

# AI Powered Defense: Outsmarting Cyber Threats

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A CYBERSECURITY SYMPOSIUM

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A person wearing a dark hoodie is seen from the side, holding a laptop. The background is a vibrant blue digital rain effect, with various characters and symbols falling vertically. The text "CYBER is the new DISASTER" is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif font. "CYBER" and "DISASTER" are in all caps, while "is the new" is in lowercase. The text is centered horizontally and spans most of the vertical space.

CYBER  
is the new  
DISASTER

# What is Cyber Resilience?

“The ability to **anticipate, withstand, recover from & adapt** to adverse conditions, stresses, attacks, or compromises on systems that use or are enabled by cyber resources.

Cyber resiliency is intended to enable mission or business objectives that depend on cyber resources to be achieved in a contested cyber environment.”

SP800-160 V2 R1

- Developing Cyber-Resilient Systems: A Systems Security Engineering Approach

# Cyber Attack

A cyber attack is an attempt by cybercriminals, hackers or other digital adversaries to access a computer network or system, usually for the purpose of altering, stealing, destroying or exposing information

## Malware

- Ransomware
- Fileless Malware
- Spyware
- Adware
- Trojan
- Worms
- Rootkits
- Mobile Malware
- Exploits
- Scareware
- Keylogger
- Botnet
- MALSPAM

## DNS Tunneling

## Code Injection Attacks

- SQL Injection
- Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
- Malvertising

## Phishing

- Spear Phishing
- Whaling
- SMiShing
- Vishing

## Insider Threats

## Supply Chain Attacks

## Spoofing

- Domain Spoofing
- Email Spoofing
- ARP Spoofing

## Denial-of-Service (DoS) Attacks

## IoT-Based Attacks

## Identity-Based Attacks

- Kerberoasting
- Man-in-the-Middle (MITM) Attack
- Pash-the-Hash Attack
- Golden Ticket Attack
- Silver Ticket Attack
- Credential Harvesting
- Credential Stuffing
- Password Spraying
- Brute Force Attacks
- Downgrade Attacks



COMPLEX PROBLEMS

require

COMPLETE  
SOLUTIONS

# Steps to Cyber Resilience

| Assessment & Planning   | Layered Defense   | Visibility & Continuous Improvement  |
|---|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Define the “risk”</li><li>• Framework</li><li>• Education &amp; Awareness</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attack Surface Management</li><li>• Detection &amp; Response</li><li>• Recovery</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Testing &amp; Validation</li><li>• Incident Response &amp; Recovery</li><li>• Security Dashboard &amp; Reporting</li></ul> |



# Project Fort Zero

The US DOD developed, engineered, and invested over five years, to architect an **Advanced Zero Trust** system using their best engineers.

This is the foundation of our solution.

## Dell will deliver...



Capabilities integration & orchestration completed by Dell



Repeatable ZTA blueprint



Executive order compliance for **federally validated** solution

## Dell brings...

- Dedicated investment
- Leading partner ecosystem
- Advanced maturity ZT
- Hybrid configurations
- Available to all industries
- Center of Excellence
- Ongoing engagement

# DoD Zero Trust Strategy Goals & Objectives

## GOALS

### Zero Trust Cultural Adoption

- A Zero Trust security framework and mindset that guides the design, development, integration, and deployment of information technology across the DoD Zero Trust Ecosystem

### DoD Information Systems Secured & Defended

- DoD cybersecurity practices incorporate and operationalize Zero Trust to achieve enterprise resilience in DoD information systems

### Technology Acceleration

- Zero Trust-based technologies deploy at a pace equal to or exceeding industry advancements to remain ahead of the changing threat environment

### Zero Trust Enablement

- DoD Zero Trust execution integrates with Department-level and Component-level processes resulting in seamless and coordinated ZT execution

## IMPACT

- A cybersecurity-minded culture & workforce that embraces ZT
- Increased collaboration & productivity
- Increased commitment to cybersecurity

- Secured communications at all operational levels
- Improved systems & performance
- Interoperable & secured data
- Automated cyber & AI operations

- Continually updated & advanced ZT enabled IT
- Reduced silos
- Simplified architecture
- Efficient data management

- Enhanced operations & support performance
- Consistent, aligned & effectively resourced ZT supporting functions
- Speed of ZT acquisition-to-deployed capability

## OBJECTIVES

- **Commitment**
- **Outreach**
- **Awareness**
- **Workforce**
- **Training**

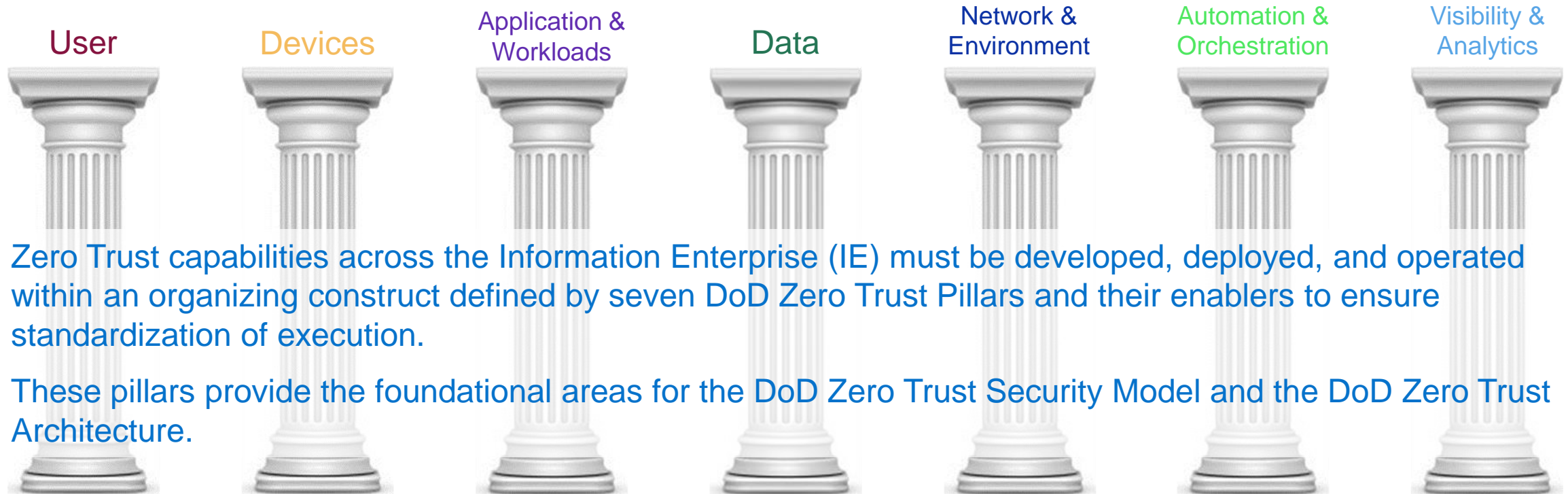
- **User**
- **Device**
- **Applications & Workloads**
- **Data**
- **Network & Environment**
- **Automation & Orchestration**
- **Visibility & Analytics**

- **Capabilities**
- **Architecture**
- **Interoperability**
- **Ideation / Innovation**

- **Policy**
- **Planning**
- **Programming**
- **Funding**
- **Acquisition**
- **Performance**
- **Zero Trust Portfolio Management Office (PfMO)**










# DoD Zero Trust Pillars



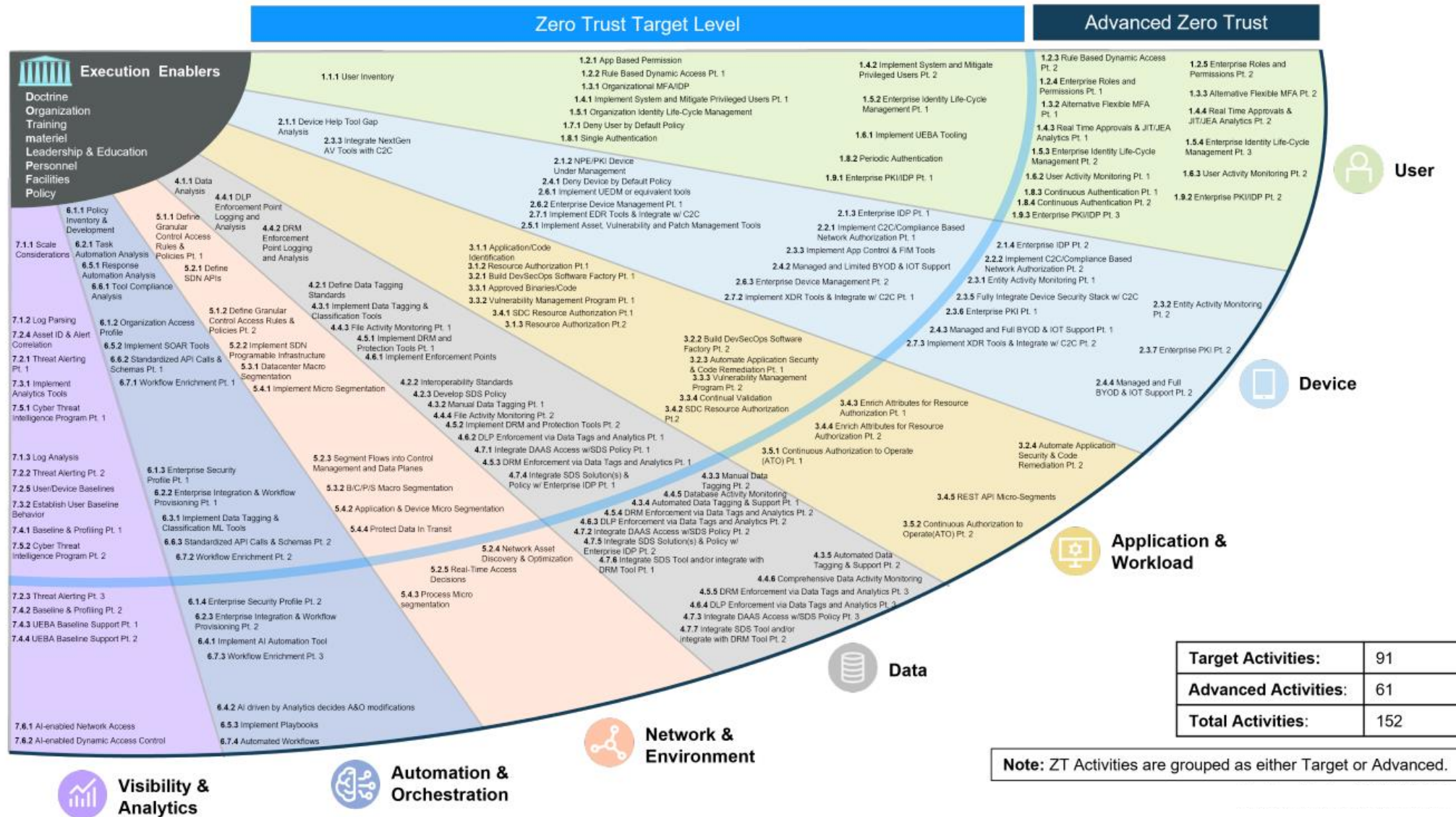
Zero Trust capabilities across the Information Enterprise (IE) must be developed, deployed, and operated within an organizing construct defined by seven DoD Zero Trust Pillars and their enablers to ensure standardization of execution.

These pillars provide the foundational areas for the DoD Zero Trust Security Model and the DoD Zero Trust Architecture.

# DoD Zero Trust Capabilities

|   |                                       | Target   |   | Target & Advanced  |  | Advanced   |           |            |        |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|-----------|------------|--------|
|    | <b>User</b>                           | 1.1 User Inventory   | 1.7 Least Privileged Access   | 1.2 Conditional User Access<br>1.3 Multifactor Authentication<br>1.4 Privileged Access Mgmt.<br>1.5 Identity Federation and User Credentialing | 1.6 Behavioral, Contextual ID, & Biometrics<br>1.8 Continuous Authentication<br>1.9 Integrated ICAM Platform             |  |           |            |        |
|    | <b>Device</b>                         | 2.5 Partially & Fully Automated Asset, Vulnerability and Patch Mgmt. | 2.6 Unified Endpoint Management (UEM) & Mobile Device Management (MDM)      | 2.1 Device Inventory<br>2.2 Device Detection and Compliance<br>2.3 Device Authorization w/ Real Time Inspection                                | 2.4 Remote Access<br>2.7 Endpoint & Extended Detection & Response (EDR & XDR)  |  |           |            |        |
|    | <b>Application &amp; Workload</b>     | 3.1 Application Inventory  | 3.3 Software Risk Management  | 3.2 Secure Software Development & Integration  | 3.4 Resource Authorization & Integration   | 3.5 Continuous Monitoring and Ongoing Authorizations |           |            |        |
|    | <b>Data</b>                           | 4.1 Data Catalog Risk Alignment                                      | 4.2 DoD Enterprise Data Governance  | 4.3 Data Labeling & Tagging<br>4.4 Data Monitoring & Sensing<br>4.5 Data Encryption & Rights Management  | 4.6 Data Loss Prevention (DLP)<br>4.7 Data Access Control  |  |           |            |        |
|    | <b>Network &amp; Environment</b>      | 5.1 Data Flow Mapping  | 5.3 Macro Segmentation  | 5.2 Software Defined Networking  | 5.4 Micro Segmentation   |  |           |            |        |
|   | <b>Automation &amp; Orchestration</b> | 6.3 Machine Learning   | 6.6 API Standardization   | 6.1 Policy Decision Point (PDP) & Policy Orchestration<br>6.2 Critical Process Automation  | 6.5 Security Orchestration, Automation & Response (SOAR)<br>6.7 Security Operation Center (SOC) & Incident Response (IR) | 6.4 Artificial Intelligence                          |           |            |        |
|  | <b>Visibility &amp; Analytics</b>     | 7.1 Log All Traffic  | 7.3 Common Security & Risk Analytics<br>7.5 Threat Intelligence Integration | 7.2 Security Information and Event Mgmt. (SIEM)  | 7.4 User & Entity Behavior Analytics (UEBA)  | 7.6 Automated Dynamic Policies                       |           |            |        |
| <b>EXECUTION ENABLERS</b>   |                                       | Doctrine   | Organization  | Training   | materiel   | Leadership & Education                               | Personnel | Facilities | Policy |

# DoD Zero Trust Activities



# What the Experts are Saying

Good enough is not good enough

“Offline backups (or backups that are verified as **inaccessible to attackers with full control of production IT**) must be available for all critical systems, data and infrastructure, including core IT infrastructure such as Active Directory (“AD”), with a well-defined and tested restore procedure that includes verification of ability to recover all systems to a common point-in-time.”



- Conti cyber attack on the HSE: Independent Post Incident Review

03 December 2021

PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC)

[Full Report](#)

# Immutability $\neq$ Invulnerable

Good enough is not good enough

im·mu·ta·ble | \ (,)i(m)-'myü-tə-bəl \

## Definition of *immutable*

: not capable of or susceptible to change

in·vul·ner·a·ble | \ (,)in-'vəl-n(ə-)rə-bəl , -nər-bəl \

## Definition of *invulnerable*

1: incapable of being wounded, injured, or harmed

2: immune to or proof against attack

“Immutability is used differently by vendors and varies in implementation and effectiveness. Therefore, it’s important to understand what each vendor means by “immutable” and how its functionality is implemented to assess the risk that hackers can override it.”

- Gartner

# 3 I's of Cyber Recovery

Modern threats require modern solutions



## Isolation

**Physical & logical separation of data**

Protected with operational air gap either on-premises, public cloud or multi-cloud environments



## Immutability

**Preserve original integrity of data**

Multiple layers of security and controls protect against destruction, deletion and alteration of vaulted data



## Intelligence

**ML & analytics identify threats**

Proactively identify data integrity issues to enable assured recovery of “good” data + offers insight into attack vectors from within the vault

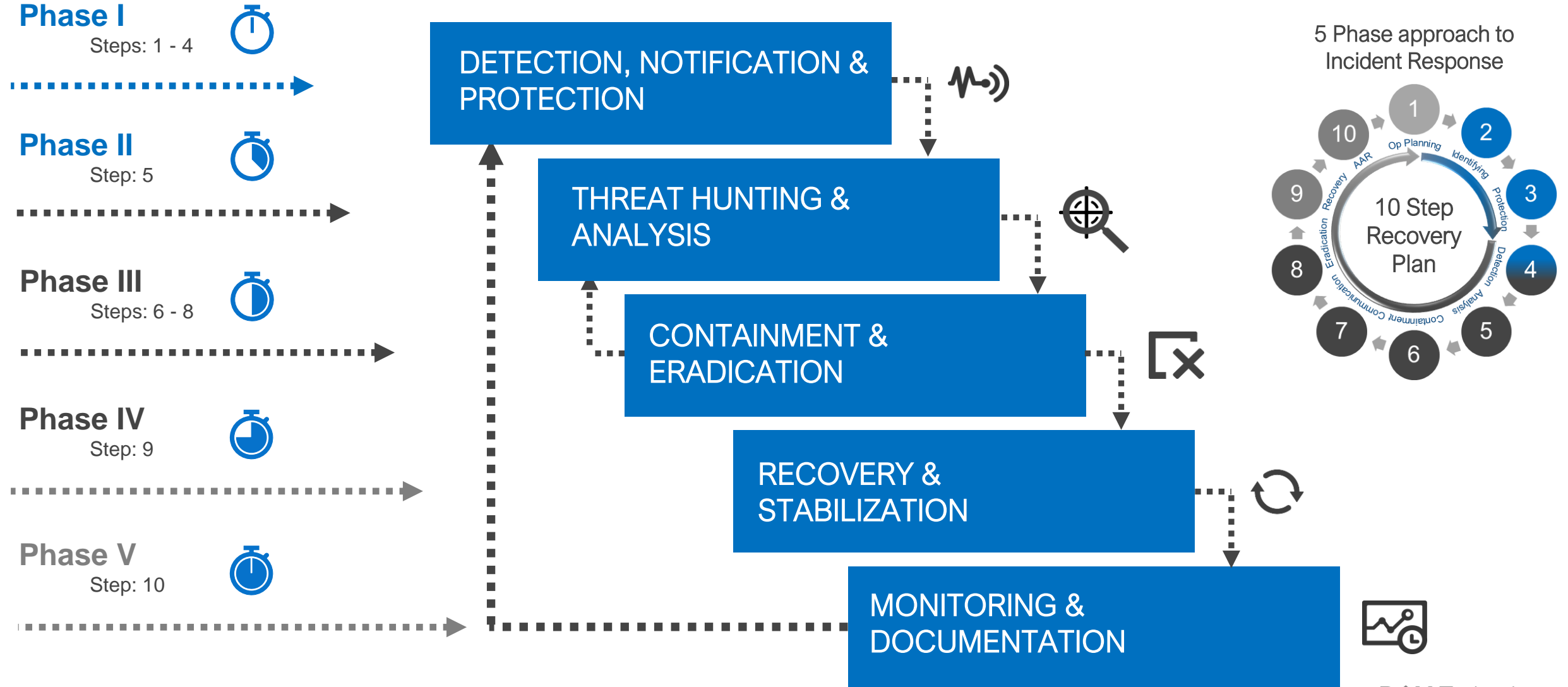
# Incident Response & Recovery

Experiencing a Cyber Incident?

Email: [INCIDENT.RECOVERY@DELL.COM](mailto:INCIDENT.RECOVERY@DELL.COM)

OR call 1-800-433-2392

## Dell Technologies Approach to Cyber-Incidents: Best Practices & Methodology





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