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# *Understanding Your Organizational Security Posture*

## Security Intelligence



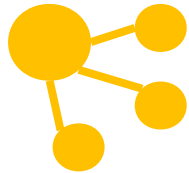
# Innovative technology changes everything



1 trillion connected objects



1 billion mobile workers



Social business



Bring your own IT



Cloud and virtualization

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# Propelling IT Security to a board room discussion



Business results	Brand image	Supply chain	Legal exposure	Impact of hacktivism	Audit risk
Sony estimates potential \$1B long term impact – \$171M / 100 customers*	HSBC data breach discloses 24K private banking customers	Epsilon breach impacts 100 national brands	TJX estimates \$150M class action settlement in release of credit / debit card info	Lulzsec 50-day hack-at-will spree impacts Nintendo, CIA, PBS, UK NHS, UK SOCA, Sony ...	Zurich Insurance PLC fined £2.275M (\$3.8M) for the loss and exposure of 46K customer records





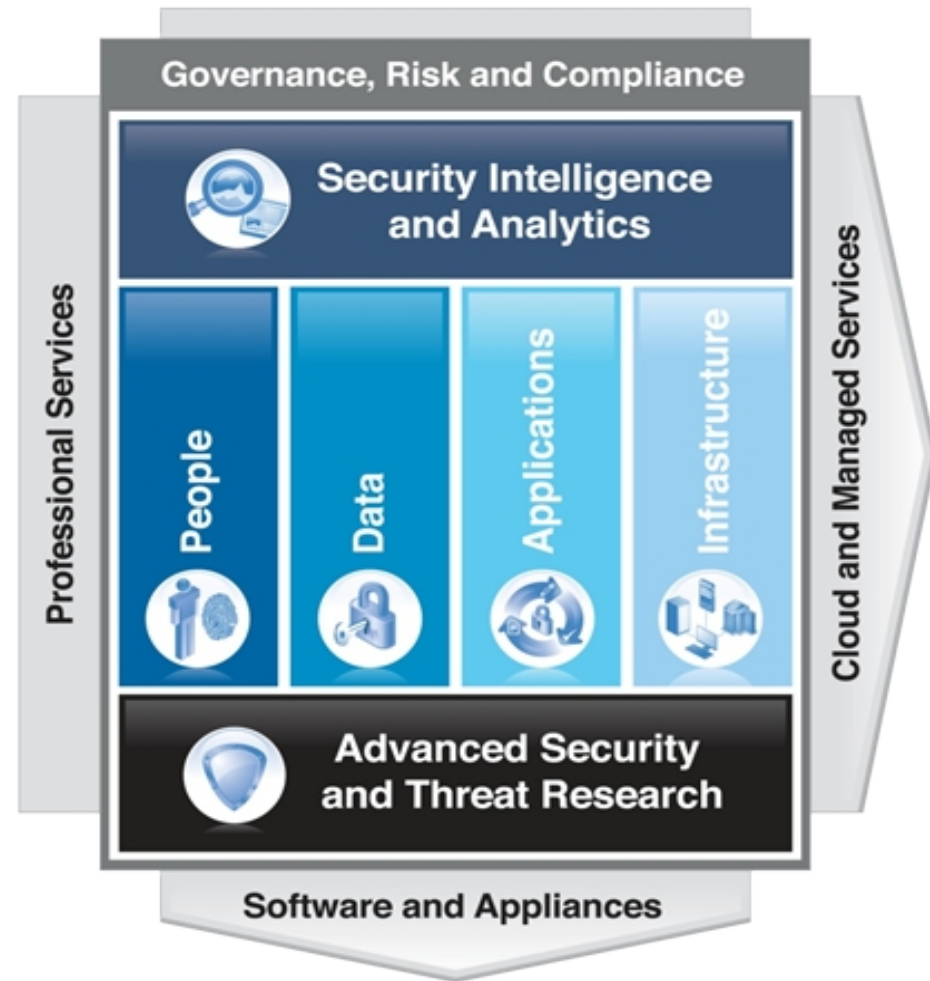
# IBM delivers solutions across a security framework



Intelligence

Integration

Expertise



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# What is Security Intelligence?



## ***Security Intelligence***

*--noun*

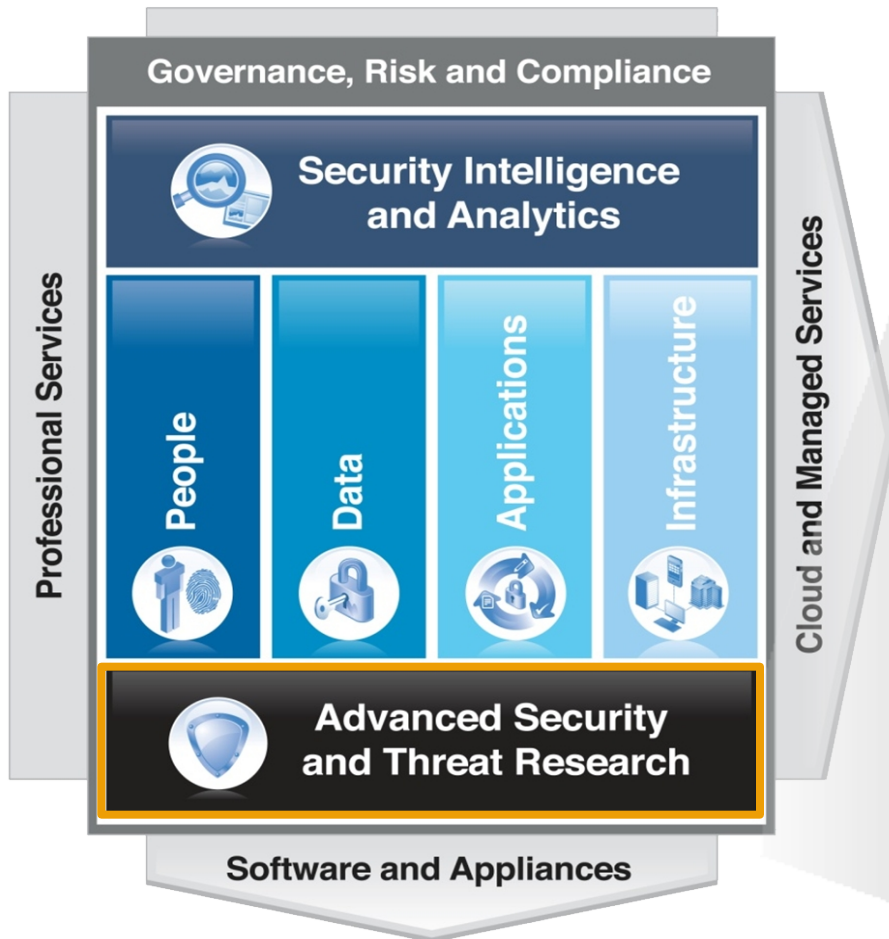
1. the real-time collection, normalization and analytics of the data generated by users, applications and infrastructure that impacts the IT security and risk posture of an enterprise

Security Intelligence provides actionable and comprehensive insight for managing risks and threats from protection and detection through remediation



# IBM X-Force 2012 Full-Year Trend and Risk Report

# X-Force is the foundation for advanced security and threat research across the IBM Security Framework



The mission of X-Force is to:

- **Monitor** and evaluate the rapidly changing threat landscape
- **Research** new attack techniques and develop protection for tomorrow's security challenges
- **Educate** our customers and the general public

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## Coverage

**20,000+** devices  
under contract

**3,700+** managed  
clients worldwide

**13B+** events  
managed per day

**133** monitored  
countries (MSS)

**1,000+** security  
related patents



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## Depth

**17B** analyzed  
web pages & images

**40M** spam &  
phishing attacks

**80K** documented  
vulnerabilities

**Billions** of intrusion  
attempts daily

**Millions** of unique  
malware samples







## Threats and Activity

- 40% increase in breach events for 2012
- Sophistication is not always about technology
- SQL Injection, DDoS, Phishing activity increased from 2011
- Java means to infect as many systems as possible

## Operational Security

- Software vulnerability disclosures up in 2012
- Web application vulnerabilities surge upward
- XSS vulnerabilities highest ever seen at 53%
- Content Management Systems plug-ins provide soft target

## Emerging Trends

- Social Media leveraged for enhanced spear-phishing techniques and intelligence gathering
- Mobile Security should be more secure than traditional user computing devices by 2014



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# A Holistic Approach to Advanced Persistent Threats

*How IBM is Helping Clients*

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The Challenge of Advanced Persistent Threats

IBM's Comprehensive Security Portfolio

IBM's Approach



137,400,000

...Number of cyber-attacks witnessed  
by IBM in 2012

# Most Attacked Industries

<b>Industry</b>	<b>Average weekly attacks</b>
Health and Social Services	10.1 million
Transportation	9.8 million
Hospitality	5.5 million
Finance and Insurance	3.6 million
Manufacturing	2.6 million

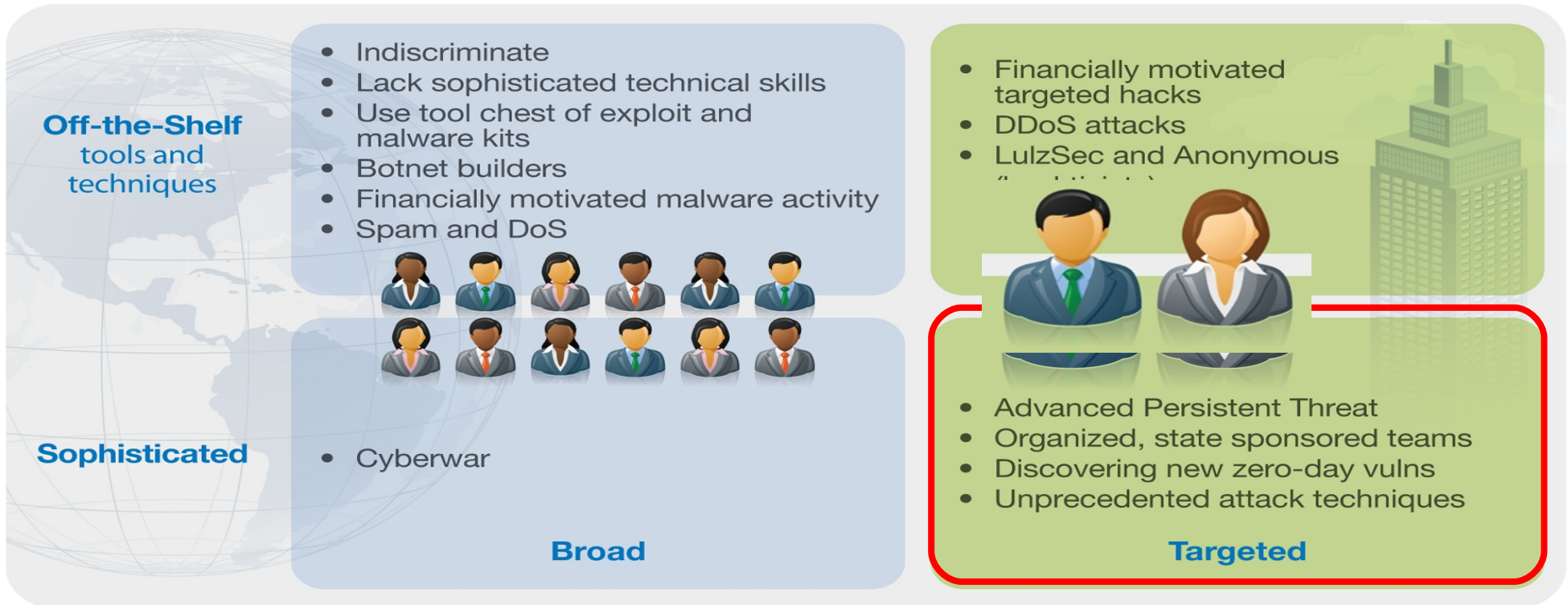




**1.07**

Incidents per  
one million attacks<sup>1</sup>

# Attackers are using sophisticated techniques to bypass defenses



***“Advanced Persistent Threat” is the approach often used by State-Sponsored Entities***

Source: IBM X-Force Research and Development



# What's different about Advanced Persistent Threats?



## Advanced

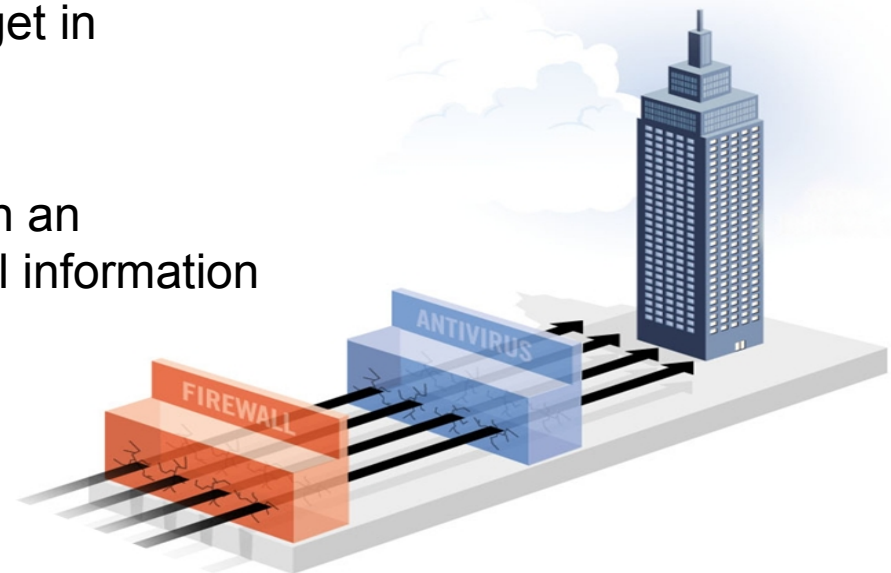
- Exploiting unreported (zero-day) vulnerabilities
- Advanced, custom malware is not detected by antivirus products
- Coordinated, well researched attacks using multiple vectors

## Persistent

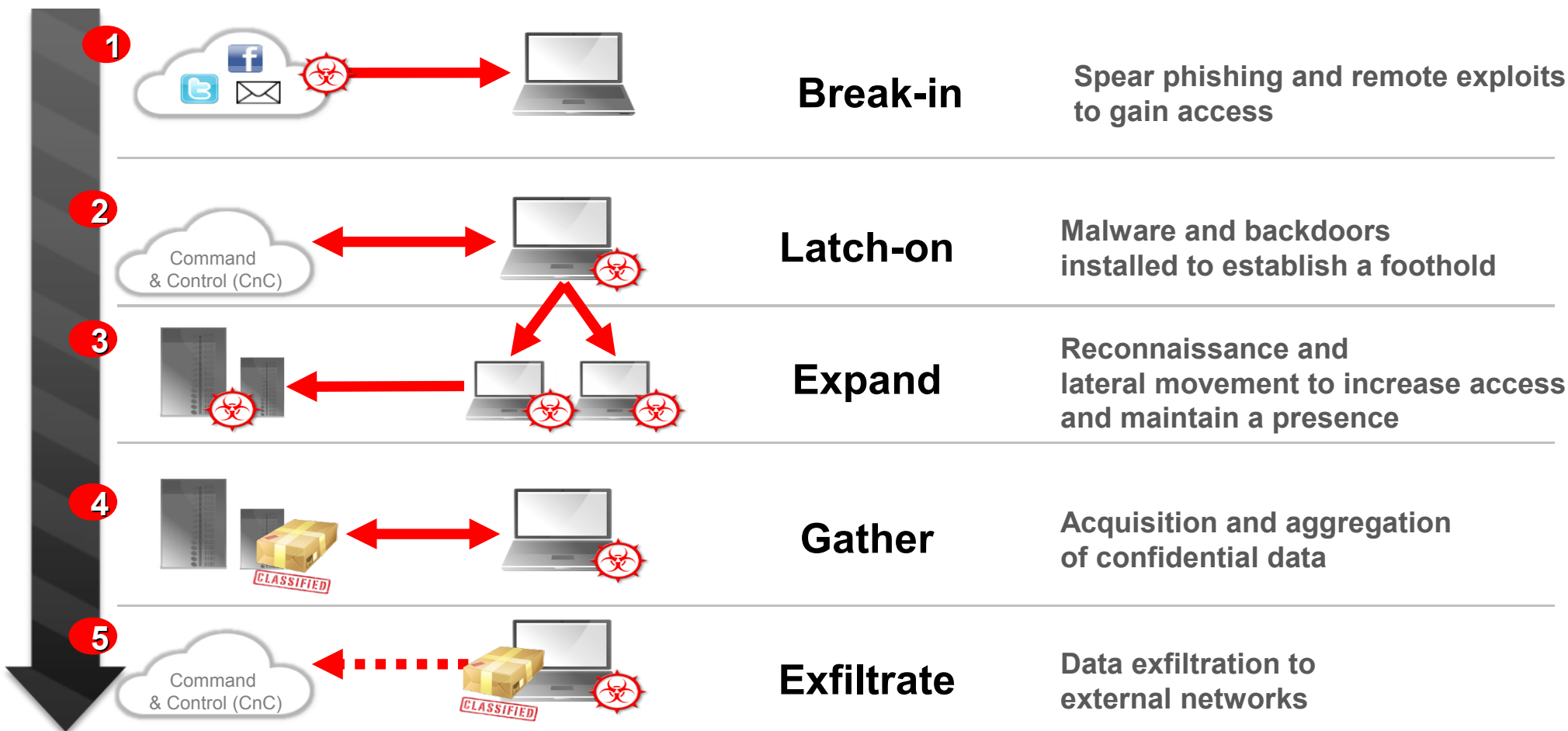
- Attacks last for months or years (average: 1 year; longest: 4.8 years)<sup>1</sup>
- Attackers are dedicated to the target – they will get in

## Threat

- Targeted at specific individuals and groups within an organization; aimed at compromising confidential information
- Not random attacks – they are “out to get you”



# Attackers follow a 5-Stage attack chain



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# IBM's unique approach to security



- ❖ Leader in security software and services – recognized by Gartner, Forrester and IDC
- ❖ Solutions deployed at the largest banks, retailers, and government agencies worldwide

## Monitor



Security Intelligence  
and Analytics

Big data **analytics**  
applied to security

## Control



Robust **controls** built into IT  
fabric, relying on leading IBM  
technologies across 12+  
critical security domains

## Apply Insight



Advanced Security  
and Threat Research

World class **research** that finds  
threats before they impact you

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# Stage 1: Break-in



1 Break-in

2 Latch-on

3 Expand

4 Gather

5 Exfiltrate

## Your Challenge

- Employees are always vulnerable to well-executed phishing attempts
- Even patched machines can be compromised by “zero-day attacks” that leverage previously unknown vulnerabilities
- Antivirus has proven to be largely ineffective against zero-day malware

## How IBM Can Help

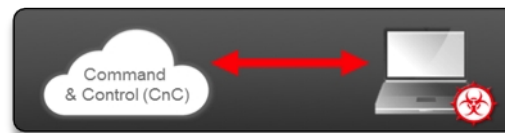
- **IBM Security Network IPS** and **IBM Security Network Protection** help block zero-day exploits using advanced behavioral analysis, and block phishing and malware sites using a database of 13 billion URLs
- **IBM Endpoint Manager** helps limit attack surface by auditing and enforcing compliance with patch and configuration policies

## Other Considerations

- Ask your endpoint protection (antivirus) vendor what they provide for advanced detection, and how they detect indicators of compromise
- Consider using a specialized malware detection solution
- Develop and implement a thorough employee education program



## Stage 2: Latch-on



### Your Challenge

- Once the attacker has breached your perimeter, they need to establish a communication channel back to “home” and create redundant ways to access your network

### How IBM Can Help

- **IBM Security QRadar** continuously monitors the network and helps identify anomalous activity in terms of location, applications accessed, and more; logs network activity for future forensic investigations, to help determine extent of breach
- **IBM Security Network IPS** uses advanced behavioral analysis to detect subtle communications with malicious destinations

### Other Considerations

- Ask your endpoint protection (antivirus) vendor what they are providing for advanced detection, including detecting indicators of compromise

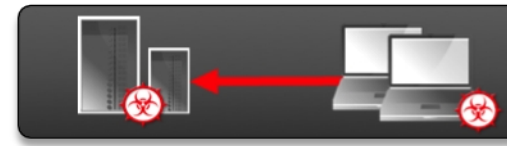


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# Stage 3: Expand



## Your Challenge

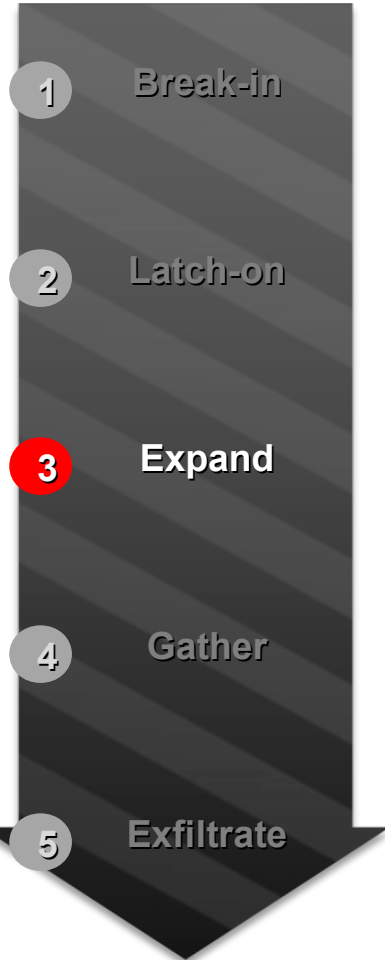
- APTs usually don't infect the host containing target data; thus the attacker needs to find the target data and gain access to it
- They will perform reconnaissance to understand the network and identify high-value assets

## How IBM Can Help

- **IBM Security Privileged Identity Manager** helps lock down user accounts with access to high-value systems and data
- **IBM Security QRadar** uses out-of-the-box analytics to look for suspicious network probing – by correlating activity at big data scale
- **IBM Security Host Protection** helps identify suspicious system activity, and inspects and blocks malicious traffic – including connections to encrypted web applications
- **IBM Security AppScan** helps reduce the attack surface of enterprise applications by identifying and prioritizing application vulnerabilities

## Other Considerations

- Proactively manage your access policies, grant the minimum rights required, and frequently review user access rights



# Stage 4: Gather



## Your Challenge

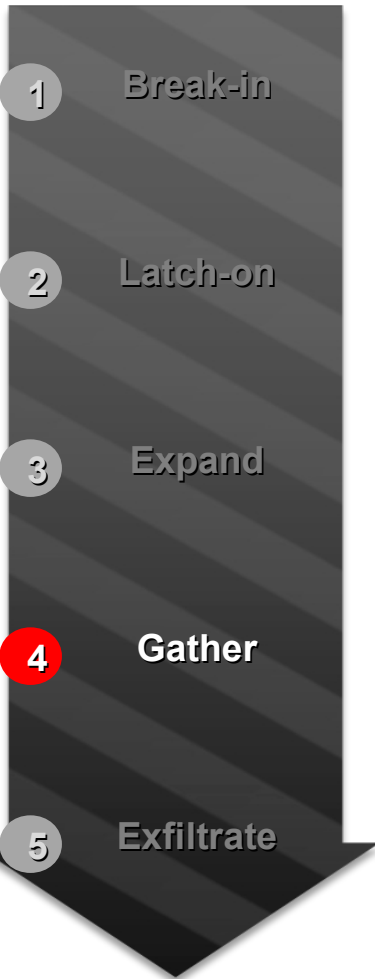
- Once the attacker has compromised your users & gained access to sensitive data repositories, they explore what is available and begin copying target data

## How IBM Can Help

- **IBM InfoSphere Guardium** continuously monitors databases and data warehouses to identify suspicious access and protect sensitive data
- **IBM Security Network IPS** helps block malicious behavior within (and beyond) the network
- **IBM Security Network Protection** controls application access at a granular user and application level
- **IBM Security Privileged Identity Manager** helps enforce access policies

## Other Considerations

- Place extra controls and focus around your critical assets and data
- Encrypt & protect data in proportion to its value to you and attackers
- Implement an effective DLP (data loss prevention) strategy



# Stage 5: Exfiltrate



## Your Challenge

- There are nearly unlimited ways to get acquired data off your network

## How IBM Can Help

- **IBM X-Force Threat Intelligence** identifies malicious sites, to help block communications
- **IBM Security QRadar** uses X-Force data to detect traffic to suspect sites; performs activity baselining to help detect anomalous user behavior based on type of activity, volume of transfers, location, etc.
- **IBM Security Network IPS** helps stop encrypted traffic associated with suspicious entities, and sensitive data transmission (eg, credit card numbers)
- **IBM Security Network Protection** tracks and controls application usage in all directions to enforce policies and help prevent data loss

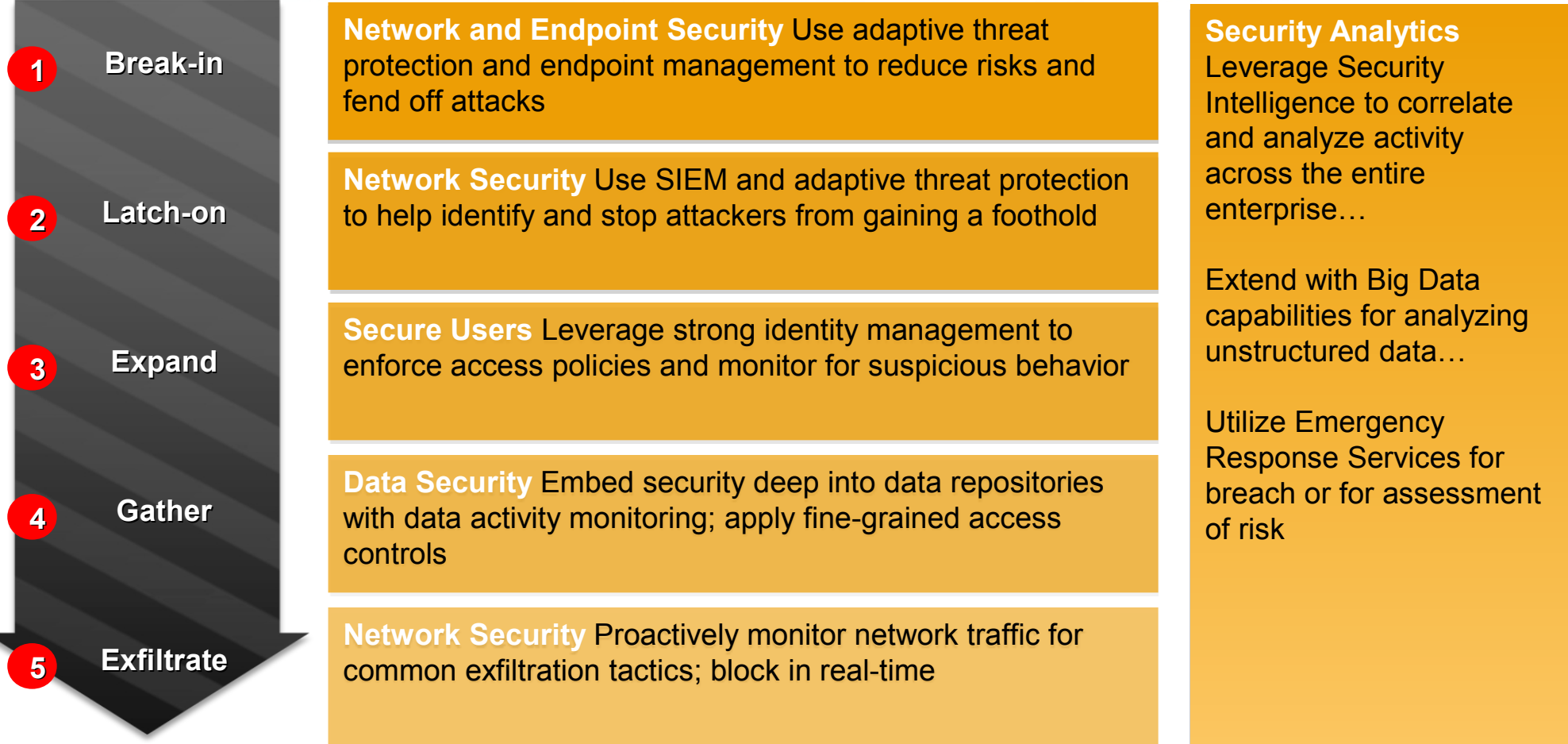
## Other Considerations

- Push your Endpoint Protection, Network DLP and Network Security vendors to enhance their detection and blocking of suspicious data transmission





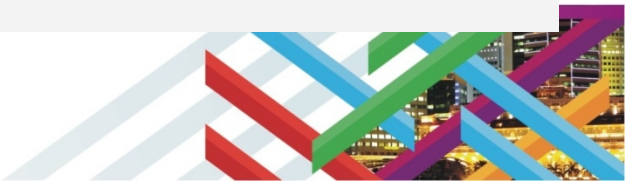
# IBM's approach to defending against state-sponsored attacks



Security **Intelligence**. Think **Integrated**.

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# What to do if you have been breached



1. Call IBM Emergency Response Services (24x7):



**The (cyber)storm is coming. ARE YOU READY?**

**Emergency? Call:** (US) +1.888.241.9812 | (WW) +1.312.212.8034

Or get started with a [penetration test](#) or an [incident response plan](#)

2. Proactively assess risk and reduce future breach likelihood:
  - Cyber Incident response training and simulated exercises to determine level of preparedness
  - Incident Response Program gap assessment to ensure enterprise readiness and responsiveness when an incident occurs
  - Active Threat Assessment as a preemptive service to determine weaknesses requiring remediation
  - X-Force threat analysis service is available from IBM experts **24x7**

## Key Features

**24x7x365 Hotline** for clients to call from anywhere worldwide for assistance if they believe they are experiencing an incident

**Incident Case Managers** who maintain calm, focus, and manage the incident and environment to completion and satisfaction

**Advanced tools, expertise and scale** for any platform, size client, and location worldwide

**Globally collected intelligence** applied to each engagement to improve outcomes and efficiencies

**Unlimited emergency declarations**



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