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# **Foundational Technologies** for OT Zero Trust Protection

**DISA TEMS** 



# Goals + Agenda Topics

- Mission Value & Alignment with DISA/DOD
- BlastWave Zero Trust for OT US AF
- DOD Zero Trust example + work with DOD CIO PFMO
- OT Considerations: OT for Base and Mission Operations
- Solution Architecture 100% offline air gapped
- BlastWave Solution Briefing & Demonstration
- Meeting DISA/DOD OT Zero Trust Technology Needs
- BlastWave Contacts & Recorded Presentation





### BlastWave Hits Ot Zero Trust Out of the Park



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Sun, Mar 31, 5:39 PM (2 days ago) 5 to Thomas, me, Joe, Daryl, Kelly, Andrew, James, Thomas, Danita, Bill, Danielle, Chris, Ryan, Jeff, Marcus, Van, Michael, Thomas, Hugo, Cam, L, William 👻

Tom,

The OT ZT Alliance Members hit the ball out of the park with this OT draft ZT guidance submission. WOW! This is a serious contribution to the ZT PfMO and thought leadership in the OT field as I've ever seen, bar none, and aligns perfectly with exactly what we were seeking if DoD is going to frustrate and mitigate adversarial exploitation on OT systems, as we desire to do during our ZT implementation and follow-on phases.

Let us study your document deeply, and as we have questions, we will ask them. With a desire to not SPAM everyone on this email, would there be an optimal point of contact for our OT Technical questions and specifically questions on content from this report (clarification, corrections, etc.) that could triage our inquiries?

Thanks again, Tom! We are thrilled that the Spangdahlem pilot was the catalyst which led to this report, and that the ZT PfMO was its instigator. We know that progress on Zero Trust means nothing unless Companies which demonstrate leadership in their fields are willing to team together and partner where necessary. And for that, I deeply thank all of you personally in your willingness to have your companies partner together on this task, to not only deliver a showcase OT ZT example in Spangdahlem (the 1st and only one on the planet that I am aware as of this date), but to also work together to deliver such a well thought out, comprehensive ZT guidance report for OT cybersecurity. This work you all produced will become foundational, I believe, and help propel us forward much faster than we ever expected.

Thank you all, again. Randy

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# **BlastShield** Case Study: Spangdahlem Air Base

### DoD/USAF

Proven DoD OT Zero Trust Solution

- DoD-Mandated Zero Trust by 2027
  - OTZTA formed to deliver comprehensive solutions for all OT (and IT) requirements

- Zero Trust Deployment Details:
  - 95 devices with 97 microsegments in 4 hours
  - 20 users with passwordless authentication
- Awarded initial pilot and follow-on permanent deployment
  - Funded by the DoD CIO
  - Air Force Water Treatment facility 0
  - Completed pilot Jan 8th 0
  - Installed and active within 4 hours
  - DoD CIO: "Miracle that you completed the entire project in 60 days" 0

## BlastShield OT Zero Trust DOD ZT PFMO



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	App-Based Permissions		Enterprise IdP Pt. 1		Granular Access Control Definition Pt. 2		Log Correlation and Parsing
	1.2.2	5	2.2.1 (OT)		5.2.1	6	7.1.3
	Rule-Based Dynamic Access		Transitory Asset Connection		Plan SDN API's		Log Event Analysis
	1.3.1	5	2.3.4 (OT)		5.2.2	5	7.2.1
	Org MFA/IdP		Endpoint Anti-malware Control		SDN Implementation		Threat Alerting Pt. 1
5	1.4.1		2.4.1		5.2.3	5	7.2.2
	PAM implementation Pt. 1		Deny Device by Default		Segment Control/Management/Data Planes		Threat Alerting Pt. 2
5	1.4.2		2.5.1(OT)	9	5.2.4 (OT)	5	7.2.4
	PAM implementation Pt. 2		Vulnerability Compensating Controls		Unidirectional Traffic Flow Controls		Asset ID and Correlation Alerting
5	1.5.1	5	2.6.1 (OT)		5.3.1	5	7.2.5
	Org ID Life Cycle Management		UEDM Tools and MDM		Datacenter Macro-Segmentation		User/Device Baselining
5	1.5.2	5	4.2.3		5.3.2	5	7.3.1
	Enterprise Life Cycle Pt. 1		Software Defined Storage Policy		B/C/P/S Macro-Segmentation		Analytics Tool Implementation
5	1.6.1 (OT)	5	4.4.2 (OT)	$\bigcirc$	5.4.1	5	7.3.2
	Establish User Behavior Baseline		Process Variable Integrated Analysis		Network Microsegmentation		User and Device Baseline Analysis
	1.7.1	5	4.4.4 (OT)		5.4.2	5	7.4.1
	Deny User by Default		Process Data Trend Analysis		Role-Based Dynamic Microsegmentation		User and Device Profile Definition Pt.1
	1.8.1	5	4.8.1 (OT)		5.4.4	5	7.5.1
	Single Authentication		Data Timeliness Functions Pt. 1		Data Protection in Transit		Cyber Threat Intelligence Pt. 1
	1.8.2		4.8.2 (OT)		5.4.5 (OT)	5	7.5.2
	Periodic Authentication		Data Timeliness Functions Pt. 2		Network Incident Response Isolation		Cyber Threat Intelligence Pt. 2
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	Enterprise PKI/IdP Pt. 1			EN)	Policy Inventory and Development		

**On-Premise Air Gap Deployment:** Can be deployed without internet access – **100% Offline** 

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# OT Considerations: OT for Base & Mission Operations

### OT Networks on Military Bases:

- Base Power Generation & Distribution
- Back up Power
- Base Water/Wastewater
- Fuel Storage & Distribution

### OT Facilities Related Control Systems: FRCS

- Building Controls Power, HVAC, Security, Camera
- Manufacturing

### **Mission Systems**:

- Weather
- Satellite

 Automated Material Handling Logistics & Transportation Remote Communications Propulsion systems • Signaling systems • Munition systems Mission Water • Health - MRI, IV, XRAY



# **1.Network Cloaking Blocks Reconnaissance**

Cloaking renders standard & Al-enhanced reconnaissance tools ineffective by only responding to valid authentication requests & dropping all other packets, eliminating many Initial Access vectors from MITRE ATT&CK

**Prevents Reconnaissance:** Only responds to PKI authentication Virtual Air Gap: No Public IP Access for OT Devices, preventing C&C & vulnerability exploitation **Device Cloaking:** Private-to-Private IP NAT to hide OT devices from internal lateral movement and insider threats





# 2. Segmentation Blocks Lateral Movement

Device-level microsegmentation blocks the privilege escalation, defense evasion, credential access, discovery, & lateral movement vectors in the MITRE ATT&CK model. Internal users are blocked from exceeding their authority & accessing restricted systems.

**Granular Device/Protocol Policies:** Policies can restrict down to a single device & protocol, or entire groups of device types **Layer 2 Lateral Movement Prevention:** Layer 2 isolation even for devices deployed on same L2 network or switch **Optional Secure Agent:** Critical Servers can install agent to further segment & protect access to the **OT Network** 





# **3. Secure Remote Access**

Key or Private Secure Cloud

**P2P Tunnel Mesh:** User Access & revocation in real-time **Phishing Resistant MFA:** 

Deployment flexibility: 100% Offline on premise (Air Gapped) with MFA FIDO

- Full mesh Peer 2 Peer tunnels between user & devices/agents **Least Privilege Access and Revocation:**
- Fine-grained control to device or groups of devices
- no passwords required (no passwords to steal)
- Apple Pay-style biometrics for user access



### BlastShield Deployment

BlastShield creates a Secure OT Overlay onto your Infrastructure





# **Concept of Operations Architecture and Zones/Conduits (No Zones)**



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# **Concept of Operations Architecture Zones/Conduits (Firewalls)**



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# **Concept of Operations** Zones/Conduits (BlastWave)

### **Software Defined Secure Network Overlay**



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### **BlastShield OT Software Abstraction Fine-Grained Protection**

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# **BlastWave Demonstration**

**OT Cybersecurity Protection** 

# Meeting DISA/DOD OT Zero Trust Technology Needs:

### **Network Cloaking:**

Prevents Reconnaissance and prevents vulnerability exploits for OT systems

### **Microsegmentation:**

Software-defined segmentation, including Layer 2 Lateral movement prevention

### **OT Secure Remote Access:**

Phishing-Resistant passwordless Least Privilege Access for users



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### Demo Recording



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