



Securing Your Storage

Exploring OPSWAT MetaDefender Solutions

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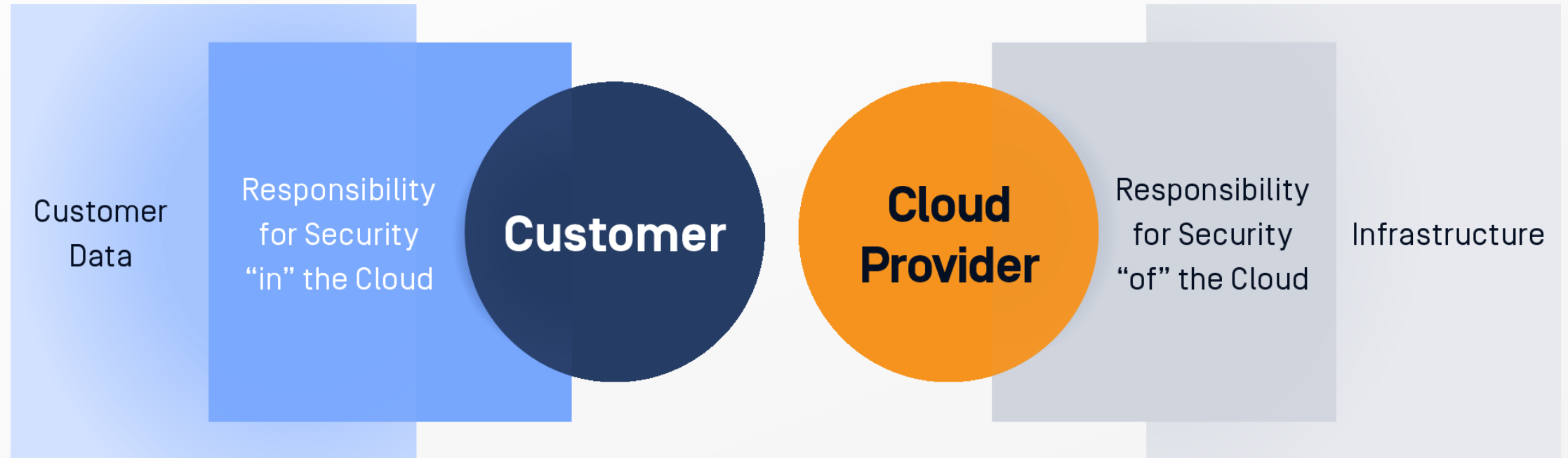
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More than 90% of enterprises are multi-cloud environments.

COMPLIANCE

Shared Responsibilities

AWS: “Compliance is a Shared Responsibility”



CHALLENGES

Compliance & Data Privacy

53% of companies found over 1,000 sensitive files exposed to all staff

4.45M average cost of a data breach (2023)

\$4.44B GDPR fines reported (2023)

74% of all breaches include the human element through Error, Privilege Misuse, Use of stolen credentials or Social Engineering.

82% breaches that involved data stored in the cloud—public, private or multiple environments

277 days to identify and contain a data breach

32% of all Log4j vulnerability scanning occurred in the first 30 days after release

Recent Storage-Borne Attacks

Western Digital hacked: \$18b storage firm's services taken offline

“[...] The hackers who breached data storage giant Western Digital claim to have **stolen around 10 terabytes of data** from the company, including reams of customer information. The extortionists are pushing the company to negotiate a ransom — of a “minimum 8 figures” — in exchange for not publishing the stolen data. [...]”

Source: <https://therecord.media/ransomware-attack-on-americaold-cold-storage>

Akira ransomware attacks against network-attached storage and backup devices

“[...] Attacks deployed by Akira have been targeted at Cisco Adaptive Security Appliance and Cisco Firepower Threat Defense appliances impacted by the zero-day flaw, tracked as CVE-2023-20269, which could be leveraged to facilitate brute-force intrusions. [...]”

Source: <https://www.scmagazine.com/brief/escalating-akira-ransomware-attacks-target-finland>

Major ransomware attacks have impacted Danish cloud hosting companies CloudNordic and AzeroCloud

“[...] Attackers have infiltrated certain network-linked CloudNordic and AzeroCloud servers during a migration to another data center, enabling the compromise of critical administrative systems and entire data storage silos and backup systems, which was then followed by total server disk encryption. [...]”

Source: <https://www.scmagazine.com/brief/cloudnordic-azerocloud-hit-by-severe-ransomware-attacks>

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THE PROBLEM

Malware Evades Traditional and AI/ML Anti-Malware, Sandboxes, WAFs, Next-Gen Firewalls, and Compromises Storage Systems

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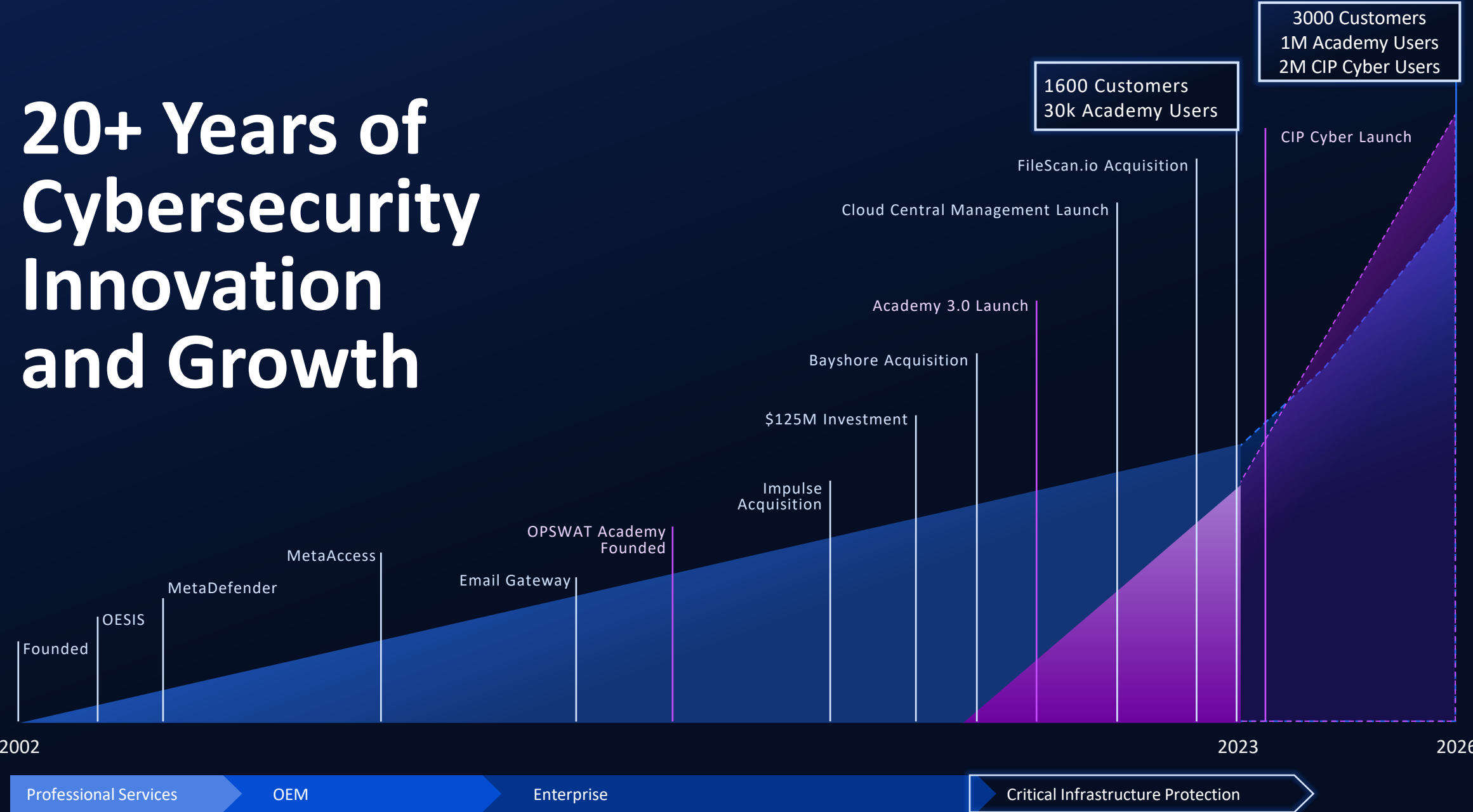
How We Can Help

An aerial night photograph of a city and a river. The city is illuminated with warm yellow lights, showing a dense urban area with a large industrial facility on the left. A hill in the background features a brightly lit castle. A river flows through the center, with a bridge and a dam visible in the distance. On the right bank, there are three large, glowing cooling towers and several white storage tanks. A small airplane is visible in the dark sky above the river. The foreground shows a rocky, dark landscape.

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Trust no file.

In 2022, malware saw a rapid resurgence from its seven-year low in 2021 – climbing to an astonishing **1.2 billion**

PDF, Word and .EXE files serve as the payload mechanism for **over 62% of malware**.

<https://parachute.cloud/cyber-attack-statistics-data-and-trends/>
<https://smartdataweek-com.custommaposter.com/article/malware-statistics-in-2023-frequency-impact-cost-more#toc-14>



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Multiscanning



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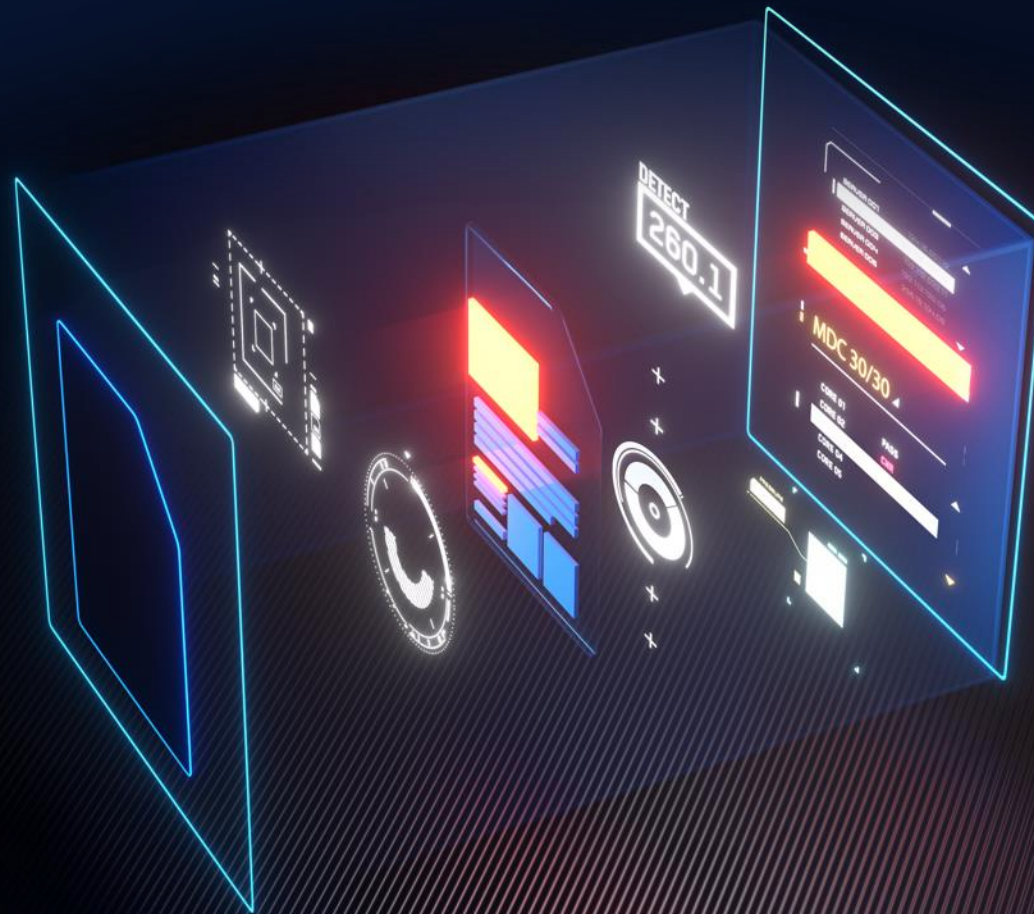
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Content Disarm and Reconstruct (CDR)

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Adaptive Sandbox

Adaptive threat analysis technology enables zero-day malware detection and extracts more indicators of compromise.



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What is MetaDefender Storage Security?



Secure your Enterprise Data Storage



All-in-One Platform

- Integrates effortlessly into existing workflows, providing real-time or on-demand scanning across various storage repositories.
- Guards against zero-day threats and advanced targeted attacks using leading technologies.
- Delivers real-time threat detection and prevention to ensure robust storage security.



Plug-and-Play Integrations

- Enhance cost-effectiveness with a simple plug-and-play integration.
- Configure and start scanning easily without needing storage admins.
- Seamlessly integrates with Microsoft OneDrive, SharePoint Online, Azure, Amazon S3, Box, Cloudian S3, Dell Isilon, and any SMB or S3 compatible storage.
- Begin evaluating your storage within minutes.

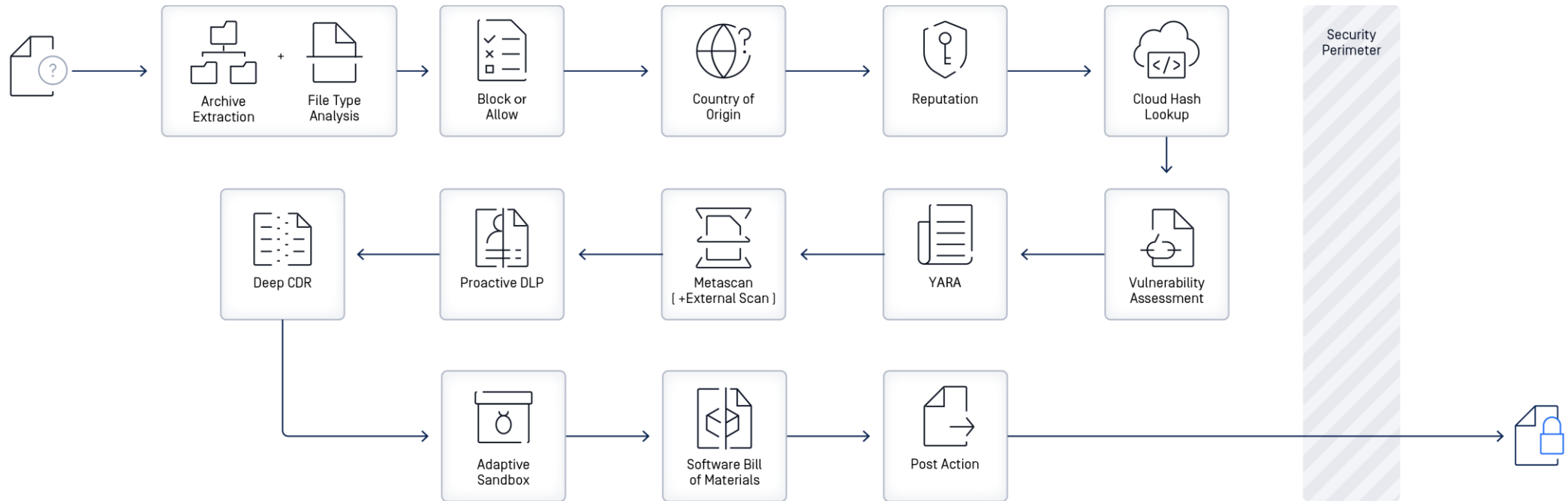


Enhanced File Privacy

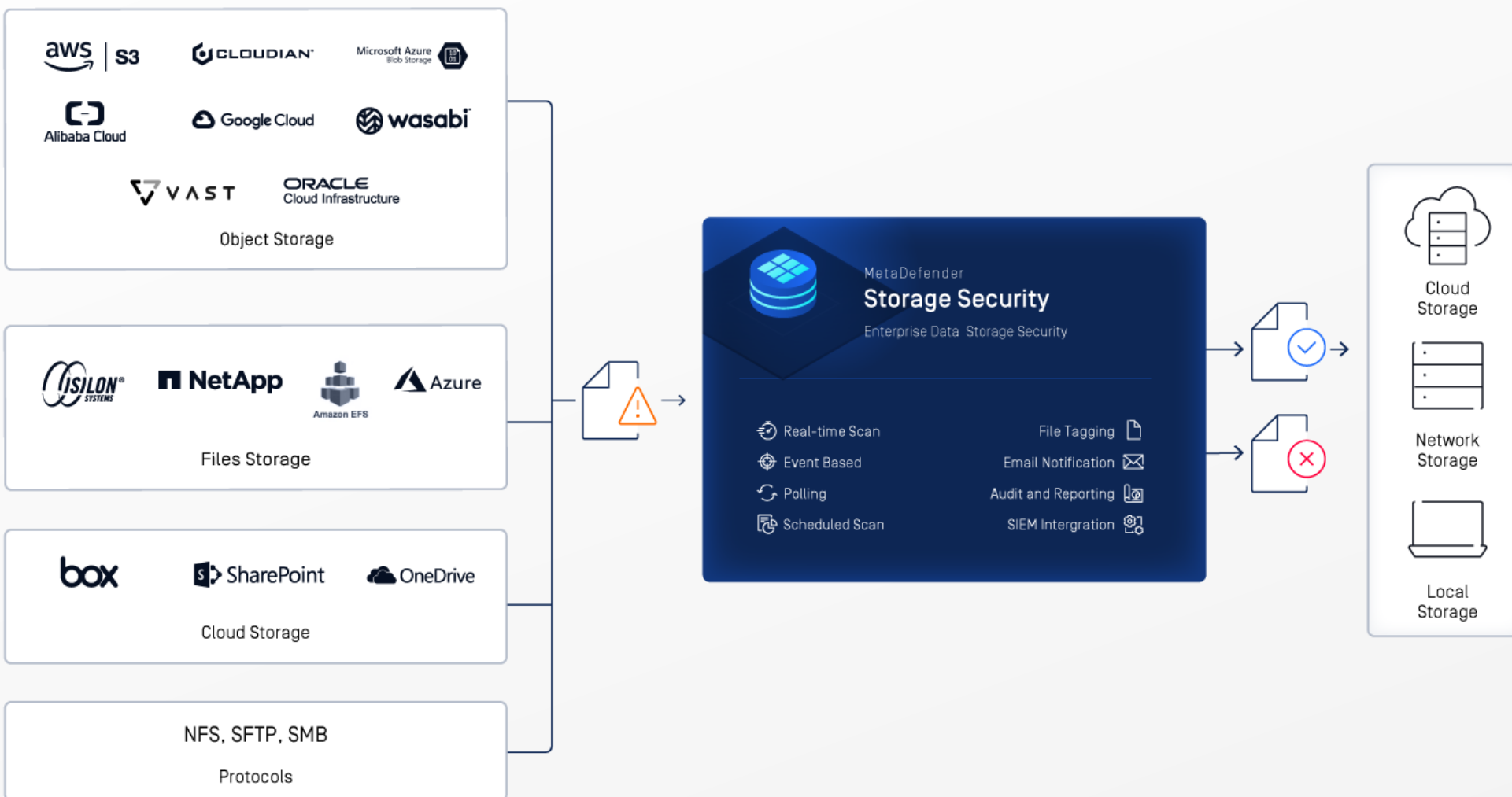
- Tailor policies, workflows, and remediation actions to fit your security needs.
- Meet requirements like PCI, HIPAA, Gramm-Leach-Bliley, and FINRA.
- Prevent sensitive data breaches by controlling data entry and exit within the organization.

File Processing Workflow

Analyze 10 files/second per deployment for enterprise-ready performance



Available Integration Options



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Features Overview

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Advanced File Processing

Real-Time Scanning: Files are processed immediately upon upload, ensuring instant threat detection.

Polling Handling: Regular checks for new files to scan.

Event-Based Handling: Trigger scans based on specific events.

Scheduled Scanning: Automate scans at predetermined times to regularly check storage for threats or vulnerabilities.

aws AWS S3 Storage

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Security Configuration Score

0/8 items resolved [View checklist](#)

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Region endpoint
eu-central-1

Storage ClientId
b0c1a790-d866-

Bucket name
mdss-alin

Folder location
-

Real-Time Processing ☒ On

[Start process](#)

☐ Pooling

☒ Event based

Make sure that MetaDefender Storage Security event-based RTP webhook invocation is setup on this storage.

Remediation actions

Deep CDR

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File Tagging and Management

Quickly classify file contents and identify malicious files for detailed analysis.

Choose steps based on tags like "Allowed," "Sanitized," or "Blocked."

Apply OPSWAT's Deep Content Disarm and Reconstruction (CDR) technology to sanitize files.

Copy, move, or delete files based on the set conditions after scanning.

Remediation Actions ×

Tag

Deep CDR

Move/Delete

Blocked files definition

Strict



☒ If the file is sanitized then

Move file to another storage unit

Azure Blob

☒ Keep folder structure

☒ Keep original file

☒ If the file is allowed then

Move file to another storage unit

Azure Blob

☒ Keep folder structure

☐ Keep original file

☐ If the file is blocked then

Save Settings

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Proactive Event Notifications

Notify specific individuals when critical events occur.

Key Events include report generation, user registrations, and file blocking.

Immediate Response by ensuring timely action and improved system management.

Customizable notifications to relevant stakeholders enable swift responses and maintain operational efficiency.

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 Dashboard

 Reports

 Audit

 Storage units

 Settings

Settings

Scan Pools

Scan Configurations

Export

SMTP

Notifications

License

Users

Email Notifications [This feature requires the SMTP Server to be configured]

☒ Send an email notification with the generated report

Send email notifications to the following recipients

☒ Only to the owner ☐ To all registered users

☒ Send an email notification for user registration requests to administrators

☐ Send an email notification for blocked files

Send email notifications to the following recipients ⓘ

☐ To all registered users ☐ Only to the file owner ☐ To the file owner and all registered users

Save Settings

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Streamlined Report Management

View all saved and scheduled reports in one centralized location.

Easily track health trends or meet audit requirements by periodically saving reports.

Compare key indicators from previous scans to gauge trends, ensuring informed decision-making and proactive security management.

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Dashboard

Reports

Amazon S3

Azure Blob

Google Cloud

SharePoint

NFS

Wasabi

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Settings

Amazon S3 Reports > AWS S3 Storage

Report History 32

Schedules 1

Search for a report

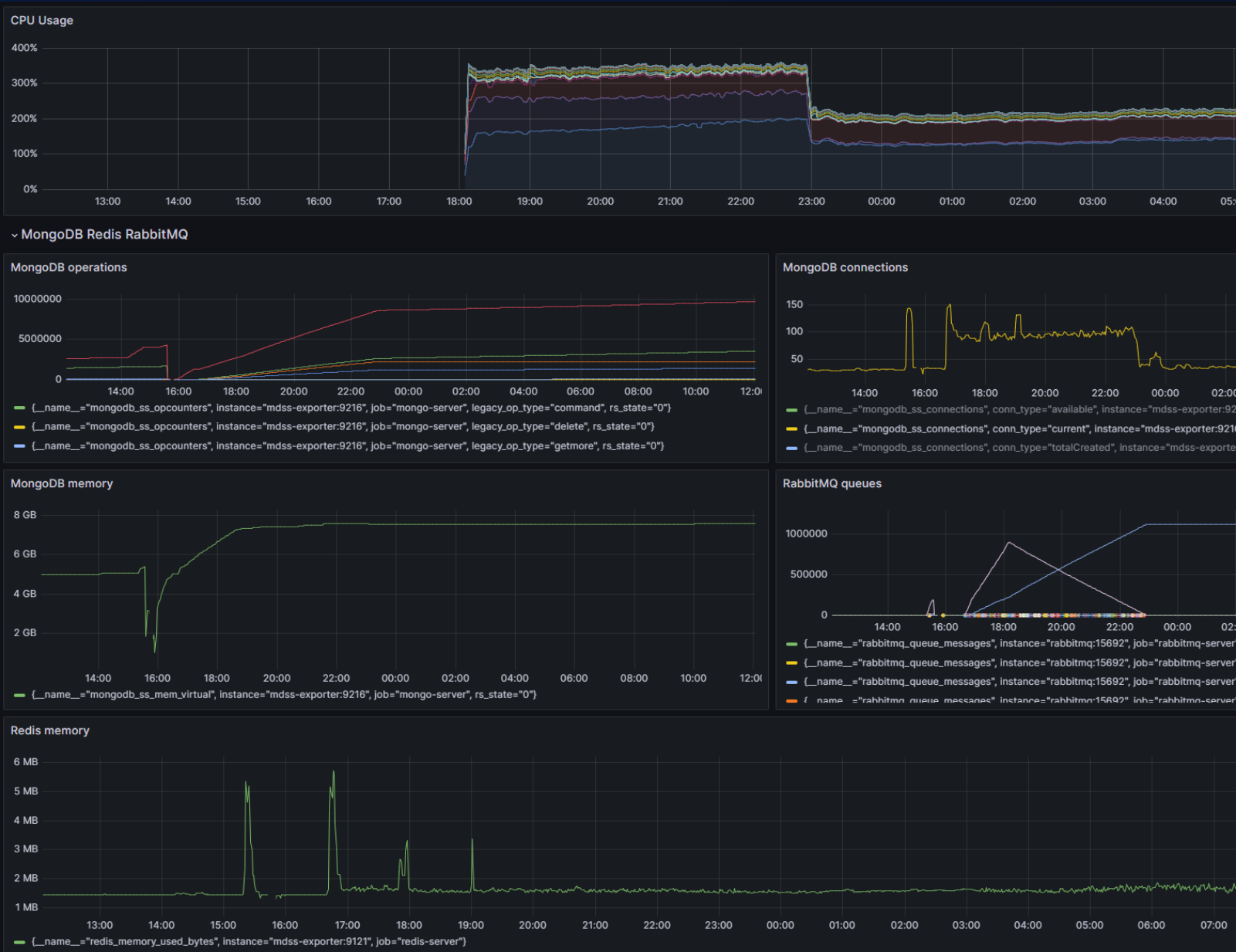
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SIEM Integration

OPSWAT MetaDefender Storage Security integrates seamlessly with SIEM systems through an intuitive GUI and RESTful API, ensuring quick incorporation into existing workflows.

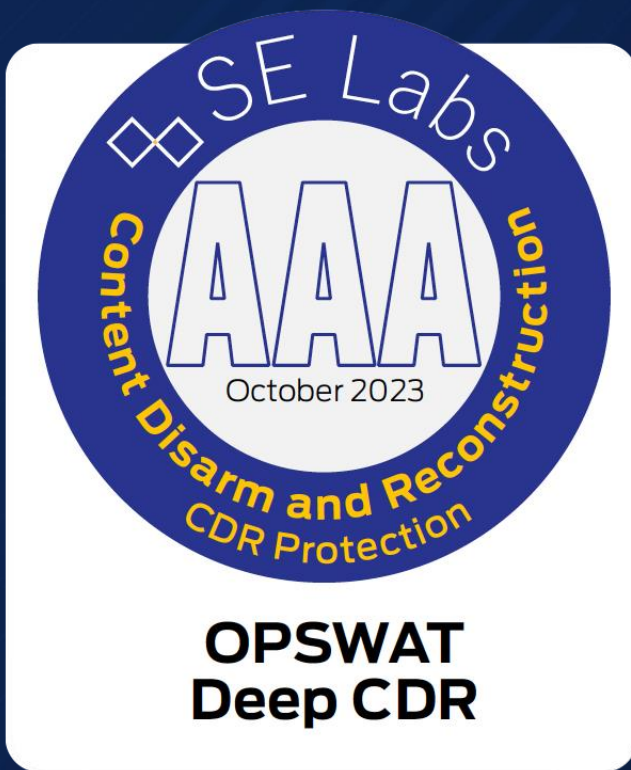
This design allows for efficient deployment and management, enhancing real-time threat detection and response without disrupting current processes.



Pain Points and Solutions

Threats & Customers' Pain Points	MetaDefender Storage Security
Difficulty detecting sophisticated malware with single AV solutions.	Utilizes multiple antivirus engines for higher detection rates, identifying and neutralizing sophisticated threats.
Challenges in preventing zero-day attacks.	Removes malicious code from files, preventing zero-day attacks while preserving file usability through Content Disarm and Reconstruction
Risk of exploitation due to unpatched vulnerabilities.	Identifies vulnerabilities in stored files and applications, enabling proactive mitigation.
Risk of intellectual property theft and non-compliance.	Detects and prevents sensitive data leakage, ensuring intellectual property compliance and protection through Proactive Data Loss Prevention
Need for seamless security integration with existing infrastructure.	Integrates with NAS, cloud, and on-premises storage, enhancing security
Necessity to meet various regulatory requirements for Regulatory Compliance.	Ensures malware-free and protected sensitive data, aiding in GDPR, HIPAA, and PCI-DSS compliance.
Complex and inefficient security management across platforms.	Central interface for monitoring and managing storage security with comprehensive reporting.
Requirement for scalable security solutions for growing storage environments.	Scales to provide consistent protection for small and extensive storage networks.

Certifications



100% Protection Score



OPSWAT has achieved ISO/IEC 27001:2013 certification.



OPSWAT MetaDefender Core achieved EAL2+ (ALC_FLR. 1), meeting all Common Criteria Evaluation Assurance Level.



OPSWAT was awarded SOC2 certification for MetaDefender Cloud by Schellman & Company, LLC.

Awards



OPSWAT's Deep CDR technology was recognized as a gold winner for the 2022 Cybersecurity Excellence Award.



Gold Winner in 3, 2023 Cybersecurity Excellence Awards categories — ICS/SCADA Security, Web Application Security, and CS Solution for the Energy Industry.



OPSWAT Academy was recognized with the "Professional Certification Program of the Year" award in the 6th annual CyberSecurity Breakthrough Awards Program.



MetaDefender® Core Platform was determined to be compliant with Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.1 levels A and AA.

Regulation Compliance

The risks of non-compliance:

- Fines ranging up to \$millions
- Penalties - higher transaction fees, termination of contracts and relationships
- Reputation loss and lawsuits
- Criminal charges or even jail
- Limits access to government-based contracts



HIPAA

HIPAA (The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996) - Healthcare providers, insurance providers and their business associates with access to patient health information (PHI) are required to comply with HIPAA.

Email	Date of Birth
Phone number	Medical record



PCI DSS

PCI DSS (Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard) - Any entity that processes, stores or transmits cardholder data, such as merchants or payment card processors, is required to comply with PCI-DSS.

Credit card number	Security code	Address
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GDPR

GDPR (Generate Data Protection Regulation) – The European Union guidelines mandate how organizations process and store customer data

Email	Date of Birth	Phone number
Passport number	Social Security Number	



CCPA

CCPA (California Consumer Privacy Act) - Grants California consumers the right to request their personal data is not sold to third parties.

Date of Birth	Address	Phone number
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Thank You

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