

Applications & Data Security

Current Challenges & Leading Practices from HP & Symantec

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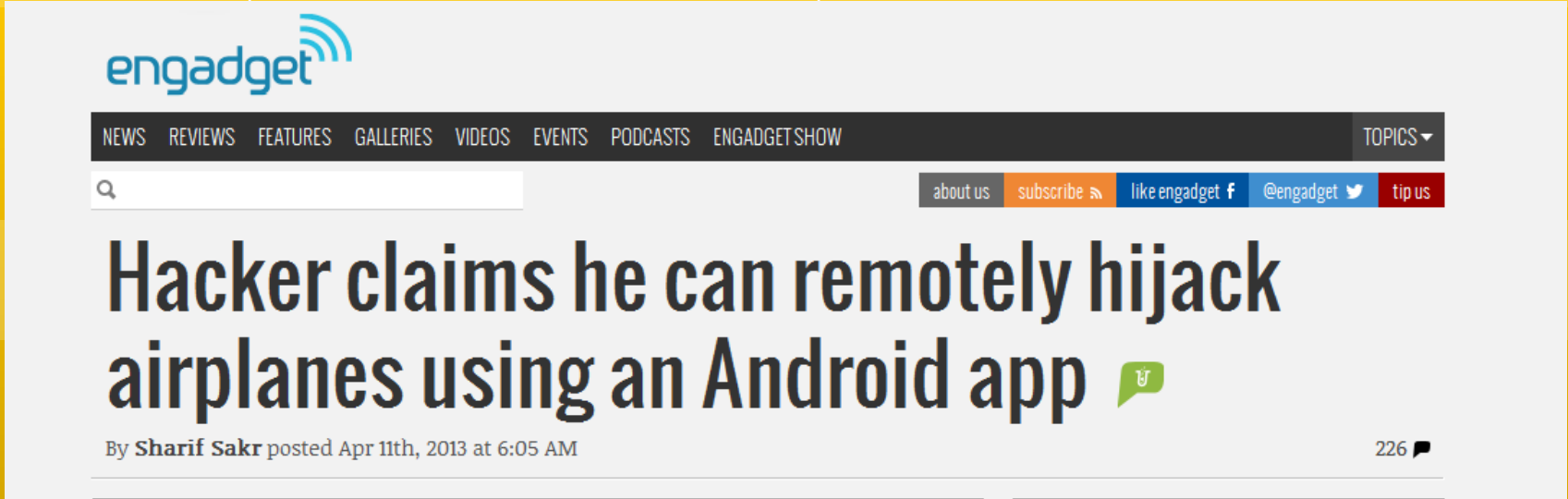

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Topics

- Application Security: Weak Cybersecurity Link
- Securing your applications with HP Comprehensive Applications Threat Analysis (HP CATA)
- How Symantec Solutions help secure your Application and Data
- Q&A

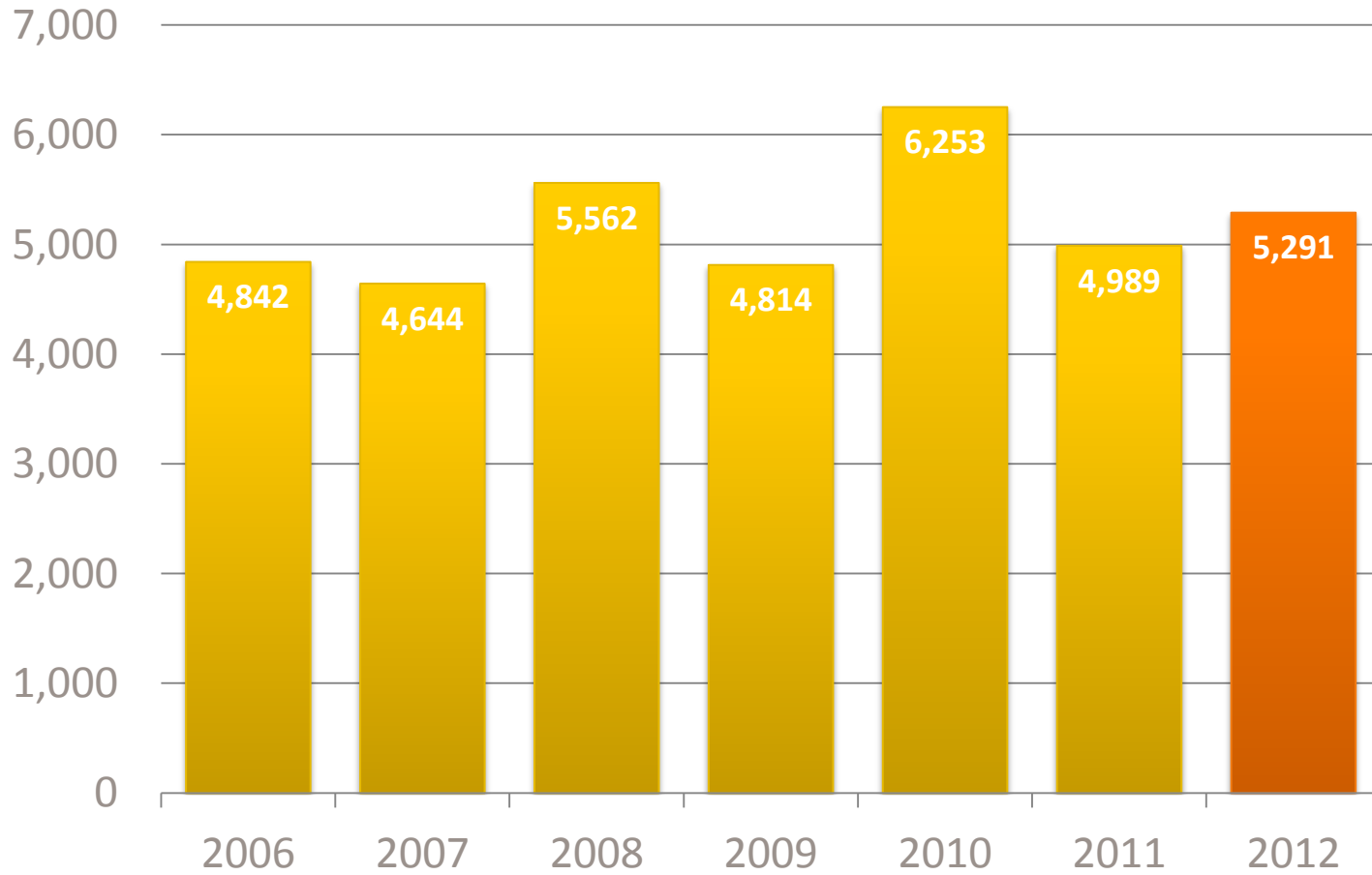
Application Security: Weak Cybersecurity Link

Secure Applications & Data: What and Why?

Segment	Application	Concern
 Defense	Mission Critical Tactical support Planning support Applications	Mission failure; lives lost Insufficient mission support or resources Military personnel and their families put at risk
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	Device Telemetry/Control	Loss of public trust Accidental death or homicide
 All	All Websites	Distribution of malware Loss of Trust

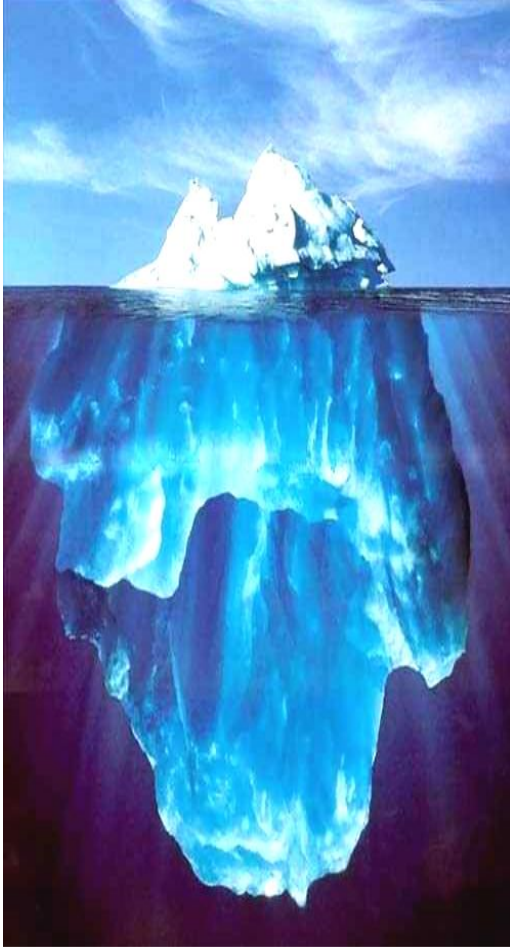
Security: It's a Real Problem

Published Vulnerabilities over the years



Symantec Internet Security Threat Report

More Defects “Underwater” than those Reported



- Typical applications security approaches are built on known vulnerabilities
- There are >50,000 documented in the National Vulnerability Database

Undiscovered vulnerabilities are huge

- 20X¹ multiplier
- In excess of **1,000,000 vulnerabilities**

Notes: ¹“Public Vulnerabilities Are Tip of the Iceberg,” CNET News

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Regulatory Compliance Costs

Cost of a single PCI violation in 2012. What is \$3.5M?

Card Solutions gross revenue for 2012. What is \$0?



Security: It's a Real Problem

Breach Disclosure Costs

Average Cost of Breach?

What is \$6.8M*?

VA paid this when exposing 26.5M records?

What is \$20M?

The DoD was sued for this for the for Tricare breach of 4.9M beneficiaries

What is \$4.9B?

* Ponemon Institute Annual Breach Disclosure Study

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Downtime Costs

26 days Outage

77 million accounts stolen

Called to testify before Congress

\$1B lawsuit (eventually dismissed)

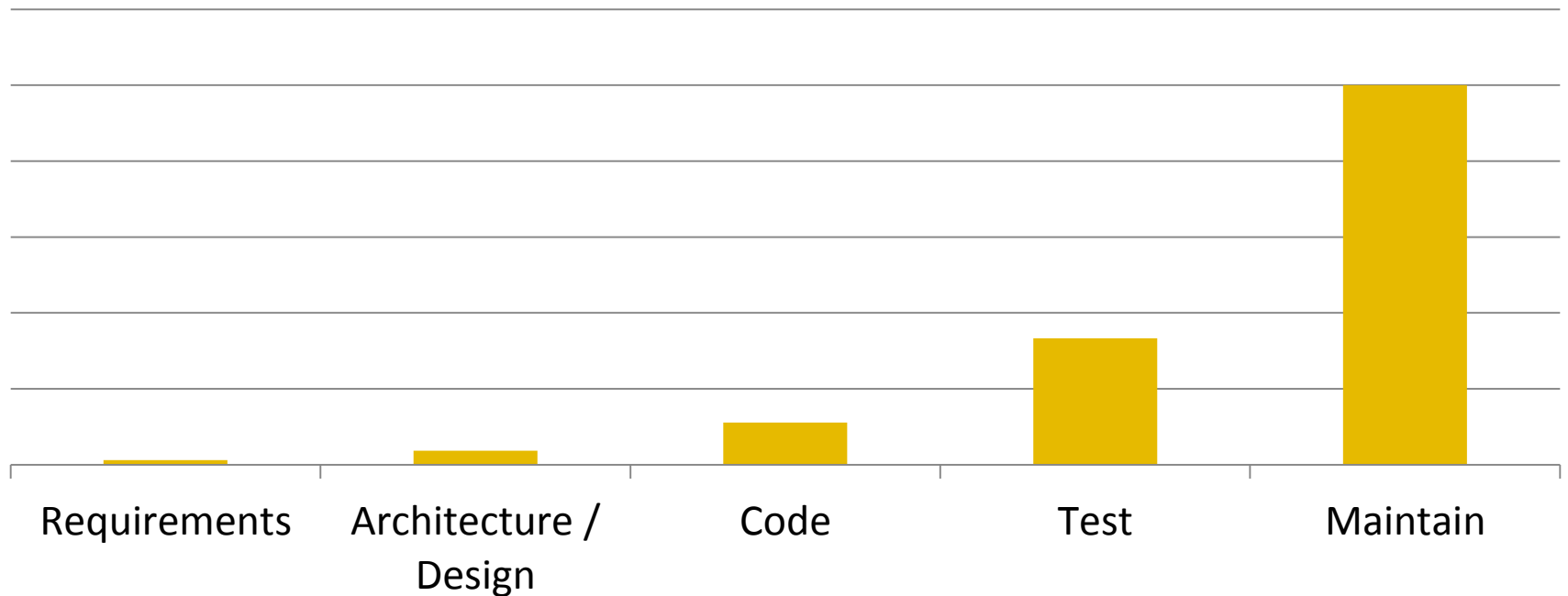
\$171M in lost revenues

Reused passwords allow breach of other sites



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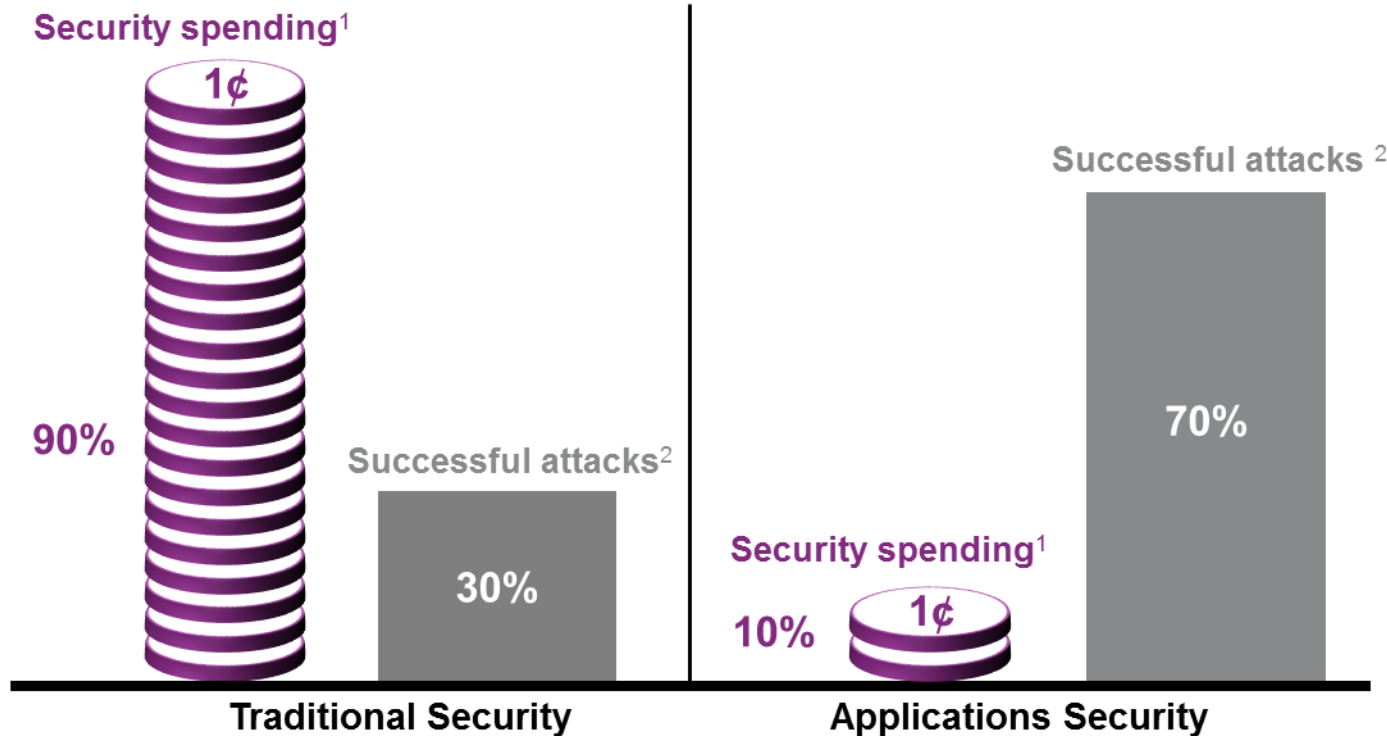
Rework Costs: increase by orders of magnitude (30X-100X) late lifecycle versus early



Why not more:

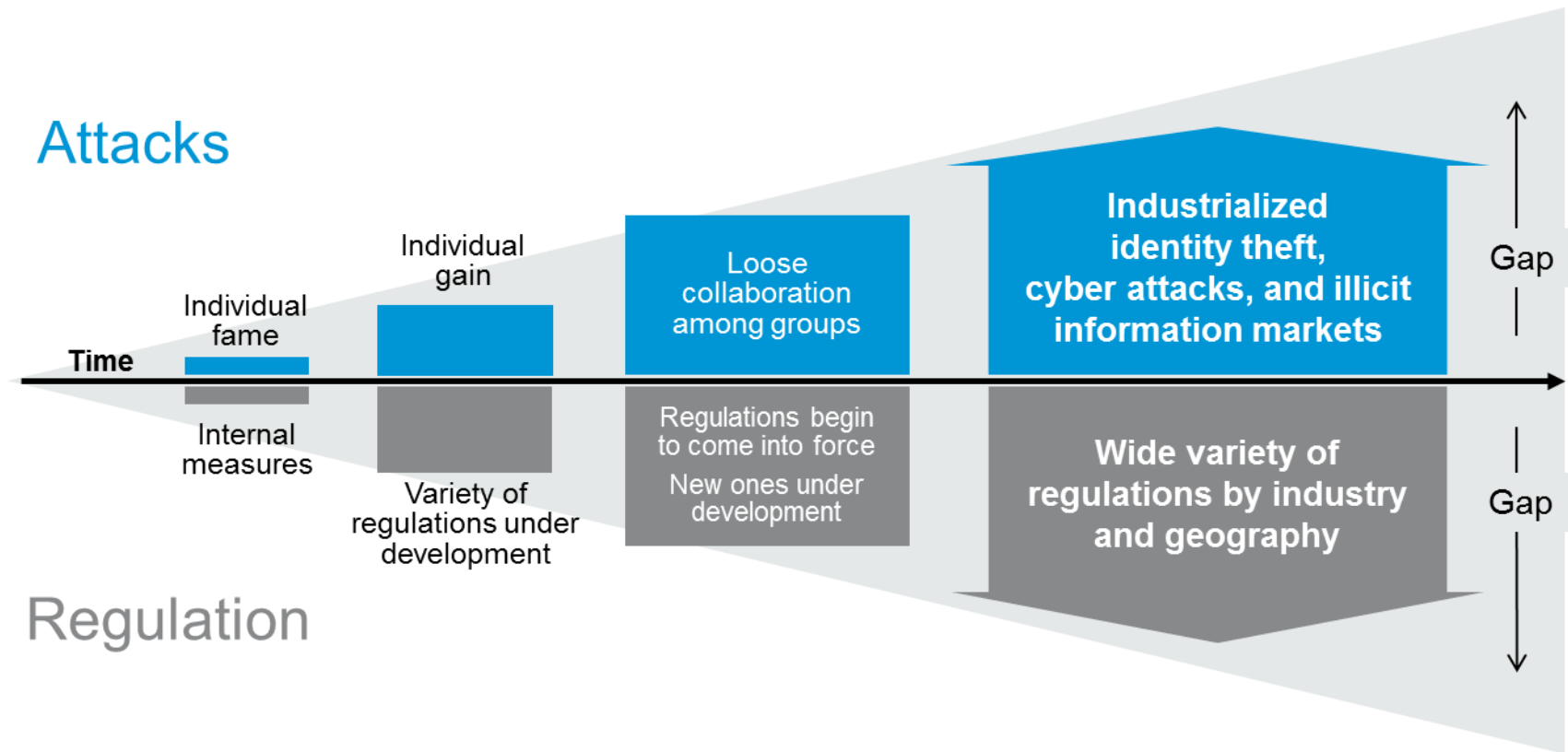
- Time-to-market
- Lack of visibility/process to avoid/find

Security Spending Needs to Reflect Today's Realities

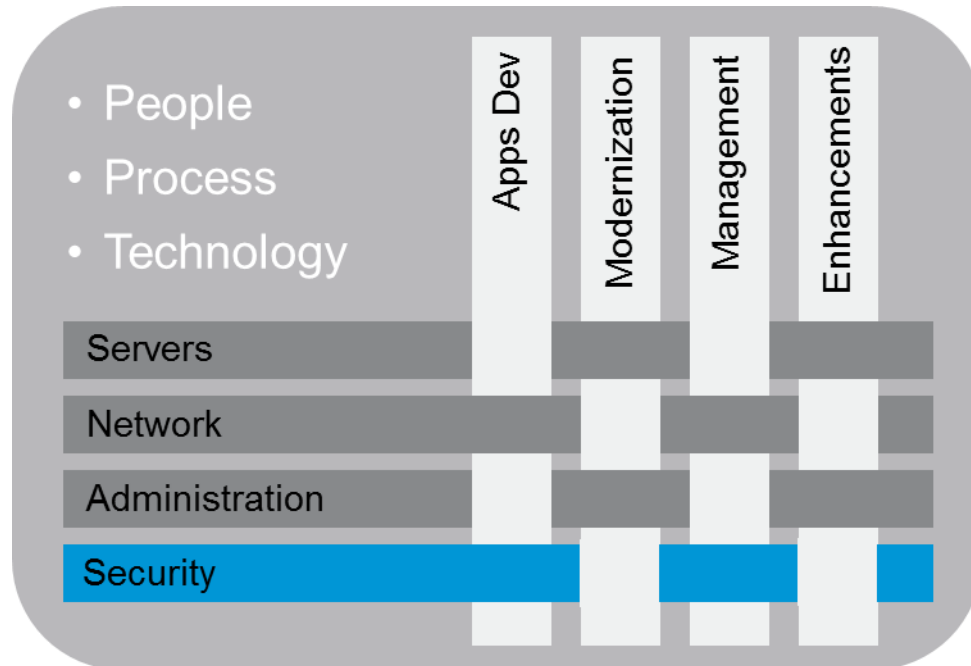


Sources: 1) Gartner IT Security Budgets and Staffing Projections for 2012: Constant Demand and Constant Spending, Mar, 2012
2) Microsoft Security Intelligence Report (SIR), v12, - Dec 2011

Industry-Leading Security is Needed



Today's Security Reality



Security is mainstream and core to the mission

- Woven into the business process
- Included in all decisions and IT projects
- Included at all areas including access points
- Simplified for the end-user

People – e.g. cut and paste

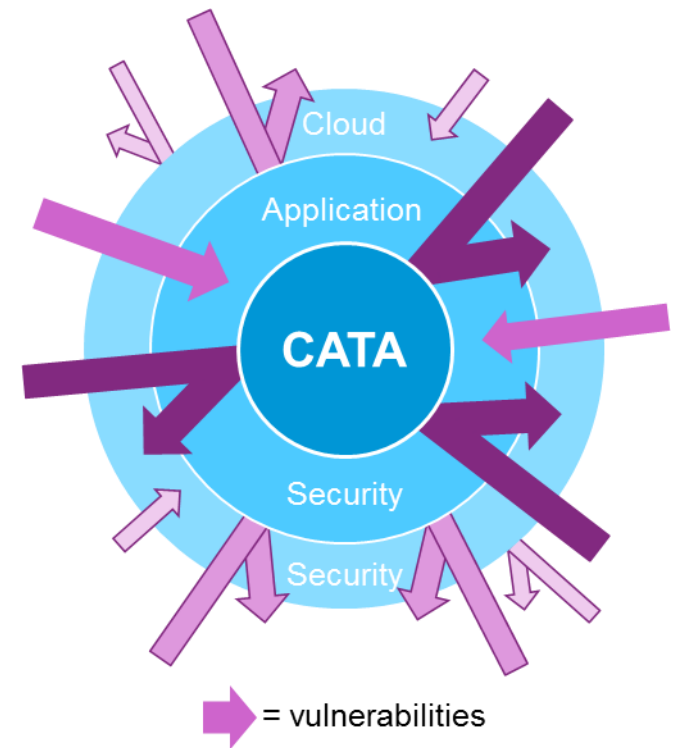
Mobile and Cloud Considerations

Application Security – control resides with the Enterprise

The greatest barrier to cloud and mobile adoption is security

- Cloud and mobile adopters have most influence/control over their own applications
 - Enterprises can only pick a provider or framework, but not make them more secure
 - Enterprises need to address the secure access device as well where they can make them more secure

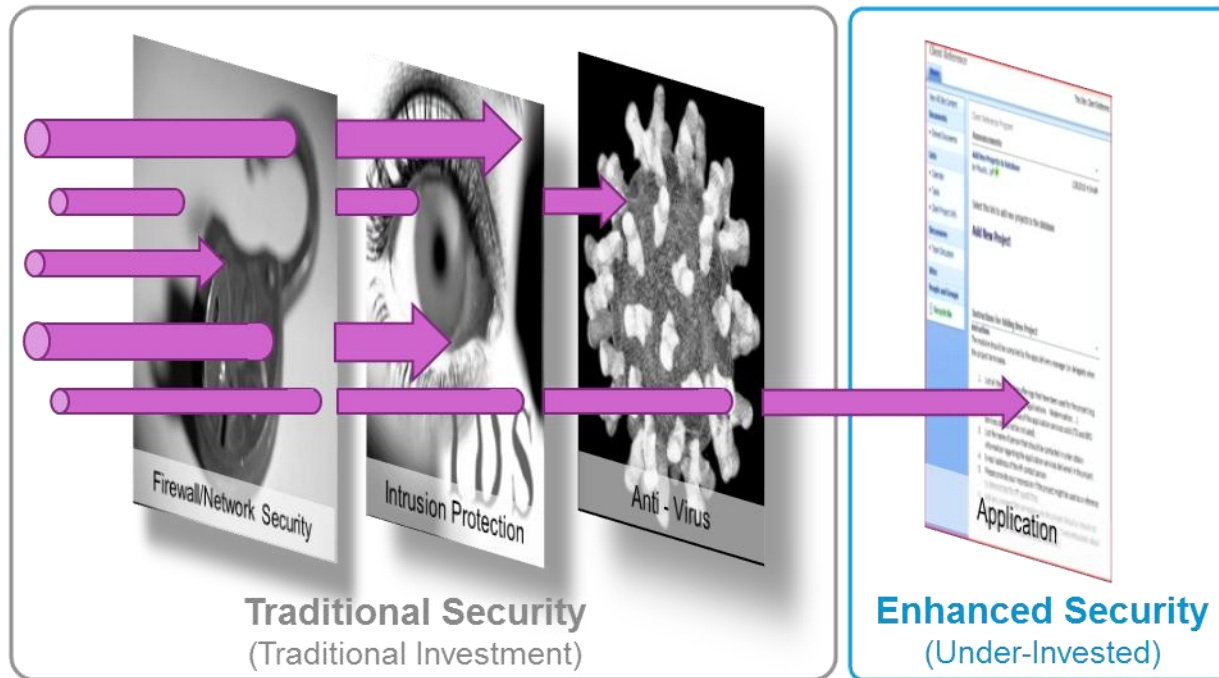
The solution: Applications Security



CATA: HP Comprehensive Applications Threat Analysis

Strong Protection is Needed at all Layers

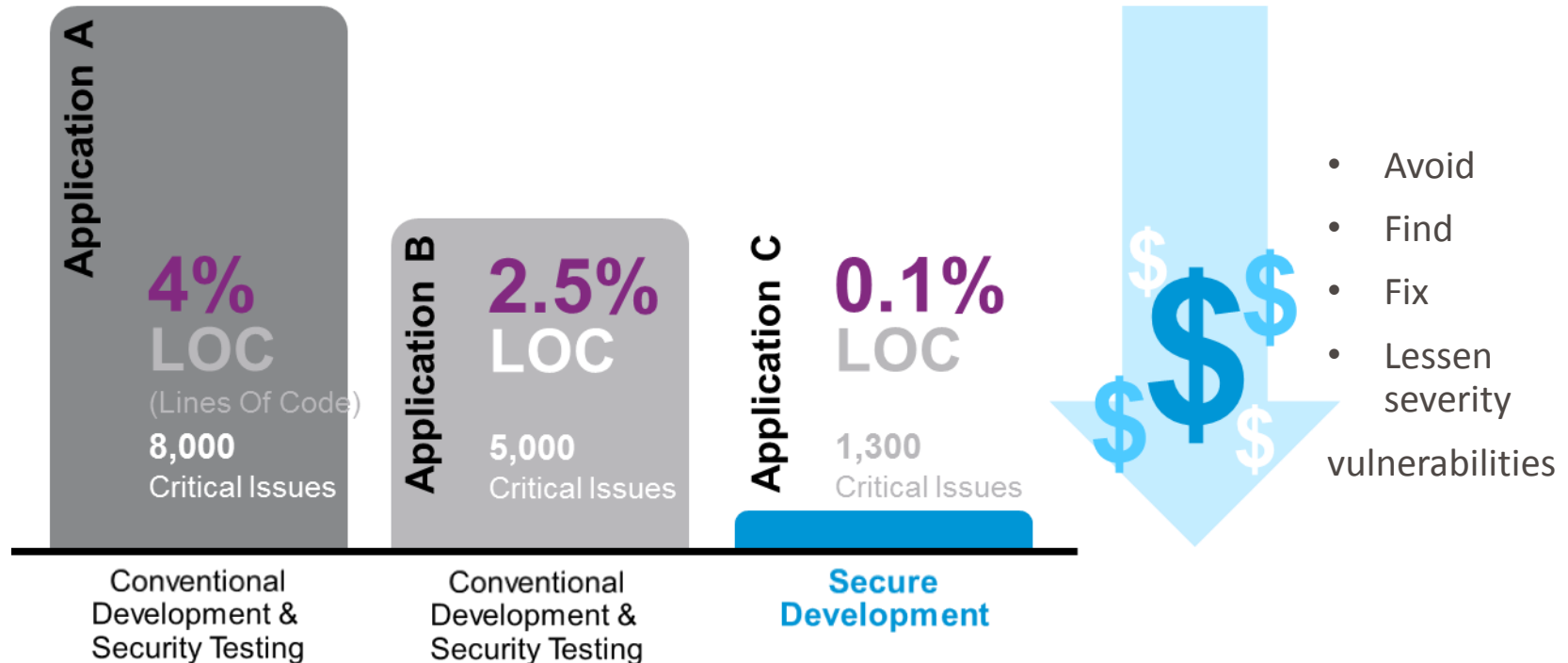
The Enterprise requires flexible, end-to-end security...



More than 70% of successful exploits result from application vulnerabilities

Secure Development – Lowering Cost

U.S. Department of Defense applications examples



Why Application Security Matters to You

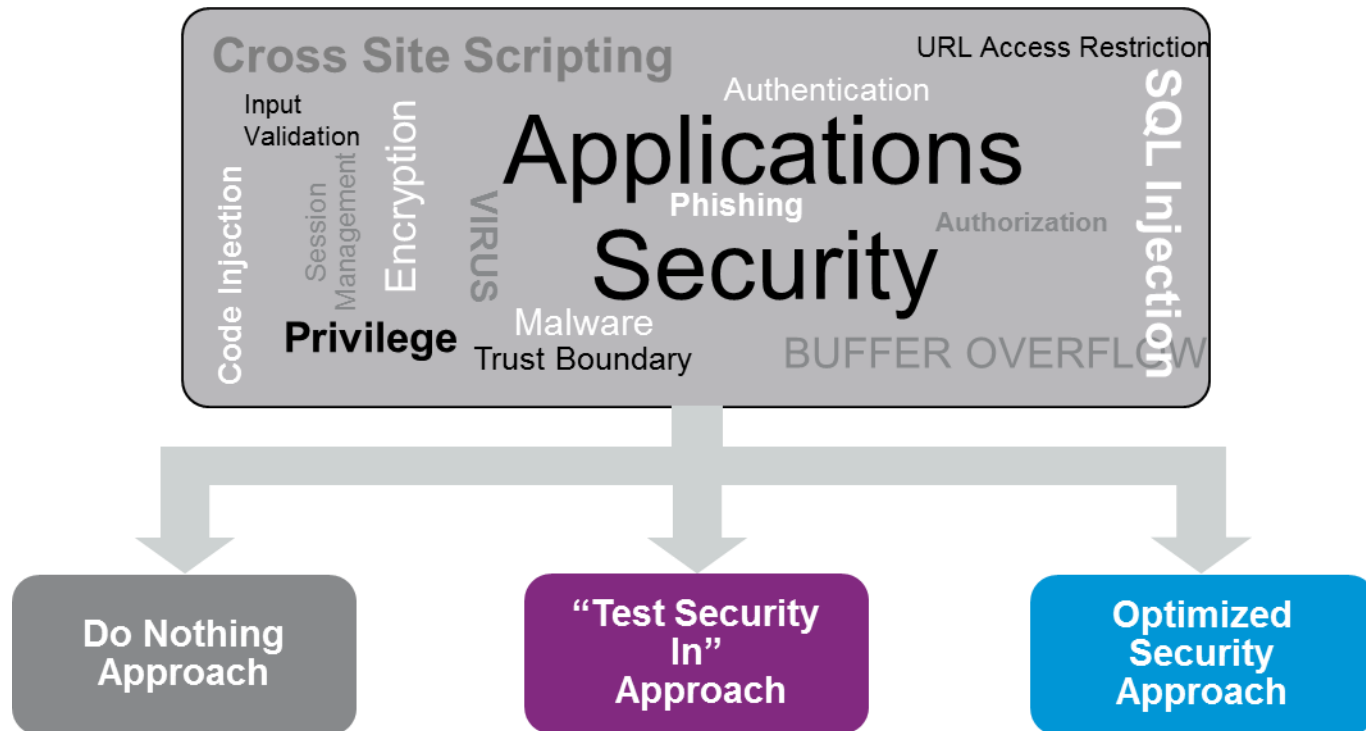
- Is any of your software mission critical?
- What's the cost/impact if your applications are broken into?
- Cloud security
- Mobile security
- Applications transformation
- Applications development
- Applications management

Securing Your Applications

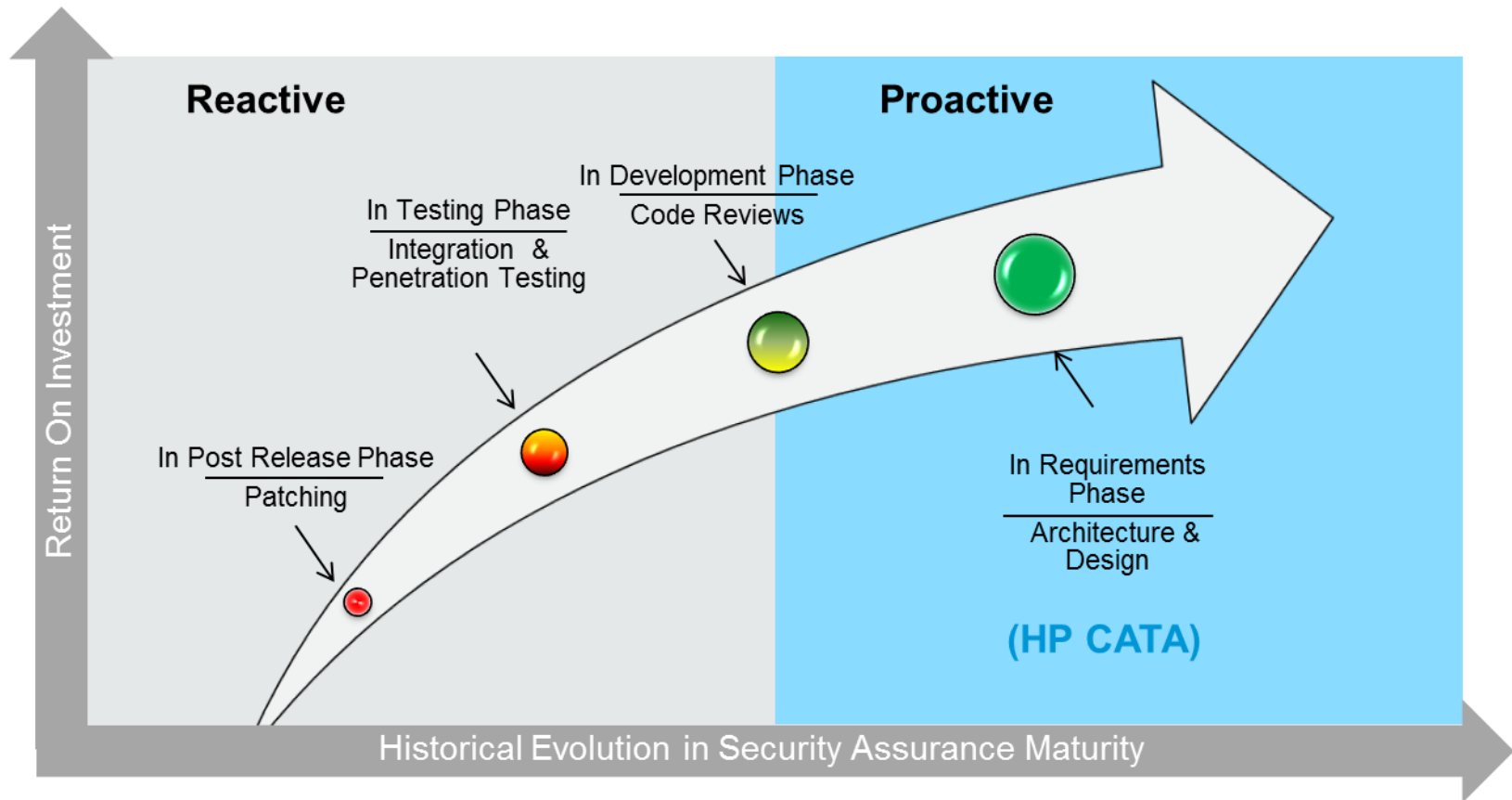
“Long-term recommendations: Implement an applications security program [...] Implement more strategic and **preventive** security measures, such as **threat modeling, secure design,** and code-level analysis, throughout your application lifecycle, from the **requirements** phase to production.”

• [Application Security: 2011 And Beyond - Forrester Research](#)

Approaches to Solving Application Threats



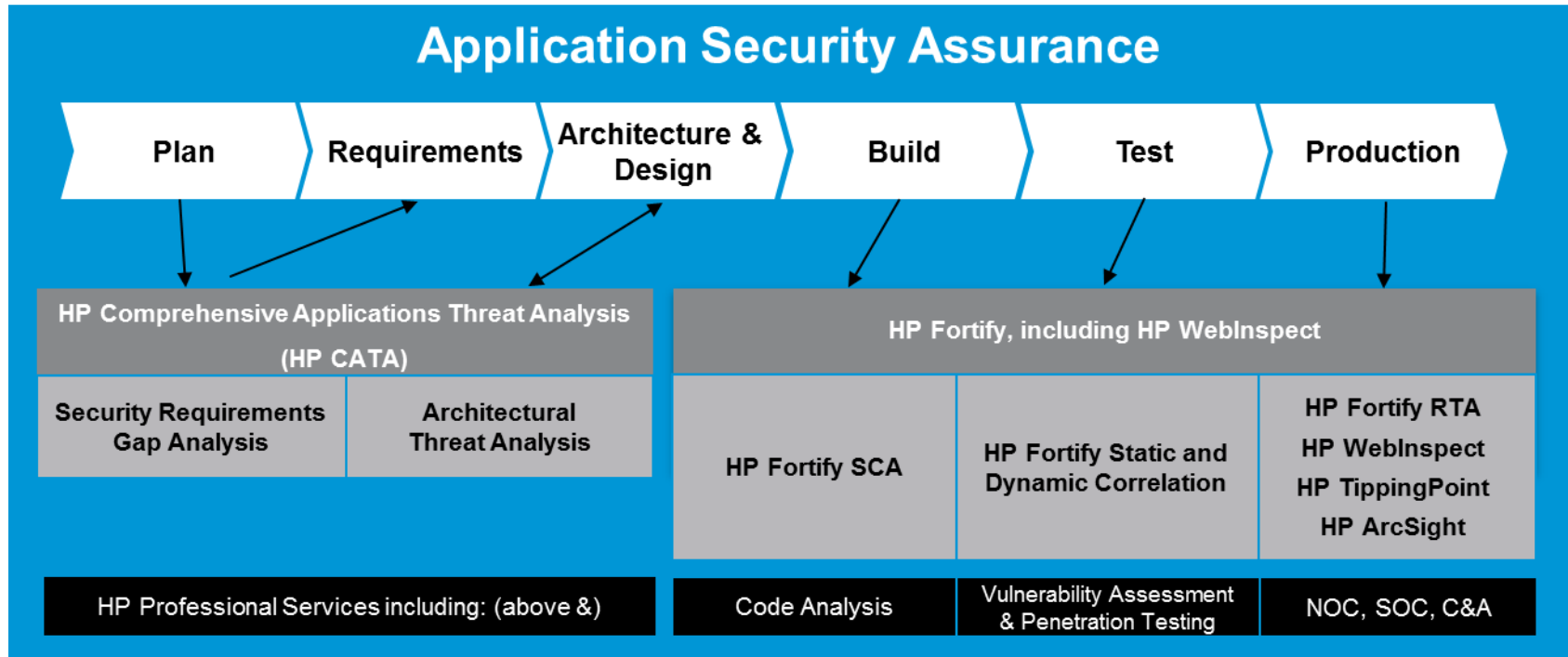
Extending Security Assurance for Today's Realities



Why do Architectural Assurance?

- Architecture is simpler yet more powerful than code
 - Analysis is more straight-forward, reducing cost
 - Analysis is more comprehensive, as the entire architecture can be analyzed
- Build in fault tolerance through architecture
 - Programs won't be 100% defect-free
 - Resilience to coding defects
- All developers won't be security experts
 - Sound security architectures limit the risk of vulnerabilities

HP—the only vendor with full lifecycle coverage



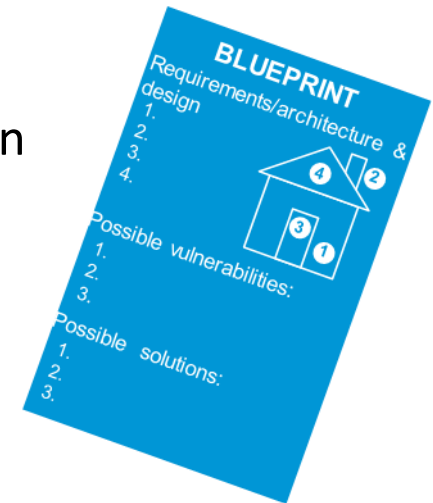
HP Comprehensive Applications Threat Analysis (HP CATA)

HP CATA At-a-Glance

- HP's industry-leading, highly effective security quality assessment
- Designed to greatly reduce the problem of security defects in applications
- Reduces applications Total Cost of Ownership
- Builds security into applications, doesn't merely test it in

Service components:

- Security Requirements Gap Analysis
- Architectural Threat Analysis



Security Requirements Gap Analysis component

Provides analysis of an application to identify often-missed application security requirements...

...that need to be included in technical security requirements imposed by relevant laws, regulations, or practices.

Deliverables:

- Prioritized and vetted list of security requirements or control gaps
- Action plan to remediate

Benefits:

- Avoids costly missed or insufficiently addressed security requirements or controls
- Finds issues much earlier than alternate approaches
- Enables fixing issues with little to no rework cost
- Inexpensive and comprehensive security requirements fit analysis
- Provides inexpensive access to scarce security expertise
- Delivers repeatable, rapid break-even time, high ROI

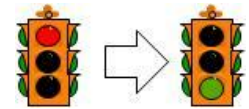
Threat Analysis: build in cross-architecture resiliency

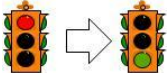
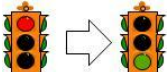


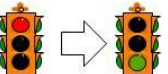
Avoiding inconsistent and poor security



Weak points (like picket fence above) are very common in application design where obvious indicators of mistakes aren't available

Architectural Threat Analysis findings



Security Risk Addressed/ Review Progress	Past Behavior	Fix
Least privilege 	All process daemons running as root gaining full access to the box and defects can lead to unauthorized code running as root	Create restricted user account and use it to run the process daemons Deploy protection software to limit the rights of user accounts.
Support for third party certificates 	Using self-signed certificates hinders customer validation, exposing customer and servers to man-in-the-middle attacks .	Replaced self-signed certificates and provided means for validating the certificates correctly
Insufficient authentication strength 	A username and password combination is a very weak authentication scheme, and susceptible to guessing attacks and cascading breaches . Users may put sticky notes with passwords on their monitors or share passwords between systems	implement two-factor user authentication
World-writable directory 	Web application configuration files were world -writable exposing them to an external attacker to be able to modify important application characteristics	Included file system checks in build scripts . Protect and monitor critical system files with a critical file monitoring solution .
Allowing application access from BYOD 	Allowed access to web and mobile applications from non-corporate owned devices. Data is frequently misused and stored insecurely violating state and federal regulations as well as possible theft or data loss .	Implement endpoint security

How is this Approach Different?

Reactive approach (Traditional)

Code-oriented

Security validation after code is written

Focused on known vulnerabilities

“Test security in” (rework)

Test everything or miss something

Rely on organically grown security expertise

Limited security testing to contain cost

Hope you find vulnerabilities before attackers

Proactive approach (HP CATA)

Architecturally oriented

Security modeled in design, before coding begins

Proactive approach for known & unknown vulnerabilities

“Build security in”

Optimized ROI and risk-driven approach

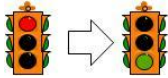
Utilize expert consultants & leverage available in-house security expertise

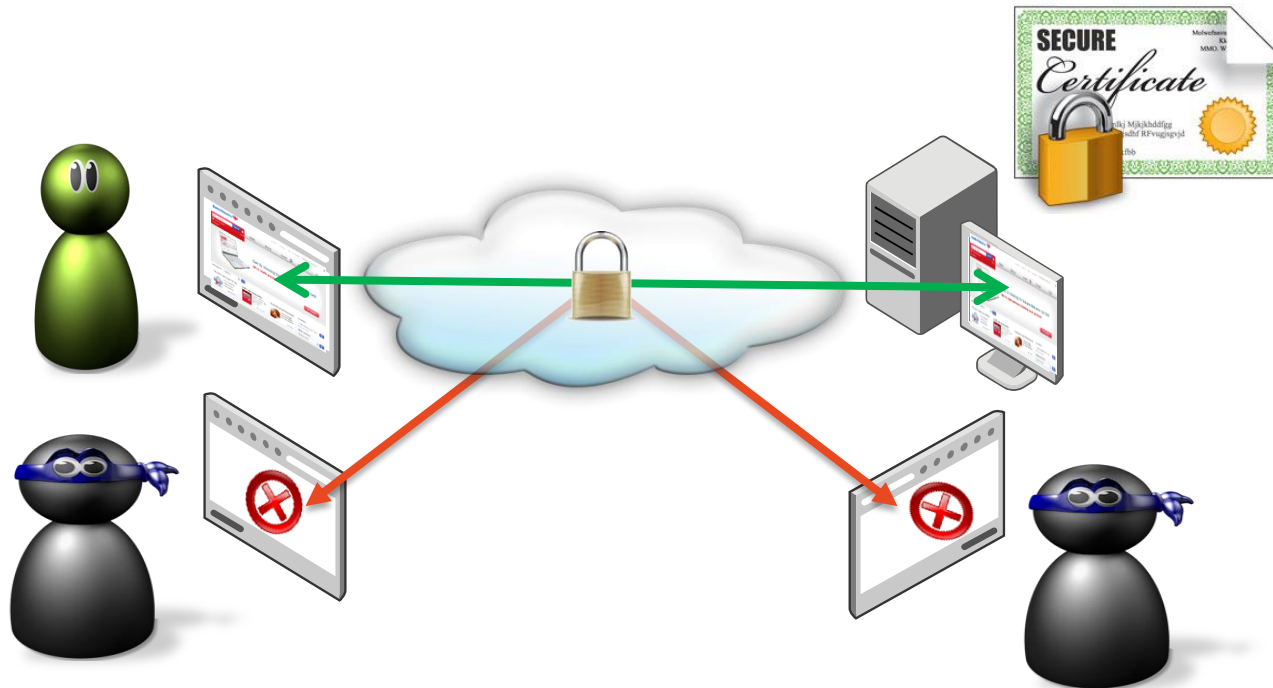
Inexpensive high-level assessment to prioritize testing investment

Security assurance + testing to catch few escapes

Addressing findings with Symantec Solutions

Self Signed Certificates

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SSL Certificates and more



Seal In Search



Norton Secured Seal



Extended Validation certificates



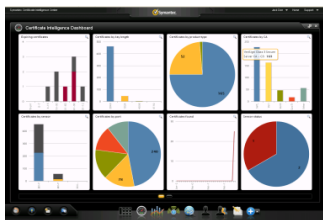
Always-On SSL



SGC Premium certificates



Anti-Malware Scanning




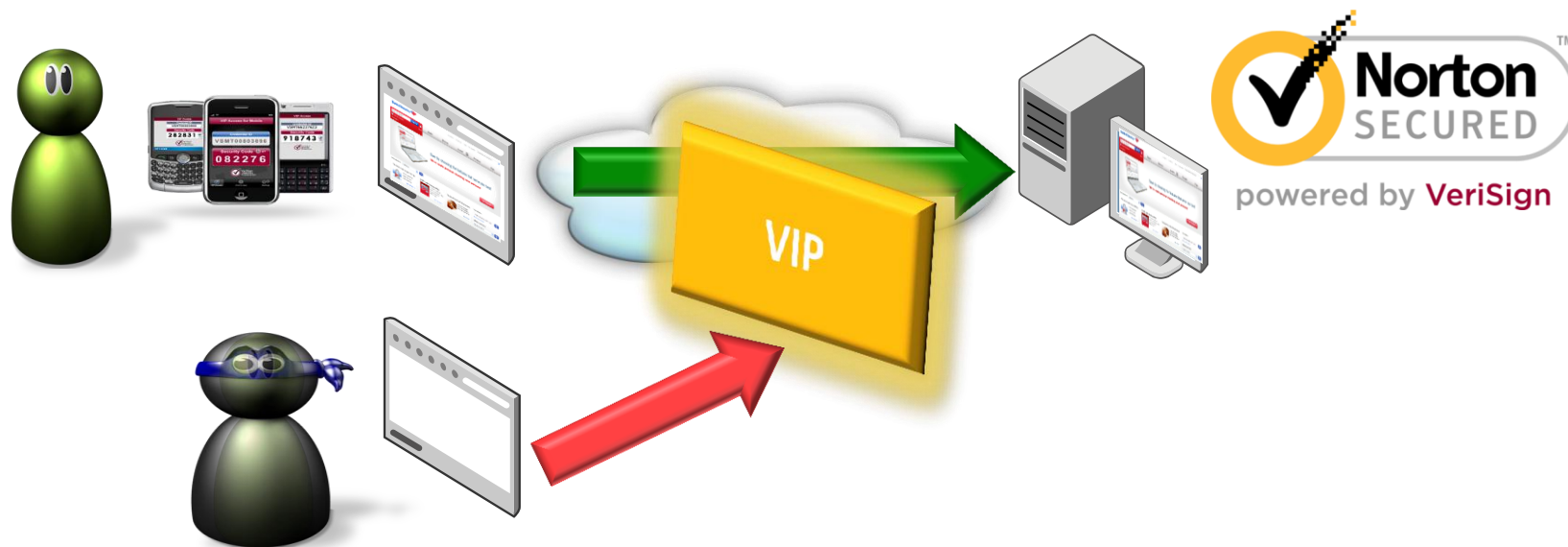
Certificate Intelligence Center



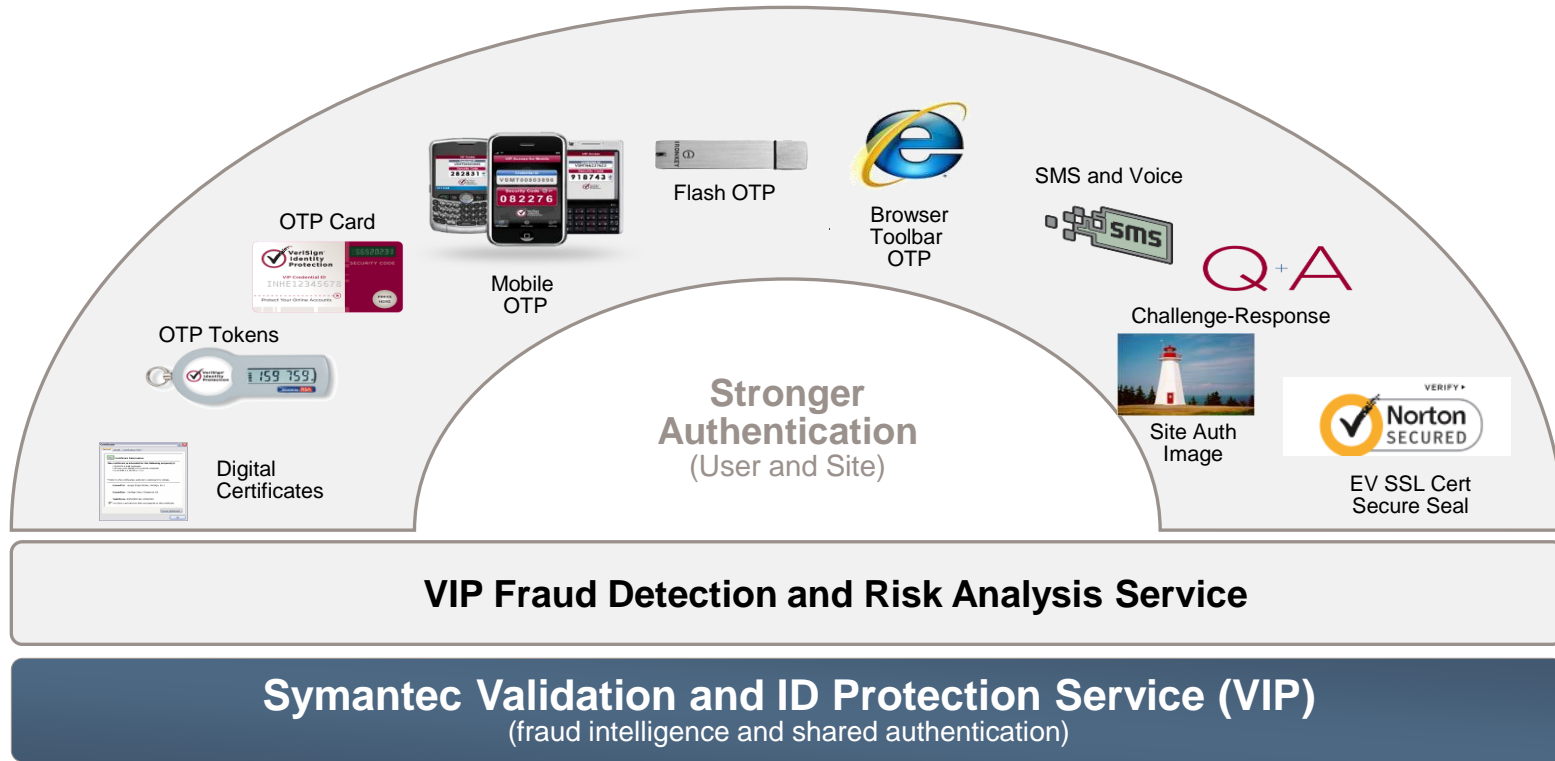
Vulnerability Assessment

Risk based Authentication

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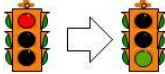


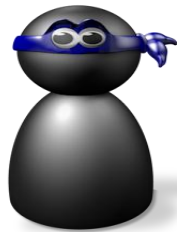
VIP: Complete Solution for Authentication



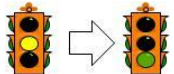
Lacking Least Privilege

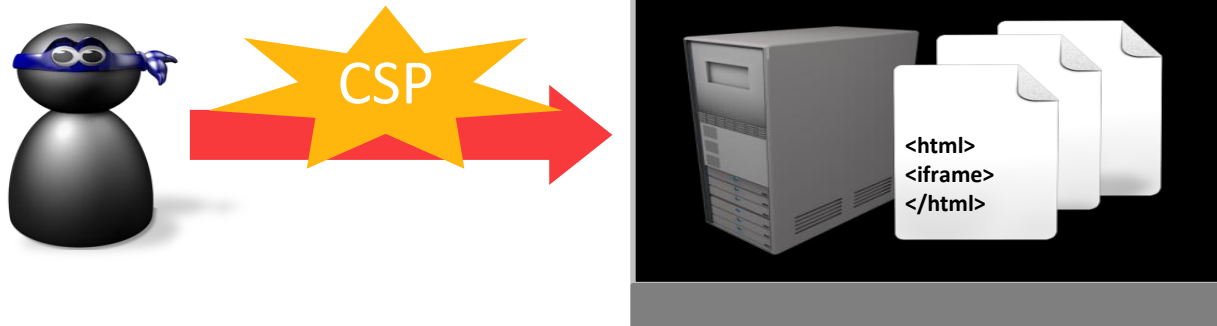
Restricting Root and other Accounts

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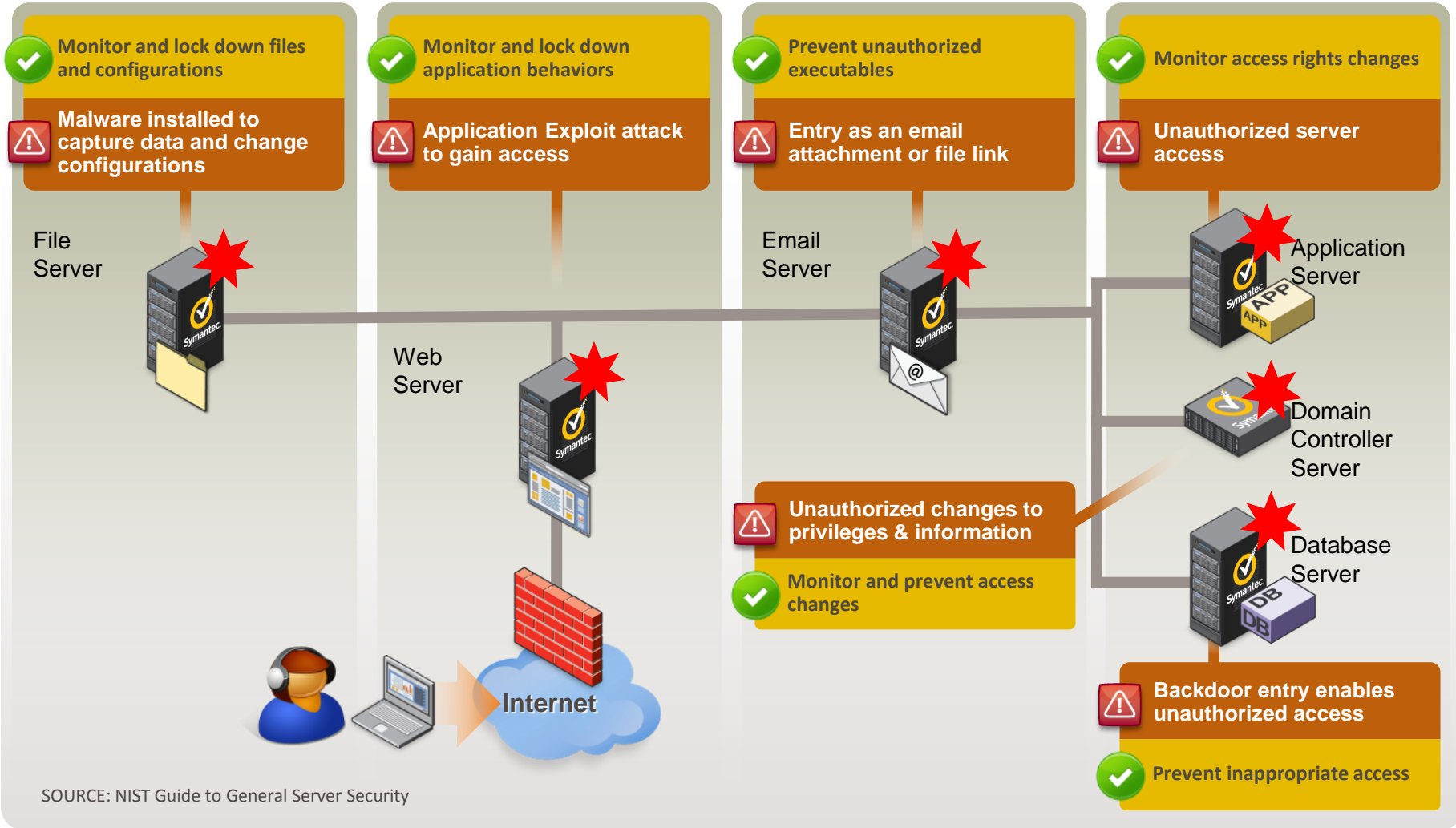
Critical File Monitoring and Protection

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Critical System Protection

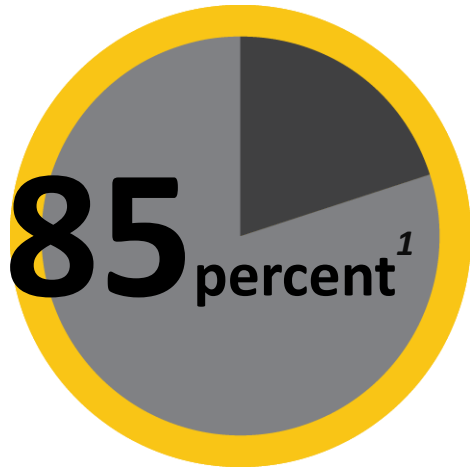
Stop Internal & External Attacks To Servers



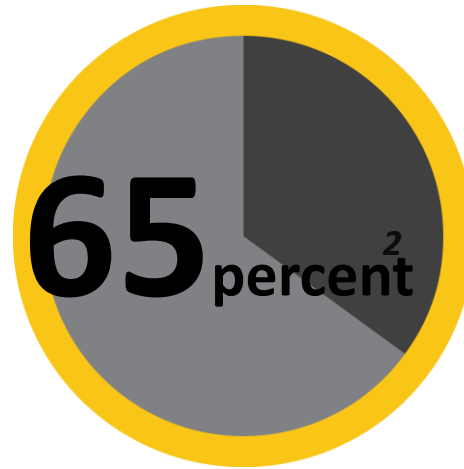
Data Security at the endpoint



Changes In Working Style moving to mobile



...of net new software built in 2013 will be built for cloud delivery.



...of enterprises allow mobile access to their network.



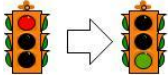
...of info workers use three or more devices for work.

1. IDC, "IDC Directions 2013 Presentation", Robert Mahowald, March 2013

2. The Impact of Mobile Devices on Information Security: A Survey of IT Professionals, Check Point, (January 2012), <http://www.checkpoint.com/downloads/products/check-point-mobile-security-survey-report.pdf>

3. Info Workers Using Mobile And Personal Devices For Work Will Transform Personal Tech Markets, Frank E. Gillett, Forrester Research, Inc., 22 February, 2012

Addressing the endpoint

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 - HP Contact: allen.haws@hp.com.
- Require, Architect, and Design security in, such as with HP CATA (HP Comprehensive Applications Threat Analysis)
 - <http://www.hp.com/go/CATA>
 - Including IEEE Security & Privacy article reprint – [Resilient Security Architecture](#)
- Build security early and throughout SDLC
 - Requirements, architecture, design: e.g. HP CATA
 - Implementation: e.g. HP Fortify Static Code Analyzer (SCA)
 - Testing: e.g. HP Fortify WebInspect
 - Decide which multi-platform security solutions from Symantec address CATA findings



Q&A



**We can protect what matters.
Together.**