PCI DSS

Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard

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What is PCI DSS?

The PCI DSS is an information security standard designed to protect payment data and prevent card fraud by applying security controls around cardholder data.
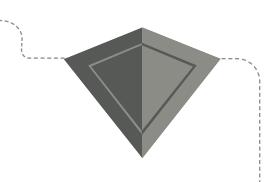
Here's why it matters

Payment account data is cyber criminal's most attractive target
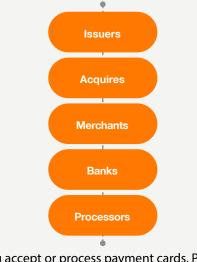
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of data breach caseloads entailed payment card data.

PCI DSS provides an actionable framework for developing a robust payment account data security process, including prevention, detection, and appropriate reaction to security incidents..

Who it impacts?

All entities that store, process, or transmit cardholder data. This includes organizations such as:

- Issuers
- Acquires
- Merchants
- Banks
- Processors

If you accept or process payment cards, PCI DSS compliance is essential for your business.

What it means for your business

Ensure the protection of cardholder data and implement security controls.

Actions required:

Build and maintain a secure network to protect cardholder data.	Maintain a vulnerability management program, while ensuring business continuity
Implement stronger access control measures.	Regularly monitor and test your networks.

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