

US Financial Institution Scales Application Security Program with ThreadFix

The Challenge

The organization was dealing with a sprawling portfolio of more than 1,000 applications maintained by geographically-distributed teams, leaving the security team overwhelmed. The central security team was not able to reach application maintainers in order to collect information about application security testing efforts or enforce application security policies.

The Solution

ThreadFix was established as the system of record for application security testing results and for application security policy management. This centralized authority then allowed the security team to enlist security champions spread across the organization to act as liaisons to and consultants for groups of the distributed development teams.

This allowed the organization to scale application security testing and vulnerability management. In addition, the ThreadFix database is now used to feed their corporate risk reporting systems to provide enterprise-wide visibility into the risk associated with deployed applications.

The Results

The end result is that the organization enjoys the scale of a distributed application security team with the consistency of a centralized database of both policy and vulnerability information that is fed into corporate risk management systems to help address compliance requirements.

SNAPSHOT

Solutions Provided:

- ThreadFix

Results:

- Centralized database of policy and vulnerability information
- Scalable, distributed application security team

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

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- www.threadfix.it
- Intro video:
www.threadfix.it/video
- Data Sheet:
www.threadfix.it/datasheet