

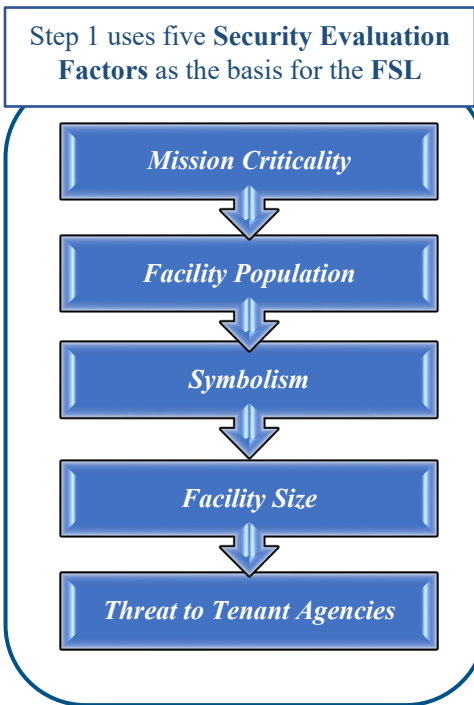


THE RISK MANAGEMENT PROCESS: AN INTERAGENCY SECURITY COMMITTEE STANDARD



The Risk Management Process: An Interagency Security Committee Standard defines the criteria and processes that those responsible for a facility's security should use in determining a facility's security level. This standard provides an integrated, single source of physical security countermeasures and guidance on countermeasure customization for all nonmilitary federal facilities.

The Risk Management Process (RMP) identifies an Achievable Level of Protection (LOP) commensurate with—or as close as possible to—the level of risk without exceeding the level of risk. The Interagency Security Committee (ISC) identifies a six-step approach.



Steps 2 through 6 are supported by several key appendices

- Appendix A:** The Design-Basis Threat Report (FOUO)
 - ❖ Creates profile of **type, composition, and capabilities** of adversaries
 - ❖ Identifies **33 Undesirable Events grouped into 9 categories**
- Appendix B:** Countermeasures (FOUO): Establishes a set of **physical security countermeasures** for all Federal facilities based on the determined LOP
- Appendix C:** Child-Care Center Level of Protection Template (FOUO): Specifies the customized LOP for security planning for child-care centers
- Appendix D:** How to Conduct a **Facility Security Committee (FSC)**: Provides guidance on how to establish and conduct an FSC when presented with facility security issues
- Appendix E:** Use of Physical Security Performance Measures provides guidance on how to establish and implement a **comprehensive measurement and testing program**

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THE INTERAGENCY SECURITY COMMITTEE (ISC) was formed by Executive Order (EO) 12977 following the bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City, OK. Today, the ISC is chaired by the Department of Homeland Security and consists of a permanent body with representatives from 64 federal departments and agencies to address continuing government-wide physical security needs for federal facilities. Consistent with EO 12977, ISC publications, standards, and recommendations apply to all nonmilitary Executive Branch departments and agencies within the borders of the United States and its territories.