## Setting up for success

Organisations often struggle to measure themselves against the key indicators for cyber security risk. i-confidential shares this philosophy:

"You can't manage what you don't measure." - Peter Drucker



Using our **Security Metrics** solution, we engage with clients to determine the 'right' security measures to collect. This is based on each client's relative security context, maturity, capability, and structure. Security Metrics builds the foundations of good cyber security.

## **Security Metrics components**



#### **Security Metrics Library of Measures**

- Aligned to the i-confidential Control Framework and industry best practice.
- Categorised into several types based on our approach.
- Prioritised to help organisations measure the right things first.
- Describes the calculation method of the metrics being collected.



#### **Security Metrics Dashboard**

- Provides status information based on results of measures and control families/areas.
- Shows threshold changes, reflecting an evolving risk appetite as an organisation matures.
- Displays details on history and variance.
- Offers the ability to illustrate various data views for distinct audiences.

## The Security Metrics approach

**Engagement** — the Security Metrics process starts by working with a client to understand its current security position, concerns, and objectives. This helps align the client to our structured method, covering the engagement phases, deliverables, and stage gates to establish a good solution.

**Measures** — we examine the measures a client uses today, and provide an analysis of their effectiveness. We then offer best-practice guidance on what should be measured going forward, on a prioritised basis.

**Reporting** — measurement practices are documented for the client, and the Security Metrics dashboard is built to capture measures and report on them as required.

**Consultancy** — we can engage further with a client to discuss sets of measures to be deployed. This is valid in organisations with a relatively mature set of existing measures, reporting dashboards, and multiple control owners and/or stakeholders.

## Why choose i-confidential?

We know what works	We have years of experience working with measures in a range of client settings.
We will get to know you	Understanding is essential to achieving successful outcomes with cyber measurement initiatives.
We keep it simple	We will focus on the measures that make the most sense for your business.

#### For more information about how we can help your business, please contact us

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