



Security matters

Financial crime prevention: 'the human factor'

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‘There are only two types of organisations in the world.....’

Actually Cyber Security is actually all about risk, risk to people and business..



- **Risk:** *Likelihood that a **threat** will exploit a **vulnerability** and cause harm*
- **Vulnerability:** *A flaw or **weakness** that allows **threat** to succeed in causing harm*
- **Threat:** *A possible **danger** that might **exploit** a **vulnerability** to breach security and therefore cause possible harm*
- **Likelihood:** *A rough **measure** of how likely a particular **vulnerability** is to be uncovered and **exploited***
- **Exploit:** *Something that takes advantage of a **vulnerability** to cause harm*
- **Impact:** ***Extent** of the resulting harm*
- **Options for Treating Risk:**
 - **Transfer**
 - **Avoid**
 - **Reduce**
 - **Accept**

Risk is the probability of a **threat agent** exploiting a **vulnerability** and the resulting business **impact**. For example, an open port could be a vulnerability and the corresponding threat agent could be a hacker who gets through that port and causes damage or loss, such as accessing customer credit card information in a backend database.

Understanding risk



- **What's the "Hazard" we are talking about** – *Hazard is something that has potential to cause damage e.g. Confidential data stored in live computing environments, PCI related maybe*
- **What are the "Top events" that can emerge from the "Hazard"** – *Moment when control is lost over the Hazard e.g. unauthorized access to the confidential data*
- **What leads to this Top event** – *In other words "Threats" that will cause top event e.g. A Malware*
- **What are the potential consequences of this** – *Results from the Top Event e.g. Exposure to sensitive data, Reputational damage, Legal or Regulatory Action*
- **Are there any controls/"barriers" in place already** – *Barriers interrupt the scenario so that the threats do not result in a Loss of Control (the Top Event) or do not escalate into an actual impact (the consequences)*
- **Are there any potential vulnerabilities/ weaknesses from the controls themselves** – *If the barrier fails e.g. For instance, a door that opens and closes automatically using an electrical mechanism might fail if there's a power failure; A solution for this might be a Backup Generator!*
- **Explore and complete the Risk state** – *can the risks can be quantified ?*
- **Close the Loop before moving to the next phase** – *Have we covered everything?*
- **Move to the next phase** – *We should have covered both Why and What by now. The potential next step is defining the "how"*

So where are we ?



Security as an after thought

Security whack-a-mole



Not Operationalised

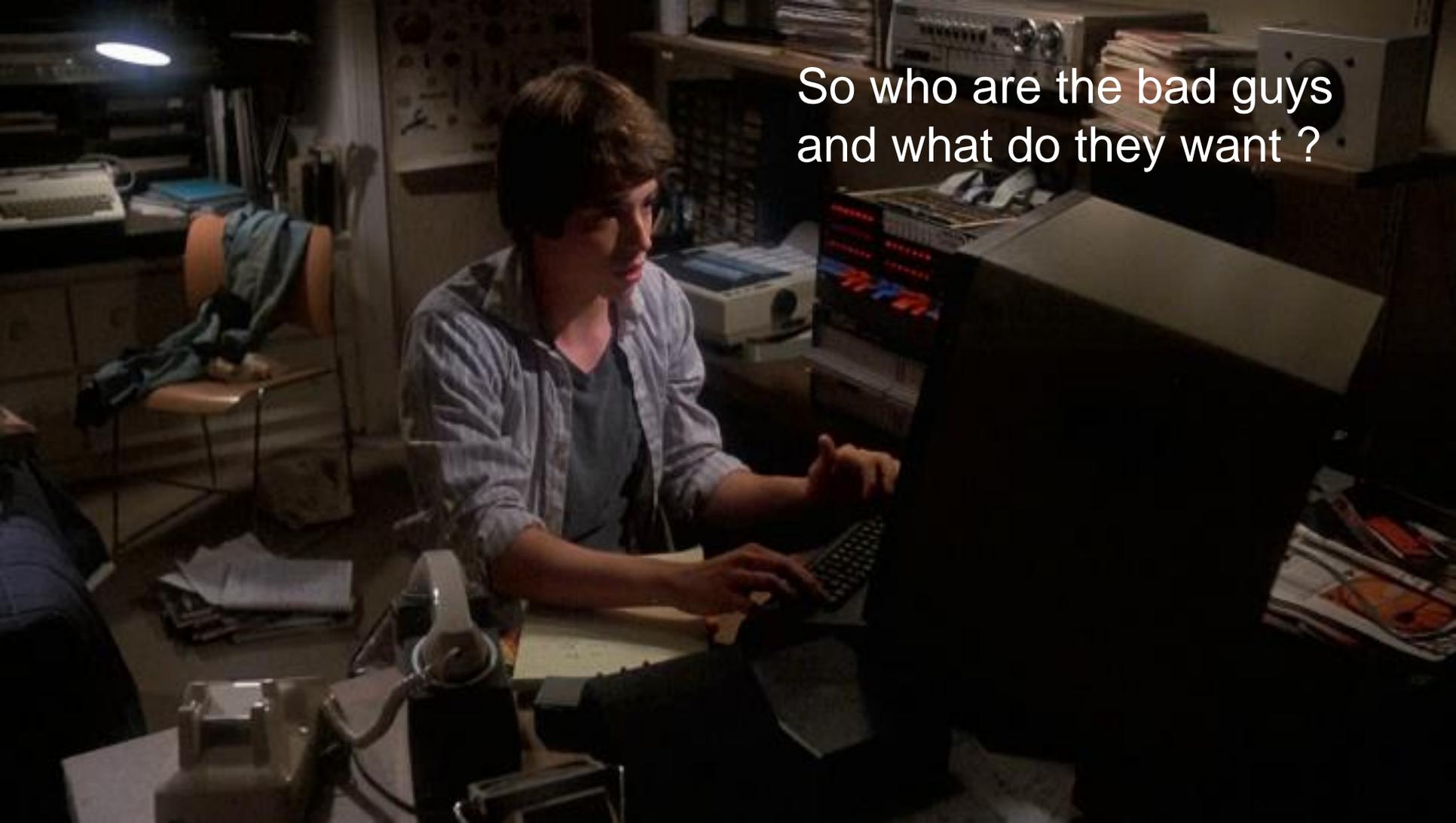
Technology Lead



Security vs. Compliance

Fragmented and siloed



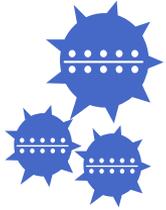
A man with dark hair, wearing a blue and white striped button-down shirt over a dark t-shirt, is seated at a desk in a cluttered office. He is looking intently at a large, dark computer monitor. His hands are on a keyboard. The desk is covered with papers, a telephone, and other office equipment. In the background, there are shelves with stacks of papers, a printer, and a speaker. The lighting is dim, with a desk lamp providing a focused light on the man's face.

So who are the bad guys
and what do they want ?

Different stages of an attack



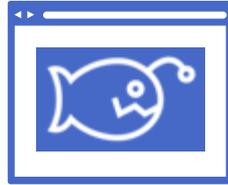
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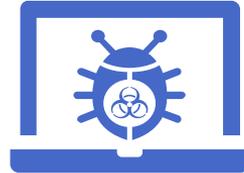
Staging



Launch



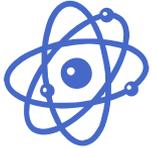
Exploitation



Install



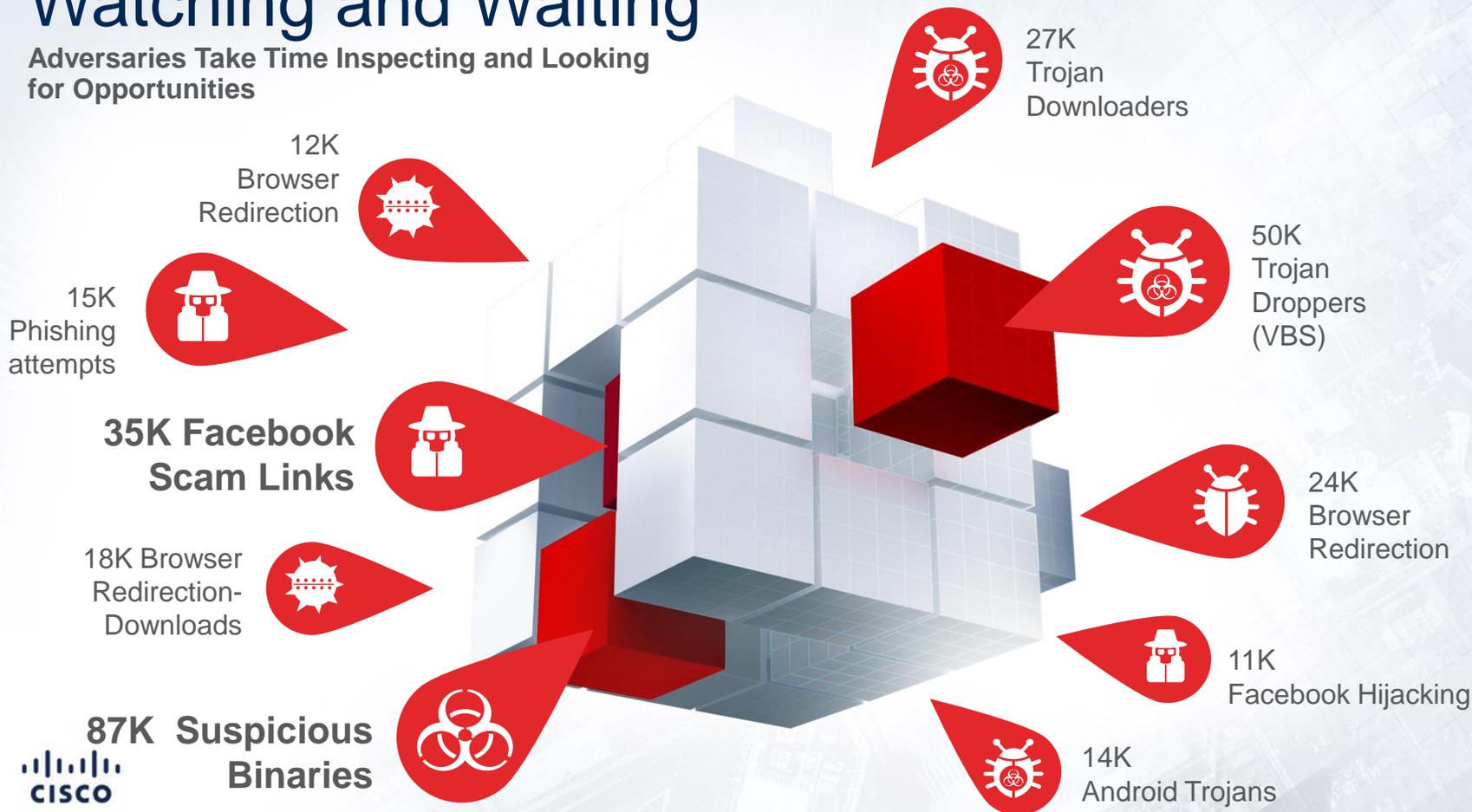
Callback



Persist

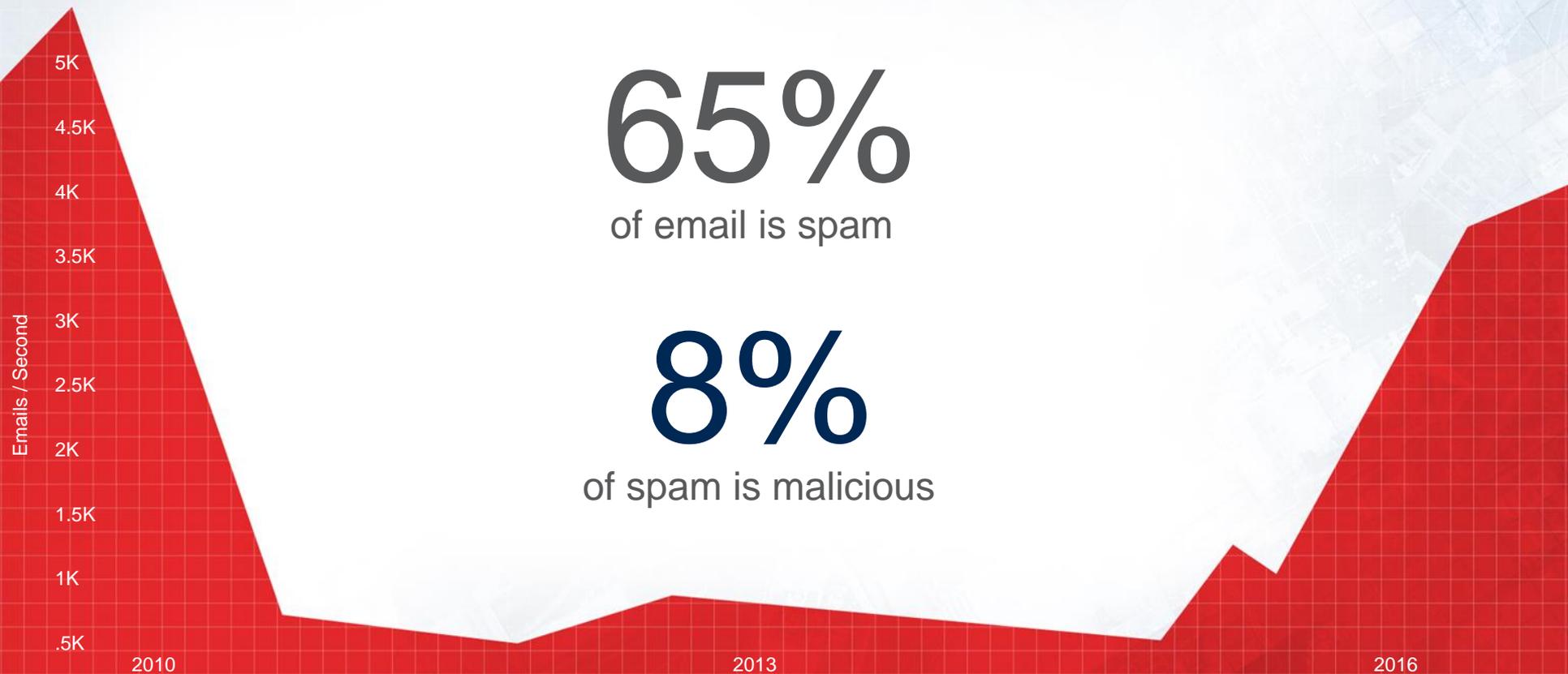
Watching and Waiting

Adversaries Take Time Inspecting and Looking for Opportunities



Spam Comes Roaring Back

Email is Back in Vogue



Adware and Malvertising Shift Into High Gear



Malvertising

Using brokers (gates) to increase speed and agility

Switching quickly between servers without changing redirection

ShadowGate: a cost-effective campaign



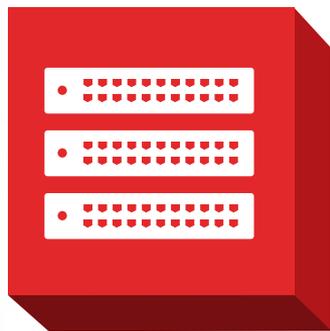
Adware

75%

of organizations investigated had adware infections

Vulnerabilities on the Rise

Adversaries Find Space and Time on the Server Side.



Server
(from 2332 to 3142)

▲ **34%**



Client
(from 2300 to 2106)

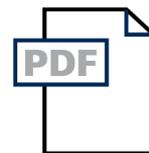
▼ **8%**



Network
(from 501 to 396)

▼ **20%**

Middleware Vulnerabilities



20
PDF



12
Image



10
Office



9
Compression



11
Other

Losses After an Attack Are Real for Organizations



Opportunity

- Productivity loss through downtime
- Political
- Reduced pace of innovation



Money

- Ransomware, \$24M 2015 - \$1bn 2016
- Average cost of breach \$4m
(IBM/Ponemon)
- Theft, each sensitive record \$158
(IBM/Ponemon)
- Reduced price M & A
- Market manipulation
- Fine, ICO, GDPR



Customers

- Customer can move their business
- TalkTalk, 101,000

Lack of Cybersecurity Hinders Innovation in the Digital Era

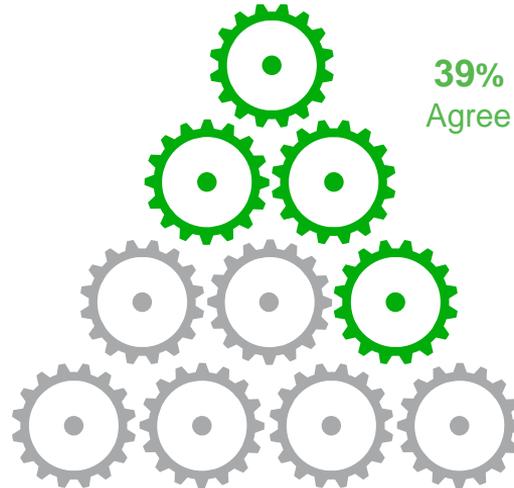
Survey

“Cybersecurity **risks and threats** hinder innovation in my organisation.”



Survey

“My organisation **halted a mission-critical initiative** due to cybersecurity fears.”

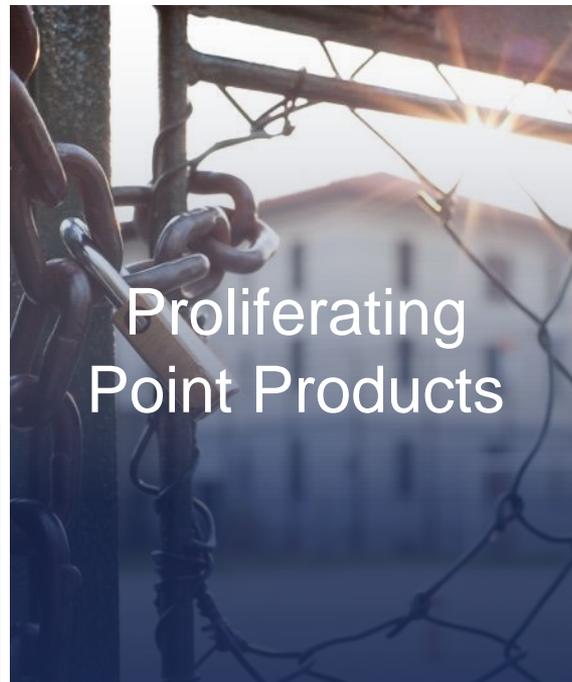


“Innovations are moving forward, but probably at 70%-80% of what they otherwise could if there were better tools to deal with the dark cloud of cybersecurity threats.”

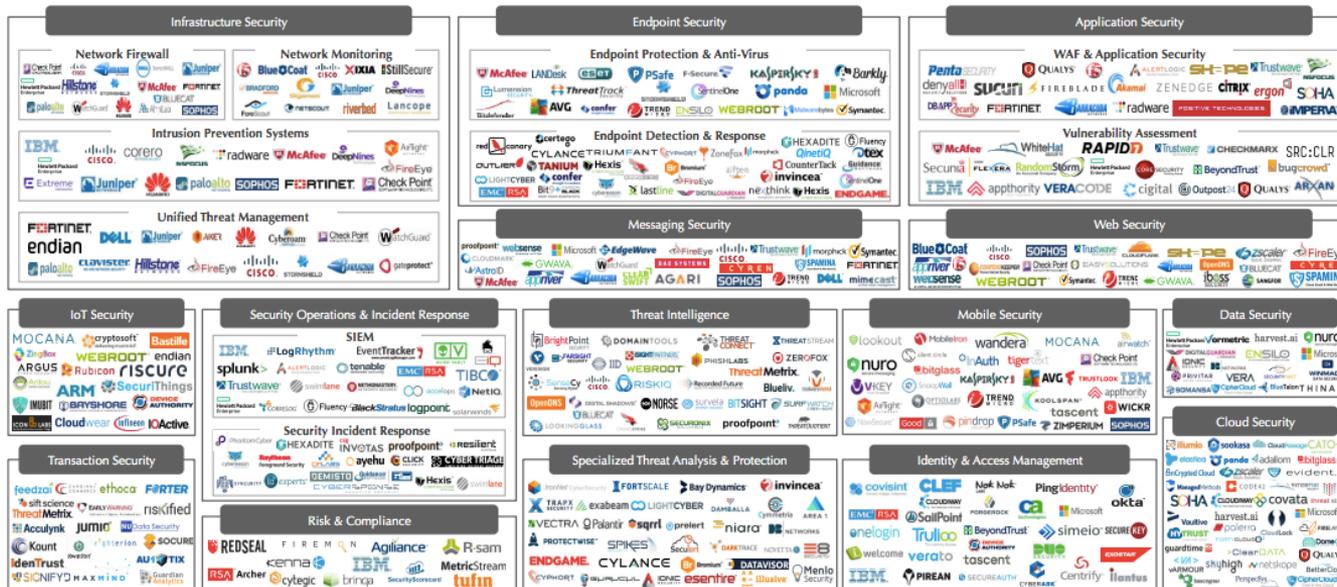
Robert Simmons
CFO

Problem

Complexity: Are We Secure Yet?



The product centric approach

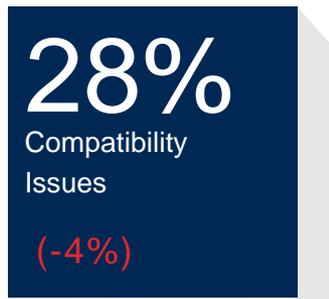


Source: Momentum Partners.



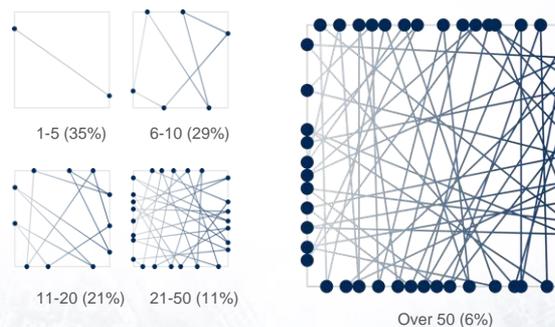
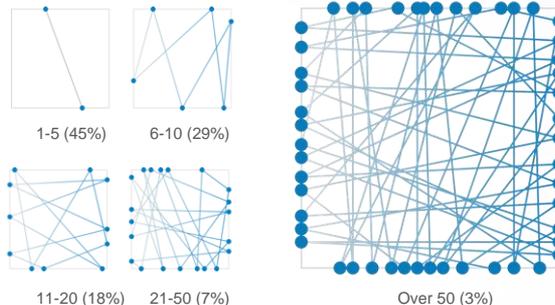
Biggest Obstacles to Advancing Security

Business Constraints



(Change from 2015)

Complexity



Vendor

55%

of organizations use 6 to >50 security vendors

2016 (n=2,850)

Products

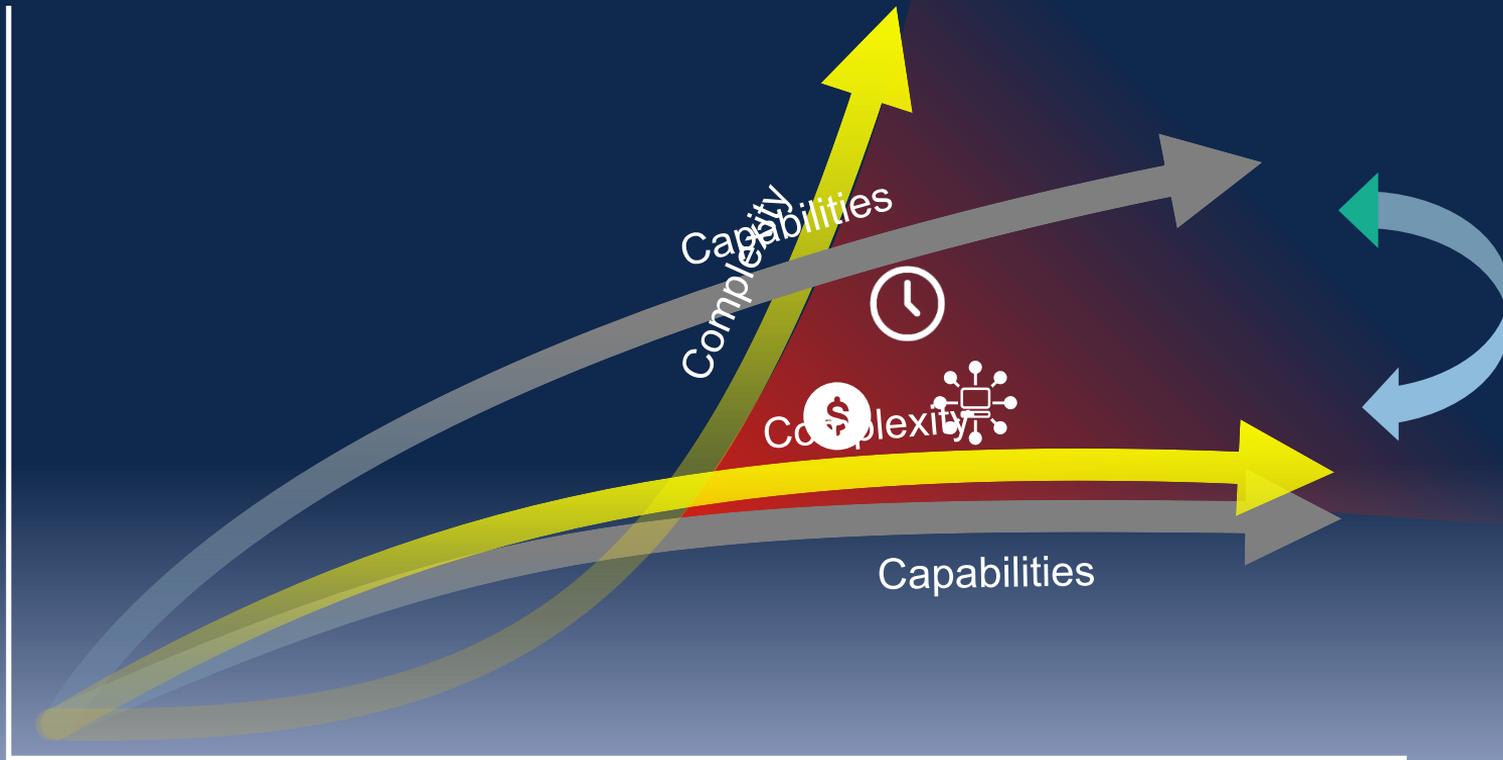
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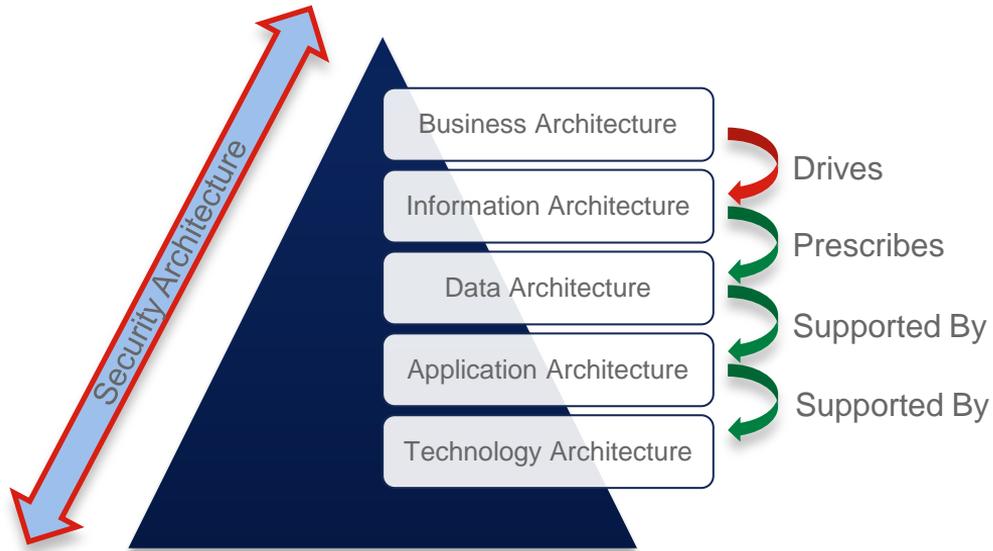
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The Security Effectiveness Gap

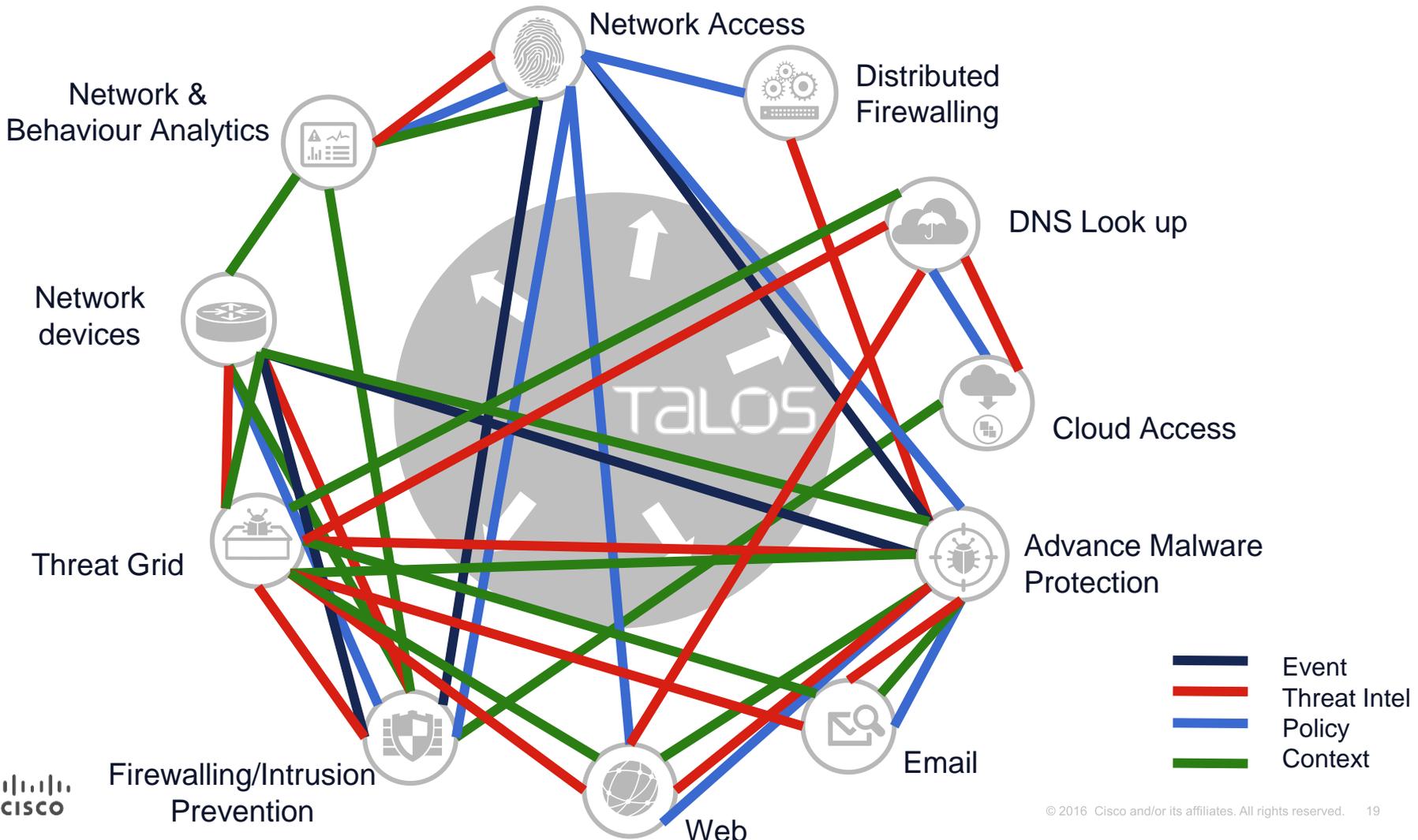
Cisco Security Closes the Gap



The Architectural Approach

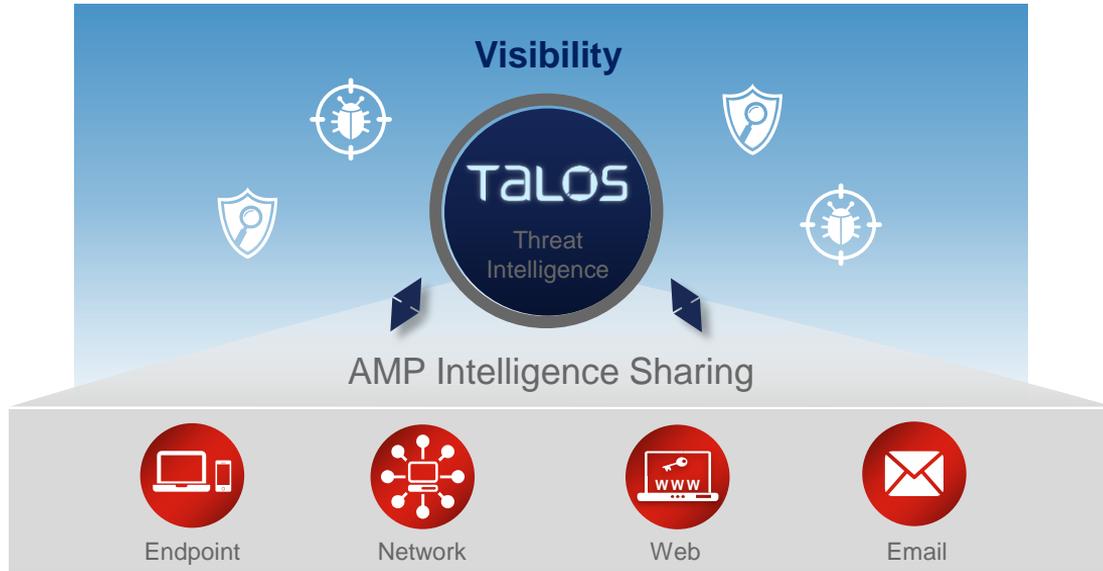


- Integral Part of Enterprise Architecture
- Vital Element of IT Strategy that aligns to Business Goals
- Always Top Down
- Cuts Across horizontally
- An enabler for Business to meet its vision



Advanced Malware Protection

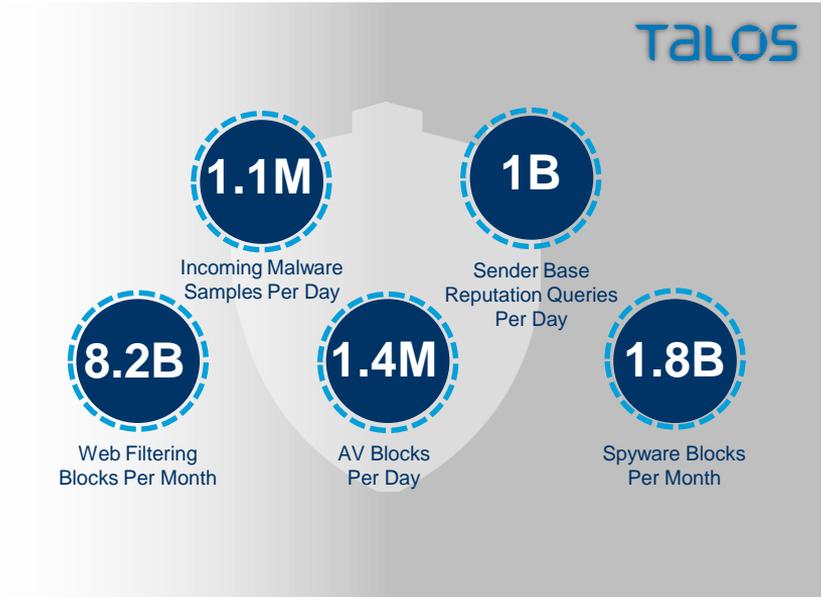
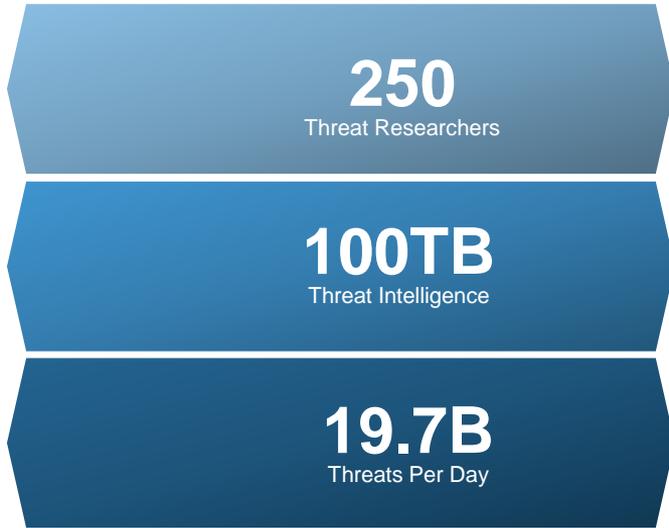
AMP Everywhere: See Once, Protect Everywhere



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Talos provides the best threat intelligence capabilities

World-Class Threat Research



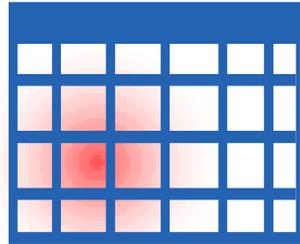
More Effective Against Sophisticated Attacks

Much Faster Than Most Organisations Discover Breaches

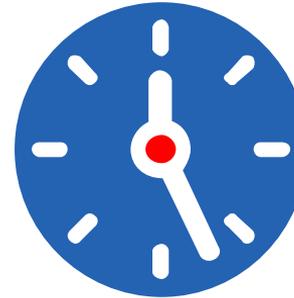
Industry

100

DAYS



VS.



Cisco

Less than

~~13~~ **6**

hours

Source: Cisco Annual Security Report, 2016

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