

# THE FUTURE **OF PRODUCT** SECURITY

NAVIGATING THE AGE OF **AI & QUANTUM** 

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## **OBJECTIVE**

### HELP LEADERS MOVE FROM "WAIT-AND-SEE" TO ACTION-NOW ON AI & QUANTUM THREATS.





Chart is only for illustration purposes only as it is impossible represent what has not yet occured.

## SCOPING OUR FOCUS BACK TO FOUNDATIONS





# AVAILABILITY

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### AI SYSTEM SAFETY, FAILURES, & LINITATIONS AI PURSUING ITS OWN GOALS IN CONFLICT WITH HUMAN GOALS OR VALUES





LACK OF CAPABILITY OR ROBUSTNESS



**MIT AI RISKS REPOSITORY** 

### LACK OF TRANSPARENCY OR INTERPRETABILITY

#### **MULTI-AGENT RISKS**

https://airisk.mit.edu/

### AI IN APPLICATIONS & SYSTEMS

**The Pragmatic Threats** 

#### **CONFIDENTIALITY**



DATA EXTRACTION & INFERENCE ATTACKS





DATA POISONING



MODEL INVERSION & STEALING



MODEL EVASION

#### AVAILABILITY



MODEL DEGRADATION OVER TIME



LACK OF ROBUSTNESS, GENERALIZABILITY

### THE QUANTUM THREAT: BREAKING TODAY'S TRUST ANCHORS



DECRYPTION OF SENSITIVE DATA





COMPROMISED AUTHENTICATION & INTEGRITY



ENHANCED DENIAL-OF-SERVICE ATTACKS

### PQC TRANSITION CHALLENGES

- Performance Overheads
- Integration Complexity
- Extended Lifecycles & Data
  - Retention

### **KEY REGULATORY & STANDARDS** SIGNPOSTS

**OWASP Top 10 for Large** 

Language Model Applications



**NIST AI Risk** Management

**ISO/IEC 42001** 



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#### **NIST PQC Standardization** Process

### **ETSI Quantum Safe** Cryptography

**IETF Drafts & RFCs** 



## INTEGRATED GOVERNANCE: EMBEDDING AI SECURITY

#### **Al Risk Assessment and Threat**

#### Modeling

- Extend existing threat modeling to AI-specific vulnerabilities.
- Assess risks from training data, model architecture, and deployment environment.



#### Secure AI Design and Development

- Integrate security and privacy-preserving techniques into the AI development lifecycle.
- Secure data pipelines, model versioning, and access controls.



#### **AI Security Testing & Validation**

- Implement adversarial testing, fuzzing, bias detection, and explainability checks.
- Validate model robustness against unexpected or malicious inputs.

#### Al Monitoring, Logging, and

#### **Incident Response**

• Continuously monitor models for performance drift, anomalous behavior, and signs of abuse or

attack.

• Develop AI-specific incident response playbooks.

## **INTEGRATED GOVERNANCE:** NAVIGATING THE PQC TRANSITION

#### **Discover & Assess**

- Crypto Inventory
- Risk Assessment & Prioritization
- PQC Algorithm Assessment



#### **Design & Pilot**

- Crypto-Agility by Design
- Pilot Projects
- Performance Testing





#### **Implement & Validate**

- Secure Implementation
- Validation & Testing

#### **Monitor & Maintain**

- Secure Update Mechanisms
- Monitor PQC Vulnerabilities

### YOUR FIRST STEPS TOWARDS AI & **QUANTUM RESILIENCE**

**Inventory & Assess** 

- Map devices in service beyond 2030 & their current cryptography.
- Trace all ML model versions & their training datasets.

- **Update Design Controls & SDLC**
- Mandate crypto-agility for all new designs.
- Incorporate AI robustness & security requirements.



- Require Software **Bill of Materials** (SBOM).
- Demand Model Bill of Materials (Model-BOM) for Al components.





#### **Educate & Plan**

 Initiate PQC transition planning, starting with high-risk, long-lifecycle devices.

• Train development and security teams on Al-specific threats

SECURING THE FUTURE: CORE PRINCIPLE

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**CONVERGING URGENCY** 



PARAMOUNT



**GOVERNANCE** 



**OBSOLETE** 

### **USER TRUST & SYSTEM RESILIENCE ARE**

### **PROACTIVE & INTEGRATED**

#### **ACTION IS NOW – ADAPT OR BECOME**

### FINAL THOUGHT

The future of secure products is not about predicting perfectly, but about building **the resilience to adapt effectively.** 

