

INFORMATION SECURITY: ISO 27001 HAS BEEN UPDATED

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Controls comparison guide - ISO 27001:2013 and ISO 27001:2022

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Key changes

In February 2022, ISO 27002:2022 – the standard which provides the best practice controls that organizations can implement to improve security – was updated. As a result, a new version of ISO 27001 – the international standard which outlines the requirements of an information security management system (ISMS) – was also published on October 25, 2022.

The new version of the standard features the controls outlined by ISO 27002:2022, and organizations will need to revisit their risk assessment to determine whether updates or new risk treatments need to be implemented.

Organizations with existing ISO 27001:2013 certification will have three years to transition to the new standard.



Controls Comparison: ISO 27001:2013 (Annex A) vs ISO 27001:2022 (Annex A)

The controls outlined in ISO 27002:2022 will be included in ISO 27001:2022 Annex A – representing the most significant area of change in the new standard. The tables below provide a useful comparison of all available controls and how they correspond to those in the previous version – including any new controls and merges which are highlighted.


PREVIOUS ISO 27001:2013			NEW ISO 27001:2022		
CONTROL	TITLE		CONTROL	THEME (NEW)	TITLE
INFORMATION SECURITY POLICIES					
A5.1.1	Policies for information security	→	A.5.1	Organizational controls	Policies for information security
A.5.1.2	Review of the policies for information security	→	Merged into A.5.1		
ORGANISATION OF INFORMATION					
A.6.1.1	Information security roles and responsibilities	→	A5.2	Organizational controls	Information security roles and responsibilities
A.6.1.2	Segregation of duties	→	A.5.3	Organizational controls	Segregation of duties
A.6.1.3	Contact with authorities	→	A.5.5	Organizational controls	Contact with authorities
A.6.1.4	Contact with special interest groups	→	A.5.6	Organizational controls	Contact with special interest groups
NEW			A.5.7	Organizational controls	Threat intelligence
A.6.1.5	Information security in project management	→	A.5.8	Organizational controls	Information security in project management
A.6.2.1	Mobile device policy	→	A.8.1	Technical	User end point devices
A.6.2.2	Teleworking	→	A.6.7	People	Remote working

HUMAN RESOURCE SECURITY					
A.7.1.1	Screening	→	A.6.1	People	Screening
A.7.1.2	Terms and conditions of employment	→	A.6.2	People	Terms and conditions of employment
A.7.2.1	Management responsibilities	→	A.5.4	Organisational controls	Management responsibilities
A.7.2.2	Information security awareness, education and training	→	A.6.3	People	Information security awareness, education and training
A.7.2.3	Disciplinary process	→	A.6.4	People	Disciplinary process
A.7.3.1	Termination or change of employment responsibilities	→	A.6.5	People	Responsibilities after termination or change of employment
ASSET MANAGEMENT					
A.8.1.1	Inventory of assets	→	A.5.9	Organisational controls	Inventory of information and other associated assets
A.8.1.2	Ownership of assets	→	Merged into A.5.9		
A.8.1.3	Acceptable use of assets	→	A.5.10	Organisational controls	Acceptable use of information and other associated assets
A.8.1.4	Return of assets	→	A.5.11	Organisational controls	Return of assets
A.8.2.1	Classification of information	→	A.5.12	Organisational controls	Classification of information
A.8.2.2	Labelling of information	→	A.5.13	Organisational controls	Labelling of information
A.8.2.3	Handling of assets	→	Merged into A.5.10		
A.8.3.1	Management of removable media	→	A.7.10	Physical	Storage media
A.8.3.2	Disposal of media	→	Merged into A.7.10		
A.8.3.3	Physical media transfer	→	Merged into A.7.10		

ACCESS CONTROL					
A.9.1.1	Access control policy	→	A.5.15	Organizational controls	Access control
A.9.1.2	Access to networks and network services	→	Merged into A.5.15		
A.9.2.1	User registration and de-registration	→	A.5.16	Organizational controls	Identity management
A.9.2.2	User access provisioning	→	A.5.18	Organizational controls	Access rights
A.9.2.3	Management of privileged access rights	→	A.8.2	Technical	Privileged access rights
A.9.2.4	Management of secret authentication information of users	→	A.5.17	Organizational controls	Authentication information
A.9.2.5	Review of user access rights	→	Merged into A.5.18		
A.9.2.6	Removal or adjustment of access rights	→	Merged into A.5.18		
A.9.3.1	Use of secret authentication information	→	Merged into A.5.17		
A.9.4.1	Information access restriction	→	A.8.3	Technical	Information access restriction
A.9.4.2	Secure log-on procedures	→	A.8.5	Technical	Secure authentication
A.9.4.3	Password management system	→	Merged into A.5.17		
A.9.4.4	Use of privileged utility programs	→	A.8.18	Technical	Use of privileged utility programs
A.9.4.5	Access control to program source code	→	A.8.4	Technical	Access to source code
CRYPTOGRAPHY					
A.10.1.1	Policy on the use of cryptographic controls	→	A.8.24	Technical	Use of cryptography
A.10.1.2	Key management	→	Merged into A.8.24 with A.10.1.1		

PHYSICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SECURITY					
A.11.1.1	Physical security perimeter	→	A.7.1	Physical	Physical security perimeters
A.11.1.2	Physical entry controls	→	A.7.2	Physical	Physical entry
A.11.1.3	Securing offices, rooms and facilities	→	A.7.3	Physical	Securing offices, rooms and facilities
NEW			A.7.4	Physical	Physical security monitoring
A.11.1.4	Protecting against external and environmental threats	→	A.7.5	Physical	Protecting against physical and environmental threats
A.11.1.5	Working in secure areas	→	A.7.6	Physical	Working in secure areas
A.11.1.6	Delivery and loading areas	→	Merged into A.7.2 with A.11.1.2		
A.11.2.1	Equipment siting and protection	→	A.7.8	Physical	Equipment siting and protection
A.11.2.2	Supporting utilities	→	A.7.11	Physical	Supporting utilities
A.11.2.3	Cabling security	→	A.7.12	Physical	Cabling security
A.11.2.4	Equipment maintenance	→	A.7.13	Physical	Equipment maintenance
A.11.2.5	Removal of assets	→	Merged into A.7.10		
A.11.2.6	Security of equipment and assets off-premises	→	A.7.9	Physical	Security of assets off-premises
A.11.2.7	Secure disposal or reuse of equipment	→	A.7.14	Physical	Secure disposal or re-use of equipment
A.11.2.8	Unattended user equipment	→	Merged into A.8.1 with A.6.2.1		
A.11.2.9	Clear desk and clear screen policy	→	A.7.7	Physical	Clear desk and clear screen

OPERATIONS SECURITY					
A.12.1.1	Documented operating procedures	→	A.5.37	Organisational controls	Documented operating procedures
A.12.1.2	Change management	→	A.8.32	Technical	Change management
A.12.1.3	Capacity management	→	A.8.6	Technical	Capacity management
A.12.1.4	Separation of development, testing and operational environments	→	A.8.31	Technical	Separation of development, test and production environments
A.12.2.1	Controls against malware	→	A.8.7	Technical	Protection against malware
A.12.3.1	Information backup	→	A.8.13	Technical	Information backup
A.12.4.1	Event logging	→	A.8.15	Technical	Logging
A.12.4.2	Protection of log information	→	Merged into A.8.1.5		
A.12.4.3	Administrator and operator logs	→	Merged into A.8.1.5		
NEW		→	A.8.16	Technical	Monitoring activities
A.12.4.4	Clock synchronisation	→	A.8.17	Technical	Clock synchronisation
A.12.5.1	Installation of software on operational systems	→	A.8.19	Technical	Installation of software on operational systems
A.12.6.1	Management of technical vulnerabilities	→	A.8.8	Technical	Management of technical vulnerabilities
NEW		→	A.8.9	Technical	Configuration management
NEW		→	A.8.10	Technical	Information deletion
NEW		→	A.8.11	Technical	Data masking
NEW		→	A.8.12	Technical	Data leakage prevention
A.12.6.2	Restrictions on software installation	→	Merged into A.8.19 with A.12.5.1		
A.12.7.1	Information systems audit controls	→	A.8.34	Technical	Protection of information systems during audit testing

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COMMUNICATIONS SECURITY					
A.13.1.1	Network controls	→	A.8.20	Technical	Networks security
A.13.1.2	Security of network services	→	A.8.21	Technical	Security of network services
A.13.1.3	Segregation in networks	→	A.8.22	Technical	Segregation of networks
NEW		→	A.8.23	Technical	Web filtering
A.13.2.1	Information transfer policies and procedures	→	A.5.14	Organizational controls	Information transfer
A.13.2.2	Agreements on information transfer	→	Merged into A.5.14		
A.13.2.3	Electronic messaging	→	Merged into A.5.14		
A.13.2.4	Confidentiality or nondisclosure agreements	→	A.6.6	People	Confidentiality or non-disclosure agreements
SYSTEM ACQUISITION, DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE					
A.14.1.1	Information security requirements analysis and specification	→	Merged into A.5.8 with A.6.1.5		
A.14.1.2	Securing application services on public networks	→	A.8.26	Technical	Application security requirements
A.14.1.3	Protecting application services transactions	→	Merged with A.8.26		
A.14.2.1	Secure development policy	→	A.8.2.5	Technical	Secure development life cycle
A.14.2.2	System change control procedures	→	Merged into A.8.32 with A.12.1.2		
A.14.2.3	Technical review of applications after operating platform changes	→	Merged into A.8.32 with A.12.1.2, A.14.2.2 & A.14.2.4		
A.14.2.4	Restrictions on changes to software packages	→	Merged into A.8.32 with A.12.1.2, A.14.2.2 & A.14.2.3		
A.14.2.5	Secure system engineering principles	→	A.8.27	Technical	Secure system architecture and engineering principles
A.14.2.6	Secure development environment	→	Merged into A.8.31 with A.12.1.4		
NEW		→	A.8.28	Technical	Secure coding
A.14.2.7	Outsourced development	→	A.8.30	Technical	Outsourced development
A.14.2.8	System security testing	→	A.8.29	Technical	Security testing in development and acceptance
A.14.2.9	System acceptance testing	→	Merged into A.8.29 with A.14.2.8		
A.14.3.1	Protection of test data	→	A.8.33	Technical	Test information

SUPPLIER RELATIONSHIPS					
A.15.1.1	Information security policy for supplier relationships	→	A.5.19	Organizational controls	Information security in supplier relationships
A.15.1.2	Addressing security within supplier agreements	→	A.5.20	Organizational controls	Addressing information security within supplier agreements
A.15.1.3	Information and communication technology supply chain	→	A.5.21	Organizational controls	Managing information security in the information and communication technology (ICT) supply chain
A.15.2.1	Monitoring and review of supplier services	→	A.5.22	Organizational controls	Monitoring, review and change management of supplier services
A.15.2.2	Managing changes to supplier services	→	Merged into A.5.22 with A.15.2.1		
NEW			A.5.23	Organizational controls	Information security for use of cloud services
INFORMATION SECURITY INCIDENT MANAGEMENT					
A.16.1.1	Responsibilities and procedures	→	A.5.24	Organizational controls	Information security incident management planning and preparation
A.16.1.2	Reporting information security events	→	A.6.8	People	Information security event reporting
A.16.1.3	Reporting information security weaknesses	→	Merged into A.6.8 with A.16.1.2		
A.16.1.4	Assessment of and decision on information security events	→	A.5.25	Organizational controls	Assessment and decision on information security events
A.16.1.5	Response to information security incidents	→	A.5.26	Organizational controls	Response to information security incidents
A.16.1.6	Learning from information security incidents	→	A.5.27	Organizational controls	Learning from information security incidents
A.16.1.7	Collection of evidence	→	A.5.28	Organizational controls	Collection of evidence
INFORMATION SECURITY ASPECTS OF BUSINESS CONTINUITY MANAGEMENT					
A.17.1.1	Planning information security continuity	→	A.5.29	Organizational controls	Information security during disruption
A.17.1.2	Implementing information security continuity	→	Merged into A.5.29 with A.17.1.1, A.17.1.3		
A.17.1.3	Verify, review and evaluate information security continuity	→	Merged into A.5.29 with A.17.1.1, A.17.1.2		
NEW			A.5.30	Organizational controls	ICT readiness for business continuity
A.17.2.1	Availability of information processing facilities	→	A.8.14	Technical	Redundancy of information processing facilities

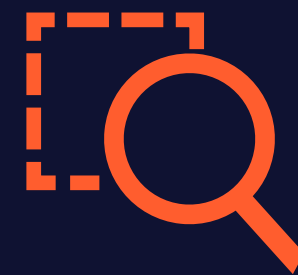
COMPLIANCE					
A.18.1.1	Identification of applicable legislation and contractual requirements	→	A.5.31	Organizational controls	Legal, statutory, regulatory and contractual requirements
A.18.1.2	Intellectual property rights	→	A.5.32	Organizational controls	Intellectual property rights
A.18.1.3	Protection of records	→	A.5.33	Organizational controls	Protection of records
A.18.1.4	Privacy and protection of personally identifiable information	→	A.5.34	Organizational controls	Privacy and protection of personal identifiable information (PII)
A.18.1.5	Regulation of cryptographic controls	→	Merged into A.5.31 with A.18.1.1		
INFORMATION SECURITY REVIEWS					
A.18.2.1	Independent review of information security	→	A.5.35	Organizational controls	Independent review of information security
A.18.2.2	Compliance with security policies and standards	→	A.5.36	Organizational controls	Compliance with policies, rules and standards for information security
A.18.2.3	Technical compliance review	→	Merged into A.5.36 with A.18.2.2		

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