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CIS Controls

THE ISSUE



Credit card breaches, identity theft, ransomware & loss of privacy are now everyday news



Organizations lack effective cybersecurity practices & policies



The 'Fog of More' overwhelms organizations facing cybersecurity decisions¹

A COMMUNITY SOLUTION



The CIS Critical Security Controls (CIS Controls) started as a grass-roots activity in 2008



Focused on the most critical actions organizations should take, informed by experts & real threat data



Embodies the Pareto Principle, an "80/20 Rule" to emphasize the most valuable security actions

HOW ARE THEY CREATED?



Expert volunteers from every part of the cyber ecosystem, including vendors & consultants, develop the CIS Controls



The Center for Internet Security's CIS Controls have matured into an international movement of individuals & institutions



More than "good things to do," the CIS Controls are a prioritized set of actions that bridge technical security & risk management

WHAT ARE THEY?



A set of 20 scalable & data-driven guidelines to ensure an organization's security



Practical steps proven to mitigate the most common attacks & reduce corporate risk



Can be implemented into any organization to ensure compliance with leading security frameworks such as NIST

GETTING STARTED

The journey of cybersecurity improvement starts at www.cisecurity.org/critical-controls.cfm, where you can download the CIS Critical Security Controls document for free.

