

How IANS Uncovered Risk and Unlocked Business Potential

The Pain Point

A client organization wanted to adopt a generative AI tool, specifically Copilot for Microsoft 365, to increase business productivity. Before any integration could occur, the organization needed to understand the risks for data leakage and potential oversharing of sensitive content.

A Tailored Solution

IANS was engaged to conduct a Copilot for Microsoft 365 readiness assessment. The assessment leverages a knowledge-centric approach, by using Copilot itself to determine if specific profiles have access to sensitive content beyond what is necessary for those profiles. With a starting point of over 100 sensitive topics, IANS ran thousands of prompts through the clients Copilot instance from a variety of vantage points.

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In just one of three reviews, the readiness assessment found **675 references of sensitive information access**. Overall finding on average **30+ critical findings** which helped the client gain clear visibility into what data is being shared across users.

Once the findings were identified and addressed the security team can now safely deploy Copilot for Microsoft 365 across the organization.

State Electric Utility Provider

Security Team: 10-50

Employee Size: 5000+

Company Revenue: \$4B+

A state agency that controls the electrical utility for a major metropolitan area within that state.