# Taming the Chaos of Supply Chain Security Risks with MITRE's System of Trust™

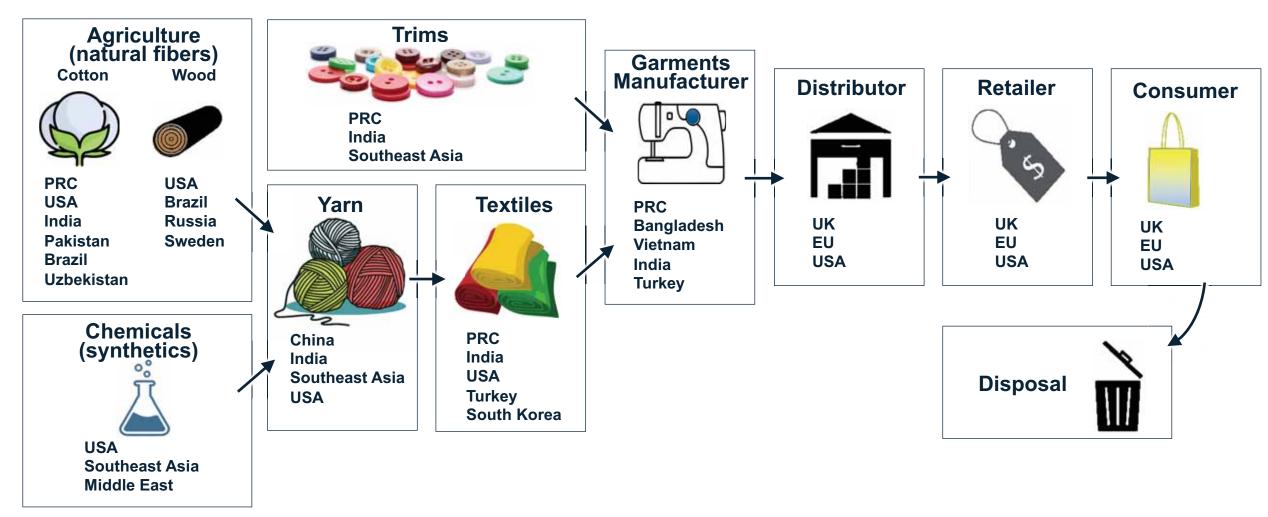


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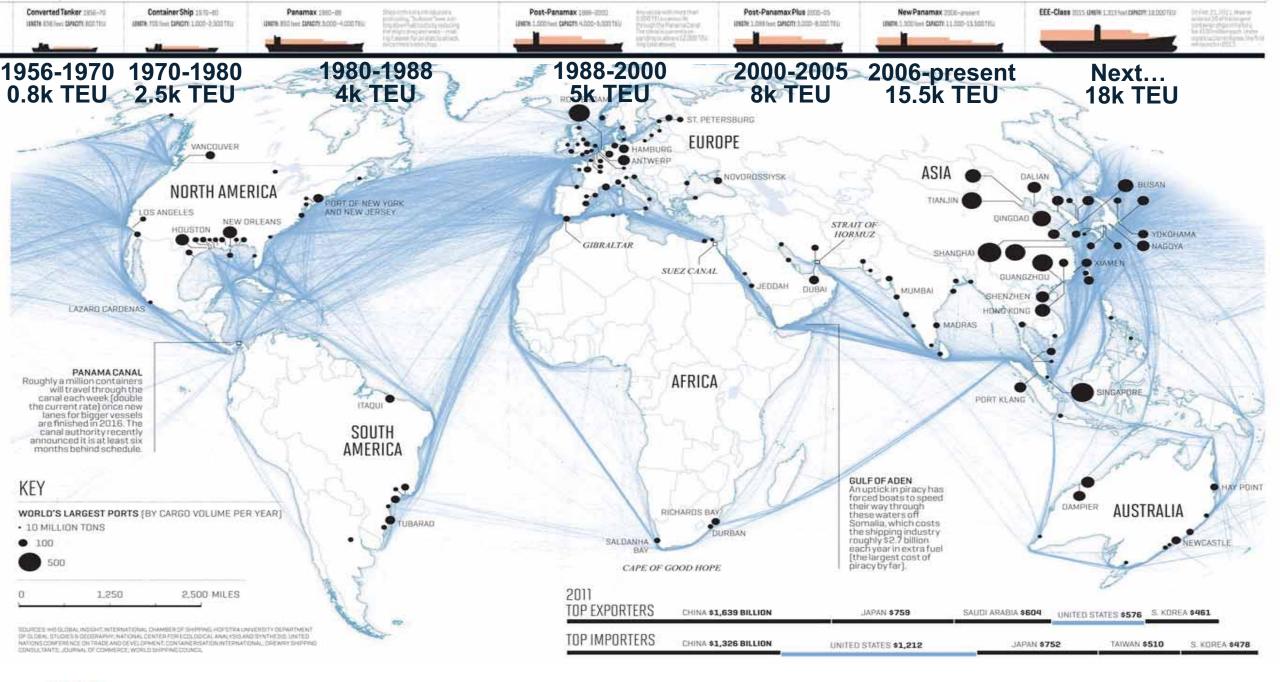


#### **Supply Chain Example – Consumer Clothing**



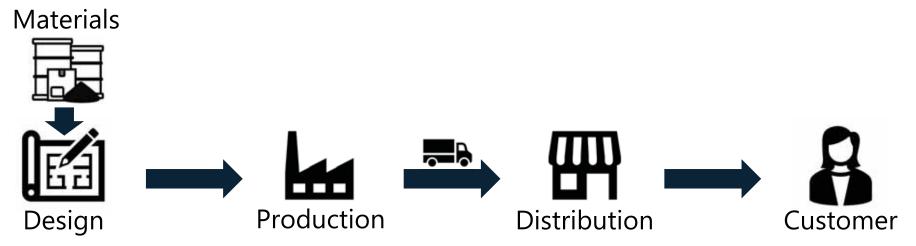
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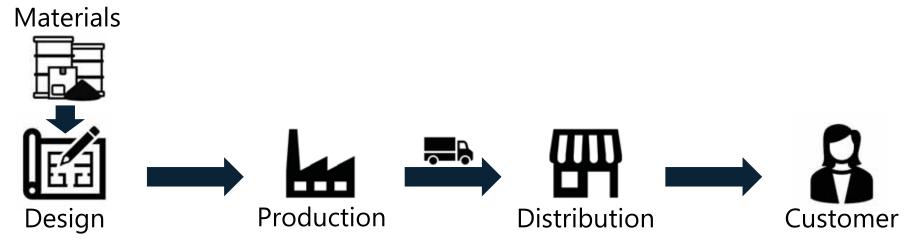


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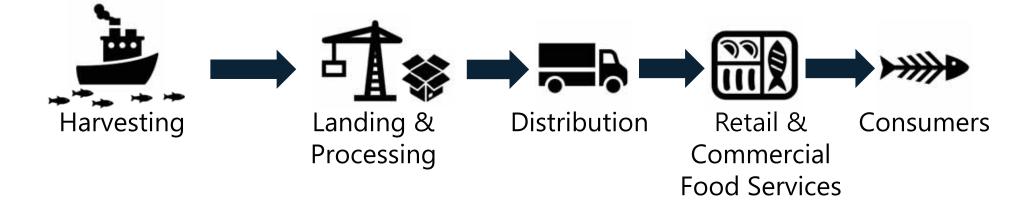




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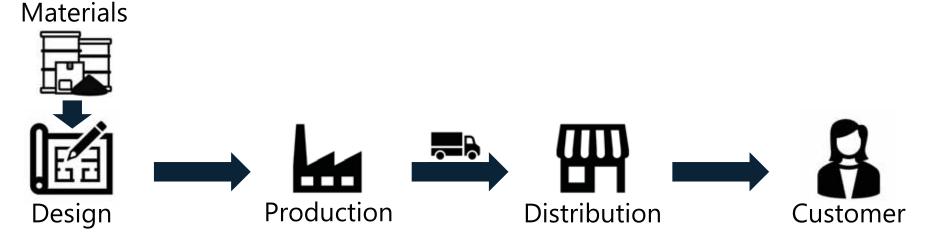


Seafood Supply Chain

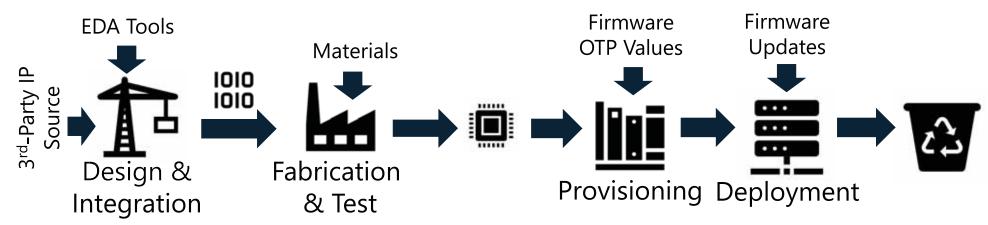




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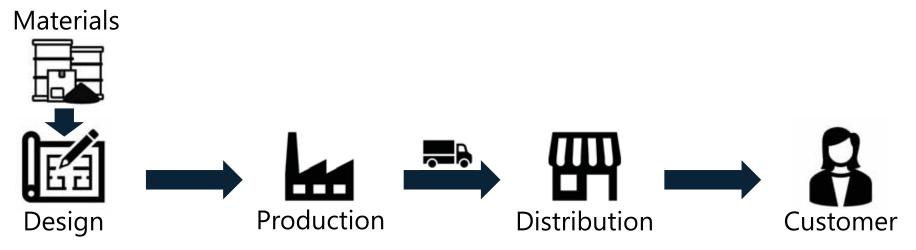


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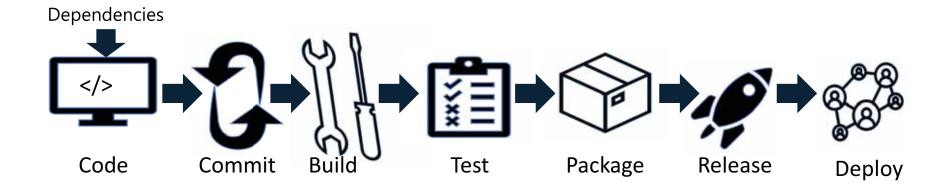




Generic Supply Chain



Software Supply Chain





### Software is Ubiquitous, Assembled, and Critical

<u>IT Risk</u> Operational Risk

Loss of data or capability

Loss of safety or reliability

Loss of property or lives

#### **Scratch Built Software**

Majority of products built with no 3<sup>rd</sup> Party dependencies

#### **Traditional Computers**

Servers databases
Desktops office apps
Laptops e-mail
Tablets browsers
Switches Routers

#### LOSS OF Safety of Tellability

#### **Assembled Software**

Use of open source and 3<sup>rd</sup> party libraries, modules, frameworks, and services Multi-party software updating/patching

#### **Software Enabled Everything**

Healthcare
Aeronautics
Smart Energy
Oil & Gas
Microgrids

Implantable Medical
Smart Manufacturing
Water Treatment
Hydro Power
Smart Cities

Smart Munitions
Intelligent Vehicles
Intelligent Shipping
Dam Management
Building Management
Autonomous Systems



#### Software Enabled Critical Infrastructure and Mission Capabilities...

#### **Medical**



**Vehicles** 



**Buildings** 



**Aeronautics** 





**Energy** 

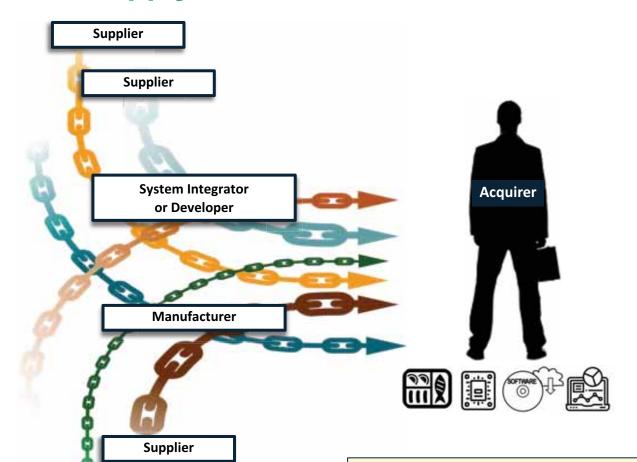


**Shipping** 





# Whether for Fish, Chips, or Software Supply Chain Trustworthiness: Intentional and Unintentional Acts



#### **Intentional acts**

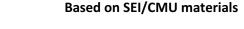
- Counterfeit products
- Disruption, hijacking, theft, civil unrest,...
- Malicious taint or insertion

#### **Unintentional acts**

- Poor quality/tainted goods/shortages/weather disruptions
- Vulnerable software/hardware inserted unintentionally (components/modules w/weaknesses and/or known vulnerabilities)

#### **Result of Supply Chain Attacks:**

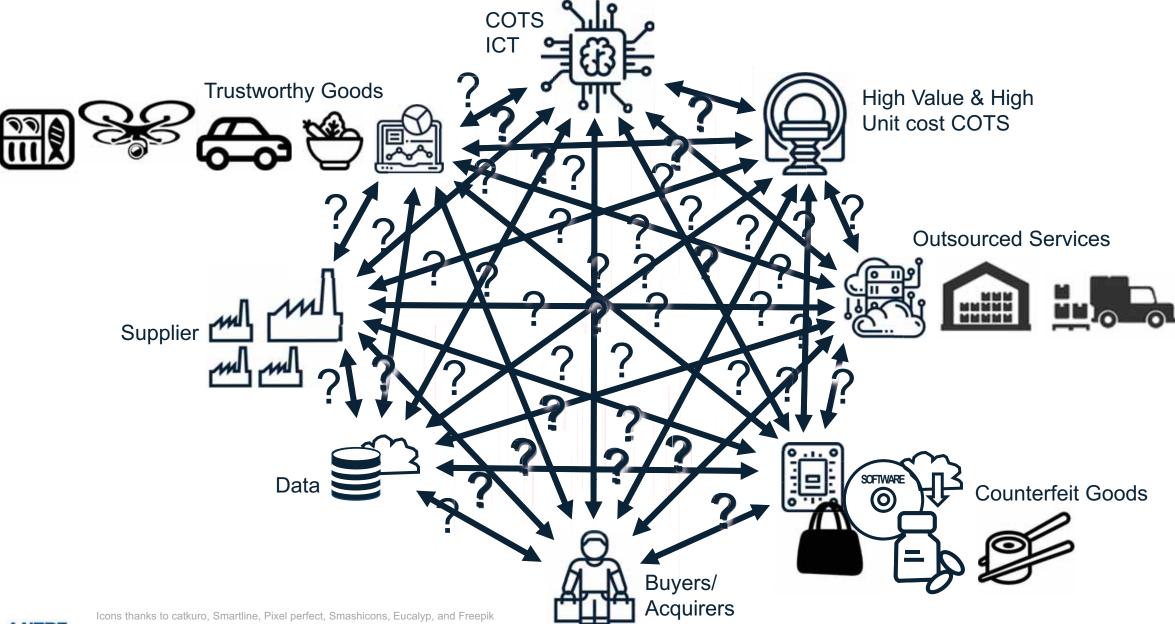
Systems with adverse behaviors including functional degradation, data exfiltration, espionage, adversarial control and disruption.



Supplier

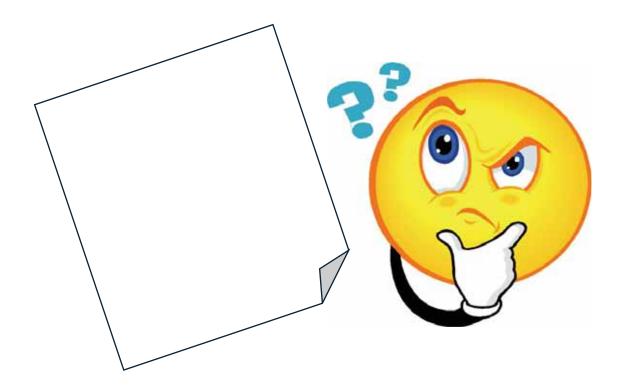


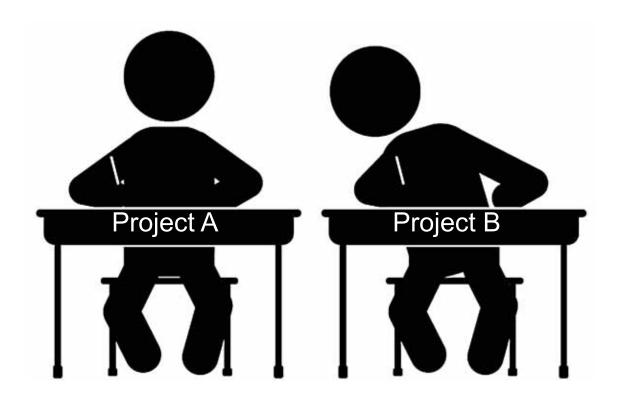
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#### Supply Chain Risk Areas

#### **Natural Disasters and Hazards**



























Floods



# **Attackers & Counterfeits**

#### **Human Hazards**











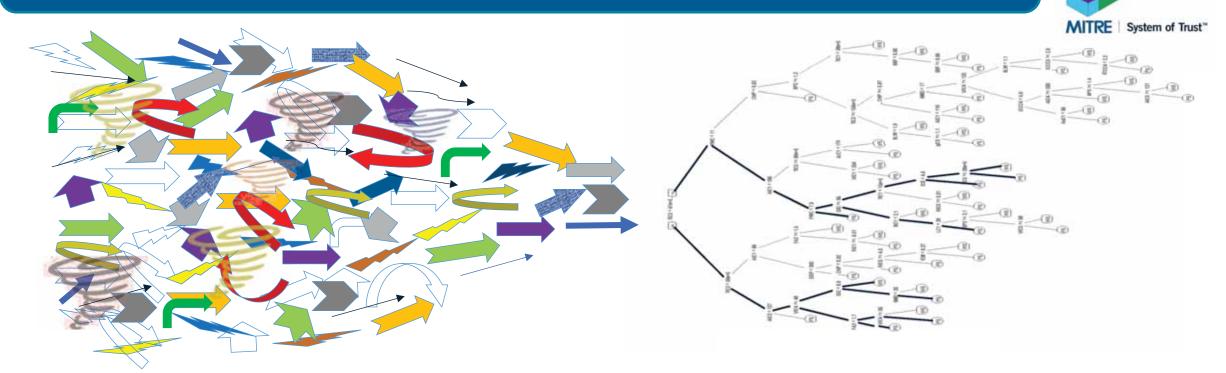




#### Supply Chain Security (SCS) System of Trust (SoT)

"What Supply Chain Risks to Manage?"

SoT - a strategic, widely-adoptable, holistic, data-driven analysis platform to assess supply chain security risks

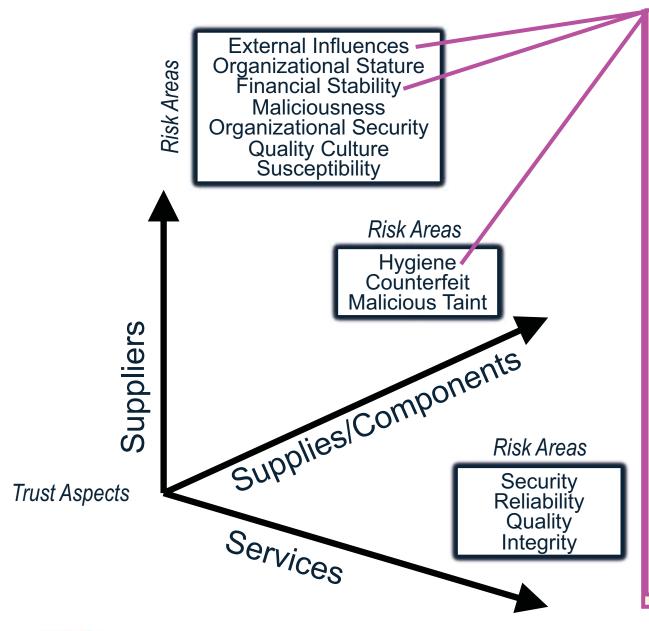


Address Chaos, Align & Organize

Simplify, Tailor & Use



#### **Basis of Trust**



#### Product Quality

- ICT Hardware Product Quality
- Product Quality Requirements
- Software Product Quality
  - Software Anomaly Control
  - Software Consistency
  - Software Design Simplicity
  - Software Provenance & Pedigree
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#### Product Resilience

- ICT Hardware Product Resilience
- Software Product Resilience

#### Product Security

- ICT Hardware Product Security
- Inadequate protection for controlled unclassified information
- Information on product manufacturer information systems not backed up regularly
- Misconfigured access controls on product manufacturer information systems
- Sensitive information in digital form not encrypted while in physical transit either to or from product manufacturer
- Users of product manufacturer information systems do not receive cybersecurity training
- Weak identification and authentication controls on product manufacturer information systems
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#### MITRE Supply Chain Security System of Trust Risk Areas\* \*\*

	Supply Chr in Risks												
		Supplier Risks						Supply Risks	1	Services Risks			
xternal Influences	Financial Stability	Organizational Stature	Susceptibility	Quality Culture	Maliciousness	Organizational Security	Hygiene	Malicious Taint	Counterfeit	Integrity of Service Delivered	Quality of Service Delivered	Reliability of Service Delivered	Security of Service Delivered
Company foreign relationships with countries of concern	Questionable debt management	Corporate ownership reputation	Customers	Company has a low CMMI rating	Foreign Intelligence Service (FIS) influence	Concerns regarding facilit access	Product quality	Facilities integrity	Copycat manufacturing	Service infrastructure pedigree	Service infrastructure pedigree	Service infrastructure pedigree	Service infrastructure pedigree
Company operational locations in countries of concern	Questionable financial stewardship	Diversity and inclusion	Industry sector	Internal company QC, SCRM policy & practice	Fraud and corruption	Concerns regarding software access	Product resilience	Functional integrity	Mislabeling	Service Infrastructure provenance	Service infrastructure provenance	Service infrastructure provenance	Service infrastructure provenance
Foreign registration/incorporation	Questionable future outlook	eographic concentration	Location	Subcontractor supply chain health / risk	Legal/law issues	Concerns regarding hardware access	Product security	Geopolitical integrity	Packaging integrity	Service specific integrity	Service specific quality	Service specific reliability	Service specific security
Geopolitical instability	Questionable profitability	Mergers & acquisitions frequency	Personnel		Sanction list status	Cyber threat activity		Logistics / transportation integrity	Technical authenticity				Susceptibility to manipulation of service infrastructure via physical access/touch
Key Management Personnel (KMP) and non- person entity relationships of concern	Vulnerability of financial stability to foreign influence	Natural disasters	Technical susceptibility			Data security status		Maintenance integrity	Unsanctioned manufacturing				Susceptibility to manipulation of service infrastructure via remote/virtual access/touch
National corruption	Vulnerability of financial ability to market factors	Operational volatility				Type/ level /frequency of security training		Manufacturing process integrity					
National governance	Vu nerability to takeov .r	Sustainability				Vulnerabilities		Packaging integrity					
Organization ownership and control								Reputational integrity					
Politically Exposed Person (PEPs) in corporate leadership								Supply chain integrity					
Political vulnerability			MITI	RE   System o	f Trust™								

MITRE's Supply Chain Security System of Trust™ https://www.mitre.org/publications/technical-papers/trusting-our-supply-chains-a-comprehensive-data-driven-approach

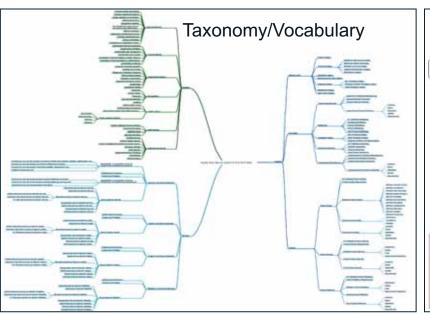


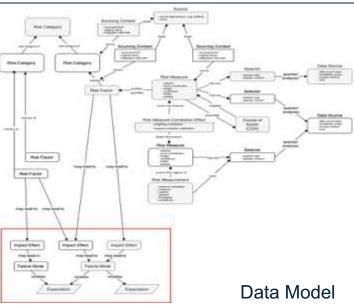
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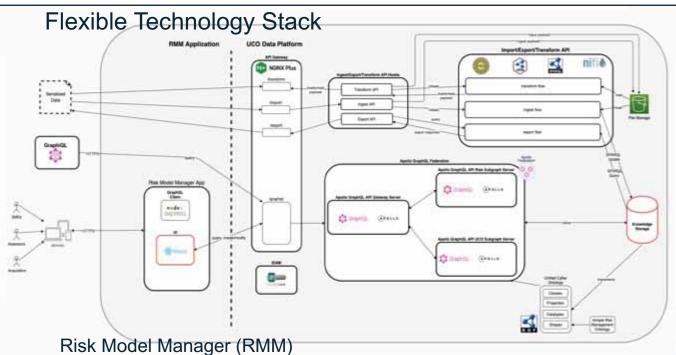
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<sup>\*</sup> Supply Chain Security Top 75 Risk Areas Levels 1-4

<sup>\*\*</sup> System of Trust Expanding to Pharma, Food, and other types of Products





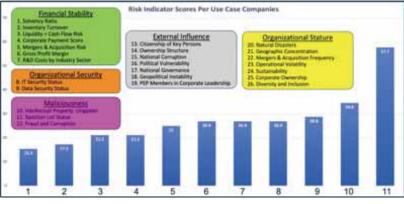


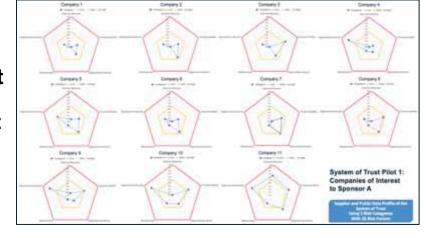


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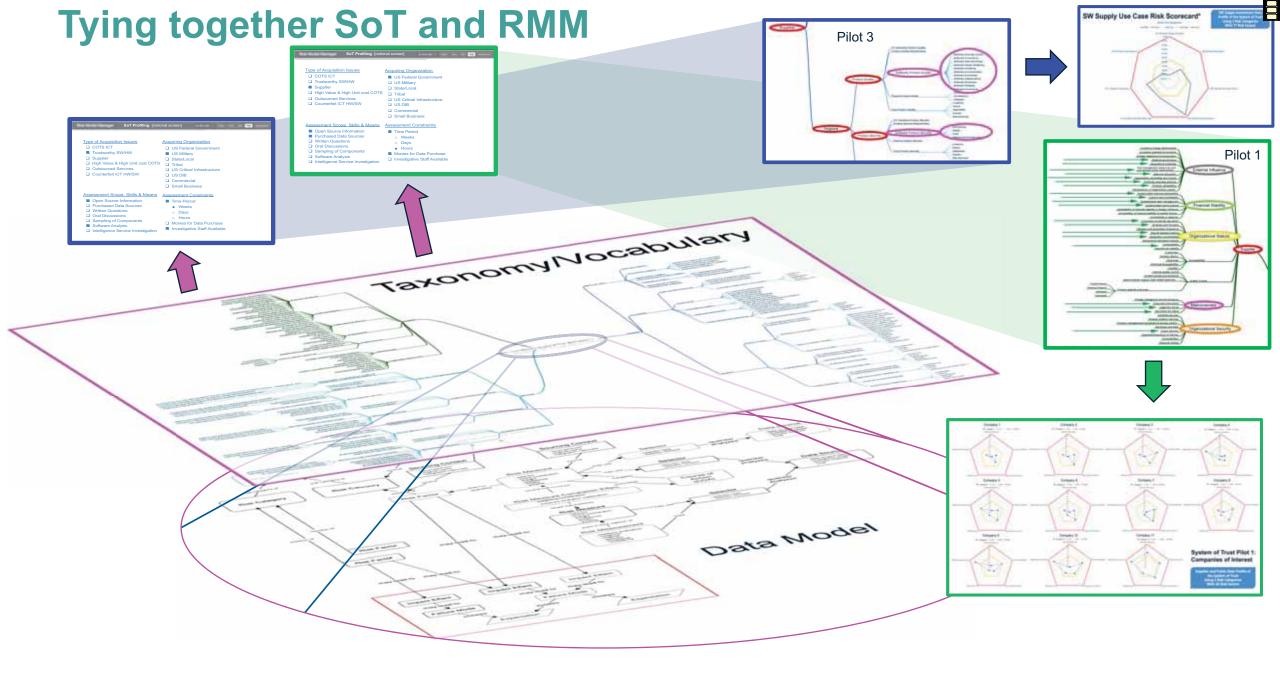




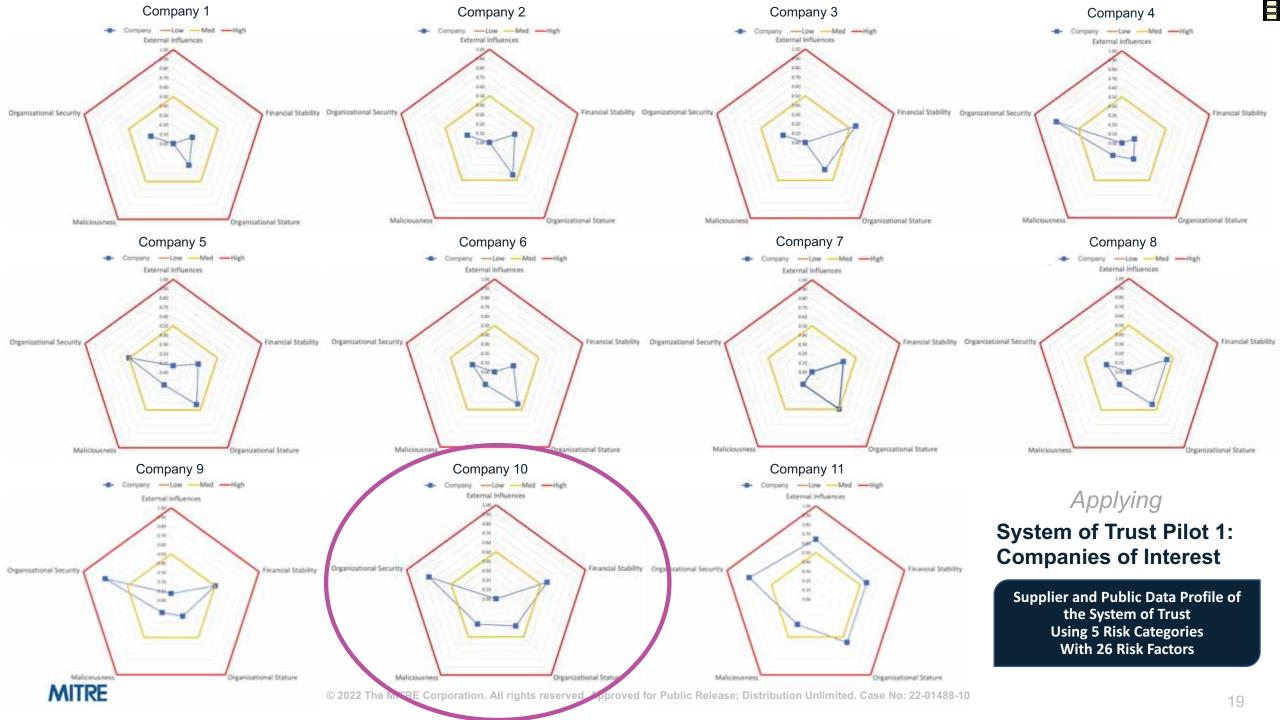


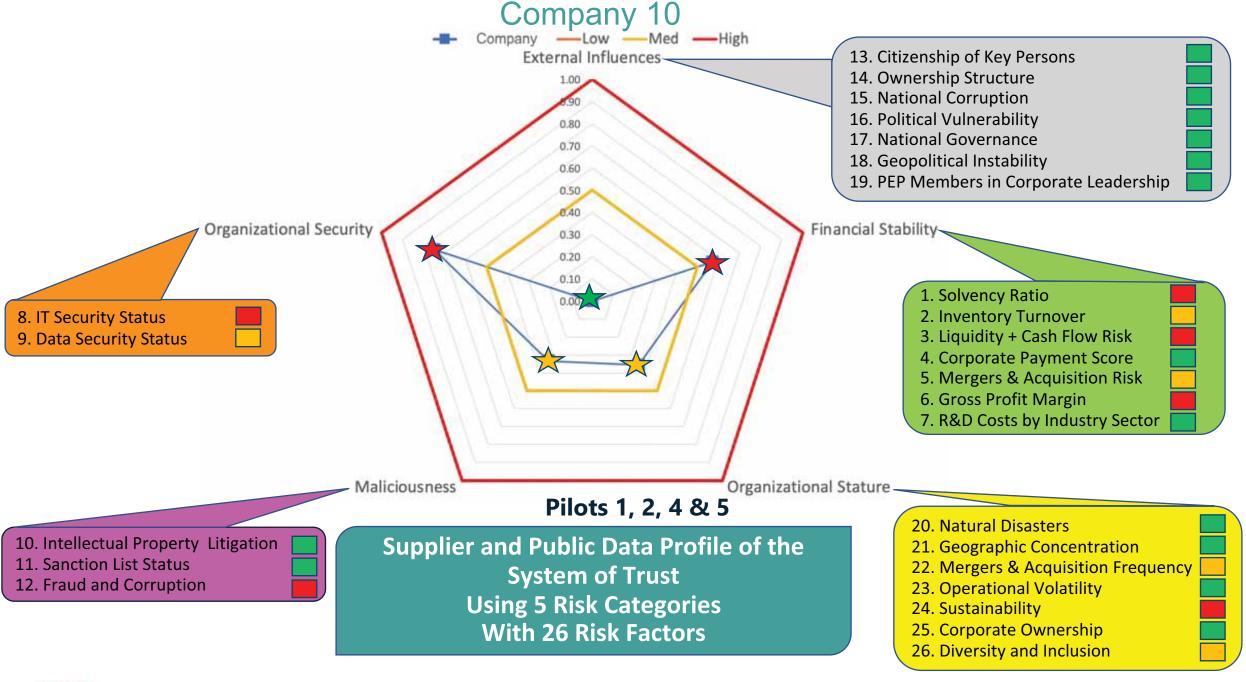












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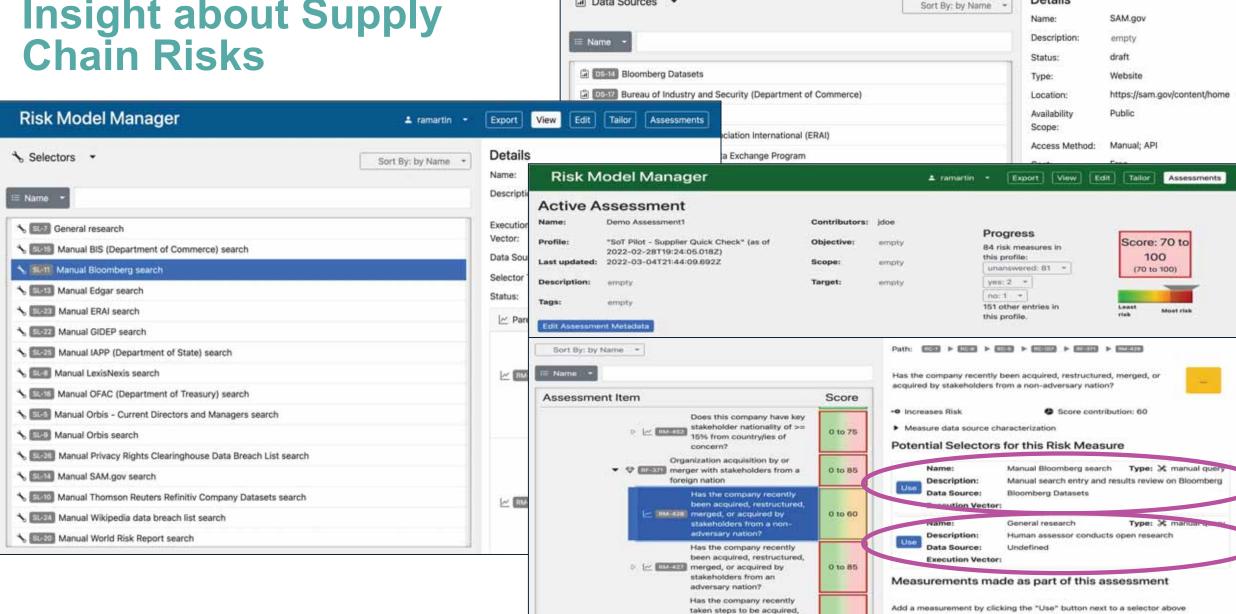
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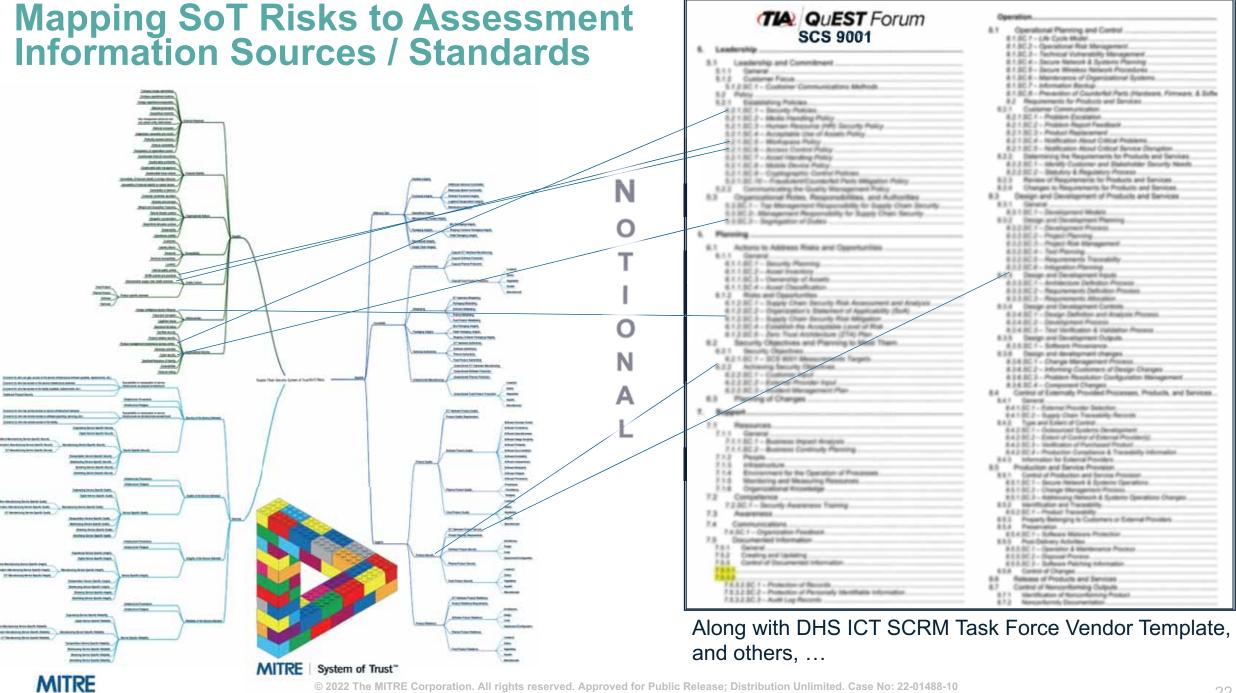
# **Building up Sources of** Insight about Supply



Risk Model Manager

Data Sources \*

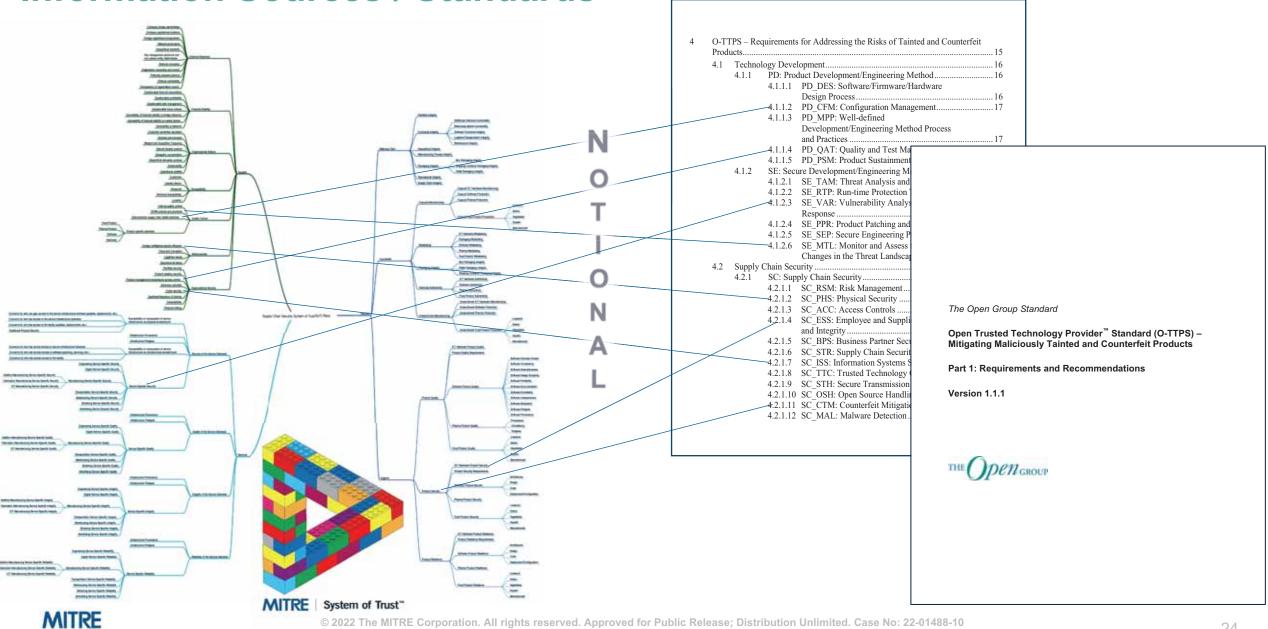




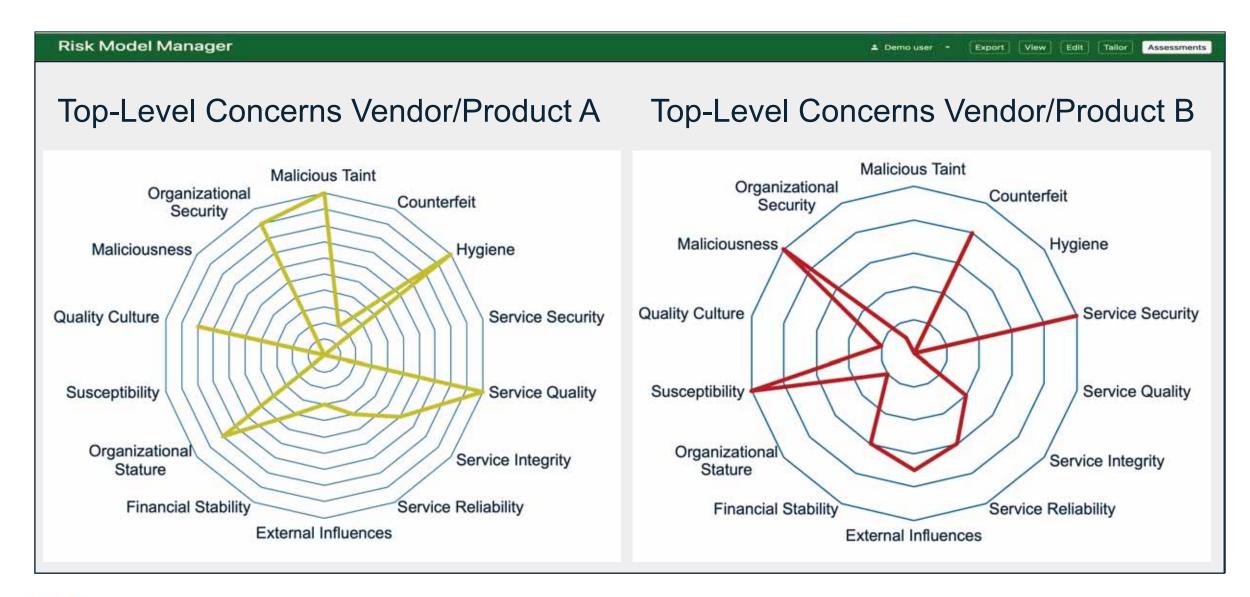
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#### ISO/IEC 20243



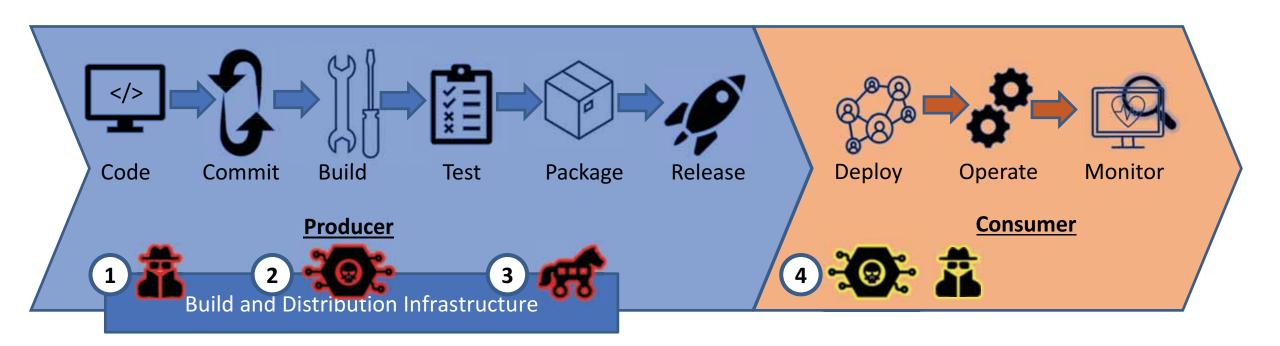
#### GOAL for use of SoT in Industry and Government...





#### Software Supply Chain Integrity Attack (a.k.a SolarWinds)

- 1. Preparatory compromises at SolarWinds date back to October 2019. (Refs 11 & 12)
- 2. At some point there was a compromise of the build environment itself.
- 3. Malicious code sent in SolarWinds updates released between March and at least June 2020. (Refs 32 & 33)
- 4. Approximately 18,000 organizations receive the tainted updates and may have been targeted and impacted.



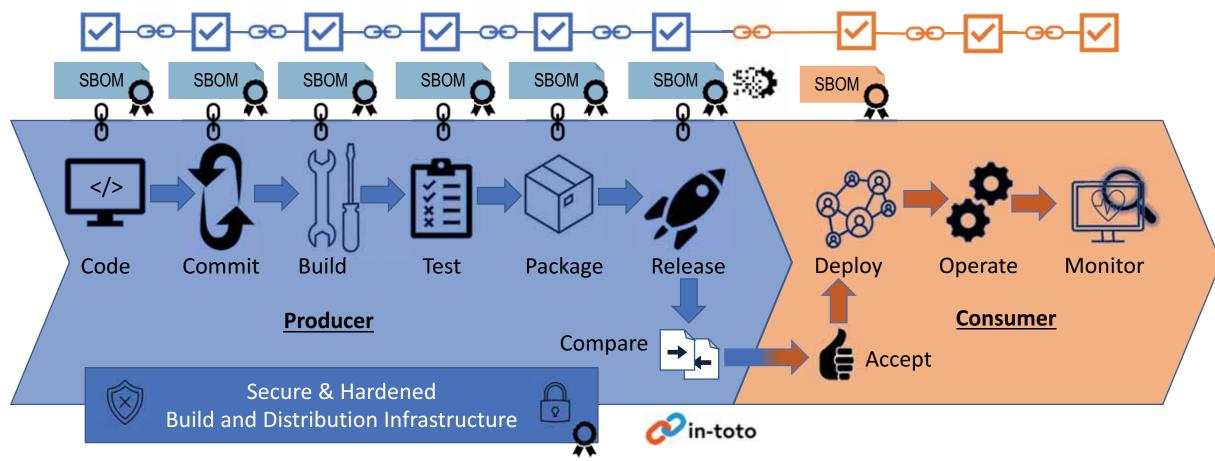




#### **Software Supply Chain Integrity**

Jan 2021

**Evidence Based Trust** 



https://www.mitre.org/sites/default/files/publications/pr-21-0278-deliver-uncompromised-securing-critical-software-supply-chains.pdf



**Software Bill of Materials Standardization** 



Refer, Transfer or Purchase (definition of what it is)

Pedigree (history of how it was produced)

Provenance (chain of custody of it)

Integrity (cryptographic basis of unalteredness)

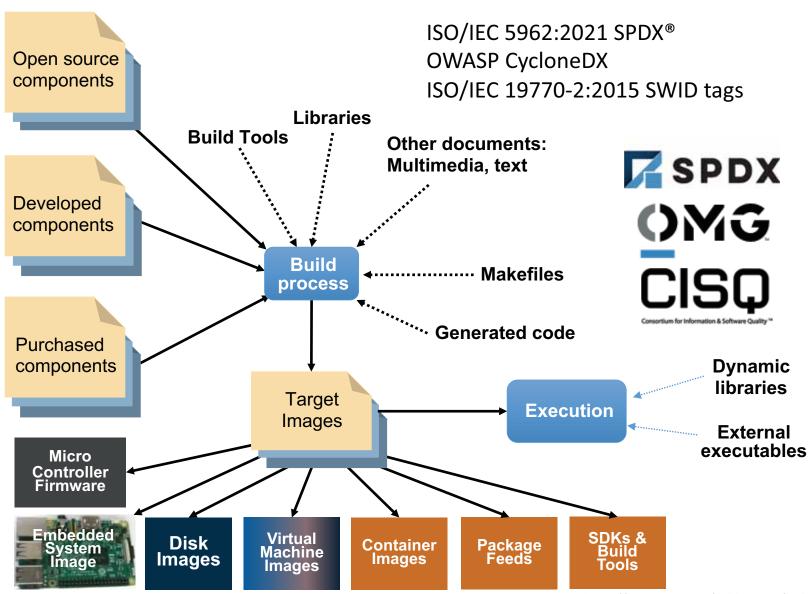
Proper and Legal (conditions about its use)

Known Sw Vulns (known fixes are applied to it)

> Assurance (safe-secure-resilient)

SBoM of a SW Service (SBoM of sw delivering service)

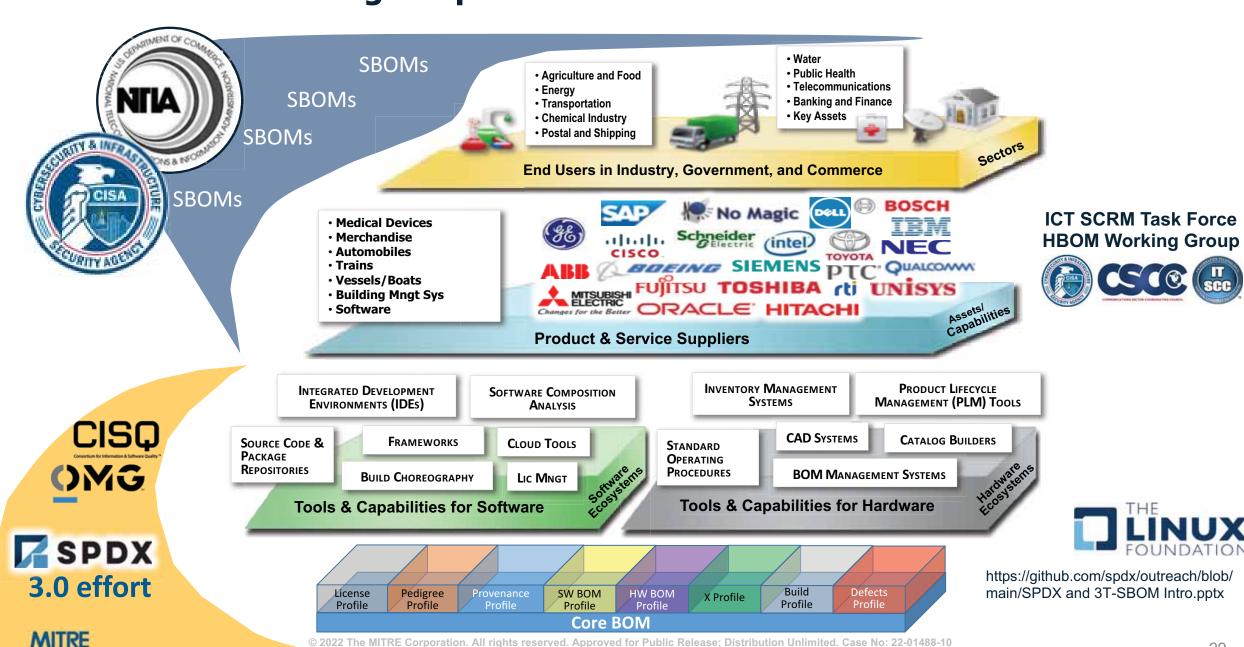
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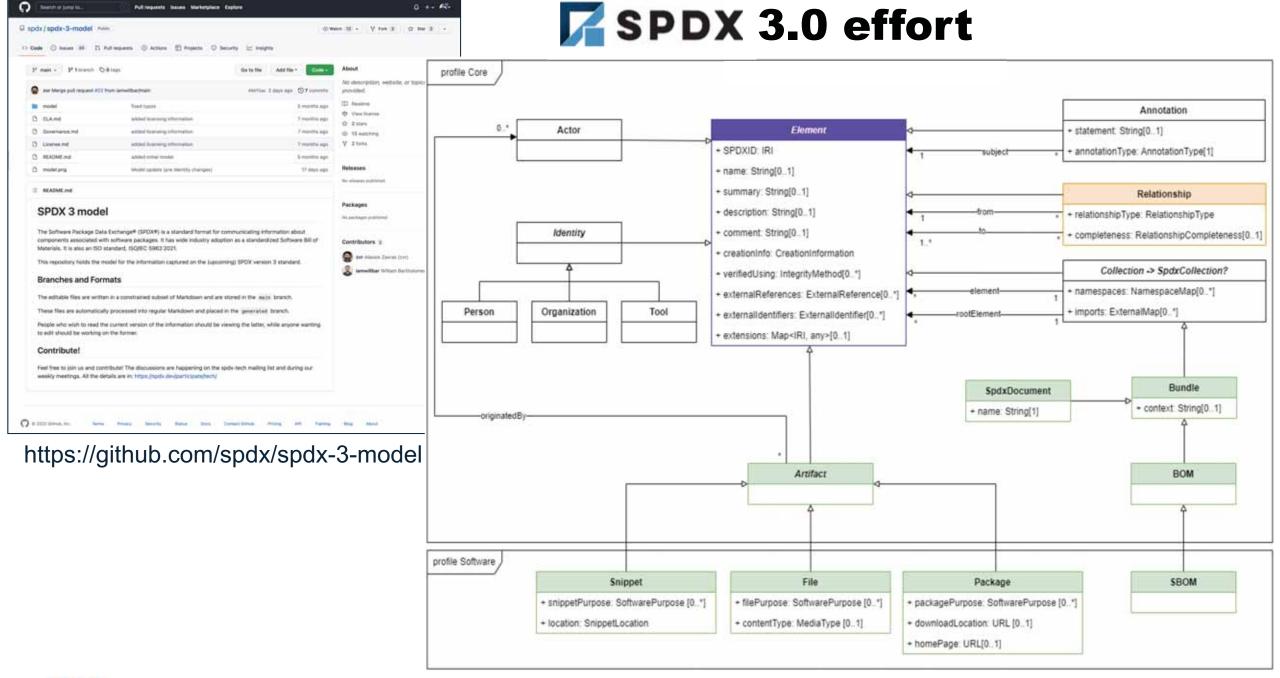


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#### **Lowering Adoption Hurdles for SBOMs and more**

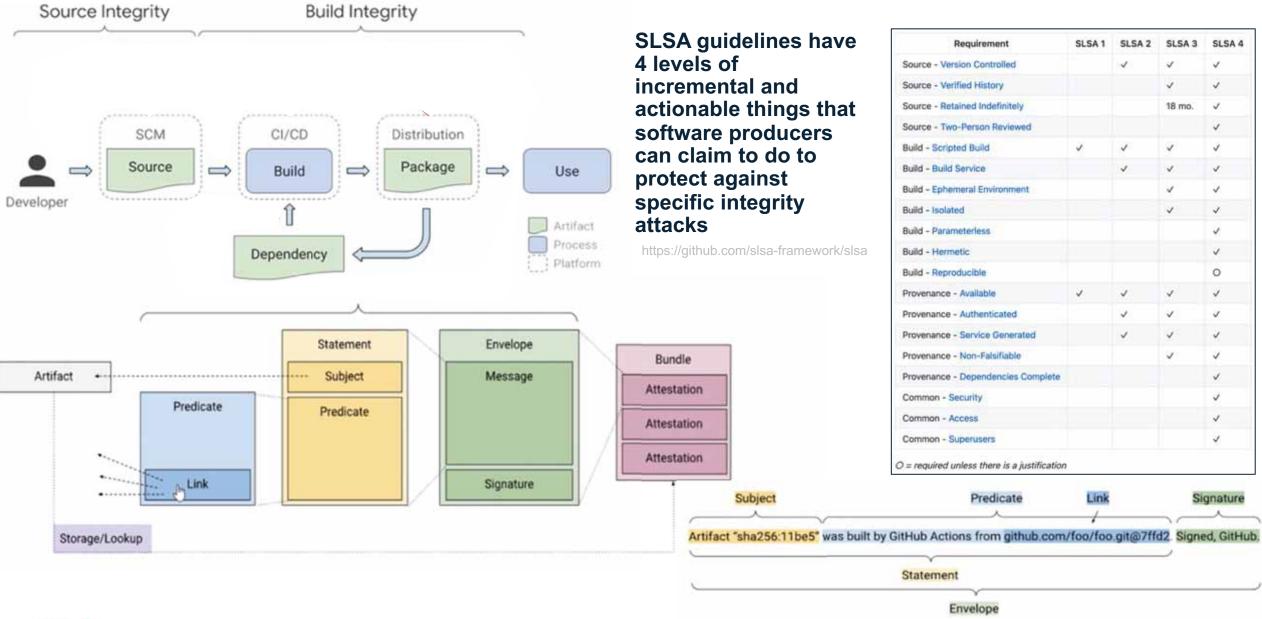








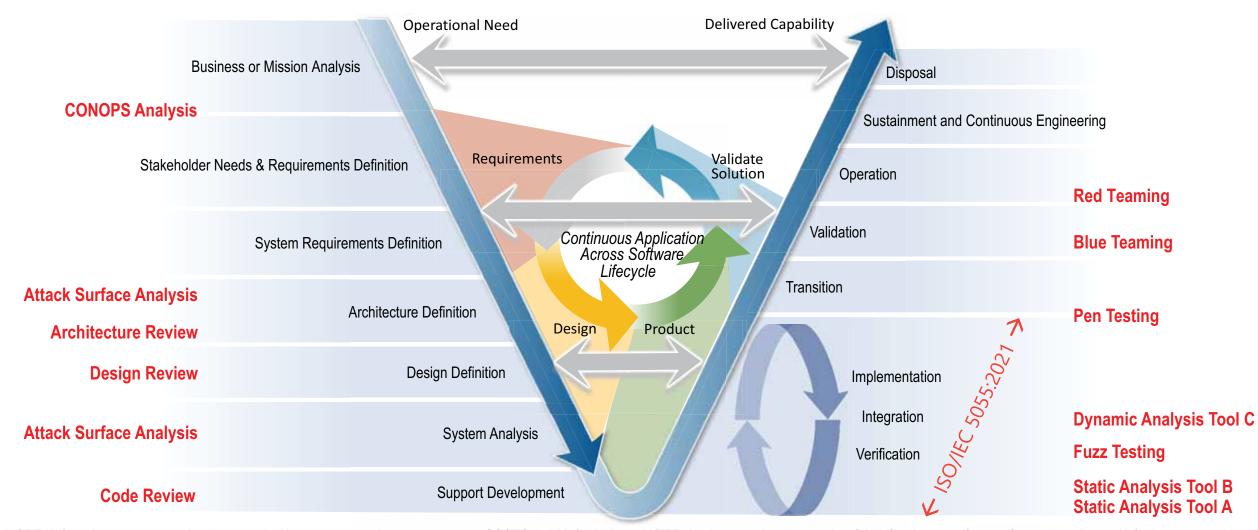
## LINUX Supply-chain Levels for Software Artifacts (SLSA)







#### Industry IoT Software Development and Assurance Lifecycle Phases



NOTE: Lifecycle processes typically occur simultaneously, **not** in sequence; see ISO/IEC 15288 & 12207

NOTE: Implementation, Integration & Verification are often performed continuously & simultaneously with the aid of Integrated Development Environments (IDEs) & other tools.

Figure 3-2 from "Software Trustworthiness Best Practices," 2020, https://www.iiconsortium.org/pdf/Software\_Trustworthiness\_Best\_Practices\_Whitepaper\_2020\_03\_23.pdf





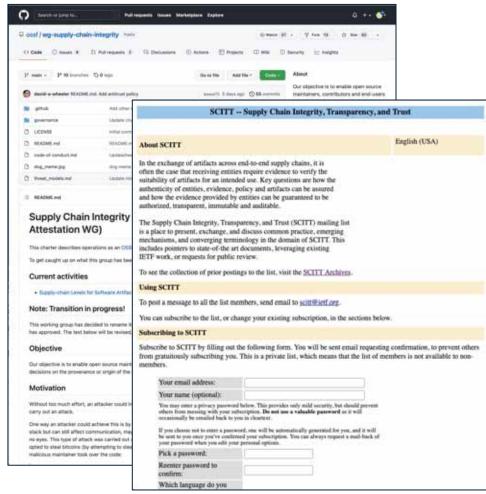
# Supply Chain Integrity Transparency and Trust (SCITT) IETF Working Group Formed (July 2022)

#### **Technologies leveraged:**

 Claims/Evidence, Confidential Ledgers, Hardware Roots of Trust, BOMs, CBOR (RFC 8949) and COSE (RFC 8152)

#### SCITT:

- defines minimum standards around the:
  - preparation, storage, distribution, consumption, validation and evaluation of arbitrary claims/evidence about artifacts that are critical to maintaining the integrity of supply chains
- specifies an end-to-end system for validating arbitrary claim/evidence artifacts in terms of supply chains whose integrity has been proven.
- is applicable to both hardware (objects in the physical world) and software (digital) artifacts.
- does not define how artifacts are produced or distributed, nor the methods by which claims/evidence about artifacts are produced prior to preparation for inclusion in SCITT.

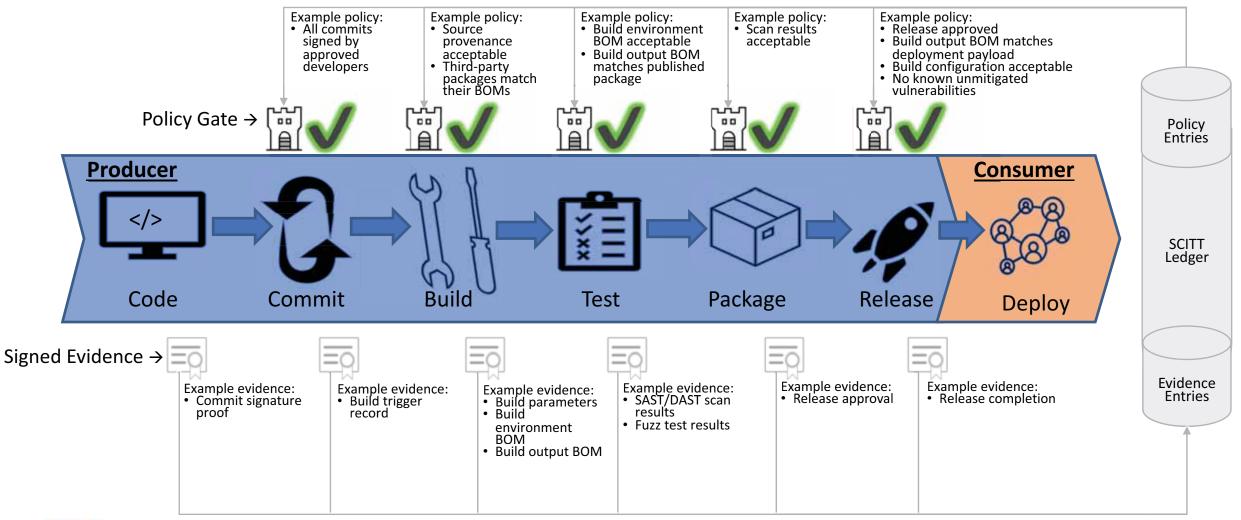


https://github.com/ossf/wg-supply-chain-integrity https://www.ietf.org/mailman/listinfo/scitt





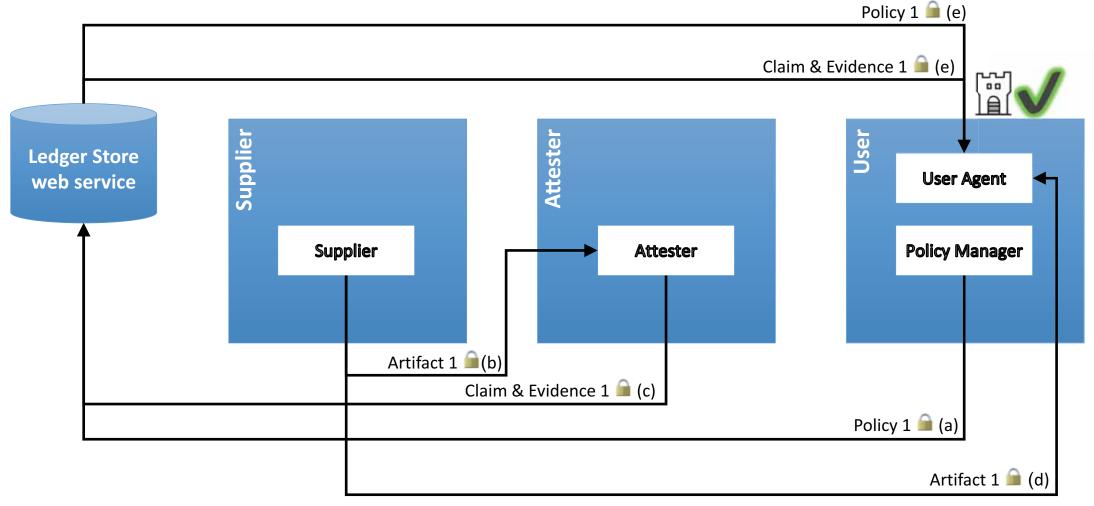
#### **Example of Applying SCITT in SW Development**



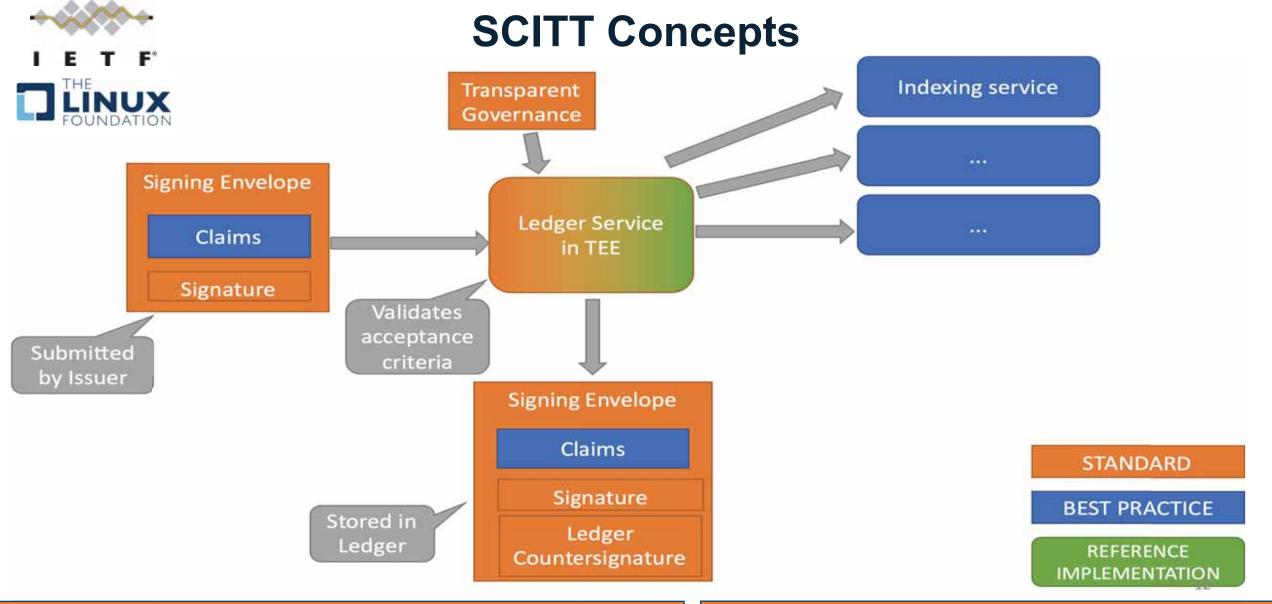




#### **Example of SCITT in the Marketplace**







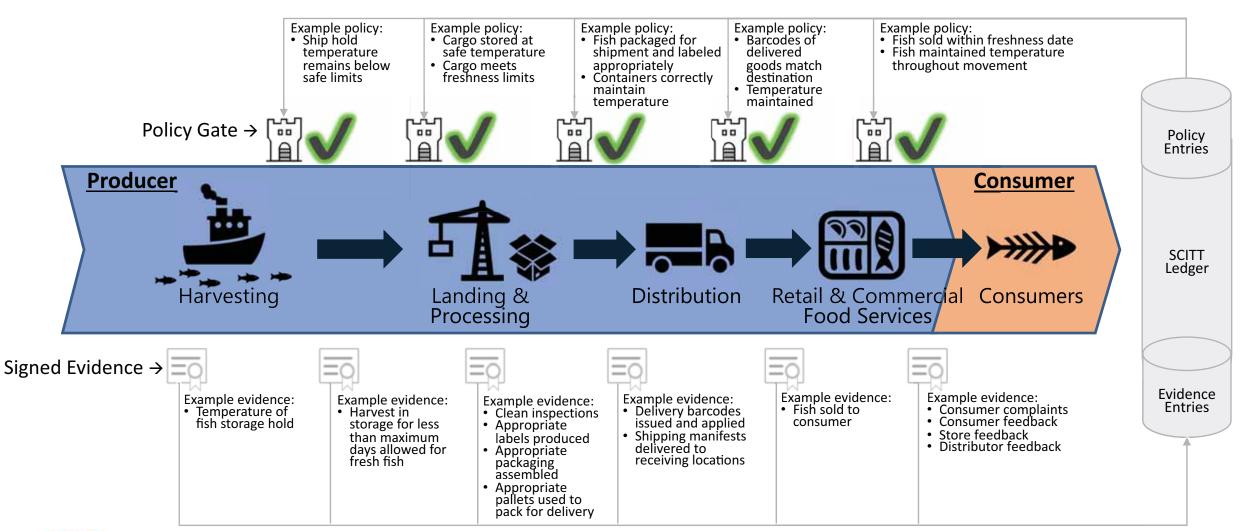
An Architecture for Trustworthy and Transparent Digital Supply Chains https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/html/draft-birkholz-scitt-architecture-00

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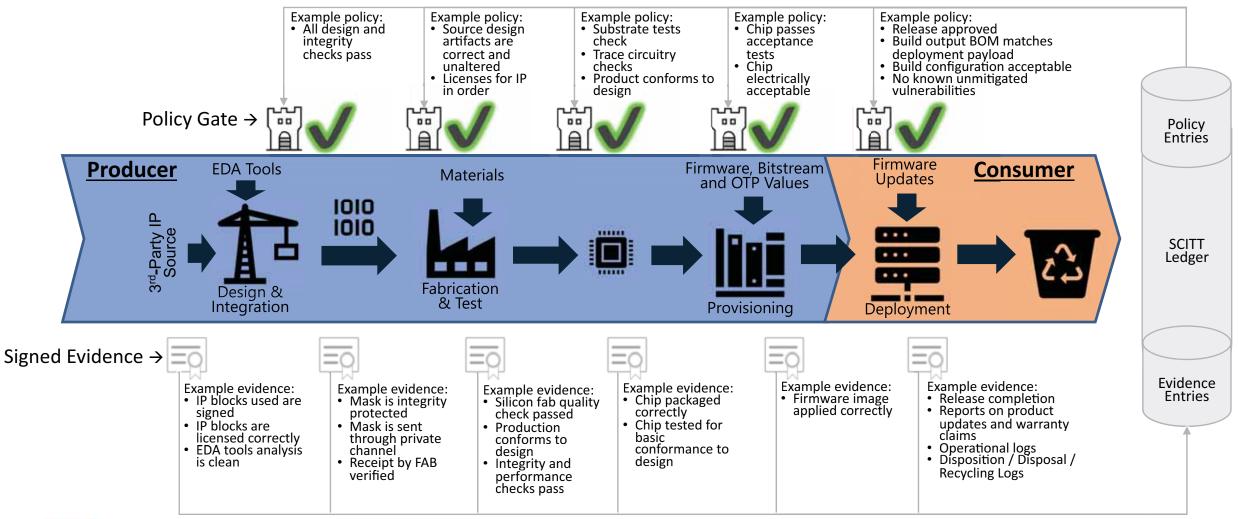
### **Example of Applying SCITT in Harvesting Fish**







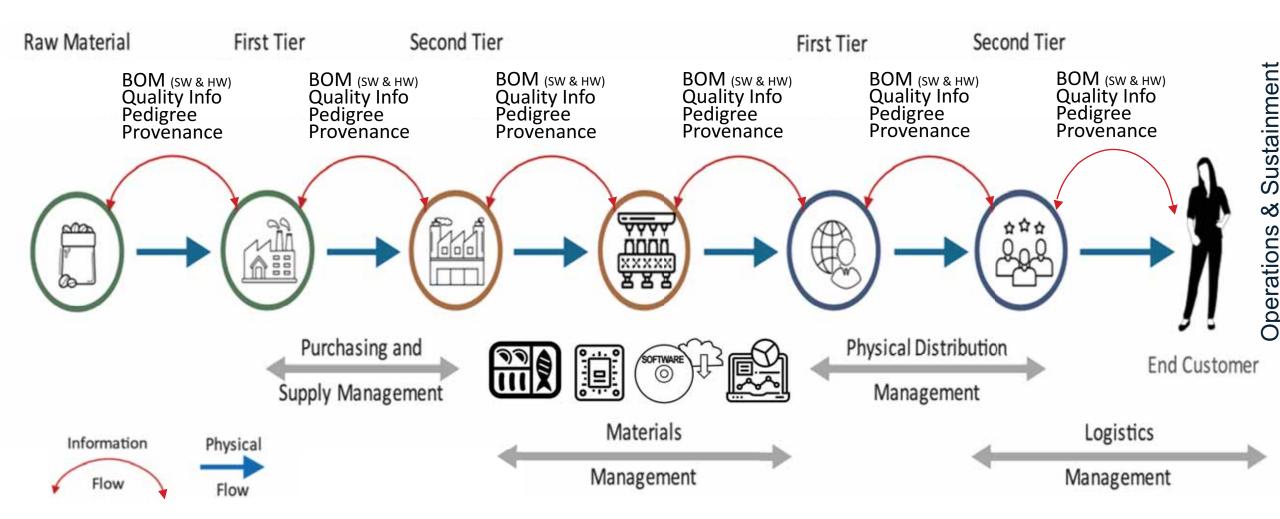
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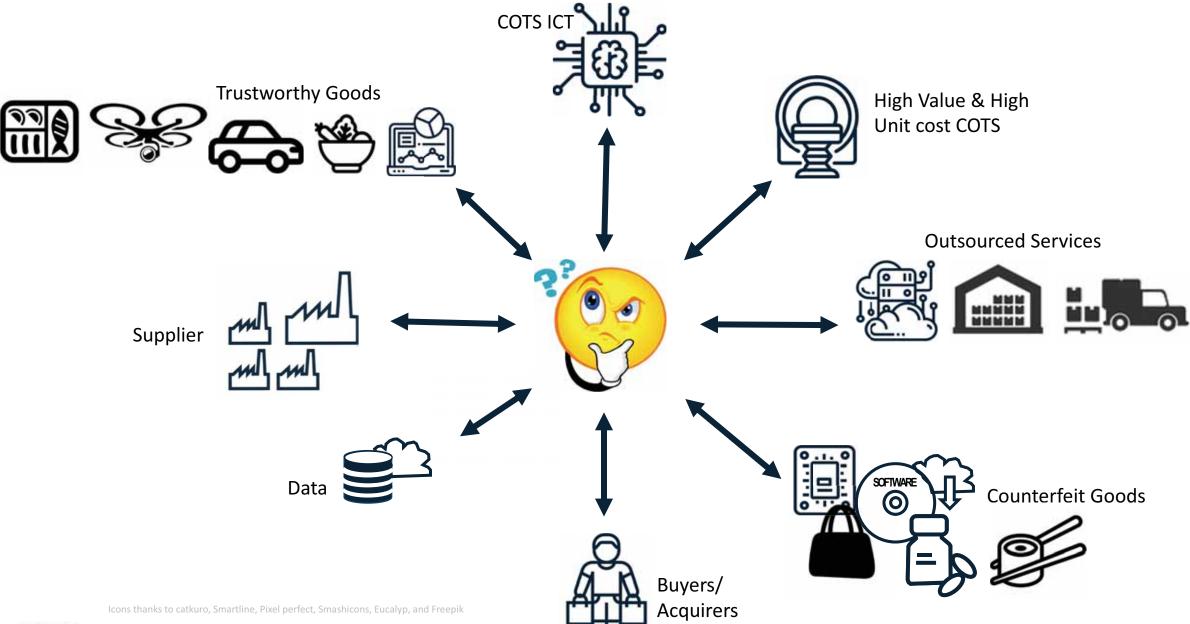


#### Supply Chains – As multi-Stakeholder Network

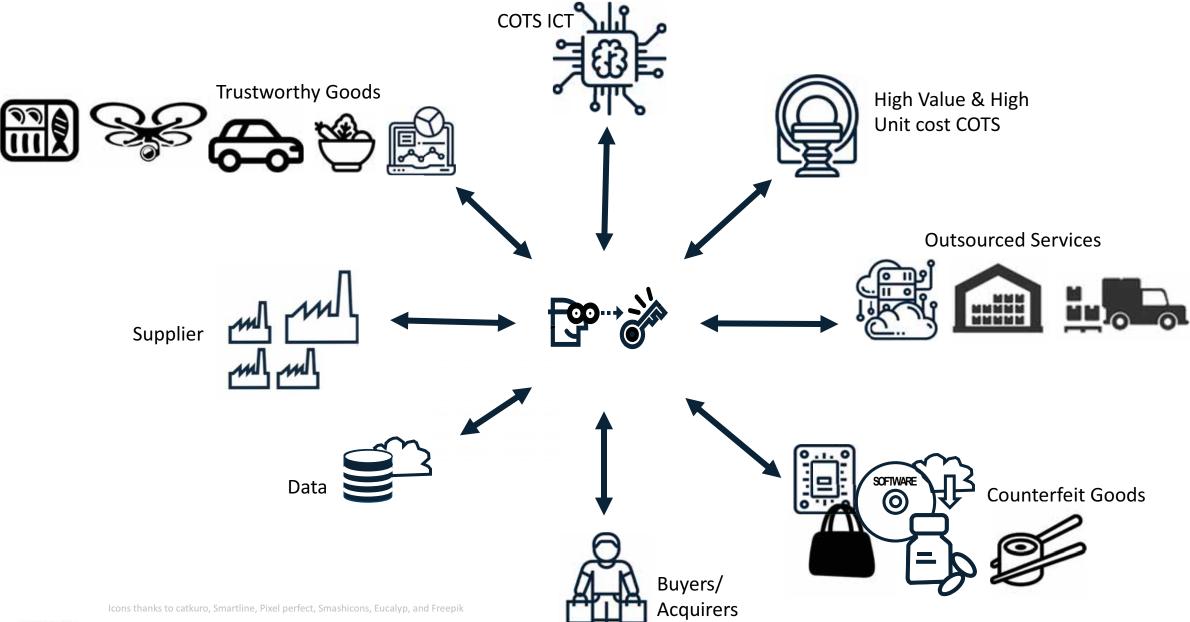




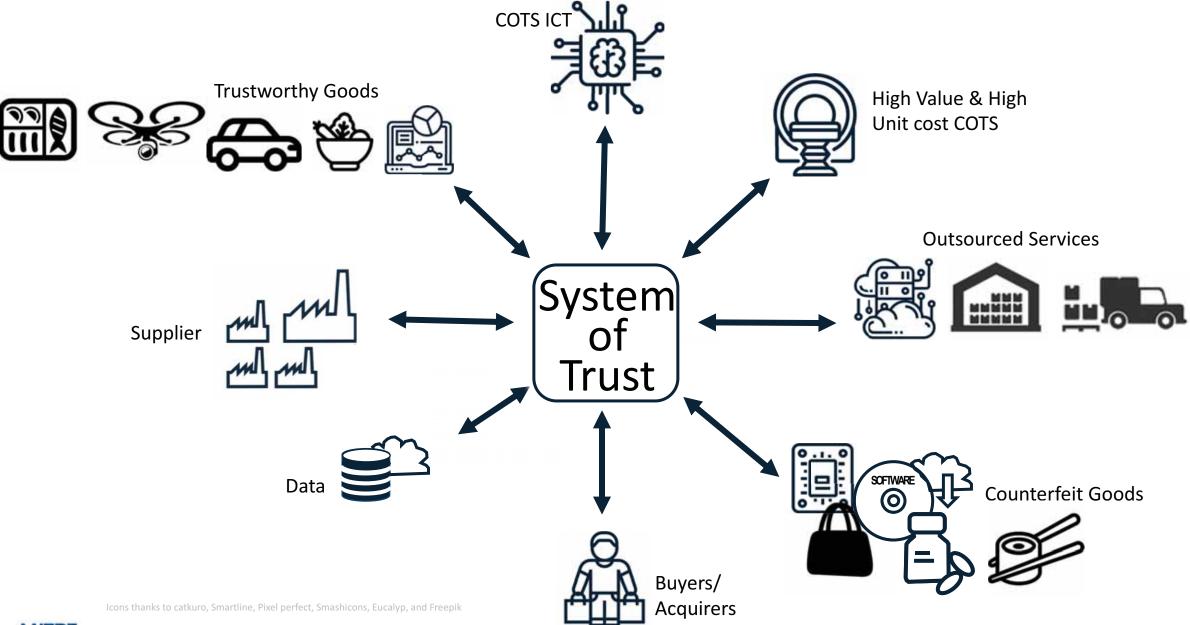




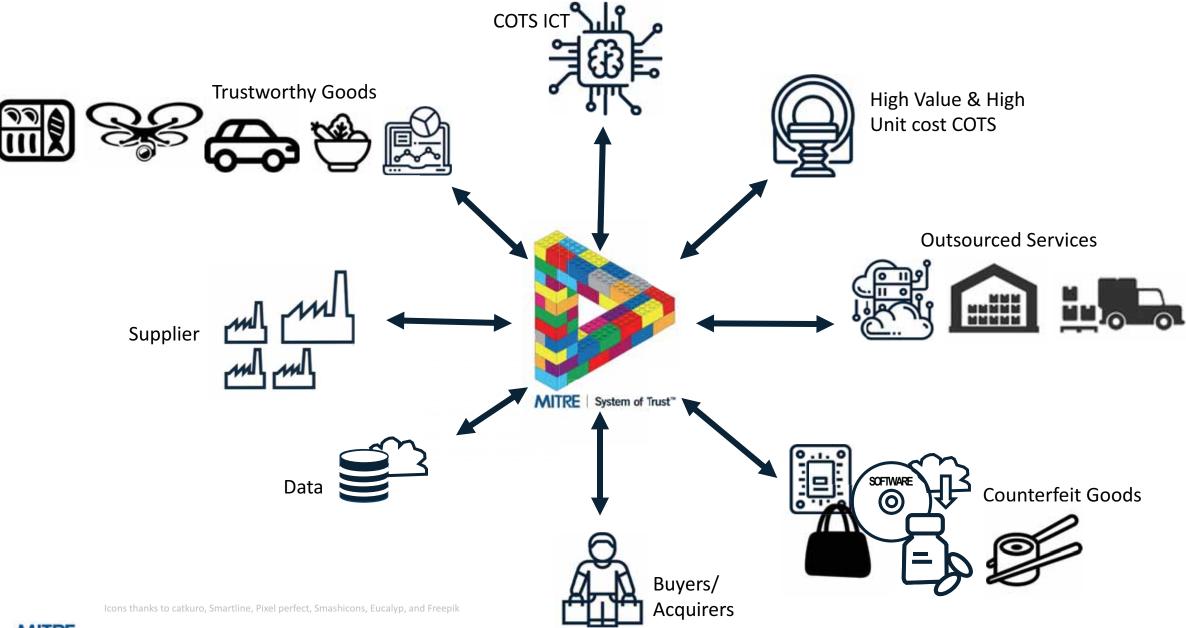










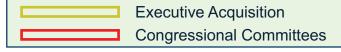




#### **Examples of System of Trust Engagements**

- DHS S&T Program Office
- American Bar Association (ABA) Technology Meeting
- Industry Technology & Innovation Roundtable
- Open Group July Member Meeting Plenary
- ABA IoT National Institutes Panel
- DoD/DoE NNSA Software Assurance Community of Practice
- DHS S&T FVEYES Supply Chain Workshop
- EOP/OMB Maria Roat (Dep Fed CIO at OMB)/ Camilo Sandoval (Fed CISO)
- EOP/OMB w/Lesley Field / Mathew Blum / Jeremy McCrary OFPP Team
- Raytheon Technologies Product Cybersecurity Tech Exchange
- Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee staff
- IIC Winter 2020 Quarterly Member Meeting
- House Homeland Security Committee staff
- ABA SciTech Lawyer article Winter 2021 Issue
- GAO Supply Chain Report Authoring Team
- ATIS 5G/SC Working Group
- House Armed Services Committee staff
- Senate Armed Services Committee staff
- House Oversight Committee staff
- Chris DeRusha (Fed CISO)
- Soraya Correa (DHS OCPO)
- DHS CSWG Supply Chain Subgroup
- USEA Energy Technology and Governance Program UCSI Working Group
- ABA IoT National Institute
- IIC Summer Meeting
- Manufacturing Industry Leadership Council meeting
- Global Industry Organizations' Smart Manufacturing Workshop
- SAE G-32 Hardware WG meeting
- New England Council event
- NSTAC Software Assurance Sub-Committee

- Aerospace Industries Association
- TIA | QuEST Forum Supply Chain Security 9001 Webinar
- Staff of Rep. Elissa Slotkin
- HASC critical defense supply chain TF report Staff
- ADM Mauger US Coast Guard Assistant Commandant for Prevention Policy (CG-5P)
- Navy Research, Development & Acquisition (ASN/RD&A)
- House Committee on Oversight and Reform
- Q3 IIC Information Day Fuel Your Digital Transformation Journey
- CISA NRMC Supply Chain Trustworthiness Framework IPT
- CISA Standards Area Lead for C-SCRM
- MDA Ground Missile Defense PM
- DoE CESER Cybersecurity Senior Advisor
- House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence
- Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI)
- Common Attack Pattern Enumeration (CAPEC) Workshop
- HHS ASPR RISC 2.0 Leadership Team
- DoC SCRM Team
- IIC March 2022 Event
- SW Supply Chain Integrity and SoT to ESF Team
- CMS CIO
- ELISA Workshop
- CISQ Webinar
- Software Supply Chain Security Webinar
- System of Trust with VA SCRM Team
- SW Supply Chain Integrity and SoT to RKVST Team
- SW Supply Chain Integrity and SoT to Dell Team
- American Bar Association (ABA) Technology Meeting
- RSA Conference 2022
- Open Group July Member Meeting Plenary
- Hacks In Taiwan Conference 2022
- Hot Topics in Supply Chain Security 2022 Summit
- CISQ Resilience Summit





#### System of Trust Plans with Sponsors and Industry



Assessment Capabilities for Sponsors, Industry and Academia



Training Sponsors & Industry on the SoT methodology, content, and platform



Standards and best practices oriented around SoT



Evolving SoT BoK with Domain SMEs to enhance Risk Factors



Mapping SoT to Industry and Government standards and assessment mechanisms



Active Feedback with communities on enhancements to SoT



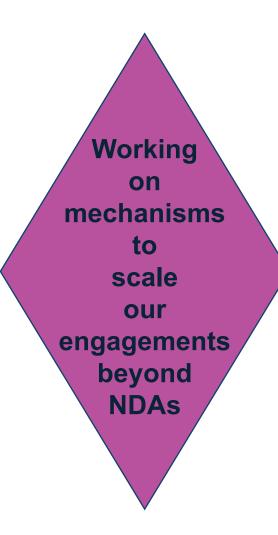
No-Cost\* Licensing RMM tool & SoT content to Industry for integration in their own assessment practices and offerings





## **Growing Engagement about System of Trust**

#### **Organization** Role Company 1 Microelectronics SMEs Signed Company 2 Supply Chain Illumination SMEs Company 3 Critical Infrastructure SMEs NDA Supply Chain Illumination SMEs Company 4 Organization with Supply Chains Company 5 Company 6 Organization with Supply Chains **Drafting** Cybersecurity Illumination SMEs Company 7 NDA Company 8 Cybersecurity Illumination SMEs Company 9 Supply Chain Illumination SMEs Company 10 Organization with Supply Chains Company 11 Community Engagement SMEs Organization with Supply Chains Company 12 Company 13 Organization with Supply Chains Organization with Supply Chains **Discussing** Company 14 Supply Chain Illumination SMEs Company 15 SoT Company 16 Organization with Supply Chains





Company 17 Company 18

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Retail Banking SMEs

Third Party Risk Management SMEs

Sustainability SMEs

#### Publications to date...

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https://www.cutter.com/offer/ supply-chain-securitysystem-trust



SUPPLY CHAIN SECURITY — IT'S EVERYONE'S BUSINESS



by Non Hodge, Richard & Murbin, and Michael Alambing

For more than half a century, or for as long as the United States has had what has been described as a Military Industrial Complex. the U.S. Defense Industrial Base (DIB) has identified challenges, dedicated resources toward solving them, and attempted to learn from past mistakes.

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Industry, government, and academia are putting increased focus on the need for trustworthy supply chains, trustworthy partners, and trusted systems globally. A reliable path to an actionable understanding of the risks that can impact the trustworthiness of supplies, suppliers, and services is essential.

The <u>System of Trust Framework</u> aims to provide a comprehensive, consistent, and repeatable supply chain security <u>risk assessment</u> process that is customizable, evidence-based, and scalable, and will enable all organizations within the supply chain to have confidence in each other, service offerings, and the supplies being delivered.

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