

# The ABCs of Cloud Native Security

with NuSummit and Microsoft Sentinel



**A** **AI Security Posture Management (AI-SPM)**

Secure and verify user identities with robust authentication mechanisms.

**B** **Baseline Configuration**

Establish secure configuration standards for infrastructure and workloads.

**C** **Cloud Security Posture Management (CSPM)**

Continuously analyze cloud environments to detect misconfigurations, enforce best practices, and ensure regulatory compliance.

**D** **Database Security Posture Management (DPSM)**

Monitor and secure database environments by identifying real-time misconfigurations, vulnerabilities, and compliance risks.

**E** **Encryption**

Protect data in transit and at rest with strong encryption protocols.

**F** **Firewall Policies**

Define granular network access controls to reduce attack surfaces.

**G** **Governance**

Implement policies to ensure compliance and accountability.

**H** **Hardening**

Minimize attack vectors by disabling unnecessary features and ports.

**I** **IAM (Identity & Access Management)**

Enforce least privilege and tightly control access.

**J** **Just-in-Time Access**

Grant temporary access with time-bound permissions.

**K** **Kubernetes Security**

Secure clusters with RBAC, Pod Security Policies, and network segmentation.

**L** **Logging**

Enable centralized logging for auditing and threat detection.

**M** **Monitoring**

Continuously observe system behaviour for anomalies.

**N** **Network Segmentation**

Isolate workloads using service meshes and virtual networks.

**O** **Observability**

Ensure full-stack visibility with metrics, traces, and logs.

**P** **Penetration Testing**

Continuously test and uncover vulnerabilities before attackers do.

**Q** **Quarantine Strategy**

Isolate compromised resources swiftly to contain threats.

**R** **Risk Advisory**

Adapt access controls based on dynamic risk assessments.

**S** **SIEM & Security Monitoring**

Aggregate, monitor, and respond to security events in real time.

**T** **Threat Detection**

Leverage AI/ML to identify and respond to threats proactively.

**U** **Update Management**

Patch vulnerabilities promptly with automated updates.

**V** **Vulnerability Scanning**

Continuously scan infrastructure and code for flaws.

**W** **Workload Isolation**

Enforce boundaries between different workloads.

**X** **XML/JSON Validation**

Secure APIs by validating all input and output schemas.

**Y** **YAML Hygiene**

Avoid misconfigurations in IaC and deployment descriptors.

**Z** **Zero Trust Architecture**

Assume breach and verify explicitly for every request.

## How NuSummit and Microsoft Sentinel Help

NuSummit, in partnership with Microsoft Sentinel, empowers organizations to stay secure with cloud-native threat detection, automated response, and unified visibility. Together, we help customers strengthen their security posture and simplify compliance, scaling confidently to emerging cyber risks and operational complexity.