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15 ways to move fast and secure things

Devs and security teams often clash because they're optimizing for different things. Competing priorities can slow development and weaken security — but they don't have to. Here's how teams can support each other with help from platform teams.

Developers want to ship software fast. Security processes can disrupt their flow and slow delivery. Q

Platform teams simplify development by automating workflows while enforcing security best practices.



Security teams manage risks and protect systems, setting guidelines to keep devs in check.

How developers can help with security

- Make security implementation a KPI for development projects
- Reduce risk by consistently applying security processes and patterns
- Develop code and coding practices that improve transparency across the organization
- Consistently follow compliance requirements to avoid costly audits
- Actively partner with security teams to reduce risk and improve compliance

How security teams can help developers

- Gain more familiarity with development needs to avoid unnecessary barriers
- Bake security into systems and tools that lower risk while supporting innovation
- Use automation to replace manual ticketing systems and speed up security approvals
- Vet security requirements to avoid slowing development with unnecessary controls
- Work with developers to understand their required tasks, priorities, and KPIs

5 ways platform teams can help both

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Automate scans	Detect drift	Measure speed	Monitor spend	Get feedback
Make sure golden	Automate monitoring to	Create tools to track	Implement cost	Schedule regular

workflows and modules are always used — and set alerts for when they're not track threat changes and vulnerability shifts before and after deployment application release cadence

assessments to measure platform impact on cloud spend and use check-ins with security and development for feedback and new requirements

Move fast and secure things

Download our new white paper to learn best practices that accelerate cloud development while managing risk — and lead to happier, more productive software and security teams.

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