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# How Can i Do PCI?

Solving Information Security Problems



# Agenda

- Objectives
- Context & Overview
- Matching OS function to PCI Requirements

# Objectives

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- Brief overview of PCI DSS
- Describe which OS provided functions address which PCI requirements
- Identify PCI requirements that need to be Add'l Tools to effectively manage
- Identify PCI requirements for which additional tools/products (beyond OS provided function) are suggested or strongly recommended and the reasons why



# Context & Overview

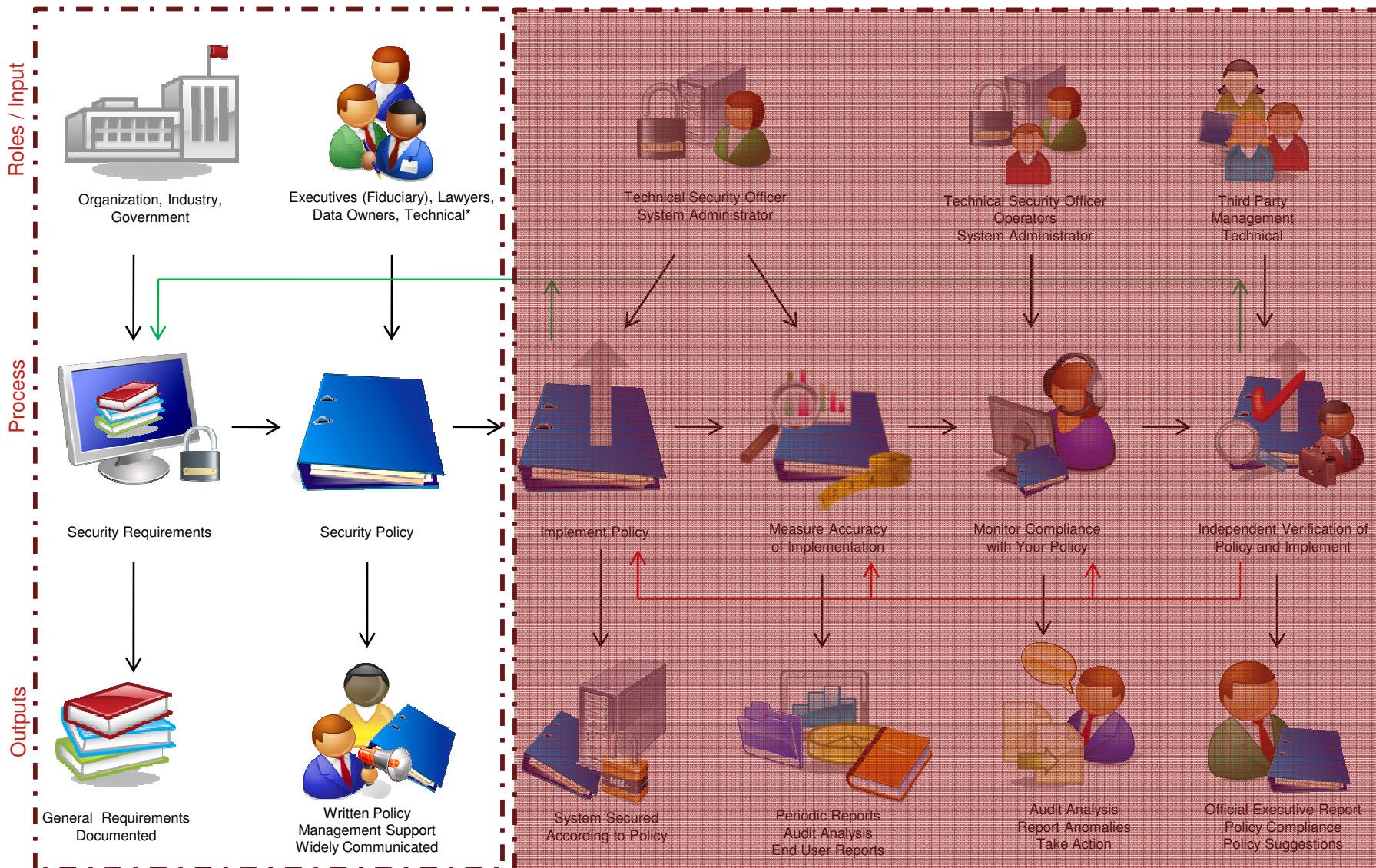
# Context & Overview

## PCI DSS

- Payment Card Industry (PCI)
- Data Security Standard (DSS)
- Mixture of **policy** and **procedure**
  - Policy describes required **behavior**
  - Procedure defines how to **enforce** behavior
  - Unlike Sarbanes/Oxley which is entirely policy
- Focus of presentation is on **behavior**



# Integrated Enterprise-Wide Security Management Process



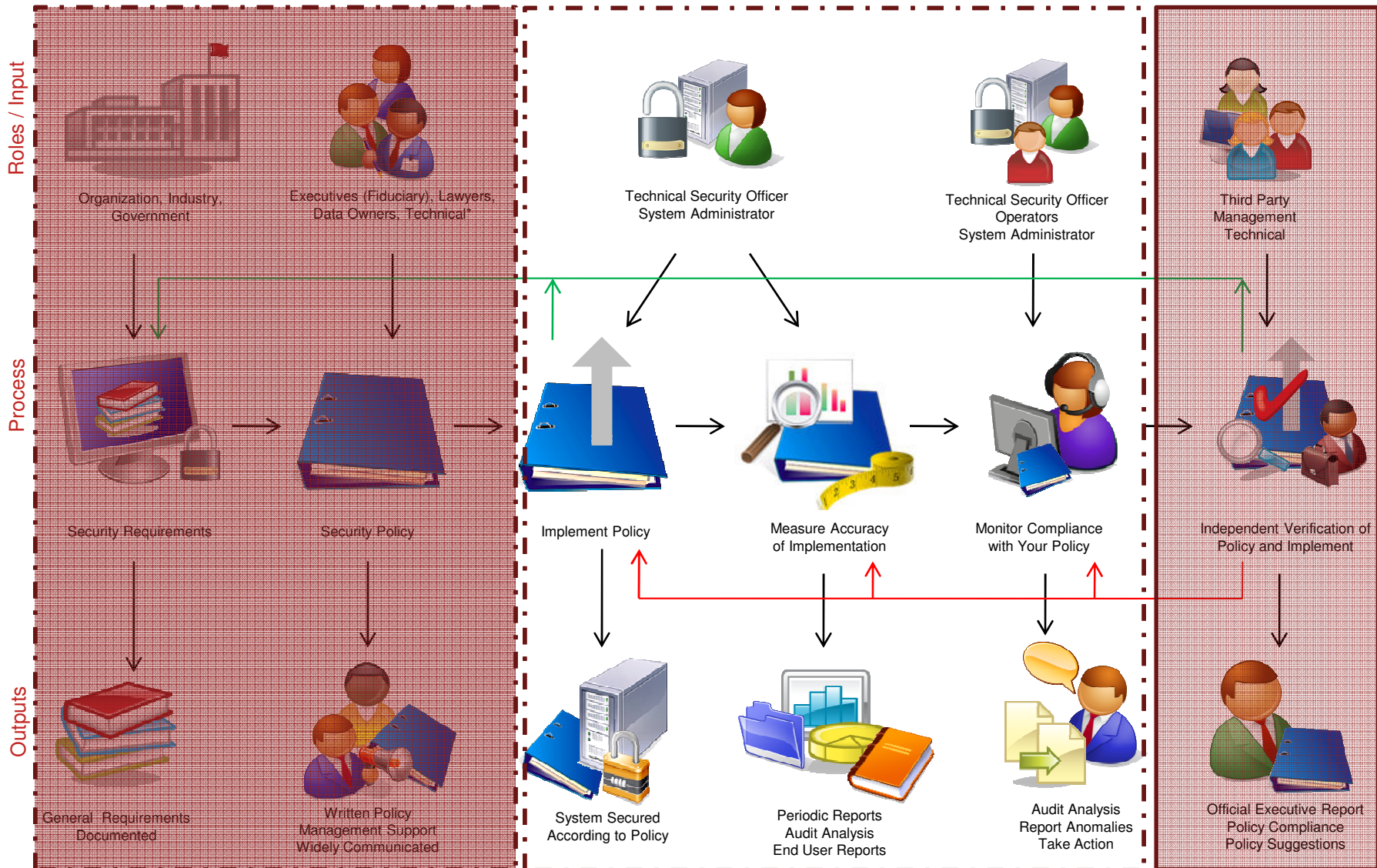
# Defining Policy

1. Gather appropriate people from the entire organization
2. Identify and define the organization's security requirement and objectives
3. Translate requirements and objectives into required behaviors





# Integrated Enterprise-Wide Security Management Process



# Defining Procedures

1. Gather the appropriate IT people
2. Translate policies into specific processes and/or technical tools/configuration necessary to:
  - enforce and monitor adherence to,
  - or to detect circumvention of,those policies



# 12 PCI Sections

| Section | Article Description  |
|---------|--|
| 1       | Install and maintain a firewall configuration to protect cardholder data               |
| 2       | Do not use vendor-supplied defaults for system passwords and other security parameters |
| 3       | Protect stored cardholder data   |
| 4       | Encrypt transmission of cardholder data across open, public networks                   |
| 5       | Use and regularly update anti-virus software   |
| 6       | Develop and maintain secure systems and applications                                   |



# 12 PCI Sections cont...

| Section | Section Description   |
|---------|---|
| 7       | Restrict access to cardholder data by business need-to-know           |
| 8       | Assign a unique ID to each person with computer access                |
| 9       | Protect stored cardholder data  |
| 10      | Track and monitor all access to network resources and cardholder data |
| 11      | Regularly test security systems and processes                         |
| 12      | Maintain an information security policy                               |



# Policy vs. Procedure

- Section heading stated as policy
- Sub-sections of most sections define procedures
- Some sections do not pertain to behaviors enforceable at the OS level
  - These are outside the scope of this presentation
- Some sub-sections outside the scope of this presentation



# Reading the tables

## Table headings:

- Section  
PCI DSS section or sub-section number
- Description  
Short description of section or sub-section
- In Scope  
Section is or is not within the scope of this presentation
  - ✓ = yes, **N** = no



# Reading the tables cont...

## Table headings:

- Native OS  
Operating system does/not provide function necessary to meet the requirements of (i.e. comply with) this section or sub-section
  - ✓ = does provide
- Add'l Tools  
Additional tools needed to reasonably implement or manage the implementation of the section or sub-section
  - Y = additional tools are recommended to enforce or manage the enforcement of required behavior



# Reading the tables cont...

## Table headings:

- Prdcts/Srvcs (3<sup>rd</sup> Party Products or Services)

Products = ISV/LPP solutions, consulting services, or tools/utilities, typically license plus yearly maintenance, some available on a “software as a service” basis

Services = Tools/utilities = 3<sup>rd</sup>-party, no-charge or one-time charge, typically include source code, often provided by consultants

- ✓ = available
- **S** = strongly suggested
- ? = availability of products unknown, services/consulting is available





# OS Function & PCI Requirements

# PCI Section 1

| Section | Description  | In Scope |
|---------|--|----------|
| 1       | Install and maintain a firewall configuration to protect cardholder data | N        |

- Section 1 applies to network traffic control firewalls
- IBM i not typically used as a standalone firewall



# PCI Section 2

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description   | In Scope | Native OS | Add'l Tools | Prdct/Srvcs |
|---------|---|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 2       | Do not use vendor-supplied defaults for system passwords and other security parameters  | ✓        | ✓         | Y           | ✓           |
| 2.2     | Always change vendor-supplied defaults before installing a system on the network—for example, include passwords, simple network management protocol (SNMP) community strings, and elimination of unnecessary accounts |          |           |             | ?           |
| 2.2.2   | Disable all unnecessary and insecure services and protocols (services and protocols not directly needed to perform the device's specified function)   |          |           |             | ?           |
| 2.2.3   | Configure system security parameters to prevent misuse  |          |           |             | S           |
| 2.3     | Encrypt all non-console administrative access. Use technologies such as SSH, VPN, or SSL/TLS for web based management and other non-console administrative access   |          |           |             | ✓           |



# PCI Section 2 cont...

- Additional tools are suggested to automate the on-going enforcement of non-default settings you choose
- Build or Buy
- Look for solutions that:
  1. Automate setting your selected values
  2. Prevent (or immediately reset) changes to your selected settings



# PCI Section 3

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description   |   |   |   |   |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3       | Protect stored cardholder data – the encrypt data at rest provision | ✓ | ✓ | Y | S |

- Encryption Easy – Key Management **HARD**
- IBM i provides basic tools to do both
  - Key management support analogous to giving an end user a keyboard to do SQL queries
  - They could do what they needed with the keyboard, but it would be much more efficient (and safe) to give them a canned ODBC program instead
- ISV solution strongly suggested
  - You'll still have some work, but you only have to understand your applications
  - You won't have to become a cryptography expert



# PCI Section 4

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description  |   |   |   |   |
|---------|--|---|---|---|---|
| 4       | Encrypt transmission of cardholder data across open, public networks | ✓ | ✓ | Y | S |

- IBM i provides basic encryption and key management support
- If doing credit card transaction verification, use 3<sup>rd</sup> party credit card transaction processing
- If transferring data from POS to back-end server, consider VPN, SSH, SSL/TLS
  - Otherwise, find ISV Key management solution



# PCI Section 5

| Section | Description  | In Scope | Native OS | Add'l Tools | Prdct/Srvcs |
|---------|--|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 5       | Use and regularly update anti-virus software   | ✓        |           |             |             |
| 5.1     | Deploy anti-virus software on all systems affected by malicious software (particularly personal computers and servers) |          | ✓         | Y           | S ✖         |

- QSYS (/qsys.lib) file system
  - IBM i provides CHKOBJITG
  - Need a tool to automate the execution of it
  
- Root file system (“/”, other than /qsys.lib)
  - For protecting stream files used with Windows
  - Strongly recommend ISV product/solution



# PCI Section 6

Prdcts/Srvcs  
Add'l Tools  
Native OS  
In Scope

| Section | Description   |   |   |   |   |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6.0     | Develop and maintain secure systems and applications  | ✓ |   |   |   |
| 6.3.2   | Separate development/test and production environments   |   | ✓ |   | ✓ |
| 6.3.3   | Separation of duties between development/test and production environments   |   | ✓ | Y | S |
| 6.3.4   | Production data (live PANs) are not used for testing or development   |   | ✓ | Y | S |
| 6.3.5   | Removal of test data and accounts before production systems become active   |   | ✓ | Y | ✓ |
| 6.3.6   | Removal of custom application accounts, user IDs, and passwords before applications become active or are released to customers                                    |   | ✓ | Y | ? |
| 6.4     | Follow change control procedures for all changes to system components.  |   | ✓ | Y | S |
| 6.6     | For public-facing web applications, address new threats and vulnerabilities on an ongoing basis and ensure these applications are protected against known attacks |   | N | Y | S |



# PCI Section 6 cont...

- Software management product strongly suggested for most organizations
- Use a different system for development!
  - Using the same system makes it difficult and expensive to meet all the requirements in this section of PCI DSS
  - Virtual system perfectly acceptable
- Consider automating the removal of test accounts, default passwords (i.e. 6.3.6) using CL commands/scripts
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party solutions/services available for testing Web application security remotely



# PCI Section 7

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description  | In Scope | Native OS | Add'l Tools | Prdct/Srvcs |
|---------|--|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 7       | Restrict access to cardholder data by business need to know  | ✓        | ✓         | Y           |             |
| 7.1     | Limit access to system components and cardholder data to only those individuals whose job requires such access |          |           |             | ✓           |
| 7.2.3   | Default “deny-all” setting   |          |           |             | S           |



# PCI Section 7 cont...

- Default deny all
  - Makes it easier and cheaper to meet most other PCI DSS requirements!
  - Services available to make it very cheap and easy for most customers to change default allow systems to default deny!
    - Tools and utilities make this easier to implement
- Recommend solutions that maintain enforcement of access control settings once set correctly



# PCI Section 8

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description   |   |   |  |   |
|---------|---|---|---|--|---|
| 8       | Assign a unique ID to each person with computer access  | ✓ | ✓ |  | ✓ |
| 8.2     | In addition to assigning a unique ID, employ at least one of the following methods to authenticate all users: Password or passphrase; Two-factor authentication (for example, token devices, smart cards, biometrics, or public keys) |   |   |  |   |
| 8.3     | Incorporate two-factor authentication for remote access (network-level access originating from outside the network) to the network by employees, administrators, and third parties.   |   |   |  |   |
| 8.4     | Render all passwords unreadable during transmission and storage on all system components using strong cryptography  |   |   |  |   |



# PCI Section 8 cont...

- ISV/LPP solutions available for userID management
- Sections 8.2/8.3 Biometric authentication available for IBM i
  - **Transparency:** Speaker also employed by biometric solution provider
- Section 8.4 handled by OS for system user profiles
  - Application level passwords cannot be stored in stream files or databases w/o hashing or encrypting them
  - Typically hashing (avoids key mgmt issues) is all that is needed



# PCI Section 8 cont...

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description  | In Scope | Native OS | Add'l Tools | Prdct/Srvcs |
|---------|--|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 8.5.1   | Control addition, deletion, and modification of user IDs, credentials, and other identifier objects. | ✓        | ✓         | Y           | ✓           |
| 8.5.2   | Verify user identity before performing password resets.  |          |           |             |             |
| 8.5.3   | Set first-time passwords to a unique value for each user and change immediately after the first use. |          |           |             |             |
| 8.5.4   | Immediately revoke access for any terminated users   |          |           |             |             |
| 8.5.5   | Remove/disable inactive user accounts at least every 90 days   |          |           |             |             |
| 8.5.6   | Enable accounts used by vendors for remote maintenance only during the time period needed            |          |           |             |             |



# PCI Section 8 cont...

- ISV user management solutions available



# PCI Section 8 cont...

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description   | In Scope | Native OS | Add'l Tools | Prdct/Srvcs |
|---------|---|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 8.5.7   | Communicate password procedures and policies to all users who have access to cardholder data                              | ✓        | ✓         |             | ✓           |
| 8.5.8   | Do not use group, shared, or generic accounts and passwords   | ✓        | ✓         |             | ✓           |
| 8.5.9   | Change user passwords at least every 90 days  | ✓        | ✓         |             |             |
| 8.5.10  | Require a minimum password length of at least seven characters  | ✓        | ✓         |             |             |
| 8.5.11  | Use passwords containing both numeric and alphabetic characters   | ✓        | ✓         |             |             |
| 8.5.12  | Do not allow an individual to submit a new password that is the same as any of the last four passwords he or she has used | ✓        | ✓         |             |             |





# PCI Section 8 cont...

- Section 8.5.9 thru 8.5.12
  - Standard password composition rules
  - IBM i provides necessary flexibility for enforcing requirements
- Consider solutions or utilities that prevent changing these rules on production systems except under tight management control
- Password change management products and utilities available



# PCI Section 9

| Section | Description                                 | In Scope |
|---------|---|----------|
| 9       | Restrict physical access to cardholder data | <b>N</b> |



# PCI Section 10

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description   |   |   |   |   |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10      | Track and monitor all access to network resources and cardholder data | ✓ | ✓ | Y | S |

- System auditing provides all capability necessary to **CAPTURE** required data
- Strongly recommend tools or solutions that automate the **ANALYSIS** of the data



# PCI Section 11

Prdct/Srvcs  
Add'l Tools  
Native OS  
In Scope

| Section | Description  | In Scope | Native OS | Add'l Tools | Prdct/Srvcs |
|---------|--|----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| 11      | Regularly test security systems and processes  | ✓        |           | Y           | S           |
| 11.3.2  | Application-layer penetration Tests  |          |           |             |             |
| 11.5    | Deploy file-integrity monitoring software to alert personnel to unauthorized modification of critical system files, configuration files, or content files; and configure the software to perform critical file comparisons at least weekly |          |           |             |             |

- Automate as much as possible
  - Build or buy



# PCI Section 12

Prdct/Srvcs  
 Add'l Tools  
 Native OS  
 In Scope

| Section | Description  |   |  |   |   |
|---------|--|---|--|---|---|
| 12      | Maintain an information security policy  | ✓ |  | Y | ✓ |
| 12.1.1  | Addresses all PCI DSS requirements   |   |  |   |   |
| 12.1.2  | Includes an annual process that identifies threats, and vulnerabilities, and results in a formal risk assessment |   |  |   |   |
| 12.1.3  | Includes a review at least once a year and updates when the environment changes                                  |   |  |   |   |
| 12.2    | Develop daily operational security procedures that are consistent with requirements in this specification        |   |  |   |   |
| 12.9    | Implement an incident response plan. Be prepared to respond immediately to a system breach                       |   |  |   |   |



# PCI Section 12 cont...

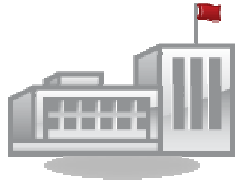
- Most of this section describes required behavior (i.e. policy)
  - e.g. “annual process”, “daily operational procedures”, “incidence response plan”
- IBM’s Secure Perspective LPP helps you define, manage, and **IMPLEMENT** security policy
- Other products available to define and manage security police



# Summary

# Integrated Enterprise-Wide Security Management Process

Roles / Input



Organization, Industry,  
Government



Executives (Fiduciary), Lawyers,  
Data Owners, Technical\*



Technical Security Officer  
System Administrator



Technical Security Officer  
Operators  
System Administrator



Third Party  
Management  
Technical

Process



Security Requirements



Security Policy



Implement Policy



Measure Accuracy  
of Implementation



Monitor Compliance  
with Your Policy



Independent Verification of  
Policy and Implement



General Requirements  
Documented



Written Policy  
Management Support  
Widely Communicated



System Secured  
According to Policy



Periodic Reports  
Audit Analysis  
End User Reports



Audit Analysis  
Report Anomalies  
Take Action



Official Executive Report  
Policy Compliance  
Policy Suggestions



# More Information

- <https://www.pcisecuritystandards.org/>
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