

# Application Security Benchmark Survey Insights for the Healthcare Industry

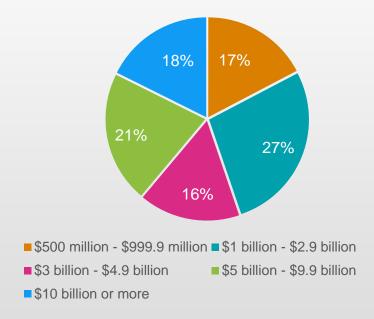


## **Application Security Benchmark Survey Insights for the Healthcare Industry**

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#### **About The Survey**

- Conducted by IDG Research from May-June 2014
- Respondents:
  - 100 US
  - 100 UK
  - 106 Germany & Switzerland







# What is being developed by enterprises?



#### Healthcare enterprise application portfolio

### Average number of internally developed enterprise applications

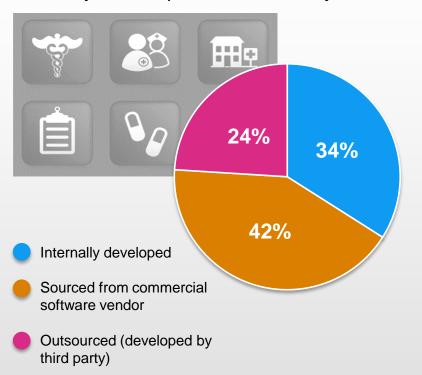


Source: Veracode and IDG Research Services

Q9. How many internally developed enterprise applications are currently deployed within your organization?

Healthcare Base: 18

#### Internally Developed vs. Externally Sourced

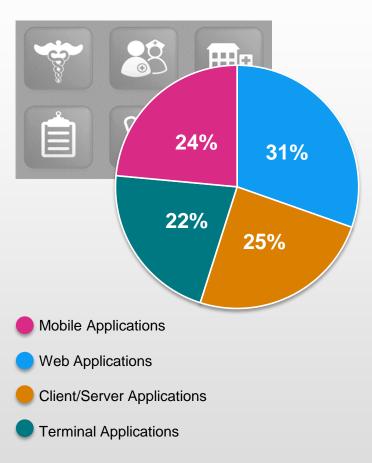


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Q1. With the total equal to 100%, please estimate what proportion of your organization's total enterprise application portfolio is internally developed vs. externally-developed/sourced?

#### Taxonomy of internally developed applications

#### **HEALTHCARE**



Source: Veracode and IDG Research Services

Q3. With the total equal to 100%, approximately what percent of your <u>internally developed</u> enterprise application portfolio falls into the following application architecture categories?



# What is being spent on securing internally developed applications?



#### Security spending on internally developed enterprise applications

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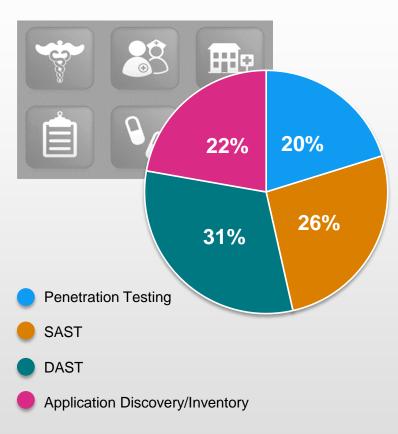
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Q7a. Please estimate your organization's overall spend on application security for internally developed applications?

Total Healthcare Base: 18

## Breakdown of application security spending on internally developed applications

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Source: Veracode and IDG Research Services

Q7b. Approximately what percent of your organization's application security budget for internally developed applications is spent on the following:

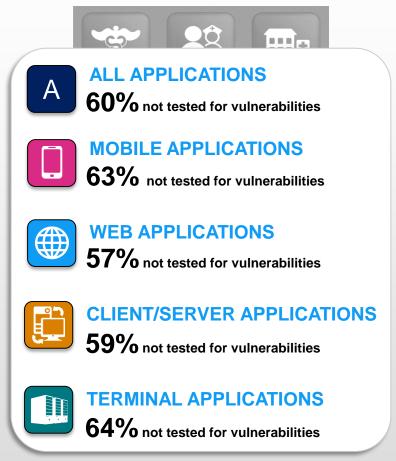


# What is not being tested?



#### Internally developed applications not tested for security vulnerabilities

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Source: Veracode and IDG Research Services

Q5a. For each application architecture listed below, approximately what percentage of your organization's internally developed applications do you test for security vulnerabilities? (Total does not have to add up to 100%)

#### Importance of closing the gaps in application security testing

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Respondent organizations reporting less than 100% coverage citing a critical or very important need to close gaps in coverage:



**87%** MOBILE APPLICATIONS (N = 15)



**80%** WEB APPLICATIONS (N = 15)



**69%** CLIENT/SERVER APPLICATIONS (N = 16)



**69%** TERMINAL APPLICATIONS (N = 16)

Source: Veracode and IDG Research Services

Q5b. For each application architecture listed below, how important is it for your organization to close the gaps in coverage and move closer to testing 100% of your internally developed applications for security vulnerabilities?



# How will things change in 12 months?



## **Changes in application security programs: 12 month projection for Healthcare industry**

#### Estimated 2015 Need: \$3.11M

To test all current and new applications with existing approaches

Average gap between need and budget

\$1.95M



Average growth of internally developed applications

9.7% average increase

(or 177 new apps)

Change in security spend for internally developed applications

2.92% average increase

Estimated 2015 Budget: \$1.15M

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Q5a. For each application architecture listed below, approximately what percentage of your organization's internally developed applications do you test for security vulnerabilities? (Total does not have to add up to 100%)

Healthcare Base: 18

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Q8. How do you expect your organization's overall spending on application security for internally developed enterprise applications to change over the next 12 months?





# **Executive commitment**



#### **Executive commitment to application security testing**

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Source: Veracode and IDG Research Services

Q9. Which of the following most accurately describes the level of executive commitment to application security testing (for internally developed applications) within your organization?

### A Plan to Close the Gap\*

Anticipated spending increases are dramatically lower than the minimum spending increase that IDG determined is required to close the gap.

Simply extrapolating the existing assessment approaches to close the gap puts the CSO in an untenable budgetary situation.

The key is rethinking these elements:

- How security gets built into applications as they are being developed
- How to build in security at the scale and pace required to support the more than 340 anticipated new applications that enterprises, on average, will develop in the next 12 months
- How to build in security so that it lowers the financial burden of proactively managing risk

By seeking out best practices for implementing application security at scale, CIOs and CSOs can use their expected budget increases for initiatives that tackle their existing gap in a significant way.

<sup>\*</sup> Except from "Why Application Security is a Business Imperative" IDG Research, Aug 2014



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