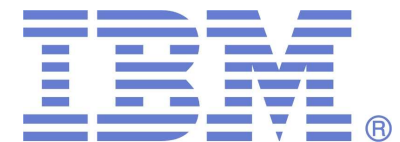




# Identificando sus Vulnerabilidades

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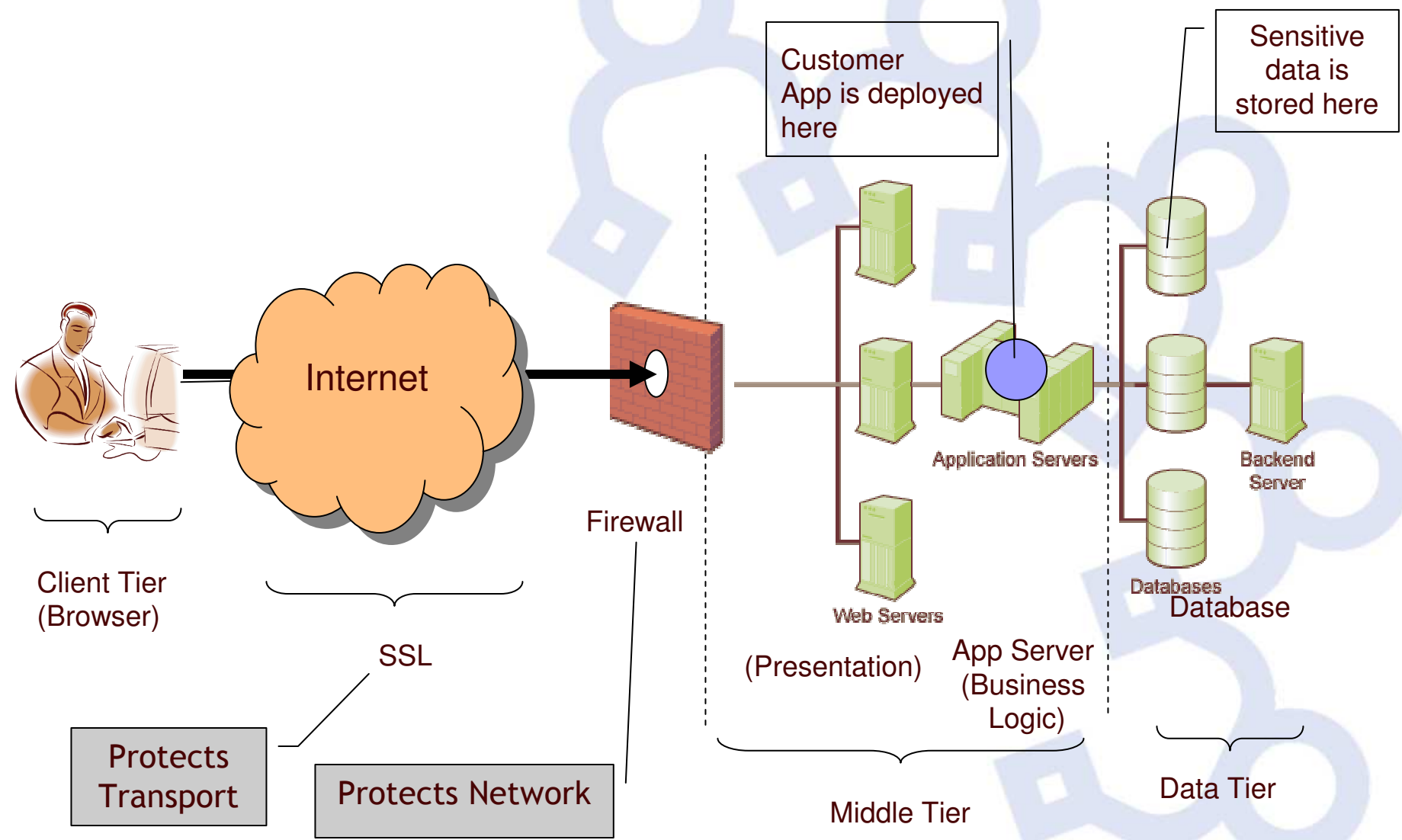




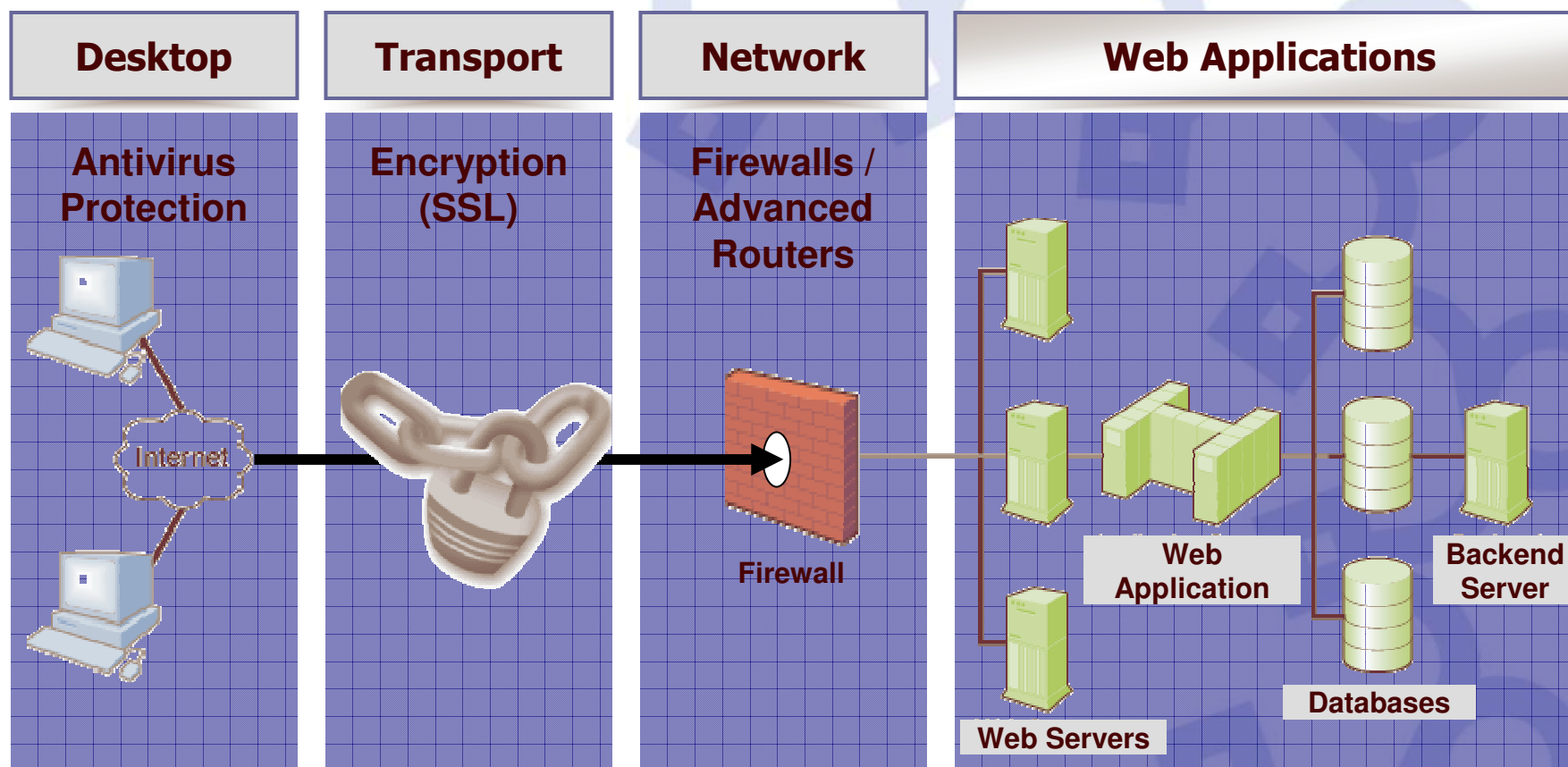
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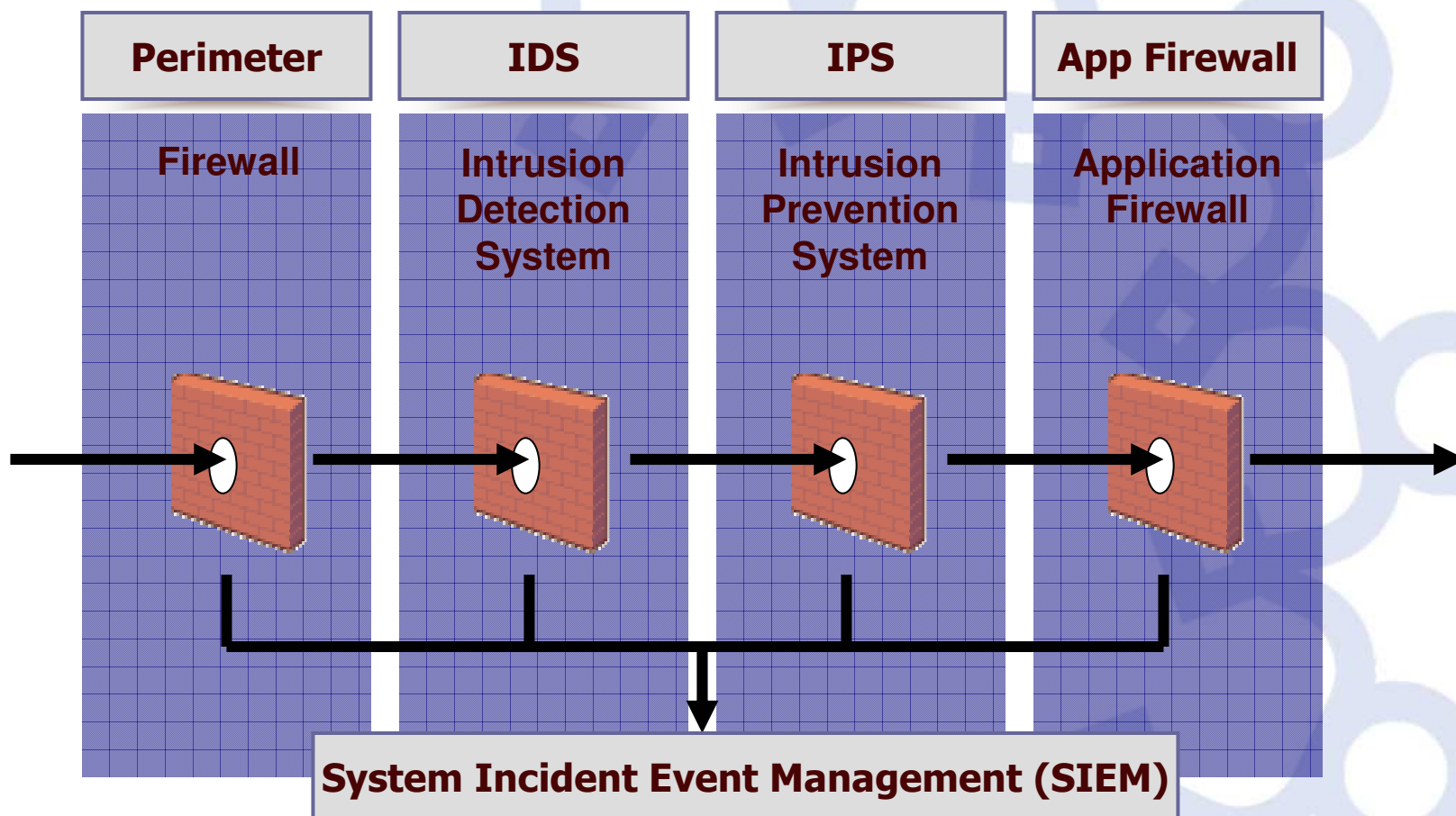
# High Level Web Application Architecture Review



# High Level Web Application Architecture



# Network Defenses for Web Applications



## The Myth: “Our Site Is Safe”

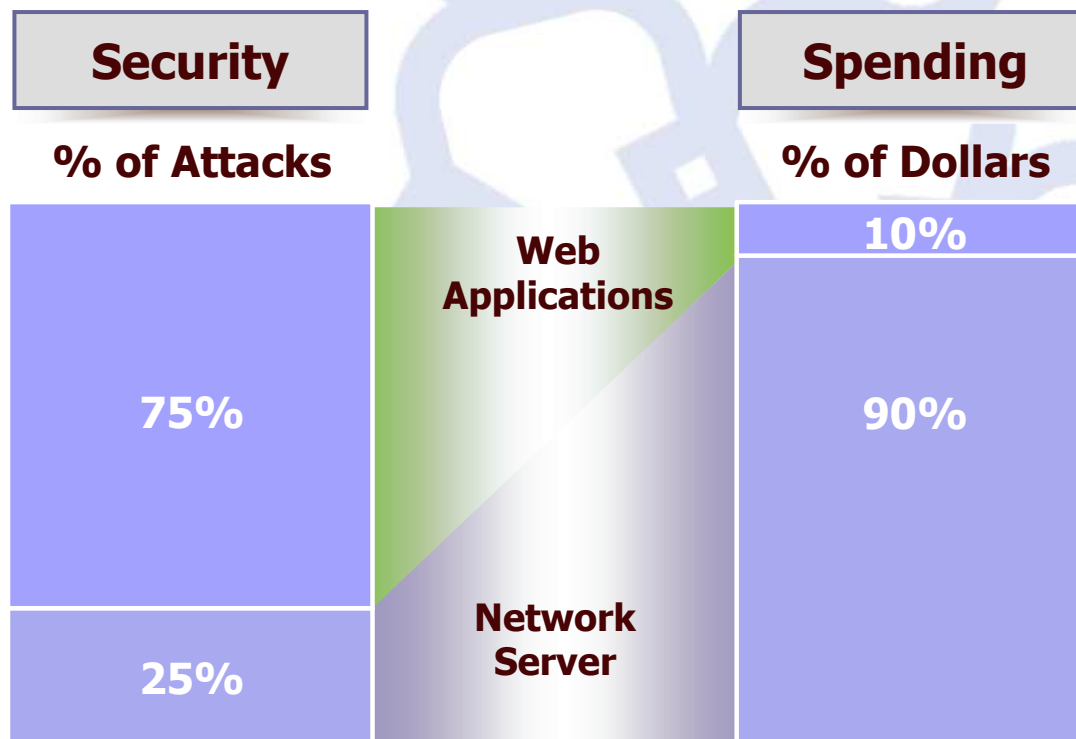


**We Have Firewalls  
in Place**

**We Audit It Once a  
Quarter with Pen Testers**

**We Use Network  
Vulnerability Scanners**

# The Reality: Security and Spending Are Unbalanced



**75%** of all attacks on Information Security are directed to the Web Application Layer.

**2/3** of All Web Applications Are Vulnerable

**Gartner**

Sources: Gartner, Watchfire

# WASC – Threat Classifications

Application Threat	Attack Types	Example Business Impact
<b>Authentication</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Brute Force</li> <li>■ Insufficient Authentication</li> <li>■ Weak Password Recovery Validation</li> </ul>	Attacks that target a web site's method of validating the identity of a user, service or application.
<b>Authorization</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Credential/Session Prediction</li> <li>■ Insufficient Authorization</li> <li>■ Insufficient Session Expiration</li> <li>■ Session Fixation</li> </ul>	Attacks that target a web site's method of determining if a user, service or application has the necessary permissions to perform a requested action.
<b>Client-side Attacks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Content Spoofing</li> <li>■ Cross Site Scripting</li> </ul>	The abuse or exploitation of a web site's users (breaching trust relationships between a user and a web site).
<b>Command Execution</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Buffer Overflow</li> <li>■ Format String Attack</li> <li>■ LDAP Injection</li> <li>■ OS Commanding</li> <li>■ SQL Injection</li> <li>■ SSI Injection</li> <li>■ XPath Injection</li> </ul>	Attacks designed to execute remote commands on the web site by manipulating user-supplied input fields.



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<b>Information Disclosure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Directory Indexing</li> <li>■ Information Leakage</li> <li>■ Path Traversal</li> <li>■ Predictable Resource Location</li> </ul>	Attacks designed to acquire system specific information about a web site. This includes software distribution, version numbers, patch levels, and also secure file locations.
<b>Logical Attacks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Abuse of Functionality</li> <li>■ Denial of Service</li> <li>■ Insufficient Anti-automation</li> <li>■ Insufficient Process Validation</li> </ul>	The abuse or exploitation of a web application logic flow (password recovery, account registration, auction bidding and eCommerce purchasing are examples of application logic).

# The OWASP Top 10 list

Application Threat	Negative Impact	Example Impact
<b>Cross Site scripting</b>	Identity Theft, Sensitive Information Leakage, ...	Hackers can impersonate legitimate users, and control their accounts.
<b>Injection Flaws</b>	Attacker can manipulate queries to the DB / LDAP / Other system	Hackers can access backend database information, alter it or steal it.
<b>Malicious File Execution</b>	Execute shell commands on server, up to full control	Site modified to transfer all interactions to the hacker.
<b>Insecure Direct Object Reference</b>	Attacker can access sensitive files and resources	Web application returns contents of sensitive file (instead of harmless one)
<b>Cross-Site Request Forgery</b>	Attacker can invoke "blind" actions on web applications, impersonating as a trusted user	Blind requests to bank account transfer money to hacker
<b>Information Leakage and Improper Error Handling</b>	Attackers can gain detailed system information	Malicious system reconnaissance may assist in developing further attacks
<b>Broken Authentication &amp; Session Management</b>	Session tokens not guarded or invalidated properly	Hacker can "force" session token on victim; session tokens can be stolen after logout
<b>Insecure Cryptographic Storage</b>	Weak encryption techniques may lead to broken encryption	Confidential information (SSN, Credit Cards) can be decrypted by malicious users
<b>Insecure Communications</b>	Sensitive info sent unencrypted over insecure channel	Unencrypted credentials "sniffed" and used by hacker to impersonate user
<b>Failure to Restrict URL Access</b>	Hacker can access unauthorized resources	Hacker can forcefully browse and access a page past the login page



Let's See Some Examples ...



# Parameter Tampering

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window displaying a pharmacy website. The address bar contains the URL: `http://www.abcpharmacy.com/pharmacy/pre.asp?back=/pharm/script.asp&patientid=790865`. A green arrow points from the `patientid=790865` parameter in the URL to a green box containing the text `patientid=790865`. The website content includes a navigation menu with items like 'home', 'health', 'beauty', 'wellness', 'personal care', and 'pharmacy'. Below the menu, there is a red banner with the text 'Prescriptions and refills delivered to your door.' and a secondary menu with items like 'your list', 'shopping bag', 'checkout', 'your account', 'prescriptions', and 'help'. The main content area displays the user's profile for 'Jenny Smith' with details such as 'Sex: Female', 'Birthday: 5/5/1970', 'Phone number: 408-4345756', 'Address: 343 1st st, San Jose, CA', 'Medical Conditions: Pregnancy ; AIDS', and 'Current Medication: Prozac'. A footer navigation bar is visible at the bottom of the page.

## Why not wildcard the parameter?

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window titled "Altoro Mutual: Online Banking Login - Mozilla Firefox". The address bar contains the URL: `http://www.abcpharmacy.com/pharmacy/pre.asp?back=/pharm/script.asp&patientid=*`. A green circle highlights the URL, and a green arrow points from it to a green box containing the text `patientid=*`. The website content includes a navigation menu with "pharmacy" highlighted, a red banner for "Prescriptions and refills delivered to your door.", and a "Health Profile" section for "Abare Kelly" and "Abba Kevin".

home health beauty wellness personal care **pharmacy**

Prescriptions and refills delivered to your door.

your list shopping bag checkout your account prescriptions help

**pharmacy** | Health Profile

Abare Kelly [Update Profile](#)

Sex: Female  
Birthday: 8/4/1965  
Phone number: 256-5457674  
Address: 434 South st, Atlanta, Georgia  
Medical Conditions: Asthma ; High Blood Pressure  
Current Medication: Ambien

Abba Kevin [Update Profile](#)

Sex: Male  
Birthday: 7/3/50  
Phone number: 334-5432345  
Address : 434 Concord Dr, Pheonix City, AL  
Medical Conditions: Cancer

Done

# Brute Force Tools are Easy to Find ...

The screenshot shows a Google search results page for the query "brutus & passwords". The search bar contains the text "brutus & passwords" and a "Search" button. The results are displayed in a list format, with each entry including a title, a brief description, and a link to the source page. The results are as follows:

- Brutus - The Remote Password Cracker**  
Brutus is a remote online password cracker for windows, good for HTTP,POP3,FTP,SMB,Telnet and lots others ...  
[www.hoobie.net/brutus/](http://www.hoobie.net/brutus/) - 17k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)
- SecuriTeam™ - Brutus - a Brute force online password cracker**  
Brutus is a different kind of password cracker. It works online, trying to break telnet, POP3, FTP, HTTP, RAS or IMAP by simply trying to login as a ...  
[www.securiteam.com/tools/2QUQ2PPRPG.html](http://www.securiteam.com/tools/2QUQ2PPRPG.html) - 110k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)
- Password Tools**  
Brutus is a fast, FREE, flexible remote password cracker that is available for Windows 9x, NT and 2000. It's just one more reason to choose a quality ...  
[www.spiesonline.net/passwordtools.shtml](http://www.spiesonline.net/passwordtools.shtml) - 32k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)
- Brutus Password Cracker - Removed for Homeland Security? (Download ...**  
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Brutus Password Cracker - Removed for Homeland Security? .... yea ok... i've got the Brutus, but how do i use it crack yahoo/hotmail passwords? can u plz help ...  
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- SolutionBase: Verify the strength of passwords with the hacker ...**  
Administrators can audit password security by learning how to use Brutus, one of the most popular password cracking tools that hackers use to compromise ...  
[articles.techrepublic.com.com/5100-6350\\_11-5218766.html](http://articles.techrepublic.com.com/5100-6350_11-5218766.html) - 44k - [Cached](#) - [Similar pages](#)
- brutus : files - Groovyweb Free Downloads and Tutorials**  
Description: Attempts to access remote passwords by trying either randomly ... Brutus version AET2 is the current release and includes the following ...  
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# The Same is True with Dictionary Lists ...

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The "AND" operator is unnecessary – we include all search terms by default. [details] View and manage your web history

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## Brute Force – Automated ‘Guessing’ Game

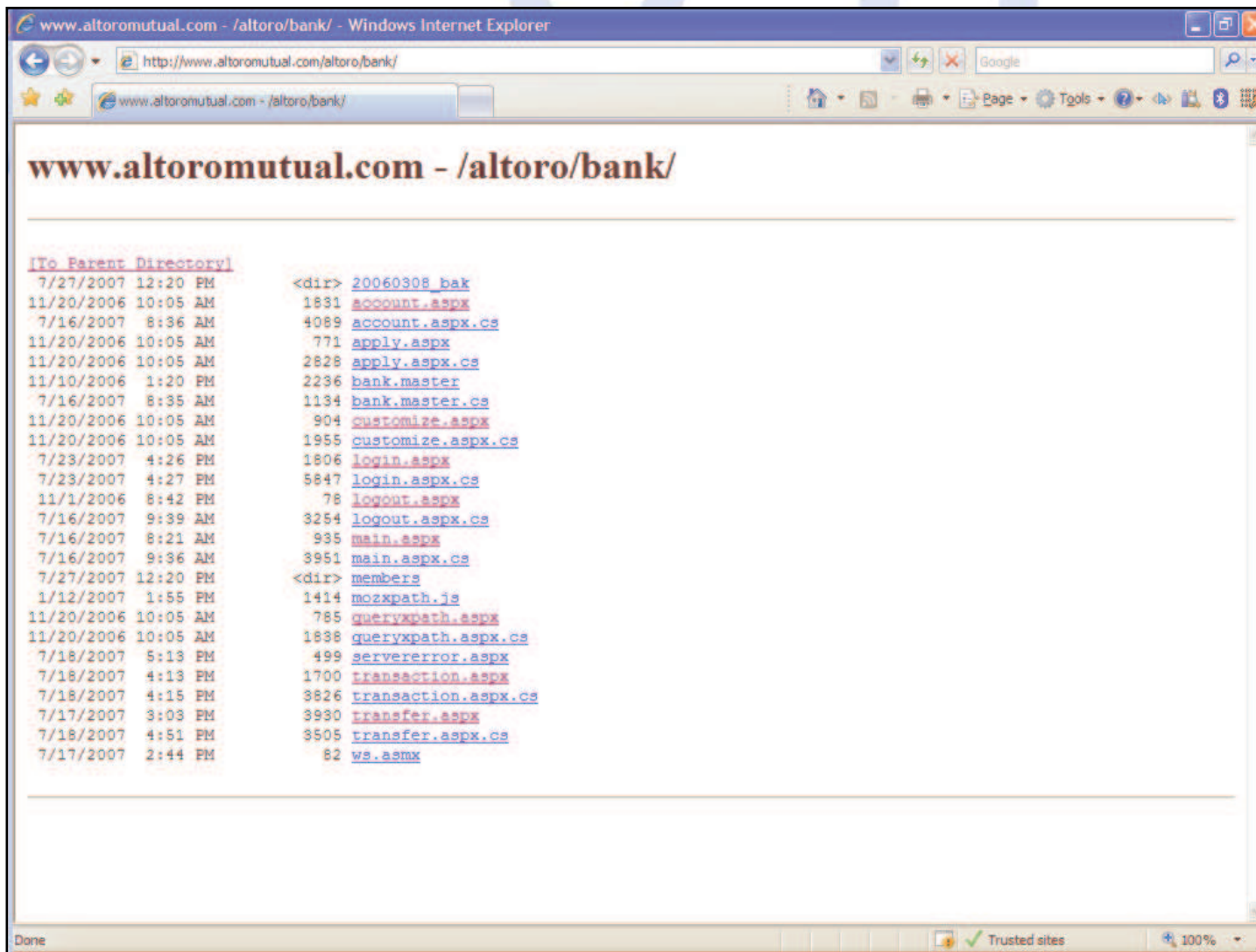
- Data Mining at MySpace.com: published in the [Full Disclosure] mailing list on June 30th 2006
- MySpace.com, an online social networking web site
  - Offers its members the ability to send news bulletins to other MySpace members
- When you submit your bulletin a URL is sent to your friends that looks similar to this:  

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http://bulletin.myspace.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=bulletin.read&messageID=[BID]
```

**[BID]** is an automatically generated numeric bulletin ID
- By changing the bulletin ID number, users were able to access the news bulletins of other MySpace members which they had not received notification about, and read the contents



# Navigation to Sensitive Files



www.altoromutual.com - /altoro/bank/ - Windows Internet Explorer

http://www.altoromutual.com/altoro/bank/

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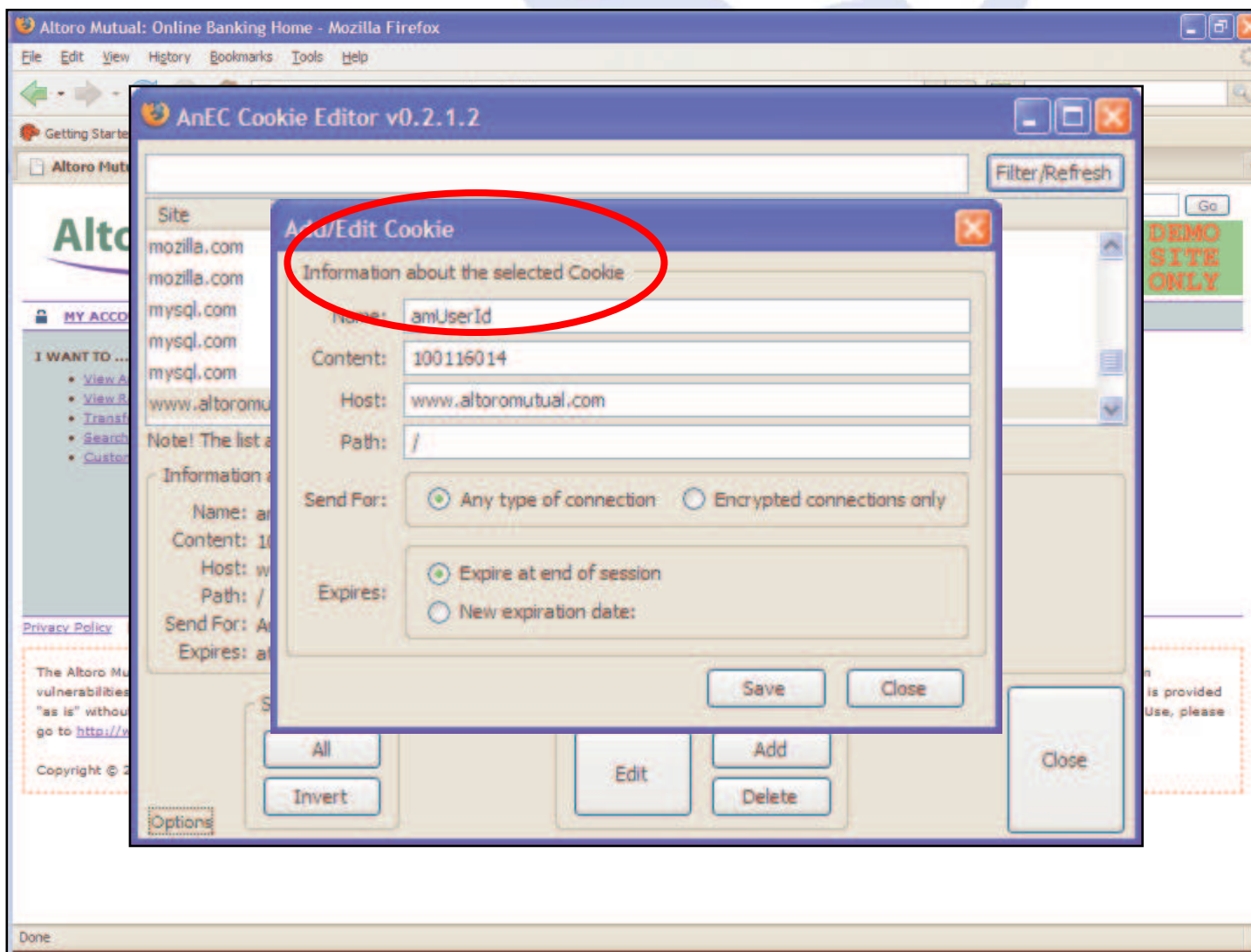
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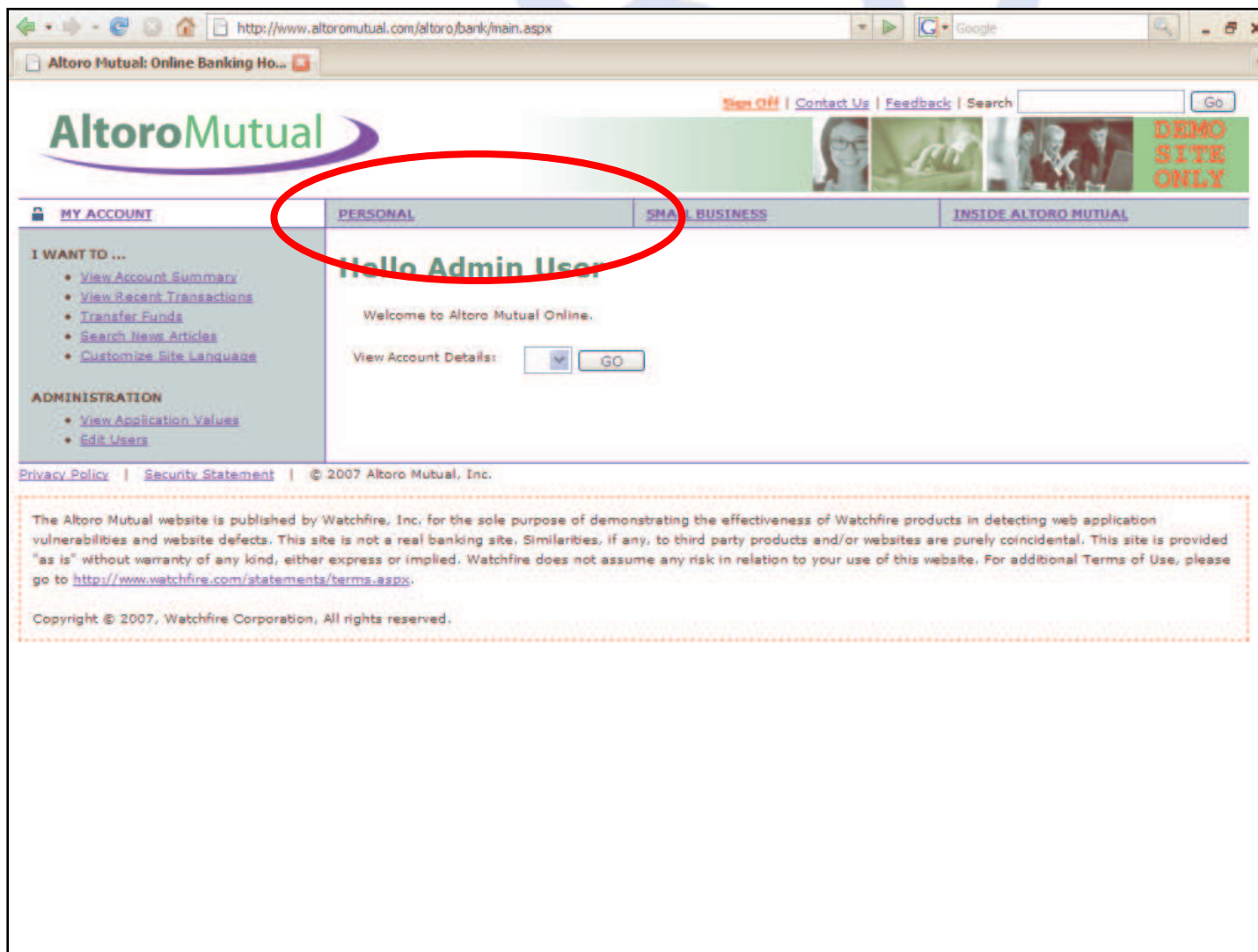
# Cookie Poisoning – When cookies are bad

The screenshot shows the AltoroMutual website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for "Sign Off", "Contact Us", "Feedback", and a search box. The AltoroMutual logo is on the left. Below the logo, there are tabs for "MY ACCOUNT", "PERSONAL", "SMALL BUSINESS", and "INSIDE ALTORO MUTUAL". The "PERSONAL" tab is selected and circled in red. The main content area displays "Hello John Smith" in a large font, followed by "Welcome to Altoro Mutual Online." Below this, there is a "View Account Details:" section with a dropdown menu showing "1001160140 Checking" and a "GO" button. A "Congratulations!" message follows, stating "You have been pre-approved for an Altoro Gold Visa with a credit limit of \$10000.00!" and a link to "Click Here to apply." At the bottom, there is a footer with "Privacy Policy", "Security Statement", and "© 2007 Altoro Mutual, Inc." A large dashed box contains a disclaimer: "The Altoro Mutual website is published by Watchfire, Inc. for the sole purpose of demonstrating the effectiveness of Watchfire products in detecting web application vulnerabilities and website defects. This site is not a real banking site. Similarities, if any, to third party products and/or websites are purely coincidental. This site is provided 'as is' without warranty of any kind, either express or implied. Watchfire does not assume any risk in relation to your use of this website. For additional Terms of Use, please go to <http://www.watchfire.com/statements/terms.aspx>. Copyright © 2007, Watchfire Corporation, All rights reserved."

# Why not try to modify the cookie values?



# Change cookie value? Change user .. Not good!!



The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Altoro Mutual online banking interface. The URL in the address bar is <http://www.althoromutual.com/althoro/bank/main.aspx>. The page features the Altoro Mutual logo and a navigation menu with tabs for MY ACCOUNT, PERSONAL, SMA, BUSINESS, and INSIDE ALTORO MUTUAL. The 'PERSONAL' tab is selected and circled in red. Below the navigation, the user is greeted with 'Hello Admin User' and a 'Welcome to Altoro Mutual Online.' message. A 'View Account Details:' section includes a dropdown menu and a 'GO' button. The page also contains a sidebar with links for account management and administration, and a footer with a disclaimer and copyright information.

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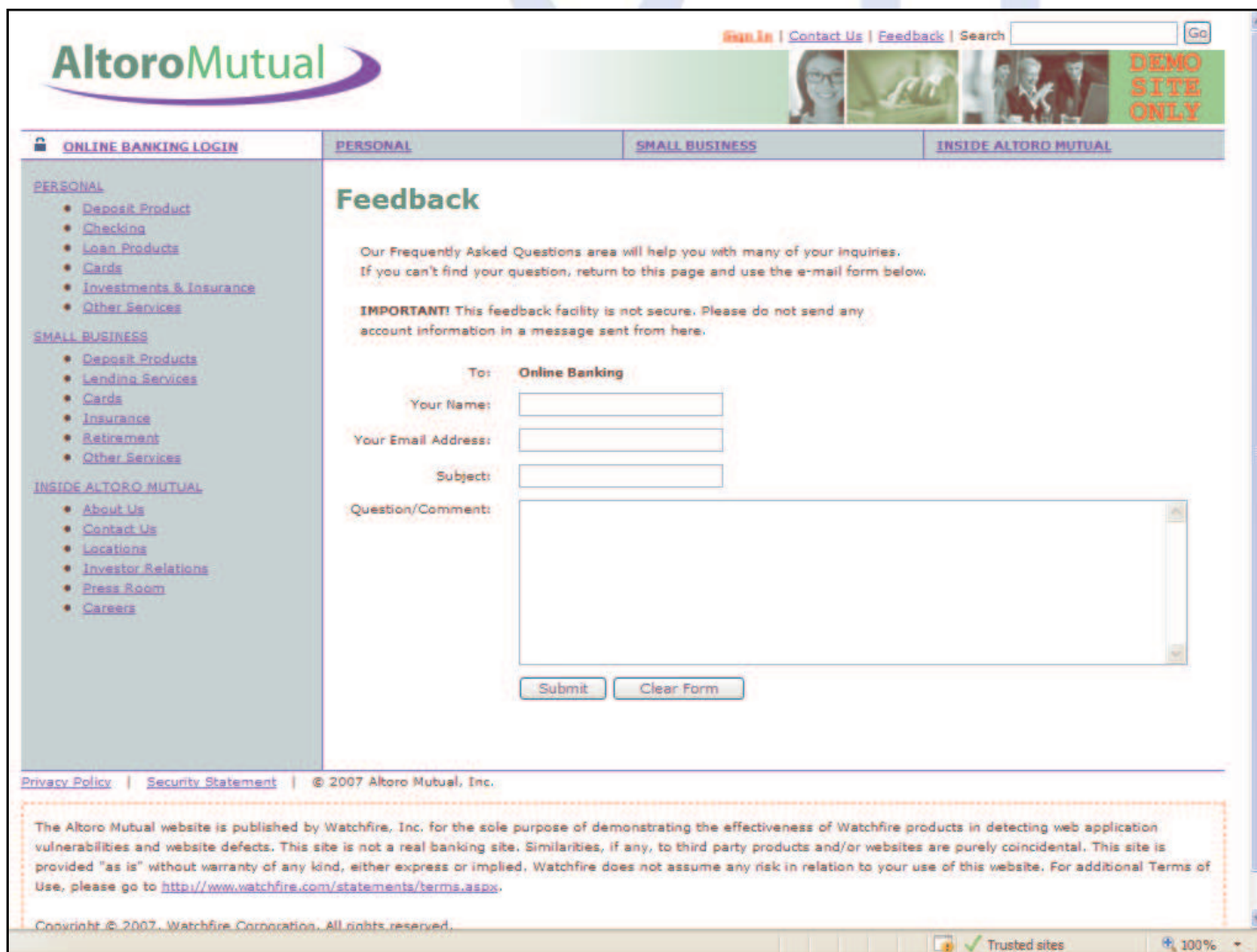
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# Application asks the browser to enforce data validation

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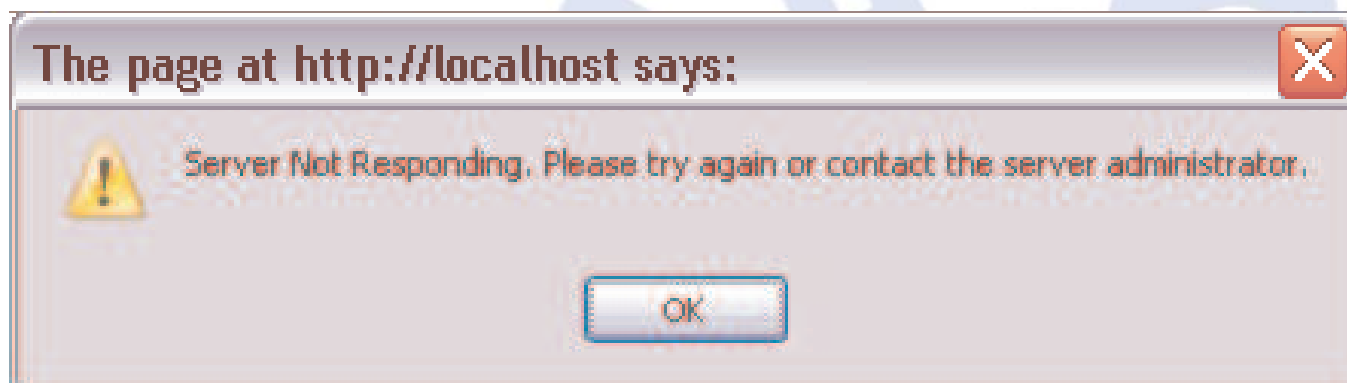
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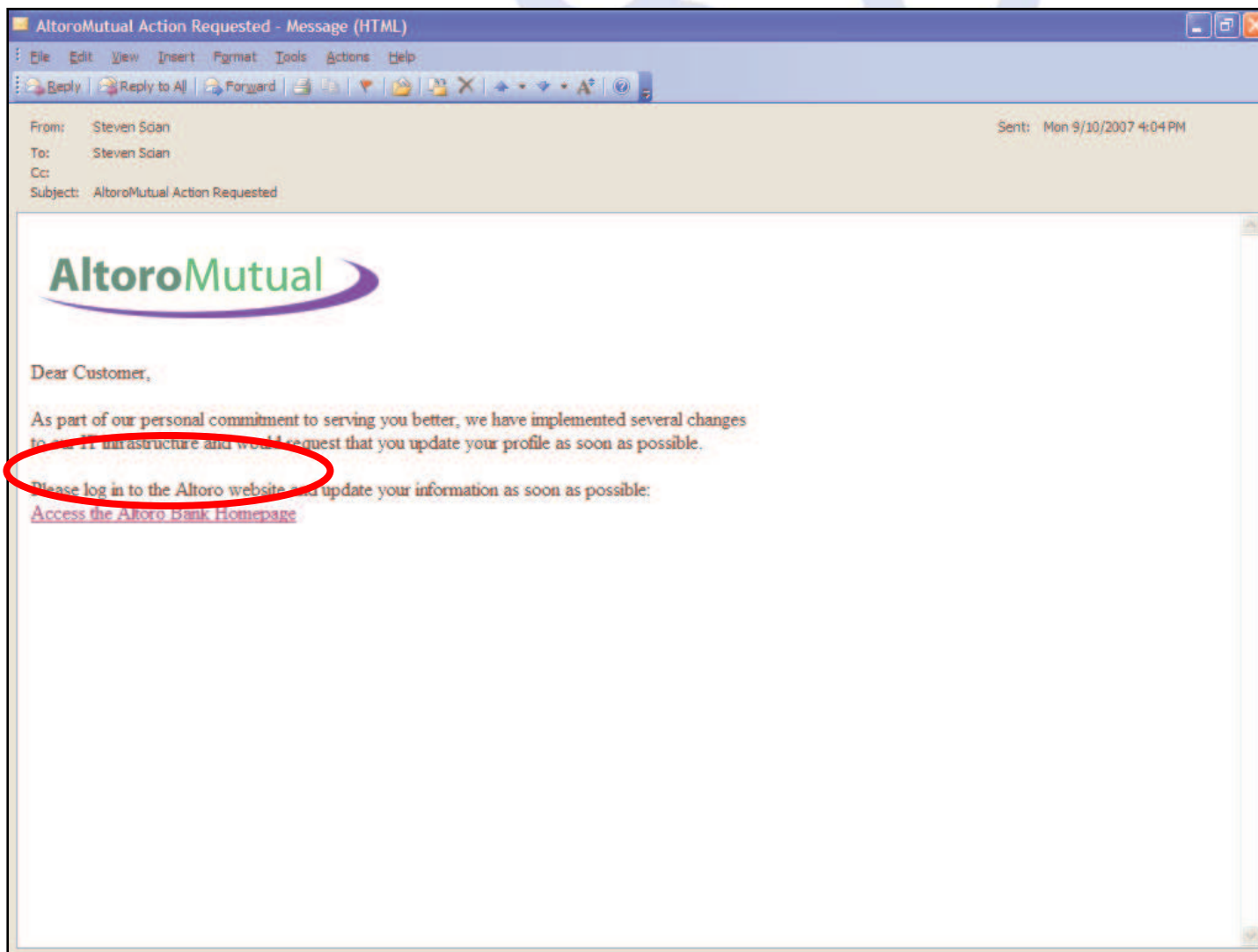


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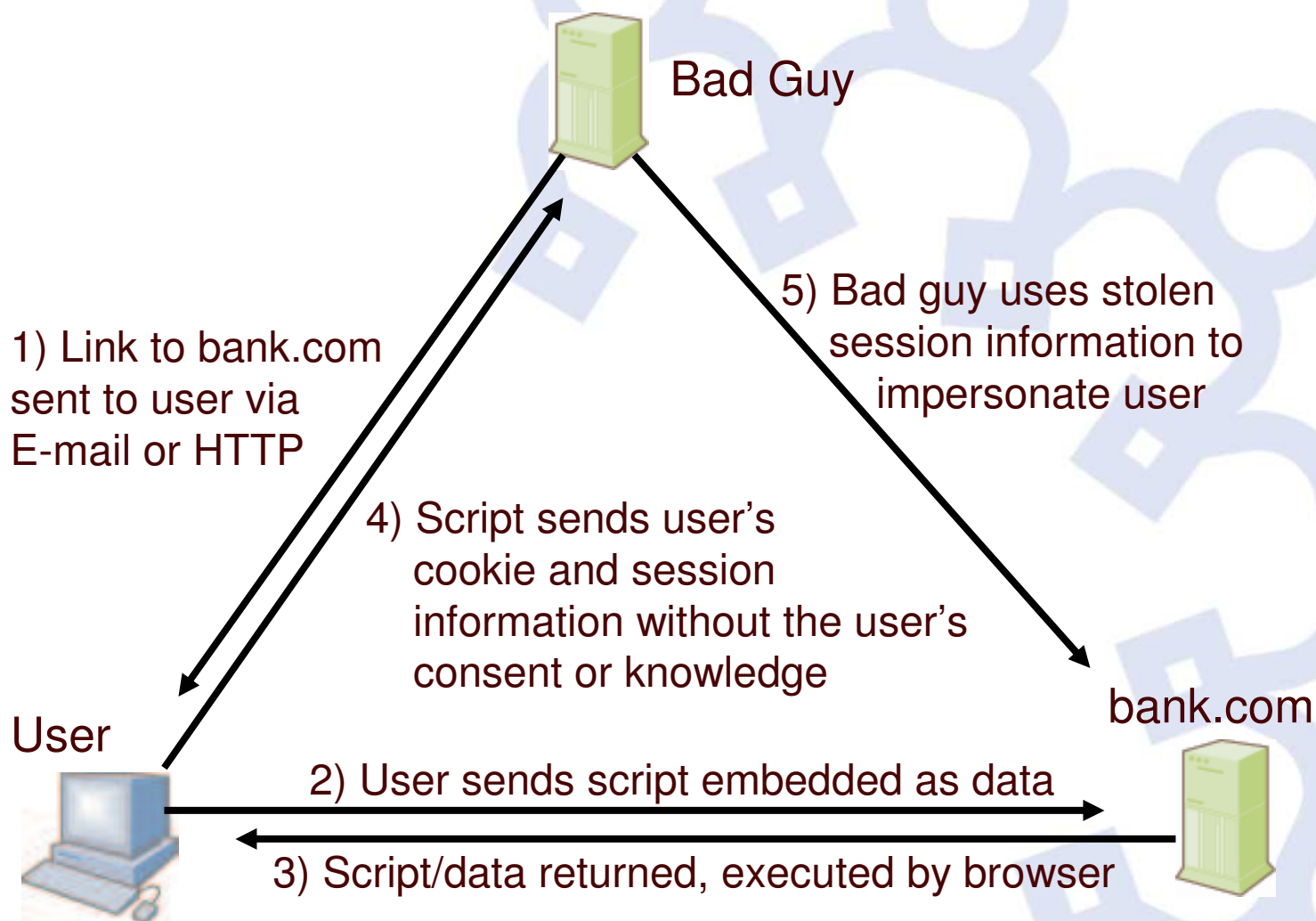


# Attacking users via Cross Site Scripting (XSS)





## Cross Site Scripting – The Process



# SQL Injection

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Password:

Username: jsmith  
Password: demo1234

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# Normal login for JSMITH



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The main navigation bar has four tabs: **MY ACCOUNT** (with a lock icon), **PERSONAL**, **SMALL BUSINESS**, and **INSIDE ALTORO MUTUAL**.

Under the **MY ACCOUNT** tab, there is a section "I WANT TO ..." with a list of links: [View Account Summary](#), [View Recent Transactions](#), [Transfer Funds](#), [Search News Articles](#), and [Customize Site Language](#).

The main content area for the **PERSONAL** tab displays "Hello John Smith" and "Welcome to Altoro Mutual Online." Below this, there is a "View Account Details:" section with a dropdown menu showing "1001160140 Checking" and a [GO](#) button.

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# The start of a SQL injection attack

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Username:

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Username: '  
Password: a  
Need password to bypass  
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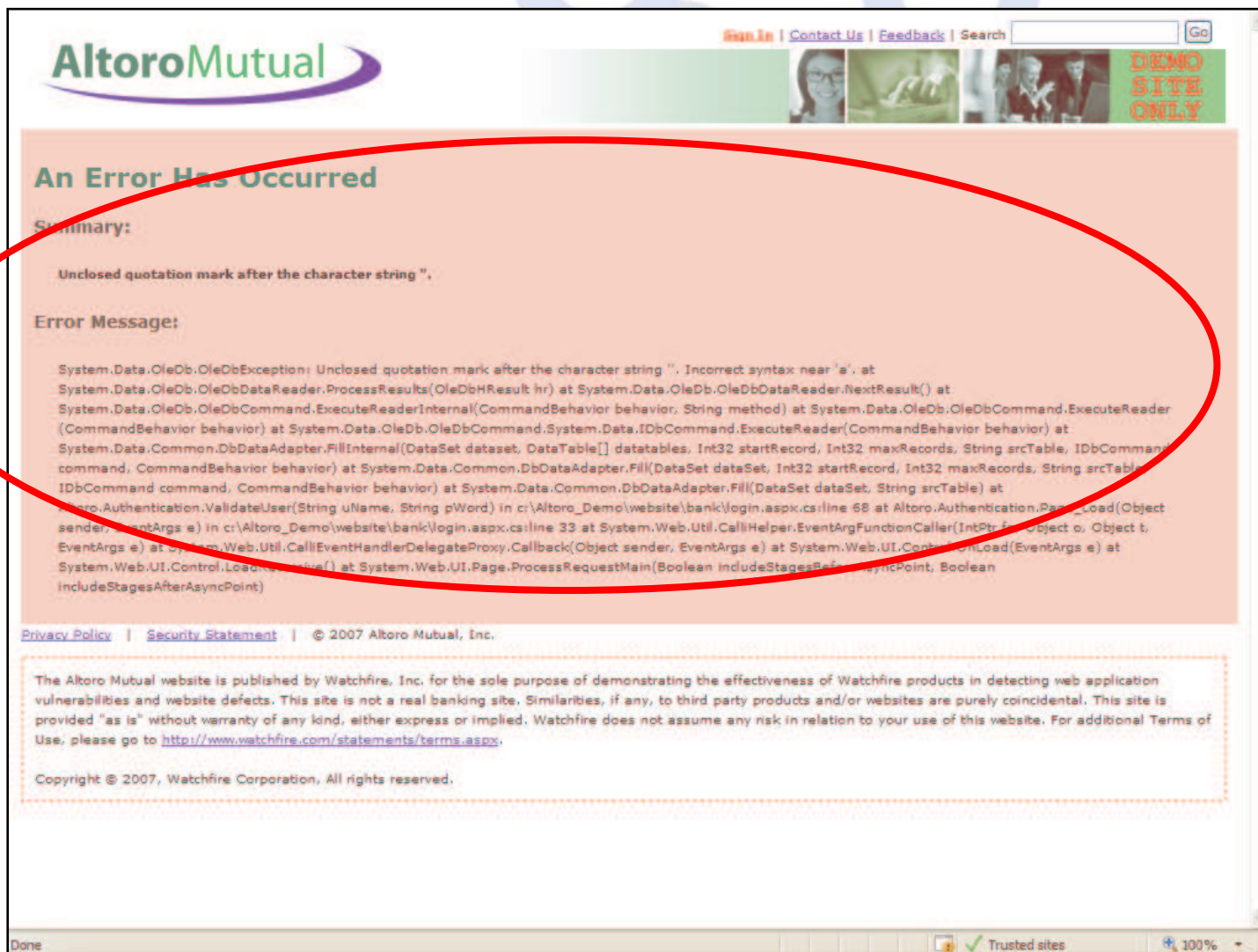
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## Step 1 – We have an error



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**An Error Has Occurred**

**Summary:**

Unclosed quotation mark after the character string ".

**Error Message:**

```
System.Data.OleDb.OleDbException: Unclosed quotation mark after the character string ". Incorrect syntax near 'a'. at
System.Data.OleDb.OleDbDataReader.ProcessResults(OleDbHResult hr) at System.Data.OleDb.OleDbDataReader.NextResult() at
System.Data.OleDb.OleDbCommand.ExecuteReaderInternal(CommandBehavior behavior, String method) at System.Data.OleDb.OleDbCommand.ExecuteReader
(CommandBehavior behavior) at System.Data.OleDb.OleDbCommand.System.Data.IDbCommand.ExecuteReader(CommandBehavior behavior) at
System.Data.Common.DbDataAdapter.FillInternal(DataSet dataset, DataTable[] datatables, Int32 startRecord, Int32 maxRecords, String srcTable, IDbCommand
command, CommandBehavior behavior) at System.Data.Common.DbDataAdapter.Fill(DataSet dataSet, Int32 startRecord, Int32 maxRecords, String srcTable,
IDbCommand command, CommandBehavior behavior) at System.Data.Common.DbDataAdapter.Fill(DataSet dataSet, String srcTable) at
Altoro.Authentication.ValidateUser(String uName, String pWord) in c:\Altoro_Demo\website\bank\login.aspx.cs:line 68 at Altoro.Authentication.Page_Load(Object
sender, EventArgs e) in c:\Altoro_Demo\website\bank\login.aspx.cs:line 33 at System.Web.Util.CalliHelper.EventArgFunctionCaller(IntPtr fp, Object o, Object t,
EventArgs e) at System.Web.Util.CalliEventHandlerDelegateProxy.Callback(Object sender, EventArgs e) at System.Web.UI.Control.OnLoad(EventArgs e) at
System.Web.UI.Control.LoadInternal() at System.Web.UI.Page.ProcessRequestMain(Boolean includeStagesBeforeAsyncPoint, Boolean
includeStagesAfterAsyncPoint)
```

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## Step 2 – Try a more complete SQL statement

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Now we are Admin, without a username and password!

The screenshot displays the AltoroMutual website interface. At the top left is the AltoroMutual logo. To the right, there are navigation links: [Sign Off](#), [Contact Us](#), [Feedback](#), and a search box with a [Go](#) button. Below the logo is a banner with three images and the text "DEMO SITE ONLY".

The main navigation bar includes: [MY ACCOUNT](#), [PERSONAL](#), [SMALL BUSINESS](#), and [INSIDE ALTORO MUTUAL](#).

On the left side, under "I WANT TO ...", there are links: [View Account Summary](#), [View Recent Transactions](#), [Transfer Funds](#), [Search News Articles](#), and [Customize Site Language](#). Under "ADMINISTRATION", there are links: [View Application Values](#) and [Edit Users](#).

The main content area displays "Hello Admin User" and "Welcome to Altoro Mutual Online." Below this, there is a "View Account Details:" label, a dropdown menu, and a [GO](#) button.

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## So then... What Can Happen?

- Sensitive data leakage
  - Customer, partner or company data
- Identity Theft
  - Hacker impersonating as trusted user
- Defacement – Content Modification
  - Hurts brand, misleads customers, etc.
- Application Shutdown (Site Unavailable)
  - Lack of access can cause major loses

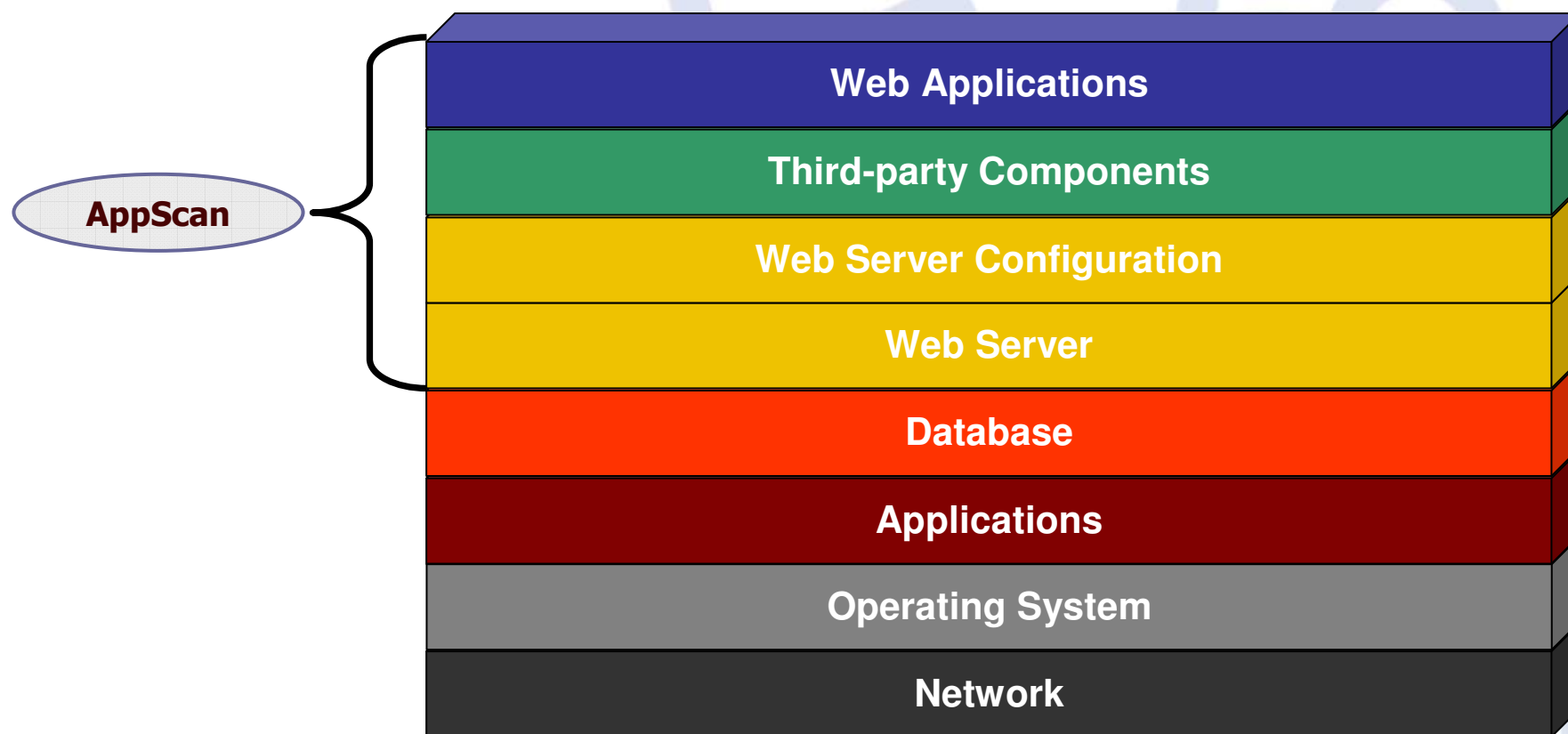
So what do I need to protect my developments?

**Automated Scanning Tools**  
**Rational AppScan**

# AppScan

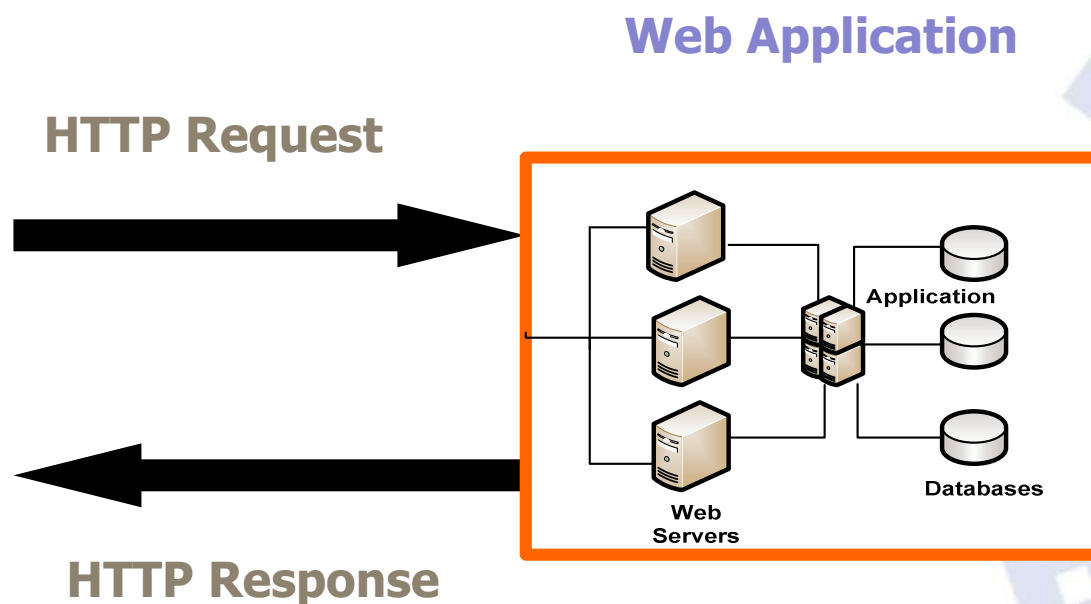
- What is it?
  - AppScan is an automated tool used to perform vulnerability assessments on Web Applications
- Why do I need it?
  - To simplify finding and fixing web application security problems
- What does it do?
  - Scans web applications, finds security issues and reports on them in an actionable fashion
- Who uses it?
  - Security Auditors – main users today
  - QA engineers – when the auditors become the bottle neck
  - Developers – to find issues as early as possible (most efficient)

## What does AppScan test for?

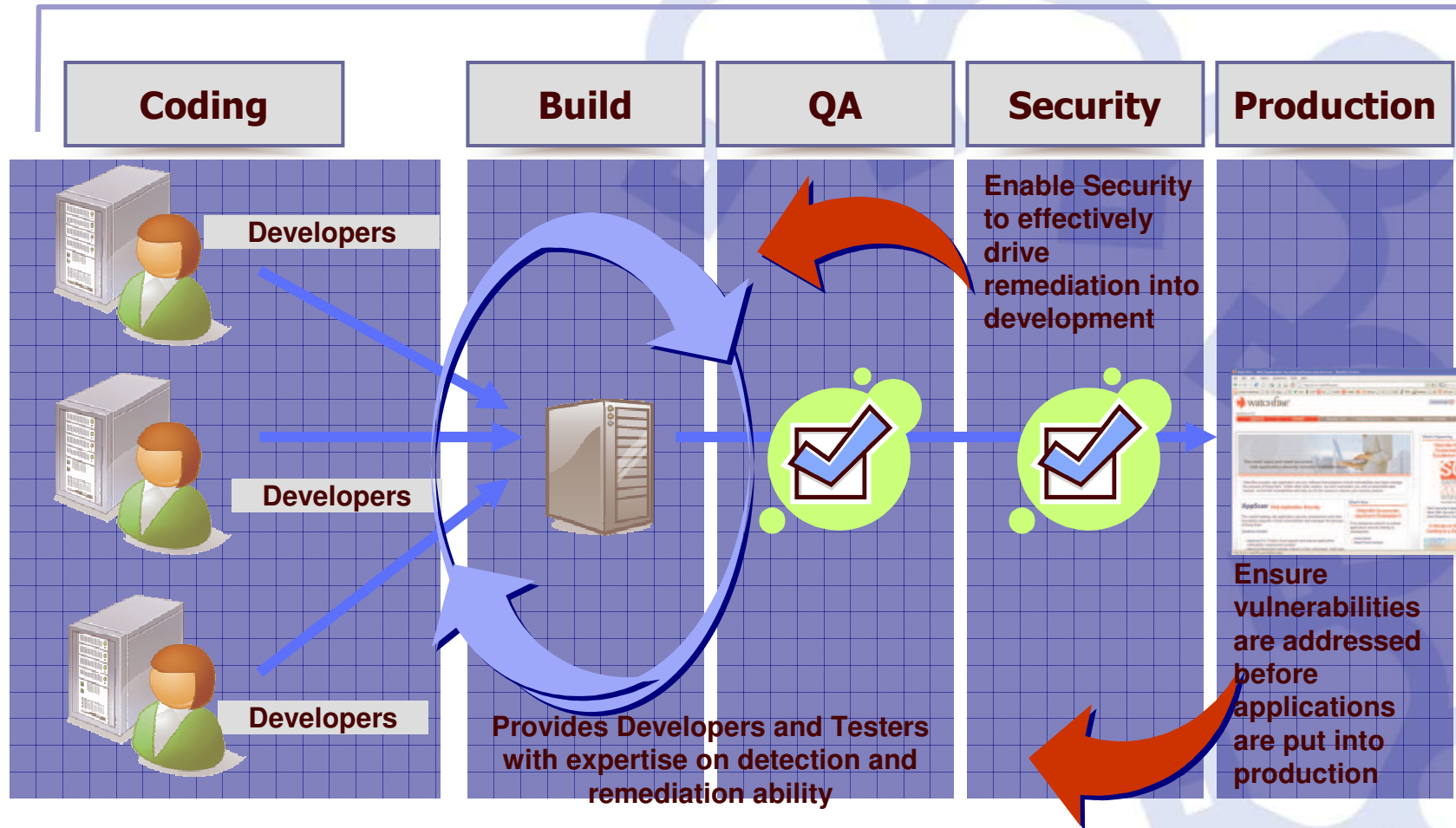


## How does AppScan work?

- Approaches an application as a black-box
- Traverses a web application and builds the site model
- Determines the attack vectors based on the selected Test policy
- Tests by sending modified HTTP requests to the application and examining the HTTP response according to validate rules



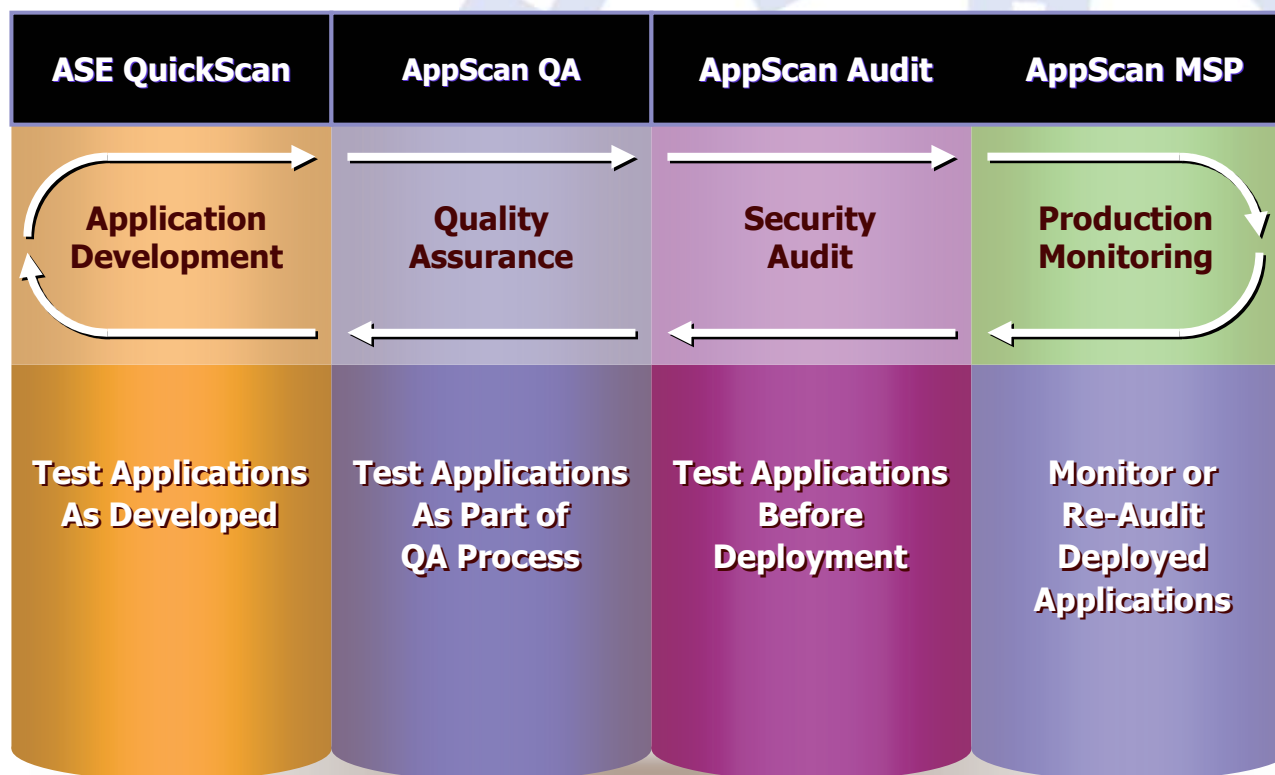
# Building Security & Compliance



# Watchfire Application Security Testing Products

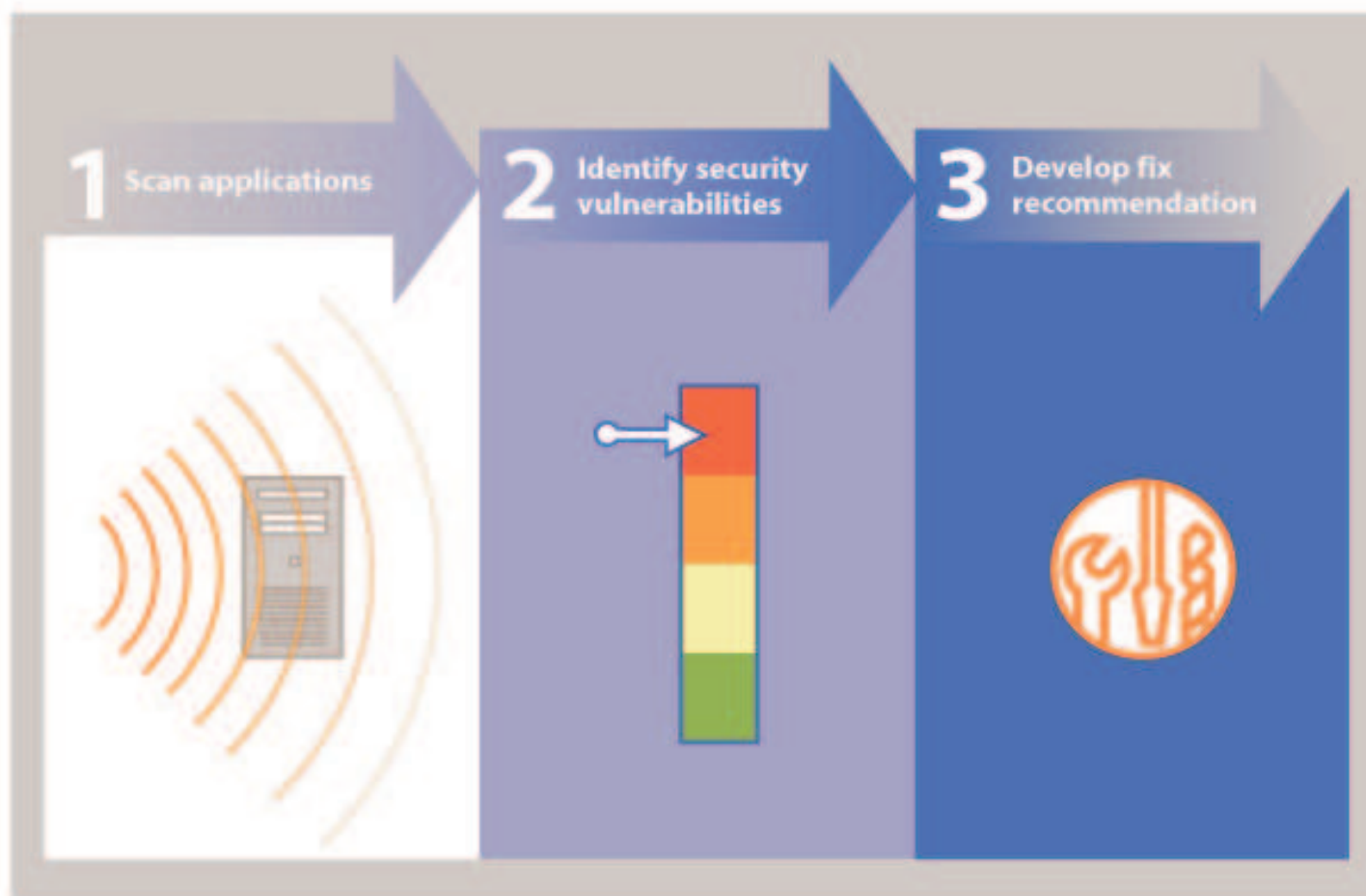
## AppScan Enterprise

### Web Application Security Testing Across the SDLC





# AppScan Goes Beyond Pointing out Problems



# Actionable Fix Recommendations

The screenshot displays the AppScan 7.5 interface. The main window shows a scan of 'My Application' (53) at 'http://demo.testfire.net/'. The scan is incomplete. The results are arranged by severity, showing 53 security issues (368 variants). The top issue is 'Blind SQL Injection' (4), which is expanded to show four instances: 'http://demo.testfire.net/bank/account.aspx (1)', 'http://demo.testfire.net/bank/login.aspx (2)', and 'http://demo.testfire.net/bank/transaction.aspx (1)'. Other issues include Cross-Site Scripting (5), Format String Remote Command Execution (1), HTTP Response Splitting (1), SQL Injection (6), XPath Injection (1), and Cookie Poisoning SQL Injection (1).

The 'Blind SQL Injection' issue is selected, and the 'Fix Recommendation' tab is active. The recommendation is as follows:

### Blind SQL Injection

» Fix Recommendation

▼ General

There are several issues whose remediation lies in sanitizing user input. By verifying that user input does not contain hazardous characters, it is possible to prevent malicious users from causing your application to execute unintended operations, such as launch arbitrary SQL queries, embed Javascript code to be executed on the client side, run various operating system commands etc.

It is advised to filter out all the following characters:

- [1] | (pipe sign)
- [2] & (ampersand sign)
- [3] ; (semicolon sign)

The status bar at the bottom indicates 53 Security Issues, 18 Critical, 4 High, 22 Medium, and 9 Low severity issues.

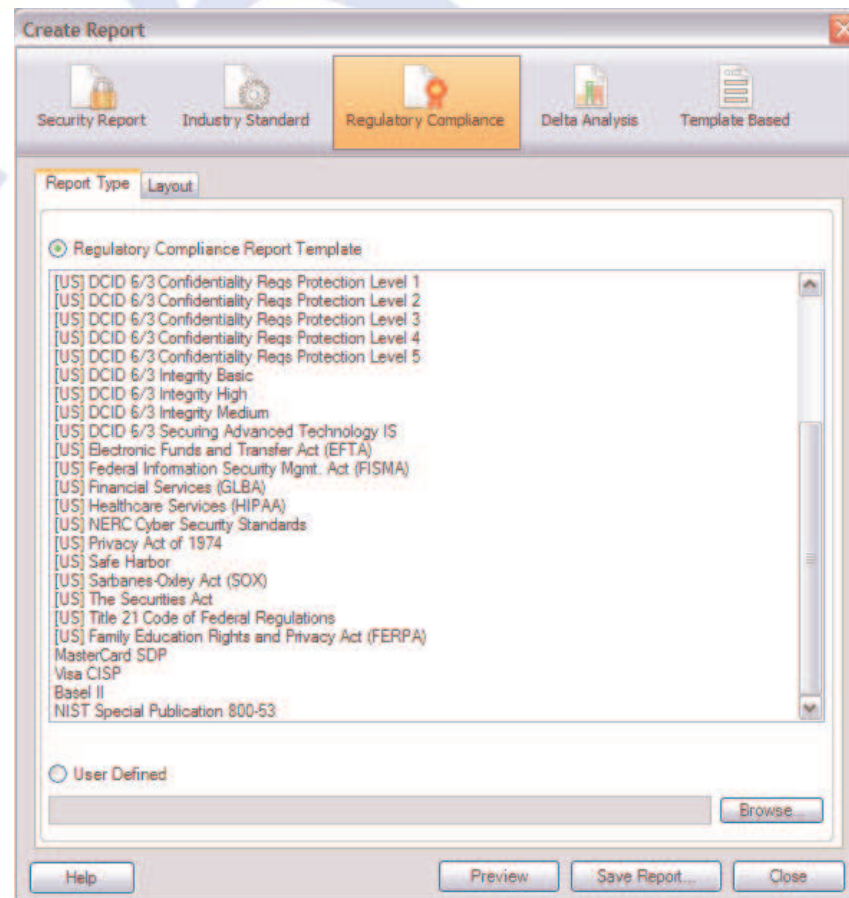
# Multiple Reports Levels

- Dashboards
- Report Pack Summaries
- Detailed Reports
- About this... Reports



# Multiple Report Types and Levels

- Security Reports
  - Executive
  - Developer...
- Industry Standard
  - PCI
  - OWASP
- Regulatory Compliance
  - Sarbanes-Oxley
  - Visa
  - Mastercard



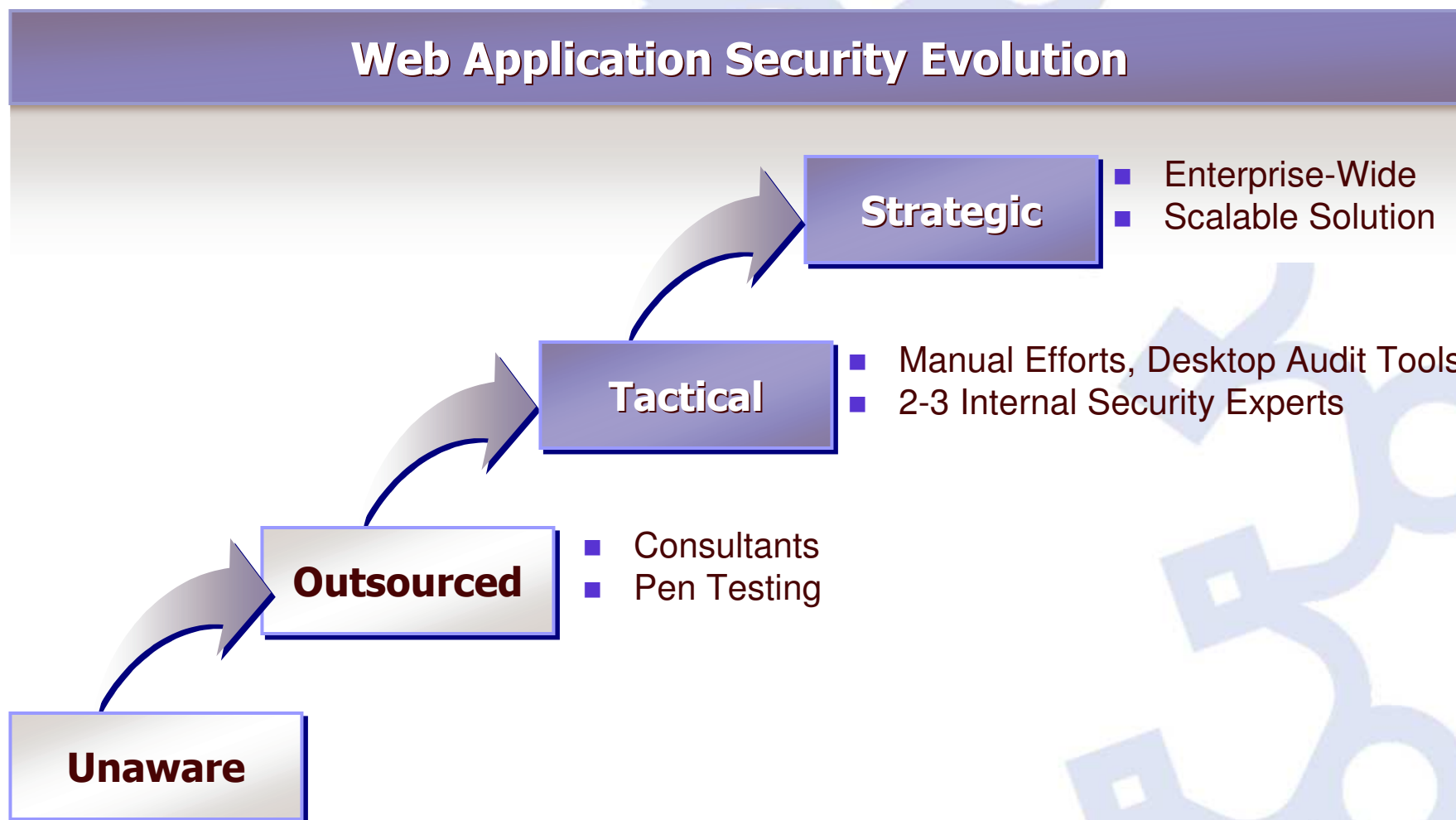
# AppScan with QA Defect Logger for ClearQuest

The screenshot displays the Watchfire AppScan interface. The main window shows a scan of 'My Application' with 54 security issues. A context menu is open over a 'Cross-Site Scripting' issue, with the option 'Log Defect to ClearQuest' highlighted. A blue arrow points from this menu item to the 'Defect Details' window.

**Defect Details Window:**

- Credentials:** Username: admin, Password: [redacted]
- Summary:** SQL Injection in http://revelation/ocmehack.me/bank/login.aspx (Parameter passw)
- Severity:** 1-Critical
- Priority:** solve Immediately
- WASC Threat Classification:** Client-side Attacks: Cross-site Scripting
- Security Risk:** It is possible to steal or manipulate customer session and cookies, which may be used to impersonate a legitimate user, allowing the hacker to view or alter user records and to perform transactions as the user.
- Attachments:** Advisory.html, FixRec.html, Variant1-0i..., Variant1-Tes..., Variant2-0i..., Variant2-Tes..., Variant3-0i...

# Solving The Problem Requires a Strategic Approach



Q & A

Questions?

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## Resources

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Thank-you  
Gracias

