

# Database Activity Monitoring

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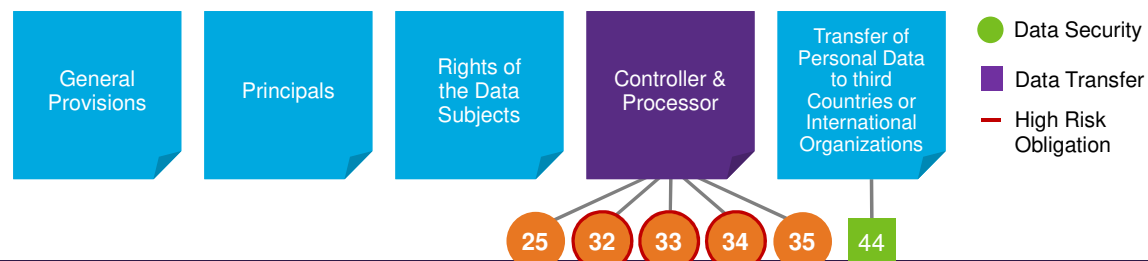
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How we can help?

GDPR

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## GDPR is Expansive



## GDPR Chapters and Key Articles for Imperva



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## GDPR Support by Article

Article Requirement	25 □ Data minimization □ User access limits	32 □ Pseudonymisation, anonymization □ On-going protection, □ Testing & verification	33/34 □ 72 hour data breach notification	35 □ Data protection impact assessment	44 □ Data transfers to third country or international organization
Products	Camouflage SecureSphere	Camouflage SecureSphere	SecureSphere Counterbreach	Camouflage SecureSphere	SecureSphere
Imperva Value	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Data masking</li> <li>✓ User rights mgmt</li> <li>✓ Privileged user monitoring</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Data masking</li> <li>✓ Sensitive data audit</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Breach Detection</li> <li>✓ Data activity monitoring</li> <li>✓ Real-time analysis and reporting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Data discovery</li> <li>✓ Classification</li> <li>✓ Assessment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Data across borders policy enforcement</li> </ul>

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Do you know where your data is? And what it is?

## Discovery and Classification

### Where is Your Sensitive Data?

Can you find all your sensitive data on the network?

- Network segments
- Specific IPs
- Specific ports
- Specific OSs
- **Rogue servers?**

Can you find it in the database?  
How granular can you go?

- DB / schema instance
- Table
- Column
- Synonym / view
- **Does it move?**

## How Do You Know Where Data Is?

How do you know today?

- Direct knowledge
- Trust business owner
- Trust DBA
- Scan with 3<sup>rd</sup> party tool
- Team Discovery project

How do you know when it changes?

- Direct knowledge
- Email / phone call?
- Manual 3<sup>rd</sup> party tool?
- Automatic 3<sup>rd</sup> party tool?
- Track external change controls?
- You don't...?

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## Server / Database Discovery Scan

The screenshot shows the 'Services' configuration window in Imperva SecureSphere. It includes tabs for Services, Credentials, Scheduling, and History. The main configuration area has several sections:

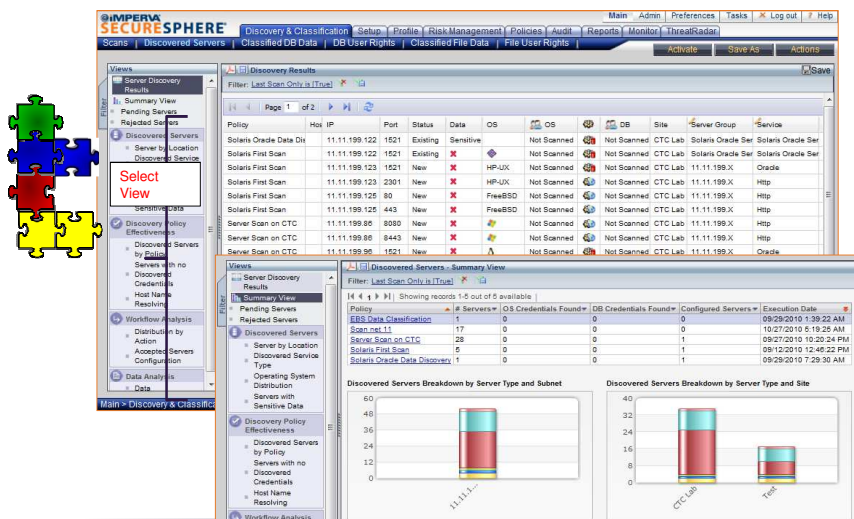
- Service Configuration:**
  - Radio buttons: ☐ Automatically add discovered services to SecureSphere configuration; ☒ Allow me to manually review discovered services before updating.
  - IP Configuration:**
    - ☐ Scan existing Server Groups for new services
    - ☒ Scan IP Groups
    - IP Groups: A list with 'my' and a '+' icon.
  - Service Types:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HTTP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HTTPS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oracle	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MS-SQL
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sybase	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DB2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Informix	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MySQL
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sysbase IQ	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PostgreSQL
- Advanced Configuration:**
  - ☒ Resolve hostnames
  - ☒ Resolve operating system and database versions
  - ☐ Use enhanced scanning
  - Discovery Timeout: 100 (milliseconds)
- Ports Configuration:**
  - Global port list: Recommended for Service Discovery
  - From: 1000 To: 5000
- New Entities Configuration:**
  - Accepted services will be created as:
  - Site: Default Site
  - Server Group naming template: \$SITE\_\$HOST\_NAME
  - Service naming template: \$SITE\_\$HOST\_NAME\_\$SERVICE\_TYPE

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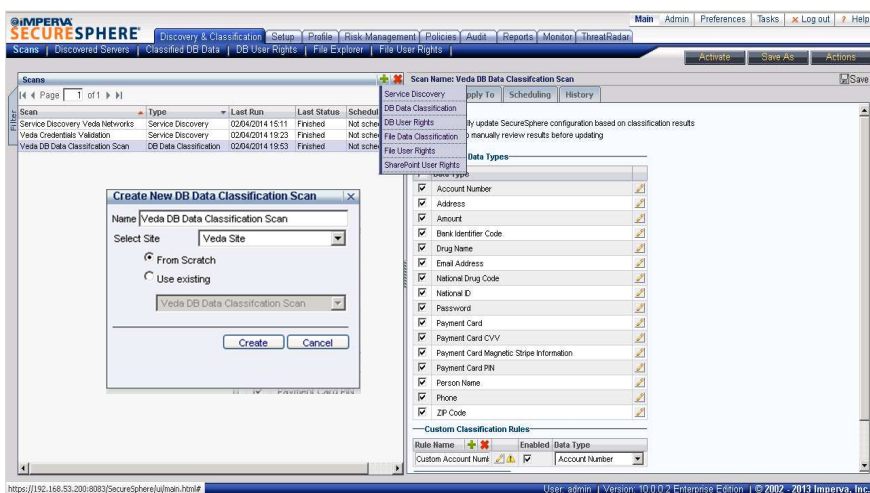
## Discovered Server Results



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## DB Data Classification Scan



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## Configuring Custom Classification Rules

**Custom Classification Rules**

Rule Name	Enabled	Data Type
Custom Account Num	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Account Number

Create New Data Type

**Custom Patterns**

☒ Custom Name Based Patterns

When enabled, at least one pattern must match the database value. Insert the table and/or column names that should be matched. The names should be given in the format they appear in the database, and could be full names or a subset of the name. For example, when searching for data in the tables "electronic cards" and "credit cards" the rule should contain the name "card" and both tables would be matched.

Table Name Contains	Column Name Contains	Minimal Length	Type
Acct_no	Acct_no	13	Number or Char

☐ Custom Content Based Patterns

When enabled, at least one pattern must match the database value. Define a regular expression that would be run against the database table's content. For example, when trying to check if the content represents monetary figures, the following regular expression could be used: `*$([0-9]+[.0-9]{3}){1}([0-9]{2}){1}$`

Regular Expression:   
No data found

Save Cancel

**Configure Data Type**

Globals Tree

- Data Type List
  - Account Number
  - Address
  - Amount
  - Bank Identifier Code
  - Drug Name
  - Email Address
  - National Drug Code
  - National ID

Data Type: Account Number

General DB Data Classification File Data Classification

Target Table Group Name: `$SITE - $SERVERGROUP_NAME - $SERVICE_NAME - $DATA_TYPE`

**DB Classification Rules**

Rule Name	Account Number - Table and Column Name	Enabled
Account Number - Table and Column Name	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Account Number - Column Name	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
International IBAN Bank Account Number (IBAN) - Column Name	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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## DB Data Classification Advanced Configuration

Advanced Configuration

☒ Scan Views and Synonyms

☐ Save Sample Data

Data Sample Accuracy: 0.75 (values should be between 0-1)

**Databases & Schemas**

☒ Exclude ☐ Include

Database: No data found

☐ Scan System Schemas

**Excluded Tables & Columns**

Table	Column
data_table	falsepositive_column
falsepositive_table	

**Throttle Settings**

Delay Between Queries: 0 (milliseconds)

Number of Concurrent Database Connections: 2

Views & Synonyms

Save Sample - Troubleshooting

% Threshold

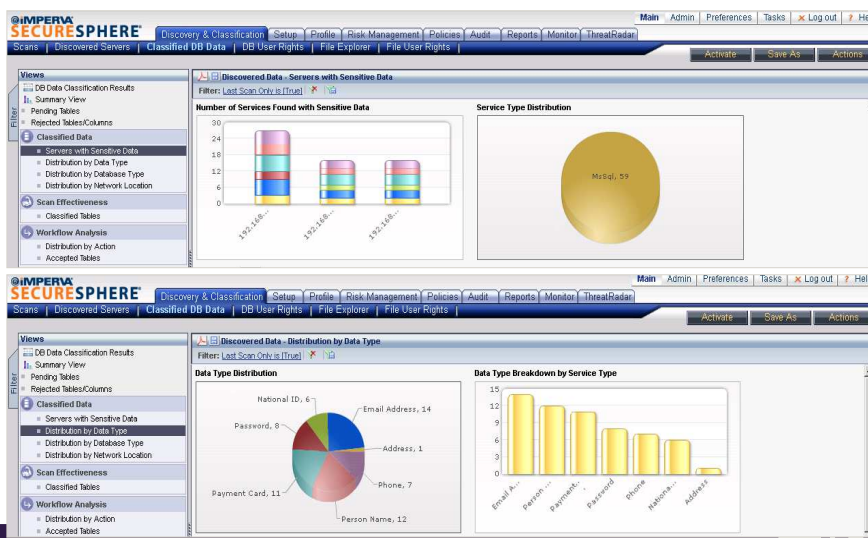
Exclude / Include Filters

Throttle Settings

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## Data Classification Results



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Who has access to your data? And How?

## User Rights Management

## Use Case 1: Periodic Role Grant Review

- **Mandate:**
  - Must review all rights
  - Scheduled & repeatable process
  - Ability to audit the effectiveness
- **Challenges:**
  - Manual reviews are a resource drain & must be repeated periodically
  - Separation of Duties
- **Solution:**
  - Automate key elements
  - Focus on changes made since last review



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## Use Case 2: Finding Excessive Rights

- **Mandate:**
  - Identify user rights problems
  - Independent review
    - Do not rely on DBA or business owner
    - Auditor, consultant, information security team
  - Look for:
    - Excessive rights
    - Separation of duties violations
    - Dormant users
- **Solution:**
  - Use information from Data Discovery & Auditing (Sensitive)
  - Provide powerful cross-indexed filtering



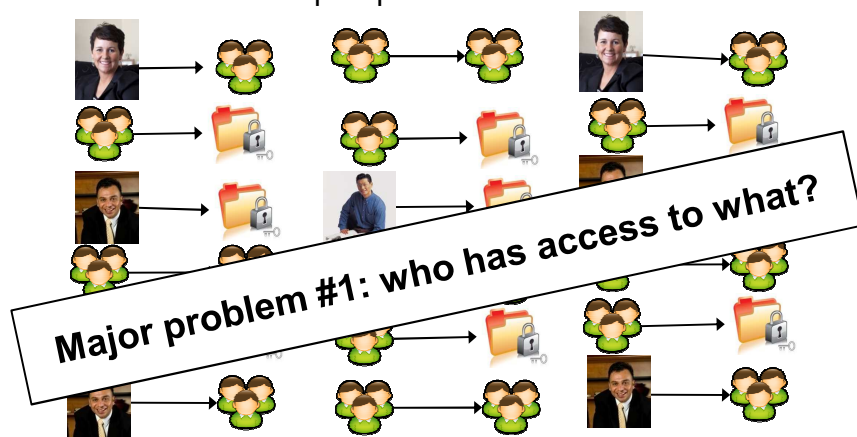
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## Scope of the Problem #1

From the database perspective:

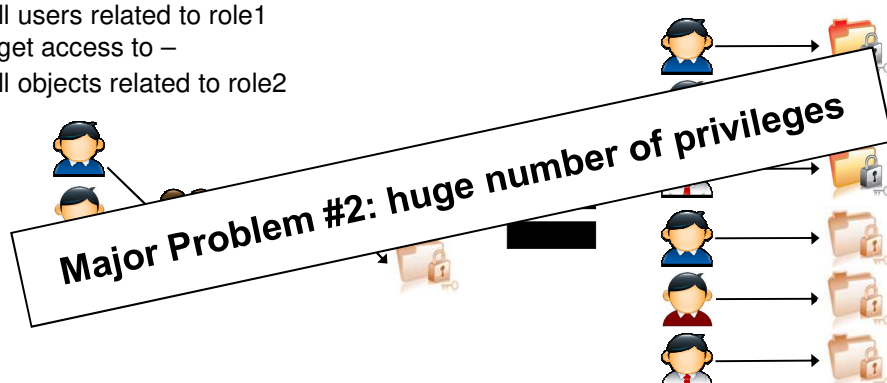


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## Scope of the problem #2

- When assigning role1 to role2:
  - All users related to role1
  - get access to —
  - All objects related to role2

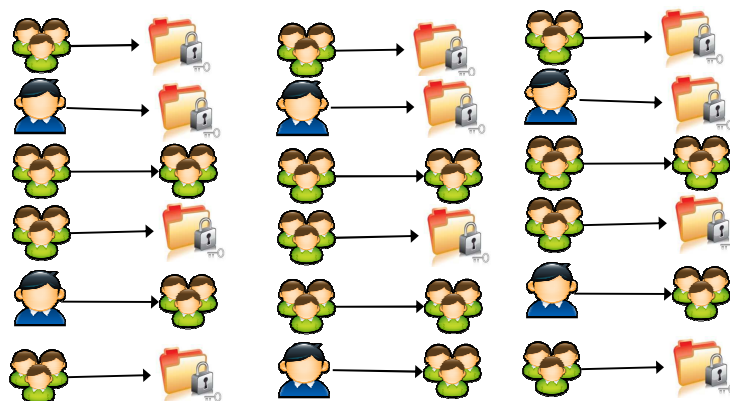


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## URM Automation: Step 1

### 1. Retrieve all User Rights data ("grants")

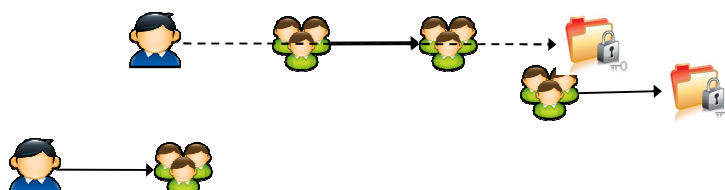


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## URM Automation: Step 2

1. Retrieve all User Rights data ("grants")
2. Build privilege chains ("effective rights")



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## URM Automation: Step 3

1. Retrieve all User Rights data ("grants")
2. Build privilege chains ("effective rights")
3. Add enrichment information:
  1. Last login, last access, sensitive data types etc.



**Last  
Login:  
03/23/2014**

**Last  
Access:  
01/31/2014**



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## Viewing Role Grants and Permission Grants



**vedadb - Role Grants Raw Data**

Filter: Role Management: Status is not [Unmanaged] and Granted DB Label is [das\_db]

Status	Grantee Name	DB Name (Granted)	Grantee Type	Granted Priv.	Granted Type	Modified at
Reject	mike martin	das_db	DB user	readcustomerdata	Role	2010-07-18
In Review	mmartin	das_db	Account	mike martin	DB user	2010-07-18

**vedadb - Permission Grants Raw Data**

Filter: Permission Management: Status is not [Unmanaged]

Status	Grantee Name	Grantee Type	Priv. Type	Object Name	Schema Name	DB Name	Obj. Type	Sensitive Obj.	Modified at
Approved	readcustomerdata	Role	SELECT	das_creditcards	dbo	das_db	Table	Unidentified	2010-07-18

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## Use Case 2: Finding Excessive Rights

**Scope**  
Policy: vedadb  
DB Connection: Veda Site\_vedadb\_MsSql - sa@192.168.53

**Effective Rights** ←

**Role Grants**

**Permission Grants**

**Views**  
★ **Bad Practices** ←

- Dormant Users who are not Locked
- Users with Direct Object Access
- Data Granted to Public
- System Privileges assigned to non-DBA
- **Users with Grant Privileges**

**vedadb - Users with Grant Privileges**  
Filter: Privilege Type is not [CONNECT] and "With Grant" Privilege is [True]

Additional Filter: "With Grant" Privilege is [True]

Showing records 1-14 out of 14 available

Account Name	DBA (Account)
ahughey	Normal User
bchitty	Normal User
builtinadministrators	DBA
builtinusers	Normal User
carove	Normal User
cjohnson	Normal User
mmartin	Normal User
nt authority\system	DBA
sa	DBA
snagdev	Normal User
tray	Normal User
veda_app	DBA
vedadb2010\sqlserver2005mssqluser\$vedadb2010\$sqlcxpress	DBA
whannig	Normal User

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How to remove databases from GDPR scope

Minimization / Masking

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## Data Masking Eliminates Risk

1. Realistic fictional data maintains operational and statistical accuracy
2. Sensitive data is permanently removed
3. Security and compliance overhead are reduced

### BEFORE

Name	SSN	Salary
Smith	123-21-9812	77,000
Patel	992-43-3421	83,500

### AFTER

Name	SSN	Salary
Young	531-51-5279	79,250
Lopez	397-70-0493	81,250

## Maintain Operational and Statistical Accuracy

emp_id	username	SSN	Sex
0011	smithr	123-21-9812	M
0223	patels	992-43-3421	F

emp_id	name	SSN	Salary
2012	Young	531-51-5279	79,250
2312	Lopez	397-70-0493	81,250

emp_id	first_name	last_name	Sex
2012	Doug	Young	M
2312	Karen	Lopez	F

- Data elements identified by shared keys masked to the same value
  - Database level: Cascade feature
  - Application level: Related fields feature
- Consistent data value masking
  - Across different databases and environments
  - Over time

## Reduced Risk Profile, Improved Compliance

### Without Imperva data masking

- + 25 Critical databases
- + 200 Supporting databases
- + 50 Databases for testing
- + 15 BI & analysis systems
- 285 databases
- Dozens of databases with no “need” for production data.
- Hundreds of users with unnecessary access to sensitive data
- Excessive risk of data loss

### With Imperva data masking

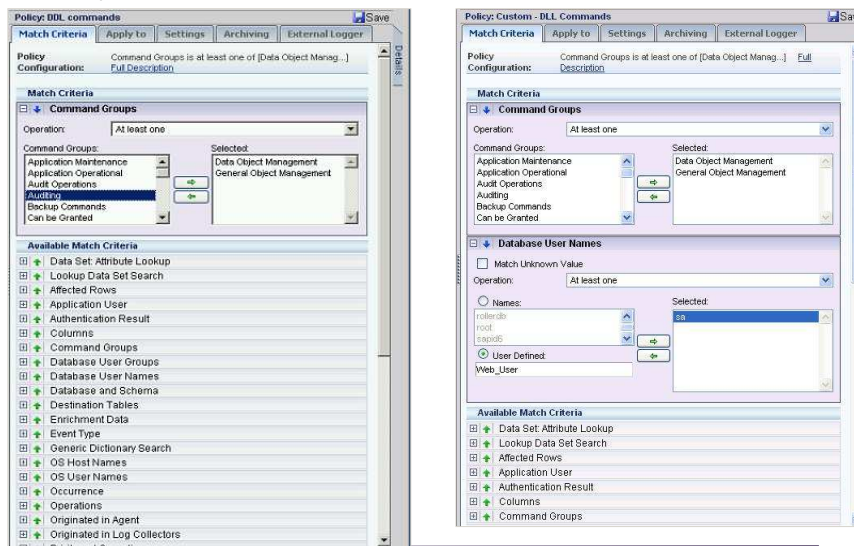
- 40 Supporting databases
- 50 Databases for testing
- 10 BI & analysis systems
- 100 fewer databases containing sensitive data
- Reduced sensitive data access
- Reduced risk of data loss
- Separation of duties
- Automated compliance reporting

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Record what you need, but stay vigilant to security issues

## Audit and Security

## Audit Policy Structure



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## Sensitive Data Discovery populates Create Table Groups

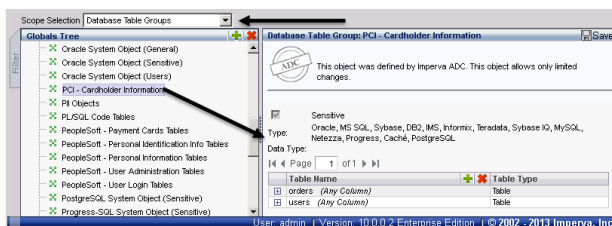
DB Data Classification Results

Filter: Last Scan Only is (True) and Scan Name is (Test DB Data Classif...)

Policy	DB	Schema	Table	Table Type	Table Status	Site	Server Group
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	employees	Table	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	employees	Table	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	locations	Table	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	employees	Table	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	locations	Table	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	emp_detail...	View	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	HR	emp_detail...	View	New	Guy	SuperVED...
Test DB Da...	xe	FLAWS_02...	www_flow...	View	New	Guy	SuperVED...
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Data Category	Table Group	Action
Personal Details	Solaris Oracle Service_Personal Details	Accepted By User
Personal Details	OracleOnWindows Service_Personal Details	Accepted By User

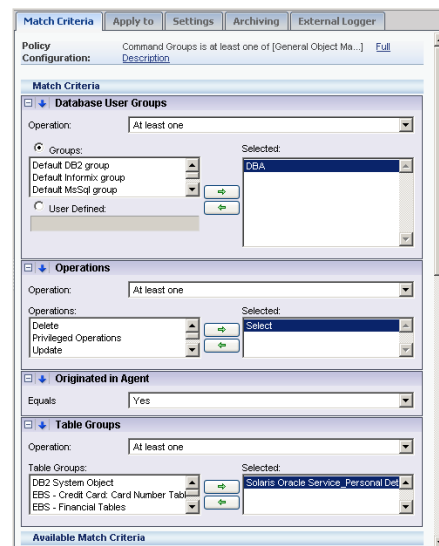


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## Table Group Used in Policy

- Audit if...
  - A user from **DBA** group...
  - **Selects** information from...
  - Tables defined as sensitive in the **Solaris Oracle Service\_Personal Details** group...
  - ...while logged in **local** to the database server.
- Data captured would include:
  - Audit all event details
  - Audit response data
    - So you can inform the affected person?
    - So you know the extent of the breach

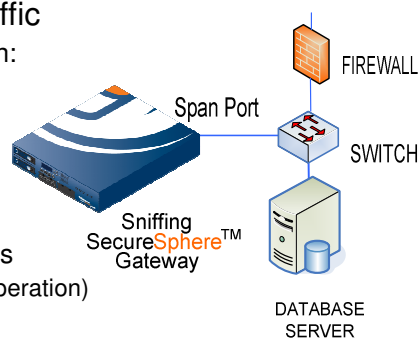


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## Behavioristic Profiling for Database Applications

- Builds a profile on database traffic
  - Gathers database user information:
    - Source IP addresses
    - Source applications
    - Source OS hosts
    - OS user name
    - Successful queries
  - Gathers queries into Query Groups
    - A Query Group = (Target Table, Operation)
    - Example (Users, Select)
    - Groups characterize the user's rights
    - Alert per-query or per-query group violation
    - Nested queries are documented



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## Database Profiling – Detecting changes in behaviour

Policy name: SQL Profile Policy Save

Policy Rules Apply To Advanced

Name	Enabled	Severity	Action	Followed Action
Access to a black-listed table	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Attempt to Execute Privileged Operation	<input type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Time of Day Violation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Unauthorized Database User	<input type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Unauthorized Database and Schema	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Unauthorized Host	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Unauthorized OS User	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Unauthorized Query	<input type="checkbox"/>	Low	None	
Unauthorized Query Group	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Unauthorized Sensitive Query	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Unauthorized Sensitive Query Group	<input type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Unauthorized Sensitive Table	<input type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Unauthorized Source Application	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	High	None	
Unauthorized Source IP Address	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Unauthorized Table/Operation Access	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medium	None	
Untraceable Database User	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Informative	None	

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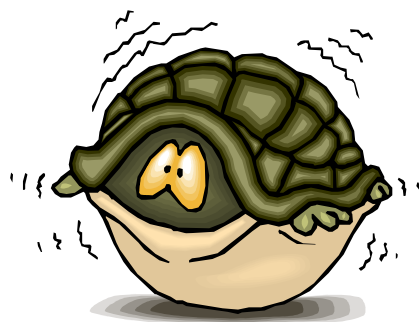
## What about Security? Blocking SQL Transactions?

- Database security - perceptions:

- Dangerous to connectivity
- Change control nightmare
- Not yet “required” by regulations
- I might get fired if I do it wrong
- I would if business owners would let me
- ...



- Excuses, excuses, excuses... We have heard them all.
  - ...and we listened!



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## Blocking Tools

- SecureSphere gives you the tools to be confident in blocking
- Architecture
  - Fail-open inline bridge mode
  - Sniffing with blocking interface configured
  - Blocking on the web application side
  - Agent-based blocking abilities
- Mode
  - Simulation / Active
- Policy granularity
  - Custom Correlation Policies
  - Profiling



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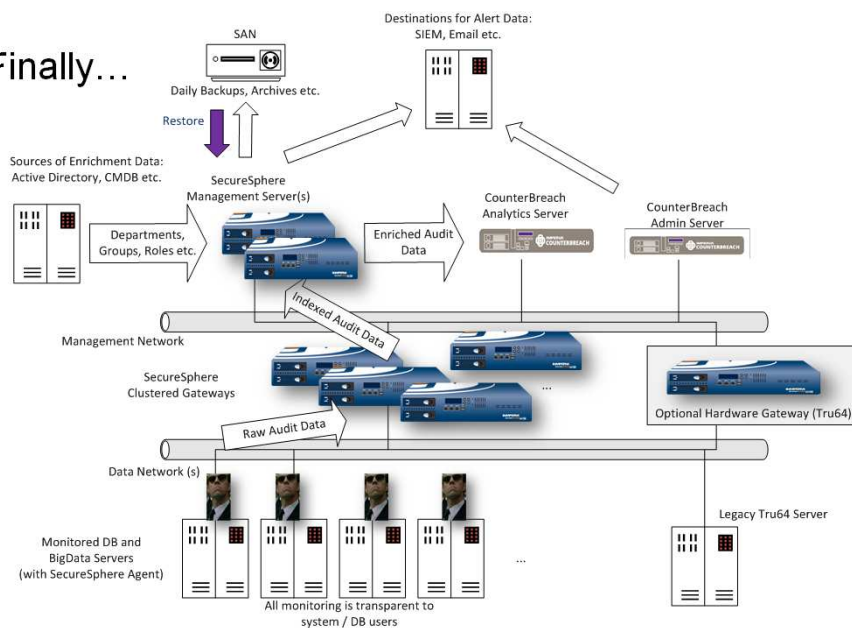
## Imperva Understands Reality

- If you cannot use database security blocking initially, leave it off until you can:
  - Security policies do not have to block – use for notifications
  - Leave in Simulation mode
  - Use sniffing without a blocking interface configured
- However, significant benefits
  - Web/DB correlation: audit web user and original source info
  - Block/quarantine web application user when abusing application
  - Prevent unauthorized database access by profile or custom policies
  - Prevent catastrophic events – SQL injection to “drop database”
  - Ability to focus only on the obviously “bad” events
  - Also able to aggressively secure very sensitive environments

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## And Finally...



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