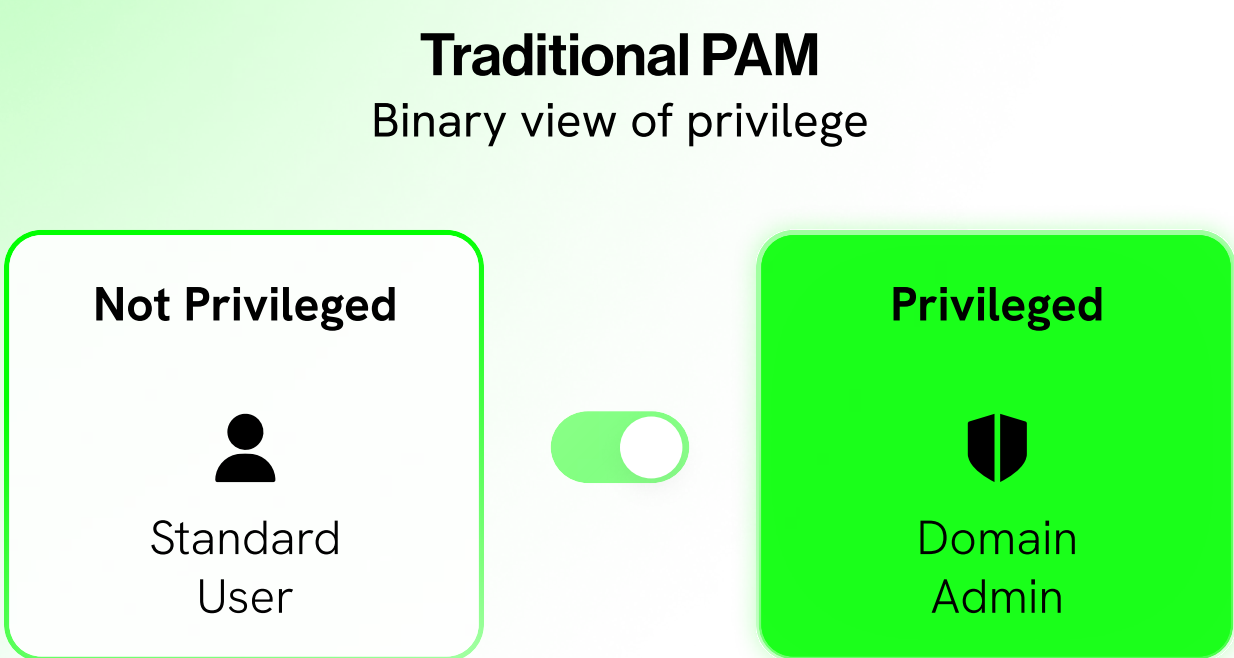


From Binary to Spectrum

Why modern identities require a new way to think about privileged access.

Binary Privilege: The Old Way

For years, privileged access was treated as a simple *yes-or-no* decision



Once an identity was classified as privileged, it typically received standing access, broad permissions, and a large potential blast radius.

Why Binary Privilege No Longer Works

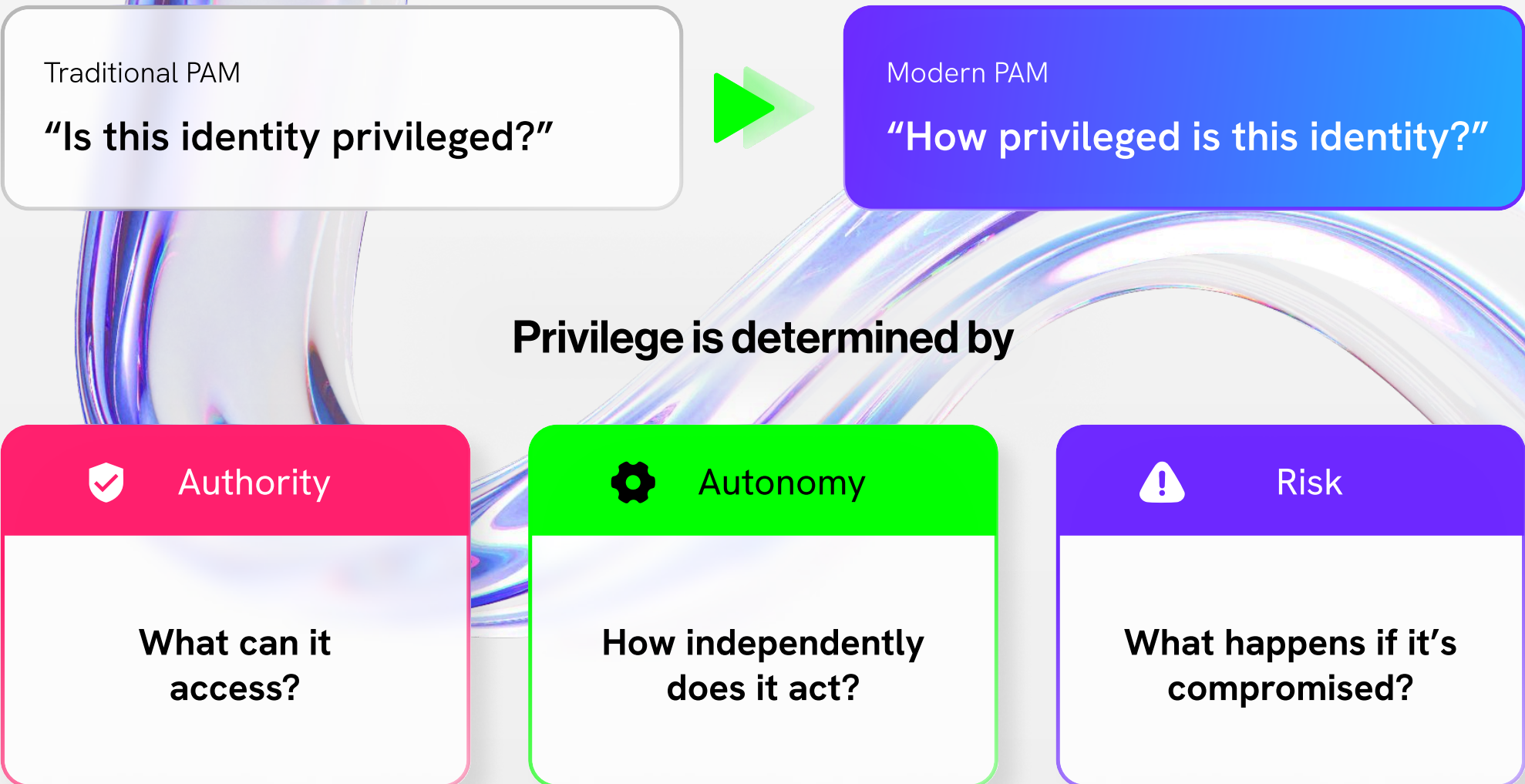
Modern identities don't just have different permissions—they behave differently.

Identity	How it operates
 Human	Interactive, approval-based
 NHI	Automated, continuous
 Cloud Workload	Dynamic, ephemeral
 AI Agent	Autonomous, adaptive

Different behaviors require different levels of privileged access control.

The Shift

The question has changed.



Instead of assigning the same controls to every privileged identity, organizations should align controls to each identity's authority, autonomy, and risk.

The Privilege Spectrum

Every identity is privileged—but not to the same degree



Privilege is expanding. Standing access shouldn't.

Achieve Zero Standing Privilege across the entire Privilege Spectrum.

The question is no longer whether an **identity is privileged.**

The questions is: *How privileged is it?*

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