

# Threat Modeling Security Service

## Benefits

- Uncover current and future-state business and security risks to mitigate harmful incidents
- Identify unsecure business processes, application vulnerabilities, and network misconfigurations
- Reduce business costs and properly align resources before product market release
- Gain broader visibility into complex systems and related resources for smart investments
- Improve and effectively prioritize existing security controls of various functions and environments

## Discover unidentified business and security risks through dynamic system analysis

### Overview

As threat actors continually advance their attack techniques, organizations should prioritize the improvement of their security infrastructure to protect critical assets, intellectual property, and overall business operations.

The Mandiant Threat Modeling Security Service evaluates your organization's security controls and uncovers attacker behaviors to reveal unknown risks and vulnerabilities within existing and proposed systems including software applications, business processes, and operational networks.

This dynamic model of attack and defense scenarios delivers a unique view of underlying system controls to understand risks and vulnerabilities before they proliferate and increase an organization's attack surface.

Our experts provide best practices for security coding, defense tactics and risk-based decision making to enhance the security posture of your entire organization, not just your security program.

### Our approach/methodology

First, Mandiant experts review and document your overall architecture and controls environment and identify which systems should have their existing and proposed security safeguards evaluated.

Second, Mandiant experts present their findings during a collaborative workshop to analyze your organization's operational architecture and uncover additional vulnerabilities and control deficiencies.

Third, our experts use these findings, along with the latest threat intelligence, to develop a detailed threat model framework that visually represents your environment's existing control process flows and pinpoints control deficiencies that map to potential business risks (Fig. 1).

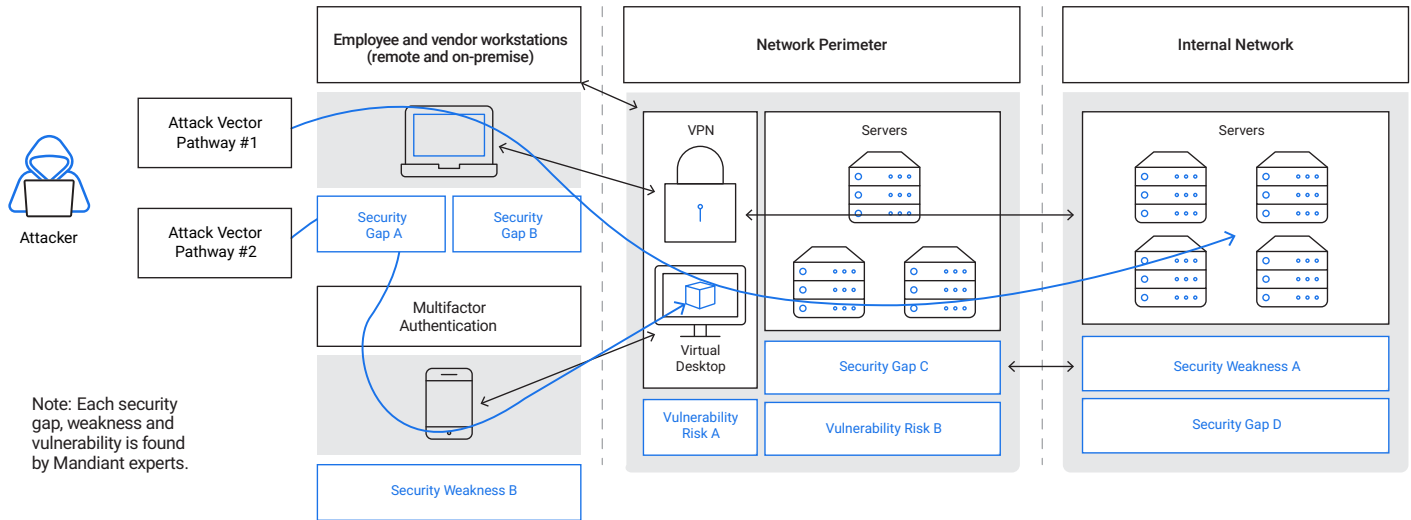


FIGURE 1. Threat model of a fictional client environment and associated risk-ranked threats that outline individual components and their interlocking connectivity.

Every threat model is specific to client environments and business objectives. Each finding includes an explanation of the systemic cause, risk rating, remediation steps, and potential responsibilities.

Last, Mandiant experts prioritize any control gaps using the STRIDE risk classification model that considers exploitability and impact according to your specific business environment. Our experts also outline what should be done to mitigate the identified vulnerabilities.

This service can be delivered at anytime. However, it offers better results when engaged early in the development lifecycle of a product or service.

## Engagement outcomes

- **Executive briefing.** Overview of the service scope and critical findings
- **Threat model.** Documentation of specific system architecture components and related deficiencies and vulnerabilities that enable attackers to bypass your security controls
- **Tactical recommendations.** Actions that can reduce risk, improve security posture and enable remediation for short- and long-term success

## Why Mandiant

Mandiant has been at the forefront of cybersecurity and cyber threat intelligence since 2004. Our incident responders are on the frontlines of the most complex breaches worldwide. We have a deep understanding of both existing and emerging threat actors, as well as their rapidly changing tactics, techniques and procedures.