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The bridge to possible



Journey to Securing Industrial Networks

Where to start?

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Agenda

- Introduction to OT Security
- Industrial Security Journey
- Conclusions

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Ransomware attacks are now targeting industrial control systems

Ekans ransomware is designed to target industrial systems in what researchers describe as a 'deeply concerning evolution' in malware.

Petya ransomware: Cyberattack costs could hit \$300m for shipping giant Maersk

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Major German manufacturer still down a week after getting hit by ransomware

Pilz, a German company making automation tool, was infected with the BitPaymer ransomware on October 13.



By Catalin Cimpanu for Zero Day | October 21, 2019 -- 19:15 GMT (12:15 PDT) | Topic: Security

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Mysterious New Ransomware Targets Industrial Control Systems

EKANS appears to be the work of cybercriminals, rather than nation-state hackers—a worrying development, if so.

26 Sep 2019

Ad-hoc: Rheinmetall AG: Regional disruption of production due to malware at Rheinmetall Automotive

19 MAR 2020 NEWS

Norsk Hydro Outage May Have Been Destructive State Attack

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Cybersecurity Firm Flags Novel Ransomware Aimed at Industrial Control Systems

Bloomberg

Ransomware Linked to Iran, Targets Industrial Controls

See article on: www.bloomberg.com

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Kelly Jackson Higgins

How a Manufacturing Firm Recovered from a Devastating Ransomware Attack

The infamous Ryuk ransomware slammed a small company that makes heavy-duty vehicle alternators for government and emergency fleet. Here's what happened.

Shipping giant Pitney Bowes hit by ransomware

Zack Whittaker @zackwhittaker / 9:29 am PDT • October 14, 2019

Manufacturing giant Aebi Schmidt hit by ransomware

Zack Whittaker @zackwhittaker / 2:04 pm PDT • April 23, 2019

Comment

Ransomware halts production for days at major airplane parts manufacturer

Nearly 1,000 employees sent home for the entire week, on paid leave.



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Typical Issues Found in Industrial Networks

Unauthorized remote access by third parties

OT network fully connected to IT Default credentials to log into systems

Security Patches not installed Unknown devices

Bad Firewall or Switch configuration

Firmware uploaded over FTP without Signature

Multiple Time Servers DNS queries to Amazon Windows XP SMBv1

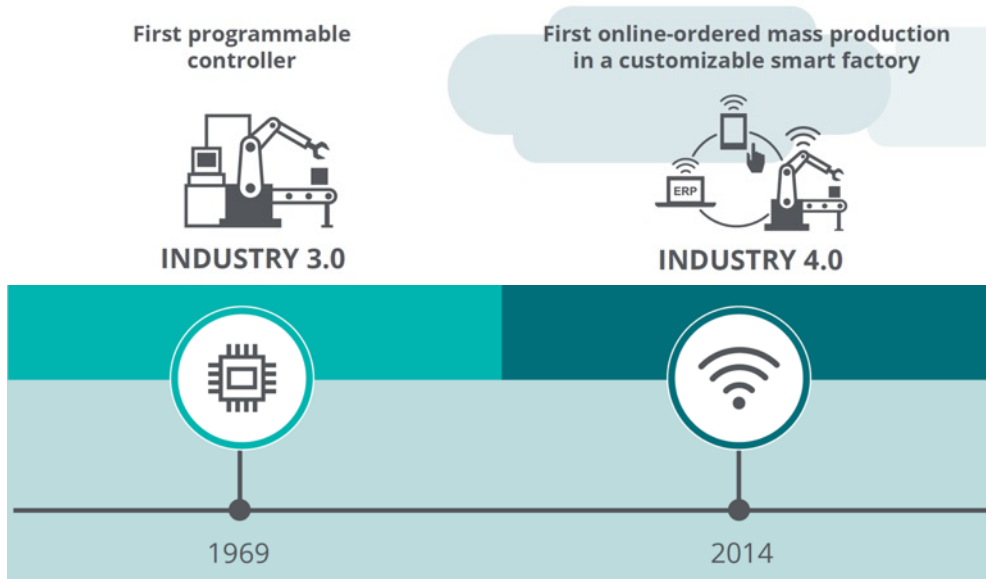
Unnecessary network communications

Decommissioned assets still connected IPv6 traffic in IPv4 networks

Devices in the wrong VLAN Malware or Virus activities

Program Upload over VPN during the night

Why is interconnected OT so hard to protect?



- Data + device proliferation
- Cloud adoption
- Increasing IT software usage
- Converging IT-OT networks

And now?

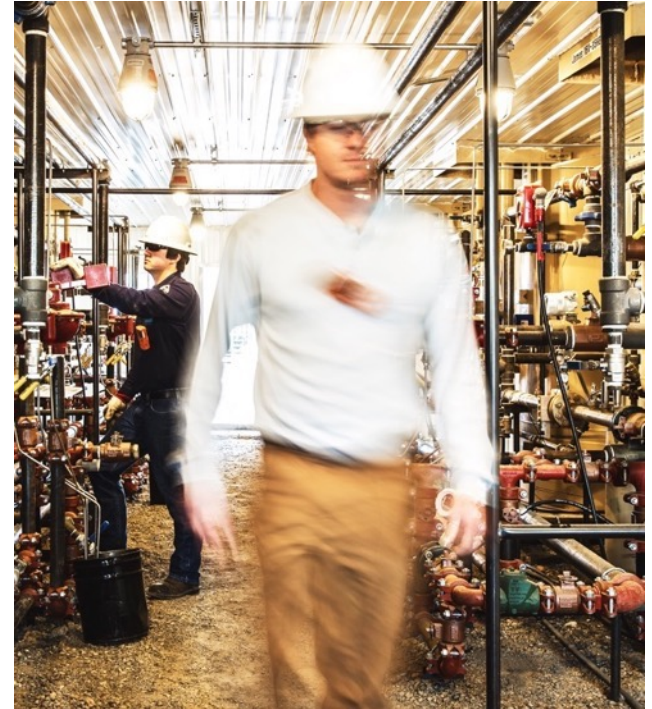


The golden "OT Security" question

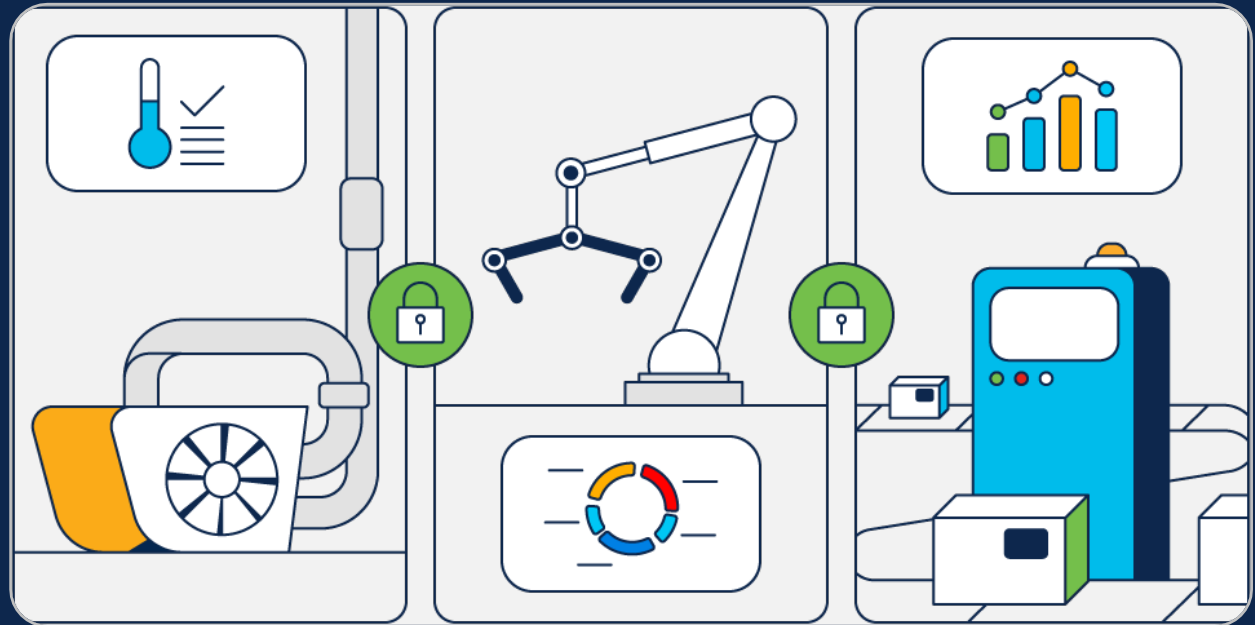
'We need to converge our IT and OT networks, where do we start with securing our Operational Network?'

Primary Drivers

- Business demanding visibility from OT plant for efficiency and flexibility gains
- Historically 'air-gapped' systems are now more connected – exposing many new risks to the revenue earning parts of the business
- Systems are in place for potentially multiple decades exposing a large and weak attack surface
 - Vulnerabilities across plant and aging control systems (Windows 7 and potentially older)
- Regulations and standards to fulfill e.g.: ISA/IEC62443 or NIS2



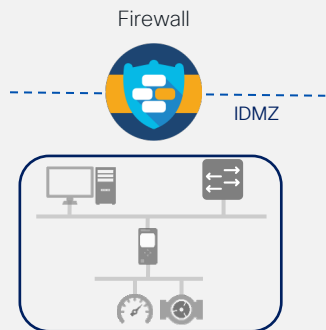
Industrial Security Journey



The 4-Step Journey to Securing Industrial Networks

1 Build a Security Foundation

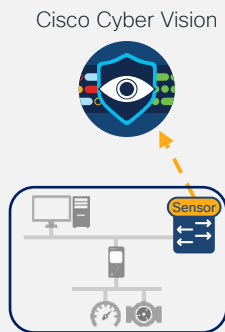
Define the IT/OT boundary with Cisco Secure Firewall



Detect, Protect, Respond

2 Gain Visibility & Device Posture

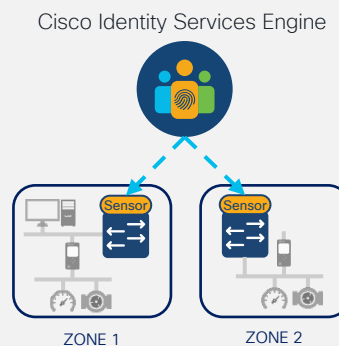
Network as a Sensor with Cisco Cyber Vision



Identify, Detect

3 Segment Network into Smaller Zones of Trust

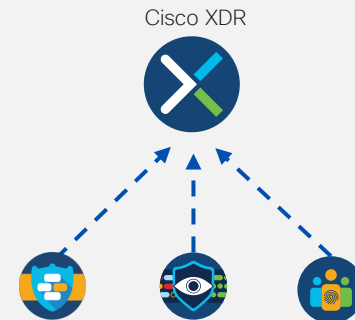
Network as an Enforcer with Cisco ISE



Segment, Protect, Respond

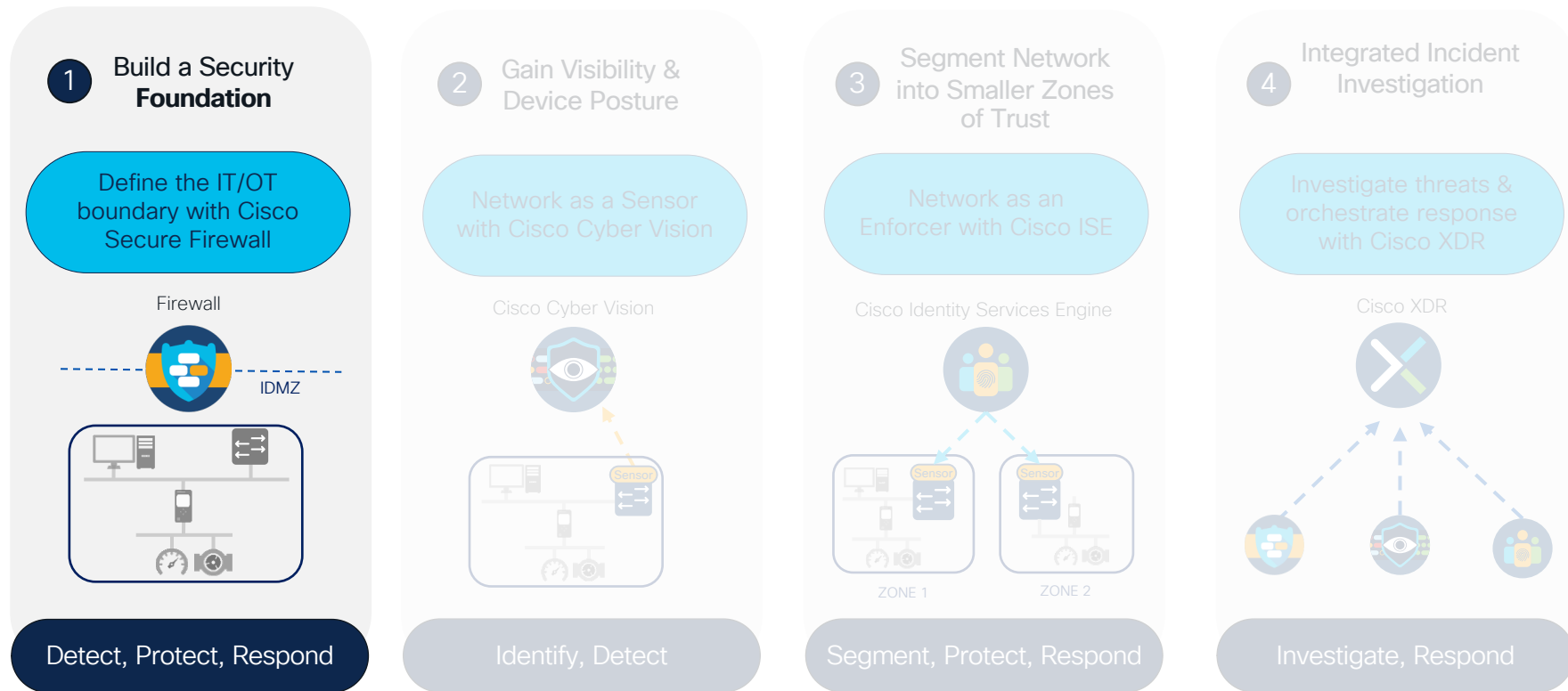
4 Integrated Incident Investigation

Investigate threats & orchestrate response with Cisco XDR

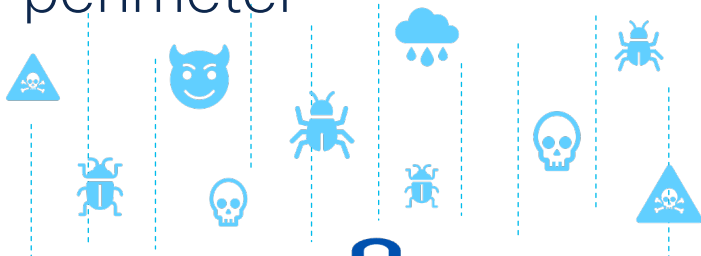
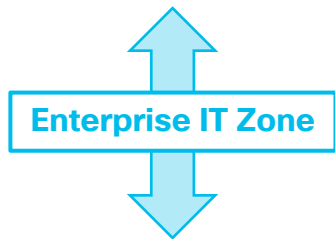


Investigate, Respond

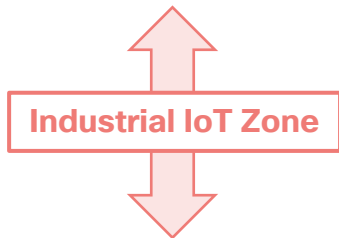
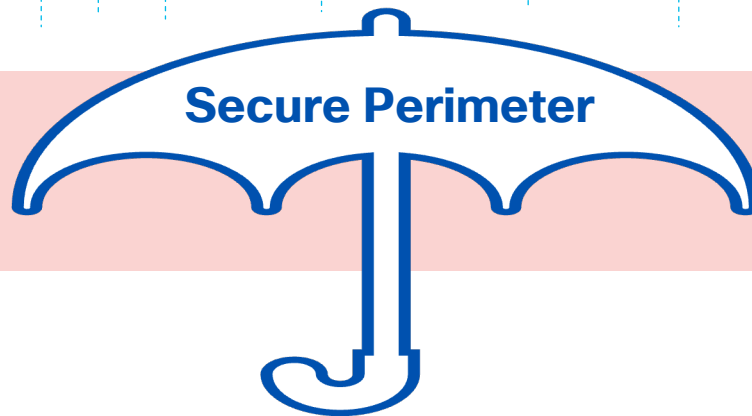
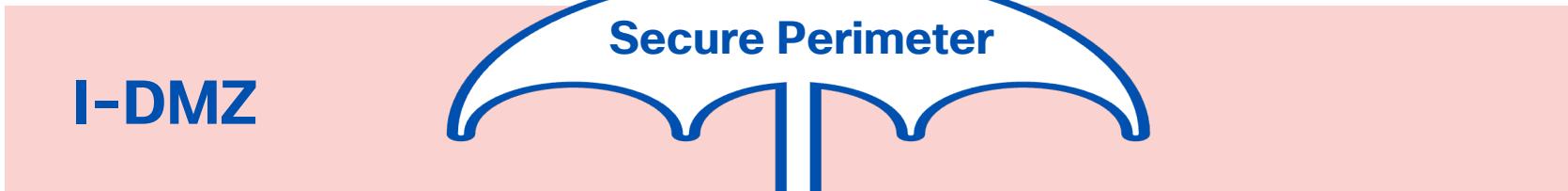
The 4-Step Journey to Securing Industrial Networks



The Industrial IoT perimeter



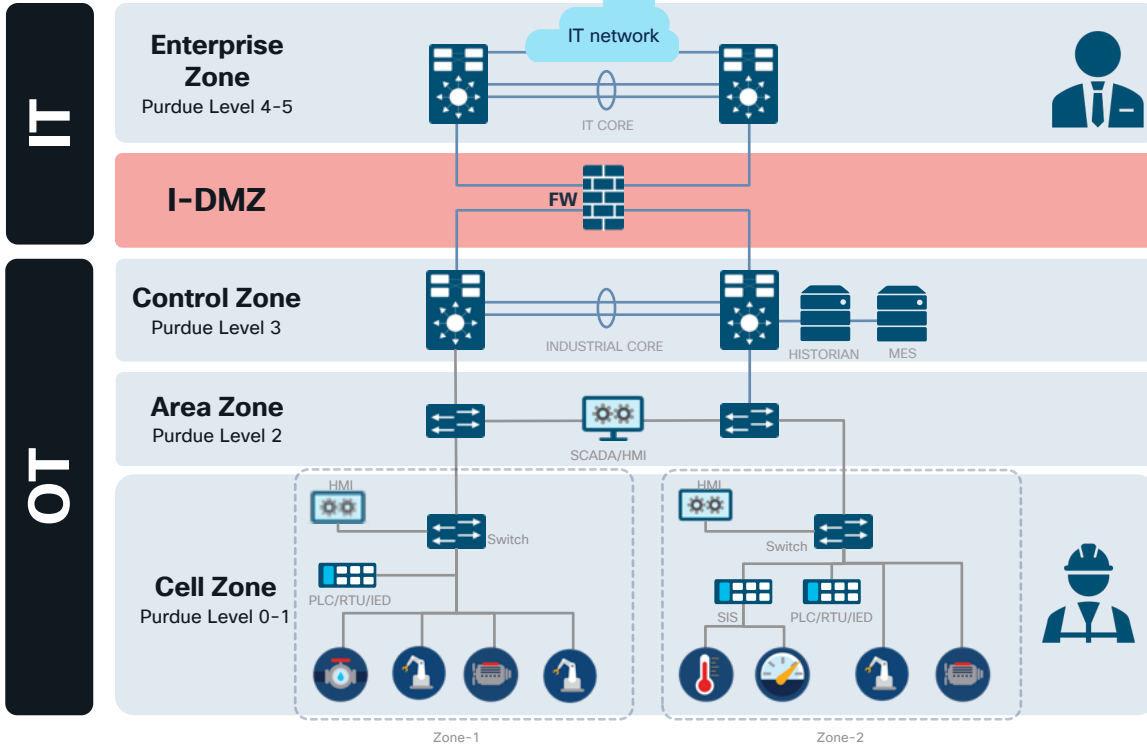
Compromised users
Compromised systems
Infected portable media
Insecure remote access
Insecure third-parties



Protecting "Controls + Things"

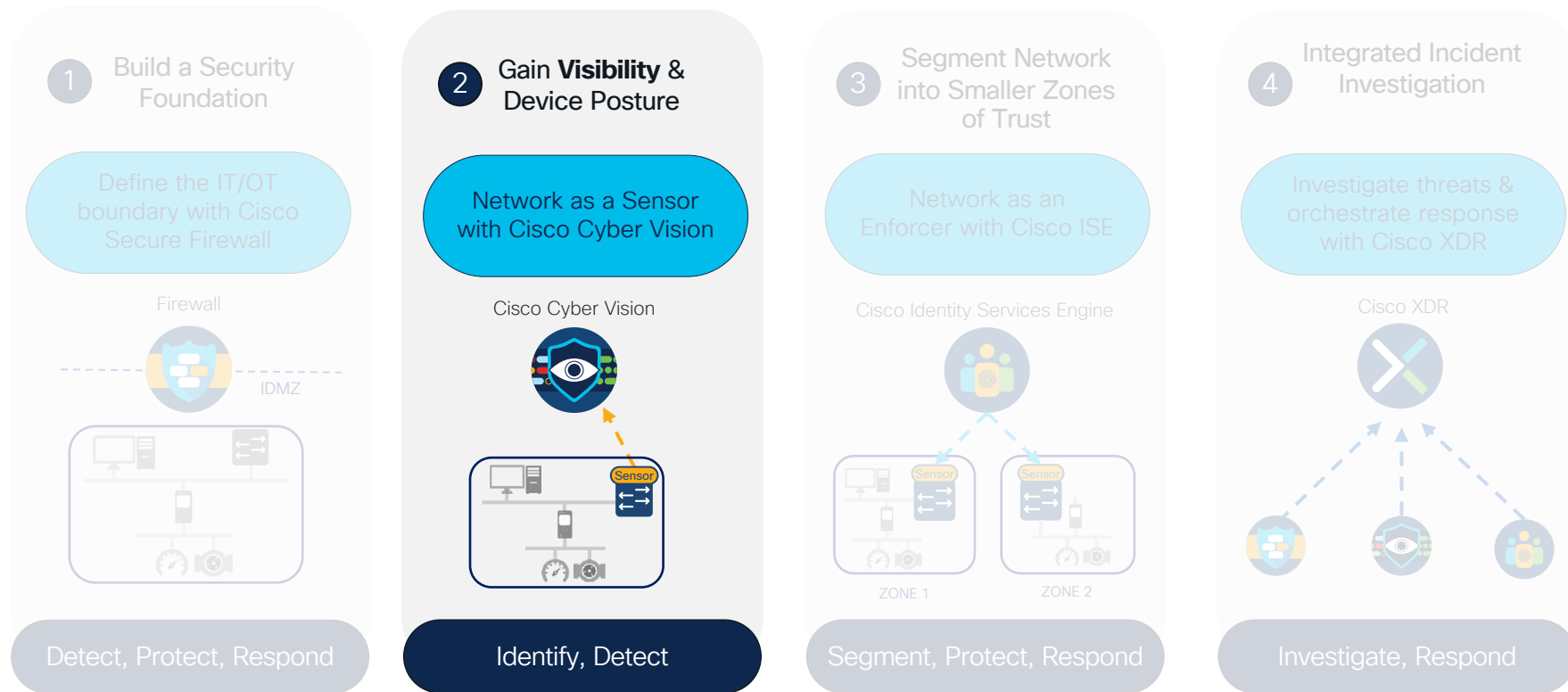


The ISA95 model concept



How do we secure this environment that has minimal security with just an IDMZ?

The 4-Step Journey to Securing Industrial Networks





Asset Inventory

Comprehensive up to date inventory of all assets in your environment



Communication Patterns

Dynamic communication map with detailed application flow level information

The screenshot displays two main components of the Cisco Cyber Vision interface:

- Asset Inventory:** A detailed view of a Rockwell Automation component (1769-L16ER/B LOGIXS 316ER). It shows activity logs (e.g., 'Paint_Line_2' with a high severity), tags (Controller, Rockwell Automation), and activity tags (Stop CPU, Diagnostics, Read Var, Write Var, Low Volume). It also includes statistics for 14 flows and 9 events, along with 10 vulnerabilities and a credential.
- Communication Map (Minimap):** A network diagram showing a central SIMATIC 300(N) controller connected to several devices. A legend indicates connection types: Important (red), Control system behavior (green), IT Behavior (blue), Network analysis (purple), and Others (grey). The map includes nodes for STATION-WINCC, SIEMENS MM151-3PN, SIEMENS ef 65 8d, SENTRYO-SIMATI(Profinet DCP Multicast 0.0.0), and SENTRYO-XP-1. Labels above the map categorize these as 'Machines - To Investigate', 'Manuf IO', and 'Manuf - Scada & HMI'.



Vulnerability Detection

Identify known asset vulnerabilities so you can patch them before they are exploited



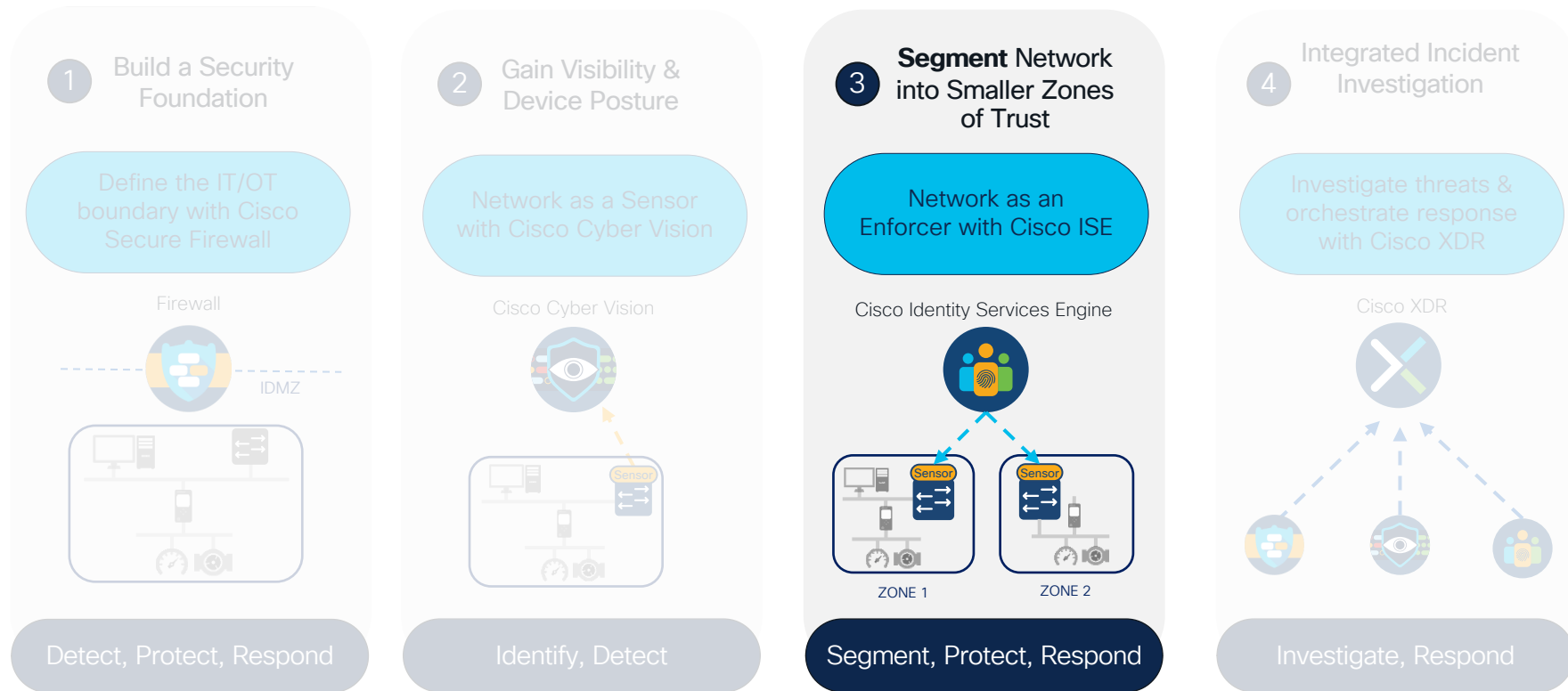
Risk Scoring

Asset risk scoring based on impact and likelihood to help you improve compliance

The screenshot displays the Cisco Cyber Vision interface. The top view, titled "Vulnerability Detection", shows a list of 73 vulnerabilities for the 192.168.1 subnet. A donut chart indicates the distribution of vulnerabilities by severity. A list of 10 most matched vulnerabilities is shown, including CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, CVE-2015-5427, and CVE-2015-5427. The bottom view, titled "Risk Scores", shows a risk score of 69 for the SC50102 device. A bar chart compares the current risk score (69) to the achievable risk score (98). A table lists the criteria for the risk score, including Device type (SC50102 type: Controller), Group Impact (SC50102 group: Building 1), and Vulnerabilities (SC50102 most impacting vulnerability in Path Traversal Vulnerability in Yologawa CENTUM).

Criteria	Matching	Distribution	Description
Device type	SC50102 type: Controller	13%	CC key element, Compromise could lead to large impact
Group Impact	SC50102 group: Building 1, It has an industrial impact & very high.	51%	
Activities	No matching activity	0%	
Vulnerabilities	SC50102 most impacting vulnerability in Path Traversal Vulnerability in Yologawa CENTUM	36%	Path Traversal Vulnerability in Yologawa CENTUM CVE-2015-5427 CVSS score: 9.8 Successful exploitation of these vulnerabilities could allow a remote unauthenticated attacker to see more. See details

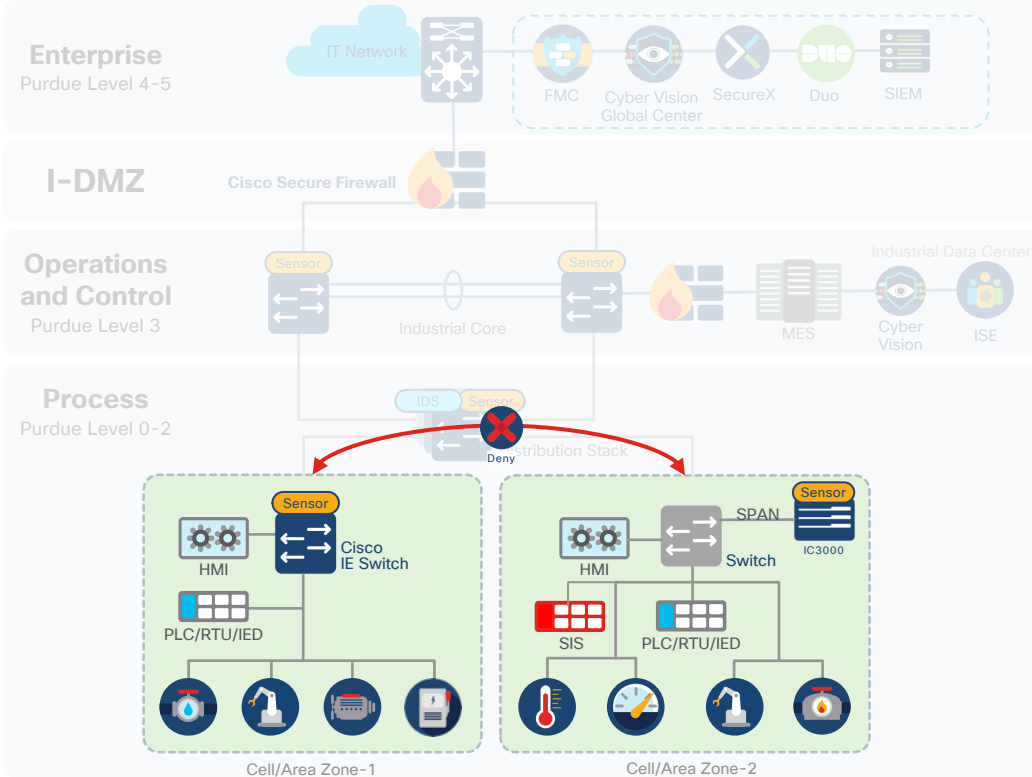
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Use Case 1: Cell/Area Zone to Cell/Area Zone

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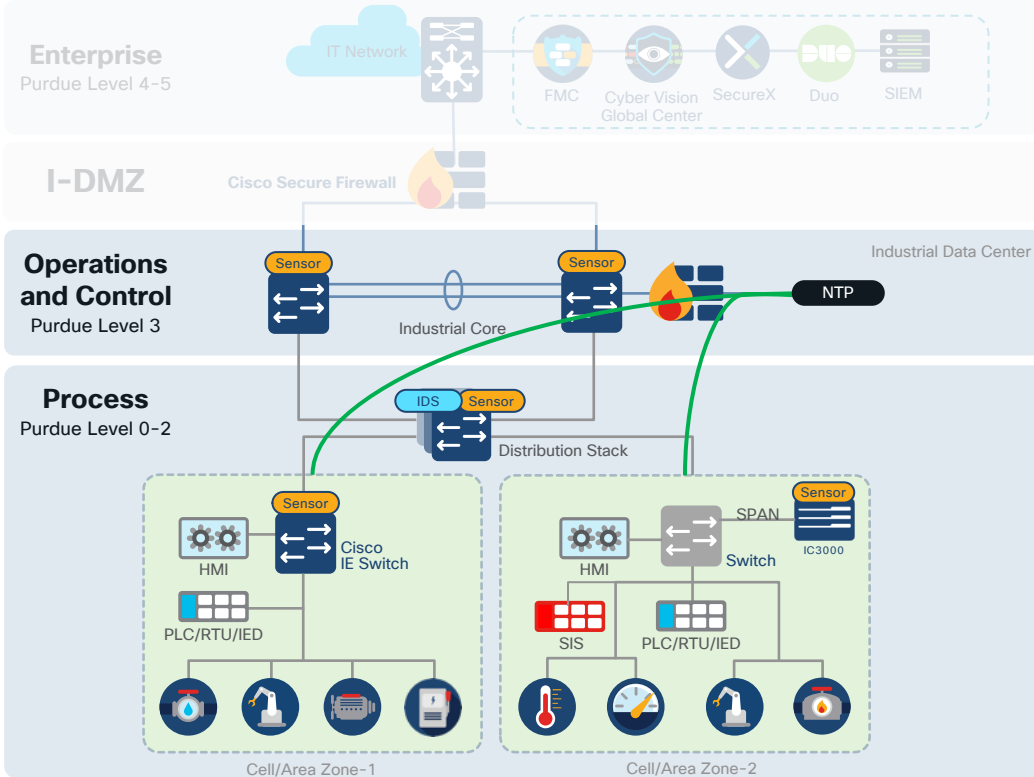


- Network location has purpose in Industrial Networks
- Connectivity over Security WITHIN the zone
- Least Privilege across zones (conduit)
- Visibility in the zone is key

Use Case 2: Infrastructure Services in Cell/Area Zone

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OT

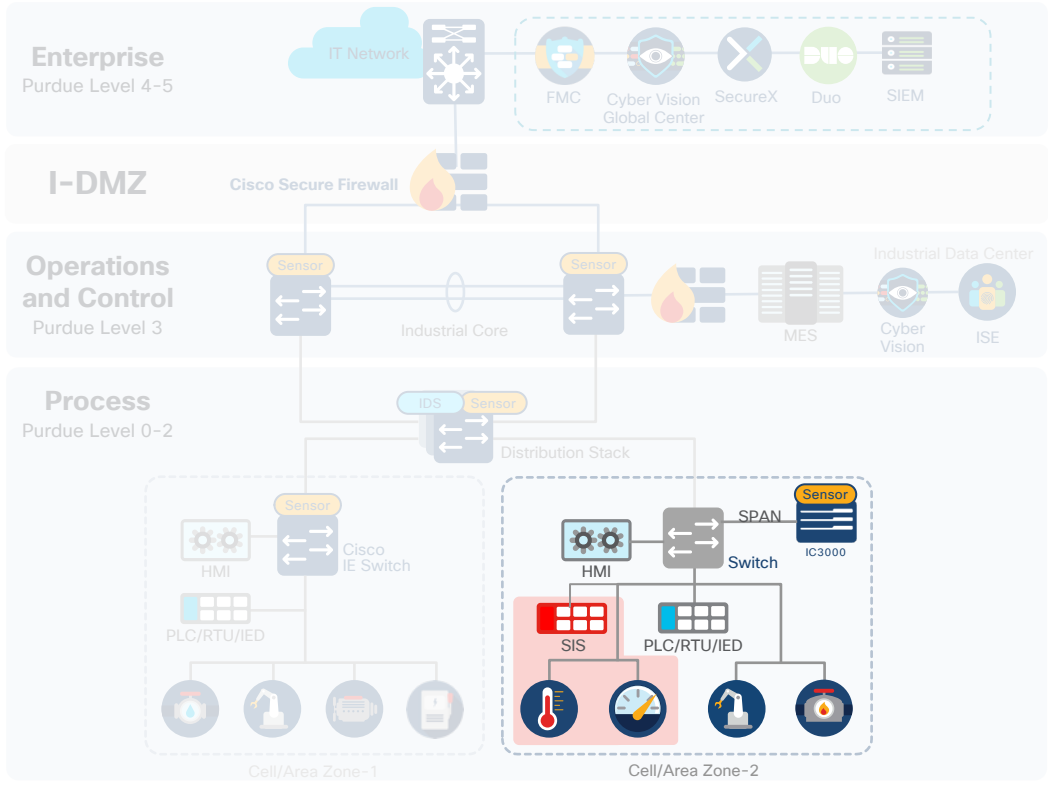


- Make sure to allow communication to Infrastructure Services!
- There will be a minimum set of services ALL zones need access to!
- Switch Management should be on a dedicated subnet with access to ISE for example

Use Case 3: Safety network air-gapped or segmented

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OT

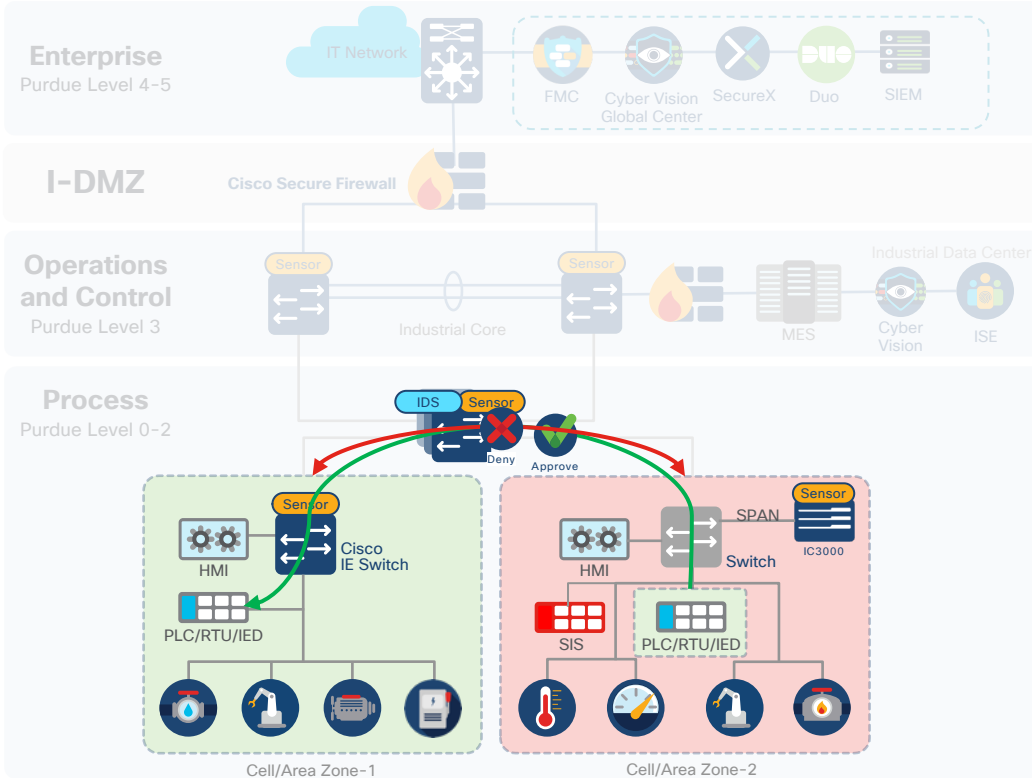


- Safety is another Macro Zone in the network
- Logical Segmentation is possible, but ensure all routes are blocked
- Still recommended to Air-Gap from rest of network to avoid misconfiguration errors propagation

Use Case 4: Select devices, such as interlocking PLCs

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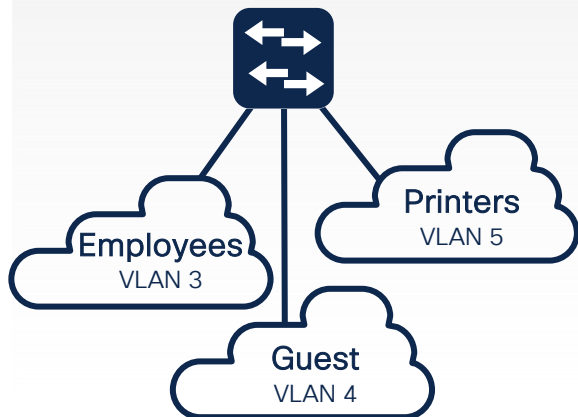


- Use cases occur where we can no longer apply policy to a Zone, but to individual devices
- Example, PLC in Cell/Area 1 sends data to PLC in Cell/Area 2
- By default, this communication would be denied

Segmentation Technologies

VLANs

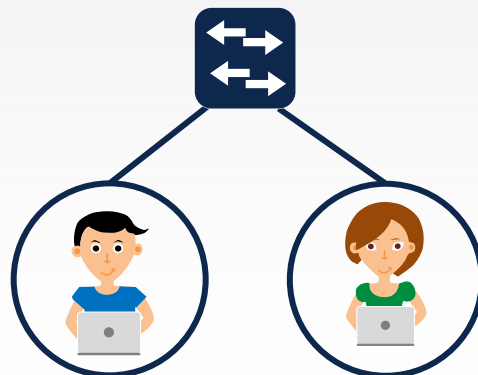
Dynamic VLAN Assignments



Per port / Per Domain / Per MAC

ACLs: DL, Named, DNS

Downloadable ACL (Wired) or
Named ACL (Wired + Wireless)



Employee
permit ip any any

Contractor
deny ip host <critical>
permit ip any any

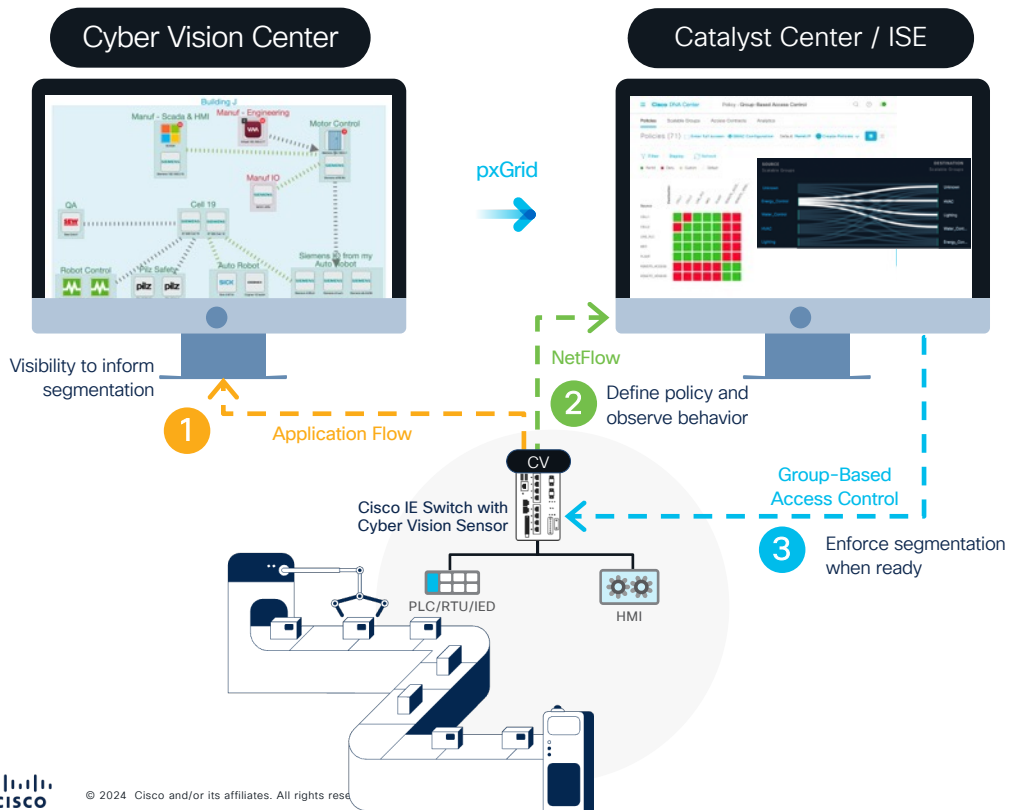
Security Group Tags

Cisco Group-Based Policy



16-bit SGT assignment and
SGT based Access Control

Use visibility to influence segmentation



Visualize Zones & Conduits

visualize aggregated flows as conduits to inform segmentation policy

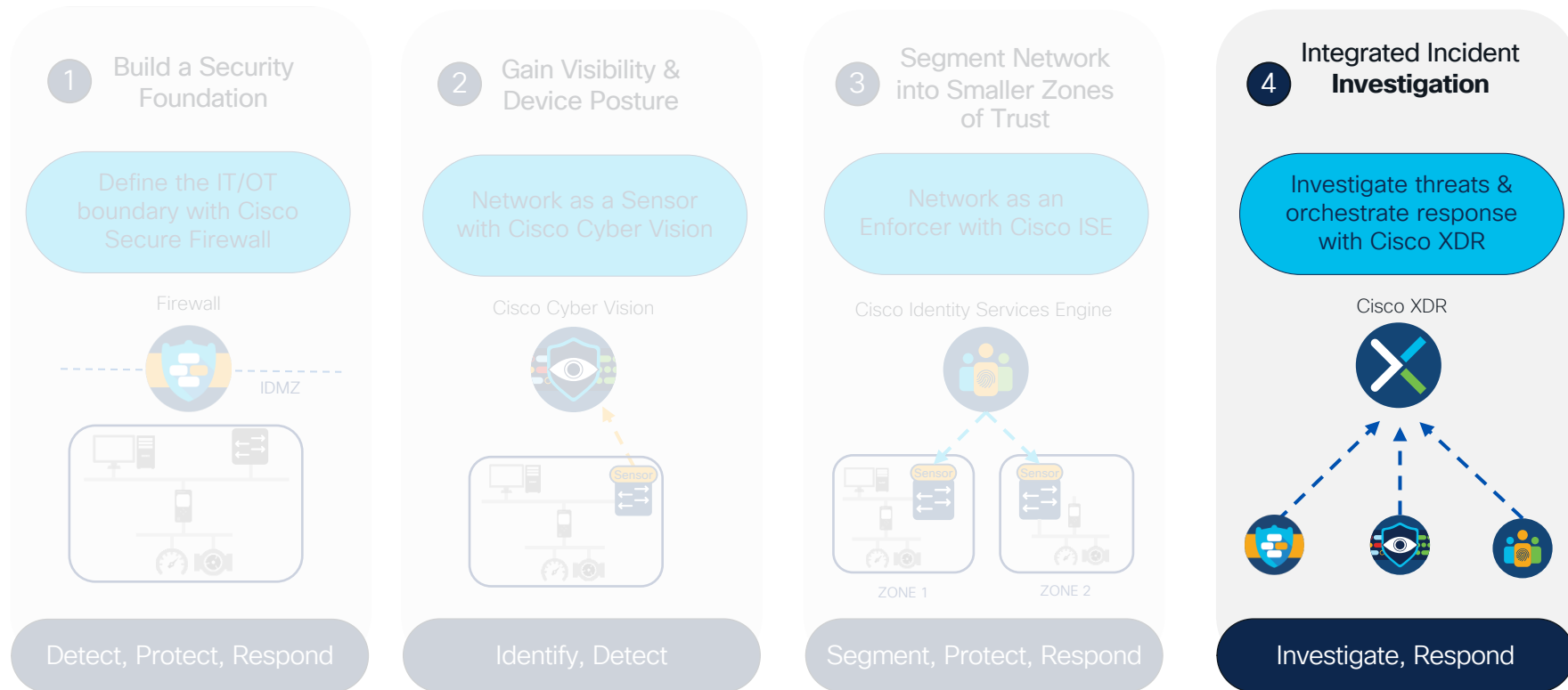
Dynamic SGT Mapping

Cyber Vision grouping results in dynamic Group-based policy assignment to endpoints through ISE

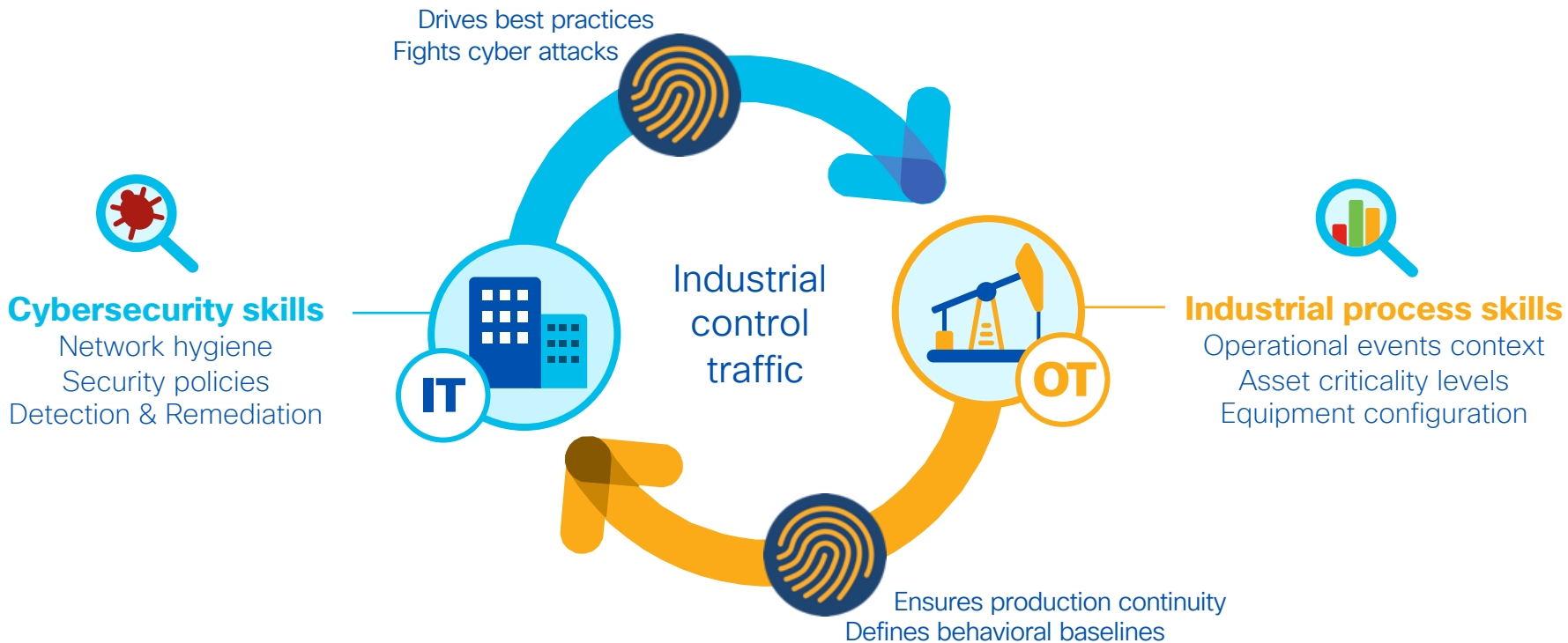
Monitor Before Enforcement

Visualize Group-based network behavior in Catalyst Center and enable enforcement when confident after monitoring

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IT – OT collaboration is vital to ICS security



Closing

What Bechtle and
Cisco can do for
you?



All stakeholders need OT visibility

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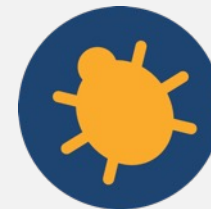
Gain **visibility** into assets and processes to **reduce downtime**

IT



Identify **risks** to drive **segmentation** and reduce the **attack surface**

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Get **OT context** so IT security tools can **enforce security policies**

Visibility drives segmentation, operational efficiency, and converged security

Need Help with OT Security



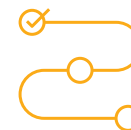
Organizational

- Operational Maturity & Technical Security Assessments
- Security Architecture Framework
- Security Strategy, Risk and Compliance Services



Technical

- Network segmentation design and implement Services
- Design and implement zero-trust infrastructures Services
- Cisco IIoT security solution planning, design and implementation Services

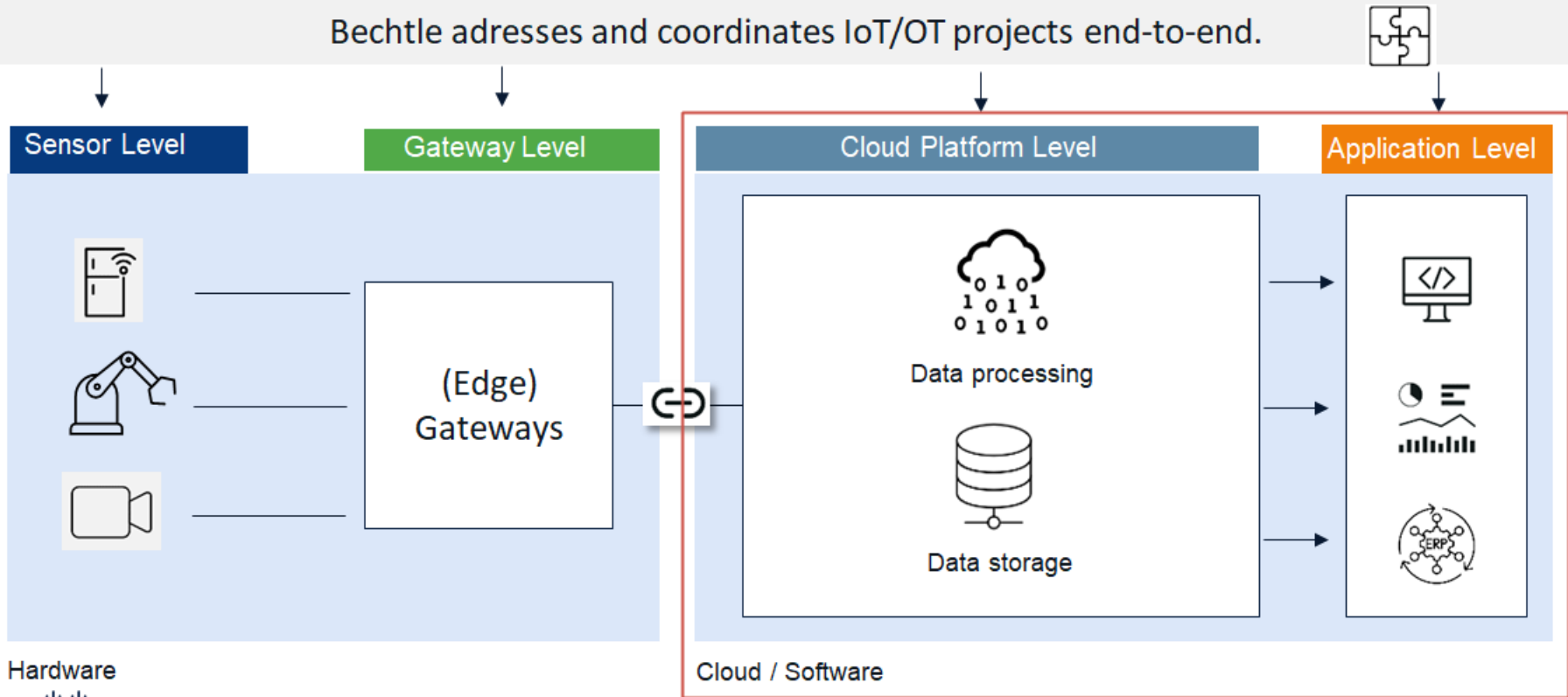


Operational

- Incident Response Services
- Cybersecurity operations optimization services
- Continuous post-deployment assessment and solution maintenance Services

IoT/OT Projects: We focus on platform and application levels

Bechtle addresses and coordinates IoT/OT projects end-to-end.



Hardware

Cloud / Software

Our Offer



Consultancy and planning - Implementation of workshops.

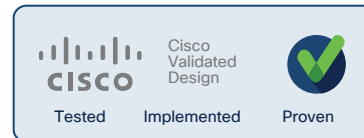
Integration of existing and new systems.

Operation and maintenance/services.

Education and training.

Resources for consumption

Best practices & Design guides



[Networking and Security in Industrial Automation Environments Design and Implementation Guide](#)

[Cisco DNA Center for Industrial Automation Design Guide](#)

[Industrial Security Design Guide](#)



End-End Architecture

CVDs start with the customer use cases and architecture from the edge device to the application, validating the key Cisco and 3rd party components



Best Practices

Document best practices so you can confidently set performance expectations



Reliability

Reduce risk products won't work together or perform as promised



Comprehensive

Provide tested system designs and configuration instructions



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Thank you

