

### CISO Playbook



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#### **State of the Hack**

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- Attackers are calling their targets directly
- Nation-state-sponsored APTs continued to harvest systems for PII
- Global median time from compromise to discovery has dropped significantly from from 146 days in 2015 to 99 days 2016, but it is still not good enough



- The use of anti-forensic tools to cover the attacker's tracks
- Third-party trust relationships introduce significant risks
- Malware-free intrusions have become the norm





#### **State of the Hack**



	Verticals						Risk Rankings				
Threat Actors	Financial Services	Retail	Legal	Energy	Healthcare	Tech/ Entertainment	Telecom	Gov't/ Military	NGOs/Civil Society	Capability	Potential Impact
China			x	x	x	x	x	х		Tier 6	Catastrophic
Five Eyes*				X			x	x		Tier 6	Catastrophic
Iran	х			x			X	x		Tier 4	Moderate/ Severe
North Korea	х			x		x	x	X		Tier 4**	Severe
Russia	х		X	x		x	x	x	x	Tier 6	Catastrophic
Disruptive/ Attention- Seeking Actors						x		x		Tier 3	Moderate
Cybercriminals	x	x	x		x	x	x			Tier 4	Severe
Hacktivists	x	X		X		x	X	X	X	Tier 3	Moderate
Jihadi Hackers	x					x		x		Tier 2	Negligible

<sup>\*</sup> Non-threat nation-states of the U.S. and its allies represent the high-water mark for top-tier nation-state cyber capabilities. Risk assessments should measure adversarial nation-states against these top-tier actors when estimating cyber capability.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Although assessed as a Tier 4 actor, North Korea is a unique case, as the state is able to marshal state resources as necessary, which may enable capabilities which are generally ascribed to higher tier actors. North Korea in particular is likely capable of using destructive and highly disruptive attacks in kinetic conflict scenarios to support military objectives — a key differentiator of Tier 6 actors.

#### **State of the Hack – Matter of Fact!**

• Every company has at least one person who will click on anything





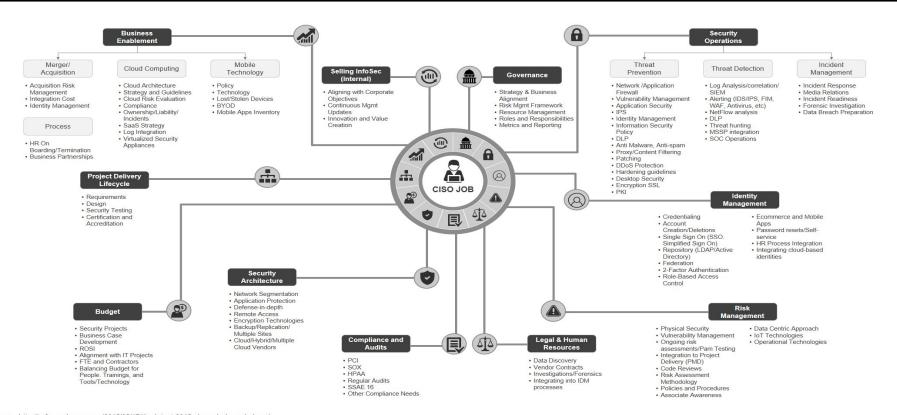
### WHAT IS A CISO?

#### **According to Wikipedia**

• A chief information security officer (CISO) is the senior-level executive within an organization responsible for establishing and maintaining the enterprise vision, strategy, and program to ensure information assets and technologies are adequately protected. The CISO directs staff in identifying, developing, implementing, and maintaining processes across the enterprise to reduce information and information technology (IT) risks. They respond to incidents, establish appropriate standards and controls, manage security technologies, and direct the establishment and implementation of policies and procedures.

#### CISO Mind Map

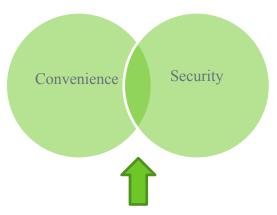




Source: http://rafeeqrehman.com/2015/05/17/the-latest-2015-ciso-mindmap-is-here/

#### **CISO Four focus areas**

- Guardian
  - Protect business assets
- Strategist
  - Drive business and cyber risk alignment
- Advisor
  - Educate business on cyber risk
- Technologist
  - Find and implement the right technology for the business





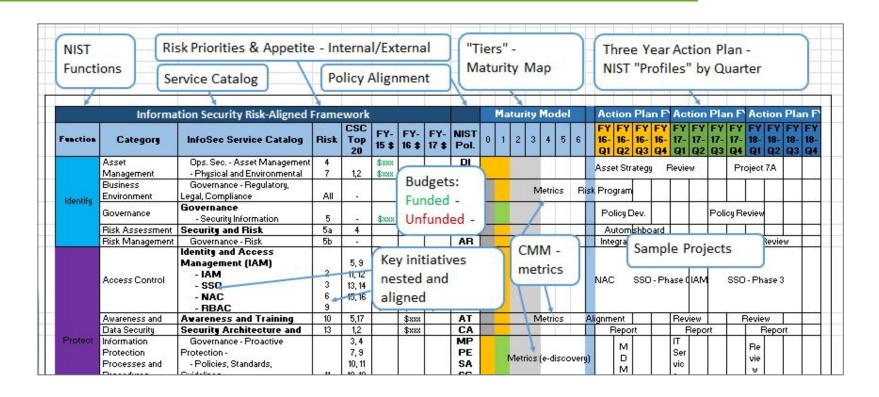
# THAT MIND MAP LOOKED EXHAUSTING, HOW ARE YOU SLEEPING?

#### And how are you sleeping?



# SEEMS LIKE A LOT, IS THERE A CISO ROADMAP?

#### Planning Tool – NIST CSF



#### **NIST Cyber Security Framework**

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

#### Map Security Controls to the Framewor

Function	Category	Subcategory	Informative References		
	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 business objectives and the organization's risk strategy.	ID.AM-1: Physical devices and systems within the organization are inventoried	CCS 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		
		ID.AM-2: Software platforms and applications within the organization are inventoried	CCS 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     NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CM-8		
IDENTIFY (ID)		ID.AM-3: Organizational communication and data flows are mapped	CCS CSC 1     COBIT 5 DSS05.02     ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.4     ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.13.2.1     NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 AC-4, CA-3, CA-9, PL-8		
		ID.AM-4: External information systems are catalogued	COBIT 5 APO02.02     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, and software) are prioritized based on their classification, criticality, and business value	<ul> <li>COBIT 5 APO03.03, APO03.04, BAI09.02</li> <li>ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.2.3.6</li> <li>ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.8.2.1</li> <li>NIST SP 800-53 Rev. 4 CP-2, RA-2, SA-14</li> </ul>		
		ID.AM-6: Cybersecurity roles and responsibilities for the entire workforce and third-party stakeholders (e.g., suppliers, customers, partners) are established	• COBIT 5 APO01.02, DSS06.03 • ISA 62443-2-1:2009 4.3.2.3.3 • ISO/IEC 27001:2013 A.6.1.1		

# HOW MANY SECURITY CONTROLS ARE THERE?

#### **Cyber Security Standards**

- Each standard has a set of security controls:
  - Sarbanes-Oxley
  - NERC
  - PCI DSS
  - HIPAA
  - COBIT
  - ISO 27001
  - ISA/IEC-62443
  - FISMA
  - GDRP
  - ETC...

Thousands of security controls but many overlap

#### Is Security, Compliance?

- Security is not Compliance and Compliance is not Security
- Security is a Journey
  - If you do security right, compliance is easy



### WHERE DO WE START?

#### **Top 20 Critical Security Controls**

1.	Inventory of Authorized and Unauthorized Devices	11.	Secure Configurations for Network Devices
2.	Inventory of Authorized and Unauthorized Softwar	e12.	Boundary Defense
3.	Secure Configurations for Hardware and Software	13.	Data Protection
4.	Continuous Vulnerability Assessment and	14.	Controlled Access Based on the Need to
	Remediation		Know
5.	Controlled Use of Administrative Privileges	15.	Wireless Access Control
6.	Maintenance, Monitoring, and Analysis of Audit	16.	Account Monitoring and Control
	Logs	17.	Security Skills Assessment and Appropriate
7.	Email and Web Browser Protections		Training to Fill Gaps

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**Application Software Security** 

Incident Response and Management

Penetration Tests and Red Team Exercises

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Malware Defenses

Data Recovery Capability

Limitation and Control of Network Ports

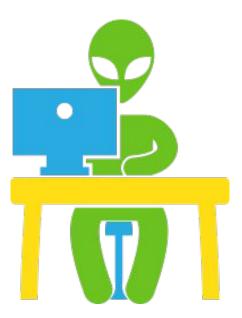
## WE HAVE CONTROLS... NOW WHAT?

#### Cyber Security Maturity Level - example



#### Take Away

- Balance risk and cost
- Prioritize work based on risk
- Establish top-notch security incident management
- Use resources and knowledge outside my team effectively
- Must have a roadmap
- Incidents expected, must have a controlled response



#### **Questions**

