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***Security and Compliance are necessary:
High costs are optional***

***John Smith
Senior Security Architect***



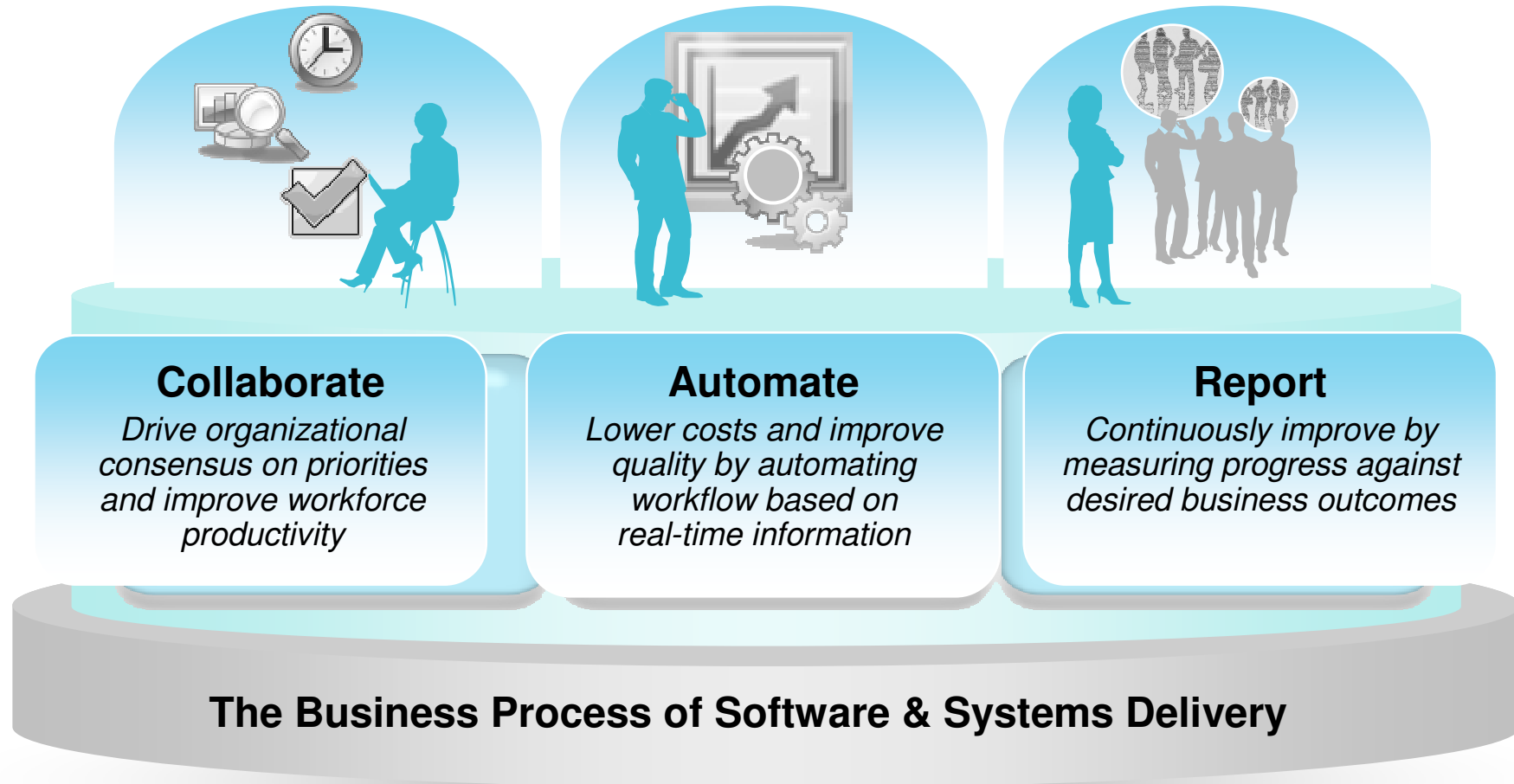
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Executive Summary

- Application security continues to be a top security threat
- Monetization of attacks, Regulatory Compliance (PCI), user demand (Web 2.0) and Enterprise Modernization (SOA) are driving awareness and action for security testing
- The cost and lack of coverage of reactive security is driving companies towards proactive measures – building security into the application development process
- Traditional approaches make it unlikely that development will support security testing due to schedule risks and potential project failure



Governing the process of software and systems delivery aligned with evolving business priorities





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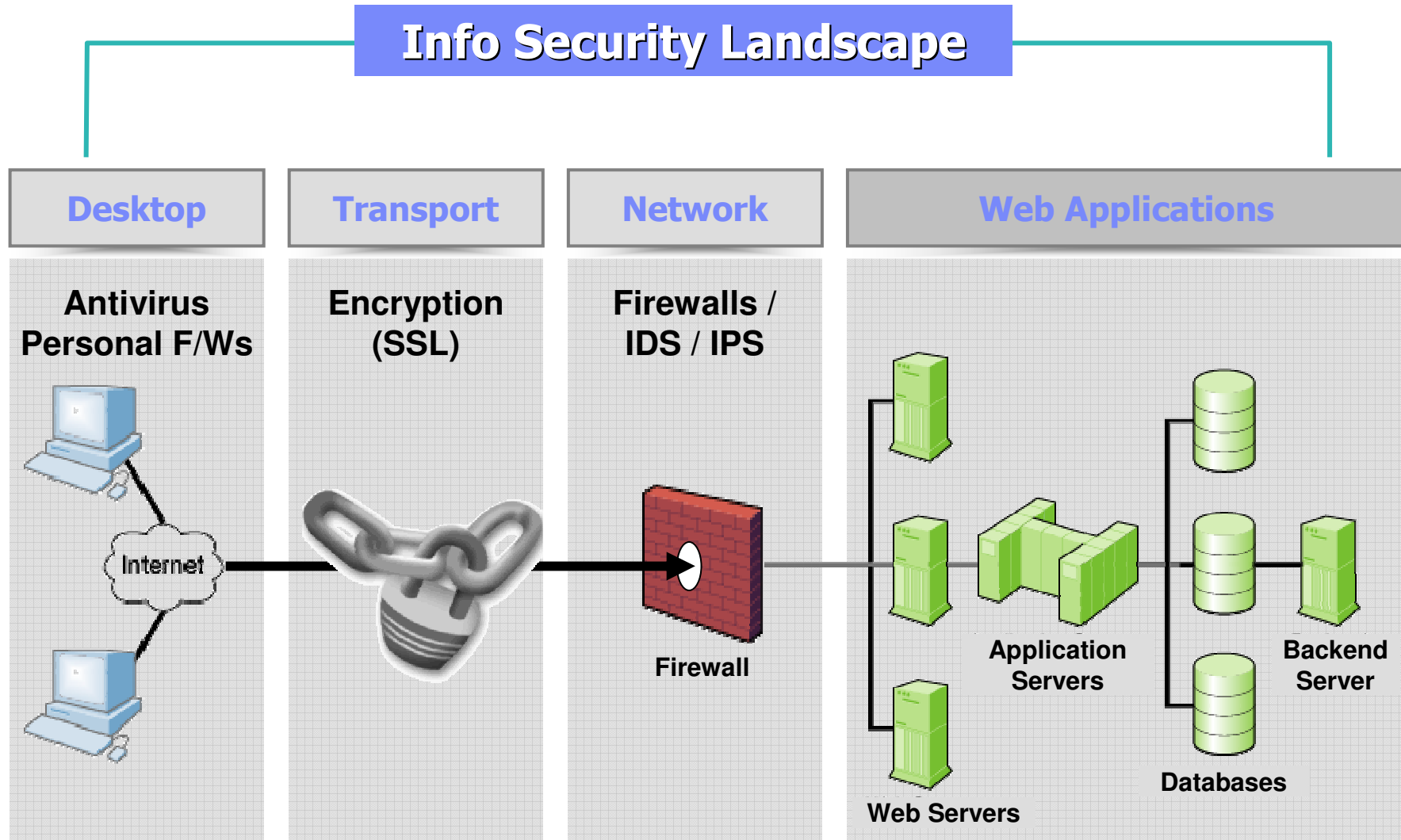
- **Application Security Primer**
- Lowering the cost of compliance
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Application Security - Understanding the Problem





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Application Security Hacking Example



Altoro Mutual: Recent Transactions - Windows Internet Explorer

http://altoro.testfire.net/bank/transaction.aspx

Links ZD digg My NYT start AC EC emp SF wallet ASE

Altoro Mutual: Recent Transactions

22	1001160140	Deposit	1050.88
23	1001160140	Car Payment	389.12
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27	1001160140	Car Payment	389.12
68	1001160141	Deposit	877.8
74			878.9
77			881.1
265			150000
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366	1005160101		882.15732
378	1006160141		878.85336
384	1006160141		879.95468
387	1006160141		882.15732
419	1006160141		150180
100116014		jsmith,Demo1234	
100216018		sspeed,Demo1234	
100316012		tuser,tuser	
100416016		admin,admin	
100516010		sjoe,Frazier	
100616014		cclay,Ali	
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Application responds with user names and passwords of other account holders!

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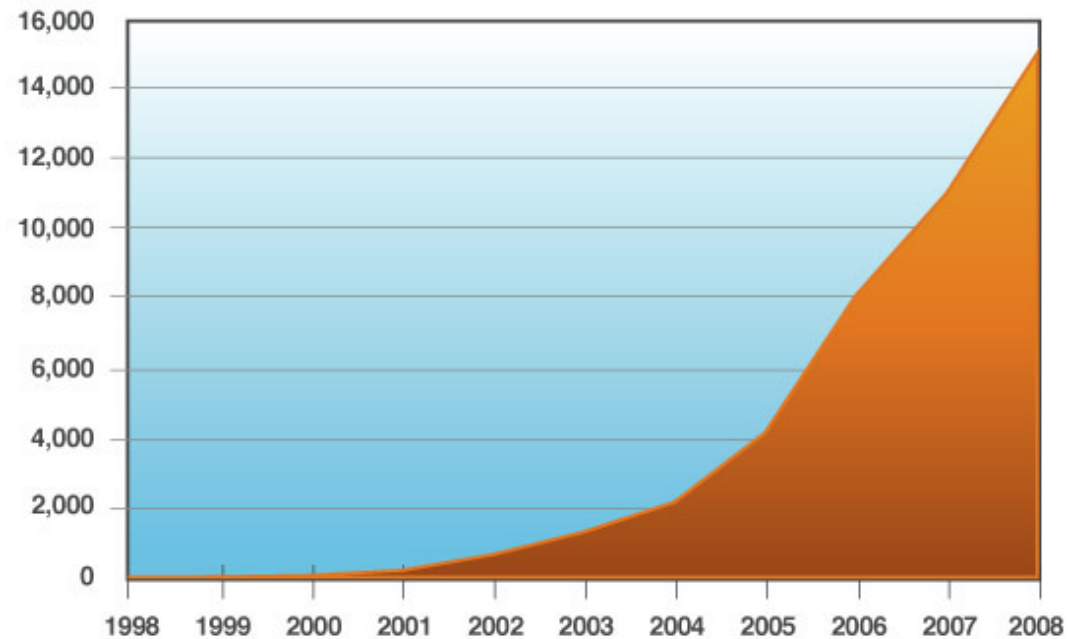
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Internet 100%

Growth In Web Application Vulnerabilities

- Most prevalent type of vulnerability affecting servers today is vulnerabilities related to Web applications
- 54% of new vulnerability disclosures were Web application vulnerabilities

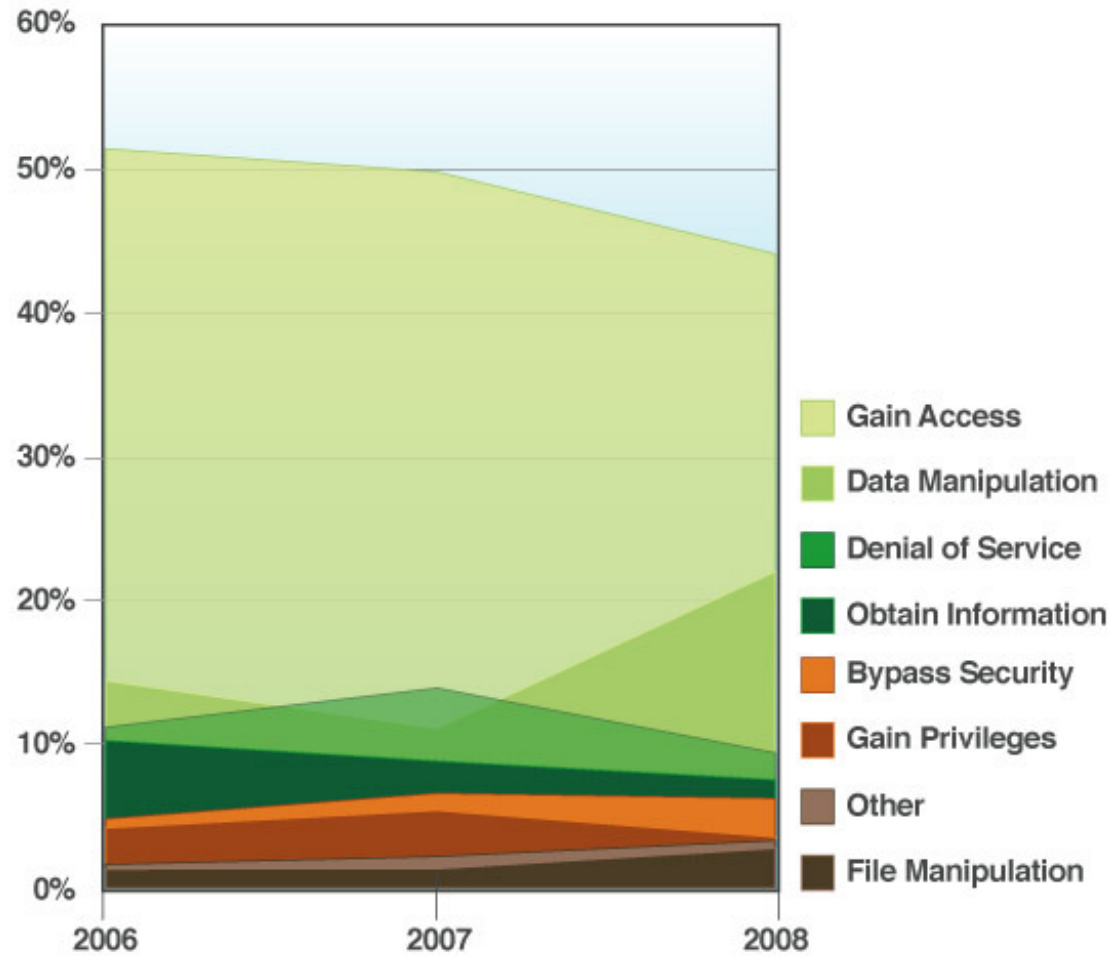
Cumulative Count of Web Application Vulnerabilities
1998 – 2008



source: IBM X-Force®

Motives Behind Application Hacking Incidents

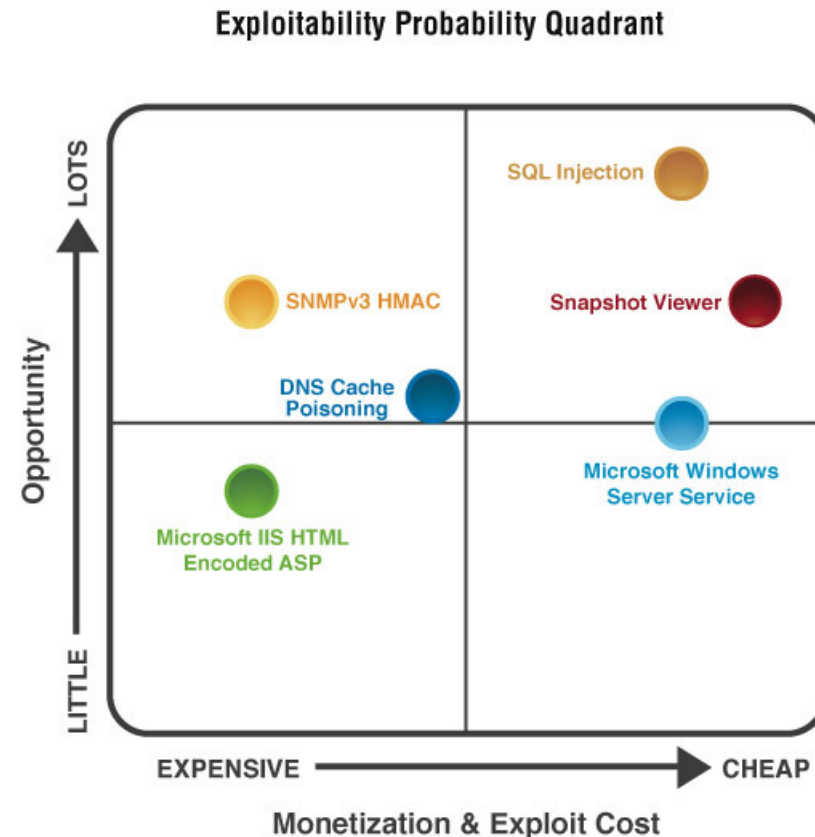
Vulnerability Consequences as a Percentage of Overall Disclosures, 2006 – 2008



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Monetization of Attacks

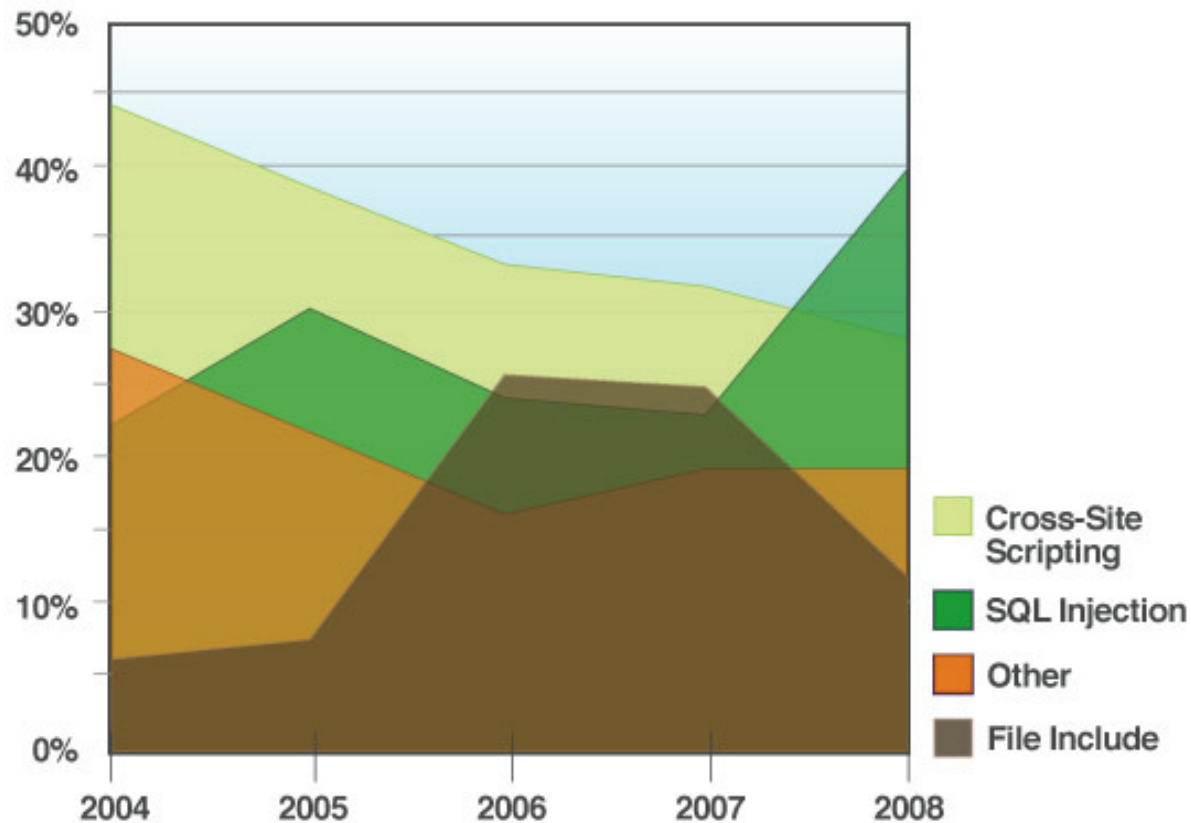
- No longer are amateur hackers taking joy-rides on corporate IS
- Today's hacker is sophisticated, likely part of organized crime, and is looking for financial reward for their efforts
- Vulnerability scoring systems fail to take into account economic opportunity when analyzing threats



source: IBM X-Force®

Mechanisms hackers use to attack Web applications

Web Application Vulnerabilities
by Attack Technique 2004 – 2008



source: IBM X-Force®



Where Do These Problems Exist?

Type:

- Customer facing services
- Partner portals
- Employee intranets

Source:

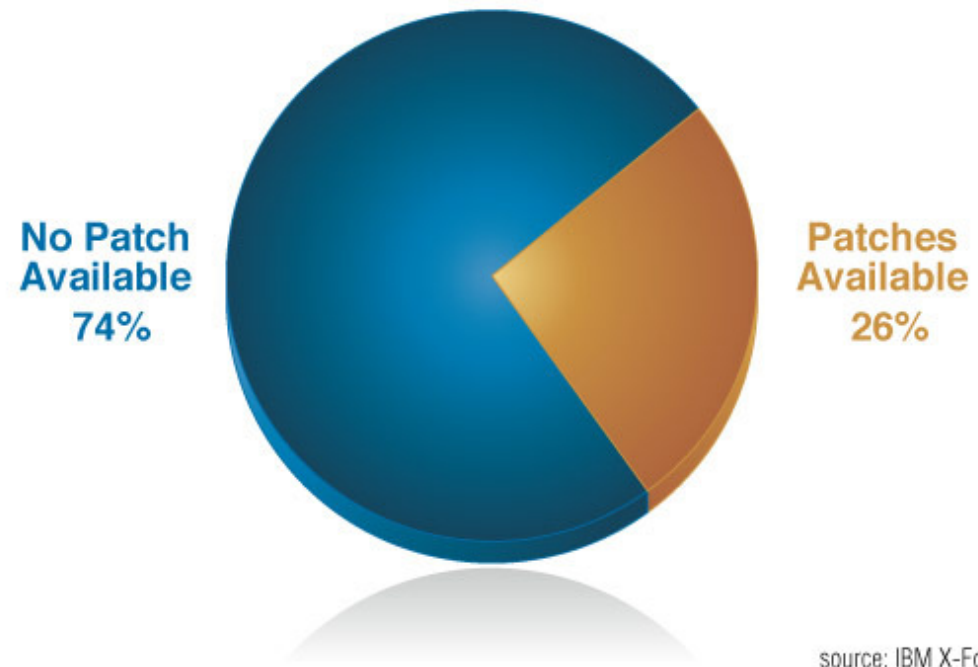
1. Applications you buy – e.g. COTS
2. Applications you build internally
3. Applications you outsource



No patch for you

- 74% of Web app vulnerabilities have no vendor-supplied patches
- This doesn't include custom developed applications which may never have had vulnerability testing performed against them

Percent of 2008 Web Application Vulnerabilities with No Vendor-Supplied Patch Available at the End of 2008



source: IBM X-Force®

What is the Root Cause?

1. Developers not trained in security
 - Most computer science curricula have no security courses
 - Focus is on developing features
2. Under investment from security teams
 - Lack of tools, policies, process,
 - Lack of resources
3. Growth in complex, mission critical online applications
 - Online banking, commerce, Web 2.0, etc

Result: Application security incidents are on the rise



USDA admits data breach, thousands of social security numbers revealed



BJ's Settles Case with FTC over Customer Data



Visa, Amex Cut Ties with CardSystems

IBM Internet Security Systems: X-Force® 2008 Mid-Year Trend Statistics, July 2008





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What is the cost of a fixing a vulnerability?

...same as the cost of a defect, with greater implications.

80% of development costs are spent identifying and correcting defects!

National Institute of Standards & Technology



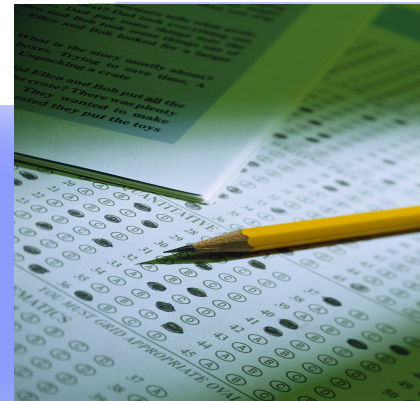
During the **coding phase**

\$25/defect



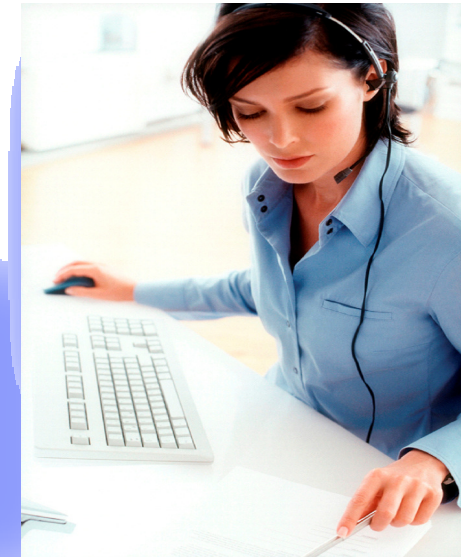
During the **build phase**

\$100/defect



During the **QA/Testing phase**

\$450/defect



Once **released as a product**

\$16,000/defect

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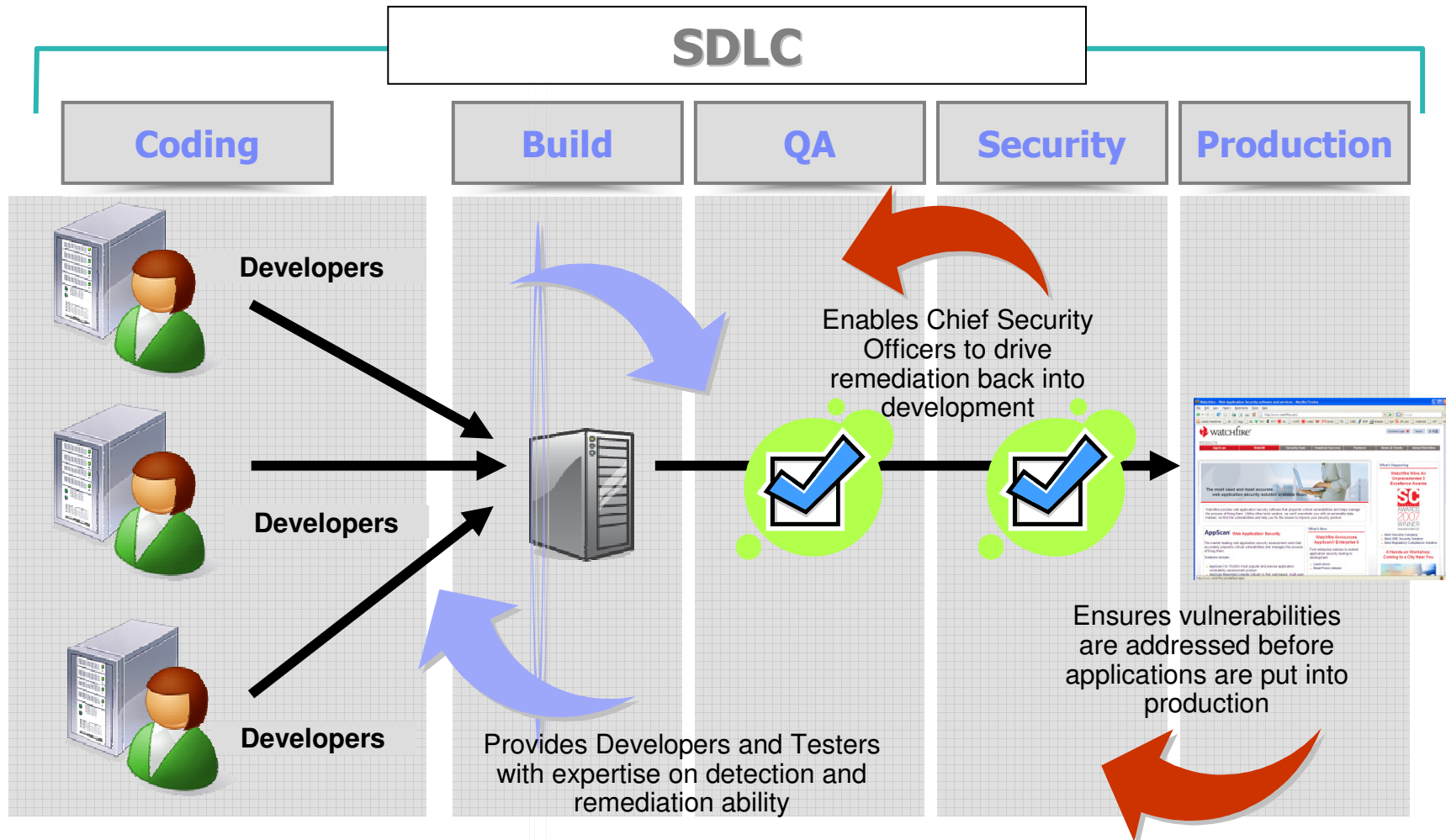
Law suits, loss of customer trust, damage to brand

The increasing costs of fixing a defect....

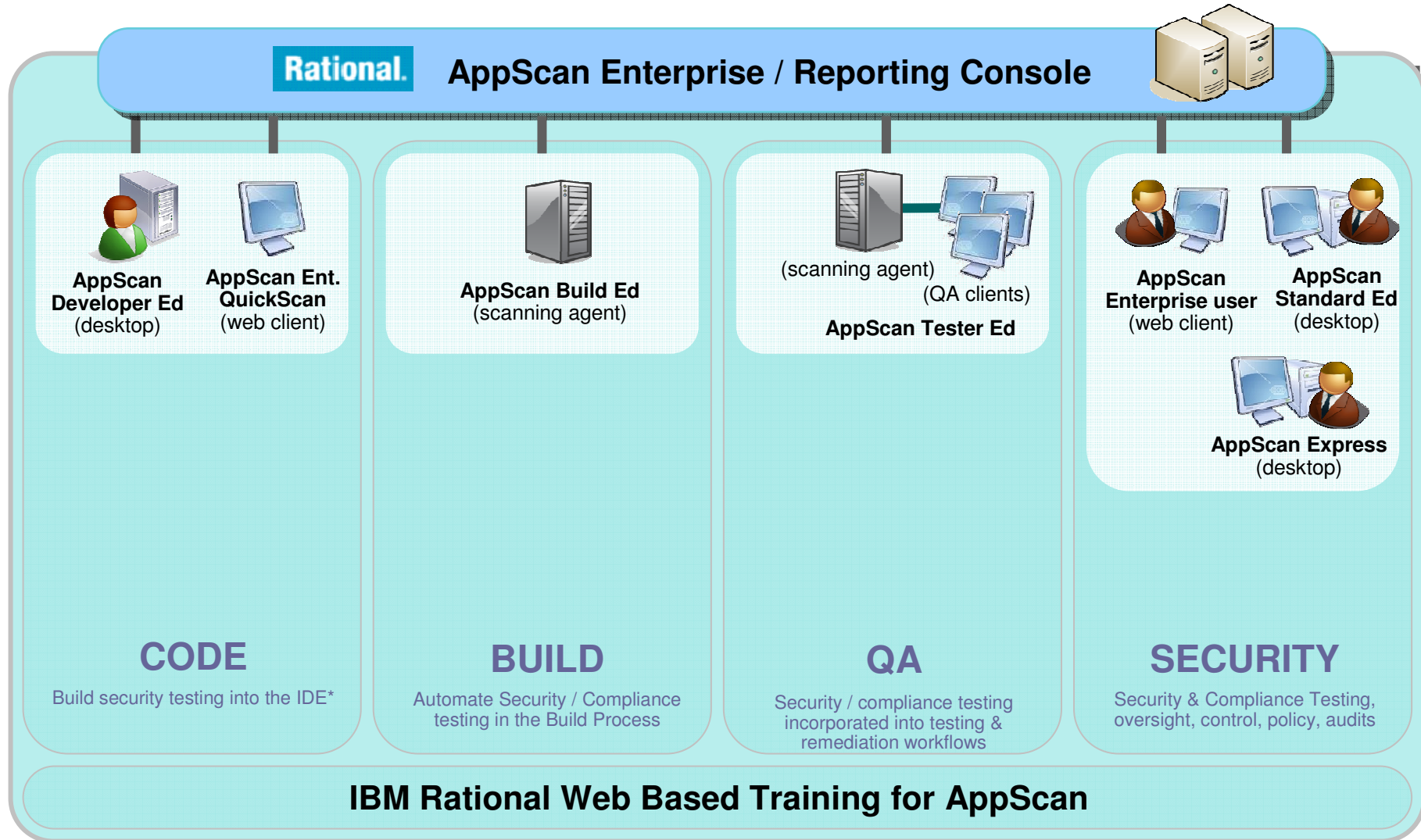


Why Rational Security Analysis solution?

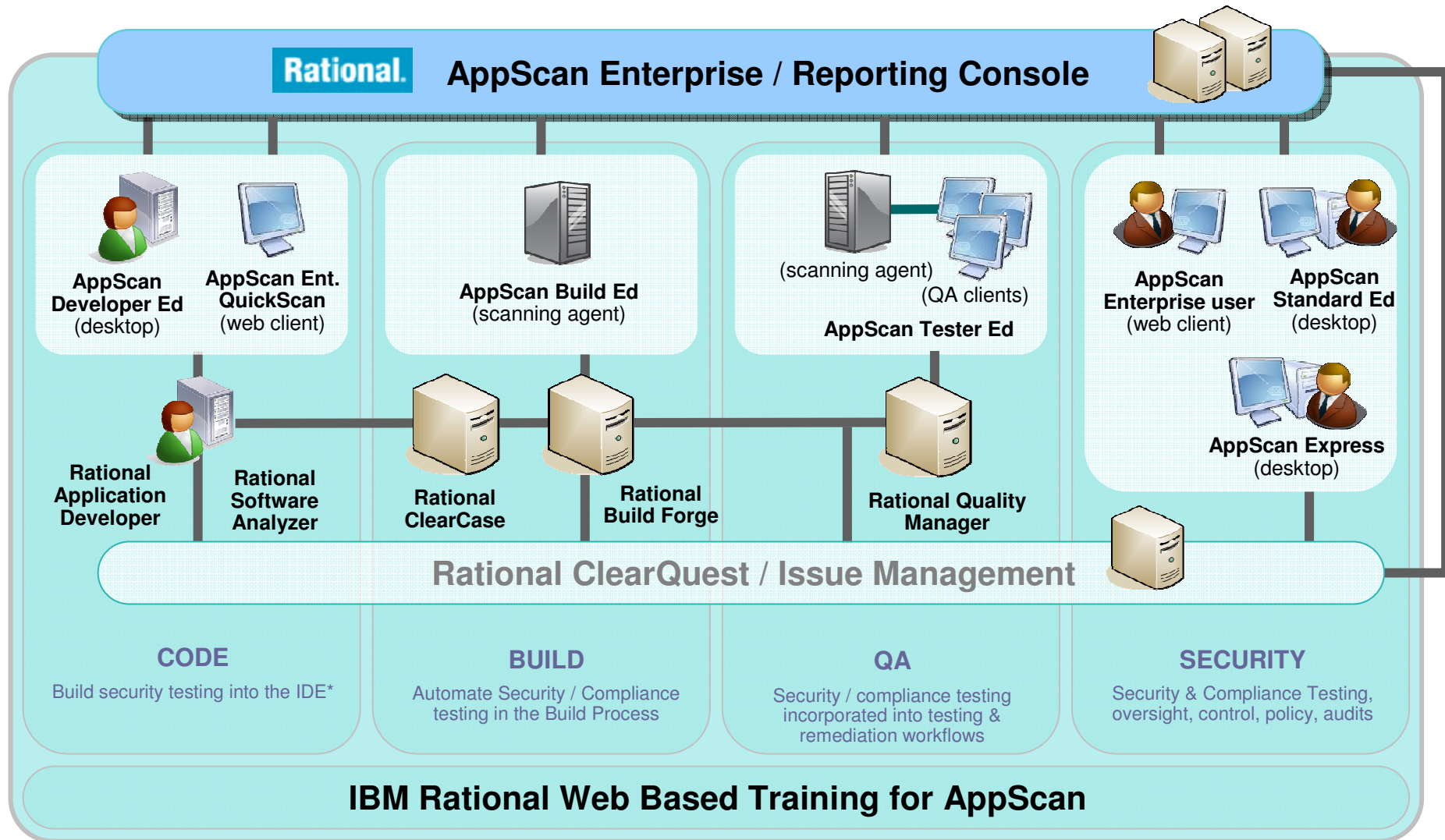
AppScan Enables the Detection & Remediation of Vulnerabilities across the entire SDLC.
 Targetting code and build phases reduces cost of compliance



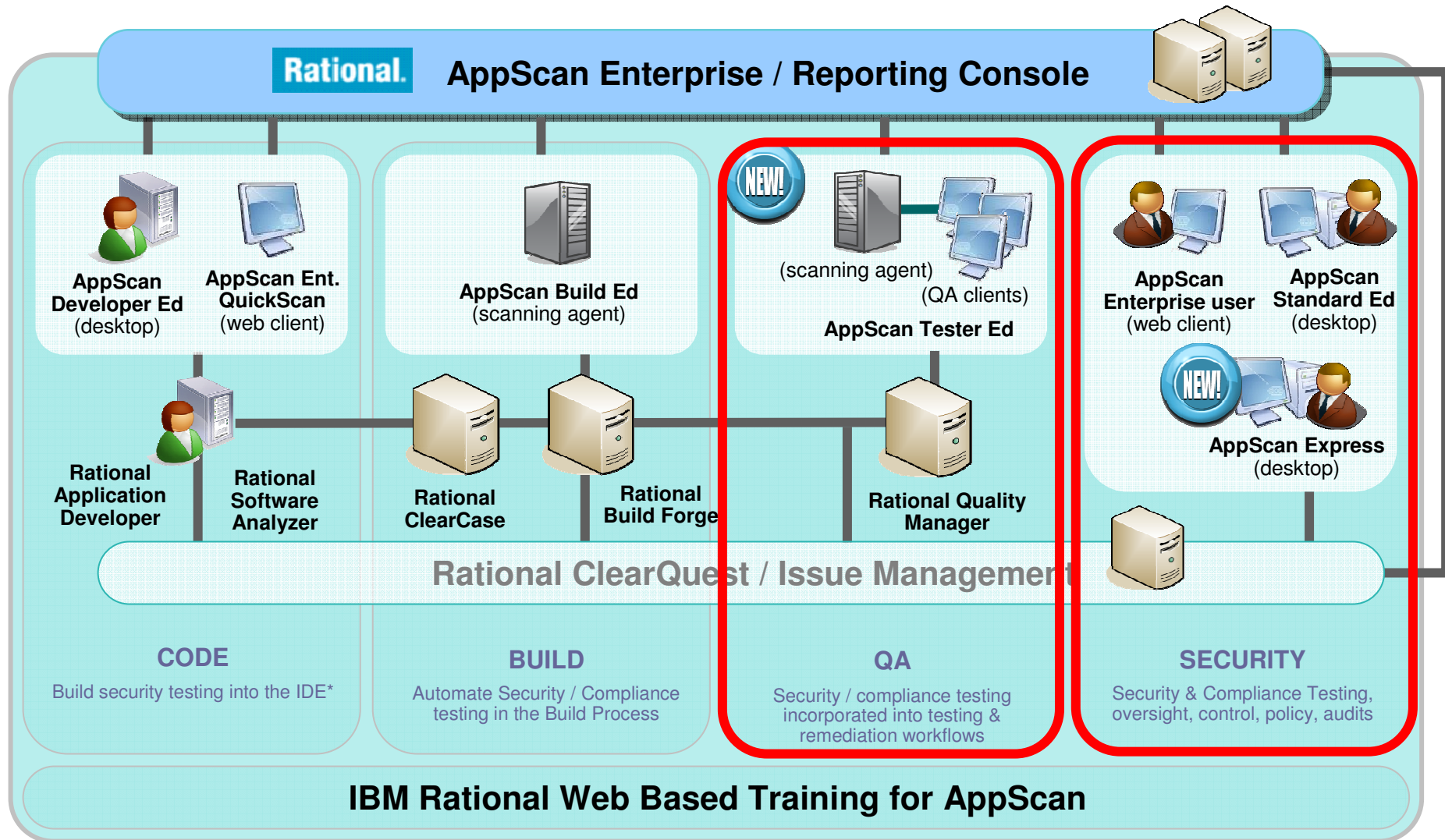
IBM Rational AppScan Offerings



IBM Rational AppScan Ecosystem

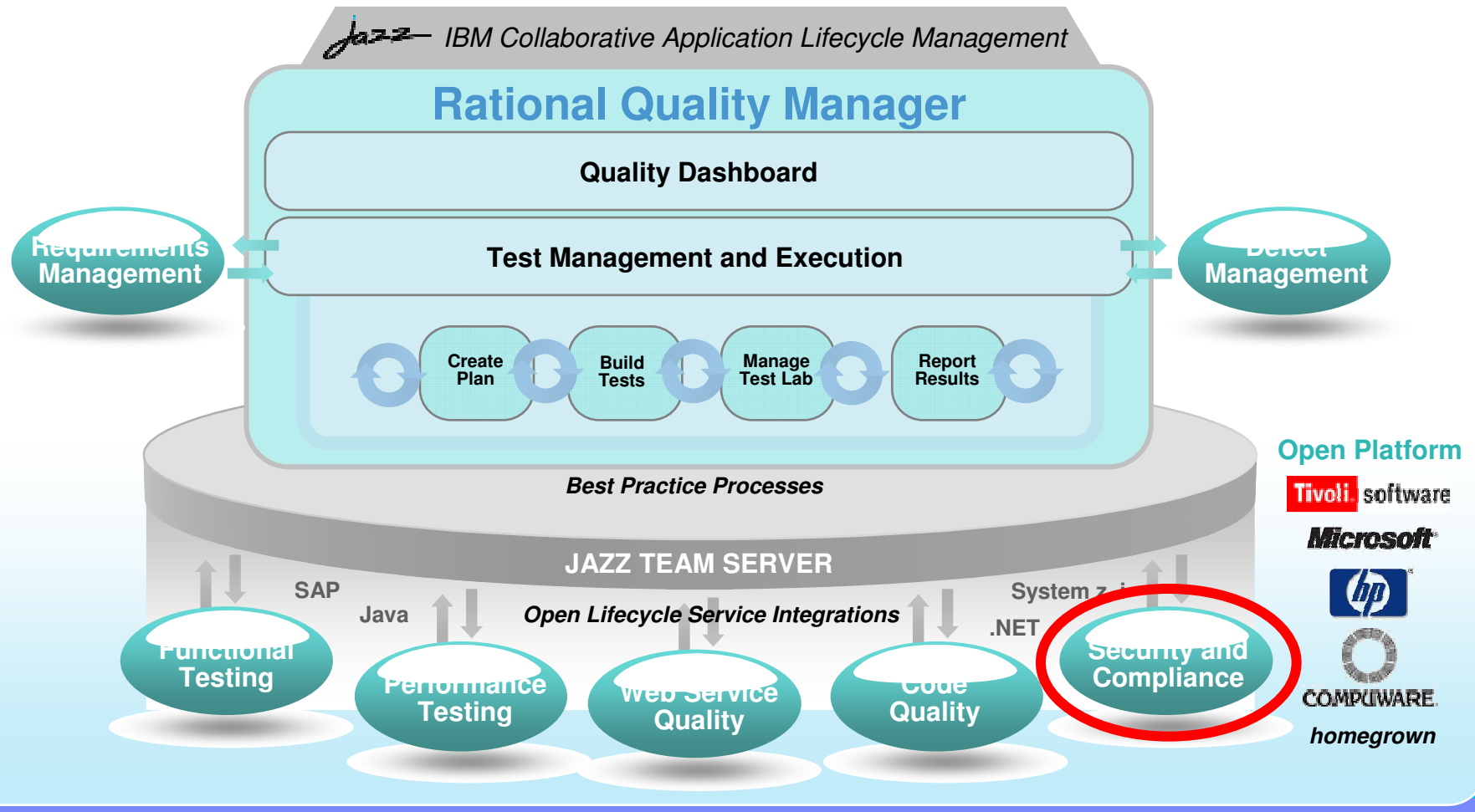


IBM Rational AppScan Ecosystem

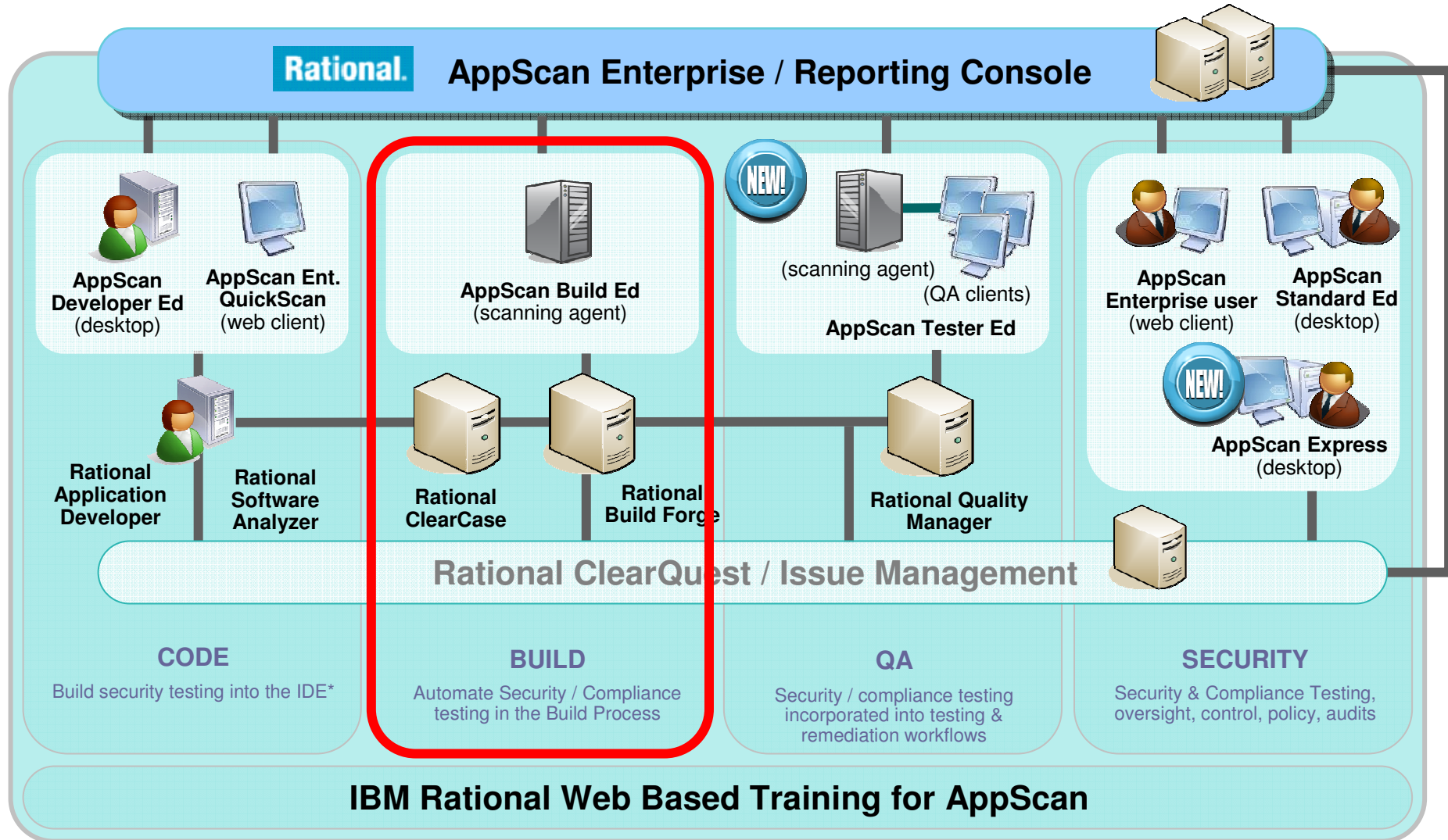


AppScan Tester Edition for RQM

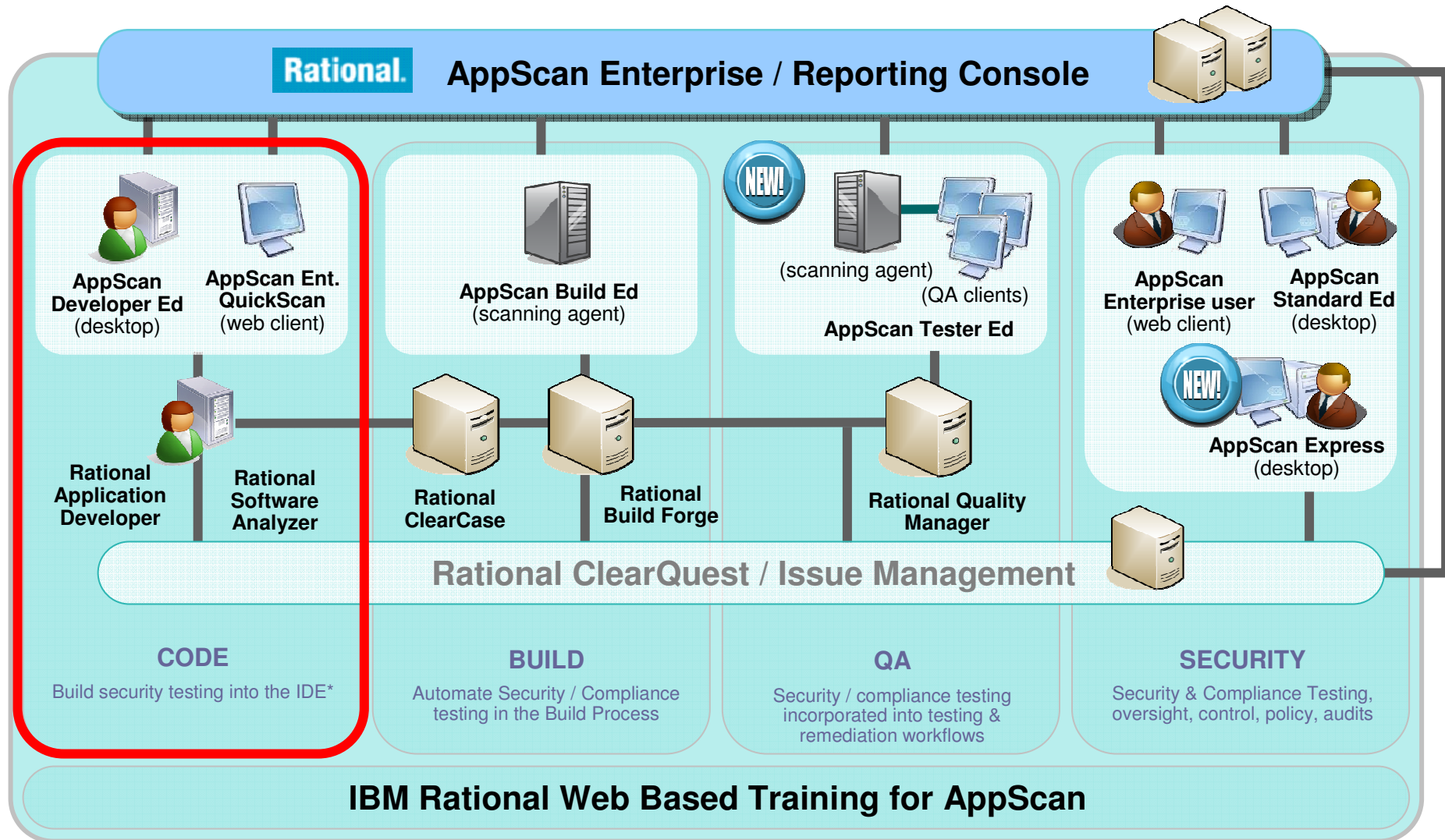
- Seamless integration of security testing into Rational Quality Manager (RQM)
- Embedded into the QA environment to allow full management of security testing in the same process flow as functional, performance and services testing



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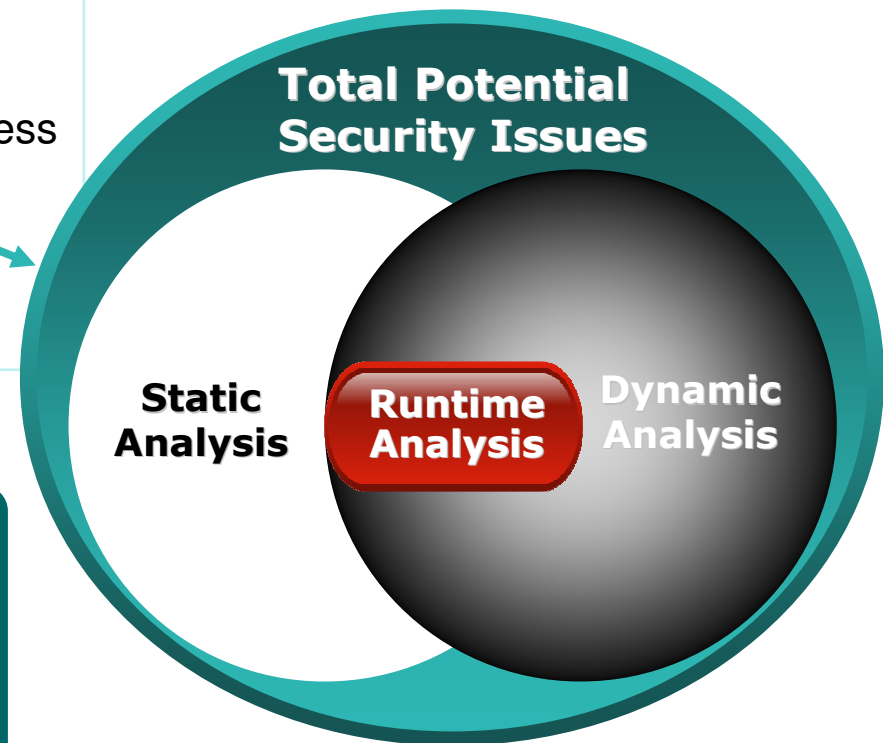
Security In Development: Code Offerings & Integration

Rational AppScan Developer Edition Themes

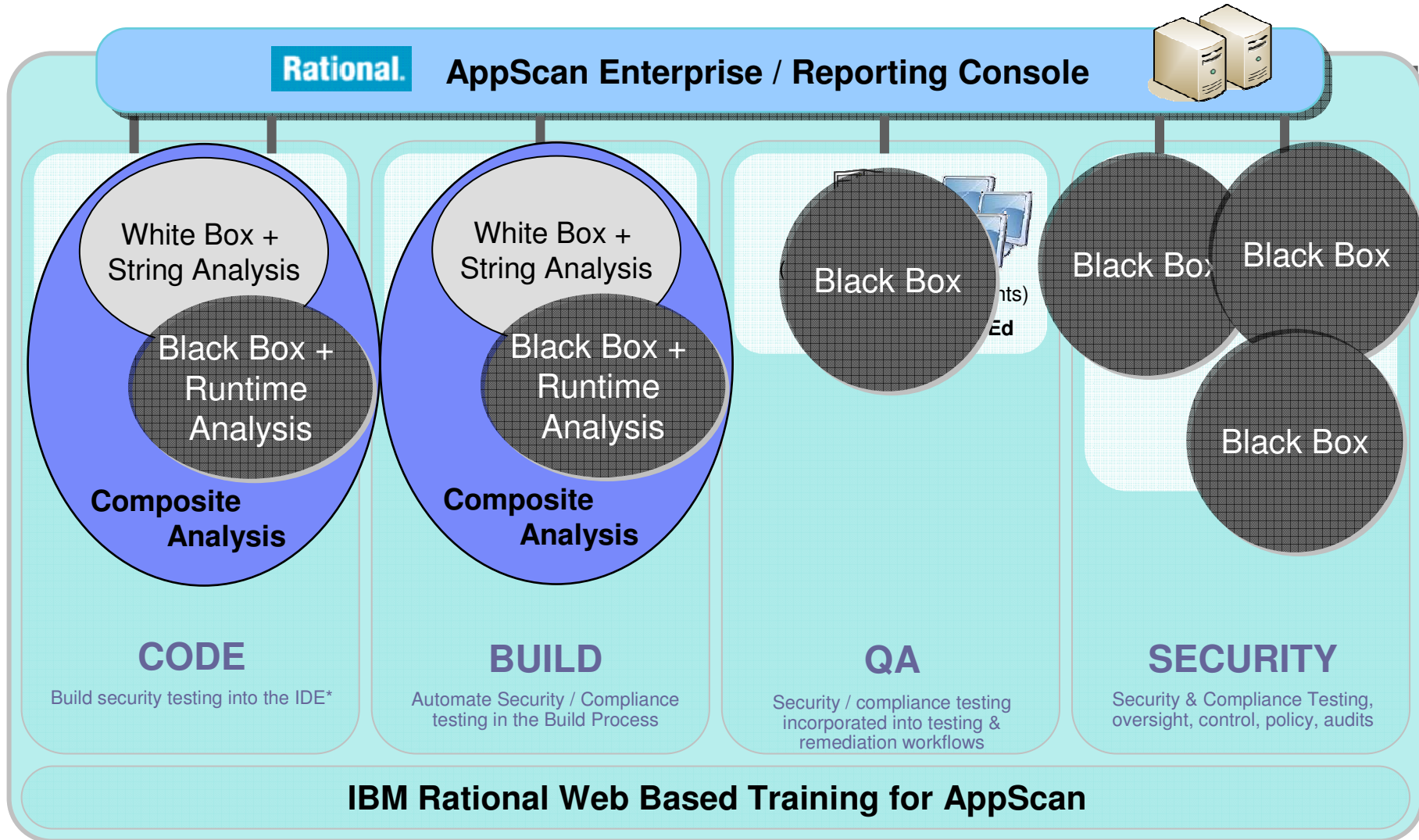
- Designed for Developers, not Security Auditors
- Self-Serve – No Security Expertise Required
- Natural fit into the Development Lifecycle Process & Tools
- The only holistic Security Solution in the marketplace

Business Outcome

- **Enable more people** to contribute to security testing coverage with solutions for specific use cases
- Use case offerings **facilitate the adoption of security with minimal disruption** to existing objectives



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AppScan OnDemand



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Rational SaaS – AppScan on Demand

- **Perfect for new Web Application Security & Compliance Initiatives**
 - ▶ Ideal for companies who don't write their own code, purchase packaged applications or outsource development

Proven Results

- Leverages industry-leading AppScan Suite of Tools
- Outsourced to highly experienced team of product experts who:
 - Work cross-industry, share learnings
 - Maximize product capabilities on the customers' behalf

Economic Benefits

- Low startup costs, no Capital Expenditure (subscription)
- Fast time-to-value
- Lower ongoing Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) vs. licensed solutions
- Increases efficiency of IT organizations

Ideal for Compliance

- **Simplifies and Centralizes compliance scanning**
- Auditable system of record
- Automates management and compliance of Web content

- **Execute with reduced business risk and cost**



Introducing expanded Rational AppScan OnDemand

- ✓ **Web application & service automated security testing**

- ▶ **AppScan OnDemand:**

- ▶ Comprehensive testing of pre-production applications
- ▶ Periodic assessment of applications in QA or Security
- ▶ Monthly scans
- ▶ Flexible offerings based on organization (Small/Medium/Large)



- ▶ **AppScan OnDemand Production Site Monitoring:**

- ▶ Continuous scanning of production Web sites for vulnerabilities that may have been introduced after the app went live
- ▶ Dynamic or interactive content and forms, online registrations
- ▶ Weekly scans

The Result: Reduce online cost and risk without in-house resources with the fastest route to actionable information





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Case Study: A Federal Government Department

- **Customer Pains**
 - **Serious breaches of key website including defacement**
 - **No consistent approach to security testing**
- **Outcome**
 - ▶ Deployed Rational AppScan Enterprise in various ways:
 - Hosted and managed by sub-department
 - Hosted by sub-department, managed by IBM
 - Hosted and managed by IBM (SaaS model)
 - ▶ Creating Standard Operating Procedures to use product in consistent way across sub-departments
 - On-site training
 - Web-based training
 - Documented processes
 - Developers trained on secure code practices

▪ Phase 1: Scan all production applications

- ▶ Deploy AppScan Enterprise to each sub-department
- ▶ Configure to look for critical issues (SQL Injection, Cross-site scripting)

▪ Phase 2: Testing in pre-production

- ▶ Implemented a gating process
- ▶ Zero high vulnerabilities in order to go live

▪ Phase 3: Deploy to QA

- ▶ Enable QA team to implement security testing during development cycles



Case Study: A Federal Government Department

■ Challenges

- Myriad products already being used
- Lack of Executive champions
- Outsourced application development and hosting

■ Competitive products

- ▶ Demonstrate capabilities
- ▶ Achieve early success to build credibility

■ Executive Champions

- ▶ Identify evangelists
- ▶ Carry a big stick

■ Outsourced Development

- ▶ Security testing becomes part of User Acceptance testing
- ▶ Include security specifications in contracts



Case Study: A Networking Company

Customer Pains

- **Small, niche security team had become a bottleneck to the 2,000+ development organization**
- **Web applications portfolio estimated at 2,500 applications – about 425 applications changed yearly**
- **Had an experienced application team using AppScan, but needed a way to scale and involve many more testers in the process**

Outcome

- Deployed Rational AppScan Enterprise, providing access to **ALL** developers to test applications and address security issues before being pushed downstream
 - Essential to abstract security complexities and maintain efficient development timelines
 - Ensured security team could manage project, configure scans and control access to vulnerability data
- Web-based training was a key component to project success
 - Developers trained on secure code practices
 - Custom training created to facilitate adoption



*“We are completely dependent on development teams to deliver vulnerability-free code.”
--Vice President, IT Security*

