



## Technology Area

### DEFINITION

<i>Name</i>	Information Security Policy
<i>Description</i>	Information Security Policies are senior management's directives for an information security program, to establish its goals, and assign responsibilities.
<i>Rationale</i>	To provide management support and direction for information security.
<i>Benefits</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provides a common basis for establishing information security policies</li> <li>• Provides for effective information security management practices</li> </ul>

### ASSOCIATED ARCHITECTURE LEVELS

<i>List the Domain Name</i>	Security
<i>List the Discipline Name</i>	Management Controls

### Associated Compliance Components

<i>List the Compliance Component Names</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information Security Policy</li> </ul>
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### Associated Product Components

<i>List the Product Component Names</i>	
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### TECHNOLOGY AREA DETAIL

<i>Supporting Documentation</i>	NIST SP 800-14, ISO 17799-2000 (E)
<i>Document Source Reference #</i>	<a href="http://www.csrc.nist.gov/publications/nistpubs">www.csrc.nist.gov/publications/nistpubs</a>

### Standard Organization / Government Body

<i>Name</i>	National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Computer Security Resource Center (CSRC)	<i>Website</i>	<a href="http://csrc.nist.gov/">http://csrc.nist.gov/</a>
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### KEYWORDS

<i>List Keywords</i>	Directives, management, practices, principles, security rules, policies, compliance, risk assessment.
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