



## IBM Mainframe Security in the Enterprise



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## Agenda

- Managing risk across the enterprise
- IBM mainframe security strategy
- Securing the infrastructure
- Enterprise wide security processes
- Helping to address compliance requirements



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Security breaches published regularly demonstrate the spread of the menace



**Data theft affects 88 million-plus Americans**  
SearchSecurity.com, June 21, 2006

**MasterCard says 40 million files are put at risk.**  
New York Times, May 18, 2005

**New Trojan Hits Symbian Smartphones**  
Information Week, July 5, 2005

**At least a million machines are under the control of hackers worldwide.**  
ZDNET March 16, 2005

**Phishing attacks against over two dozen European banks were detected by security firm Websense last weekend**  
The Register, September 20, 2005

**Government agencies and companies in the U.K. are under attack by a concerted series of Trojan horses out to steal information.**  
TechWebNews, June 16, 2005

**The number of bank accounts accessed illegally by a New Jersey cybercrime ring has grown to 676,000, according to police investigators.**  
ComputerWorld, May 20, 2005

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## Managing risk across the enterprise

*The pillars of mainframe security*

**IT Infrastructure**

- Help protect system from compromise
- Help secure access from the Internet
- Help secure data from theft or compromise

**Enterprise-wide Business Processes**

- Help secure applications that span the enterprise
- Leverage the proven security process of your mainframe

**Risk Compliance**

- Provide policy based security processes
- Provide audit information
- Enable regulatory compliance
- Detect and prevent a security breach and reduce impact

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GTSS Data Security Services | May 2006 | Confidential
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## System z Architecture: Security Built In By Design

- **Enforced Workload Isolation**
  - ▶ Each user in a separate address space
  - ▶ LPAR separation ensures integrity
  - ▶ Supervisor state & system programs protection
  
- **Authorized program facility (APF)**
  - ▶ Executables only accessible to authorized users
  
- **Storage Protection Keys**
  - ▶ Controls access to protected storage
  - ▶ Cross memory services prevent unauthorized data access

Allows customers to confidently place critical workloads on single z/OS image

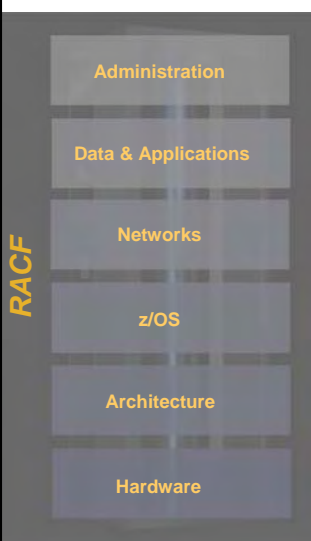
Can help prevent intrusion from malware, viruses and worms

*Proven with 40 years of secured operations!*



## The backbone of mainframe security Resource Access Control Facility (RACF)

**Authentication  
Authorization  
Administration  
Auditing**



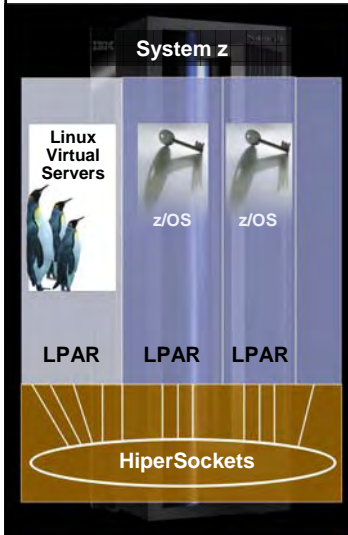
Enables application and database security without modifying applications

Can reduce security complexity and expense:

- Central security process that is easy to apply to new workloads or as user base increases
- Tracks activity to address audit and compliance requirements

- Manage access to encryption key data store
- Integration with distributed system security domain
- Checking for “Best Practices” with z/OS HealthChecker
- Serving mainframe enterprises for over 30 years

## Security through virtualization



- **Virtual servers on a single mainframe: Logical Partitions (LPAR)**
  - ▶ Up to 60 isolated system images
  - ▶ Flexible dynamic provisioning of hardware resources
  - ▶ Highest Common Criteria certification – EAL5
- **Virtual network in the server: HiperSockets**
  - ▶ Provides an integrated TCP/IP network through system memory
  - ▶ Enables a “Data Center” inside a box with a mixture of z/OS and Linux images.
  - ▶ Highly secure connection – no external network exposed

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## The Power of Mainframe Encryption

*Helping to reduce risk across your value-net*

Helping to protect privacy over the internet

Helping to protect confidential data in databases

Helping to protect data leaving your enterprise

**Customer objectives:**

- Only intended party is allowed to decrypt
- Availability of the keys and decryption services when you need them

Enterprise-wide Key Management

Helping to protect archived data

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## Mainframe Encryption Hardware

**Integrated Cryptographic Server Facility (ICSF)**

**Introduced in 1971**  
Accelerates encryption and provide Secure Key services

**CP CPACF** (z9 EC, z9 BC, z990, z890)

- Support high levels of security for demanding applications
- Very high performance TDES, AES -128\* and SHA-256\*

**CryptoExpress2**

- For Secure Key exchanges
- Master keys in "tamper-resistant" package
- Dual control for Master Key management
- Important for finance functions
  - ✓ ATM support, Triple-DES, Trusted Key Entry
  - ✓ CVV validation
- Designed to comply with FIPS 140-2

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## z/OS Centralized Key Management

### Integrated Cryptographic Service Facility (ICSF)



Methodology to help protect and manage keys

- ▶ Highly secure and available key data store
- ▶ Provides key recovery capabilities
- ▶ Long term key management
- ▶ Disaster recovery capabilities
- ▶ Audit records
- Single point of control
- Over 15 years of production use



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## Announcing the industry's first comprehensive end to end tape encryption solution



- IBM System Storage TS1120 Tape Drive
- Designed with a cross-IBM team driven by customer requirements
- New Encryption Key Manager program
- Integration with System z security and encryption capabilities
- Services and consulting

#### Customer Objectives

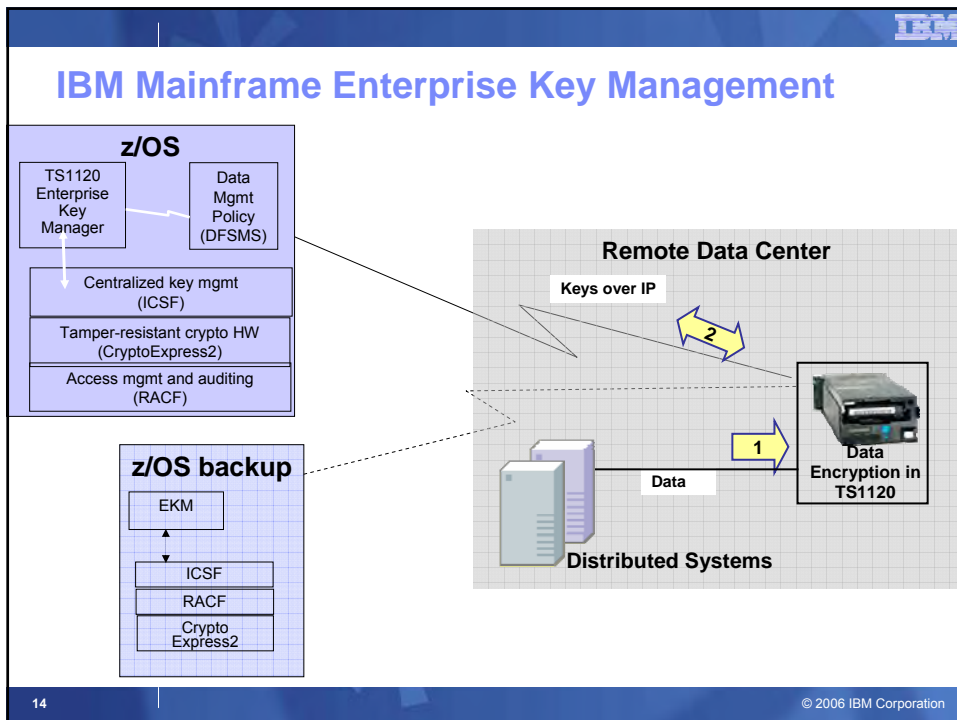
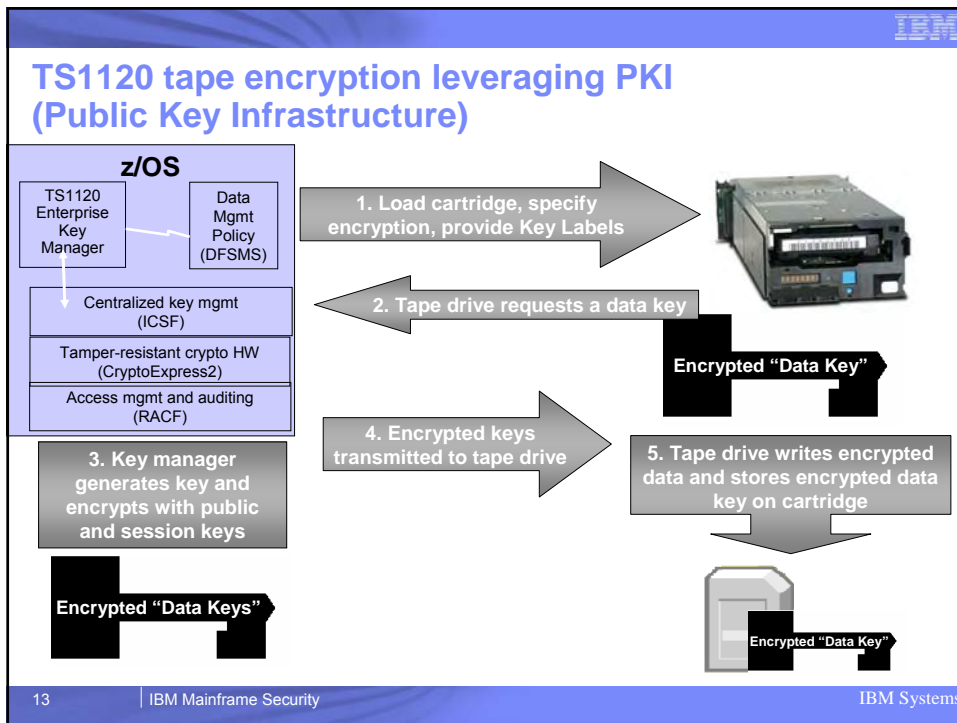
Data can only be decrypted by intended party  
Keys available when and where you need them



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## Tape encryption to exchange with business partners

Encryption Facility for z/OS, V1.1

**Centralized Key Management**

**Data Encryption in the Server**

**Business partner**

Uses no-charge Java client to decrypt tape cartridge

Can also encrypt data to send back

- Flexible options for business partner exchange
- Partners do not need TS1120 encrypting drives
- Supports public key or password based exchange

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## Network security – encryption over the Internet

**SSL**

Mainframe Data Center ↔ Web browser HTTPS

**IPsec (VPN)**

Mainframe Data Center ↔ Branch Office

- **Application-layer encryption with SSL and TLS**
  - ▶ Encryption acceleration in the System z server (CPACF)
    - Support for up to 6000 SSL handshakes per second
  - ▶ Application Transparent TLS (z/OS 1.7)
    - Define a TLS or SSL secured connection with no anticipated changes to existing applications
- **Network layer encryption with IPsec**
  - ▶ Allows secure tunnel between two IP entities (Virtual Private Network)
  - ▶ Improved scale and performance in z/OS 1.7
- **Simpler and consistent configuration of the above technologies**
  - ▶ *z/OS Network Security Configuration Assistant*

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## Network security – z/OS intrusion detection services



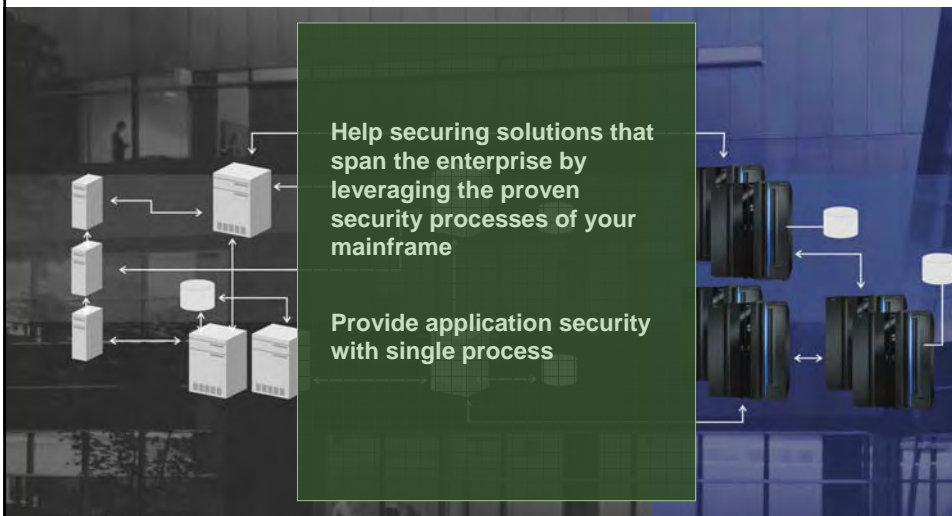
More than  
Intrusion Detection -  
Intrusion Defense!

- **Built-in self-protection**
  - ▶ Complements network-based IDS devices by detecting attacks that otherwise would go undetected
- **Monitors incoming traffic, detecting both new and known attacks**
  - ▶ Can evaluate encrypted data *after* decryption
- **Easy administration**
  - ▶ Policy-based controls, eliminates overhead of updating intrusion signatures
- **Auditing and Reporting:**
  - ▶ IDS events can be tracked by Tivoli Security Operations Manager 3.1.
  - ▶ TSOM can correlate and analyze events, and include in reports
- **IDS events trigger NetView automation**

New in z/OS 1.8:

- ▶ No longer requires LDAP
- ▶ Policy administration simplified

## Mainframe security – enterprise wide processes



## End-to-end identity and access management

*authentication, authorization, administration, audit*

### Distributed Security Domain Tivoli Security Suite

- Access Manager
- Identity Manager
- Federated Identity Manager

### Mainframe Security Domain

- z/OS RACF
- z/OS 1.8 Improved LDAP
- Tivoli Directory Integrator

### Recent Enhancements

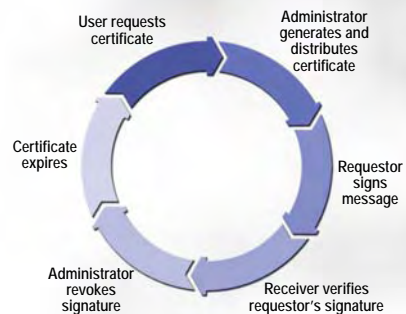
- TAM components in WAS on z/OS
- Federated Identity Manager on z/OS
- Integration services
- Roadmap for further integration

## Digital certificate life cycle management

### A TCO advantage with z/OS

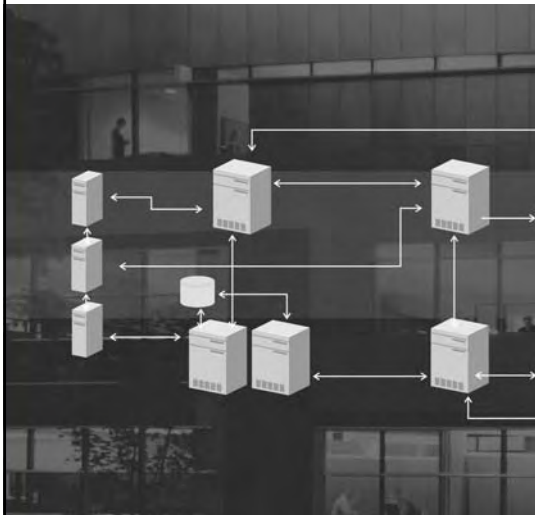


- z/OS PKI Services is a Certification Authority solution
- Provides certificate life cycle mgmt
- IBM services available



Large bank used PKI to help secure connection with branch offices - Saved an estimated \$16M a year

## Mainframe security – risk compliance



Provide policy based security processes

Provide audit information  
Enable regulatory compliance

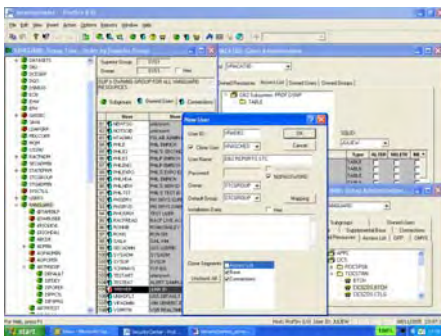
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## Complimenting the mainframe security portfolio Vanguard Security Solutions



### ■ IBM & Vanguard Security Solutions

- ▶ **Vanguard Security Center** offers ease-to-use graphical user interface for RACF and DB2 security administration on z/OS
- ▶ **Vanguard Administrator** provides advanced security server management and analysis with automation and power utilities
- ▶ **Vanguard Analyzer** assists with security system snapshots or full-scale System z9 security audits
- ▶ **Vanguard Enforcer** manages and enforces security policy in z/OS and RACF
- ▶ **Vanguard Advisor** provides event detection, analysis and reporting capabilities for the z/OS and RACF

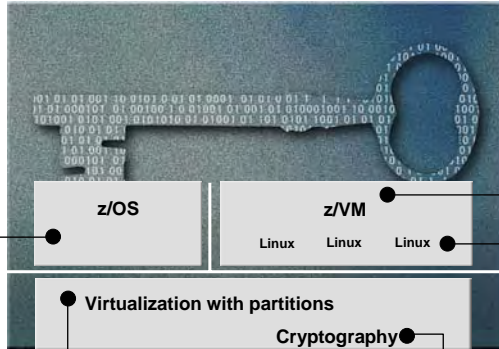
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## Certifications on System z

The Common Criteria program developed by NIST and NSA establishes an organizational and technical framework to evaluate the trustworthiness of IT Products and protection profiles



### z/OS

- Common Criteria EAL4+
  - with CAPP and LSPP
  - z/OS 1.7 + RACF
- IdenTrust™ certification for z/OS as a Digital Certificate Authority (PKI Services)

### z/VM

- Common Criteria EAL3+
  - with CAPP and LSPP
- z/VM 5.1 + RACF

### Linux on System z

- Common Criteria EAL4+
  - with CAPP and LSPP
  - SUSE LES9 certified
- Common Criteria EAL3+
  - with CAPP and LSPP
  - Red Hat EL3 certified at EAL3+
  - Red Hat EL4 EAL4+ in progress

Virtualization with partitions

Cryptography

System z9 EC and z9 BC and other System z servers

- Common Criteria EAL5 for Logical partitions

- FIPS 140-2 level 4 for Crypto Express 2

See: [www.ibm.com/security/standards/st\\_evaluations.shtml](http://www.ibm.com/security/standards/st_evaluations.shtml)

## Continued innovation in security

### Almaden

- Cryptographic Foundations
- Digital Rights Management
- Privacy-Preserving Data Mining

### Watson

- Cryptographic Foundations
- Network Security & "Ethical Hacking"
- Secure Embedded Systems
- Security of Autonomic Systems
- Secure Hardware
- Security Engineering
- Secure Hypervisors
- Integrity Based Computing
- Secure Linux systems & Applications
- High Assurance Systems
- Security Assessment Tools
- Privacy Technology
- Web Services Security
- Biometrics & Surveillance Systems

### Zürich

- Cryptographic Foundations
- Java Cryptography
- Privacy Technology
- Identity Management
- Integrity-Based Computing
- Grid Computing & Web Services Security
- Intrusion Detection & Alert Correlation
- Smart Card Systems and Applications
- Java Card
- Web Services Security

### Tokyo

- Web Services Security
- Mobile Security
- XML Security
- VLSI for crypto
- Digital Watermarking

On November 15th, 2005, the White House named IBM a winner of the U.S. National Medal of Technology - the highest honor awarded by the President of the United States for technology innovation

## z/OS Security Server (RACF) Update

z/OS V1R7

## RACF USER-related Enhancements: Mixed-Case Passwords

- Allows RACF to distinguish between upper- and lower-case characters in passwords.
- Supported by TSO/E, CICS TS 3.1 (and 2.2 and 2.3 via PTF), Console logon, JOB statements, and z/OS UNIX functions.
- Controlled by SETR PASSWORD(MIXEDCASE | NOMIXEDCASE)
  - ▶ **Do not enable mixed-case passwords unless all local systems sharing RACF DB are at z/OS R7**
  - ▶ **For RRSF, RACF will ensure passwords are in upper-case if sent to an RRSF node at z/OS R6 or earlier.**

## RACF USER-related Enhancements: Mixed-Case Passwords...

- Notes:
  - ▶ RACF will remember whether a user has ever had a mixed-case password. If not, when comparing a password entered by the user RACF will check both the value as presented to RACF and the upper-case version of that value.
  - ▶ When the user is changing his password, RACF will check that the new password and current password, when converted to upper-case, are different. Example:
    - If current password is ABCD
    - Then new password aBcD will be rejected

## RACF Support for the IBM Health Checker for z/OS

- **What is the IBM Health Checker for z/OS?**
  - ▶ Originally a tool developed by ITSO to address component configuration and setup errors commonly made by installations
    - Web download
    - Implemented as a batch job
    - 37 checks
  - ▶ With z/OS V1R7, the IBM Health Checker for z/OS is integrated into z/OS
    - Implemented as a started task
    - 55 checks
    - Rolled back to z/OS V1R4 as a web download
    - Checks are shipped with components
    - Installations and vendors can write checks
    - Extensive SDSF support

## Common Criteria

- **Common Criteria certification for z/OS R7 completed**
  - ▶ Labeled Security Protection Profile (LSPP) at Evaluation Assurance Level 4 (EAL4)
  - ▶ Controlled Access Protection Profile (CAPP) at EAL4

## z/OS Security Server (RACF) Update



z/OS V1R8

## z/OS Version 1 Release 8

- ▶ Support for RACF pass phrases from 14 to 100 characters in length
- ▶ Significant improvements to Identrus-certified support for digital certificates, including SCEP and multiple certificate authority (multiple-CA) support
- ▶ Improvement for tape data set protection using RACF or another external security manager
- ▶ Support for Advanced Encryption Standard for AES for IPsec
- ▶ Support for SAF Identity Tokens
- ▶ Support for virtual key rings

## IBM mainframe security

Our goal is to continually **increase value** to protect our customers' investments by **extending** premiere System z **capabilities** across **heterogeneous platforms** to become the **'Enterprise Trust Authority'** for On Demand Business.

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