

## Want control of your data? ...The first step is finding it

Across large distributed file systems, it's nearly impossible to keep track of the *high-risk* or *sensitive* data that is undoubtedly hiding in every corner of your network. A critical early step in any **Data Governance** program is the scanning of file systems to discover where high-risk or sensitive content may be buried deep within documents.

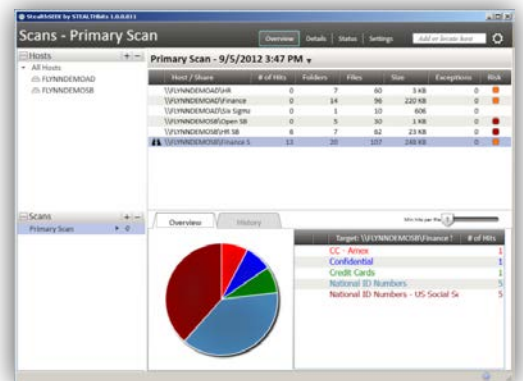
Corporate networks are virtual minefields of critical and sensitive data. Over many years, organizations have collected sensitive, personal, or private information about employees, customers, business partners, competitors, and even intellectual property. There is **inherent risk** in storing this volatile data and care should be taken to protect it.

Unstructured Data (*data that is not centrally managed*) continues to grow at alarming rates – as much as 800% over the next five years according to some estimates – and it has **never been more critical** to take control of this data as security breaches are widely publicized and regulatory penalties have substantially increased.

### INTRODUCING StealthSEEK™

StealthSEEK offers a simple-to-deploy, easy-to-use alternative for identifying high-risk and sensitive information across your file systems. A lightweight data discovery solution that is both **elegant and powerful**, StealthSEEK was designed to begin producing answers just minutes after installation.

StealthSEEK identifies sensitive and high-risk data based on both common industry criteria (such as *non-public* or *personal* information, *credit card data* and *Social Security Numbers*) as well as enabling **custom criteria** that identifies data which is sensitive only to specific users or industries (such as *intellectual property*).



### FEATURES

The simplest, most affordable way to locate sensitive information is also **feature-rich** with conveniences that you won't be able to live without. Here are a few of the highlights:

- **Auto-Discovery:** Finds your file servers and shares.
- **Classification of Shares:** Finds and prioritizes risk.
- **Unique Credentials:** Accommodates logon scenarios.
- **Targeted Scans:** Limits the scope for better results.
- **Custom Criteria:** Finds targeted content.
- **File Filters:** Limits scan scope by file size and type.
- **Luhn Validation:** Reduces false positives.
- **Dual Scan Modes:** Optimizes scan efficiency.
- **Data Analysis:** Provides pivoting and grouping.
- **Export:** Get results in multiple formats.



## DIFFERENTIATORS

**TIME:** Traditional DLP (*Data Loss Prevention*) solutions which attempt to locate sensitive data are both expensive-to-implement and complicated-to-maintain. In some cases, they take weeks to scan an environment in an effort to answer even simple questions.

*StealthSEEK provides answers in minutes. It's quick to deploy and scans can be targeted to high-risk file shares based on user input or StealthSEEK's own built-in risk analysis.*

**COST:** Traditional DLP solutions cost mid-sized organizations (~5000 employees) between \$175,000 and \$300,000; a hefty price tag and a big chunk of an already diminished IT budget.

*StealthSEEK is priced to exceed today's budgetary constraints with a pay-as-you-go model, advanced scan scoping, and the ability to run scans prior to making any purchase at all.*

**RESULTS:** Traditional DLP solutions are typically managed by centralized IT organizations and generate an unbearable amount of results making them unusable for answering targeted questions.

*StealthSEEK is built for fine-tuned scoping by target hosts, target shares, by file type, by search criteria, folder depth, and more. The end result is highly relevant and actionable information.*

## NEXT STEPS

StealthSEEK is part of STEALTHbits' complete solution for Data and Access Governance. Finding high-risk data is the first step. StealthSEEK will feed its data into STEALTHbits' industry leading StealthAUDIT Management Platform (SMP) for prioritization and remediation of identified risk. The SMP enables lock-down of permissions, periodic entitlement reviews, and discovery of high-risk and toxic conditions on sensitive file shares.

## CONCLUSION

Successful Data Governance programs require an in-depth understanding of where sensitive and high-risk data resides across the network. StealthSEEK identifies risk associated with data exposure and takes the first-step in gaining control over unstructured data.

## About STEALTHbits Technologies, Inc.

STEALTHbits Technologies delivers high quality, affordable solutions aligning to the most difficult problems organizations face in the management and security of their mission critical Microsoft infrastructure and applications. For more information, visit STEALTHbits online at [www.stealthbits.com](http://www.stealthbits.com).



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