



Organisations deploying web services based around J2EE or .NET can now purchase penetration testing and audit services from independent specialists First Base Technologies.

“We have invested considerable resources in developing security testing methodologies for the popular web services environments,” said Peter Wood, Chief of Operations at First Base Technologies. “This is not automated vulnerability scanning — it is a thorough, application-aware testing process using a suite of tools and methods.”

First Base Technologies specialises in security testing services that protect clients’ systems from internal and external security breaches. Their expertise embraces operating systems, hardware, applications, and of course web services.

“The sensitivity and growing complexity of business to business transactions means that organisations want the assurance that their web services applications are appropriately secure,” continues Peter Wood. “Our penetration testing and audit skills, developed over the past fourteen years, permit us to embrace these new technologies effectively and thoroughly at a sensible price.”

First Base Technologies is partnering with key security testing software providers. Combining classic penetration testing techniques with cutting-edge tools from SPI Dynamics Inc., Application Security Inc. and Core Security Technologies has given the firm a head start in the web services security marketplace.

About First Base Technologies

First Base Technologies’ experience in BS 7799 and associated gap analysis techniques gives a uniquely homogenous perspective on Internet security threats and vulnerabilities. They combine ethical hacking skills with social engineering, staff interviews, documentation reviews and traditional physical security, giving a truly comprehensive review of business risks. The penetration testing team at First Base Technologies has over 100 combined years of experience in IT, data communications and information security, embracing a wide variety of operating systems, communications protocols and equipment.

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