

Let's talk about

Zero Trust

Revolution or Evolution?

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What you will learn today..

- ① A brief History of Zero-Trust
- ② Problems we are going to solve (and those we don't)
- ③ The Key Principles and Models
- ④ How to address Zero-Trust in an organisation?



Once upon a time – A brief History of Zero-Trust



The term
Zero Trust
was born

NIST Special Publication 800-207

Zero Trust Architecture

NIST
National Institute of
Standards and Technology
U.S. Department of Commerce



Zero Trust
Maturity Guide



Zero Trust
Maturity Model

Pre-2010

2010

2014

2020

2020+

„De-perimeterisation“

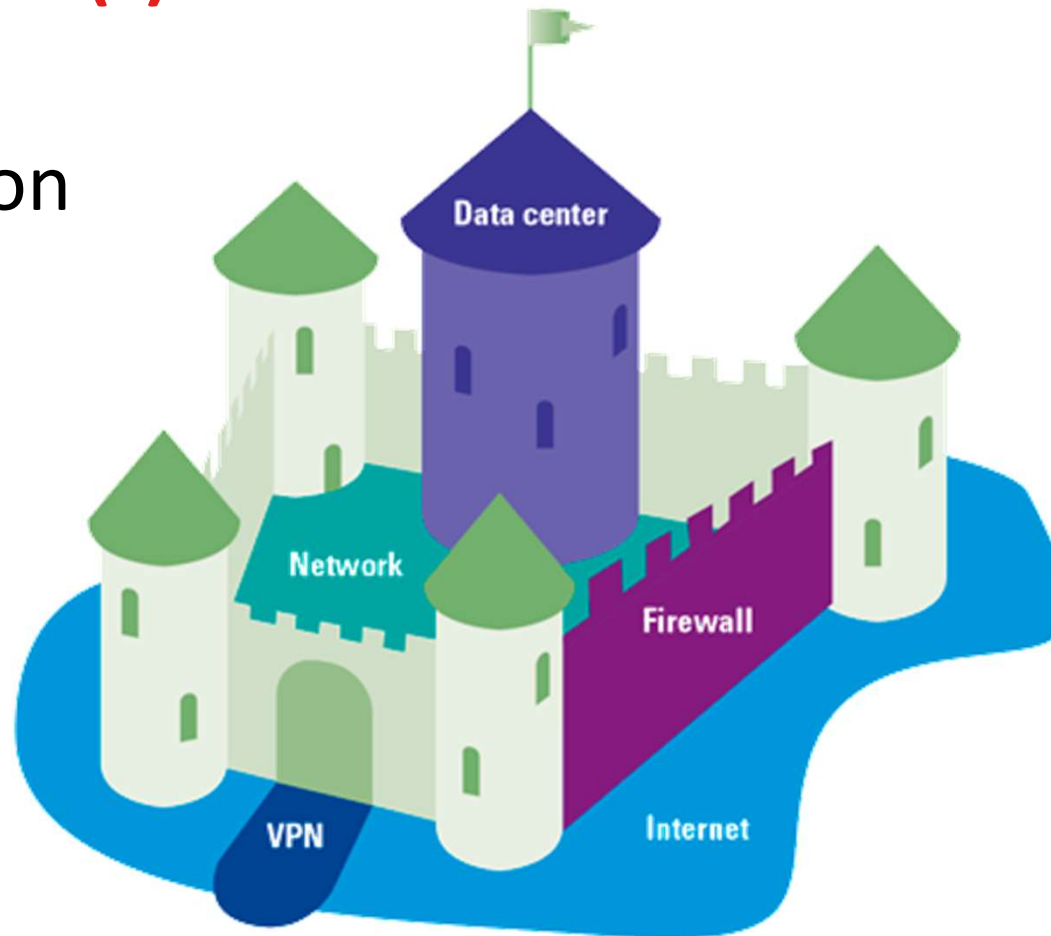


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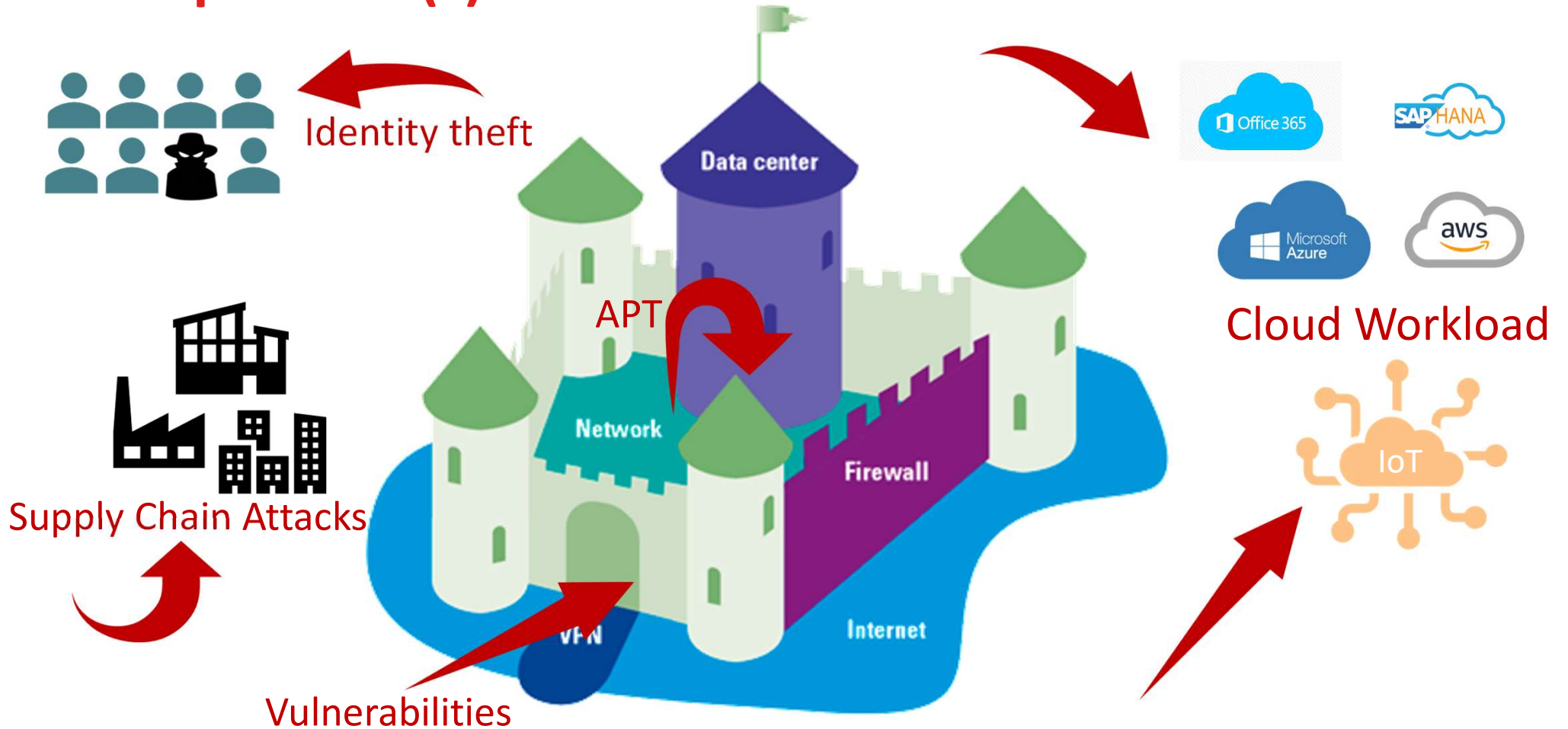
What is the problem to our solution?

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„Once upon
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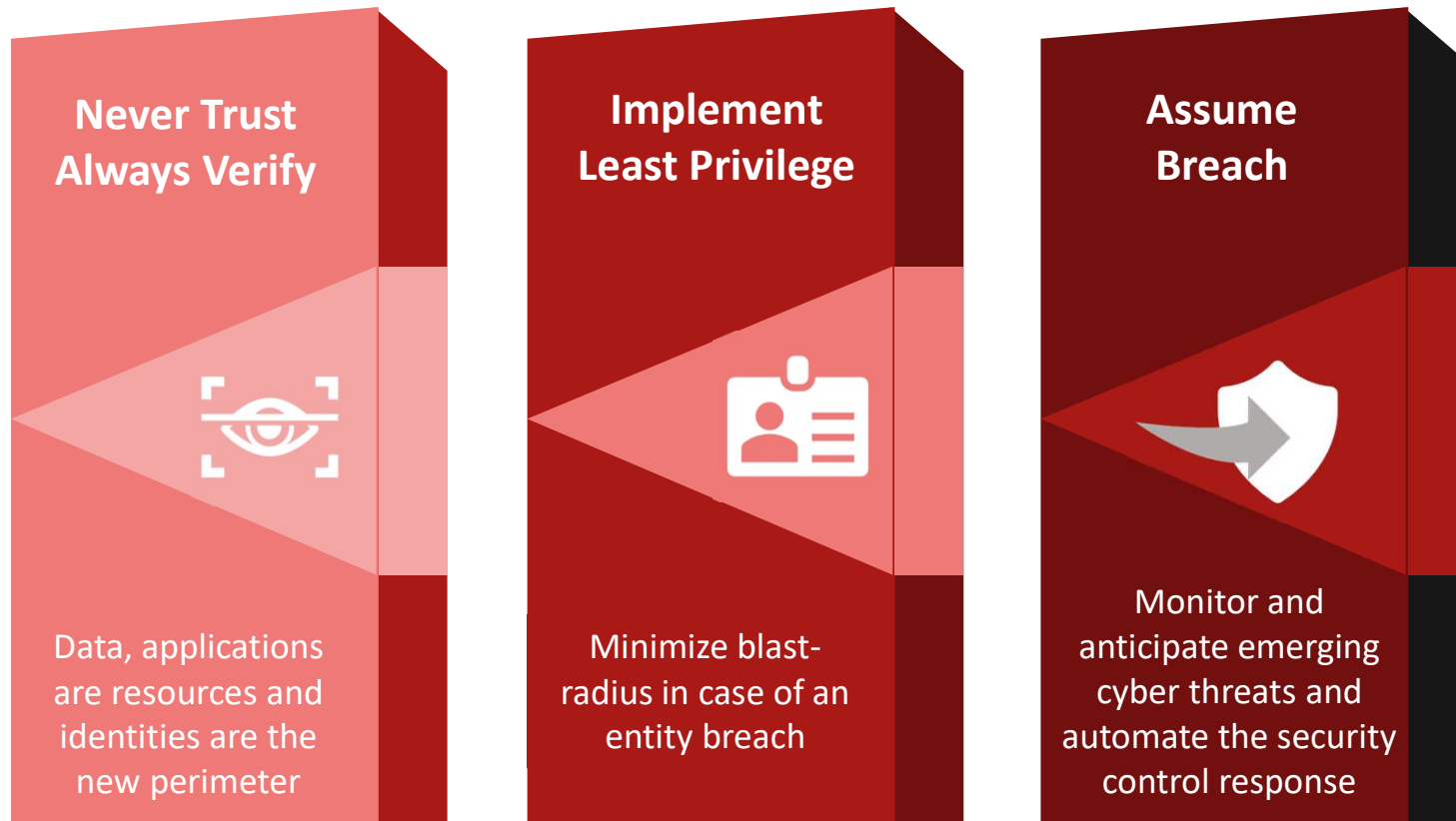
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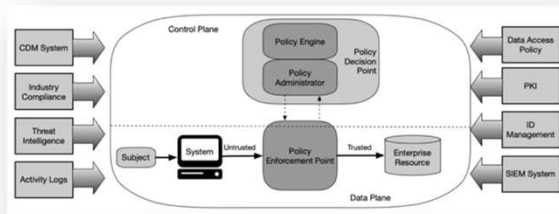
From trust but verify to never trust
The Zero Trust Principles

Zero-Trust (Key-)Principles

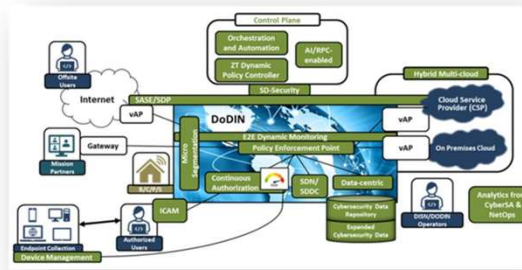


Zero Trust Reference Architecture Models..

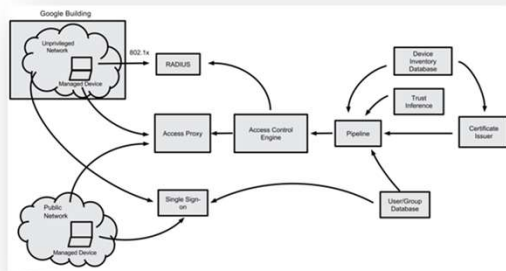
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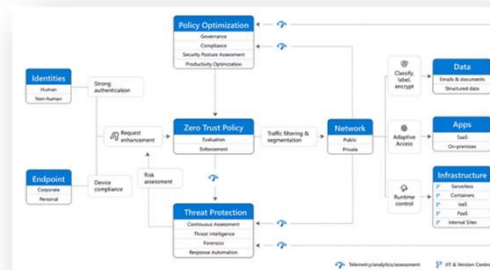
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Google BeyondCorp (2014)

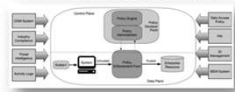


Microsoft Zero Trust
Architecture (2021)



Zero Trust Reference Architecture Models.. ..are probably not the best way to approach the topic.

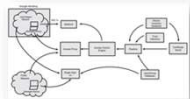
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„If you think technology solves your security problems, you did not understand the technology nor your security problems.. „ Bruce Schneier

“ Don't try to eat the elephant at once
How to address Zero-Trust in
an organisation?

CEO

**Secure remote
access**

CFO

**Potential cost
reduction**

COO

**Simplification of
IT management
design**

CRO/CCO

**Improved data
protection**

CIO

**Improved user
experience**

Five reasons why senior management will love the approach

Zero Trust Business Use Cases



Remote access & VPN
replacement



Operations Technology



Micro Segmentation



Hybrid & Multi Cloud



SaaS

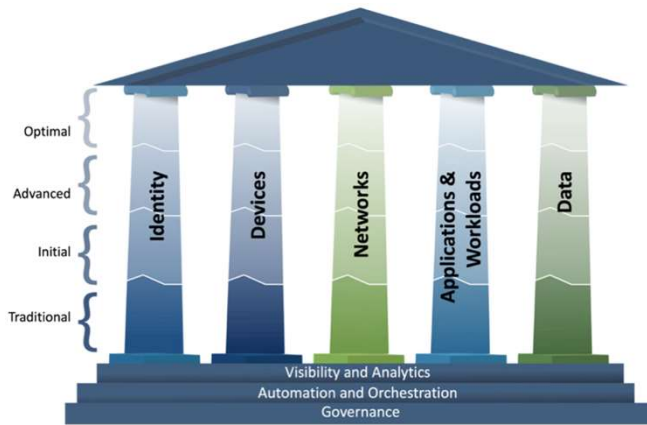


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Six reasons why IT- & security professionals love the approach

Zero Trust Technical Use Cases

Prepare your Zero Trust roadmap



Zero-Trust Maturity Model 2.0 by CISA

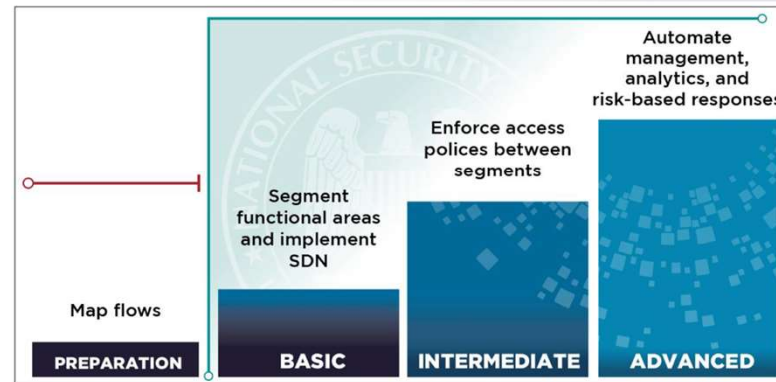


Figure 2: Zero Trust network and environment pillar maturity

The **maturity model** issued by CISA and the maturity guidelines by NSA are valuable tool tools to determine the transition roadmap from classic to a zero trust architecture



Addressing Zero Trust with the The-Five-Step-Implementation-Model

01 Identify Attack Surface

Define use cases for the appropriate risk scenarios and align usability and security goals



03 Implement Zero-Trust Architecture

Design the processes and technology to establish the appropriate architecture



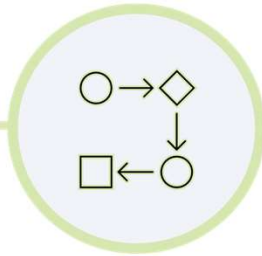
05 Monitor & Maintain

Establish monitoring and auditing functions to verify proper operations



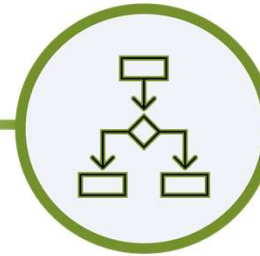
02 Analyse Data Flow

Determine the data flow based on application and data lifecycle models

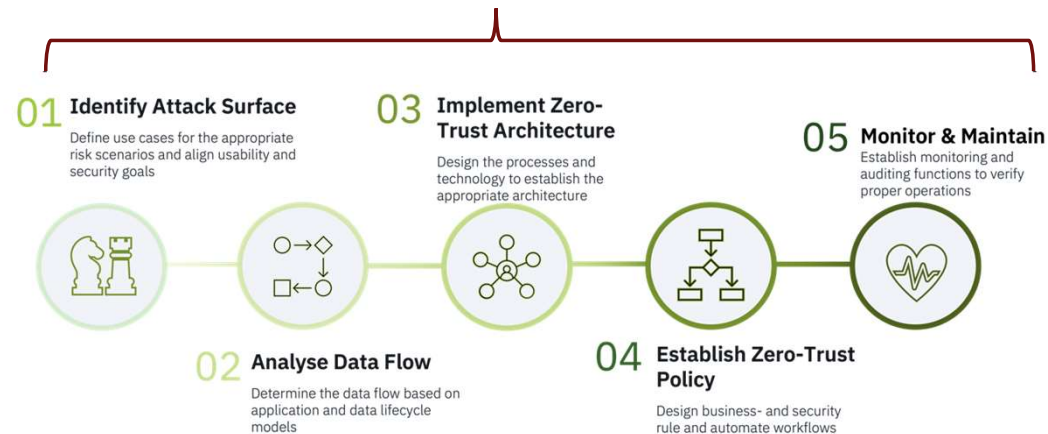
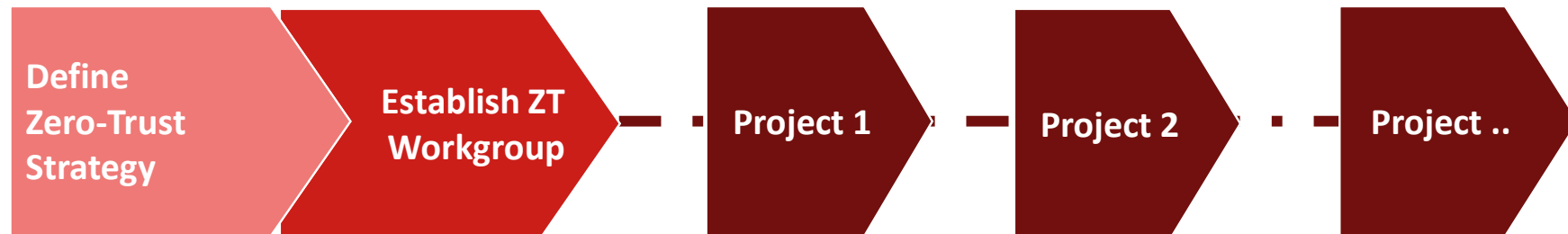


04 Establish Zero-Trust Policy

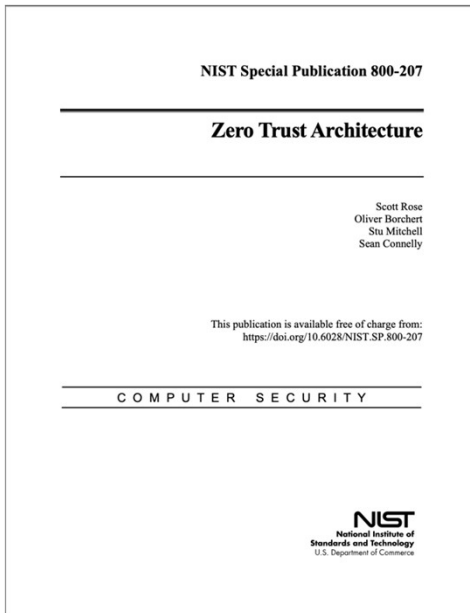
Design business- and security rule and automate workflows



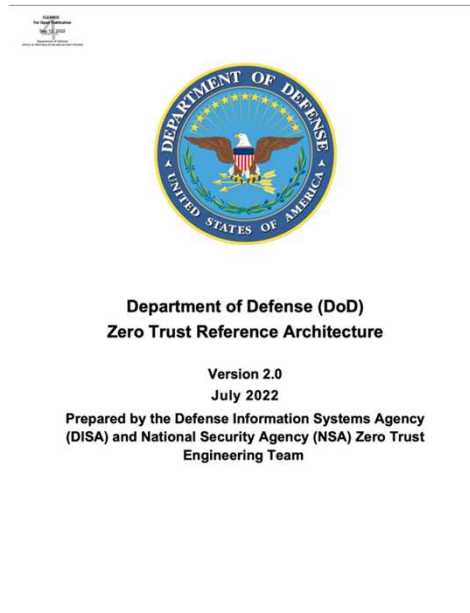
Embedding your implementation into the strategy



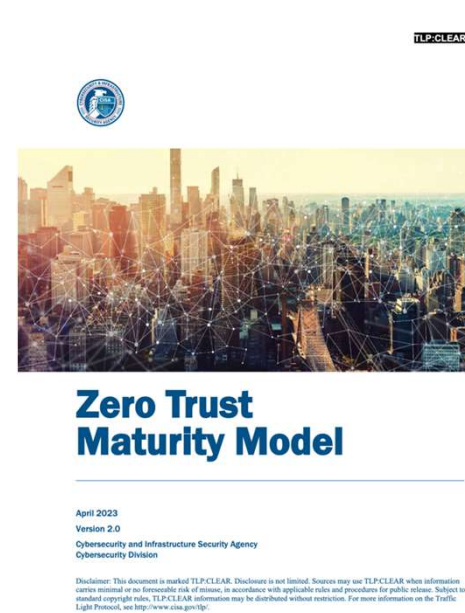
My favorites for practitioners



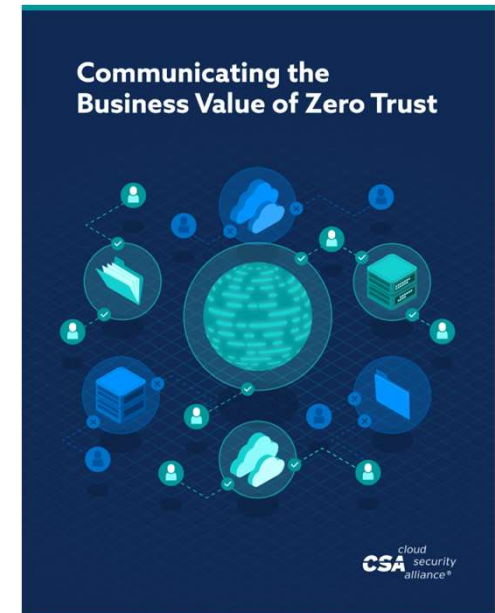
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https://www.cisa.gov/sites/default/files/202304/zero_trust_maturity_model_v2_508.pdf



<https://cloudsecurityalliance.org/artifacts/communicating-the-business-value-of-zero-trust>

Wrapping Up

Zero Trust..

- ..is a strategy, expressed in architecture models, supported by technology
- ..don't approach Zero Trust from a pure technological viewpoint – it's a mindshift
- ..adds security **AND** improves usability, (what is rare)



Links & Resources

BeyondCorp: A new approach to enterprise security

<https://cloud.google.com/beyondcorp>

NIST SP800-07 / Zero-Trust Model

<https://csrc.nist.gov/publications/detail/sp/800-207/final>

Microsoft Zero-Trust Model

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/security/business/zero-trust>

CISA Maturity Model 2.0

https://www.cisa.gov/sites/default/files/2023-04/zero_trust_maturity_model_v2_508.pdf

NSA - Embracing a Zero Trust Security Model

https://media.defense.gov/2021/Feb/25/2002588479/-1/-1/0/CSI_EMBRACING_ZT_SECURITY_MODEL_UOO115131-21.PDF

CSA – Defining the Zero Trust protect Surface

<https://cloudsecurityalliance.org/artifacts/defining-the-zero-trust-protect-surface>

The Future of Directory Services Is Domainless

<https://learn.g2.com/directory-services>

Passwordless Authentication: What It Is and How It Works

<https://www.beyondidentity.com/resources/passwordless-authentication>

Modern Bastion Hosts

<https://eng.sigmacomputing.com/modern-bastion-hosts-abed8c7c7c63>

Immutable Container Images

<https://thenewstack.io/how-zero-trust-models-work-in-container-security/>