

# Recap

- Service-level agreement (SLA)
- Monitoring
- Logging
- Post-mortem analysis
- Load balancing
- Scaling
  - Monitoring of scaling

# Goals of LSD

- Train the student to develop large-scale IT systems, where scalability is a key characteristic
- The student must have knowledge of concepts, techniques and technologies for the continuous integration and delivery of software-based systems
- The student must be able to design, implement, and maintain large distributed systems in distributed development teams

See also: [Curriculum 2017](#) (pdf)

# Goals of the DevOps part

- Give you theoretical and practical knowledge on maintaining and operating large systems

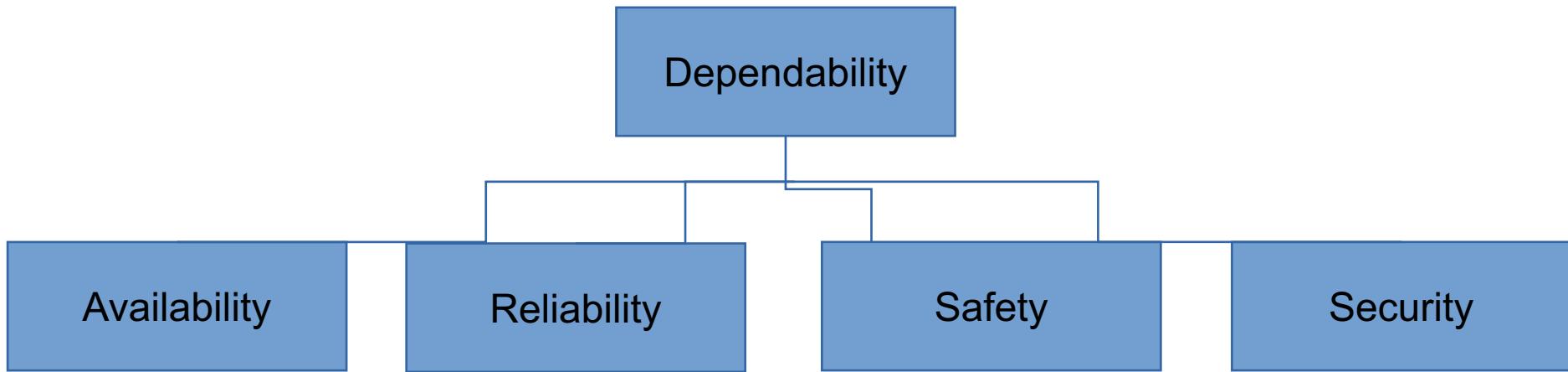
1. Monitoring	5. November
2. Logging	12. November
3. Scaling	19. November
4. Security	26. November

- Essentially everything that happens *around* the code

# Goals for today

- Understand what a critical system is
- Understand and apply threat modeling
- Understand and apply risk matrices
- Gain practical knowledge on finding and mitigating breaches
- Gain practical knowledge on intrusion detection
- Literature: [DevOps introduction](#)

# Dependability



See also: [Ian Sommerville: Software Engineering](#)

# Laws and regulations

- Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data
- Directive 95/46/EC on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data
- Commission Decision 2001/497/EC of 15 June 2001 on standard contractual clauses for the transfer of personal data to third countries
- International Safe Harbor Privacy Principles
- Directive 2002/58/EC of 12 July 2002 concerning the processing of personal data and the protection of privacy in the electronic communications sector
- Directive 2006/24/EC of 15 March 2006 on the retention of data generated or processed in connection with the provision of publicly available electronic communications services or of public communications networks
- Council Directive 2008/114/EC of 8 December 2008 on the identification and designation of European critical infrastructures
- Council Framework Decision 2005/222/JHA of 24 February 2005 on attacks against information systems.

# Attacker types

- Script kiddies
  - Low threat, low profile
- Black hat groups
  - High threat, high profile
- Government groups
  - High threat, political profile
- White hats
  - Low threat, political profile

# Security

- Secure from what?
  - The who/where
- What are you protecting?
  - The what
- When are you secure?
  - The how

# Threats

- A threat is a combination of
  - Intent
  - Capability
  - Opportunity

# Threats

- Intent
  - Hard to do anything about, but don't be idiots
- Capability
  - Impossible to change
- Opportunity
  - This is our focus

# Intelligence

(Not the “I’m smart” intelligence)

- Knowledge of attackers to protect from
  - Actionable
  - On a strategic, operational, tactical level

# Intelligence

- Strategical level
  - Broad issues of business values, economy, political
- Operational level
  - Design of practical countermeasures and policies
- Tactical
  - Practical level: information about current threats and priorities

# Intelligence tasking

- Knowledge of attackers to protect from
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- Tasking
  1. Collect
  2. Analyze
  3. Process
  4. Disseminate

# Intelligence tasking

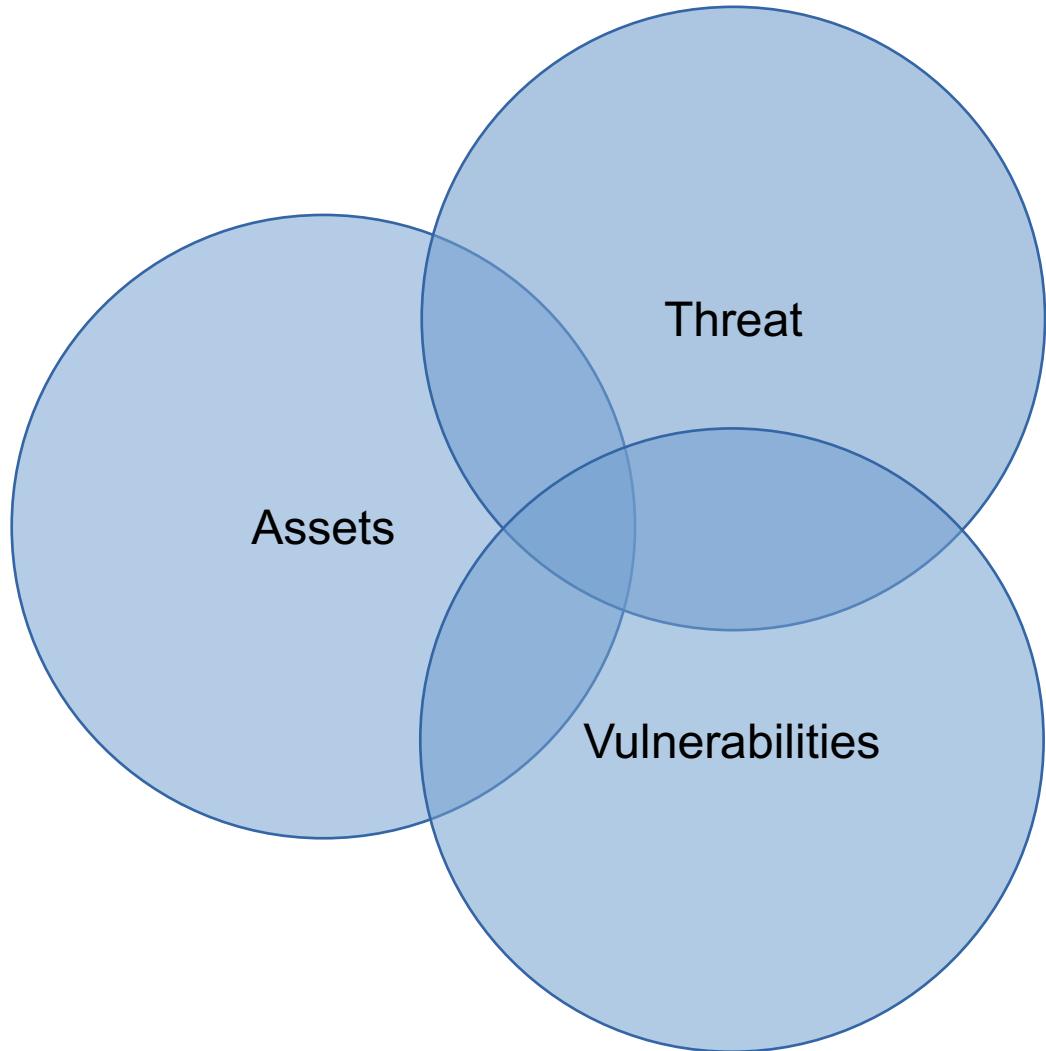
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2. Analyze
  - Analyze adversary and opportunities
  - What are the threats and vulnerabilities?
3. Process
  - Process the information so far
  - What are the risks? Which risks are worth protecting from?
4. Disseminate
  - Decide and implement mitigations

# Threat modelling

- Threats
  - The who
  - Who/what is the threat and what can they do?
- Assets
  - The what
  - What are you trying to protect?
- Vulnerabilities
  - The how
  - Where are you vulnerable?
  - Attack vectors

# Threat modelling

- Threats
- Assets
- Vulnerabilities



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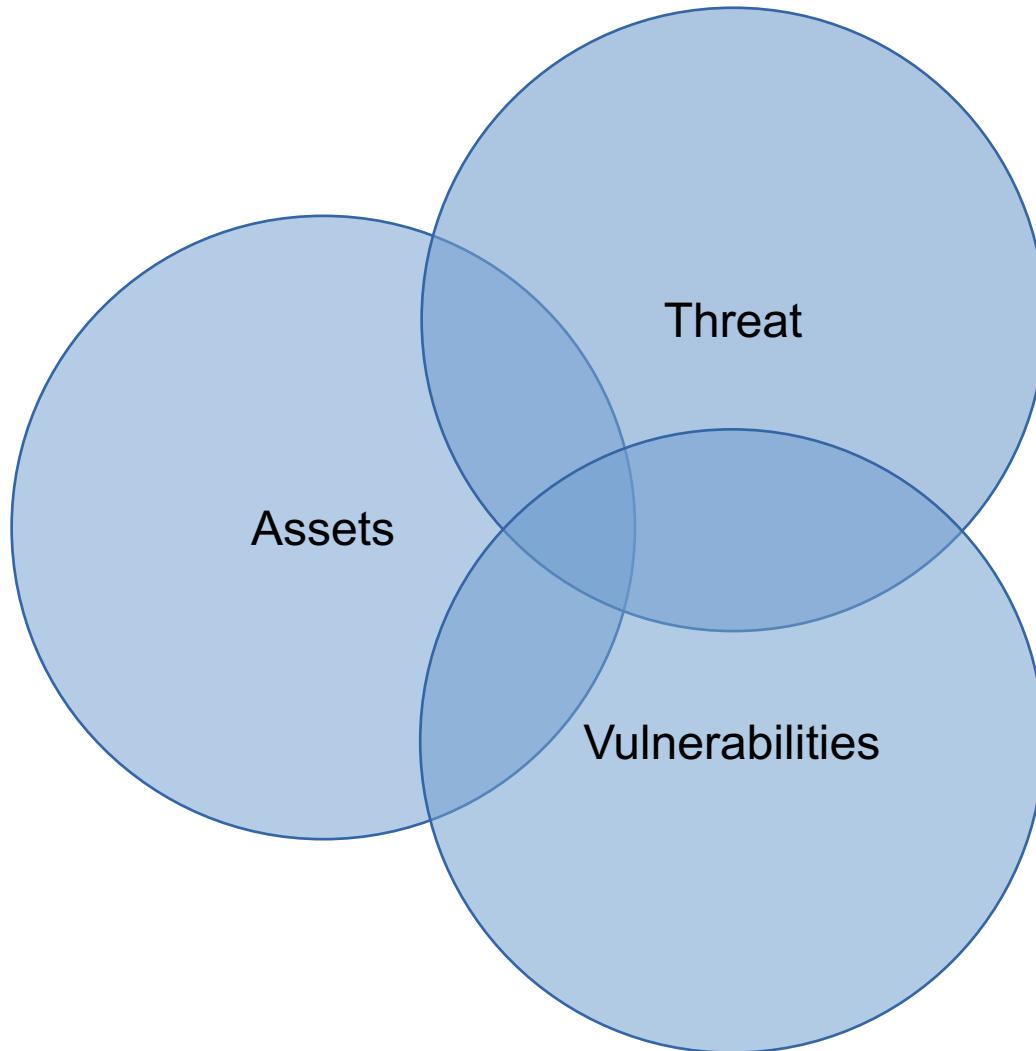
# Critical systems

“a system which must be highly reliable to avoid incurring prohibitive costs” - Wikipedia

- Safety critical
  - Failure leads to death
- Mission critical
  - Failure may lead to death
- Business critical
  - Failure leads to economic loss
- Security critical
  - Failure leads to data loss

# Threat modelling

- Threats
- Assets
- Vulnerabilities
- Safety critical
- Mission critical
- Business critical
- Security critical



# Risk matrices

- All this is about risk
  - How do we assess risks?
- Severity
  - Catastrophic – Multiple Deaths
  - Critical – One Death or Multiple Severe Injuries
  - Marginal – One Severe Injury or Multiple Minor Injuries
  - Negligible – One Minor Injury

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- Likelihood
  - Certain
  - Likely
  - Possible
  - Unlikely
  - Rare

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	<b>Negligible</b>	<b>Marginal</b>	<b>Critical</b>	<b>Catastrophic</b>
<b>Certain</b>	High	High	Extreme	Extreme
<b>Likely</b>	Moderate	High	High	Extreme
<b>Possible</b>	Low	Moderate	High	Extreme
<b>Unlikely</b>	Low	Low	Moderate	Extreme
<b>Rare</b>	Low	Low	Moderate	High

# Cyber threat matrix

- Variant of the risk matrix

Table 1. Generic threat matrix

Threat Level	THREAT PROFILE						
	Commitment			Resources			
	Intensity	Stealth	Time	Technical personnel	Knowledge		
					Cyber	Kinetic	Access
1	H	H	Years to decades	Hundreds	H	H	H
2	H	H	Years to decades	Tens of tens	M	H	M
3	H	H	Months to years	Tens of tens	H	M	M
4	M	H	Weeks to months	Tens	H	M	M
5	H	M	Weeks to months	Tens	M	M	M
6	M	M	Weeks to months	Ones	M	M	L
7	M	M	Months to years	Tens	L	L	L
8	L	L	Days to weeks	Ones	L	L	L

Reproduced from Duggan et al. [8].

# Intelligence tasking

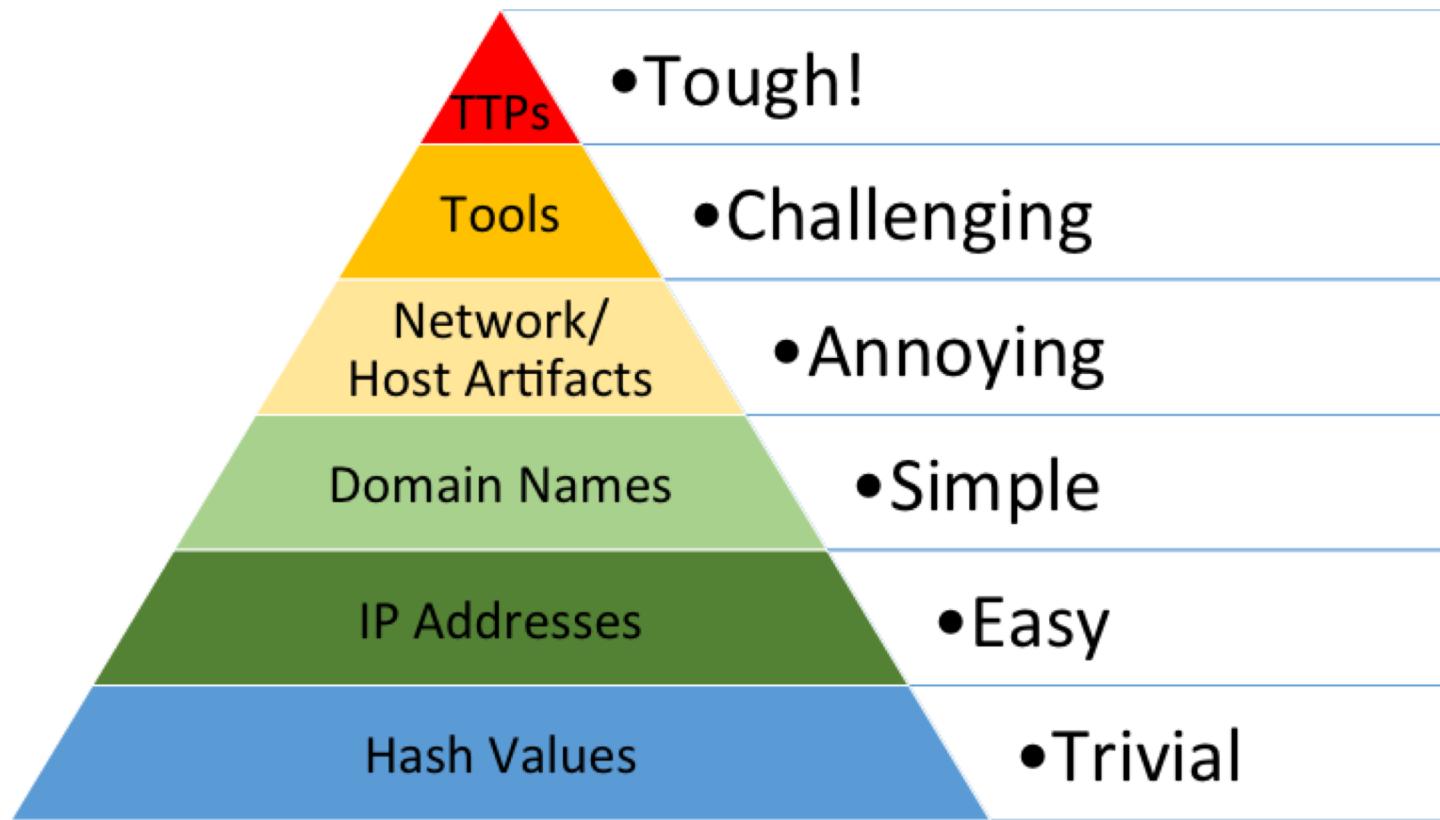
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# The pyramid of pain

- How can you actually detect intrusions?
- Hash values
- IP addresses
- Domains
- Network/host artifacts
- Tools
- Tactics, Techniques and Procedures

# The pyramid of pain

- How can you actually detect intrusions?



See also: [David Bianco on the pyramid of pain](#)

# Penetration testing

- Open Web Testing Framework
- Automates part of pentesting
- <https://owtf.github.io/>

# OWASP

- Open Web Application Security Project



OWASP Top 10 - 2013	→	OWASP Top 10 - 2017
A1 – Injection	→	A1:2017-Injection
A2 – Broken Authentication and Session Management	→	A2:2017-Broken Authentication
A3 – Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)	↘	A3:2017-Sensitive Data Exposure
A4 – Insecure Direct Object References [Merged+A7]	U	A4:2017-XML External Entities (XXE) [NEW]
A5 – Security Misconfiguration	↘	A5:2017-Broken Access Control [Merged]
A6 – Sensitive Data Exposure	↗	A6:2017-Security Misconfiguration
A7 – Missing Function Level Access Contr [Merged+A4]	U	A7:2017-Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
A8 – Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF)	☒	A8:2017-Insecure Deserialization [NEW, Community]
A9 – Using Components with Known Vulnerabilities	→	A9:2017-Using Components with Known Vulnerabilities
A10 – Unvalidated Redirects and Forwards	☒	A10:2017-Insufficient Logging&Monitoring [NEW,Comm.]

# Intrusion kill chain

- Another military term
  - Identify, dispatch, decide, attack and resolve

See also: [Kill chain on Wikipedia](#)

# Phases of the Intrusion Kill Chain



# Intrusion kill chain

- Detect: determine whether an attacker is poking around
- Deny: prevent information disclosure and unauthorized access
- Disrupt: stop or change outbound traffic (to attacker)
- Degrade: counter-attack command and control
- Deceive: interfere with command and control
- Contain: network segmentation changes

See also: [Kill chain on Wikipedia](#)

# Intrusion detection

- Finding out that you are actually under attack!
  - It's hard. Sorry!
- 1. Develop a baseline for “normal”
  - Traffic, logins, elevation etc.
- 2. Stop intruders from taking information *out*
  - Firewalls, traffic filtering, white/black listing
- 3. Train personnel

See also: [3 steps for intrusion detection](#)

# Penetration testing (pentesting)

- Just like with software you can test security
- Simulated attacks on your systems
- Requires you to know potential vulnerabilities

See also: [Penetration testing on Wikipedia](#), [Kali linux](#)

# OWTF

- Open Web Testing Framework
- Automates part of pentesting
- <https://owtf.github.io/>

# Next hand-in

Deadline: **2<sup>nd</sup> of December 23:59:55**

1. Define your assets
2. Create a risk matrix of your project
3. As operators:
  - Try to find at least one vulnerability in the project you are operating
  - Run OWTF or take one of the OWASP top 10
  - Try to find the attack in the logs

Hand-in: Report containing the above