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CRITICAL SECURITY CONTROL		DESCRIPTION		MAPPINGS TO THE CRITICAL SECURITY CONTROLS (VS.0A)										
				NIST CORE FRAMEWORK	PCI DSS 3.0	ISO 27002: 2013	DHS CDM PROGRAM	AUSTLIAN TOP 35	GCHQ IO STEPS	UK CYBER ESSENTIALS	UK ICO PROTECTING DATA	NIST 800-53 REV4*		
<b>1</b>	<b>Inventory of Authorized and Unauthorized Devices</b>	Actively manage (inventory, track, and correct) all hardware devices on the network so that only authorized devices are given access, and unauthorized and unmanaged devices are found and prevented from gaining access.	ID.AM-1 ID.AM-3 PR.DS-3	2.4	A.8.1.1 A.9.1.2 A.13.1.1	Configuration Settings Management	1 14 17					Inappropriate locations for processing data	CA-7 CM-8 IA-3 SA-4	SC-17 SI-4 PS-5
<b>2</b>	<b>Inventory of Authorized and Unauthorized Software</b>	Actively manage (inventory, track, and correct) all software on the network so that only authorized software is installed and can execute, and that unauthorized and unmanaged software is found and prevented from installation or execution.	ID.AM-2 PR.DS-6		A.12.5.1 A.12.6.2	Hardware Asset Management Software Asset Management						Decommissioning of software or services	CA-7 CM-10 CM-11 CM-8 SA-4 PS-5 SC-18	SC-34 SI-4 PS-5 SC-18
<b>3</b>	<b>Secure Configurations for Hardware and Software</b>	Establish, implement, and actively manage (track, report on, correct) the security configuration of laptops, servers, and workstations using a rigorous configuration management and change control process in order to prevent attackers from exploiting vulnerable services and settings.	PR.IP-1	2.2 2.3 4.2 11.5	A.14.2.4 A.14.2.8 A.18.2.3	Configuration Settings Management	2-5 21	Secure Configuration	Secure Configuration Patch Management			Inappropriate locations for processing data	CA-7 CM-4 CM-11 CM-10 CM-3 CM-8 MA-5 SI-2 CM-5 CM-9 SA-4 SI-4	SC-10 SI-10 SC-34
<b>4</b>	<b>Continuous Vulnerability Assessment and Remediation</b>	Continuously acquire, assess, and take action on new information in order to identify vulnerabilities, remediate, and minimize the window of opportunity for attackers.	ID.NA-1 ID.NA-2 PR.IP-12	DE.CM-8 KS.MI-3	6.1 6.2 11.2	A.12.6.1 A.14.2.8	Vulnerability Management	2-3		Patch Management		Software Updates	CA-2 CA-7 BA-5 SI-7	SC-34 SI-4
<b>5</b>	<b>Malware Defenses</b>	Control the installation, spread, and execution of malicious code at multiple points in the enterprise, while optimizing the use of automation to enable rapid updating of defense, data gathering, and corrective action.	PR.PT-2 DE.CM-4 DE.CM-5	5.1 - 5.4	A.8.3.1 A.12.2.1 A.13.2.3		7 17 22	26 30 Malware Protection	Removable Media Controls Malware Protection	Malware Protection			CA-7 SC-39 SC-44 SI-8	SI-3 SI-4 SI-8
<b>6</b>	<b>Application Software Security</b>	Manage the security lifecycle of all in-house developed and acquired software in order to prevent, detect, and correct security weaknesses.	PR.DS-7	6.5 - 6.7	A.9.A.5 A.12.1.4 A.14.2.1 A.14.2.8 - A.14.2.8	Vulnerability Management	24					SQL Injection	SA-13 SA-15 SA-16 SA-17 SI-16	SA-30 SA-11 SI-15 SI-16
<b>7</b>	<b>Wireless Access Control</b>	The processes and tools used to track/control/prevent/correct the security use of wireless local area networks (WLAN), access points, and wireless client systems.		4.3 11.1	A.10.1.1 A.12.4.1 A.12.7.1				Monitoring Network Security				AC-18 AC-19 CA-3 SI-8	CA-7 SC-17 SC-40 SI-4
<b>8</b>	<b>Data Recovery Capability</b>	The processes and tools used to properly back up critical information with a proven methodology for timely recovery of it.	PR.IP-4	4.3 9.5 - 9.7	A.10.1.1 A.12.3.1								CP-9 CP-10 HP-4	
<b>9</b>	<b>Security Skills Assessment and Appropriate Training to Fill Gaps</b>	For all functional roles in the organization (prioritizing those mission-critical to the business and its security), identify the specific knowledge, skills, and abilities needed to support defense of the enterprise; develop and execute an integrated plan to assess, identify gaps, and remediate through policy, organizational planning, training, and awareness programs.	PR.AT-1 PR.AT-2 PR.AT-3	PR.AT-4 PR.AT-5	12.6	A.7.2.2	Security-Related Behavior Management	28	User Education & Awareness				AT-1 AT-2 AT-3	AT-4 SI-11 SI-16 PS-12 PS-14 PS-16
<b>10</b>	<b>Secure Configurations for Network Devices</b>	Establish, implement, and actively manage (track, report on, correct) the security configuration of network infrastructure devices using a rigorous configuration management and change control process in order to prevent attackers from exploiting vulnerable services and settings.	PR.AC-5 PR.IP-1 PR.PT-4	1.1 - 1.2	A.9.1.2 A.13.1.1 A.13.1.3	Configuration Settings Management Boundary Protection	2 3 10	Secure Configuration Network Security	Boundary firewalls and internet gateways Secure Configuration Patch Management			Inappropriate locations for processing data	AC-4 CA-3 CA-7 CA-9 CM-6 CM-8	CM-8 PS-4 SC-24 SC-4
<b>11</b>	<b>Limitation and Control of Network Ports</b>	Manage (track/control/correct) the ongoing operational use of ports, protocols, and services on networked devices in order to minimize windows of vulnerability available to attackers.	PR.AC-5 DE.AE-1	1.4	A.9.1.2 A.13.1.1 A.13.1.2 A.14.1.2	Boundary Protection	2 3 12	13 Network Security				Decommissioning of software or services Unnecessary Services	AC-4 CA-7 CA-9 CA-9 CM-2 CM-8 CM-10 SC-12 SC-41 SC-4 SC-21	SC-12 SC-41 SC-4
<b>12</b>	<b>Controlled Use of Administrative Privileges</b>	The processes and tools used to track/control/prevent/correct the use, assignment, and configuration of administrative privileges on computers, networks, and applications.	PR.AC-4 PR.AT-2 PR.LT-3	PR.MA-2 PR.LT-3	2.1 7.1 - 7.3 8.1 - 8.3 8.7	A.9.1.1 A.9.2.2 - A.9.2.6 A.9.3.1 A.9.A.1 - A.9.A.4		4 9	11 25	Monitoring	Access Control	Configuration of SSL and TLS Default Credentials	AC-2 AC-6 AC-17 IA-2 IA-4 IA-5 SI-4	IA-4 IA-5 SI-4
<b>13</b>	<b>Boundary Defense</b>	Detect/prevent/correct the flow of information transferring networks of different trust levels with a focus on security-damaging data.	PR.AC-3 PR.AC-5 DE.AE-1	PR.MA-2 DE.AE-1	1.1 - 1.3 10.8 11.4	A.9.1.1 A.9.1.2 A.13.1.1 A.13.1.3 A.13.2.3	Boundary Protection	10-11 18-20 23 32-34	Home and Mobile Working Monitoring Network Security	Boundary firewalls and internet gateways		Configuration of SSL and TLS Inappropriate locations for processing data	AC-4 AC-17 CA-9 CA-3 CA-9 CM-2 CM-8 SI-8 SI-9	SC-7 SC-8 SC-4
<b>14</b>	<b>Maintenance, Monitoring, and Analysis of Audit Logs</b>	Collect, manage, and analyze audit logs of events that could help detect, understand, or recover from an attack.	PR.PT-1 DE.AE-3 DE.DP-1 DE.DP-2 DE.DP-5	DE.DP-3 DE.DP-4 DE.DP-5	10.1 - 10.7	A.12.4.1 - A.12.4.4 A.12.7.1	Generic Audit Monitoring	15-16 35	Monitoring				AC-23 AU-3 AU-4 AU-8 AU-12 AU-14 AU-18	SI-4 SI-4 SI-4 SI-4 SI-4 SI-4
<b>15</b>	<b>Controlled Access Based on the Need to Know</b>	The processes and tools used to track/control/prevent/correct secure access to critical assets (e.g., information, resources, systems) according to the formal determination of which persons, computers, and applications have a need and right to access these critical assets based on an approved classification.	PR.AC-4 PR.AC-5 PR.DS-1 PR.LT-3	PR.DS-2 PR.LT-3	1.3 - 1.4 7.1 - 7.3 8.7	A.8.3.1 A.9.1.1 A.10.1.1	Access Control Management Privileges	26	Managing User Privileges Network Security	Access Control		Inappropriate locations for processing data	AC-1 AC-2 AC-3 CA-7 HP-3 IA-2 IA-4 SI-4	IA-2 SC-16 SI-4
<b>16</b>	<b>Account Monitoring and Control</b>	Actively manage the life-cycle of system and application accounts -- their creation, use, dormancy, deletion - in order to minimize opportunities for attackers to leverage them.	PR.AC-1 PR.AC-4 PR.PT-3		7.1 - 7.3 8.7 - 8.8	A.9.2.2 - A.9.2.6 A.9.3.1 A.9.A.1 - A.9.A.3 A.13.2.8	Credentials and Authentication Management	25	Managing User Privileges	Access Control		Configuration of SSL and TLS	AC-2 AC-3 AC-7 AC-11 IA-10	SC-17 SC-23 SI-4 SI-4
<b>17</b>	<b>Data Protection</b>	The processes and tools used to prevent data exfiltration, mitigate the effects of exfiltrated data, and ensure the privacy and integrity of sensitive information.	PR.AC-5 PR.DS-2 PR.DS-5 PR.LT-2	PR.DS-5	3.6 4.1 - 4.3	A.8.1.1 A.10.1.1 - A.10.1.12 A.13.2.1 A.18.1.5		26	Removable Media Controls				AC-3 AC-4 AC-23 CA-7 CM-9 CM-12 SI-4 SI-5 SI-8 SI-9	SC-4 SC-18 SC-31 SI-4
<b>18</b>	<b>Incident Response and Management</b>	Protect the organization's information, as well as its reputation, by developing and implementing an incident response infrastructure (e.g., plans, defined roles, training, communications, management oversight) for quickly discovering an attack and then effectively containing the damage, eradicating the attacker's presence, and restoring the integrity of the network and systems.	PR.IP-10 DE.AE-4 DE.AE-5 DE.MI-1 DE.MI-2 DE.MI-3 DE.MI-12	DE.MI-1 DE.MI-2 DE.MI-3 DE.MI-12	12.10	A.8.1.3 A.7.2.1 A.16.1.2 A.16.1.4 - A.16.1.13	Plan for Events Respond to Events		Incident Management				IR-1 IR-2 IR-3	IR-4 IR-5 IR-6 IR-8 IR-10
<b>19</b>	<b>Secure Network Engineering</b>	Make security an inherent attribute of the enterprise by specifying, designing, and building in features that allow high confidence systems operations while denying or minimizing opportunities for attackers.	PR.AC-5		A.13.1.3 A.14.2.5		10	Network Security				Inappropriate locations for processing data	AC-4 CA-3 CA-9 SC-22 SC-32 SC-37	SC-22 SC-32 SC-37
<b>20</b>	<b>Penetration Tests and Red Team Exercises</b>	Test the overall strength of an organization's defenses (the technology, the processes, and the people) by simulating the objectives and actions of an attacker.		11.3	A.14.2.8 A.18.2.1 A.18.2.2								CA-2 CA-5 CA-6 CM-4	CM-8 MA-6 PS-4 PS-14 SI-4