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Full-Stack Observability: The HOW!

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Agenda



- Full-stack observability (FSO):
 - How we got here
 - What is FSO and why now
 - What we mean by "full"
- Cisco FSO deliverables
 - Scope and Approach
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Evolution to Full-Stack Observability From per-domain Monitoring to Cross-Functional teams' insights

Monitoring



Alerts and events Dashboards and Views Passive & Sampling

Main KPI: Availability Per-operations domain

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Full-Stack Observability



Business Context & Impact DevSecOps and SRE "M.E.L.T" + Security

Main KPI: Experience Cross-operations domains

M.E.L.T = Metrics, Events, Logs, Traces



What is Cisco Full-Stack Observability

Full Stack Observability (FSO)

is emerging as a preferred way for businesses to deliver the most **optimal and secure experience** to users and applications. Cisco Full-Stack Observability brings together data from multiple operations domains and derive real-time insights helping to:



Focus on what matters most: revenue, user experience, risk, costs



Minimize tool sprawl; and break down silos by reducing friction among teams

Reduce time to resolution of incidents and performance issues;



Proactive and predictive approach to issues and incidents, even before

they happen

Why Full-Stack Observability and Why Now

Market Timing



- Digitization (of businesses)
 - Process
 - People interaction
- User "attributes"
 - Experience Expectations
 - Patience / tolerance
- Accelerators
 - Previous: Pandemic
 - Current: GenAl

Mobile & multi-access
 user & devices

Pervasive

Availability

- Cloud / Multi-cloud
- Open Source
- Flexible consumption
 models



- Distributed Tracing
- Streaming telemetry
- OpenTelemetry "standardization"
- High Cardinality with time-series
 - Big datasets
 - Lower storage and compute cost
- Predictive and GenAl
- Business Contextualization

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What one may consider as "full-stack" ?

The teams / persona perspective





The application / dev / technology perspective



What is required to enable "full-stack observability"?





M.E.L.T. "stack"

METRICS: aggregated set of measurements grouped or collected at regular intervals or a given time span, therefore not discrete

Timestamp	Count	Metric Name	Total	Average
05/Jun/2023 - 11:00:35	5	PurchaseValue	\$27.50	\$5.50

This is 1 min aggregate, so some details are lost (per-purchase specifics such as individual values, time, etc.). It helps save storage but requires proper pre-planning on what metrics to consider.

EVENTS: a discrete action happening at a moment in time. The more metadata associated with an Event, the better.

Timestamp	Event Type	Item Purchased	Value	
05/Jun/2023 - 11:00:35	PurchaseEvent	PizzaSlice	\$5.50	

Helpful to confirm that a particular action occurred at a particular time. Event collection frequency versus real time computational (for queries) plus storage cost is a concern

M.E.L.T. "stack" (continued)

LOGS: strings of text with a discrete timestamp associated with them. Either unstructured or structured (e.g.: JSON)

Har 4 11:00:35 10.91.25.254 141121: *Apr 14 17:17:10.249: *SYS-5-CONFIG_I: Configured from console by vty4 (1 Har 4 11:00:35 10.91.25.254 141122: *Apr 14 17:17:11.457: *LINK-5-CHANGED: Interface GigabitEthernet0/9, chan Har 4 11:02:39 10.91.25.254 141123: *Apr 14 17:19:14.669: *SYS-5-CONFIG_I: Configured from console by vty5 (1 Har 4 11:38:34 10.91.25.254 141124: UK-LAB-SW-01: *Apr 14 17:55:09.073: *SYS-5-CONFIG_I: Configured from console by Har 4 11:43:51 10.91.14 254: UK-LAB-FW-01: *Sep 19 23:25:17.460: *SYS-5-CONFIG_I: Configured from console by Har 4 11:43:52 10.91.14 255: UK-LAB-FW-01: *Sep 19 23:25:18.468: *SYS-6-LOGGINCHOST_STARTSTOP: Logging to ho

Versatile and empowers many use cases. The most is for getting a detailed, play-by-play record of what happened at a particular time. Most software systems can emit log data.

TRACES: chains of events (or transactions) between different components in an application. Traces are discrete and irregular in occurrence.

Timestamp	Event Type	Duration		
05/Jun/2023 - 11:00:35	CreditCardPurchaseEvent	37 seconds		

Item was purchased via credit card at a particular time, and it took 37 seconds to complete the transaction. All causal chain details and dependencies are part of the distributed traces.



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Cisco FSO deliverables: scope and approach

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Ex.1: Cisco FSO & Payment Business Process







Ex.2: Cisco FSO & Payment Business Process







Ex.2: Cisco FSO & Payment Business Process



Cisco FSO deliverables approach: Integrations and Platform

Some business need this



Tools based integration

- Pre-defined scope (associated with teams and tools).
- Doesn't scale as more tools / domains are considered.
- May imply telemetry data redundancy no common data set
- Matches current paradigm for operations teams / silos.
- Faster and easier to adopt if / when tools are in place.

Businesses are fast moving here



Horizontal Platform for Full-stack Observability

- Ingestion based on MELT signals (Open Telemetry), not tools.
- New use-cases creation (extensibility)
- Collaboration among all operations domains;
- Enables AI / ML across common data set;
- · Cost / resources optimization (helps reduce tools sprawl)

Many customers will have both models for some time

Cisco Full-Stack Observability Architecture foundation



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Cisco FSO use-cases and integrations

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Cisco Digital Experience Monitoring



Why Digital Experience Monitoring (DEM)

- Customer satisfaction and user experience remains a priority today
- Digital experience has a direct impact on revenue, retention and brand reputation
- APIs are very commonly used by developers, but they add security risk, impact performance and affect user-experience, so monitoring APIs performance is now critical
- Digitization has made environments complex today, while customers are fully geographically distributed. Because of that, DEM has expanded to gain deep visibility into how access control as well as private networks and public internet impacts business.



Customer Digital Experience journey





Customer Digital Experience Monitoring Challenge



~5 hours to triage and recover from an end-user experience incident !

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Cisco Digital Experience Monitoring solution





¹ Front-end/back-end correlation, application/network correlation, session replay - Cisco Observability Platform
 ² Powered by synthetics - Cisco ThousandEyes
 ³ Powered by real-user monitoring (RUM) - Cisco AppDynamics or Cisco Observability Platform

Cisco Digital Experience Monitoring: detailed



< 15 min to triage and recover from the same incident !

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Cisco Digital Experience Monitoring

Correlated user experience and modern application observability



Empowers IT organizations with a holistic view of user experiences, facilitating precise troubleshooting and a proactive approach to performance optimization



Troubleshoot poor user experience with detailed analysis to quickly identify root cause and correlate with backend and network performance



Utilize Core Web Vitals and Android Vitals to evaluate health based on granular benchmarks, and monitor baseline and standard deviation for proactive issue identification



Observability and Network Intelligence coming together

Data-driven bi-directional integration





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Measuring "critical networks" where milliseconds and microsecond accuracy is required

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Integration of Accedian metrics and events into Cisco AppDynamics and Cisco Observability Platform



Network probes can measure KPIs (like latency) on private enterprise networks and service provider connectivity services



Observability for applications that are extremely sensitive to latency



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Business Risk Observability



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Business Risk Observability for Applications



Provides the business context needed to rapidly assess risk and align teams based on potential Impact





Cisco Business Risk Observability in action



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Cisco Observability Platform

Simplified experiences and Extensibility



Cisco Observability Platform @ Cisco FSO portfolio



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Cisco Observability Platform Exchange





Cisco Observability Platform Exchange by Cisco Live Amsterdam 2024

Operational Intelligence MODULE by Cloud Fabrix Event Correlation and Noise Reduction, RCA, Incident auto-remediation.	Asset Intelligence Analytics MODULE by Cloud Fabrix Application and Infrastructure Dependency mapping and analytics.	Infra Observability - Network and Storage MODULE by Cloud Fabrix Full Stack Infrastructure Observability (virtual, compute, N/W, Storage).	Very Article Manufacturing Monitoring Monitoring Industry Device Monitoring Arcube provides monitoring for the industry production lines and machines. This module integrates industry data from production lines, machines and other events and metrics into the FSO platform.
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As400 Server Monitoring Suchronise IBM ISeries AS400 data with the Cisco Observability Platform Our solution offers remote monitoring of IBM ISeries. The collected data from IBM ISeries is ingested in Cisco Observability Platform with real- interactive dashboards, unified analysis, metrics and events.	Kubernetes Change Management Kubernetes Reliability Platform KBs continuous reliability platform, ensuring a healthy and improved performance and simplifying troubleshooting for quick fixing.	Intelligence for Oil & Gas For Data Driven O&G Company Application for observability over assets, equipment network, applications, communication health of sensors and devices used in oil and gas production.	ML Observability The ML Observability Solution Muse of the ML Observability Solution Muse of the ML Observability Solution Audit of the ML Observability Solution
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Telemetry data ingestion

Smart Hybrid Agents

- Depth in data (code-level visibility)
- Extract additional context without code modification (MIDC) and Business Intelligence (BiQ)
- Control plane to be configured remotely
- Ease of Use (Auto-Instrumentation!) and Hybrid (support OTLP)
- Advanced features (Live Mode, Developer Mode, Intelligent Snapshots ...)
- Integration with runtime security (Secure Applications)
- End-User & Database Monitoring
- Less "chatty" protocol



SDK & Agents

- Observability as Code (agents are optional)
- Standardised data format (Semantic Conventions!)
- Potential support for more technologies and more vendor data
- Send data to multiple backends

AppDynamics Hybrid Agent

<u>OpenTelemetry</u> is a collection of tools, APIs, and SDKs used to instrument, generate, collect, and export telemetry data (metrics, logs, and traces) to help you analyze software performance and behavior.

AppDynamics provides an OpenTelemetry-compatible backend to ingest OpenTelemetry trace data using OpenTelemetry components. The ingested data is processed by the AppDynamics backend and displayed in the Controller UI. This service is referred to as AppDynamics for OpenTelemetry.





Open Telemetry Instrumentation

- How we get applications / services to emit traces / logs / metrics
- Automatic or manual
- Support for most popular languages



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OTEL Instrumentation Status Grid (as of Jan/2024)

Language	Traces	Metrics	Logs	
C++				
C# / .NET	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Erlang / Elixir	 Image: A second s	\wedge	\wedge	
Go	\checkmark	\checkmark	\bigotimes	
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JavaScript	\checkmark	\checkmark	(<u>©</u>)	
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Ruby	✓	\otimes	\bigotimes	
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Simplified Agent Lifecycle Management

Improve operational efficiency with Smart Agent



Simplify agent management in a few clicks

• Inventory, filter, select and generate reports

Quickly access new capabilities with push-button upgrades

- Utilize new features as they are released
- · Select and upgrade with two clicks
- Or customize options for full control

Automatically gain business and performance insights faster*

- With a single Smart Agent install
- Smart Agent will auto-discover all processes
- And auto-deploy agents per your policies

* Auto-detect and auto-deploy coming spring 2024

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Cisco Observability Platform Terminology

Solution – a collection of functionality available for subscription;

Package – a declarative collection of Cisco FSO Platform components, the instruction set programmed by the user and packaged as a zipfile. A Package's zipfile contains exactly one solution.

Application – a solution that contains a full Cisco FSO Platform application, which becomes selectable - and extensible (through modules) - via the FSO Platform Exchange. E.g.: Cloud Native Application Observability

Module / Enrichment – a solution add-on that depends on, and enhances another solution

E.g.: Cost Insights

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Cisco FSO Platform Extensibility - Solution Package



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"manifestVersion": "1.0.0",
"name": "k8scost-demo",
"solutionVersion": "0.0.71",
"dependencies": [
  "zodiac",
  "fmm"
"description": "k8scost-demo solution",
"contact": "support@cisco.com",
"homepage": "solutions.cisco.com/demofunction",
"gitRepoUrl": "https://bitbucket.corp.appdynamics.com/projects/ZODIAC/repos/k8scost-demo",
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Cisco FSO Platform Extensibility

Solution package creation flow example









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Eg.1: Kubernetes Entity Model





Eg.2: AWS Entity Model





Eg.3: Related models



Cisco FSO Platform - comprehensive Solution model

Complex Standalone Cisco FSO App				
UI				
Cloud Collector				
MELT Processor				
Entity Model				
Custom APIs				
Custom Roles (ABAC/RBAC)				
Knowledge Model				

Cloud Collector MELT Processor
Entity Model

Visualizations App/Enrichment
لَيْنَ UI

Knowledge Modeling App/Enrichment			
Custom APIs			
Custom Roles (ABAC/RBAC)			
Knowledge Model			

Cloud/Infra Models
Entity Model

	Integration App	
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	Custom APIs Custom Roles (ABAC/RBAC)	

Example: Cisco Cloud Observability

A complete application on Cisco Observability Platform



Example: Extensibility via entity model enrichments





Example: mutually beneficial relationships



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Cost Insights by Cisco (1/2)

- Cost Analysis for K8s Resources
 - Understanding costs for K8s components
 - Visibility at Clusters, Workloads, Namespaces, Pods
 - Gain a deeper visibility into Cloud Spend
- Allocation vs Utilization
 - Compare allocation of resources to usage
 - Understand usage trends of Compute and Memory
 - Identify over-provisioned resources and saving opportunities





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View Unhealthy Namespaces

Total Cost Cluster Score

Filter list to show Unhealthy Namespaces

Ability to track costs over time to understand spend Manage Cost for cloud native services effectively

- Sustainable
 - Granular visibility for customers to ٠ gauge their environmental impact
 - ٠ Identify workloads with high Co2 Impact with lower costs
 - Provide visible usage for ESG ٠ reporting
 - Leveraging Climatig APIs to collect ٠ emissions data
 - Ability to offset carbon footprint by ٠ optimizing resources

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Other

Total Cost \$137.32

Cluster Score (i)

Idle Cost

\$113.13

\$54.08

\$41.89

\$70.13

\$43.94

\$13.11

1.6984 kg

0.6984 kg

0.0244 kg

0.2484 kg

0.8645 kg

71

\$9.92

Utilized Cost

\$26.19

CPU

\$12.19

Memory

\$26.19

Host Memory Utiliziation 9

Cost Insights by Cisco (2/2)

Observe > Clusters

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Service Instances

IFI Services

Clusters (72)

See All Namespaces

Entity Status = Active 😣

Overview

Health

- Cost Insights for APM services ٠
 - Correlate Cost data from ٠ Infrastructure with APM
 - ٠
 - ٠
 - Helping Customers become

Application Resource Optimizer by Cisco

- Provide deeper insights into a K8S workload and provide visibility into the workload's resource utilization
- Analyse and optimize application workloads to maximize resource usage and reduce excessive cloud spend





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Detect and protect against leakage of sensitive data with pre-defined expressions to enable faster adoption of cloud services.



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intelligence with business impact and runtime behavior to provide a business risk score





Business Risk Observability @ Security Insights Threats and Vulnerabilities Across Cloud-Native Kubernetes and Containers

Integrated view on FSO

Detect, prioritize, and address container vulnerabilities and security threats right from your observability dashboard

Factor in business risk

Combine findings into your application context for businesslevel risk scoring





DEMOS

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