

By the Numbers: The State of GRC 2025

As organizations face mounting regulatory demands and rising cybersecurity threats, many are ramping up investments in GRC programs. The shift goes beyond managing requirements —businesses are leveraging GRC to showcase ROI, build trust, and fuel growth. Our State of GRC 2025: From Cost Center to Strategic Business Driver report shares key insights into how organizations are tackling GRC and what challenges lie ahead.

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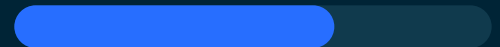
GRC is Driving Business Growth

72%



of companies report that a mature GRC program directly contributes to faster sales cycles and increased revenue.

68%

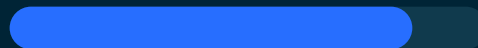


of leaders say GRC insights help inform strategic decision-making.

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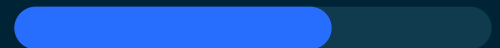
The Compliance Load is Growing, But So is Automation (and AI)

81%



of organizations plan to increase their compliance budget this year.

67%



are investing in automation tools, with 42% already exploring AI-powered solutions to manage expanding frameworks and audits.

PILLAR 3

Shift Left is Becoming the Standard

76%



of companies have adopted a shift-left approach, integrating security and compliance earlier in the development lifecycle.

30%



Teams using shift-left strategies release features 30% faster on average.

PILLAR 4

Trust Management Platforms Are Unifying GRC

64%



of businesses are consolidating GRC functions into a single platform.

71%



of security leaders say unified platforms enhance cross-department collaboration and visibility.

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