

AUTOMATE YOUR SOX TESTS

# AI-native automation for internal audit teams.

Arden automates SOX testing for internal audit at public companies. We connect to your source systems, test your controls, and draft workpapers your external auditor will accept. Your team reviews and signs off.

## 01 / THE PROBLEM

SOX costs more every year.  
The work is the same.

A mid-size public company now spends \$2.3M and 15,000 hours a year on SOX. Up 44% in two years. Meanwhile the number of systems in scope has more than doubled.

Most of those hours are internal audit teams pulling evidence by hand, reconciling populations in spreadsheets, and writing up workpapers in Word.

SOURCE: KPMG 2025 SOX SURVEY.

## 02 / WHAT ARDEN DOES

The full testing workflow,  
end-to-end.

Upload your data, or connect your source systems directly: Okta, Workday, and more. No integration or data engineering needed.

Arden's browser agents combine frontier vision-language models to reason through any app, collecting evidence with full trace logs for auditors to review.

Arden runs your IT and business process controls and drafts the workpaper with every conclusion linked to its source. Your team reviews, edits, and signs off.

**\$2.3M**

SPENT PER YEAR  
AVG SOX PROGRAM

**15,000**

HOURS PER YEAR  
AVG SOX PROGRAM

**44%**

COST INCREASE  
LAST TWO YEARS

SOURCE  
KPMG 2025 SOX SURVEY

## 03 / TEAM

Berkeley and MIT dropouts. AI researchers.

Aryaman Khanna and David Lomelin dropped out of school to build Arden full time. They previously conducted research in LLM traceability at the MIT CS/AI Laboratory. Backed by Y Combinator (P26).



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P26 BATCH

**Advised by practitioners from GitLab,**  
Big 4 alumni, and 20+ year SOX veterans.