compliance catalyst

The data-driven decision engine and risk management platform

Your data, the best entity data powered by Orbis, and now with smarter due diligence screening powered by Grid.

Compliance Catalyst combines data, technology and risk processes in a single platform.
New Compliance Catalyst is a rebuild of our popular risk platform. It’s more scalable, faster and modular so you can build your own solution. Now it includes curated risk data from Grid for smarter screening of PEPs, sanctions and adverse media.

It has a new and contemporary user interface, integrates more smoothly with the Orbis database, and has many other enhancements to make it the ideal contemporary risk management platform.

**What is Compliance Catalyst?**

Compliance Catalyst is an integrated platform that combines data, technology and people power. It streamlines your know your customer (KYC), anti-money laundering (AML) and anti-bribery and corruption (ABAC) research, and makes your client onboarding process more efficient.

**Key features**

- **The integrated platform**
  What sets Compliance Catalyst apart is it that it’s an integrated solution. It combines your data, the best entity data from Orbis, and flexible due diligence screening – automated and enhanced – all in one place.

- **An instant KYC company report and risk preview**
  As soon as you’ve completed the entity resolution step – linking your subject company to the correct entity in Orbis – you’ll get an instant screening against watchlists and adverse media, plus a succinct overview of compliance relevant data, all visible before you’ve even started your risk assessment.

- **Get started out of the box – or do detailed customization**
  You can get started straightaway with our range of out-of-the-box models or create your own models that are tailored to your risk profiles. The models are simple to create and are part of the self-serve concept that means you can manage your Compliance Catalyst customization, workflow and uploads without relying on us or other third parties.

- **Enhanced alerts – scored for relevance and with fewer false positives**
  We’ve enhanced our alerts. They are:
  - scored for relevance by an AI model to indicate whether a human analyst would consider them material or not to help you easily filter out false positives
  - easier to dismiss in bulk
  - more precise – the combination of Orbis and Grid risk data delivers accurate name matching and highly customizable risk profiling

- **Dashboards and analytics**
  Dashboards give a clear overview of your entire portfolio and management views on research in progress, and resolved and unresolved alerts.

- **Build your own Compliance Catalyst**
  Create your own workflows — choose your own modules — develop your own automation.

Compliance Catalyst gives you an improved user experience and uses more contemporary technology – including machine learning to improve the relevance of adverse news and false positives.

**Own data and forms**

Compliance Catalyst has a range of data integration and custom upload options, and you can create your workflow around them. These include forms and questionnaires so you can add data from your customers, and the onboarding entities themselves.

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**Powered by orbis**

Orbis is the leading entity database with a focus on private companies. It has extensive information on corporate structures that highlight ultimate and beneficial owners and power and control. It also has extensive events information, including M&A, changes in ownership, corporate actions, company announcements and curated news.

**Powered by grid**

Grid is a risk database of adverse media, sanctions, watchlists and PEPs. Risk information is curated into detailed profiles, so you can see associated risk-relevant data in structured detailed reports.

Grid’s combination of data and categorization means you can filter content by risk type, risk stage and risk age, based on relevance and your own risk profiles.

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- Compliance Catalyst platform
- Powered by Orbis
- Powered by Grid

**External data input**
- Request and import client data, and your own data, using:
  - custom uploads
  - eForms
  - questionnaires

**Choose your model and get your risk report**
- Out-of-the-box models
- Custom models
- Risk report

**Manage and analyze**
- Management information
- Resolved/unresolved alerts
- Risk reporting
- Portfolio analysis and management

**Entity resolution**

**KYC report and risk preview**

**Detailed risk assessment report**

**Entity search**
- Matching names and identifiers against the Orbis database
- Includes the option to batch upload

**Entities and ID numbers**
- Companies
- Banks
- ID numbers
  - BvD ID
  - LEI
  - National ID
  - GIIN
- Individuals
- Sole proprietorships
- Insurance companies
- Non-bank financial institutions
- Marine vessels

**Risk checks**
- Political risk
- Country risk
- Legal status
- Beneficial owners
- Ultimate owners

**Watch for changes to:**
- PEPs, sanctions, other watchlists
- Extensive adverse news and curated risk profiles

- Solvency and liquidity events
- Financial strength
- Address
- Other company data

- Alerts are scored for relevance
- Flexible rule and sensitivity setting
- Easy alert management
- Fewer false positives

**Optional analyst-driven enhanced due diligence**

**Dashboards and analytics**

**Monitoring alerts**

**Create your own workflow and triggers**

**Ongoing analysis and monitoring**

**Full audit trail and annotation options**
Orbis offers the most extensive company information and corporate structures. It's combined with risk-relevant data from Grid, to deliver new levels of certainty on your third parties.

Unique identifiers
These include the BvD ID numbers, local ID numbers, plus other recognized systems including LEIs and GIINs.

Extensive corporate ownership structures and beneficial ownership
Our carefully sourced, treated and structured ownership data helps you learn more about the ownership structures of individual companies, as well as their corporate group. Where possible information is datetested and the source indicated. You can see changes over time and archived ownership. You can also define beneficial ownership to be consistent with your internal or local regulatory requirements. Information also includes:

- comprehensive lists of direct and indirect subsidiaries and controlling shareholders
- corporate groups – all companies with the same ultimate owner as the subject company
- direct and indirect ownership and ultimate owners
- clearly indicated beneficial owners – and the path from your subject company to the beneficial owner
- beneficial ownership as filed at the local registry

Individuals affiliated to companies
Orbis offers an extensive database of relevant people within or connected to companies, including: directors, advisors, auditors, board members and senior managers.

We show their current and previous positions as well as their connections to other individuals in Orbis.

Financial data and financial strength metrics
Orbis's standardized financials and financial models, show you financial viability and predictive indicators of a company's financial strength.

Adverse news and curated risk data
Grid is a comprehensive curation of adverse media, PEPs, monitored watch lists, sanctions and screening. Grid has detailed categories including terrorism, human trafficking, organized crime, cyber crime and environmental crime. These categories align to the AML 6 Predicate Offences and FATF Designated Category of Offences.

It contains over 3 billion media articles that are highly categorized by more than 50 risk codes and 30 risk stages. It powers smarter screening in Compliance Catalyst and delivers more accurate and relevant results.

ESG reputational risk data
Environmental, social and governance (ESG) risk data and metrics, to assess the reputational risk associated with companies to help decide whether to work with them.

Marine vessels
Track whether specific vessels appear on sanctions lists and how they are linked to entities.

Original documents
- Locally filed “scanned images”
- The ability to order copies of official business documents from around the world
- PDFs of annual reports
- Links to documents filed at registries

Other company information, including:
- Indications that an entity has been awarded a public tender
- Legal status, date of incorporation, an entity’s industry and country/political regime
- AML documents for financial institutions

The modules
Optimize Compliance Catalyst for your organization, audience and risk profiles. Here are some of our premium modules:

Entity resolution
Confirm your entity against the huge Orbis universe of entity data, including companies (private and listed), banks and financial institutions, sole proprietorships, insurance companies, non-bank financial institutions, marine vessels, and individuals. Orbis only has official entity names (with their unique identifier numbers) and searching is simple and fast. So, once you've matched your subject entity to the correct record in Orbis, you can be confident your ongoing analysis is based on the appropriate legal entity and its associated data. And this works for your self-serve batch uploads too. And once you've matched your entity you can enrich your records from the data in Orbis.

Adverse media tool
See filtered, relevant news relating to your subject company, individuals and your portfolio. Recent innovations mean the adverse media tool is powered by machine learning resulting in more accurate identification of a genuine negative sentiment, reducing false positives and erroneous stories.

Enhanced due diligence
If your screening suggests you need to take a closer look at higher risk entities or individuals, you can use the workflow to send it straight to your own analysts or our enhanced due diligence (EDD) service.

API web service
This automates the appearance of data from your own systems into Compliance Catalyst via an API web service. This automates the appearance of data from your own systems into Compliance Catalyst via an API web service, or our enhanced due diligence (EDD) service.

Sanctioned-by-extension
According to OFAC’s 50% rule, companies who may not be sanctioned in their own right can still be subject to sanctions due to their connection to sanctioned corporations or individuals. Our ownership data and tools can help you identify the entities who are “sanctioned by extension”.

Key benefits
- an intuitive and fast user experience that helps you spot risk so you can escalate high risk cases more quickly.
- superior underlying data from Orbis and Grid combined with a high tech approach that includes machine learning and natural language processing, for better data curation, a reduction in non-risk relevant data noise, and ultimately fewer false positives.
- self-serve user experience – you can batch upload large numbers of companies, and work with the models without external support.
- data that’s centralized and with audit trails, reporting, workflow, tailored risk profiles and compliance policies all embedded into the platform.
- the option to choose from light-touch assessments or “full works” analysis – and anything in between.
- a scalable solution and one that’s ideal for small and large portfolios, and suitable for a broad range of users, including sales, analysts, non-experts and those new to compliance.
- alert scoring and other alert management options to help you work more efficiently.
- flexibility to build the right solution for your portfolio and your stakeholders.
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