## Assets list (what IT uses)

Purpose: Asset list is important in audit because it helps to protect those devices that you don’t know that it will cause harmful impacts.on the other hand, it will help you to spot the valuable risks.

Split assets into simple groups:

* **Hardware:** laptops,router/firewall, phones used for admin
* **Software & Cloud:** website CMS, e‑commerce plugin, payment gateway, email, antivirus, backup tool
* **Data:** customer profiles, orders, card data , staff accounts,sale records.
* **Network:** office wifi (staff/guest), VPN , public website
* **People & Vendors:** IT manager, web developer, payment processor , hosting provider