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# Exostar Microsoft 365 GCC High

Challenge

Most large contractors in the Defense Industrial Base (DIB) have invested in a substantial cloud platform and comprehensive security measures to comply with the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement 252.204- 7012 (DFARS), NIST 800-171 guidelines, International Traffic in Arms Regulation (ITAR), and the impending CMMC 2.0. **But the cost, and resources required are a much larger undertaking for small to medium size businesses (SMB) - that need access to CUI information from the large contractors - that are subject to the same risk and regulatory oversight. In addition SMB's do not have easy access to the Subject Matter Experts (SME) that are needed to address complex cyber security challenges.**

Solution

Secure access and protection of CUI, which is exchanged between companies is key to ensuring that the DIB continues to provide innovative solution that is critical to keep our edge in National Security. **Exostar's multi-tenant Secure Access for Microsoft 365 GCC High solution is geared to help SMB companies protect CUI without an outlay of a huge cost.**

This solution is based on Microsoft Teams hosted in Microsoft 365 GCC High for the Defense Industrial Base. This comprehensive cloud service that provides security, intelligence, mobility, and collaboration capabilities to help protect data and increase efficiencies while meeting Department of Defense requirements. Exostar's has integrated its identity and access management module with GCC High to extend the concept of an Exostar organizational boundary. Effectively creating an secure enclave for an organization inside the GCC High tenant.
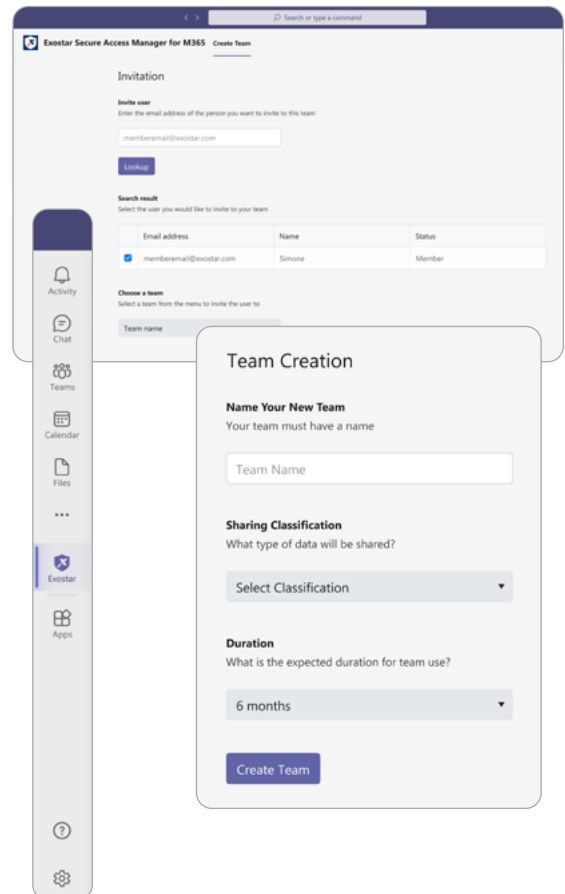
Benefits

Provides enterprise-level security to small-to-medium size partners in the DIB who have less than 50 users.

Exostar will provide the requisite security controls to ensure compliance with NIST 800-171, removing the need to use internal tech resources for setup and configuration.

Partners can use their existing Exostar MFA credentials and user management tools enabling a rapid onboarding process to new tenants.

Enterprises can choose to migrate only those users that need to meet compliance requirements for sharing Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI).

Exostar creates a secure workspace for SMB's users in a GCC High Tenant automatically and provisions the users to this space, removing the burden of setup and management.

Why Exostar

Exostar is a trusted, innovative leader in secure enterprise collaboration, built from the ground up to understand Department of Defense requirements and deliver the solutions that Defense Industrial Base companies need. Our solutions enable organizations within highly-regulated industries to seek, share, acquire valuable information & work collaboratively while confidently maintaining security and compliance. Customers in our secure community benefit from the visibility needed to make better and timelier decisions, to increase the velocity of their businesses & to operate more efficiently.

Exostar connects **over 150,000 organizations** in highly regulated industries in **175 countries** globally, including:

98 of the 100 largest Defense Industrial Base enterprises

10 of the 20 largest global pharmaceutical enterprises

with **$120B+ in transaction volume flowing through The Exostar Platform annually**

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