

Essential Eight Compliance Automation

The Essential Eight defines a prioritized set of technical mitigation strategies recommended by the Australian government to reduce exposure to common cyber threats. Drata helps teams centralize evidence, map controls, and monitor implementation progress to support readiness across maturity levels.



DISCOVER THE DRATA DIFFERENCE

► Implement Recommended Mitigations

Drata maps Essential Eight strategies into a centralized, control-centric model so enterprises can implement government-recommended technical controls consistently. Teams reduce manual setup and keep alignment across frameworks without duplicating documentation or running parallel governance processes.

► Use AI to Track Maturity Progression

Drata AI explains Essential Eight control test issues, especially failures or odd behavior, so teams understand what happened, why it affects maturity, and what to review next for internal reporting and leadership updates.

► Align Threat Risk to Priority Controls

Drata links common cyber threats and risks directly to Essential Eight mitigations, ownership, and supporting evidence. As environments evolve, risk alignment stays current, giving visibility into how priority threats are addressed without fragmented tracking across tools.

► Operate Mitigation as an Ongoing Program

Drata keeps controls, evidence, and ownership continuously up to date so organizations remain prepared for maturity assessments and external reviews. Teams avoid reactive preparation by operating Essential Eight as an ongoing mitigation and security hygiene program.

ADDITIONAL CAPABILITIES

Centralize Evidence

Unify Essential Eight evidence to support assessments and recurring maturity reviews.

Monitor Control Coverage

Continuously observe Essential Eight controls to detect gaps affecting maturity levels.

Track Maturity Levels

Apply maturity controls and visualize gaps by maturity level to take informed action faster.

Validate Changes

Confirm system and application configurations against Essential Eight controls using automated tests.

Automate Workflows

Route Essential Eight control tasks, reviews, and remediation through custom workflows.

Share Security Materials

Publish approved Essential Eight documentation securely in Trust Center for stakeholders.

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