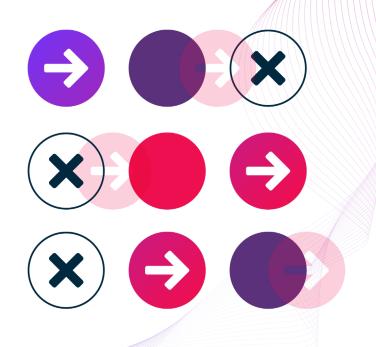
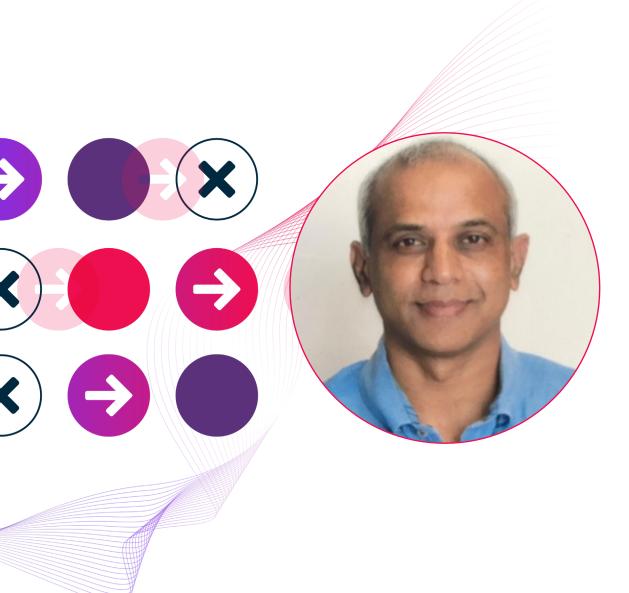
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### Prepare to Prevent Business Disruption

**SafeBreach** 



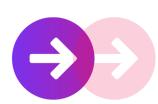




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## Cybercriminals remain adept at successfully infiltrating organizations across the globe

#### **Evolving threat landscape**



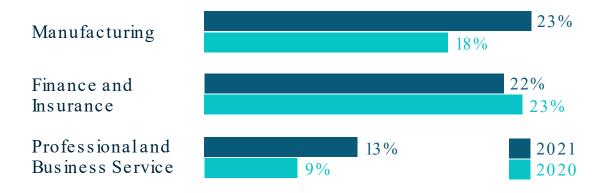
Percentage of attacks



Ransomware share of attacks

41%

Attacks exploited phishing for initial access



#### \$401M

Average cost of a mega data breach (50-65M records)

2,204%

Increase in reconnaissance against Operational Technology (OT) devices

#### Linux threats on the rise

Year-over-year increase in Linux ransomware innovation across cloud environments

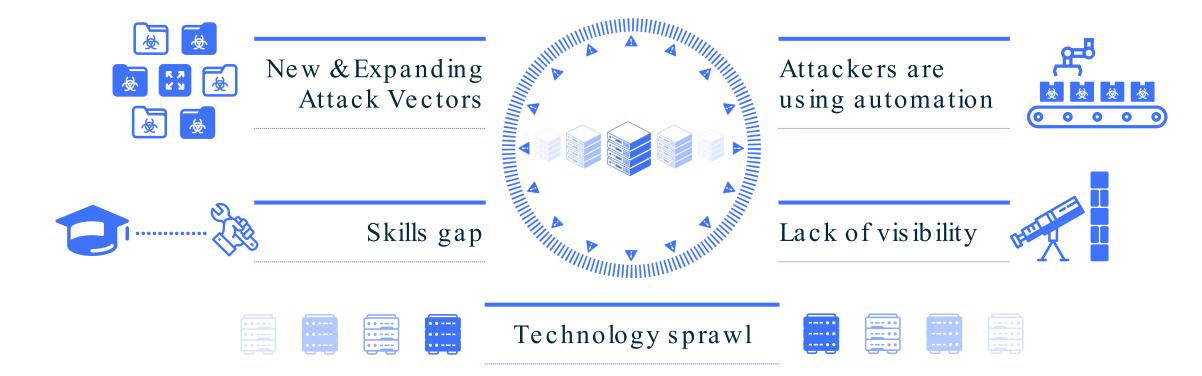
Sources: 2022 IBM X-Force Threat Intelligence Report; 2021 IBM Security Cost of a Data Breach Report





#### We attribute these security exposures to these key dynamics

## Organizations lack reliable controls to prevent business disruption







What we're hearing from clients

From thousands of engagement across the world, we've heard some common security concerns.

Detect and respond to threats faster

Reduce mean time to resolution

Safeguard workloads in hybrid multi-cloud environments Enhance and leverage existing security investments







#### What we hear from our analysts









Reduce noise, enrich with intel and context

Better tools for triage, investigation and response

Immersive and hands-on learning of latest attacks

Make the security technologies effective



## Under prepared client was at risk of major financial opportunity



\$100K cost increase

Any Security issues?

Identify the issues

Engaging Incident response

Breach analysis and mitigation





## Well prepared client avoided business disruption through faster detection and response



Unusual activity Isolated machines Source identified Remediation

Notified victim devices

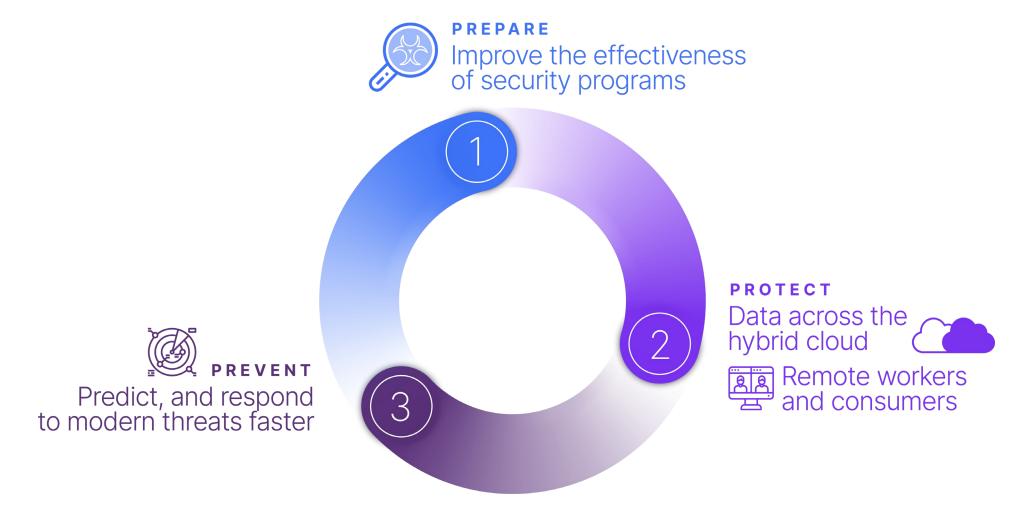
Engaged Incident response

Additional rules applied



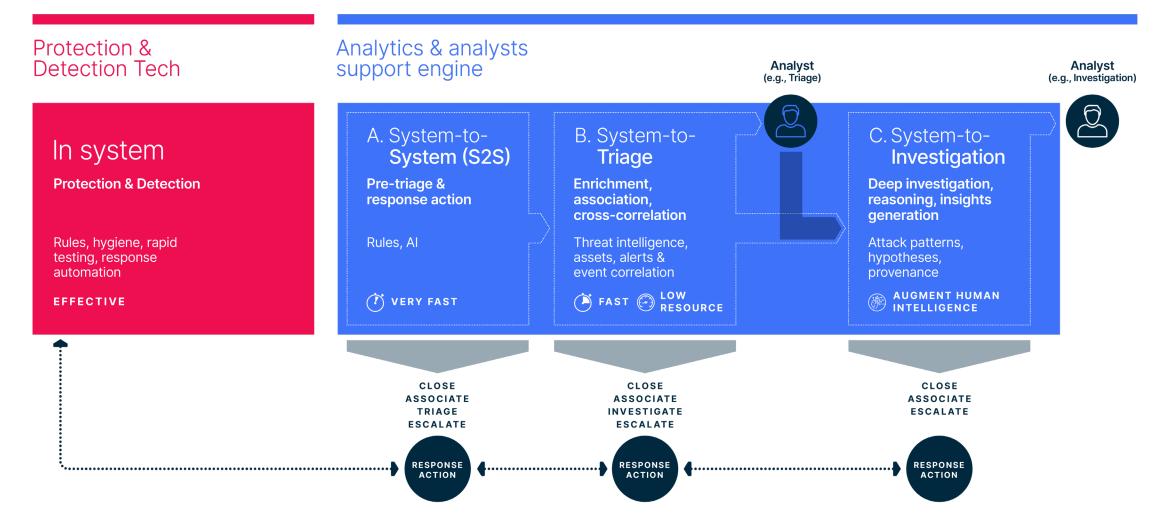


## We should Prepare to address evolving threats, respond and protect faster





## Take a two-pronged approach through the threat management lifecycle to improve enterprise resiliency





#### 1. Prepare the detection and protection technologies

### Adopt a risk based approach

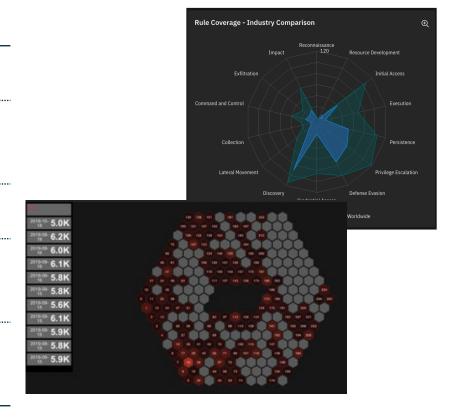
Harden systems, detect drift and automate to remediate

Weaponized Exploits (WX) centric risk-based approach to vulnerability Management

Security technology optimization (ex. FW rule optimization)

Continuous improvement through MITRE ATT&CK-based SIEM posture assessment and recommendation

Automate adversarial simulation with BAS to proactively assess and enforce







#### 2. Prepare the analysts

# Skills and expertise through immersive education and training

Happy analysts, happy clients; Quality of Experience improvement for Clients and IBM'ers

Learn latest and greatest attacks through Breach Attack Simulation on representative Hybrid cloud lab

Information curated in single pane of glass, reduce screen surfing and steps





#### 3. Prepare AI

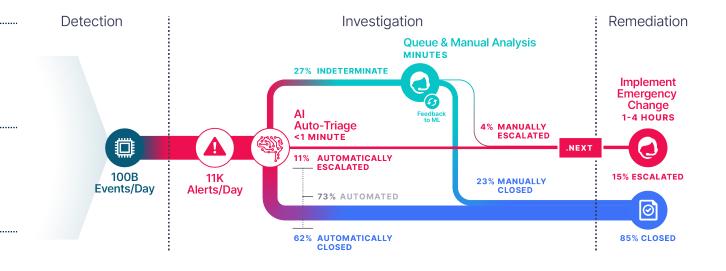
# Improve response time through AI-enabled multilateral detection and response

Reduce noise for analysts with AI so they can focus on high value alerts

Reduce triage time through recommendations with explanation and reasoning

Faster investigation through structured playbooks with intelenrichment and intuitive visualization

Automated response through fact-based enrichment





### Can we predict to prevent?

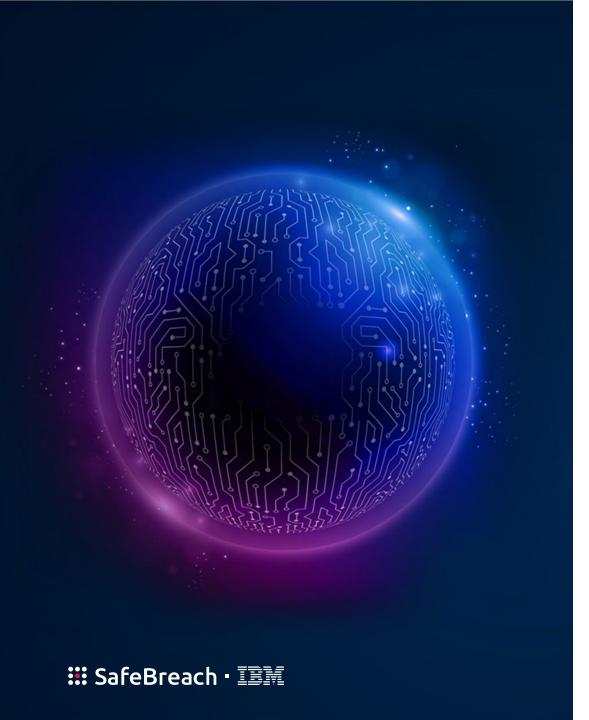
Use simulation data from Breach & Attack Simulation to train and test AI models. Use it for early warning?

Proactively assess security controls posture and remediate

Speculative cause (before) and effect (after) hypotheses







#### Ready for future battles

Thousands of IBM Researchers in 12 labs across 6 continents are busy working on security projects that will shape our future

### Good Al versus bad

IBM researchers are finding ways to address the weaknesses found in AI systems

### Quantum-safe cryptography

Lattice cryptography will protect organizations from quantum-enabled hackers

### Blockchain for security

IBM invented the way to share threat intelligence that's anonymous and trusted

### Securing the world of things

IBM researchers are working on cryptographic algorithms and protocols, and key management to enable end-to-end IoT security









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