

## PRODUCT ANALYSIS WITH BLACK KITE

Unlock product-level intelligence to mitigate software supply chain exposure.

### The Dilemma: Good Vendor, Risky Product

TPRM teams have long lacked clear product-specific intelligence to accurately assess the potential risks introduced by third-party software. As a result, teams have resorted to evaluating the producing vendor as a whole - a process that consumes valuable time and resources while still leaving blind spots. A strong overall vendor rating does not guarantee the security of the individual products they offer. This creates a dilemma for risk teams, who must make decisions about specific software products, but may only have a general, vendor-level risk view.

### Go Beyond Vendor Analysis with Product-Level Intelligence

Black Kite's Product Analysis module enables TPRM teams to go one step beyond traditional vendor analysis by assessing individual products, whether on-premises or SaaS-based, to gain deeper insight into supply chain risks associated with third-party software.

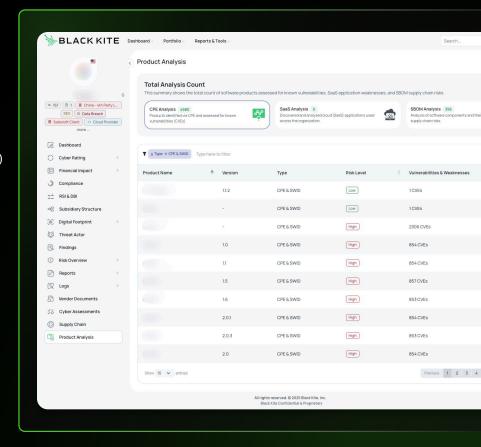
#### **How it Works**

Black Kite Product Analysis combines deep CPE, SaaS subdomain, and SBOM analysis to deliver a clear view of product-level risk exposure.

TPRM teams can view the output of Black Kite's Product Analysis as a risk level (low, medium, high) for each related software product and version, software subdomain, and open-source software component and dependency.

In addition to the risk level, customers gain visibility into more granular product-level details including:

- · Vulnerabilities & exploitability
- · End-of-life status
- Certifications
- Nested dependencies



### **Key Features**

**DOWNLOADABLE SOFTWARE ANALYSIS (CPE):** Maps software products to their producing vendors and evaluates risk based on CVEs, exploits, certifications, and end-of-life status.

**SAAS SUBDOMAIN ANALYSIS:** Identifies SaaS subdomains, associates them with the correct company, and evaluates vulnerabilities, weaknesses, and potential exploits.

**SBOM ANALYSIS & MAPPING:** Analyzes open-source components and dependencies within third-party software to uncover hidden vulnerabilities and nested dependencies.

#### **Benefits**

- → Visibility into product-level risks that traditional vendor-level assessments do not cover
- → More confident decisions during product evaluation and onboarding
- → Product-level insights that drive targeted mitigation actions
- → Assess the risk of third-party software used by your organization and by your vendors

#### **Core Use Cases**

# Software Supply Chain Risk Assessment

Identify vulnerabilities and risks within software products used by your organization or your third parties.

# Targeted Risk Mitigation

Leverage granular intelligence to drive specific mitigation actions, such as product upgrades and configuration changes to reduce risk exposure.

# Technical Product Evaluation

Analyze a product's components and vulnerability history before procurement to inform technical and security-based acquisition decisions.



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