



Service Organization Controls 3 Report

Report on Hyland Software, Inc.'s Hyland Cloud Platform, relevant to Security and Availability

for the period June 1, 2016 through November 30, 2016





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Report of Independent Accountants

To The Board of Directors
Hyland Software, Inc.

We have examined management's assertion that Hyland Software, Inc. (Hyland), during the period June 1, 2016 through November 30, 2016, maintained effective controls to provide reasonable assurance that:

- the Hyland Cloud Platform was protected against unauthorized access, use, or modification
- the Hyland Cloud Platform was available for operation and use, as committed or agreed

based on the criteria for security and availability in the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' TSP Section 100A, *Trust Services Principles and Criteria, for Security, Availability, Processing Integrity, Confidentiality, and Privacy*. This assertion is the responsibility of Hyland's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included (1) obtaining an understanding of Hyland's relevant security and availability controls, (2) testing and evaluating the operating effectiveness of the controls and (3) performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Because of inherent limitations in controls, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Furthermore, the projection of any conclusions, based on our findings, to future periods is subject to the risk that the validity of such conclusions may be altered because of changes made to the system or controls, the failure to make needed changes to the system or controls or a deterioration in the degree of effectiveness of the controls.

In our opinion, Hyland's management's assertion referred to above is fairly stated, in all material respects, based on the aforementioned criteria for security and availability.

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Management Assertion Regarding the Effectiveness of Its Controls Over the Hyland Cloud Platform Based on the Trust Services Principles and Criteria for Security and Availability

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Hyland Software, Inc.'s (Hyland's) Hyland Cloud Platform helps organizations streamline their document and content management processes and share information among employees, partners, and customers. Hyland uses carved-out subservice organizations, AT&T, BlueBridge Networks, and Kio Networks to provide internet connectivity, environmental controls, threat and environmental monitoring, and physical security to support the Hyland Cloud Platform. Hyland asserts that it has maintained effective controls over the Security and Availability of its Hyland Cloud Platform to provide reasonable assurance that:

- the Hyland Cloud Platform was protected against unauthorized access, use, or modification
- the Hyland Cloud Platform was available for operation and use, as committed or agreed

during the period June 1, 2016 through November 30, 2016, based on the criteria for the security and availability principles set forth in the AICPA's TSP section 100A, *Trust Services Principles and Criteria for Security, Availability, Processing Integrity, Confidentiality, and Privacy*, if the aforementioned subservice organizations maintained effective controls throughout the period June 1, 2016 to November 30, 2016.

Our attached System Description of the Hyland Cloud Platform identified the aspects of the Hyland Cloud Platform covered by our assertion and describes the controls expected to be implemented at the subservice organizations.

Global Cloud Services Management
Hyland Software, Inc.

Hyland Cloud Platform Background

Established in 1991, Hyland Software, Inc. (Hyland) is the developer of OnBase, an Enterprise Content Management (ECM) solution designed to help organizations streamline their document and content management processes and share information among employees, partners, and customers. Hyland is based in Westlake, Ohio.

The OnBase ECM software electronically captures and manages everything from paper reports to web content. It is used by customers in industries ranging from financial services and government to manufacturing and health care. In addition to its core solutions, Hyland also offers specific add-on modules for functions such as business process automation, digital imaging and capturing, records management, and enterprise file synchronization and sharing. Customers utilize these solutions to fulfill a variety of business needs, including information consumption, streamlining business needs with a high degree of reliability and integrity.

Hyland leverages the Hyland Cloud Platform to deliver hosted OnBase ECM solutions. These hosted solutions reside on servers that are owned and managed by Hyland. The Hyland Cloud is co-located within N+1 redundant data centers that are owned and operated by third-party Internet Service Providers (ISPs), AT&T, BlueBridge Networks, and KIO Networks. These ISPs provide internet connectivity, physical security components, power, threat and environmental systems monitoring and services to the hosting environment. Customers securely access their hosted solution from the Internet using encrypted network protocols including secure sockets layer (SSL), transport layer security (TLS), and/or secure file transfer (SFTP).

Services covered by this report

The Hyland Cloud Platform is comprised of components such as network devices, servers and software that are physically installed and operating within its defined system which is limited to components such as network drives, servers, and software that are physically installed and operating within Hyland's internet-enabled network infrastructure, and its process boundaries, which are limited to those that are executed by a Hyland employee within Hyland's Global Cloud Services (GCS) department, an authorized third-party, or processes that are executed within their established system boundaries.

For the purposes of this report, the Hyland Cloud Platform's system boundary does not include the internet connectivity, power, physical security components of the data centers, and environmental systems and services provided by third-party ISPs that own and operate the data centers in which the Hyland Cloud Platform is co-located. These components of the Hyland Cloud Platform are addressed within Service Organization Controls reports published by these data center providers, which are available to Hyland's customers upon request. Additionally, any instances of a hosted solution that is used for non-production workloads are also explicitly identified as being outside of the Hyland Cloud Platform's system boundaries. This includes systems that are used exclusively for pilot, demo, testing, or development purposes.

Components of the Hyland Cloud Platform Providing the Defined Services

Infrastructure

Hosting services are provided to customers through an internet-enabled network infrastructure that is owned and operated by Hyland. The system components associated with this network infrastructure are physically located within data centers that are owned and operated by third-party ISPs. These ISPs provide internet connectivity, physical security components, power, threat and environmental systems monitoring and services to the hosting environment.

Hyland installs servers within each data center on an as-needed basis. Hyland owns and operates these servers. This includes, but is not limited to, web, application, file and database servers. A variety of peripheral devices are also used. This may include, but is not limited to, network appliances, disk drives, and keyboard video monitor switches which are also owned and operated by Hyland.

People

Hyland's organizational structure provides a framework for planning, executing, and controlling business operations. Executive and senior leadership play important roles in establishing the Company's tone and core values. The organizational structure assigns roles and responsibilities to provide for adequate staffing, security, efficiency of operations, and segregation of duties. Management has also established authority and appropriate lines of reporting for key personnel.

The administration and other hosting services of the Hyland Cloud Platform environment is provided by Hyland employees. Employees are screened and qualified before a job position is offered. Hyland maintains written job descriptions/plans specifying the responsibilities and corresponding academic and professional requirements for key job positions to determine that current and prospective employees have the qualifications and skill level necessary to perform the job successfully. All employees are informed of their security-related responsibilities before access to the Hyland Cloud Platform is provisioned. Policy and security-related training is provided on an annual basis.

Procedures

All Hyland employees are expected to adhere to company-wide, departmental, and position-specific procedures that define how hosting services should be delivered. These procedures are documented within Hyland's GCS Employee Process Manual, and are provided upon hiring and then can be accessed by appropriate personnel.

Data

Data, as defined herein, constitutes the following:

- ▶ Files owned by a customer that are stored within customer-designated disk groups. Disk groups are configured to write electronic documents to a primary network attached storage device or file server.
- ▶ Files owned by a customer that have been transferred to the Hyland Cloud Platform SFTP (Secure File Transfer Protocol) systems.
- ▶ Meta-data owned by a customer that is stored within the solution's database. The database is configured to store data files and transaction log files to redundant array of inexpensive disks (RAID).

Hyland Cloud Platform customers retain control and ownership of their own data. Customers are responsible for the development, content, operation, maintenance, and use of their content. The Hyland Cloud Platform is designed to prevent customers from accessing physical hosts or instances not assigned to them by filtering through the virtualization software.

The Associate Vice President (AVP) of GCS maintains documented policies for the Hyland Cloud Platform. Policies are reviewed and, if necessary, updated annually. All policies are maintained within Hyland's GCS Employee Process Manual and are accessible by appropriate personnel.

Availability and Incident Handling

The Hyland Cloud Platform is architected in a manner to maintain availability of its services through defined programs, processes, and procedures.

Hyland employees monitor the network using both automated and traditional means. Predefined events (e.g., ping failures, full drive, missing application heartbeats) generate alerts that are delivered to Hyland personnel on a 24/7 basis.

Customers are instructed to contact the Hyland Technical Support Team and report any suspected availability incidents. The Hyland Technical Support Team will interview the user and gather information to assess the event as to whether it is a malfunction or a possible service failure.

If it is determined that the event represents a potential service failure, Hyland employees follow documented escalation procedures. All availability incidents are investigated promptly and thoroughly by individuals who are qualified to

perform this task. All availability incidents are documented and reviewed within de-escalation procedures conducted by the GCS Leadership Team.

Once normal business operations have been restored after a service failure, Hyland will deliver a summary report to the applicable impacted customers. Information contained within this report will include, but is not limited to, when the incident occurred, when normal business operations were restored, the root cause of the incident, the technical effect of the incident, an accounting of actions taken to restore service, and a description of any outstanding remediation plans that have been approved by the GCS Leadership Team.

The Hyland Cloud Platform is architected in a manner to maintain availability of its services through defined programs, processes, and procedures. The disaster recovery plan encompasses the processes and procedures by which Hyland identifies, responds to, and recovers from a major event or incident within the environment. This program builds upon the traditional approach of addressing contingency management, incorporating elements of business continuity and disaster recovery plans while expanding to consider critical elements of proactive risk mitigation strategies. Contingency plans and incident response procedures are maintained to reflect emerging continuity risks and lessons learned. Plans are tested and updated through the course of business and the disaster recovery plan is annually reviewed and approved by senior leadership.

Hyland has identified critical system components required to maintain the availability of the system and recover services in the event of an outage. These components are replicated across multiple co-location data centers; backups are maintained and monitored to ensure successful replication.

Service usage is continuously monitored, protecting infrastructure needs and supporting availability commitments and requirements. Additionally, GCS maintains a capacity planning model to assess infrastructure usage and demands.

Subservice Organizations

Hyland owns and operates an internet-enabled network infrastructure. The Hyland Cloud Platform components associated with this network infrastructure are physically located within data centers that are owned and operated by Internet Service Providers (ISPs). These ISPs provide internet connectivity, physical security components, power, and environmental systems and services. GCS installs servers within the co-location data centers on an as-needed basis to this internet-enabled network infrastructure. GCS owns and operates these servers. This includes, but is not limited to, web, application, file, and database servers and other peripheral devices as required to configure and manage customer solutions.

The accompanying Hyland Software, Inc.'s Management Assertion includes only the controls of Hyland. It excludes the controls of the data centers in which Hyland co-locates their network infrastructure, specifically controls around the network connectivity, power, physical security and environmental services provided by the third-party ISP. The achievement of Management's Assertion on the applicable trust services criteria and related controls of Hyland is dependent on the following controls being in place at the third-party ISP.

**Subservice Organization Controls
Expected To Meet Applicable Related Trust Services Principles and
Criteria for Security and Availability**

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing environmental controls to promote continuity of operations, including, but not limited to, cooling systems, fire detection and suppression systems, uninterruptible power supply (UPS) and emergency power supply (EPS).

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to periodically test the environmental controls.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to restrict access to only authorized users, as defined by the preauthorized access listings provided by the GCS Leadership Team.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to maintain logs of access card usage.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to define procedures for the escalation of physical security breaches.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to restrict access to only authorized users, as defined by the preauthorized access listings provided by the GCS Leadership Team.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to maintain logs of access card usage.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to identify potential threats of disruption to systems operation and assess the risk associated with the identified threats.

Subservice organizations are responsible for implementing controls to identify potential threats of disruption to system availability as related to the physical environment, including such threats as power failure, fire, flood, and excessive heat and humidity.