



# S11 – Introduction to COBIT

Integrating COBIT into the IT Audit Lifecycle  
&  
Update on COBIT 5.0 Development

***Back to Business***

**COBIT**<sup>®</sup>  
GOVERNANCE, CONTROL  
and AUDIT for INFORMATION  
and RELATED TECHNOLOGY

## COBIT® Knowledge

- First exposure?
- General understanding?
- Strong knowledge of COBIT® framework?

## Current Users of COBIT®

- Incorporated Into Audit Process?
- Adopted by IT Management for IT Governance?
- Users of a framework other than COBIT®?

# AGENDA

- ❖ Overview of COBIT®
- ❖ Integrating COBIT® Domains into IT Audit Planning & Scope Development
- ❖ Integrating COBIT® into the IT Audit Lifecycle
- ❖ COBIT 5 Update
- ❖ Summary & Wrap-up



**C**ontrol  
**OB**jectives  
for **I**nformation  
and Related **T**echnology

### IT Governance Focus Areas



- Strategic Alignment
- Value Delivery
- Risk Management
- Resource Management
- Performance Measurement

**More information:** *Board Briefing on IT Governance, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition* ( [www.itgi.org/](http://www.itgi.org/) )

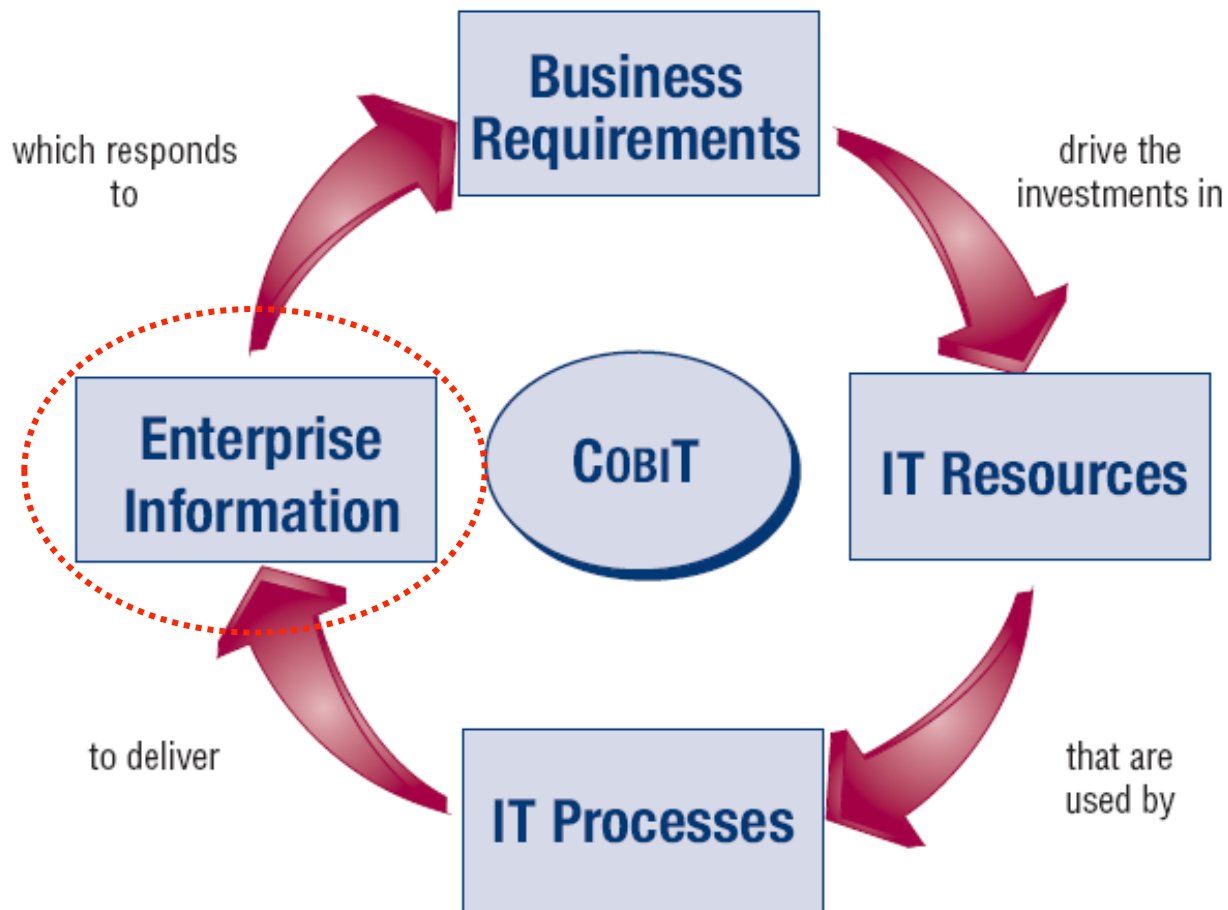
# COBIT's Scope & Objectives

## *IT Governance Framework*

- **Business-Focused:** Linkage with business requirements (bridges the gap between control requirements, technical issues, and business risks). Management and process owner orientation to ensure accountability.
- **Process-Oriented:** Identifies the major IT resources to be leveraged and organizes IT activities into a generally accepted process model (in alignment with ITIL, ISO, and other relevant 'good practices' and industry standards).
- **Controls-Based:** Defines control objectives and associated assurance guidelines and provides a toolkit of "best practices" for IT control representing the consensus of experts.
- **Measurement-Driven:** Provides tools for performance measurement and maturity assessment.
- **Generic-Oriented:** applicable to multiple environments.

# COBIT<sup>®</sup> Structure Overview

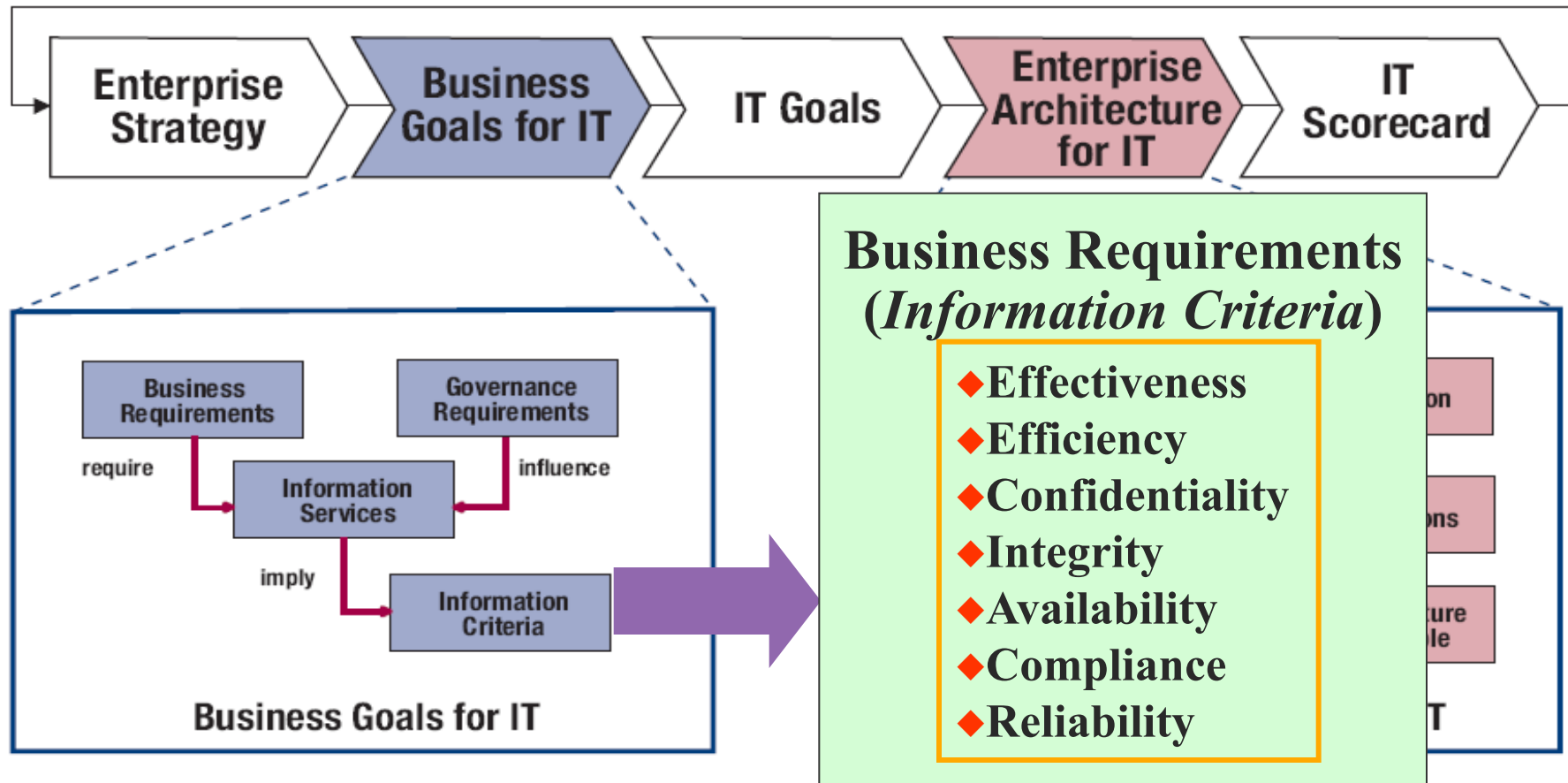
Starts from the premise that IT needs to deliver the information that the enterprise needs to achieve its objectives.



# COBIT<sup>®</sup> Structure

## Information Criteria (7)

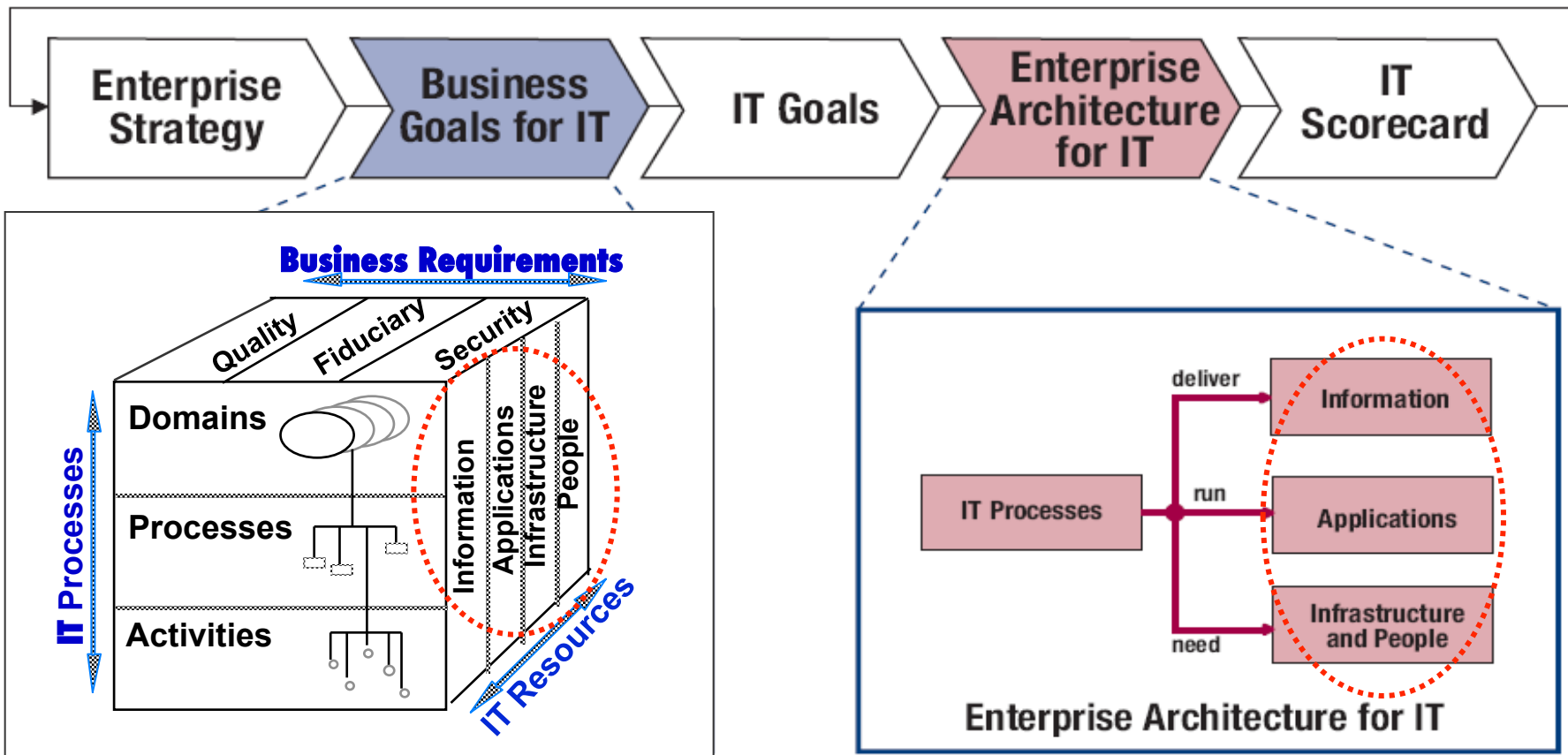
Highlights typical business requirements of enterprises by providing seven *information criteria* for use in generically defining what the business requires from IT.



# COBIT<sup>®</sup> Structure

## IT Resources (4)

Maps *IT resources* to domains and processes to highlight resource requirements and promotes process ownership by providing RACI charts for use in defining roles and responsibilities.

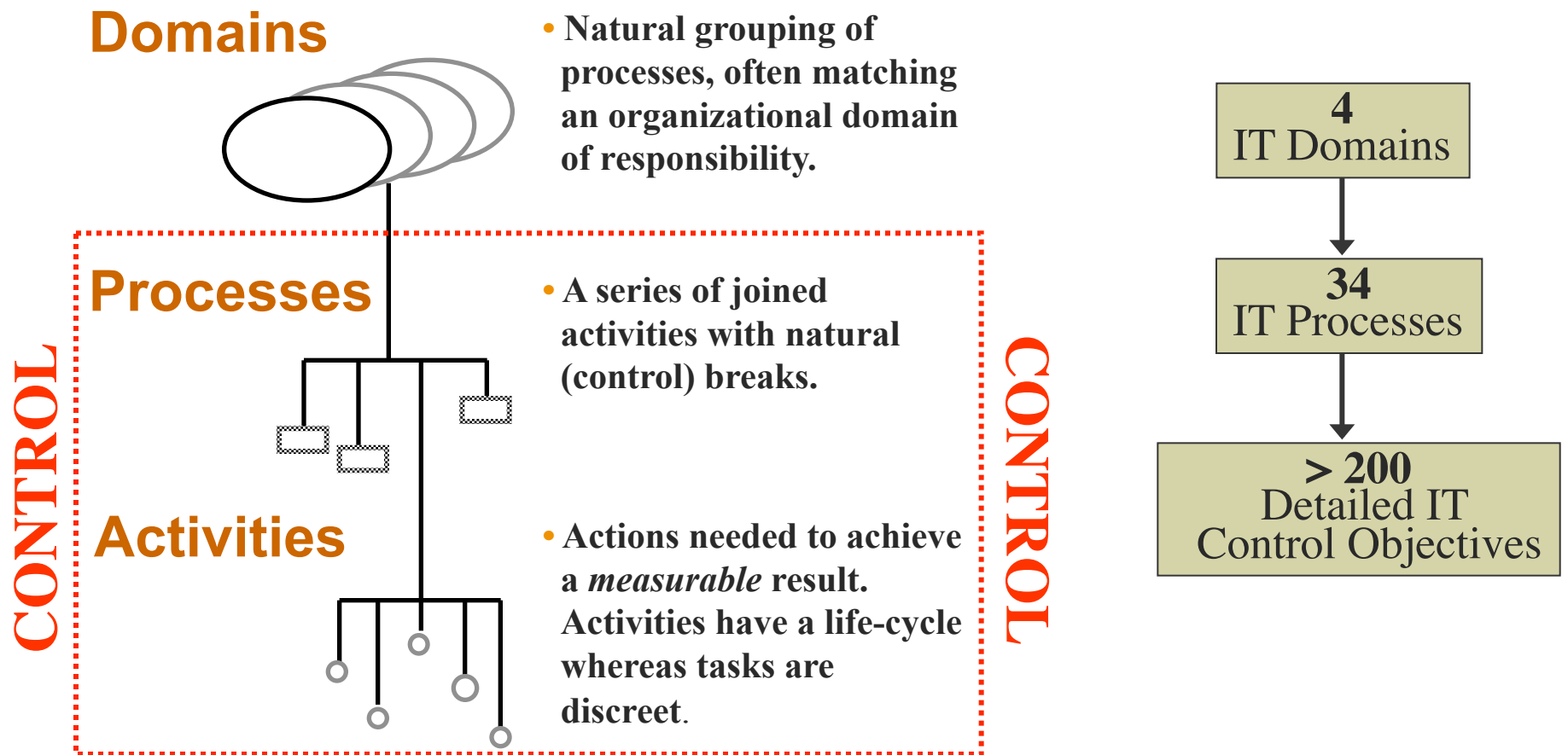




# COBIT® Structure

## Control Objectives (>200)

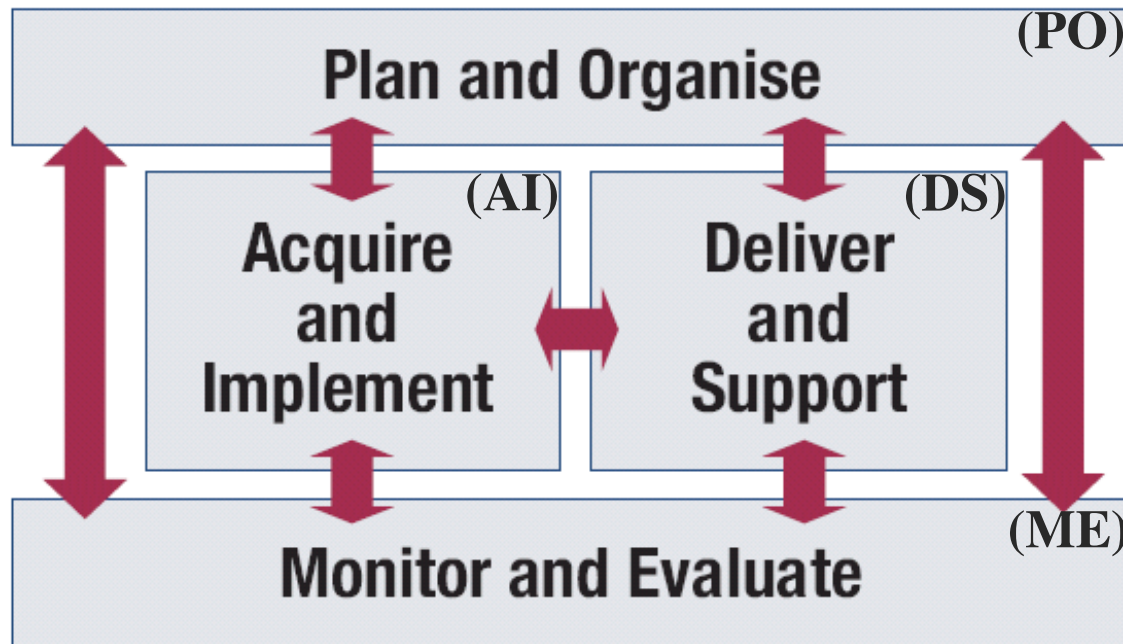
Emphasizes process control by providing a *high-level control objective* and a set of *detailed control objectives* for each process.



# COBIT® Structure

## Overview of 4 Domains

The primary focus of the domains is on delivering the technology capabilities, services, assets and other resources that the business functions need to implement and sustain business change.



# COBIT® Structure

## Overview of 34 IT Processes

### Plan & Organize (PO)

- PO1 – Define a Strategic Plan
- PO2 – Define the Information Architecture
- PO3 – Determine Technological Direction
- PO4 – Define the IT Processes, Organization & Relationships
- PO5 – Manage the IT Investment
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**Strategic  
&  
Planning  
Focus**

**Day to  
Day Ops  
&  
Service  
Delivery**

**SDLC**

### Deliver & Support (DS)

- DS1 – Define & Manage Service Levels
- DS2 – Manage 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Services
- DS3 – Manage Performance & Capacity
- DS4 – Ensure Continuous Service
- DS5 – Ensure Systems Security
- DS6 – Identify & Allocate Costs
- DS7 – Educate & Train Users
- DS8 – Manage Service Desk & Incidents
- DS9 – Manage the Configuration
- DS10 – Manage Problems
- DS11 – Manage Data
- DS12 – Manage the Physical Environment
- DS13 – Manage Operations

### Acquire & Implement (AI)

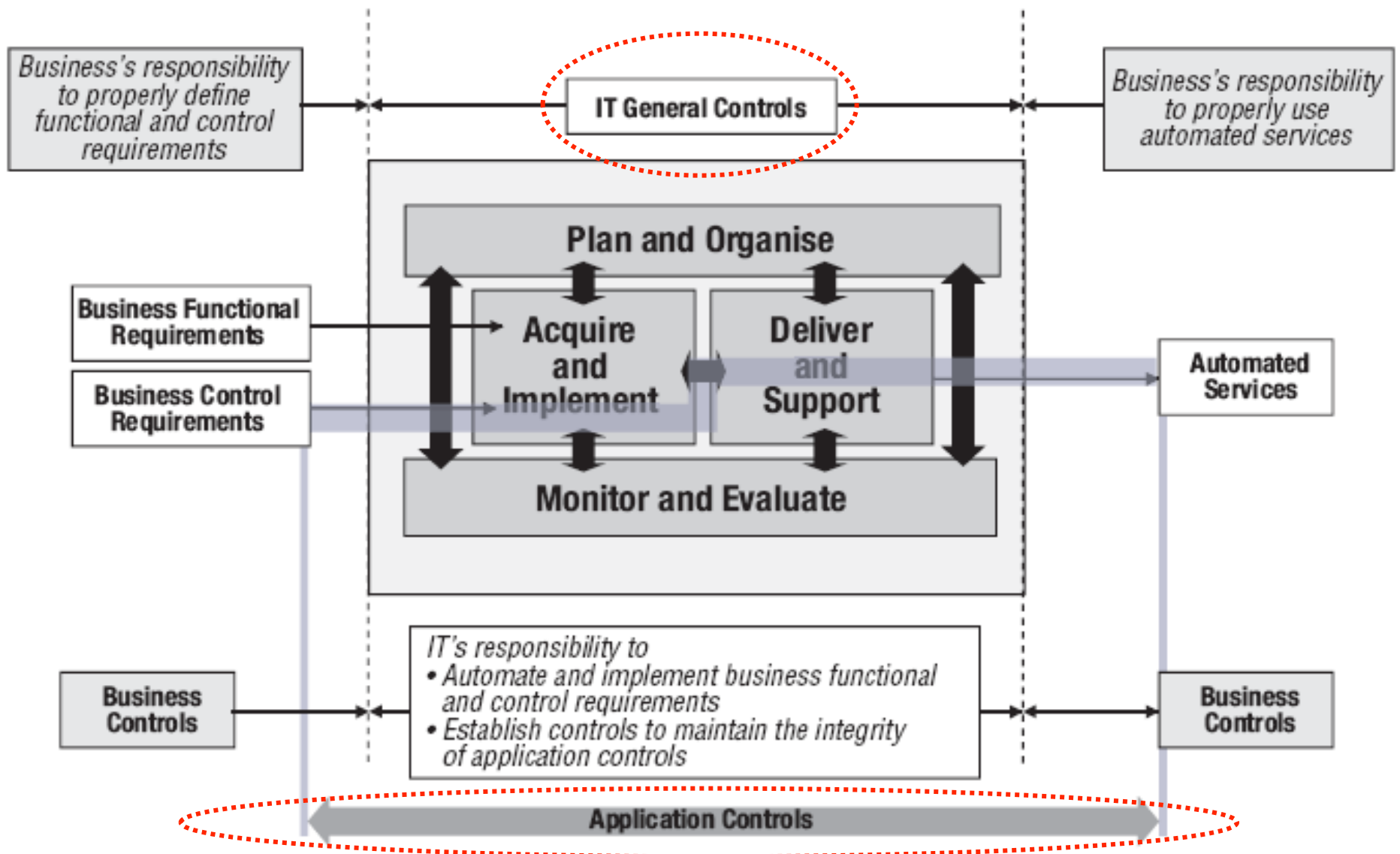
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- AI7 – Install & Accredite Solutions and Changes

### Monitor & Evaluate (ME)

- ME1 – Monitor & Evaluate IT Performance
- ME2 – Monitor & Evaluate Internal Control
- ME3 – Ensure Compliance With External Requirements
- ME4 – Provide IT Governance

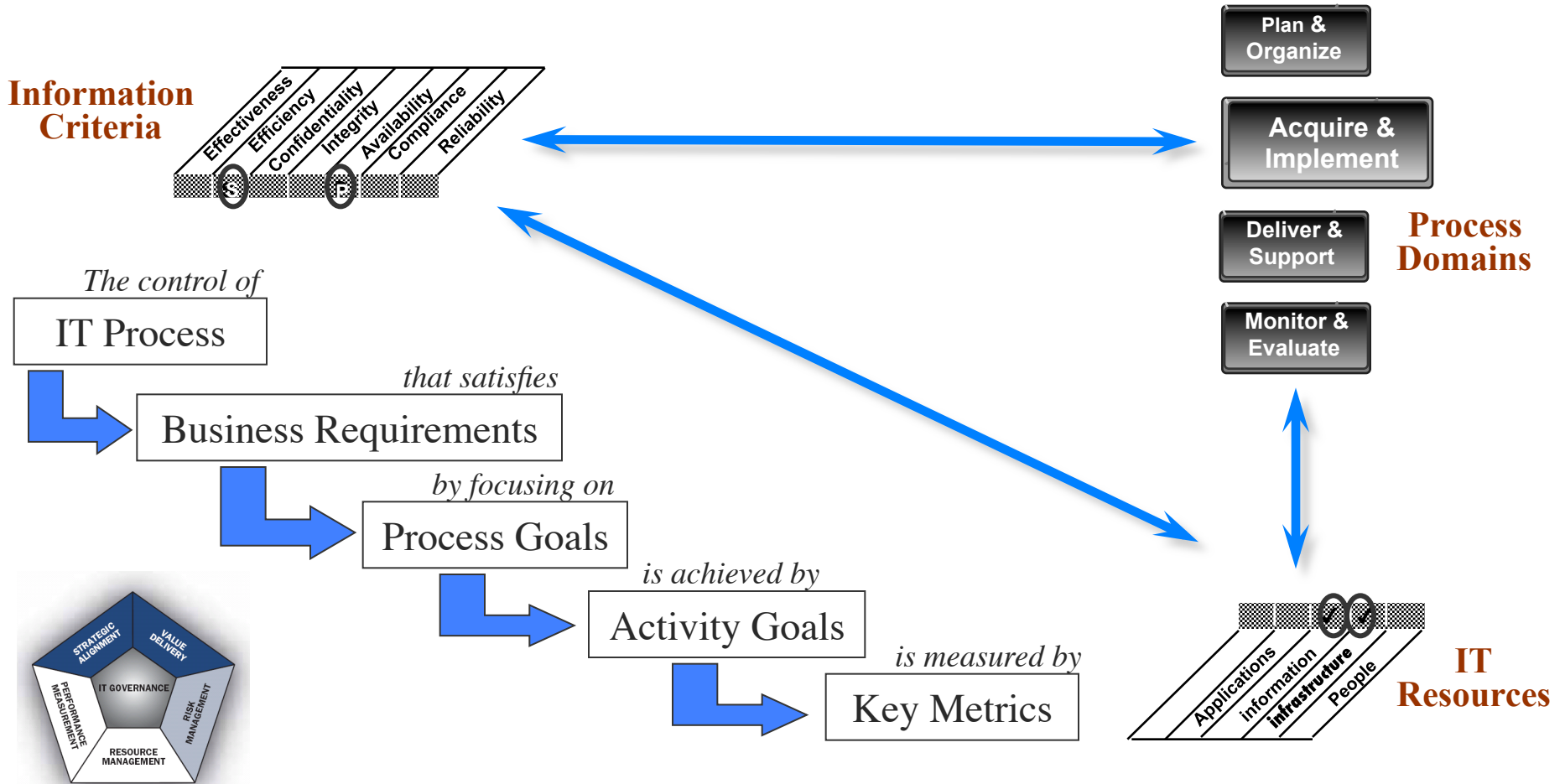
# COBIT® Structure

## Control Objectives (Application versus General)



# COBIT® “Waterfall” & Navigation Aids

## Linking Processes, Resources & Information Criteria

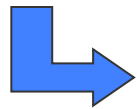


# Linking The Processes To Control Objectives

## *Example IT Process (High-level Control Objective)*

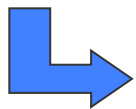
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#### that satisfies the business requirement



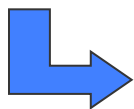
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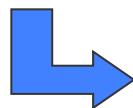
defining IT security policies, plans and procedures, and monitoring, detecting, reporting and resolving security vulnerabilities and incidents

#### is achieved by



- Understanding security requirements, vulnerabilities and threats
- Managing user identities and authorizations in a standardized manner
- Testing security regularly

#### and is measured by



- Number of incidents damaging the organization's reputation
- Number of systems where security requirements are not met
- Number of violations in segregation of duties

# Example

*(Domain → Process → Control Objective)*

**DOMAIN:** Deliver and Support (**DS**)

**PROCESS (High-level Control Objective):**

Ensure Systems Security (**DS5**)

**DETAILED CONTROL OBJECTIVES:**

**DS 5.1** Management of IT Security

**DS 5.2** IT Security Plan

**DS 5.3** Identity Management

**DS 5.4** User Account Management

**DS 5.5** Security Testing, Surveillance and Monitoring

...


**DS 5.11** Exchange of Sensitive Data

# Example of COBIT® DS5 (page 1)

**Deliver and Support DS5**  
Ensure Systems Security

HIGH-LEVEL CONTROL OBJECTIVE

**DS5 Ensure Systems Security**  
 The need to maintain the integrity of information and protect IT assets requires a security management process. This process includes establishing and maintaining IT security roles and responsibilities, policies, standards and procedures. Security management also includes performing security monitoring and periodic testing and implementing corrective actions for identified security weaknesses or incidents. Effective security management protects all IT assets to minimise the business impact of security vulnerabilities and incidents.



Plan and Organize

Acquire and Implement

Deliver and Support

Monitor and Evaluate

**Control over the IT process of**  
 Ensure systems security

**that satisfies the business requirement for IT of**  
 maintaining the integrity of information and processing infrastructure and minimising the impact of security vulnerabilities and incidents


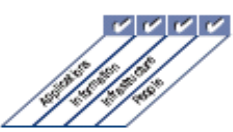
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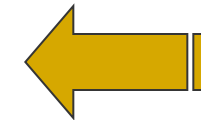
■ Primary
■ Secondary

- Process Description
- IT Domains & Information Indicators
- IT Goals
- Process Goals
- Key Practices/Activities
- Key Metrics
- IT Governance & IT Resource Indicators



# Example of COBIT® DS5 (page 2)

<b>DS5 Deliver and Support</b> Ensure Systems Security
<b>DETAILED CONTROL OBJECTIVES</b>
<b>DS5 Ensure Systems Security</b>
<b>DS5.1 Management of IT Security</b> Manage IT security at the highest appropriate organisational level, so the management of security actions is in line with business requirements.
<b>DS5.2 IT Security Plan</b> Translate business information requirements, IT configuration, information risk action plans and information security culture into an overall IT security plan. The plan is implemented in security policies and procedures together with appropriate investments in services, personnel, software and hardware. Security policies and procedures are communicated to stakeholders and users.
<b>DS5.3 Identity Management</b> All users (internal, external and temporary) and their activity on IT systems (business application, system operation, development and maintenance) should be uniquely identifiable. User access rights to systems and data should be in line with defined and documented business needs and job requirements. User access rights are requested by user management, approved by system owner and implemented by the security-responsible person. User identities and access rights are maintained in a central repository.



Detailed  
Control  
Objectives

## DS5.3 Identity Management

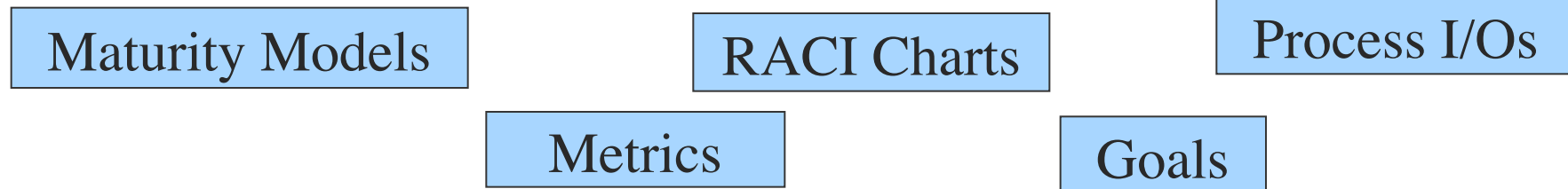
Ensure that all users (internal, external and temporary) and their activity on IT systems (business application, IT environment, system operations, development and maintenance) are uniquely identifiable. Enable user identities via authentication mechanisms. Confirm that user access rights to systems and data are in line with defined and documented business needs and that job requirements are attached to user identities. Ensure that user access rights are requested by user management, approved by system owners and implemented by the security-responsible person. Maintain user identities and access rights in a central repository. Deploy cost-effective technical and procedural measures, and keep them current to establish user identification, implement authentication and enforce access rights.

## DS5.4 User Account Management

Address requesting, establishing, issuing, suspending, modifying and closing user accounts and related user privileges with a set of user account management procedures. Include an approval procedure outlining the data or system owner granting the access privileges. These procedures should apply for all users, including administrators (privileged users) and internal and external users, for normal and emergency cases. Rights and obligations relative to access to enterprise systems and information should be contractually arranged for all types of users. Perform regular management review of all accounts and related privileges.

# COBIT<sup>®</sup> Management Guidelines

**COBIT 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition introduced the *Management and Governance* layer, providing management tools...**



## Management's Questions

How do responsible managers "keep the ship on course"?

DASHBOARDS



Indicators?

How to achieve results that are satisfactory for the largest possible segment of our stakeholders?

SCORECARDS



Measures?

How to timely adapt the organisation to trends and developments in the enterprise's environment?

BENCHMARKING

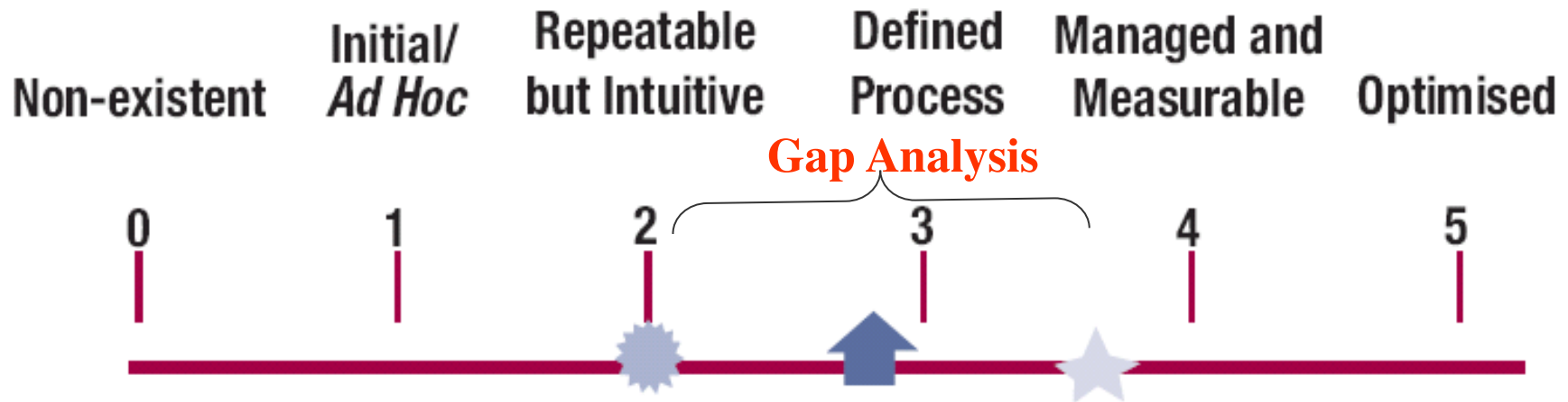


Scales?

***Monitor & Measure To Achieve Business Objectives***

# COBIT® Maturity Models

**Maturity Model:** *Method of scoring the maturity of IT processes...*



## LEGEND FOR SYMBOLS USED

-  Enterprise current status
-  Industry average
-  Enterprise target

## LEGEND FOR RANKINGS USED

- 0—Management processes are not applied at all.
- 1—Processes are *ad hoc* and disorganised.
- 2—Processes follow a regular pattern.
- 3—Processes are documented and communicated.
- 4—Processes are monitored and measured.
- 5—Good practices are followed and automated.

# Metrics

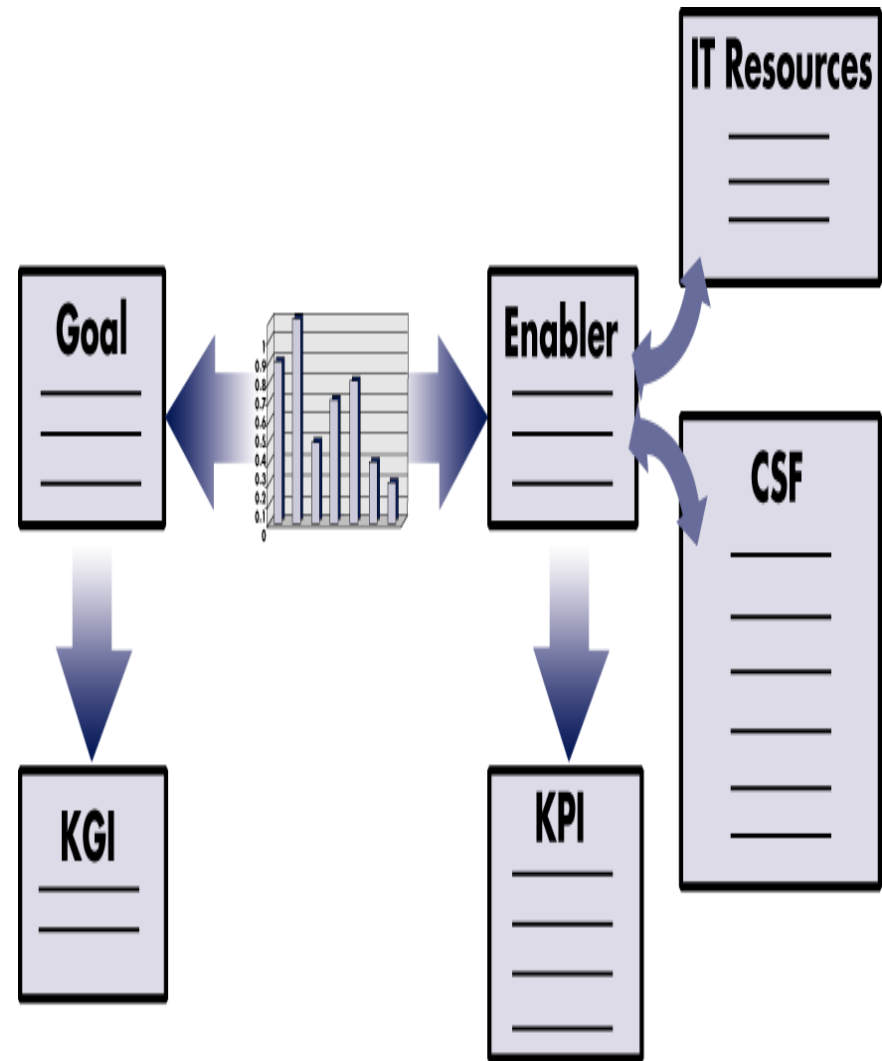
## *Performance Indicators & Outcome Measures*

### ❖ **Performance Indicators** (formerly **Key Performance Indicators - KPI**)

Measure how well a process is performing.

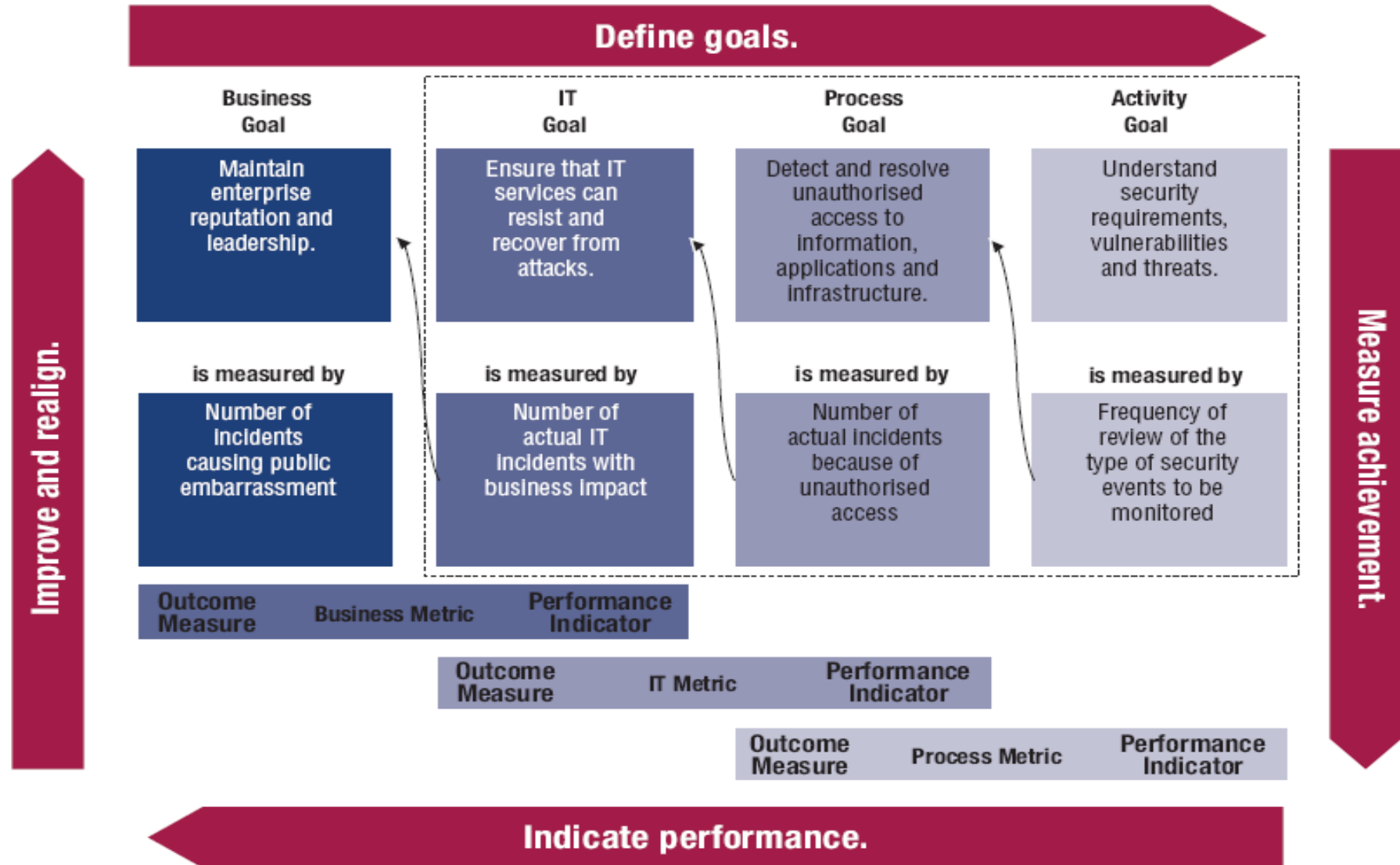
### ❖ **Outcome Measures** (formerly **Key Goal Indicators - KGI**)

Measure whether a process achieved its business requirements.



# Measuring Success

## Metric & Goal Relationships



# Example of COBIT® DS5 (page 3)

## Deliver and Support DS5 Ensure Systems Security

### MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES

#### DS5 Ensure Systems Security

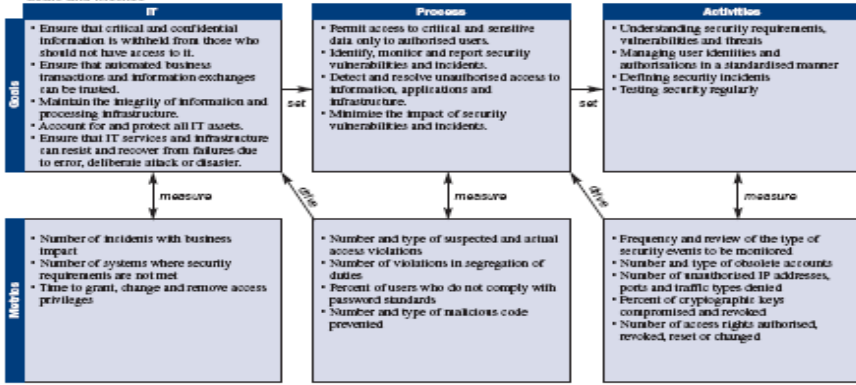
From	Inputs	Outputs	To
PO2	Information architecture; assigned data classifications	Security incident definition	DS8
PO3	Technology standards	Specific training requirements on security awareness	DS7
PO9	Risk assessment	Process performance reports	ME1
A12	Application security controls specification	Required security changes	AIG
DS1	OLAs	Security threats and vulnerabilities	PO9
		IT security plan and policies	DS11

#### RACI Chart

Activities	Functions											
	CEO	CFO	Business Executive	IT	Business Process Owner	Key Stakeholders	Other Stakeholders	Key Management	Key IT Management	Key IT Management	Key IT Management	
Define and maintain an IT security plan.	I	C	C	A	C	C	C	C	C	I	I	R
Define, establish and operate an identity (account) management process.			I	A	C	R	R	I				C
Monitor potential and actual security incidents.				A	I	R	C	C				R
Periodically review and validate user access rights and privileges.				I	A	C						R
Establish and maintain procedures for maintaining and safeguarding cryptographic keys.				A	R				I			C
Implement and maintain technical and procedural controls to protect information flows across networks.				A	C	C	R	R				C
Conduct regular vulnerability assessments.		I		A	I	C	C	C				R

A RACI chart identifies who is Responsible, Accountable, Consulted and/or Informed.

#### Goals and Metrics



## Management Guidelines

← Process Relationships

← RACI Chart (Major activities and associated responsibilities)

← IT Goals

← Performance Metrics

# Example of COBIT<sup>®</sup> DS5 (page 4)

## DS5 Deliver and Support Ensure Systems Security

### MATURITY MODEL

#### DS5 Ensure Systems Security

Management of the process of *Ensure systems security* that satisfies the business requirements for IT of *maintaining the integrity of information and processing infrastructure and minimising the impact of security vulnerabilities and incidents* is:

##### 0 Non-existent when

The organisation does not recognise the need for IT security. Responsibilities and accountabilities are not assigned for ensuring security. Measures supporting the management of IT security are not implemented. There is no IT security reporting and no response process for IT security breaches. There is a complete lack of a recognisable system security administration process.

##### 1 Initial/Ad Hoc when

The organisation recognises the need for IT security. Awareness of the need for security depends primarily on the individual. IT security is addressed on a reactive basis. IT security is not measured. Detected IT security breaches invoke finger-pointing responses, because responsibilities are unclear. Responses to IT security breaches are unpredictable.

##### 2 Repeatable but intuitive when

Responsibilities and accountabilities for IT security are assigned to an IT security co-ordinator, although the management authority of the co-ordinator is limited. Awareness of the need for security is fragmented and limited. Although security-relevant information is produced by systems, it is not analysed. Services from third parties may not address the specific security needs of the organisation. Security policies are being developed, but skills and tools are inadequate. IT security reporting is incomplete, misleading or not pertinent. Security training is available but is undertaken primarily at the initiative of the individual. IT security is seen primarily as the responsibility and domain of IT and the business does not see that IT security is within its domain.

##### 3 Defined Process when

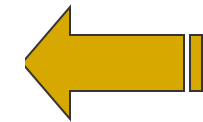
Security awareness exists and is promoted by management. IT security procedures are defined and aligned with IT security policy. Responsibilities for IT security are assigned and understood, but not consistently enforced. An IT security plan and security solutions exist as driven by risk analysis. Reporting on security does not contain a clear business focus. *Ad hoc* security testing (e.g., intrusion testing) is performed. Security training is available for IT and the business but is only informally scheduled and managed.

##### 4 Managed and Measurable when

Responsibilities for IT security are clearly assigned, managed and enforced. IT security risk and impact analysis is consistently performed. Security policies and practices are completed with specific security baselines. Exposure to methods for promoting security awareness is mandatory. User identification, authentication and authorisation are standardised. Security certification is pursued for staff who are responsible for the audit and management of security. Security testing is done using standard and formalised processes leading to improvements of security levels. IT security processes are co-ordinated with an overall organisation security function. IT security reporting is linked to business objectives. IT security training is conducted in both the business and IT. IT security training is planned and managed in a manner that responds to business needs and defined security risk profiles. KGIs and KPIs for security management have been defined but are not yet measured.

##### 5 Optimised when

IT security is a joint responsibility of business and IT management and is integrated with corporate security business objectives. IT security requirements are clearly defined, optimised and included in an approved security plan. Users and customers are increasingly accountable for defining security requirements, and security functions are integrated with applications at the design stage. Security incidents are promptly addressed with formalised incident response procedures supported by automated tools. Periodic security assessments are conducted to evaluate the effectiveness of implementation of the security plan. Information on threats and vulnerabilities is systematically collected and analysed. Adequate controls to mitigate risks are promptly communicated and implemented. Security testing, root cause analysis of security incidents and proactive identification of risk are used for continuous process improvements. Security processes and technologies are integrated organisationwide. KGIs and KPIs for security management are collected and communicated. Management uses KGIs and KPIs to adjust the security plan in a continuous improvement process.



Process  
Specific  
Maturity  
Model

# COBIT<sup>®</sup> 4.1 Additions

## ■ COBIT<sup>®</sup> IT Control Practices

- *Non-prescriptive control designs* for achieving the control objectives
- Describing the necessary and sufficient steps to *achieve* control objectives
- *Action-oriented*, enabling timely execution
- *Measurable* and *relevant* to the purpose of each control objective
- Cover all *inputs, activities, and outputs* of the processes
- Support clear *roles and responsibilities* (including segregation of duties)
- Generic and specific practices

## ■ IT Assurance Guide Using COBIT<sup>®</sup>

- Testing of control approaches covering 4 assurance objectives
  - 1) Existence, 2) Design Effectiveness, 3) Operating Effectiveness, 4) Design & Operating Efficiency
- Provide 3 types of assurance guidance
  - 1) Testing suggested control design, 2) Testing control objective achievement, 3) Documenting impact of control weakness
- Tests based on a documented taxonomy of relevant assurance methods
  - Inquire and confirm, inspect, observe, re-perform or re-calculate, automated evidence collection and analysis



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- Linking IT Goals to IT Processes
- Linking Business Goals to IT Goals



Framework	C.O.	I/O	RACI	G&M	M.M.	C.P.	A.S.
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### is achieved by

- Understanding security requirements, vulnerabilities and threats

### Used Resources

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### IT Governance

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## DS5 Deliver and Support Process Importance H

### Ensure Systems Security

#### 5.1 Management of IT Security

Manage IT security at the highest appropriate organisational level, so the management of security actions is in line with business requirements.



#### 5.2 IT Security Plan

Translate business, risk and compliance requirements into an overall IT security plan, taking into consideration the IT infrastructure and the security culture. Ensure that the plan is implemented in security policies and procedures together with appropriate investments in services, personnel, software and hardware. Communicate security policies and procedures to stakeholders and users.



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**Deliver and Support**

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**DS5 Deliver and Support**  
Ensure Systems Security

Process Importance H

5.1 Management of IT Security

<b>Control Objective</b>	<b>Value Drivers</b>	<b>Risk Drivers</b>
<p>Manage IT security at the highest appropriate organisational level, so the management of security actions is in line with business requirements.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Critical IT assets protected</li> <li>IT security strategy supporting business needs</li> <li>IT security strategy aligned with the overall business plan</li> <li>Appropriately implemented and maintained security practices consistent with applicable laws and regulations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of IT security governance</li> <li>Misaligned IT and business objectives</li> <li>Unprotected data and information assets</li> </ul>

**Control Practices**

1. Define a charter for IT security, defining for the security management function:
  - Scope and objectives for the security management function
  - Responsibilities
  - Drivers (e.g., compliance, risk, performance)
2. Confirm that the board, executive management and line management direct the policy development process to ensure that the IT security policy reflects the requirements of the business.
3. Set up an adequate organisational structure and reporting line for information security, ensuring that the security management and administration functions have sufficient authority. Define the interaction with enterprise functions, particularly the control functions such as risk management, compliance and audit.
4. Implement an IT security management reporting mechanism, regularly informing the board and business and IT management of the status of IT security so that appropriate management actions can be taken.

**Generic Control Practices**

**1. Approach**

Design the control approach for achieving this control objective and define and maintain the set of control practices that implement this design.

The screenshot displays the COBIT Online web application. The browser address bar shows 'Cobit Online'. The interface includes a navigation menu on the left with categories like 'Process Controls', 'Plan and Organise', 'Acquire and Implement', and 'Deliver and Support'. The main content area is titled 'DS5 Deliver and Support Ensure Systems Security' and includes a 'Process Importance' indicator. The content is organized into several sections: 'Testing The Control Design', '5.1 Management of IT Security', 'Control Objective', 'Value Drivers', 'Risk Drivers', and 'Testing the Control Design' (with detailed bullet points). The browser's status bar at the bottom shows 'Internet' and '100%' zoom.

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**Process Controls**

PC Process Controls

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PO9 Assess and Manage IT Risks

PO10 Manage Projects

**Acquire and Implement**

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AI4 Enable Operation and Use

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AI6 Manage Changes

AI7 Install and Accredite Solutions and Changes

**Deliver and Support**

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DS3 Manage Performance and Capacity

DS4 Ensure Continuous Service

DS5 Ensure Systems Security

**DS5 Deliver and Support** Process Importance H

**Ensure Systems Security**

Testing The Control Design

5.1 Management of IT Security

Control Objective	Value Drivers	Risk Drivers
Manage IT security at the highest appropriate organisational level, so the management of security actions is in line with business requirements.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Critical IT assets protected</li> <li>IT security strategy supporting business needs</li> <li>IT security strategy aligned with the overall business plan</li> <li>Appropriately implemented and maintained security practices consistent with applicable laws and regulations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of IT security governance</li> <li>Misaligned IT and business objectives</li> <li>Unprotected data and information assets</li> </ul>

Testing the Control Design

- Determine if a security steering committee exists, with representation from key functional areas, including internal audit, HR, operations, IT security and legal.
- Determine if a process exists to prioritise proposed security initiatives, including required levels of policies, standards and procedures.
- Enquire whether and confirm that an information security charter exists.
- Review and analyse the charter to verify that it refers to the organisational risk appetite relative to information security and that the charter clearly includes:
  - Scope and objectives of the security management function
  - Responsibilities of the security management function
  - Compliance and risk drivers
- Enquire whether and confirm that the information security policy covers the responsibilities of board, executive management, line management, staff members and all users of the enterprise IT infrastructure and that it refers to detailed security standards and procedures.

Download Maturity Scores

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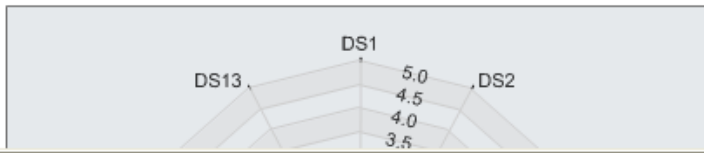
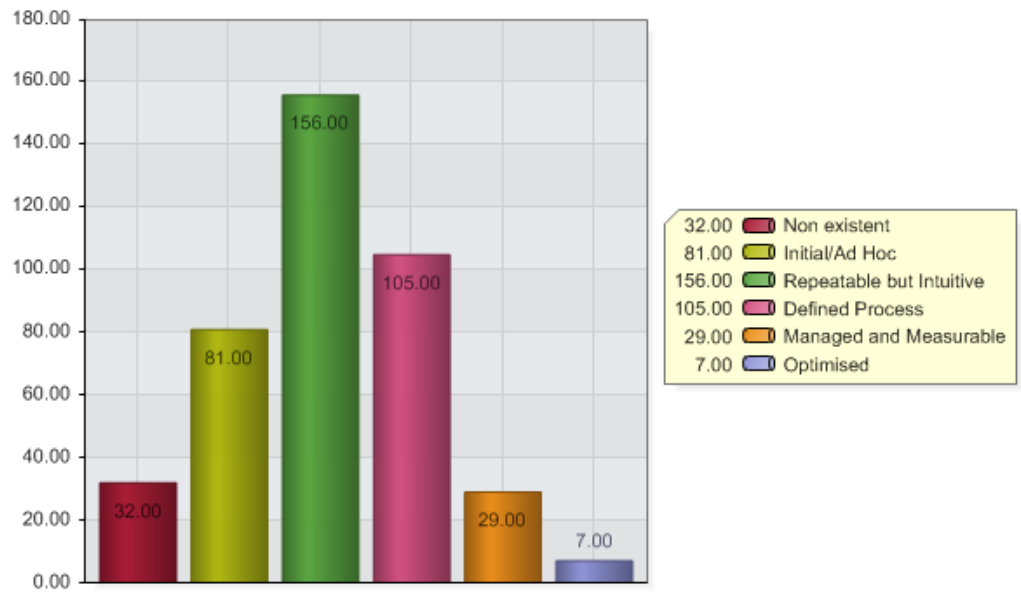
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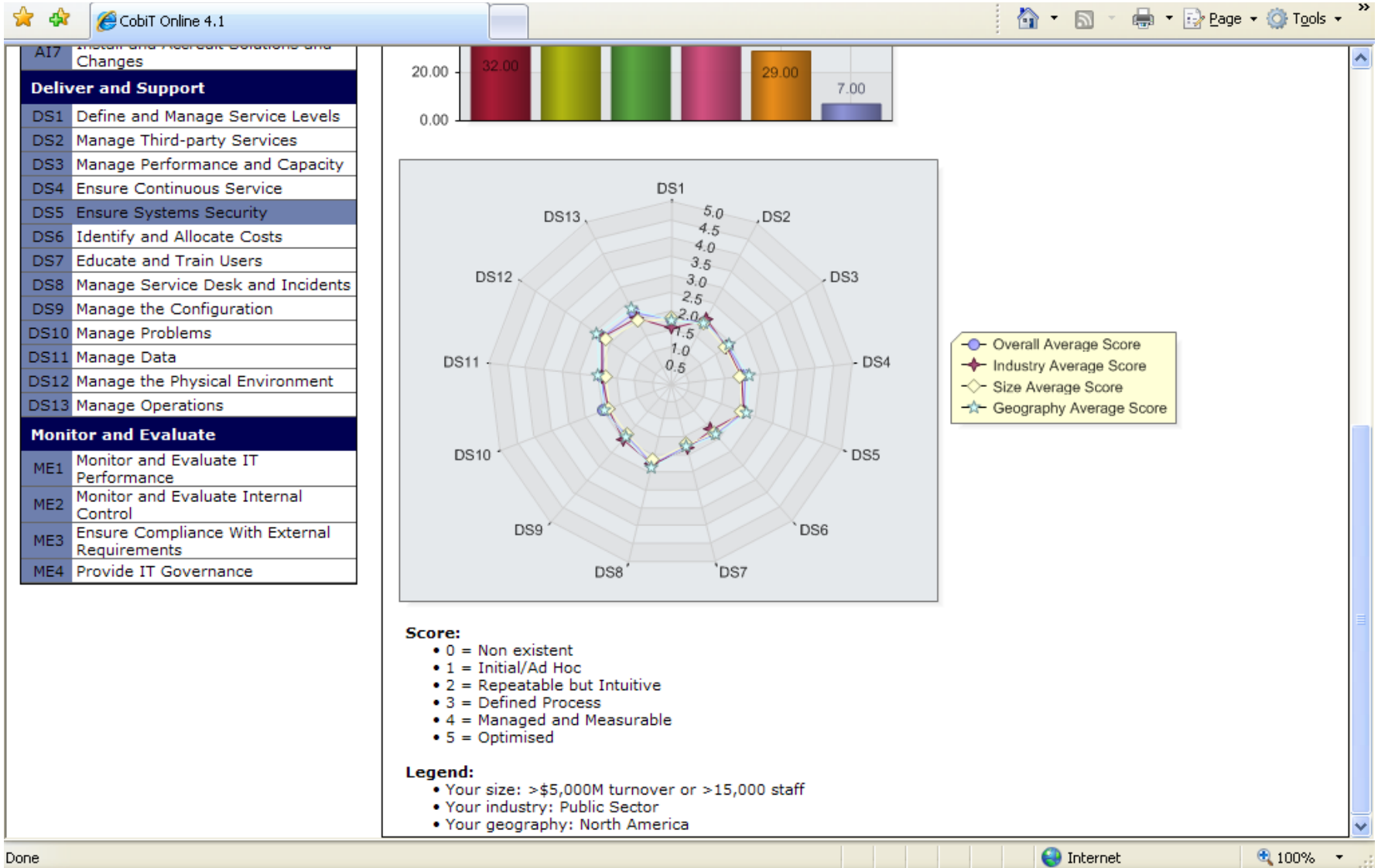
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- DS4 Ensure Continuous Service
- DS5 Ensure Systems Security
- DS6 Identify and Allocate Costs
- DS7 Educate and Train Users

Maturity Level	P.I.	C.O.I.	IT.G.I.	P.G.I.
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**DS5 Deliver and Support**  
Ensure Systems Security

Overall  Percentages





# Summary

## COBIT's® Value As A Framework

- ❖ Enables the **auditor** to review specific IT processes against COBIT's *Control Objectives* to determine where controls are sufficient or advise management where controls over processes need to be improved.
- ❖ Helps **process owners** answer questions - “Is what I’m doing adequate and in line with **good practices**? If not, what should I be doing and where should I focus my efforts?”
- ❖ COBIT® is a framework and is NOT exhaustive or definitive. The scope and breadth of a COBIT® implementation varies from organization to organization.
- ❖ COBIT® prescribes “what” processes and controls should be in place. An effective implementation requires that COBIT® be supplemented with other sources of industry standards and “good practice” that prescribe the “how” for controlled process execution.

- ❖ Overview of COBIT®
- ❖ **Integrating COBIT® Domains into IT Audit Planning & Scope Development**
- ❖ Integrating COBIT® into the IT Audit Lifecycle
- ❖ COBIT 5 Update
- ❖ Summary & Wrap-up



# Integration Overview

**Integrating  
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Into IT  
Audit  
Approach**



*Map COBIT to the Technology Audit Universe*



*Ensure Consistent Audit Coverage By Establishing IT Audit Focal Points*

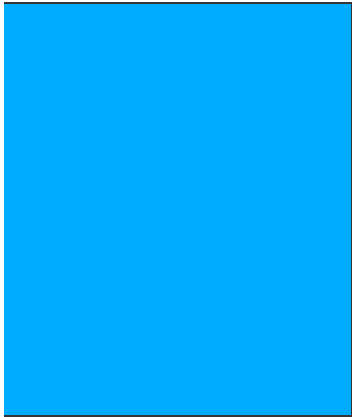


*Map COBIT to Relevant Regulatory, Industry, and Technology Specific Standards / Guidelines /Best Practice and the Organization's IT Policies, Standards, Guidelines, and Procedures*



*Integrate COBIT Into the IT Audit Lifecycle*

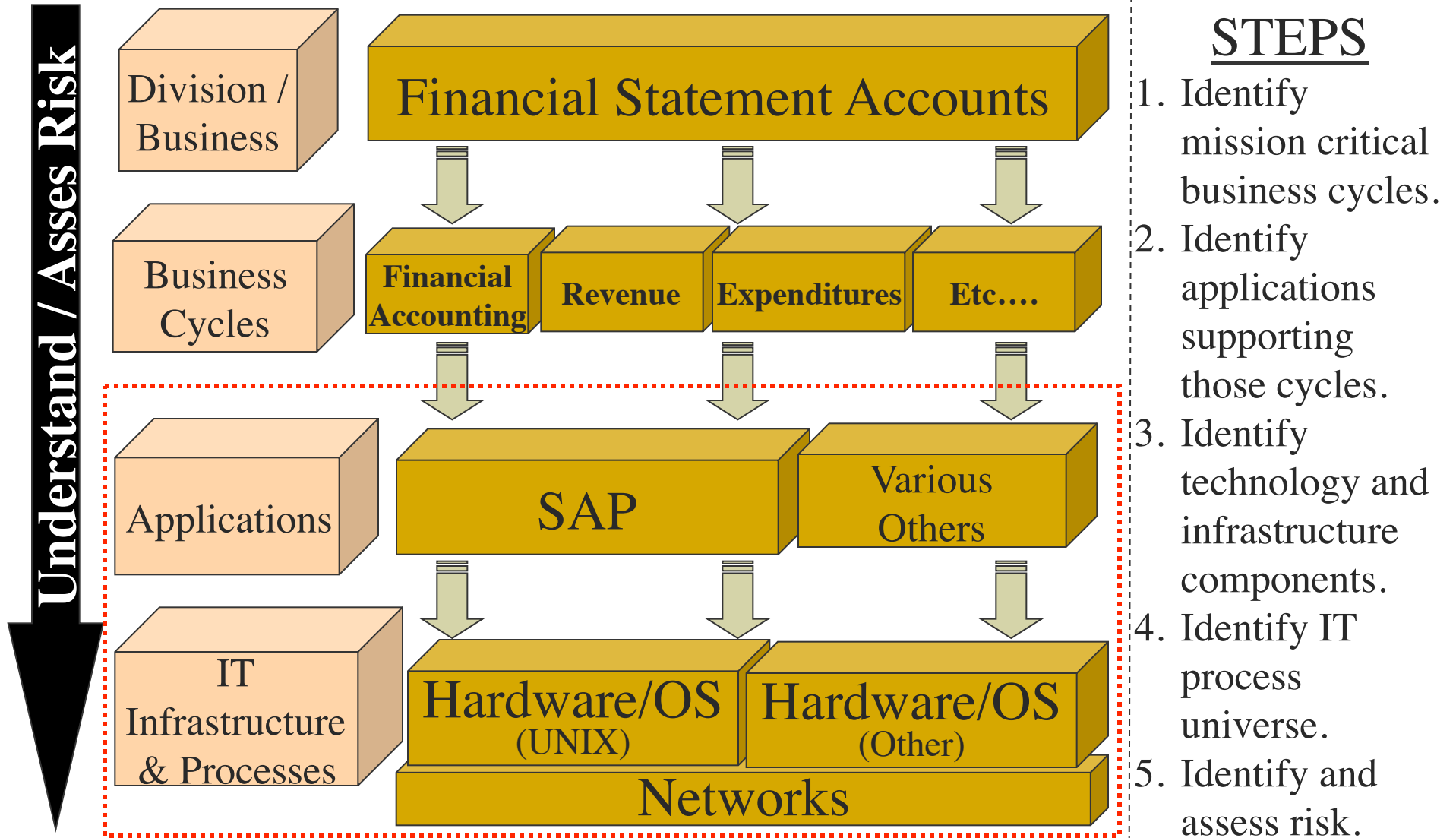
- ☀ *Map COBIT to the Annual and Rotational Audit Plans*
- ☀ *Develop Work Programs (Supplement Existing Work Programs With COBIT Audit Guidelines)*
- ☀ *Joint Risk Self-Assessments*
- ☀ *Analyze, Document, Validate Results*
- ☀ *Report To Management*



# Mapping COBIT<sup>®</sup> to the *Technology Audit Universe*

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# Unraveling the *Technology Audit Universe*



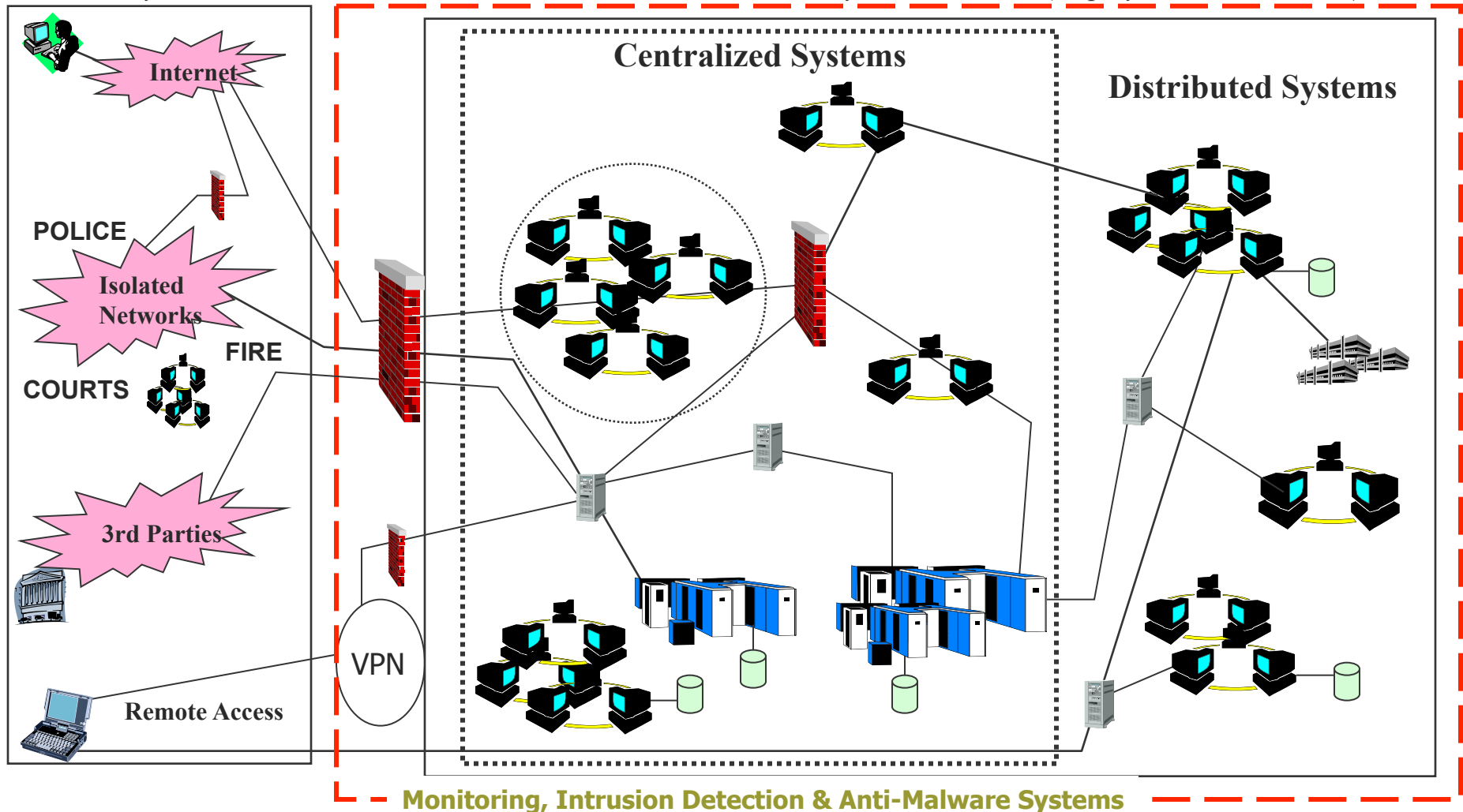
# Understanding the Technology Infrastructure

## External Risks

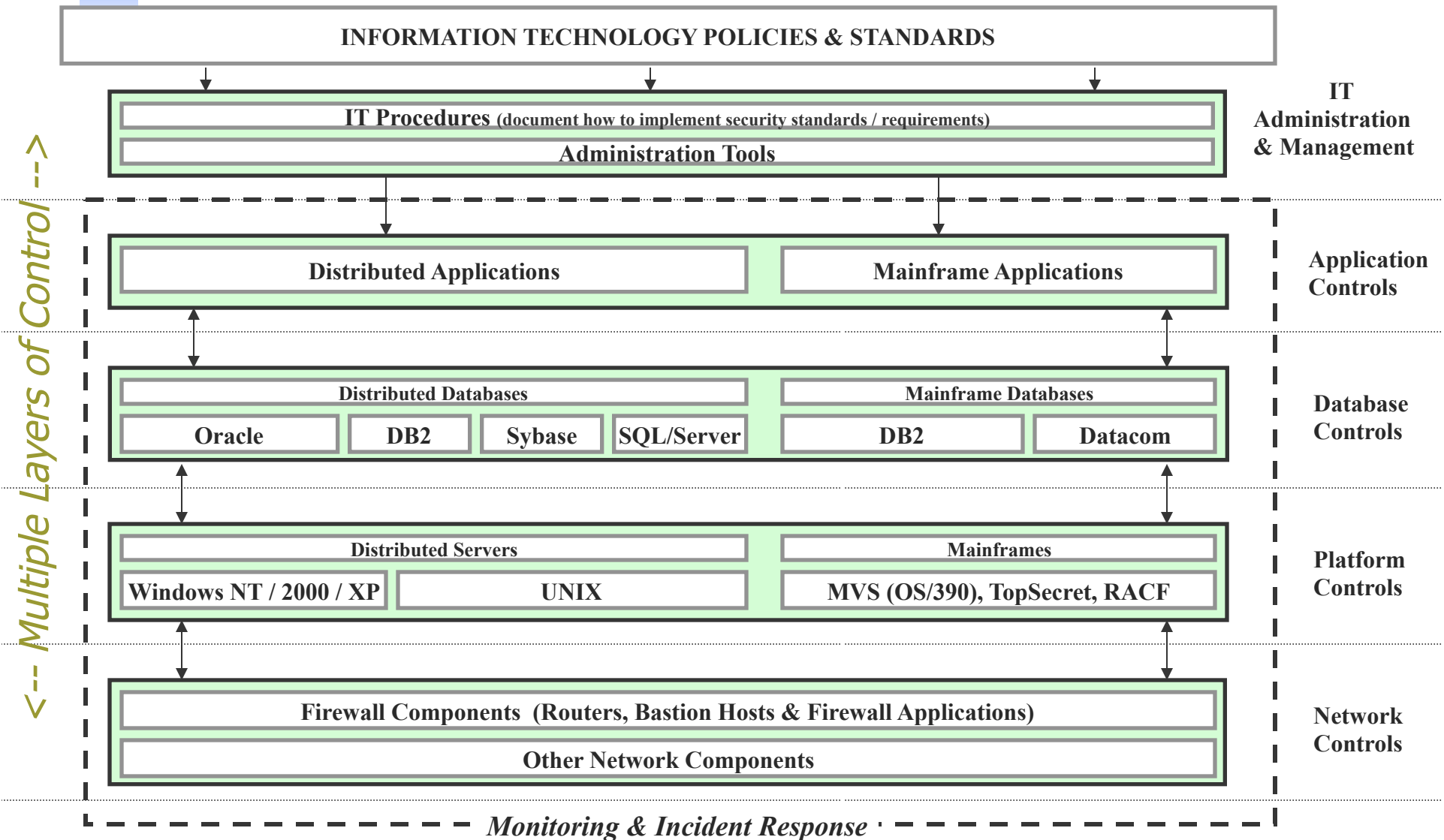
*Vulnerability to Outsiders*

## Internal Risks (Enterprise Network)

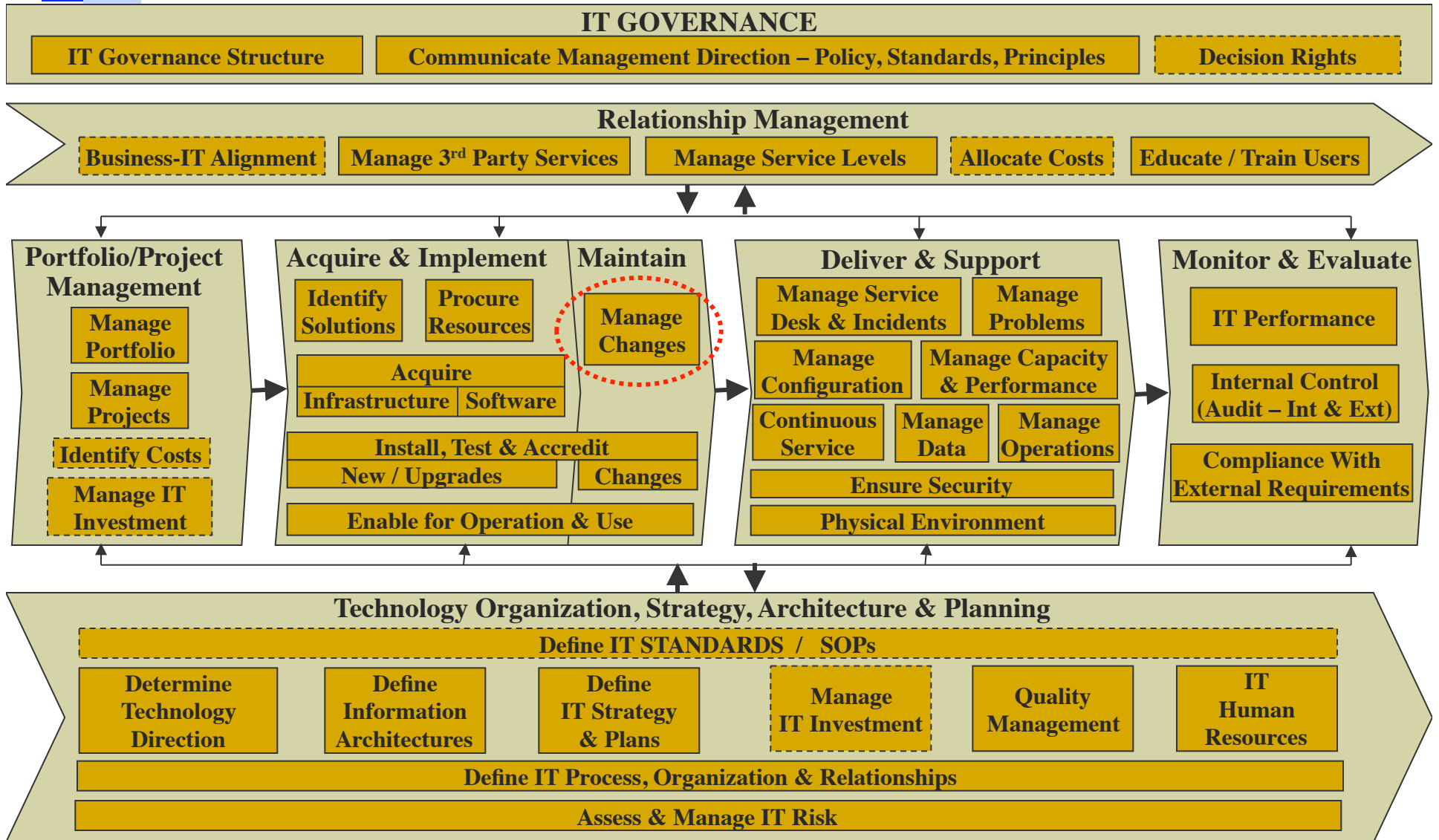
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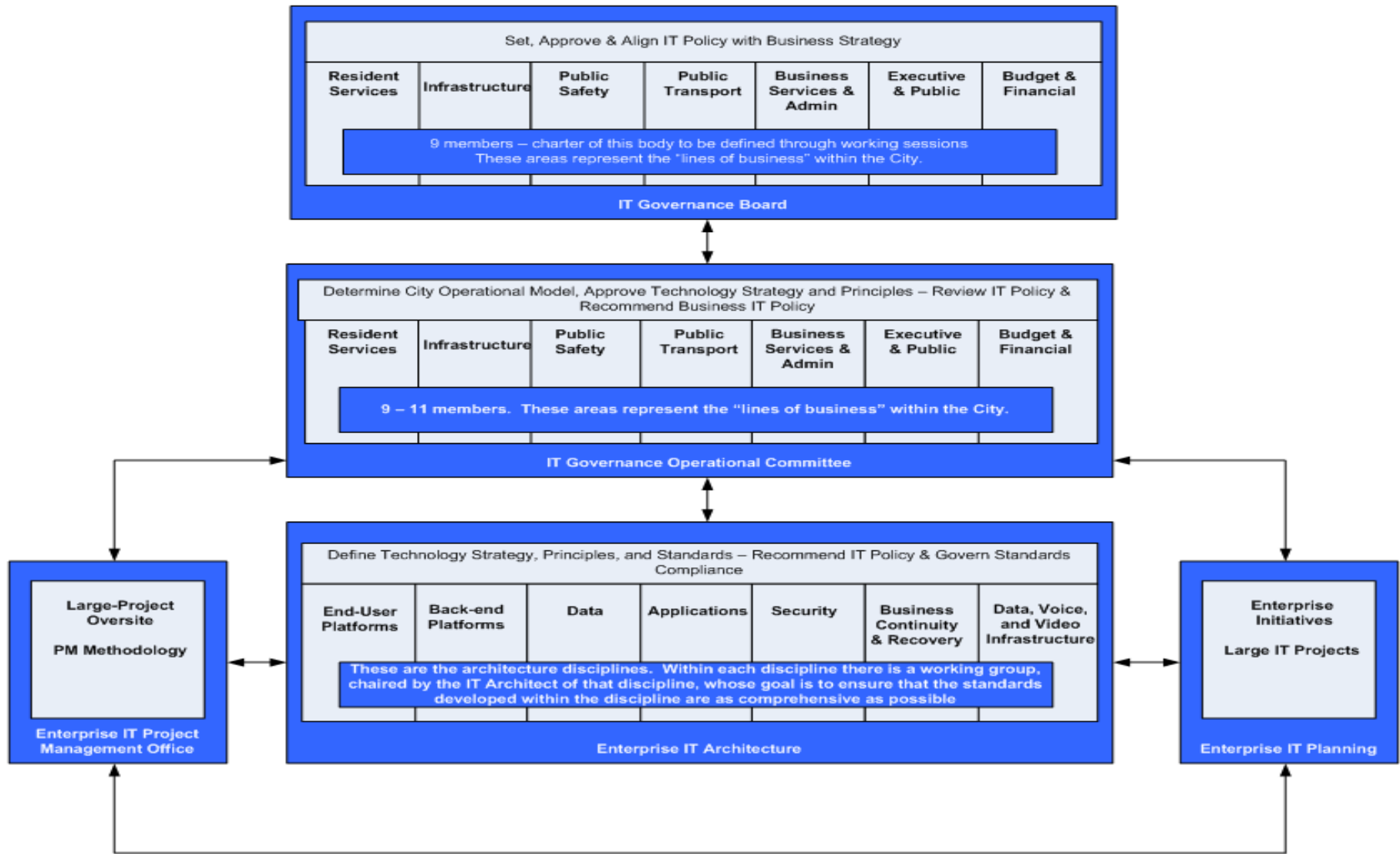
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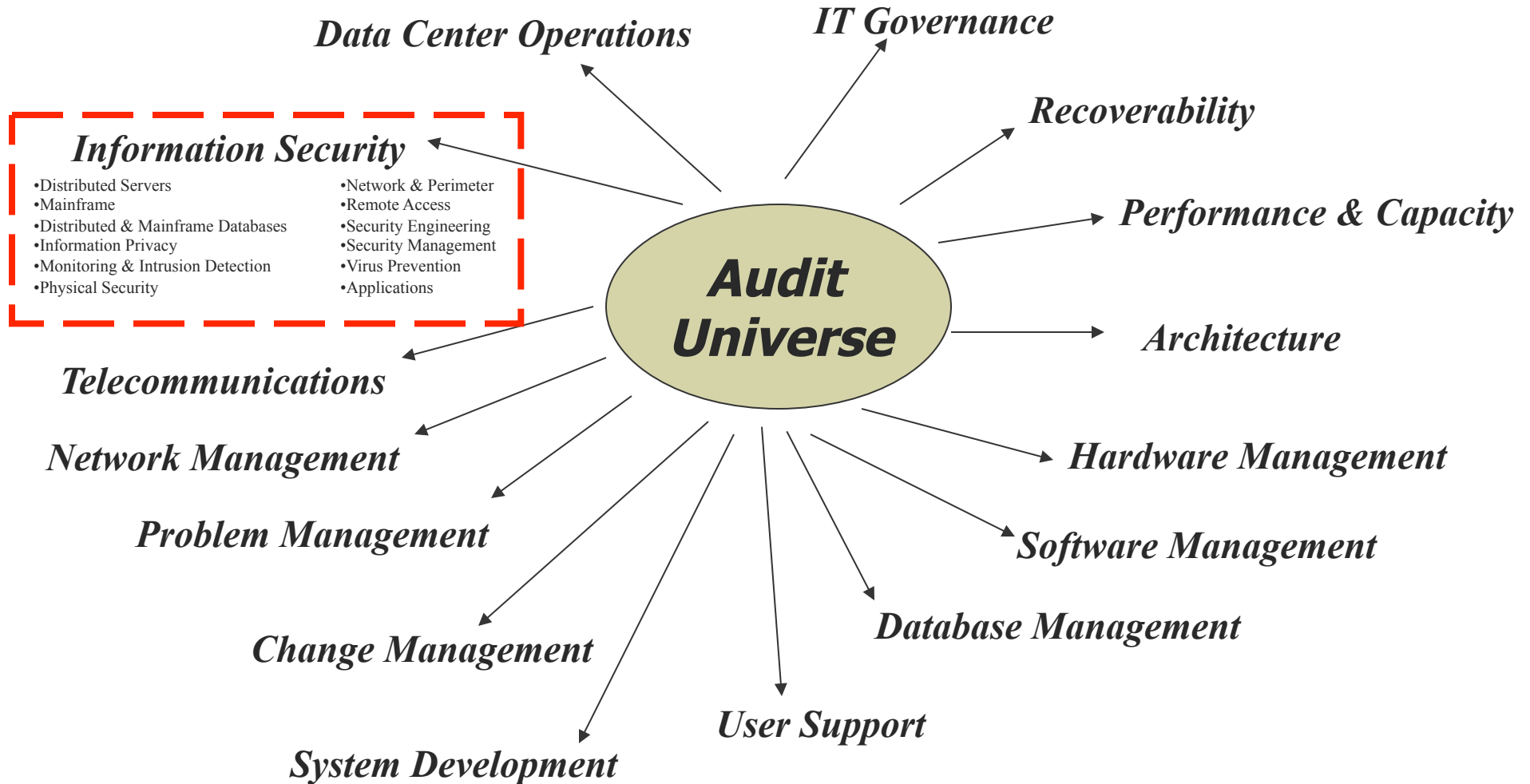
# Understanding the *Process Universe*



# Understanding the IT Governance Structure

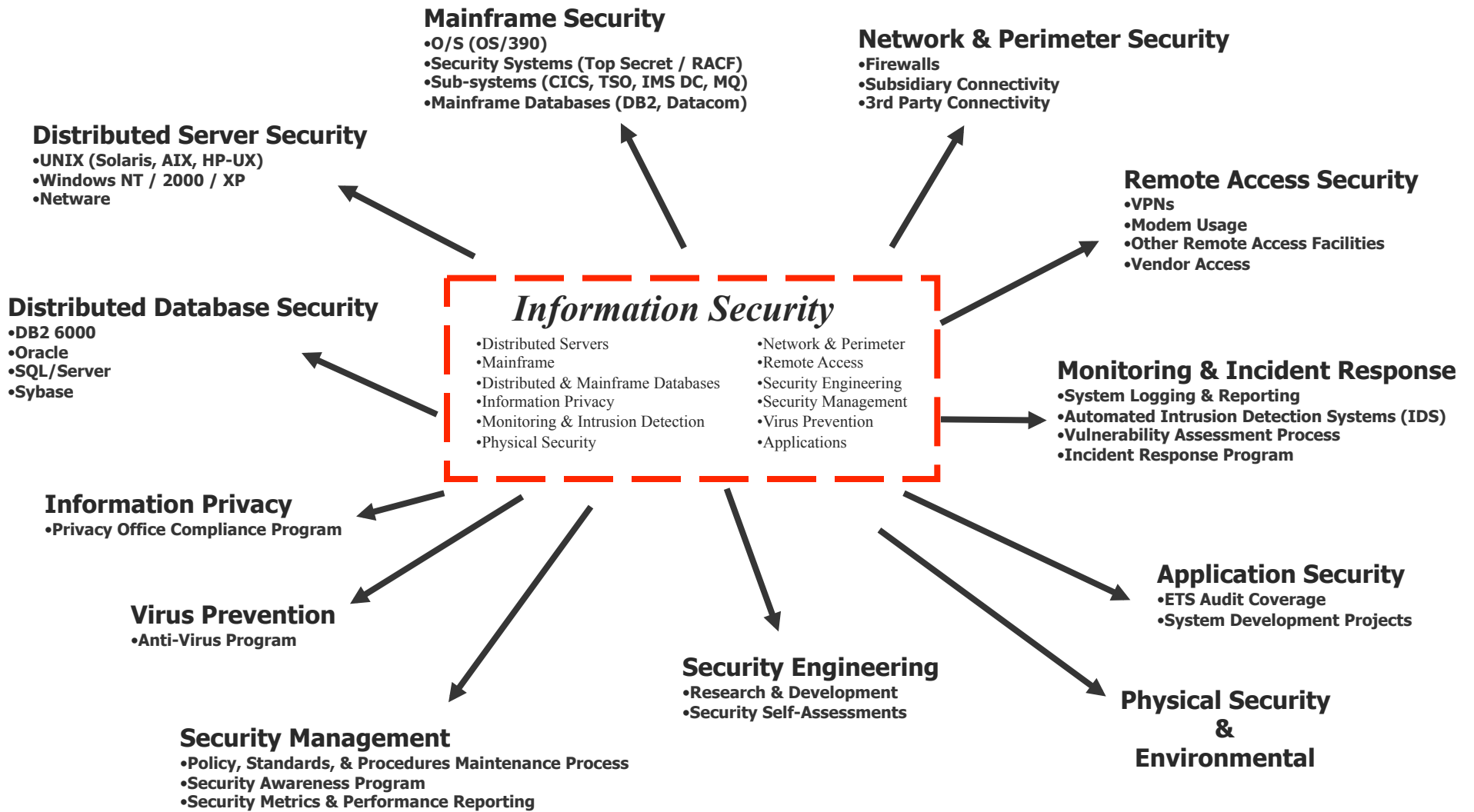


# Defining the *Technology Audit Universe*





# Security Audit Universe



# Map Audit Universe To COBIT<sup>®</sup>

Process  
(e.g. PO2)

Ref.	COBIT Domains & High-Level Control Objectives	Infrastructure Audit Universe											Security Audit Universe												
		Architecture	Change Management	Data Center Operations	Database Management	Hardware Management	Network Management	Performance & Capacity	Problem Management	Recoverability	Software Management	Telecom. Management	User Support	Database Server	Distributed Server	Information Privacy	Monitoring & IDS	Mainframe Perimeter	Network & Remote Access	Engineering	Management	Virus Prevention	Physical Security		
<i>PLANNING &amp; ORGANIZATION</i>																									
PO1	Define a Strategic IT Plan	X											X											X	
PO2	Define the Information Architecture	X																		X			X		
PO3	Determine the Technological Direction	X																		X			X		
PO4	Define the IT Organization and Relationships	X																							
PO5	Manage the Information Technology Investment	X																							
PO6	Communicate Management Aims and Direction	X											X											X	
PO7	Manage Human Resources	X																						X	
PO8	Ensure Compliance with External Requirements	X											X							X			X		
PO9	Assess Risks	X											X							X			X		
PO10	Manage Projects																			X					
PO11	Manage Quality			X	X	X	X	X					X	X	X										
<i>ACQUISITION &amp; IMPLEMENTATION</i>																									
A11	Identify Automated Solutions			X	X		X						X	X	X								X		
A12	Acquire and Maintain Application Software		X																				X		
A13	Acquire and Maintain Technology Infrastructure			X	X	X	X																X		
A14	Develop and Maintain Procedures	X	X	X	X		X						X	X	X								X		
A15	Install and Accredit Systems			X	X		X																X		
A16	Manage Changes		X	X	X	X	X							X	X								X		
<i>DELIVERY &amp; SUPPORT</i>																									
DS1	Define and Manage Service Levels		X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X							X		
DS2	Manage Third-Party Services			X	X	X	X							X	X								X		
DS3	Manage Performance & Capacity						X	X							X							X			
DS4	Ensure Continuous Service			X	X	X	X	X					X	X	X					X					
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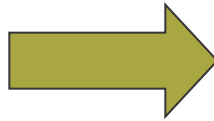
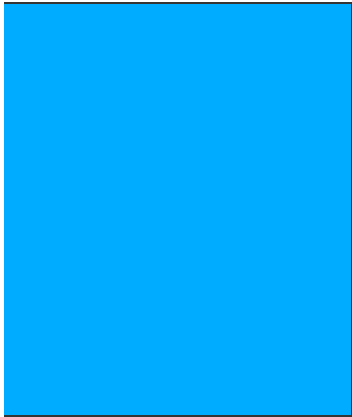
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Applicable Processes Noted With 'X'

# Map Audit Universe To COBIT® *Mapping Database*

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***Audit Universe Elements associated with COBIT Detailed Control Objective***



# Ensuring Consistent Coverage

## *IT Audit Focal Points*

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*Audit Focal Points*  
ensure consistent coverage across audits  
and allow for trending  
the “state of controls” over time.

## Infrastructure

- Strategy & Structure
- Methodologies & Procedures
- Measurement & Reporting
- Tools & Technology

## Information Security

- Access Control
- System Security Configuration
- Monitoring, Vulnerability Assessment, & Response
- Security Management & Administration

Example

# Security Audit Focal Points / Areas of Emphasis (Example)

## Access Control

### Standards & Procedures

Standards and procedures for access control are documented, approved, and communicated.

### Account Management

Account management procedures exist and are effective.

### Password Management

Password management mechanisms are in place to ensure that user passwords comply with Schwab password syntax and management criteria.

### User Profile Configurations

User profile configurations are defined based on job responsibilities.

### Group Profile Configurations

Group profile configurations are defined to ensure consistent access by users performing similar job responsibilities.

### Privileged & Special User Accounts

Privileged and Special User accounts are authorized and restricted.

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Generic & Shared accounts are not used as per Schwab standards.

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Systems should be configured to lock after consecutive invalid attempts.

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### Remote Access

Appropriate mechanisms are in place to control and monitor remote user access to Schwab's internal network.

### Resource Safeguards (File/Dataset & Directory/Volume Protection)

System level security has been configured to appropriately protect critical system resources (files/datasets, directories/volumes, applications, etc.).

## System Security Configuration

### Standards

Standards for secure platform configuration are documented, approved, and communicated.

### Configuration Management

Procedures are in place to facilitate an effective configuration management process for standard images, patches and other updates. Procedures are in place for handling exceptions for non-standard configurations.

### Procedures

Defined procedures exist to ensure that systems are configured in compliance with Schwab security standards. The procedures are tested, documented and approved by management.

### System Security Parameters

Systems are configured with security parameters consistent with corporate standards.

### System Utilities

System utilities are managed effectively.

## Monitoring, Vulnerability Assessment & Response

### Standards & Procedures

Formal standards and procedures for monitoring and incident response are documented, approved and communicated.

### Logging

Critical system and security events are logged according to logging standards.

### Reporting & Review

Reports are produced and reviewed by management periodically.

### Incident Response

Security incident response procedures exist and are applied consistently in an event of a security breach. Escalation protocols have been defined.

## Security Management & Administration

### Security Program Strategy

Overall security strategy and direction has been established and communicated.

### Security Policy & Standards

Overall security policy and standards are documented, approved and communicated.

### Procedures

Daily operational procedures have been defined, documented and communicated to ensure that individuals with administrative responsibilities are able to effectively execute standard administration procedures.

### Roles, Responsibilities, & Staffing

Roles and responsibilities have been defined, documented and communicated to ensure that individuals are informed of their responsibilities.

### User Education & Awareness

Awareness and education programs have been established to ensure that users are aware of appropriate corporate security policy and standards.

### Security Advisories & Alerts

Industry security advisories and alerts should be closely monitored to ensure that appropriate mitigating controls are in place for identified vulnerabilities / exposures.

### Security Administration

Responsibility for security administration is appropriately assigned and accountability has been established.

### Environment Understanding

Gain a comprehensive understanding of the computer-processing environment and the relevant controls in place.

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1.1	IT as Part of the Organization's Long- and Short-Range Plan	
1.2	IT Long-Range Plan	
1.3	IT Long-Range Planning, Approach & Structure	
1.4	IT Long-Range Plan Changes	
1.5	Short-Range Planning for the IT Function	
1.6	Communication of IT Plans	
1.7	Monitoring & Evaluating of IT Plans	
1.8	Assessment of Existing Systems	
<b>PO2</b>	<b>Define the Information Architecture</b>	
2.1	Information Architecture Model	
2.2	Corporate Data Dictionary & Data Syntax Rules	
2.3	Data Classification Scheme	
2.4	Security Levels	
2.5	Determine Technological Direction	
3.1	Technological Infrastructure Planning	
3.2	Monitor Future Trends & Regulations	
3.3	Technological Infrastructure Contingency	
3.4	Hardware and Software Acquisition Plans	
3.5	Technology Standards	
<b>PO4</b>	<b>Define the IT Organization and Relationships</b>	
4.1	IT Planning or Steering Committee	
4.2	Organizational Placement of the IT Function	
4.3	Review of Organizational Achievements	
4.4	Roles & Responsibilities	

*Detailed Control Objectives*

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***Focal Points associated with COBIT Detailed Control Objective***



# Map Focal Points / Areas of Emphasis To Individual Audit Project Tracking / Measurement Database

Number  Name

Quarter:  Commit Hours

Comments

Overall Maturity Ranking

**Maturity Ranking Details**

Focal Point_Maturity Ranking	Area of Emphasis and Maturity Ranking
Monitoring Security Events <input type="text" value="2 - Repeatable"/>	Policies & Procedures <input type="text" value="3 - Defined"/> Logging Security Events <input type="text" value="2 - Repeatable"/> Reporting & Review <input type="text" value="2 - Repeatable"/>
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Incident Reponse <input type="text" value="3 - Defined"/>	Incident Identification & Defintion <input type="text" value="2 - Repeatable"/> Incident Escalation <input type="text" value="3 - Defined"/> Incident Tracking, Remediation, & C <input type="text" value="3 - Defined"/>

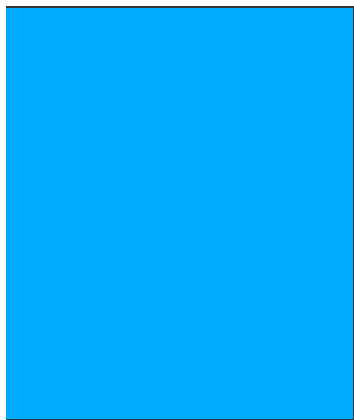
*Areas of Emphasis associated with individual audits*

*Focal Points associated with individual audits*

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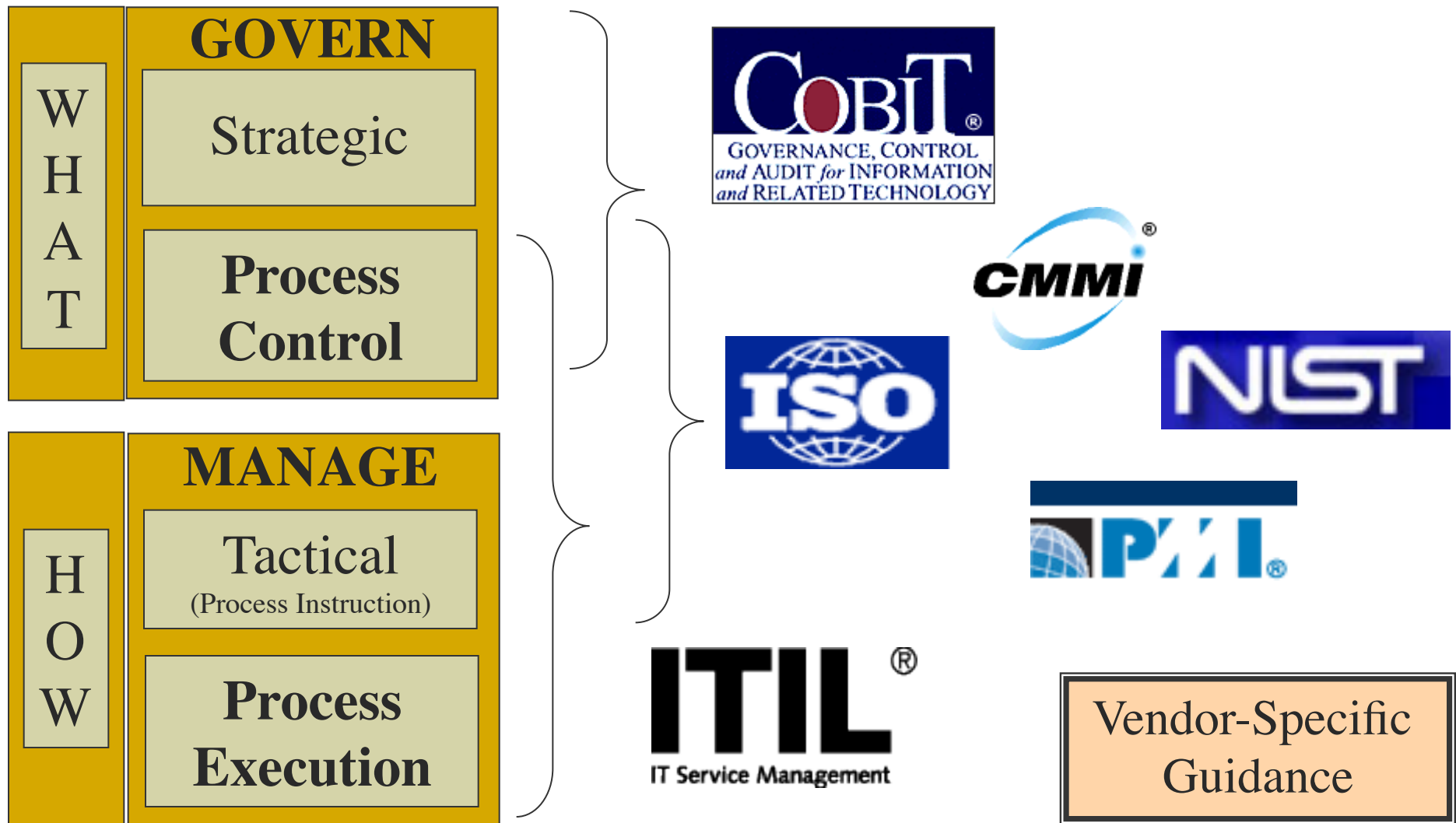
# Mapping COBIT<sup>®</sup> to Relevant Industry Standards, Guidelines & Best Practices



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# Classification of Industry Standards

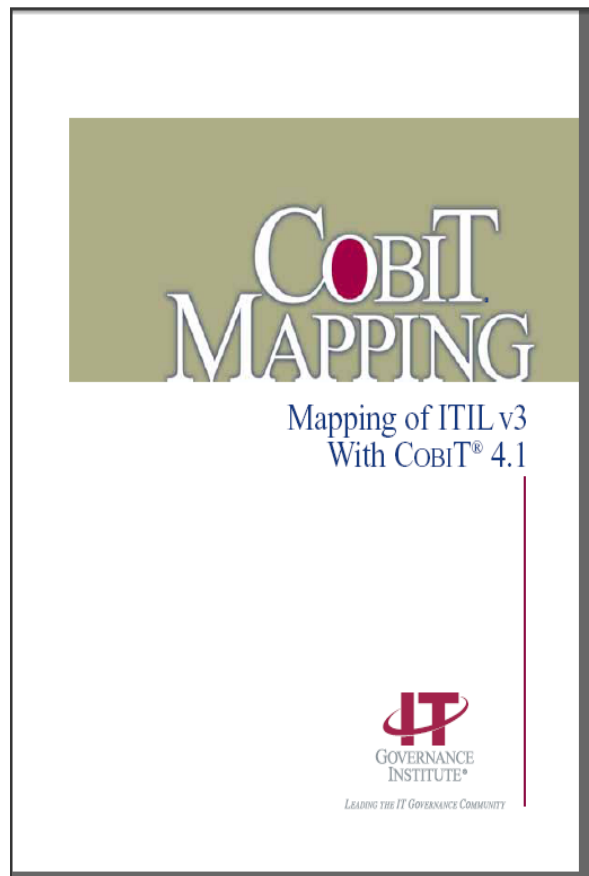
## *“What” versus “How”*



# Available COBIT® Mappings

Currently available at *ISACA.ORG* or *ITGI.ORG*

■ Go to *COBIT* link



- **ITIL V3** (IT Infrastructure Library)
- **ISO ISO27002(17799:2005)**  
(Security Code of Practice)
- **NIST SP800-53 Rev 1** (Security – Federal IS)
- **CMMI for Development V1.2**  
(Capability Maturity Model Integration)
- **SEI' s CMM for Software**  
(Capability Maturity Model For Software – retired)
- **TOGAF 8.1**  
(Open Group Architecture Framework)
- **PMBOK** (Project Management BOK – ANSI Standard)
- **PRINCE2** (Projects in Controlled Environments)
- Others under development

# Mapping

## *Detailed: By Control Objective*

	received		
DS8	Manage service desk and incidents	S0 4.1 Event management S0 4.2 Incident management	C
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DS8.3	Incident escalation	S0 4.1.5.8 Re S0 4.2.5.6 Inc S0 4.2.5.7 Inv S0 4.2.5.8 Re S0 5.9 Deskto	C
DS8.4	Incident closure	S0 4.1.5.10 C S0 4.2.5.9 Inc	C
DS8.5	Reporting and trend analysis	S0 4.1.5.9 Re CSI 4.3 Servic	C
DS9	Manage the configuration	SS 3.2 Service assets ST 4.3 Service asset and configuration management ST 4.3.4.1 Service asset and configuration management policies	C


**ITIL V3 Coverage of COBIT CO**  
**E = Exceeded (ITIL exceeds COBIT)**  
**C = Complete**  
**A+ = Many**  
**A = Some**  
**A- = Few**  
**N/A = Not addressed**


Source: IT Governance Institute - COBIT® Mapping: Mapping of ITIL V3 with COBIT® 4.1


# Map Relevant Standards To COBIT®

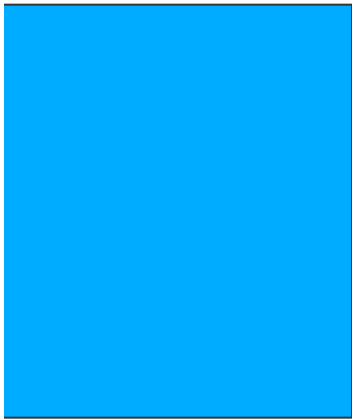
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## **Mapping COBIT<sup>®</sup> to Organizational IT Policies, Standards, Guidelines & Procedures**

***Back to Business***

# Policies, Standards, Guidelines & Procedures

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## IT Policies

### Policies:

High-level statements. When there is no specific standard to follow, policies provide general guidance.

## IT Standards

### Standards:

Standards establish a point of reference, providing criteria that may be used to measure the accuracy and effectiveness of procedures / mechanisms that are in place.

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## IT Guidelines

### Guidelines:

Guidelines provide specific and detailed requirements relative to implementing specific IT standards (i.e., platform specific; function specific; component specific, etc.).

## IT Procedures

### Procedures:

Procedures provide step-by-step instructions for end-users and technical staff for the execution of specific IT processes.



# Map IT Policies / Standards To COBIT®

## Mapping Database

Domain	<input type="text" value="Deliver/Support"/>	Control Objective	<input type="text" value="Security Testing, Surveillance and Monitoring"/>
Ref.	<input type="text" value="DS5.5"/>		
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**City Administrative Regulations**

**City IT Standards**

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- ❖ Summary & Wrap-up

# IT Audit Approach Overview

**5 Client Work Sessions**

**COBIT  
Manuals &  
Other Best  
Practice Material**



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## Audit Planning Session



Audit Team

**COBIT Risk & Control Assessment Questionnaire**

Internal Audit Department  
COBIT Risk & Control Assessment Questionnaire

Assessment Questionnaire Organized By COBIT Objectives

High-level Control Objective	High-level Objective (follows COBIT order: PO, BA, DS, MI)	Overall Maturity Rating - (Insert Rating Here)
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## Audit Testing



## Work Program

COBIT Risk & Control Assessment Questionnaire - Sample Work Program

COBIT Objective	Control Objective	Control Description	Test Procedure	Test Results
PO1.1	Define a Strategic IT Plan	1.1.1. The organization has a strategic IT plan that is approved by senior management and the board of directors.	1.1.1.1. Review the strategic IT plan for approval.	1.1.1.1. Approved
PO1.2	IT Long-Range Plan	1.2.1. The organization has an IT long-range plan that is approved by senior management and the board of directors.	1.2.1.1. Review the IT long-range plan for approval.	1.2.1.1. Approved

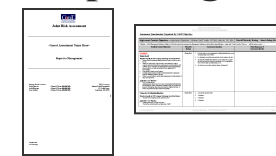
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## Exit Meeting



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## Reporting



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## COBIT To Audit Mapping Template

COBIT Integration  
COBIT To Audit Mapping Template

Ref.	COBIT Domains & Control Objectives	Applicable COBIT Control Objectives (work with 2)	IAD Risk Category
<b>PLANNING &amp; ORGANIZATION</b>			
PO1	Define a Strategic IT Plan	1.1.1. The organization has a strategic IT plan that is approved by senior management and the board of directors.	High
1.1	IT Long-Range Plan	1.2.1. The organization has an IT long-range plan that is approved by senior management and the board of directors.	High
1.2	IT Long-Range Planning, Approach & Structure	1.2.1. The organization has an IT long-range plan that is approved by senior management and the board of directors.	High
1.3	IT Long-Range Plan Changes	1.3.1. The organization has a process for reviewing and updating the IT long-range plan.	High
1.4	Short-Range Planning for the IT Function	1.4.1. The organization has a process for reviewing and updating the short-range plan.	High
1.5	Communication of IT Plans	1.5.1. The organization has a process for communicating IT plans to relevant stakeholders.	High
1.6	Monitoring & Evaluating of IT Plans	1.6.1. The organization has a process for monitoring and evaluating IT plans.	High
1.7	Assessment of Existing Services	1.7.1. The organization has a process for assessing existing services.	High
PO2	Define the Information Architecture	2.1.1. The organization has a process for defining the information architecture.	High
2.1	Information Architecture Model	2.1.1. The organization has a process for defining the information architecture.	High
2.2	Concept, Data, Technology, & Data System Rules	2.2.1. The organization has a process for defining the information architecture.	High
2.3	Data Classification Scheme	2.3.1. The organization has a process for defining the information architecture.	High
2.4	Source Links	2.4.1. The organization has a process for defining the information architecture.	High
PO3	Determine Technological Direction	3.1.1. The organization has a process for determining technological direction.	High
3.1	Technological Information Planning	3.1.1. The organization has a process for determining technological direction.	High
3.2	Monitor Future Trends & Regulations	3.2.1. The organization has a process for determining technological direction.	High
3.3	Technological Infrastructure Contingency	3.3.1. The organization has a process for determining technological direction.	High
3.4	Hardware and Software Acquisition Plans	3.4.1. The organization has a process for determining technological direction.	High
3.5	Technology Standards	3.5.1. The organization has a process for determining technological direction.	High
PO4	Define the IT Organization and Relationships	4.1.1. The organization has a process for defining the IT organization and relationships.	High
4.1	IT Planning or Steering Committee	4.1.1. The organization has a process for defining the IT organization and relationships.	High
4.2	Organizational Placement of the IT Function	4.2.1. The organization has a process for defining the IT organization and relationships.	High
4.3	Review of Organizational Architecture	4.3.1. The organization has a process for defining the IT organization and relationships.	High
4.4	Roles & Responsibilities	4.4.1. The organization has a process for defining the IT organization and relationships.	High

## Engagement Scope

Engagement Scope

Ref.	Scope Description
1.1	Define the scope of the engagement.
1.2	Identify the boundaries of the engagement.
1.3	Determine the objectives of the engagement.
1.4	Identify the risks to the engagement.
1.5	Determine the resources required for the engagement.
1.6	Identify the stakeholders of the engagement.
1.7	Determine the communication requirements for the engagement.
1.8	Identify the reporting requirements for the engagement.
1.9	Determine the exit criteria for the engagement.
1.10	Identify the termination criteria for the engagement.

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## Kick-Off Meeting



# Map Audit Scope To COBIT®

COBIT Integration  
COBIT To Audit Mapping Template

Ref.	COBIT Domains & Control Objectives	Applicable COBIT Control Objectives (mark with 'X')
<i>PLANNING &amp; ORGANIZATION</i>		
<b>PO1</b>	<b>Define a Strategic IT Plan</b>	
1.1	IT as Part of the Organization's Long- and Short-Range Plan	
1.2	IT Long-Range Plan	
1.3	IT Long-Range Planning, Approach & Structure	
1.4	IT Long-Range Plan Changes	
1.5	Short-Range Planning for the IT Function	
1.6	Communication of IT Plans	
1.7	Monitoring & Evaluating of IT Plans	
1.8	Assessment of Existing Systems	
<b>PO2</b>	<b>Define the Information Architecture</b>	
2.1	Information Architecture Model	
2.2	Corporate Data Dictionary & Data Syntax Rules	
2.3	Data Classification Scheme	
2.4	Security Levels	
<b>PO3</b>	<b>Determine Technological Direction</b>	
3.1	Technological Infrastructure Planning	
3.2	Monitor Future Trends & Regulations	
3.3	Technological Infrastructure Contingency	
3.4	Hardware and Software Acquisition Plans	
3.5	Technology Standards	
<b>PO4</b>	<b>Define the IT Organization and Relationships</b>	
4.1	IT Planning or Steering Committee	
4.2	Organizational Placement of the IT Function	
4.3	Review of Organizational Achievements	
4.4	Roles & Responsibilities	

*Process  
(e.g. PO1)*

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(e.g. 2.1)*

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and  
Objectives  
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Column*

# Map Audit Scope To COBIT® *Mapping Database*

Number  Name

**Deliver and Support**

Ref.	COBIT Domains and Control Objectives	Applicable COBIT Control	Comments	Maturity Rating
DS1	Define and Manage Service Levels			
1.1	Service Level Management Framework	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
1.2	Definition Services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
1.3	Service Level Agreements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
1.4	Operating Level Agreements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	0 - Non-existent 1 - Initial 2 - Repeatable <b>3 - Defined</b> 4 - Managed 5 - Optimized
1.5	Monitoring and Reporting of Service Level Agreements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	
1.6	Review of Service Level Agreements and Contracts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	
DS2	Manage Third-party Services			
2.1	Identification of All Supplier Relationships	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	
2.2	Supplier Relationship Management	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2.3	Supplier Risk Management	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2.4	Supplier Performance Monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
DS3	Manage Performance and Capacity			
3.1	Performance and Capacity Planning	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3.2	Current Capacity and Performance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3.3	Future Capacity and Performance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3.4	IT Resources Availability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3.5	Monitoring and Reporting	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
DS4	Ensure Continuous Service			
4.1	IT Continuity Framework	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
4.2	IT Continuity Plans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

# Using COBIT<sup>®</sup> Framework To Tie It All Together...

## Audit Scope Memo Defined

**TO:** Senior Client Manager  
**FROM:** Lead Auditor  
**DATE:** February 4, 2003  
**SUBJECT:** 2003 Network Security Infrastructure Audit

The Internal Audit Department (IAD) and Information Security Services (ISS) will participate in a joint assessment of security practices in place to protect XYZ Company's network infrastructure from external threats associated with Internet and 3<sup>rd</sup> party network connectivity. This review will begin on February 18, 2003, and will continue through June 2003.

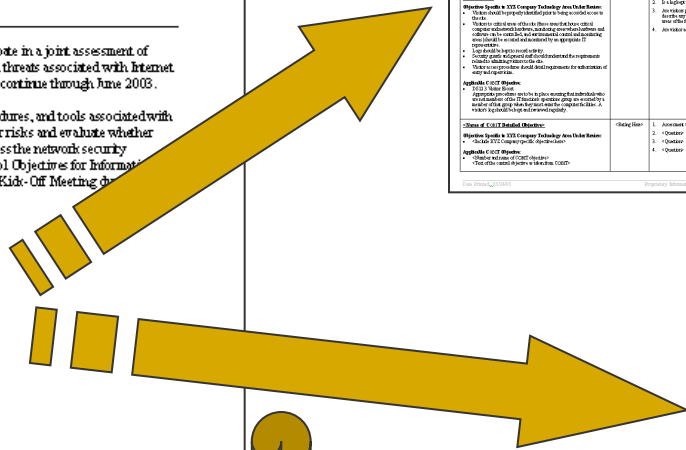
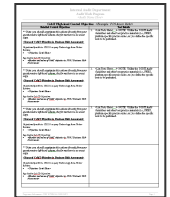
The primary purpose of this assessment is to obtain an understanding of the policies, procedures, and tools associated with securing the network infrastructure. The overall objective of the review is to identify major risks and evaluate whether sufficient mechanisms and tasks are in place to mitigate those risks. IAD and ISS will assess the network security infrastructure by following guidelines and principles that are set forth in the CoBIT (Control Objectives for Information and Related Technology) framework. A detailed review of CoBIT will be provided in the Kick-Off Meeting the week of February 17, 2003.

The COBIT Control Objectives applicable to this review include:

- DS5 Ensure Systems Security
  - ✓ DS5.1 Manage Security Measures
  - ✓ DS5.2 Identification, Authentication and Access
  - ✓ DS5.4 User Account Management
  - ✓ DS5.5 Management Review of User Accounts
  - ✓ DS5.7 Security Surveillance
  - ✓ DS5.10 Violation and Security Activity Reports
  - ✓ DS5.11 Incident Handling
  - ✓ DS5.12 Reaccreditation
- DS9 Manage the Configuration
  - ✓ DS9.1 Configuration Recording
  - ✓ DS9.2 Configuration Baseline
  - ✓ DS9.3 Status Accounting

## COBIT Risk & Control Assessment Questionnaire Work Program

Overall Control Objective	Control Objective	Assessment Questions	Check Response & Assessment Results
<b>EXAMPLE: State Risk</b>	1. Evaluate risk assessment activities, including identification, analysis, evaluation, and communication of risk.	1. Describe risk assessment activities and methods used.	
	2. Evaluate risk assessment processes and procedures.	2. Is a risk assessment process in place to identify, analyze, evaluate, and communicate risk?	
	3. Evaluate risk assessment results and actions.	3. Are risk assessment results used to inform management and improve risk management?	
	4. Evaluate risk assessment documentation.	4. Are risk assessment policies and procedures documented?	



## Audit Report

**COBIT**  
Joint Risk Assessment

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 <Insert Assessment Name Here>  
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 Report to Management  
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Internal Audit Contacts: ISS Contact  
 Audit Manager: ISS Manager  
 Lead Auditor: ISS Auditor

XYZ Company  
 Internal Audit Department  
 1234 Main Street  
 Anytown, CA 94567  
 Phone: (555) 555-1234  
 Fax: (555) 555-5678  
 Website: www.xyz.com

**Use of a Framework ensures consistent coverage across audits and allows for trending the "state of controls" over time.**

# Audit Scope & Planning Repository

(i.e., Detailed Audit Scope & Work Program)

*Audit Repository is used to document key questions to be answered throughout the audit as well as planned audit validation steps (observation, examination, testing). The Repository is used to facilitate planning discussions with the audit team and management.*

*One Table For Each Audit Focal Point Included In Audit Scope*

*One Row For Each Area of Emphasis*

*Applicable COBIT Control Objectives*

*Other Applicable Standards / Best Practices / Guidelines*

*Applicable Organization-Specific IT Policies & Standards*

*Planned Audit Testing*

*Preplanned Assessment Questions*

Focal Point: <i>Intrusion Detection System</i>		
Control Objectives & Associated Standards / Guidelines	Questions To Be Answered	Validation (Observation, Examination, Testing)
<p><b>Area of Emphasis: Policies and Procedures</b></p> <p>Review policies and procedures governing requirements for logging and monitoring security events through the Enterprise Intrusion Detection System. Standards and procedures should exist to facilitate efforts to monitor security events and response to incidents.</p> <p><b>Applicable COBIT Objective(s):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>DS1.1 Management of IT Security</i> – Manage IT security at the highest appropriate organizational level, so the management of security actions is in line with business requirements.</li> <li>• <i>DS1.2 IT Security Plan</i> – Translate business information requirements, IT configuration, information risk action plans, and information security culture to an overall IT security plan. The plan is implemented in security policies and procedures together with appropriate investments in services, personnel, software, and hardware. Security policies and procedures are communicated to stakeholders and users.</li> <li>• <i>DS1.5 Security Testing, Surveillance, and Monitoring</i> – Ensure that IT security implementation is tested and monitored proactively. It security should be accredited periodically to ensure the approved security level is maintained. Logging and monitoring function enables the early detection of unusual or abnormal activities that may need to be addressed. Access to the logging information is in line with business requirements in terms of access rights and retention requirements.</li> </ul> <p><b>Applicable C of A.R. (s) &amp; ITD Standard(s):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What group(s) performs security monitoring functions through an Intrusion Detection System (IDS)?</li> <li>2. Does the group have documented policies and procedures that describe the security monitoring function?</li> <li>3. Confirm that no City IT Standard exists that addresses security monitoring.</li> <li>4. Is any third party security monitoring software running on the network components/servers?</li> <li>5. Are appropriate systems and security administration personnel in the area performing security monitoring involved in defining City security policies and standards to ensure the applicability of the policies and standards throughout the processing environment?</li> <li>6. Is a process in place to ensure that all systems and security administration personnel are informed of all relevant City security policies and standards (A.R. 1.84 and the CERT group)?</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Determine what group(s) is responsible for security monitoring and obtain documented policies and procedures.</li> </ol>
<p><b>Area of Emphasis: IDS Infrastructure</b></p> <p>Ensure that the IDS is adequately configured, positioned, and secured.</p> <p><b>Applicable COBIT Objective(s):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>DS1.5 Security Testing, Surveillance, and Monitoring</i> – Ensure that IT security implementation is tested and monitored proactively. It security should be accredited periodically to ensure the approved security level is maintained. Logging and monitoring function enables the early detection of unusual or abnormal activities that may need to be addressed.</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Are there one or multiple IDS?</li> <li>2. What kind of attacks can the IDS detect?</li> <li>3. What application(s) is used? (e.g., pattern-matching, etc.)?</li> <li>4. Where is the IDS positioned w.r.t. network diagram)?</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Interview IDS tech.</li> <li>2. Review system parameter and settings.</li> <li>3. Review change log.</li> <li>4. Review access control list and account settings.</li> </ol>

# COBIT® Control Assessment Questionnaire

One Table For Each High-Level COBIT Objective Included In Scope

Questionnaire is used during work sessions held with clients to complete a maturity assessment of the area under review.

Overall Maturity Rating for each High-Level Control Objective assigned based on results of joint assessments of each Detailed Control Objective.

Internal Audit Department  
COBIT Control Assessment Questionnaire

**Assessment Questionnaire Organized By COBIT Objective:**

High-level Control Objective: <High-level Objective 1 (follow COBIT order: PO first, then AI, DS, M)>		Overall Maturity Rating: <Insert Rating Here>	
Definition: <COBIT Management Definition of High Level Objective taken from the page in the Management Guidelines booklet with the rating definitions – begins with “Control over the IT process ... with the business goal of ...>			
Detailed Control Objectives	Maturity Rating	Assessment Questions	Client Responses & Assessment Results
<p><b>EXAMPLE:</b> <u>Visitor Escort</u></p> <p><b>Objectives Specific to XYZ Company Technology Area Under Review:</b> Visitors should be properly identified prior to being accorded access to the site.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visitors to critical areas of the site (those areas that house critical computer and network hardware, monitoring areas where hardware and software can be controlled, and environmental control and monitoring areas) should be escorted and monitored by an appropriate IT representative.</li> <li>Logs should be kept to record activity.</li> <li>Security guards and general staff should understand the requirements related to admitting visitors to the site.</li> <li>Visitor access procedures should detail requirements for authorization of entry and supervision.</li> </ul> <p><b>Applicable COBIT Objective:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DS12.3 Visitor Escort</li> <li>Appropriate procedures are to be in place ensuring that individuals who are not members of the IT function's operations group are escorted by a member of that group when they must enter the computer facilities. A visitor's log should be kept and reviewed regularly.</li> </ul>	<Rating Here>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe visitor access requirements, detailing identification, escort and monitoring of site visitors.</li> <li>Is a log kept to record the entry and exit of each visitor to the site?</li> <li>Are visitors provided with electronic access badges? If so, please describe any controls relevant to restricting access to appropriate areas of the facility, and terminating access.</li> <li>Are visitor access policies and procedures documented?</li> </ol>	
<p>&lt;Name of COBIT Detailed Objective&gt;</p> <p><b>Objectives Specific to XYZ Company Technology Area Under Review:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&lt;Include XYZ Company specific objectives here&gt;</li> </ul> <p><b>Applicable COBIT Objective:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&lt;Number and name of COBIT objective&gt;</li> <li>&lt;Text of the control objective as taken from COBIT&gt;</li> </ul>		1. Assessment Questions Here	

XYZ Company Specific Control Objectives

COBIT Control Objectives

COBIT Maturity Rating (0-5) assigned based on Joint Assessment

Preplanned Assessment Questions

Client's Response & Assessment Results



# Periodic Management Reports

*XYZ Company*  
*Internal Audit Department (IAD)*

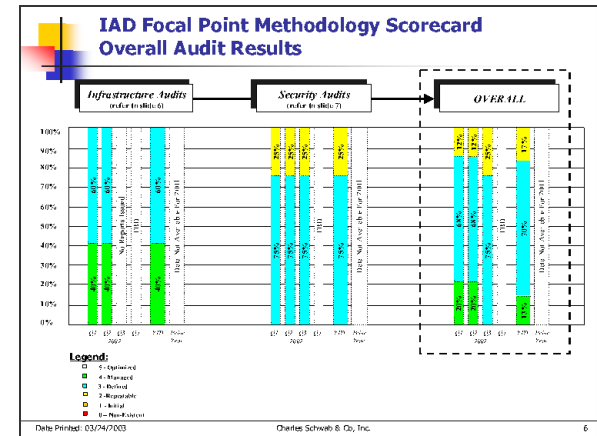
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**Report to IT Management**

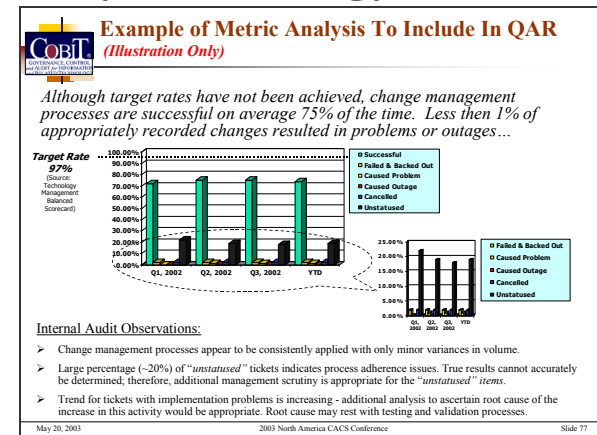
*Audit Results*  
&  
*Analysis of Key Technology Metrics*

**For the Quarter Ended**  
**March 31, 2006**

## Audit Results Metrics



## Analysis of Key Technology Metrics



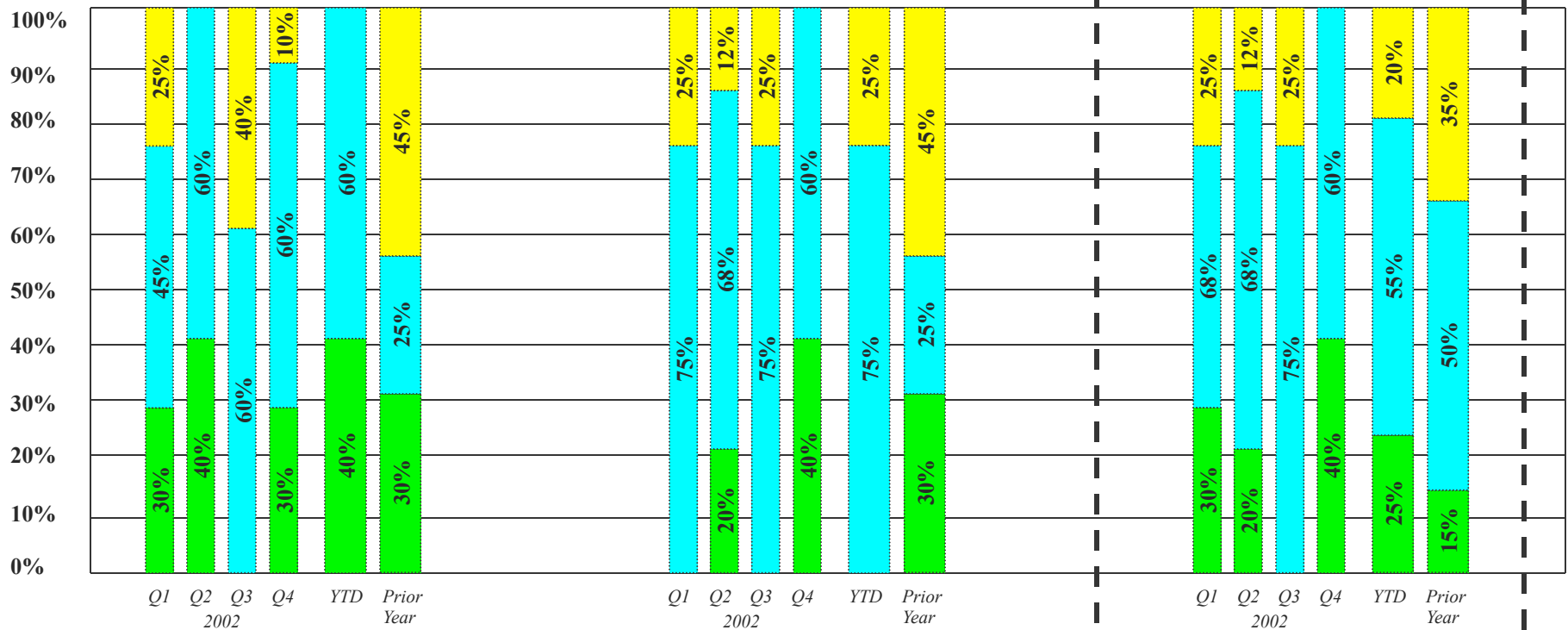
# Example of Audit Result Metrics

*(Illustration Only)*

Infrastructure Audits

Security Audits

OVERALL



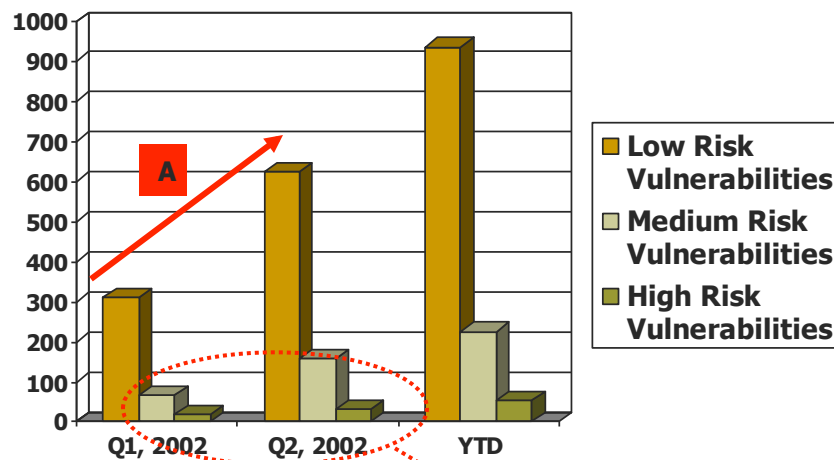
**Legend:**

- 5 - Optimized
- 4 - Managed
- 3 - Defined
- 2 - Repeatable
- 1 - Initial
- 0 - Non-Existent

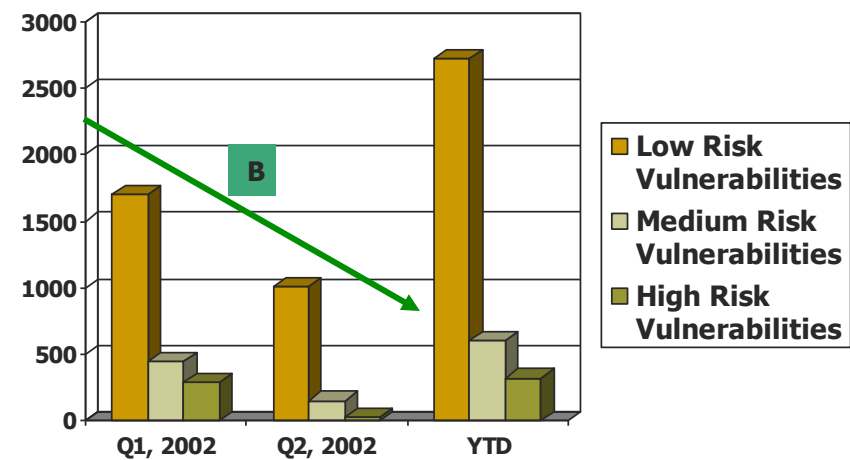
# Information Security: *Measuring Performance* (illustration only)

*The Security Officer consistently performs both internal and external vulnerability scans on a monthly basis. The majority of vulnerabilities identified are low risk...*

**Internal Vulnerability Scans**



**External Vulnerability Scans**



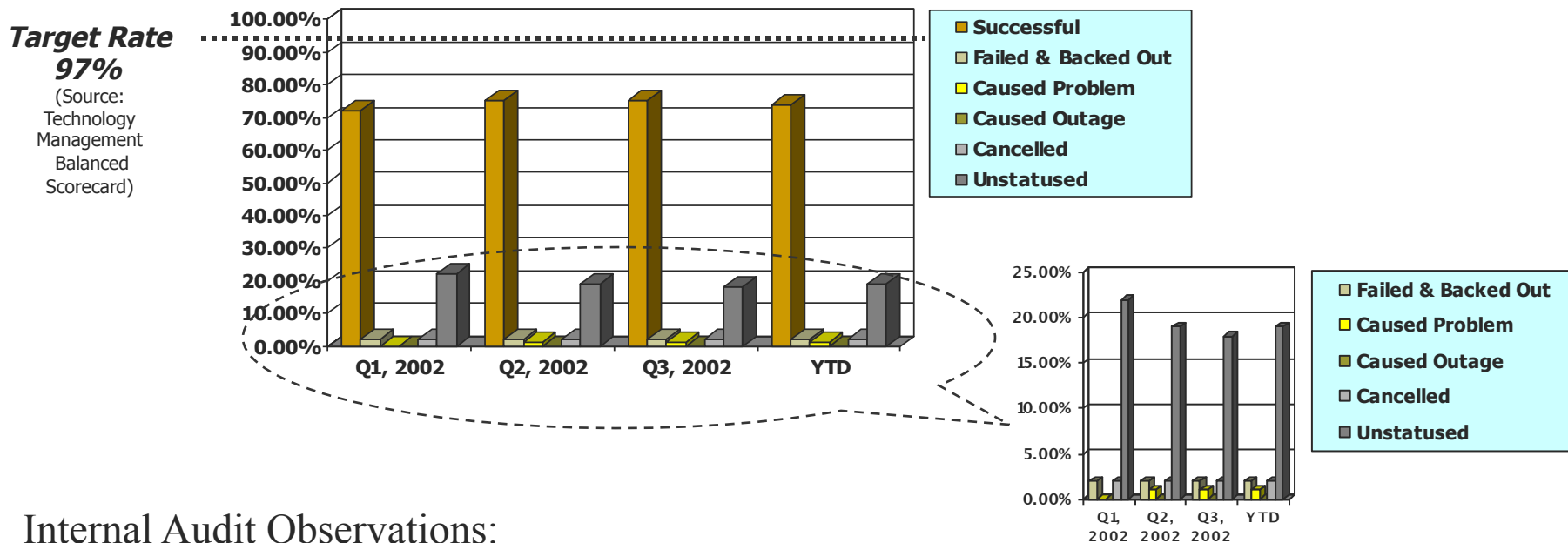
**Slight increase in high risk vulnerabilities**

## Observations:

- **A** An increase in *internal* vulnerabilities occurred from Q1 to Q2. The increase is explained due to new system patches checked for by the vulnerability scanner that have not been applied to the XYZ company servers. Technology management appropriately applies patches only after the patches have been tested and certified.
- **B** A decrease in *external* vulnerabilities was noted from Q1 to Q2. These results demonstrate that a significant number of Q1 vulnerabilities have been resolved.

# Change Management: *Measuring Performance (illustration only)*

*Although target rates have not been achieved, change management processes are successful on average 75% of the time. Less than 1% of appropriately recorded changes resulted in problems or outages...*



## Internal Audit Observations:

- Change management processes appear to be consistently applied with only minor variances in volume.
- Large percentage (~20%) of “unstated” tickets indicates process adherence issues. True results cannot accurately be determined; therefore, additional management scrutiny is appropriate for the “unstated” items.
- Trend for tickets with implementation problems is increasing - additional analysis to ascertain root cause of the increase in this activity would be appropriate. Root cause may rest with testing and validation processes.

# Benefits Realized...

- IT management partners with Internal Audit throughout the audit life cycle, including input into the audit schedule and scope.
- IT management becomes conversant in risk, control, and audit concepts.
- Relationships transformed into partnerships by jointly assessing control procedures.
- Audit Report streamlined...concise report supported by detailed questionnaire.
- Audit approach is methodical and is consistent with industry standards / best practices as well as IT Governance practices implemented throughout the company's technology organization.
- Meaningful reporting for senior IT management.

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# COBIT 5 Update

**Back to Business**

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# COBIT 5 Initiative

- The initiative charge from the Board of Directors is to “tie together and reinforce all ISACA knowledge assets with COBIT.”
  
- The COBIT 5 Task Force:
  - Includes experts from across the ISACA constituency groups
  - Is co-chaired by John Lainhart (Past International President) and Derek Oliver (Past Chairman of the BMIS Development Committee)
  - Reports to the Framework Committee and then the Knowledge Board



# COBIT 5 Objectives

## COBIT 5 will:

- Provide a renewed and authoritative governance and management framework for enterprise information and related technology, building on the current widely recognized and accepted COBIT framework, linking together and reinforcing all other major ISACA frameworks and guidance such as:

**Val IT**

**Risk IT**

**BMIS**

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**Taking Governance Forward**

- Connect to other major frameworks and standards in the marketplace (ITIL, ISO standards, etc.)

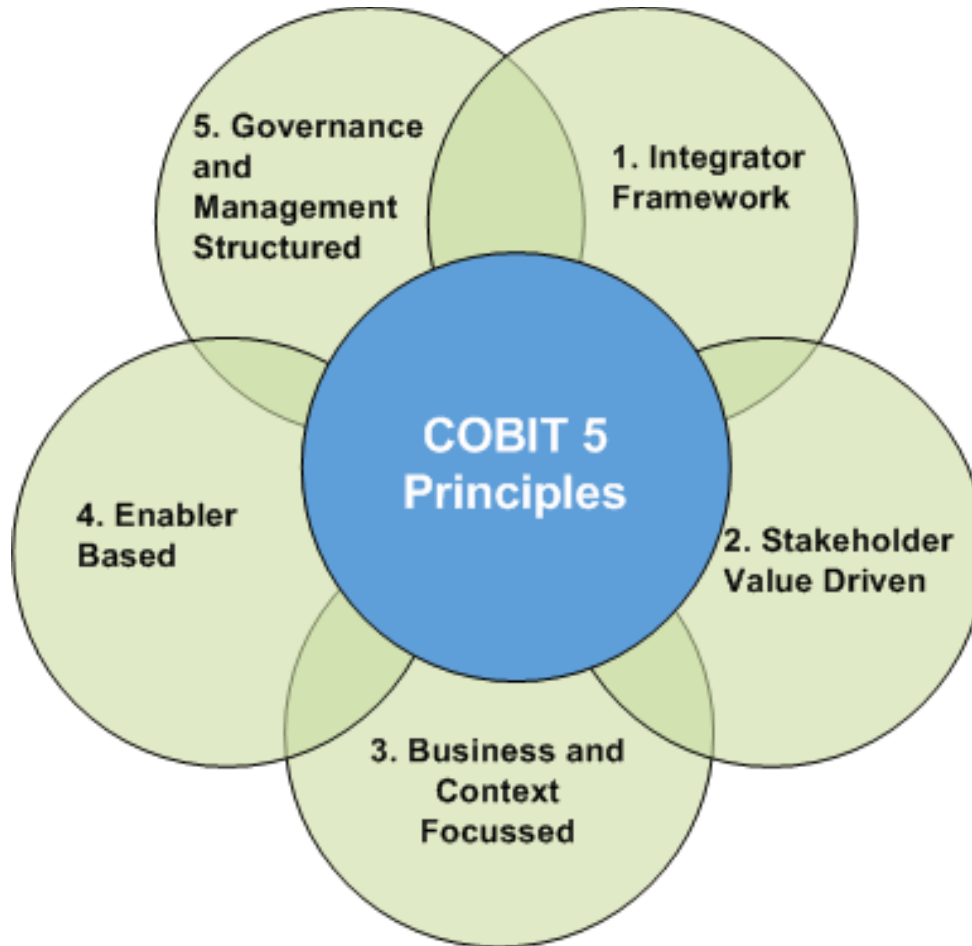
# What Will Be Delivered?

- An enterprise-wide, “end-to-end” framework addressing governance and management of information and related technology
- The framework structure will include familiar components such as a domain/process model and other components such as governance/management practices, RACI charts and inputs/outputs.
- An initial COBIT 5 product architecture, identifying the types of products and other guidance that could be developed for specific IT professional audiences (e.g., assurance, security, risk) in support of enterprise business needs

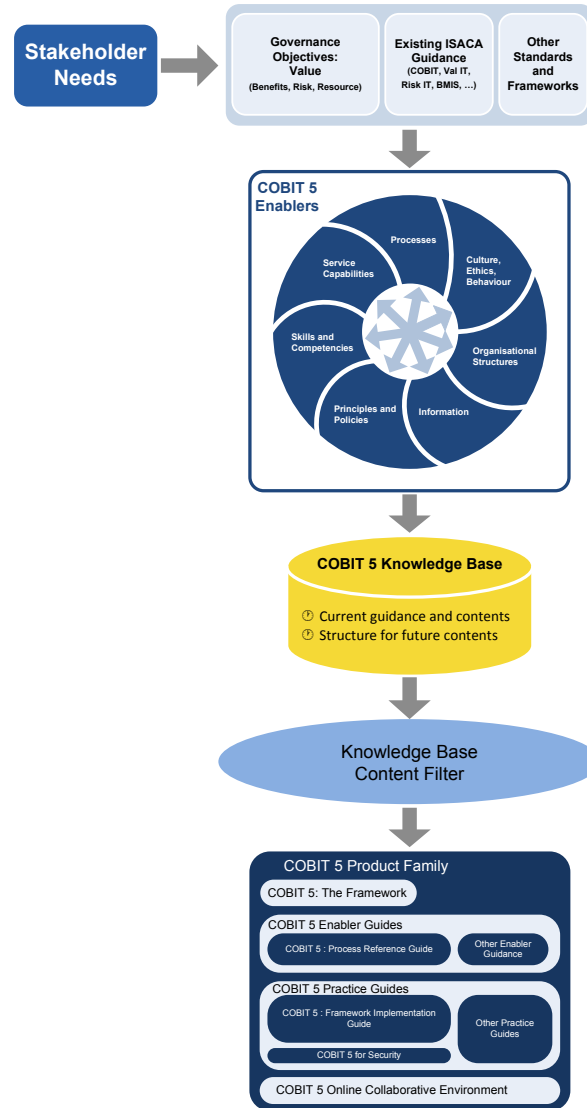
# The COBIT 5 Framework

- An initial publication introduces, defines and describes the components that make up the COBIT Framework
  - Principles
  - Architecture
  - Enablers
  - Introduction to implementation guidance and the COBIT process assessment approach

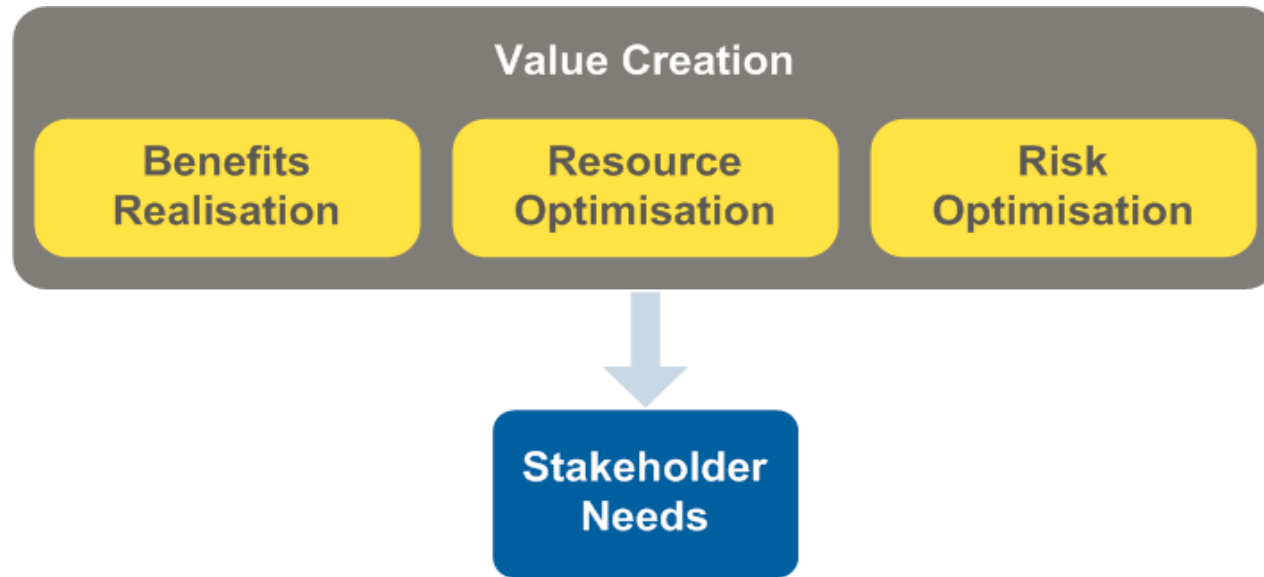
# COBIT 5 Principles



# COBIT 5 Architecture



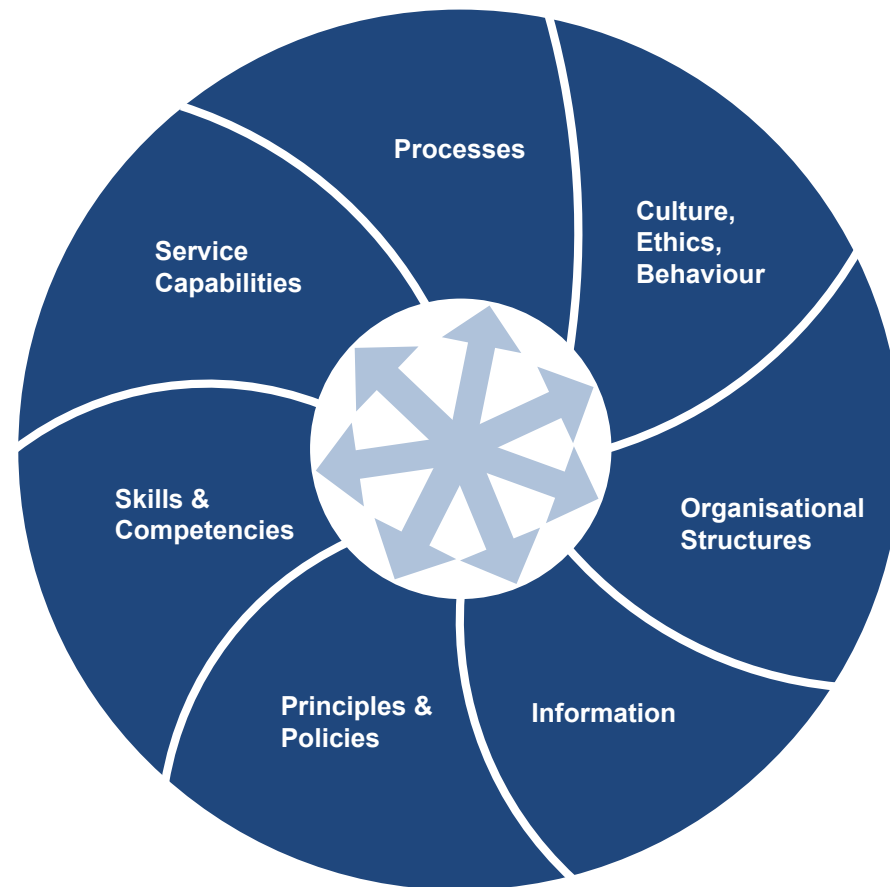
# Governance Objective



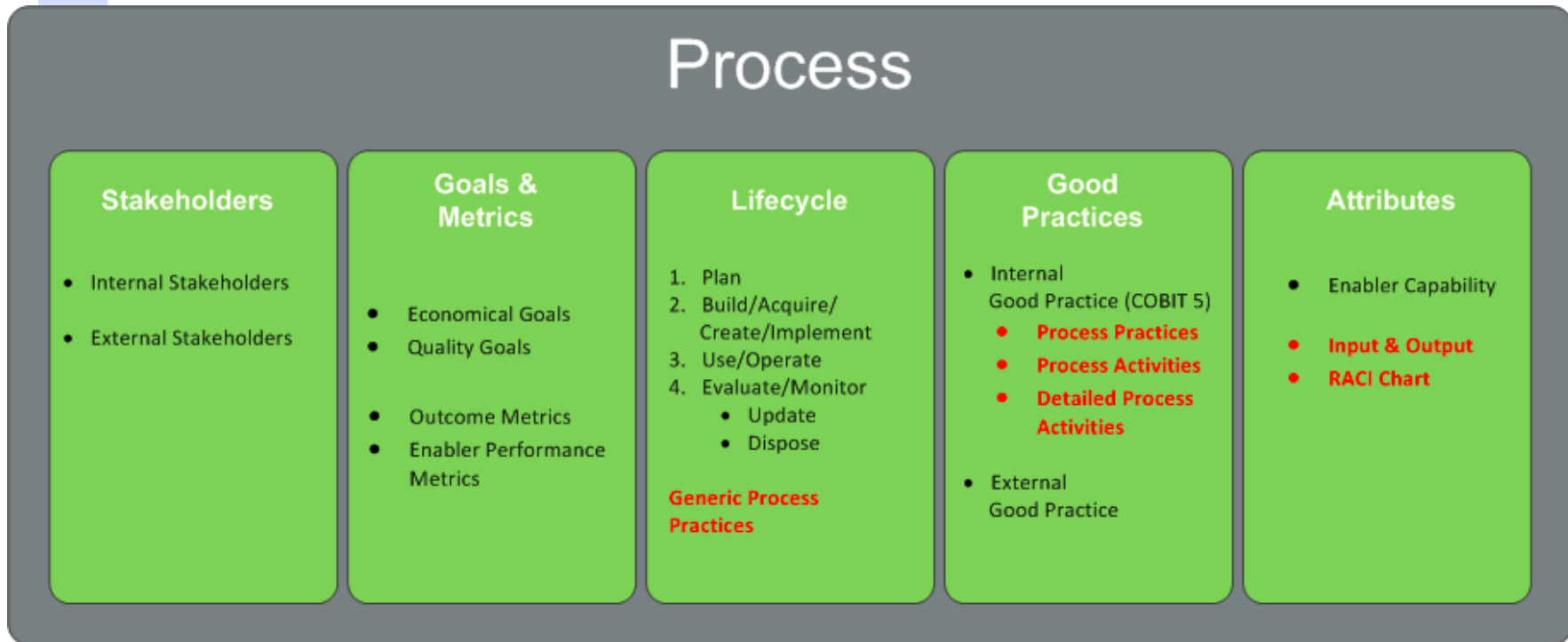
## Benefits

- **Enterprise-wide benefits:**
  - **Increased value creation through effective governance and management of enterprise information and technology assets**
  - **Increased business user satisfaction with IT engagement and services—IT seen as a key enabler.**
  - **Increased compliance with relevant laws, regulations and policies**
- **IT function becomes more business focused**

## COBIT 5 Enablers—Systemic Model With Interacting Enablers



# Process Enabler Model



## Process Reference Guide

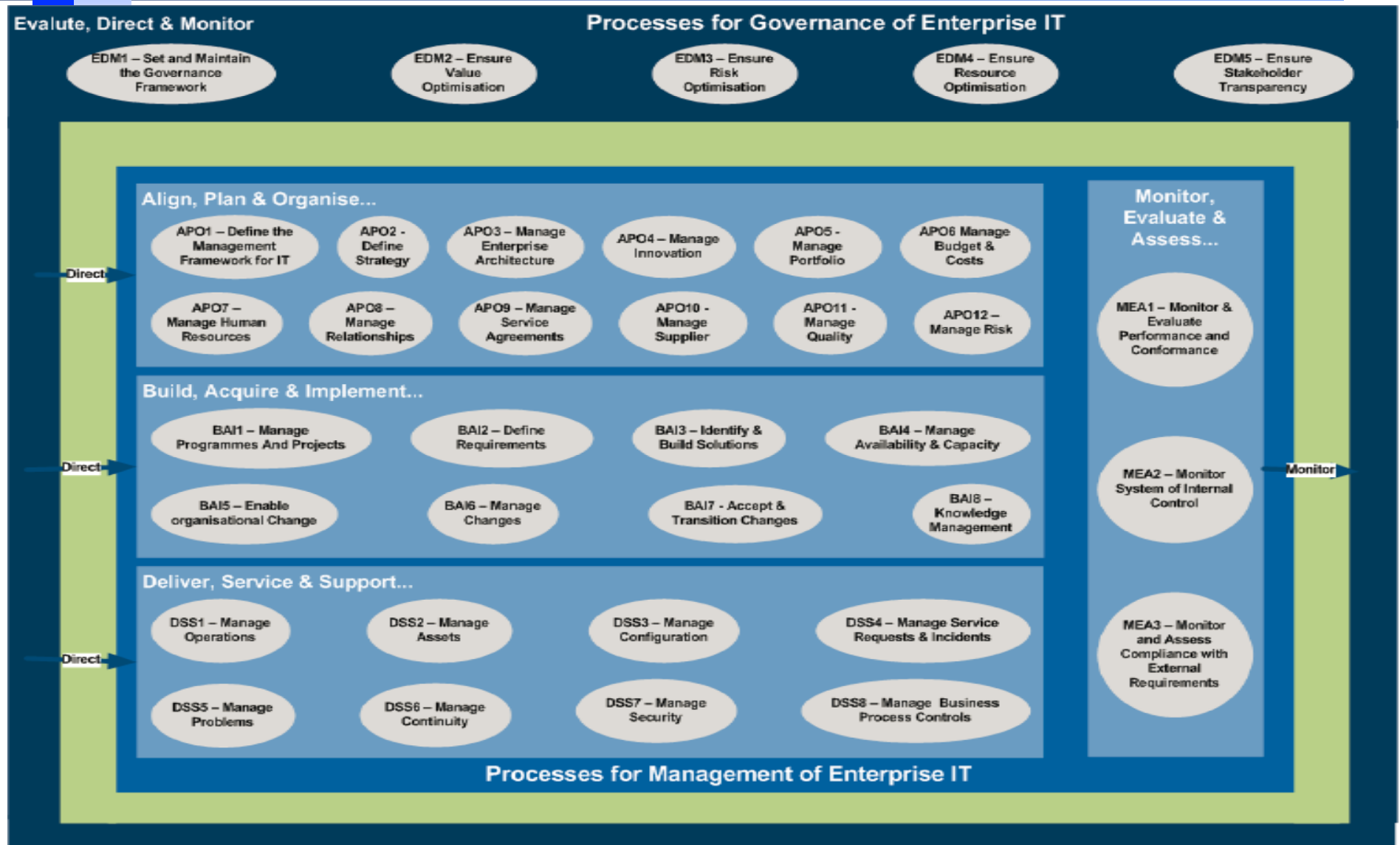
- A separate publication that expands on the process-enabler model
- Contains full details of the COBIT processes in a similar way to the process documentation in COBIT 4.1



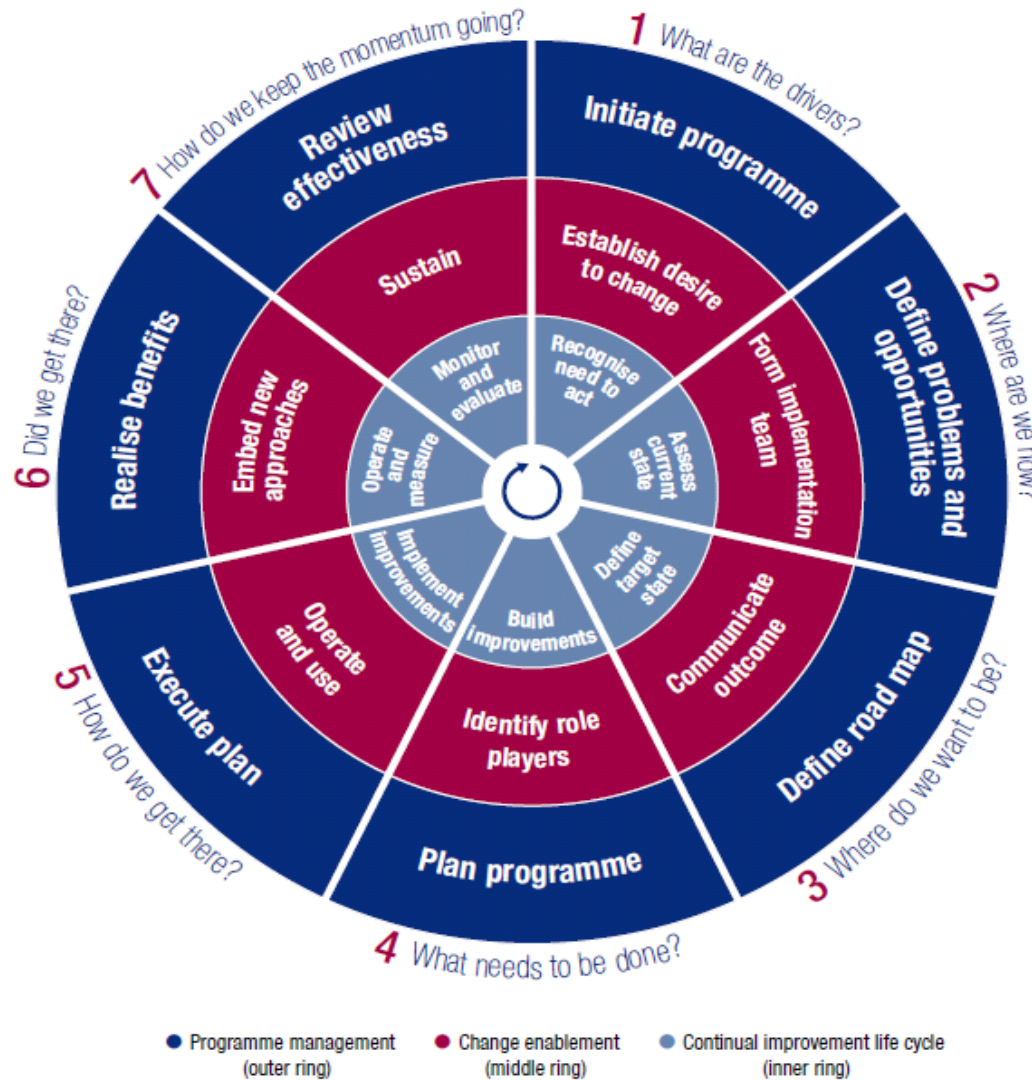
# Governance and Management Processes



# Process Reference Model (36 Processes)



# Implementation Guidance



- A separate publication
- Based on the current implementation guidance publication

# On COBIT Process Capability Assessment

- The process maturity model of COBIT 4.1 has been replaced with a capability model based on ISO/IEC 15504 to align with and support a separate ISACA initiative, the COBIT Assessment Program (CAP).
  
- There are a number of benefits in doing so:
  - Focus first on confirming that a process is achieving its intended purpose and delivering its required outcomes as expected.
  - Simplification of the content supporting process assessment.
  - Improved reliability and repeatability of process capability assessment activities and evaluations, reduced debates and disagreements between stakeholders on assessment results. Increased usability of process capability assessment results, as the new approach establishes a basis for more formal, rigorous assessments to be performed, for both internal and potential external purposes.
  - Compliance with a generally accepted process assessment standard and therefore strong support for process assessment approach in the market.

# Process Capability Model Comparison

COBIT 4.1 Maturity Model Levels	COBIT 5 ISO/IEC 15504 Based Capability Levels	Meaning of the COBIT 5 ISO/IEC 15504 Based Capability Levels	Context
5. Optimised	5. Optimised	Continuously improved to meet relevant current and projected enterprise goals.	Enterprise view/ corporate knowledge
4. Managed and Measurable	4. Predictable	Operates within defined limits to achieve its process outcomes.	
3. Defined	3. Established	Implemented using a defined process that is capable of achieving its process outcomes.	
N/A	2. Managed	Implemented in a managed fashion (planned, monitored and adjusted) and its work products are appropriately established, controlled and maintained.	Instance view/ individual knowledge
N/A	1. Performed	Process achieves its process purpose.	
2. Repeatable 1. <i>Ad Hoc</i> 0. Non-existent	0. Incomplete	Not implemented or little or no evidence of any systematic achievement of the process purpose.	



# Key Messages

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- See Handout
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# Summary

- COBIT 5 is a major, high-profile, strategic initiative for ISACA. Market validation of the development work (i.e., the public exposure of the Framework and Process Reference Guide products) is planned for 27 June and to run throughout July to ensure that ISACA remains on the right track to satisfy market needs.
- SME exposure of the implementation guidance will follow later in 2011.
- Delivery of all three products to the market is planned for early 2012.
- More information is on the ISACA web site, [www.isaca.org/COBIT5](http://www.isaca.org/COBIT5)



# Questions / Thank You!

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