



# Building CSOC for the Biggest Airport in the World

## Protecting Against the Riskiest 1% of Threats

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5000 Servers



40K IOT Devices



15+ Event-Based Integrations



6500 Network Devices



750 IT Rooms



IT & IOT Service Topology



150K Metrics Monitored

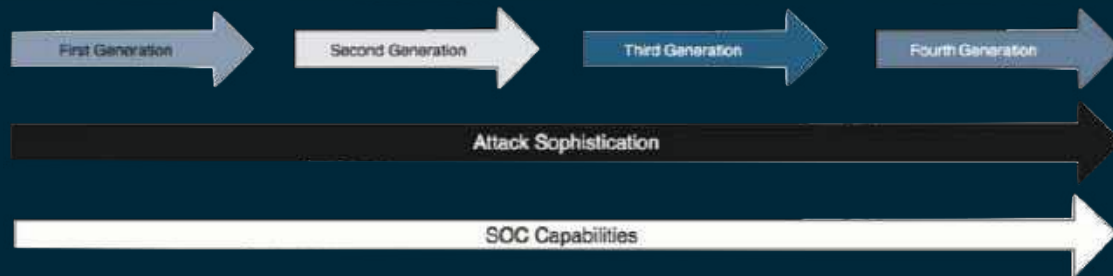


100K Events/Hour



TIE III  
3 Data Centers

# CSOC Generations



# Full custom tailor-made next-gen CSOC design



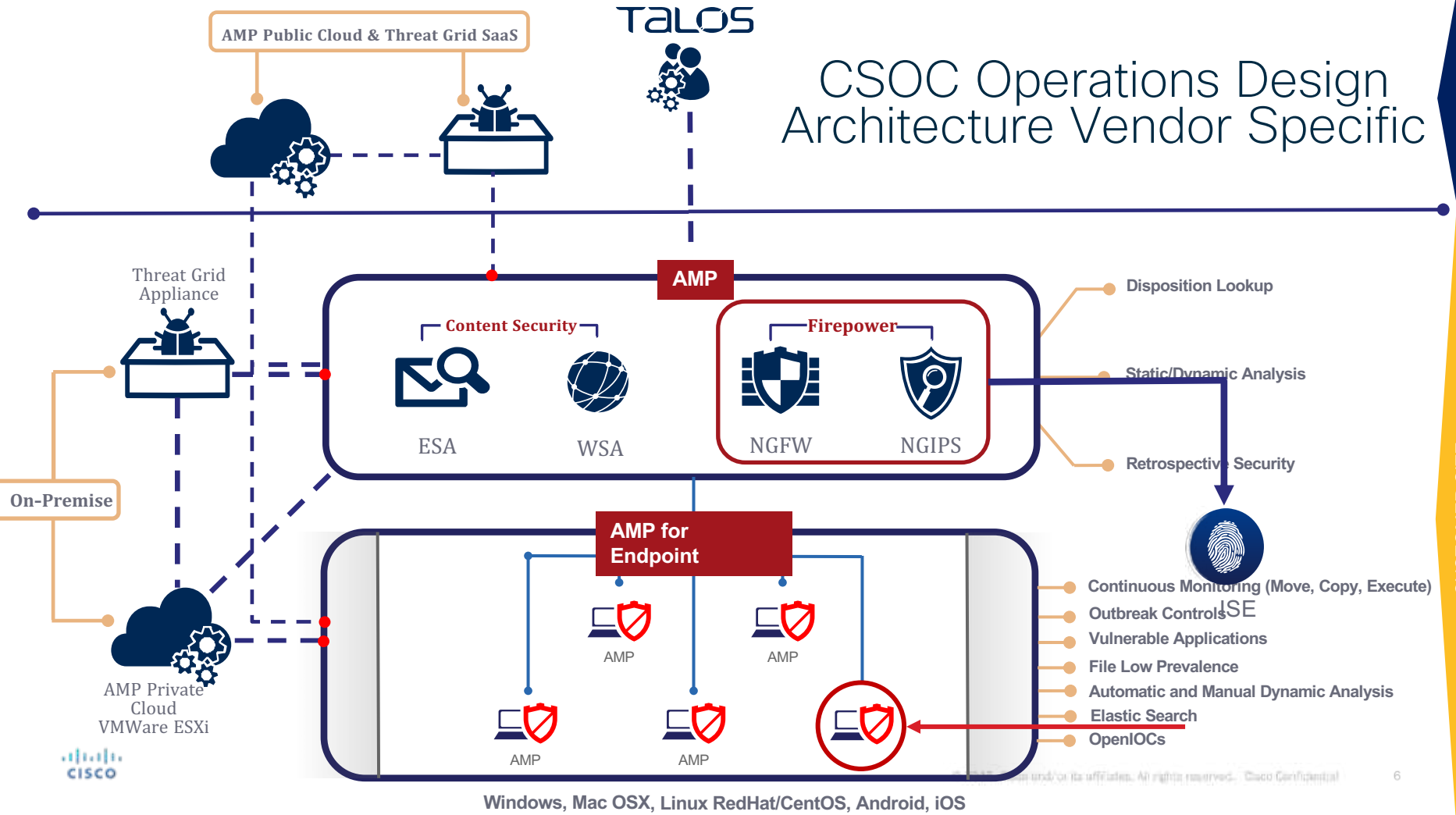
Engineering



Operations

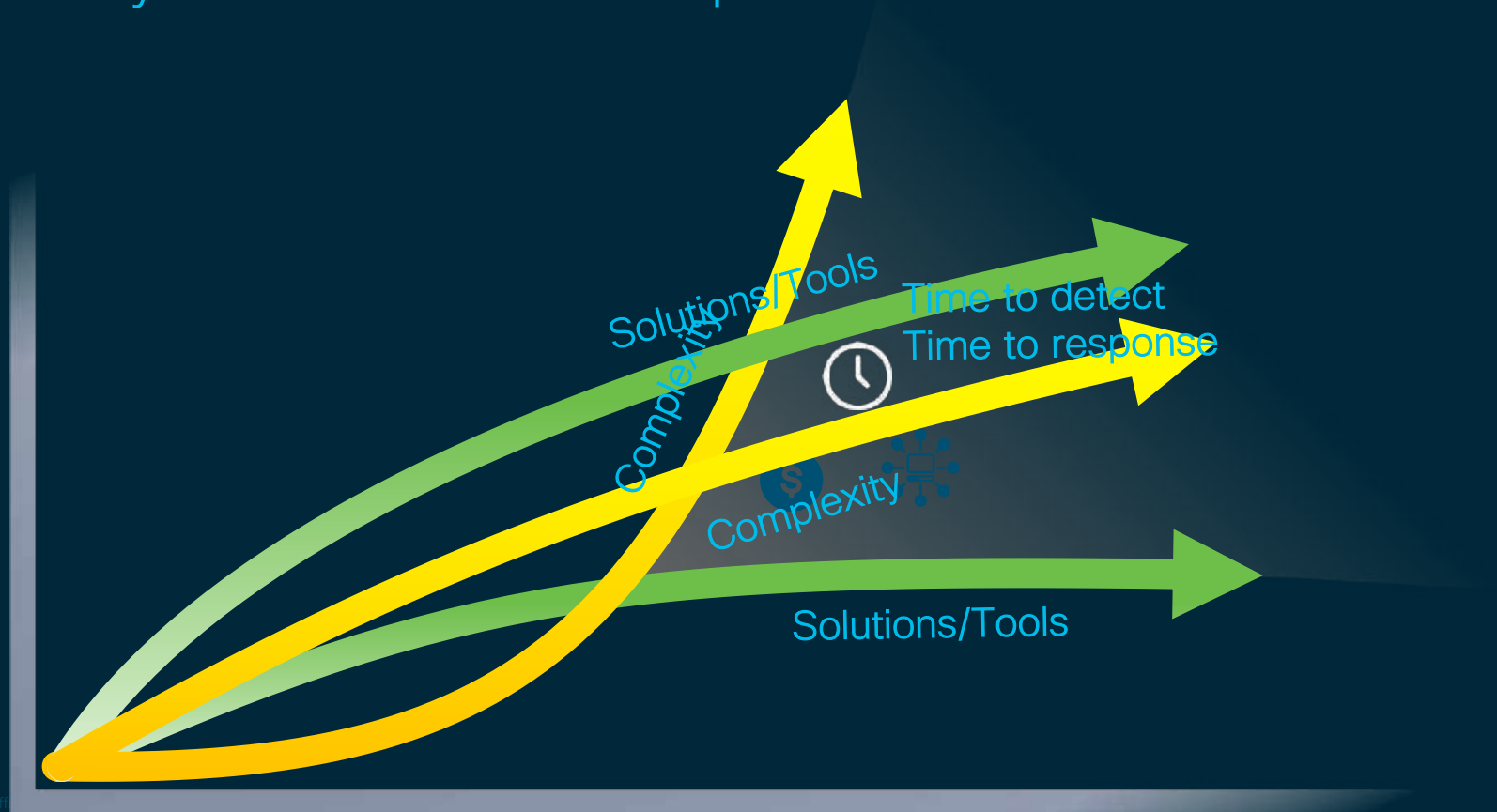
**“The first thing you need to do at your CSOC is to separate the Engineering and Operation teams with clear definition of their responsibilities. Threat hunters or incident responder will be not so happy, if she/he is doing vulnerability scanning or patch management”**

## CSOC Operations Design Architecture Vendor Specific



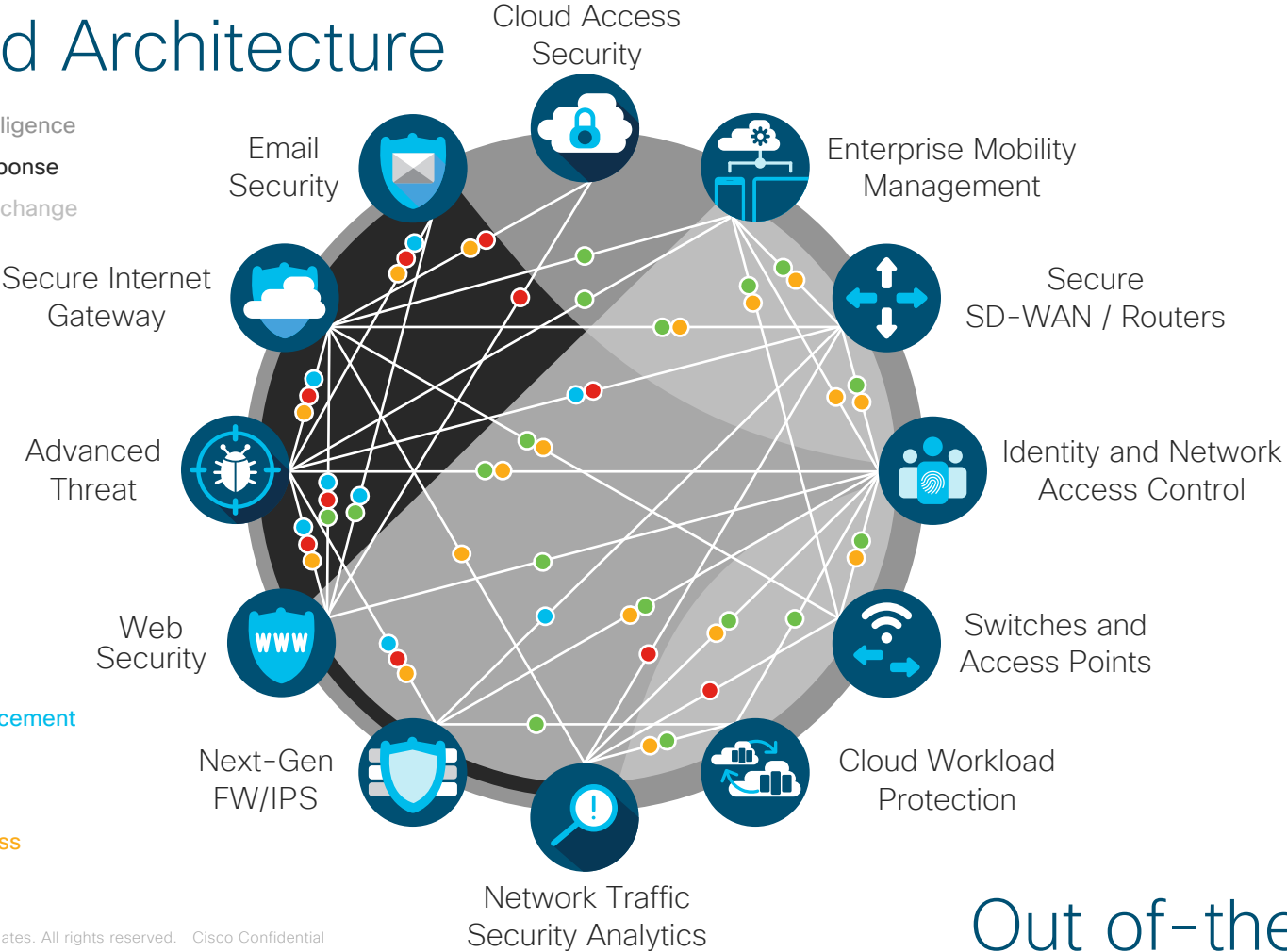
Windows, Mac OSX, Linux RedHat/CentOS, Android, iOS

# The Security Effectiveness Gap



# Integrated Architecture

- Cisco Threat Intelligence
- Cisco Threat Response
- Cisco Platform Exchange

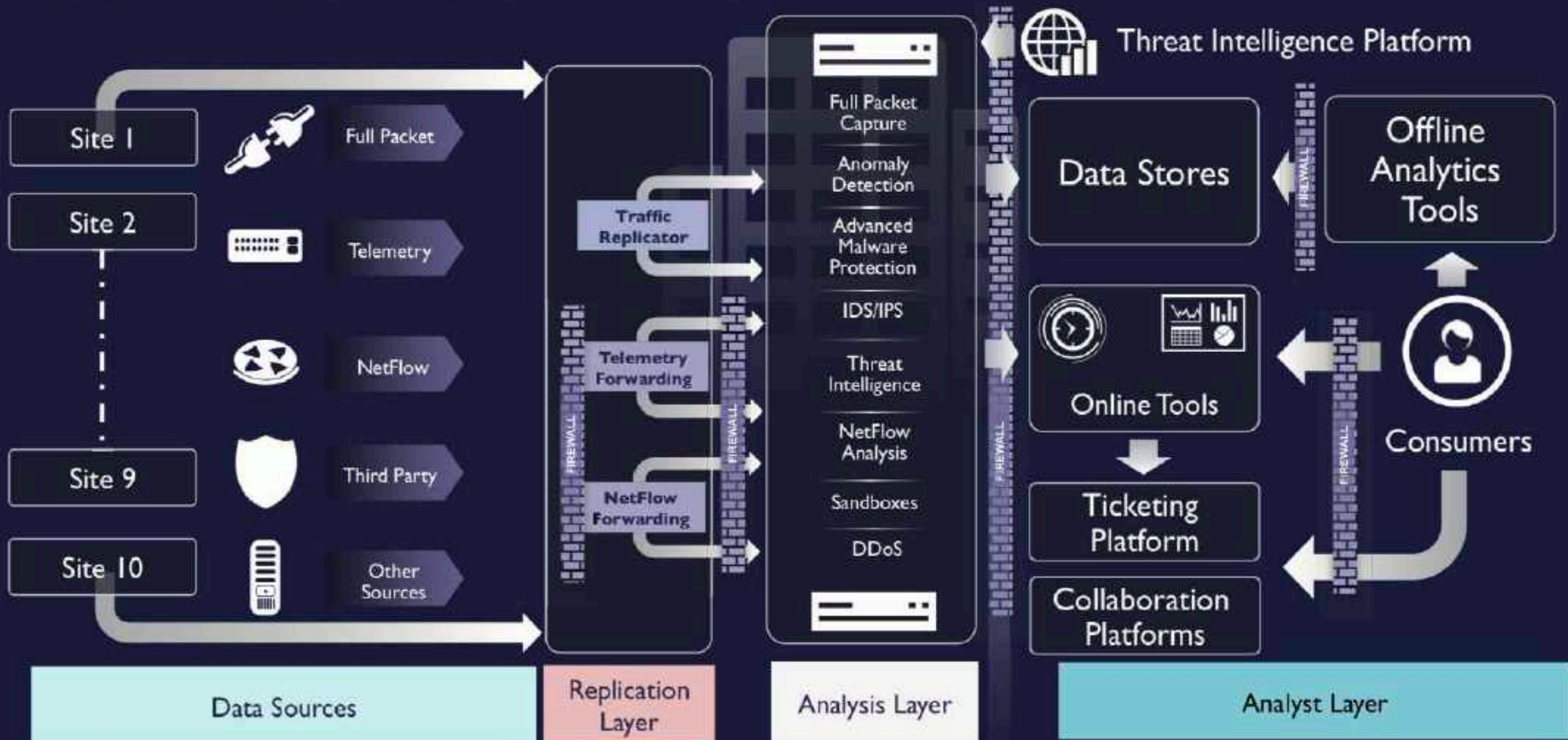


Out of-the box



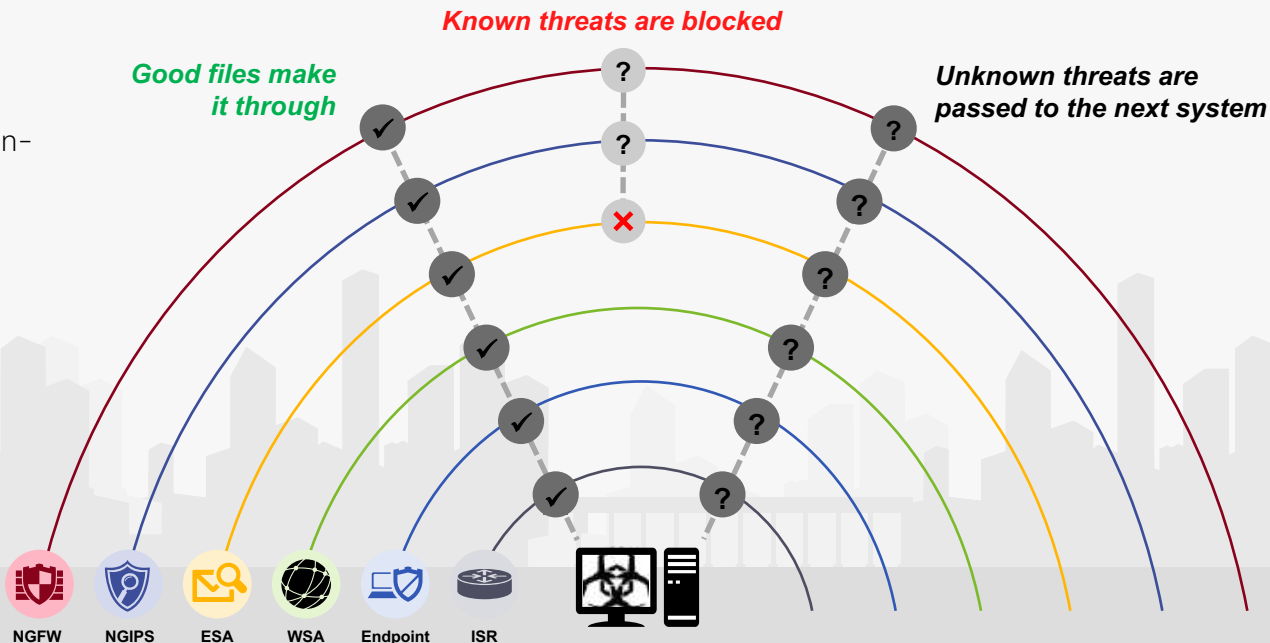
# Example: Security Analytics for National Critical Infrastructure

## CSOC Design Architecture



# Why defense in-depth is BROKEN!

Current defense in-depth approach is built on binary detection



Single points of inspection have their limitations



Preventing Malware Attacks is **Ideal**



But What Happens if One is **Missed**?

Most Security Solutions Block **99%** of Threats



But what about the **1%** of threats you are missing?



The **Most Dangerous 1%** of Threats **Try to Hide**

# Using Advanced Evasion Techniques



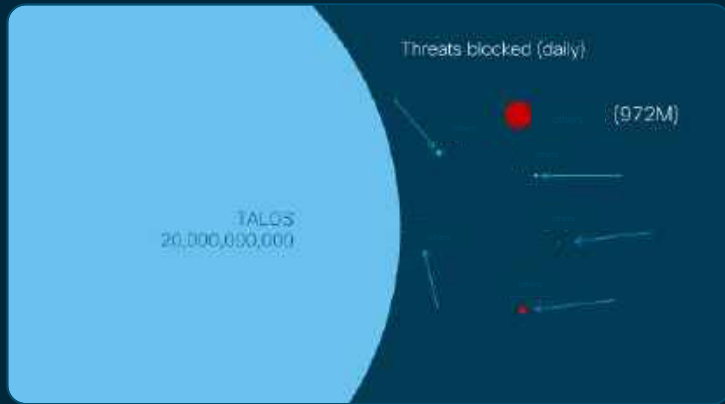
- Fileless malware
- Environmentally-aware malware
- Polymorphism
- Exploit legitimate processes



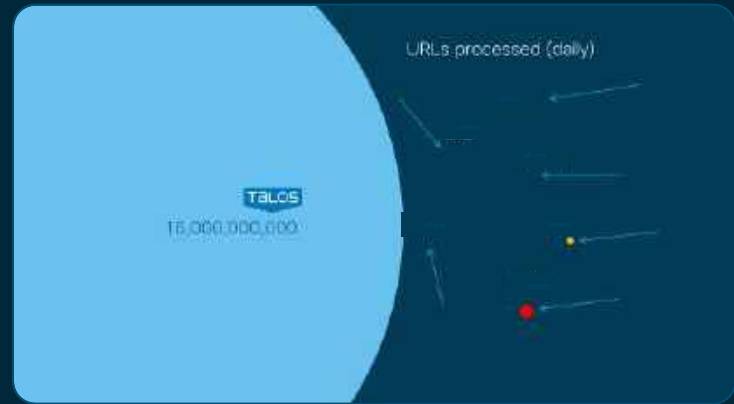
# Finding Them Is **Not Easy**

# But how much is the **1%** of threats you are missing?

## THREATS BLOCKED



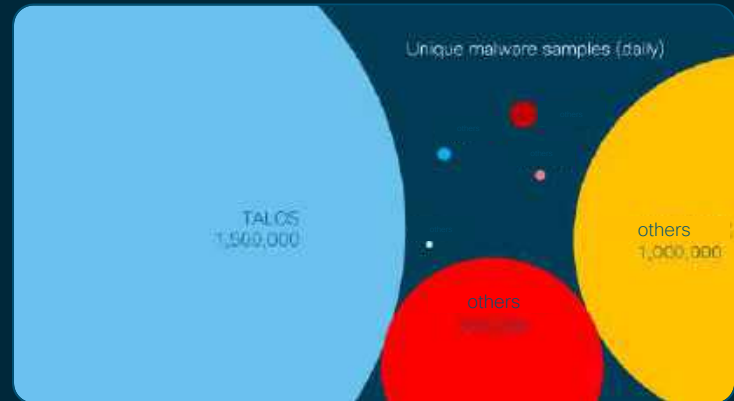
## URLS PROCESSED



## DNS ENTRIES PROCESSED



## UNIQUE MALWARE SAMPLES



# It Takes a **Whole Lot of Time**

## Security Analyst



- Large scale alerts
- Flood of false positives
- Lots of tools & tedious tasks

## Incident Responder



- Sifting through disparate data
- Lack of contextual info
- Gather/present evidence

## IT Security Director



- Budget & staffing constraints
- IP/asset protection
- Technology integration

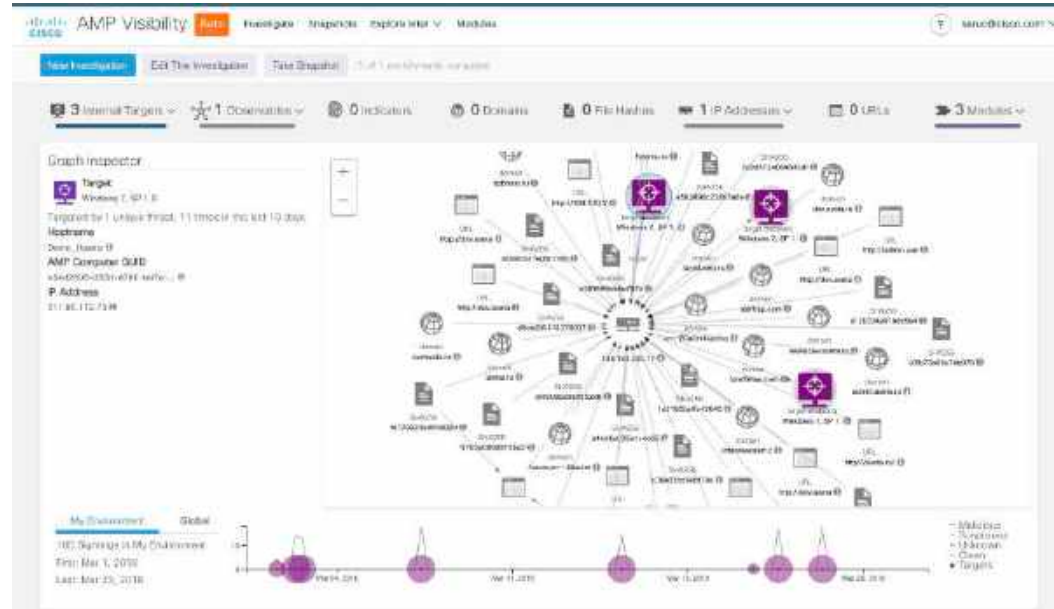
# Automation & Orchestration



Key Issues at modern CSOC's:  
Excessive Alerts, Outdated Metrics,  
and Limited Integration Lead to  
Over-taxed SOCs



Figure 4: Most SOC analysts can only handle between 7-8 investigations in a day



# Take Back Control of **Time**



Respond to incidents in  
Hours not days or months



Proactively Hunt for the  
riskiest 1% of threats



Find and fix the most vulnerable  
endpoints before compromise

# Giving You **Time**

Focus on the Riskiest 1% of Threats



## **Stop Malware**

Using multiple detection  
and protection  
mechanisms



## **Eliminate Blind Spots**

The network and endpoint,  
working together across all  
operating systems



## **Discover Unknown Threats**

With proactive threat hunting



# Stop Malware

Using multiple detection  
and protection mechanisms

# What to have..

## Prevent



- Antivirus
- Fileless malware detection
- Cloud lookups (1:1, 1:many)
- Client Indicators of Compromise

## Detect



- Static analysis
- Sandboxing
- Malicious Activity Protection
- Machine learning
- Device flow correlation
- Cloud Indicators of Compromise

## Reduce Risk



- Vulnerable software
- Low prevalence
- Proxy log analysis



# Cloud-based Analysis and Threat Intelligence

AMP cloud constantly updated with the latest threat intelligence and research to protect against advanced threats.



# Prevent Fileless Malware

Malware Has Evolved. We Need to Protect Against More than Just Files.

Monitor process activity and guard against attempts to hijack legitimate applications.



# Protect Against Ransomware

## Malicious Activity Protection

- Monitor Process behavior at execution
- Tuned to detect tell-tale ransomware signs
- Quarantine and terminate associated files and processes
- Log and alert encryption attempt



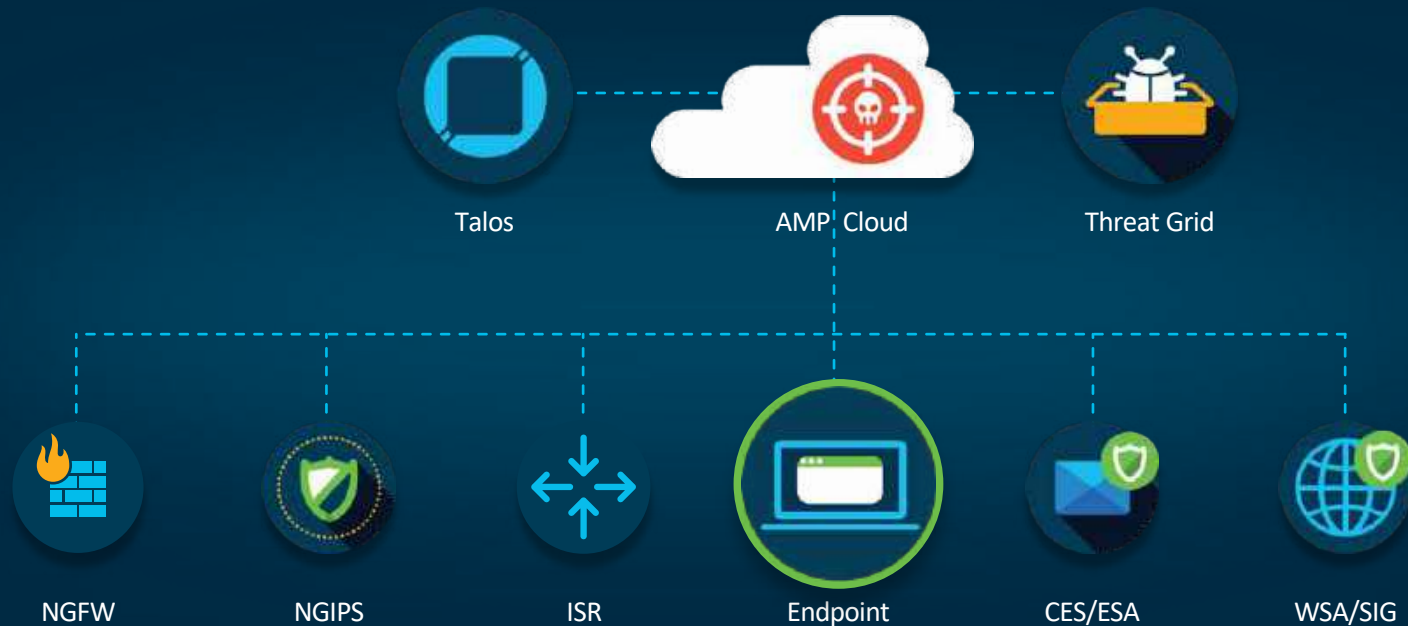


# Eliminate Blind Spots

The network, web, email and endpoints, working together across all operating systems

# See Once, Block Everywhere

Share intelligence across network, web, email, and endpoints to see once, block everywhere.



# Agentless Detection with Proxy Analysis

Identify Anomalous Traffic Occurring Within Your Network



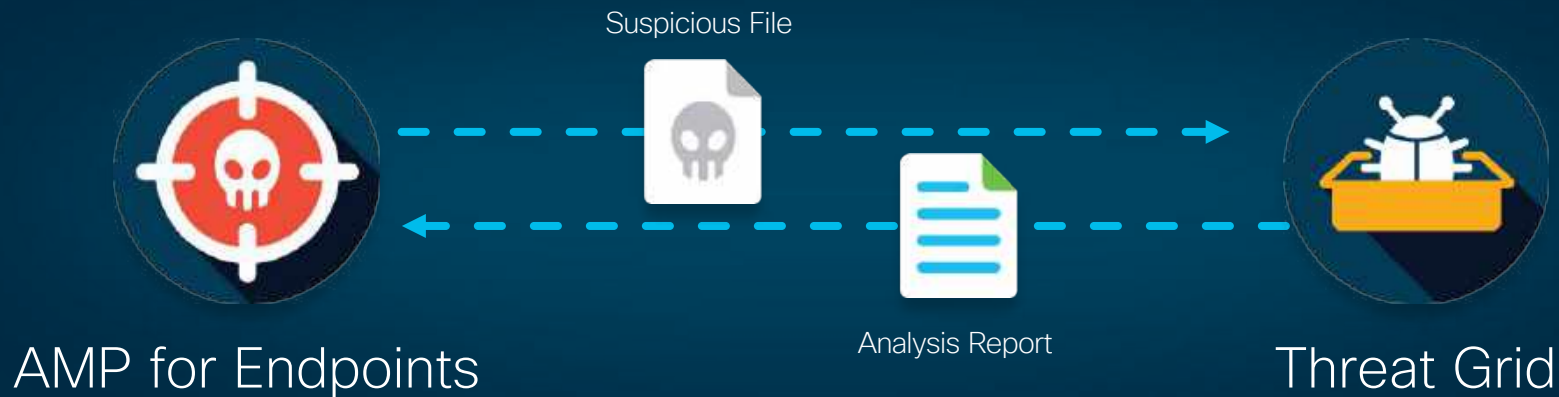


# Discover Unknown Threats

With proactive threat hunting

# Dynamic and Behavioral Analysis with Sandboxing

Execute, analyze, and test malware behavior in order to discover previously unknown zero-day threats





“How your expensive security solutions with expensive Threat Intelligence service can protect you from a "document.doc" with "macros enabled" that I just created? Threat intelligence will not protect you against zero-day malware and targeted attacks”

# Capability to Continuous Monitoring

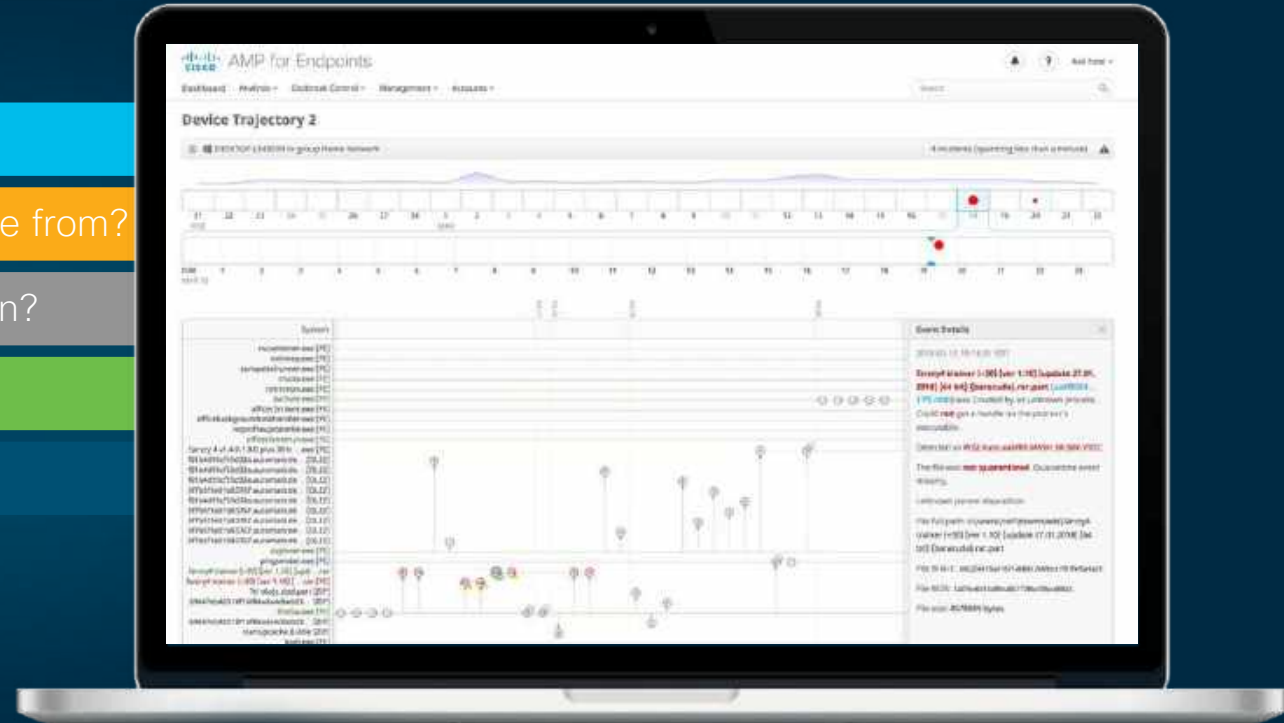
What happened?

Where did the malware come from?

Where has the malware been?

What is it doing?

How do we stop it?

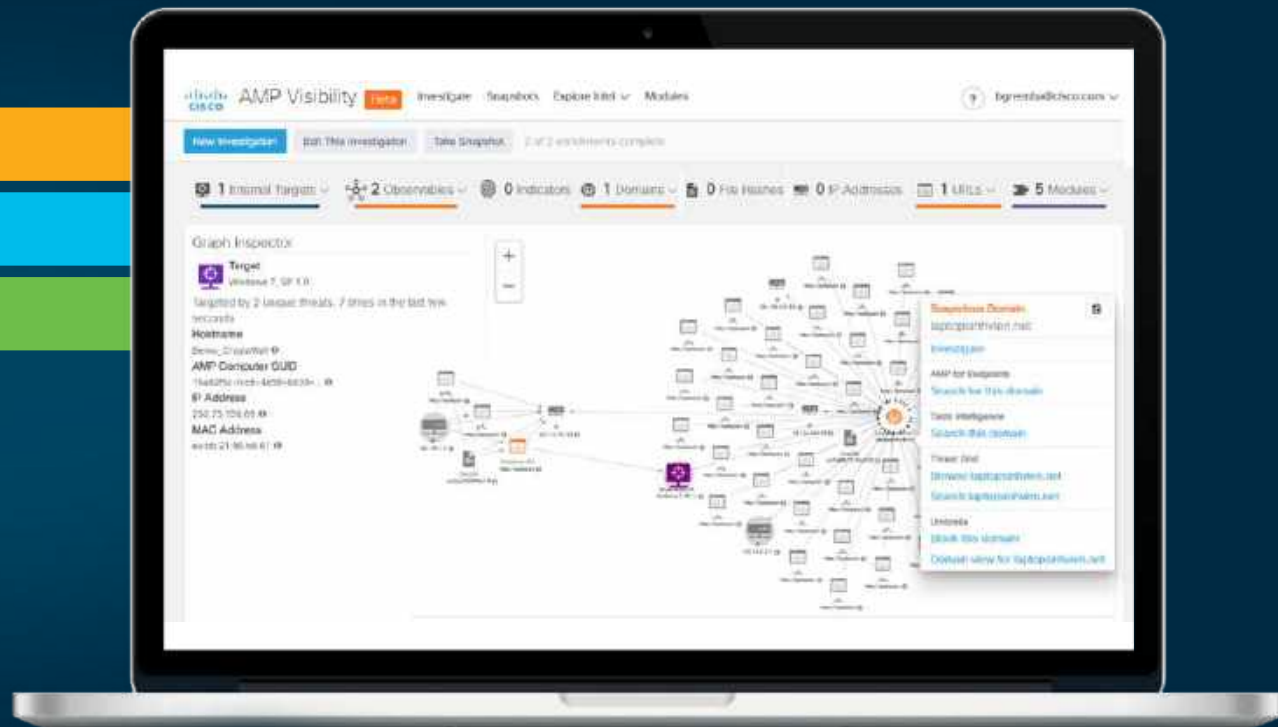


# Capability to Perform In-depth Investigations

Threat Hunting

One Click Remediation

Intelligence Correlation

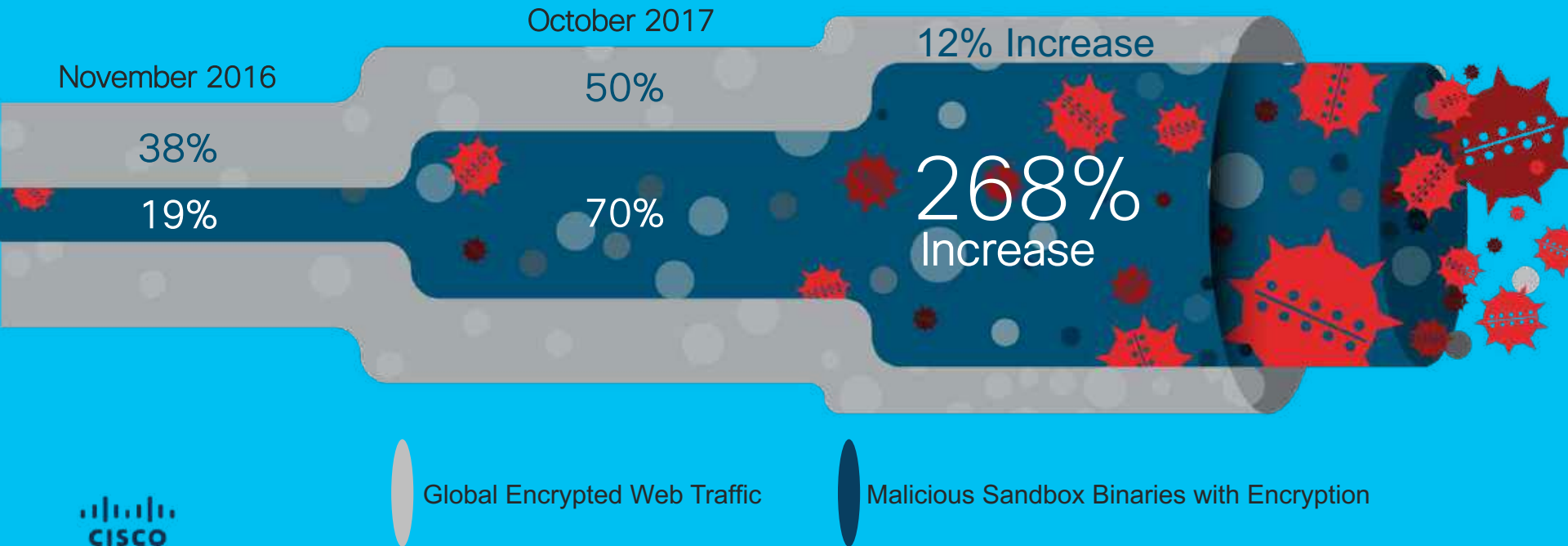




Why endpoints is in focus... again?

# Malicious Binaries and Encryption

Attackers embrace encryption to conceal their command-and-control activity



## If You Can Only Get ONE Tool

- Many organizations can get *one* tool to start.
- Which one?
- How to decide?

If you need to start hunting ASAP, the first tool to get is an endpoint focused tool (**EDR** or its open source equivalents), because “endpoints is where the attackers are”

EDR allows you to review the most unambiguous attacker traces: Execution, file actions, downloads, system actions, etc.

# AMP for Endpoints



Prevent attacks and block  
malware in real time



Continuously monitor  
all processes and activity



Accelerate investigations  
and remediate faster

# What is AMP for Endpoints?

## Point-in-Time Detection – Plan A



All Prevention < 100%

## Retrospective Security Plan B



Unique to AMP - Continuous  
Analysis & Retrospective  
Security



# Cisco AMP

AMP **blocks** threats, but it trusts nothing



**Hunting** inside your environment



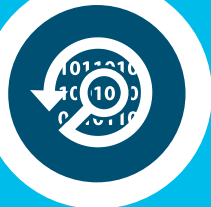
Continually exposing and **blocking**



Alerting via an **interactive, actionable history of events** that accelerates incident response



So AMP **records** events



And **continuously analyzes** each recorded event, testing it against the latest global threat intelligence

AMP **does the heavy lifting** that the IT team used to struggle with, **recapturing** 1,000s of hours each year

Demo time..

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