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# Building Secure Enterprise Clouds

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# State of the Union

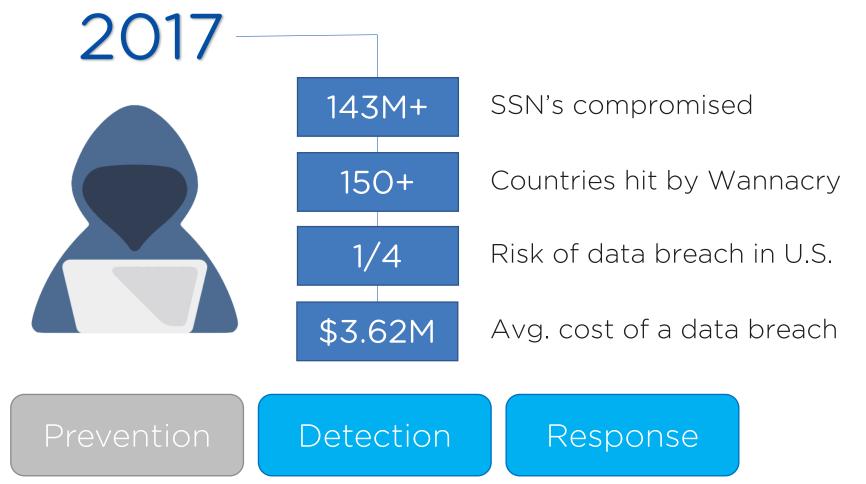
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## Data Centre Security

Worldwide spend on InfoSec was expected to reach **\$90 billion** in 2017, which would be 7.6%

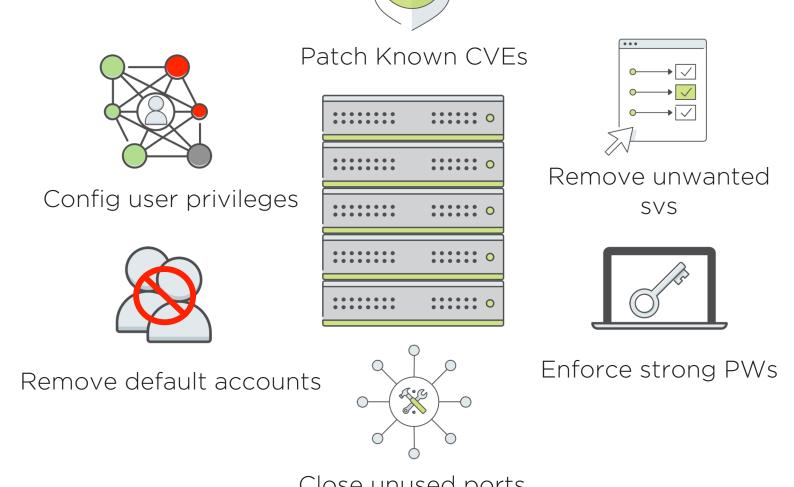
2018 is projected to hit **\$114 billion** up 12.4% p.a.

And 2019, **\$124 billion** 



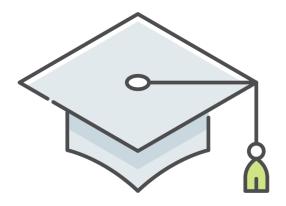
## System Hardening

Prevent the possibility of executing vulnerable code by restricting the methods of being able to access certain systems.



Close unused ports & protocols

#### Cloud is my savior!









Continuing complexity

#### Battling Shadow I.T.

Costs of Technical Debt FOMO "You should be in the Cloud."



## Benefits of the Public Cloud

# Rapid Time to Market Fractional IT Consumption I can deploy my application in five minutes. I use and pay for just what I need, only when I need it.

#### **One-click Simplicity**

I don't spend time on low-level infrastructure management.

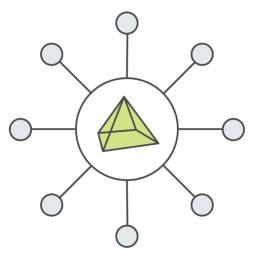
#### **Continuous Innovation**

*My infrastructure gets better on a regular basis.* 

## Why not go full cloud?



Is Cloud cheaper?



Edge computing



Vendor lock in

## Not a single cloud anymore



Mission-critical applications

# What you talkin' about techie?!

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## The Theory: A Software vendor makes life easier



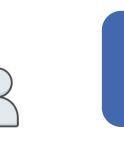
Does the vendor understand how customers user their software?



Are the best practices and standards baked into the product?



Do their development lifecycles ensure a repeatable and predictable security baseline in products?



## The Practice: Make what matters easier; security & compliance



Full-Stack Security Development Lifecycle



Automated Validation and Self-Healing of Baselines



Detailed Security Documentation for Auditors and IA Teams



## What are we talking about?

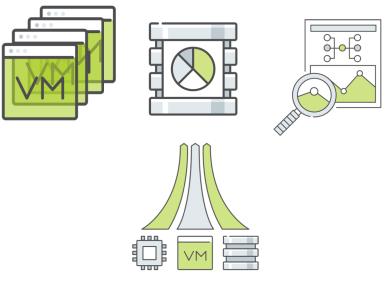
#### **Changing face of technology:** The more things change the more they stay the same.

- Virtualization
- Converged / Hyper-converged
- Webscale

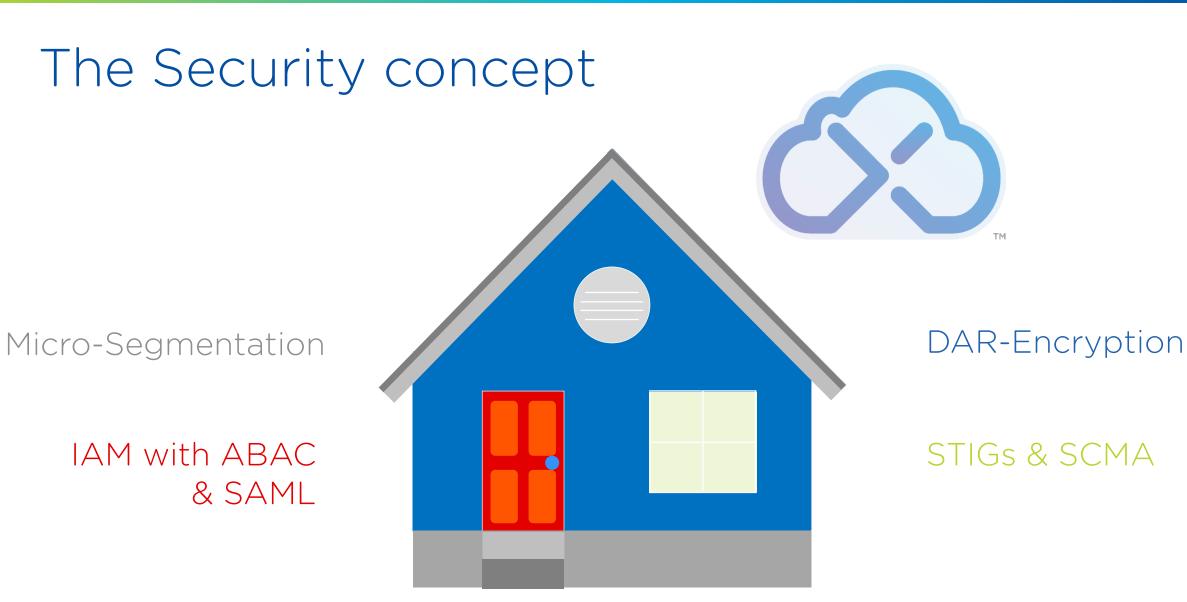
**Perpetual Legacy:** Always securing, assessing, accrediting, never building, innovating or evolving.

A better way: Harden and heal but with automation.









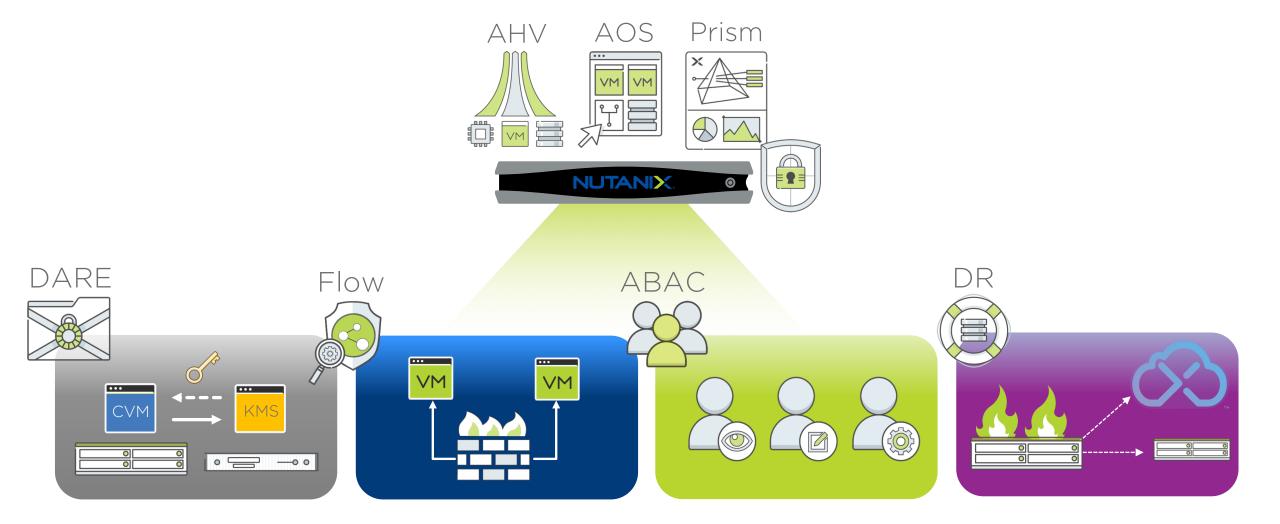
Security Development Lifecycle



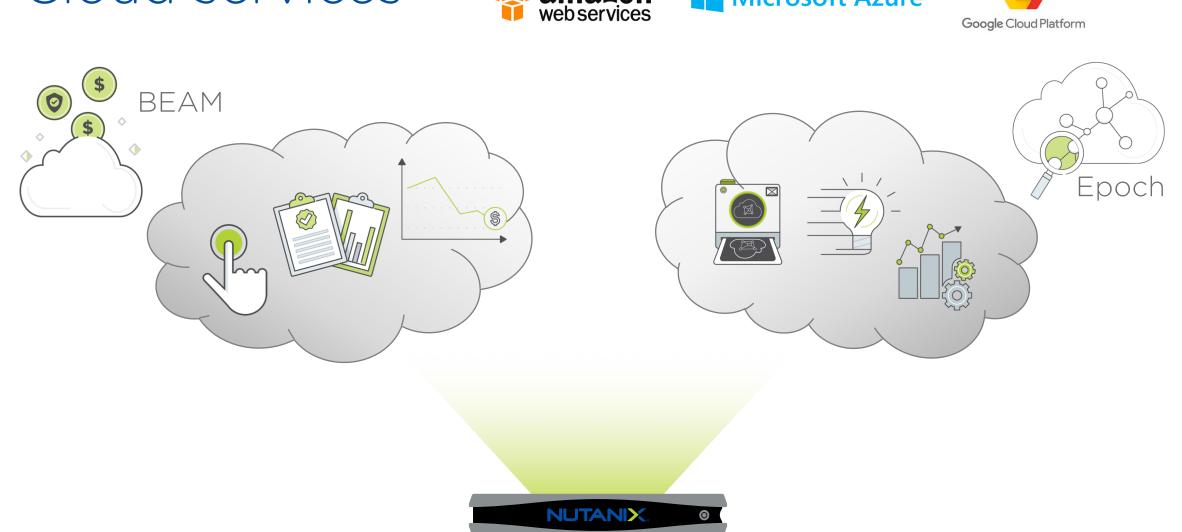
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## Secure foundation for securing data









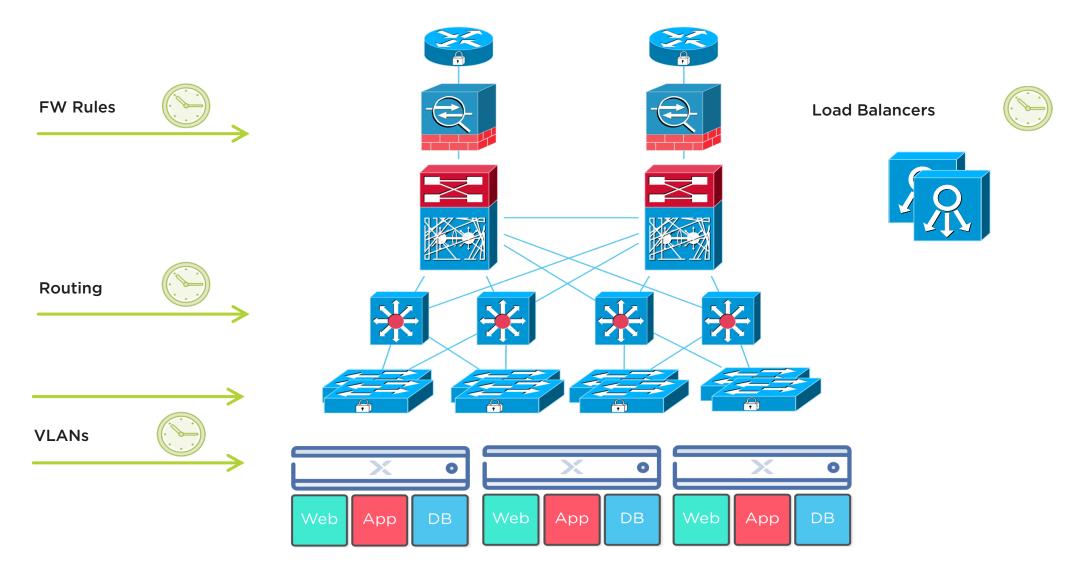


#### Security Ecosystem



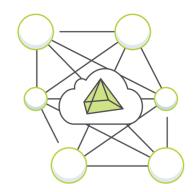
# Making complicated simple

#### The problems with Networking



## Application Centric Networking

#### VISUALIZE



- Visualize your application topology
- Analyze your application flows

#### AUTOMATE



- One-click connectivity for your applications
- Automate Firewall and load balancing policies

#### SECURE



- Maintain fine-grained control of your application flows
- Protect against threats that originate from the inside



## Something different

#### Currently

Perimeter based approach

Static, manual security policy

Network-based segmentation, decoupled from applications

Poor application visibility

#### What is Needed

Security enforcement everywhere

Automated and centralized policies

App-based segmentation, decoupled from network

Real-time visibility into workload interactions

#### Centralized Policy with Ubiquitous Enforcement

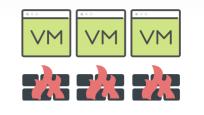


 One single point of control for all east-west communication

 ✓ Stateful distributed firewall protects every single VM









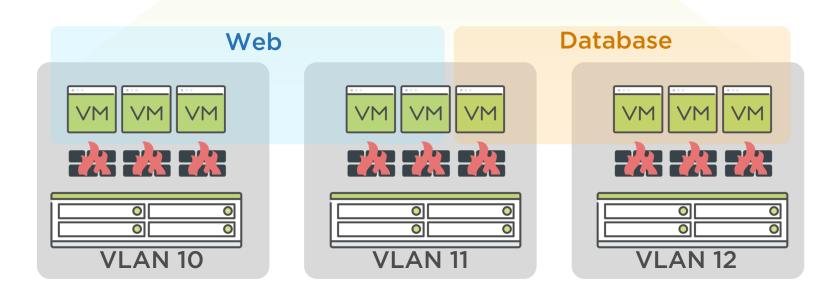
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#### App-Centric policy decoupled from NT



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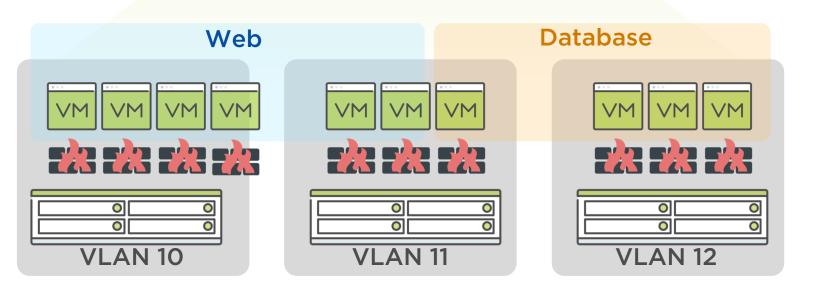
- Simple and intuitive policy model meant for virtualization teams
- Networking complexities (VLANs, subnets, routes) removed from policy language
- Enforcement follows VM lifecycle and is independent of network topology

#### Auto Updates for Simplified Change Management



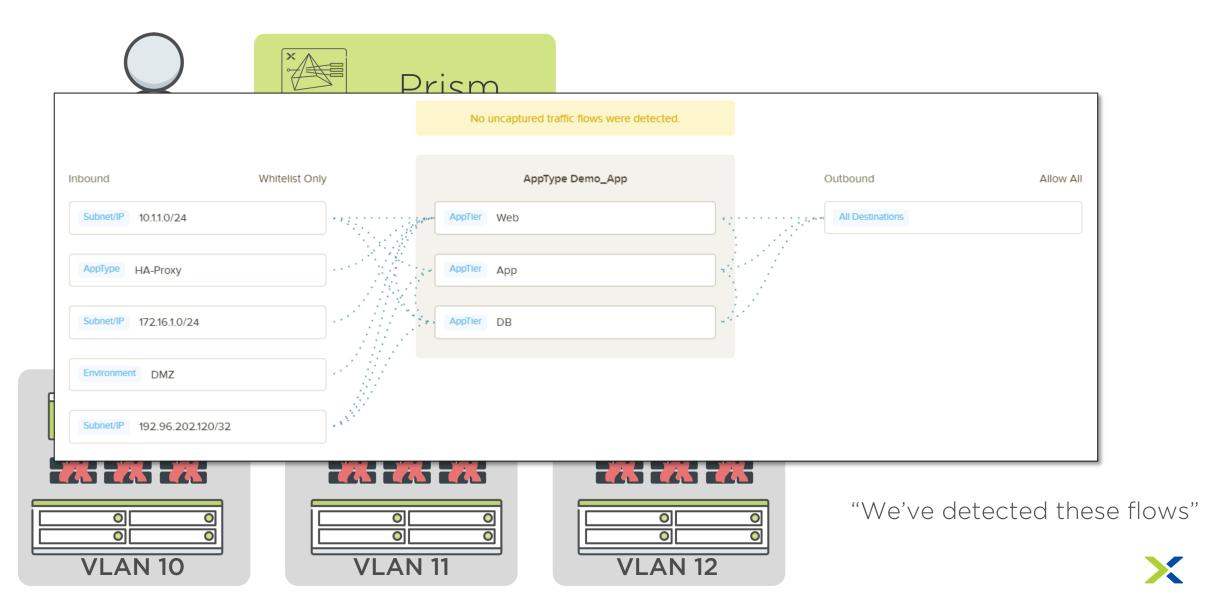
"Web VMs can talk to DB VMs on port 1521"

"Create new VM in category Web"



- Policies specified on logical groups
- Security rules are updated real time based on group membership changes
- Adaptive security enforcement auto-detects IP address changes and updates rules

#### Rich Flow Visualization to Aid in Policy Authoring

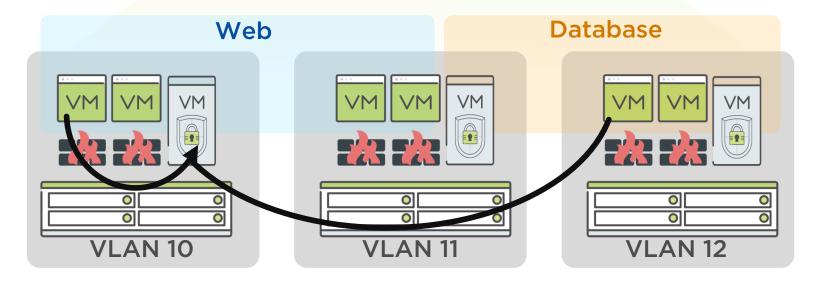


#### Service Chaining / Network Functions



"Deploy a virtual firewall service on my cluster"

"All database queries from Web to DB tier should go through the firewall service"



- Cluster wide deployment of service chains
- ✓ A single service chain can consist of 1 or more sequence of services
- User can selectively redirect specific flows to a service chain for advanced processing



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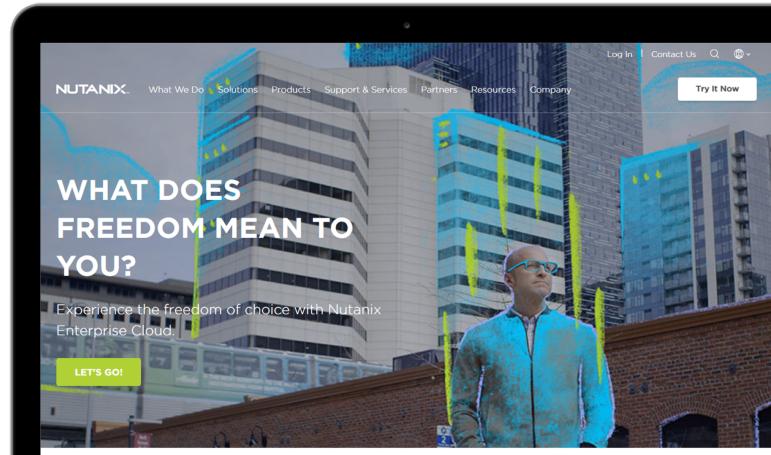


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