

# “Cyber Certainty”

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# An Introduction:



# Conversations with:

- Business leadership
- Security
- Audit
- Legal
- Law Enforcement
- Opposing Counsel

(Ranked in descending order of “fun”)



# Pregame Routine:



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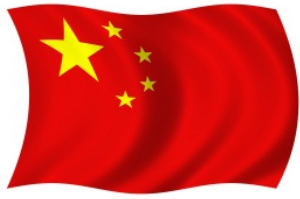
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Cybersecurity: Battling the Bruce Hornsby Effect



# APTs



## Wall Street Journal Announces That It, Too, Was Hacked by the Chinese

Published: January 31, 2013

One day after The New York Times reported that Chinese hackers had infiltrated its computers and stolen passwords for

## Smart grid company Telvent struck by Chinese hackers

hackers disrupted energy output, gain access to customer information.

By Ben Weitzenkorn,  
SecurityNewsDaily

Mon, Oct 01 2012 at 2:41 PM EST



## The Washington Post Technology

### Chinese hackers suspected in attack on The Post's computers

By Craig Timberg and Ellen Nakashima, February 01, 2013



A sophisticated cyberattack targeted The Washington Post in an operation that resembled intrusions against other major American news organizations and that company officials suspect was the work of Chinese hackers, people familiar with the incident said.

Post company officials confirmed the broad outlines of the infiltration, which was discovered in 2011 and first reported by an

## N.Y. Times hacked: How large is China's campaign to control, intimidate?

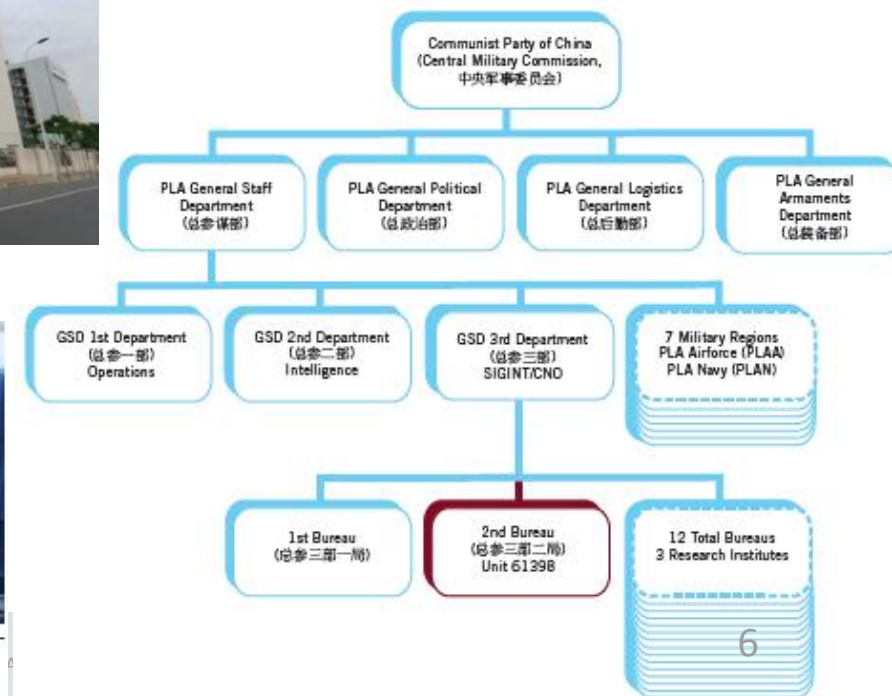
The list of media outlets infiltrated by Chinese cyberspies doesn't end with The New York Times or Wall St. Journal, cybersecurity experts say. Anyone reporting on China is a potential target.

# Meet PLA Unit 61398...

- “Quality Intrusions – Since 2006”
- >1000 Servers
- >2000 Employees
- 3 “personas”



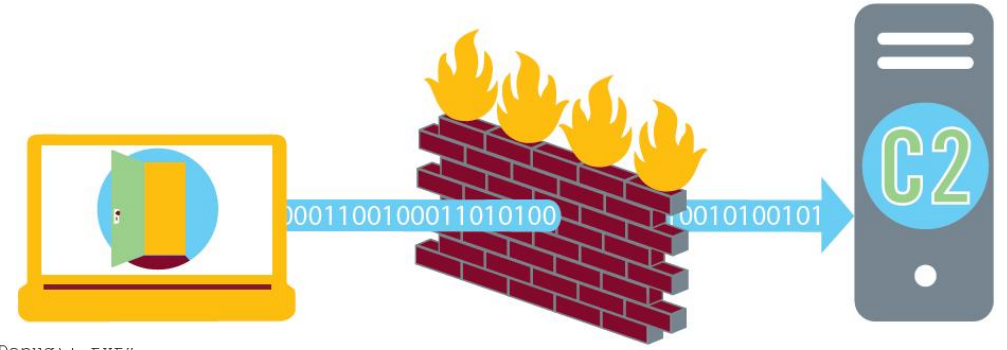
FIGURE 26: Professor Zhang (张召忠) 16 Jan 2004, source [http://www.chinamil.com.cn/site1/gflv/2004-09/30/content\\_705216.htm](http://www.chinamil.com.cn/site1/gflv/2004-09/30/content_705216.htm)



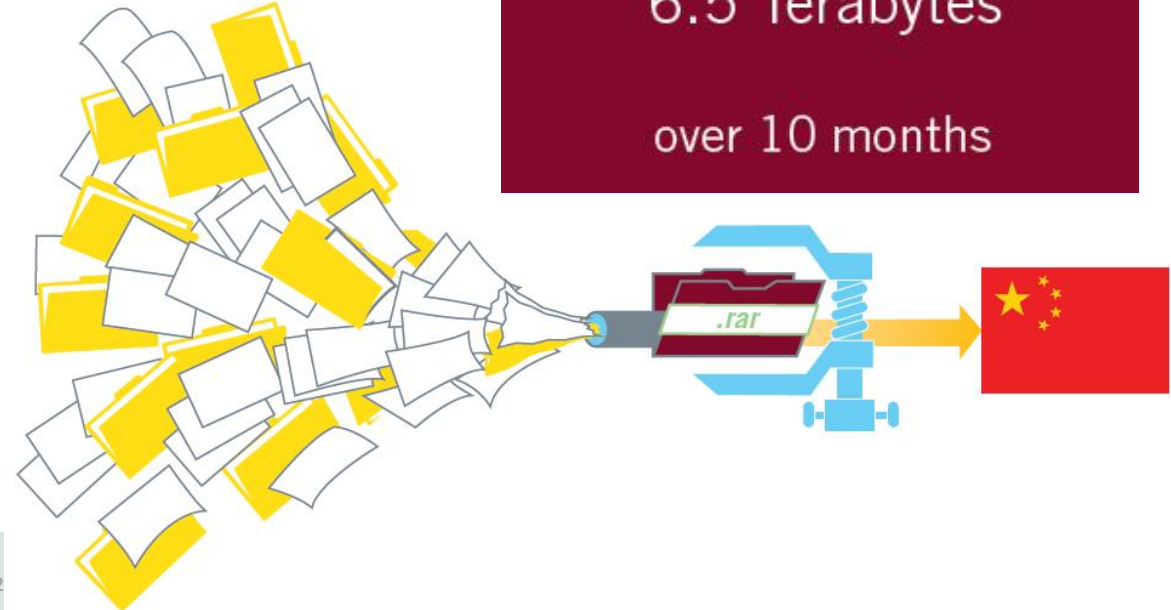
# Modus Operandi

- Spearphish
- Recon
- Persistent
- Privileges
- Auditing
- Package up and remove EVERYTHING

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@echo off
ipconfig /all>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net start>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
tasklist /v>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net user >>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net localgroup administrators>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
netstat -ano>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net use>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net view>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net view /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net group /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net group "domain users" /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net group "domain admins" /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net group "domain controllers" /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
net group "exchange domain servers" /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
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net group "domain computers" /domain>>"C:\WINNT\Debug\1.txt"
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Largest APT1 data theft  
from a single organization:  
6.5 Terabytes  
over 10 months



# Even If: Lone Wolves & Insiders



- Immense fallout from leaks
- 3x as likely to target Public Sector's "Crown Jewel" Data Sets
- Curiosity, Ideology, Fame, Challenge, Advantage



# Threat Vectors: The Expanding Possible\*

- USPS

Federal Eye The Washington Post  
**China suspected of breaching U.S. Postal Service computer networks**

By Ellen Nakashima November 10, 2014 Follow @nakashimae

- Large scale health care intrusions

- USIS

**theguardian**  
Winner of the Pulitzer prize 2014  
Records of up to 25,000 Homeland Security staff hacked in cyber-attack

- OPM

**BREITBART** **B** **'COLLECTIVE PANIC' SPREADS AMONG FEDERAL EMPLOYEES OVER OPM HACK**

# Threat Vectors: Can't Make These Up...

## Hackers Threaten to Expose 37 Million Cheating AshleyMadison Users



Chris Mills

Filed to: HACKING 7/20/15 1:24am

503,954 🔥 40 ★

ASHLEY  
MADISON®  
Life is short. Have an affair.®

Get started by telling us your relationship status:

Please Select

See Your Matches >

Over 37,565,000 anonymous members!



2015 PULITZER PRIZE WINNER

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

## Cardinals fire scouting director as hacking investigations continue

July 03, 2015 12:00 pm • By Robert Patrick, Derrick Goold



**ST. LOUIS** • The St. Louis Cardinals have terminated the contract of their scouting director, [Chris Correa](#), as investigations continue into alleged hacking of a Houston Astros database.

A Cardinals' lawyer, James G. Martin, confirmed the move

# Threat Vectors: File Under??

## 04 Sources: Trump Hotels Breached Again

APR 16



Banking industry sources tell KrebsOnSecurity that the **Trump Hotel Collection** — a string of luxury properties tied to business magnate and Republican presidential candidate **Donald Trump** — appears to be dealing with another breach of its credit card systems. If confirmed, this would be the second such breach at the Trump properties in less than a year.

# The First Person to Hack the iPhone Built a Self-Driving Car. In His Garage

**George Hotz is taking on Google and Tesla by himself.**

By Ashlee Vance | December 16, 2015

Photographs by Peter Bohler

Video by David Nicholson

From **Bloomberg Businessweek**

# Hacktivists

## Before “The Interview” & Incentives



## “Anonymous” attacks Sony to protest PS3 hacker lawsuit

Outraged by Sony's lawsuit against PS3 hacker George Hotz, the hacker ...

by Nate Anderson - Apr 4 2011, 12:42pm CST

# The Day I Stopped Doing Vector Analysis...

☰ *Defamer:*

## Leaked: The Nightmare Email Drama Behind Sony's Steve Jobs Disaster



**Sony Leak: Studio Exec Calls Kevin Hart a Greedy "Whore"**



**The Saddest Email: Paul Reiser Wants More *Mad About You* on DVD**



**Sam Biddle**  
Yesterday 5:35pm

738,394 🔥 56 ★



"I'm not destroying my career over a minimally talented spoiled brat"

The permanently **upcoming** Steve Jobs biopic has been hotly anticipated since it was first

# What's More Preposterous?





Hudson Hongo

Filed to: SONY HACK Sunday 12:22pm

# North Korea Denies Role in "Righteous," Totally Bitchin' Sony Hack

30,043 🔥 3 ★





# Dennis Rodman to go back to North Korea - again

The former NBA star and **self-styled 'basketball diplomat'** says he plans to take pro-wrestling to the secretive state in November. We look back at his previous, controversial visits



# What's typically missing?

- Clear understanding of the *business* objectives & priorities (risk)
- **Risk Optics**
- The most granular unit of risk?
  - “RBAC”
- Impact on:
  - Policy
  - Process
  - Enterprise Architecture

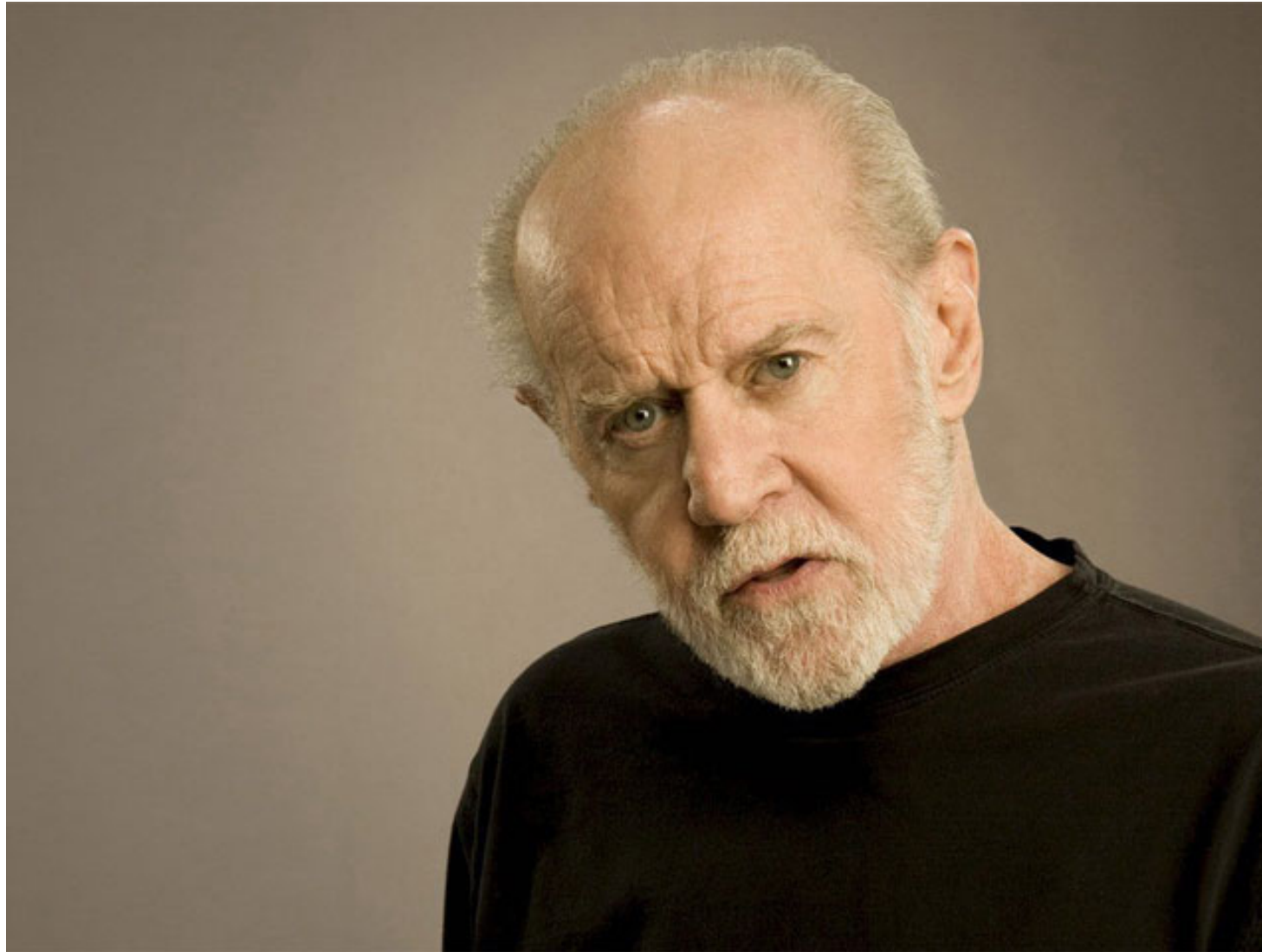




## Involving Business

Field	Data Type	Associated System	Overall Impact	Confidentiality Impact	Integrity Impact	Availability Impact
<b>PII {Whole Column}</b>			<b>HIGH</b>	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>HIGH</b>
SSN	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	MOD/HIGH	MOD/HIGH	MOD	MOD
DOB	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	MOD	LOW	MOD	MOD
Address	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	HIGH	MOD/HIGH*	HIGH	HIGH
Name	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	HIGH	MOD/HIGH*	MOD/HIGH*	MOD/HIGH*
Phone #	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	MOD	LOW/MOD	MOD	MOD
Gender	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	LOW	LOW	LOW	LOW
Race	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	LOW	LOW	LOW	LOW
Maiden Name	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	MOD	MOD	LOW	LOW
Email	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	LOW	LOW	LOW	LOW
Driver's License	PII - Citizen	Support Enforcement	MOD	MOD	LOW/MOD	LOW/MOD
<b>FTI {Whole Column}</b>			<b>MOD</b>	<b>MOD</b>	<b>LOW</b>	<b>MOD</b>
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SVC	FIN	Support Enforcement	MOD	LOW	MOD	MOD

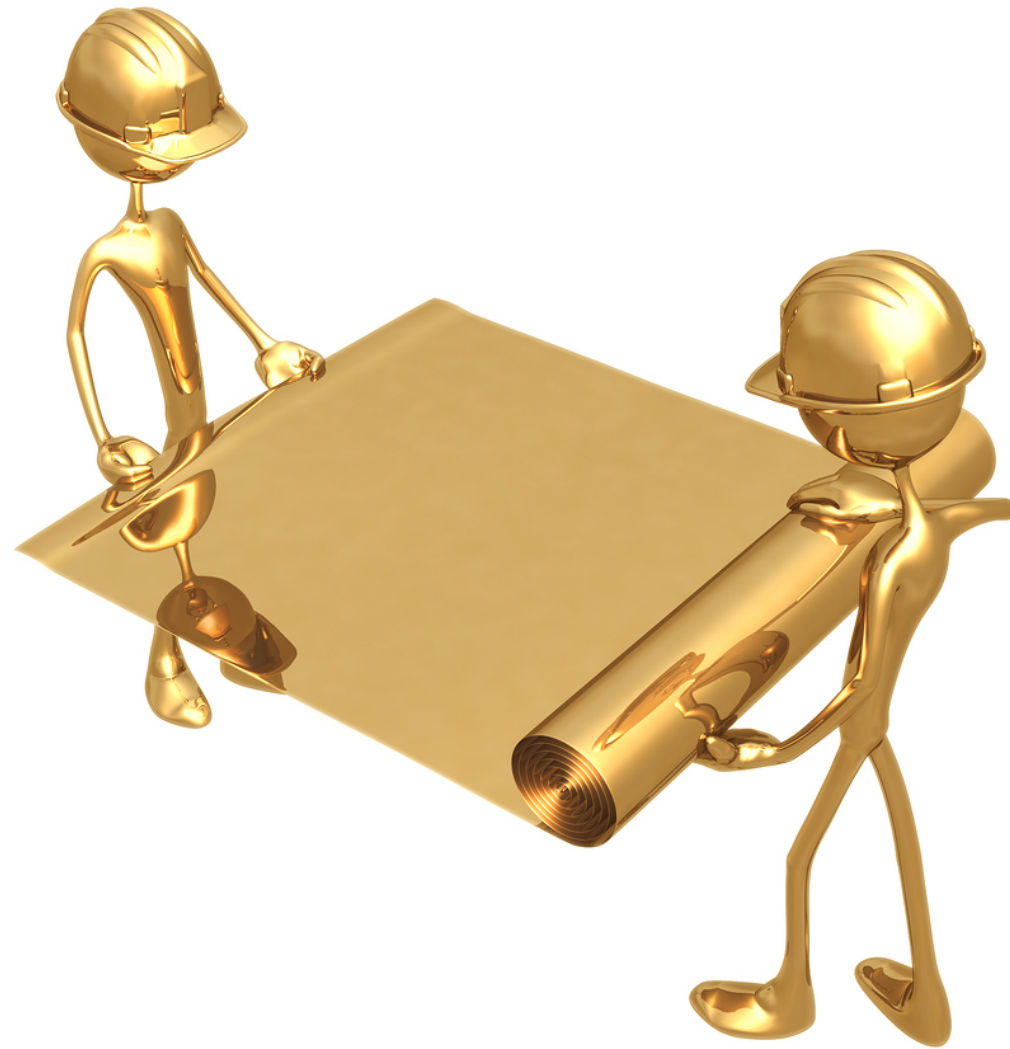
# FCC v. Pacifica Foundation



# The Security/Privacy Ratio



# Having a Plan...



# Key Takeaway 1:

Even with the *best* statistical chance...

Your Hand	Dealer's Upcard									
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	A
5-8	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
9	H	D	D	D	D	H	H	H	H	H
10	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	H	H
11	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	H
12	H	H	S	S	S	H	H	H	H	H
13	S	S	S	S	S	H	H	H	H	H
14	S	S	S	S	S	H	H	H	H	H
15	S	S	S	S	S	H	H	H	H	H
16	S	S	S	S	S	H	H	H	H	H
17-20	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
A,2	H	H	H	D	D	H	H	H	H	H
A,3	H	H	H	D	D	H	H	H	H	H
A,4	H	H	D	D	D	H	H	H	H	H
A,5	H	H	D	D	D	H	H	H	H	H
A,6	H	D	D	D	D	H	H	H	H	H
A,7	S	Ds	Ds	Ds	Ds	S	S	H	H	H
A,8	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
A,9	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Pairs										
2,2	P	P	P	P	P	P	H	H	H	H
3,3	P	P	P	P	P	P	H	H	H	H
4,4	H	H	H	P	P	H	H	H	H	H
5,5	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	H	H
6,6	P	P	P	P	P	H	H	H	H	H
7,7	P	P	P	P	P	P	H	H	H	H
8,8	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
9,9	P	P	P	P	P	S	P	P	S	S
10,10	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
A,A	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P

**Key:**  
H = Hit  
S = Stand  
P = Split  
D = Double (hit if not allowed)  
Ds = Double (stand if not allowed)



## Key Takeaway 2: “Risk” has multiple meanings

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# Key Takeaway 3: Speak the Same Language (Use Wheels)

	POTENTIAL IMPACT		
Security Objective	LOW	MODERATE	HIGH
<p><b><i>Confidentiality</i></b> Preserving authorized restrictions on information access and disclosure, including means for protecting personal privacy and proprietary information.</p>	The unauthorized disclosure of information could be expected to have a <b>limited</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.	The unauthorized disclosure of information could be expected to have a <b>serious</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.	The unauthorized disclosure of information could be expected to have a <b>severe or catastrophic</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.
<p><b><i>Integrity</i></b> Guarding against improper information modification or destruction, and includes ensuring information non-repudiation and authenticity.</p>	The unauthorized modification or destruction of information could be expected to have a <b>limited</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.	The unauthorized modification or destruction of information could be expected to have a <b>serious</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.	The unauthorized modification or destruction of information could be expected to have a <b>severe or catastrophic</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.
<p><b><i>Availability</i></b> Ensuring timely and reliable access to and use of information.</p>	The disruption of access to or use of information or an information system could be expected to have a <b>limited</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.	The disruption of access to or use of information or an information system could be expected to have a <b>serious</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.	The disruption of access to or use of information or an information system could be expected to have a <b>severe or catastrophic</b> adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.

# Sample Objectives

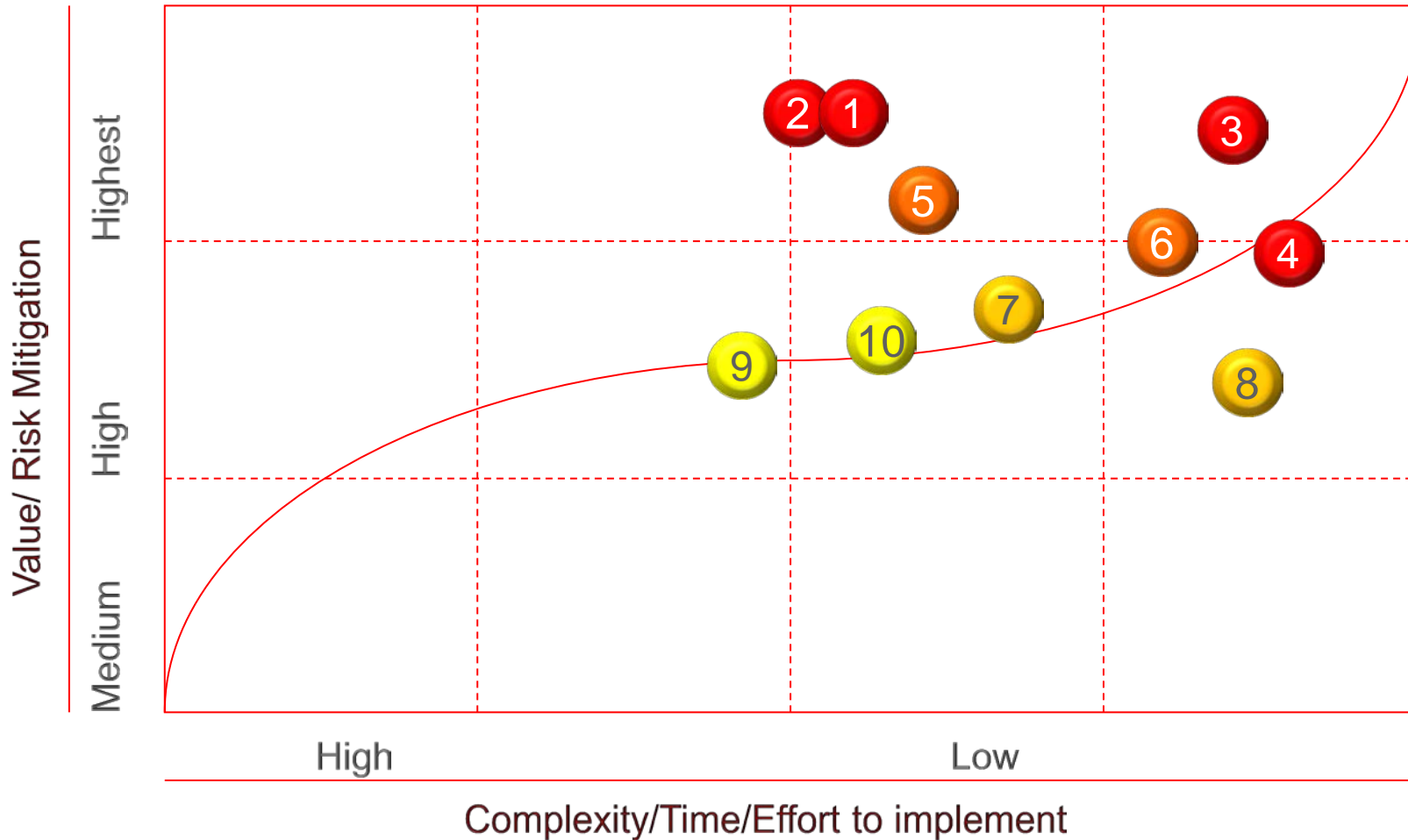
- Connect data to business risk
- Common taxonomy for data
  - Relation to business impact, not overly complex
  - Seek for commonality in interoperability, participation in programs, & grant applications
- Methodology
  - Common risk/data taxonomy Ranks risk to confidentiality, integrity, & availability into 3 categorizations
  - Controls based on risk/impact



# A little help: Database Security Methodology Overview



# Mapped to a strategy: e.g. Value/Effort Map



## Recommendations

- 1 Protect Sensitive Data
- 2 Enhance Auditing and Alerting of Database Activity
- 3 Encrypt Data at Rest
- 4 Password Controls
- 5 Separation of Duties/Control Authorized Access
- 6 Update Patching
- 7 Revoke Privileges on Sensitive Packages From "PUBLIC"
- 8 Server Security – file privileges
- 9 SQL Injection Prevention
- 10 Minor configuration issues

# Granular specifics & configuration detail

## Oracle Database Risk Assessment Report

### Risk Category Breakdown

Severe	3
Significant	0
Some	2
Informational	0

### Environment Overview

Data Collection Version	1.1
Analyze Version	20150326
Data Collection Date	18-APR-2015 14:05
Data Analyzed Date	20/04/2015 00:07
Database Name	DB01
Database Version	11.2.0.4.0
Database Platform	Linux x86 64-bit

### Found The Following Security Concerns

**The following is a list of checks that require attention. You MUST still review the raw data separately. Do NOT rely on this report solely for assessment.**

Found Excessive Number Of Users With DBA Role	Details
Found Excessive Number Of Users With Alter or Drop Privilege	Details
Found Excessive Number Of Users With Deadly System Privileges	Details
Found Excessive Number Of Users With Deadly Roles	Details
Found Weak Security Parameters With Severity of SEVERE	Details
Found Excessive Number Of Users With Direct System Rights	Details
Found Excessive Number Of Users With Excessive Roles	Details
Found Users With Access To Sensitive Packages	Details
Found Users With Default Passwords	Details
No Encrypted Tablespaces	Details
Found Excessive Number Of Users With DBA Role	Details

# Questions

