

# Manage Your Risk With ThreatModeler



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# Introduction

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- Active in WASC and OWASP
- Published several articles on Secure Coding and SDL
- Project Leader – OWASP Threat Modeling Methodology
- <http://myappsecurity.blogspot.com>

# MyAppSecurity

Secure Your Applications

- End to End Software Security Risk Management Solution
- Key Services
  - Threat Modeling
  - Secure Architecture Review
  - Vulnerability Management
  - Training

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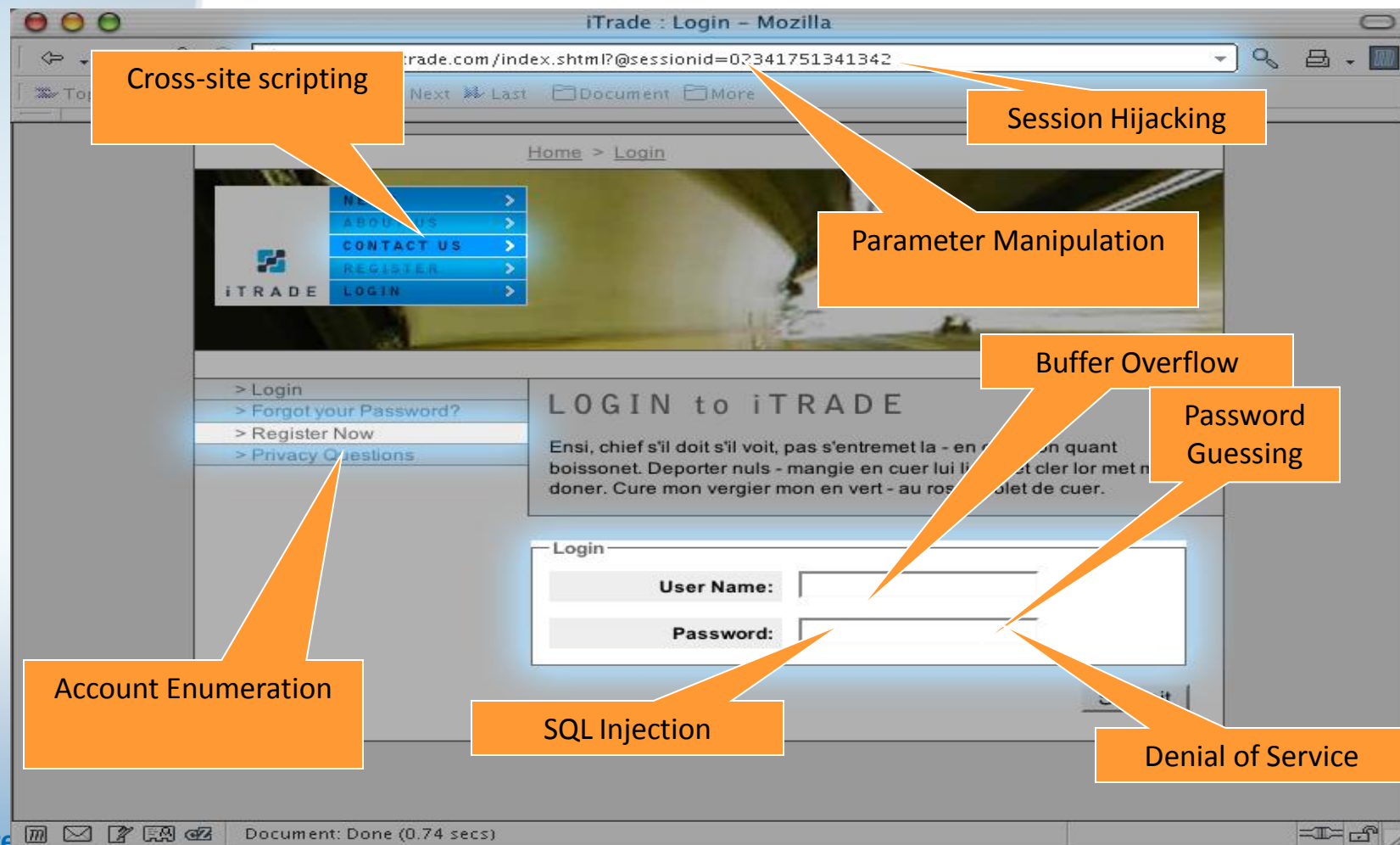
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**“You cannot build secure systems until you understand your threats”**



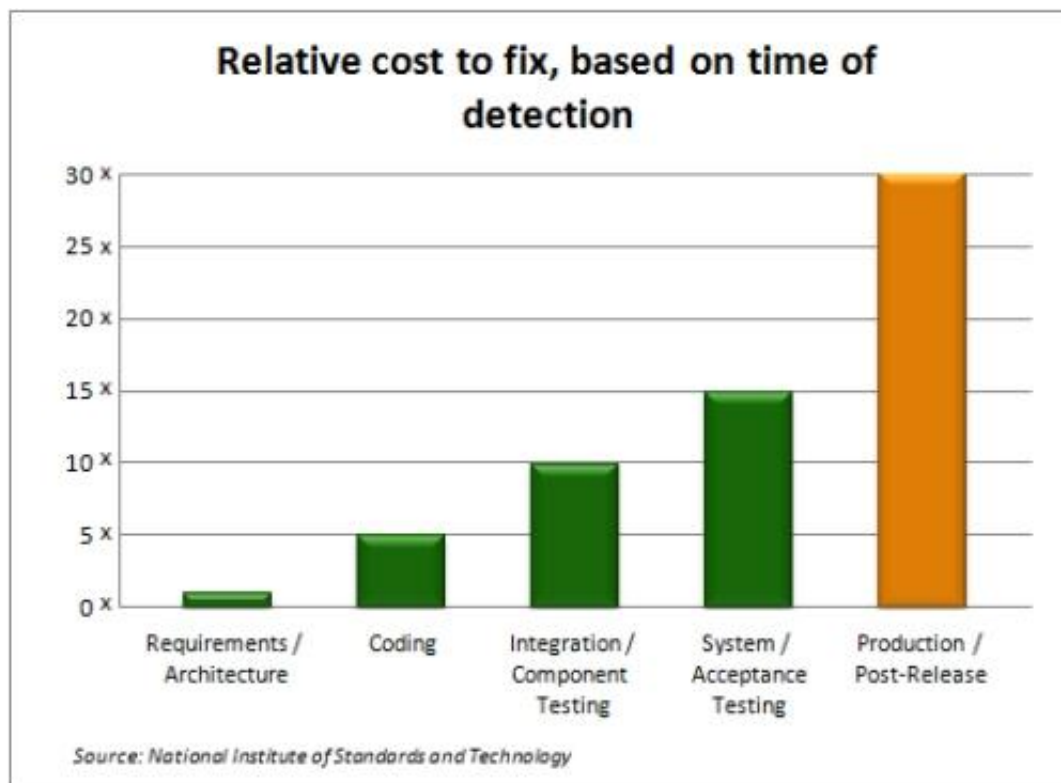
**“Applications are built from individual features and each feature can be attacked. It is therefore important that you understand the components of the application”**



# Threat Modeling pays for itself

- Number of Vulnerabilities = Negligible
- Competitive Advantage
- **ROI Benefits**

**“Code fixes performed after release can result in 30 times the cost of fixes performed during the design phase.”  
(NIST)**



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# **BUILD YOUR OWN THREAT MODELING PRACTICE IN 7 EASY STEPS**



# Step 1 - Threat Library

- Build your own threat library
  - Existing threat libraries – CAPEC, WASC and OWASP
  - Custom threats
- Associate risk with threats to prioritize mitigation efforts



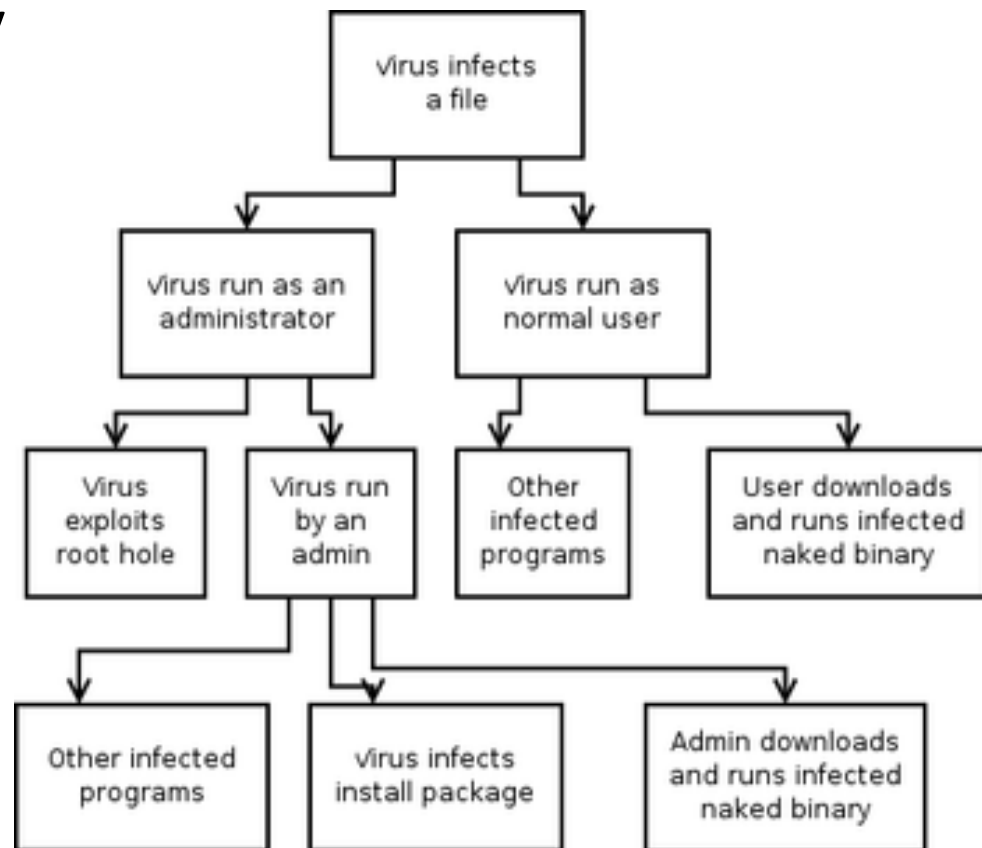
# Step 2 - Secure Coding Standards

- Identify mitigation steps
  - Secure Coding Standards
    - OWASP Secure Coding Quick Reference Guide
    - OWASP Developers Guide
  - Security frameworks
    - OWASP ESAPI
    - Microsoft Enterprise Library
    - Microsoft AntiXSS Library
    - Custom/Home grown
- Associate mitigation steps with threats



# Step 3 - Intelligence

- Build a library of reusable Threat Patterns / Attack Trees
- Build a pre-defined reusable component library

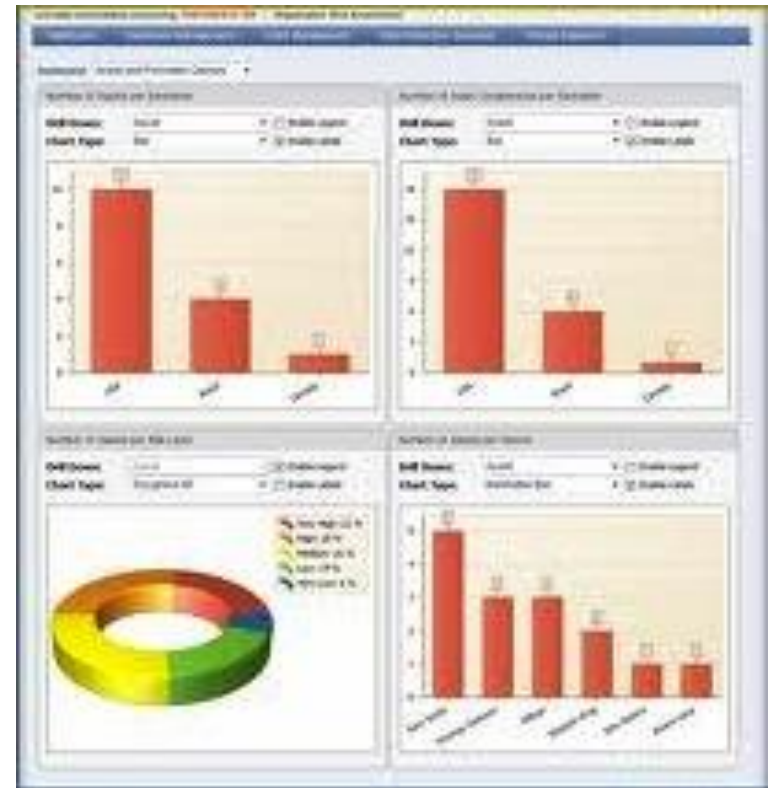


# Step 4 - Actionable Output

- Builds a comprehensive threat profile (ThreatMap) of the system which can be either used to understand the system or generate actionable output
  - High Value Targets
  - Data Flow
  - Threats to individual Components
  - Risk
  - Attack Trees
  - List of Mitigation Steps (Abuse Cases)
  - Security Assessment Checklist
  - List of Total vs. Open Vulnerabilities

# Step 5 – Dashboard and Reporting

- Threat Management Console
  - Threat Portfolio
  - Threat Management / Vulnerability Management
  - Prioritize Mitigation
- Risk Dashboard
  - Top Ten Threats
  - Risk Profiling
  - Compliance Reporting



# Step 6 - Collaboration



|                        |                                                                                                          |
|------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Architects             | •Provide functional information about their application.                                                 |
| Security Professionals | •Vulnerability Management / Risk Management.<br>•Promote Security Standards throughout the organization. |
| Developers             | •Implement correct mitigation steps and security standards using Abuse Cases.                            |



# Step 7 - Scaling and Operationalizing

- Build a Threat Model in hours/days depending on the size of the application
- Updating a threat model is a matter of minutes.
- Effective Risk Management.
- Build reusable templates
- Scalable across thousands of applications.





## Time for a Demo

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