

Fortifying Software Resilience: A Roadmap for Mitigating Risks in the Evolving SDV Landscape

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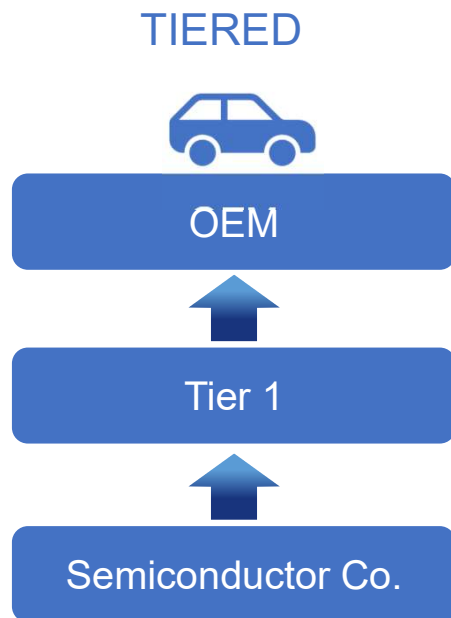
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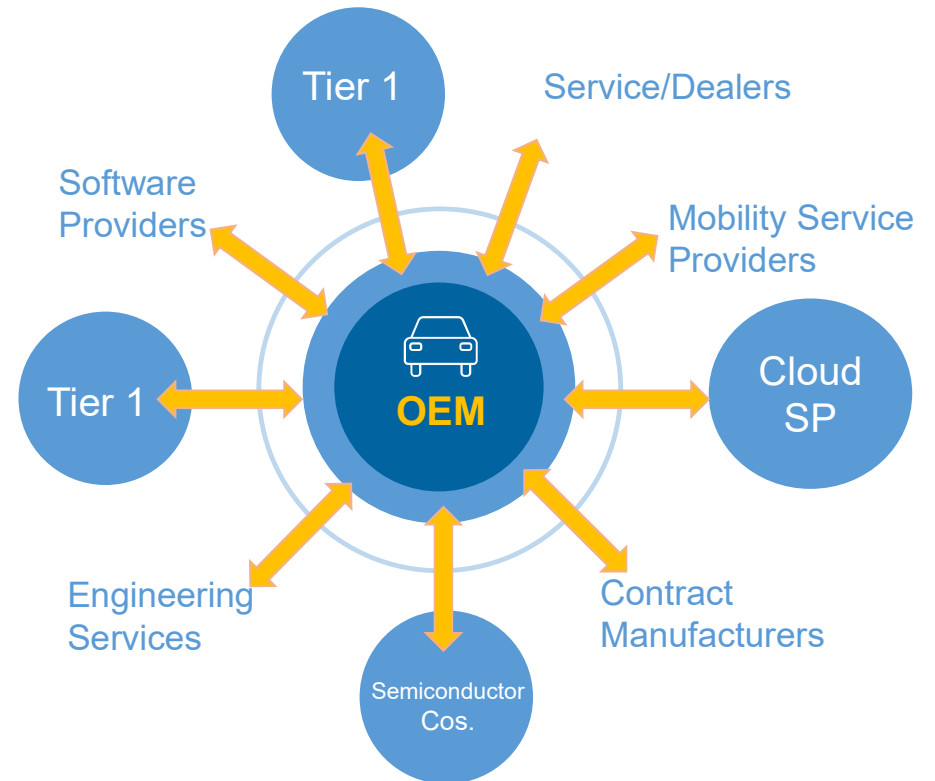


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Driving Automotive Cybersecurity Forward

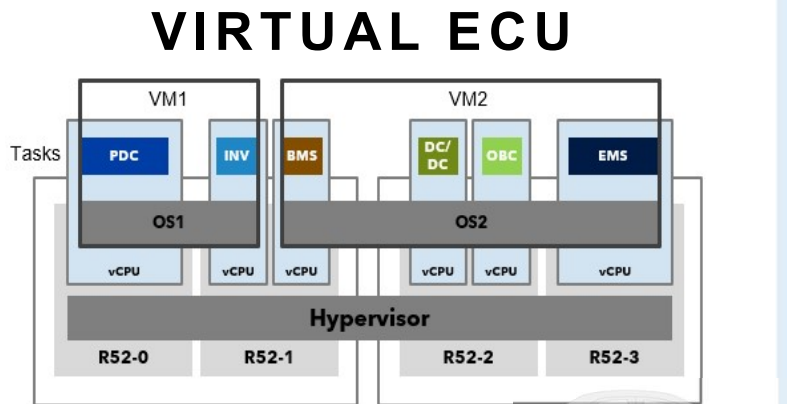
Automotive Ecosystem Evolved



BIDIRECTIONAL & INTERCONNECTED



Virtual ECU Advancements fuel SDV



NXP **Qualcomm**

Picture Credit: NXP

- ✓ **Implementing CI/CD** for accelerated vehicle design process



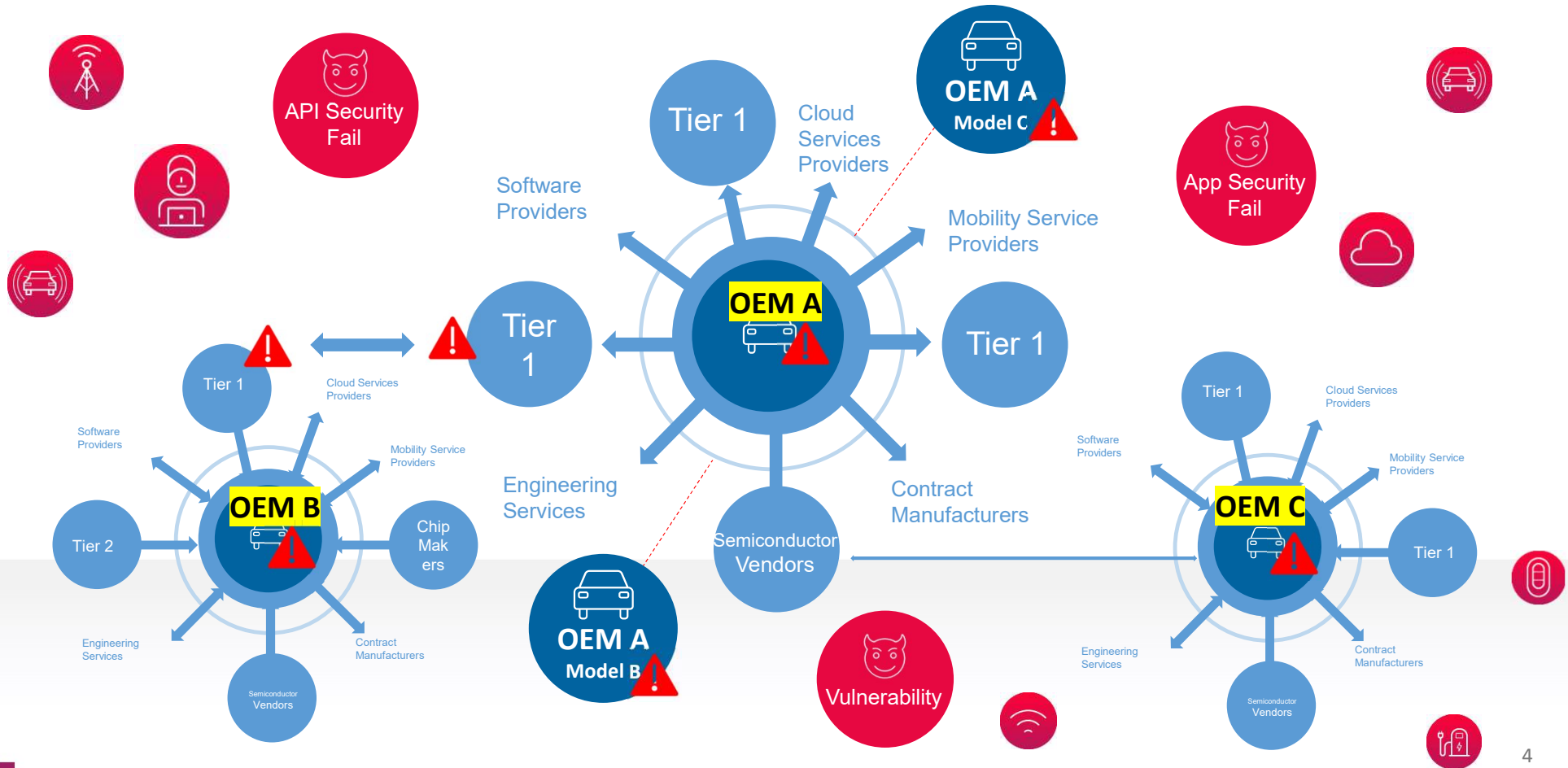
- ✓ **Realizing Updateable Local Systems** for advanced software integration



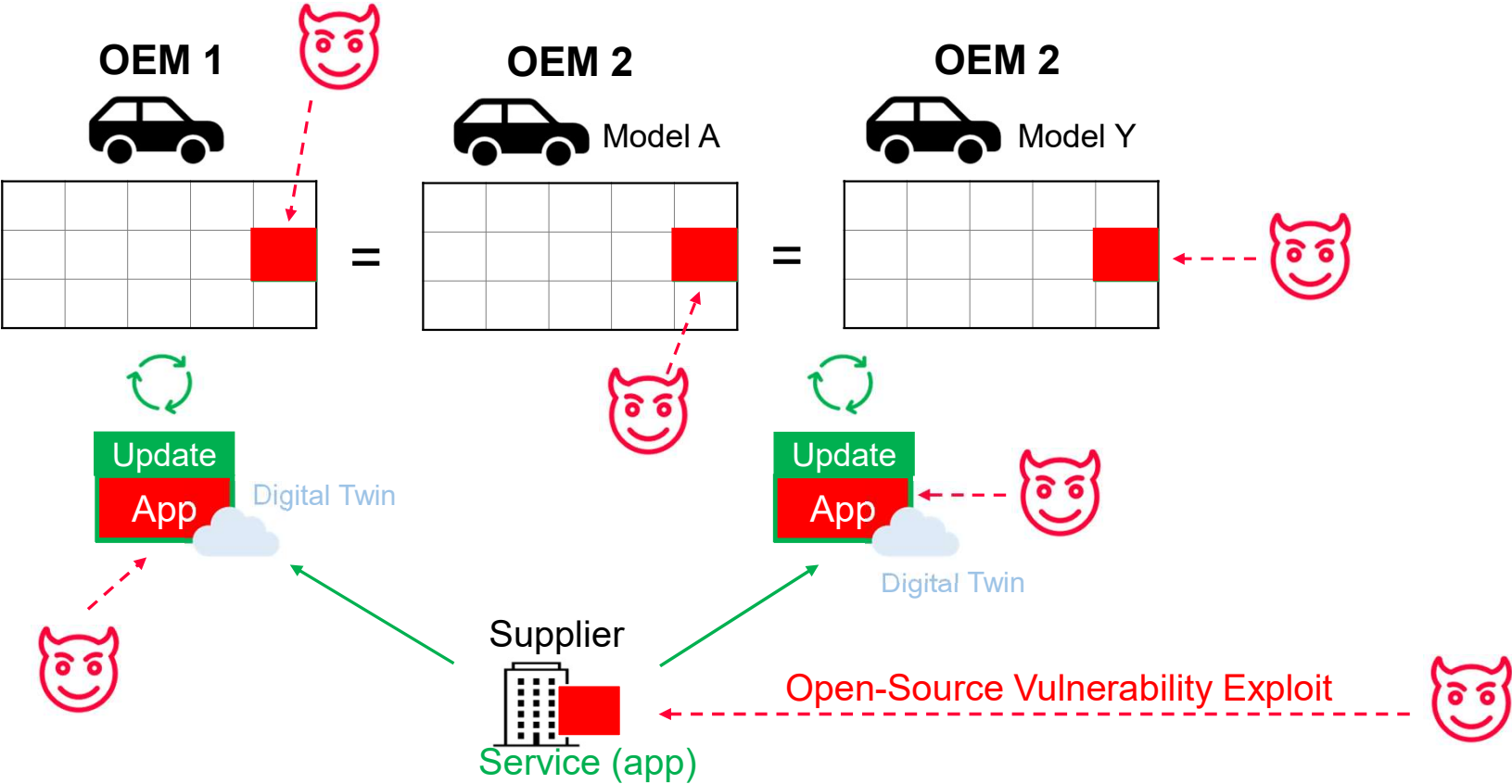
- ✓ **Feasibility of Digital Twin** for system integration simulation



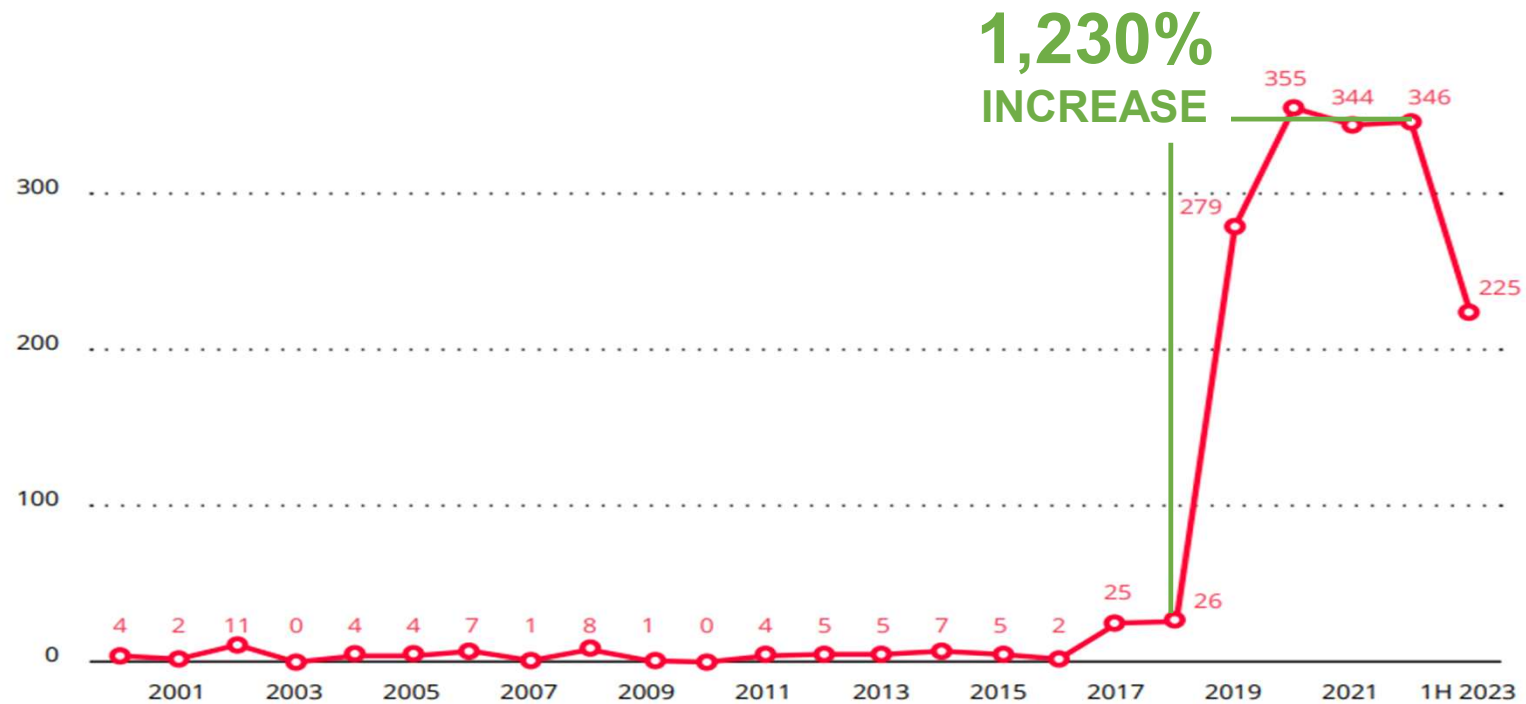
Threat landscape – Wider and more open



Software Risks Fueling Supply Chain Attacks



Growing Rapidly: Hundreds of Reported Automotive Vulnerabilities



Effects of Exposed Vulnerabilities in Automotive Systems, for example: Data theft/harvest, Device hijack, Device malfunction, Loss of system/service availability, Network host services disabled....

Source: VicOne and NVD database

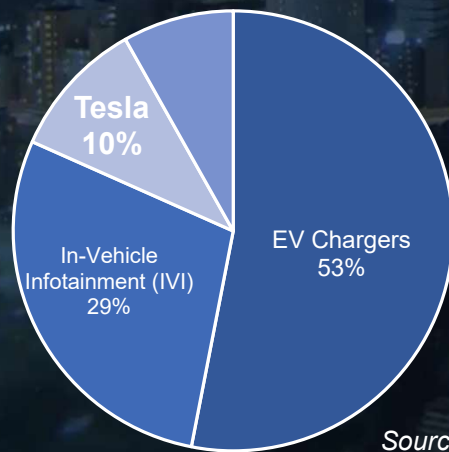
Pwn2Own Automotive: The first-ever Automotive Hacking Contests

17 white hat hacker team, nine countries participated, over 50 entries remotely and on-site across four categories

Jan. 24- 26, 2024



49 unique **zero-day vulnerabilities** for automotive industry in **3 days**



Source: ZDI

Zero-Day by Category

- EV Chargers
- In-Vehicle Infotainment (IVI)
- Tesla
- Operating System



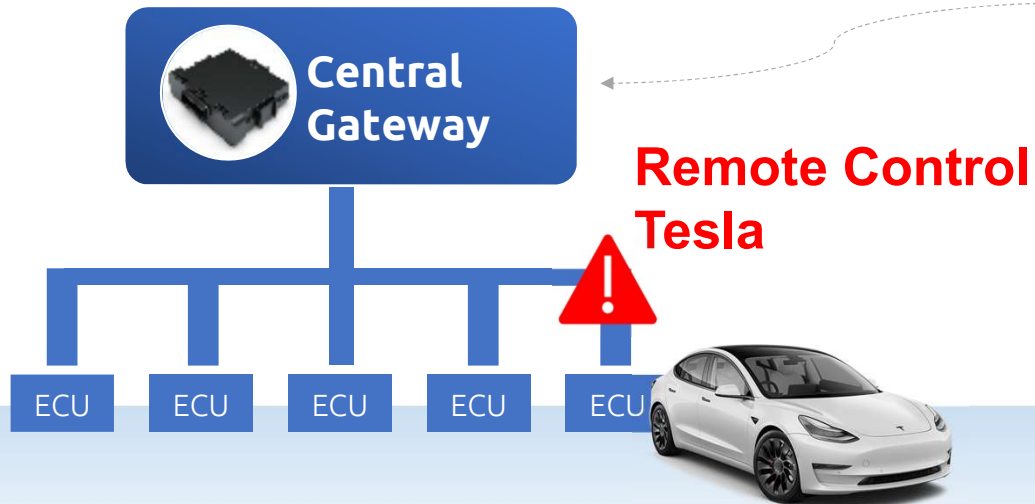
Tesla has been our **partner** for over 5 years



Disclosed **13 zero-day** vulnerabilities related to Tesla since 2017

Source: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZUs98Z-plpY>

Scary Zero Day Vulnerabilities: Attackers Can *Remote Control* Tesla



3 Actual Tesla Zero-Day Vulnerabilities' Impact



- 1 Remote Vulnerability Attack (ZDI-23-973)
- 2 Privilege Escalation (ZDI-23-971)
- 3 Validation Bypass (ZDI-23-972)

ZDI-23-973	ZDI-CAN-20737	Tesla	CVE-2023-32157	4.6	2023-07-18
<small>(Pwn2Own) Tesla Model 3 bus_server BIP Heap-based Buffer Overflow Arbitrary Code Execution Vulnerability</small>					
ZDI-23-972	ZDI-CAN-20734	Tesla	CVE-2023-32156	9.0	
<small>(Pwn2Own) Tesla Model 3 Gateway Firmware Signature Validation Bypass Vulnerability</small>					
ZDI-23-971	ZDI-CAN-20733	Tesla	CVE-2023-32155	7.8	
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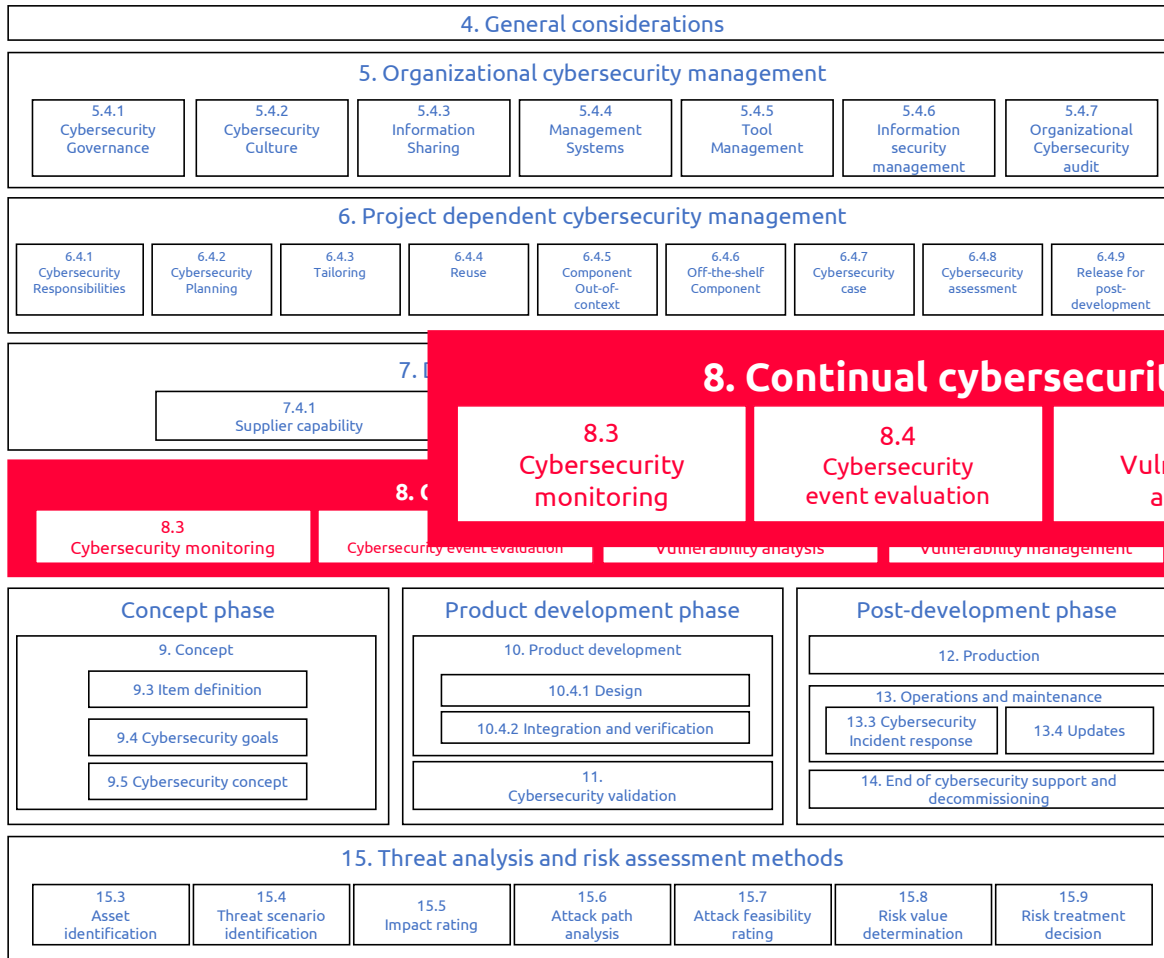


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Vulnerabilities Management

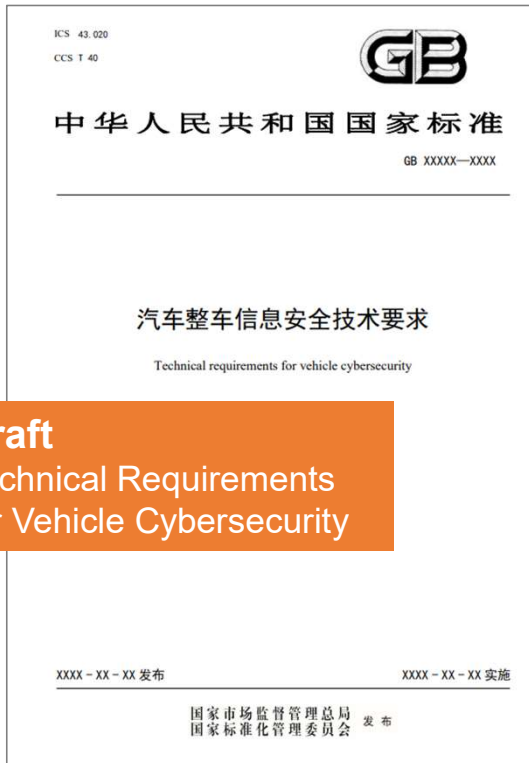
Challenge SDV CI/CD process

ISO/SAE 21434 Requires Vulnerability Management



Source: [ISO.org](https://www.iso.org)

Take effect in 2026: New GB Standard Will Require Vulnerability Management



Draft
Technical Requirements
for Vehicle Cybersecurity

Take effect on Jan. 1, 2026

5.2.4 应建立针对车辆的网络攻击、网络威胁和漏洞的监测、响应及上报流程
Establishment of monitoring, response, and reporting process for cyberattacks, cyber threats, and vulnerabilities targeting vehicles

5.2.4 (e) 应建立确保对网络攻击、网络威胁和漏洞进行持续监控的流程
Process should be established to ensure **continuous monitoring of vulnerabilities**, cyberattacks, and cyber threats

9.1.2 车载软件升级系统应不存在由权威漏洞平台 6 个月前公布且未经处置的高危及以上的安全漏洞

The vehicle software must **not contain high-risk vulnerabilities** disclosed by authoritative vulnerability databases over 6 months ago without resolution.

A.6.1.2 (a) 使用漏洞扫描工具对车载软件升级系统进行漏洞扫描测试
Conduct vulnerability scanning on the vehicle software by using vulnerability scanning tools.

A.6.1.2 (b) 对照企业提交的漏洞处置方案清单，确认企业提交的漏洞处置方案清单中是否覆盖该漏洞
Cross-reference the **list of vulnerability** mitigation plans submitted by the enterprise to verify if the submitted plans cover the identified vulnerability.

Source: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/CHN/23_11189_00_x.pdf

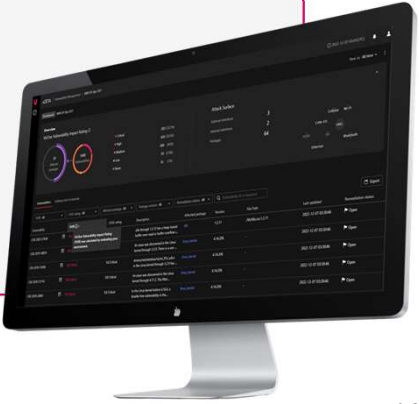
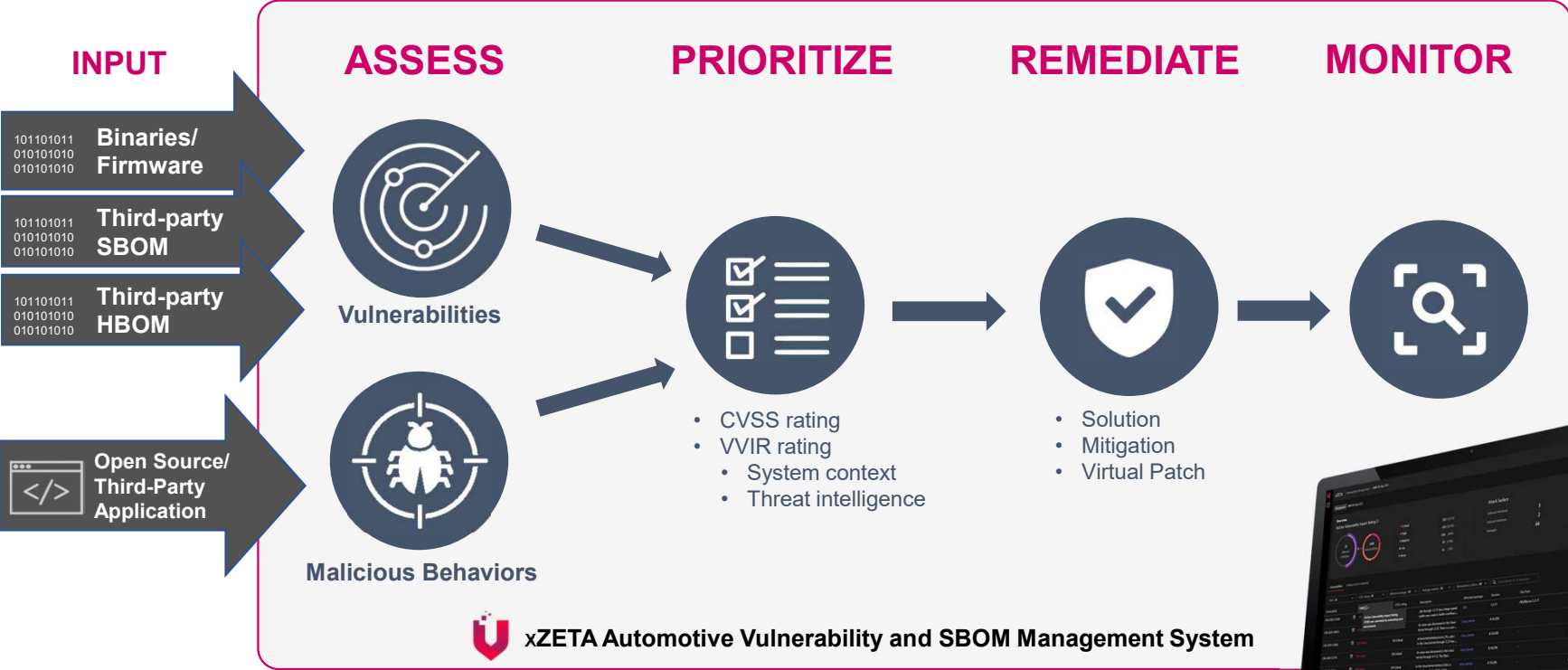
Challenging to Effectively Handle Vulnerability Risks on a Large Scale



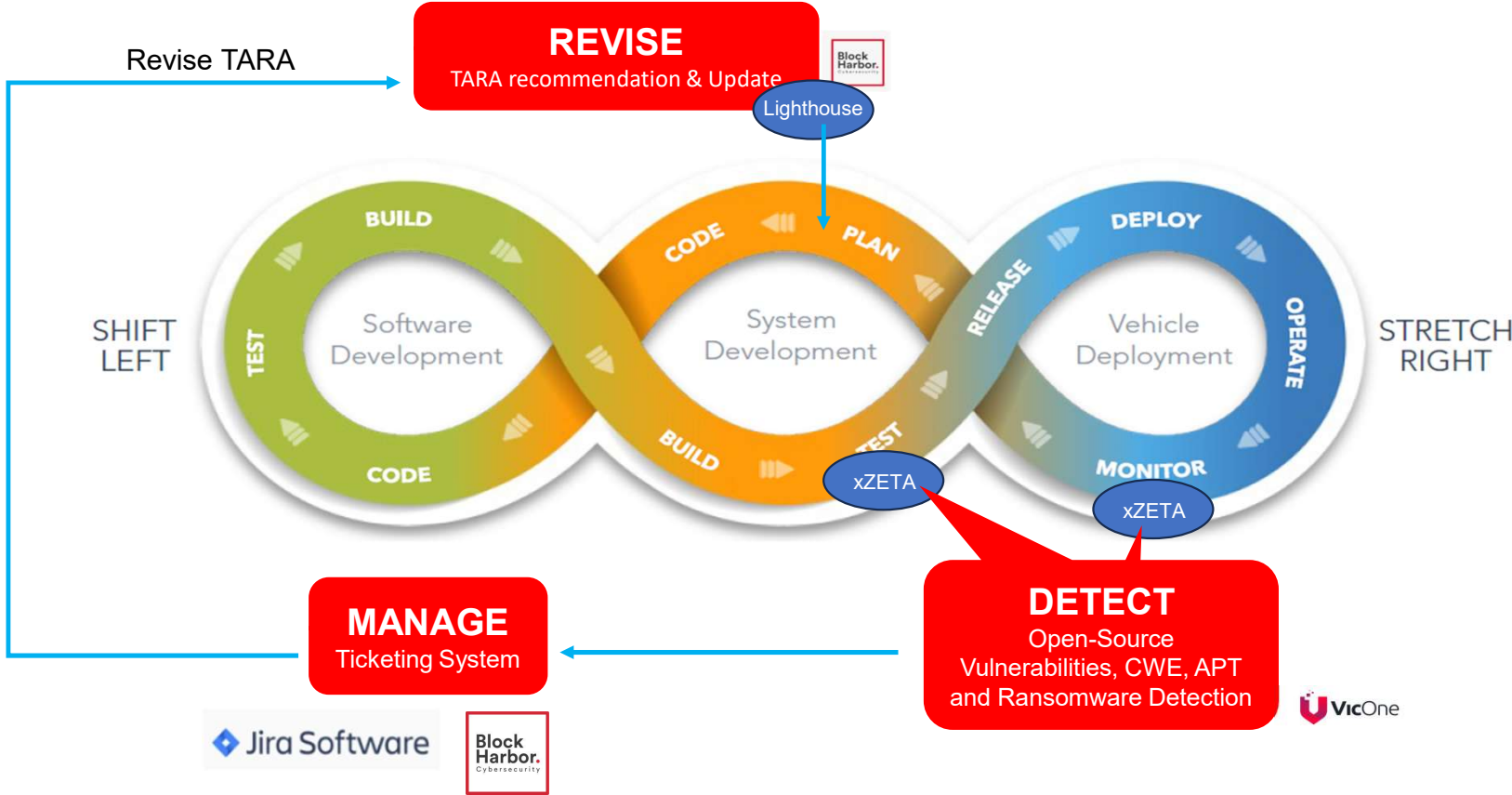


How do we keep up with the
rapidly evolving development
scenarios?

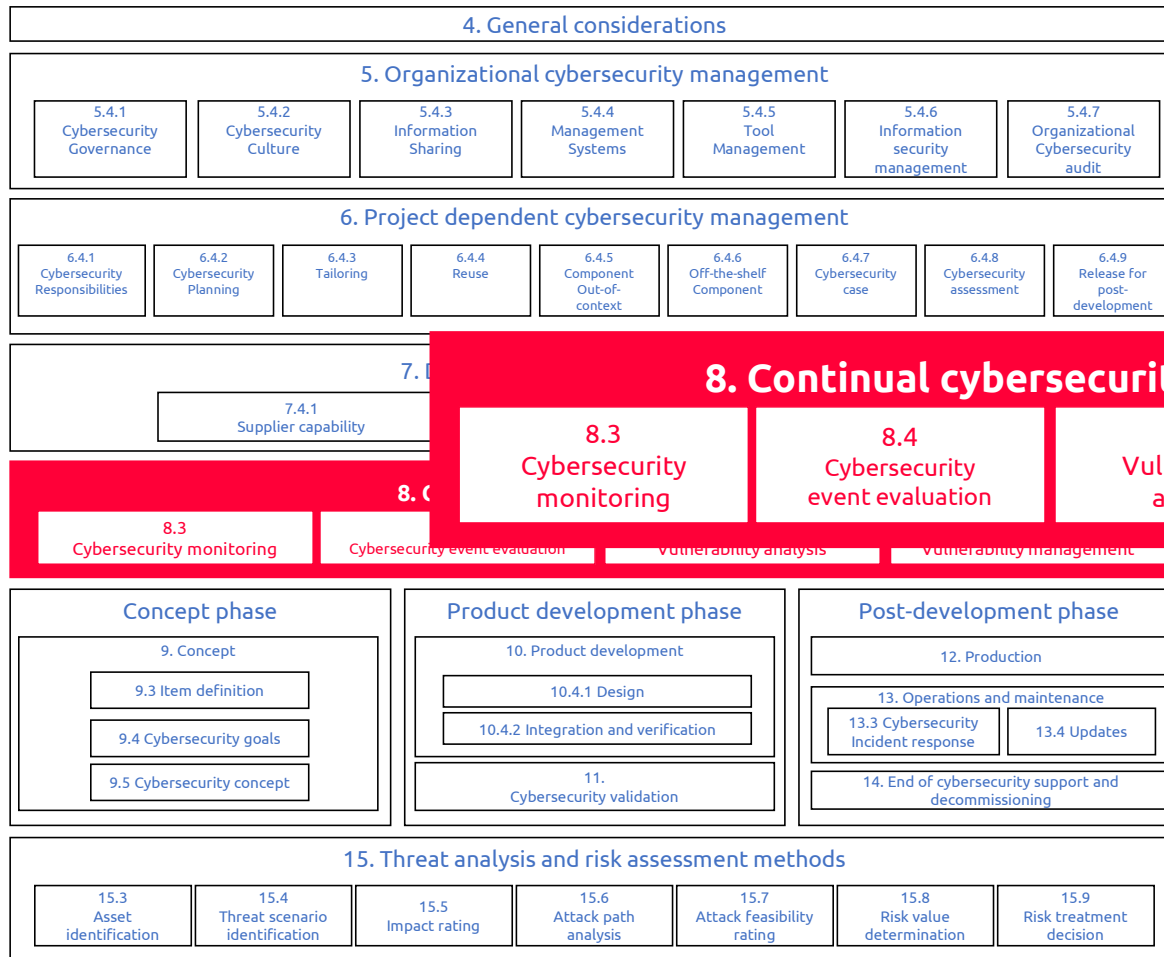
Manage Vulnerabilities in One Place, Automatically



CI/CD Integration: Enhances Operational Efficiency



How xZETA Can Help



Source: [ISO.org](https://www.iso.org)

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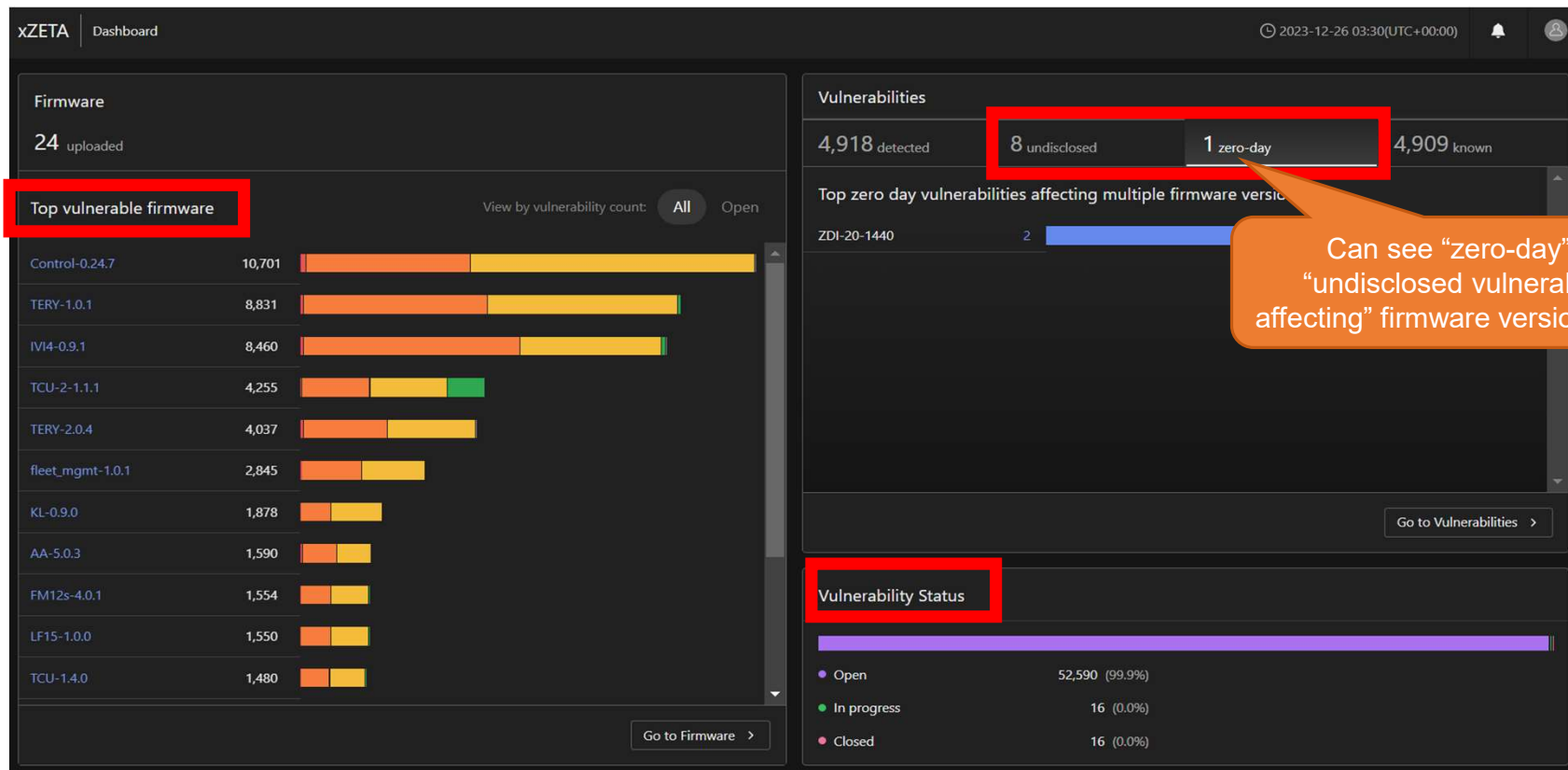
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When a new vulnerability is disclosed, we can first overview the vulnerability status through the dashboard.



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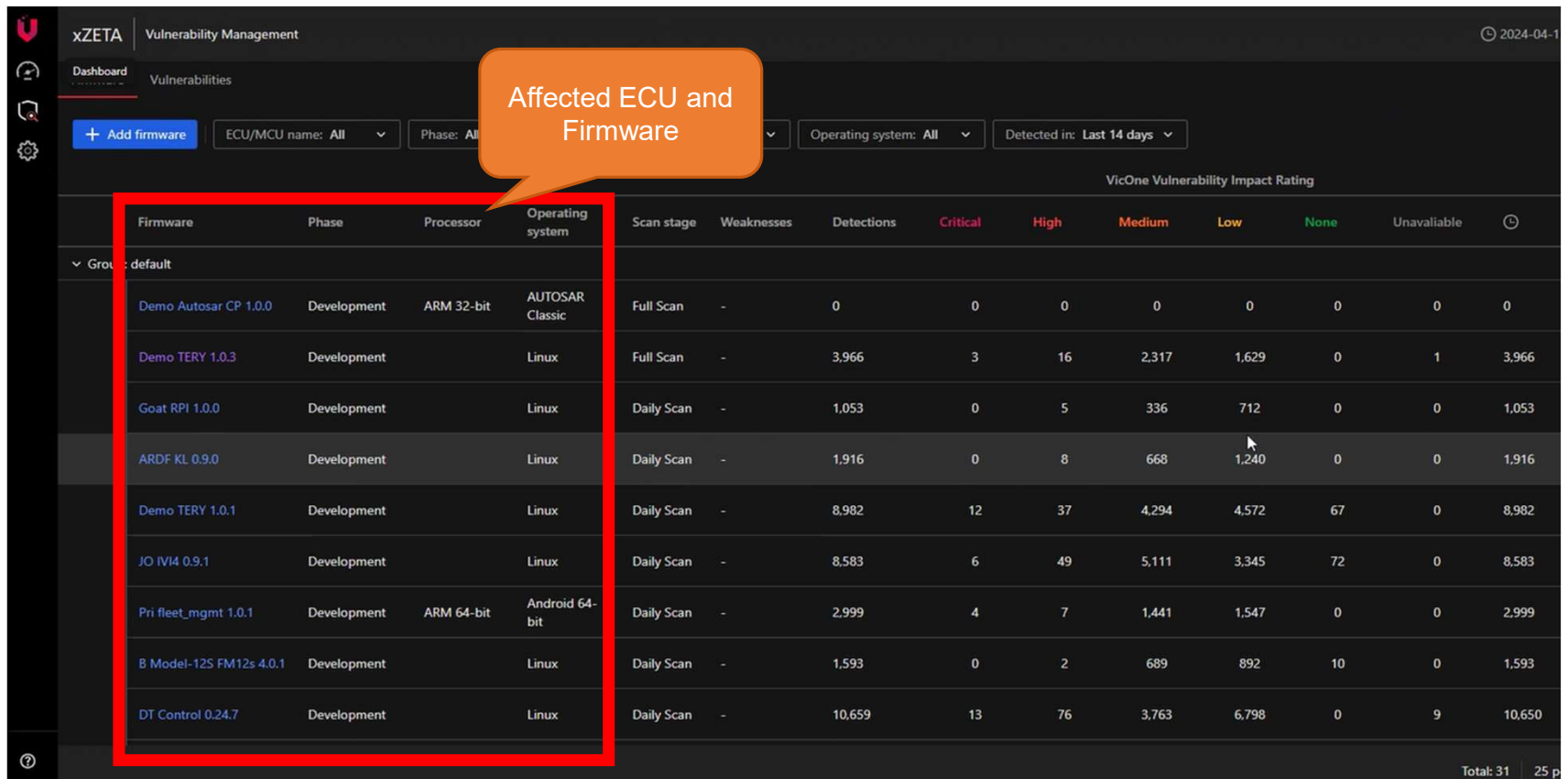
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Through the ECU view, we can quickly confirm which products are affected by reported vulnerabilities.



The screenshot displays the xZETA Vulnerability Management interface. At the top, there are filters for ECU/MCU name, Phase, Operating system, and Detected in. Below the filters is a table with columns for Firmware, Phase, Processor, Operating system, Scan stage, Weaknesses, Detections, and a breakdown of vulnerability impact ratings (Critical, High, Medium, Low, None, Unavailable). A red box highlights the 'Affected ECU and Firmware' column, and an orange callout points to it.

Firmware	Phase	Processor	Operating system	Scan stage	Weaknesses	Detections	Critical	High	Medium	Low	None	Unavailable	
Demo Autosar CP 1.0.0	Development	ARM 32-bit	AUTOSAR Classic	Full Scan	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Demo TERY 1.0.3	Development		Linux	Full Scan	-	3,966	3	16	2,317	1,629	0	1	3,966
Goat RPI 1.0.0	Development		Linux	Daily Scan	-	1,053	0	5	336	712	0	0	1,053
ARDF KL 0.9.0	Development		Linux	Daily Scan	-	1,916	0	8	668	1,240	0	0	1,916
Demo TERY 1.0.1	Development		Linux	Daily Scan	-	8,982	12	37	4,294	4,572	67	0	8,982
JO IVI4 0.9.1	Development		Linux	Daily Scan	-	8,583	6	49	5,111	3,345	72	0	8,583
Pri fleet_mgmt 1.0.1	Development	ARM 64-bit	Android 64-bit	Daily Scan	-	2,999	4	7	1,441	1,547	0	0	2,999
B Model-12S FM12s 4.0.1	Development		Linux	Daily Scan	-	1,593	0	2	689	892	10	0	1,593
DT Control 0.24.7	Development		Linux	Daily Scan	-	10,659	13	76	3,763	6,798	0	9	10,650

Total: 31 | 25 p

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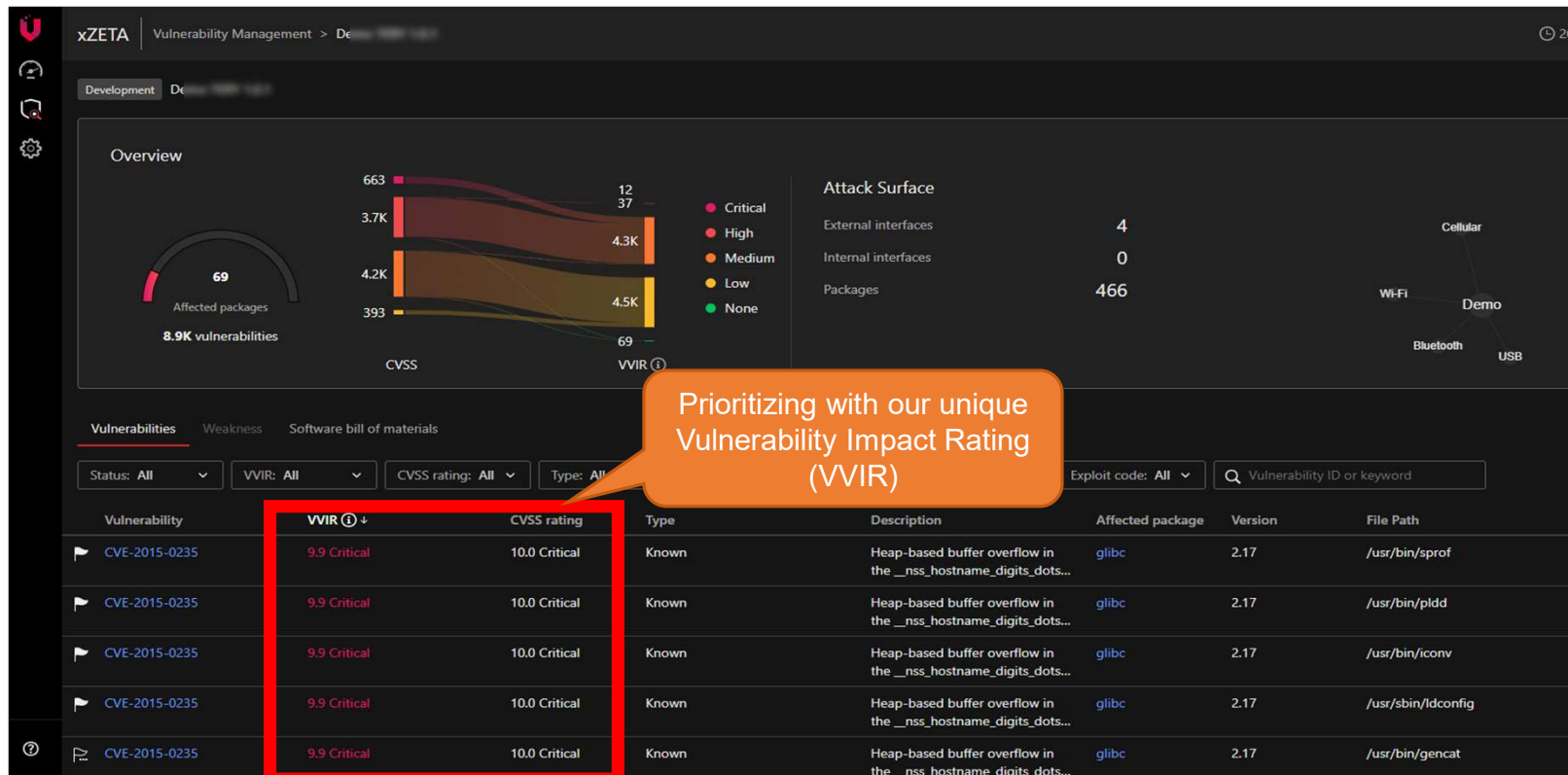
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Leverage impact rating, we can assess the severity of this vulnerability on the products, prioritizing mitigation resource.



Precise Prioritization - Practical Examples

Vulnerability Details

Description

[CVE-2019-1551](#)

There is an overflow bug in the x64_64 Montgomery squaring procedure used in exponentiation with 512-bit moduli. No EC algorithms are affected. Analysis suggests that attacks against 2-prime RSA1024, 3-prime RSA1536, and DSA1024 as a result of this defect would be very difficult to perform and are not believed likely. Attacks against DH512 are considered just feasible. However, for an attack the target would have to re-use the DH512 private key, which is not recommended anyway. Also applications directly using the low level API BN_mod_exp may be affected if they use BN_FLG_CONSTTIME. Fixed in OpenSSL 1.1.1e (Affected 1.1.1-1.1.1d). Fixed in OpenSSL 1.0.2u (Affected 1.0.2-1.0.2t).

Affected Package

openssl

File path:
/usr/lib/libcrypto.so.1.1

Risk Level

VVIR ⓘ 0

CVSS 5.3

Risk factors:
This vulnerability only exists on the x86_64 operating system architecture and does not affect the aarch64 operating system architecture.

Solution

- Upgrade to OpenSSL version 1.1.1e
- Upgrade to OpenSSL version 1.0.2u

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Proven Record

Hear From Our Customer



Secure **V2X** with effective vulnerability management

*“VicOne helps ASKEY improve product development efficiency **from six months to two weeks.**”*

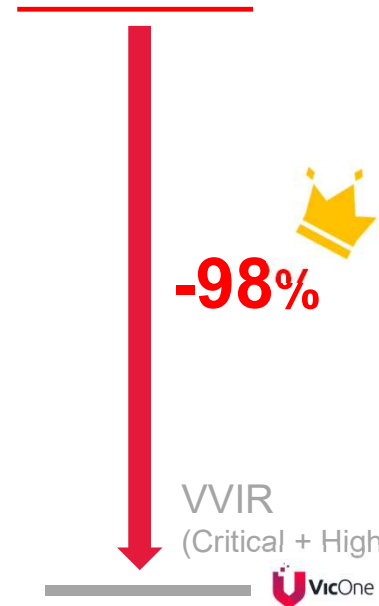
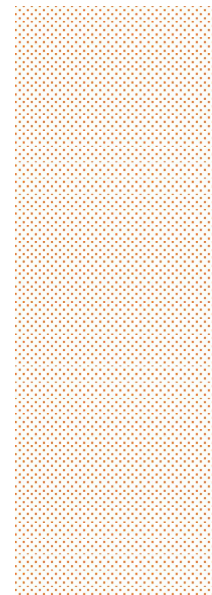


YC Chang
Senior Director at Askey's Automotive Product Unit

Source: <https://documents.vicone.com/success-story/askey-success-story.pdf>

Take ASKEY's 5G C-V2X OBU as an example:

CVSS
(Critical + High)



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Integrate with third-party ticketing systems for managing case with ease.

CVE-2015-0235

Heap-based buffer overflow in the `__nss_hostname_digits_dots` function in `glibc 2.2`, and other 2.x versions before 2.18, allows context-dependent attackers to execute arbitrary code via vectors related to the (1) `gethostbyname` or (2) `gethostbyname2` function, aka "GHOST." [National Vulnerability Database](#)

Published: 2015-01-28 19:59:00 Affected package version: `glibc 2.17` Exploit code: Available

Last updated: 2024-04-10 02:52:42 File path: `/Terry_2.0.5/usr/bin/localedef`

Risk Level

VVIR ①: 9.9
CVSS: 10

Risk factors:
The vulnerability score is determined by multiple parameters. When it is lowered, possible factors include the absence of exploit code, low likelihood of exploitation prediction, and other factors.

Recommendation

Remediation:

- Upgrade to `glibc` version 2.18
- Apply the patch to your local version <https://sourceware.org/git/?p=glibc.git;a=commit;h=d5dd618...>

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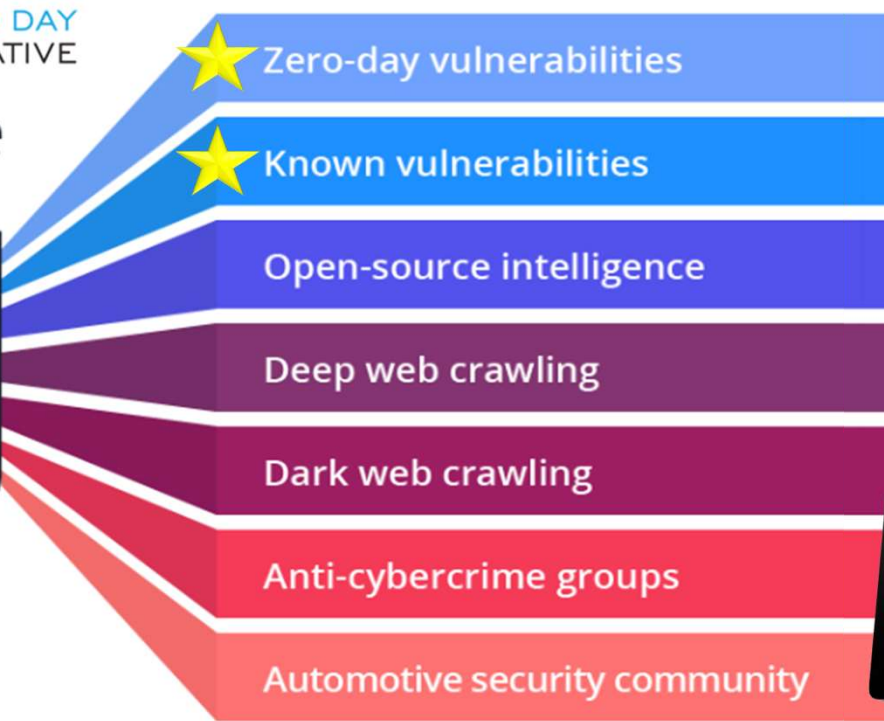
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TICKETING SYSTEM For example:

Jira Software



30+ Years of Threat Intelligence



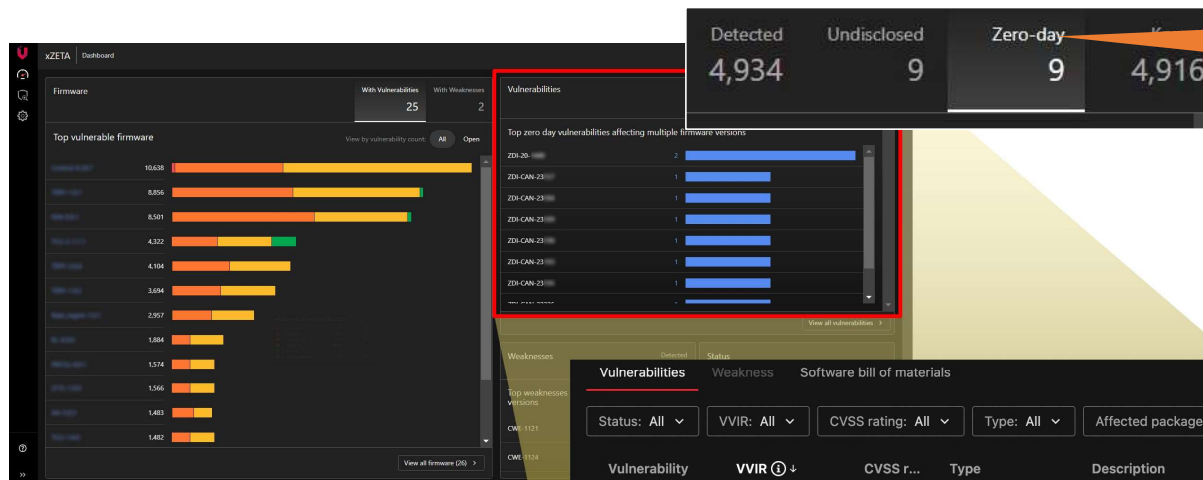
Threat Feeds

Vulnerabilities		
ZDI ZERO DAY INITIATIVE	NVD CVE NVD	JVN
ICS-CERT CYBERSECURITY & INFRASTRUCTURE SECURITY AGENCY	Mitre CWE CWE	CNA Advisories
Project Zero	Bug Reports	Social Media

Exploits, Threat Intel and PoCs		
Exploit VEX	Exploit DB EXPLOIT DATABASE	Threat Intel INTEL471
EPSS Exploit Prediction Scoring System		Exploit DB



One and Only: Detect Zero-Day Vulnerabilities with Unique Automotive Threat Intelligence



Detect the unique **zero-day vulnerabilities** in the firmware or binary of EV charging systems.

Vulnerability	VVIR	CVSS r...	Type	Description
ZDI-CAN-23	8.8 High	8.8 High	Zero-Day	Pwn2Own Automotive 2024
ZDI-CAN-23	8.8 High	8.8 High	Zero-Day	Pwn2Own Aut
ZDI-CAN-23	8.1 High	8.1 High	Zero-Day	Pw Aut
ZDI-CAN-23	8.1 High	8.1 High	Zero-Day	Pw Aut

Source: <https://www.vicone.com/blog/44-unique-zero-day-vulnerabilities-discovered-at-pwn2own-automotive-are-detectable-only-by-vicone-products>



Benefits



Accelerating ISO/SAE 21434 Vulnerability Management

Reduce software risk mitigation from 6 months to 2 weeks. Save around €14K*.



The Best Coverage

Eliminate blind spots with 27% more coverage, including unique zero-day threat intelligence

“

We utilize the xZETA system to demonstrate our effective vulnerability management capabilities to auditors, which helps us meet the requirements of UN R155.

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