

Security leadership with IBM Z & IBM LinuxONE



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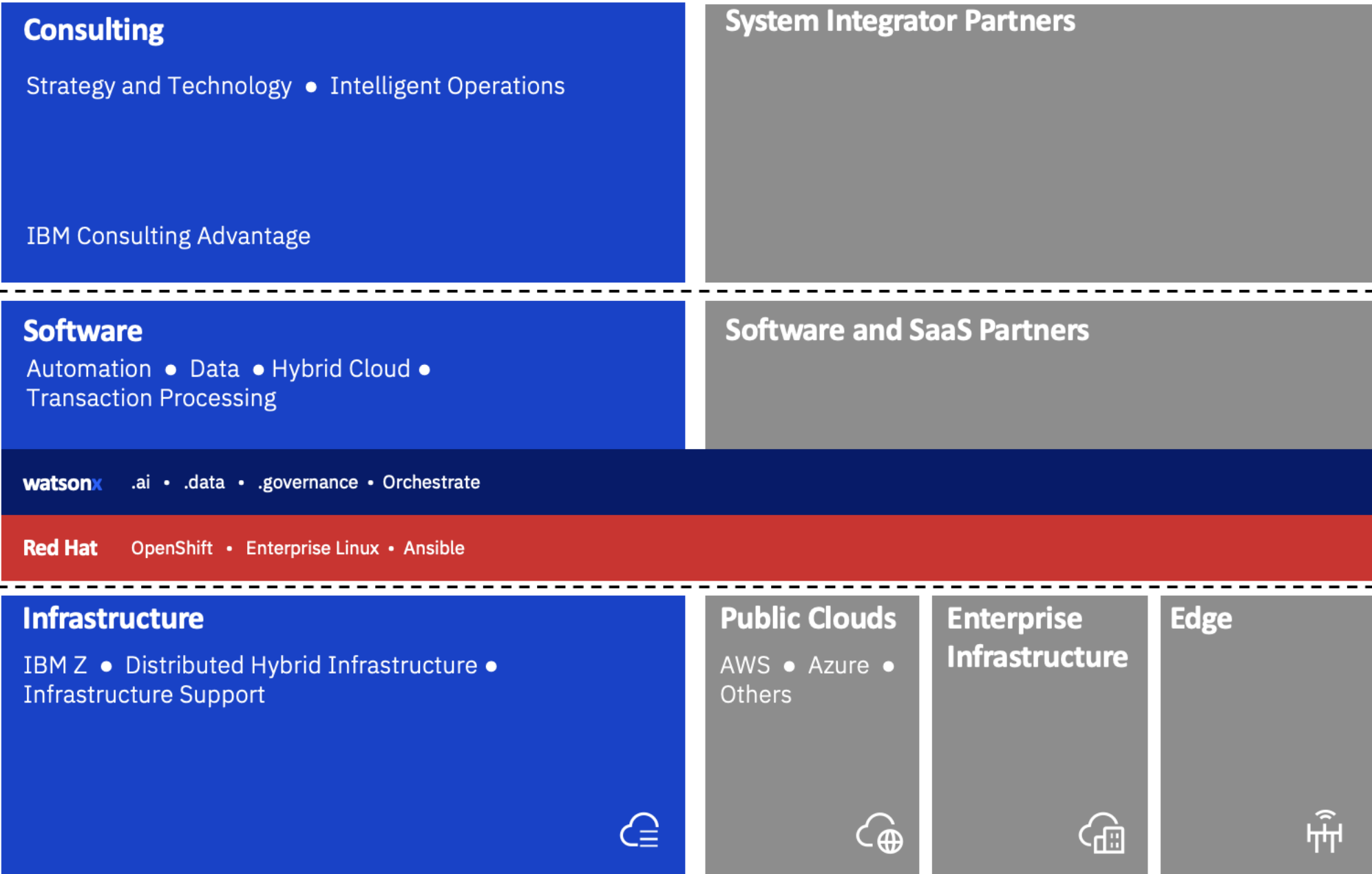


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IBM in a glance

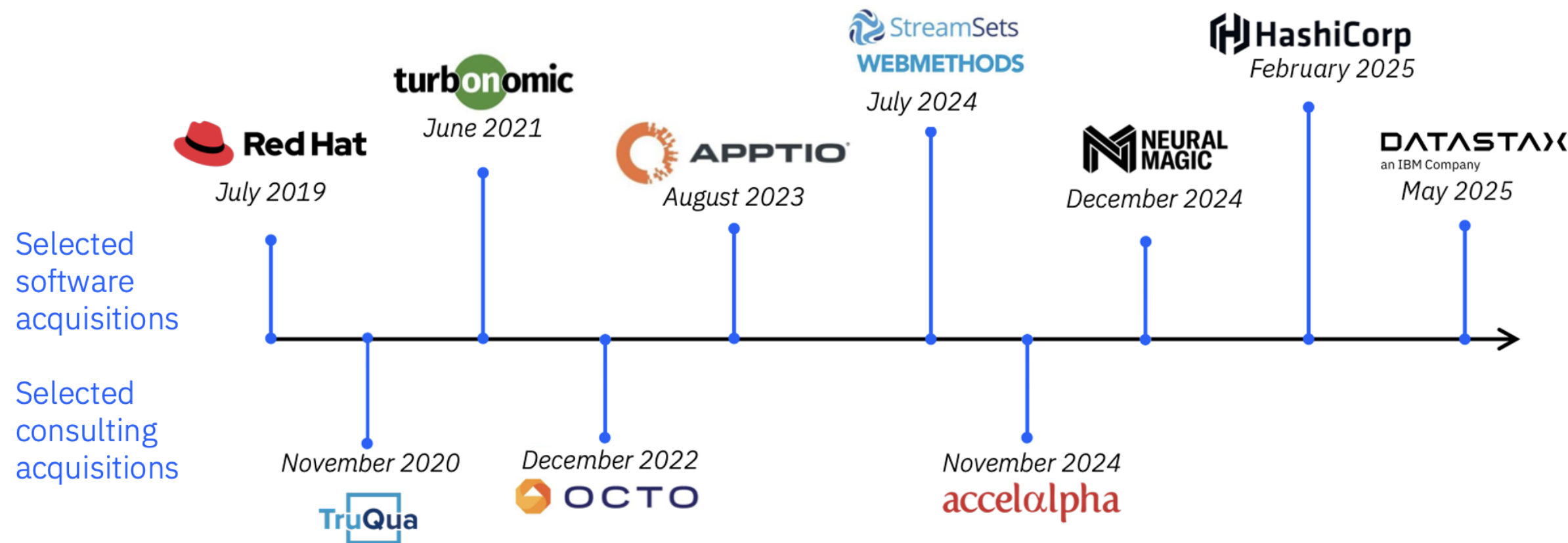
Hybrid cloud & AI
Enterprise client Top 100
Technology & Consulting
250000 employees
No outsourcing - Kyndryl spin off 2021
Quantum development
Develop enterprise software solutions
Develop infrastructure
Software acquisitions

IBM's Integrated Portfolio



IBM Innovation | Augmented focus on acquisition strategy

75% of acquisition spent on Software



IBM share evolution

Hybrid cloud and AI impact

306,38 USD

+194,77 (174,51%) ↑ afgelopen 5 jaar

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Voorbeurs 307,50 +1,12 (0,37%)

1D | 5D | 1M | 6M | YTD | 1J | **5J** | Max.



IBM The Netherlands in a glance



2028



Johan Huizingalaan 765
1200 Employees



Data & AI
Automation
Cloud
Security
Infrastructure
Services & Support



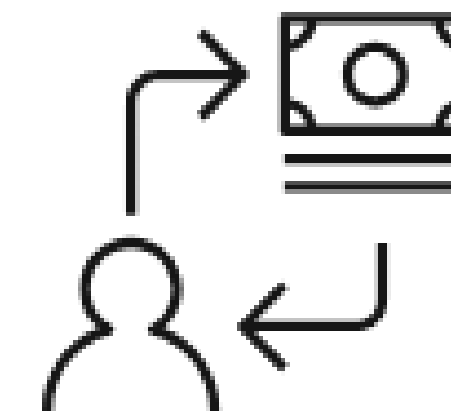
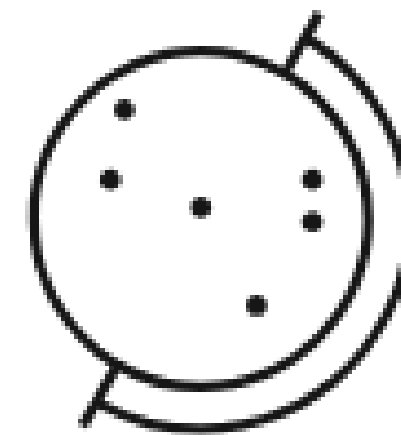
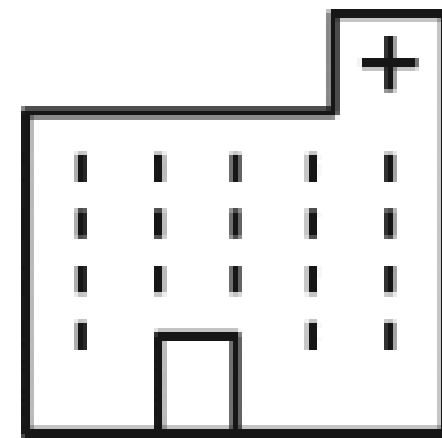


Why IBM Z?

Mission critical business
transactions run on IBM Z[®]

>70%

of the world's transactions run on
the mainframe.*



(IBM Z = Mainframe)



Why IBM Z?



- ✓ Security
- ✓ Resiliency
- ✓ Scalability
- ✓ Performance
- ✓ Availability



IBM LinuxONE



2000

Linux® for s390x

Red Hat®
Enterprise Linux®

SUSE

Data serving
(Oracle, Db2®)



2015

IBM® LinuxONE

Ubuntu

Data serving
(MongoDB)



2018

IBM® LinuxONE II

IBM Db2® Analytics
Accelerator

Core banking
(Temenos)



2019

IBM® LinuxONE III

Secure execution

Digital assets
(Metaco)

Red Hat®
OpenShift®
Container Platform



2022

IBM® LinuxONE 4

Quantum-safe
encryption

Sustainability

Red Hat OpenShift
Ansible®
Automation
Platform

Data serving
(Fujitsu, EDB)

Core banking
(Finacle)



2025

IBM® LinuxONE 5

Cost efficiency

Scalable AI

Confidential Containers
(Red Hat OpenShift CoCo)

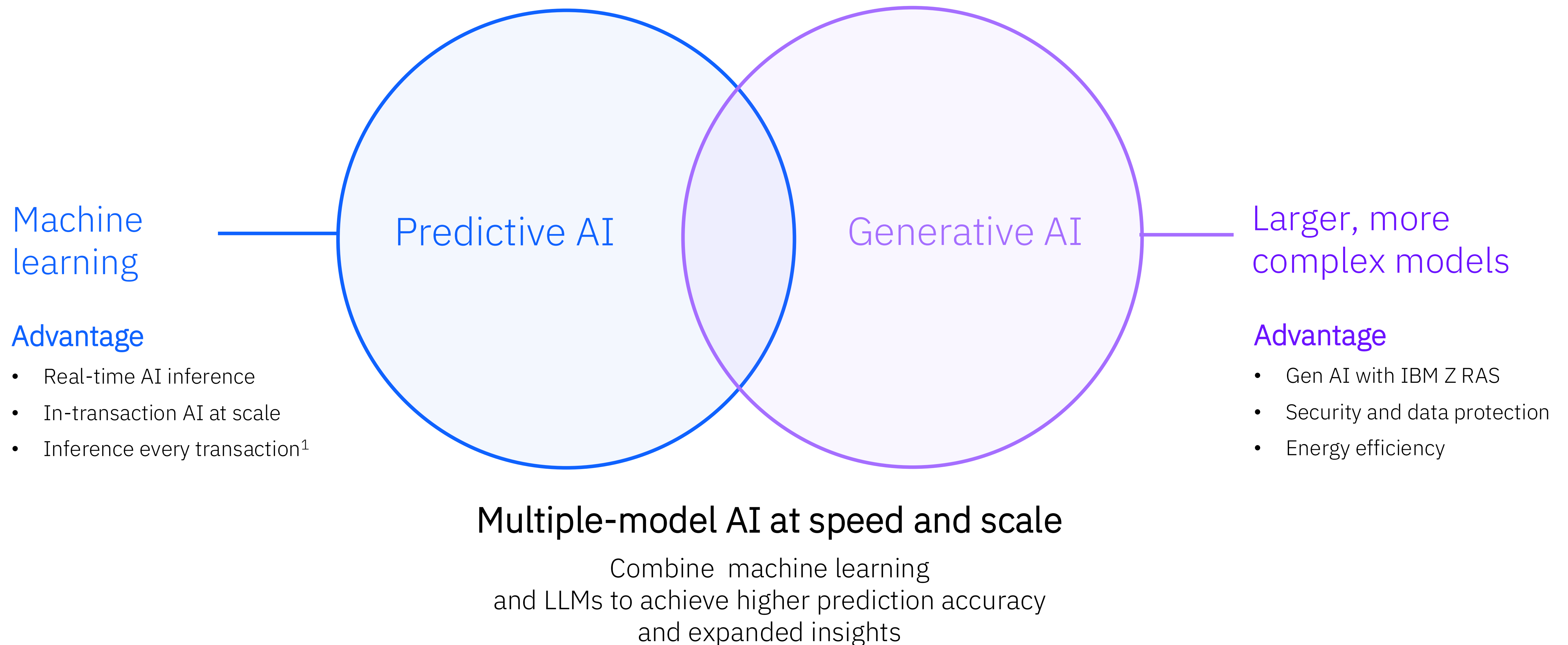
Red Hat OpenShift
Virtualization- technology
preview

Red Hat OpenShift AI-
technology preview

HashiCorp integration

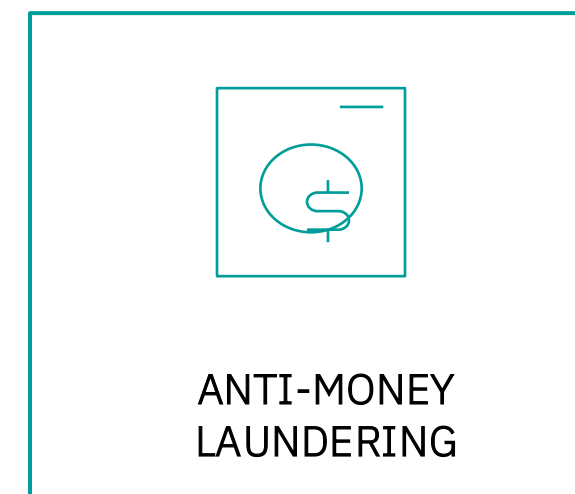
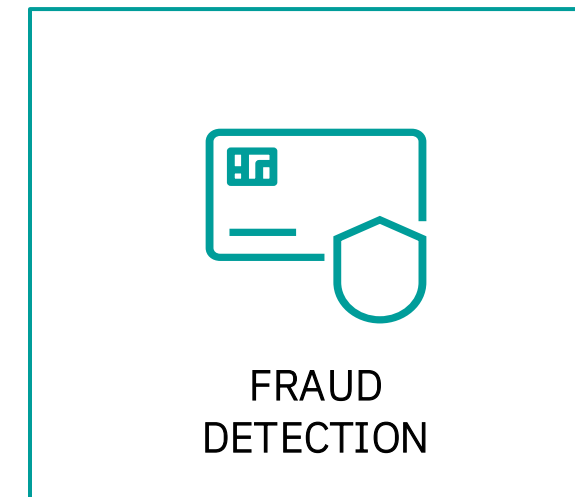


Predictive AI and generative AI on IBM z17 deliver unique capabilities

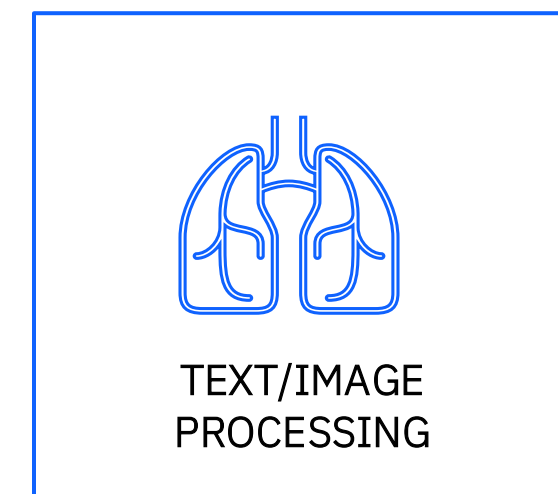
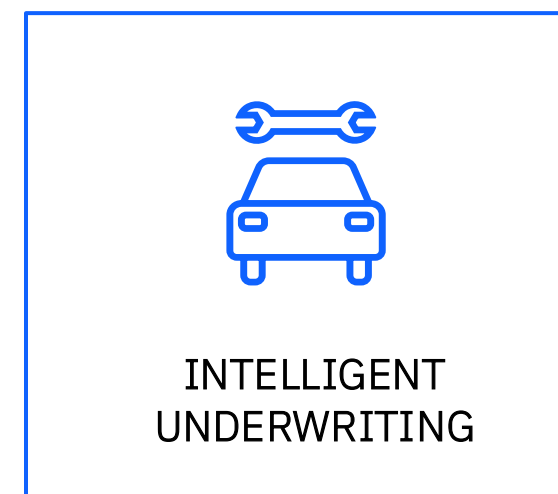
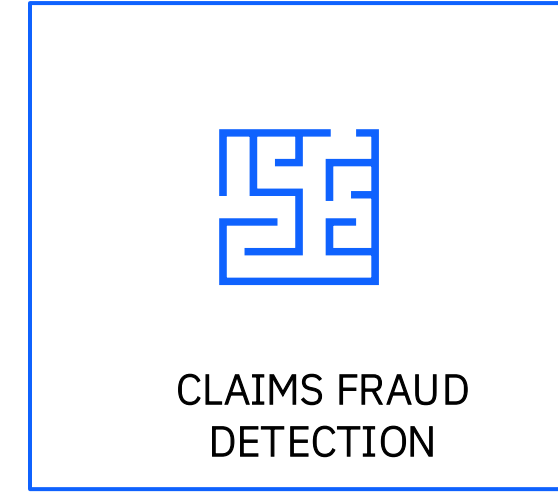


AI on IBM Z:
make more
valuable
outcomes
possible
for every
industry

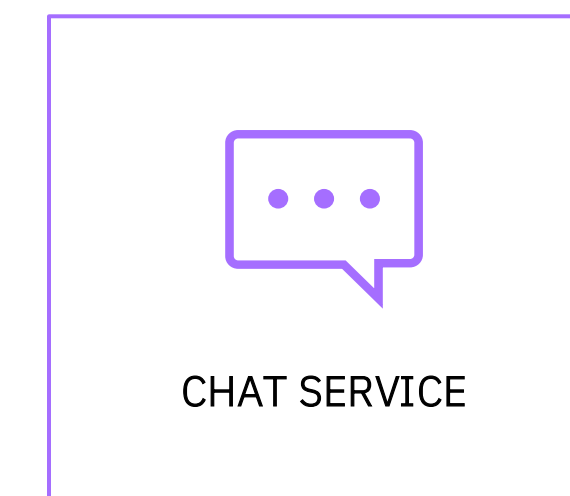
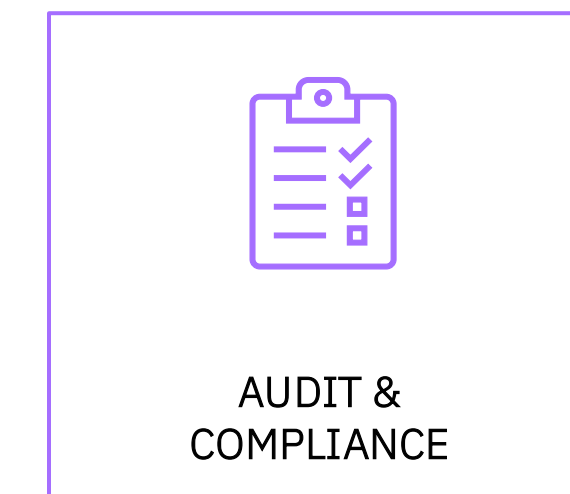
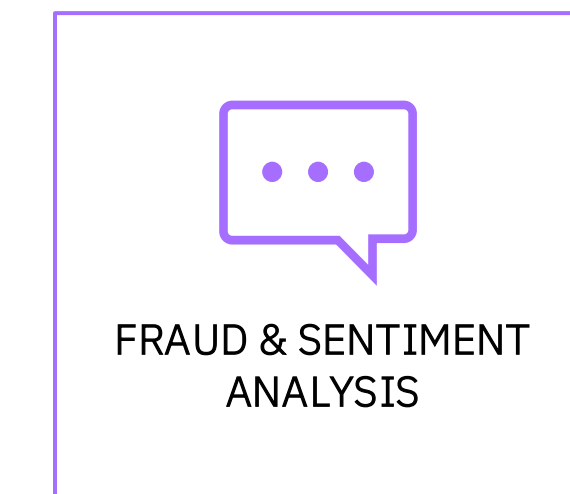
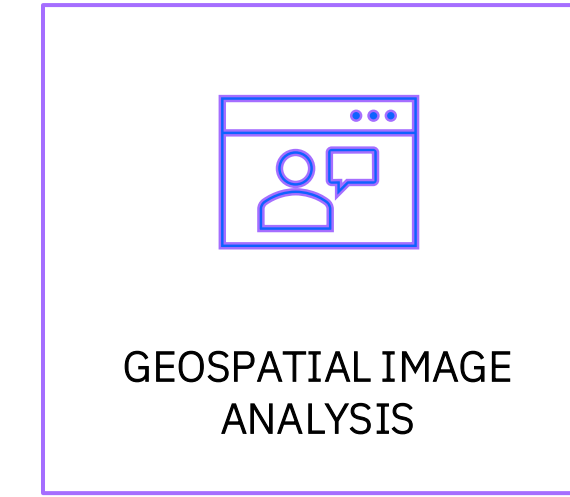
Financial Services



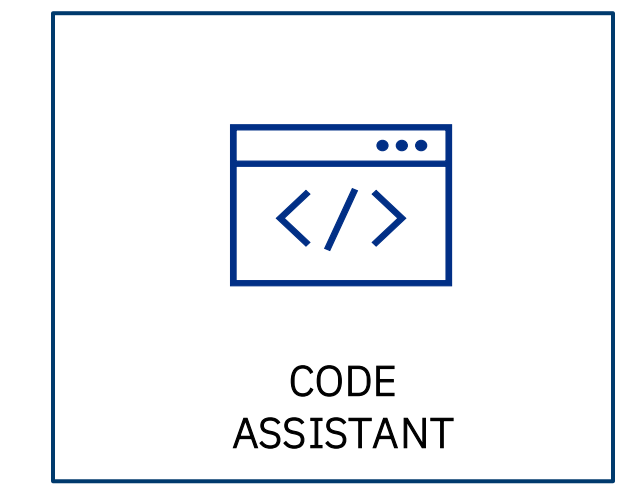
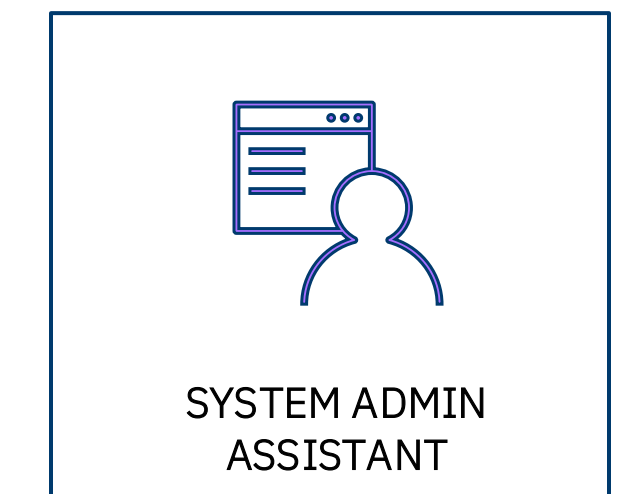
Insurance



Government



Others



A comprehensive security strategy for IBM Z

Addressing threat *prevention* and business continuity needs tailored to your environment.

Comprehensive in scope to enable an organization to demonstrate *compliance* with the specific standards and regulations relevant to its industry.

Utilizes the [NIST Cybersecurity framework](#)



Comprehensive full stack security and resiliency strategy

Cyber Security

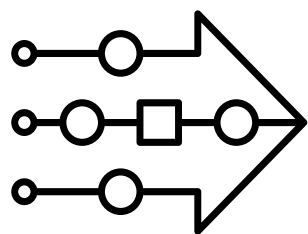
Focused on **prevention**, aiming to safeguard an environment from unauthorized access and malicious activities

Cyber Resiliency

An organization's ability to swiftly **respond** and **resume** operations in the event of a cyber-incident

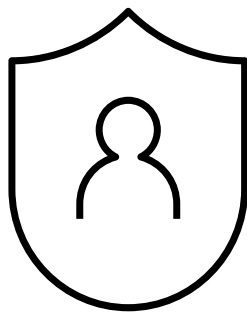


IBM Z® Unique Capabilities



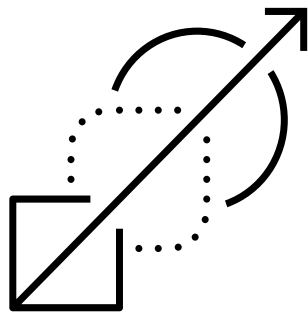
AI-powered innovation

- Continuous threat and vulnerability management
- Network segmentation and system hardening
- AI powered classification of data



Reliable & Secure System

- z/OS® Statement of Integrity
- Pervasive Encryption
- Secure Boot
- Quantum Safe
- Crypto Accelerator
- Secure Execution for Linux
- GDPS® & LCP
- Cyber Vault



Automated for Efficiency

- IBM Z Compliance Center
- Crypto Discovery and Inventory
- IBM Concert



EU timeline for the transition to Post-Quantum Cryptography

By 31.12.2026:

- At least the First Steps have been implemented by all Member States.
- Initial national PQC transition roadmaps have been established by all Member States.
- PQC transition planning and pilots for high- and medium-risk use cases have been initiated.

By 31.12.2030:

- The Next Steps have been implemented by all Member States.
- The PQC transition for high-risk use cases has been completed.
- PQC transition planning and pilots for medium-risk use cases have been completed.
- Quantum-safe software and firmware upgrades are enabled by default.

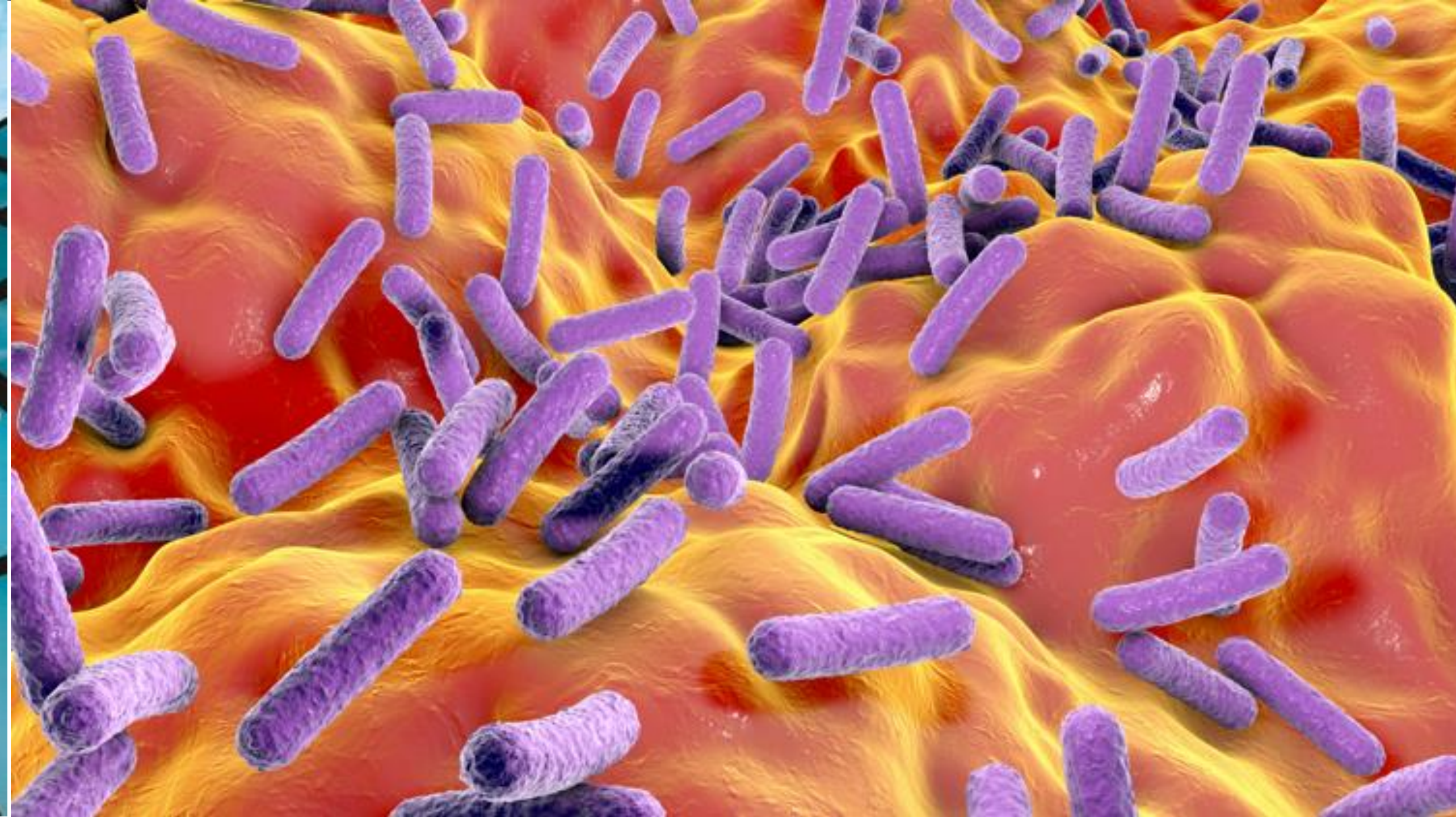
By 31.12.2035:

- The PQC transition for medium-risk use cases has been completed.
- The PQC transition for low-risk use cases has been completed as much as feasible.



We will also incorporate advances in machine learning and generative AI to turbocharge our software's performance.





We are entering a new cryptographic era

Harvest now,
decrypt later

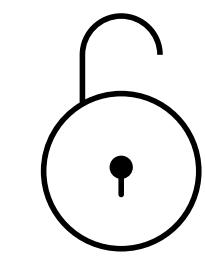
Before



Harvest confidential
data to decrypt later

Availability of “cryptographically relevant”
quantum computers

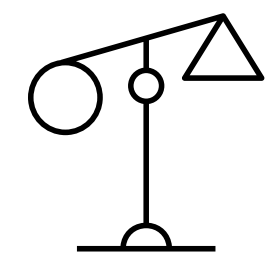
After



Decrypt lost or
harvested confidential
data by breaking
encryption



Disrupt business with
manipulation through
fraudulent
authentication



Manipulate digitally
signed contracts and
legal history by forging
digital signatures



Our modern digital world depends on cryptography

And quantum computing is ushering in *a new cryptographic era*

Prime factors

= p x q

For RSA

2048-bit composite integer

251959084756578934940271832400483985714292821262040320
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Expected computation time

The most powerful computer **today**:

Millions of years

Shor’s quantum algorithm:

Hours

Public key encryption • Digital signatures • Key exchange algorithms

RSA • DSA • ECC • ECDSA • DH



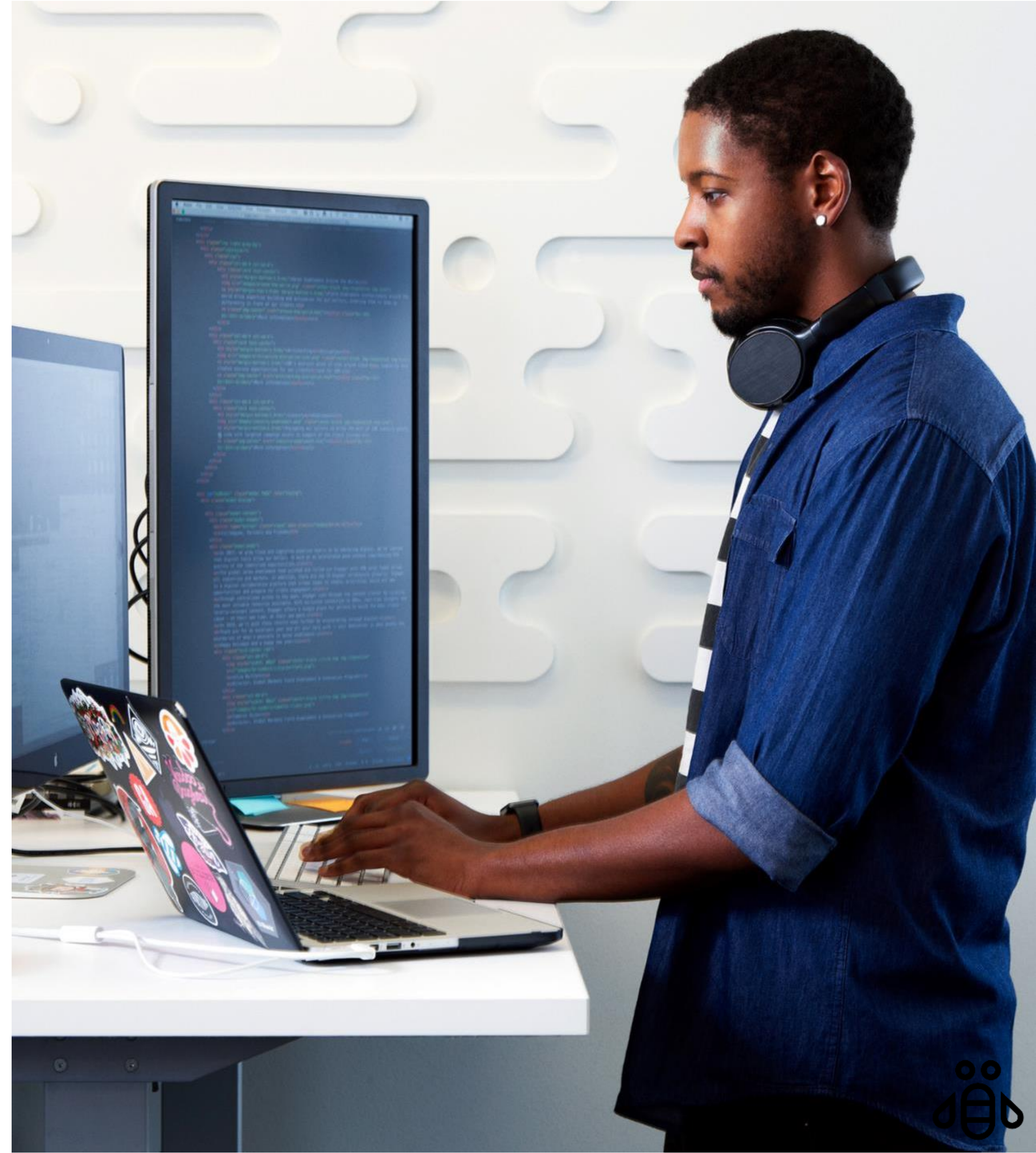
We need quantum-safe cryptography ...

Quantum-safe cryptography refers to efforts to identify algorithms that are **resistant to attacks** by both classical and quantum computers, to keep information assets secure even after a large-scale quantum computer has been built.

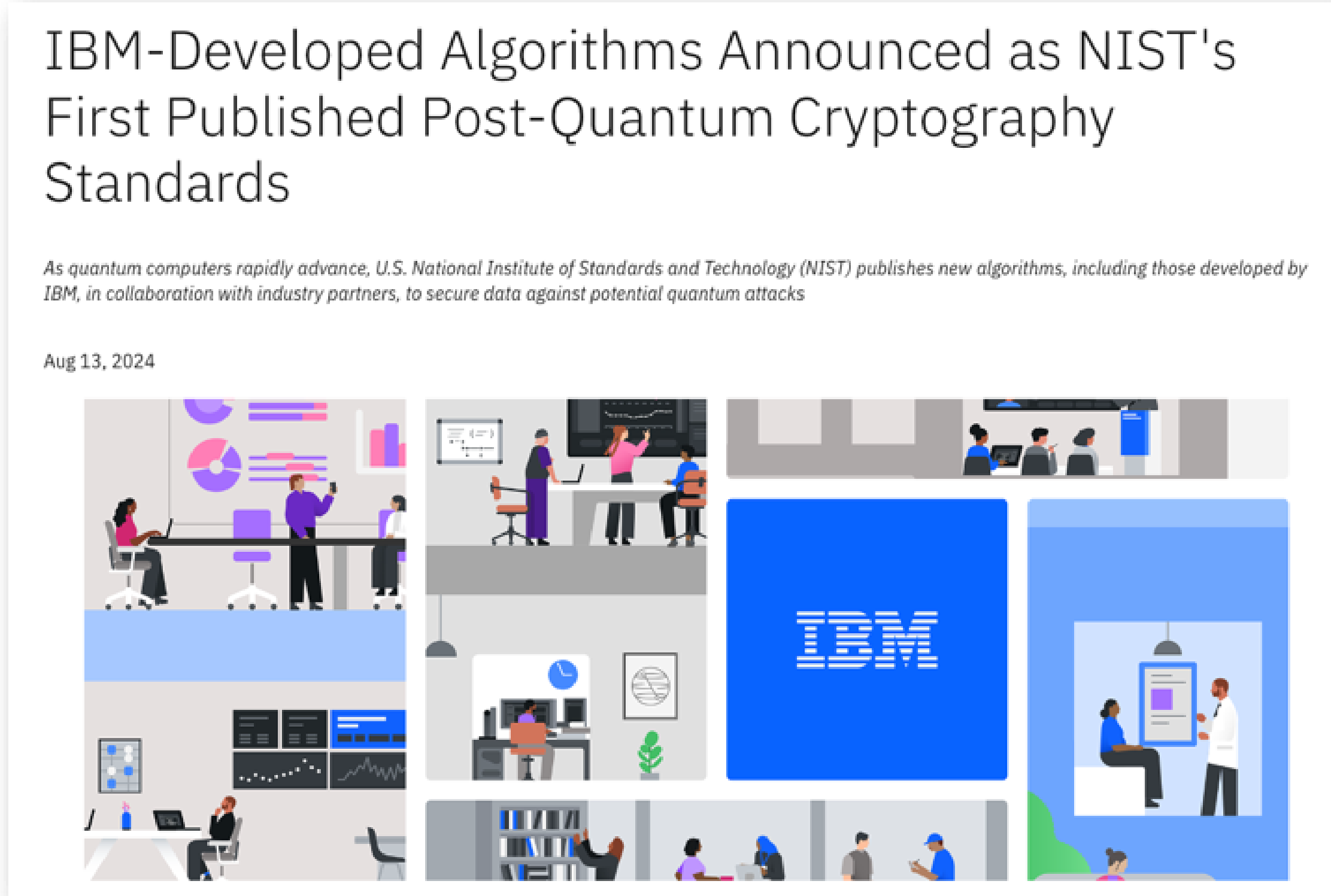
The Wait is Over!

On August 13, 2024, the US National Institute of Standards and Technology published the first set of quantum safe algorithms.

Source: <https://www.etsi.org/technologies/quantum-safe-cryptography>



NIST PQC Standards



ML-Kem FIPS 203 F.K.A CRYSTALS-Kyber

- KEM based on structured lattices
- Good all-around performance and security

ML-DSS FIPS 204 F.K.A. CRYSTALS-Dilithium

- Digital signature based on structured lattices
- Good all-around performance and security; relatively simple implementation

SLH-DSA FIPS 205 F.K.A. SPHINCS+

- Digital signature based on stateless hash-based cryptography
- Solid security, but performance is not as good as CRYSTALS-Dilithium and Falcon

FN-DSA FIPS 206 F.K.A. Falcon

- Digital signature based on structured lattices
- Smaller bandwidth, but much more complicated implementation
- The Falcon standard will come out after the others



Rebuild the cryptographic solutions

Quantum-safe
cryptography/Post-quantum
cryptography
(PQC)

New lattice-based
cryptography

Resistant to classical and
quantum attacks

Runs on classical computers!



NIST process

Standardization of PQC for key
encapsulation and digital
signature started in 2016

Standards (FIPS 203, FIPS
204, FIPS 205) published Aug
2024

On-going cryptography
standardization program

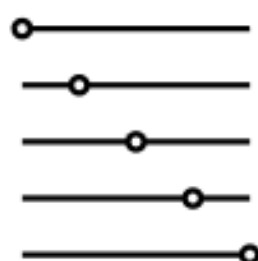
(IBM Research Zurich)



Cryptographic protocols

Major cryptographic protocols,
such as TLS and IPSec need to
be adapted in order to use
quantum-safe algorithms

Related activities to update or
create new RFCs are ongoing at
the IETF



Migration

The migration to Quantum-safe
affects the entire IT estate:

- Software development
- Vendor products
- Software as a service
- Infrastructure, network,
devices, etc.

and needs new capabilities
such as cryptographic
discovery & cryptographic
agility



Quantum-safe is NOT just about the data

Ensure that the system (i.e. firmware, OS, VM, container, application) has not been hacked, altered, updated, damaged, or modified in any way since it was created by the manufacturer, installed, and/or started



IBM Z and IBM LinuxONE



→ End-to-end cybersecurity and privacy

- Deploy confidential containers, built to protect your data and applications.
- Address quantum-enabled cybersecurity risks with pioneering quantum-safe encryption from IBM.
- Scale and unify your encryption across the enterprise.



Security built into every layer of the stack for end-to-end secured computing solutions



FIPS level 140-2 L4
hardware security
modules



Confidential
computing



Quantum-safe secure
boot and crypto APIs



Hardware
protected keys



Dual HW accelerated
cryptography



Common criteria
isolation (LPAR)

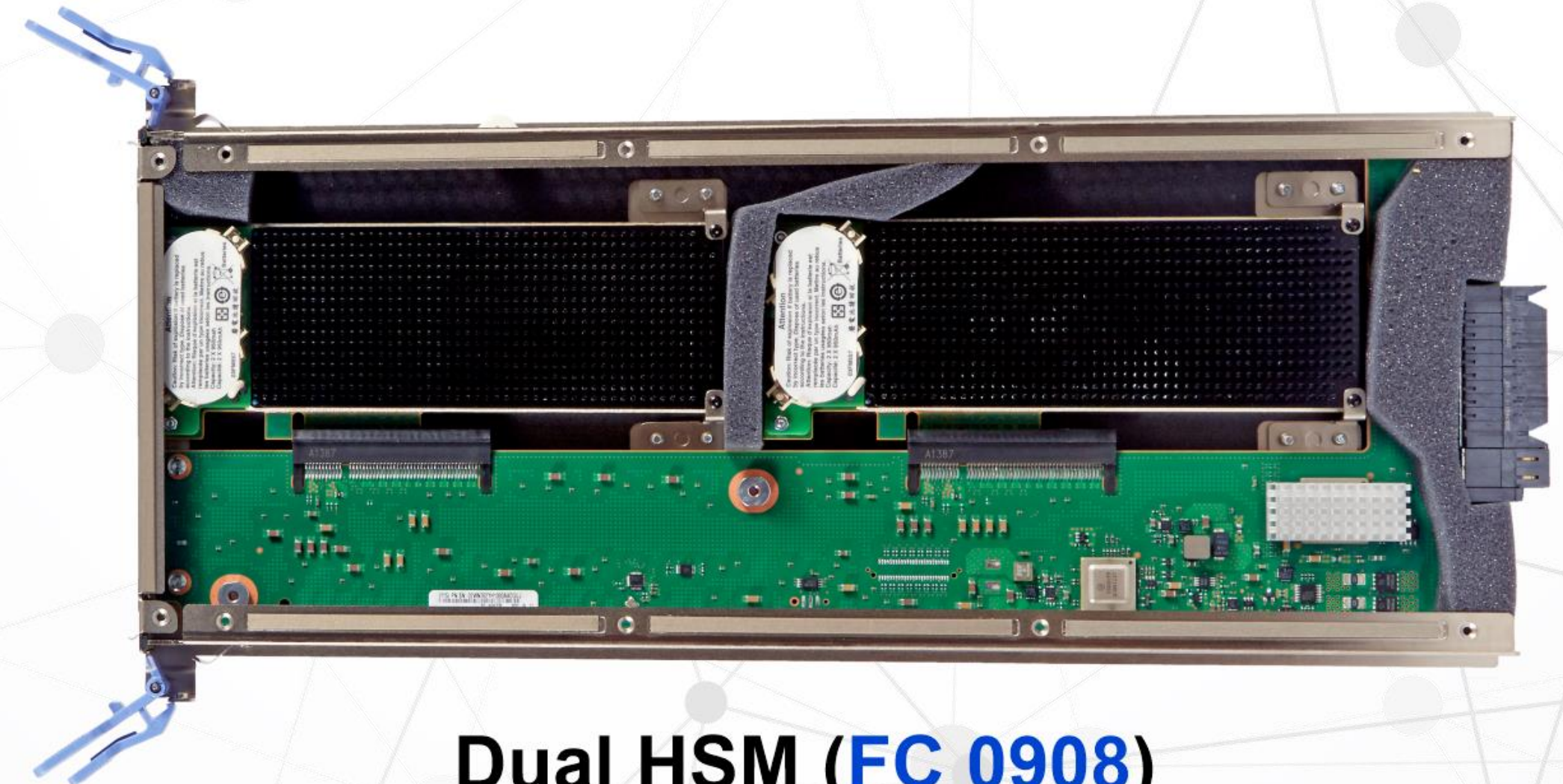


Crypto Express8S HSM

(IBM 4770 Cryptographic Hardware Security Module)

- Preprocessing and functionality offloaded from the main processor unit
- Provides hardware acceleration of Dilithium and Kyber algorithms for **quantum-safe** support
- Supports hybrid cryptographic schemes leveraging classical and quantum-safe cryptographic algorithms
- Designed to be **FIPS 140-2 Level 4** compliant
- Three configuration modes:
 - Common Cryptographic Architecture (CCA)
 - Enterprise Public Key Cryptography Standards #11 (EP11)
 - Accelerator

Quantum-safe algorithm (QSA) support, adding CRYSTALS-Dilithium Round 3 keys, as well as hardware support for Dilithium keys. In addition, for QSA, CRYSTALS-Kyber keys for encryption and key exchange are supported.

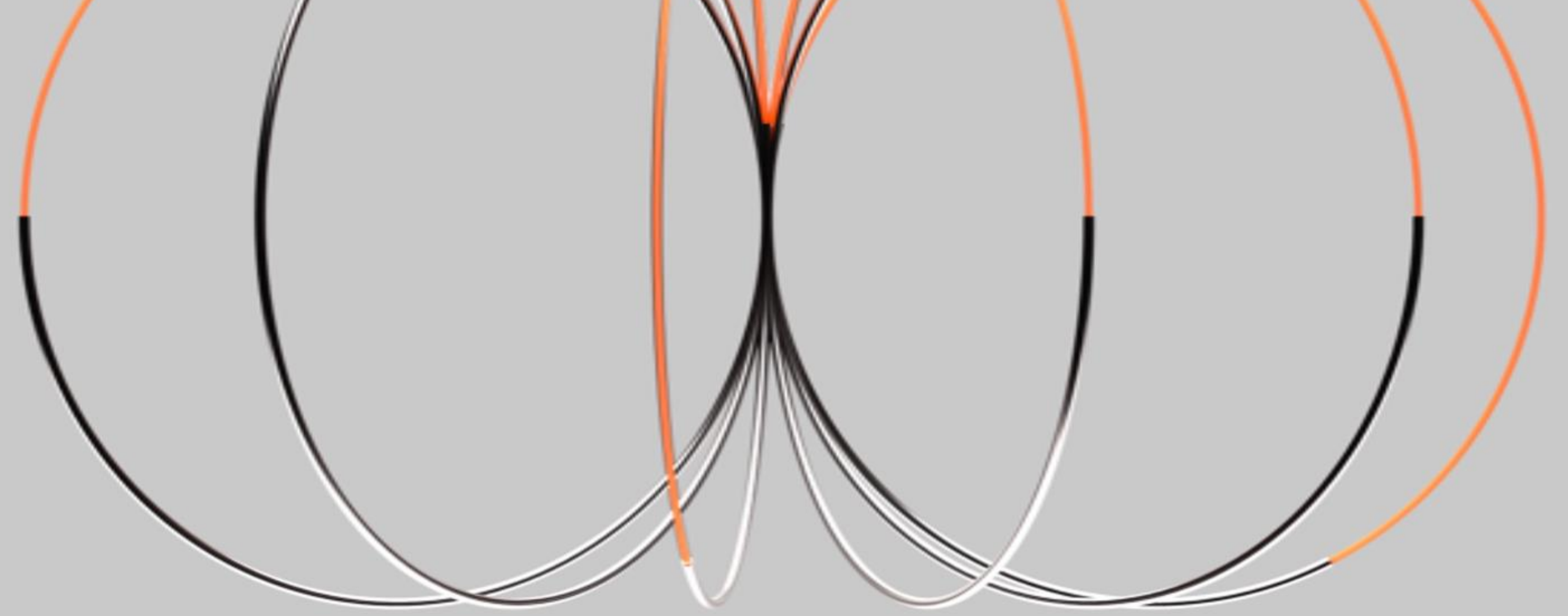


Dual HSM (FC 0908)



Secure your data and applications with confidential computing

Confidential computing with integrated acceleration for AI, post-quantum encryption and data compression



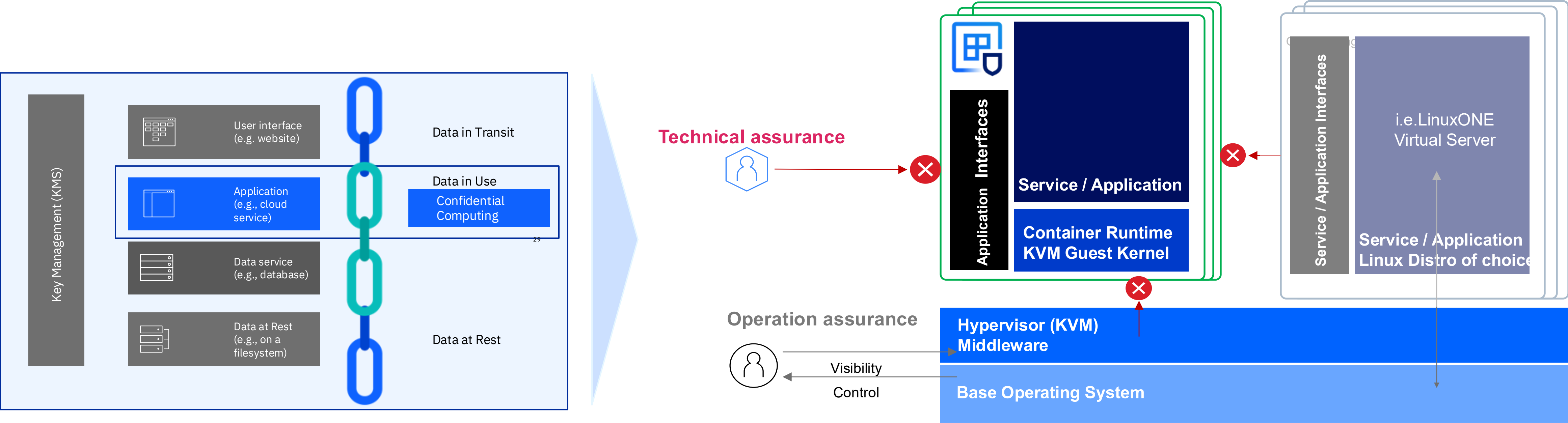
Leverage confidential computing to protect AI models, data and applications for collaborative learning and inference

Turnkey data sovereignty and separation of duty that does not depend on third parties to authenticate

Unique capabilities: integrated acceleration and key management to enforce policies with a zero-trust approach



Hyper Protect Virtual Servers based on Secure Execution for Linux



Enhanced protection boundary
Isolation between instances
Isolation from the OS and Hypervisor vulnerabilities

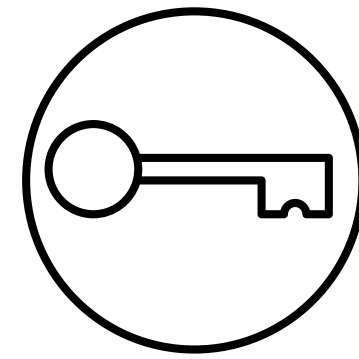
Zero Trust principles based on an encrypted contract concept. Multiple personas can collaborate without data compromise, deployment can be validated by auditor persona

Malware protection with Secure Build to ensure that only authorized code can run

Technical assurance
Data can't be accessed by unauthorized party or admin



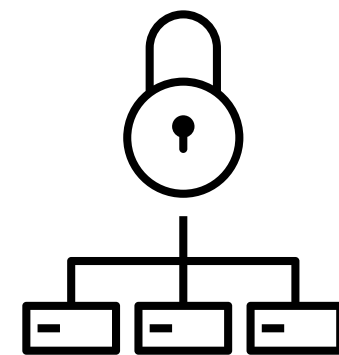
Highlights of security solutions available on IBM Z and IBM LinuxONE



Unified Key Orchestrator



IBM Vault



Guardium Key Lifecycle Manager



Advanced Crypto Service Provider





Key management is **vital** to encryption, but challenging

Reasons that can make key management painful

- Unclear ownership of the key management function
- Lack of technical expertise and skilled resources
- Isolated or fragmented key management systems
- Operational complexity
- Compliance with ever-evolving regulations and policies

Sources:

[Ponemon Institute's 2024 State of Zero Trust & Encryption Study](#)
[Encryption Consulting's Study on Global Encryption Trends – 2024](#)

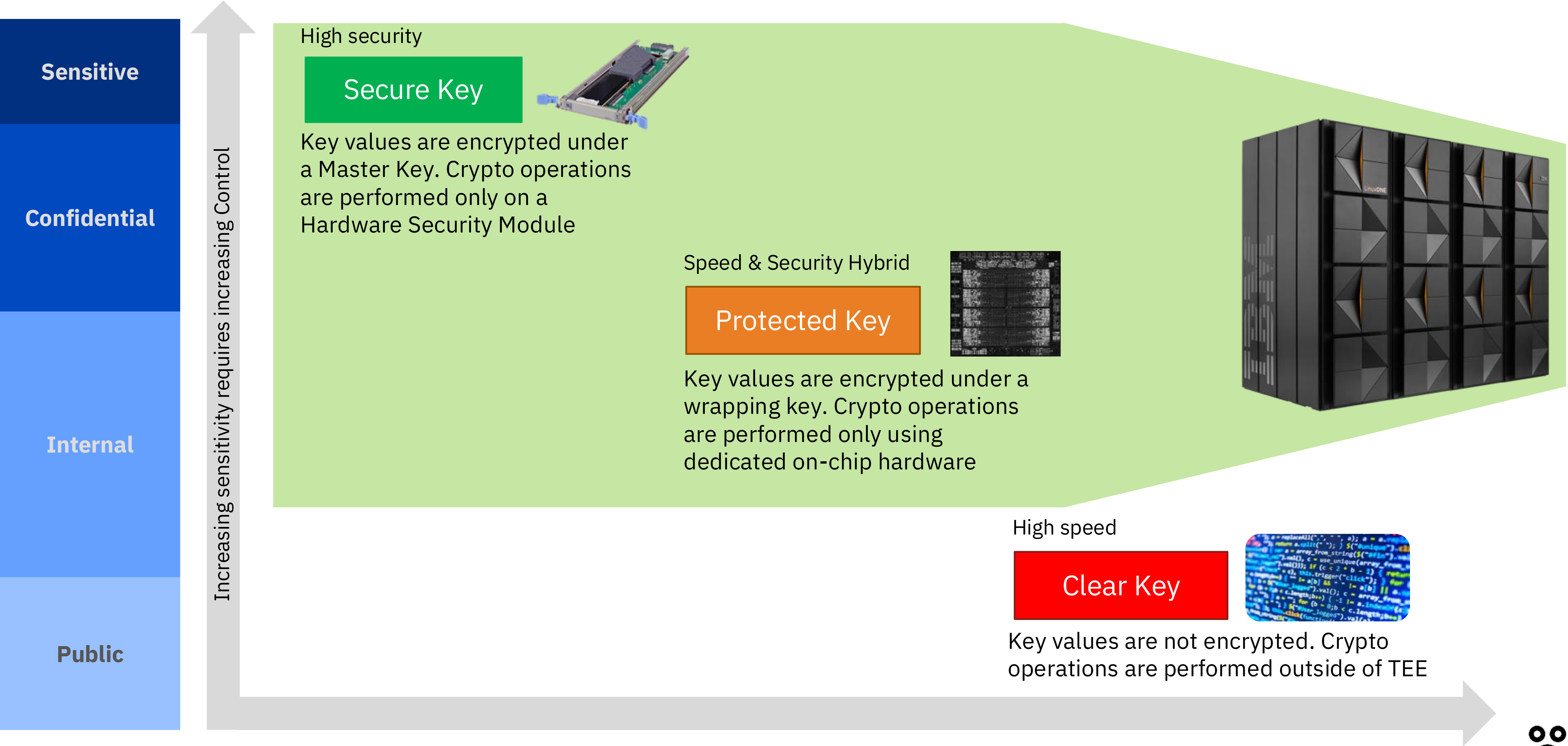


Bring Your Own Key vs Keep Your Own Key

Giving customers exclusive control over their encryption keys. Only authorized users have access-no privileged users, including IBM Cloud admins, have access. IBM is the only cloud vendor to offer **Keep Your Own Key** - all other cloud providers offer Bring Your Own Key, where the customers generate the keys and provide them to the cloud service provider (CSP). This provides operational assurance which says the CSP **will not** access the keys. KYOK offers technical assurance where the cloud service provider ***cannot*** access the keys.

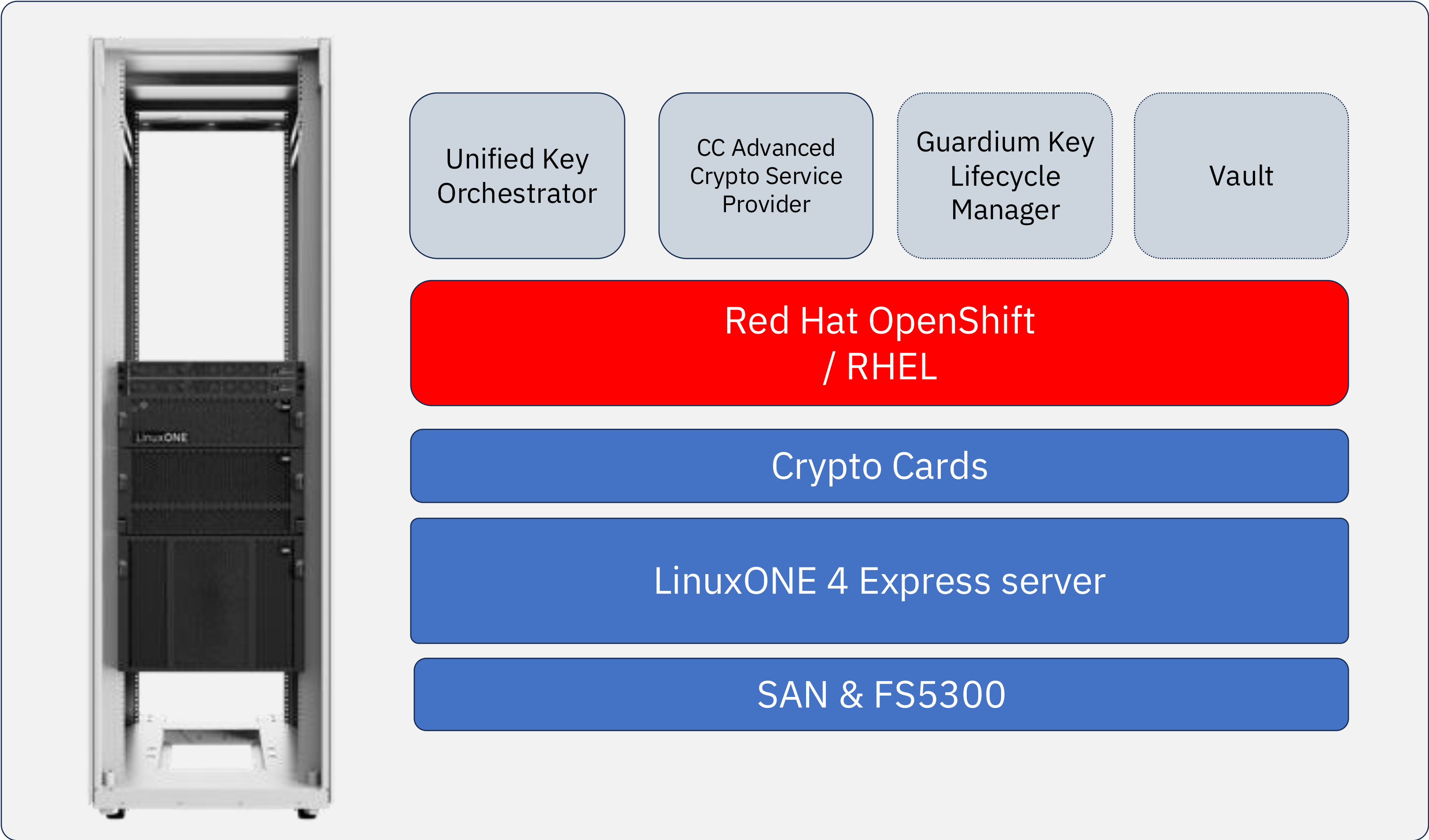


Data protection = Key protection

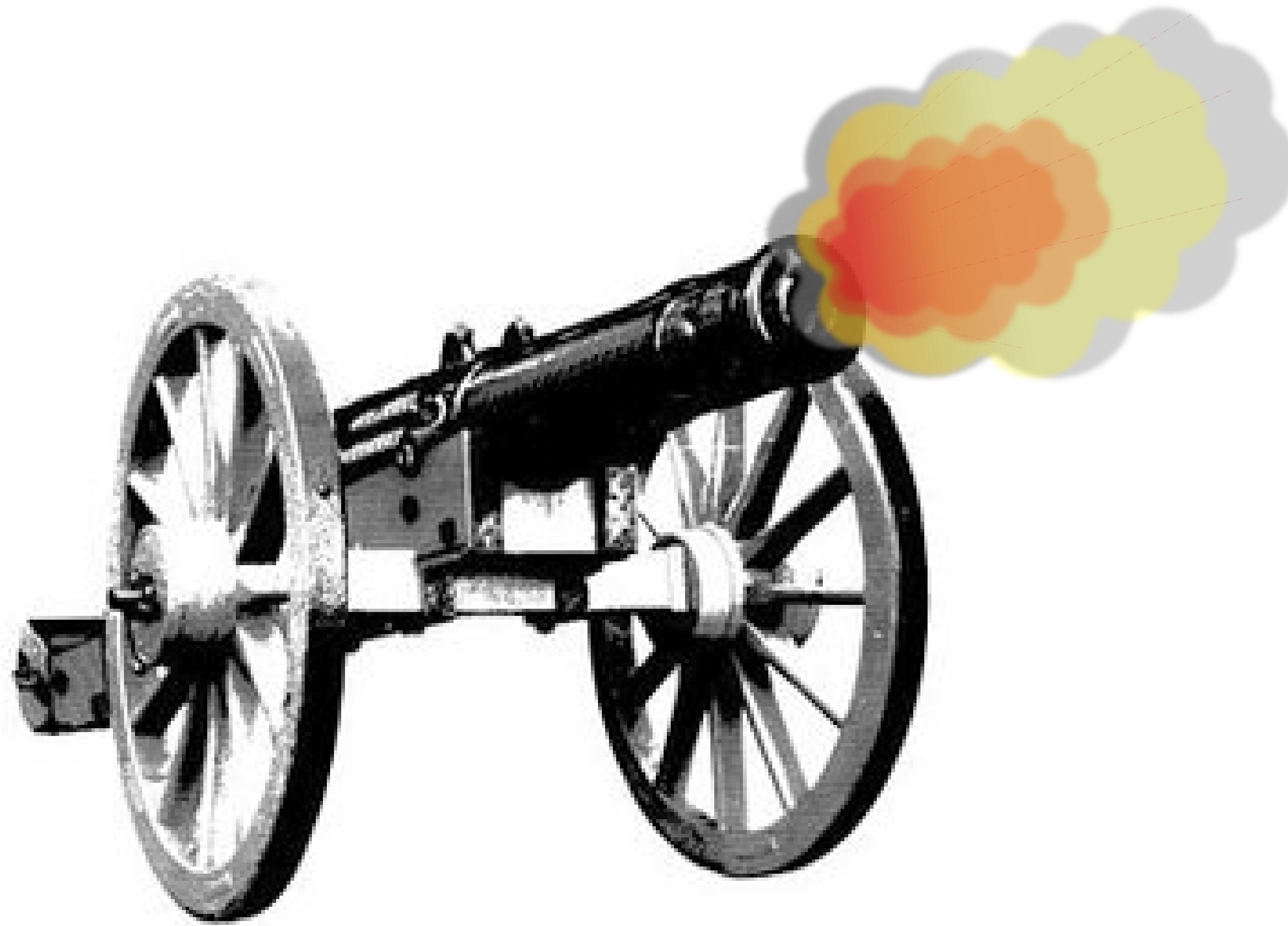


Post-Quantum Security Nerve Center

You don't need to wait – you can start today November 20th, 2025



We Salute You



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