# Huawei Cyber Security -- Strategy and Approach

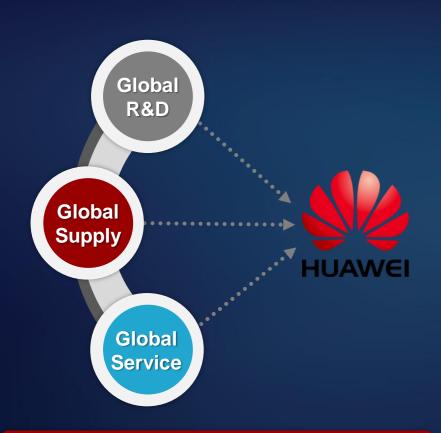
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## We are global - We are facing challenges of global supply chain, cyber security is not a single country or specific company issue





secure products, solutions and services



The Chinese city of Chengdu has 16,000 companies registered and 820 of them are foreign-invested companies. Of these, 189 are Fortune 500 companies. Household brand names such as Intel, Microsoft, SAP, Cisco, Oracle, BAE, Ericsson, Nokia, SAP, Boeing, IBM and Alcatel-Lucent are all located there to name but a few.

Every major telecommunications equipment provider has a substantial base in China:

- Alcatel-Lucent has its biggest manufacturing base globally in China;
- Nokia-Siemens has 14 wholly owned or joint ventures in China, and its factory in Suzhou manufactures a third of its global production of wireless network products;
- Ericsson's joint-venture Nanjing Ericsson Panda Communications Co. has become the biggest supply centre of Ericsson in the world;
- Cisco also has a huge presence in China, with R&D centres in six major cities, Over 25% of all Cisco products are produced by Chinese partners.









Challenges Strategy R&D Verification Delivery CERT/PSIRT Supply Chain Procurement Traceability HR

## Cyber security is a Huawei crucial company strategy





Mr. Ren Huawei CEO

As a leading global ICT solutions provider, we provide information network products and services. The global network needs to be stable at all times. It is our primary social responsibility to support stable and secure networks for customers in any time.

"Huawei hereby undertakes that as a **crucial company strategy** Taking on an **open, transparent and sincere** attitude, Huawei is **willing** to work with all governments, customers and partners to jointly cope with cyber security threats and challenges ... Our **commitment to cyber security** will never be outweighed by the consideration of commercial interests."

## Our Cyber security vision and mission focusing on the needs of our customers

**Vision** 

To provide secure, easy and equal access to information services.

**Mission** 

Working internationally to develop the most effective approach to cyber security, establishing and implement an end-to-end customer-oriented cyber security assurance system within Huawei, which is transparent and mutually-trusted, so that we ensure customer's long-term security trust.

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**Traceability** 

Our current focus is on designing and implementing activities to achieve 9 strategic objectives imbedded within our processes. These 9 objectives are common across the majority of challenges we, and others, face

## **EXTERNALLY FOCUSSED**

- OPENESS, TRANSPARENCY AND COOPERATION: We will actively work with stakeholders in an open and transparent manner to
  meet and resolve the security challenges and concerns of our customers and Governments.
- **PROACTIVE COMMUNICATIONS:** We will proactively communicate the global nature of ICT and cyber security to as wide an audience as possible encouraging mature debate with a recognition that we must all positively work together and champion international fair, reasonable and non discriminatory standards, policies and regulation.
- **COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS:** We aim to comply with security and privacy protection standards and laws of relevant countries or regions, by analysing these laws and regulations and imbedding these requirements into our products and services and the way we do business. We will ensure the delivered products and services can withstand legal investigations and the result of investigation will prove positive to Huawei.
- VERIFIED BY INDEPENDENT THIRD-PARTIES: We will construct and develop a global capability to support independent testing, verification and certification of our products using approved third-parties, so that our customers receive internationally recognized security assurance.
- **EMERGENCY RESPONSE:** We aim to monitor threats on our own technology, national, international and company security vulnerabilities so as to be in a position to responsibly report or pre-warn our customers, respond quickly to threats and apply appropriate security patches to protect our customers.

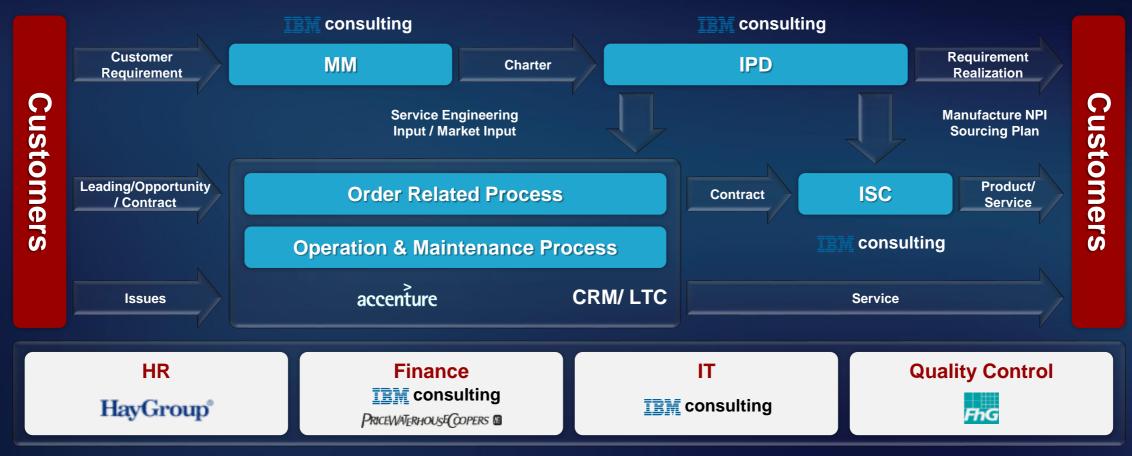
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## **INTERNALLY FOCUSSED**

- EMPLOYEE AWARENESS AND RESPONSIBILITIES: We will raise employees' cyber security awareness based on law to make
  them understand they need to bear the liability for their behaviours even without malicious intention. For all critical positions appropriate
  security qualifications must be obtained and we will take measures to deter employees with malicious intention and prevent the
  occurrence of malicious acts.
- SECURE BY DESIGN, DEVELOPMENT AND DELIVERY: From the continuous analysis of emerging and actual technology threats
  across our complete product and service portfolio, we will build security into our processes, designs, development & delivery. We will
  separate out Huawei software from Huawei hardware thus enabling our competitor's software to execute on our hardware avoiding the
  claim that Huawei technology has hidden capability. We will also split our software so that our base software, country specific software
  (only allowed to be sold in certain countries) and engineering support tools are all individually approved and under the total control of
  our customers.
- NO "BACK DOOR" AND TAMPER PROOF: We will never knowingly allow a "back door" to be implemented and we will protect the integrity of software by implementing processes to protect against unauthorized tampering and potential breach using technologies such as digital signatures. We will legally manage remote access in case of trouble shooting from our several Global Technical Assist Centres, and never transfer data from customers' network to other country without the customer's permission.
- TRACEABILITY: We aim to make relevant products, solutions, services and components traceable through the complete product lifecycle using professional management tools and integrated systems.

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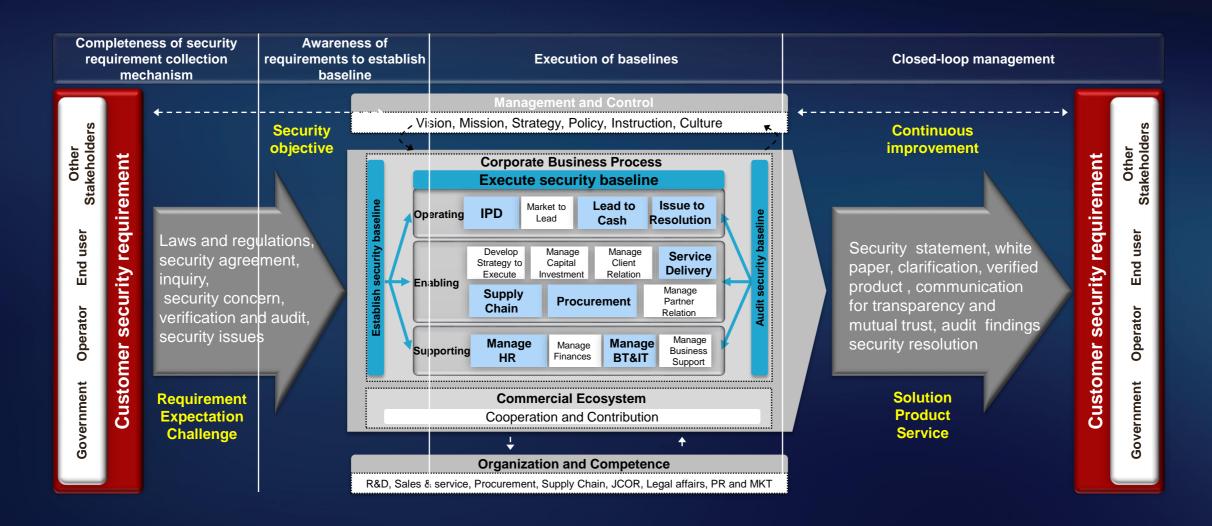
# Our strategy will be achieved by implementing consistently understood, globally rolled-out repeatable processes on which to imbed the change – a "built-in" strategy – our corporate processes are the foundation stones



MM: Market Management | IPD: Integrated Product Development | ISC: Integrated Supply Chain | LTC: Lead To Cash

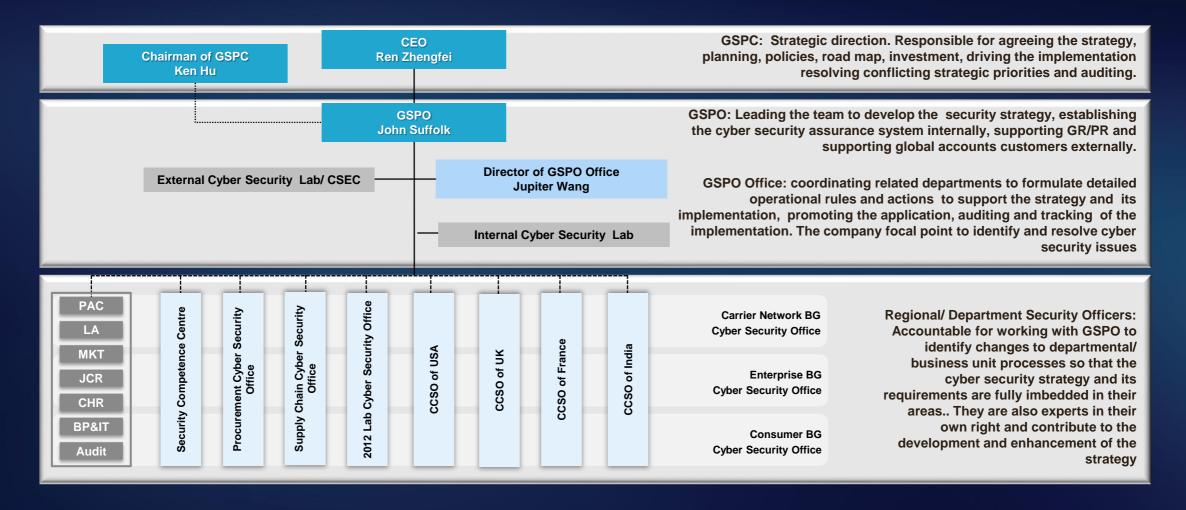
## End to End Cyber Security Management covers every process and every part of Huawei including our suppliers





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## The cyber security strategy is "built-in" to everything we do, including Governance, Audit, Processes, Policies, Procedures, Standards and Objectives

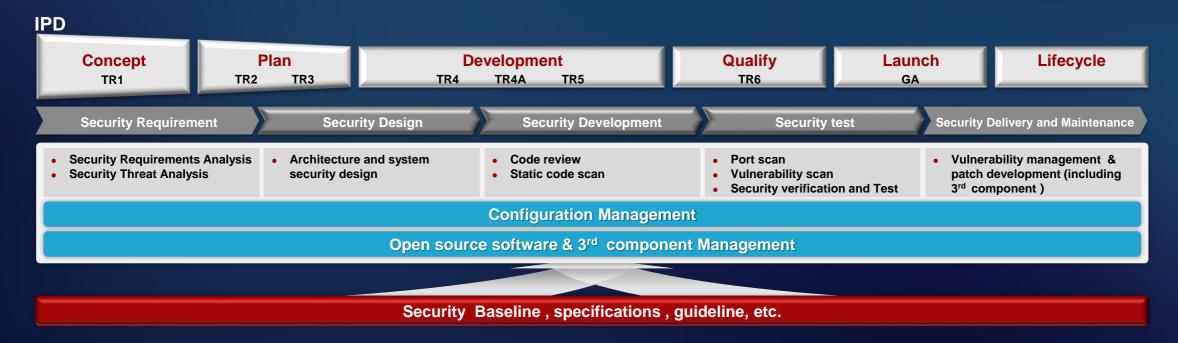


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# Through our Integrated Product Development Process (IPD) we are continually enhancing our R&D approach, upgrading legacy technology, and developing new technology based on latest thinking – a never ending journey

- IPD was introduced in 1997 from IBM which had been implemented and optimized in Huawei in past over 10 years.
- Since 2010, referred industry security practices (OpenSAMM, SSE\_CMM,etc), have been integrated into the IPD process to improve product security.
- Use configuration management to ensure the integrity, consistency and traceability of R&D process and products.

IPD : Integrated Product Development



We have created a virtuous circle of "many eyes and many hands" ensuring we continuously improve our knowledge our technology, our people and our processes, this creates a win-win-win process – customers, Government, Huawei





## HUAWE

# Our strength comes from our total focus on our customers, delivering against their requirements and learning from them – we are subject to regular audit and inspection and are probably one of the most reviewed and approved companies

Operator	Test/Audit Areas	Test/Audit Details	What We Learned
вт	21CN and NGA Product Version Test	BT OS security specification compliance test	OS security specification form BT has been adopted into Huawei security specification
vodafone	UMTS Femtocell	Security tests & simulated hacker attacks by Recurity Labs (a 3rd party security consultant)	Enhance Huawei's 3GPP security standard verification method
Deutsche Telekom	Call control, MSAN, SBC, Application Server, MGW	Security tests following 27 DT security specifications Simulated hacker attacks by P3 Network (a 3rd party security consultant)	Make Huawei do more and deeper in security design and test of the following security areas of IMS: service logical security, robustness test and tools
·· T··Mobile·	LTE-SAE, PS core	Security testing in T-Mobile's LTE Project	Enhance Huawei's 3GPP security standard verification method
& france telecom	IMS solution	Tests by FT internal security team	Start up the IMS solution security test, including security scanning and anti-attack test, DOS defence, then Huawei minimized OS, hardened Linux and established multi-layer defence



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## Developing secure technology will be wasted if the delivery and support of the technology is not adequately secured – Secure by delivery



Service Delivery

Consultation and evaluation

**Network planning** 

Network design, rollout and integration

Customer support and assurance

Learning and skill development

Managed service

**Business requirement** 

Information asset management

Access management

Software integrity

**Authorization management** 

Privacy protection

Security design and reinforcement

**Behavior requirement** 

Physical and environmental security

Telecommunication and operation security

Access control

Information systems development and maintenance

Information asset classification and control

#### Key points on field operation security:

- Filed operation must obtain customer authorization, the computer must be checked with Antivirus software before accessing to customer network
- the source of software and tools
- Use appropriate recourses on key positions

### Key points on local support security:

- Data collection and transfer must obtain customer authorization, and comply with the local legal request
- before remote access customer authorization must be obtained
- Use appropriate recourses on key positions

#### **Key points on remote support security:**

- before remote access must obtain customer authorization, use third party access software
- The tools and platform accessing to customer network must be
- Delete data promptly according to the authorization request









Out of office







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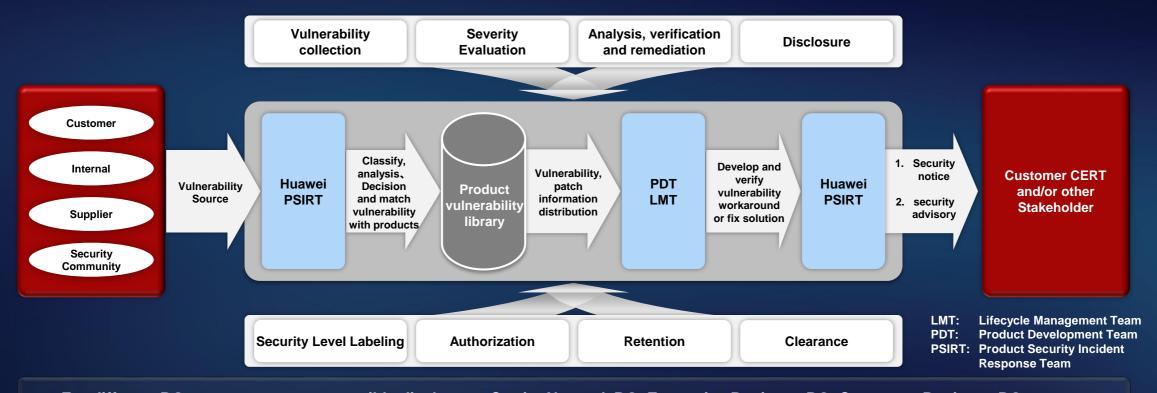
Site

**Equipment Room** 

NOC/GNOC

We are enhancing our vulnerability management. We adopt responsible disclosure processes with vendors, CERT organizations and security researchers. We coordinate the resolution of the product vulnerability





- For different BG customers use responsible disclosure: Carrier Network BG, Enterprise Business BG, Consumer Business BG
- Learn from the industry's vulnerability management best practices: CVSS, CPE, CVRF etc.
- PSIRT response to the vulnerability of the self-development, open source and third-party components, speed up response to the vulnerabilities which are already in the wild

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# To ensure integrity & traceability from material, production to customer in Supply Chain so that you know you have genuine "clean" un-tampered with products requires comprehensive integrated processes and technology

- ISO28000 supply chain security system operating and 3rd certification.
- Global multi-supply centres to provide efficient and resilient supply to customers.
- Set up barcode system to support multi-ways of tracing.

S-NPI

Plan

Make

**Order Fulfillment** 

Return

Manage Supply Operation

### **Security of incoming materials**

- Identity verification of deliveryman
- · Inspection of goods packing
- Review & inspection of goods
- Performance test
- SW integrity check
- Product distribution & pre-production inspection

### **Security of Factory (EMS)**

- Employee security training
- Control of sensitive area
- Separated & controlled production network
- Control of SW & documentation
- SW download verification & QC inspection
- Digital certificate loading & check
- Product 100% anti-virus inspection
- Regular equipment verification
- control of personal account & system authority

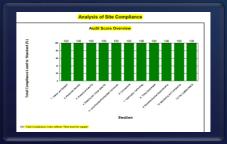
## Security of logistics & warehousing

- Realize electronic customs declaration, transportation route design & monitoring of logistics process through IT system
- Set up dedicated documents to check & monitor the integrity of containers, shipment &loading
- Seal mgmt & correct sealing

### 15028000 certificate



### C-TPAT 3rd party audit report



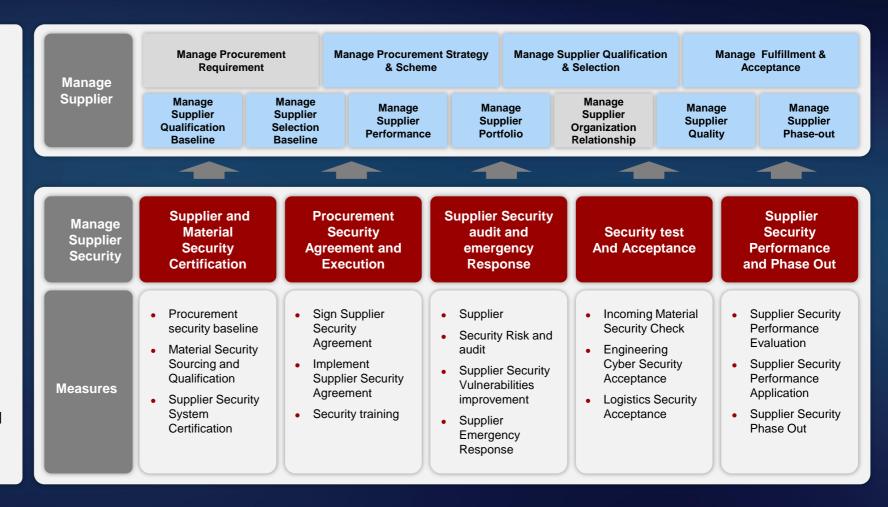
Infrastructure & entry control: 7\*24 security guard and CCTV monitoring, Electronic entry control & identify identification system

R&D

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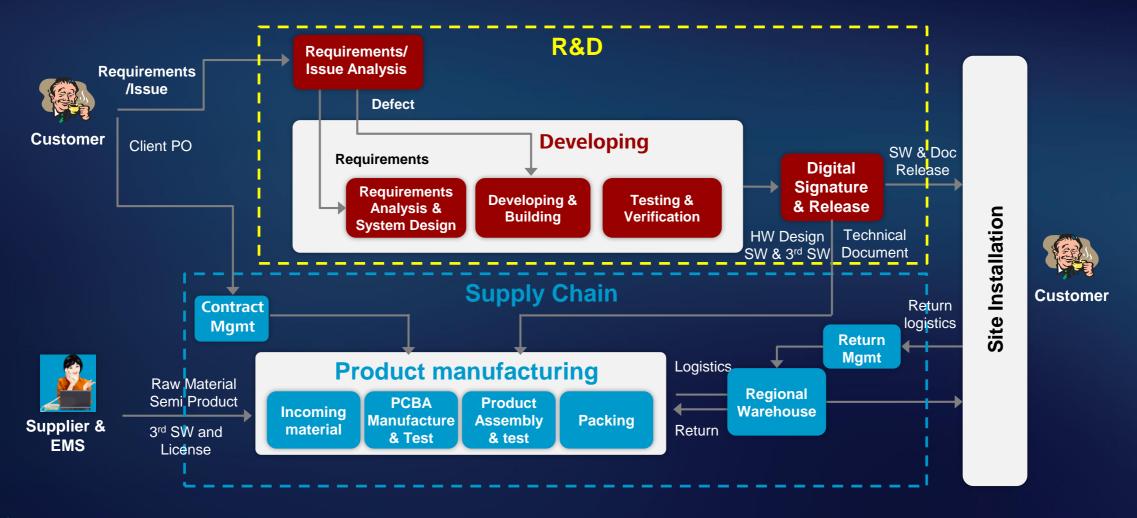
## We must work with our Suppliers to effectively reduce potential risks and mitigate security threats

- Security is one of the seven elements of supplier management TQRDCES (Technology, Quality, Response, Delivery, Cost, Environment and CSR, security)
- All suppliers that are related to cyber security must sign the cyber security agreement, and pass the cyber security system qualification
- All materials of cyber security must pass the material security test and qualification.





Huawei have built an E2E traceability system: From customer requirement/issue analysis, developing, to release, and from contract to incoming, manufacturing, regional warehouse to delivery, In order for quick resilience and traceability when any issue happens



## Imbedding awareness and understanding of cyber security as well as changing behaviour is a key HR deliverable of the strategy

HR Strategy & Policy
Management

Organization Management

Sourcing & Staffing Management

Leadership & Talent Management Employee Relations Management Employee Service & Delivery Management

HR Operations Management

### **Scheme**

Ensure cyber security awareness and foster acceptable behaviour and standards

### **Process**

Embed appropriate cyber security elements into HR process and policies

## **HR Policy**

Our people are the crucial element to ensure we deliver our cyber security strategy. Huawei HR shall clarify the individuals responsibility in relation to cyber security of employees, contractors and third party users. We will also foster their security awareness and ensure conformance to the policies.

## **Laws & Regulations**

In case of any violation of laws or regulations e.g. unauthorized access, illegal control or destruction of technology systems, theft or fraud through client/customer systems or using system or personal data illegally), the person will be criminally/civilly liable for his/her action or omission accordingly.



## Closing Thoughts: Threats will never stop, we never stop

- The development of networks has helped to advance social progress. Open networks have encouraged information flow and sharing, provided more opportunities for innovations, lowered the costs of innovation, and has helped improve the world's health, wealth and prosperity.
- Cyber security is not a single country or specific company issue. All stakeholders governments and industry alike need to recognize that cyber security is a shared global problem requiring risk-based approaches, best practices and international cooperation to address the challenge.
- As a crucial company strategy, Huawei has established and will constantly optimize an end-to-end cyber security assurance system.
- This is a continual effort, and Huawei is committed to providing best-in-class products and services to meet the needs of our customers. We take cyber security seriously and have invested substantial resources into our efforts to promote and improve the ability of our company, our peers and others to provide the best-possible security assurance and ensure a safer and more secure cyber world for all.

## Thank you



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