Crown Jewels are everyone's job

it's up to you to make it so



Critical or Sensitive Information (CSI)

CSI is an asset (information or system) that if compromised or exposed to unauthorized users will have significant impact



What is the Risk?



Financial Loss & Fraud Risk Fraud and deception, JVs and investments



Regulatory & Legal Fines, MRAs, enforcement actions and investigations



Operational Loss Inventory, execution, throughput, quality, time



Reputational impact Customer trust, perception and leadership confidence



Medical / Safety Device safety, and loss of life



Market positioning, global political forces and perceptions



Great, we found one. Now what do we need to capture?



What to secure? (CIA)

Some 'control families' matter more than others for each asset. Which will cause the 'oh-shit' moment?



Access

Who has access? Who "needs" access? (how much access?) What controls access? Non-employees?



Storage, Format, Disposal

All containers are not created equal and sprawl is real. Whether it's structured or unstructured is a factor and how it's safely destroyed should be clear.



Other Controls

Asking, "what else could we be doing to secure this?" we hear from the owners and users.



There are other benefits to creating an inventory this way....



Surfaces responsibilities (and possibly gaps)



Expands awareness to biz leaders



Established business accountability



Process for periodic reviews



CISO expands depth of company understanding

