

Accelerating CMMC Compliance with Amazon Web Services, Coalfire Federal & PreVeil



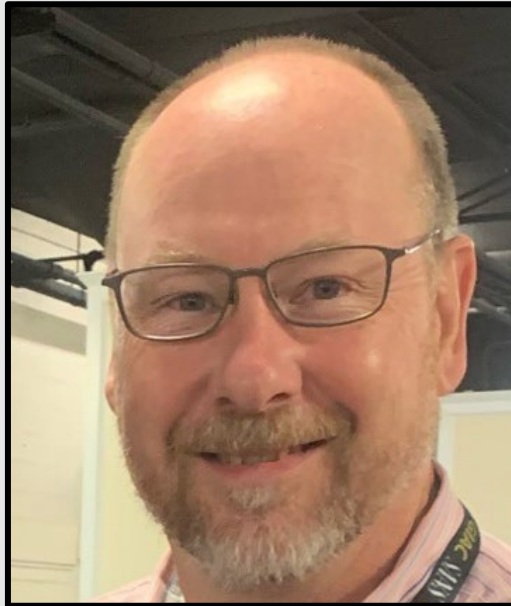
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Coalfire Federal provides cybersecurity services to government and commercial organizations helping them protect their mission-specific cyber objectives.

Coalfire Federal is the leading FedRAMP 3PAO, a CMMC C3PAO and CMMC RPO and offers a full spectrum of cybersecurity risk management and compliance services.

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- Executive roles in several cybersecurity businesses
- Lead mentor at MACH 37 cyber product accelerator



ABOUT AMAZON WEB SERVICES

Since 2006, Amazon Web Services (AWS) has offered IT infrastructure services to businesses in the form of cloud computing. Today, Amazon Web Services provides a highly reliable, scalable, low-cost infrastructure platform in the cloud that powers hundreds of thousands of businesses in 190 countries around the world.

ABOUT TED STEFFAN

- Sr. Security Partner Strategist at AWS
- Created Amazon's Authority to Operate program
- Coordinates AWS team focused on helping national security and defense customers who work on CMMC
- 26 years in the US Air Force



ABOUT PREVEIL

PreVeil is a simple, inexpensive and secure SaaS platform for storing and sharing CUI and ITAR data in email and files.

Designed for the enterprise, PreVeil is used by leading defense contractors for CMMC compliance, Supply Chain Collaboration and Incident Response.

ABOUT SANJEEV VERMA

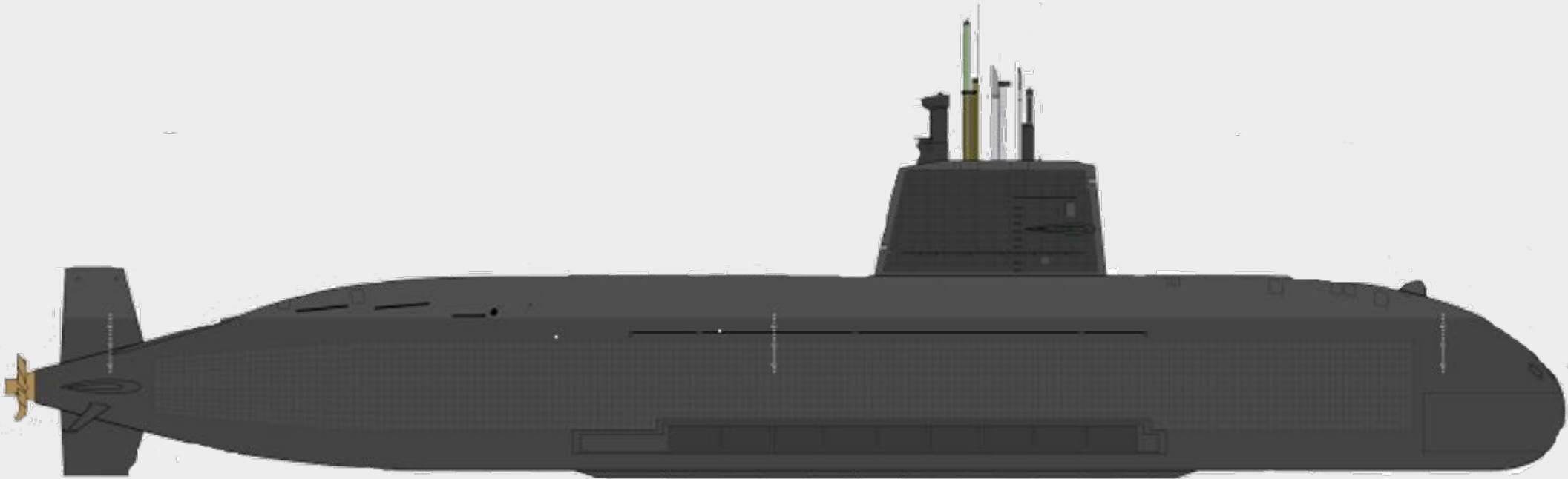
- Co-founder & Chairman @ PreVeil since 2015
- Previously, co-founder Airvana
- Business leadership roles, Motorola
- MBA, MIT Sloan School of Management
- BS Electrical Engineering, Delhi College of Eng.



Coalfire Federal



Why CMMC is important has to do with submarines



Alan Turing and Why CMMC is Important

Broke German Enigma code in 1943

- Decoded >84,000 secret messages/month
- Protected North Atlantic merchant convoys

Credited with saving > 21 million lives

- Accelerated the end of WWII

Educated at Princeton University:

- English mathematician
- Computer scientist
- Logician
- Cryptanalyst
- Philosopher
- Theoretical biologist



- Alan Mathison Turing OBE FRS
- (June 1912 – June 1954)

Alan Turing and Why CMMC is Important

- **Sea Dragon – June 2018**
614 gigabytes of data stolen by the Chinese
 - Undersea warfare data
 - Plans for a submarine-based, supersonic anti-ship missile
 - Sensor and cryptographic information
 - Navy submarine development unit's electronic warfare library
- **Lockheed F35 Strike Fighter**
 - Almost a decade to develop
 - Total program cost > \$1 Trillion
 - Chinese J-31 introduced within 2 years
 - Based on CUI stolen from U.S. defense



Motivations for CMMC

- CMMC is designed to enhance the protection of CUI and FCI in the DoD supply chain
- *(NIST 800-171 was not effective)*
 - Compliance is not security
 - Promising to implement security and implementing security are not equal
 - Allowing POAMs disadvantages those that are secure
 - Allowing companies to grade their own tests was not a good idea



How has CMMC improved on NIST 800-171?



- Combines various cybersecurity standards and best practices
- CMMC looks at maturity, it's no longer about compliance
- CMMC requires third party assessment, no more self-grading and self-reporting
- Requirements are pass-fail, requirements must be satisfied, not just addressed
- Not one size fits all: 5 Maturity Levels based on information exchanged

What Makes CMMC Challenging?

It's about protecting Controlled Unclassified Information, not systems.

- Step 1 is finding and identifying the CUI that needs to be protected
- Step 2 is isolating and protecting CUI and controlling access

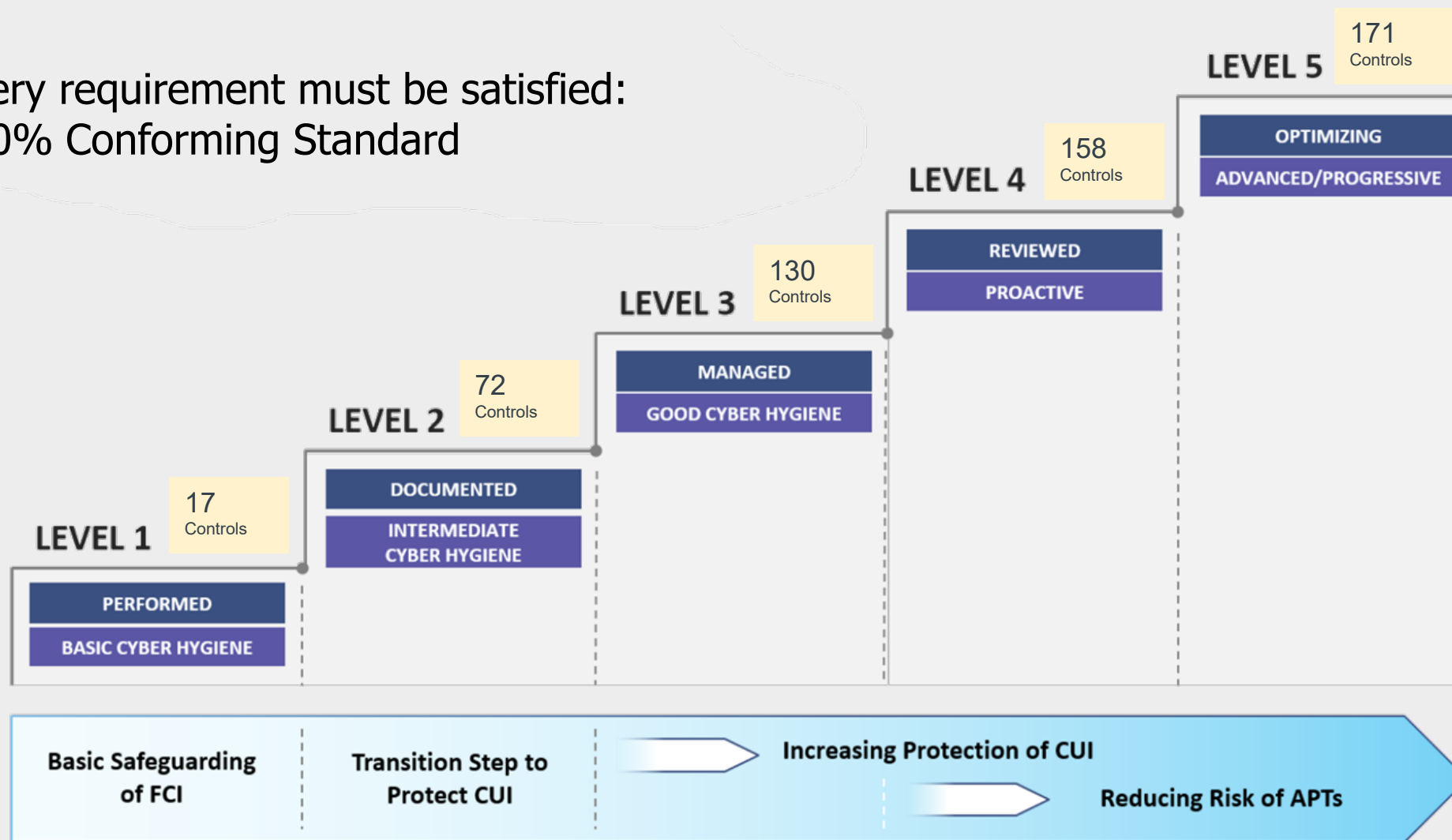
- This can be expensive.

Estimated average compliance related technology expenditure:

		One-Time	Recurring
ENT	ML3	\$166,667	\$333,333
SMB	ML3	\$58,333	\$116,667

CMMC is a 100% Conforming Standard

Every requirement must be satisfied:
100% Conforming Standard



CMMC Practices and Requirements

Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) v1.02 - People, Process & Technology (PPT) Breakdown

Access Control (AC)	Asset Management (AM)	Audit and Accountability (AA)	Awareness & Training (AT)	Configuration Management (CM)	Identification & Authentication (IA)	Incident Response (IR)	Maintenance (MA)	Media Protection (MP)	Personnel Security (PS)	Physical Protection (PE)	Recovery (RE)	Risk Management (RM)	Security Assessment (SA)	Situational Awareness (SA)	System & Communications Protection (SC)	System & Information Integrity (SI)
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AC.2.005	AM.4.226	AU.3.045	AT.2.057	CM.2.062	IA.1.077	IR.4.100	MA.2.112	MP.2.119	PS.2.128	PE.1.132	RE.2.138	RM.2.142	CA.4.163	SA.4.171	SC.2.178	SI.2.214
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Administrative (e.g., policies, standards & procedures)

Technical Configurations(e.g., security settings)

Software Solution

Hardware Solution

Software or Hardware Solution

Assigned Tasks To Cybersecurity Personnel

Assigned Tasks To IT Personnel

Assigned Tasks To Application/Asset/Process Owner

Configuration or Software Solution

Configuration or Software or Hardware or Outsourced Solution

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Every requirement must be fully Documented and supported with Objective Evidence.

CMMC Requirements are Exacting

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AC.1.001 "Limit information system access to authorized users, processes acting on behalf of authorized users, or devices (including other information systems)."

ASSESSMENT OBJECTIVE

Determine if:
AC.1.001[a] Authorized users are identified.
AC.1.001[b] Processes acting on behalf of authorized users are identified.
AC.1.001[c] Devices (and other systems) authorized to connect to the system are identified.
AC.1.001[d] System access is limited to authorized users.
AC.1.001[e] System access is limited to processes acting on behalf of authorized users.
AC.1.001[f] System access is limited to authorized devices (including other systems).



Every requirement must be:

- Satisfied
- Documented: SSP, Policy, Procedure
- Corroborated: evidence/artifacts
- Mature

Minimizing Cost, Risk, and Time

1. Engage an Advisor:

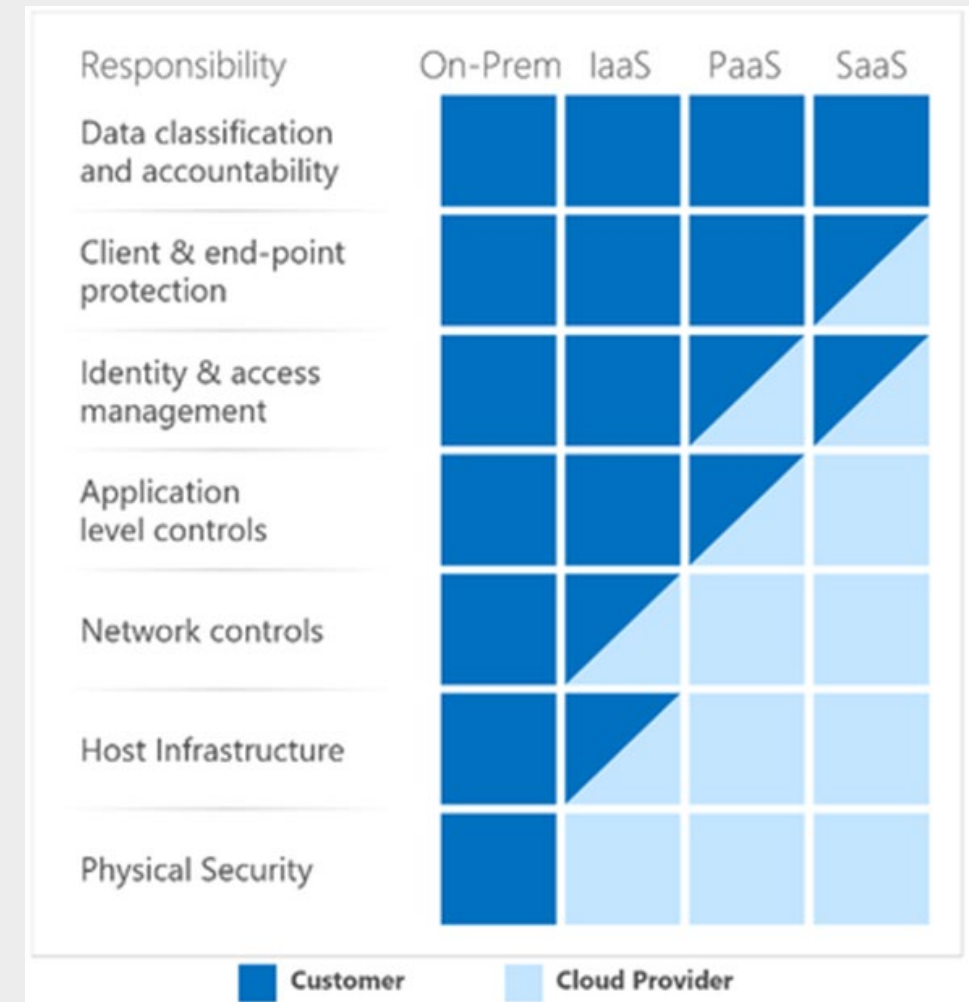
- A qualified, experienced RPO who knows the journey

2. Use an established, proven blueprint:

- A reference architecture

3. Share the responsibility:

- Leverage Cloud Services



Amazon Web Services

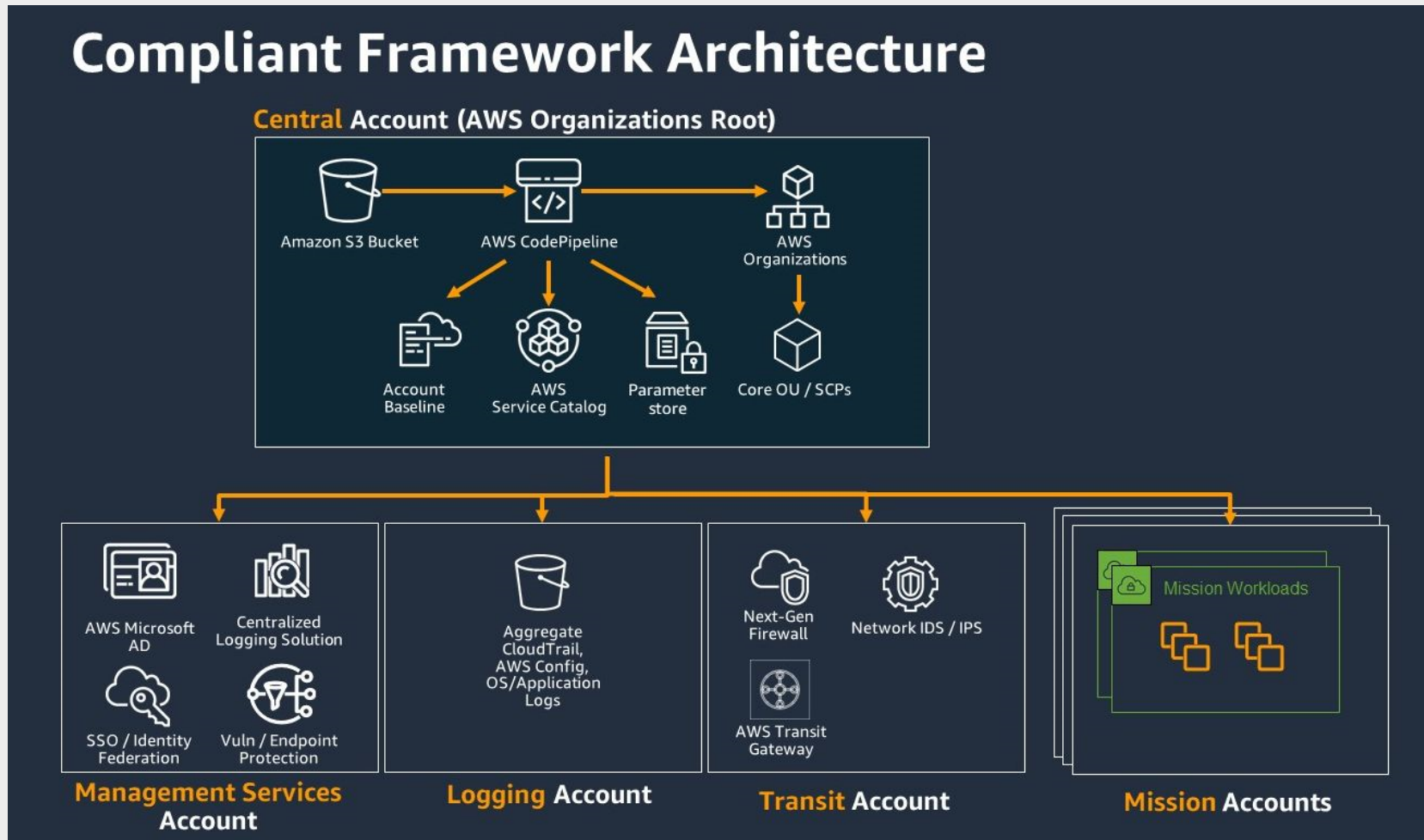


AWS GovCloud (US)

- GovCloud designed to handle ITAR ([International Traffic in Arms Regulation](#))
 - JAB Provisional Authorization at the FedRAMP High Impact level
 - Community Cloud: access controlled, US Citizens for physical and logical access to the AWS infrastructure
- Separate Isolated Credential Database
- Physically Isolated Regions East/West (Oregon & Ohio)
- 3 Availability Zones per Region
- Logical Network Isolation – all users run in VPCs
- FIPS 140-2 Validated Hardware & Cryptographic Services for VPNs and AWS Service API End Points
- Service(s) are only deployed into the Region based on customer demand

Offers the same high level of security as the other AWS Regions. Access is restricted to customers who are US Persons, not subject to export restrictions, and who comply with US export control laws and regulations, including the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR).

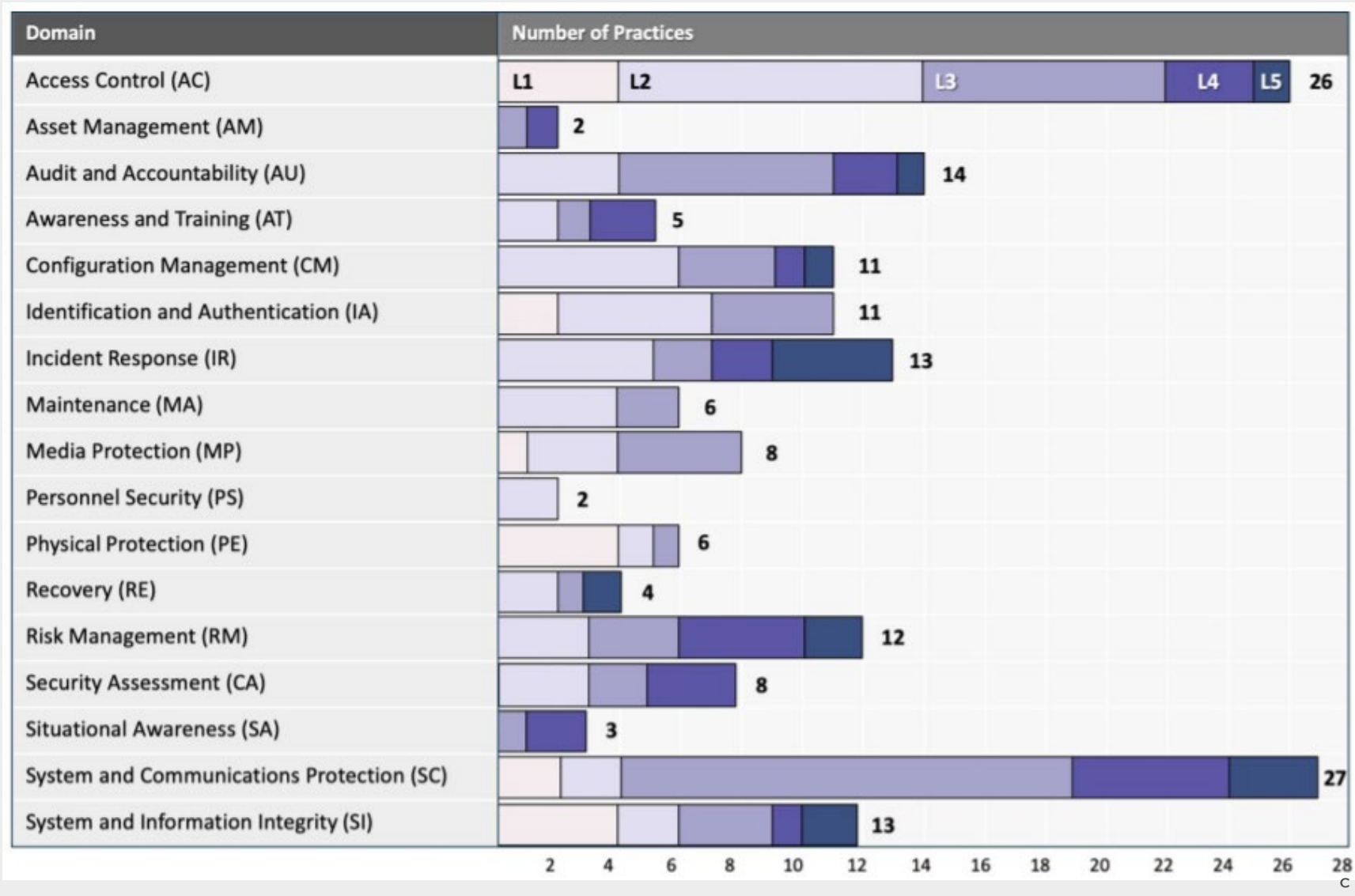
AWS Compliant Framework



AWS Compliant Framework

1. Fully automated infrastructure as code including account structure and networking
 1. Automation solutions such as [AWS CloudFormation](#) and the [AWS Cloud Development Kit \(AWS CDK\)](#)
 2. Deploys an account structure that meets CMMC requirements
2. Aggregation of AWS environment logs for security information and event management (SIEM) integration
 1. Includes a logging account to provide centralized and immutable logs
 2. Log data is collected in Amazon S3
3. Continuous auditing using AWS security services
 1. In addition to AWS CloudTrail and AWS Config additional AWS services are enabled in all accounts
4. Extensibility plug in architecture
 1. All automation inputs/outputs are stored in the [AWS Systems Manager](#) Parameter Store
 2. Allows customers to access and modify information about deployed resources
 3. Codebase that is fully available as an open source project hosted on GitHub

Inheriting CMMC Practices



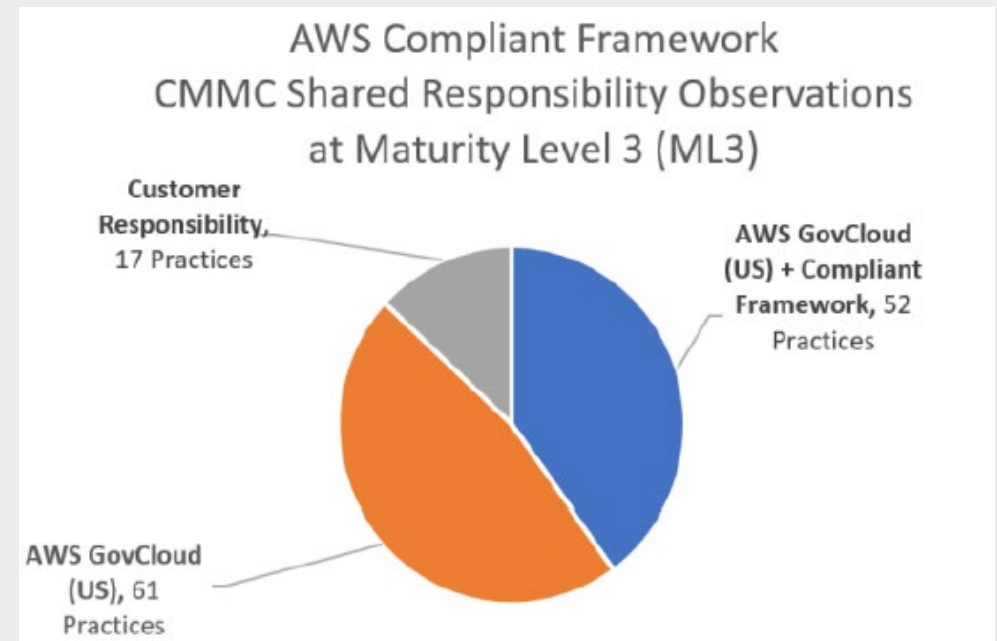
Inheriting CMMC Practices (from AWS FedRAMP pATO)

Based on a review conducted by Coalfire, there are many of the 130 CMMC Level 3 Practices that could be inherited from AWS

- 61 inherited from AWS
- 52 that are Shared between AWS and the Customer
- 17 that are fully Customer Responsibility

Details of this review is located in the AWS service Artifact under the CMMC Customer Package

NOTE – Practices can only be inherited for the organizations that run in AWS. Any system component that is external to AWS will have to be documented and tested as part of the accreditation process



Inheriting CMMC Practices (from AWS FedRAMP pATO)

Inherited CMMC Practices – Examples of practices that a customer can inherit from AWS IaaS, PaaS, and SaaS

- Maintenance (MA)
 - Hardware maintenance is the responsibility of AWS
- Media Protection (MP)
 - Media sanitization is the responsibility of AWS
- Physical Protection (PE)
 - Physical security of the data centers is the responsibility of AWS

Inheriting CMMC Practices (from AWS FedRAMP pATO)

Shared CMMC Practices – Practices that customers and AWS have responsibility for (examples)

- Patch Management
 - AWS is responsible for patching and fixing flaws within the infrastructure, but customers are responsible for patching their guest operating system (OS) and applications.
- Configuration Management
 - AWS maintains the configuration of its infrastructure devices, but a customer is responsible for configuring their own guest operating systems, databases, and applications.
- Awareness and Training
 - AWS trains AWS employees, but a customer must train their own employees.

Inheriting CMMC Practices (from AWS FedRAMP pATO)

Customer Specific CMMC Practices – Practices that are solely the responsibility of the customer
(examples)

- Service and Communications Protection or Zone Security
 - Customers may be required to route or zone data within specific security environments



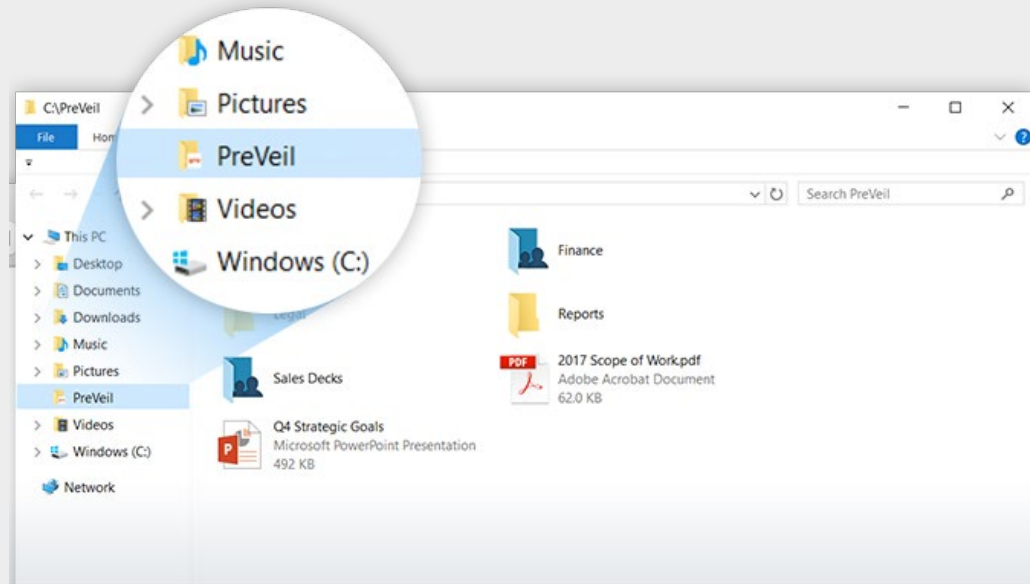
CMMC: Secure & Compliant Storing and Sharing of CUI

Simple. Secure. Inexpensive. Compliant.

PreVeil Encrypted Email & Document Collaboration

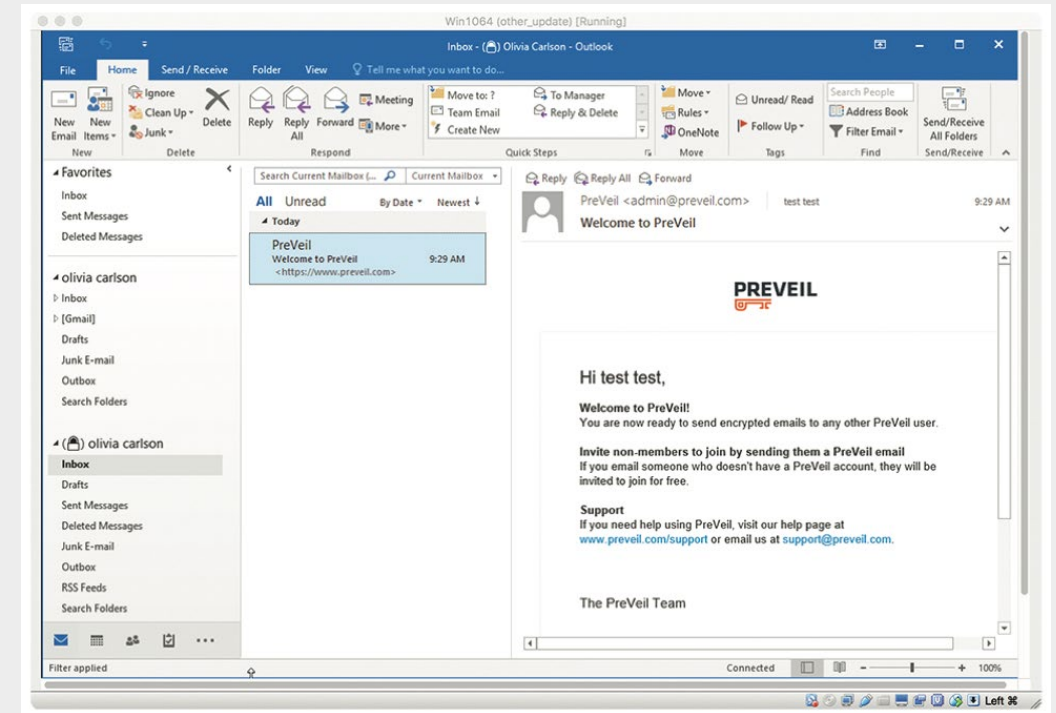
PreVeil Drive & Mail

Document Collaboration



Integrated with file system (File Explorer/Mac Finder)

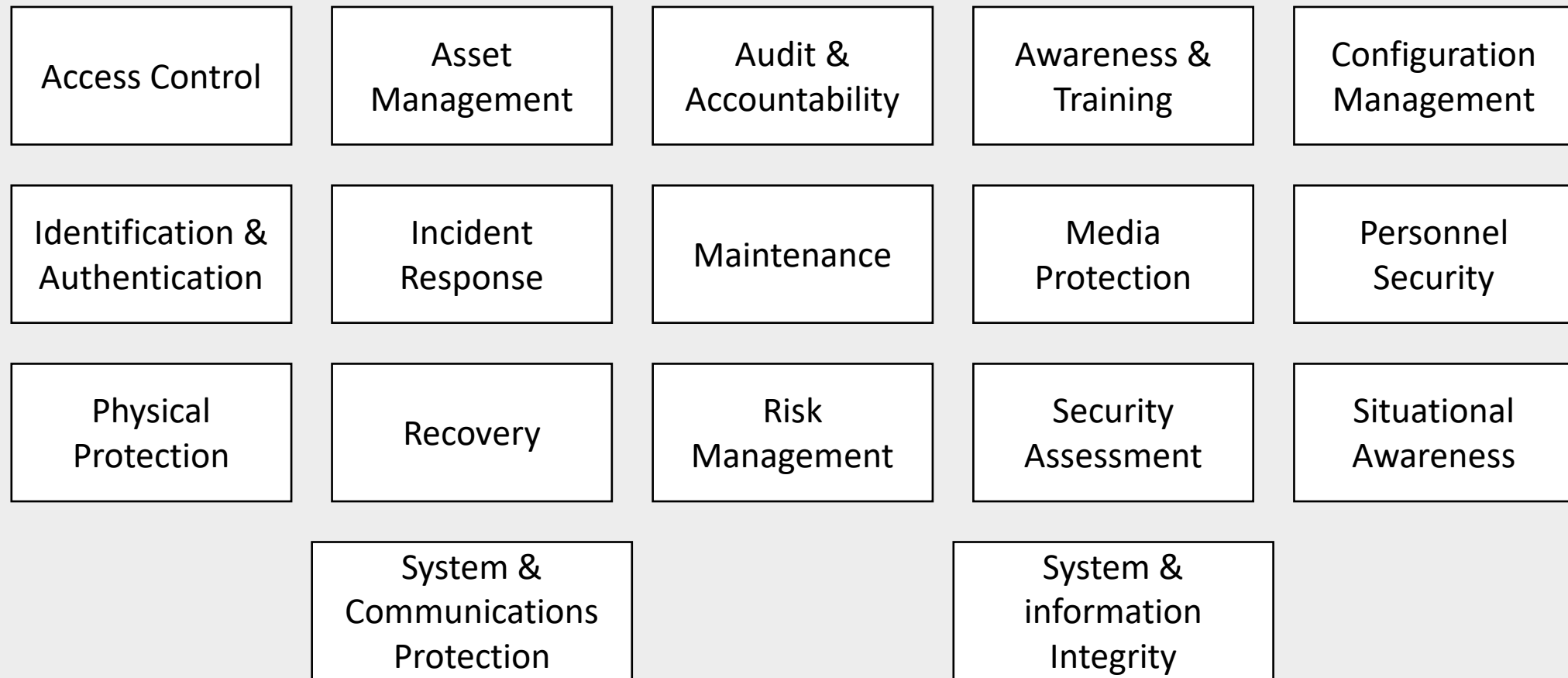
Encrypted Messaging



Works with Outlook & GMail

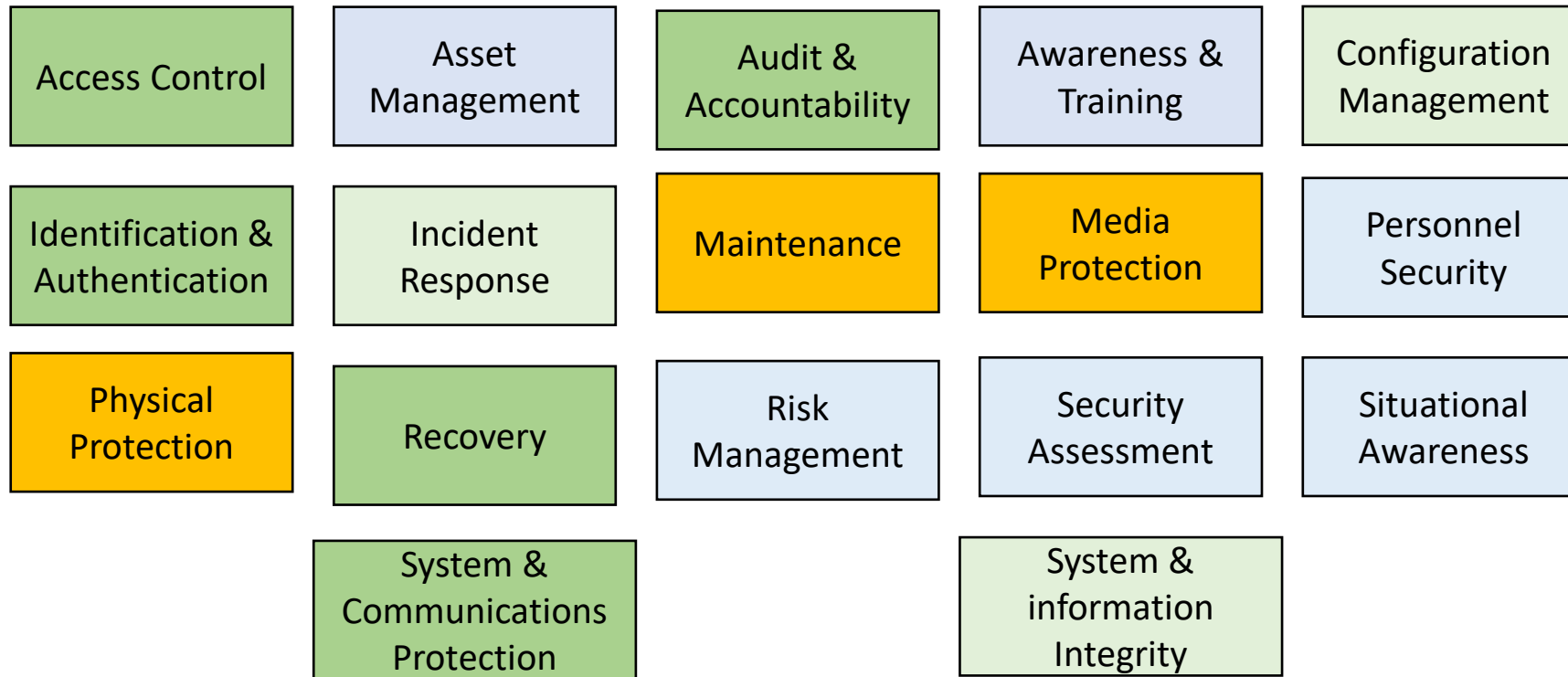
PreVeil for Simplified CMMC Compliance

17 CMMC Domains / 130 Cyber Practices



PreVeil + Policies + AWS => CMMC Compliance

The 17 CMMC Domains



AWS

Mostly PreVeil

Shared PreVeil & Policies

Mostly Policies & Processes Outside of PreVeil



PreVeil Compliance Basics

FedRAMP Baseline Moderate Equivalent

All PreVeil Data is Stored on AWS Gov Cloud FedRAMP High

FIPS 140-2 Validated Encryption

DFARS 7012 c-g compliant

Supports ITAR and NIST 800-171 Compliance

PreVeil Compliance Documentation

PreVeil CMMC Documentation for SSP

Simplifying Compliance

Provides a strong foundation for CMMC SSP and Policy Documents

200+ Pages

Created by 3rd Party CMMC Compliance Experts

Still needs a strong CMMC advisor

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13. Controls

ACCESS CONTROL

1.1. Account Management AC.1.001

Limit information system access to authorized users, processes acting on behalf of authorized users, or devices (including other information systems)

AC.1.001	Control Status
Implementation Status:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Implemented	
<input type="checkbox"/> Partially Implemented	
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Implemented	
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable	
Organizational Control:	
<input type="checkbox"/> On-site	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cloud Computing Service Provider	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hybrid (On-site and Cloud based)	
Referenced Policy:	
[company] Access Control	

AC.1.001 Control Summary

This control has technical implementation. [company] has developed privileged and non-privileged account usage within the PreVeil environment.

AC.1.001 Sample Control Summary

[company] requires the organizations utilizing the software identify all devices that are connected to the system. The company has limited access to

[company] Sensitive and Proprietary

1. About this Document

The System Security Plan (SSP) is designed to provide an overview of the security requirements of the system and describe the controls in place or planned for meeting those requirements. The SSP also defines responsibilities and expected behavior of all individuals who access the system.

PreVeil is a Software as a Service. This SSP provides guidance for companies that have purchased the SaaS and identifies expected compliance standards to reach Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) Level 3. Companies using PreVeil as part of their CMMC compliance programs are responsible to ensure their program meets the requirements applicable for their company and environment.

This document and its accuracy are critical for system certification activity. For this reason, this SSP will be reviewed and updated, as necessary, at least annually. Documentation of each review and change made to the SSP will be captured in the Version History beginning on page II of this document. Items that should be included in the review are:

- Change in system architecture
- Change in system status
- Additional/deletions of system interconnections
- Change in system scope
- Change in certification and accreditation status

2. Information System Name – [company]

The [company] software is comprised of one overarching system and does not contain any additional systems or major applications. This SSP provides an overview of the security requirements for PreVeil and describes the controls in place to provide a level of security appropriate for the information to be transmitted, processed, or stored within the infrastructure. Information security is an asset vital to our critical infrastructure and its effective performance and protection is a key component of our organization. Proper management of information technology systems is essential to ensure the confidentiality, integrity and availability of the data transmitted, processed, or stored by the [company] information system.

The security safeguards implemented by [company] meet the policy and control requirements set forth in this SSP. This system is subject to consistent monitoring with applicable laws, regulations, organizational policies, procedures, and practices.

3. Information System Owner

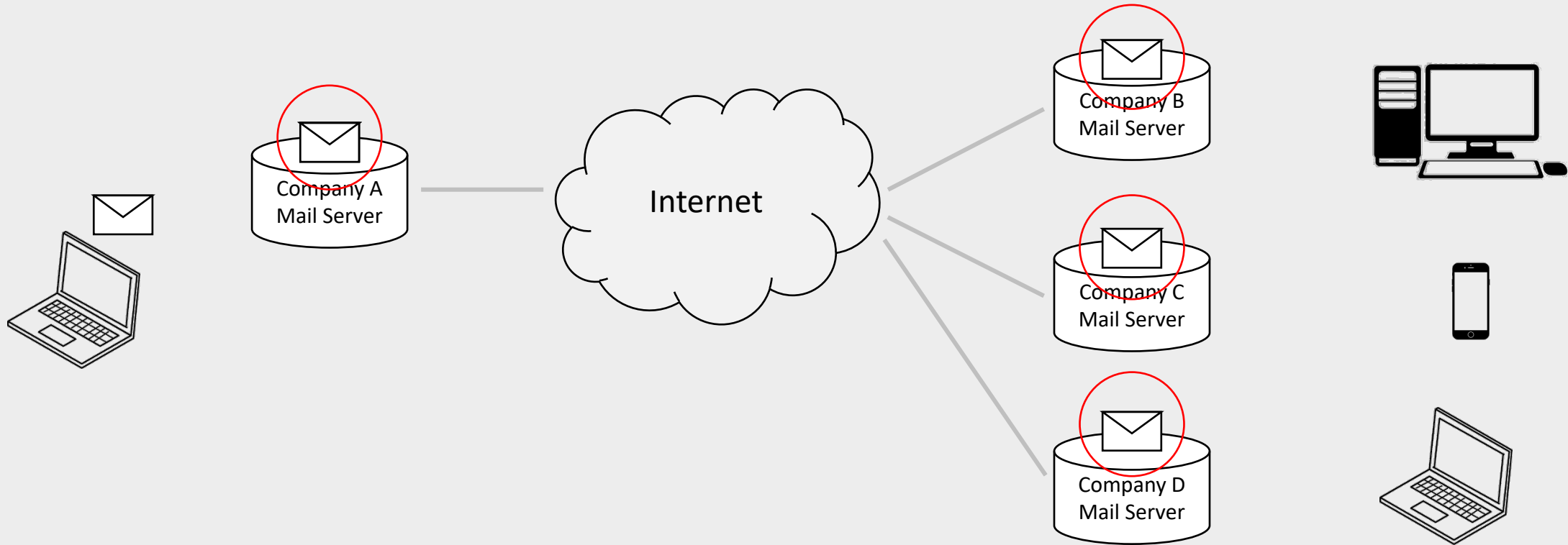
The following individual is identified as the system owner or functional proponent/advocate for the system.

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Zero Trust Data Security for CUI



CUI on Traditional Mail Servers



In Traditional Systems, like GCC High, O365, GSuite the Server can see Unencrypted data
So can the attacker

End-to-end Encryption



 National Security Agency | Cybersecurity Information

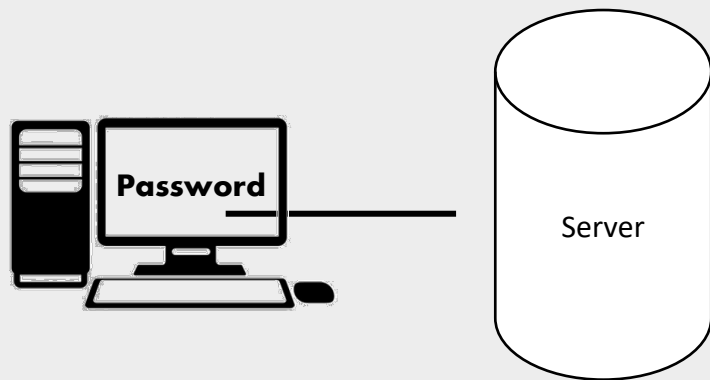
Selecting and Safely Using Collaboration Services for Telework

1. Does the service implement end-to-end encryption?

End-to-end (E2E) encryption means that content (text, voice, video, data, etc.) is encrypted all the way from sender to recipient(s) without being intelligible to servers or other services along the way. Some apps further support encryption while data is at rest, both on endpoints (e.g. your mobile device or workstation) and while residing on remote storage (e.g. servers, cloud storage). Only the originator of the message and the intended recipients should be able to see the unencrypted content. Strong end-to-end encryption is dependent on keys being distributed carefully. Some services such as large-scale group video chat are not designed with end-to-end encryption for performance reasons.

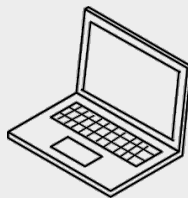
Eliminate Password Vulnerabilities with Keys

Traditional System



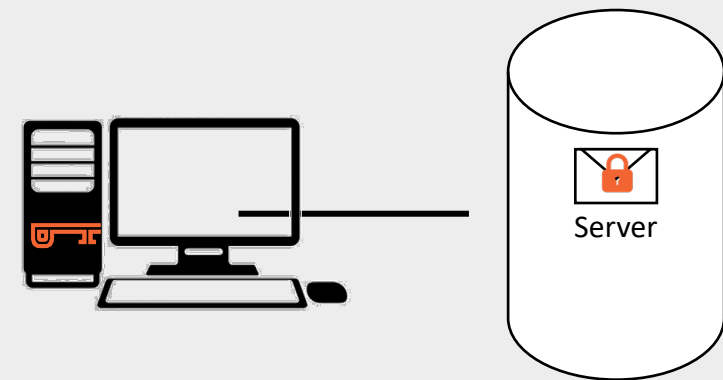
Attacker obtaining
password can log in
remotely

Password



Attacker

PreVeil



Unguessable Key stored on
device required for decryption
and user authentication

Attacker can not log in remotely

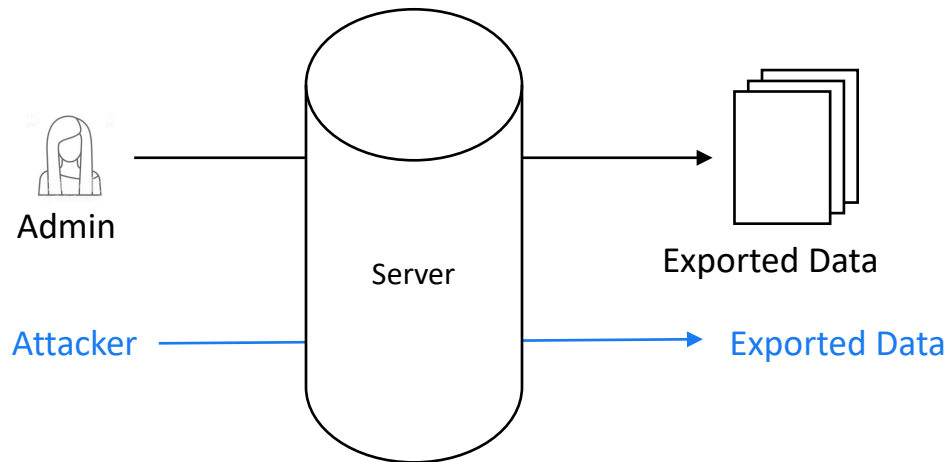
Reduce Administrative Vulnerabilities

Traditional System

Any admin can perform sensitive operations:

- Reset passwords
- Export data
- Delete users

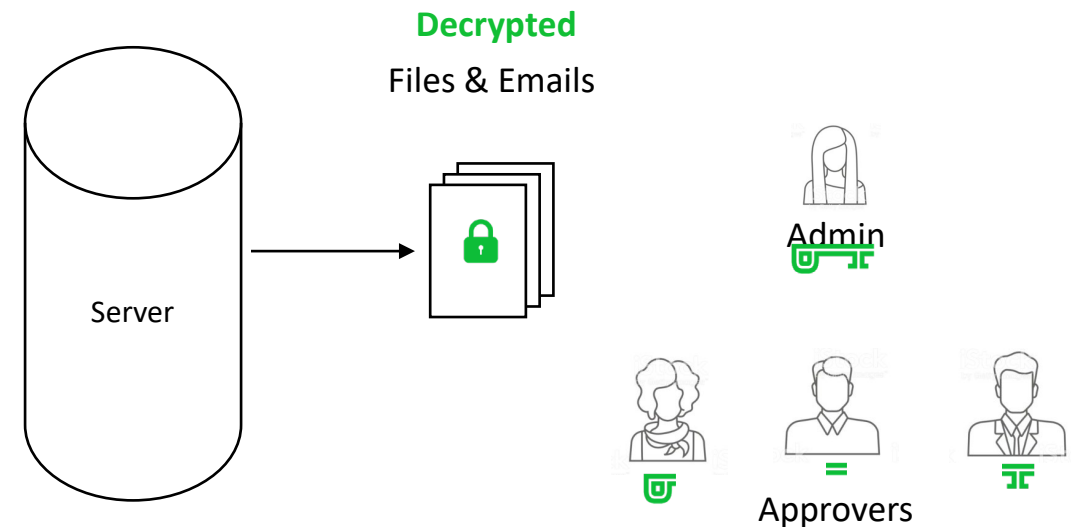
And so can an attacker



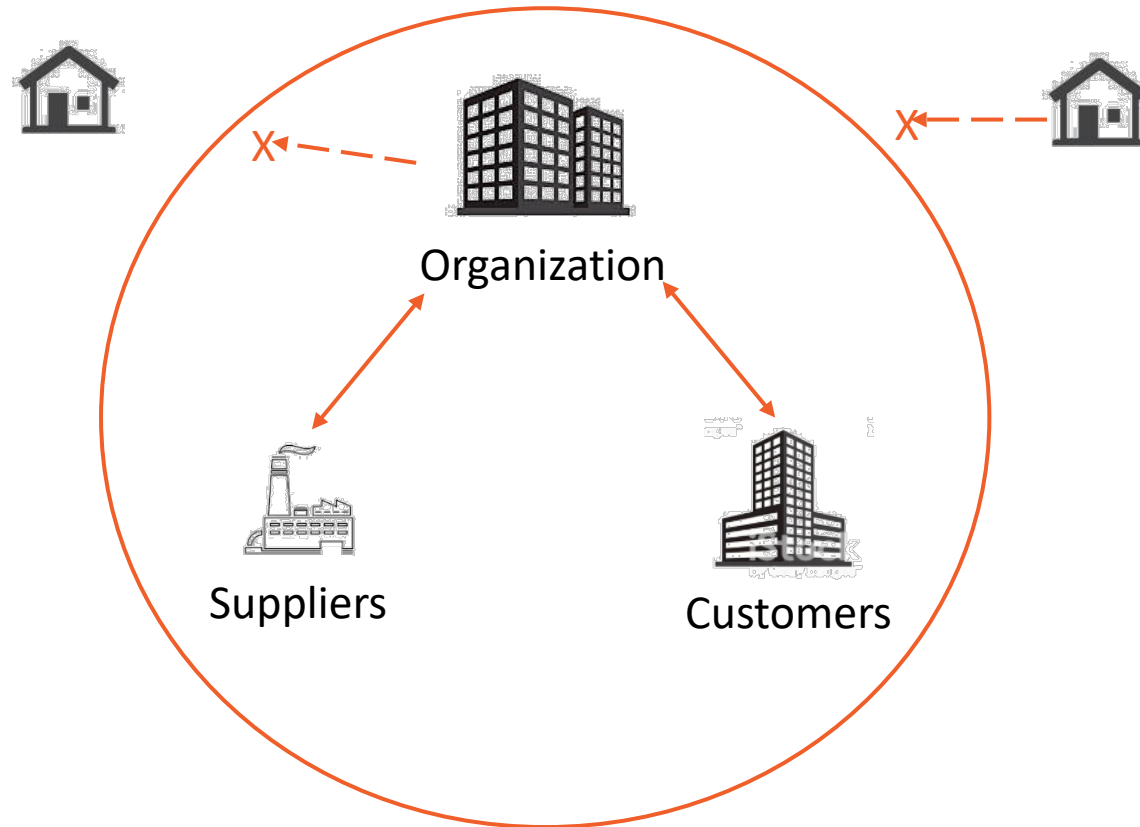
PreVeil

Admins can perform sensitive functions only with after being authorized by an “approval group.”

Example — Exporting Data:



Restrict CUI Access to Trusted Communities



Simple to Deploy and Use

Leverages power of AWS GovCloud (US)

Retain your O365 and GSuite

Simple, Quick Deployment

- No Rip and Replace
- No Changes to Existing

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