

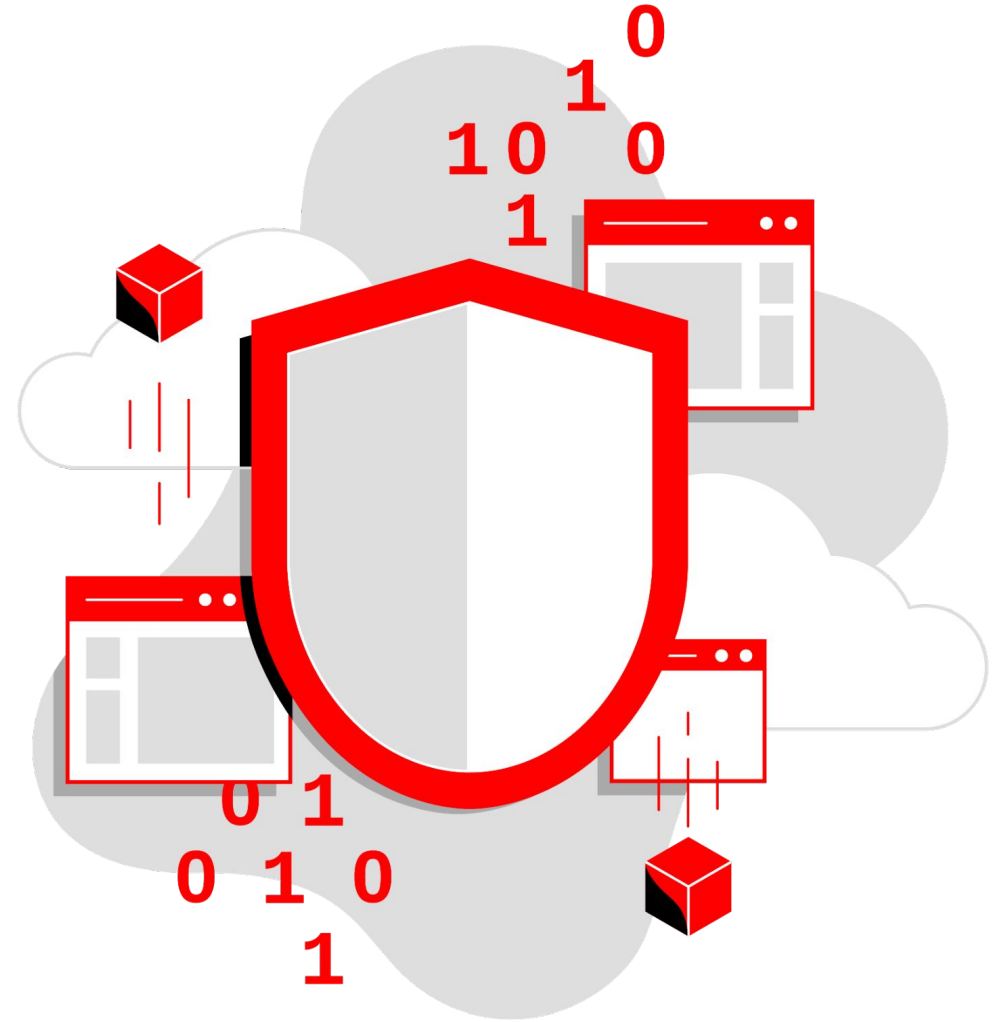


Security Symposium

Data Security in the Hybrid Cloud

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Introductions



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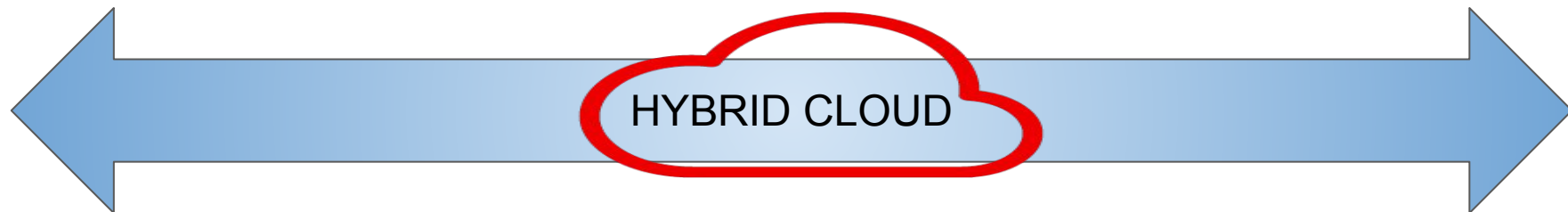
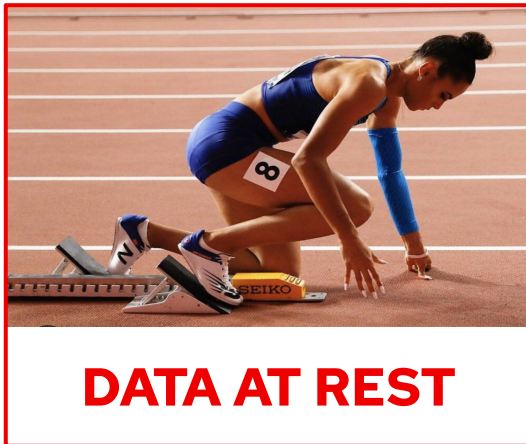


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Agenda

- ▶ Challenges
- ▶ Security across the data lifecycle and hybrid cloud
- ▶ Red Hat Solutions

Security across the data life cycle - Hybrid Cloud

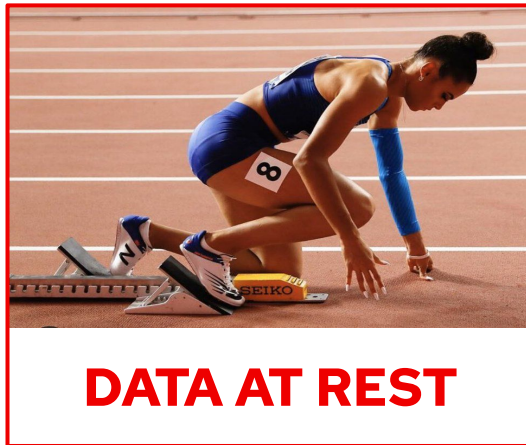


Challenges

- ▶ “The cloud is just someone else’s datacenter”

BUT

- ▶ Security is a big(ger) problem with more workflows and different cloud paradigms
 - Cannot outsource all security control to the cloud vendor
 - Lack of full control - In the hybrid cloud, every controllable constant of the traditional data center may now be a variable
 - How does this affect data at rest, in motion and in action?
- ▶ Must address CIA triad*
 - Confidentiality - who has access to the data
 - Integrity - is the data trustworthy and unmodified
 - Availability - is the data appropriately accessible when needed



Confidentiality

- ▶ Encrypted cloud block storage
 - Transparent, easy, obvious
 - Is access encrypted?
 - Who owns & where are the encryption keys?
- ▶ Encrypted cloud object storage
 - Introduces in-motion encryption requirements
- ▶ File / volume level access controls

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Integrity

- ▶ File-level integrity checking
 - AIDE, Tripwire®-like tools
- ▶ Cryptographic verification
 - IMA hashes
 - Encryption verification
- ▶ Filesystem / volume integrity checks
 - Dmintegrit
 - Checksums, etc.
 - Object integrity
- ▶ Immutability / Read-only access
 - WORM

Availability

- ▶ Snapshots w/verification
- ▶ Backups
- ▶ Access controls
- ▶ RAID or HA redundancy
- ▶ Multi-region data availability
 - With storage mirroring
 - Or erasure encoding



Confidentiality

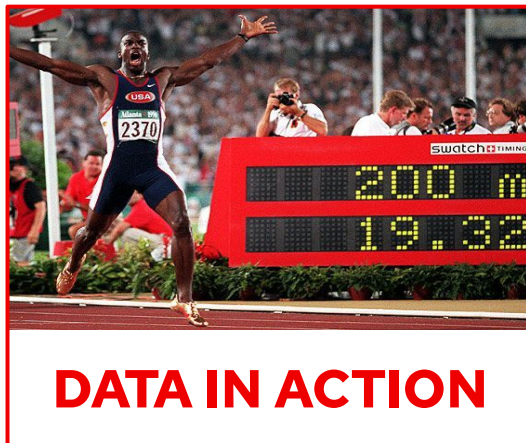
- ▶ Application level network encryption
 - TLS, SSL
 - Most common
- ▶ Encrypted tunnels
 - For legacy applications or ssh
 - Broad compatibility
- ▶ Network segmentation
 - To eliminate exposures

Integrity

- ▶ Encryption verification
 - Cryptographic hashes required to match for de-encryption to function
- ▶ Network traffic checksums
- ▶ Application-level verification
 - Database integrity checking
 - Erasure encoding for distributed data

Availability

- ▶ Redundant networking access
 - Physical network failover
 - Virtual networking duplication
- ▶ Application redundancy
 - With consistent access controls
 - Databases, object stores, etc.



Confidentiality

- ▶ Execution isolation
 - Resource controls
 - Security labels
 - CPU-core affinity
 - Pod / cluster affinity
- ▶ Memory encryption
 - Relatively new
 - Platform / system level
- ▶ Confidential Computing

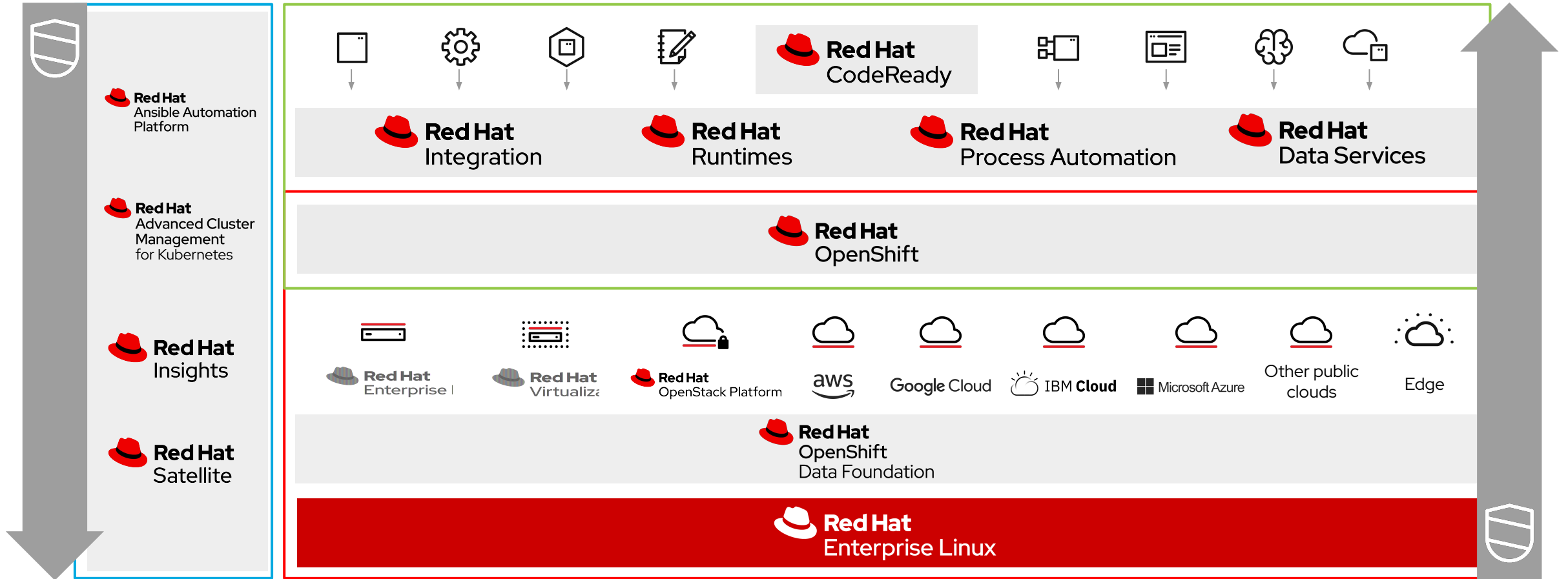
Integrity

- ▶ Physical memory integrity verification
 - Checksums,
 - Error Correction Code
- ▶ Application level verification
- ▶ Cryptographic verification when memory is encrypted

Availability

- ▶ Clustering w/failover
- ▶ Containers for higher availability
- ▶ Multi-region availability

Hybrid cloud security: Layered defense in-depth



Red Hat Enterprise Linux Solutions

For Small / Medium institutions

- ▶ Use RHEL with NFS and/or Samba for file sharing
 - Uses Kerberos for authentication / authorization
 - Implements access controls use ACLs and SELinux labels
- ▶ Encrypt data at rest with LUKS and manage with NBDE
 - Provides consistent encryption on-premise or in cloud environments
 - Manage LUKS keys using Network Bound Disk Encryption
- ▶ Encrypt traffic using IPSec or TLS and leverage FIPS-validated cryptography

For Enterprises

- ▶ Increase data availability with High Availability clustering and Resilient Storage
- ▶ Authenticate and manage digital certificates with Identity Manager
- ▶ Verify data integrity using AIDE and Application Allowlisting (fapolicyd)

Red Hat Enterprise Linux Security Hardening guide

https://access.redhat.com/documentation/en-us/red_hat_enterprise_linux/8/html/security_hardening/

Red Hat Cloud Storage and Data Services

For Small / Medium institutions

- ▶ CephX authentication between client and storage system and users and daemons
- ▶ Defaults to separate networks for cluster and user traffic
- ▶ Uses FIPS validated cryptographic modules when running on RHEL
- ▶ Support for encryption of data on the disk using LUKS encryption of data on OSDs

For Enterprises

- ▶ Full spectrum of data at rest encryption and user authentication options
 - User provided keys, Vault and KMIP support, Server managed encryption and LDAP support
 - OpenStack encryption key management support with Barbican integration
- ▶ S3 Object lock API support for WORM capabilities
- ▶ Encryption support for of inter-cluster traffic with Ceph messenger V2
- ▶ OpenShift PV and cluster wide encryption with KMIP support in ODF

Red Hat storage data security and hardening guide:

https://access.redhat.com/documentation/en-us/red_hat_ceph_storage/4/html/data_security_and_hardening_guide/index

Red Hat Hybrid Cloud Solutions

Red Hat Ceph Storage and OpenShift Data foundation

- ▶ AWS S3 compliant API for application portability
- ▶ Time based credential and data set sharing with AWS STS support with Ceph object gateway (RGW)
- ▶ Multi cloud API, security, encryption and data federation support from single access API access point with Multi Cloud Gateway (MCG - NooBaa)

Red Hat Enterprise Linux

- ▶ Separate workloads via VMs or Containers
 - Leverages SELinux labeling, cGroups & processor affinity
- ▶ Encrypt data at rest with LUKS and manage with NBDE
 - Manage cloud encryption keys from on-premise devices
- ▶ Encrypt inner-cluster traffic with TLS
- ▶ Leverage HA and Resilient storage for critical applications

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