

# Being Mean To Your Code: Integrating Security Tools into Your DevOps Pipeline

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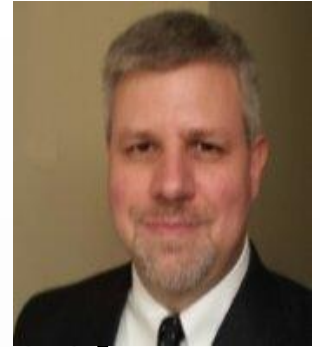
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# Who is this for?

Developers

QA

Operations

Security

Consultants

(Managers)

Whoever is involved in automation!

# What are trying to solve?

Find security issues as early as possible

Integration into the DevOps (CI/CD) pipeline

# What are we **not** trying to solve?

Finding all possible vulnerabilities

Putting pentesters out of a job 😊

# What can you get out of this?

A way to quickly evaluate your apps

Options for more thorough scanning

Introduction to Gauntlt

Introduction to ZAP API

Integrating results

**I READ THIS  
BLOG ABOUT DEVOPS**



**SO I GUESS YOU CAN  
SAY THINGS ARE GETTING PRETTY SERIOUS**

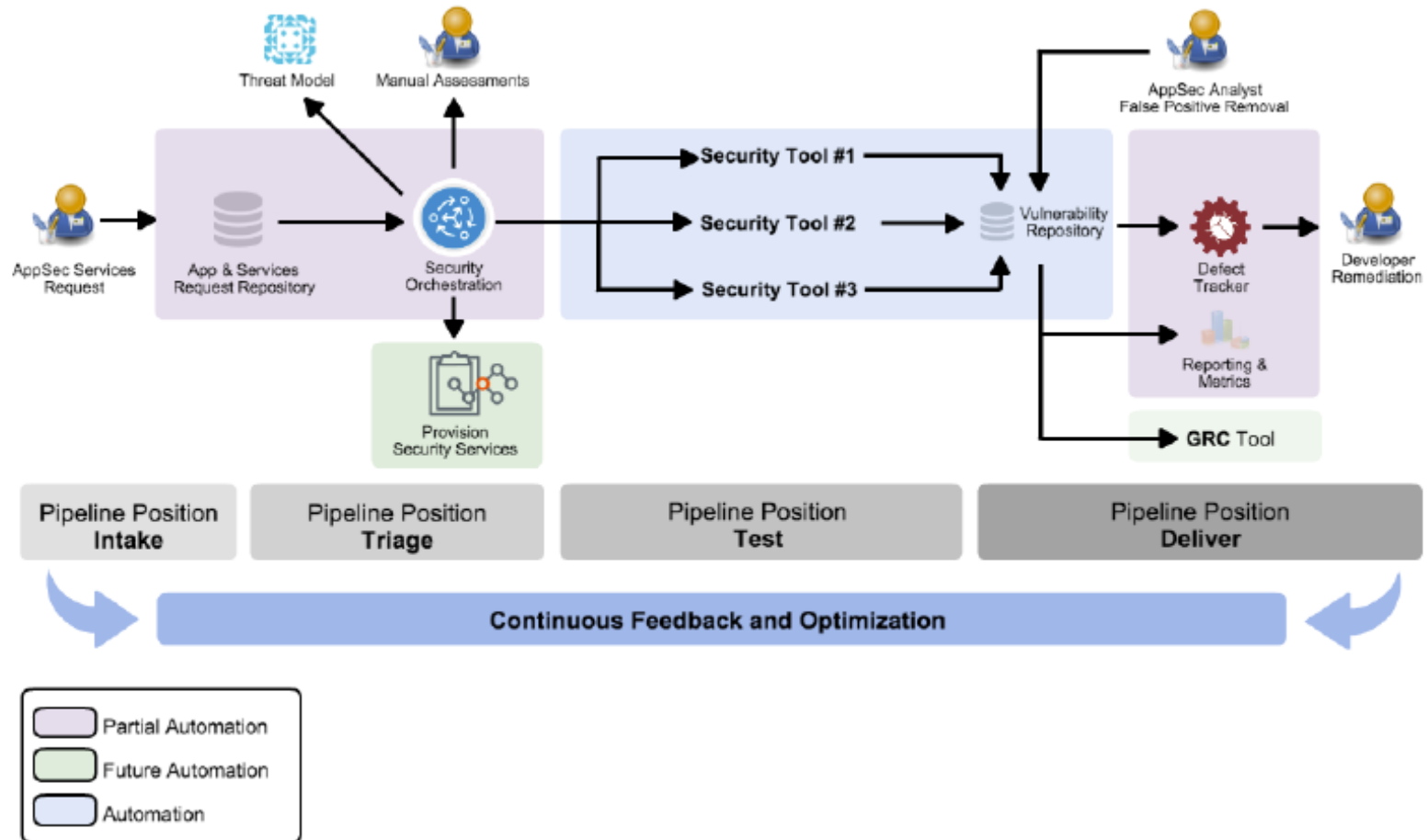


# What is DevOps?

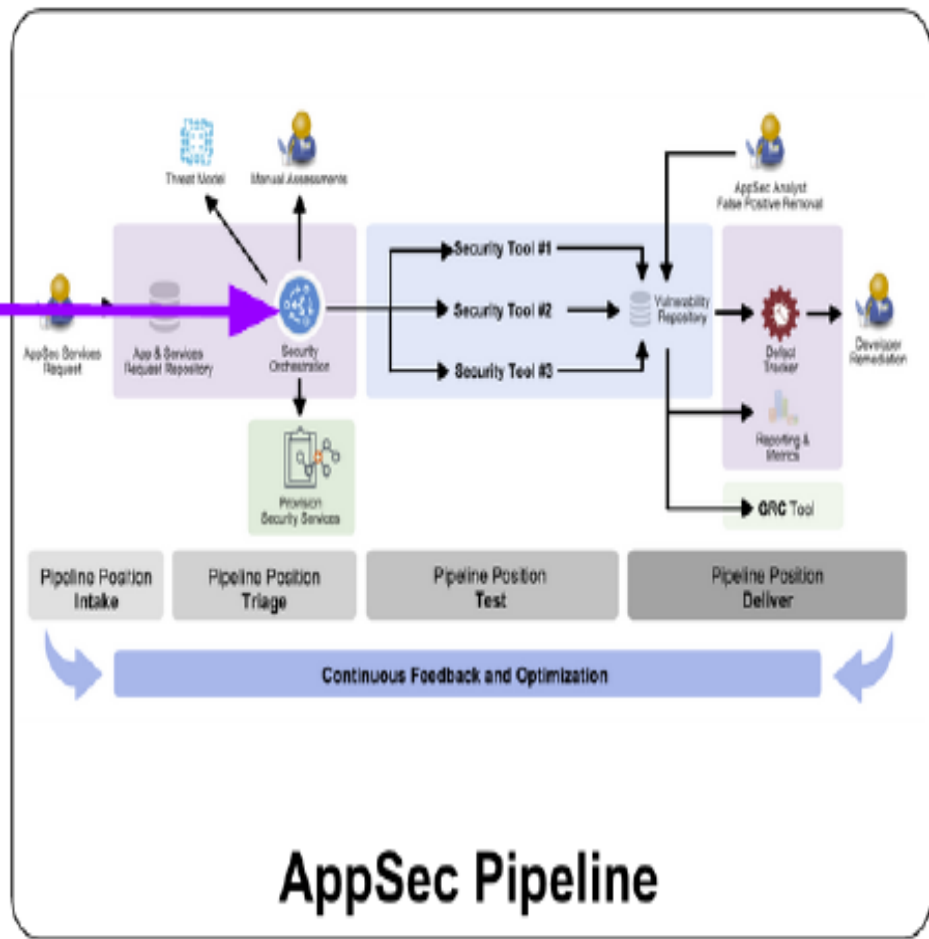
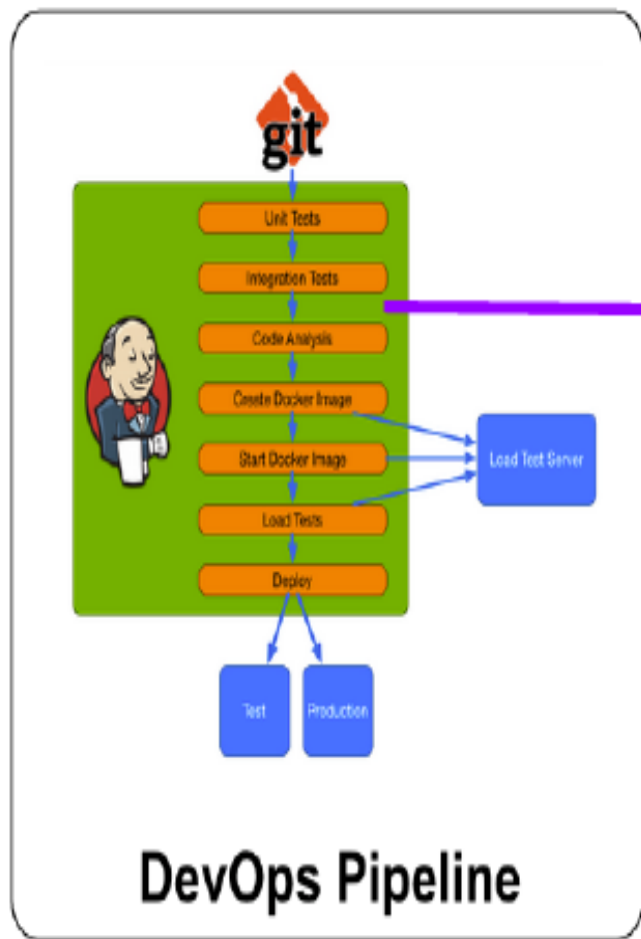
**DevOps** (development and operations) - a type of agile relationship between Development and IT Operations.

**Goal:** Change and improve relationship by advocating better communication and collaboration between the two business units.

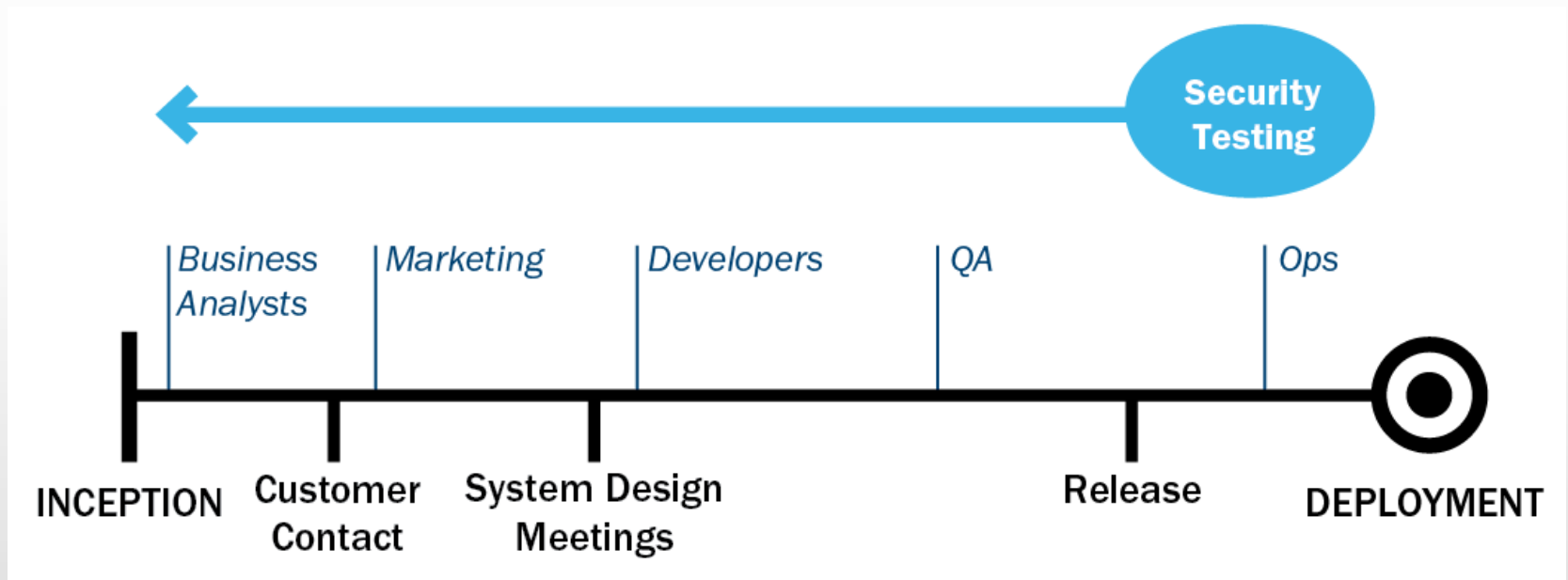
# Rugged Devops - AppSec Pipeline Template



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# Moving security testing to the left



# DevOps or not, automate/integrate security in

Even if no DevOps, think about automating security tests

Integrate tests into your pipeline, either for deployment (continuous or not) or build integration (continuous or not)

Use test results to drive vulnerability management (bug fixes, etc.)

# Automate Testing with Security Tools

# Gauntlt

Open source, MIT License

Gauntlt comes with pre-canned steps that hook security testing tools

Gauntlt does not install tools

Gauntlt wants to be part of the CI/CD pipeline

Be a good citizen of exit status and stdout/stderr

# Gauntlt

Gauntlt comes packaged with a set of pre-canned attacks using a pre-defined set of “attack adapters” that map the steps to the security tools that can run each type of attack:

- Arachni (testing for XSS)

- Garmr (testing for new login pages or insecure references in login flows)

- SQLmap (testing for SQL injection attacks)

- dirb (testing for misconfigured web objects)

- SSlyze (testing for misconfigured SSL servers)

- NMap (testing for unexpected open ports)



# Gauntlt reporting

```
bundle exec gauntlt --format html > out.html
```

# BDD/Gerkin Security Assertion

*Scenario: Lock the user account out after 4 incorrect authentication attempts*

*Meta: @id auth\_lockout*

*Given the default username from: users.table*

*And an incorrect password*

*And the user logs in from a fresh login page 4 times*

*When the default password is used from: users.table*

*And the user logs in from a fresh login page*

*Then the user is not logged in*

# Gauntlt - Cucumber syntax

Feature: nmap attacks for example.com

Background:

Given "nmap" is installed

And the following profile:

```
| name   | value   |
```

```
| hostname | example.com |
```

Scenario: Verify that there are no unexpected ports open

When I launch an "nmap" attack with:

```
"""
```

```
nmap -F <hostname>
```

```
"""
```

Then the output should not contain:

```
"""
```

# Gauntlt - example

@slow

Feature: nmap robots attack

Background:

Given "nmap" is installed

And the following profile:

```
| name | value |  
| hostname | www.cert.org |
```

Scenario: Detects robots.txt files on this host.

When I launch an "nmap" attack with:

"""

```
nmap --script http-robots.txt <hostname>
```

"""

Then the output should contain:

"""

```
| http-robots.txt:
```

"""

# OWASP Zed Attack Proxy (ZAP)

ZAP is used to test for the most common vulnerabilities that accompany web applications

For instance, SQL Injection and cross-site scripting (XSS) are two types of attacks that can be prevented with the use of ZAP

Ideal for beginners

Checks for security headers, other requirements

# ZAP Features

Swing based UI for desktop mode

Comprehensive API for daemon mode

Plugin architecture (add-ons)

Online 'marketplace' (all free)

Release, beta, and alpha quality add-ons

Traditional and ajax spiders

Passive and active scanning

Highly configurable, eg scan policies

Highly scriptable

# Some ZAP use cases

Point and shoot – the Quick Start tab

Proxying via ZAP, and then scanning

Manual pentesting

**Automated security regression tests**

Debugging

Part of a larger security program

# ZAP Install Options

Windows .exe

Linux .tar .gz

Mac OS .dmg

Docker Images

Distros like Kali



# Run ZAP UI

Simplest way to run

But, basic results

# Run ZAP through API

Command line with the `-daemon` flag.

This option allows for easy integration into your CI server because you will be able to run ZAP by including a post-build step specifically for ZAP.

If using Jenkins as your CI server, there is a [ZAP plug-in](#) specifically for Jenkins.

All you have to do is download the plug-in from the Jenkins plug-in manager and add a post-build step.

# ZAP API Command Line

## Options:

-cmd	Runs ZAP 'inline', ie without starting the UI or a daemon
-config	Overrides the specified key=value pair in the configuration file
-daemon	Starts ZAP in 'daemon' mode, ie without a UI
-dir	Uses the specified directory instead of the default one
-installdir specified directory	Overrides the code that detects where ZAP has been installed with the specified directory
-h add-ons	Shows all of the command line options available, including those added by add-ons
-help	The same as -h
-host	Overrides the host used for proxying specified in the configuration file
-port	Overrides the port used for proxying specified in the configuration file
-version	Reports the ZAP version
-newsession	Creates a new session at the given location
-session	Opens the given session after starting ZAP

# ZAP API Command Line Examples

Start ZAP in 'daemon' mode with a new session created at a given path:

**-daemon -newsession session**

Create a report of the last scan of an existing session and exit ZAP once finished:

**-last\_scan\_report  
/path/to/save/report.xml -session  
/path/to/existing/session -cmd**

# Use zapr

Command-line wrapper around ZAP

<https://github.com/garethr/zapr>

# ZAP Report

Application Error Disclosure	
	This page contains an error/warning message that may disclose sensitive information like the location of the file that produced the unhandled exception. This info launch further attacks against the web application. The alert could be a false positive if the error message is found inside a documentation page.
<a href="http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/manager-howto.html">http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/manager-howto.html</a>	
N/A	
java.lang.NumberFormatException: For input string:	
<a href="http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/jndi-resources-howto.html">http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/jndi-resources-howto.html</a>	
N/A	
JDBC Driver	
<a href="http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/jndi-datasource-examples-howto.html">http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/jndi-datasource-examples-howto.html</a>	
N/A	
JDBC Driver	
<a href="http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/config/listeners.html">http://128.237.191.24:8080/docs/config/listeners.html</a>	
N/A	
JDBC Driver	
<a href="http://128.237.191.24:8080/examples/jsp/error/err.jsp?name=bmw328i&amp;submit=Submit">http://128.237.191.24:8080/examples/jsp/error/err.jsp?name=bmw328i&amp;submit=Submit</a>	
N/A	
HTTP 500 Internal server error	

# ThreadFix

Automates matching and merging of report results from dynamic, static, and interactive application scanners.

Integrates with with report results from:  
OWASP ZAP, Burp Suite, Veracode, Contrast Security, and on and on

# Summary

Automate all the things

Add security testing as part of your CI/CD pipeline

Take a look at Gauntlt and ZAP as two possible open / free tools

Integrate results from security tools to manage vulnerabilities



# Resources - Books

The DevOps Handbook: How to Create World-Class Agility, Reliability, & Security in Technology Organizations

*Gene Kim, Jez Humble, Patrick Debois, John Willis*

Continuous Delivery: Reliable Software Releases through Build, Test, and Deployment Automation

*Jez Humble, David Farley*

# Resources - Tools

## Gauntlt

<http://gauntlt.org/index.html#getting-started>

## Owasp ZAP

[https://www.owasp.org/index.php/OWASP\\_Zed\\_Attack\\_Proxy\\_Project](https://www.owasp.org/index.php/OWASP_Zed_Attack_Proxy_Project)

## ThreadFix (from Denim Group)

<https://www.threadfix.it>

# Questions?



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