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Vendor Security Standard

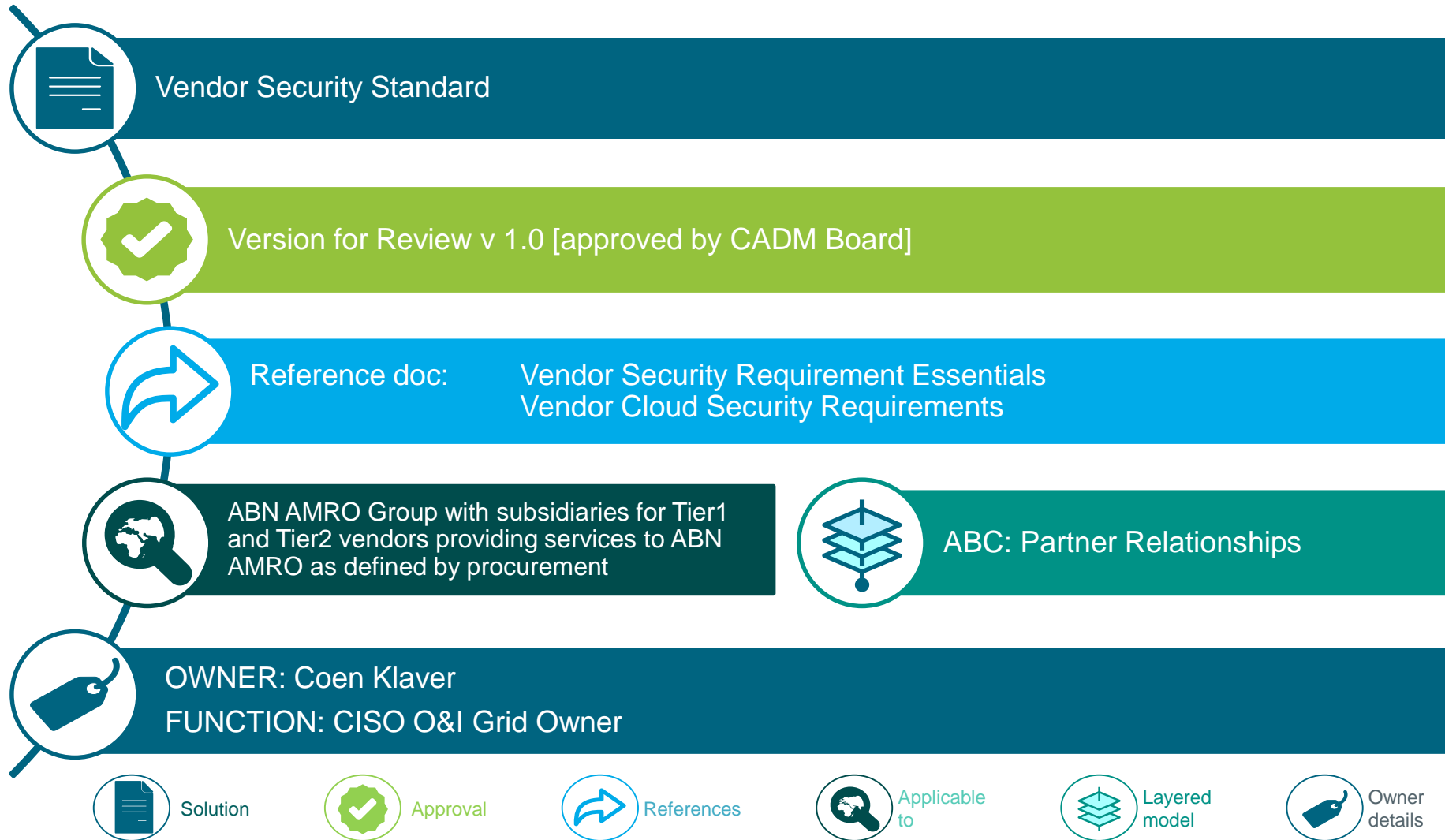
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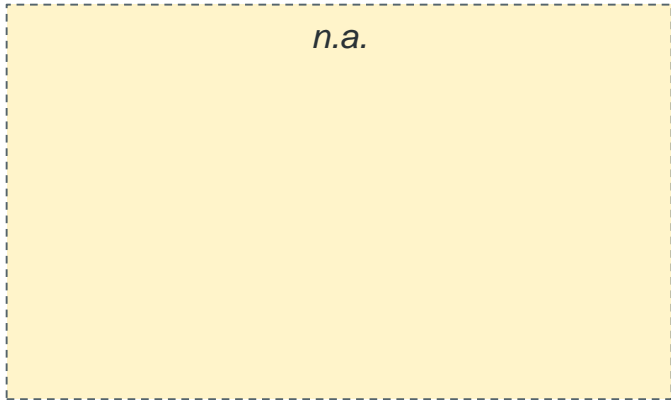
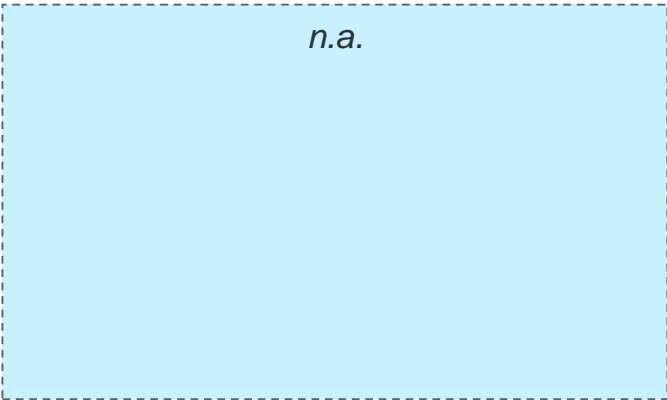
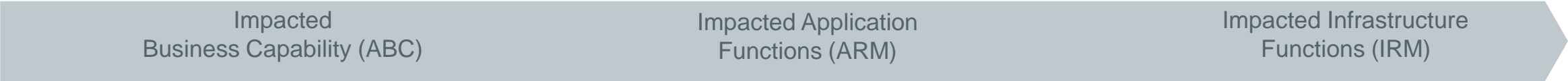
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This standard defines which controls need to be implemented at a minimum by vendors providing services to ABN AMRO**. The focus of these requirements is on the WHAT, and for most of the HOW the service providing vendors are free to choose their solution.*

Specifically, this standard is applicable for Tier1 and Tier2 vendors as defined by Procurement, including cloud-based services.

This document consists of three sections:

- First part is the overview and summary of the requirements listed in this Standard.*
- Second part is the foundational controls which are applicable for all Tier 1 & Tier 2 vendors.*
- Third part is the controls applicable for cloud-base service provider.*

Any exception to these requirements should be formally communicated to and approved by ABN AMRO.

** For the purposes of this standard the terms “Vendor”, “Supplier” and “Third Party”, are used interchangeably, meaning an organization outside of the ABN AMRO Group offering services or products to ABN AMRO Group.*

*** For the purposes of this standard, “ABN AMRO” refers to all ABN AMRO Group entities, including subsidiaries.*

Vendor Security Standard – Overview & Summary

Foundation controls			Additional Cloud controls
A01. Documented security policy and periodic review of policy	F02. Logging and monitoring should be in place including log file protection	L06. Controls to prevent usage of unauthorized software, applications or SaaS should be in place	F04. Collect and review capacity information periodically
A02. Provide security awareness education and training at a minimum once a year to employees and relevant contractors	F03. Adequate process to select or create Test data / Test environment should be in place	L07. Comply with ABN AMRO's data retention requirements	G03. Network segregation from supplier's other clients
A03. Right to audit	G01. Network segmentation should be in place	L08. ABN AMRO data should not be transmitted, processed or stored in any end user devices other than ABN AMRO provided devices	L09. Client-side encryption should be supported
A04. Agreed exit strategy in place	G02. Systems to be separated for test, development, and production	M01. Documented and implemented secure development policy	O02. DoS/DDoS protection in place
A05. WFH (Working from Home) related controls in place	H01. Vulnerability management process in place including quarterly scanning at minimum	M02. Established acceptance testing programs and related criteria	
B01. Documented information security risk management policy and process	H02. Patch management process should be in place	M03. Testing of security functionality should be integral part of development process	
B02. Documented information security risk methodology and implementation of controls for managing and tracking the identified risks including periodic assessment of those risks	H03. Periodic industry-recognized network penetration testing should be performed	M04. ABN AMRO data should never be used for test or development	
C01. Background verification should be performed	I01. Anti-malware or anti-virus process and software should be implemented	N01. Defined security perimeters and implemented physical and environmental controls	
D01. Access policies and processes should be in place	I02. Documented and implemented Security configuration standards	N02. Secure areas should be protected by appropriate entry controls	
D02. JML (Joiner, Mover, Leaver) processes should be documented and implemented	I03. Hardening standards should be in place	N03. Equipment should be sited and protected	
D03. Segregation of Duties (SOD) should be in place	I04. Controls to ensure all adequate configurations and controls are implemented prior to production	O01. BCP/DR should be in place and reviewed periodically. Additionally BCP/DR tests should be performed periodically	
D04. Least privilege model should be implemented	J01. Third party risk management and its monitoring should be in place	P01. Maintain the list of applicable legal and regulatory requirements and comply with those requirements	
D05. Only one user account is allowed per users and access should be revoked as soon as user don't have business needs	J02. Documented policy to manage and control third party's access to its network	P02. Obtain one of the industry recognized information security certificates at least annually	
D06. Periodic review of access rights including timely corrective actions	K01. Documented and implemented change management process	P03. Obtain one of the market standard assurance report at least annually	
D07. Multi factor authentication should be implemented when required	K02. Controls should in place to track and manage changes to code	Q01. Supplier should ensure controls are in place to comply with GDPR and other applicable data privacy legislations	
E01. Documented policy for the acceptable use of information and assets	L01. Data encryption policy covering data in transit and data at rest should be in place	Q02. Supplier should have sufficient legal ground or EU model clauses in place for data transfers outside the EU/EEA	
E02. Asset disposal policy and related procedures should be in place	L02. Documented key management policy and procedures		
E03. Assets and associated configurations should be registered in the centralized repository	L03. Documented and implemented Data Disposal Policy		
E04. Return of assets should be integrated with the leaver process	L04. Documented backup and restore policy including periodic test of backup and restore		
F01. Monitor and manage critical security incidents including notification to ABN AMRO within 24 hours	L05. Separate location for backup data from original data and same level of protection on backup and original data		

Control areas

- A. Security Governance
- B. Risk Management
- C. Human Resource Security
- D. Access Controls
- E. Asset Management
- F. Operations Security
- G. Network Security
- H. Vulnerability and Patch Management
- I. Secure Configuration
- J. Third Party Risk Management
- K. Change Management
- L. Data Protection / Data Security
- M. SDLC
- N. Physical & Environmental Security
- O. Business Continuity
- P. Compliance, Regulations and Assurance
- Q. Data privacy

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Foundation Controls – Foundation controls are applicable for all suppliers, irrespective of the service they are offering to ABN AMRO Group

Nr	Status	Standard	Area
S-A01	New	Supplier should have a documented information security policy, which should be reviewed and updated periodically.	Security Governance
S-A02	New	Suppliers should provide their employees and relevant contractors with appropriate security awareness education and training at a minimum once a year.	Security Governance
S-A03	New	Supplier should allow ABN AMRO the right to audit.	Security Governance
S-A04	New	Supplier should agree on an exit strategy with ABN AMRO addressing among others, data disposal, knowledge transfer, data migration, etc.	Security Governance
S-A05	New	Supplier should have Working From Home (WFH)-related controls in place to minimize relative information security risks.	Security Governance
S-B01	New	Information security risk management policy and process should be documented and implemented	Risk Management
S-B02	New	Information security risk assessment methodology should be documented and the controls to ensure identified risks are managed and tracked appropriately should be in place. Additionally, controls to ensure identified risks are assessed periodically should be implemented.	Risk Management
S-C01	New	Background verification checks on all employees and contractors should be performed, in accordance with relevant laws and regulations.	Human Resources Security
S-D01	New	Access policies and processes should be documented and implemented across all supplier's organizations.	Access Controls
S-D02	New	JML (Joiner, Mover, Leaver) processes should be documented, implemented.	Access Controls
S-D03	New	Segregation of Duties (SOD) principle should be implemented, where applicable, to ensure preventing fraud, misuse, and errors.	Access Controls
S-D04	New	Suppliers should have controls in place to limit privileges to users based on the need-to-know principle.	Access Controls

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S-D05	New	Supplier should have controls in place to ensure each user has only one user account and the access is revoked as soon as the user does not have business needs.	Access Controls
S-D06	New	Controls should be in place to ensure all access rights are reviewed periodically and corrective actions as a result of review should be performed within required time frame.	Access Controls
S-D07	New	Multi factor authentication should be implemented when either of the following is applicable: a.remote access to ABN AMRO information assets is permitted, b.laptops other than ABN AMRO-provided are used, or c.accessed data are classified as 'Critical' by ABN AMRO.	Access Controls
S-E01	New	Supplier should have documented policy for the acceptable use of information and assets associated with information and information processing facilities.	Asset Management
S-E02	New	An asset disposal policy and related procedures should be documented and implemented.	Asset Management
S-E03	New	Controls should be documented and implemented to ensure all assets and associated configurations are registered in the centralized repository.	Asset Management
S-E04	New	Controls to govern the return of assets integrated with the leaver process (or employee off-boarding) should be documented and implemented.	Asset Management
S-F01	New	Supplier should have capabilities to monitor and manage critical security incidents and in case of those incidents, supplier should notify ABN AMRO within 24 hours since the identification of the incidents.	Operations Security
S-F02	New	Logs should be collected and retained for all users and systems and log files should be protected against unauthorized access. Additionally, supplier should have capabilities to monitor and analyze those logs and provide the analysis result upon request.	Operations Security
S-F03	New	Adequate processes to select or create Test data / Test environment should be in place.	Operations Security
S-G01	New	Network segmentation should be in place to separate critical networks from external-facing and other less sensitive networks.	Network Security
S-G02	New	Development, testing and production environments should be separated.	Network Security

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S-H01	New	Vulnerability management process should be documented and implemented in the supplier's organization. Additionally, scanning to identify vulnerabilities in the environment should be performed periodically and no longer than quarterly.	Vulnerability and Patch Management
S-H02	New	Supplier should have a documented patch management process, including defined timeframes to implement high or critical security patches.	Vulnerability and Patch Management
S-H03	New	Industry-recognized network penetration testing should be performed periodically, covering both internal and external facing components.	Vulnerability and Patch Management
S-I01	New	Supplier should have a documented policy to detect and handle malware infections and should have controls to ensure malware detection software is installed and the definition files are frequently updated on all required systems.	Secure Configuration
S-I02	New	Security configuration standards for systems should be documented and implemented on all systems.	Secure Configuration
S-I03	New	Supplier should have a defined and implemented hardening standard, which is based on best practices (e.g. Center for Internet Security).	Secure Configuration
S-I04	New	Supplier should have controls in place to ensure all adequate configurations and controls are implemented prior to promoting to production.	Secure Configuration
S-J01	New	Controls to manage third party risk (sub-contractors) should be in place including continuous monitoring of those parties' adherence to supplier's security policies and standards, and contractual agreements.	Third Party Risk Management
S-J02	New	Supplier should have documented policy to manage and control third party's access to its network.	Third Party Risk Management
S-K01	New	Change management process should be documented and implemented, including handling emergency changes.	Change Management
S-K02	New	Supplier should have controls in place to track and manage changes to code. This also applies to software and configuration items	Change Management

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S-L01	New	Supplier should have a data encryption policy covering data at rest and data in transit. Additionally, technical controls should be in place to detect and prevent data breaches.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L02	New	Key management policy/procedures should be documented and implemented across supplier's organization. Additionally, controls to protect private / public keys should be in place in a way to limit physical and logical access to the keys.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L03	New	Supplier should have a documented and implemented Data Disposal Policy aligned with industry best practice. Related controls, including data to be made unreadable prior to disposal, should be in place.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L04	New	Supplier should have a documented backup and restore policy, aligned with industry best practice. Backup and restore tests should be performed periodically.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L05	New	Back-ups of data should be stored in a separate location from where the original data is processed and stored. Both locations should have the same adequate level of protection.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L06	New	Supplier should have controls in place to prevent usage of unauthorized software, applications or SaaS.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L07	New	Supplier should comply with ABN AMRO's data retention requirements ⁽¹⁾	Data Protection / Data Security
S-L08	New	ABN AMRO data should not be transmitted, processed or stored in any end user devices (Desktops, Laptops, Tablets, Smartphones) other than the ones provided by ABN AMRO unless otherwise agreed. Any exception to this requirement should be formally approved by ABN AMRO.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-M01	New	Supplier should have a documented and implemented secure development policy, which should include at least the rules for the secure development of software and systems within the organization and relevant requirements when this process is outsourced.	SDLC
S-M02	New	Acceptance testing programs and related criteria should be established for new information systems, upgrades and new versions.	SDLC

(1) Data retention requirements depend on the type of data involved in the supplied service. If you have any questions, please contact ABN AMRO Procurement for more information.

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S-M03	New	Testing of security functionality should be integral part of development process.	SDLC
S-M04	New	The supplier should never make use of ABN AMRO data for testing or development purposes.	SDLC
S-N01	New	Security perimeters should be defined, and appropriate physical and environmental controls should be implemented.	Physical & environmental security
S-N02	New	Supplier should ensure that secure areas are protected by appropriate entry controls to ensure only authorized personnel has access. Additionally, the access should be revalidated periodically.	Physical & environmental security
S-N03	New	Supplier should ensure that equipment is sited and protected, to reduce the risks of environmental threats, hazards and opportunities for unauthorized access	Physical & environmental security
S-O01	New	Supplier should have Business Continuity Plan and Disaster Recovery program (BCP/DR) in place covering the services provided to ABN AMRO, and the BCP/DR plan should be reviewed and updated periodically. Additionally, BCP/DR test should be performed periodically, and the result should be communicated to ABN AMRO when requested.	Business Continuity
S-P01	New	Supplier should maintain the list of applicable legal and regulatory requirements. Controls to ensure compliance to those requirements should be in place. Additionally, these controls should be assessed periodically, and the result reports should be provided to ABN AMRO when requested.	Compliance, Regulations and Assurance
S-P02	New	Supplier should obtain one of the industry recognized information security certificates at least annually and provide the scope of such certificate(s) and the Statement(s) of Applicability, where applicable. (e.g. PCI-DSS, CCSK, ISO27001, or other equivalent certifications)	Compliance, Regulations and Assurance
S-P03	New	Supplier should obtain one of the market standard assurance report at least annually and provide the latest result report to ABN AMRO, such as SOC2 Type 2 or other equivalent assurance reports.	Compliance, Regulations and Assurance
S-Q01	New	In case the supplier handles any ABN AMRO employees' or customers' data, it should be clearly documented what kinds of data are handled, including the classification of those data. Additionally, a data protection contract should be documented and agreed with ABN AMRO, and supplier should ensure controls are in place to comply with GDPR and other applicable data privacy legislations.	Data privacy
S-Q02	New	Supplier should have sufficient legal ground or EU model clauses in place for data transfers outside the EU/EEA.	Data privacy

Vendor Security Standard – Additional Cloud (*) Controls

Additional Cloud Controls – These controls apply to suppliers who offer services on the cloud

Nr	Status	Standard	Area
S-F04	New	Supplier should have controls in place to collect and review capacity information periodically.	Operations Security
S-G03	New	Network providing services to ABN AMRO should be segregated from service to supplier's other clients.	Network Security
S-L09	New	Supplier should support client-side encryption, when required.	Data Protection / Data Security
S-O02	New	Supplier should have adequate DoS/DDoS protection in place.	Business Continuity

* By cloud we mean any IaaS, PaaS, and/or SaaS solutions and services.

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