

# Planning a PCI DSS 4.0 Transition

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# DSS 4.0 Is Full of Big Projects



**Cryptographic inventories**

**No use of disk or partition encryption**

**Manage TLS certificates**

**Prevent phishing and train users**

**Prevent and detect e-commerce skimming**

**System and application account management**

**MFA for everyone**

**Automated log reviews**

**Authenticated internal vulnerability scans**



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# Impact Assessment

**Cost**

**Resources**

**Time**



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## How long is your budgetary cycle?

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## How is change capacity managed?

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# Scope

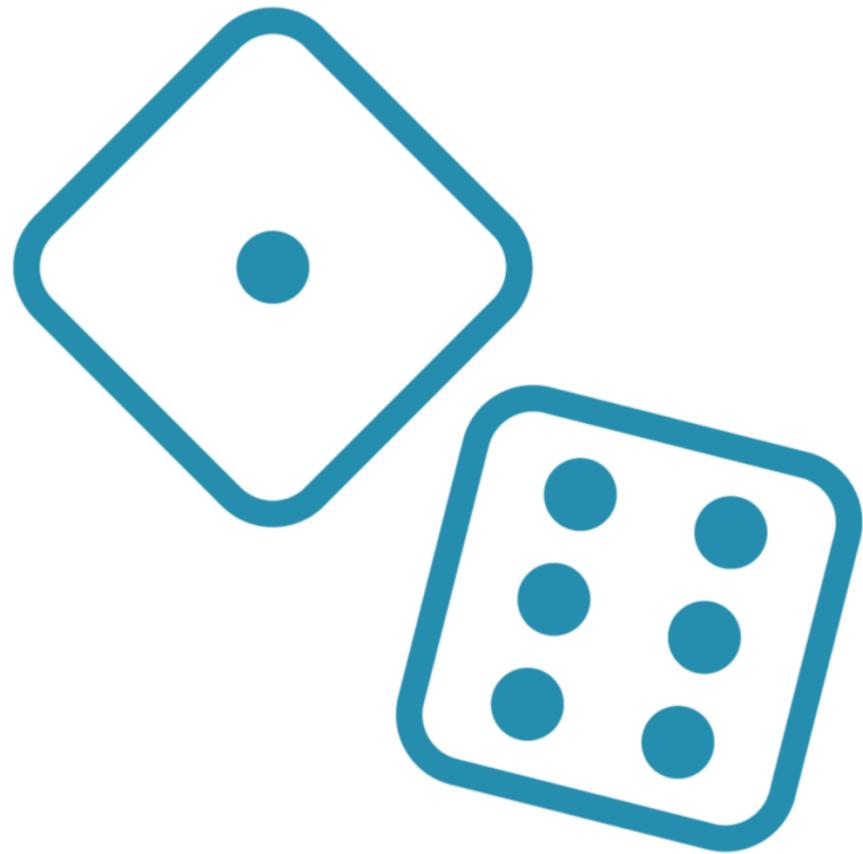
**Nothing in 4.0 should  
change your scope**

**(except SAD-only environments)**

**Can you reduce scope?**



# Be Careful if You Decide to Gamble



**If you are thinking of changing the date of your final 3.2.1 assessment.**

**The retirement date for DSS 3.2.1 is not flexible**

**You will have worse security than your peers**



# Compliance With PCI DSS 4.0

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# Who Does What?

**PCI Security  
Standards Council**

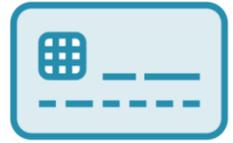
**Defines the standard,  
and when versions of the  
standard are retired**

**Card Brands**

**Create and enforce  
compliance programs**



# Changes in Protecting PAN



**8-digit Bank Identification Numbers (BINs)**



# Truncation of PANs

BIN

This is a PAN

1234 5678 9012 3456

This is not a PAN

1234 5678 \*\*\*\* 3456

This is all PCI DSS protects

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Really it is this

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(Because of the luhn checksum)

See  
FAQ 1091

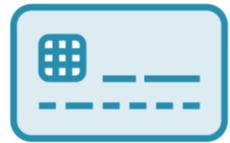
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FAQ 1117

PCI SSC FAQs:

<https://www.pcisecuritystandards.org/faqs>



# Changes in Protecting PAN



**8-digit Bank Identification Numbers (BINs) – just 3 digits protected**



**EMV in face-to-face environments – stolen data cannot be re-used**



**3D Secure in e-commerce – stolen data cannot be re-used**



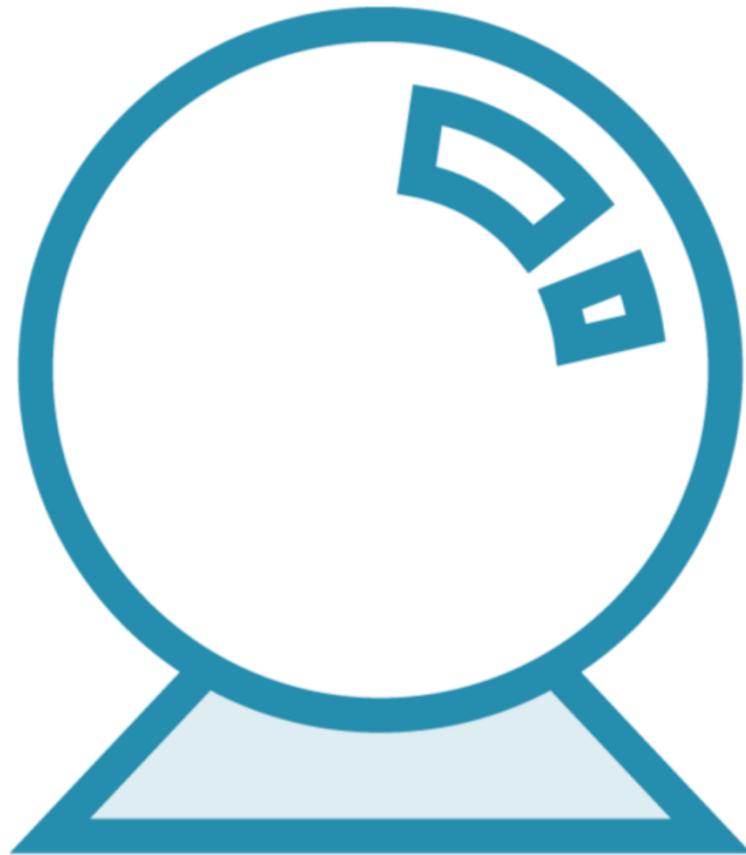
**Device-originated transactions – stolen data cannot be re-used**



**Brands don't want to be seen as the enemy**



# Compliance Strategy



## **Talk with senior management**

**If you are a merchant, talk to your acquirer or who you report compliance to**

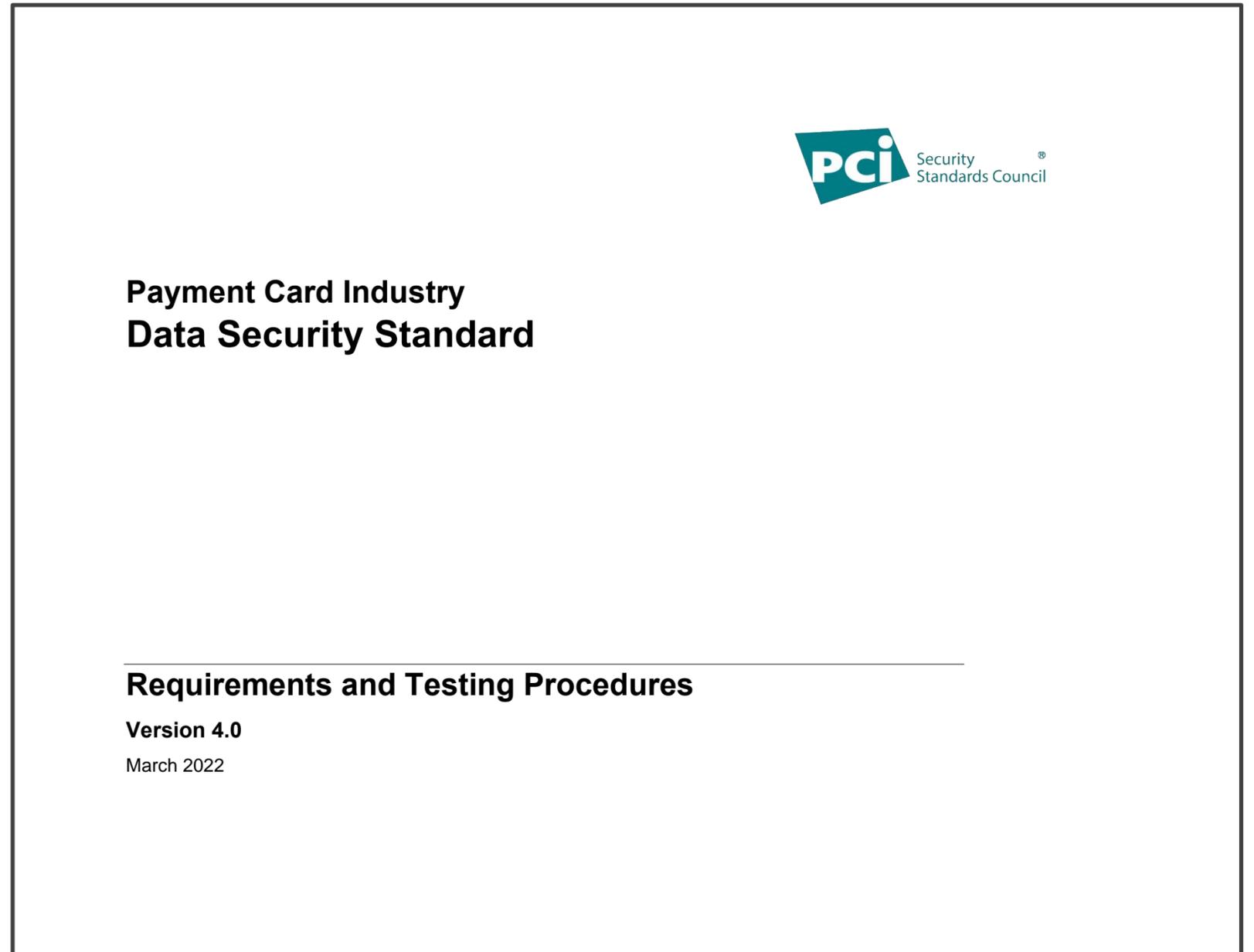
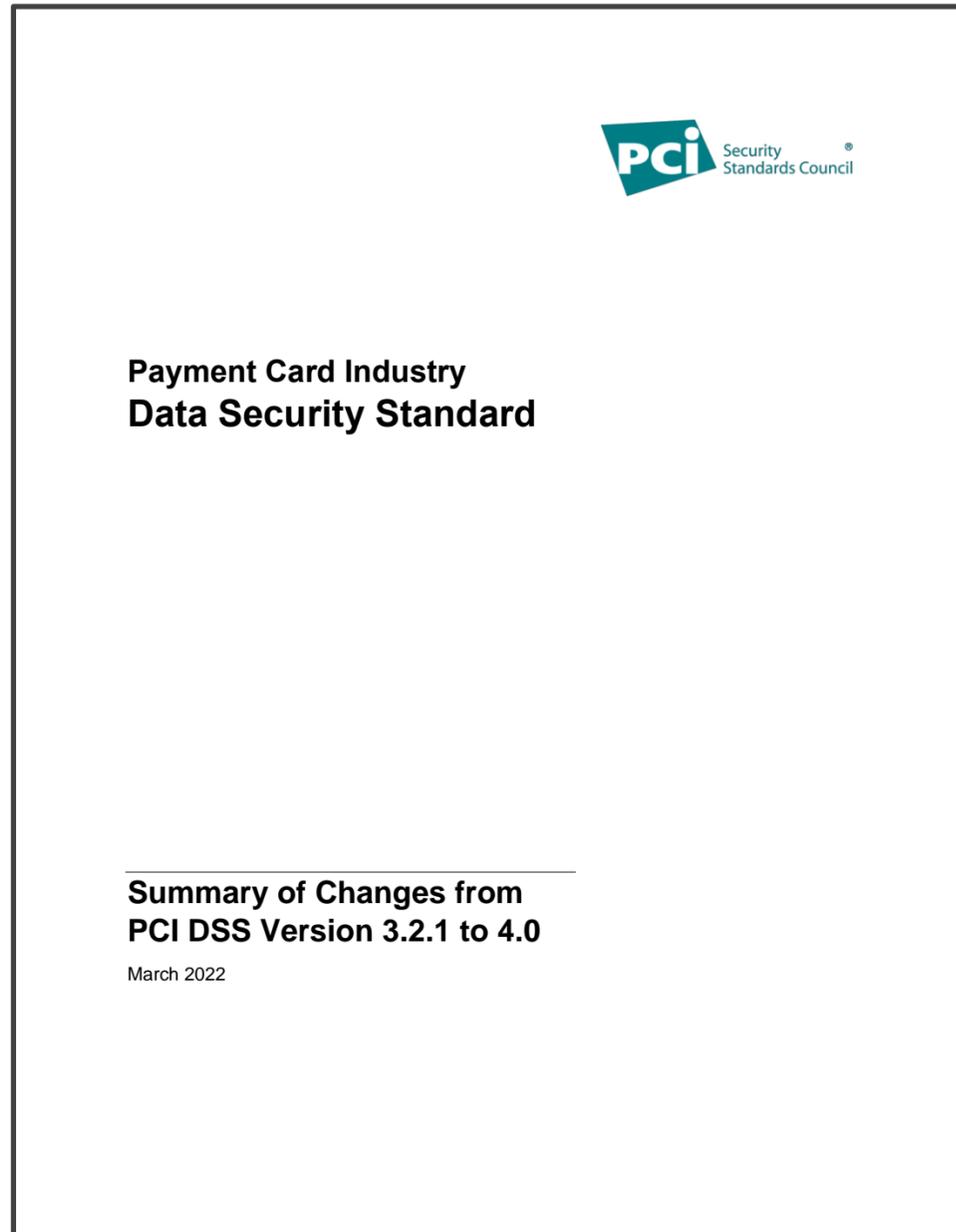
**Understand the latest you need to start projects**

## **Keep an eye on card brand announcements**

The PCI SSC can't talk about brand compliance programs



# Please Read the Standard



**PCI SSC:**

[https://www.pcisecuritystandards.org/document\\_library](https://www.pcisecuritystandards.org/document_library)

