



## RISK MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS

# Exostar Partner Information Manager

**Exostar Partner Information Manager (E-PIM) streamlines the collection of risk information across the supply chain. It leverages common data shared by the Exostar community of suppliers and buyers. This helps buyer organizations to assess, measure, and mitigate risk.**

## Why E-PIM?

- Access to a community of suppliers and their self-assessed risk data
- Buyers and suppliers share specific, common content in a many-to-many community
- Cybersecurity forms developed collaboratively with A&D primes
- Secure processes for collecting aggregated supplier information
- “Collect once, share many” approach reduces supplier compliance reporting fatigue

## Business Challenges

Large A&D businesses need to collect and analyze supplier risk information consistently, for all types and size of supplier organizations. They need to:

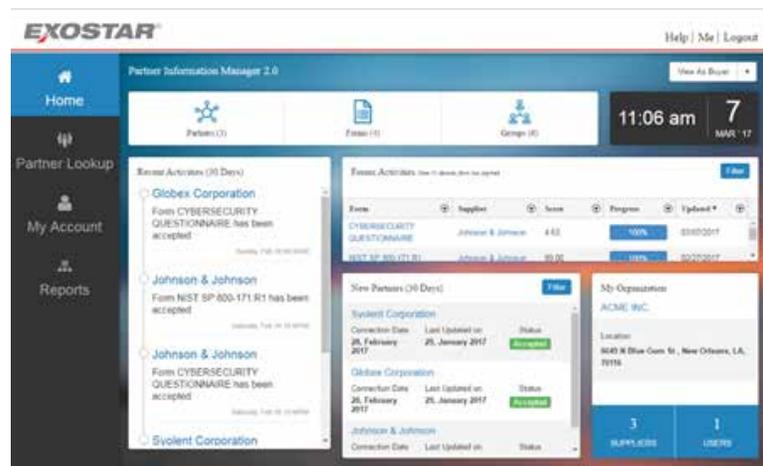
- Understand supply chain risk with respect to cybersecurity, conflict minerals, etc.
- Evaluate and exchange supplier information among supply chain professionals.
- Detect and track the risk of reliance on the supplier, and identify mitigation actions.
- Track reporting of individual and groups of suppliers.
- Facilitate the adoption of common cybersecurity standards and controls across all partner relationships.

## Solution

The E-PIM solution is a supplier self-service application that gives buying organizations insight into supply chain risk.

E-PIM lets buying organizations invite suppliers to complete self-assessment forms in various risk areas. They can then share their results with any buyer within the Exostar community. This helps buyers collect risk information from suppliers faster.

Suppliers access the system securely to add information or adjust their responses to improve their risk scores. E-PIM is extensible to include external risk data sources. It can also integrate with buyers' internal business information systems.





## Key Features

- **Existing Community of Buyers and Suppliers:** An expanding partner community that completes common forms at a regular cadence.
- **Supplier Invitations:** A simple process to invite current and new suppliers to complete forms.
- **Common Data Forms:** Simple web forms reduce collection and approval timelines.
- **Private Buyer-Supplier Relationships:** Supplier associations with individual buyers are not shared.
- **Aggregated Reporting:** Ability to analyze the status of compliance across the supply chain.
- **DFAR Security Compliance:** Secure Authentication (2FA) and access control.

## The Exostar Difference

- An existing A&D vendor database, including a global network of 125,000 organizations. This common supplier database allows for sharing and reuse of data in the partner network (your partners likely already belong).
- Exostar is the industry leader in secure supply chain optimization, with 12 years of proven experience.
- Seamless integration with Exostar Partner Information Manager and Supply Chain applications, for end-to-end supplier management.
- First-level application support by US-based product experts.
- Resides in Exostar's Managed Access Gateway (MAG) cloud, making it the most secured solution available.

## Supported Environments

- **Exostar E-VQM** is a cross-enterprise solution that is designed to integrate with most supply chain ERP infrastructures.
- **Modern application support** for Java™, .Net, SOAP and REST

## Related Solutions

- **Exostar Supply Chain Collaboration and Management** solutions improve your order response and fulfillment cycle times. They save you time and money without sacrificing security or visibility—from sourcing to procurement and order to payment.
- **Exostar Vendor Qualification Manager** provides efficient processes for collecting qualifying information of prospective vendors. It includes an automated approval process to standardize onboarding.
- **Exostar Managed Access Gateway** provides organizations proven, trusted ways to improve management and provide visibility into employee, contractor, and partner identities and access privileges.
- **Exostar SecureForms** provides secure and compliant sharing of business sensitive information, internally and externally.



Connect once. Collect once. Certify once. Share many.

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### About Exostar

Exostar's cloud-based solutions help companies in highly-regulated industries mitigate risk and solve identity and access challenges. Nearly 125,000 organizations leverage Exostar to help them collaborate securely, efficiently, and compliantly with their partners and suppliers. By offering connect-once, single sign-on access, Exostar strengthens security, reduces expenditures, and raises productivity so customers can better meet contractual, regulatory, and time-to-market objectives.