

Dataset Encryption – Just Do It!

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Julie Intro

- **Recently from IBM**, I provided technical leadership and sales support activities to achieve competitive security product take-outs in North America, and promotes sales of additional security product components.
- CISSP-ISSMP, CBCP
- Experienced Security Professional
- Years creating / architecting security solutions on z Systems
- RACF, CA ACF2, CA Top Secret
- Systems Programmer
- IT Management
- Application Programmer
- Audit Director

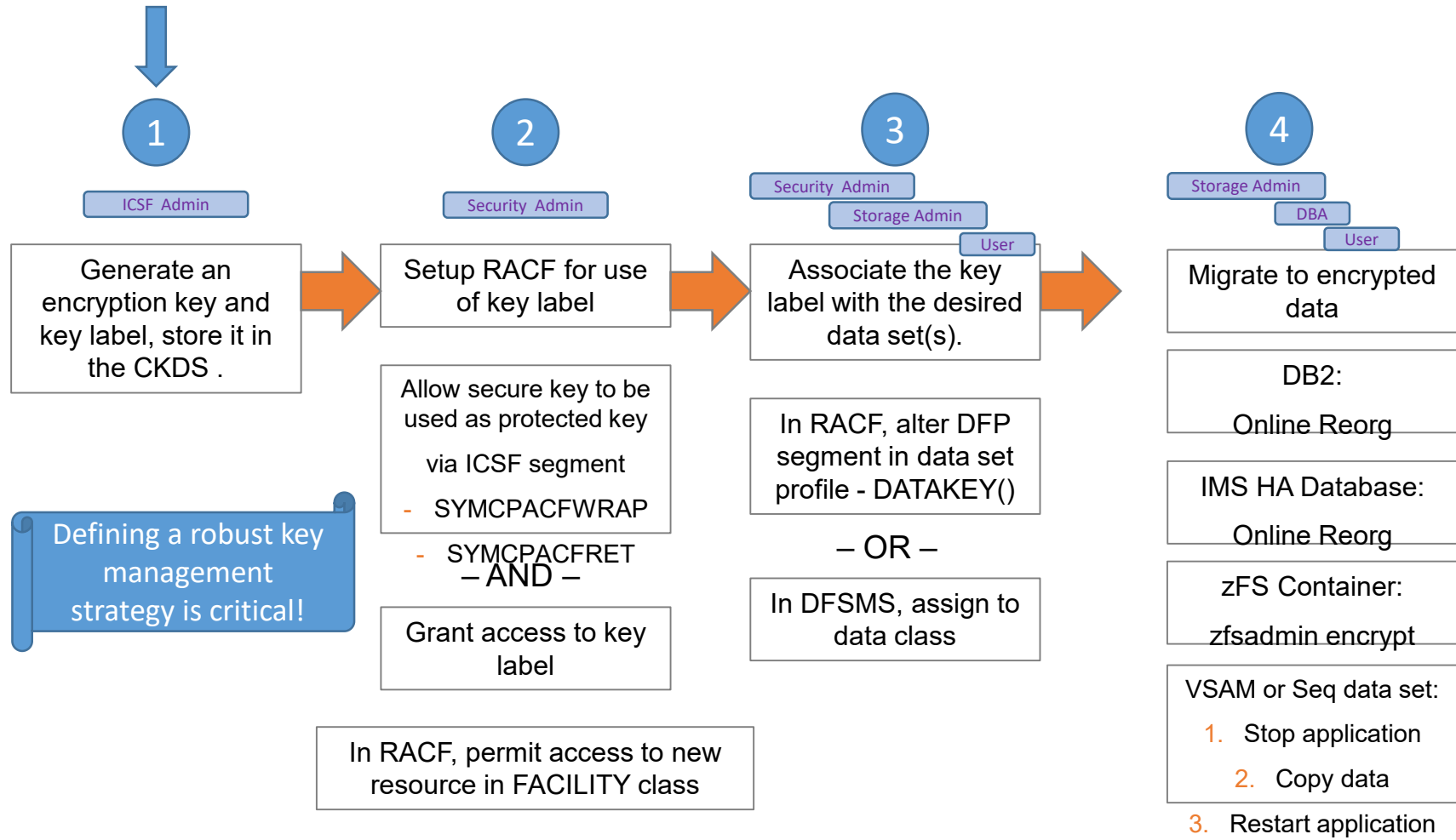
IBM Definition of Pervasive Encryption

- Full Disk Encryption
- Integrated Crypto Hardware
- Network Encryption
- Data Set and File Encryption
- Coupling Facility Encryption
- Secure Service Container
- Key Management (EKMF & TKE)
- z/OS 2.4 (JESSPOOL and PDS/E)

Configuration requirements

- Machine type (z15/z15 T02, z14/z14s, z13/z13s, zEC12/zBC12)
 - With appropriate Crypto Express cards
 - With master keys loaded
- Operating System
 - z/OS 2.4
 - z/OS 2.3
 - z/OS 2.2 w/APAR OA50569
 - z/OS 2.1 w/APAR OA50569 (supports reading/writing an encrypted data set, but not creating an encrypted data set)
- ICSF
 - HCR77D1-HCR77C0
 - HCR77A0-HCR77B1 w/APAR OA50450

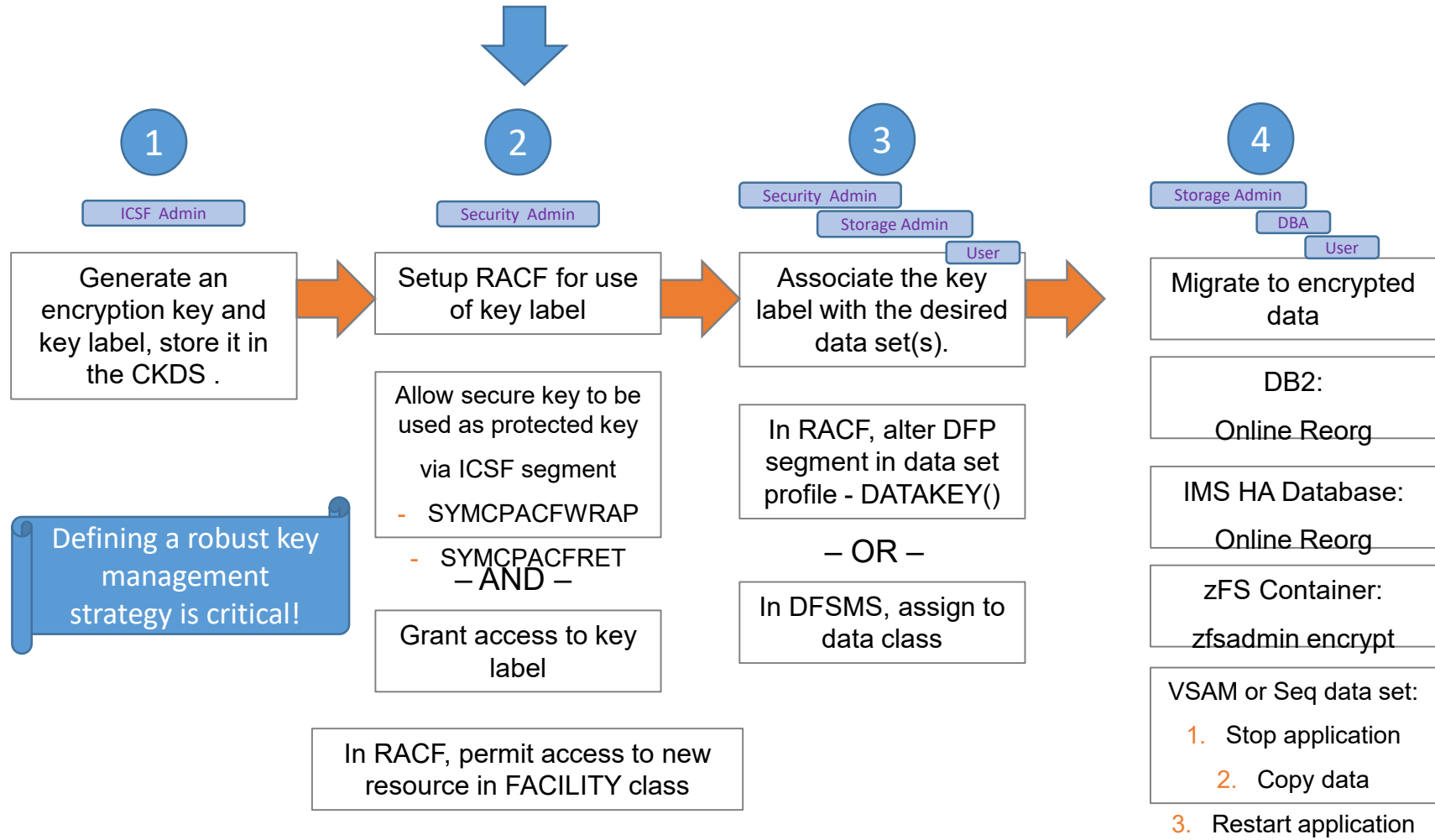
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Key Management

- TKE – Trusted Key Entry
- EKMF – Enterprise Key Management Facility
- EKMF Web - Enterprise Key Management Facility Web
- IBM SKLM 4.0 for Docker running in a z/OS Container Extensions – Announcement Letter 219-514
- ICSF – Integrated Cryptographic Services Facility

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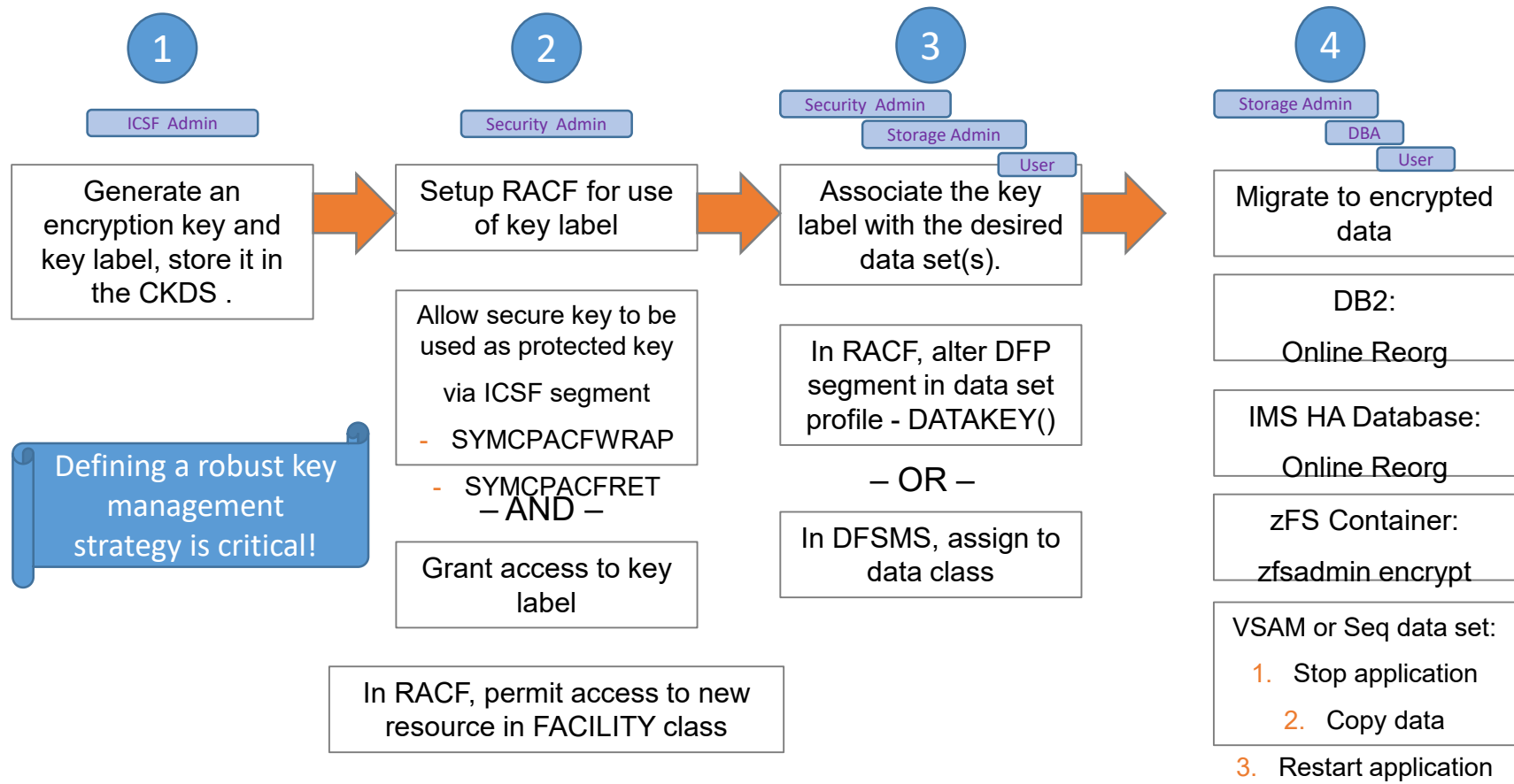
RACF Classes

- CSFKEYS
- CSFSERV
- FACILITY
- OPERCMDS
- XFACILIT
 - ICSF – key store policies additional support – strongly implement. For example prohibit duplicate keys.
- DFP Segment
- ICSF Segment

Encryption enabled at allocation

- DFP Segment of the SAF data set profile
- SMS Data Class
- JCL, TSO Allocate (Dynamic Allocation)
- IDCAMS

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How do you rotate keys?

There are two types of key rotation that you can perform on IBM Z:

- Master Key Rotation
- Operational Key Rotation

Master Keys

Master keys are used only to encipher and decipher keys.

Master keys are stored in secure, tamper responding hardware.

Operational Keys

Operational keys are used in various cryptographic operations (e.g. encryption).

Operational keys may be stored in a key store (e.g. data set, file, database) or returned back to the caller.

Operational keys may be encrypted by a Master Key to be considered secure keys.

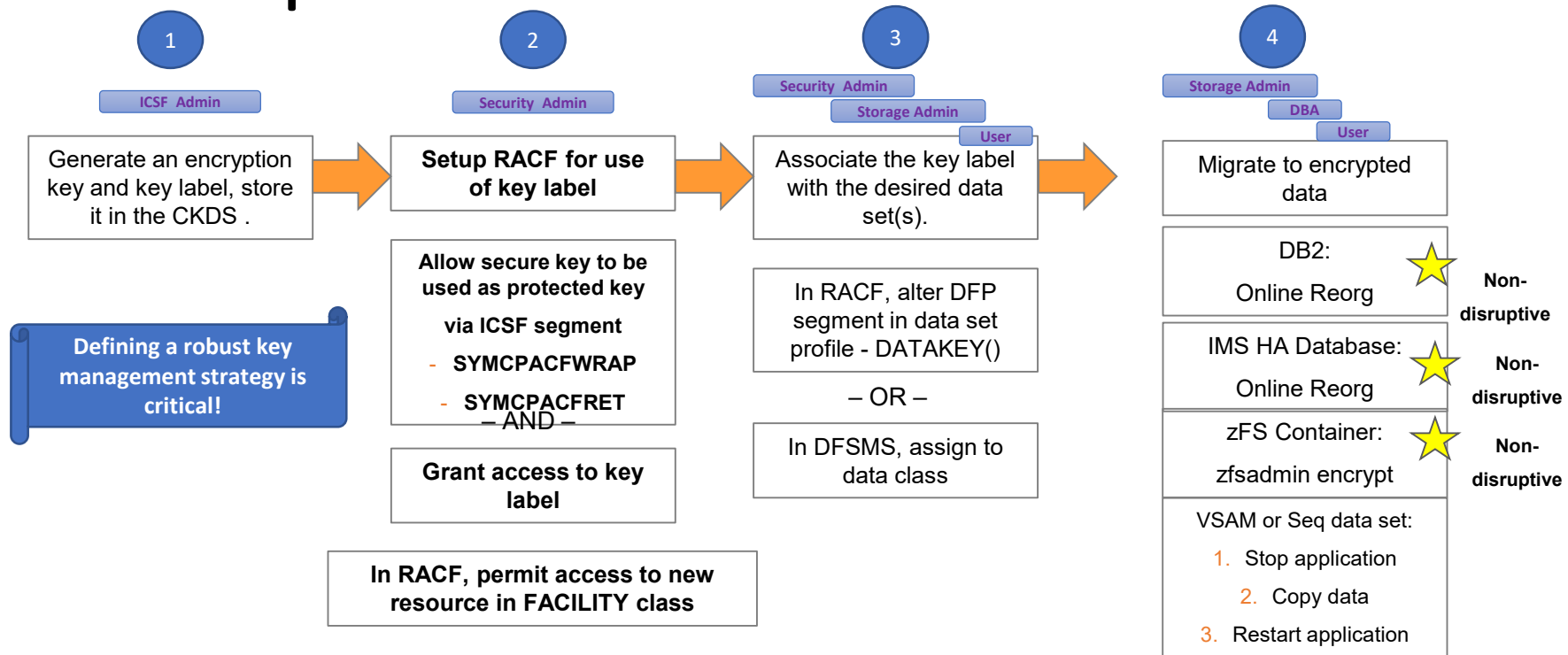
When can you delete an operational key used with data set encryption?

Life of data set = Life of key

NIST SP800-57 Recommendation
for Key Management

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Questions?

