

Case Study: Les Schwab Tire Centers



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SkyView Partners Product helps Les Schwab reduce time spent on compliance-driven risk assessments while improving quality.

Les Schwab Tire Centers is a tire retail chain of more than 400 stores across eight states in the western United States. The company employs more than 7000 people and attracts customers with high quality service and product guarantees.

The Challenge

Because Les Schwab Tire Centers accepts credit card payments, the company must comply with payment card industry data security standards (PCI DSS), by conducting periodic risk assessments to identify security vulnerabilities. The risk assessment process required a significant amount of manual labor with a high potential for error. The company needed a solution that would improve efficiency and accuracy.

The Solution

After hearing a presentation from SkyView Partners, Les Schwab IT staff contacted SkyView Partners looking for a solution to automate the risk assessment process. Working with the team at SkyView Partners, Les Schwab IT staff demoed the Risk Assessor software and quickly understood the positive impact that deploying the software would have on their compliance process. Les Schwab choose SkyView Risk Assessor as the tool to help answer the challenge.

“The level of detail in SkyView Risk Assessor is impressive,” noted Brian Hole, IBM i Technology. “The assessment guide produced by the software is easy to read and includes information—not just on what’s wrong - but why and how to begin to address it. The number and variety of reports covers all of the areas that we need to show auditors that we understand our security configuration thoroughly”

SkyView Risk Assessor for IBM i and i5/OS

This software automates risk-assessment and delivers a comprehensive 3rd party analysis of the IBM i security configuration that is required by compliance standards.

The Results

“ We went from spending a minimum of one week on the risk assessment process to spending a few minutes, and we improved the quality and reliability by using SkyView Risk Assessor.” remarked Brian Hole.

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Challenge

Automating risk assessment to reduce time and effort spent on compliance

Solution

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Results

SkyView software Solution:

- Enforced PCI vulnerability assessment processes.
- Improved quality of the risk assessment results.
- Lower total cost of ownership for the compliance driven process.



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