SIAM™ HEALTH ASSESSMENT

WHAT IS IT?

The SIAM Health Assessment provides a scan of the current condition of an organisation's SIAM environment. Unlike traditional assessment approaches which look at maturity, the health assessment focuses on providing guidance towards progress. The results may serve as the catalyst for an improvement initiative.

The SIAM Health Assessment has been created by a group of global subject matter experts, including Kinetic IT. This provides objectivity and the application of real-world experience.

WHO IS IT FOR?

The SIAM Health Assessment can be used:

1. Where a customer is at the planning and building stage of the SIAM roadmap or implementation journey (to create an objective snapshot of the current environment and to validate any assumptions),
2. When a customer has just implemented a SIAM model (to validate successful implementation and define 'what's next?'), or
3. As a mechanism to establish a snapshot of the current condition of the operational SIAM environment, and highlight pain points and opportunities for improvements.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

The SIAM Health Assessment commences with a conversation with the organisation's decision-makers to establish scope and objectives for the assessment. Through workshops with stakeholders, various topics across the SIAM model will be assessed, including:
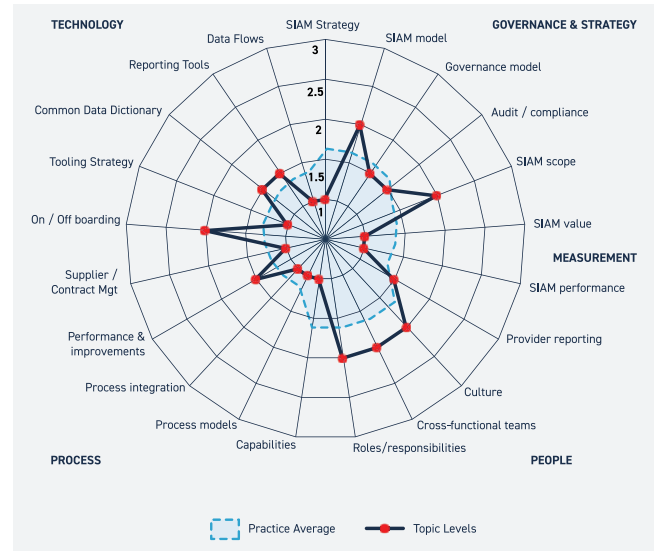
- Governance & Strategy
- Measurement
- People
- Process
- Technology

Where required, additional document review will be undertaken to further assess existing value.

WHAT DOES IT DELIVER?

The result is a report that, through a radar chart, shows the achieved assessment rating. The SIAM Bodies of Knowledge provide a description of each of the topics, as well as a recommendation to further develop this.

Kinetic IT's analysis, conclusions and recommendations can then translate these results into practical and actionable priorities, leading to an implementation or improvement initiative for the SIAM model.

WHAT NOW?

The SIAM Health Assessment can be combined with the SIAM Archetype Assessment as we recommend your organisation further defines its immediate priorities. Alternatively, the assessment can be supplemented by Kinetic IT's advisory assistance in the creation and delivery of the improvement or implementation plan.

You can, of course, repeat the SIAM Health Assessment to identify progress and reassess the future direction of the SIAM environment. For more details, read our insight How to tell if your SIAM model is hitting the mark.