

# Cyber Readiness: What's the Score?

Utilizing small batch, artisanal data to  
bring powerful insights

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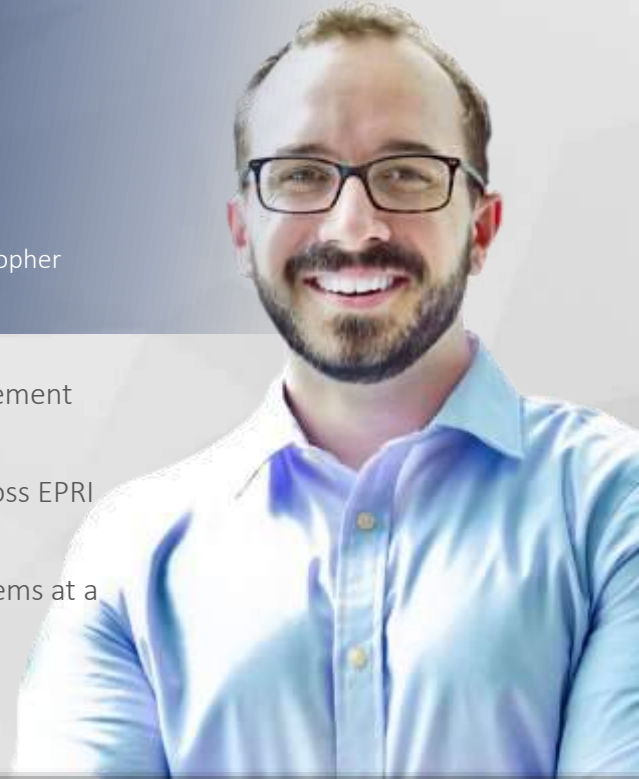
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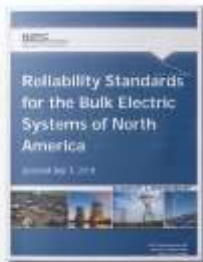
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- Incident response and risk management lead for DOE
- Security metrics development across EPRI and other research organizations
- Began career building control systems at a utility
- MS, Electrical Engineering, Cornell
- Based in Atlanta, GA



# unlike most speakers **DON'T LISTEN TO ME**

Be distracted, look things up!




## **Listen to your peers**

- Over 250 public power utilities online
- 400+ active users
- Use cases from actual practitioners
- I'm just another pretty beard.

Visit: <http://scorecard.axio.com> while I'm here





why is measuring cyber risk

**SO DIFFICULT?**

# myth #1

## GETTING DATA IS HARD ☹️

Then you're doing this wrong

▶ **You really mean “I need the right starting point”**

- What *can* you measure? Start somewhere
- Understand that metrics improve with time (only barbarians measure in “stones” and “feet”)
- Resources may be constrained at first
  - But if you don't try, it won't get better

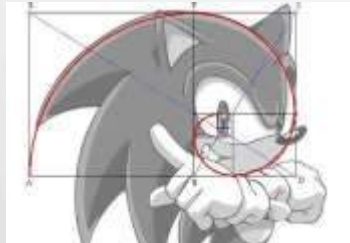
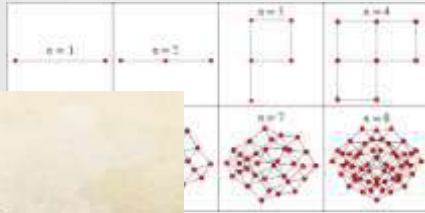
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# myth #2

## SECURITY IS AN ART



*Really* bad argument here...



**There's measurement in almost everything**

- Can you document something?
- Can you count something?
- Observe the trends where you can

Literally, just do *anything*.

# myth #3

## THIS TAKES TOO MUCH TIME

Engineering 101: “Optimize within your constraints.”



### Size your efforts to your team

- Team of 1? That still works (more on this later)
- Don't boil the ocean and don't build a team to “admire the problem.”
- Anything worth doing takes time and effort!

**“If you're not keeping score, you're just practicing” – Vince Lombardi**



A silhouette of a person pushing a large sphere up a hill against a blue sky. The person is on the left, pushing the sphere up a dark, curved slope. The sky is a solid light blue.

how did i  
**START?**

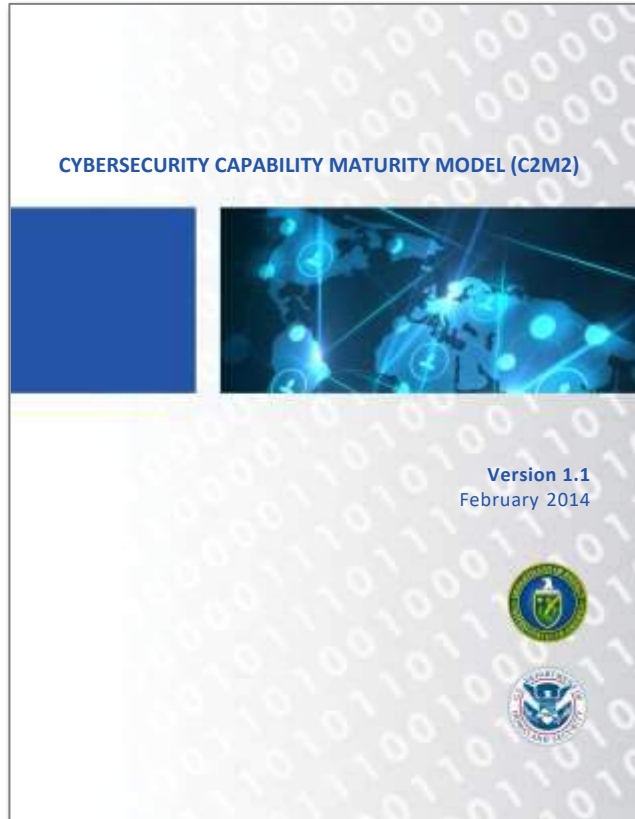




## ARE YOU #CyberReady?

The American Public Power Association is proud to present the all new Cybersecurity Scorecard. This robust platform is the result of a federally-funded cybersecurity improvement initiative that will be openly accessible to all Association members.

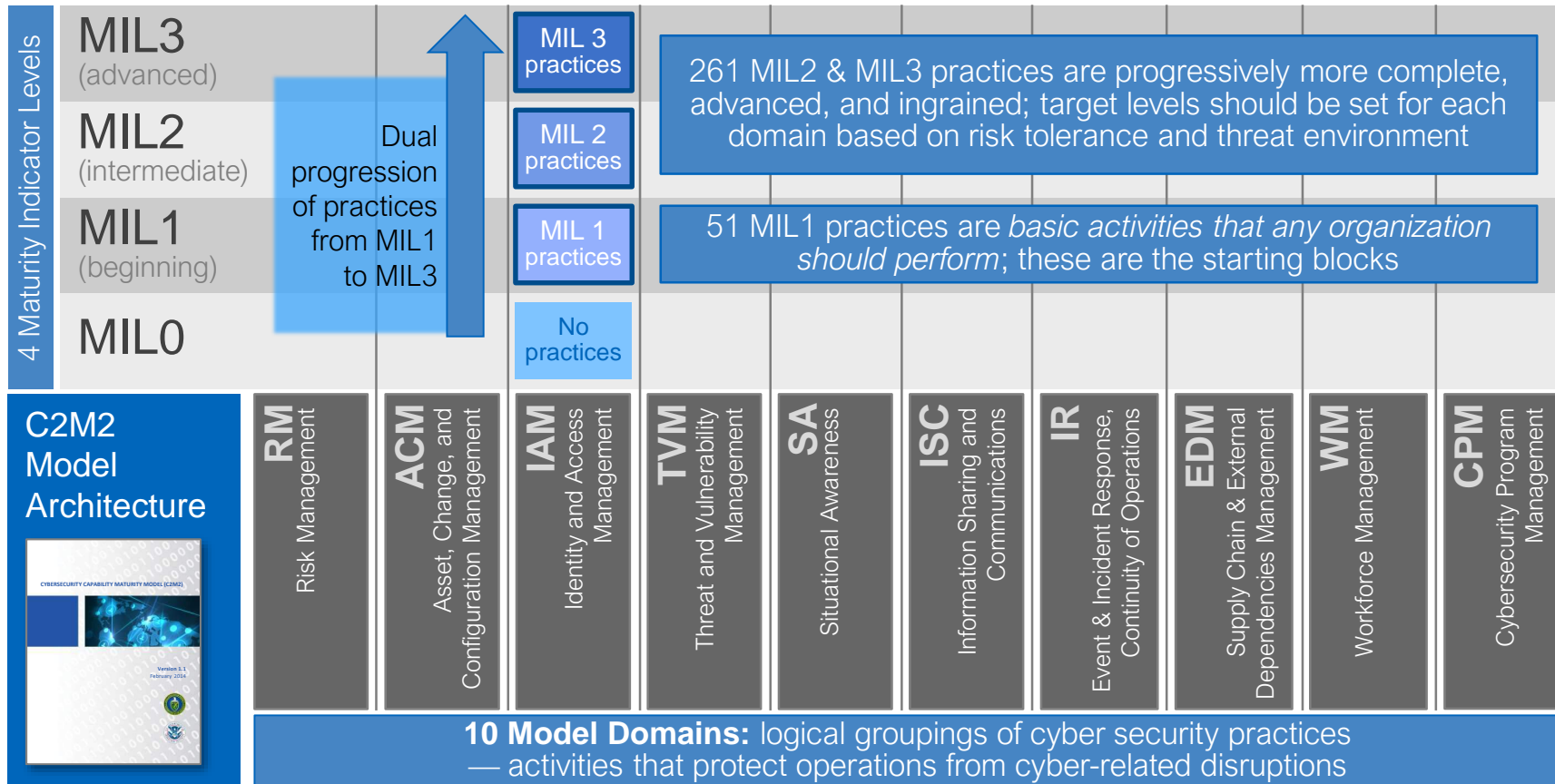
# Cybersecurity Capability Maturity Model (C2M2) v1.1



**A model and evaluation method to support ongoing evaluation and improvement of cybersecurity capabilities in IT and OT environments**

## Objectives

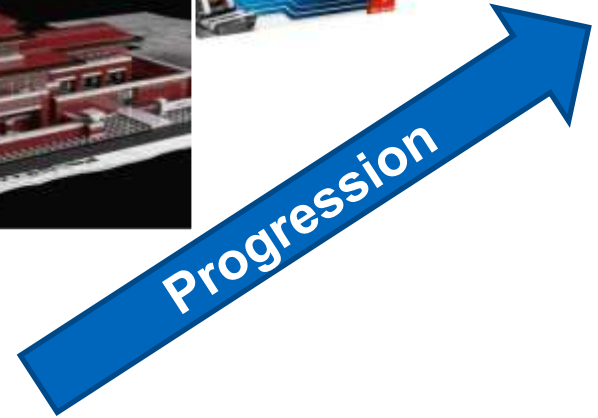
- Strengthen organizations' cybersecurity capabilities
- Enable organizations to effectively and consistently evaluate and benchmark cybersecurity capabilities
- Share knowledge, best practices, and relevant references as a means to improve cybersecurity capabilities.
- Enable organizations to prioritize actions and investments to improve cybersecurity



# The Approach: Maturity Model

## Maturity Model Definition:


- An organized way to convey a path (a progression) of experience, wisdom, perfection, or acculturation.
- The subject of a maturity model can be an object or things, ways of doing something, characteristics of something, practices, or processes.




# C2M2 is a Dual-Progression Maturity Model

## Approach Progression

Whether and how an activity is performed




Progression for Counting
Computer
Calculator
Adding machine
Slide rule
Abacus
Pencil and paper
Fingers



Progression for Authentication
Three-factor authentication
Two-factor authentication
Passwords change every 60 days
Strong passwords
Passwords

## Management Progression

How activities are managed



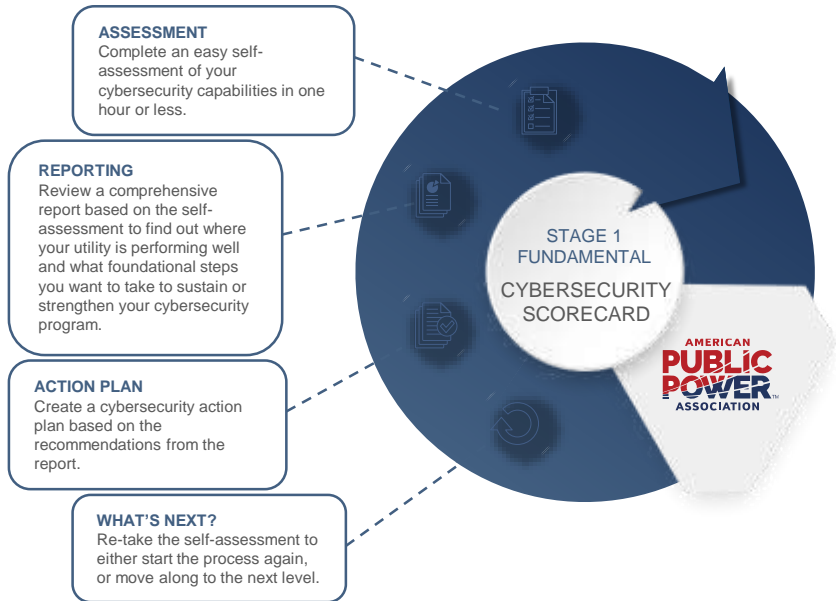
Management Progression
Practices are <b>defined</b>
Practices are <b>measured</b>
Practices are <b>managed</b>
Practices are <b>planned</b>
Practices are performed but <b>ad hoc</b>
Practices are <b>incomplete</b>

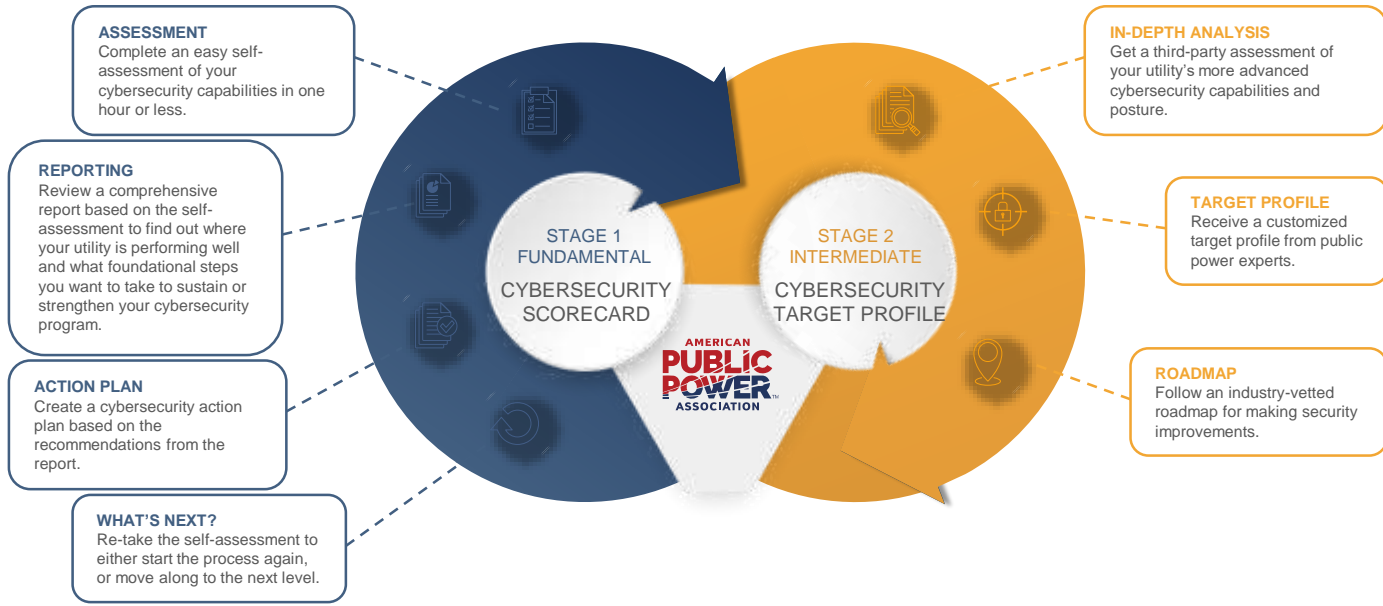


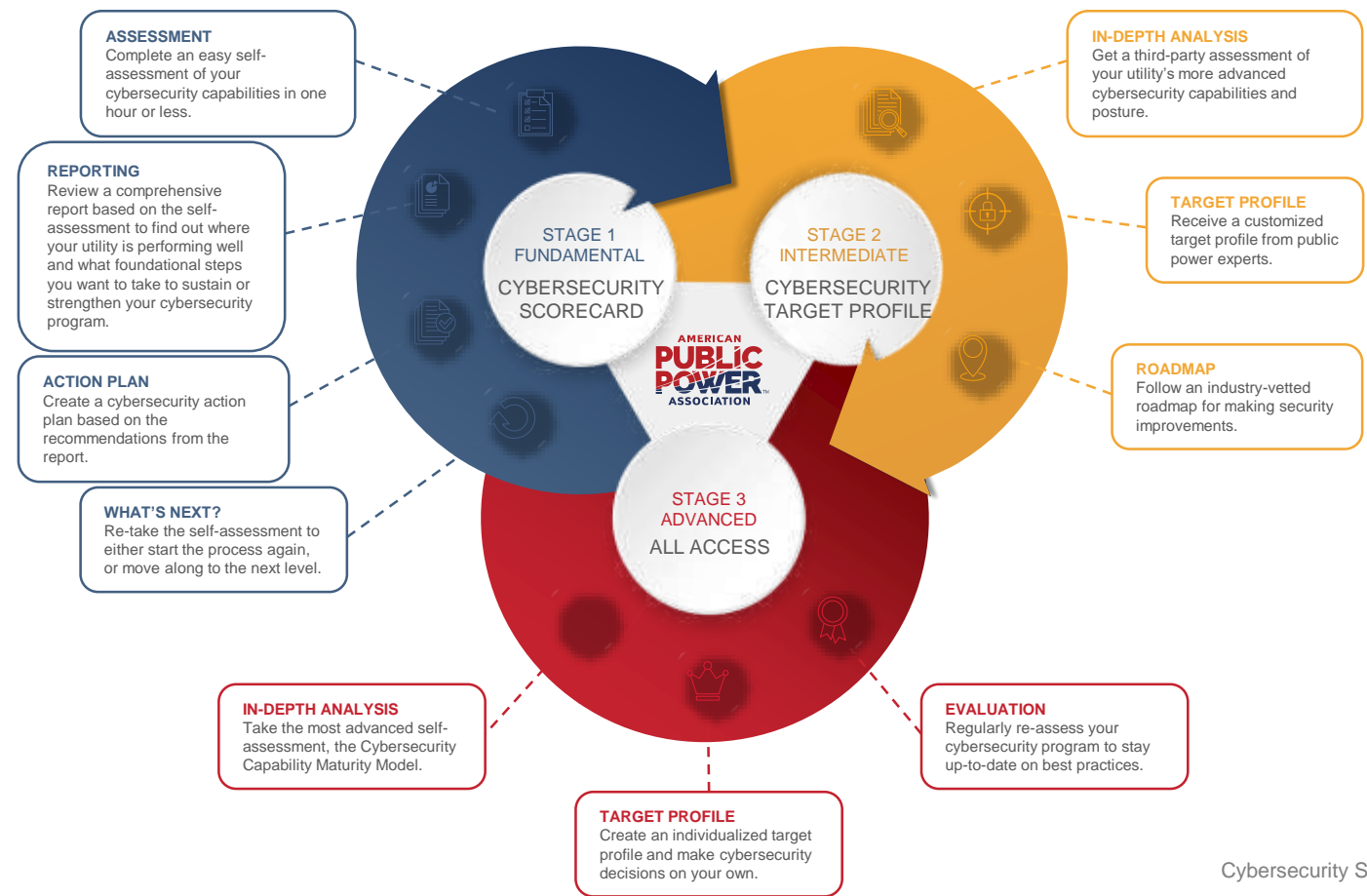




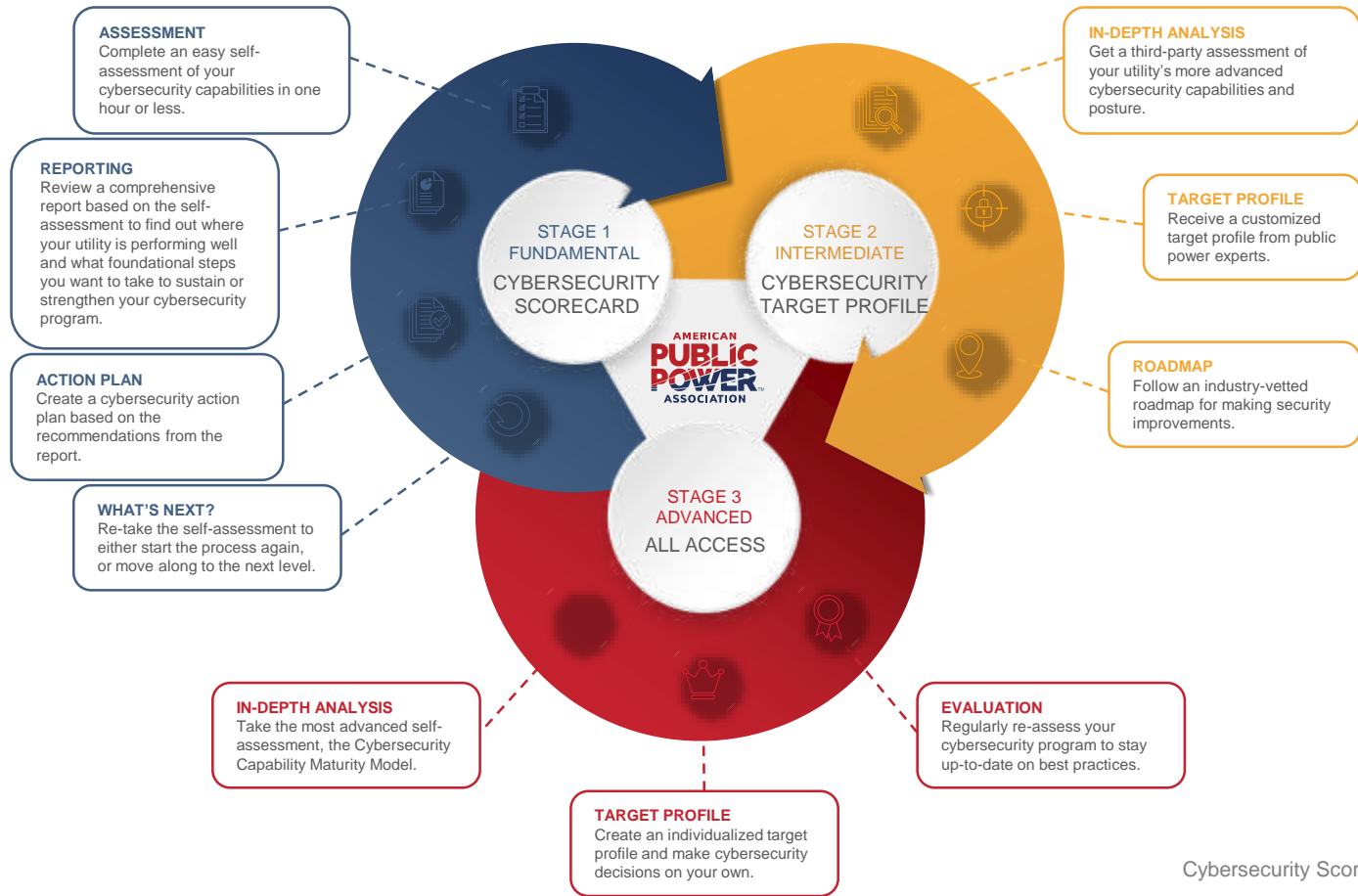
## CYBERSECURITY SCORECARD











## ONLINE PORTAL FEATURES



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Help text in each section including definitions and concepts.



User dashboard showcasing each assessment and various statistics in real time.



Ability to do multiple internal assessments and benchmarking.



Improvement toolkit including document templates, policies and example policies.



Regional workshops to provide additional help and guidance.



Suggestions for cybersecurity training.



Expert coaching



Ability to tie to other association projects, such as technology deployments and vulnerability assessments.

Each level is capable of being a fully sustainable cybersecurity program and can be reassessed on a regular basis to track improvements.

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2. Click 'Register'
  - a. Register with your work email (you will need access to your email)
  - b. Set a password  $\geq 12$  characters
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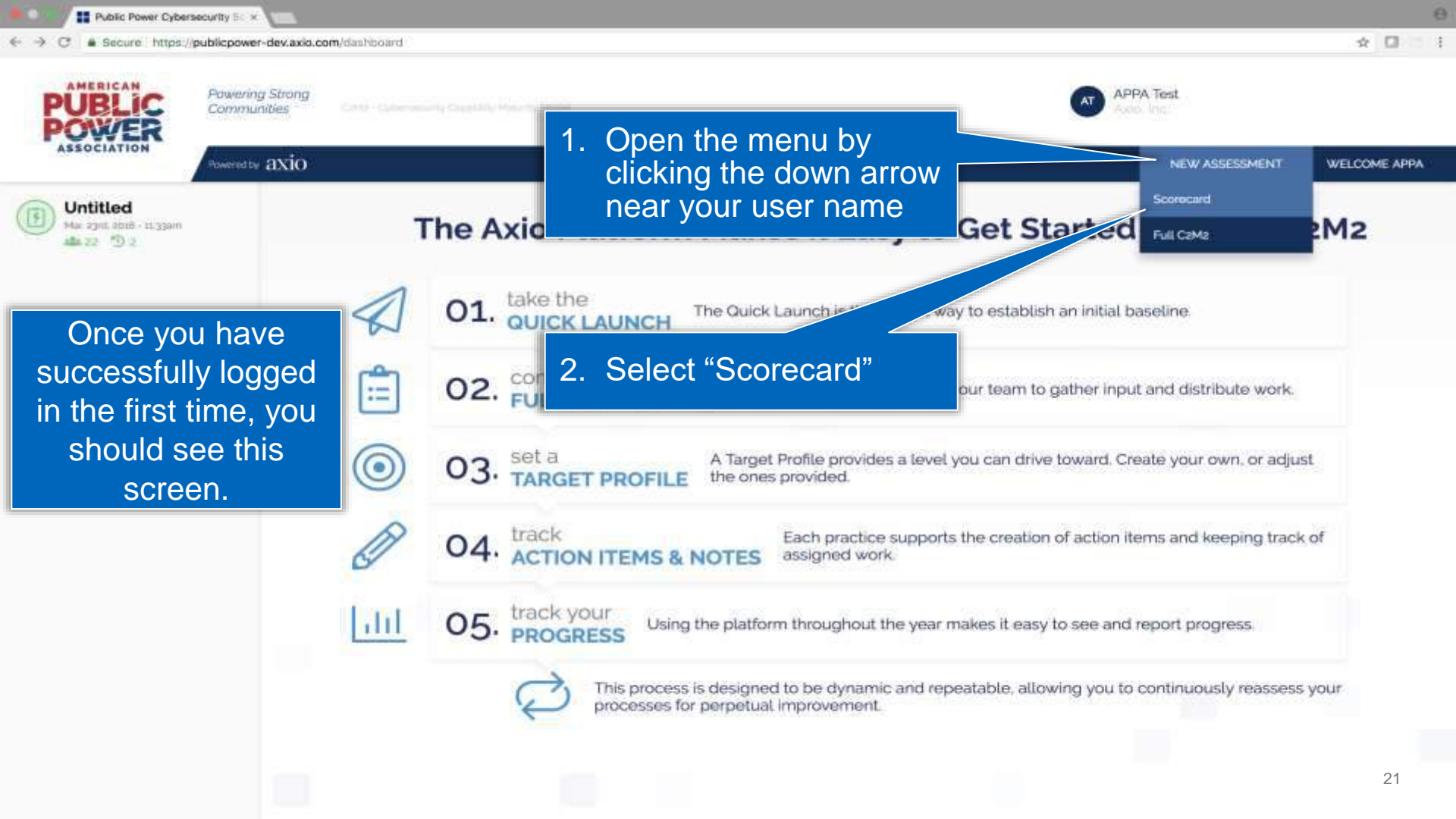
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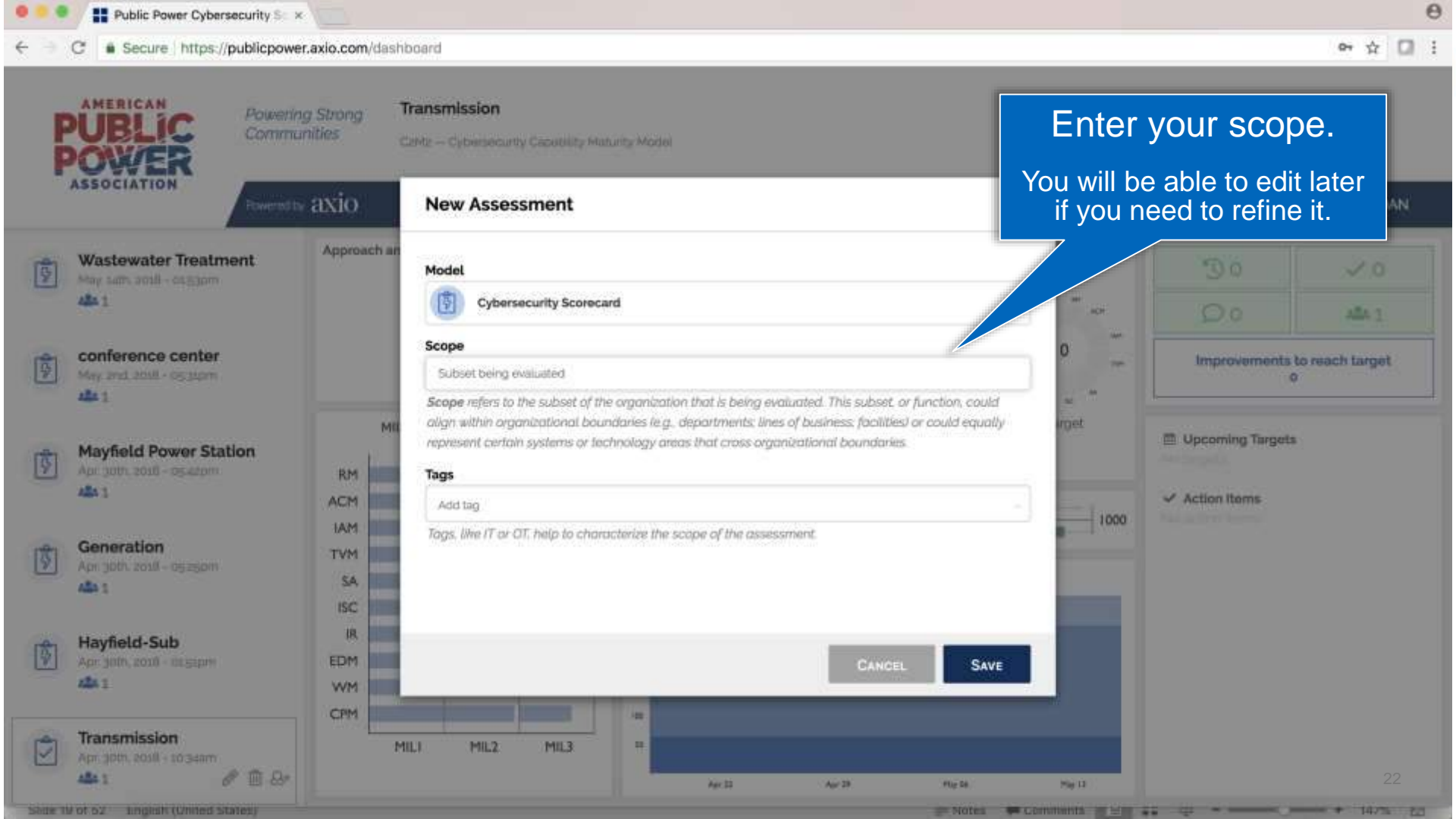
Register    Forgot password?



1. Open the menu by clicking the down arrow near your user name

2. Select "Scorecard"

Once you have successfully logged in the first time, you should see this screen.



Enter your scope.

You will be able to edit later if you need to refine it.

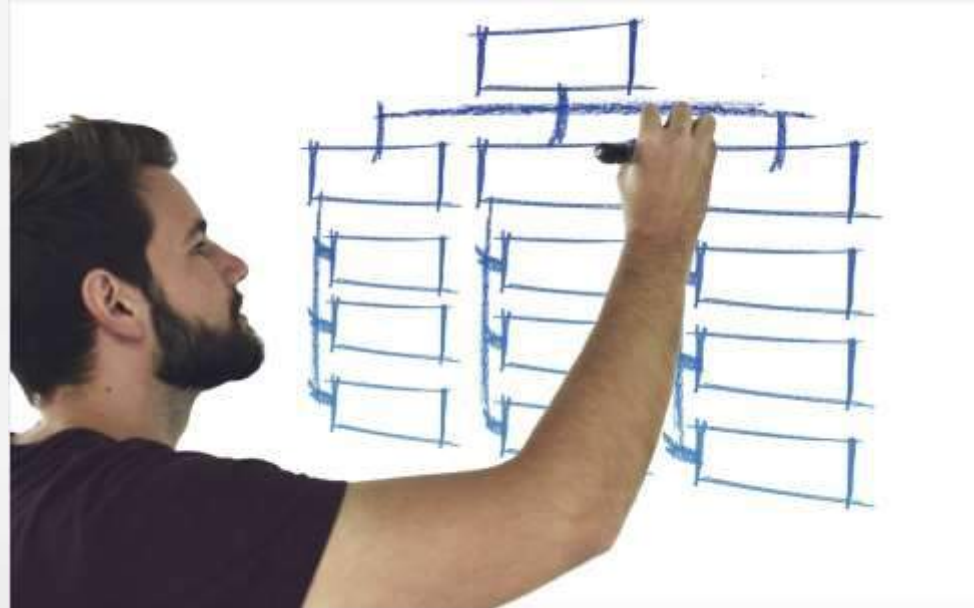
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Recall from Engineering 101:  
“Optimize within your constraints.”



**Who is responsible for what? Can they answer the questions? Some peers to consider:**

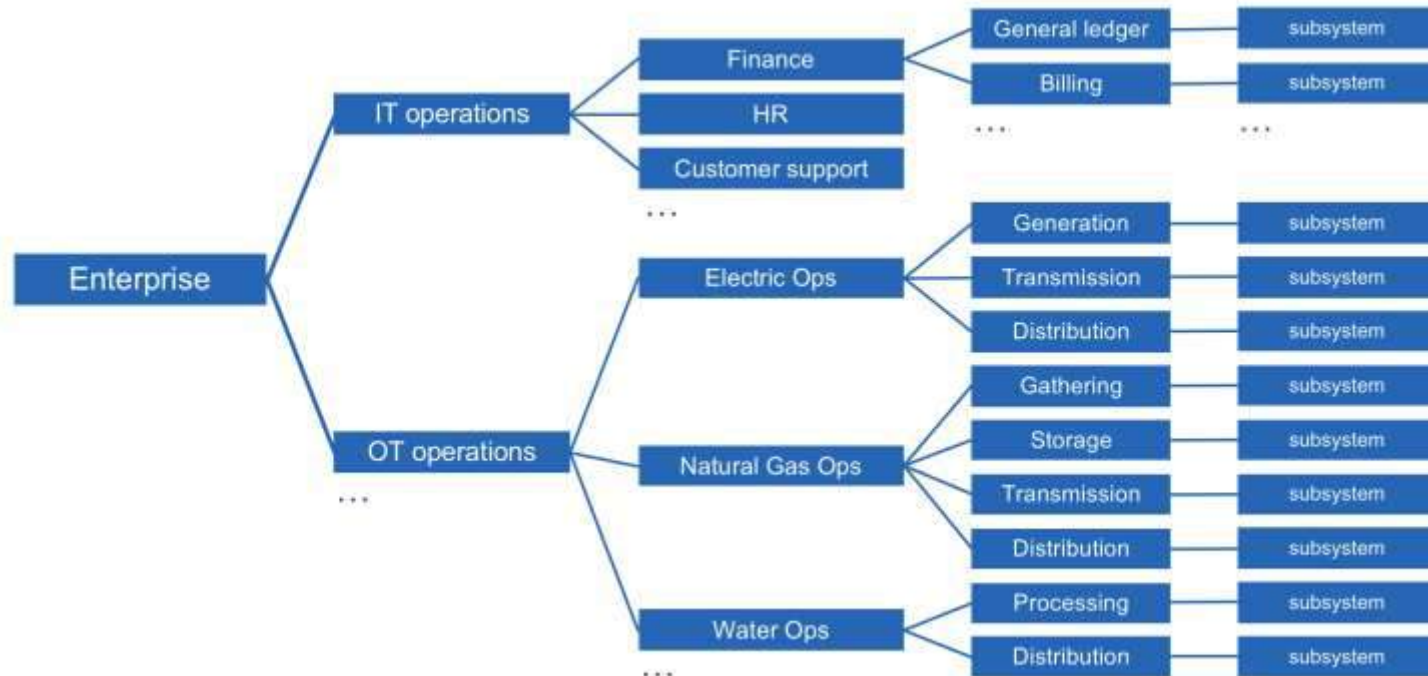
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- Cybersecurity Program Mangers
- SCADA Engineers
- Communications Technicians
- Human Resource Managers
- Risk Managers





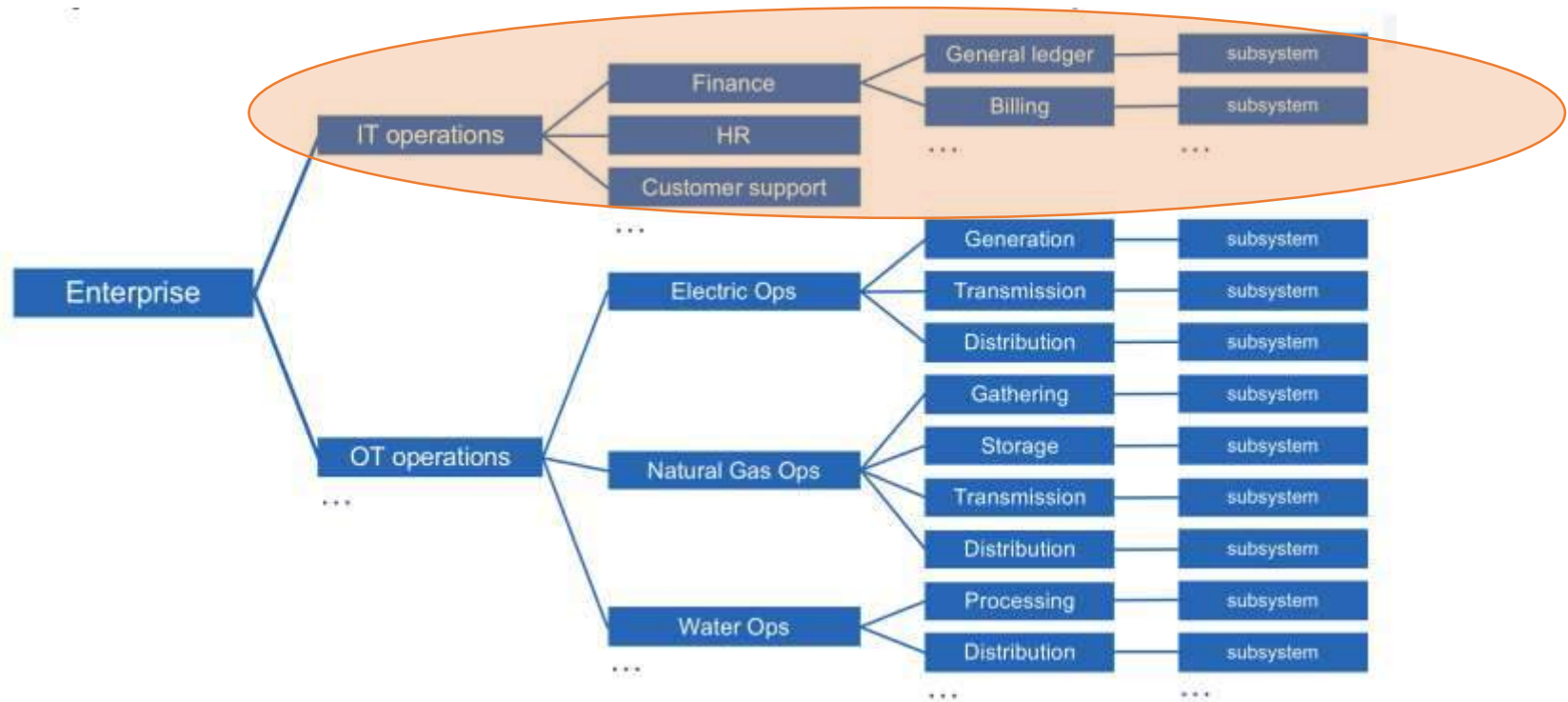
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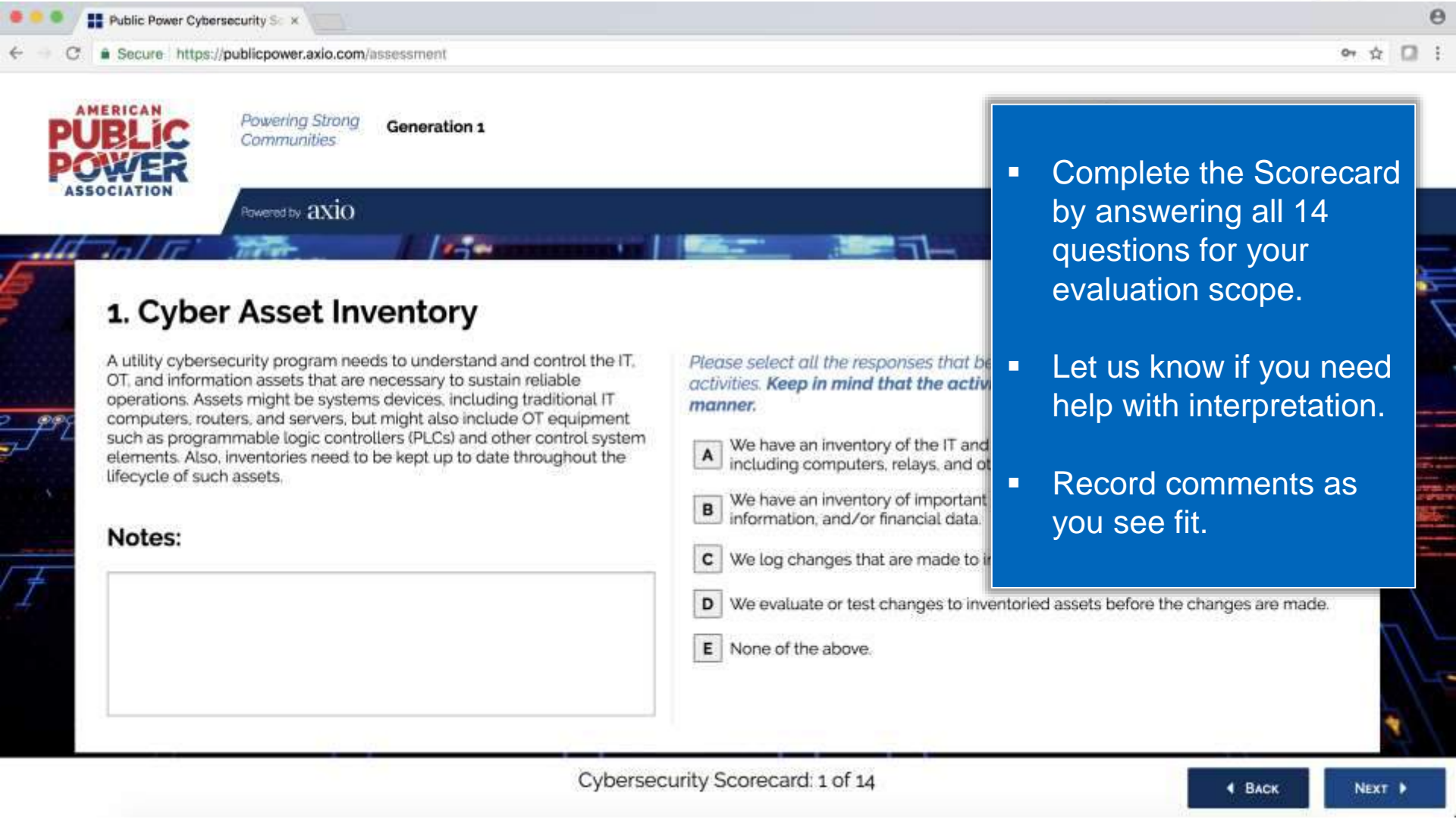
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## 1. Cyber Asset Inventory

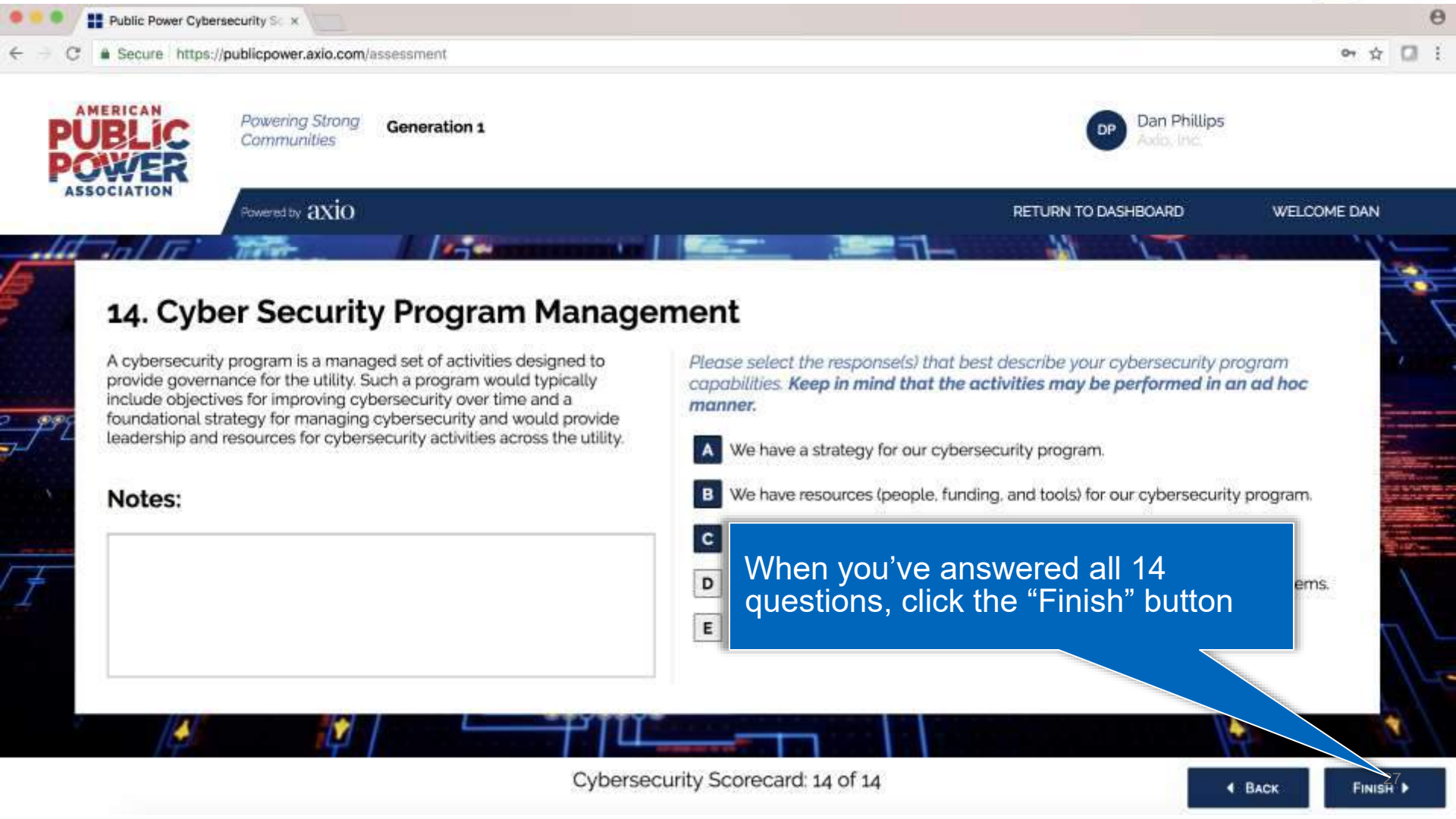
A utility cybersecurity program needs to understand and control the IT, OT, and information assets that are necessary to sustain reliable operations. Assets might be systems devices, including traditional IT computers, routers, and servers, but might also include OT equipment such as programmable logic controllers (PLCs) and other control system elements. Also, inventories need to be kept up to date throughout the lifecycle of such assets.

### Notes:

Please select all the responses that best describe your organization's activities. **Keep in mind that the activities can be performed in any manner.**

- ☐ A We have an inventory of the IT and OT assets, including computers, relays, and other equipment.
- ☐ B We have an inventory of important information, and/or financial data.
- ☐ C We log changes that are made to inventoryed assets.
- ☐ D We evaluate or test changes to inventoried assets before the changes are made.
- ☐ E None of the above.

- Complete the Scorecard by answering all 14 questions for your evaluation scope.
- Let us know if you need help with interpretation.
- Record comments as you see fit.

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WELCOME DAN

## 14. Cyber Security Program Management

A cybersecurity program is a managed set of activities designed to provide governance for the utility. Such a program would typically include objectives for improving cybersecurity over time and a foundational strategy for managing cybersecurity and would provide leadership and resources for cybersecurity activities across the utility.

### Notes:

Please select the response(s) that best describe your cybersecurity program capabilities. **Keep in mind that the activities may be performed in an ad hoc manner.**

- ☐ A We have a strategy for our cybersecurity program.
- ☐ B We have resources (people, funding, and tools) for our cybersecurity program.
- ☐ C
- ☐ D
- ☐ E

When you've answered all 14 questions, click the "Finish" button

IT Enterprise Level - demo  
Nov 15th, 2018 - 03:33pm

Quick Launch Demo  
Nov 14th, 2018 - 02:44pm

OT Distribution Operation...  
Nov 13th, 2018 - 05:16pm

Scorecard results  
will populate your  
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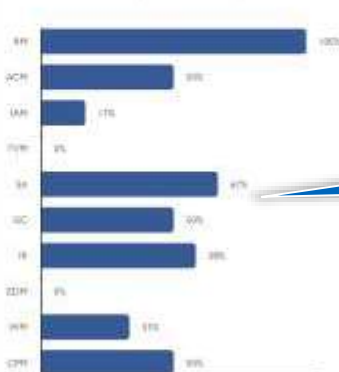
Mentions



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Practices Implemented by Domain



ADDITIONAL  
FEATURES  
COMING SOON

All we're using the

Score



Upcoming Targets

ACH-2a Fully Implemented  
ACH-2b Fully Implemented  
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IAM-2e Fully Implemented  
IAM-2f Fully Implemented  
IAM-2g Fully Implemented

Action Items

10-31-2018 IAM-2b Research best practices

Recommendations

Results breakdown by domain

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Issue credentials for all entities requiring access to assets



IAM-2b Credentials are issued, at least in an ad hoc manner, for personnel and other entities (e.g., passwords, smart cards, certificates, keys)



Define access requirements for organizational assets to use. (more)



IAM-2c Access requirements, including those for remote access, are determined (access requirements are)

Improvement  
recommendations based  
on scorecard responses



IMPORTED = Base with word



Nov 14th 2018 - 03:30pm



Nov 13th 2016 - 06:16pm



Oct. 1981, until - continuing



Oct 12th 2018 - 11:00am



Sept. 10th 1908 - 12 Chms



See also: 2018 - random



Score

### Upcoming Targets

✓ Action Items

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IAM-30

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IAM-1b

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Define access requirements for organizational assets to adequately protect them from unauthorized use. [\(more\)](#)

IAM 28

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**ADDITIONAL  
FEATURES  
COMING SOON**

As you're using the

## Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management system to identify, analyze, an.. (more)

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### Asset, Change

Manage the on

### CM)

ed software, commensurate wit.. (more)

RM-2a

Target

Fully Implemented

Action Items

Add Action Item

Notes

Add Note

# Results: Scorecard

## Resilience & Security Pilot

### Introduction

Welcome to the pilot version of the Public Power Resilience and Security Maturity Model. This pilot is designed to test the Stage 1 survey for all public power utilities, regardless of size of electric grid functionality. Your participation and insights are invaluable to this effort. The scope defined for this evaluation includes the following: IT OT.

### Questions

Each question has descriptive text to help inform participants as they progress through the survey. Respondents have been instructed to select all answers that apply for each question, as each activity adds to the general score. The survey is intended to capture what activities are performed at a utility, even if they are performed in an ad hoc manner.

Each question maps to a MIL1 practice in the full C2M2. The associated C2M2 practice designation is included in the last column of the tables below. MIL1 practices address basics that experts believe are necessary and within reach of all utilities. A list of specific recommendations is included at the end of this report.

### Scoring

The score for this model is plotted along a simple index ranging from 0-300 (similar to credit score reporting). Respondents who attain a score of at least 240 or higher should consider moving to the next phase of the Public Power Resilience and Security Maturity Model.

Respondents who receive scores lower than 240 should address additional foundational cybersecurity practices before moving forward. Supporting resources can be found at: <https://www.publicpower.org/topic/cybersecurity>.



# Cybersecurity Scorecard Today

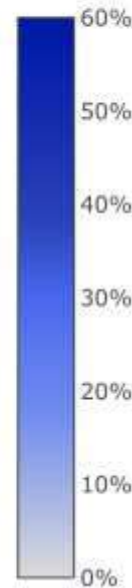
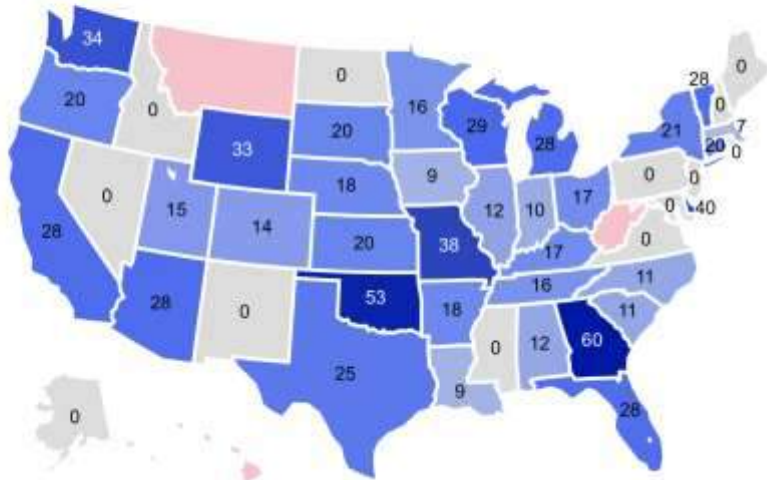
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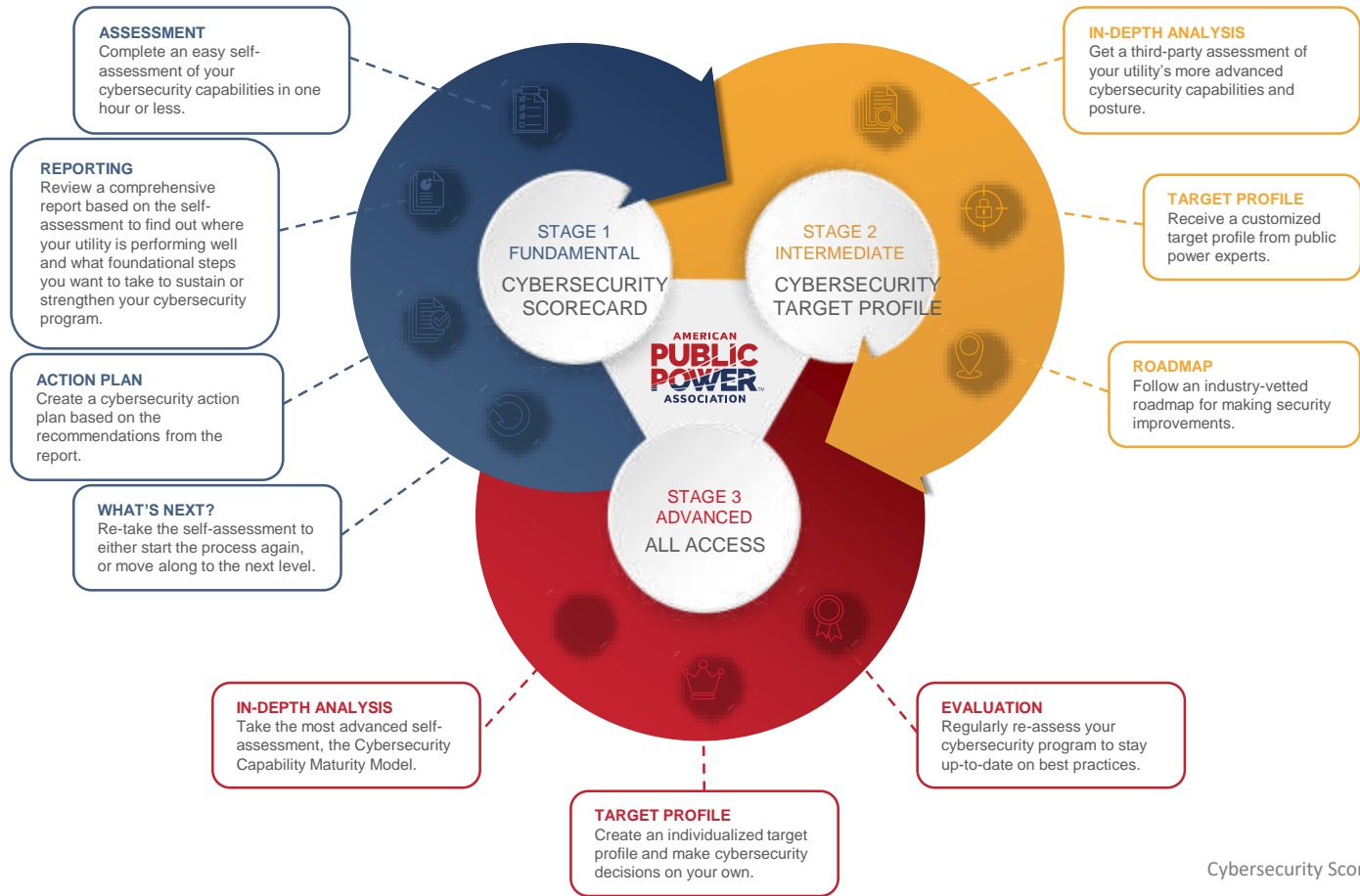
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# Welcome to Stage 2:

Evolving from a 45-minute self-assessment  
to a culture of security



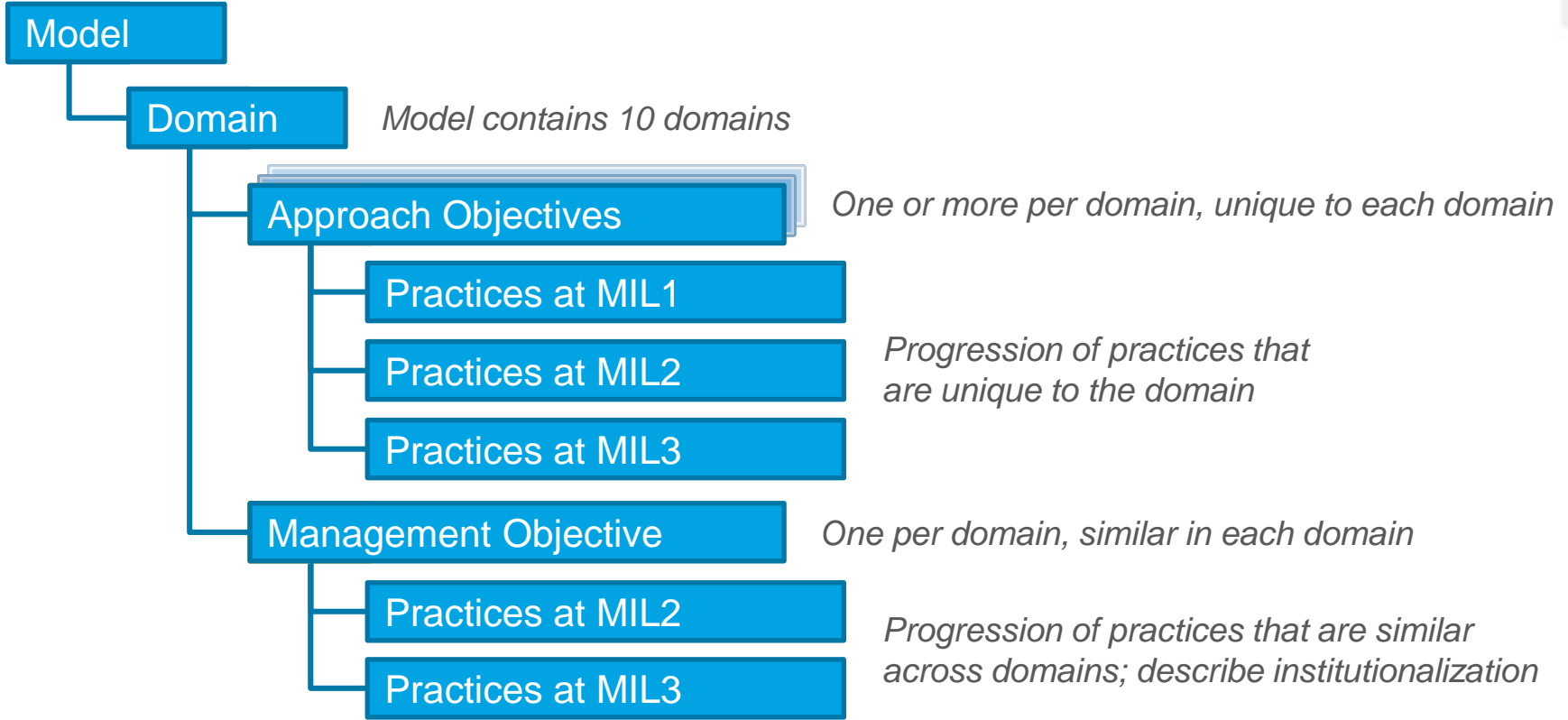
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# Organization of a Domain



# Example C2M2 Practices from ACM

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MIL0		
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MIL2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1c. Inventory attributes include information to support the cybersecurity strategy (e.g., location, asset owner, applicable security requirements, service dependencies, service level agreements, and conformance of assets to relevant industry standards)</li> <li>1d. Inventoried assets are prioritized based on their importance to the delivery of the function</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Documented practices are followed for ACM activities</li> <li>b. Stakeholders for ACM activities are identified and involved</li> <li>c. Adequate resources (people, funding, and tools) are provided to support ACM activities</li> <li>d. Standards and/or guidelines have been identified to inform ACM activities</li> </ul>
MIL3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1e. There is an inventory for all connected IT and OT assets related to the delivery of the function</li> <li>1f. The asset inventory is current (as defined by the organization)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>e. ACM activities are guided by policy (or other directives)</li> <li>f. ACM policies include compliance requirements for specified standards or guidelines</li> <li>g. ACM activities are periodically reviewed for conformance to policy</li> <li>h. Responsibility &amp; authority for ACM activities are assigned to personnel</li> <li>i. Personnel performing ACM activities have adequate skills &amp; knowledge</li> </ul>



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Can you keep running?

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Nov 15th, 2018 - 03:33pm



### Quick Launch Demo

Nov 14th, 2018 - 02:44pm



### OT Distribution Operation...

Nov 13th, 2018 - 06:06pm



### Demo IT Environment

Oct 15th, 2018 - 03:37pm



### CSF Demo

Oct 15th, 2018 - 11:01am



### NERC CIP C2M2 Medium ...

Sep 10th, 2018 - 12:57pm



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Completion progress overall

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#### Action Items

Add Action Item

Getting acquainted.

There are various progress indicators.

## Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM)

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## Risk Management (RM)

Click an objective to go there

Click to see the full Domain intro

Click any domain to go there

## Navigation Tips

You can also navigate the entire survey by scrolling



Navigate forward and backward by domain



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RETURN TO DASHBOARD

WELCOME JD

RM

ACM

IAM

TVM

SA

ISC

IR

EDM

WM

CPM

Activity

Evidence

## Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management strategy.

...and then apply the APPA  
Target Profile

OBJECTIVE **RM-1** Establish Cybersecurity Risk Management Strategy

a. There is a documented cybersecurity risk management strategy

Not Implemented

Partially Implemented

Largely Implemented

Fully Implemented

b. The strategy provides an approach for risk prioritization, including consideration of impact

Not Implemented

Partially Implemented

Largely Implemented

Fully Implemented

c. Organizational risk criteria (objective criteria that the organization uses for evaluating, categorizing, and prioritizing operational risks based on impact, tolerance for risk, and risk response approaches) are defined and available

Edit your profile

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## Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an

## OBJECTIVE RM-1 Establish

a. There is a documented

Not Implemented

b. The strategy provides a

Not Implemented

c. Organizational risk criteria (categorizing, and prioritizing response approaches) are

## Apply Target Profile

You can copy target levels from a target profile or another assessment by selecting one below. Targets will be set to the higher of the selected target profile or your current profile. **Any existing target levels will be over-written.**

## Target Source

Select a target profile or an assessment

## 8 TARGET PROFILES

## APPA Target Profile

MIL1 for each Domain

MIL2 for each Domain

MIL3 for each Domain

NERC CIP C2M2 High

NERC CIP C2M2 Low

NERC CIP C2M2 Medium w/ERC

## Characterizing a practice

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### Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management program to identify, analyze, an.. (more)

RM-2a

Target

Fully Implemented

#### OBJECTIVE RM-2 Manage Cybersecurity Risk

- a. Cybersecurity risks are identified, at least in an ad hoc manner

Not Implemented

Partially Implemented

Largely Implemented

Fully Implemented

Shift-Click to set **target** implementation level

- b. Identified risks are mitigated, accepted, tolerated, or transferred

Not Implemented

Partially Implemented

Largely Implemented

Fully Implemented

Click to set **current** implementation level

Notes

Add Note

### Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM)

Manage the organization's IT and OT assets, including both hardware and software, commensurate with.. (more)



## Characterizing a practice

### Risk Management (RM)

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#### OBJECTIVE RM-2 Manage Cybersecurity Risk

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Not Implemented Partially Implemented **Largely Implemented** Fully Implemented

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RM-2a

Target

Fully Implemented

Action Items

Add Action Item

Notes

Shift-Click to set **target** implementation level

Click to set **current** implementation level

You can also select **target** implementation level in this pull-down



## Characterizing a practice

### Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management program to identify, analyze, an.. (more)

#### OBJECTIVE RM-2 Manage Cybersecurity Risk

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Not Implemented Partially Implemented Largely Implemented Fully Implemented

b. Identified risks are mitigated, accepted, tolerated, or transferred, at least in an ad hoc manner

Not Implemented Partially Implemented Largely Implemented Fully Implemented

Set the **target**  
implementation level  
**date** in this pull-down

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### Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management program to identify, analyze, an.. (more)

#### OBJECTIVE RM-2 Manage Cybersecurity Risk ⓘ

- a. Cybersecurity risks are identified, at least in an ad hoc manner

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Partially Implemented

Largely Implemented

Fully Implemented

- b. Identify and manage cybersecurity risks in an ad hoc manner

4-Point Answer Scale

### Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM)

Manage the organization's IT and OT assets, including both hardware and software, commensurate with.. (more)

RM-2a

Target

Fully Implemented

Action Items

Add Action Item

Notes

Add Note

# Survey Answer Scale



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## 4-point answer scale

The organization's performance of the practice described in the model is ...

**Fully** implemented

**Complete**

**Largely** implemented

**Complete, but** with a recognized opportunity for improvement

**Partially** implemented

**Incomplete**; there are multiple opportunities for improvement

**Not** implemented

**Absent**; the practice is not performed in the organization

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# Survey Answer Scale

4-point answer scale

The organization's performance of the practice described in the model is ...

**Fully** implemented

**Complete**

Largely implemented

but with a recognized opportunity for

The practice is performed as described in the model

**Partially** implemented

improvement

**Not** implemented

**Absent**; the practice is not performed in the organization

# Survey Answer Scale

4-point answer scale

The organization's performance of the practice described in the model is ...

**Fully** implemented

**Complete**

**Largely** implemented

**Complete, but** with a recognized opportunity for improvement

**Partially**

**Not imple**

The practice is performed substantially as described in the model, but there is some recognized opportunity for improvement that is not material with respect to achieving model, organizational, or critical infrastructure objectives

# Survey Answer Scale



4-point a

Fully imp

Largely implemented

Partially implemented

Not implemented

The implementation of the practice as described in the model is incomplete — there are multiple opportunities for improvement that are material with respect to achieving model, organizational, or critical infrastructure objectives

**Incomplete**; there are multiple opportunities for improvement

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# Survey Answer Scale

4-point answer scale

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Partial implementation

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## Characterizing a practice

- Risk Management (RM)
- Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM)
- Identity and Access Management (IAM)
- Threat and Vulnerability Management (TVM)
- Situational Awareness (SA)
- Information Sharing and Communications (ISC)
- Event and Incident Response
- Continuity of Operations (IR)
- Supply Chain and External Dependencies Management (EDM)
- Workforce Management (WM)
- Cybersecurity Program Management (CPM)

### Risk Management (RM)

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management program to identify, analyze, an.. (more)

#### OBJECTIVE RM-2 Manage Cybersecurity Risk

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- b. Identified risks are mitigated, accepted, tolerated, or transferred, at least in an ad hoc manner

Not Implemented Partially Implemented Largely Implemented Fully Implemented

Capture action items here

And notes here

RM-2a

Target

Fully Implemented

Action Items

Add Action Item

Notes

Add Note

### Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM)

Manage the organization's IT and OT assets, including both hardware and software, commensurate wit.. (more)

## Characterizing a practice

Help text is available for many practices in the Help tab

### OBJECTIVE RM-2 Manage Cybersecurity Risk

#### a. Cybersecurity risks are identified, at least in an ad hoc manner

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Partially Implemented

Largely Implemented

Fully Implemented

#### b. Identified risks are mitigated, accepted, tolerated, or transferred, at least in an ad hoc manner

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Partially Implemented

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Fully Implemented

### Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM)

Manage the organization's IT and OT assets, including both hardware and software, commensurate with (more)

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Risk Management (RM) 100%  
Asset, Change, and Configuration Management (ACM) 100%  
Identity and Access Management (IAM) 100%  
Threat and Vulnerability Management (TVM) 100%  
Situational Awareness (SA) 100%  
Information Sharing and Communications (ISC) 100%  
Event and Incident Response, Continuity of Operations (IR) 100%  
Supply Chain and External Dependencies Management (EDM) 100%  
Workforce Management (WM) 100%  
Cybersecurity Program Management (CPM) 100%

RM ACM IAM TVM SA ISC IR EDM WM CPM

Cybersecurity Program Management (CPM)  
Establish and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity program that provides governance, strategic planning, and sporns. (more)

100%  
OBJECTIVE CPM-5 Management Activities

a. Documented practices are followed for cybersecurity program management activities.

Not Implemented Partially Implemented Largely Implemented Fully Implemented

b. Stakeholders for cybersecurity program management activities are identified and involved

Not Implemented Partially Implemented Largely Implemented Fully Implemented

ified to inform cybersecurity program

Largely Implemented Fully Implemented

cybersecurity program management activities are guided by documented policies or other

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**IT Enterprise Level**

Jun 13th 2018 - 00:44pm

1

**Generation Facility Alpha**

May 24th 2018 - 02:56pm

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**NERC CIP C2M2 Low**

May 23rd 2018 - 03:36pm

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**NERC CIP C2M2 High**

Apr 27th 2018 - 02:39pm

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**NERC CIP C2M2 Medium**

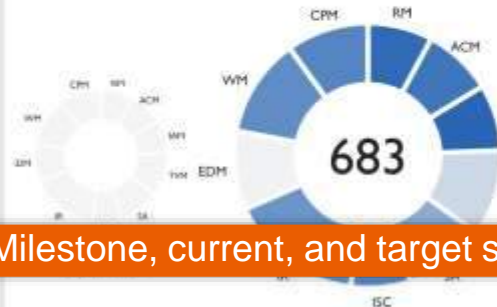
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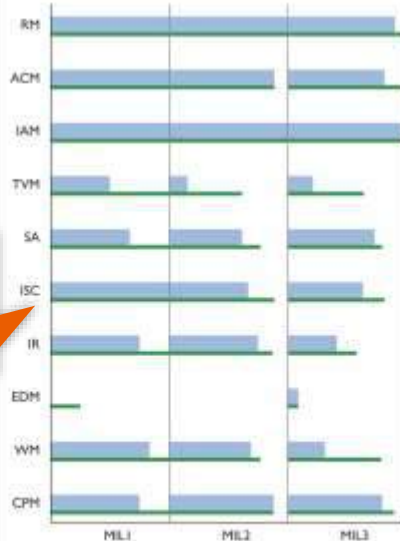


**Score Comparison**



Milestone, current, and target score, 0 to 1000

**MIL Completion by Domain**



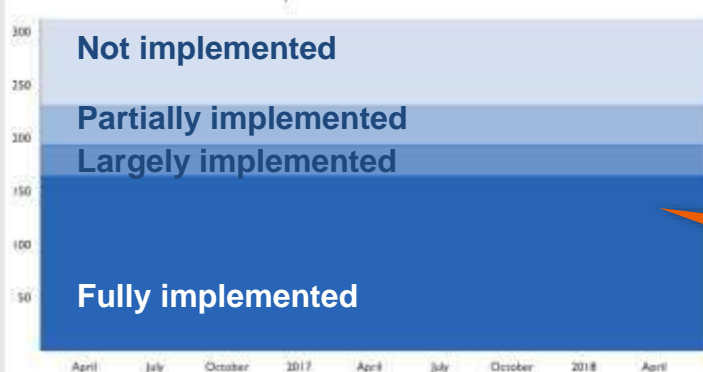
Domain scores  
Blue: current  
Green: target

Scores with  
benchmarking data

Actions and targets

Implementation  
distribution timeline

**Implementation levels over time**



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-  **IT Enterprise Level**  
Jun 13th 2018 - 00:44pm  
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Implementation levels over time

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Improvements to reach target  
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## Upcoming Targets

- IRM-1: Fully Implemented
- IRM-2: Fully Implemented
- IRM-3: Fully Implemented
- IRM-4: Fully Implemented
- IRM-5: Fully Implemented
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## Action Items

100% Complete





# Results Example

More detailed metrics and tracking in Stage 2 and 3

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# Results:

## Domain Level

### ACM-1 Example

Objective Table  
with Current and  
Target Levels

#### ACM-1. Manage Asset Inventory

MIL1	a.	There is an inventory of OT and IT assets that are important to the delivery of the function; management of the inventory may be ad hoc
	b.	There is an inventory of information assets that are important to the delivery of the function (e.g., SCADA set points, customer information, financial data); management of the inventory may be ad hoc
MIL2	c.	Inventory attributes include information to support the cybersecurity strategy (e.g., location, asset owner, applicable security requirements, service dependencies, service level agreements, and conformance of assets to relevant industry standards)
	d.	Inventoried assets are prioritized based on their importance to the delivery of the function
MIL3	e.	There is an inventory for all connected IT and OT assets related to the delivery of the function
	f.	The asset inventory is current (as defined by the organization)

Current Level	Target Level
FI	FI
LI	FI
LI	FI
LI	LI
FI	FI
LI	LI

Current Level

Target Level

# Results: Domain Level ACM-1 Example



Donuts  
for Each  
Objective

Objective Table  
with Current and  
Target Levels

## ACM-1. Manage Asset Inventory

MIL1	a.	There is an inventory of OT and IT assets that are important to the delivery of the function; management of the inventory may be ad hoc
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Current Level  
Target Level

# Results: Domain Level ACM-1 Example



Donuts  
for Each  
Objective

Domain  
Summary  
Stripe Chart



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Current Level  
Target Level

Objective Table  
with Current and  
Target Levels

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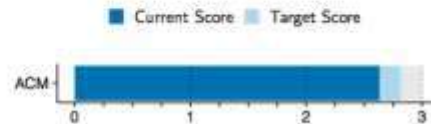
## Domain Level

### ACM-1 Example



Donuts  
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Domain  
Summary  
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Objective Table  
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#### ACM-1. Manage Asset Inventory

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# Summary of Management Practices

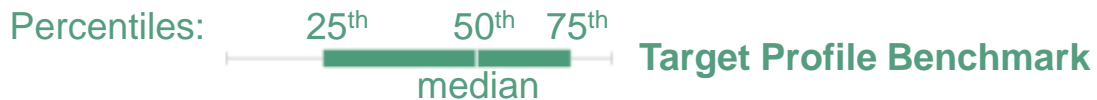
- New from Axio: an easy way to view trends in management practices

**Table 4.1: Management Activities**

Management Practice	RM	ACM	IAM	TVM	SA	ISC	IR	EDM	WM	CPM
Documented practices are followed	PI	LI	LI	LI	PI	NI	FI	LI	LI	LI
Stakeholders are identified and involved	LI	LI	LI	LI	PI	LI	FI	LI	FI	FI
Adequate resources (people, funding, and tools) are provided	PI	LI	LI	PI	PI	LI	LI	PI	LI	
Standards and/or guidelines have been identified to inform activities	NI	LI	LI	NI	NI	NI	LI	NI	PI	NI
Activities are guided by documented policies or other organizational directives	NI	LI	LI	PI	NI	NI	PI	LI	LI	LI
Policies include compliance requirements for specified standards and/or guidelines	NI	NI	LI	PI	NI	NI	NI	NI	NI	
Activities are periodically reviewed to ensure conformance with policy	NI	LI	LI	PI	NI	NI	NI	LI	LI	LI
Responsibility and authority are assigned to personnel	PI	LI	LI	LI	PI	LI	LI	PI	LI	
Personnel performing activities have the skills and knowledge needed	PI	LI	LI	PI	PI	LI	LI	PI	PI	LI
Information-sharing policies address protected information						FI				

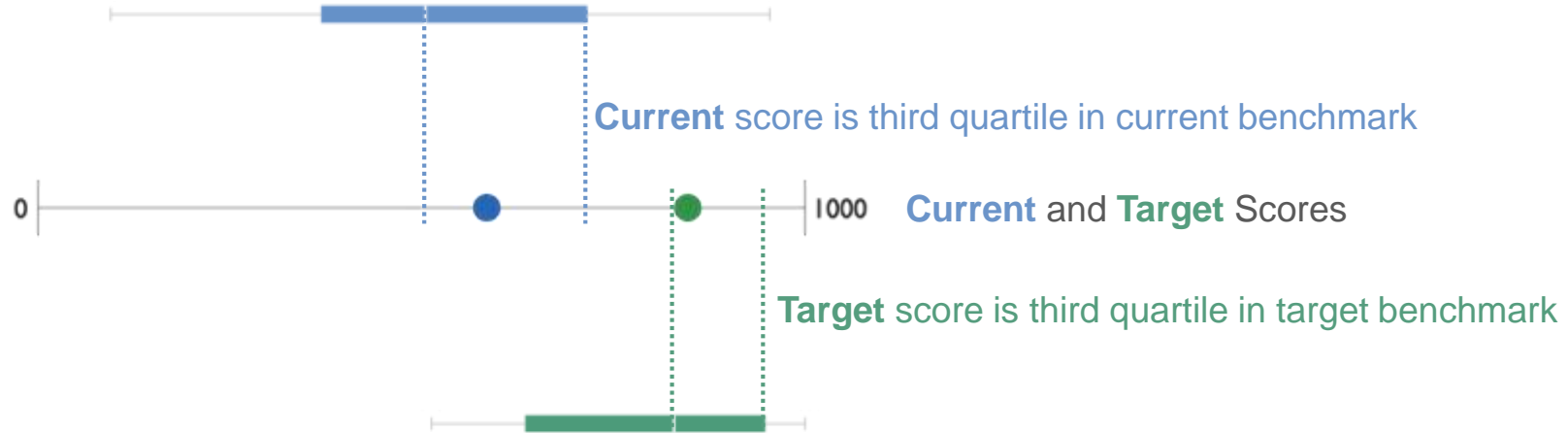


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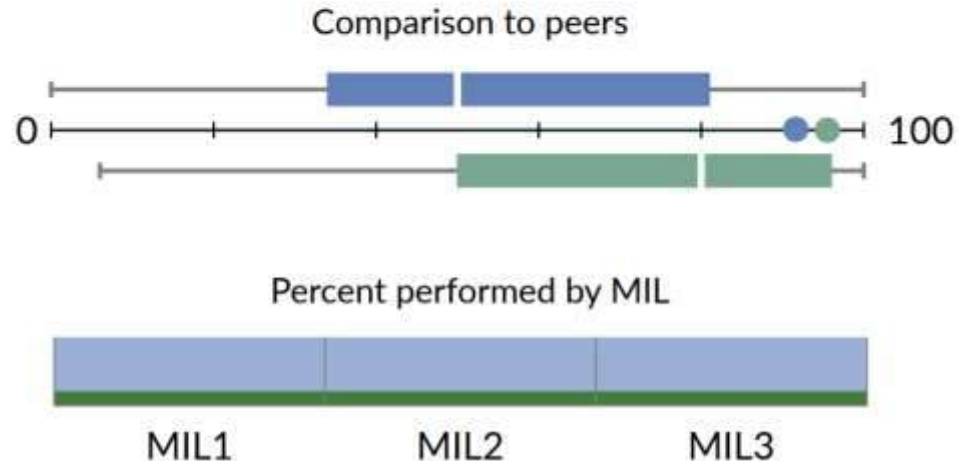
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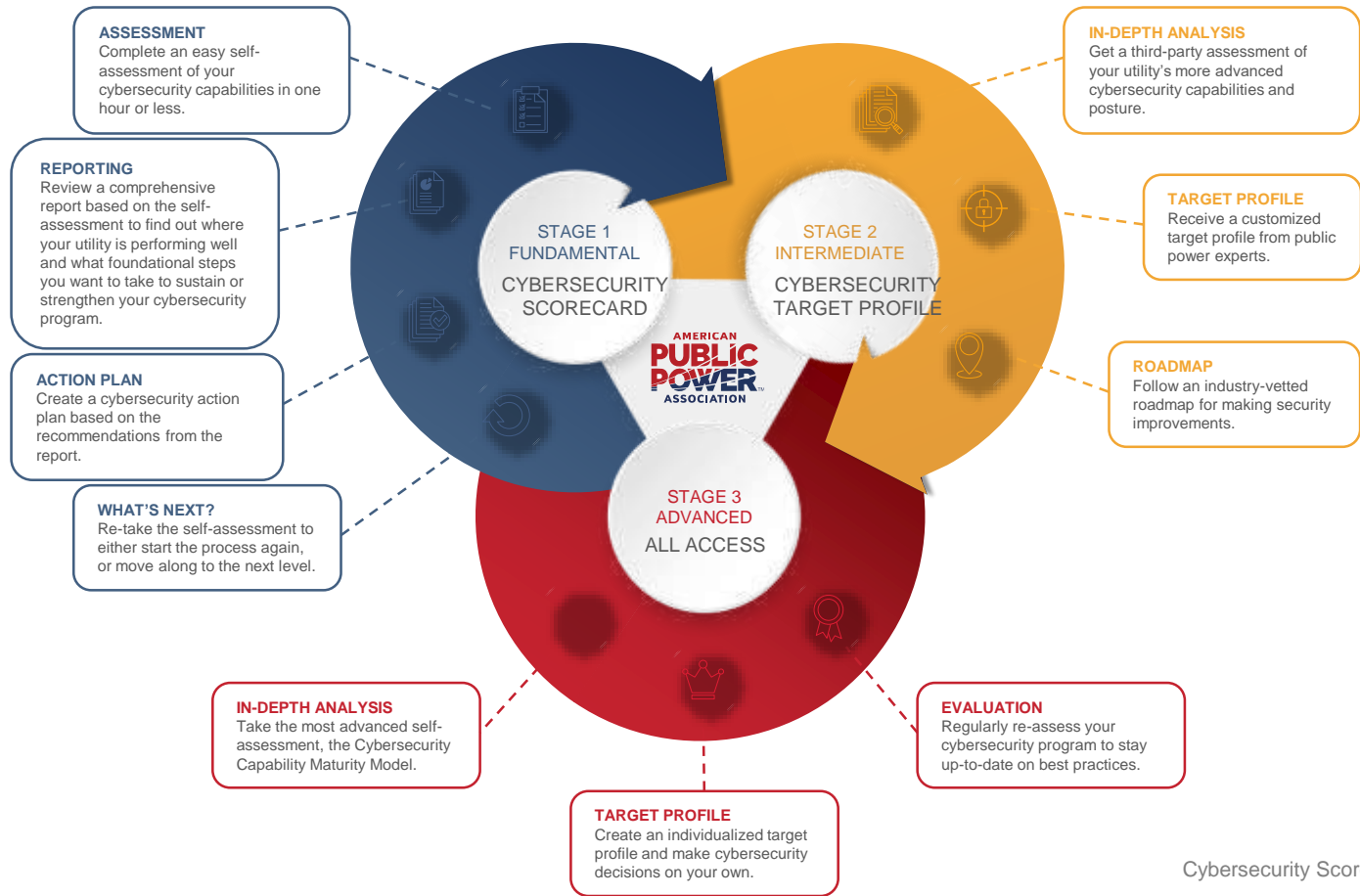


# Benchmarking Data

## 3.1 Risk Management

Establish, operate, and maintain an enterprise cybersecurity risk management program to identify, analyze, and mitigate cybersecurity risk to the organization, including its business units, subsidiaries, related interconnected infrastructure, and stakeholders.





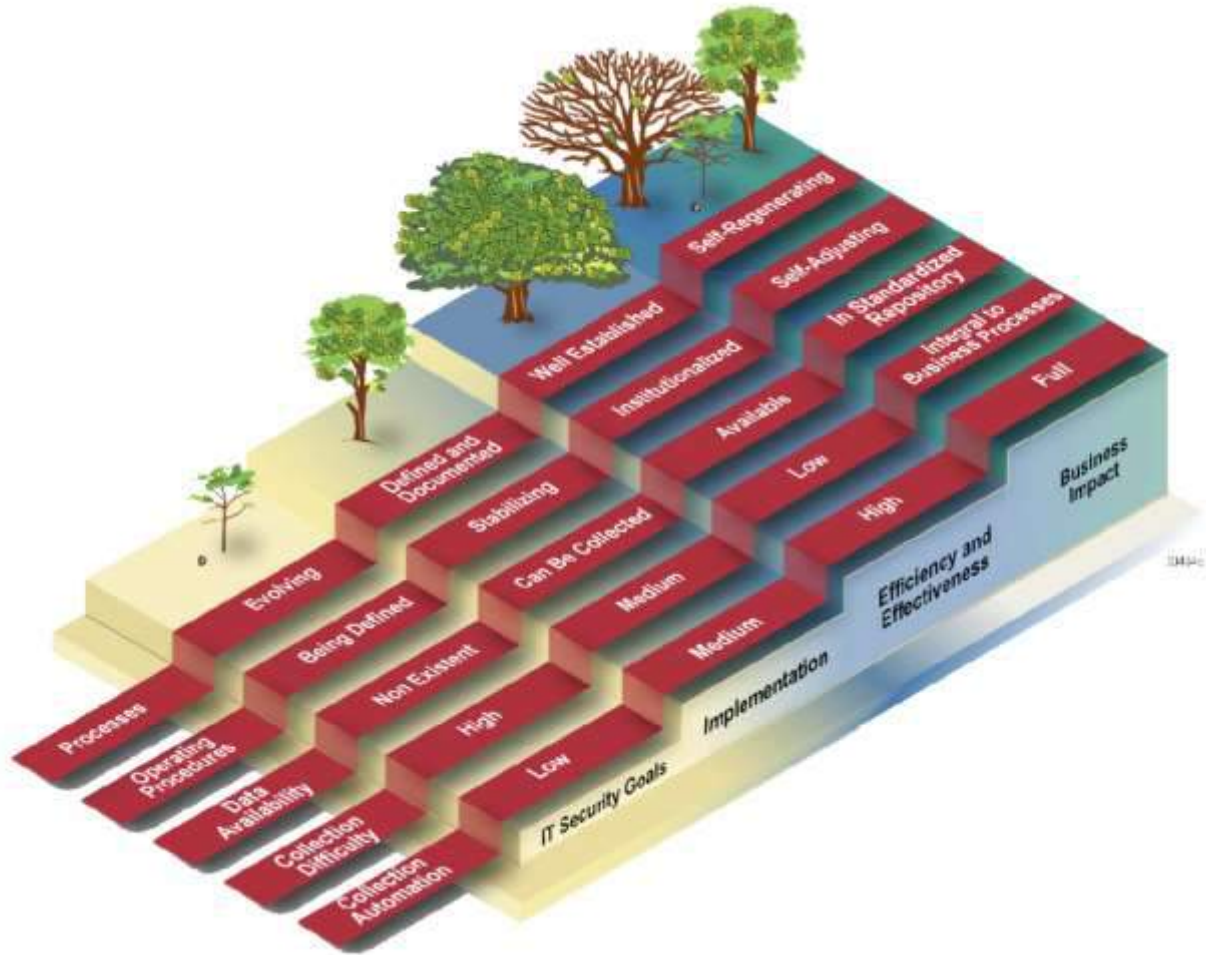
## ONLINE PORTAL FEATURES

-  Take notes for each practice within the platform.
-  Assign tasks to individuals with deadlines.
-  Help text in each section including definitions and concepts.
-  User dashboard showcasing each assessment and various statistics in real time.
-  Ability to do multiple internal assessments and benchmarking.
-  Improvement toolkit including document templates, policies and example policies.
-  Regional workshops to provide additional help and guidance.
-  Suggestions for cybersecurity training.
-  Expert coaching
-  Ability to tie to other association projects, such as technology deployments and vulnerability assessments.

Each level is capable of being a fully sustainable cybersecurity program and can be reassessed on a regular basis to track improvements.

# RETURN TO MATURITY

because even maturity models start somewhere



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