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This document is part of a series of standards that addresses the issue of security for industrial automation and control systems (IACS). This document describes product development life-cycle requirements related to cyber security for products intended for use in the industrial automation and control systems environment and provides guidance on how to meet the requirements described for each element.

This document has been developed in large part from the Secure Development Life-cycle Assessment (SDLA) Certification Requirements [26]¹ from the ISA Security Compliance Institute (ISCI). Note that the SDLA procedure was based on the following sources:

- ISO/IEC 15408-3 (Common Criteria) [18];
- Open Web Application Security Project (OWASP) Comprehensive, Lightweight Application Security Process (CLASP) [36];
- The Security Development Life-cycle by Michael Howard and Steve Lipner [43];
- IEC 61508 Functional safety of electrical/electronic/ programmable electronic safety-related systems [24], and
- RCTA DO-178B Software Considerations in Airborne Systems and Equipment Certification [28].

Therefore, all these sources can be considered contributing sources to this document.

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