

Your Governance is Broken

and what to do about it

I live here



work here



teach Cloud and DevSecOps classes



do open source things



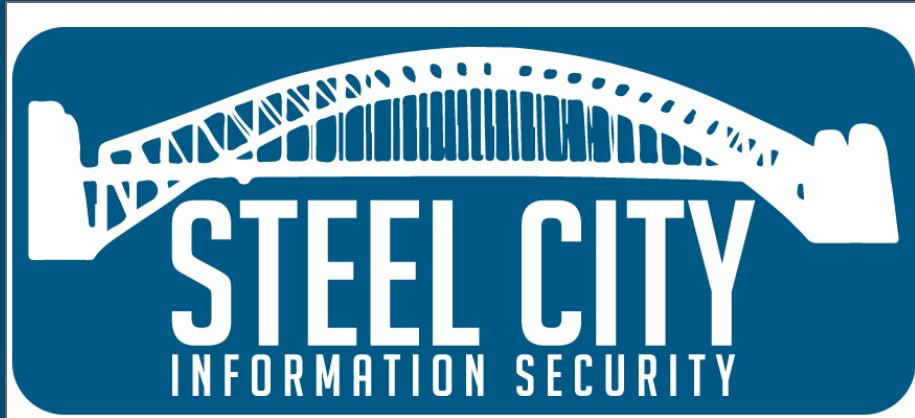
do cloud things

AWS community builders

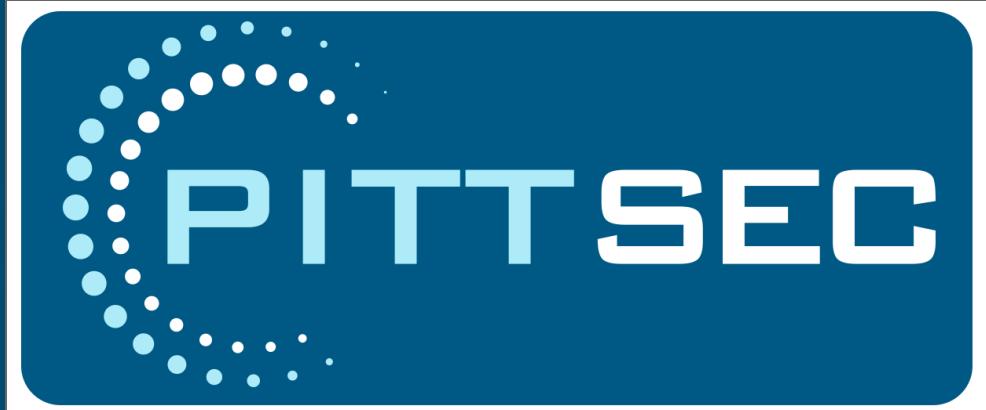
organize a security conference



a security meetup



a local security community



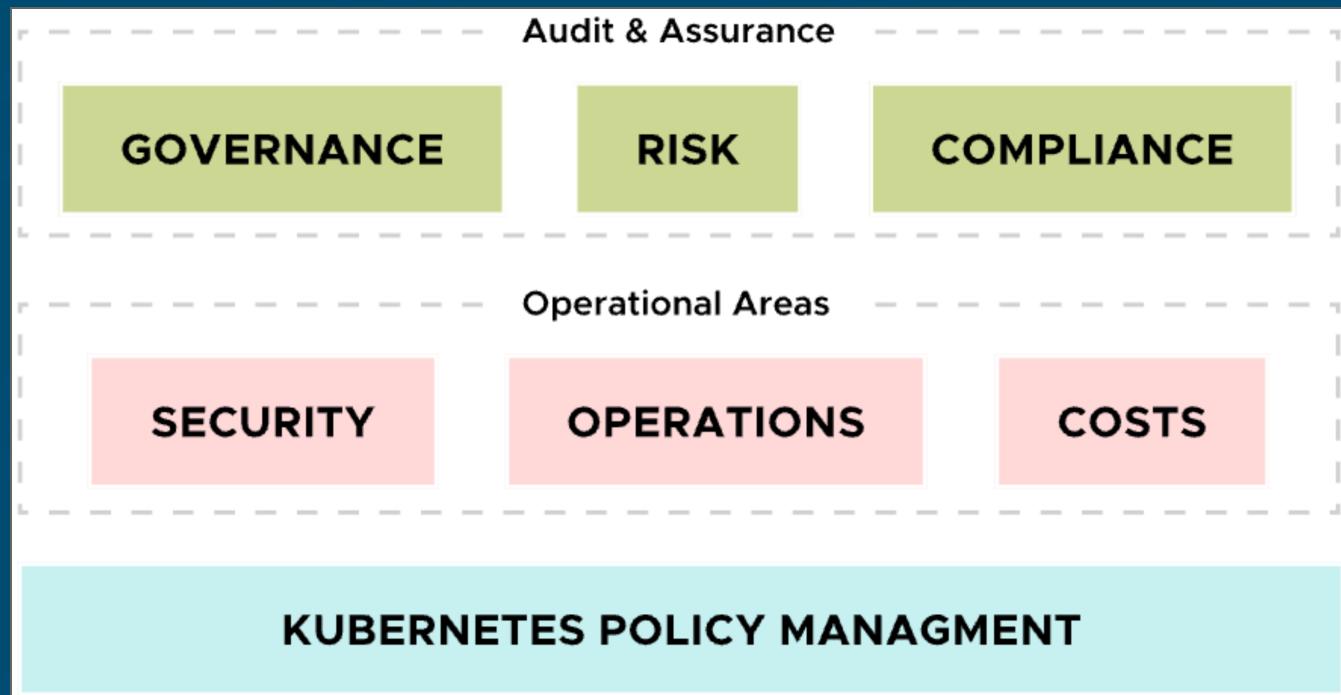
and I'm starting something new!

CNCF Cloud Native Security

<https://sei.so/cloud-native-security>

(Logo coming soon!)

Governance



TODO: Ivan request

Governance Operations

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Governance Pain

"A foolish consistency is the hobgoblin of little minds"

- Ralph Waldo Emerson

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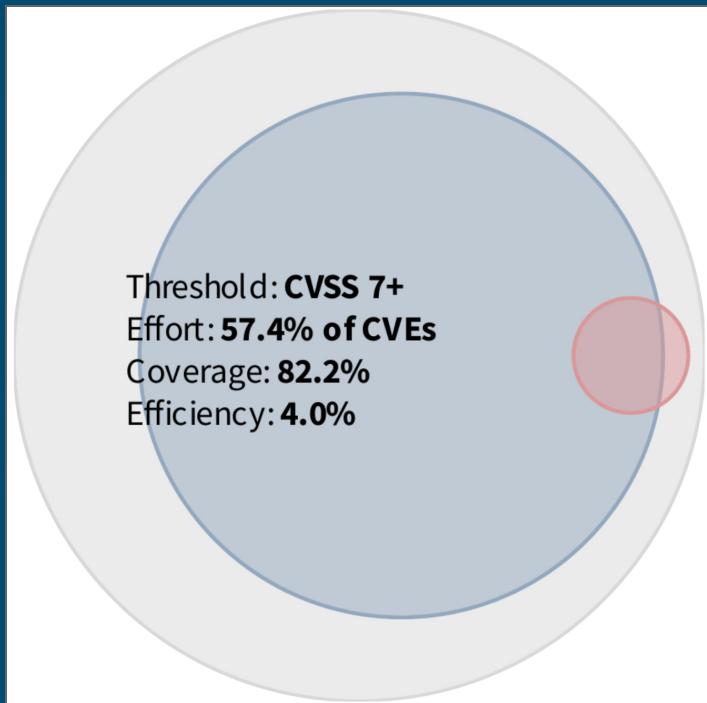
Case Study

Vulnerability Management (Roadmap)

Identified vulnerabilities should be fixed within a specific time, based on their severity as rated by the Common Vulnerability Scoring System (CVSS).

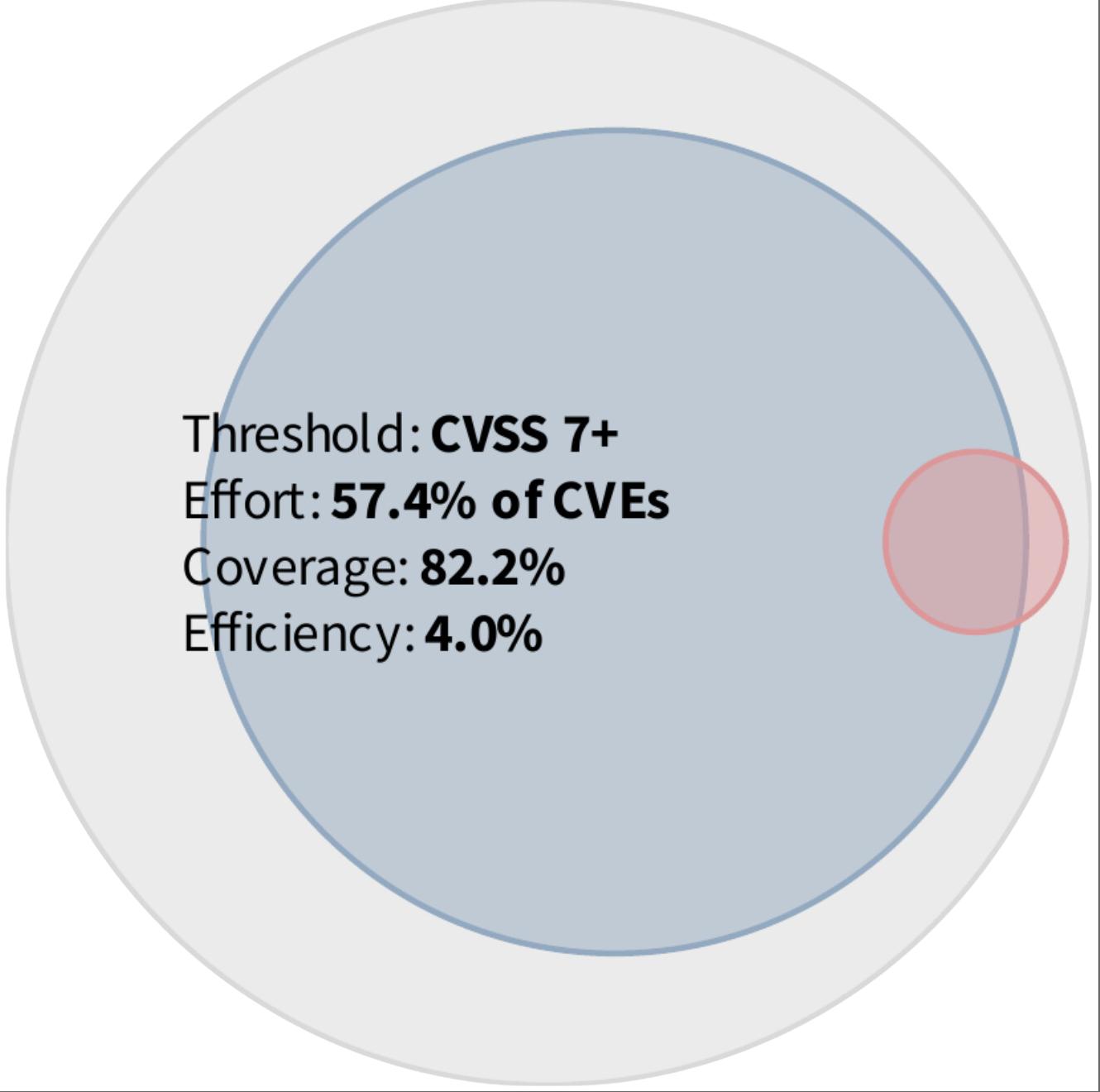
Critical vulnerabilities, with a CVSS rating between 9.0 and 10.0, are required to be remediated within 14 days of detection. Those classified as High, with CVSS scores ranging from 7.0 to 8.9, must be addressed within 30 days. Additionally, vulnerabilities assessed as Medium, having CVSS ratings between 4.0 and 6.9, are to be resolved within a 90-day period.

Fix the base problems - container 3 problems and then auto updates



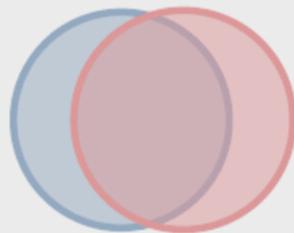
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Epss



Threshold: **CVSS 7+**
Effort: **57.4% of CVEs**
Coverage: **82.2%**
Efficiency: **4.0%**

Threshold: **EPSS 0.1+**
Effort: **2.7% of CVEs**
Coverage: **63.2%**
Efficiency: **65.2%**



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Pen test

Cvss

Questions?

Thank you!

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Speaker notes