3. Is the ISO's conclusion valid? Why or why not?



Figure C1 Partial RIT administrative organization chart.

Case Study Analysis: "Snowfall and a stolen laptop"

IT Governance Questions

Saunders College

IT Support

- 1. Which organization does:
 - Dave Ballard report into?
 - Network Administrator
 - Nick Francesco report into?
 - Manager of Technical Services
 - Where does the Information Security Office (ISO) reside?
 - What information security reporting or organizational governance relationship exists between ISO and the organization(s) Ballard and Francesco report into?
 - Is this a problem?
 - What kind of problem is it?

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Recovering deleted data files

On your computer, accessing "deleted" data may be done in 1 or two ways:

- Recover Deleted Files from Recycle Bin Step 1. Open Recycle Bin and find deleted files Step 2. Select and right-click deleted files, click "Restore" Step 3. Find recovered files at the original location
- 2. With one of many file undelete and data recovery programs widely available on the Internet.

These programs are touted as conveniences, which in some cases, they are

- But when it comes to security, the way your computer deletes (or doesn't delete) your data is a liability
- Someone accessing your computer remotely (i.e. a hacker) could very easily "recover" your deleted data
- The same goes for someone who buys your used computer on eBay or digs your discarded, failed hard drive out of the dumpster

https://www.easeus.com/file-recovery/recover-deleted-files-on-ssd.html?x-clickref=1100ljkxAPpG

https://www.stellarinfo.com/blog/ssd-recover-deleted-files/

Francesco clarified: "Until recently we used Social Security numbers to identify our students. Are you sure you didn't have any old class rosters, exams or other records on there?"

The Dean took a few seconds to deeply consider what he was asked. 'No. I am not teaching this semester, and I deleted everything from previous semesters.'

Francesco asked 'What student records did you have on your laptop?' The Dean quickly replied 'None.'

RIT Information Classifications

- **A. Private** a classification for information that is confidential which could be used for identity theft and has additional requirements associated with its protection. Private information includes:
 - A. Social Security Numbers (SSNs), Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN), or other national identification number
 - B. Driver's license numbers
 - C. Financial account information (bank account numbers (including checks), credit or debit card numbers, account numbers)
- **B. Confidential** a classification for information that is restricted on a need to know basis, that, because of legal, contractual, ethical, or other constraints, may not be accessed or communicated without specific authorization. Confidential information includes:
 - A. Educational records governed by the Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act (FERPA) that are not defined as directory information
 - B. University Identification Numbers (UIDs)
 - C. Employee and student health information as defined by Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
 - D. Alumni and donor information
 - E. Employee personnel records
 - F. Employee personal information including: home address and telephone number; personal e-mail addresses, usernames, or passwords; and parent's surname before marriage
 - G. Management information, including communications or records of the Board of Trustees and senior administrators, designated as confidential
 - H. Faculty research or writing before publication or during the intellectual property protection process.
 - I. Third party information that RIT has agreed to hold confidential under a contract
- **C.** Internal a classification for information restricted to RIT faculty, staff, students, alumni, contractors, volunteers, and business associates for the conduct of University business. Examples include online building floor plans, specific library collections, etc.
- **D. Public** a classification for information that may be accessed or communicated by anyone without restriction.

Francesco continued: 'Think about this carefully, because it has implications much bigger than you and me. What proprietary Saunders data did you have on that laptop?'

The Dean replied, 'I really didn't have anything too important. It was committee notes, faculty salary information, stuff like that. It may have been confidential, but not really proprietary.'

- 6. Was Francesco correct or mistaken in his use of the term "proprietary" Saunders data" ?
- Specifically, how does RIT's Information Classifications (Appendix F) relate to this case study scenario?

What would be the stolen laptop's additional impact on RIT if the ISO's conclusion is not valid ?

- Who else at RIT would be concerned with this stolen laptop incident?





How should we analyze the threat and attack leading to the Dean's lost laptop using this model?

What kind of <u>threat source</u> was active in the case study?



Taxonomy of threat sources

- 1. Adversarial
- 2. Accidental
- 3. Structural
- 4. Environmental

NIST SP 800-30r1 "Guide for Conducting Risk Assessments"

Type of Threat Source	Description	Characteristics
ADVERSARIAL - Individual - Outsider - Insider - Trusted Insider - Trusted Insider - Privileged Insider - Group - Ad hoc - Established - Organization - Competitor - Supplier - Partner - Customer - Nation-State	Individuals, groups, organizations, or states that seek to exploit the organization's dependence on cyber resources (i.e., information in electronic form, information and communications technologies, and the communications and information-handling capabilities provided by those technologies).	Capability, Intent, Targeting
ACCIDENTAL - User - Privileged User/Administrator	Erroneous actions taken by individuals in the course of executing their everyday responsibilities.	Range of effects
STRUCTURAL - Information Technology (IT) Equipment - Storage - Processing - Communications - Display - Sensor - Controller - Environmental Controls - Temperature/Humidity Controls - Power Supply - Software - Operating System - Networking - General-Purpose Application - Mission-Specific Application	Failures of equipment, environmental controls, or software due to aging, resource depletion, or other circumstances which exceed expected operating parameters.	Range of effects
ENVIRONMENTAL - Natural or man-made disaster - Fire - Flood/Tsunami - Windstorm/Tornado - Hurricane - Earthquake - Bombing - Overrun - Unusual Natural Event (e.g., sunspots) - Infrastructure Failure/Outage - Telecommunications - Electrical Power	Natural disasters and failures of critical infrastructures on which the organization depends, but which are outside the control of the organization. Note: Natural and man-made disasters can also be characterized in terms of their severity and/or duration. However, because the threat source and the threat event are strongly identified, severity and duration can be included in the description of the threat event (e.g., Category 5 hurricane causes extensive damage to the facilities housing mission-critical systems, making those systems unavailable for three weeks).	Range of effects

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A. Threat source

- i. Capability
- ii. Intent
- iii. Targeting

B. Threat event

- i. Attack type
- ii. Likelihood of attack initiation

C. Vulnerability

- i. Weakness type
- ii. Likelihood attack succeeds

D. Impact

- i. Impact type
- ii. Severity of impact
- iii. Overall likelihood

E. Organizational Risk



How should we organize and present the risks?



Factor Analysis of Information Risk (FAIR) framework

- Provides guidance on evaluating risks within organizations, broadly across an organization and in the context of a particular IT asset.
- Helps distinguish between:
 - Security incident frequency
 - How many laptop thefts per year?
 - Impacts on the organization
 - How many employee-hours to investigate, resolve, and recover from the incident?
 - How much money spent on credit monitoring for theft victims?

10. How should we organize and present the risks?

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Case Study epilogue

- I. Government numbers (Social Security Numbers) were eliminated as identifiers at the University
 - This change required modifications to every IT system used at RIT
- II. RIT implemented 2-layered approach to protecting data
 - 1. New software purchased to identify (and report) potential personally identifiable information on laptops
 - In the case of a theft, RIT was able to identify what personal information may have been at risk
 - 2. RIT implemented enterprise full disk encryption technologies on laptops to limit financial risks resulting from lost Personally Identifiable Information (PII)
 - Solution included ability to report on the state of the data (i.e. report when data is decrypted)

Case Study wrap-up





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Examples of Frameworks for Protecting Information Assets...

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A leading example of information security risk management

- First published in 2005, updated in 2013, and again in 2022 by agreement between
 - International Organization for Standardization (ISO)
 - International Electro-technical Commission (IEC)
- Specific requirements for security management systems and controls
- Firms can apply to be audited and certified as ISO/IEC 27001 compliant
- Now part of the <u>ISO/IEC 27000 series</u>









The leading framework for customizing and right-sizing enterprise governance of information and technology

An Overview of Frameworks for Protecting Information Assets





Processes for Governance of Enterprise IT

Evaluate, Direct and Monitor







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NIST Cybersecurity Framework

Framework for Improving Critical Infrastructure Cybersecurity

Version 1.1

National Institute of Standards and Technology

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Provides guidance to industry and other organizations to manage cybersecurity risks. It offers a taxonomy of high-level cybersecurity outcomes that can be used by any organization — regardless of its size, sector, or maturity — to better understand, assess, prioritize, and communicate its cybersecurity efforts.

The CSF does not prescribe how outcomes should be achieved.

It references resources that provide additional guidance on practices and controls that could be used to achieve those outcomes.

Figure 1: Framework Core Structure

Function Unique Identifier	Function	Category Unique Identifier	ry Category e er		
ID	Identify	ID.AM	Asset Management		
		ID.BE	Business Environment		
		ID.GV	Governance		
		ID.RA	Risk Assessment		
		ID.RM	Risk Management Strategy		
		ID.SC	Supply Chain Risk Management		
PR	Protect	PR.AC	Identity Management and Access Control		
		PR.AT	Awareness and Training		
		PR.DS	Data Security		
		PR.IP	Information Protection Processes and Procedures		
		PR.MA	Maintenance		
		PR.PT	Protective Technology		
DE	Detect	DE.AE	Anomalies and Events		
		DE.CM	Security Continuous Monitoring		
		DE.DP	Detection Processes		
RS	Respond	RS.RP	Response Planning		
		RS.CO	Communications		
		RS.AN	Analysis		
		RS.MI	Mitigation		
		RS.IM	Improvements		
RC	Recover	RC.RP	Recovery Planning		
		RC.IM	Improvements		
		RC.CO	Communications		

IT Risk Management Maturity

Organized as a Workflow

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Each Category of cybersecurity activities is further broken down into subcategories

l	Category	Subcategory	Informative References
Y	Asset Management (ID.AM): The data, personnel, devices, systems, and facilities that enable the organization to achieve business purposes are identified and managed consistent with their relative importance to	ID.AM-1: Physical devices and systems within the organization are inventoried	CIS CSC 1 COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02 ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4 ISA 62443-3-3:2013 SR 7.8 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8, PM-5
	organizational objectives and the organization's risk strategy.	ID.AM-2: Software platforms and applications within the organization are inventoried	CIS CSC 2 COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02, BAI09.05 ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4 ISA 62443-3-3:2013 SR 7.8 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2, A.12.5.1 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8, PM-5
		ID.AM-3: Organizational communication and data flows are mapped	CIS CSC 12 COBIT 5 DSS05.02 ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.13.2.1, A.13.2.2 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 AC-4, CA-3, CA-9, PL-8
		ID.AM-4: External information systems are catalogued	CIS CSC 12 COBIT 5 APO02.02, APO10.04, DSS01.02 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.11.2.6 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 AC-20, SA-9
		ID.AM-5: Resources (e.g., hardware, devices, data, time, personnel, and software) are prioritized based on their classification, criticality, and business value	CIS CSC 13, 14 COBIT 5 APO03.03, APO03.04, APO12.01, BAI04.02, BAI09.02 ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.6 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.2.1 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CP-2, RA-2, SA-14, SC-6
		ID.AM-6: Cybersecurity roles and responsibilities for the entire workforce and third-party stakeholders (e.g., suppliers, customers, partners) are established	CIS CSC 17, 19 COBIT 5 APO01.02, APO07.06, APO13.01, DSS06.03 ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.3.2.3.3 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.6.1.1 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CP-2, PS-7, PM-11

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		ID.BE	Business Environment	(ID)	The data, personnel, devices, systems, and facilities that enable	within the organization are inventoried	COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02		
		ID.GV	Governance		the organization to achieve		ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4		
		ID.RA	Risk Assessment		business purposes are identified		ISA 02443-3-3:2013 SK /.8 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A 8 1 1 A 8 1 2		
		ID.RM	Risk Management Strategy		and managed consistent with their relative importance to		NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8. PM-5		
		ID.SC	Supply Chain Risk Management		organizational objectives and the	ID AM-2: Software platforms and	CIS CSC 2		
PR	Protect	PR.AC	Identity Management and Access Control		organization's risk strategy.	applications within the organization are	COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02, BAI09.05		
		PR.AT	Awareness and Training			inventoried	ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4		
DE RS	Detect Respond	_ ID wi	D.AM-1: Physical devices an othin the organization are in	nd systems ventoried	CIS CSC 1 COBIT 5 BAI ISA 62443-2-1 ISA 62443-3-3 ISO/IEC 2700 NIST SP 800-	109.01, BAI09.02 1:2009 4.2.3.4 3:2013 SR 7.8 01:2013 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2 53 Rev. 4 CM-8, PM-5	R 7.8 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2, A.12.5.1 4 CM-8, PM-5 2.3.4 A.13.2.1, A.13.2.2 4 AC-4, CA-3, CA-9, PL-8 APO10.04, DSS01.02 A 11.2.6		
						~	ALST ST 600 -25 Rev. 4 AC-20, SA-9		
RC	Recover	RC PD	Improvements Recovery Planning			ID.AM-5: Resources (e.g., hardware,	CIS CSC 13, 14		
		RC IM	Improvements			devices, data, time, personnel, and	COBIT 5 APO03.03, APO03.04, APO12.01,		
		RC CO	Communications			classification, criticality, and business	BAI04.02, BAI09.02		
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i	nforma	ation	references			third-party stakeholders (e.g., suppliers, customers, partners) are established	ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.3.2.3.3 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.6.1.1		
							NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CP-2, PS-7, PM-11		

Information references pertain to specific information security governance, controls and management processes

Area: Management Domain: Build, Acquire and Implement				BA109 Process Practices. Inputs/Outputs and Activities				
Process Description	Bontain: Bana, Aoquite and Imperiori			Management Practice		Inputs	Outputs	
Manage IT assets through their life cycle to make sure that their use delivers a	value at optimal cost, they remain operational (fit for purpose), the	ose), they are		BAI09.01 Identify and record current assets.	From	Description	Description	То
licences to ensure that the optimal number are acquired, retained and deploy compliance with licence agreements.	red in relation to required business usage, and the software insta	to required business usage, and the software installed is in		Maintain an up-to-date and accurate record of all IT assets required to deliver services and ensure	BAI03.04	Updates to asset inventory	Asset register	AP006.01 BAI10.03
Process Purpose Statement Account for all IT assets and optimise the value provided by these assets.				alignment with configuration management and financial management. BAI10.02 Configuration repository Results of physical inventory checks			Results of physical inventory checks	BAI10.03 BAI10.04
The process supports the achievement of a set of primary IT-related goa	als:						intensity encode	DSS05.03
IT-related Goal	Related Metrics						Results of fit-for-purpose	AP002.02
06 Transparency of IT costs, benefits and risk	 Percent of investment business cases with clearly defined and expected IT-related costs and benefits 	ned and approv	ved				reviews	
	 Percent of IT services with clearly defined and approved operation 	ed operational			Activ	vities		
	 costs and expected benefits Satisfaction survey of key stakeholders regarding the level of transparency, understanding and accuracy of IT financial infor 	level of ial information		1. Identify all owned assets in an asset register that record management processes, the configuration managemen	ds current status. N t system, and the f	Naintain alignment with the ch financial accounting records.	ange management and config	guration
11 Optimisation of IT assets, resources and capabilities	 Frequency of capability maturity and cost optimisation assess 	assessments		2. Identify legal, regulatory or contractual requirements the	at need to be addre	essed when managing the ass	et.	
	Trend of assessment results Satisfaction levels of business and IT executives with IT-relate and canabilities	T-related costs	s	3. Verify the existence of all owned assets by performing r discovery tools.	egular physical an	d logical inventory checks and	reconciliation including the u	se of software
Process Goals and Metrics				4. Verify that the assets are fit for purpose (i.e., in a useful	condition).			
Process Goal	Related Metrics			5. Determine on a regular basis whether each asset contin	nues to provide val	ue and, if so, estimate the exp	ected useful life for delivering	value.
1. Licences are compliant and aligned with business need.	 Percent of used licences against paid-for licences 			6. Ensure accounting for all assets.				
2. Assets are maintained at optimal levels.	Number of assets not utilised			Management Practice Inputs Outputs				
	Benchmark costs Number of obsolete assets			RAI00 02 Manage critical assots	From	Description	Description	То
				Identify assets that are critical in providing service	TION	Description		AP009.04
BAI09 RACI Chart				capability and take steps to maximise their reliability			maintenance downtime	AI 000.04
				and availability to support business needs.			Maintenance agreements	Internal
					Acti	vities		
s Injects) C	e officer	ager	j.	1. Identify assets that are critical in providing service capability by referencing requirements in service definitions, SLAs and the configuration management system.				
ber Downer Commence	tition fifticer to fifticer	y Mar		2. Monitor performance of critical assets by examining inc	ident trends and, v	vhere necessary, take action t	o repair or replace.	
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rd af Execution af Execution af Operations intess Executions intess Pro- intess Pro- intes	e Manag af Frisk Of af Informe af Informe arprise Ri- phiance fri Informe d Architee d Devel of d IT Oper vice Mane	vice Mans rmation S iness Cor	acy Office	 Maintain the resilience of critical assets by applying reg and/or additional assets to minimise the likelihood of fa 	jular preventive ma ilure.	intenance, monitoring perforn	nance, and, if required, providi	ing alternative
Management Practice A E E BAI09.01 Image: Second sec	Val. Val. Chi. Chi. Aud Aud Hes Hes Hes Hes Hes Ser	Ser Info	<u></u>	5. Establish a preventive maintenance plan for all hardwar personnel and other relevant factors.	re, considering cos	t-benefit analysis, vendor reco	mmendations, risk of outage,	qualified
Identify and record current C C C A R C				6. Establish maintenance agreements involving third-party Establish formal service contracts containing or referrin	y access to organis g to all necessary :	ational IT facilities for on-site security conditions, including a	and off-site activities (e.g., ou access authorisation procedur	tsourcing). res, to ensure
Mar within the organization are inventoried COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02				compliance with the organisational security policies and	d standards.			
BAI ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4				7. Communicate to affected customers and users the expected impact (e.g., performance restrictions) of maintenance activities.				
Mar ISA	. 62443-3-3:2013 SR 7.8		+	8. Ensure that remote access services and user profiles (or	or other means use	d for maintenance or diagnosi	s) are active only when requir	ed.
BAI Opt ISO NIS	/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2 IT SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8, PM-5			 Incorporate planned downtime in an overall production business processes. 	schedule, and sche	edule the maintenance activiti	es to minimise the adverse im	ipact on
Manage licences.		┯╾┯┙						

Function Unique Identifier	Function	Category Unique Identifier	Category	Category Function		Category Function Category		Subcategory	Informative References	
ID	Identify	ID.AM	Asset Management	IDENTIFY	Asset Management (ID.AM):	ID.AM-1: Physical devices and systems	CIS CSC 1			
		ID.BE	Business Environment	(ID)	The data, personnel, devices, systems, and facilities that enable	within the organization are inventoried	COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02			
		ID.GV	Governance		the organization to achieve		ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4			
		ID.RA	Risk Assessment		business purposes are identified		ISA 02443-3-3:2013 SK /.8 ISO/IEC 27001-2013 A 8 1 1 A 8 1 2			
		ID.RM	Risk Management Strategy		and managed consistent with their		NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8 PM-5			
		ID.SC	Supply Chain Risk Management		organizational objectives and the	ID AM-2: Software platforms and	CIS CSC 2			
PR	Protect	PR.AC	Identity Management and Access Control		organization's risk strategy.	applications within the organization are	COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02, BAI09.05			
		PR.AT	Awareness and Training			inventoried	ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4			
DE RS	Detect Respond	ID wi	•.AM-1: Physical devices a thin the organization are in	nd systems wentoried	CIS CSC 1 COBIT 5 BAI ISA 62443-2-1 ISA 62443-3-3 ISO/IEC 2700 NIST SP 800-	109.01, BAI09.02 1:2009 4.2.3.4 3:2013 SR 7.8 01:2013 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2 53 Rev. 4 CM-8, PM-5	R 7.8 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2, A.12.5.1 4 CM-8, PM-5 2.3.4 A.13.2.1, A.13.2.2 4 AC-4, CA-3, CA-9, PL-8 APO10.04, DSS01.02 A.11.2.6			
		RS.IM	Improvements				4 AC-20, SA-9			
RC	Recover	RC.RP	Recovery Planning			ID.AM-5: Resources (e.g., hardware,	CIS CSC 13, 14			
		RC.IM	Improvements			software) are prioritized based on their	COBIT 5 APO03.03, APO03.04, APO12.01, BAI04.02 BAI09.02			
		RC.CO	Communications			classification, criticality, and business	ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.6			
E C i	Each su associa nforma	bcate ted oi ation i	egory or activity is r cross-referenced to references			value ID.AM-6: Cybersecurity roles and responsibilities for the entire workforce and third-party stakeholders (e.g., suppliers, customers, partners) are established	ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.2.1 NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CP-2, RA-2, SA-14, SC-6 CIS CSC 17, 19 COBIT 5 APO01.02, APO07.06, APO13.01, DSS06.03 ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.3.2.3.3 ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.6.1.1			

COBIT references pertain to Governance and Management processes NIST SP 800 information references pertain to specific information security controls

2.2 CONTROL STRUCTURE AND ORGANIZATION

Security and privacy controls described in this publication have a well-defined organization and structure. For ease of use in the security and privacy control selection and specification process, controls are organized into 20 *families*.²⁵ Each family contains controls that are related to the specific topic of the family. A two-character identifier uniquely identifies each control family (e.g., *PS* for Personnel Security). Security and privacy controls may involve aspects of policy, oversight, supervision, manual processes, and automated mechanisms that are implemented by systems or actions by individuals. Table 1 lists the security and privacy control families and their associated family identifiers.

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MP	Media Protection	<u>SR</u>	Supply Chain Risk Management

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MA	Maintenance SI System and Information Integrity		System and Information Integrity
MP	Media Protection	<u>SR</u>	Supply Chain Risk Management

CM-8 SYSTEM COMPONENT INVENTORY

Control:

- a. Develop and document an inventory of system components that:
 - 1. Accurately reflects the system;
 - 2. Includes all components within the system;
 - Does not include duplicate accounting of components or components assigned to any other system;
 - 4. Is at the level of granularity deemed necessary for tracking and reporting; and
 - 5. Includes the following information to achieve system component accountability: [Assignment: organization-defined information deemed necessary to achieve effective system component accountability]; and
- b. Review and update the system component inventory [*Assignment: organization-defined frequency*].

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CM-8	INFORM	ATION SYSTEM	COMPONENT INV	ENTORY	
	ASSESSMENT OBJECTIVE:				
	Determ	ine if the orga	nization:		
	СМ-8(а)	СМ-8(а)(1)	develops and documents an inventory of information system components that accurately reflects the current information system;		
		СМ-8(а)(2)	develops and documents an inventory of information system components that includes all components within the authorization boundary of the information system; develops and documents an inventory of information system components that is at the level of granularity deemed necessary for tracking and reporting; CM-8(a)(4)[1] defines the information deemed necessary to achieve effective information system component accountability;		
		См-8(а)(3)			
		CM-8(a)(4)			
			СМ-8(а)(4)[2]	develops system c defined effective account	s and documents an inventory of information omponents that includes organization- information deemed necessary to achieve information system component ability;
	CM-8(b)	CM-8(b)[1]	defines the frequency to review and update the information system component inventory; and		review and update the information system nd
		CM-8(b)[2]	reviews and updates the information system component inventory with the organization-defined frequency. MENT METHODS AND OBJECTS: DM: Configuration management policy; procedures addressing information system inventory; configuration management plan; security plan; information system cords; inventory reviews and update records; other relevant documents or DM: Organizational personnel with responsibilities for information system inventory; organizational personnel with information security responsibilities;		
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	Test: [SE inf	System/netwo ELECT FROM: Org ormation system ormation system	anizational proces components; aut component inver	sses for dev omated meen ntory].	eloping and documenting an inventory of chanisms supporting and/or implementing the

Which Asset Management Subcategories of activities relate to a Risk Assessment (RA) of impacts resulting from a breach in data confidentiality, integrity and/or availability?

Function Function Category Subcategory Unique Unique Identifier Identifier	Informative References
ID Identify ID.AM Asset Management IDENTIFY Asset Management (ID.AM): ID.AM-1: Physical devices and sy	stems CIS CSC 1
ID.BE Business Environment (ID) The data, personnel, devices, within the organization are invento	COBIT 5 BAI09.01, BAI09.02
ID.GV Governance the organization to achieve	ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4
ID.RA Risk Assessment business purposes are identified	ISA 62443-3-3:2013 SR 7.8
ID.RM Risk Management Strategy and managed consistent with their	NIST SD 800 53 Per 4 CM 8 DM 5
ID.SC Supply Chain Risk Management organizational objectives and the ID AM 2: Software rlatforms and	CIS CSC 2
PR Protect DR AC Identity Management and Access Control Organization's risk strategy	COPIT 5 PA109 01 PA109 02 PA109 05
	ISA 62443-2-1-2000 4 2 3 4
ID.AM-5: Resources (e.g., hardware, CIS CSC 13, 14	ISA 62443-3-3:2013 SR 7.8
devices, data, time, personnel, and COBIT 5 APO03 03 APO03 04 APO12 01	ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.1.1, A.8.1.2, A.12.5.1
software) are prioritized based on their DAIO4 02, DAIO2 02	NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8, PM-5
BA104.02, BA109.02	CIS CSC 12
DE classification, criticality, and business ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4 2 3 6	COBIT 5 DSS05.02
value	ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4
ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.2.1	ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.13.2.1, A.13.2.2
NIST SP 800 53 Pey ACD 2 PA 2 SA 14 S	NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 AC-4, CA-3, CA-9, PL-8
NIST ST 800-35 Kev. 4 CF-2, IA-2, SA-14, 5	CIS CSC 12
RS.AN Analysis	COBIT 5 APO02.02, APO10.04, DSS01.02
RS.MI Mitigation	ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.11.2.6
RS.IM Improvements	NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 AC-20, SA-9
RC Recover RC.RP Recovery Planning	re, CIS CSC 13, 14
RC.IM Improvements software) are prioritized based on t	COBIT 5 APO03.03, APO03.04, APO12.01, heir BA104.02 BA109.02
RC.CO Communications classification, criticality, and busin	ess ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4 2.3 6
value	ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.2.1
	NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CP-2, RA-2, SA-14, SC-6
ID.AM-6: Cybersecurity roles and	CIS CSC 17, 19
responsibilities for the entire work	orce and COBIT 5 APO01.02, APO07.06, APO13.01,
	DSS06.03
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customers, partners) are established	150/IEC 2/001;2013 A.0.1.1

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SECURITY CATEGORIZATION					
ASSESSMENT OB. Determine if:	IECTIVE:				
RA-02a.	the system and the information it processes, stores, and transmits are categorized;				
RA-02b.	the security categorization results, including supporting rationale, are documented in the security plan for the system;				
RA-02c. the authorizing official or authorizing official designated representative review approves the security categorization decision.					
POTENTIAL ASSESSMENT METHODS AND OBJECTS:					
RA-02-Examine	[SELECT FROM: Risk assessment policy; security planning policy and procedures; procedures addressing security categorization of organizational information and systems; security categorization documentation; system security plan; privacy plan; other relevant documents or records].				
RA-02-Interview	[SELECT FROM: Organizational personnel with security categorization and risk assessment responsibilities; organizational personnel with security and privacy responsibilities].				
RA-02-Test [SELECT FROM: Organizational processes for security categorization].					
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TABLE 3-16: RISK ASSESSMENT FAMILY

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CONTROL NUMBER			SECURITY CONTROL BASELINES		
	CONTROL ENHANCEMENT NAME	PRIVAC BA	LOW	MOD	HIGH
RA-1	Policy and Procedures	x	x	x	x
RA-2	Security Categorization		x	x	х
RA-2(1)	IMPACT-LEVEL PRIORITIZATION				
RA-3	Risk Assessment	x	x	x	х
RA-3(1)	SUPPLY CHAIN RISK ASSESSMENT		x	x	х
RA-3(2)	USE OF ALL-SOURCE INTELLIGENCE				
RA-3(3)	DYNAMIC THREAT AWARENESS				
RA-3(4)	PREDICTIVE CYBER ANALYTICS				
RA-4	Risk Assessment Update	W: Incorporated into RA-3.			
RA-5	Vulnerability Monitoring and Scanning		x	x	х
RA-5(1)	UPDATE TOOL CAPABILITY	W: Inc	W: Incorporated into RA-5.		
RA-5(2)	UPDATE VULNERABILITIES TO BE SCANNED		x	x	х
RA-5(3)	BREADTH AND DEPTH OF COVERAGE				
RA-5(4)	DISCOVERABLE INFORMATION				х
RA-5(5)	PRIVILEGED ACCESS			x	х
RA-5(6)	AUTOMATED TREND ANALYSES				
RA-5(7)	AUTOMATED DETECTION AND NOTIFICATION OF UNAUTHORIZED COMPONENTS	W: Inc	orporated i	nto CM-8.	
RA-5(8)	REVIEW HISTORIC AUDIT LOGS				
RA-5(9)	PENETRATION TESTING AND ANALYSES	W: Incorporated into CA-8.			
RA-5(10)	CORRELATE SCANNING INFORMATION				
RA-5(11)	PUBLIC DISCLOSURE PROGRAM		x	x	x
RA-6	Technical Surveillance Countermeasures Survey				
RA-7	Risk Response	х	x	x	x
RA-8	Privacy Impact Assessments	x			
RA-9	Criticality Analysis			x	x
RA-10	Threat Hunting				

Risk control "class" is another way to think about information security controls...

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CLASS	FAMILY	IDENTIFIER
Management	Risk Assessment	RA
Management	Planning	PL
Management	System and Services Acquisition	SA
Management	Certification, Accreditation, and Security Assessments	CA
Operational	Personnel Security	PS
Operational	Physical and Environmental Protection	PE
Operational	Contingency Planning	СР
Operational	Configuration Management	CM
Operational	Maintenance	MA
Operational	System and Information Integrity	SI
Operational	Media Protection	MP
Operational	Incident Response	IR
Operational	Awareness and Training	AT
Technical	Identification and Authentication	IA
Technical	Access Control	AC
Technical	Audit and Accountability	AU
Technical	System and Communications Protection	SC

Table 2: Security Control Class, Family, and Identifier

Examples of overlapping & complementary IT security frameworks

Cybersecurity Framework provides a workflow model of information assurance activities

COBIT provides guidance for enterprise IT risk governance and management

Risk Management Framework outlines baselines of risk management controls for information systems and checklists for auditing them

- Read the answers first -

This contradicts many people's test taking recommendations...

...but, it works. Here's why:

- Quickly alerts you to the type of question to expect
- Focuses your attention in reading the question for meaningful information
- Gives you advanced warning that there may be more than one significant concepts (option to answer in the form "Both A & B")
- Gives you an opportunity to get a sense of the sort of answer the test maker is looking for
- There may be more than one valid answer, but the test maker may be looking for "best mitigation for the situation" or "least risk in the situation"

Example:

- A. Transaction authorization
- B. Loss or duplication of EDI transmissions
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Answer: A

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Quiz – Unit #2

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