

OVERWATCH FOR M365 SECURITY

GOVERNANCE & IMPLEMENTATION ADVISORY



THE CHALLENGE

Securing your business with Microsoft empowers your team to consolidate up to 40 disparate solutions into one comprehensive platform. For overstretched security teams this is a compelling case that can better equip them to adapt to future security needs. The challenge for many businesses, however, is how to begin or further their journey with Microsoft to get maximum benefit out of their investment.

Securing your journey through digital transformation is essential for modern businesses, but with access to such a wealth of features within the M365 E3 or E5 licenses – some of which your team may not be aware of or familiar with – it can feel difficult to know just where to start or what to prioritise. Furthermore, it can be challenging to maintain in house personnel with the skills, knowledge and time to manage the Microsoft Security platform.

Our **Global Microsoft Security Partner of Year** winning Microsoft Security Practice consultants bear witness to these challenges every day, and work hand in hand with our customers to guide them on this journey to a better and more secure future with Microsoft. It's through their work with our customers that they have developed a new holistic approach to security posture management and governance advice with our Overwatch for M365 Security service.

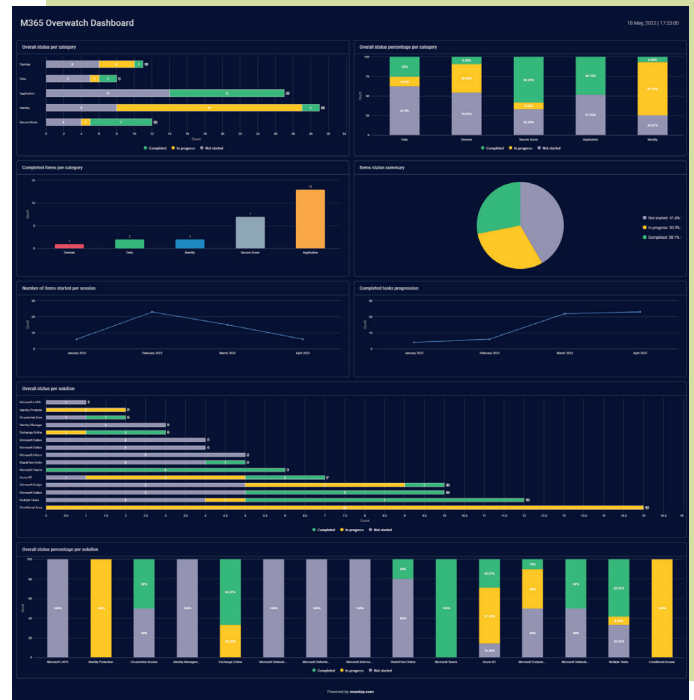
SIMPLIFYING SECURITY WITHOUT COMPROMISE

The Overwatch for M365 Security service is the next generation of security posture management – it provides you with a near real-time strategy tailored for their business, to improve and enhance your organisation's M365 environment. The Overwatch service is driven by our award-winning Microsoft Security Practice consultants, who specialise in Microsoft Security design and deployment across the full security stack.

Overwatch provides an initial assessment boosted by monthly workshops to deliver guidance and assistance in driving constant security optimisation, governance and compliance for the business.

The assessment guides you through Microsoft business-critical security applications that are essential for your business and assists with deployment planning, proof of concept, business adoption and long-term platform maintenance.

Using a live security risk and business impact register designed by our expert consultants, and tailored to your environment, helps to monitor progress over time and satisfy board level management reporting needs.



SERVICE OVERVIEW



Initial Assessment

Overwatch starts with an initial security baseline assessment of your environment to build out a detailed security and business impact register addressing applications, data, devices, and identity. We first collect data from the M365 platform, so that we can better understand what applications you currently have deployed.

This information is essential for the initial security assessment, which provides our consultants with a point-in-time, baseline view of the your organisation's security posture. This view acts as the starting point for your journey toward future optimisation. We also factor in the business's short and long term plans for cloud adoption, to support the business impact prioritisation aspect of the register.



Monthly Workshops

Throughout the duration of the service, we continually review and update the security risk and business impact register, prioritising tasks based on the changing requirements of your business and security posture. Customers have user credentials to access the register at any time.

Through monthly governance and implementation advisory workshops with one of our Microsoft Security experts, we review the register and outline key tasks for the month ahead, which will contribute to your continuous security optimisation. This ranges from deploying inactive security solutions for which you have licenses, to understanding new functionality and updates within M365 that impact your posture, and more. In addition, we will guide you through the best approach for progressing deployment in a safe and controlled process, providing assistance where needed.



Monthly Reports

The service also includes a detailed monthly report highlighting progress, identifying key priorities, the level of criticality addressed, and the impact this will have on the business, as well as month-to-month trend analysis illustrating tasks completed and new ones added. The report is delivered via email, but is also accessible via the live dashboard. Overwatch better enables your security team to communicate the value of the business's investment in M365 security at board level and demonstrate successful cloud onboarding with a constant security focus.



WHAT IS COVERED?

The Overwatch for M365 Security service covers all key areas of your Microsoft 365 security platform under M365 E3 or E5 licenses.

APPLICATIONS

On premise access
Microsoft Defender for Office 365
Microsoft Defender for Cloud Apps
Microsoft Teams
Sharepoint Online
Exchange Online



DATA

Microsoft Information
Protection



IDENTITY

Azure AD
Identity Protection
Identity Management
Conditional Access
Microsoft Defender for Identity
Windows Hello for Business



DEVICES

Microsoft Endpoint Manager
Microsoft Defender for Endpoint





KEY BENEFITS OF OVERWATCH FOR M365 SECURITY



Achieve and maintain security posture in line with Microsoft best practice



Greater visibility and control of Microsoft cloud infrastructure



Clearly articulate progress to the board with business-driven reporting



Better leverage your Microsoft security investment



Access to award-winning Microsoft security expertise



Reduced risk of security breaches without high impact on business

WHY CHOOSE THREATSCAPE?

Threatscape is the trusted security partner of enterprise clients who rely on us to secure critical IT assets in over 100 countries around the world. We are one of very few dedicated cyber security companies with a separate Microsoft Security Practice, and our expertise in this space is reflected in our status as a Microsoft Security Gold Partner and the *Global Microsoft Security & Compliance Partner of the Year 2020/21*.

Our mission is to create a secure and certain future for our clients. Keeping them protected so that they can go about their business is how we know we're delivering on our promise. To do this, our expert team of engineers and consultants use their skills alongside best-in-class solutions to protect, detect and respond to the growing threat of cyberattacks.

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