



Payment Card Industry (PCI) Data Security Standard

Attestation of Compliance for Onsite Assessments – Service Providers

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Section 1: Assessment Information

Instructions for Submission

This Attestation of Compliance must be completed as a declaration of the results of the service provider's assessment with the *Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard Requirements and Security Assessment Procedures (PCI DSS)*. Complete all sections: The service provider is responsible for ensuring that each section is completed by the relevant parties, as applicable. Contact the requesting payment brand for reporting and submission procedures.

Part 1. Service Provider and Qualified Security Assessor Information

Part 1a. Service Provider Organization Information

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Part 1b. Qualified Security Assessor Company Information (if applicable)

Company Name:	Sec-1 Ltd					
Lead QSA Contact Name:	Stuart Pilkington		Title:	Senior Security Consultant		
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Part 2. Executive Summary

Part 2a. Scope Verification

Services that were INCLUDED in the scope of the PCI DSS Assessment (check all that apply):

Name of service(s) assessed:		Node4 Data Centre Co-Location Physical Security	
Type of service(s) assessed:			
Hosting Provider: <input type="checkbox"/> Applications / software <input type="checkbox"/> Hardware <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure / Network <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Physical space (co-location) <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Web <input type="checkbox"/> Security services <input type="checkbox"/> 3-D Secure Hosting Provider <input type="checkbox"/> Shared Hosting Provider <input type="checkbox"/> Other Hosting (specify):	Managed Services (specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Systems security services <input type="checkbox"/> IT support <input type="checkbox"/> Physical security <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Management System <input type="checkbox"/> Other services (specify):	Payment Processing: <input type="checkbox"/> POS / card present <input type="checkbox"/> Internet / e-commerce <input type="checkbox"/> MOTO / Call Center <input type="checkbox"/> ATM <input type="checkbox"/> Other processing (specify):	
<input type="checkbox"/> Account Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Fraud and Chargeback	<input type="checkbox"/> Payment Gateway/Switch	
<input type="checkbox"/> Back-Office Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Issuer Processing	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepaid Services	
<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Loyalty Programs	<input type="checkbox"/> Records Management	
<input type="checkbox"/> Clearing and Settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> Merchant Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax/Government Payments	
<input type="checkbox"/> Network Provider			
<input type="checkbox"/> Others (specify):			

Note: These categories are provided for assistance only, and are not intended to limit or predetermine an entity's service description. If you feel these categories don't apply to your service, complete "Others." If you're unsure whether a category could apply to your service, consult with the applicable payment brand.

Part 2a. Scope Verification *(continued)*

Services that are provided by the service provider but were NOT INCLUDED in the scope of the PCI DSS Assessment (check all that apply):

Name of service(s) not assessed: Hosting Managed Services

Type of service(s) not assessed:

Hosting Provider:

- ☐ Applications / software
- ☐ Hardware
- ☐ Infrastructure / Network
- ☐ Physical space (co-location)
- ☐ Storage
- ☐ Web
- ☐ Security services
- ☐ 3-D Secure Hosting Provider
- ☐ Shared Hosting Provider
- ☐ Other Hosting (specify):

Managed Services (specify):

- ☒ Systems security services
- ☒ IT support
- ☐ Physical security
- ☐ Terminal Management System
- ☐ Other services (specify):

Payment Processing:

- ☐ POS / card present
- ☐ Internet / e-commerce
- ☐ MOTO / Call Center
- ☐ ATM
- ☐ Other processing (specify):

☐ Account Management

☐ Fraud and Chargeback

☐ Payment Gateway/Switch

☐ Back-Office Services

☐ Issuer Processing

☐ Prepaid Services

☐ Billing Management

☐ Loyalty Programs

☐ Records Management

☐ Clearing and Settlement

☐ Merchant Services

☐ Tax/Government Payments

☐ Network Provider

☐ Others (specify):

Provide a brief explanation why any checked services were not included in the assessment:

This service-provider assessment is concerned with the co-location service only, with only the physical security requirements being in-scope. The other managed services provided by Node4 are not included in the assessment as physical security is currently the only service that Node4 customers are requesting evidence of PCI DSS compliance against.

Part 2b. Description of Payment Card Business

Describe how and in what capacity your business stores, processes, and/or transmits cardholder data.	Node4 does not store, process or transmit CHD, meaning there is no formal CDE. Node4 provides co-location hosting services, which is the scope of this assessment. This assessment is therefore against requirement 9 physical security requirements and requirement 12 of the PCI DSS.
Describe how and in what capacity your business is otherwise involved in or has the ability to impact the security of cardholder data.	For Node4's co-location hosting services, the data centres could host a client's cardholder data environment, therefore if physical security is compromised by a malicious actor it may be possible that CHD being processed by Node4's clients could be put at risk. As such, the in scope co-location services that Node4 provides can impact on the security of customers' cardholder data environments.

Part 2c. Locations

List types of facilities (for example, retail outlets, corporate offices, data centers, call centers, etc.) and a summary of locations included in the PCI DSS review.

Type of facility:	Number of facilities of this type	Location(s) of facility (city, country):
<i>Example: Retail outlets</i>	3	<i>Boston, MA, USA</i>
Data centres	3	Wakefield, Derby & Northampton, United Kingdom

Part 2d. Payment Applications

Does the organization use one or more Payment Applications? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Provide the following information regarding the Payment Applications your organization uses:

Payment Application Name	Version Number	Application Vendor	Is application PA-DSS Listed?	PA-DSS Listing Expiry date (if applicable)
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Part 2e. Description of Environment

Provide a ***high-level*** description of the environment covered by this assessment.

For example:

- *Connections into and out of the cardholder data environment (CDE).*
- *Critical system components within the CDE, such as POS devices, databases, web servers, etc., and any other necessary payment components, as applicable.*

The environment covered by the assessment is the three data centres owned and operated by Node4. The data centres are all located in the United Kingdom, in Wakefield, Derby and Northampton. The assessment is against the physical security of the data centres, so is against the applicable requirements from Requirements 9 and 12 only.

Does your business use network segmentation to affect the scope of your PCI DSS environment?

(Refer to "Network Segmentation" section of PCI DSS for guidance on network segmentation)

☐ Yes ☒ No

Part 2f. Third-Party Service Providers

Does your company have a relationship with a Qualified Integrator & Reseller (QIR) for the purpose of the services being validated?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes:

Name of QIR Company:

QIR Individual Name:

Description of services provided by QIR:

Does your company have a relationship with one or more third-party service providers (for example, Qualified Integrator Resellers (QIR), gateways, payment processors, payment service providers (PSP), web-hosting companies, airline booking agents, loyalty program agents, etc.) for the purpose of the services being validated?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes:

Name of service provider:

Description of services provided:

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Note: Requirement 12.8 applies to all entities in this list.

Part 2g. Summary of Requirements Tested

For each PCI DSS Requirement, select one of the following:

- **Full** – The requirement and all sub-requirements of that requirement were assessed, and no sub-requirements were marked as “Not Tested” or “Not Applicable” in the ROC.
- **Partial** – One or more sub-requirements of that requirement were marked as “Not Tested” or “Not Applicable” in the ROC.
- **None** – All sub-requirements of that requirement were marked as “Not Tested” and/or “Not Applicable” in the ROC.

For all requirements identified as either “Partial” or “None,” provide details in the “Justification for Approach” column, including:

- Details of specific sub-requirements that were marked as either “Not Tested” and/or “Not Applicable” in the ROC
- Reason why sub-requirement(s) were not tested or not applicable

Note: One table to be completed for each service covered by this AOC. Additional copies of this section are available on the PCI SSC website.

Name of Service Assessed:		Node4 Data Centre Co-Location Physical Security		
PCI DSS Requirement	Details of Requirements Assessed			
	Full	Partial	None	Justification for Approach (Required for all “Partial” and “None” responses. Identify which sub-requirements were not tested and the reason.)
Requirement 1:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 2:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 3:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable, apart from requirements 3.2.1, 3.2.2 and 3.2.3.
Requirement 4:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 5:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 6:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 7:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.

Requirement 8:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 9:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Requirements 9.1 to 9.4 were assessed as they are concerned with physical security. 9.5 to 9.9 are marked as Not Applicable as they are not concerned with physical security.
Requirement 10:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 11:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Requirement 12:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	All requirements apart from 12.3 and 12.8 are in-scope for the assessment. No critical technologies were in scope and Node4 does not have any service providers in scope.
Appendix A1:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.
Appendix A2:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All requirements were identified as Not Applicable since assessment activities were aligned to the ones concerned with physical security only.

Section 2: Report on Compliance

This Attestation of Compliance reflects the results of an onsite assessment, which is documented in an accompanying Report on Compliance (ROC).

The assessment documented in this attestation and in the ROC was completed on:	13th August 2021	
Have compensating controls been used to meet any requirement in the ROC?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Were any requirements in the ROC identified as being not applicable (N/A)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Were any requirements not tested?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Were any requirements in the ROC unable to be met due to a legal constraint?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Section 3: Validation and Attestation Details

Part 3. PCI DSS Validation

This AOC is based on results noted in the ROC dated 13th August 2021.

Based on the results documented in the ROC noted above, the signatories identified in Parts 3b-3d, as applicable, assert(s) the following compliance status for the entity identified in Part 2 of this document (**check one**):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Compliant: All sections of the PCI DSS ROC are complete, all questions answered affirmatively, resulting in an overall COMPLIANT rating; thereby Node4 Ltd has demonstrated full compliance with the PCI DSS.</p>						
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Non-Compliant: Not all sections of the PCI DSS ROC are complete, or not all questions are answered affirmatively, resulting in an overall NON-COMPLIANT rating, thereby (<i>Service Provider Company Name</i>) has not demonstrated full compliance with the PCI DSS.</p> <p>Target Date for Compliance:</p> <p>An entity submitting this form with a status of Non-Compliant may be required to complete the Action Plan in Part 4 of this document. <i>Check with the payment brand(s) before completing Part 4.</i></p>						
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Compliant but with Legal exception: One or more requirements are marked "Not in Place" due to a legal restriction that prevents the requirement from being met. This option requires additional review from acquirer or payment brand.</p> <p><i>If checked, complete the following:</i></p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Affected Requirement</th> <th>Details of how legal constraint prevents requirement being met</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Affected Requirement	Details of how legal constraint prevents requirement being met				
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Part 3a. Acknowledgement of Status

Signatory(s) confirms:

(**Check all that apply**)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The ROC was completed according to the <i>PCI DSS Requirements and Security Assessment Procedures</i> , Version 3.2.1, and was completed according to the instructions therein.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All information within the above-referenced ROC and in this attestation fairly represents the results of my assessment in all material respects.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have confirmed with my payment application vendor that my payment system does not store sensitive authentication data after authorization.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	I have read the PCI DSS and I recognize that I must maintain PCI DSS compliance, as applicable to my environment, at all times.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	If my environment changes, I recognize I must reassess my environment and implement any additional PCI DSS requirements that apply.

Part 3a. Acknowledgement of Status (continued)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No evidence of full track data ¹ , CAV2, CVC2, CID, or CVV2 data ² , or PIN data ³ storage after transaction authorization was found on ANY system reviewed during this assessment. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | ASV scans are being completed by the PCI SSC Approved Scanning Vendor (ASV Name) |

Part 3b. Service Provider Attestation



Signature of Service Provider Executive Officer ↑	Date: 13/08/2021
Service Provider Executive Officer Name: Vicky Withey	Title: Head of Compliance

Part 3c. Qualified Security Assessor (QSA) Acknowledgement (if applicable)

If a QSA was involved or assisted with this assessment, describe the role performed:	QSA conducted a partial ROC assessment against the requirements applicable to physical security of the Node4 data centres.
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Signature of Duly Authorized Officer of QSA Company ↑	Date: 13th Aug 2021
Duly Authorized Officer Name: Stuart Pilkington	QSA Company: Sec-1 Ltd

Part 3d. Internal Security Assessor (ISA) Involvement (if applicable)

If an ISA(s) was involved or assisted with this assessment, identify the ISA personnel and describe the role performed:	
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¹ Data encoded in the magnetic stripe or equivalent data on a chip used for authorization during a card-present transaction. Entities may not retain full track data after transaction authorization. The only elements of track data that may be retained are primary account number (PAN), expiration date, and cardholder name.

² The three- or four-digit value printed by the signature panel or on the face of a payment card used to verify card-not-present transactions.

³ Personal identification number entered by cardholder during a card-present transaction, and/or encrypted PIN block present within the transaction message.

Part 4. Action Plan for Non-Compliant Requirements

Select the appropriate response for “Compliant to PCI DSS Requirements” for each requirement. If you answer “No” to any of the requirements, you may be required to provide the date your Company expects to be compliant with the requirement and a brief description of the actions being taken to meet the requirement.

Check with the applicable payment brand(s) before completing Part 4.

PCI DSS Requirement	Description of Requirement	Compliant to PCI DSS Requirements (Select One)		Remediation Date and Actions (If “NO” selected for any Requirement)
		YES	NO	
1	Install and maintain a firewall configuration to protect cardholder data	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2	Do not use vendor-supplied defaults for system passwords and other security parameters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3	Protect stored cardholder data	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
4	Encrypt transmission of cardholder data across open, public networks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5	Protect all systems against malware and regularly update anti-virus software or programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6	Develop and maintain secure systems and applications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Restrict access to cardholder data by business need to know	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
8	Identify and authenticate access to system components	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
9	Restrict physical access to cardholder data	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
10	Track and monitor all access to network resources and cardholder data	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11	Regularly test security systems and processes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
12	Maintain a policy that addresses information security for all personnel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Appendix A1	Additional PCI DSS Requirements for Shared Hosting Providers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Appendix A2	Additional PCI DSS Requirements for Entities using SSL/early TLS for Card-Present POS POI Terminal Connections	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

