

# 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Data integrity ensures the data is consistent, complete, accurate, and has been validated.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Data is available to individuals authorized to access it.

## Recommendations:

Botium Toys should prioritize implementing **key technical and administrative controls** to strengthen data protection and compliance:

### 1. Enhance Data Security and Compliance

- Implement **data encryption** for all customer payment and personal data to comply with PCI DSS and GDPR.
- Establish **least privilege access** and **user access policies** to restrict sensitive data to authorized personnel only.
- Deploy a **centralized password management system** and enforce strong password complexity standards.

### 2. Improve Threat Detection and Recovery

- Install an **intrusion detection system (IDS)** to identify and respond to network threats in real time.
- Develop a **disaster recovery plan** and perform **regular data backups** to ensure business continuity.
- Create a **maintenance schedule** for legacy systems to reduce vulnerabilities.

### 3. Strengthen Compliance and Documentation

- Classify and inventory all data assets to meet GDPR requirements.
- Regularly review and update **privacy policies and security procedures** to align with evolving regulations.
- Conduct periodic **internal audits** to verify control effectiveness and compliance posture.