

# CLOUD COMPUTING SECURITY – ARE YOU FORGETTING SOMETHING?

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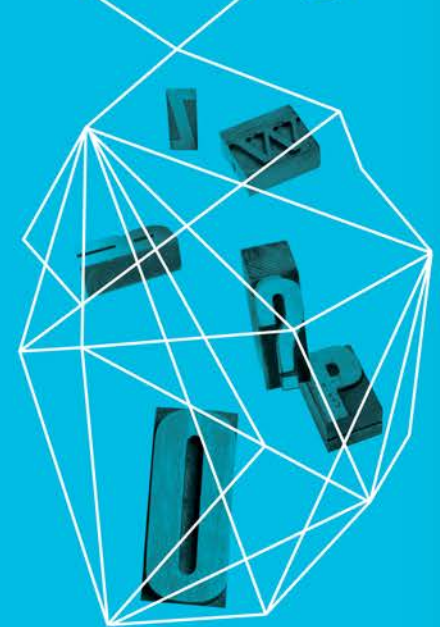
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# Prolog: The Security Journey Continues

- **New, More, Bigger, Better ...**
    - **SYSTEMS**
    - **APPLICATIONS**
    - **SERVICES**
      - -> *New Risks*
      - -> *New Vulnerabilities*
      - -> *New Hacking methods*
        - *Viruses, Worms, RATS, Bots ...*
- (Remote Access TROJANS = Spyware)*
- > **GOVERNANCE & COMPLIANCE!**
  - > **CLOUD**
  - > **MOBILE & APPS**



- **Data Privacy**
- **Data Leakage**

# Some 2013 Cyber-Security Predictions

## CNET

- 1 The internet as government tool
- 2 More mobile devices, bigger targets
- 3 Desktop threat, still a threat
- 4 Privacy & Data Breaches

## FORBES

### Biggest CyberSecurity Threats

- 1 Social Engineering
- 2 APT's
- 3 Internal Threats
- 4 BYOD
- 5 Cloud
- 6 HTML5

## NETWORK WORLD

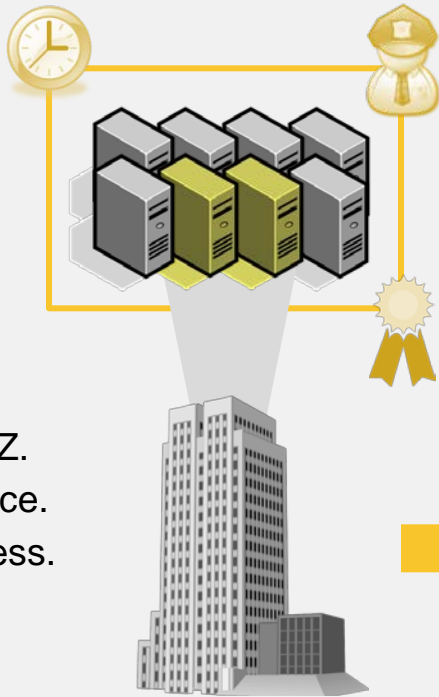
- 1 Hactivism gets worse
- 2 Continued Cyber-waffling on Capitol Hill
- 3 Mobile malware whopper
- 4 Boom Year for Security Services

## INTEL

- 1 Real target are BANKS
- 2 Legislation remains inconsistent across geographies
- 3 Government invests heavily in Cyber
- 4 More regulations
- 5 Mobile malware and attacks increase
- 6 Covert attacks get better /worse

# Cloud Computing – Security Considerations

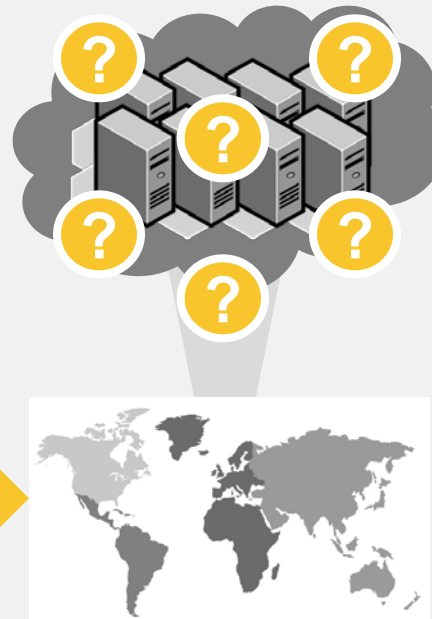
## Data Center



### We Have Control

It's located at X.  
It's stored in server's Y, Z.  
We have backups in place.  
Our admins control access.  
Our uptime is sufficient.  
The auditors are happy.  
Our security team is engaged.

## Public Cloud



### Who Has Control?

Where is it located?  
Where is it stored?  
Who backs it up?  
Who has access?  
How resilient is it?  
How do auditors observe?  
How does our security team engage?

# Top Threats to Cloud Computing

## Cloud Security Risks / Threats

- Shared Technology Vulnerabilities
- Data Loss/Data Leakage
- Malicious Insiders
- Account Service or Hijacking of Traffic
- Insecure APIs
- Nefarious Use of Service
- Unknown Risk Profile



## Changing Landscape - Cloud Computing

- Cloud computing illustrates a serious gap between technology implementation and the skills necessary to provide security. 74% said new skills were necessary to help alleviate concerns.





# The Myth: “Our Site Is Safe”

## **We Have Firewalls and IPS in Place**

Port 80 & 443 are open for the right reasons

## **We Audit It Once a Quarter with Pen Testers**

Applications are constantly changing



## **We Use Network Vulnerability Scanners**

Neglect the security of the software on the network/web server

## **We Use SSL Encryption**

Only protects data between site and user not the web application itself

# Cloud attracting hackers, warns security body

It says fog in the cloud can be cloak for criminals to hide

Reports by RAJU CHELLAM  
BEWARE of the fogs that the clouds conceal. Since

have overridden security concerns. In some cases, the business has bypassed internal functions altogether and contracted directly with cloud suppliers."

The result? Corporate security functions are battling

world.international

## Hackers break into Nasdaq Web service

'Suspicious files' detected on exchange's Directors Desk, where 300 firms share info with directors

NEW YORK: Hackers broke into a Nasdaq service that handles confidential communications for some 300 corporations, the company said - the latest vulnerability exposed in the computer systems that Wall Street depends on.

### Monster attack steals user data

US job website Monster.com has suffered an online attack with the personal data of hundreds of thousands of users stolen, says a security firm.

A computer program was used to access the employers' section of the website using stolen log-in credentials.

### WORLD

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TODAY - FRIDAY 11 JUN 2010 - SINGAPORE

## Website flaw lets hackers access iPad user's data

SAN FRANCISCO - A group of hackers said on Wednesday that it had obtained the email addresses of 114,000 owners of 3G Apple iPads, including those of military personnel, business executives and public figures, by exploiting a security hole on the website of American telecommunications company AT&T.

to minimise its importance.

The hackers exploited an insecure way that AT&T's website would prompt iPad users when they tried to log into their AT&T accounts through the devices.

The site would supply users' email addresses, to make log ins easier, based on the ICC-ID.

The company said that it had



Mr Michael Kleeman, a communications network expert at the University of California, said AT&T should never have stored the information on a publicly accessible website. But he added that the damage was likely to be limited.

"You could in theory find out where the device is," he said.

a security strategy computing.

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SINGAPORE

## Glitch spills UBS clients' info

Wealthy customers saw details of others' online accounts, but bank says number affected is small

KENNY CHEE

A TECHNICAL glitch at Swiss bank UBS gave its wealthy customers in Singapore and Hong Kong a shock last week when they logged on to their online accounts.

Asked how many clients were affected, all she said was that "some limited account information concerning a small number of UBS wealth-management clients was accessible by a very limited number of other system users". She added that fewer than five accessed the infor-

ing to the incident and has implemented measures to prevent a similar occurrence in the future.

The bank also reported the incident to the banking authorities here and in Hong Kong, the Monetary Authority of Singapore (MAS) and the Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA).

Asked about what MAS would be doing, its spokesman said that "we are following up with the bank", but did not elab-

Mr Tan Teik Guan, chief executive of Data Security Systems Solutions, said such accidental leaks of confidential information could lead to "embarrassing situations for clients and reputation risks for banks".

"Intentional leakages are more serious as the data... (could be) used for more malicious activities," he said.

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## IMF Hacked; No End in Sight to Security Horror Shows

By Ian Paul, PCWorld Jun 12, 2011 2:22 PM



The recent online intrusion into International Monetary Fund servers may have been the work of malicious hackers working for a foreign government, according to online reports.

The IMF is reportedly reluctant to disclose where it believes the attacks came from since 187 of the world's 194 nations (as recognized by the U.S. Department of State) are members of the fund. The hack's perpetrators obtained a "large quantity of data," including e-mail and other documents during the intrusion, according to Bloomberg.

## PLAYSTATION NETWORK, HACKER USING A SIMPLE SQL INJECTION VULNERABILITY FOR ATTACK SONY

June 2, 2011 | Filed under: GAMES NEWS | Posted by: adel

Playstation Network, The hacker organisation which took over a website of PBS NewsHour final week end has returned to a initial adore - hacking Sony.

LulzSec voiced Thursday it hacked servers during Sony Pictures as well as Sony BMG. The organisation posted what crop up to be a stolen e-mail addresses as well as passwords of about 50,000 consumers who'd prebred for a single of 3 Sony promotional sweepstakes: final year's... something is still out there ...



Graphic: Diego Aguirre



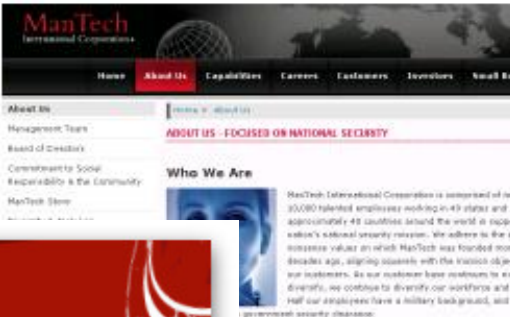
# Hackers strike government cybersecurity contractor

by Elinor Mills

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Hackers flying the AntiSec banner today released what they said was 400 megabytes of internal data from a government cybersecurity contractor, ManTech, as part of their campaign to embarrass the FBI every Friday, as well as target other government agencies and their partners.



"Today is Friday and we will be following the tradition of



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26 Nov 2011

## Data of 13 mil S.Korean online game subscribers hacked



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# HACKERS LOOT U.S. MILITARY SECRETS

American defense officials unveil cyberspace strategy, revealing thousands of Pentagon files were stolen in March attack on corporate contractor

The New York Times in Washington speaks at the National Defense University, in Washington. "We need to do more to guard our digital storehouses of design innovation."

The US Defense Department said

Friday, June 10, 2011 As of 12:00 AM

## BUSINESS THE WALL STREET JOURNAL

# Hacking At Citi Is Latest Data Scare

By VICTORIA MCGRANE And RANDALL SMITH

Citigroup Inc. plans to send replacement credit cards to about 100,000 North American customers after its systems were breached by a hacking attack affecting about 100 million



Citi said on Thursday that the accounts amounted to about 100 million North American customers. The bank said that it has referred the incident to law enforcement. The bank said it would notify affected customers and has implemented procedures to prevent a repeat

2009:

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NEVER  
LEARN?**

# Hacker accused of stealing 130 million credit card numbers

**WASHINGTON:** A former government informant known online as "hacpuzari" stole information from 130 million credit and debit card accounts in what federal prosecutors are calling the largest case of identity theft yet.

Albert Gonzalez, 28, and two other men have been charged with allegedly

ording to the authorities.

Gonzalez and the Russians, identified as "Hacker 1" and "Hacker 2", targeted large corporations by scanning the list of Fortune 500 companies and exploring corporate websites before setting out to identify vulnerabilities. The goal was to sell the stolen data to others.

servers in California, Illinois, Latvia, the Netherlands and Ukraine.

"The scope is massive," Assistant US Attorney Eric Liebermann said yesterday in an interview.

Last year, the Justice Department charged Gonzalez and others with hacking into retail companies' computers with

2012:

# Up to 1.5M credit card numbers stolen from Global Payments

Payments processor believes no names, addresses, or Social Security numbers were stolen in the security breach.



by Steven Musil | April 1, 2012 7:10 PM PDT



As many as 1.5 million Visa and MasterCard accounts may have been compromised by the recent Global Payments security breach, the payment processor announced this evening.

Credit card numbers may have been exported, but no customer names, addresses, or Social Security numbers were accessed, the company said in a statement. The company believes the



**YOU HAVE BEEN  
HACKED !**

# Some recent cyber-attacks 2013

- Middle-East Debit Card Cyber-Hacking \$\$\$ Theft
- The US-China govt “steath cyber-war” debacle
- Apple Mac users (via Facebook)
- Yahoo Mail Service (back-scatter spam)
- IOS6 Flaw allow access to phone contacts
- Twitter – hacked for spam; FIFA Twitter
- Korea online banking digital cert theft scam
- Korea broadcasting & banking systems down
- **ANONYMOUS**                      **WIKI-LEAKS**

# Main reasons for Cyber attacks and Hacking

- **Mischief (make trouble)**
  - *Hacktivism (political messages)*
  - *eg Anonymous, WikiLeaks*
- **Disrupt Systems and Services**
  - *Damage / alter data*
- **Steal money electronically**
- **STEAL DATA**
  - *For use, abuse, sell, threat ...*



# “Its never the software?!”

## Some UOB operations hit by computer glitch

■ BY FRANCIS CHAN

A COMPUTER glitch disrupted some branch processes and halted Internet banking operations for a couple of hours at United Overseas Bank (UOB) yesterday.

The hardware fault in a server was detected at about 10am and resolved by lunchtime, according to the bank.

“This problem caused an intermittent slowdown in the system that sup-



- Hardware
- Network
- Bandwidth, provider ...

# Hackers Now Attack Web Applications

- Applications can be **CRASHED** to reveal source, logic, script or infrastructure information that can give a hacker intelligence
- Applications can be **COMPROMISED** to make it provide unauthorized entry access or unauthorized access to read, copy or manipulate data stores, or reveal information that it otherwise would not.
  - Eg. *Parameter tampering, cookie poisoning*
- Applications can be **HIJACKED** to make it perform its tasks but for an authorized user, or send data to an unauthorized recipient, etc.
  - Eg. *Cross-site Scripting, SQL Injection*

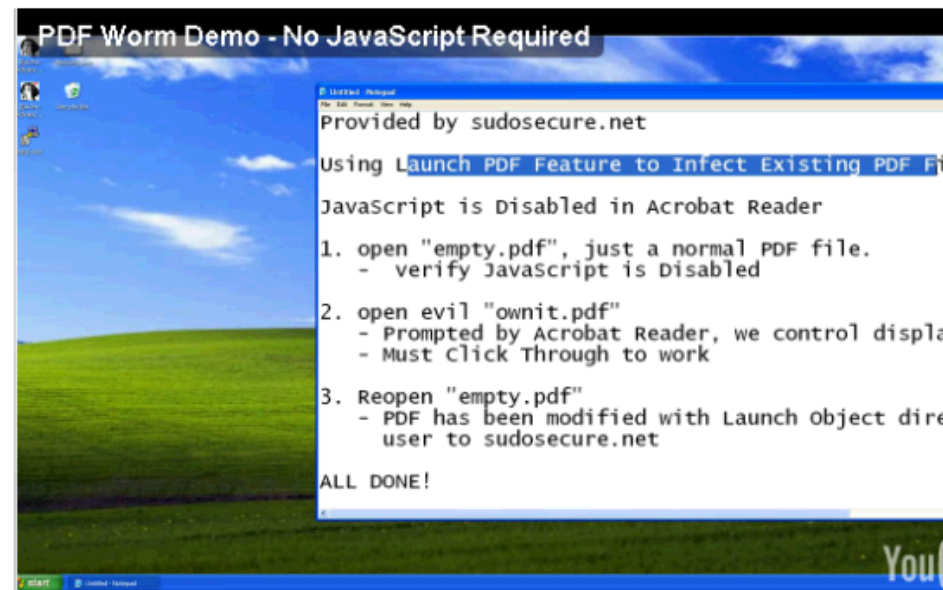
April 5, 2010 3:32 PM PDT

## Exploits not needed to attack via PDF files

by Elinor Mills

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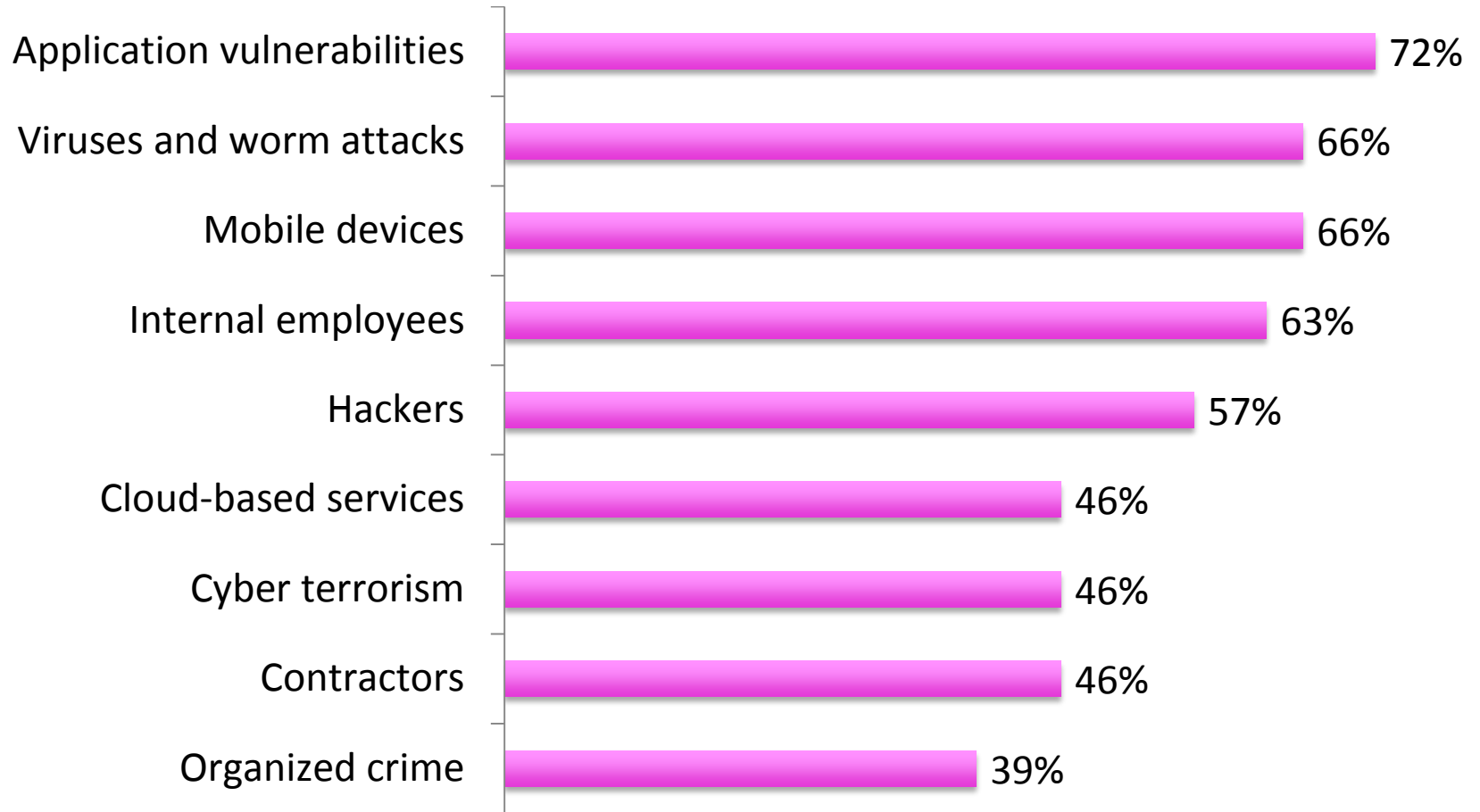
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Jeremy Conway created a video to show how his PDF hack works.

# ISC2 Global Workforce Security Survey 2012

- **Application vulnerabilities is Top of the list**  
*- in 2008, it was not even on the list*

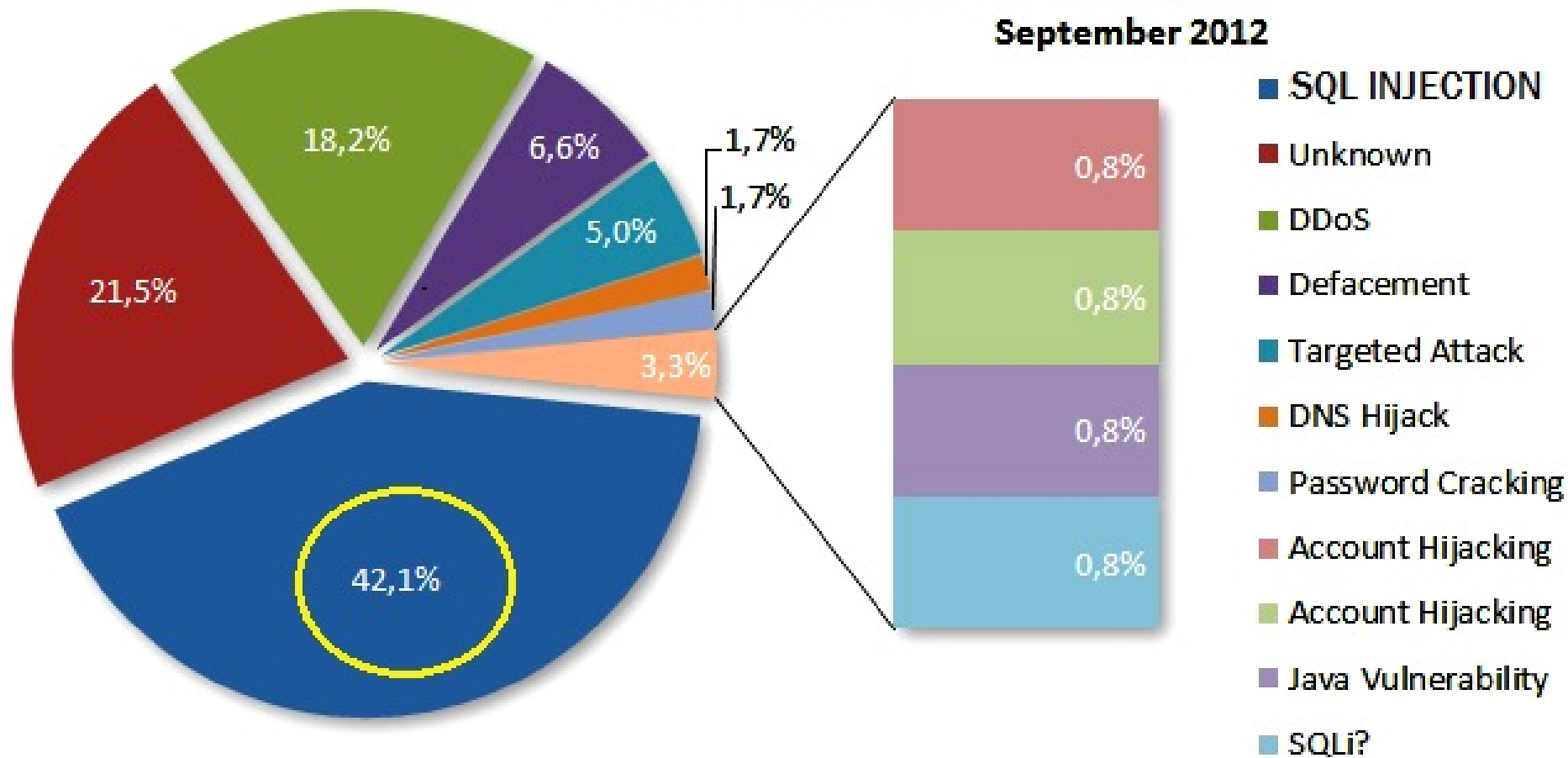


# IBM X-Force Report Sep 2012



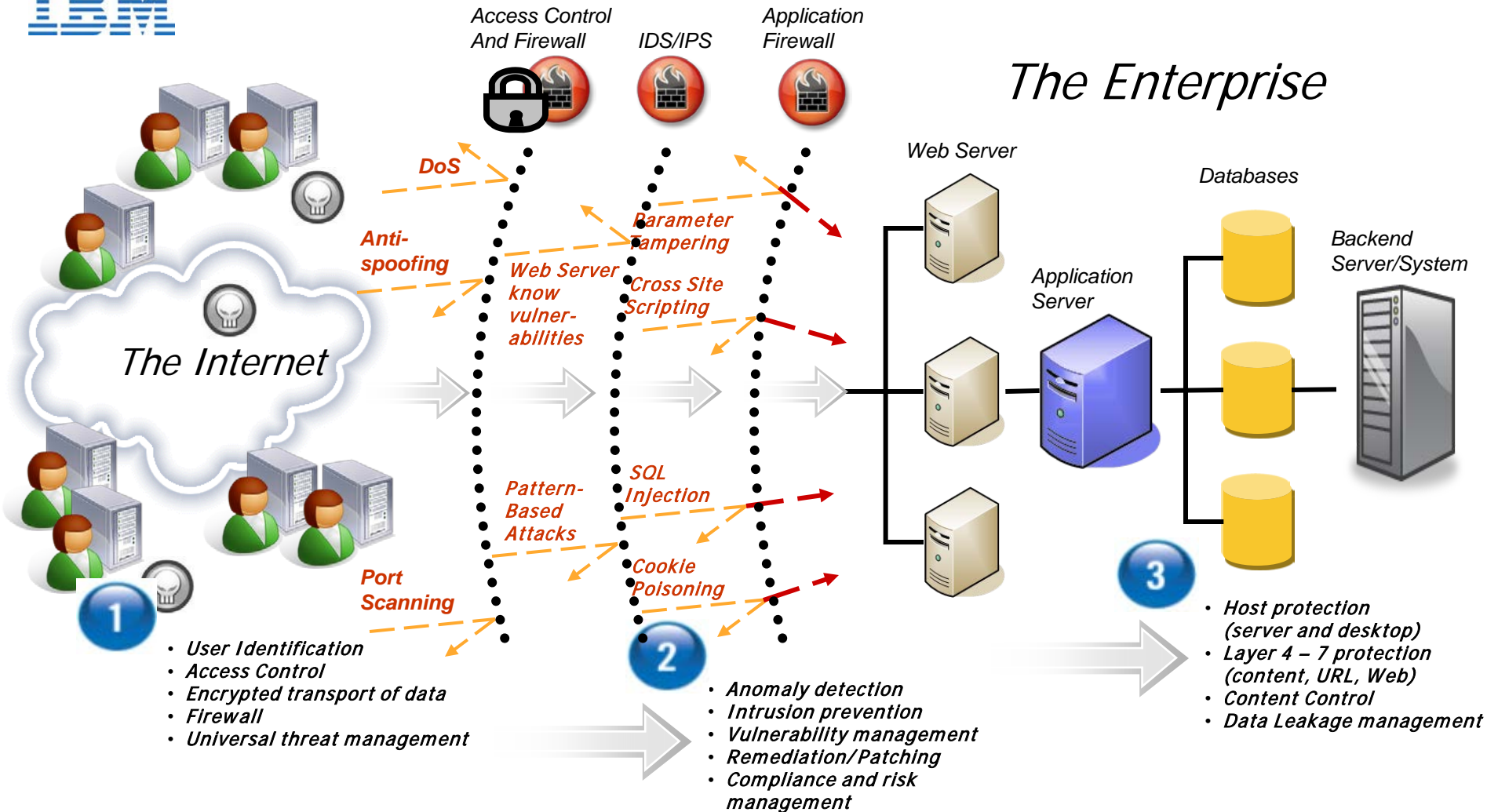
## Distribution of Attack Techniques

September 2012

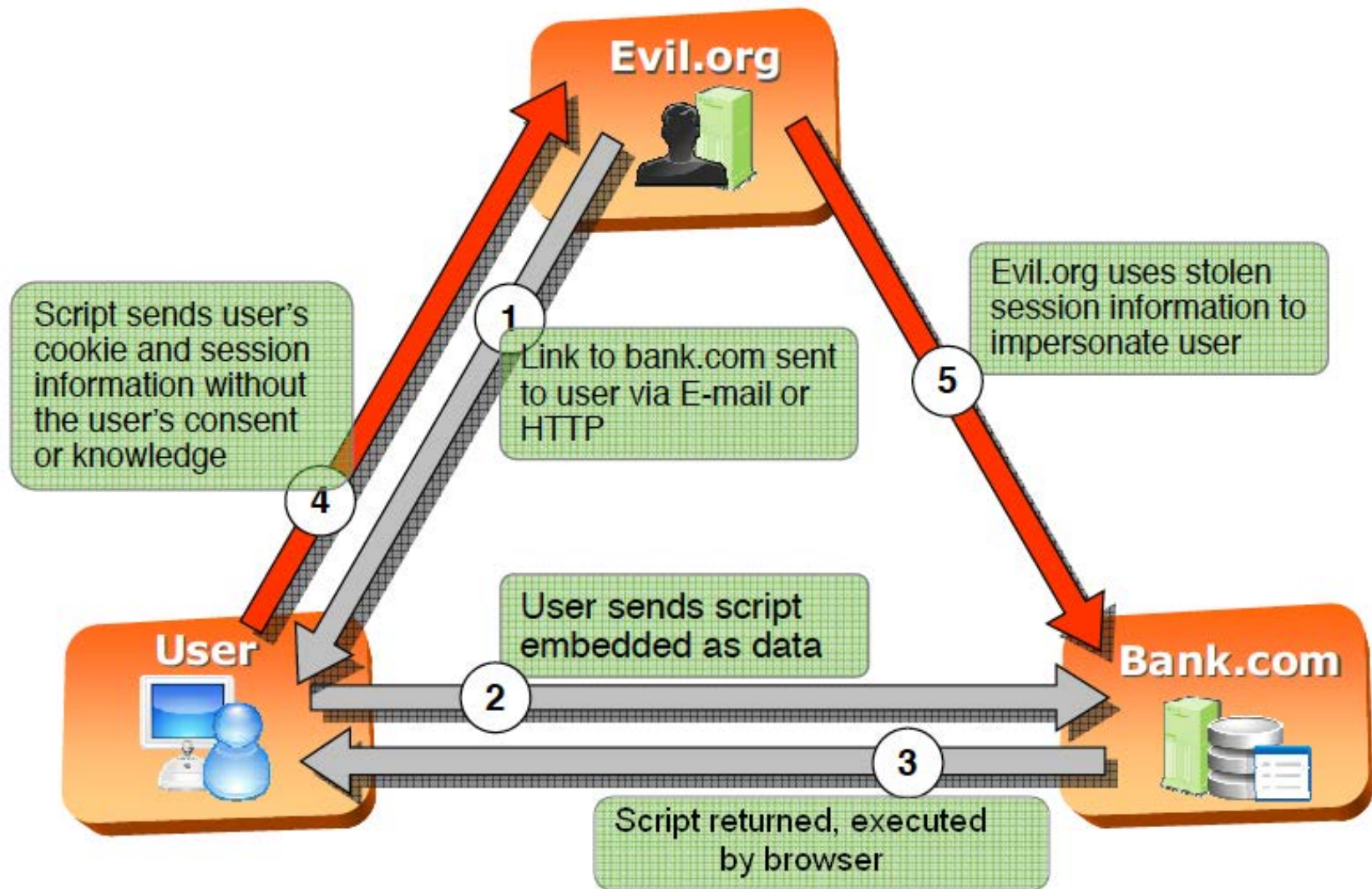




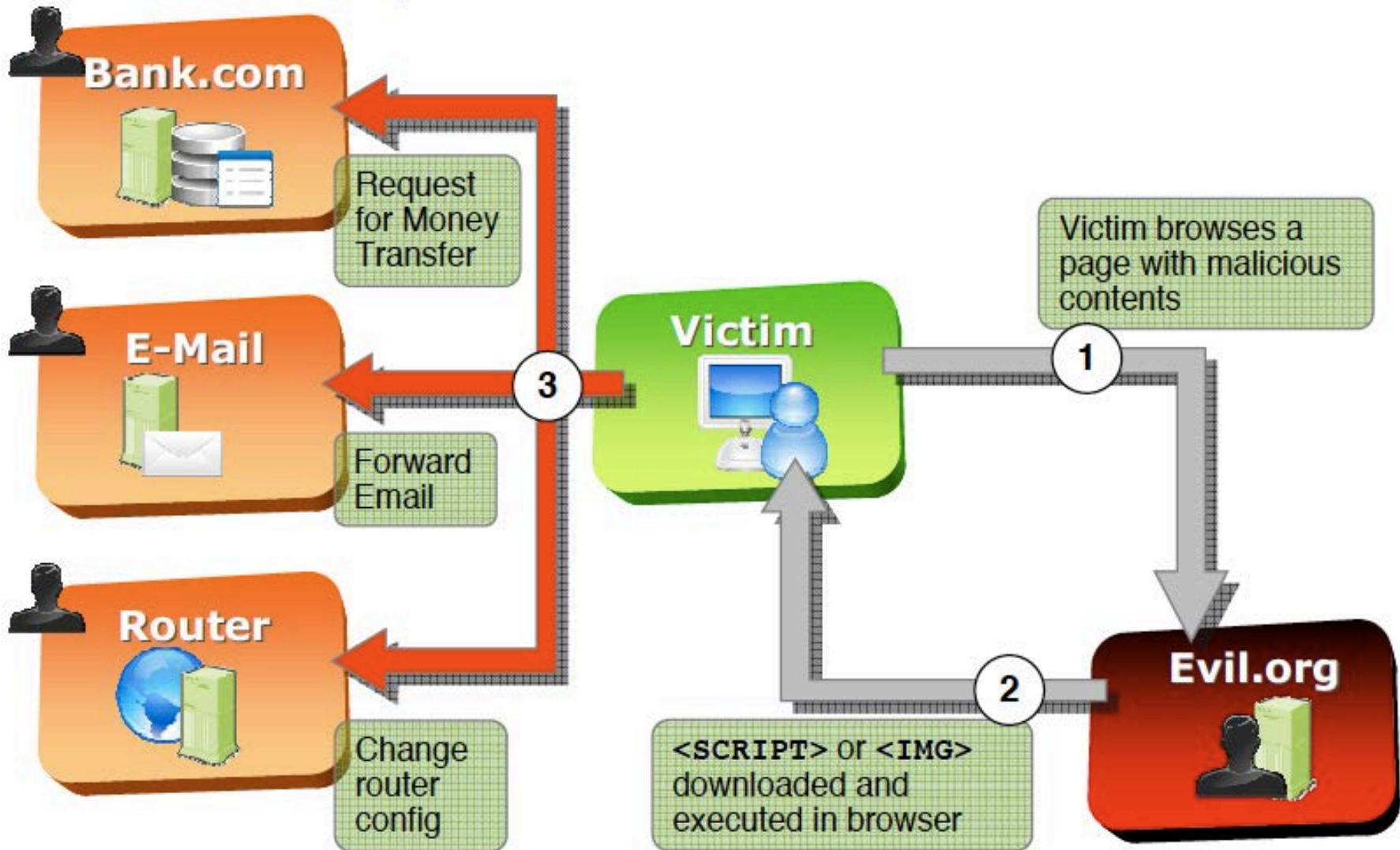
# Simple Application Security Landscape



# Cross Site Scripting (XSS)



# Cross-Site Request Forgery (CRSF)



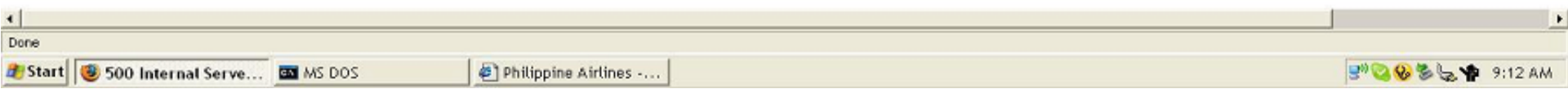




## 500 Internal Server Error

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java.lang.NullPointerException
    at FleetWatch.fwcontrol.doGet (fwcontrol.java:36)
    at javax.servlet.http.HttpServlet.service (HttpServlet.java:740)
    at javax.servlet.http.HttpServlet.service (HttpServlet.java:853)
    at com.evermind[Oracle Application Server Containers for J2EE 10g (9.0.4.2.0)].server.http.ServletRequestDispatcher.invoke (ServletRequestDispatcher.java:
    at com.evermind[Oracle Application Server Containers for J2EE 10g (9.0.4.2.0)].server.http.ServletRequestDispatcher.forwardInternal (ServletRequestDispa
    at com.evermind[Oracle Application Server Containers for J2EE 10g (9.0.4.2.0)].server.http.HttpServletRequestHandler.processRequest (HttpServletRequestHandler.java:79
    at com.evermind[Oracle Application Server Containers for J2EE 10g (9.0.4.2.0)].server.http.AJPRequestHandler.run (AJPRequestHandler.java:208)
    at com.evermind[Oracle Application Server Containers for J2EE 10g (9.0.4.2.0)].server.http.AJPRequestHandler.run (AJPRequestHandler.java:125)
    at com.evermind[Oracle Application Server Containers for J2EE 10g (9.0.4.2.0)].util.ReleasableResourcePooledExecutor$MyWorker.run (ReleasableResourcePoo
    at java.lang.Thread.run (Thread.java:534)
```

*These are real examples – hackers  
Love these error message pages ...*





## Server Error in '/Portal' Application.

### *Runtime Error*

**Description:** An application error occurred on the server. The current custom error settings for this application prevent the details of the application error from being viewed remotely (for security reasons). It could, however, be viewed by browsers running on the local server machine.

**Details:** To enable the details of this specific error message to be viewable on remote machines, please create a <customErrors> tag within a "web.config" configuration file located in the root directory of the current web application. This <customErrors> tag should then have its "mode" attribute set to "Off".

```
<!-- Web.Config Configuration File -->
```

```
<configuration>
  <system.web>
    <customErrors mode="Off" />
  </system.web>
</configuration>
```

**Notes:** The current error page you are seeing can be replaced by a custom error page by modifying the "defaultRedirect" attribute of the application's <customErrors> configuration tag to point to a custom error page URL.

```
<!-- Web.Config Configuration File -->
```

```
<configuration>
  <system.web>
    <customErrors mode="RemoteOnly" defaultRedirect="mycustompage.htm" />
  </system.web>
</configuration>
```







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# Do not remove the following line, or various programs # that require network functionality will fail. 127.0.0.1 localhost.localdomain
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# Real Example : Parameter Tampering

Reading another user's transaction

▶ URL Rotation

Hotel Reservation Online - Transaction Slip 2001200 - Windows Internet Explorer

https://www.s[redacted]receipt.php?reserID=2001200&email=1

Hotel Reservation Online

Dear [redacted]A, Justin,

As a result of your reservation 2001200 at the hotel Nikko Resort And Spa / Bali / Indonesia for 5 nights (from Jan 18 2006 to Jan 23 2006) [redacted], we processed a credit card transaction on Jan 03, 2006. The credit card transaction was successful. The details of your transaction are as follows:

Reservation number: 2001200  
Card Holder Name: Justin [redacted]  
Credit/Debit Card: xxxx-xxxx-xxxx-4688  
Expiration Date: 08/2007  
Amount: 506.61 USD  
Date: Jan 03, 2006

Billed as: [redacted]

You can print this transaction slip

Please note that this is not an invoice. An invoice will be issued 10 days after your check-out date.

[You can get your invoice following this link](#)

We hope you will have a nice stay at this hotel !  
We are looking forward to making a new reservation for you !  
With our thanks,

https://www[redacted]/invoice.php?reserID=2001200&email=[redacted]@hotmail.com

Another customer's transaction slip is revealed, including the email address



# Software Attacks – Low Hanging Fruits

Shell  
Command  
Execution

HTTP PUT  
Defacement

Backup Files

Blind  
SQL  
Injection

Debug files and  
Test pages

HTTP Response  
Splitting

SOAP Web  
Services  
Issues

Directory  
Listing

XPath  
Injection

Path Traversal in  
Parameters

Insecure HTTP  
Methods

Server Side  
Includes

File Upload

Phishing  
Through  
URL  
redirection

Buffer Overflows

Poison Null Byte

Administration  
Pages

LDAP Injection

SQL Injection

Email Spoofing

MS FrontPage  
Issues

Cross Site  
Scripting

Path  
Traversal  
in URL

BEA  
WebLogic  
Issues

SUN iPlanet  
Issues

Oracle iAS  
Issues

Format Strings

ColdFusion  
Issues

VALIDATE  
INPUT

PHP  
Issues

Apache HTTPd  
Issues

Microsoft IIS  
Issues

Privacy Issues

Credentials  
Enumeration  
Tomcat Issues

Cookie Poisoning  
SQL Injection

# Some Critical Software Development

## Security Issues

[www.OWASP.org](http://www.OWASP.org)

2010

- 1 Injection
- 2 Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
- Broken Authentication and Session Management
- 4 Insecure Direct Object References
- 5 Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF)
- 6 Security Misconfiguration
- 7 Insecure Cryptographic Storage
- 8 Failure to Restrict URL Access
- 9 **Insufficient Transport Layer Protection**
- 10 Unvalidated Redirects and Forwards



### ISC2 :

### Characteristics of Insecure Code

<b>I</b>	<b>Injectable Code</b>
<b>N</b>	<b>Non-Repudiation Mechanisms not Present</b>
<b>S</b>	<b>Spoofable Code</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>Exceptions and Errors not Properly Handled</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>Cryptographically Weak Code</b>
<b>U</b>	<b>Unsafe/Unused Functions and Routines in Code</b>
<b>R</b>	<b>Reversible Code</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>Elevated Privileges Required to Run</b>



1. **Unvalidated Input**
2. Broken Access Control
3. Broken Authentication & Session Management
4. Cross Site Scripting Flaws
5. **Buffer Overflows**
6. Injection Flaws
7. **Improper Error Handling**
8. Insecure Storage
9. **Denial of Service**
10. Insecure Configuration Management

# Don't Try This At Home



application hacking

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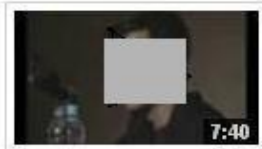
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## iPhone application hack

Allison Sheridan of the NosillaCast Podcast hosted at podfeet.com shows off the App. Tapp. **application** installer for the iPhone. Her favorite two ...

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## Hacking Internet Banking Applications

Source: video.hitb.org The general public sentiment is that the banks, having always been the guardians of our money, are expert at safeguarding ...

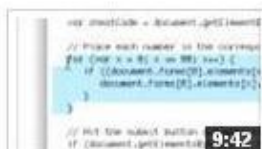
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## iPod Touch as a fully functional

or something. The next thing would be FOR SOMEONE TO CREATE AN APPLI...

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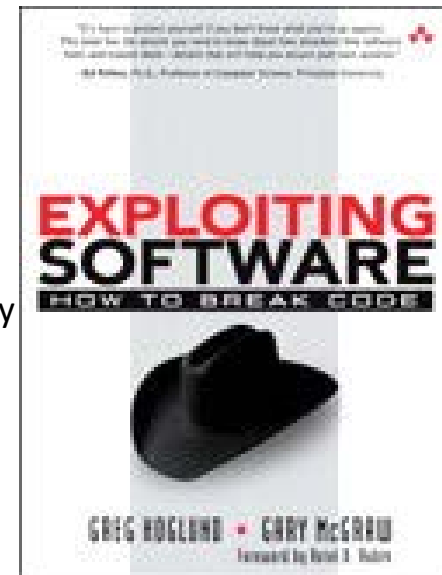
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# Why Do Hackers Attack Web Applications?

- **Because they know you have firewalls**
- So they need to find a new weak spot to hack through and steal or compromise your data
- **Because firewalls do not protect against app attacks!**
  - Very few people are actively aware of application security issues
  - **Most IT security professionals, from network & sys-admin side, have little experience or interest in software development. Programmers have little experience or interest in security or infrastructure.**
    - IT security staff are also often overworked and are focusing on other issues
- Because web sites have a large footprint; cloud makes it even bigger.
- **Because they can!**
  - **Many organizations today still lack a software development security policy!**
    - Many applications especially legacy ones still in use, were not built defensively
    - **Applications today are hundreds of thousands of lines long**
    - **It is a nightmare to QA the application, and requires discipline**
      - So many people, even if aware, will skip or procrastinate this tedious process
    - **Additional loss of control when outsourcing development work**

*IP vs HTTP*

*Gartner: ITSec Spend  
HW/NW 80%  
App Sec 20%*





# Software Development Security Issues

*No developer goes to work with the intention of writing bad code.*

- Developers are often not trained or experienced in secure coding techniques, and have never needed to worry about this before *Developers are hired faster than they can be trained properly*
- Developers face pressures of demands for quality and functionality, and are often short on timeline, resources, information, budget, quality assurance tools investment.
- *Plus heavy demands on outsourcing parties ....*

- **Cheap**
- **Fast**
- **Good**
- > **Choose 2**

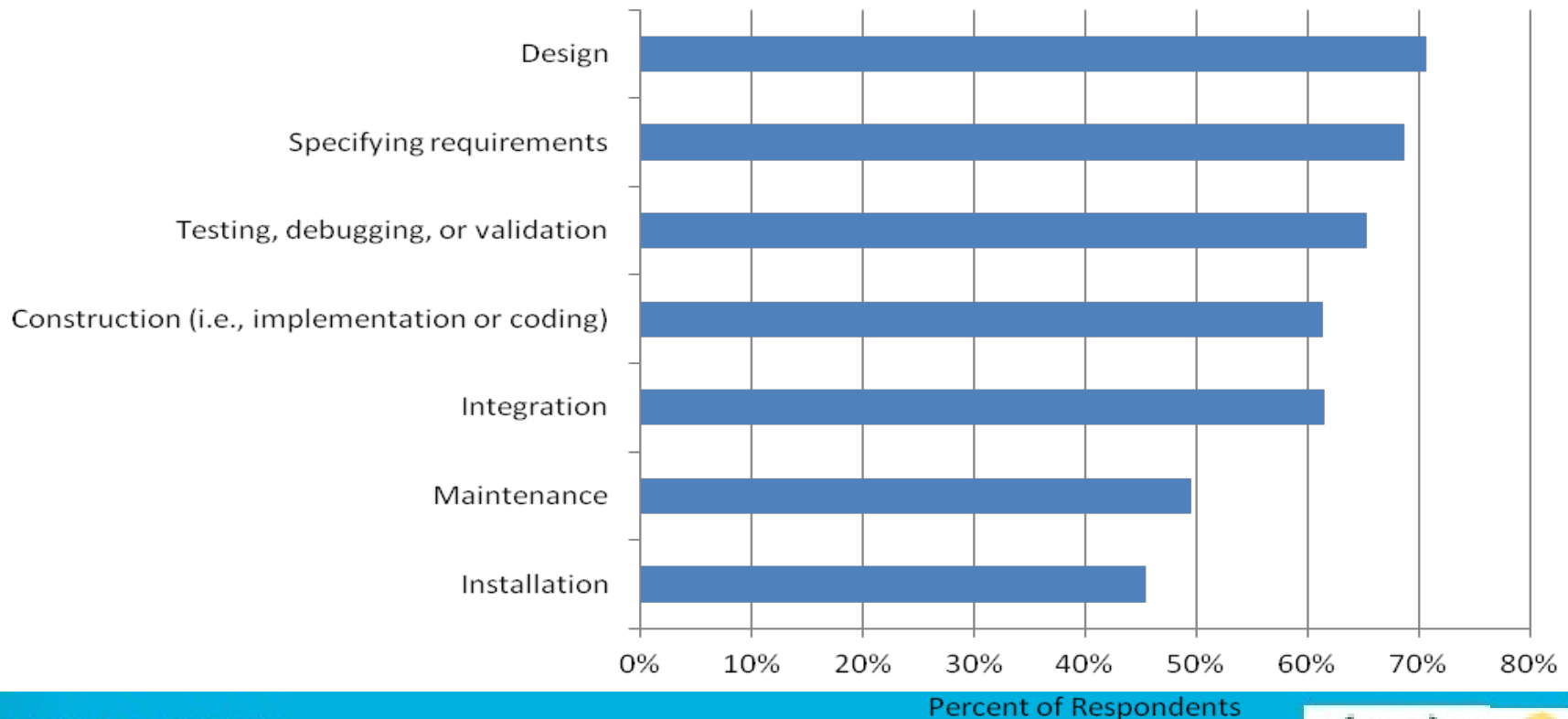




# Secure Software Development: Important but Under-supported

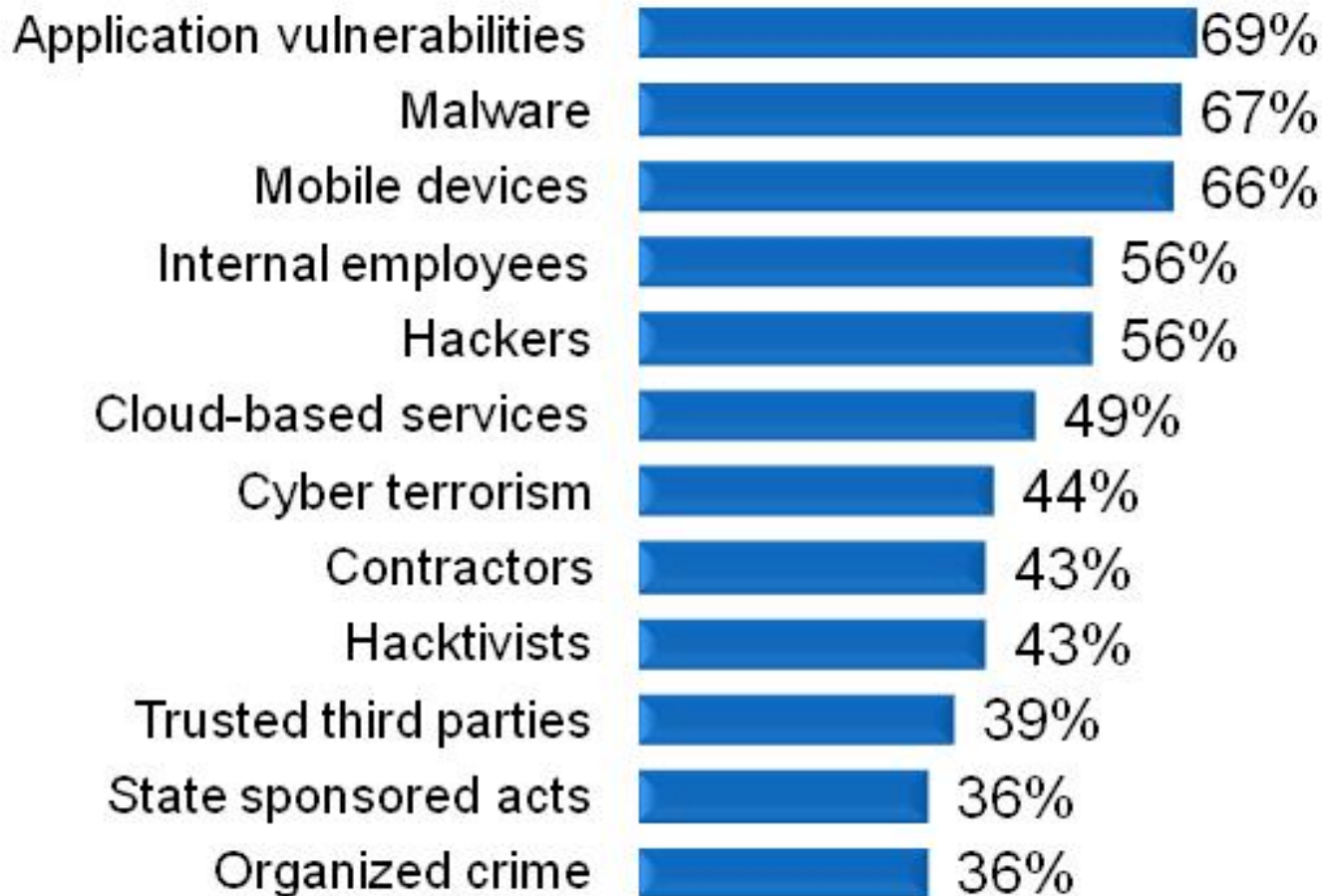
As previously reported, 69% of survey respondents rate application vulnerabilities as a top or high concern and separately respondents voice security concerns along the entire software development lifecycle

Security Concerns at Stages of Software Procurement and Development  
(Top and High)



# ISC2 Global Workforce Study 2012-3

## Concern of Potential Security Threats and Vulnerabilities (Top and High)



*Top Concerns:*

*-App Sec*

*-Malware*

*-Mobile Devices*

# What is needed to address application security issues?



Deep security expertise



Continuous assessment



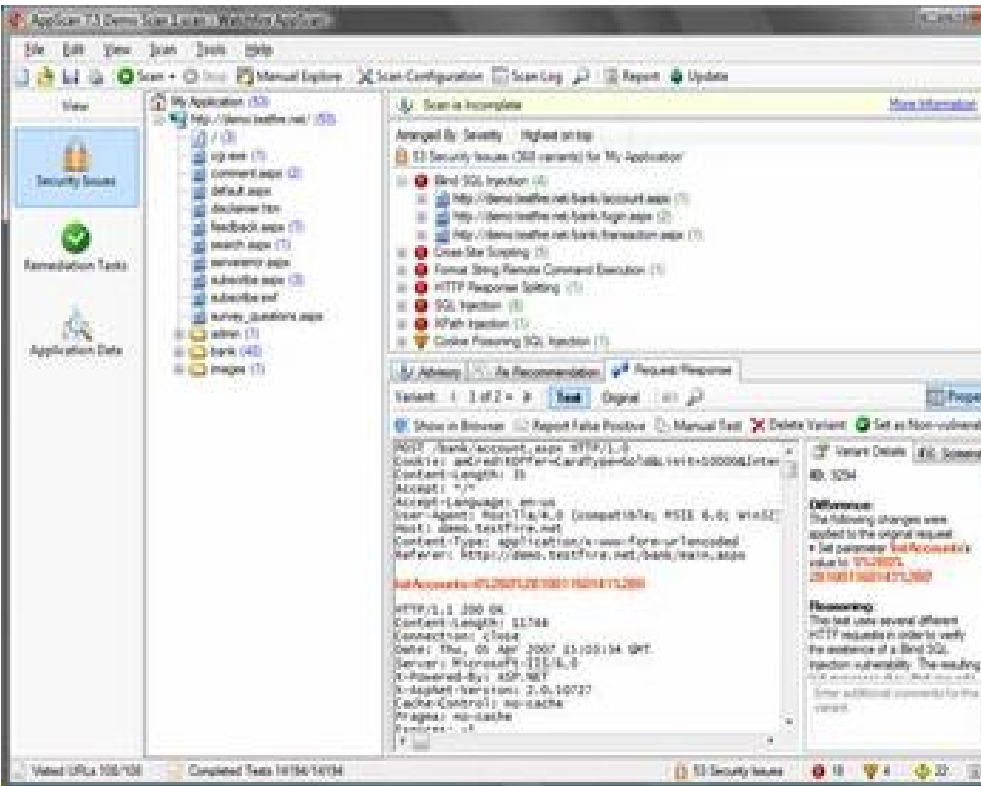
Verified vulnerabilities



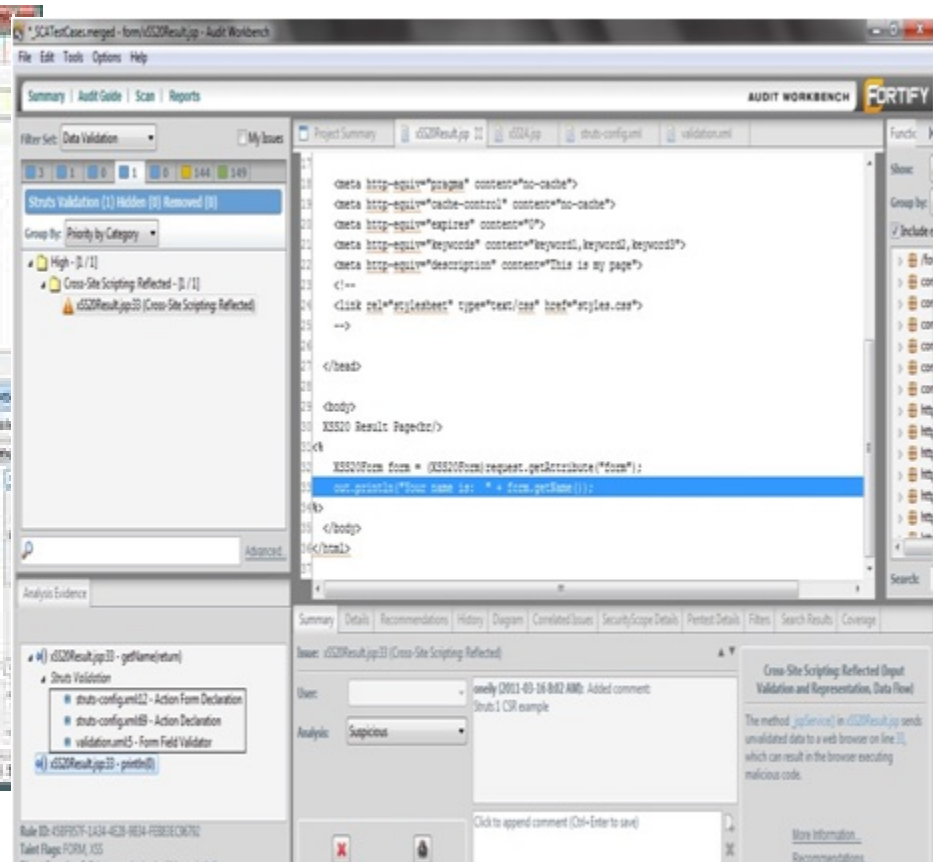
Easy-to-use solutions

# PROFESSIONAL SOFTWARE QA TOOLS

- “WHITE BOX” (static code analyzer) and “BLACK BOX” (dynamic application analyzer)
- automate application-development testing, Q.A. and vulnerability management process
- providing comprehensive reports of security issues with remediation guidance.



IBM Appscan

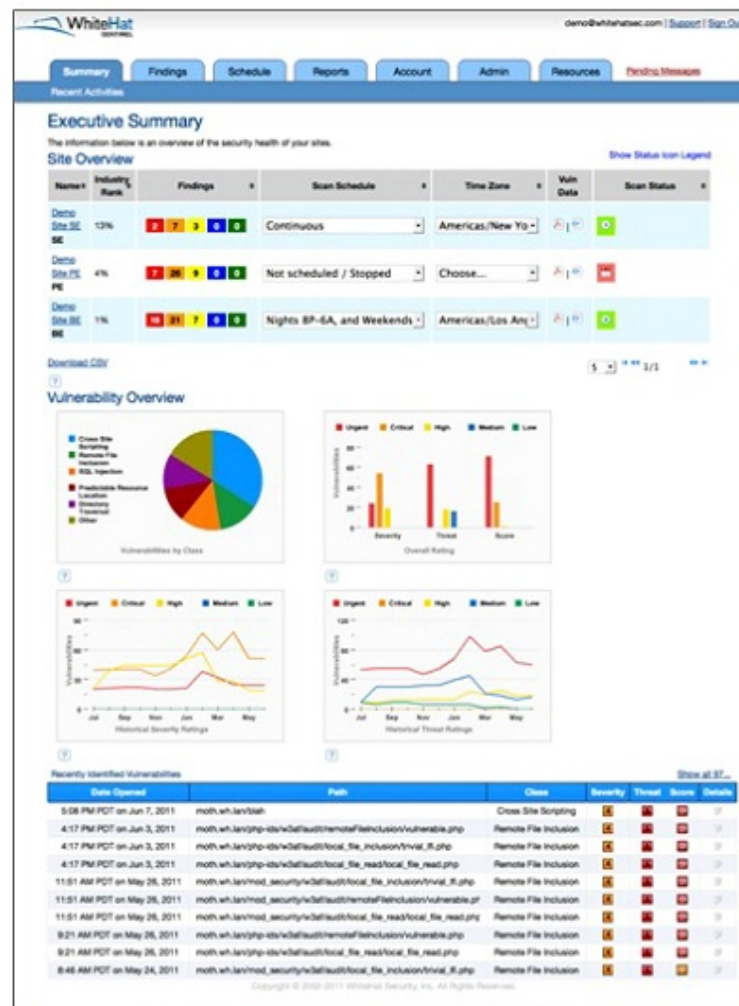


HP Fortify

## EXAMPLE

# WhiteHat Sentinel – Assessment Service

- **SaaS (Annual Subscription)**
  - Unlimited Assessments / Users
  - Fixed Flat Rate per Website
- **Assessment Methodology**
  - Proprietary scanning technology
  - Direct access to Security Experts
  - Continuous Monitoring
- **100% Vulnerability Verification** – eliminating false positives, prioritizing enterprise risk
- **XML API** leverages other security investments
- **Easy to get started –**
  - Need URL and Credentials
  - No Management of Hardware or Software
  - No Additional Training





# Web Application Firewalls (WAF)

## Advantages

- Convenient; easy to install and run
- Immediately stops 70% of common web attacks

## Issues to consider

- Difficult to configure, and need to configure often
  - *The web application is updated and changed often*
- Does not fix the problem; **issues** still in the software;  
*(staff not learning the issues)*

# Cloud-hosted Virtual Desktops

– eliminate the endpoint?!

*Eg. An Asian Govt – policy – no data resides on client machine*

**DeskTone**  
*Example*

## Cloud Came Along

- ✓ Leverage “as a Service”
- ✓ Lower Cost, no Cap-Ex
- ✓ Centralized Management
- ✓ Turn-key Services
- ✓ Datacenter proximity
- ✓ Elastic, scalable

### TODAY

- IT Consumerization (iPad, Macs)
- Windows 7 (8) migrations began
- Mobile employees becomes norm
- Costs out of alignment
- Security/IP concerns



DaaS = “Desktop as a Service”

Windows 7, 8



1990 Desktop in PC



2008 Desktop in Datacenter

Desktop goes virtual

WAN

1990s: Thick Client PC

LAN

*Install software from CD*

... Server Farm ... Virtual Desktop

2008: Datacenters

*Download software from*

*vendor website*  
User PC/ notebook as thin client

Financial Crash

2011 Desktops in cloud

Virtual Desktop goes Cloud

2011: Cloud Services

*Download software from cloud service*

PC/NB, Thin Client, Mobile smart devices, IPADS, remote desk

# Application Vulnerabilities can start in Development

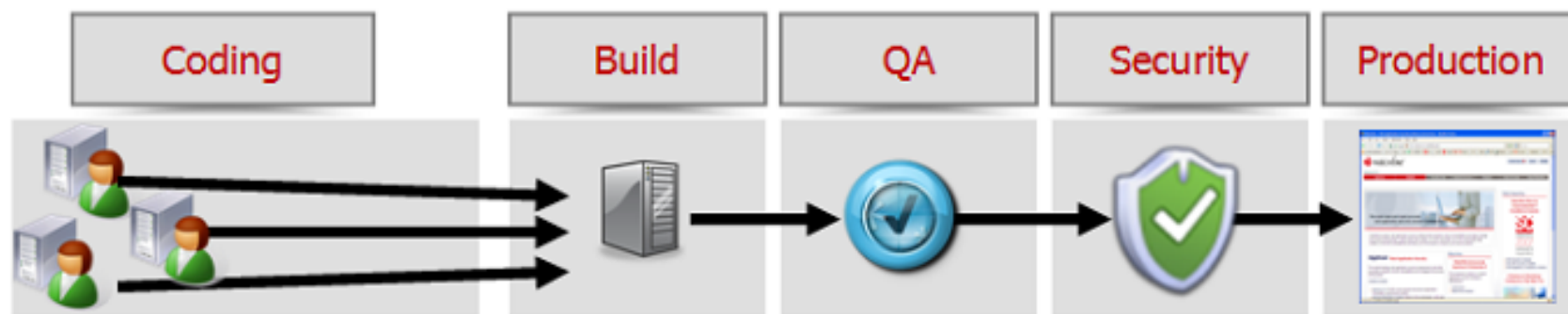
## Developers Lack Security Insights

*(or Incentives to Address Security)*

- Mandate to deliver functionality on-time and on-budget – but not to develop secure applications
- Developers rarely educated in secure code practices
- Product innovation drives development of increasingly complicated applications

## Security Team = SDLC Bottleneck

- Security tests executed just before launch
  - ▶ Adds time and cost to fix vulnerabilities late in the process
- Growing number of web applications but small security staff
  - ▶ Most enterprises scan ~10% of all web apps
- Continuous monitoring of production apps limited or non-existent
  - ▶ Unidentified vulnerabilities & risk



**Challenge to share test results and enable self-testing in the SDLC**

# Continuing Education and Certification

## Security CERTIFICATION for Application Development & Security Teams

[www.isc2.org](http://www.isc2.org)

### CISSP

*'COS DEVELOPERS NEVER  
HAD TO WORRY ABOUT THIS  
BEFORE ... UNTIL NOW*



The Certified Secure Software Lifecycle Professional (CSSLP) Certification Program will show software lifecycle stakeholders not only how to implement security, but how to glean security requirements, design, architect, test and deploy secure software.

### An Overview of the Steps:

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# ISC2 Certified Secure Software Lifecycle Professional (CSSLP®) Domains



Certified Secure Software Lifecycle Professional

- Secure Software Concepts
- Secure Software Requirements
- Secure Software Design
- Secure Software Implementation/Coding
- Secure Software Testing
- Software Acceptance
- Software Deployment, Operations, Maintenance, and Disposal
- SUPPLY CHAIN & Software Acquisition



## Security in the Skies Cloud computing security concerns, threats, and controls

Mano Paul, CSSLP, CISSP, AMBCI, MCAD, MCSD, Network+, ECSA

### Introduction

The Internet, often represented as a cloud in architectural diagrams, has changed the way of life for both the individual and businesses. This whitepaper highlights the security concerns that are evident in cloud computing, with particular focus on information assurance, and provides strategies to adopt when evaluating cloud service providers and when designing, developing, and deploying applications that will operate in the cloud. It also gives guidance on what some of the next steps need to be for secure cloud computing.

### What is Cloud Computing?

Cloud computing is one of the most highly discussed topics within the typical organization, according to the 2011 (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Global Information Security Workforce Study (GISWS) conducted by Frost and Sullivan. But what is cloud computing? Is it a silver lining in computing, or is it a harbinger of an impending perfect storm? Because the cloud represents a critical IT asset, it is essential to understand cloud computing which provides services to the multiple

Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) developed: **Cloud Computing – A model for enabling convenient, on-demand network access to a shared pool of configurable computing resources (e.g., networks, servers, storage, applications, and services) that can be rapidly provisioned and released with minimal management effort or service provider interaction.**

### Architecture and Service Models

The cloud computing architecture is primarily a multi-tenant, service based architecture. It has a distinct consumer front-end and the

*"The three primary service models in cloud computing are IaaS, PaaS and SaaS"*



## Assuring Software Security Through Testing White, Black and Somewhere In Between

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### Introduction

Take any software development project plan today and it is more than likely that the plan will not have a line item with time allocated exclusively for security testing. It is only a matter of time before software deployed or released without attestation of its ability to withstand attacks will be hacked. It is not a question of if the software will be hacked, but when it will be hacked. (ISC)<sup>2</sup>'s whitepaper, Code (In)Security, highlights various considerations that need to be taken into account to develop code that is secure. But merely developing secure code without attesting to its assurance capabilities is akin to operating an automobile without checking to ensure that the brakes work as expected. With such an outlook, a crash becomes not just possible but inevitable. This paper will discuss the need for attesting software assurance, the different types of testing as it pertains to functionality and assurance, a security tester's profile, and some proven strategies to incorporate security testing into the software development lifecycle (SDLC).

Figure 1. Software Quality Components



# CSSLP New Domain - Supply Chain and Software Acquisition

- Supplier Risk Assessment
- Supplier Sourcing
- Software Development Test
- Software Delivery, Operations & Maintenance
- Supplier Transitioning

## **Conclusion**

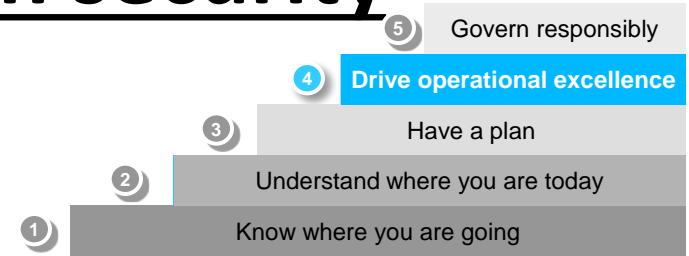
So, why do we still have Information Security issues today?

# Unplanned Proliferation of Data





# Things you can do to maintain security



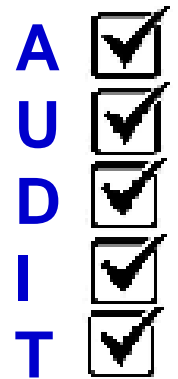
- Measure the cost of being secure
  - As you scale out your security program, measure the cost per defect for fixing
- Educate your development teams
  - Developers do not need to be security experts or auditors
  - Developers do need to understand the implications of vulnerabilities
- Reduce the cost of being secure through early detection and remediation (better still, build in security from the start)
  - Develop a template of security requirements – don't reinvent the wheel each time!
  - Engage the architects to design for security, and the testers to build security into their test plans
- Build security into your procurement process
  - Your security requirements need to be part of specifications to third parties for development or delivery of software
- Update your sponsor – demonstrate value!

# (ISC)<sup>2</sup> Survey & Global Information Security

## Workforce Study -Stats

- **59% not following a rigorous Security process**
- 26% have no hint of Security within their development lifecycle
- **48% claim to audit procedures regularly**
- 69% Blame Culture as reason for current practices
- 57% blame lack of Education
- 70% claim to have insufficient guidance for key technology models

*59% of staff will try to bypass a security process*



***The worst reason to have security is Governance & Regulation***

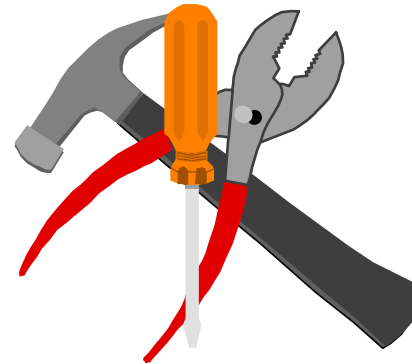
***-You must know why you want security, not because someone said so***

***- we end up trying all sorts of ways to get by or get past the feared (or hated) auditor ...***

# Conclusion: 2 Components to I.T. Security

## Technical Component

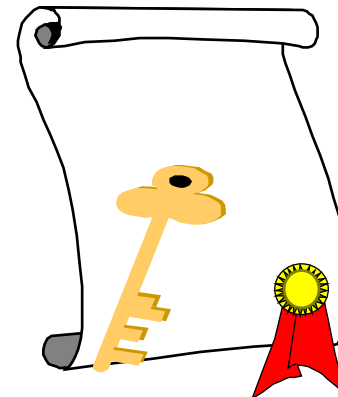
- Access Control
- Authenticated Access
- Encryption & Privacy
- Policy-based traffic filtering
- Enterprise Management etc



I.T. SECURITY  
TODAY IS NO  
LONGER A  
TECHNOLOGY  
THING – IT IS A  
HUMAN AND  
SOCIAL MATTER!

## Human & Policy Component

- Education
- Enforcement
- Reinforcement
- Diligence & Vigilance
- CLEAR OWNERSHIP



AS LONG AS  
HUMANS  
BEHAVE LIKE  
HUMANS WE  
WILL STILL  
HAVE A JOB IN  
I.T. SECURITY!

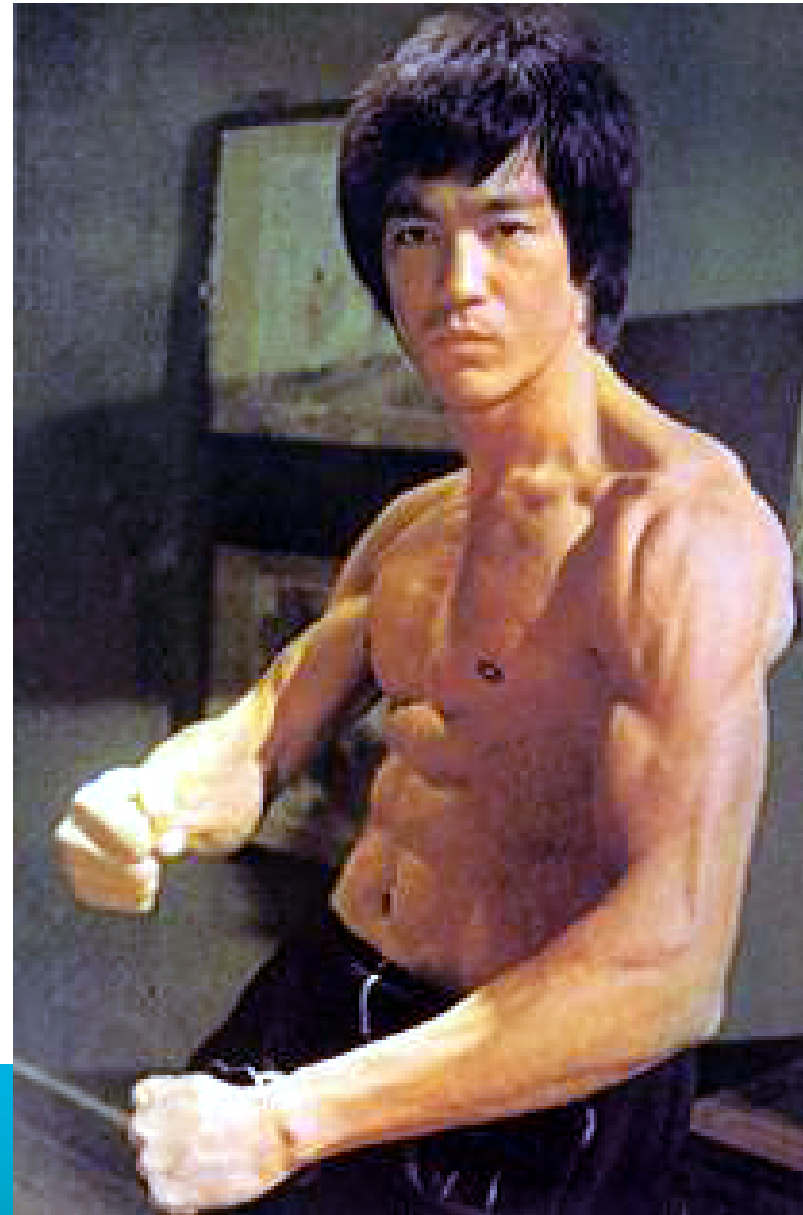
**Technologies today can provide the technical component.**

**Only commitment at the highest levels can the human factor be successful.**

# Cloud and Web Application Security : Conclusion

## – Security by Application Development Q.A

- **The Application Must Defend Itself**  
(ie. Write the programs properly)
  - Network security solutions do not stop application attacks
  - Existing network security solutions do not automatically work well in cloud environments
- **THIS IS THE BEST AND ONLY WAY TO MINIMISE SOFTWARE ATTACKS**
- Both security and development teams need to be in harmony
- **DEVELOPERS NEED TO BE TRAINED APPROPRIATELY IN SECURE CODING**
- **MANAGEMENT MUST ACTIVELY SUPPORT AND FINANCE A SOFTWARE SECURITY POLICY AND TEAM**





▶ ***Cloud Security – Are You Forgetting Something?***

**THANK YOU**



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▶ *APPENDIX*

# What Is Software Security?

- Security is a distinct property of a software system or application. It is composed of Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability, Authenticity, and other related attributes\*.
- Software Security vs. Secure Software
  - Secure software can be delivered by rigorously applying all the techniques of a software security plan
- Software Security vs. Secure Coding
  - Secure coding is one aspect of an overall software security plan
- Software Security vs. Software Quality
  - High quality software can also be insecure
  - Security requires specialized skills

\*Definition derived from description provided in Software Assurance BoK from DHS.

# Secure Coding Itself is Not Enough

- Common misconception that writing secure code is the only answer
- Many eyeballs won't solve the security problem. (e.g. recent DNS bug took 10 years to discover)
- Software security requires:
  - 1) Policy -- pertinent and enforceable
  - 2) Process -- formal and structured
  - 3) People -- trained and qualified (first line of defense and organization's most critical asset)



# Secure Software Concepts

- Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability Authentication, Authorization, and Auditing
- Security Design Principles
- Risk Management (e.g., vulnerabilities, threats and controls)
- Regulations, Privacy, and Compliance
- Software Architecture (e.g., layers)
- Software Development Methodologies
- Legal (e.g., Copyright, IP and trademark)
- Standards (e.g., ISO 2700x, OWASP, PCI-DSS, NIST)
- Security Models (e.g., Bell-LaPadula, Clark-Wilson & Brewer-Nash)
- Trusted Computing (e.g., TPM, TCB)
- Acquisition (e.g., contracts, SLAs and specifications)

# Software Security - Getting Started

- Training and Awareness
  - Start with basic concepts
  - Train developers and testers first
- Appoint or hire a Security Lead
  - Becomes local authority on software security
  - Coordinates security activities and drive SDL
  - Establishes risk management process