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Maturing Cyber-Risk Management Practices: Framework and Next Steps



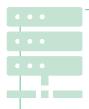
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What does a mature risk management organization look like?



Appropriate policies and procedures are clearly defined and documented



Cost-effective security technologies are providing their intended value



An effective education and awareness program exists



Personnel roles and responsibilities are properly defined and staffed



Board of directors are getting the information they need



A risk register is used to track and report the most important risks



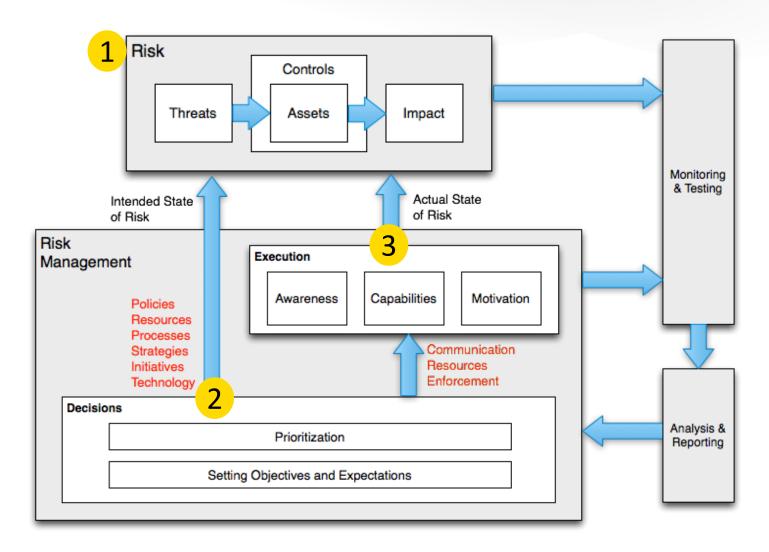
A clearly defined risk appetite actively drives decision-making



Meaningful metrics are leveraged to manage risk effectively

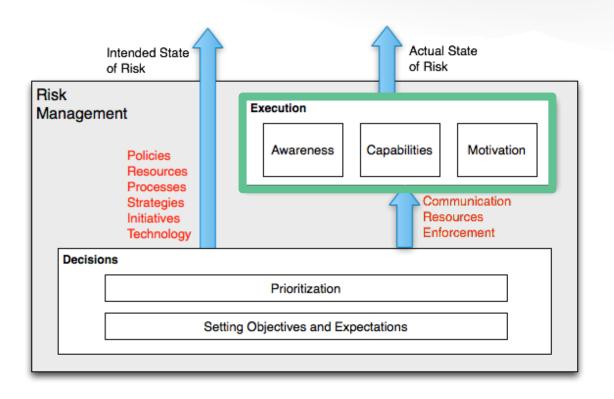


Risk Management Landscape





Execution



Awareness

The probability that personnel are aware of their risk management roles and responsibilities, and the specific expectations of organization leadership.

Capability

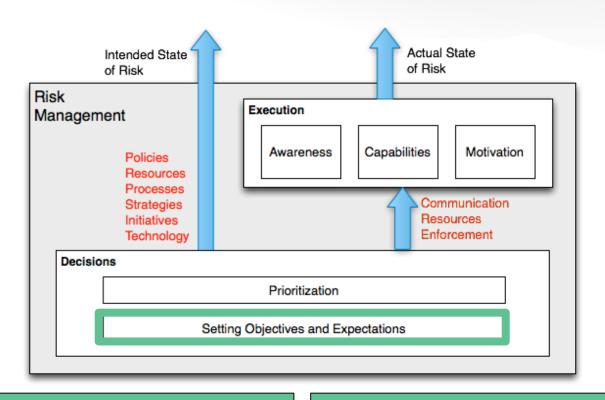
The probability that personnel have the necessary skills and resources to successfully execute their roles and responsibilities.

Motivation

The probability that personnel are appropriately incentivized to fulfill their risk management responsibilities



Objectives and Expectations



Compliance Requirements

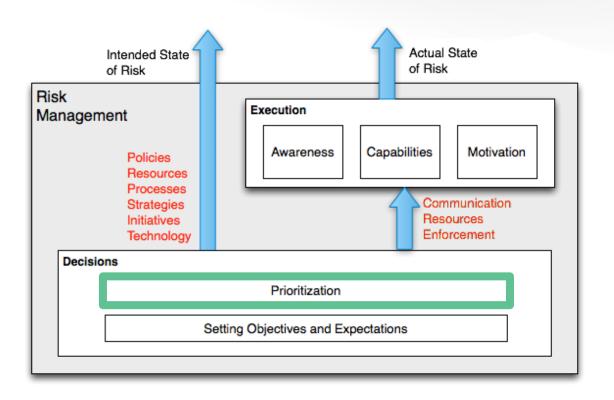
The degree to which an organization is subject to meaningfully enforced external risk management expectations.

Prioritization

The probability that decision-makers are provided with the information needed to establish priorities and choose solutions, both at a strategic and operational level.



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Organizational Resources

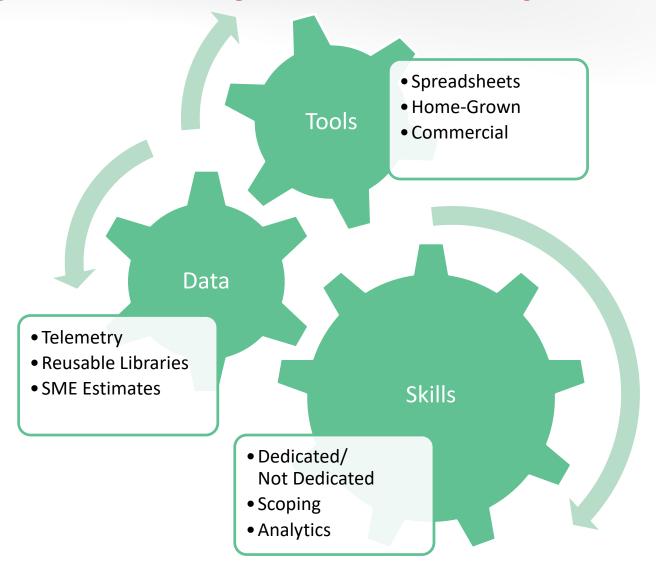
The probability that the organization has sufficient financial resources to meet its risk management needs and obligations given other organization imperatives.

Risk Landscape Intelligence

The probability that decision-makers are provided with the information needed to establish priorities and choose solutions, both at a strategic and operational level.



Risk Mgmt Maturity Resource Requirements





Four Dimensions of Risk Mgmt Maturity

Risk Landscape Clarity

Standardized terminology
Asset identification
Business Process Mapping
Top risk identification
Risk register clarity

Operational Decision Support

Top risk measurement
Cost-benefit analysis
Audit finding prioritization
Policy exception reviews
Zero-day analysis
High value 3rd party analysis

Strategic Decision Support

Risk aggregation & trending
Risk appetite definition
Portfolio analysis
Board reporting
M&A analysis

Automated Operational Decision Support

Patch prioritization

3rd party landscape
monitoring

Near real-time risk landscape dashboard



Risk Management Maturity Evaluation

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OPERATIONAL DECISION SUPPORT

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Skills

- Dedicated/Not Dedicated
- → Scoping
- Analytics

Data

- Telemetry
- ☐ Reusable Libraries
- ☐ SME Estimates

Tools

- Spreadsheets
- □ Home-Grown
- Commercial

1 RISK MGMT RESOURCES



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Q & A (10 mins)

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Group-Based Discussion (15 mins)

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Group Summaries (10 mins)

Apply What You Have Learned Today

- Next week you should:
 - Validate maturity evaluation with your organization
- In the first three months following this presentation you should:
 - Develop near term plans to shore up resource requirements
- Within six months you should:
 - Improve risk landscape clarity and move into operational decision support

