

# Frustrate Attackers, Not Users: Zero Trust for the Multi-Environment IT

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## The old security model no longer works



Businesses competing as ecosystems



Everyone is an insider



Hybrid work is here to stay



## A modern approach is needed



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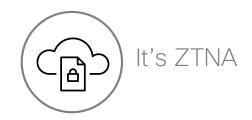
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#### **Zero Trust**

## **Security Resilience**

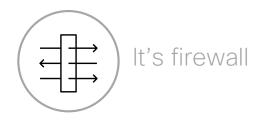


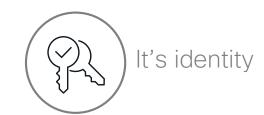






# Zero Trust means different things to different people







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## Zero Trust Principles

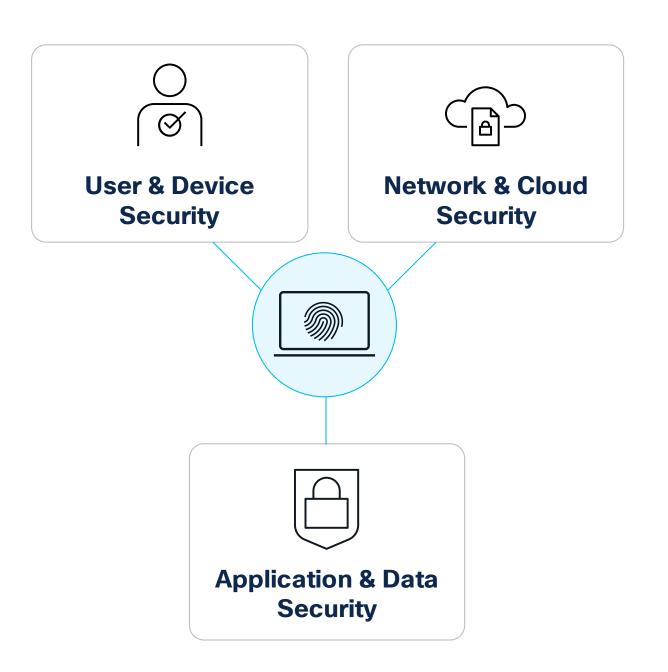
- 1 Never assume trust
- 2 Always verify
- 3 Enforce least privilege





# Cisco's recommended Zero Trust strategy

Embed Zero Trust across the fabric of multi-environment IT to protect the integrity of business by securing access in a way that frustrates attackers, not users.





## Today's trade-off is holding back Zero Trust

Security vs. productivity

#### High **Productivity**

Creates risk exposure (no constraints on the users)

#### **Strong Security**

Drags down execution (users bogged down by access requirements)

**Greater Business Security** 



**Productivity** 

**Greater User** 

## Eliminate the trade-off

Frustrate attackers, not users



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#### High **Productivity**

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#### **Zero Trust** "Sweet Spot"

Strong security AND high productivity empower users to do the right thing security is everyone's business

#### High Risk / **High Friction**

#### **Strong Security**

Drags down execution (users bogged down by access requirements)

**Greater Business Security** 





## Customer perspective:

## Luigi Vassallo

Chief Operating Officer and Chief Technology Officer, Sara Assicurazioni



## Sara Assicurazioni

#### A cloud-first insurance company



## Challenges

- Disparate point-security solutions lack full visibility
- Multi cloud ecosystem demands holistic security approach
- Distributed user base connected to multiple environments via a diverse mix of devices



#### Solutions

- Cisco Secure Access by Duo
- Cisco Firepower
- Cisco Identity Services Engine
- Cisco Umbrella solution
- Cisco Secure Web Appliance

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- Cisco Secure Endpoint
- Cisco Secure Email
- Cisco SecureX



#### Results

- Zero Trust adoption became more streamlined
- Full visibility into 2,000+ endpoints irrespective of user and device location
- Threat investigation and remediation efficiency improved by 20%
- Threat analysis effort reduced from eight days to only a few hours



## What it takes to get Zero Trust right

Zero Trust requirements





## Cisco's Zero Trust capabilities



#### Establish Trust

- User / device / service identity
- Posture + context
- Risk-based authentication



#### Enforce Trust-Based Access

- Micro-segmentation
- Unified access control
- Least privilege + explicit trust



## Continuously Verify Trust

- Re-assessment of trust
- · Indicators of compromise
- Shared signals
- Behavior monitoring threat and non-threat activity
- Vulnerability management



## Respond to Change in Trust

- Prioritized incident response
- Orchestrated remediation
- Integrated + open workflows

User & Device Security

Network & Cloud Security

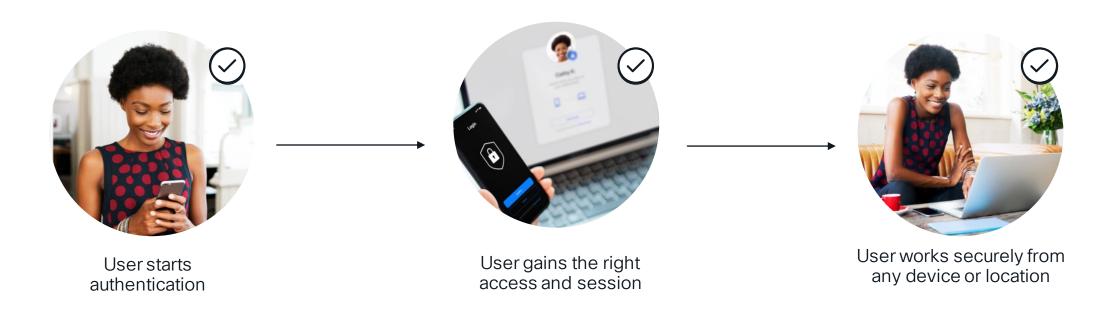
Application & Data Security



## Product Innovations



# How do we realize zero trust and frictionless user experience?



By doing a tremendous amount of work in the background!



## Risk-Based Authentication

**RESOURCES** No Re-Auth Required **RISK SIGNAL ANALYSIS** Duo Push 2FA **Device Trust** Location Verified Duo Push Wi-Fi Fingerprint **Known Attack Patterns** FIDO2 Authenticator Block



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## Risk-Based Authentication: Wi-Fi Fingerprint

Network 1





Network 2



Network 3





Anonymized Wi-Fi network data provides a strong risk signal.

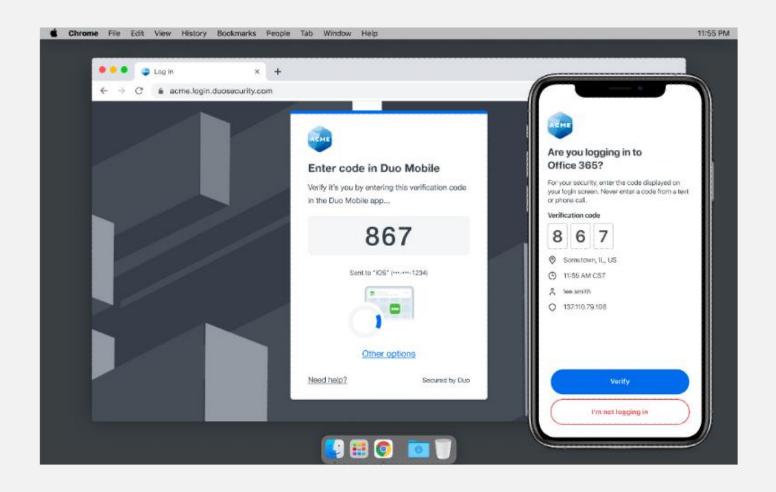
Low Risk: Familiar network fingerprint

High Risk: Novel network fingerprint



## Risk-Based Authentication: Verified Duo Push

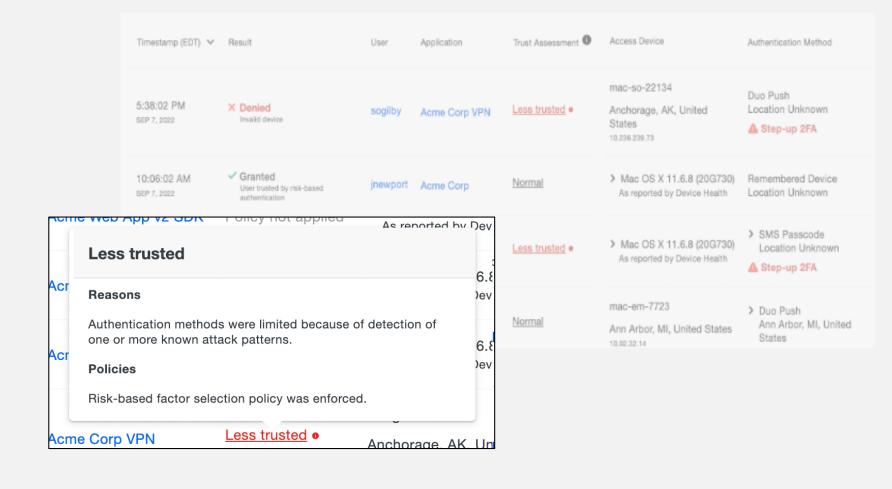
Self-remediate risky logins by invoking a Verified Duo Push.





## Risk-Based Authentication: Authentication Log

Risk assessment transparency through the Trust Assessment in the Authentication log



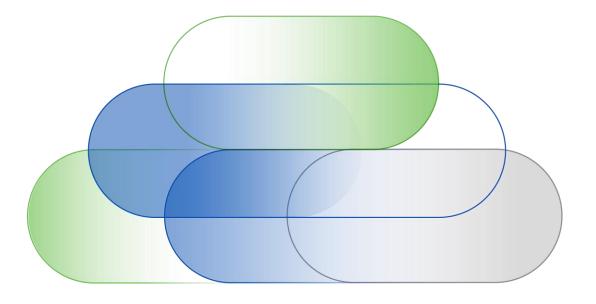


## Demo



## Cisco Security Cloud

Global, cloud-delivered, integrated platform that secures and connects organizations of any shape and size





Secrets of the Successful

Organizations having a mature zero trust implementation are twice as likely to report excelling across these areas:

Gaining executive confidence

Obtaining peer buy-in

Creating a security culture

Source: Cisco's Guide to Zero Trust Maturity

(based on the survey results from 5000+ IT and security practitioners)







## First Steps in the Journey

## **Define objectives**

Desired zero trust outcomes

## Perform gap analysis

Current zero trust challenges

## **Draft roadmap**

Action plan for zero trust strategy



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