

COMPELLING STATISTICS

We've managed to demonstrate compelling ROI for our customers that are maintaining compliance via DISA Gold Disk scans. No matter the number of devices to be scanned, the amount of time that it takes to initiate the scan remains the same. This is certainly not true if manual processes and remote desktop are being used.

# Devices	Manual w. RDP	proGD	Savings
1	25 minutes	3 minutes	22 minutes
100	41 hours		41 hours
500	208 hours		208 hours
Enterprise	????		100%

25 minutes per machine to complete a Gold Disk scan via manual processes and RDP is an aggressive estimate; we have seen them take upwards of an hour or more of a system administrator's time to complete.

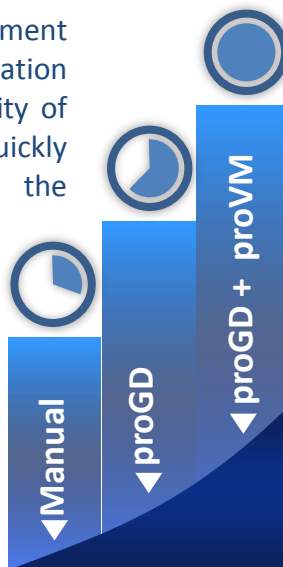
Note that these time estimates do not include the amount of time the scan takes to complete as that varies greatly from machine to machine

Combine Tools to Maximize Efficiency

We also offer a vulnerability assessment results consolidation and aggregation tool that greatly enhances the ability of administrators and validators to quickly obtain the security posture of the devices scanned with Gold Disk and numerous other vulnerability assessment tools.

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System Requirements

- Windows XP, Vista, 7
- Windows Server 2003
- Windows Server 2008
- .NET v 3.5 +
- 512 MB RAM
- At least 40MB free space

About Prolific

Prolific Solutions is an Information Security services and software company. We are in the security trenches daily and are not watered down trying to perform everything under the IT umbrella. Our clients never receive canned security services; rather we customize each consultation to the client's needs. We understand the manual, inefficient processes that most IT departments endure with security and compliance, and have developed software to help automate such issues.

Our consummate professionals are industry certified with vast experience in Certification and Accreditation (DIACAP) for DoD, penetration testing, vulnerability assessments, IT policy creation, security process engineering, and risk assessments/management.

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proGD DISA Gold Disk Automated Scanner

SECURITY TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE COMPLIANCE ASSESSMENT VIA DISA GOLD DISK

Conducting **compliance scans with DISA Gold Disk** is slow, resource-intensive, and overly time consuming – **until now.**

From **one machine**, proGD can distribute the DISA Gold Disk files, remotely kick off the scan, and then retrieve the result files by dropping them in a predefined location specified by a user.

This saves a tremendous amount of time for administrators responsible for numerous Windows devices. We've seen our customers move away from sampling their Windows devices due to manual constraints and time requirements to an approach where every single Windows device on their network is scanned with Gold Disk – ultimately resulting in better compliance and a more accurate depiction of their security posture.

BACKGROUND OF DISA GOLD DISK

DISA Gold Disk was built in a way that requires system administrators to log onto every device and use the Gold Disk console to perform scans to ensure compliance with DISA STIGs.

DISA recognized the resource-intensity of this approach and wisely created a non-interactive mode that allows administrators to perform an assessment without having to use the sluggish user interface. However this did not negate the requirement to put the files on every machine and launch the scan on that machine via RDP.

“proGD has allowed us to scan our entire enterprise to assure compliance with the DISA STIGs. The amount of time and money we have saved using proGD is immeasurable.”

Information Assurance Manager
Department of Defense Organization



At a Glance

SIGNIFICANT TIME SAVINGS
for security analysts and system administrators

SCAN THE ENTIRE ENTERPRISE
instead of merely doing samples because of insufficient resources

NON-INTERACTIVE MODE
allows initiating all scans from one device – no more RDP

UNOBTRUSIVE TO USERS
because scanning occurs without forcing them to log off

A WIZARD-BASED DESIGN
means that the software is very easy to use

ALLOWS SCHEDULING
and can be run from the command line

