

Defending System z - Session 16986

The Image Controls Environment (ICE) an Update

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Abstract and Speaker



- The Image Control Environment (ICE) is a System z Software Utility that reinforces and extends the continuum of security and control provided by IBM's RACF, CA-ACF2 and CA-Top Secret over z/OS and z/UNIX resources - datasets, members, files - and MVS/RACF operator commands.

- In this presentation, the following recent enhancements to ICE will be described:

Break-Glass – Easily implements secondary password access controls over critical System z configuration datasets, files and commands, “raising the access bar” to vital production resources.

TCE/OPER – An alternative to the conventional MVS Consoles, enforcing command access rights, fully documenting command usage and aiding productivity via Command Specific Wizards.

CMDLog – A repository of defined MVS and/or RACF operator command events that is used to create an auditable “Real-Time History” of dynamic System z updates/changes.

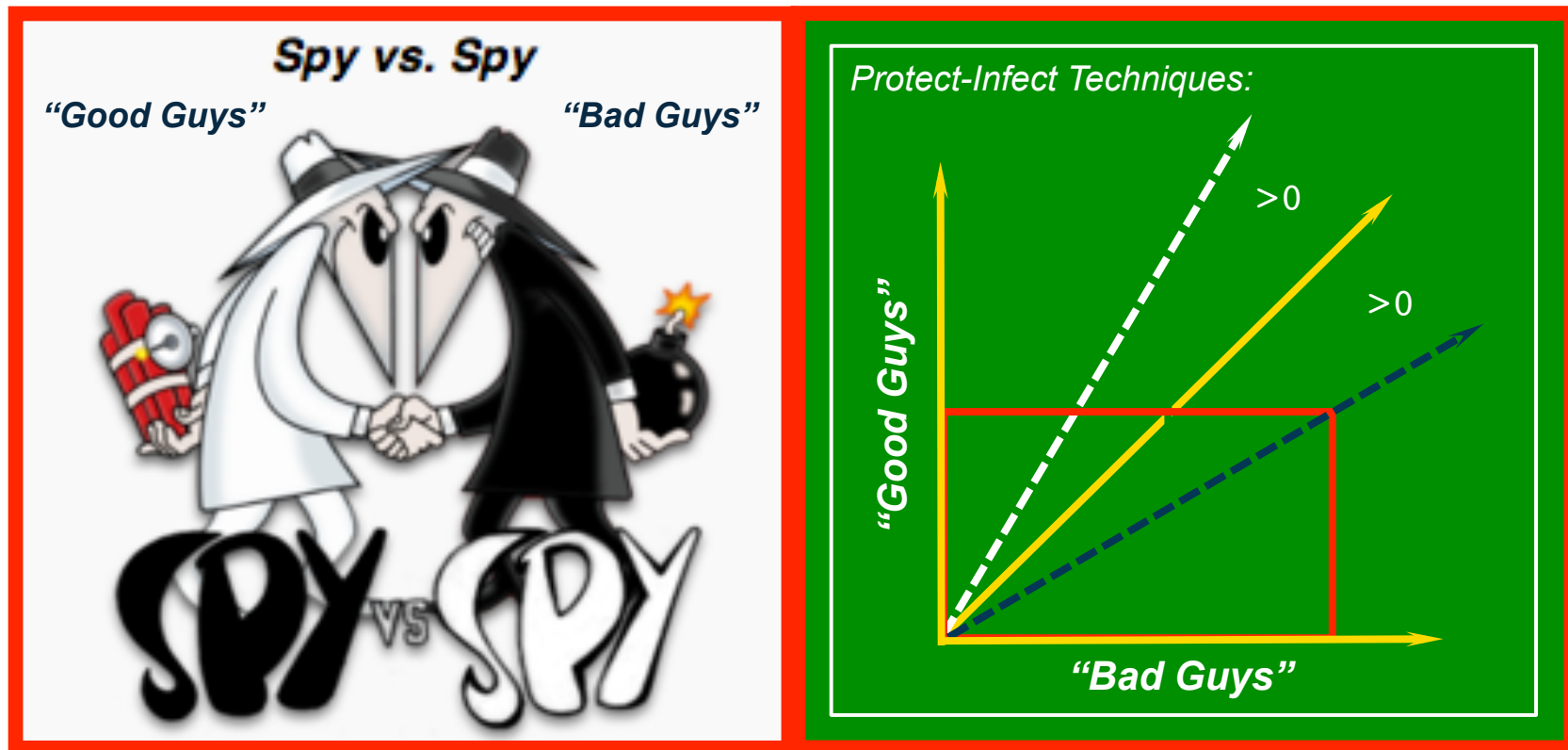
RACF/SETR - “The one Check to Rule them All” operates totally under the control of the IBM Health Checker for z/OS reporting deviations in SETROPTS settings from conformed rules.

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Secure is when “Bad Guys” have a Negligible Advantage!



The Goal is to Reduce an Adversary’s Advantage to “Zero”!

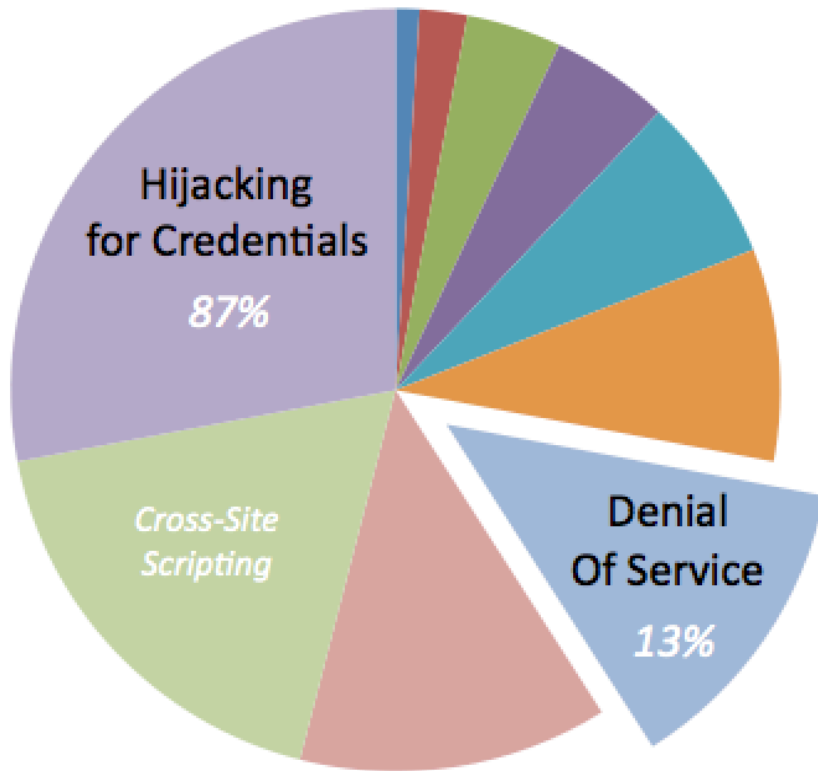
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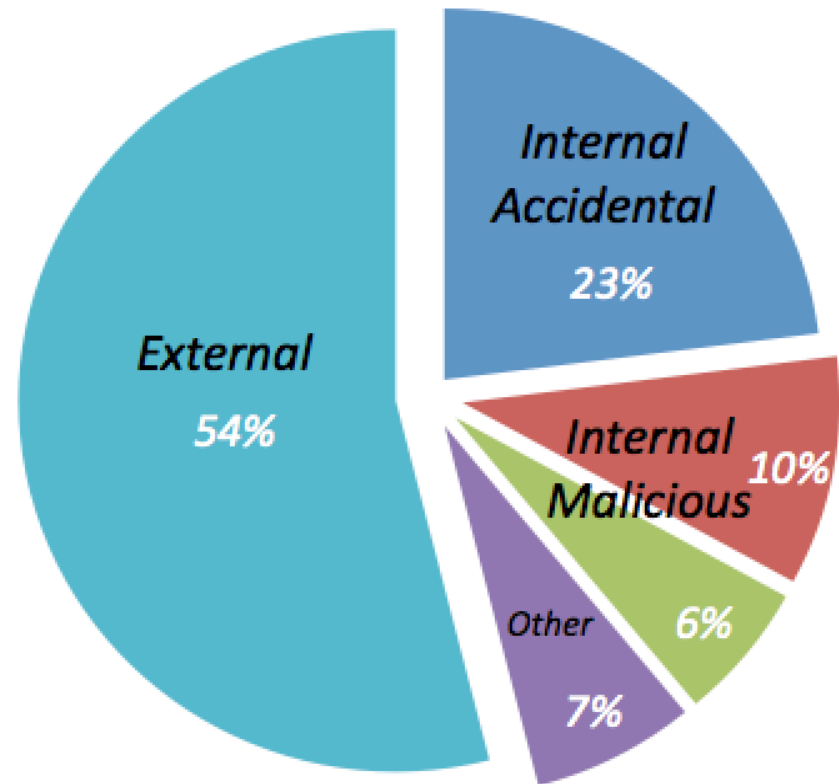
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The “Bad Guys” will use every “Trick in the Book”!



From the Outside



From the Inside

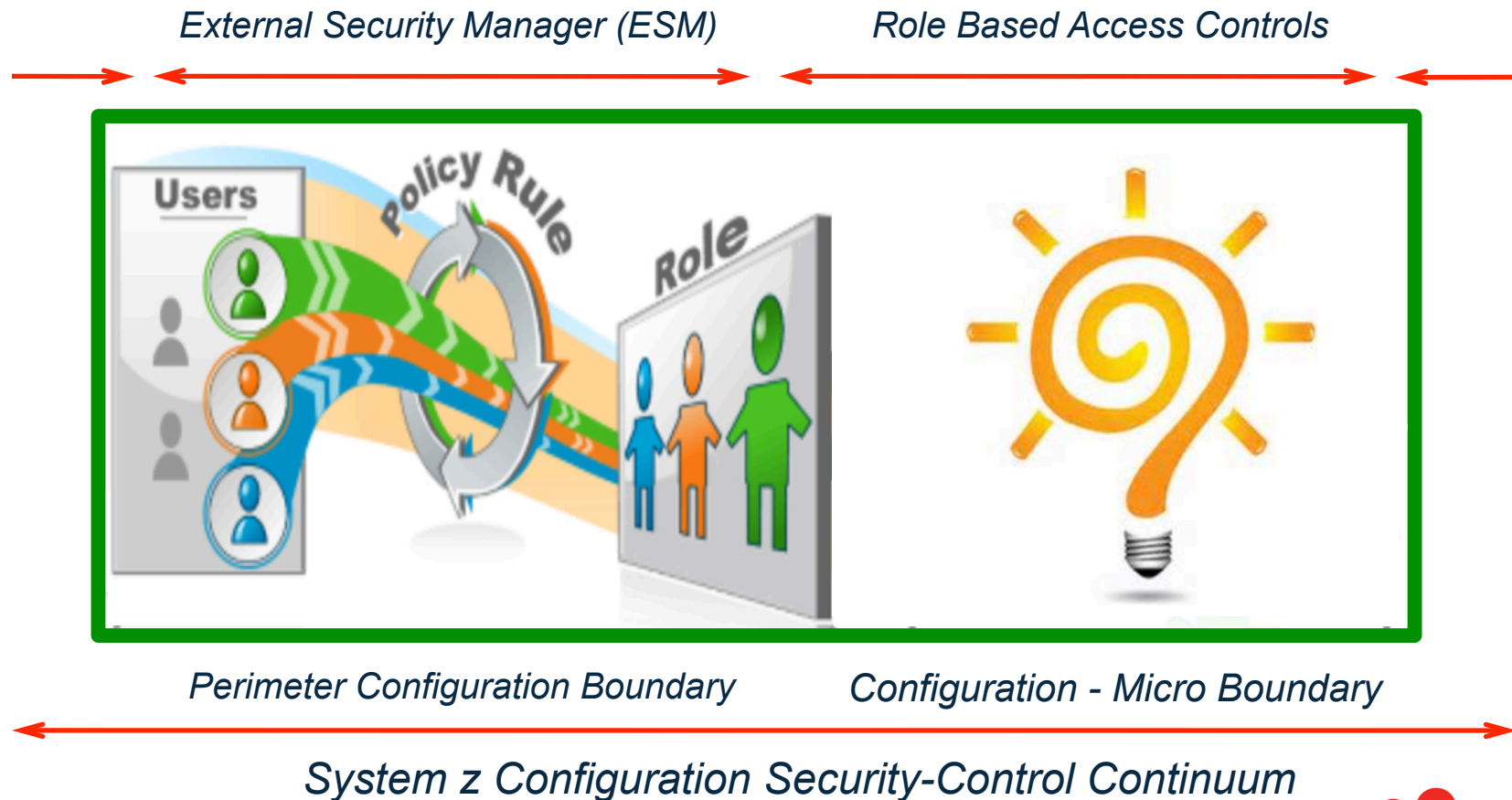
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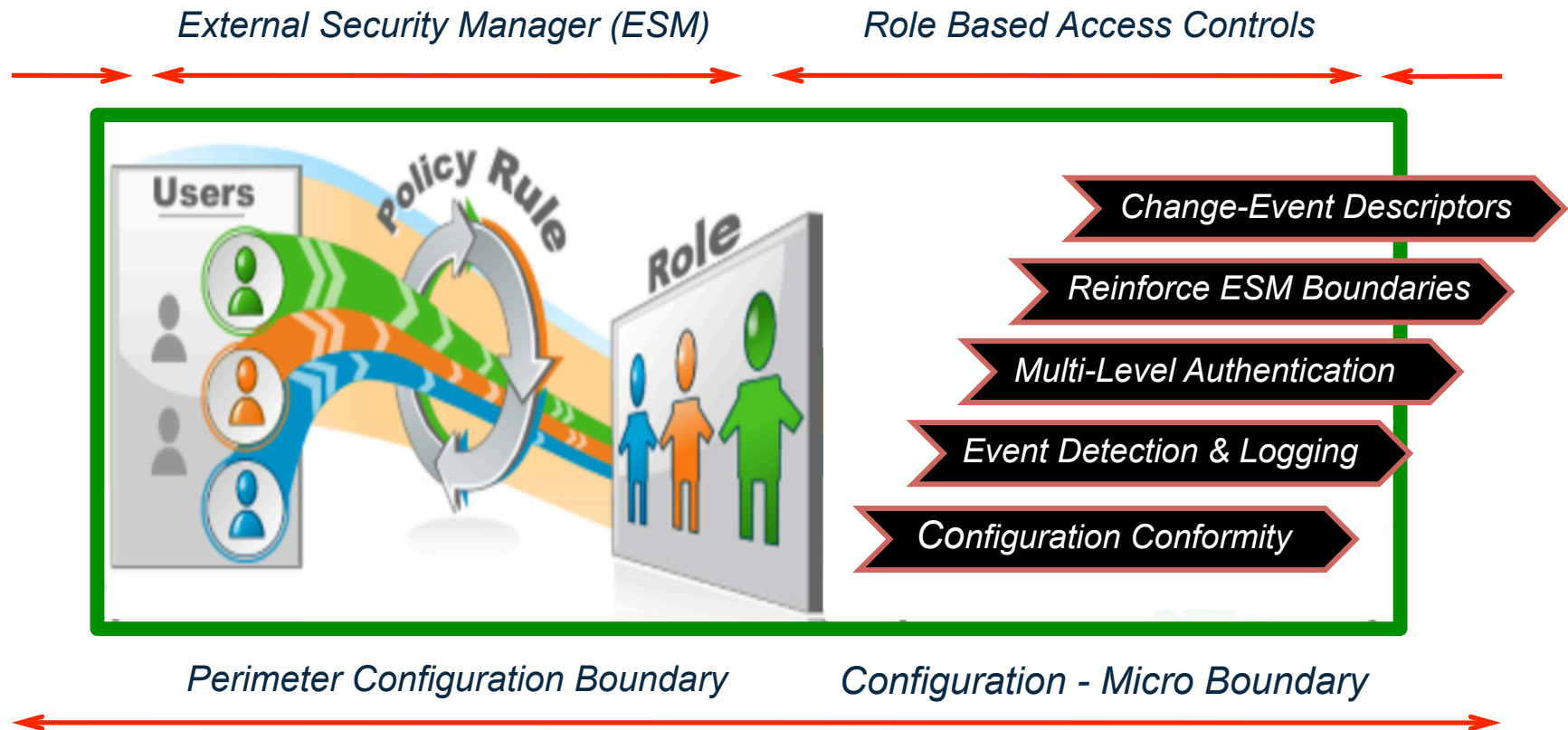
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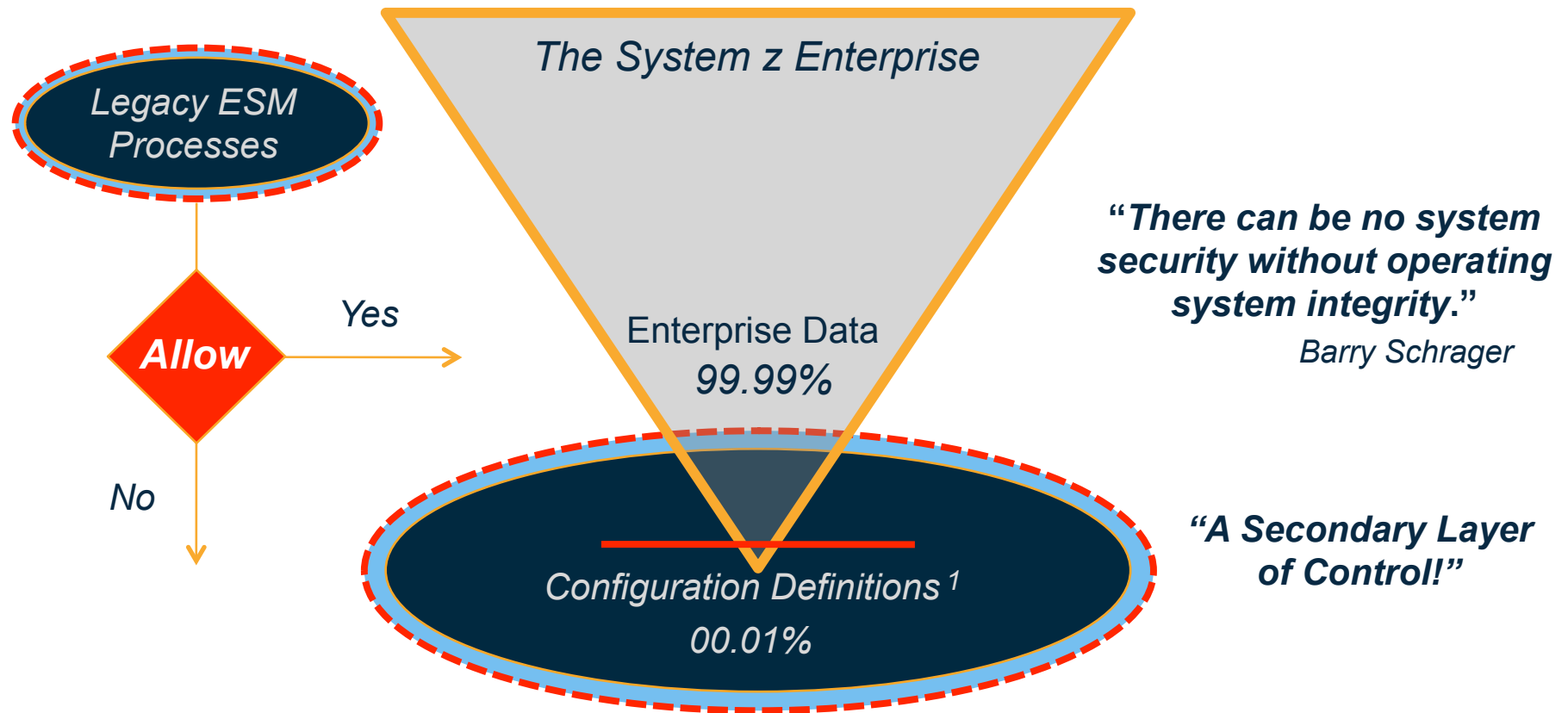


System z Configuration Security-Control Continuum

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ESM and TCE working Together to Extend the Continuum!



¹BCP, UNIX, JES, VTAM, TCP/IP, CICS, SMF, ESM, JCL, PARMs & PROCs

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The Image Control Environment (ICE) - An Application Framework

The Control Editor:

Configuration Integrity

IMAGE Focus:

Sysplex-Wide IPL Integrity

ICE Shared/Common Services

Inspection

Detection

Cmd Logging

Journaling

Health Checks

Boundaries

Notification

Background

Descriptors

Authentication

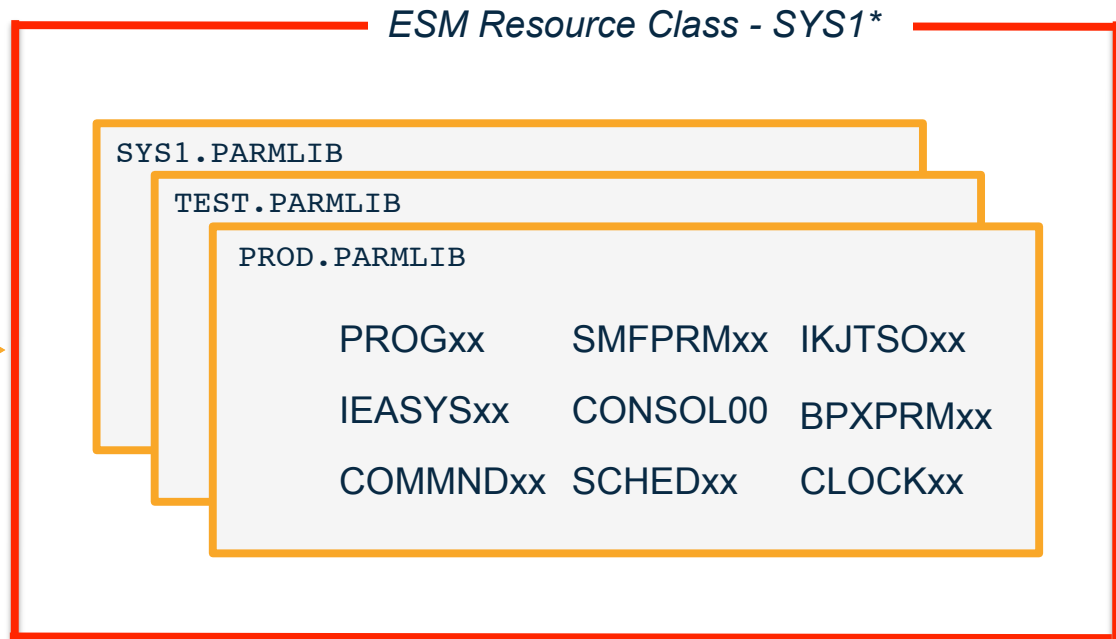
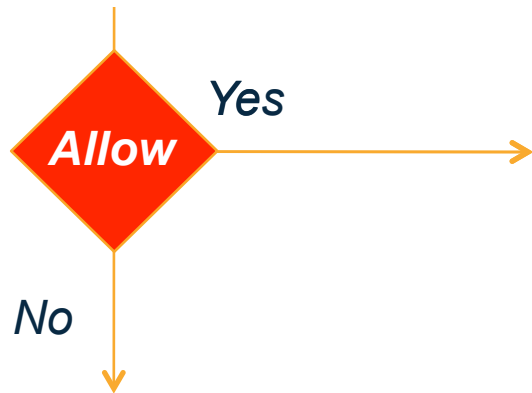
EMCS Interface

ESM Interface

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Legacy ESM Processes



System Support Teams:

- z/OS
- UNIX
- VTAM
- NETWORK
- CICS
- Others

Supported Sysplex/Images:

- LPAR-A
- LPAR-B
- LPAR-C
- LPAR-D
- LPAR-E
- LPAR-x



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System z Configuration - Sysplex-Wide - Event Logging

✓ Define Matching TCE Boundaries!

“...The Control Editor is configured using a set of TSO/ISPF Administration Dialogs. The resulting “Control Cards” are stored in members of the ICE Parmlib Dataset.

✓ Listening for Controlled Events!

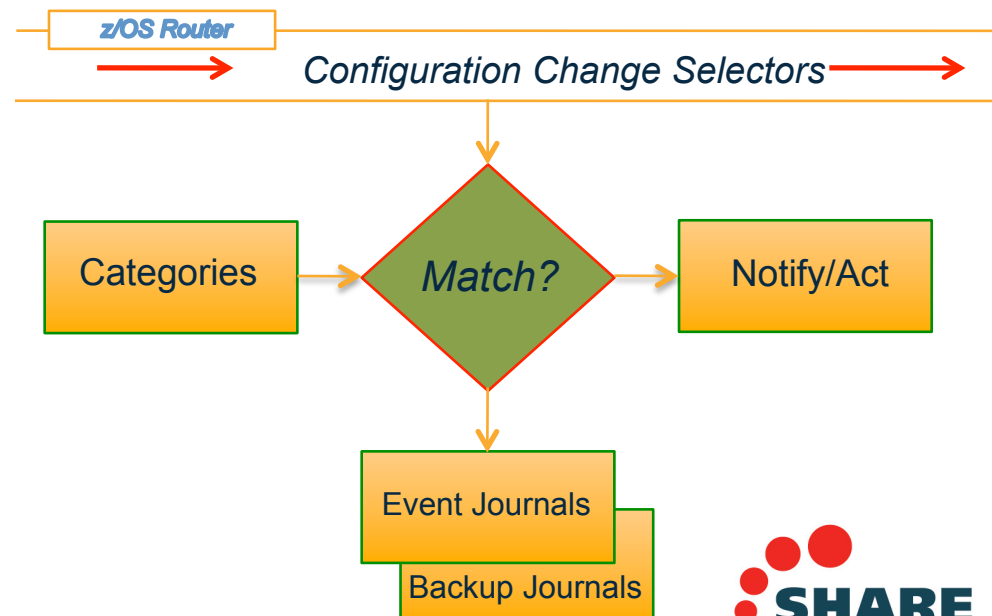
“...One way to envision The Control Editor is to think of it as an “Event Listener” on a subsystem interface that allows it to “Hear” all “Events”, recording only those that match a predetermined event profile (Control List) and optionally logging all defined events when forensic system analysis is required. These processes require no z/OS modifications, “Hooks” or “Exits” and are totally within the z/OS Administrators control.”

HLQ.ICE.Parmlib

NSEPRMxx
NSEJRNxx
NSECTLxx
NSESELxx
NSEENSxx

NSECTLxx Control Cards

CATEGORY IPLDATA.CONTROL
DSN SYS1.PARMLIB
DSN TEST.PARMLIB
DSN PROD.PARMLIB
CATEGORY .END

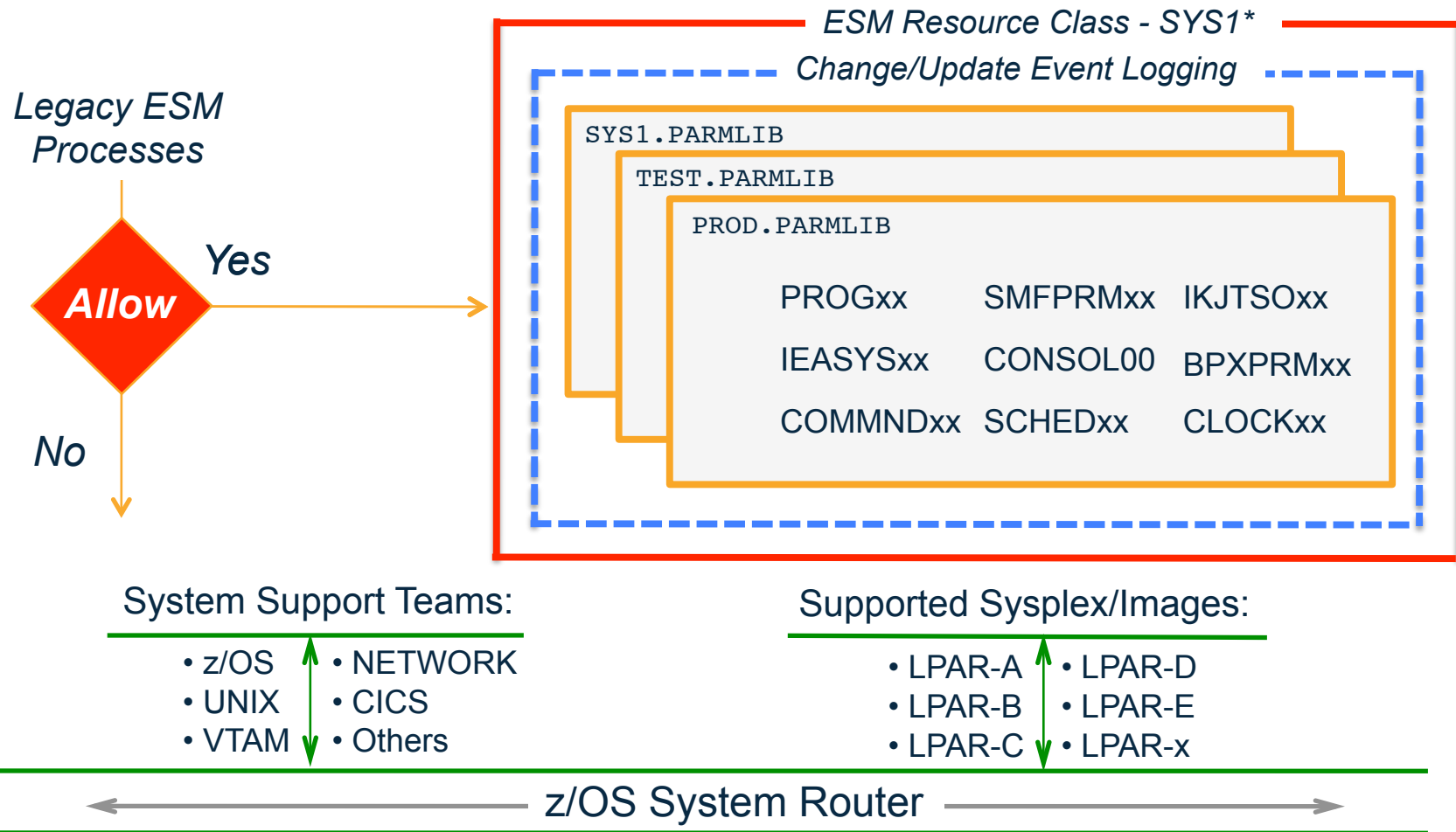


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TCE can Detect Configuration Edits, z/OS & ESM Operator Commands and z/OS System Message Events.



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System z Configuration - Multi-Level Authentication

✓ Secondary Access Passwords!

“...Access to IPL Configuration Datasets for update is clearly the exception and not the rule in most shops. TCE supports “Break Glass” Policy 24X7 and/or by Date/Time.



Passwords are never shown in the clear!

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Three Access Prompt Control Scenarios:

1 - Prompt for Password 24X7 - DENY

```
CATEGORY IPLDATA  
PROMPT DNY(SDXZD:123NNNM%7) ←  
DSN SYS1.PARMLIB  
DSN TEST.PARMLIB  
DSN PROD.PARMLIB  
CATEGORY .END
```

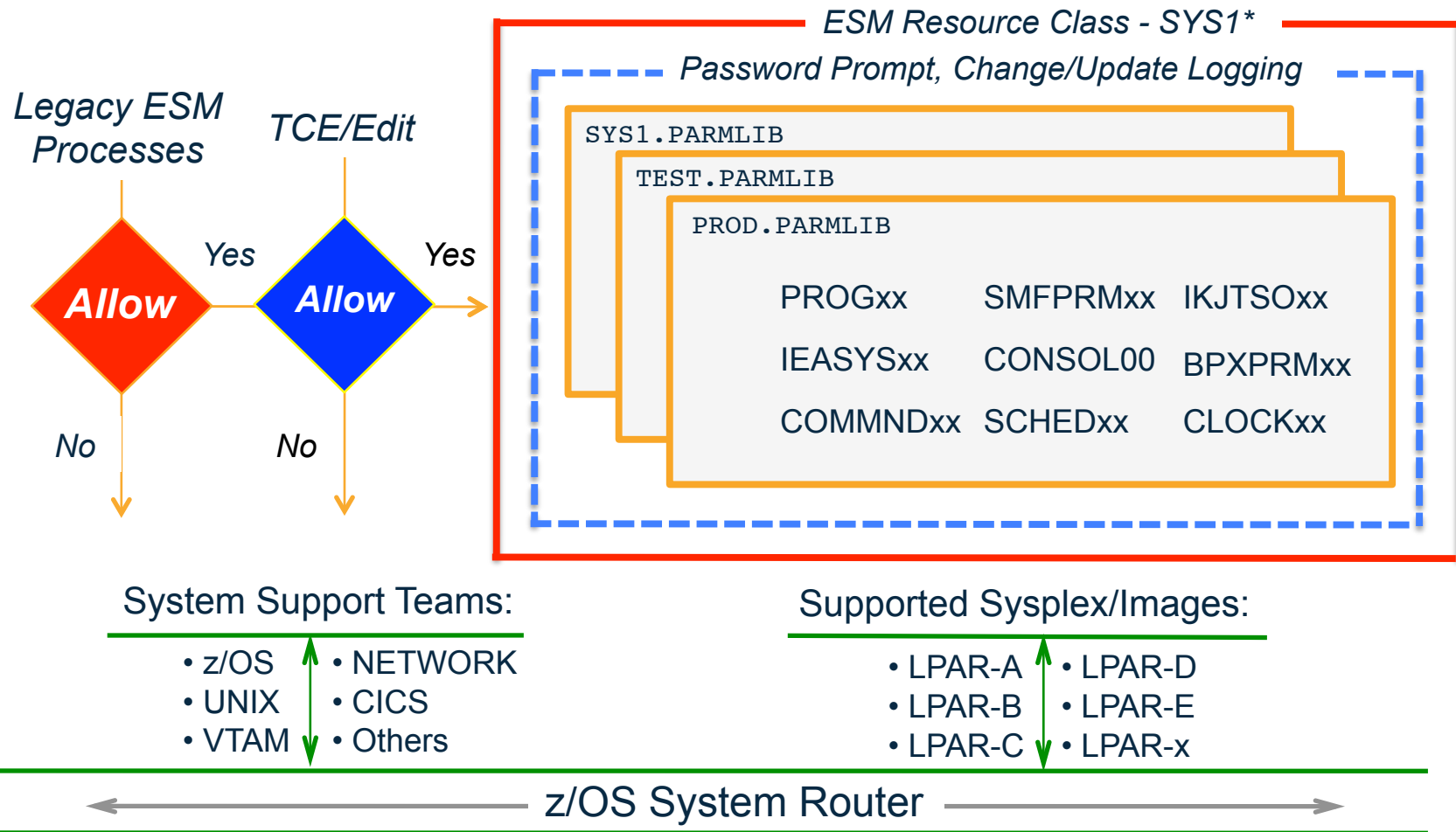
2 - Prompt from 1400 to 0800 Daily - WARN

```
CATEGORY IPLDATA  
PROMPT STM(1400) WRN(XZDSD:KLDGGIODF)  
DSN SYS1.PARMLIB  
DSN TEST.PARMLIB  
DSN PROD.PARMLIB  
CATEGORY .END
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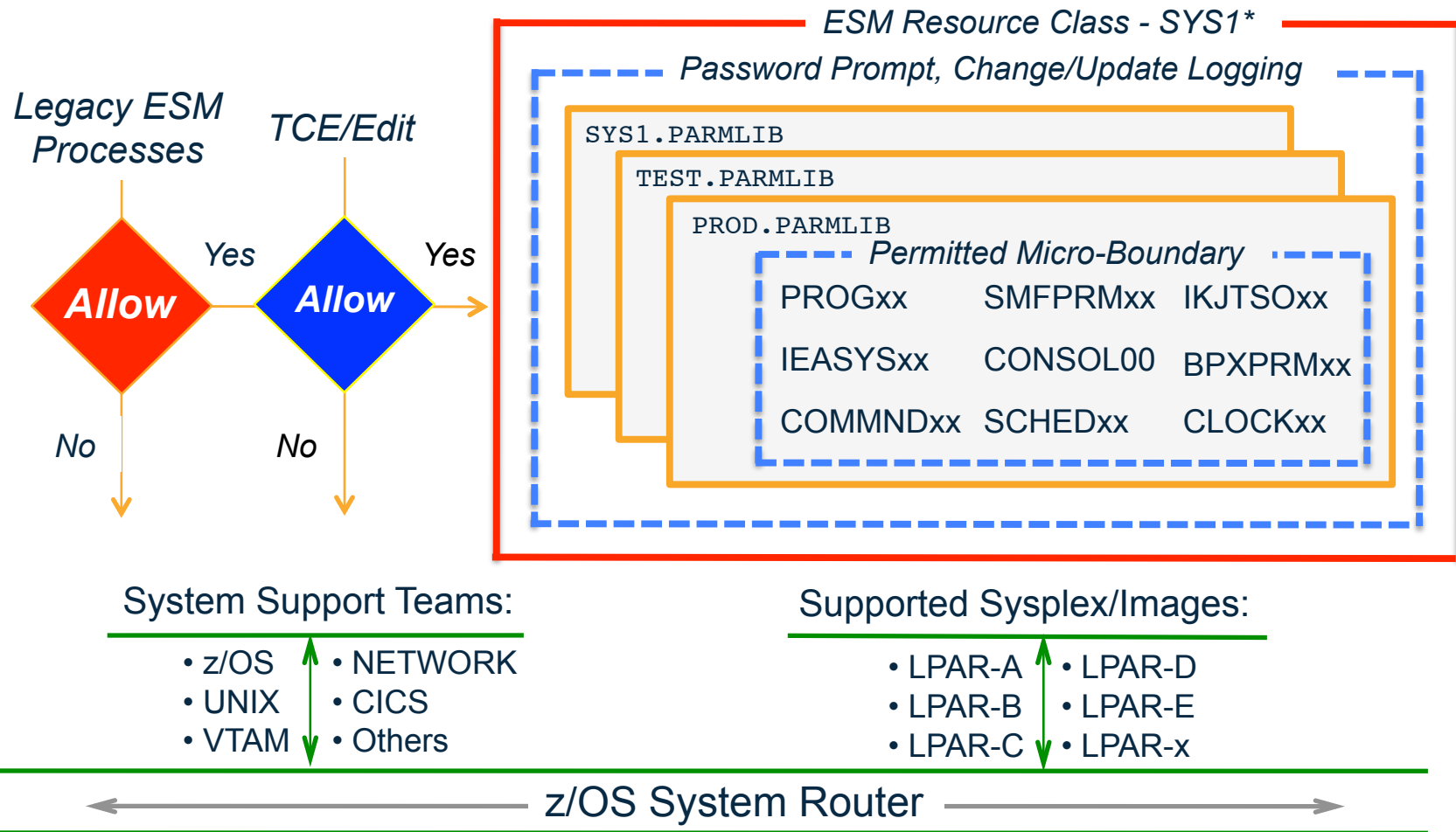
3 - Prompt Beginning 14/09/01 then 24X7 - NONE

```
CATEGORY IPLDATA  
PROMPT SDT(140901) NOP(CBOFX$BTTXPS!520)  
DSN SYS1.PARMLIB  
DSN TEST.PARMLIB  
DSN PROD.PARMLIB  
CATEGORY .END
```

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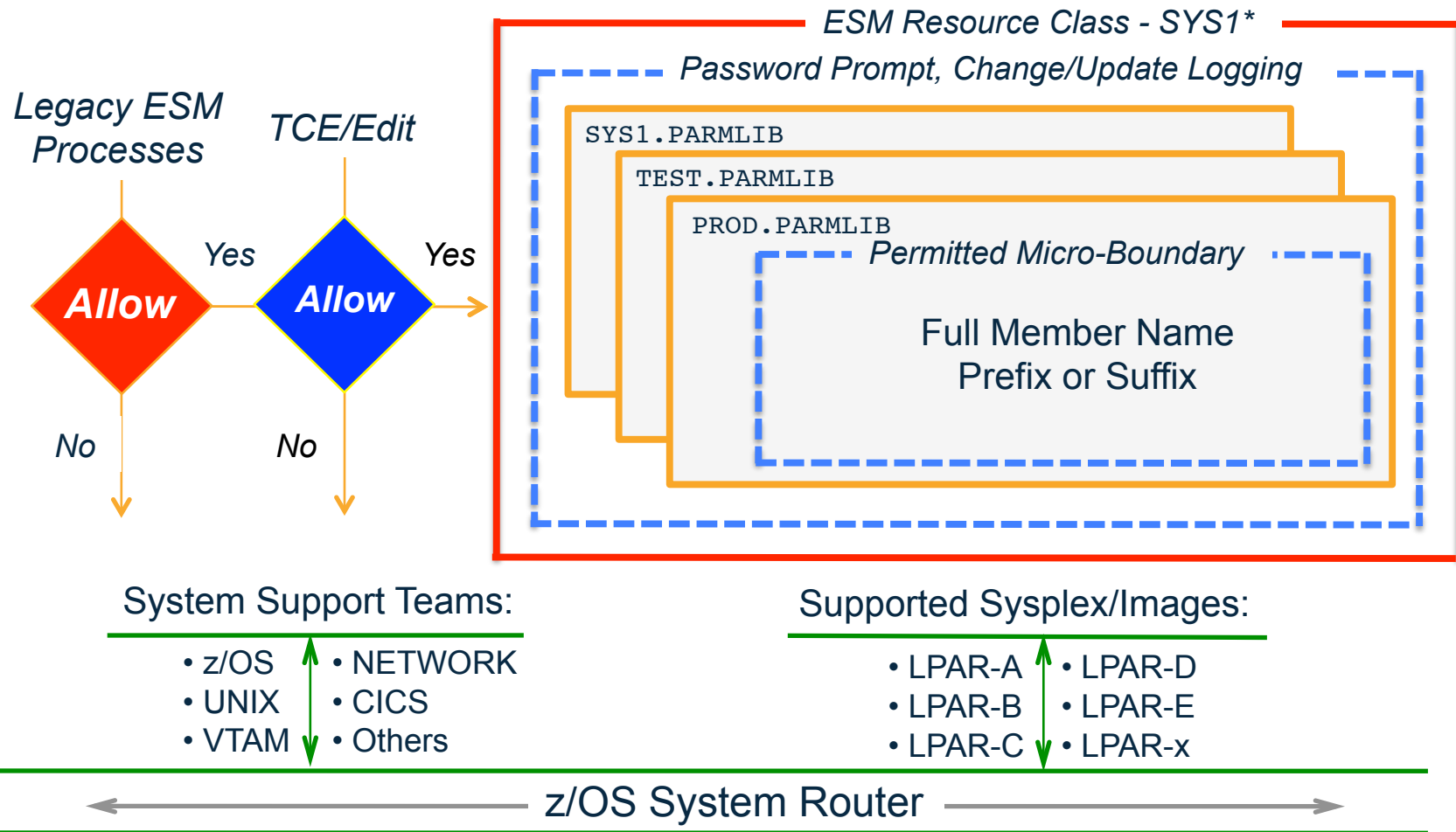
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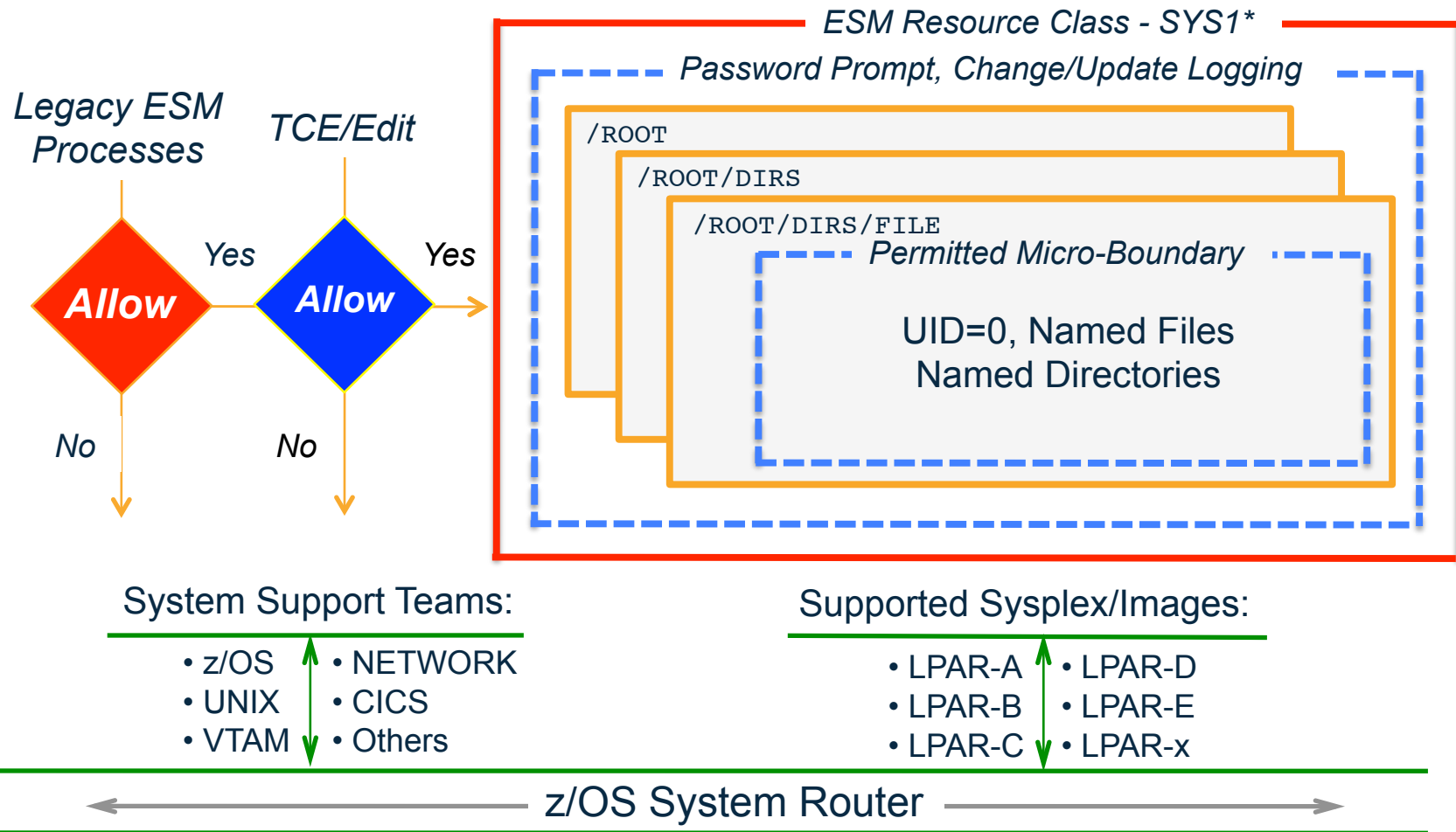
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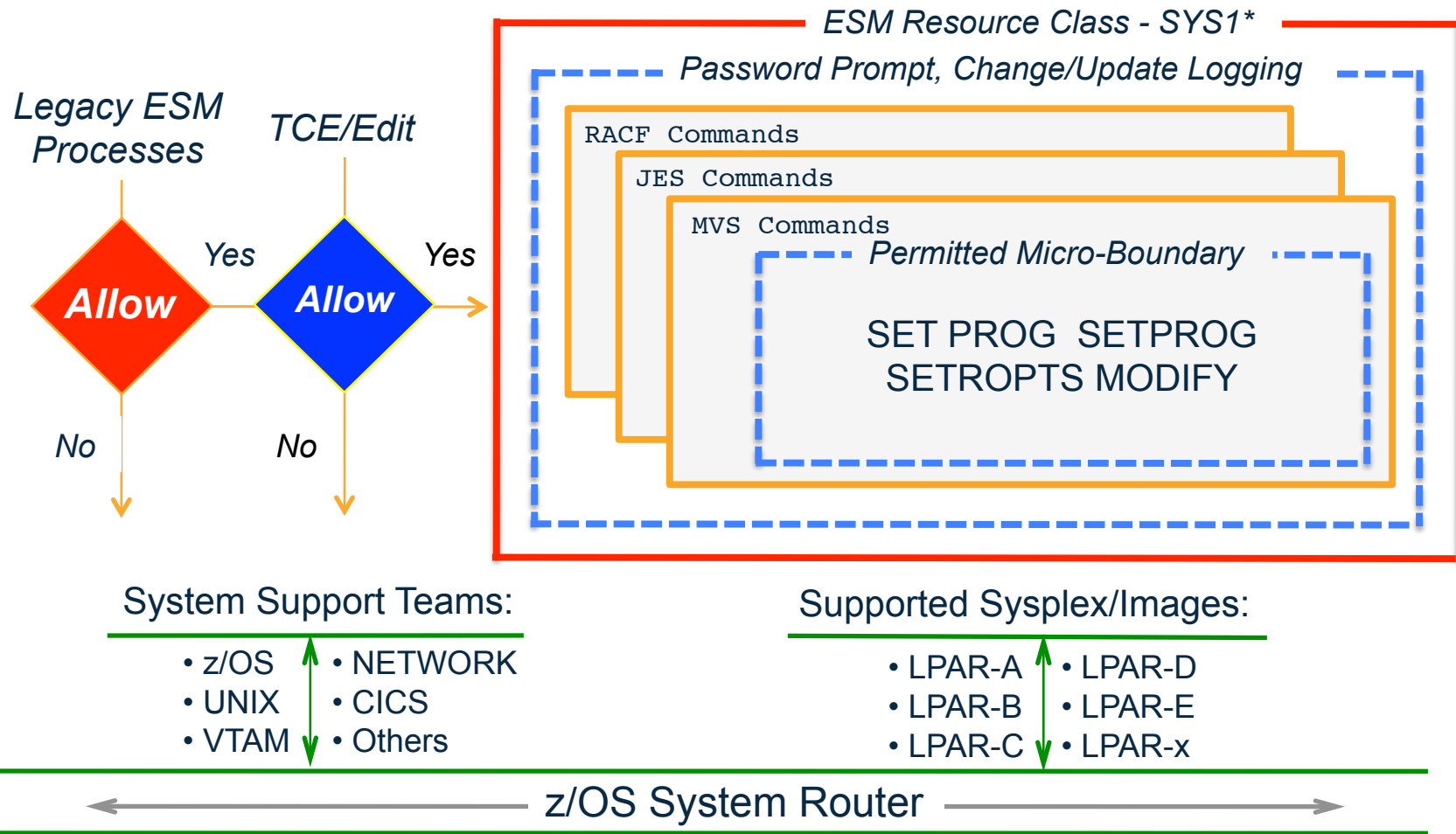
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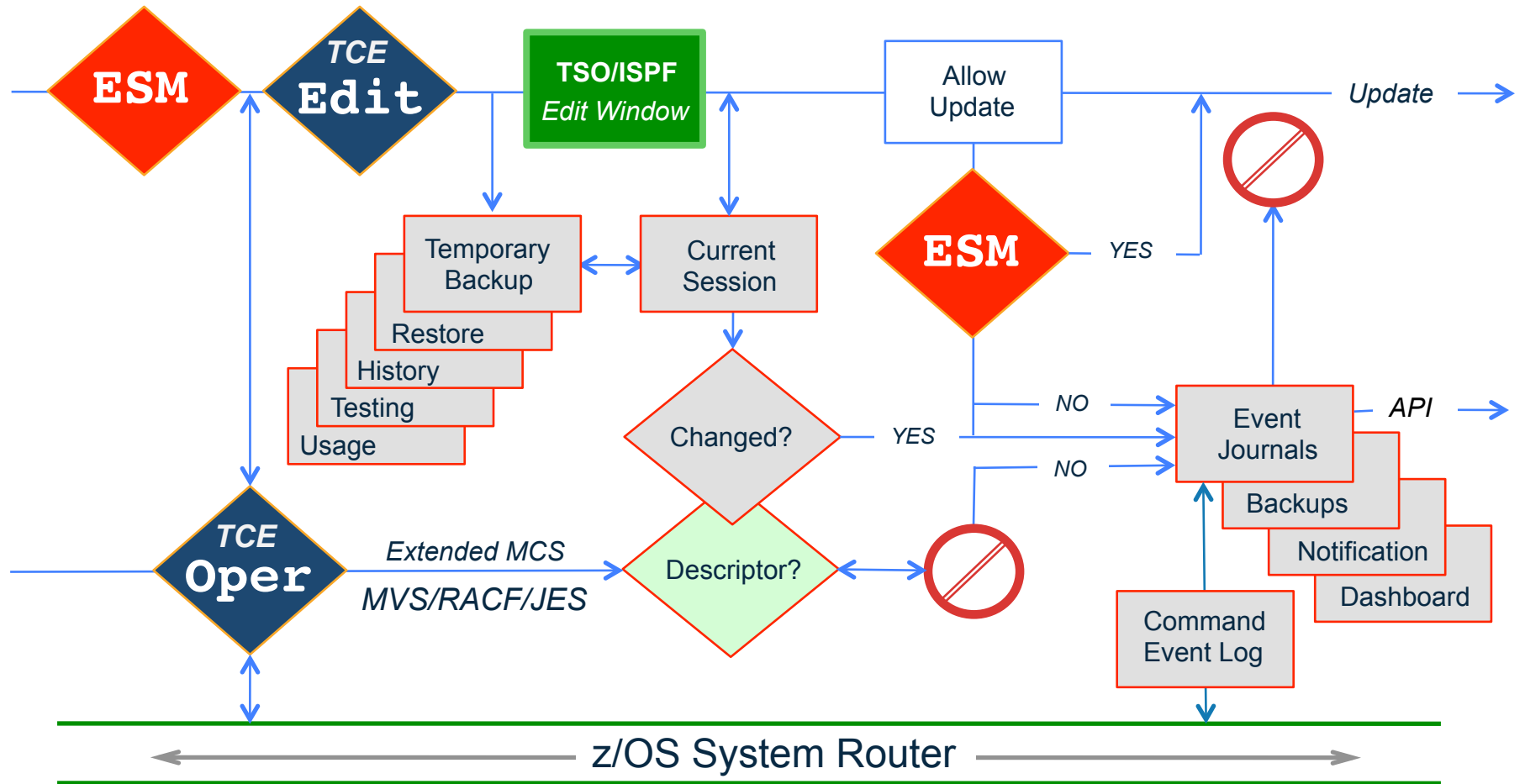
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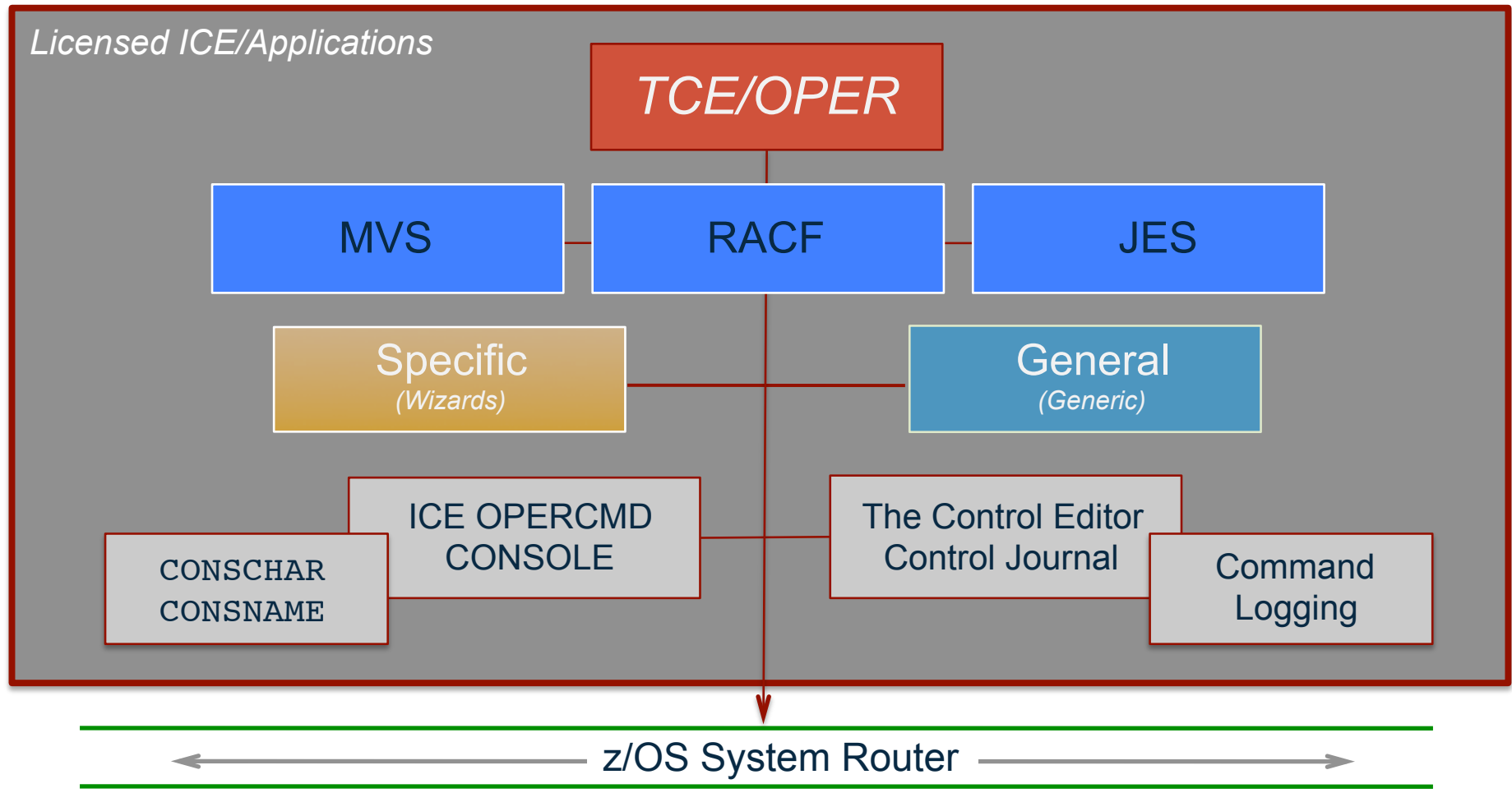


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TCE 12.0 - Activated MVS Operator Command - PROBI1

<> All MVS Operator Command are Activated

-----Use '/' to Activate MVS Operator Commands-----

| Cm | --Name-- | Cm | --Name-- | Cm | --Name-- | Cm | --Name-- | Cm | --Name-- | Cm | --Name-- |
|----|----------|----|----------|----|----------|----|----------|----|----------|----|----------|
| /. | ACTIVATE | .. | CANCEL | .. | CHNGDUMP | .. | CMDS | .. | CONFIG | .. | CONTROL |
| .. | DEVSEVR | /. | DISPLAY | .. | DUMP | .. | DUMPDS | .. | FORCE | .. | HALT |
| .. | IOACTION | .. | LIBRARY | /. | LOG | .. | LOGOFF | .. | LOGON | .. | MODE |
| .. | MODIFY | .. | MONITOR | .. | MOUNT | .. | PAGEADD | .. | PAGEDEL | .. | QUIESCE |
| .. | REPLY | .. | ASSIST | .. | ROUTE | .. | SWAP | /. | SET | .. | SLIP |
| .. | START | .. | STOP | .. | STOPMN | .. | SWAP | .. | SWITCH | .. | TRACE |
| .. | UNLOAD | | | | | | | | | | |

*Each Command
Must be Activated*

*Each User
Must be Permitted*

```
TCE 12.0 - Accessing SETROPTS Command Set
          ---Password--- -
Enter Password > _ +
Next Select > .. Yes > Then Press Enter
```

TCE 12.0 - Permitted SET Commands - PROBI1

<> You are Permitted to use Activated SET parm Commands

-----Use '/' to Permit User Access to SET parm Commands-----

| Cm --Name-- | Cm --Name-- | Cm --Name-- | Cm --Name-- | Cm --Name-- | Cm --Name-- |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| .. APPC | .. ASCH | .. AUTOR | .. CEE | .. CLOCK | .. CNGRP |
| .. CON | .. DAE | .. DATE | .. DEVSUP | .. DIAG | .. EXS |
| .. GRSRNL | .. GTZ | /. IKJTSO | .. IOS | .. IXGCNF | .. MMS |
| .. MPF | .. MSGFLD | /. OMVS | .. OPT | .. PFK | .. PROD |
| /. PROG | .. RESET | .. SCH | .. SLIP | .. SMF | .. SMS |
| .. TIMEZONE | .. UNI | .. | .. | .. | .. |

TCE 12.0 - FastPath New LNKLST and Dataset

New LNKLST Name: PROBI1150551529

Copying From: PROBI1150481751

-----Full Qualified Dataset Name--- + --- Volume

Position Dataset > .. Above > **S**. Below > or .. After This

Dataset: ACTIVE_LNKLST

Optionally Select Either > .. Check > .. No Check

To Finish Select > . Yes > Then Press Return

--NSIMPRX 0126--

-LNKList Datasets-

----- 35 Datasets - Name:PROBI1150481751 - System:ADCD113 - LNKAAuth:LNKLST -----

Row Selection: Select_Dataset_and_Return

--- To Sort select a Sub-Head, To Query enter above Sub-Head, PFK1 for Help ---

- Line -----LNKLST Dataset Concatenation-----

| S | Numb | -----Active LNK Datasets----- | APF | X | Cat | Type | Volume | SMSVol | Count |
|---|------|-------------------------------|-----|---|-----|------|--------|--------|-------|
| | 0001 | SYS1.LINKLIB | APF | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES1 | ----- | 04075 |
| | 0002 | SYS1.MIGLIB | APF | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES1 | ----- | 01975 |
| | 0003 | SYS1.CSSLIB | APF | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES1 | ----- | 01032 |
| | 0004 | SYS1.SIEALNKE | APF | 1 | YES | PLIB | SMS | ZDRES1 | 00133 |
| | 0005 | SYS1.SIEAMIGE | APF | 1 | YES | PLIB | SMS | ZDRES1 | 00007 |
| | 0006 | SYS1.SHASLNKE | APF | 1 | YES | PLIB | SMS | ZDRES1 | 00052 |
| | 0007 | SYS1.SERBLINK | APF | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES1 | ----- | 00197 |
| | 0008 | ISF.SISFLOAD | --- | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES2 | ----- | 00062 |
| | 0009 | ISF.SISFLINK | --- | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES2 | ----- | 00006 |
| | 0010 | ISF.SISFMOD1 | --- | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES2 | ----- | 00006 |
| | 0011 | SYS1.SHASMIG | APF | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES1 | ----- | 00236 |
| | 0012 | SYS1.SCBDHENU | --- | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES1 | ----- | 02872 |
| | 0013 | CSF.SCSFMOD0 | APF | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES2 | ----- | 00569 |
| | 0014 | EOY.SEOYLOAD | --- | 1 | YES | PDS | ZDRES2 | ----- | 00012 |

TCE 12.0 - Update Description - LNKLST,UNDEFINE

```
-- -----Command Structure----- Userid - PROBI1
01 SETPROG LNKLST,UNDEFINE,NAME=LNKLST00 Time - 16:58
02 _____ Sysplex - ADCDPL
03 _____ System - ADCD113
04 _____ ApplId - TEST
05 _____ ICE 12.0 - TCE 12.0
06 _____ Patch Level R8
07 _____
```

```
08 COMMAND ISSUED:
   SETPROG LNKLST,DEFINE,NAME=PROBI1150141552
   COPYFROM=LNKLST00
```

```
-- -----
01 SYSTEM ADCD113 REPLY:
02 CSV500I LNKLST SET PROBI1150141552 HAS BEEN DEFINED.
03 _____
04 _____
05 _____
06 _____
07 _____
08 _____
```

.. Update History .. Stage Update .. Issue Command .. Abort Process₂₃

Option ==> _____

ADDCREATOR | NOADDCREATOR
ADSP | NOADSP
APPLAUDIT | NOAPPLAUDIT
AT | ONLYAT([node].userid)
AUDIT | NOAUDIT (class-name)
CATDSNS (FAIL | WARN) | NOCAT
CLASSACT | NOCLASSACT} (class-name)
CMDVIOL | NOCMDVIOL
COMPATMODE | NOCOMPATMODE
EGN | NOEGN
ERASE(ALL|SECLEVEL | NOSECLEVEL | NOERASE
GENCMD | NOGENCMD (class-name)
GENERIC | NOGENERIC (class-name)
GENERICOWNER | NOGENERICOWNER
GENLIST | NOGENLIST (class-name)
GLOBAL | NOGLOBAL (class-name)
GRPLIST | NOGRPLIST
INACTIVE(UNUSED-USERID-INTERVAL) | NOINACTIVE
INITSTATS | NOINITSTATS
BATCHALLRACF | NOBATCHALLRACF
EARLYVERIFY | NOEARLYVERIFY
XBMAILRACF | NOXBMAILRACF
NJEUSERID (userid)
UNDEFINEDUSER(userid)
KERBL(0|1)
LANGUAGE(PRIMARY | SECONDARY)
LOGOPTIONS(ALWAYS(class-name)
LOGOPTIONS(NEVER(class-name)
LOGOPTIONS(SUCCESSSES(class-name)
LOGOPTIONS(FAILURES(class-name)
LOGOPTIONS(DEFAULT({class-name)
MLACTIVE [(FAILURES | WARNING)] | NOMLACTIVE]
MLFSOBJ (ACTIVE | INACTIVE)
MLIPCOBJ (ACTIVE | INACTIVE)

MLNAMES | NOMLNAMES
MLQUIET | NOMLQUIET
MLS [(FAILURES | WARNING)] | NOMLS
MLSTABLE | NOMLSTABLE
MODEL(GDG | NOGDG)
MODEL(GROUP | NOGROUP)
MODEL(USER | NOUSER)
NOMODEL
OPERAUDIT | NOOPERAUDIT
PASSWORD(HISTORY(number) | NOHISTORY))
PASSWORD(INTERVAL(maximum))
PASSWORD(MINIMUM(minimum))
PASSWORD(MIXEDCASE | NOMIXEDCASE))
PASSWORD(REQUEST(attempts) | NOREVOKE))
PASSWORD(RULELENGTH(m1:m2) content(position))
PASSWORD(RULEn)
PASSWORD(NORULES)
PASSWORD(WARNING(days before) | NOWARNING))
PREFIX(prefix) | NOPREFIX
PROTECTALL [(FAILURES | WARNING)] | NOPROTECTALL
RACLIST | NORACLIST} (class-name)
REALDSN | NOREALDSN
RETPD(minnn)
RVARYPW([SWITCH(switch-pw)] [STATUS(status-pw)]
SAUDIT | NOSAUDIT
SECLABELAUDIT | NOSECLABELAUDIT
SECLABELCONTROL | NOSECLABELCONTROL
SECLBYSYSTEM | NOSECLBYSYSTEM]
SECLEVELAUDIT (security-level) | NOSECLEVELAUDIT
SESSIONINTERVAL(n) | NOSESSIONINTERVAL
STATISTICS | NOSTATISTICS} ({class-name)
TAPEDSN | NOTAPEDSN
TERMINAL(NONE | READ)
WHEN | NOWHEN} (PROGRAM)

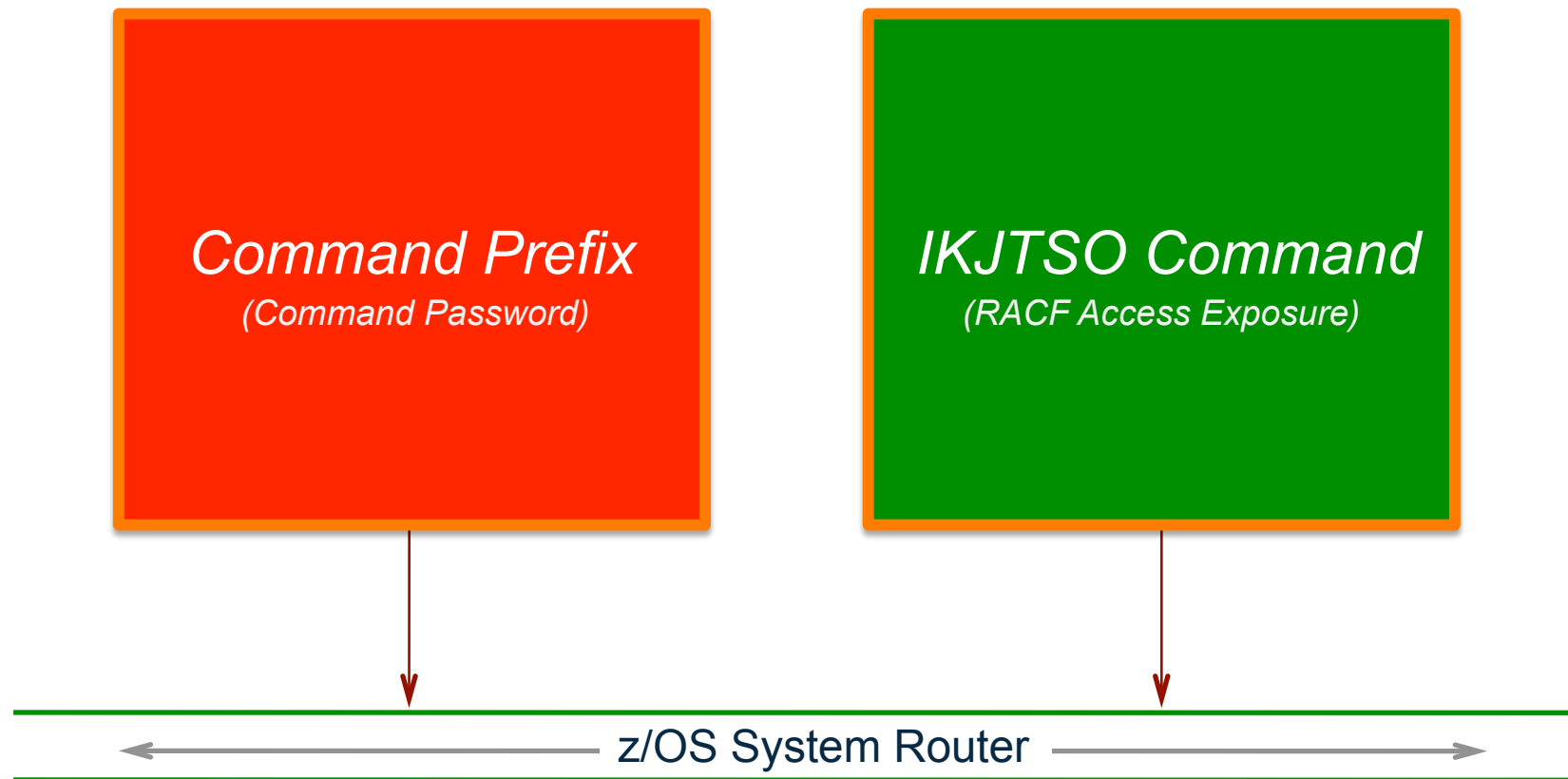
“Taming SETROPTS”

SETROPTS commands dynamically set system-wide RACF Security Control Options.

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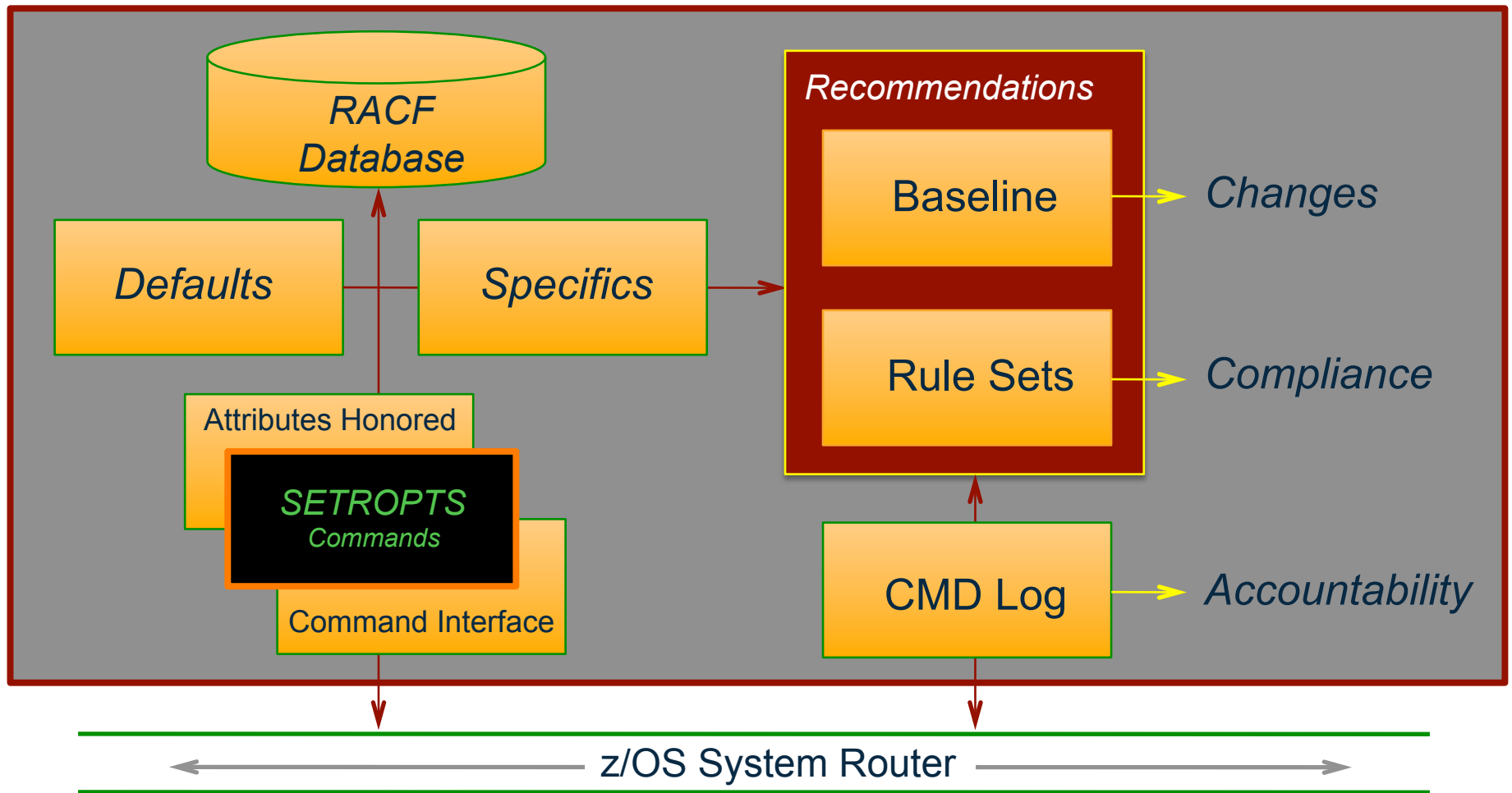


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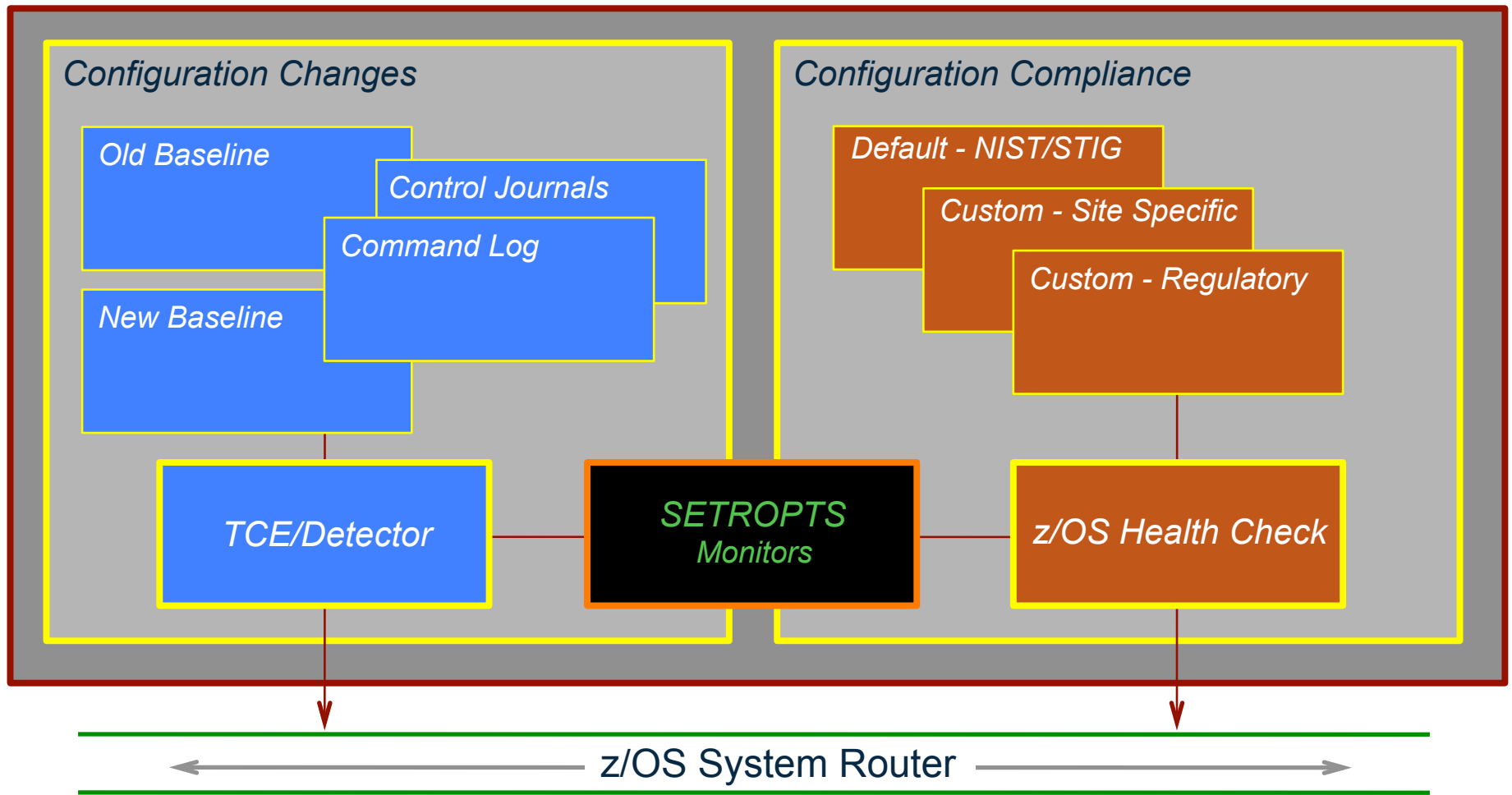


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Recommendations based on: Risk Management Framework (RMF) for DoD IT - NIST z/OS RACF STIG v6r21

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One Health Check to Rule them All!

```
SETROPTS HEALTH CHECK SUMMARY - TOTAL INSPECTION POINTS=867
```

```
- ---Configuration Control--- ALL ERR NOT
```

```
- -----
```

```
E OPTION_CLASSIFICATION      238  43 180
```

```
E RACF SYSTEM ATTRIBUTES      6    2   0
```

```
E DATASET PROCESSING         14    3   0
```

```
E GENERAL RACF CONTROL       24    3   0
```

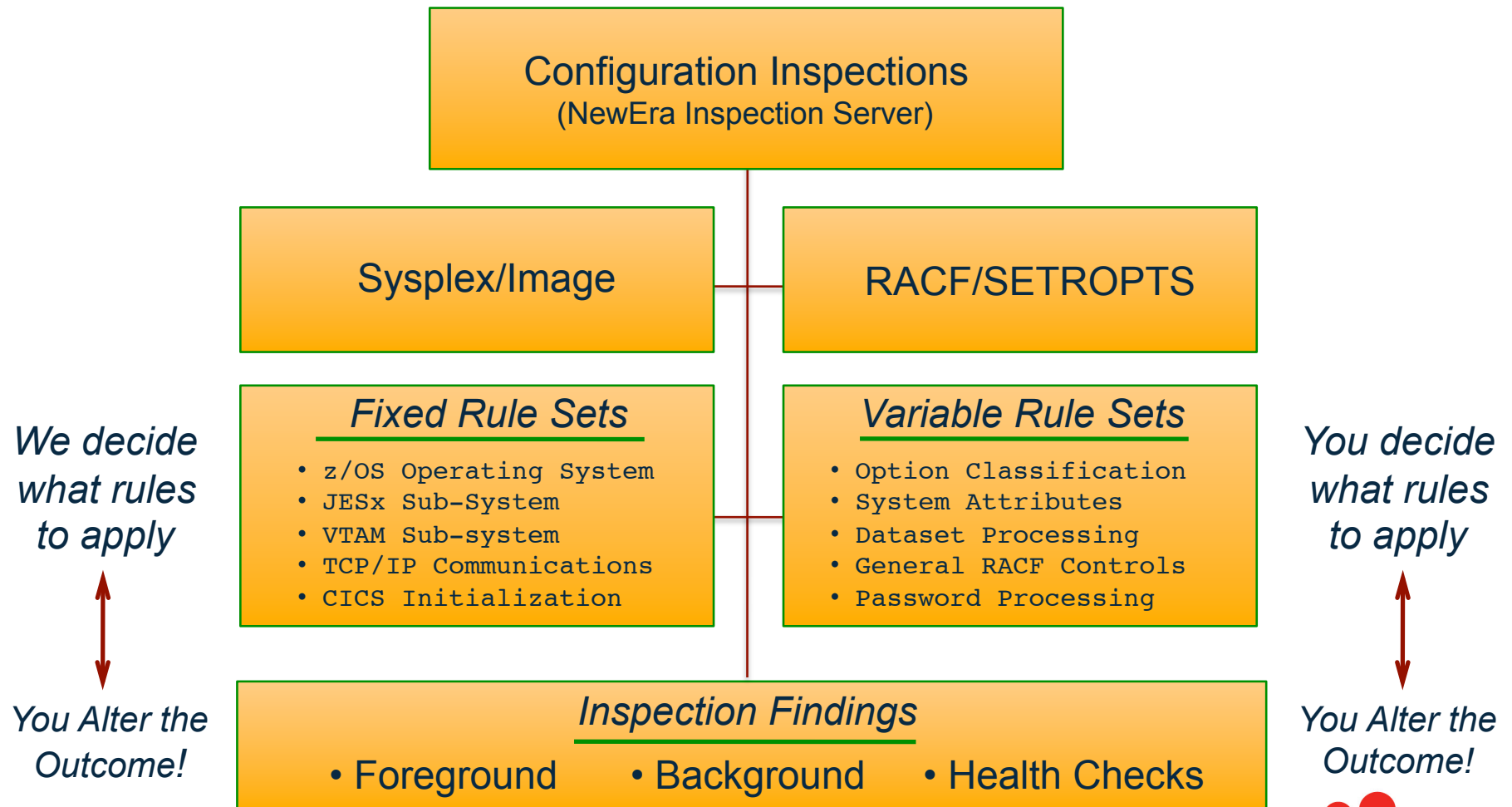
```
E PASSWORD PROCESSING        10    7   1
```

```
- -----
```

```
*****
```

```
RPTDSN:IFO.TEST.$TCERACF.SETRRPTS($HLCKALL)
```

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Point-of-Change Documentation Requirement added to collect detail from the Change Maker!

TCE 12.0 - RACF SETROPTS Control Element Selection +
 Compliance Level ONE

-----Discovered RACF:SETROPTS Class Elements-----

| Cm | Cn | Fn | -----Element Descriptor----- | Cm | Cn | Fn | -----Element Descriptor----- |
|----|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|----|-------------------------------------|
| .. | -- | :(| <u>STATISTICS</u> | .. | -- | Nr | <u>GENLIST CLASSES</u> |
| .. | -- | 65 | <u>ACTIVE CLASSES</u> | .. | -D | 71 | <u>SETR RACLIST CLASSES</u> |
| .. | AD | 83 | <u>GENERIC PROFILE CLASSES</u> | .. | A- | 83 | <u>GENERIC COMMAND CLASSES</u> |
| .. | -- | :(| <u>GLOBAL CHECKING CLASSES</u> | .. | -- | :(| <u>GLOBAL RACLIST ONLY CLASSES</u> |
| .. | -- | :(| <u>AUDIT CLASSES</u> | .. | -- | :(| <u>LOGOPTS "ALWAYS" CLASSES</u> |
| .. | -- | :(| <u>LOGOPTS "NEVER" CLASSES</u> | .. | -- | Nr | <u>LOGOPTS "SUCCESSSES" CLASSES</u> |
| .. | -- | :(| <u>LOGOPTS "FAILURES" CLASSES</u> | .. | -- | 88 | <u>LOGOPTS "DEFAULT" CLASSES</u> |

.. Class Settings .. Class Changes .. Class Findings .. Class RuleSets

-----Discovered RACF:SETROPTS Control Elements-----

| Cm | Cn | Fn | -----Element Descriptor----- | Cm | Cn | Fn | -----Element Descriptor----- |
|----|----|----|------------------------------------|----|----|----|-----------------------------------|
| .. | -- | 66 | <u>CONFIGURATION ATTRIBUTES</u> | .. | Cg | 71 | <u>DATASET PROCESSING OPTIONS</u> |
| .. | Cg | 22 | <u>PASSWORD PROCESSING OPTIONS</u> | .. | Cg | 87 | <u>OTHER PROCESSING OPTIONS</u> |

-----Application Settings-----

.. Active Baseline PROB11 15/02/19 .. Active Rule Set PROB11 15/02/19
SETROPTS BASELINE INITIALIZATION DEFAULT RULE SET INITIALIZATION

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OPER/RACF/SETROPTS may be applied in different ways

- ✓ *As a SETROPTS Configuration Monitor*
 - *As a Health Check Inspecting against your Compliance Rule Sets*
 - *As a TCE/Detector Monitoring and Reporting Change Events.*

- ✓ *As a SETROPTS Control Enhancement*
 - *Limit access to the SETROPTS Command Set Via TSO Command.*
 - *Limit User access to SETROPTS Via EMCS and/or SDSF.*
 - *Permit access to the ICE Command Subsystem.*

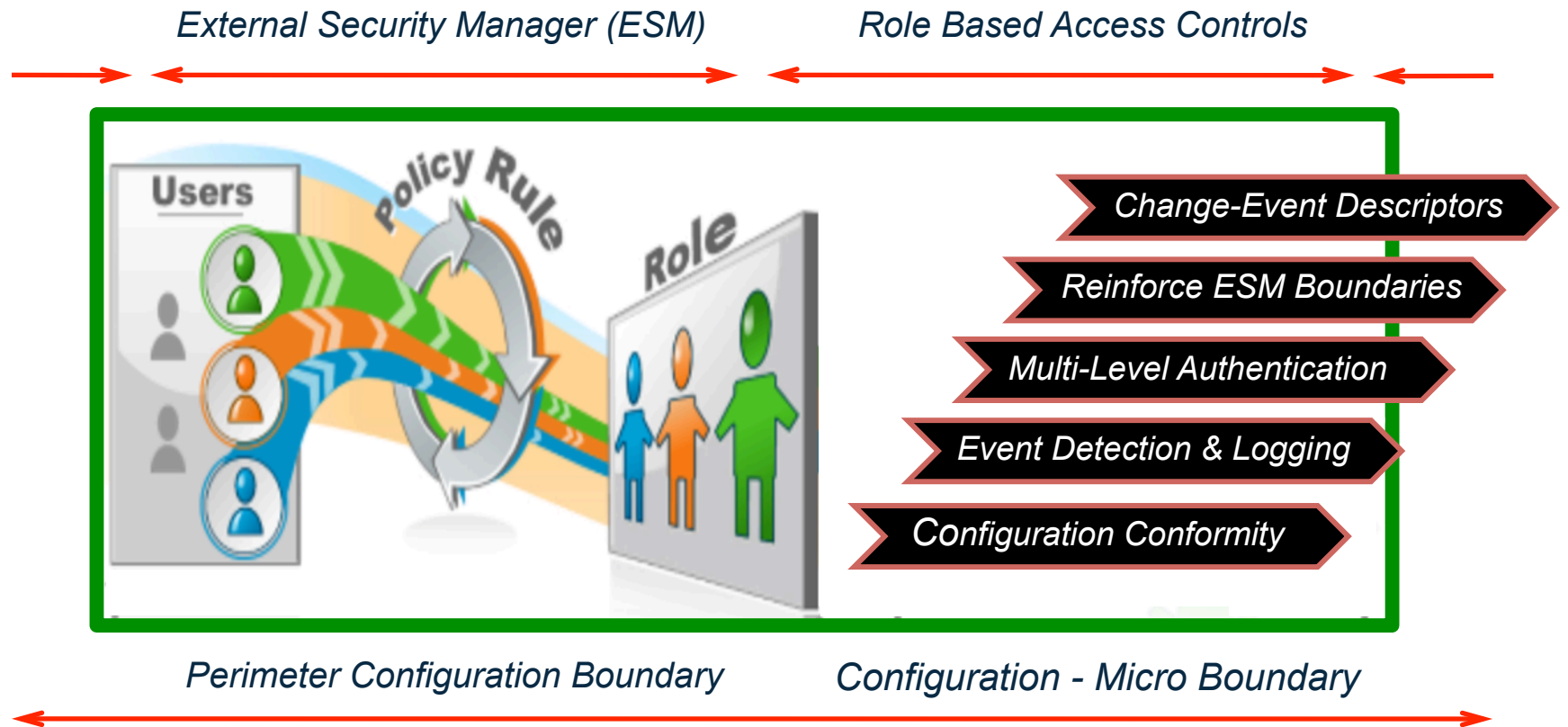
- ✓ *As a SETROPTS Communications Tool*
 - *Use it to educate the next Generation of RACF Administrators.*
 - *Use it to present the state of RACF Control Settings to Auditors.*
 - *Use it to build organizational consensus for each RACF Setting.*

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