

# Controls and compliance checklist

## Controls assessment checklist

Yes	No	Control
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Least Privilege
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Disaster recovery plans
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Password policies
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Separation of duties
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Firewall
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Intrusion detection system (IDS)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Backups
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Antivirus software
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manual monitoring, maintenance, and intervention for legacy systems
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Encryption
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Password management system
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Locks (offices, storefront, warehouse)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Closed-circuit television (CCTV) surveillance
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fire detection/prevention (fire alarm, sprinkler system, etc.)

## Compliance checklist

### Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI DSS)

Yes	No	Best practice
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Only authorized users have access to customers' credit card information.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Credit card information is stored, accepted, processed, and transmitted internally, in a secure environment.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Implement data encryption procedures to better secure credit card transaction touchpoints and data.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Adopt secure password management policies.

### General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

Yes	No	Best practice
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	E.U. customers' data is kept private/secured.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	There is a plan in place to notify E.U. customers within 72 hours if their data is compromised/there is a breach.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Ensure data is properly classified and inventoried.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enforce privacy policies, procedures, and processes to properly document and maintain data.

### System and Organizations Controls (SOC type 1, SOC type 2)

Yes	No	Best practice
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	User access policies are established.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sensitive data (PII/SPII) is confidential/private.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Data integrity ensures the data is consistent, complete, accurate, and has been validated.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Data is available to individuals authorized to access it.

**Recommendations:**

The risk score is 8 out of 10, which means high risk. The first issues to urgently remedy are encrypting and better protecting the credit card information of customers.

Permissions with least necessary privileges need to be enforced for all employees.

Next, fix issues pertaining to GDPR for E.U. customers. Encrypting all customer data would be ideal and simplest. Then, classify and inventory all customer data. It would be simplest and most likely best to adhere to the strictest guidelines for all customers.

Then after these most pressing customer related issues are solve, working to implement all of the remaining access controls listed above as being not in place.