

Increasingly, IT leaders grapple with understanding, prioritizing, and analyzing their IT environment's overall risk posture. Whether responding to breaches, preparing for audits, or enhancing visibility and control organization-wide, they seek expert guidance and support.



of enterprises lack visibility or have inaccurate information on up to 20% of endpoints ¹

1. Vanson Bourne & Tanium research study

Scaling Up: A strategy for real-time data and action

The Avanade Security Risk Assessment is a 5-day activity designed to offer IT security leaders a holistic perspective of their enterprise's risk posture. Delivered with Tanium, this assessment equips organizations with proactive strategies to defend against evolving cyber threats such as ransomware, insider threats, and vulnerabilities.

Through a comprehensive examination of key risk vectors, cyber hygiene metrics, and existing security measures, including deployed security controls, the assessment ensures a consistent and unbiased evaluation of the IT landscape.



Complete and real time visibility



Patching with speed and scale



Reduced silos between operations and security



Cost savings

How we can help

Avanade's Security Risk Assessment delivers an in-depth report detailing risks and vulnerabilities, accompanied by a prescriptive plan for remediation and implementation. This empowers CIOs/CISOs to:

- Identify, prioritize, and effectively address security risks.
- Provide vital context for their priorities and associated budget requests when engaging with executive teams and the Board."

We adopt a holistic approach:

- Pre-execution: We prime the client environment for seamless agent deployment.
- Execution: Our agents diligently gather data from the PoC environment.
- Post-execution: Following data collection, we meticulously analyze findings and generate a comprehensive report



Solution

Services

• Avanade Security and advisory consulting

Software

- Tanium Cloud POC environment
- Microsoft Defender for Endpoint Health dashboard

Activities

Day 1 – 5

- Verify AV/firewall/VPN, deploy Tanium clients, and configure Tanium platform for the assessment
- Configure Asset SIU, Validate Comply and Reveal scan status
- Validate Reveal scan status
- Assign asset criticality to endpoints
- Assessment data collection (automated)





Outcomes

- **Executive summary:** composite risk score, asset inventory, proposed implementation plan, and Log4j exposure analysis.
- **Risk vector analysis:** detailed assessment of system vulnerabilities, compliance status, lateral movement risks, data exposure, security protocol weaknesses, and encryption standards.
- **Report:** identification of compensating controls, asset criticality, endpoints lacking controls (e.g., credential guard), endpoint hardening, antivirus/antimalware, etc., with explanation of asset criticality levels.
- Cyber hygiene metrics: asset inventory, patch status, vulnerability exposure, and software utilization analysis.

Take the next step

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