

Audit Check List

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1. On-Premise Lakehouse (Data Storage & Processing Environment)

- ☐ Verify asset inventory completeness (hardware, software, data assets)
- ☐ Confirm classification of information assets (data sensitivity levels)
- ☐ Validate physical security controls for on-prem hardware (limited given home setup)
- ☐ Assess PostgreSQL database access controls:
 - Role-based access enforcement
 - Audit logs for queries
 - MFA enforcement status
- ☐ Review data storage:
 - Secure storage of analytics logs on SSDs
 - Backup and recovery processes
- ☐ Examine network segmentation:
 - Public vs private network boundaries
 - Firewall/endpoint protections
- ☐ Review GPU and computing cluster security configurations
- ☐ Confirm incident logging and monitoring capabilities

2. Public-Facing Site

- ☐ Check for secure deployment of site content (HTTPS enforced)
- ☐ Validate use of Google Analytics and compliance with privacy standards:
 - Presence/absence of consent banner
 - Privacy policy publicly available
- ☐ Assess risks related to public exposure of aggregated data

☐ Review CI/CD pipeline for secure deployment:

- Branch protection
- Dependency and secrets scanning enabled

3. GitHub Repo and CI/CD Pipeline

☐ Confirm repository access management:

- Role-based permissions
- Quarterly permission reviews
- Immediate revocation for departed contributors

☐ Validate branch protection and pull request policies

☐ Check CI/CD pipeline security scans:

- Dependency scanning
- Secrets scanning

☐ Review source code for security best practices and sensitive information exposure

4. Security Controls

☐ MFA enforcement across critical systems

☐ Check audit logs and their retention, integrity, and review processes

☐ Review incident response:

- Incident logging
- Ad hoc incident management
- Annual incident response plan review

☐ Physical security adequacy given environment (single user setup)

5. GDPR Compliance

- ☐ Verify data processing mechanism (types of data collected and processed)
- ☐ Check if Data Subject Rights processes are formally documented and enforced:
 - Access and erasure request handling
 - 30-day SLA adherence
- ☐ Review breach notification process:
 - Awareness of 72-hour notification rule
 - Documentation and formal procedures
- ☐ Assess privacy policy and cookie consent mechanisms:
 - Presence of public privacy policy
 - Implementation of consent banner for analytics
- ☐ Confirm anonymisation and aggregation of analytics data

6. Risk Management

- ☐ Review Risk Register for identified High and Medium risks:
 - MFA
 - Formal GDPR access/erasure process
 - Consent banner on site
- ☐ Confirm risk mitigation plans and timelines
- ☐ Verify monitoring and update cycles for risk register