

Find and fix software security problems... wait, do not make security mistakes in the first place!

SENSEI SECURITY

Faster time to secure code

• Founded in 2016 to create the next generation of solutions to expertly guide developers in writing secure code.







WHO ARE YOU?

What is your interest in this talk?

- Audience
 - Developer?
 - Security?
 - Students?

Students, developers, security

Is Security annoying?

Are developers annoying?

Security Courses?





What are software security problems?

SECURITY

What's in the name?





DEVELOPERS INTRODUCE BUGS



Most expensive bugs?





SOFTWARE SECURITY PROBLEMS

Tell me some application security stories! (SQL injection)











Today's view on Application Security: All about finding problems

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PEOPLE AND TOOLS

SAST, DAST, IAST, RASP, ...

DAST (Penetration testing solutions and the like)



Peer code review



Static Analysis (SAST)

WHITE-HAT HACKERS

Knock knock, who's there?



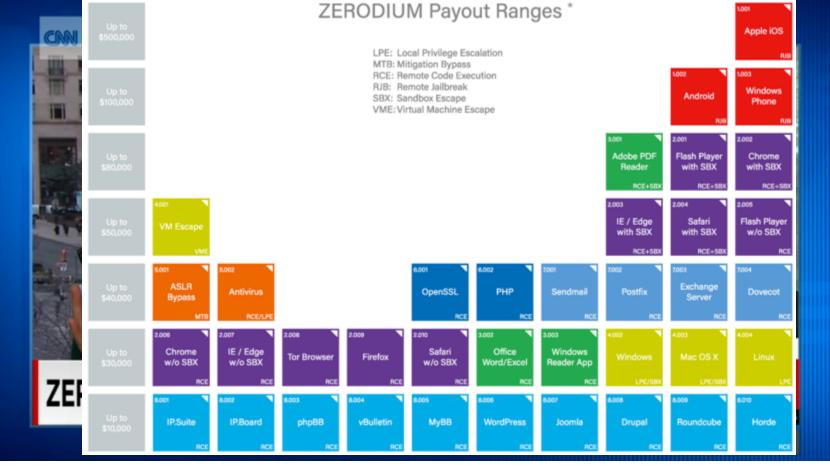




BLACK-HAT HACKERS

No longer underground







SECURITY IS AWARE OF PROBLEMS

Probably more than 1 problem





FOUND THEM. NOW HX THEM!

Developers vs. Security

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WHERE IS THAT PROBLEM?

Fix it!



HOW DO YOU GET THEM FIXED?

Install a process





How do you incentify developers to get things fixed.

Process in place?



SECURITY PROBLEMS IN SOFTWARE

Great, get me a stool

84%

Of breaches occur at the application layer



(Source: HP Research)







WHO'S HELPING THE DEVELOPER OUT?

Lonely person...

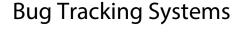
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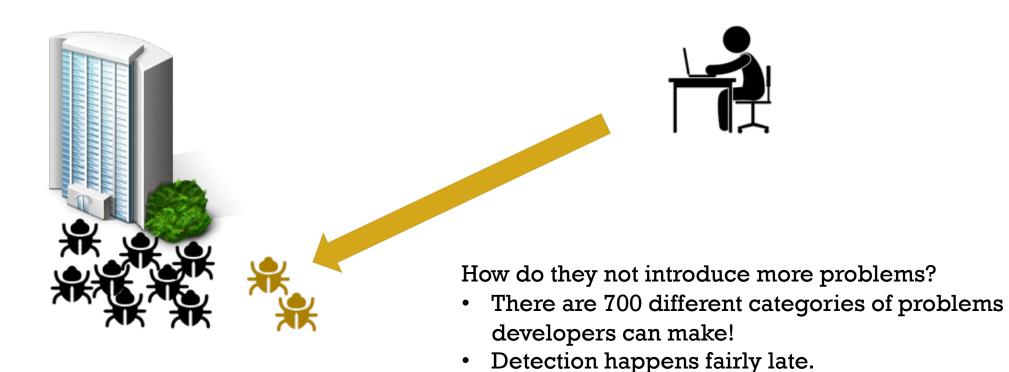


Approaches

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STOP CREATING NEW PROBLEMS

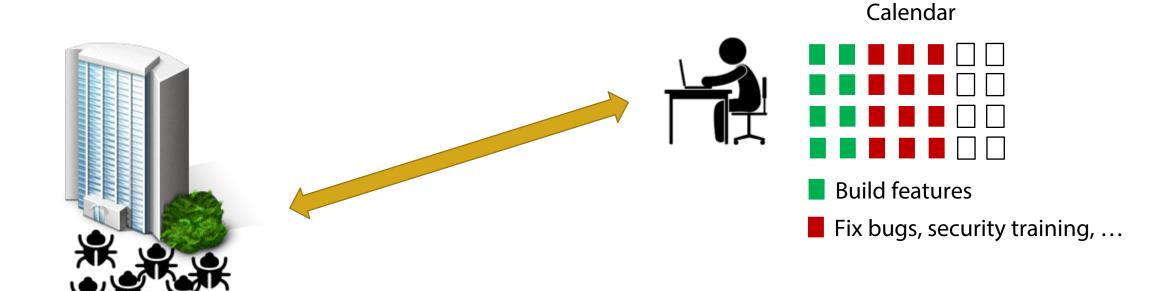
Developers keep on introducing problems.





DEVELOPERS: FEATURES

Developers are paid to to develop features, not to learn about security!





HOW DO WE FIX UNKNOWN ISSUES

How can we fix what we do not see?





When fixing all the known problems, is your code secure?

Fixing is not robust and consistent programming





ANY OTHER SOLUTIONS TO THIS PROBLEM?

REMEMBER...

Lonely developer, no help

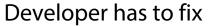
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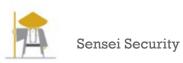
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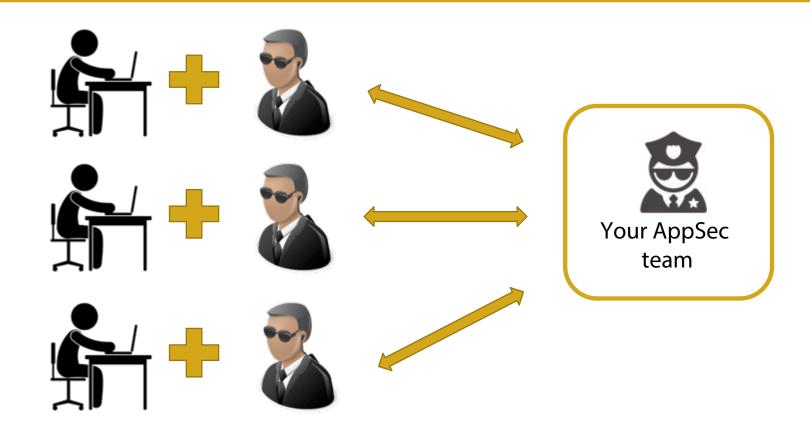






HELP THE DEVELOPER

A software security person next to every developer?





FIND SECURITY PEOPLE

Talent shortage in security



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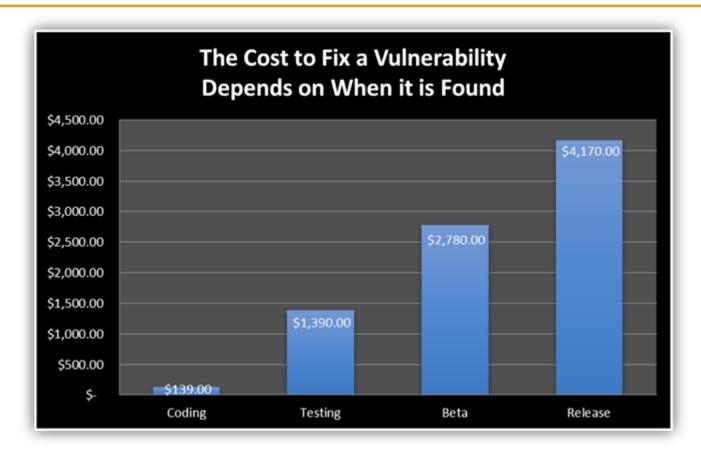
in 2020 in IT Security

members/100 developers.



BENEFITS FINDING PROBLEMS EARLY

Cost to fix vulnerabilities





COMPLIANCE REASONS, STANDARDS

Moving towards fixing the root cause



PCI DSS requirements



NIST Special Publication 800-53



ISO/IEC 27034



ADVANTAGES

Be as close as possible to developers



Faster development



Less security bugs





Pro-active and positive



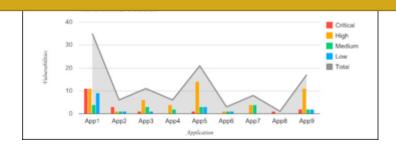
On the job training

MEASURE SOFTWARE SECURITY





How about: How many problems got we fixed? How many vulnerabilities did our developers avoid?





THANKS!

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PEOPLE INTERESTED?

We are looking for you!



Benefits:

Work on cutting edge technology

Work with cool people

 Want to work when you want (remote, on-site, day, night, whenever, wherever)

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LOOK FOR FEEDBACK ON OUR PRODUCT

Is your organization serious about application security?



Your organization:

- Want to get software security right in a cost effective way
- Does not want to transform developers into security ninjas (otherwise, keep on training)
- Want to avoid juniors to introduce new problems
- Doesn't matter if you are using point and shoot software security solutions like static analysis solutions, penetration testing, ...
- 50 Java developers.

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