# AARON FAULKNER - AFS CYBERSECURITY
# VIDEO TRANSCRIPT

**Aaron Faulkner** [00:00:05] We are inspired to help protect the nation against pervasive cybersecurity threats. Over the past year, the threats that federal leaders have long recognized have taken center stage. This means the federal government must further accelerate efforts to combat a growing array of cyber adversaries. For federal agencies, the imperative is real.

**Aaron Faulkner** [00:00:26] Our research found improvements in federal cybersecurity, but also more sophisticated threats. This new environment demands cyber resiliency, the ability to quickly mitigate attacks and damage while maintaining mission continuity. In response, we are working with our federal clients to implement zero trust architectures, take full advantage of extended detection and response and bolster the security of their operational technology systems.

**Aaron Faulkner** [00:00:52] These efforts build upon the more widespread use of automation, analytics and artificial intelligence to industrialize the cyber battle space and defeat cyber attacks at machine speed. What sets Accenture apart are world-class cybersecurity capabilities, deep understanding of both technology and the mission, and our commitment to continuous innovation. We are one of the world's largest managed security providers, consistently ranked by industry analysts as a market leader and boasting our sector's largest partner ecosystem. And as demonstrated by our recent acquisition of Novetta, a leader in full-spectrum cybersecurity for the federal government, we are never complacent. Together, we stand ready to partner with federal leaders to protect the nation.