Secure Your Operational Technologies with Government Funding

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What is Operational Technology?

- Industrial Control Systems (ICS) are connected to an IP based network.
- ICS are critical to our community and economy.



Oil and Gas



Water Treatment



Power Grids



Transportation



Traffic Control



Manufacturing
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Security Goals



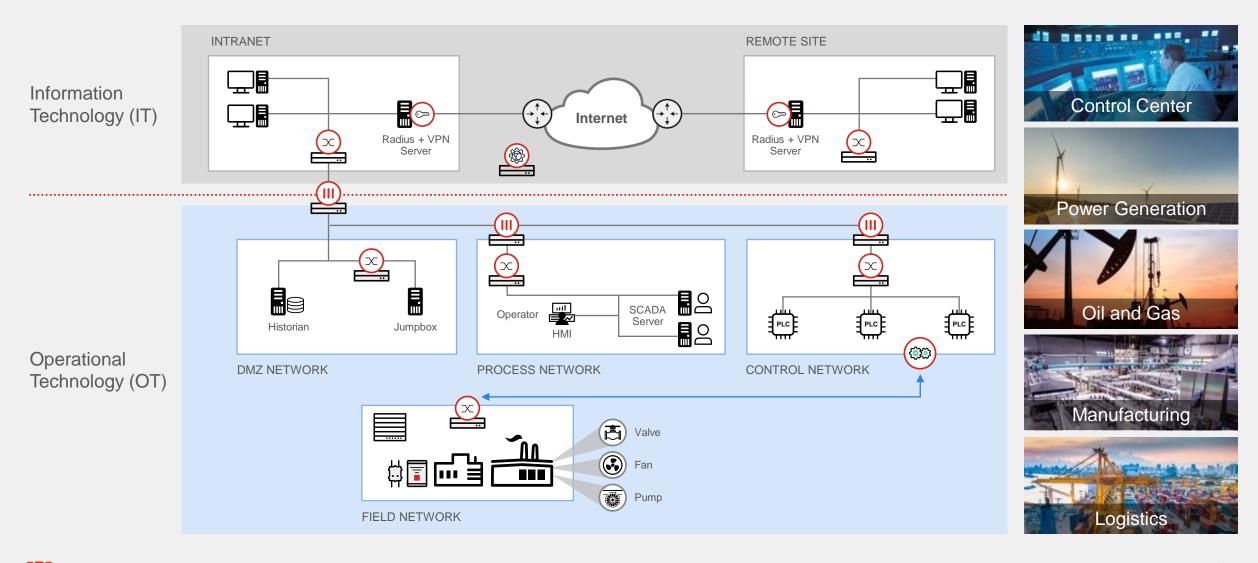


IT vs OT

Category	Information Technology Systems	Industrial Control Systems/OT
Performance Requirements	 Non-real time (eg. Email, File Servers) Server-Client response is less time critical Tightly restricted access control can be implemented to the degree necessary for security 	 Real-time (eg. Field Control Commands) Server-Client response is time critical (milliseconds) Access to ICS should be strictly controlled, but should not hamper or interfere with human-machine interaction
Availability (Reliability) Requirements	 Availability deficiencies can often be tolerated, depending on the system's operational requirements 	 High Availability requirements necessitates highly redundant systems
Risk Management Requirements	 Manage enterprise data Major risk impact is delay of business operations, financial loss, business reputation 	 Control physical world Major risk impacts are regulatory non-compliance, environmental impacts, loss of life, asset, or loss of production
Communications	Standard IT communications protocols	 Vendor proprietary and standard SCADA communication protocols
Managed Support	Allow for diversified support styles, supported internally or can be outsourced to one of many providers	 Service support is usually via a single vendor only
Component/Application Lifetime	Lifetime in the order of 3 to 5 years	 Lifetime in the order of 15 to 20 years
Major Vendors	Microsoft, IBM, Oracle, SAP	ABB, Schneider, GE, Siemens, Honeywell
Resources	1:1 ratio of staff to desktop PC	• ~1:1000 of staff to devices



What and where are IT and OT networks?





OT Industry Challenges and Trends



Challenge: Securing Operational Technology





Most industrial control systems lack security by design and are sensitive to change.



The attack surface for cyber-physical assets is expanding as a dependence on air-gap protection diminishes with Digital Transformation initiatives driving IT-OT network convergence.



Increasing adoption of new technologies, such as 5G, IoT, and Cloud.



Remote access requirements for third-parties and employees causing additional risks.



Asset owners' reliance on OEMs and SIs exposes critical systems to additional risks.



Asset owners must comply with industry-specific regulations



The Industry Agrees...



Long Lifespan

"The automation hardware in a process automation system is often capable of running 20 to 30 years."

Automation's Life Cycle Management of Processing Automation Control Systems, published April 2021



Incidents Underreported

"15% of survey respondents have experienced a security incident last year that crippled operational or mission-critical systems."

Gartner, Emerging Technologies: Critical Insights for Operational Technology Security published November 10, 2021



"OT environments that were traditionally separated are no longer completely isolated. They now have direct connections for business, OEMs and other third parties."

Gartner, Reduce Risk to Human Life by Implementing This OT Security Control Framework published 17 June 2021



Compromises in IT drive ICS/OT incidents

"Survey participants cite a compromise in IT allowing threats into the ICS/OT control networks as the highest-ranking threat vectors involved in control system incidents."

SANS 2022 Survey: OT/ICS Cybersecurity, published October 2022



Mixing legacy and modern tech

"Technical integration of legacy and aging OT technology with modern IT systems is the biggest challenge facing securing OT technology and process."

SANS 2022 Survey: OT/ICS Cybersecurity, published October 2022



Ransomware is the highest concern

"Ransomware, extortion, or other financially motivated crimes rank as number one threat vector of concern."

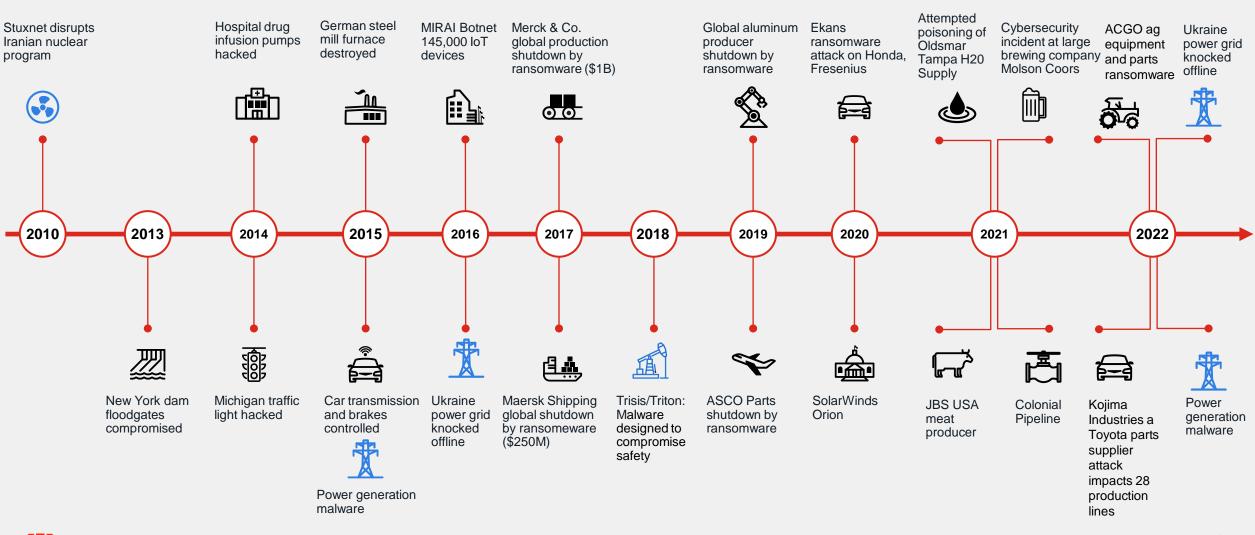
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OT Infrastructure Attacks Are Getting Worse

Attacks are increasing in frequency and impact



OT Risk Is Proportional to OT Connectivity

Yet inversely proportional to the integration of IT/OT security management



9 out of 10

OT organizations experienced at least one intrusion in the past year and **78%** had **3 or more intrusions**, which is up from the results in 2021.

Impact on organization 2019 2020 2021 2022 Loss of business critical data or IP Brand degradation Operational outage risking physical safety impacting revenue Compliance failure

Top-tier organizations are...

...likely to have centralized visibility, use **network access control** and have **security tracking and reporting** in place.

more likely to have their SOC monitor and track OT security.

Data is from Fortinet's

2022 State of Operational

Technology and

Cybersecurity Report



Source: Fortinet's 2022 State of Operational Technology and Cybersecurity Report



Best Practices to Secure OT

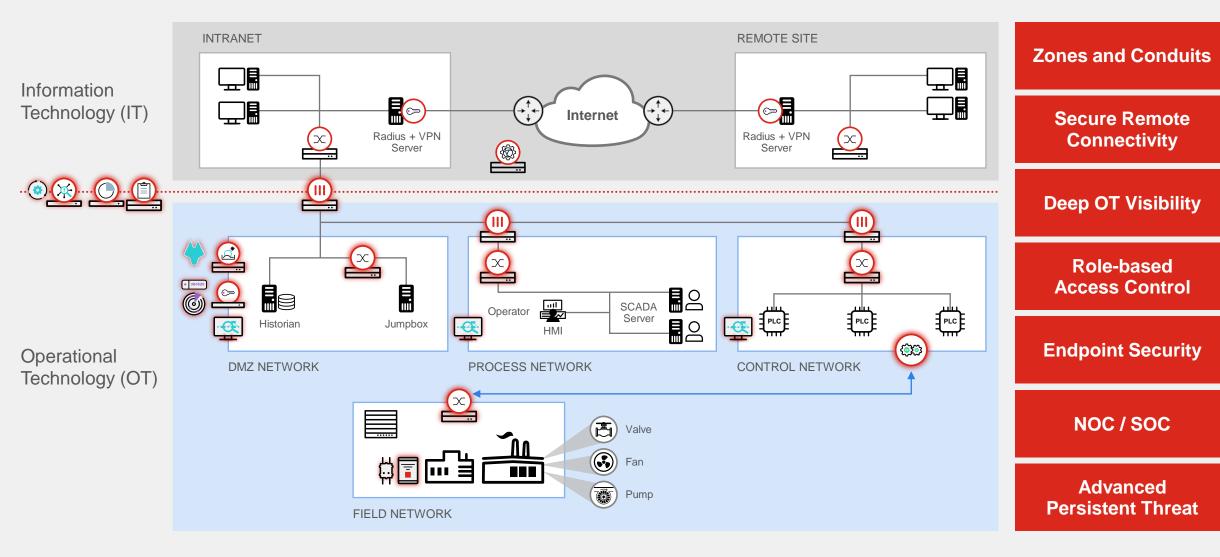


What controls are essential to secure OT environments?

Zones and Conduits	Segmentation protects OT from mistakes and bad actors.	Are your OT assets segmented from the IT side? How flat is your OT network in reality?
Secure Remote Connectivity	Enable secure access for employees and third-parties who connect to your OT environment.	Who requires access to your OT network? How do you enable that securely today?
Deep OT Visibility	You can't protect what you can't see.	How well do you understand what's in your industrial control system?
Role-based Access Control	Limit access to only those who need it.	Do you know who can access what in your OT environment? When was the last time you checked?
Endpoint Security	Apply endpoint security protection to the servers at and near the secure perimeter.	Do you have older servers in your OT environment that are no longer supported?
NOC / SOC	Synergistic benefits of managing everything in one place.	How much money could you save by managing the network security of your OT and IT in the same place?
Advanced Persistent Threat	Advanced Persistent Threats (APT) require advanced solutions.	Have you considered leveraging sandboxing, deception, or Al to up-level your OT security strategy?



Addressing Critical Controls Integrating OT and IT





How Fortinet's Products Address OT and IT-OT Convergence



Fortinet's Unique Value Proposition for OT Cyber Security



The Fortinet Security Fabric provides a unique converged IT/OT/IIoT cybersecurity framework for Plant Asset Owners

Helping Asset Owners:

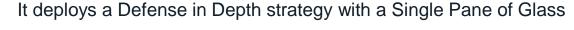
Reduce cybersecurity risks

Reduce the security burden on OT teams

Safeguard production uptime and safety standards

Comply with OT & IT regulations and best practices

Because:



The Security Fabric is aligned to OT standards & guidelines

Fortinet has experienced OT teams and dedicated solutions

Fortinet has the best Technology Alliance & Channel Partners



Fortinet Security Fabric

Broad

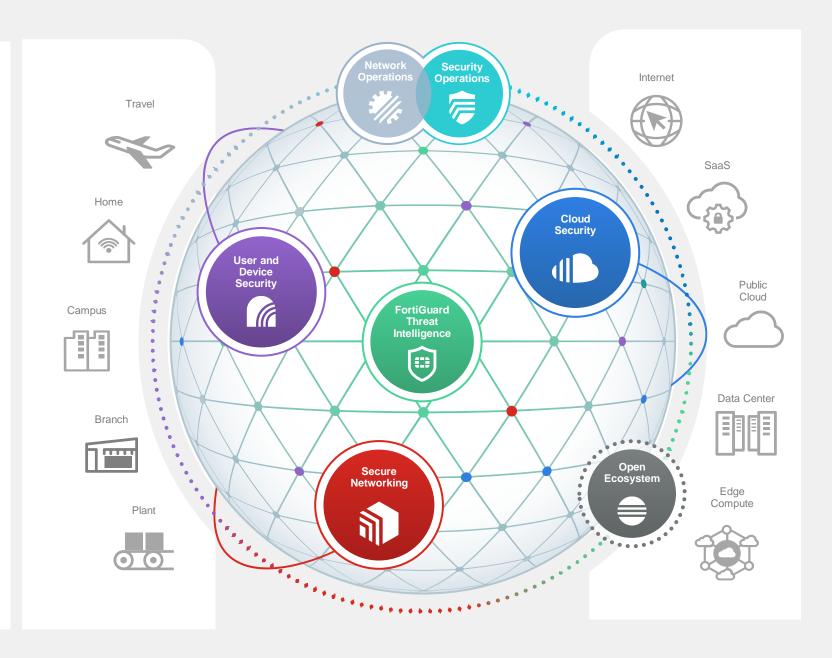
visibility and protection of the entire digital attack surface to better manage risk

Integrated

solution that reduces management complexity and shares threat intelligence

Automated

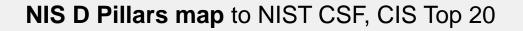
self-healing networks with Al-driven security for fast and efficient operations





Fortinet Security Fabric and Compliance

Single pane of glass, integrated across multiple products



Identify (& Visibility) Critical Assets and System























Management

Threat Intelligence

Segmentation, Protection & Response







Switch











Events, Alerts and Incident Detection





Analyzer Sandbox









Interoperability

Risk Management – Proactive Controls





Fortinet Solution Offering for ICS/OT

FortiGate and FortiSwitch Rugged with FortiAP Outdoor



Ruggedized Design

Fan-less and use of robust components ensure reliable operation in harsh industrial environments.



Consolidated Security Architecture

FortiGate running FortiOS consolidated security offers better protection and lower cost of ownership than multiple point products.















Ease of Management

Allows rapid provision and deployment, monitoring of device and threat status while providing actionable reports.

FortiGate Rugged Series



FGR-70F 3G/4G

SoC4-powered, security and VPN gateway with compact, fanless design and embedded 3G/4G/LTE



FGR-70F

SoC4-powered, security and VPN gateway with compact, fanless design



FGR-60F 3G/4G

SoC-4-powered, security and VPN gateway with embedded 3G/4G/LTE



FGR-60F

SoC4-powered, security and VPN gateway

FortiGate Features

- Security (IPS, FW, OT traffic monitor)
- Encryption (GRE, VXLAN, IPSEC)
- Connectivity (Proxy, VLANs, IPv6.)
- Advance features (SD-WAN)
- Central authentication (LDAP, RADIUS, etc.)
- DLP
- Wi-Fi
- Antivirus
- DNS Filter
- Web Filtering

- IPSEC VPN
- SSL VPN Client/Clientless
- SSL Inspection
- Packet capture triggered by IPS
- Virtual Domains (VDOM)
- Transparent or Proxy (Man in the middle)

FortiSwitch Rugged, FortiAP Outdoor Series



FSR-112D-POE and FSR-424F

Fan-less passive cooling with DINrail or wall-mountable. Power over Ethernet capable including PoE+. Redundant power input terminals. Mean time between failure greater than 25 years.



FortiAP Outdoor 234F

Internal Antennas IP67, Indoor/Outdoor Use PoE Powered Wall- and pole-mountable Wi-Fi Alliance Certified



FortiAP Outdoor 432F

External Antennas IP67, Indoor/Outdoor Use PoE Powered Wall- and pole-mountable Wi-Fi Alliance Certified



Operational Technology Ecosystem

Best-in-class integrated solutions for comprehensive protection



OT TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS

Visibility and Threat Intelligence



















Security Operations Management

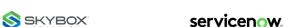




BACKBOX







Other







FORESCOUT

OWL





Industrial Control System Vendors



















Global System Integrators

















Other











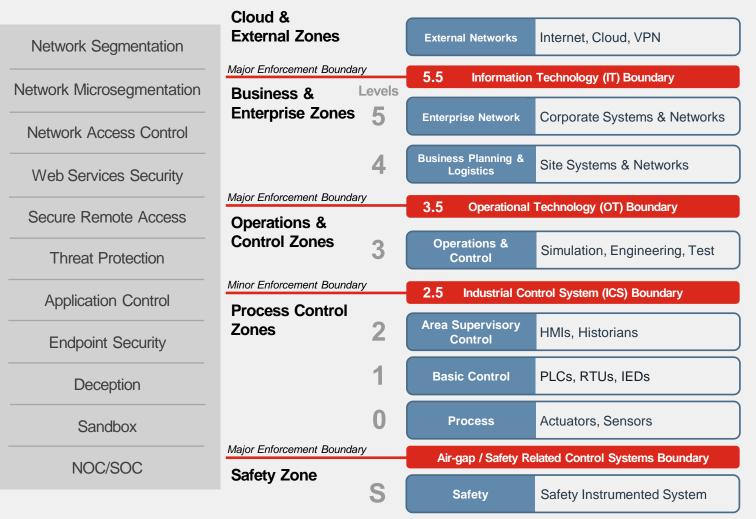
Note: Logos are a representative subset of the Security Fabric Ecosystem

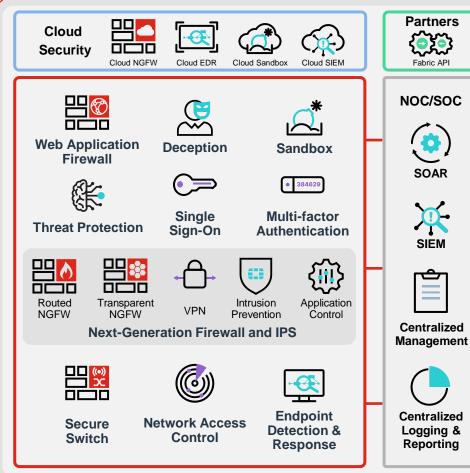


Securing Operational Technology

with the Fortinet Security Fabric







Boundary: Demilitarized Zone (DMZ), Security Conduit

Zones: Security Zones

IPS: Intrusion Prevention System

SIEM: Secura Firattinatom and Alt Verigina Reserved.

SOAR: Security Orchestration, Automation and Response



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SOAR

Funding to address Securing OT



State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (SLCGP)

Administered by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), grant funds will be used to improve the nation's cybersecurity posture and protect critical infrastructure from malware, ransomware, and other threats.

States may choose to subgrant funds directly to eligible local entities to purchase necessary cybersecurity solutions and other eligible expenses, or they may purchase cybersecurity solutions and other eligible expenses at the state level on behalf of all local governments.



Funding Amount

\$1 billion to 56 U. S. states and territories from FY22 through FY25.

Deadlines

States applied for FY22 funds last November. States will apply for the FY23 funds in mid-summer. Local deadlines will vary by state.

Eligibility

States, counties, municipalities, the District of Columbia, tribal governments, and five US territories are eligible.



Rural and Municipal Utility Advanced Cybersecurity Grant and Technical Assistance Program

Administered by the **Department of Energy** with assistance from the **Office of Cybersecurity, Energy Security, and Emergency Response**. Funding is available to provide grants and technical assistance to, and enter into cooperative agreements with, eligible entities to protect against, detect, respond to, and recover from cybersecurity threats.

Priority will be given to utility providers with limited resources or critical assets.



Funding Amount

\$250 million from 2023- 2026.

Deadlines

The initial application process is expected to open in 2023. The Request for Proposal (RFP) was due in December 2022.

Eligibility

Rural electric cooperatives, publicly-owned electric utilities, and small investor-owned utilities.



American Rescue Plan (ARP) Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds

Provides funds to units of government for uses related to COVID-19 response and mitigation, and to offset government revenue losses related to the public health emergency.

Per the Final Ruling from the Treasury released in January 2022, funds may be used for:

- The modernization of cybersecurity, including hardware, software, and the protection of critical infrastructure.
- To maintain vital government services.
- And finally, to address long-term investments such as water, sewer, and broadband infrastructure.



Funding Amount

\$350 billion across state and local governments.

Deadline

December 31, 2024.

Eligibility

States, counties, municipalities, the District of Columbia, tribal governments, and five US territories are eligible.



Homeland Security Grant Programs

Provides funding for the execution of the Prevention, Protection, Mitigation, Response, and Recovery mission areas and the realization of a secure and resilient Nation.

National priority areas include:

- Enhancing the protection of soft targets/crowded places
- Enhancing information and intelligence sharing and analysis
- Combating domestic violent extremism
- Enhancing cybersecurity
- Enhancing community preparedness and resilience
- Enhancing election security

Programs Include:

- State Homeland Security Program (SHSP)
- Tribal Homeland Security Program (THSGP)
- Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI)
- Operation Stonegarden Grant Program (OPSG)
- Nonprofit Security Grant Program (NSGP)
- Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP)
- Port Security Grant Program (PSGP)





Additional Funding Areas



K-12/Higher Ed

21st Century Community Learning Centers

Perkins CTE

Nonprofit Security Grant Program

CC: Campus Cyberinfrastructure

SCC: Strengthening Community
Colleges Training Grants

HEA: Higher Education Act Titles III and V Grant Programs



Transportation

SMART –Strengthening Mobility and Revolutionizing Transportation

ATTIMD- Advanced Transportation & Innovative Mobility Deployment

NEVI- National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Formula program



Criminal Justice

JAG- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice
Assistance Grant

VAWA- STOP Violence Against
Women Act

ICJR- Improving Criminal Justice Response

SPI- Smart Policing Initiative



Fortinet Grant Support Program

Fortinet and our partners are now offering a comprehensive grant support program. This FREE program provides public sector agencies with grant information, customized research, and consultation services that help develop project ideas, identify available grant funding for technology-rich projects, and even expand initiatives that are already in the works.



Evaluate Your Industrial Controls Network Risk with the Fortinet Cyber Threat Assessment Program

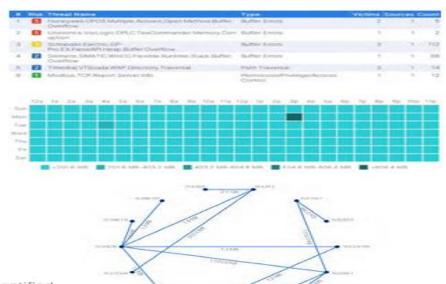


Gauge Current Security, Applications, and Utilization of your Operational Technology (OT) Network

As industrial environments increase connectivity with internet-based corporate networks and adopt Internet of Things (IoT) or industrial IoT (IIoT) technologies, security becomes a critical priority for operational technology (OT). Accurate detection of today's advanced threats and full visibility of the users, data, devices and applications used in OT is a must. If you are concerned about ensuring safe, available and secure operations while protecting the legacy and modern industrial equipment, an OT assessment is a recommended next step.

Validate your OT network's security effectiveness, application flows, and utilization by enlisting expert guidance. A Fortinet expert will use a FortiGate to monitor key indicators within your OT network. After several days of gathering information, you will receive an OT Assessment Report which is divided into three primary sections:

- Security and Threat Prevention How effective is your current network security solution? Learn more about application vulnerabilities are attacking your network, which malware/botnets were detected and even pinpoint "at risk" devices within your network. Make sure your existing security solution isn't letting anything slip through the cracks by leveraging FortiGuard Labs' award-winning content security.
- OT/IT Application Usage What steps are you taking to monitor traffic flows in your network? Improve your visibility to traffic and most used applications within your OT environment. Monitor traffic patterns to identify network anomalies whether accessing on-site or via remote access.
- Network Utilization and Performance How should your network security solution be optimized for performance? Find out more about your throughput, session and bandwidth requirements during peak hours. Ensure your security solution is sized and optimized properly based on your actual usage.



Obtaining an OT Assessment Report will give you a critical and quantified view into your current industrial security posture. Find out if you qualify



Fortinet's Specialized OT Solutions and Teams

Specialized Offerings





FortiSwitch Rugged

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FortiAP IP-rated

Industrial-grade firewalls, switches and APs

Most deployed IT/OT next-gen firewall worldwide

OT-specific SIEM, EDR, Sandbox, and Deception capabilities

Specialized Threat Information



DPI for 70+ OT protocols

Up to payload level visibility and control

Vulnerability shielding for OT assets

More IPS signatures than any other cybersecurity vendor

Specialized Talent



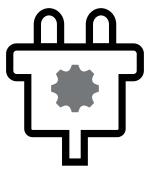
Industry validated and referenced solutions

Experienced OT professionals

Specialized OT integrators

1000+ professional services engineers

Specialized **Ecosystem**



Extensive solution integration platform

500+ Security Fabric ecosystem integrations

Out-of-the-box integrations with leading OT security solutions



Fortinet Is a Leader in the IT/OT Security Platform Navigator 2022

Broad, Integrated and Automated Security Fabric enables secure digital acceleration for asset owners and original equipment manufacturers

IT/OT Security Platform Navigator 2022 IT / OT Security Platform Navigator WESTLANDS ADVISORY Oragos OPSWAT Fortinet Cisco Primarily NGFW & Zero Trust Primarily Vulnerability Management & Threat Detection



