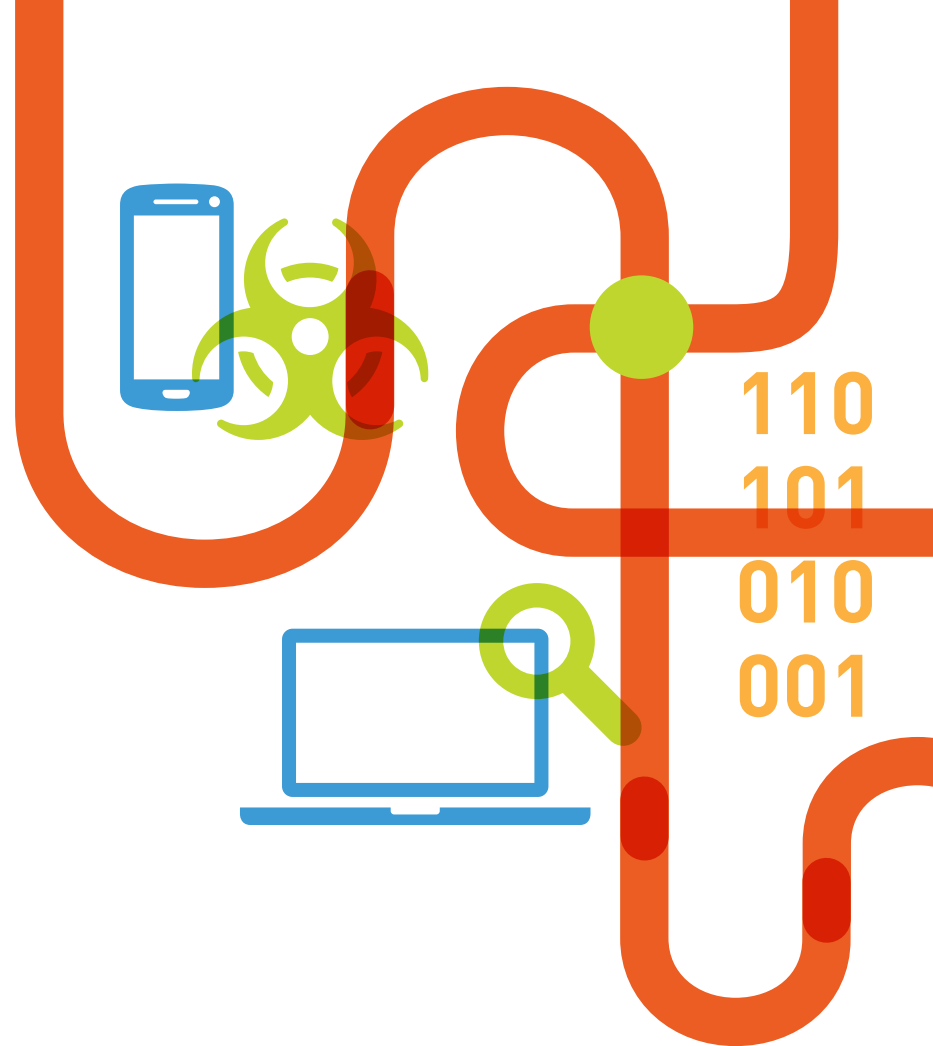


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Rapid7 Style Guide

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Welcome.

This is our guide to the basic elements which make up the Rapid7 brand. Use this guide to maintain brand consistency throughout all brand materials. Take a look, it will help you get to know us a little better.

TYPOGRAPHY - Primary

Typography is used to express our brand voice in print and digital communication materials. Consistent usage of type will help reinforce our brand message.

It is important to use DIN whenever possible, but see the following page for an acceptable substitute when DIN is not available.

PRIMARY TYPEFACE

DIN Light

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0123456789

SECONDARY TYPEFACE

DIN Bold

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TYPGRAPHY - Substitute

It is important to use DIN whenever possible. But for on-screen applications and electronic documents such as email and powerpoint, Arial can be used as a substitute when DIN is unavailable. Arial can also be used to compose a letterhead.

SUBSTITUTE PRIMARY TYPEFACE

Arial Regular

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0123456789

SUBSTITUTE SECONDARY TYPEFACE

Arial Bold

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COLOR

Color is an essential component of the any graphic identity system. The brand has two designated brand colors, These colors are used to build brand recognition. Be sure to use these colors generously thought out all communication materials.

Colors can be used in a wide range of visuals including text, backgrounds, color fields, buttons, and supergraphics.

PRIMARY COLORS



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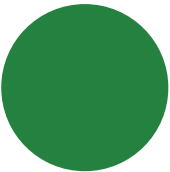


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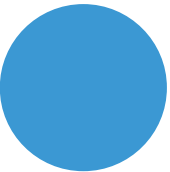
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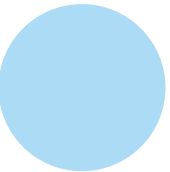
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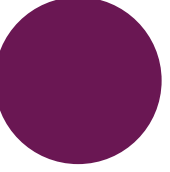
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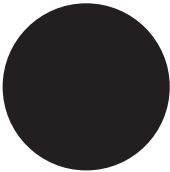


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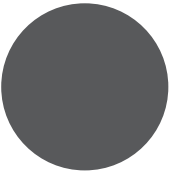


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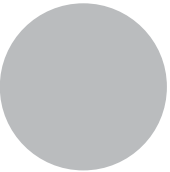
TERTIARY COLORS



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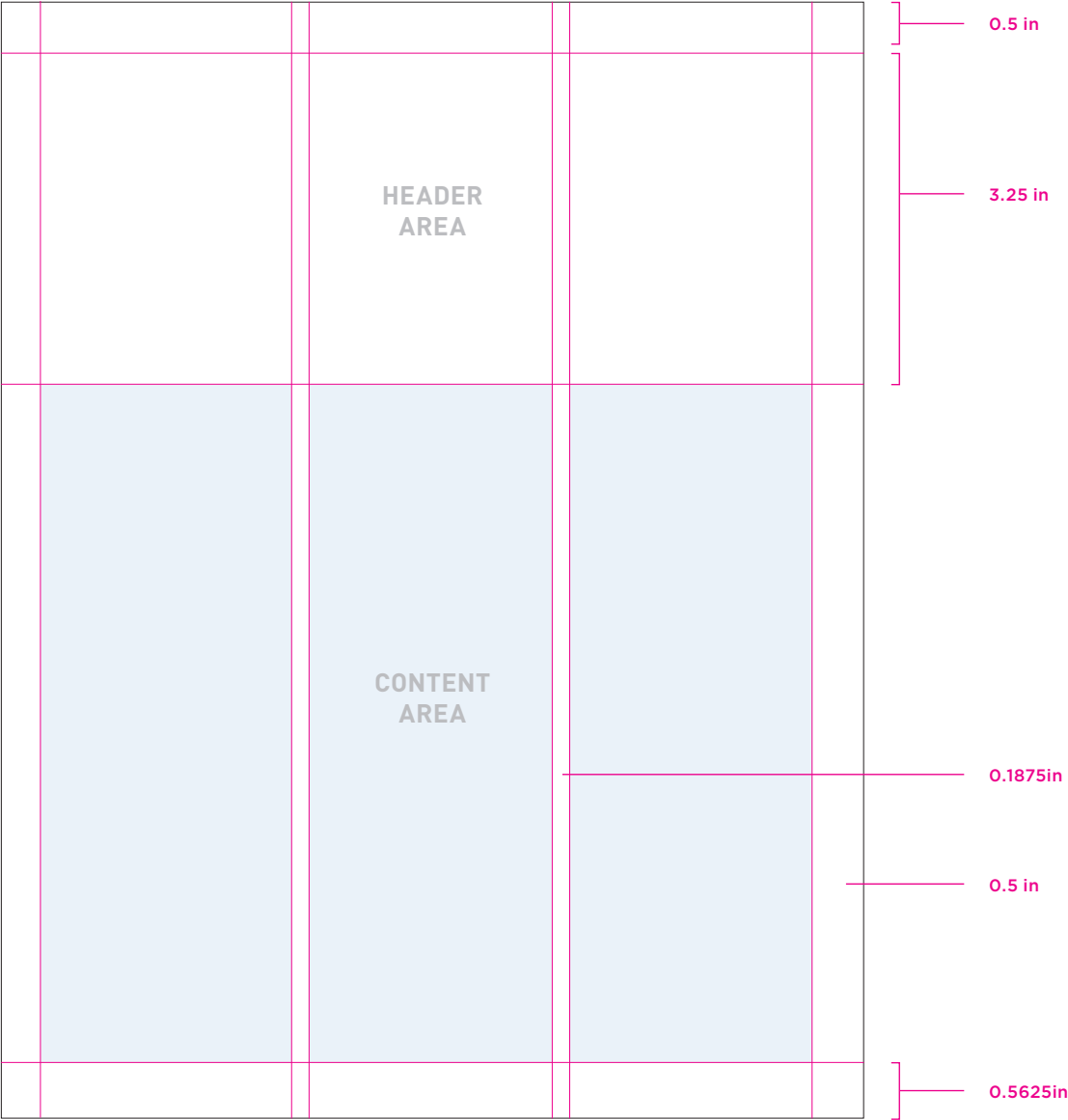
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SAMPLE GRID

Communications are based upon a simple, easy to use grid that helps organize content and creates consistent, effective communications.

The page is divided into three columns. The generous header area at the top of the page allows room for headlines and/or brand imagery/ icons. Content can span these columns.

The bottom portion should be reserved for longer copy and content. For case studies and product briefs, body copy should cover two of the columns, leaving one column for call outs and infographics.



ICON SYSTEM

We're active, engaged and fun. Our icon system should reflect that. Generally, icons fit into four categories; devices & users, tools/technology, analytics, and modifiers. Each category is represented by a different color in our color pallet. So, when combined, they tell a cohesive Rapid7 story.

DEVICES & USERS



TOOLS/TECHNOLOGY



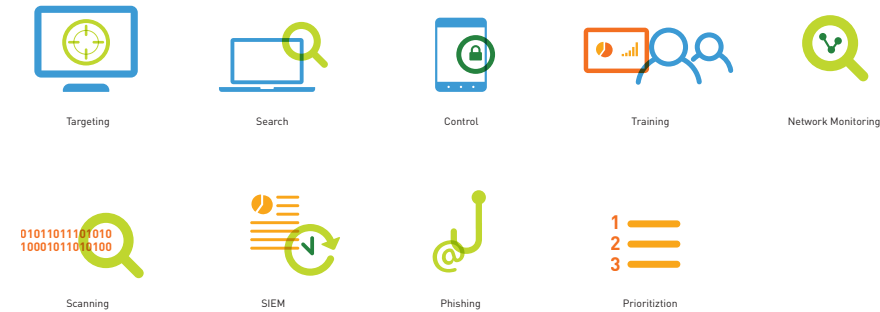
ANALYTICS



MODIFIERS



EVENTS/ACTIONS



CHARACTER & PARAGRAPH STYLES

Page heads are commonly short and to the point. As a general rule of thumb, try not to exceed 3 lines. Page heads should be the most prominent message in the layout and should occupy the header area of the grid.

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**01_PageHead1. DIN
Bold, 58/60 pt.**

01_PageHead3. DIN Regular, 28/30 pt.

01_PageHead4

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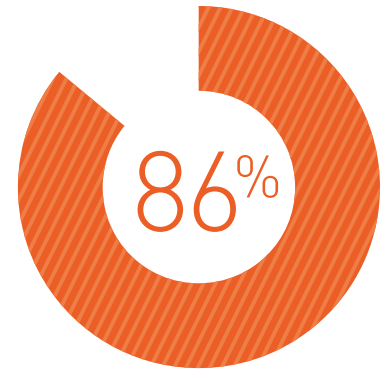
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eBOOK SPECIFIC TEMPLATES

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The Unwitting Danger Within: Understanding and mitigating user-based risk

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 - 3 Types of User-Based Risk
 - 4 Social Engineering Risk
 - 5 Passwords and User-Driven Security
 - 6 Asset Vulnerabilities
 - 7 User-Based Risk and Cloud Services
 - 8 Mobile Devices
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Nexpose Enterprise— night vision for your network

Product Brief

Rapid7 Nexpose® Enterprise is a security risk intelligence solution that proactively supports the entire vulnerability management lifecycle, including discovery, detection, verification, risk classification, impact analysis, reporting and mitigation. Designed for organizations with large networks and virtualized infrastructure deployments, which require the highest levels of scalability, performance, customization and deployment flexibility, Nexpose Enterprise Edition helps organizations improve risk posture.

39K

107K

Get enterprise-class protection with up-to-date scans for over 39,000 vulnerabilities and 107,000 checks across your network

Take a holistic approach to vulnerability management

Nexpose drives the collection of security risk intelligence to give you the insight you need to make more effective security decisions for your business.

Scan 100% of your IT infrastructure

Scan databases, applications, web applications, network devices across both physical and virtual environments over IPv4 and IPv6 networks to ensure you know about all of your vulnerabilities.

Accurately understand your real risk exposure

Utilize continuous discovery of physical and virtual assets along with integrated information on Malware and Exploit exposure, Nexpose provides insight into your most significant risks.

Prioritize vulnerabilities quickly and accurately

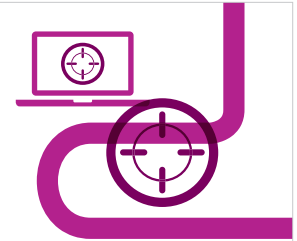
Scans can uncover thousands of vulnerabilities; with Rapid7 Real Risk™ and 145 vulnerability filters, Nexpose effectively prioritizes your remediation efforts.

Verify vulnerabilities are exploitable

With integration with Metasploit, your security teams can automatically verify that vulnerabilities are exploitable, allowing you to prioritize assets and vulnerabilities that are proven to be exploitable.

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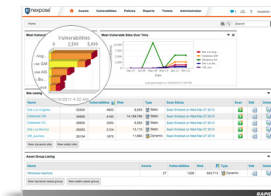
Nexpose Product Brief



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“We reduced risk by more than 98%. That’s particularly impressive when you consider that we brought on five new hospitals in that timeframe.”

—Scott Erven, Manager,
Information Security Essential
Health



Proven in enterprise deployments, Nexpose Enterprise Edition delivers these core capabilities:

Unrivaled breadth of unified vulnerability scanning – Scans for over 39,000 vulnerabilities with more than 107,000 vulnerability checks in networks, operating systems, applications, web applications and databases across a wide range of platforms.

Ongoing vulnerability updates

– Automatically provides vulnerability updates without user intervention. Delivers immediate Microsoft Patch Tuesday vulnerability updates within 24 hours to stay current with the changing threat landscape.

Rapid7 Real Risk™ – Provides clear insight into the real risk of each unique environment by incorporating information on Exploit Exposure, Malware Exposure, and temporal risk scores as well as CVSS v2 scores.

Comprehensive compliance and policy checks – Determine if your systems comply with corporate or regulatory policies such as PCI, HIPAA, NERC, or FISMA.

Strong security configuration assessment – Centrally manage and modify your policies and easily detect insecure configurations in your environment. View policy dashboards and report compliance against regulations and auditing guidance such as

FDCC, USGCB, and CIS benchmarks.

Distribute step-by-step remediation plans Easily create and automatically distribute short, actionable, step-by-step remediation plans, which allows the IT team to focus on reducing risk important to your organization.

Continuous discovery of virtualized assets – Native integration with VMware Center enables Nexpose to deliver real-time visibility of all virtual assets and insight into the threat exposure of those assets.

Create and manage dynamic groups – Administrators can group assets according to customized risk strategies or other criteria to track and streamline remediation efforts.

Robust predefined and customizable reports and dashboards – Leverage dozens of out-of-the box reports and view executive dashboards to obtain instant insight into your security posture. Create additional reports on the fly or include from community report template library.

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Nexpose Product Brief

Enhancing PCI compliance and overall network security for Bob's Stores

Success Story



Industry: Retail
Website: bobstores.com

CHALLENGE:

When a host of new PCI DSS requirements came in to place, Bob's Stores needed to make sure they could meet these compliance standards efficiently and with confidence.

SOLUTION:

Rapid7 Nexpose provided vulnerability assessment scanning and monitoring capabilities that met the required PCI data security standards, while also providing sound vulnerability management practices as part of a comprehensive security program.

About Bob's Stores

In 2008, Bob's Stores was looking to broaden its security tools in order to meet new PCI compliance standards. Specifically, with requirement 11 of the PCI DSS in mind, which called for regular tests of security systems and processes through internal and external scans, Bob's IT department began researching how other vulnerability management vendors could help Bob's meet these standards and protect customer data.

Nick Sorgio, Assistant Vice President, technology manager at Bob's who is responsible for information security and oversees a cross-functional team IT team that handles the entire technology infrastructure, describes the situation they faced in 2007. "With the new PCI requirements, especially for scanning, there was a lot of pressure on retailers to quickly meet compliance standards. At that time, we had no vulnerability management system in place that would help with those mandates and determining a vulnerability management tool that would easily help us get there became a top business priority."

Challenge: PCI DSS Compliance

To address this crucial compliance need, Bob's completed a full assessment of every vulnerability management vendor in the market – ultimately leading the Company to Rapid7. During the evaluation process, Bob's was immediately impressed by Rapid7's ability to identify vulnerabilities across networks, operating systems, databases, Web applications and a wide-range of system platforms. To meet Bob's specific PCI needs, Rapid7 Nexpose provided vulnerability assessment scanning and monitoring capabilities that met the required PCI data security standards, while also providing sound vulnerability management practices as part of a comprehensive security program. In addition, Nexpose delivered audience-based PCI reporting, including PCI audit reports with detailed step-by-step instructions for vulnerability remediation and automated compliance.

"We took a look at every possible vulnerability management company out there, and Rapid7 was by far above-and-beyond the others," said Sorgio. "Rapid7 truly looks at everything, and that completeness was something we didn't see anywhere else. This made it an easy decision for our IT team."

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Solution: Time-Saving Scanning Automation

Working with Nexpose, the IT team at Bob's quickly realized its endless potential. Like many companies today, Bob's IT department doesn't have the endless budget or staff necessary to manage an infrastructure in an easy, cost-effective and secure fashion; however, Nexpose easily fit into a timesaving process that required little change or additional employee resources. This saved Sorgio countless hours of having to run various tools on individual devices and, instead, allowed him to scan and view all of the servers at once.

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"Nexpose just made our lives easier," recalled Sorgio. "It was incredibly easy to set up the system and get started scanning across the board. The automated scans and detailed reporting features are great and better than anything else we have seen, especially for compliance. We thought we had a good handle on our patch management, but the second we started with

Nexpose and receiving scan results, we were actually surprised to see how much more detailed and helpful Nexpose results were. Without that type of in-depth knowledge, the majority of companies are unable to truly see where they actually stand in their security management."

In addition to relying on Nexpose for vulnerability scanning, Bob's IT department turns to Rapid7 as its PCI partner. Rapid7 experts are always on hand to help the IT team understand the PCI requirements and provide analysis of the results. "Our questions are always about taking a deeper dive into understanding the vulnerabilities that Nexpose finds; never about the usability of the product," Sorgio said. "For example, the PCI Council requires scan vendors to address vulnerabilities in a particular way, determining both vulnerable and potentially vulnerable risks, and this can be difficult to understand sometimes. Rapid7 has almost become our PCI partner, taking the time to work with us and prioritize our compliance risks."

Future

Once Bob's got started using Nexpose and Rapid7 experts as a strategy for compliance, the team

quickly realized the value that comprehensive vulnerability management can bring beyond the original PCI requirements. "In the retail world, people automatically protect the things that are of the most value, such as customer cardholder data," said Sorgio. "However, with Nexpose we quickly learned that vulnerabilities can be the biggest risk and weakness in most corporations, and that it's the places that aren't as well-guarded that get overlooked and become a gateway into even the most secure systems." As a result, Bob's recently just implemented enough IP addresses to scan their entire environment soup to nuts – a 50% increase in the Nexpose licenses that they previously used. Bob's also began using Metasploit, the open

