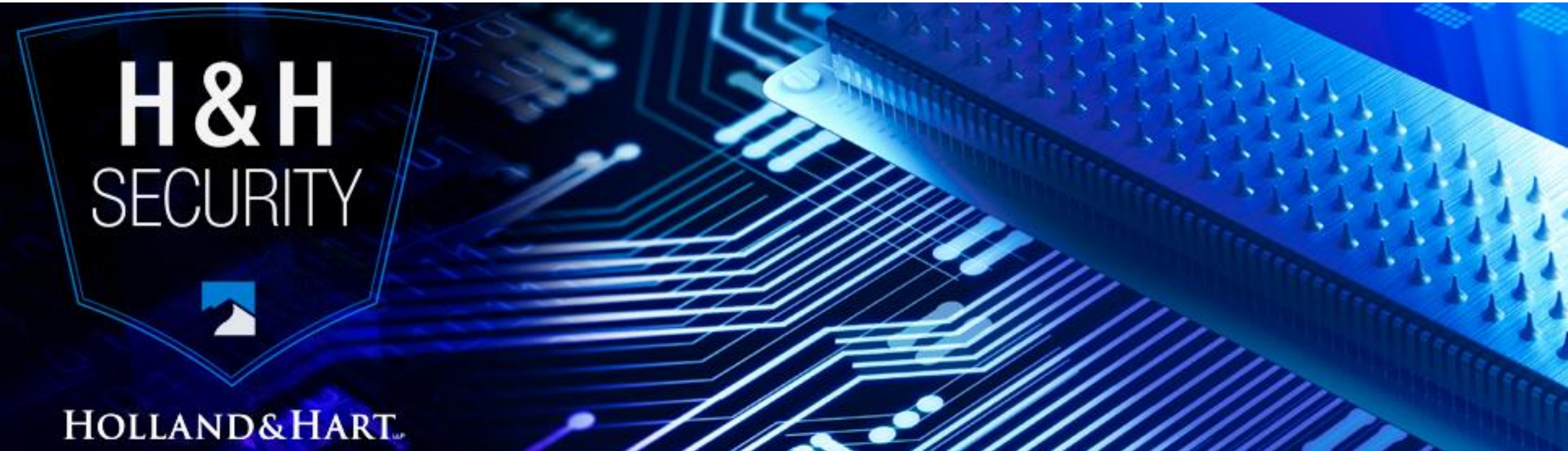


# Five Questions to Evaluate any Privacy or Security Program

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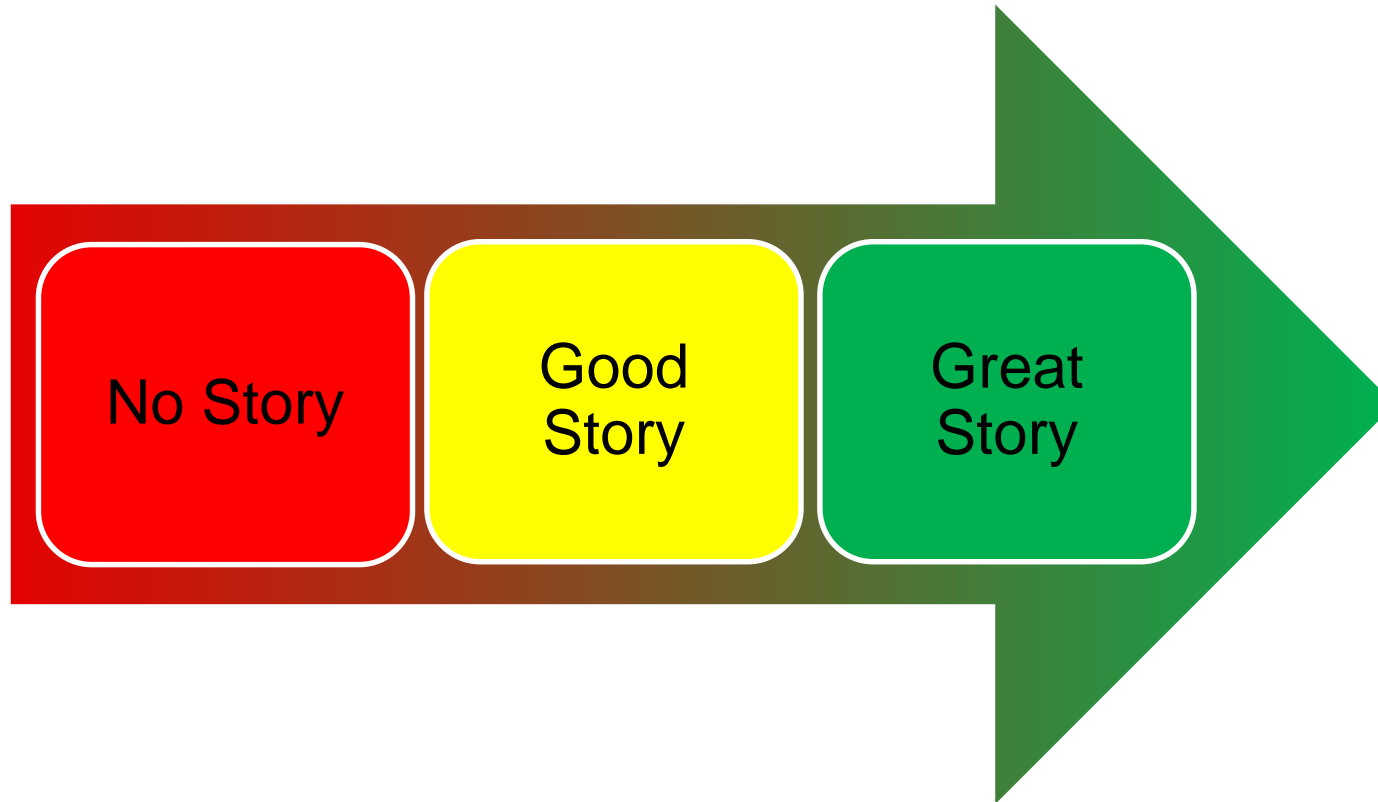
Too many standards. Too many controls and requirements.

## SECURITY

Standard	Controls
HIPAA	56+
CSF	98
NIST 800-171	109
ISO 27001	114
PCI-DSS	200
NIST 800-53	303

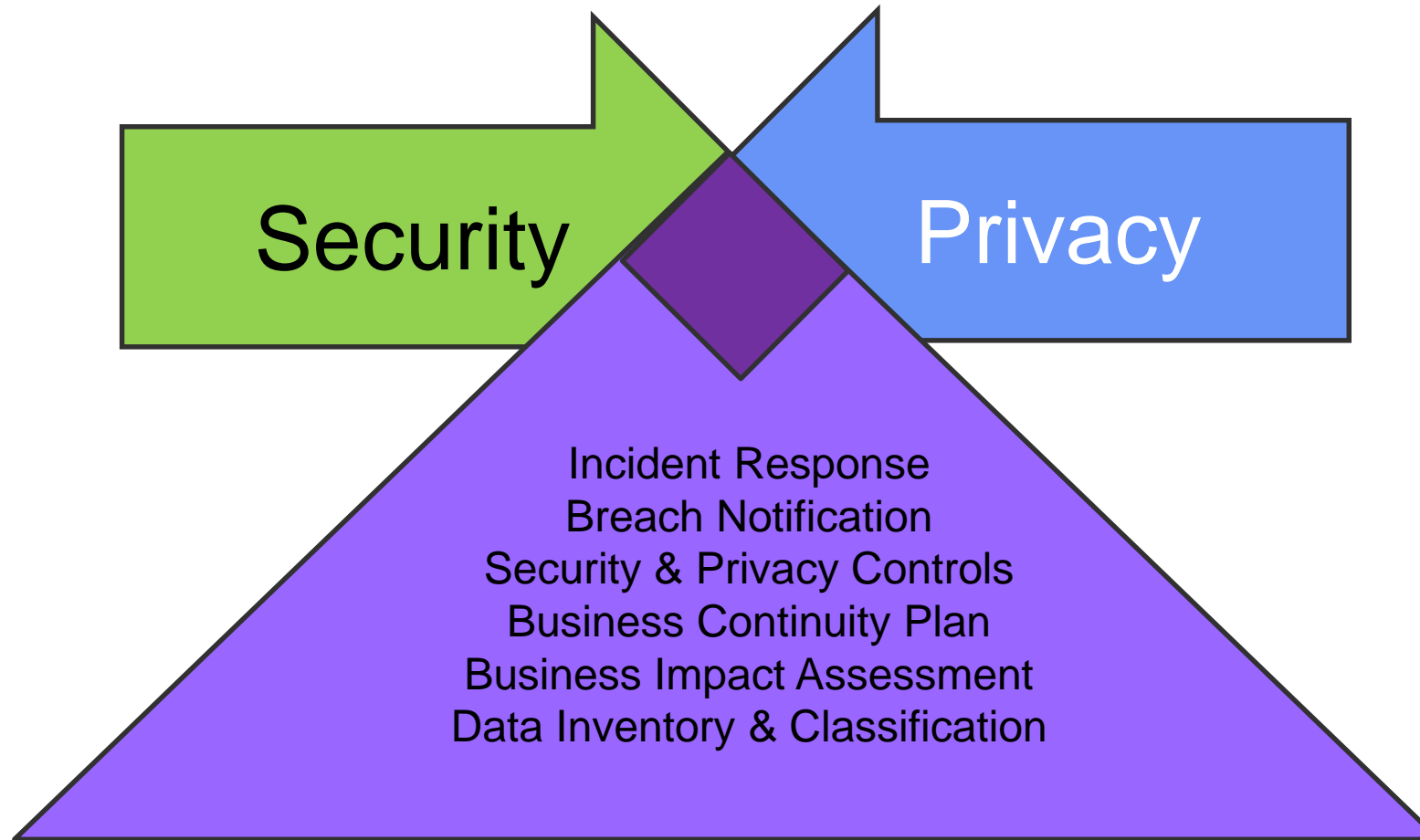
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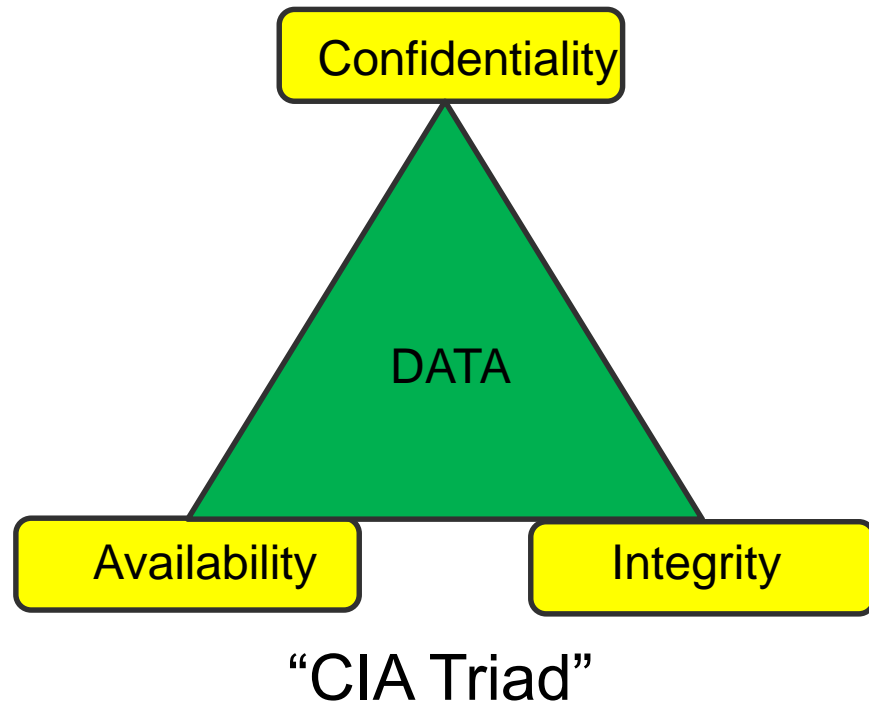
Standard	Controls
GDPR	99
HIPAA	6
ISO 27701:2019	Adds 15
NIST 800-53	26
50 States	varies



**How does your  
Privacy & Security  
Book Read?**

Security and Privacy are merging rapidly!





## SECURITY DEFINITIONS

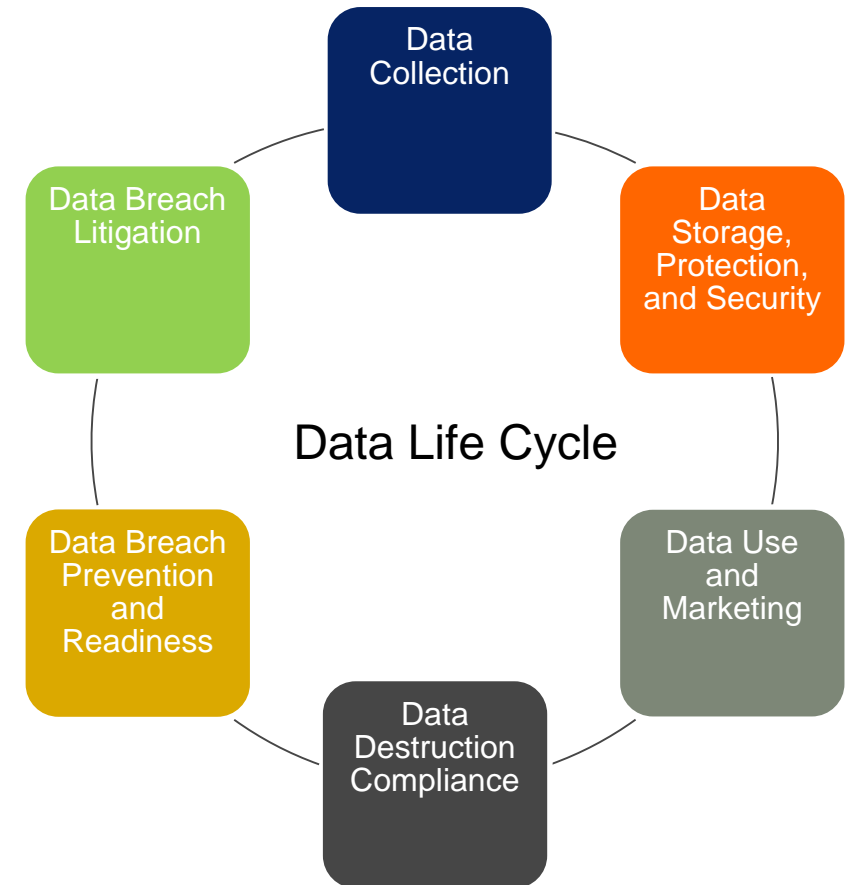
**Confidentiality:** Data being stored is safe from unauthorized access and use

**Integrity:** Data is reliable and accurate

**Availability:** Data is available for use when it is needed

## PRIVACY DEFINITIONS

- Collecting personal information
- Using and disclosing personal information
- Ensuring data quality
- Controlling access to personal information
- Confidentiality of sensitive data not defined as PII



**The proposed model of five questions is:**

- **Meant to be a high-level evaluation.**
- **Not meant to replace detailed standards and compliance framework reviews!**



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## What level is the person assigned Privacy – Security?

Depends upon organization size and type

### **Security:**

**5,000+ should have CISO**

**500+ should have position assigned security exclusively**

**<500 should have defined security roles but may have other responsibilities.**

### **Privacy:**

**10,000+ should have CDPO**

**1,000+ should have position assigned privacy exclusively**

**<1,000 should have defined privacy roles but may have other responsibilities.**

## Security

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1. What security methodology or standards are followed?	None	Working on it	Certified / Compliant
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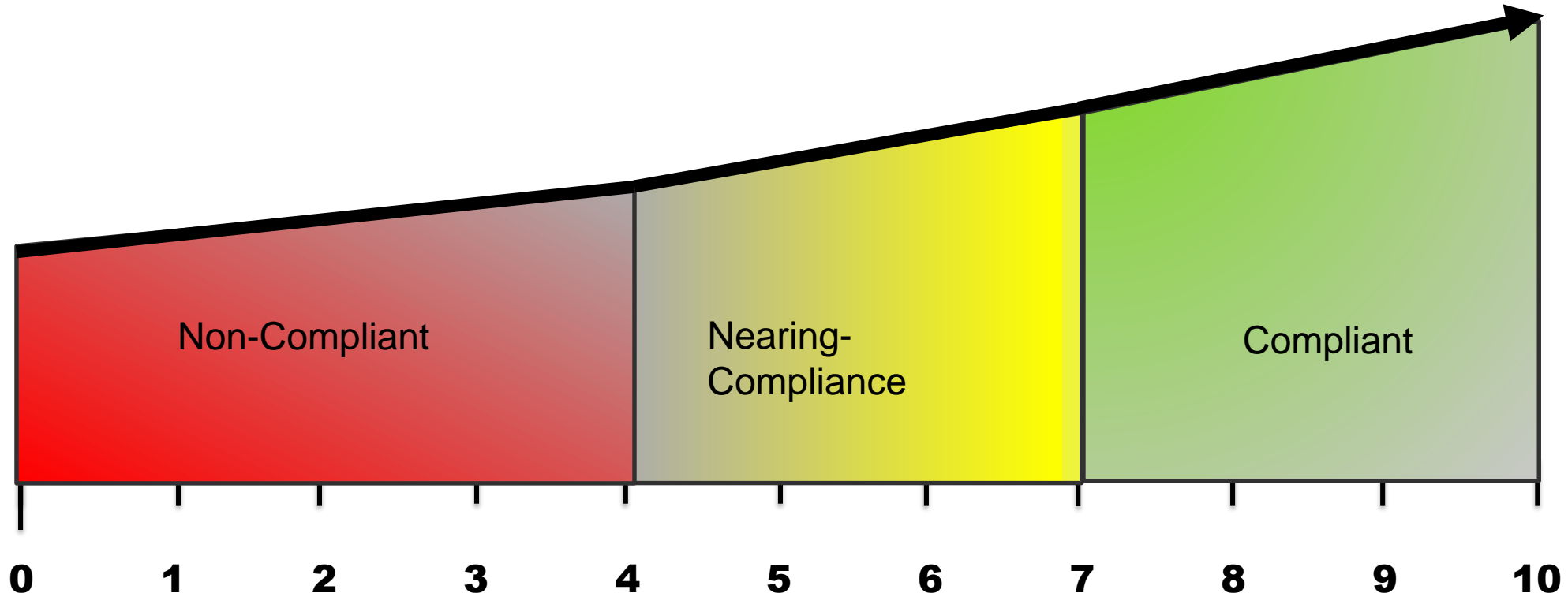
## Security or Privacy Example

Question	Scoring		
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2. Who is the one person assigned security or privacy responsibility and oversight?		1	
3. Are there written and approved security or privacy policies and procedures?			2
4. Are the key stakeholders (CEO, CIO, BoD, etc.) briefed routinely on security or privacy risks?			2
5. Is the security or privacy program independently tested or audited?		1	
Column Scores	0	2	4
Overall Score	6		

# SIMPLE PRIVACY & CYBER SECURITY MEASURING SCALE

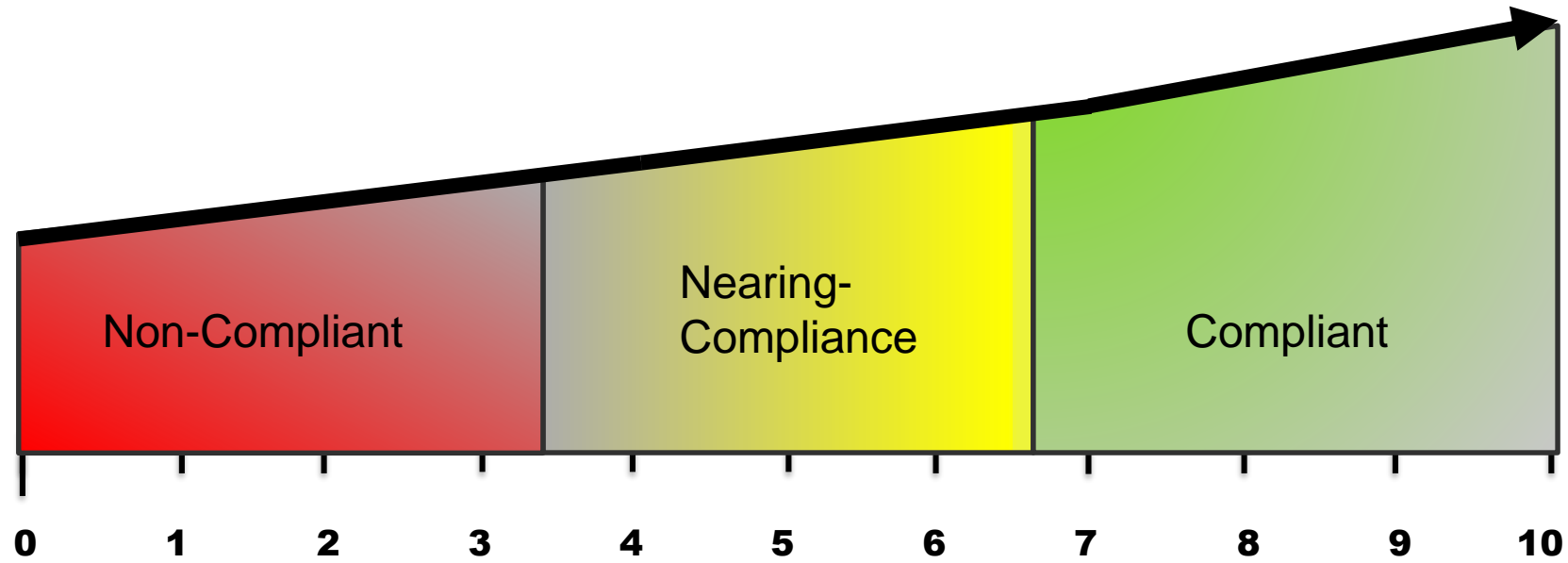
Now with more information how does your program rate?

**Regulatory  
Requirements**





# STORY AND MEASURING CORRELATION



## **When evaluating a SaaS take a quick look at the T&C's no other work may be required**

“-----y.com agrees during the Term to implement reasonable security measures to protect Customer Data and will, at a minimum, utilize industry standard security procedures. However, because of the nature of the Service, which combines public and private information that is conveyed over the public internet, to the maximum extent permitted by law: (i) -----y.com shall not be held liable for any damage caused as a result of your use of the Service”

- **5 questions can be used to evaluate security or privacy**
- **Process can be used for an organization of supplier**
- **Meant to be done quickly – may save time on a full analysis**



# Questions & Discussion



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