OT Cyber Aggregation and Integration with IT Cyber, IOT and Physical Security

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Israeli Cyber authority defines: The National Power Grid as a "Critical Infrastructure"



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Difficult to spot attacks, even when happening

IT CYBER VS. OT CYBER GOALS



IT Systems Mainly Deal With Data

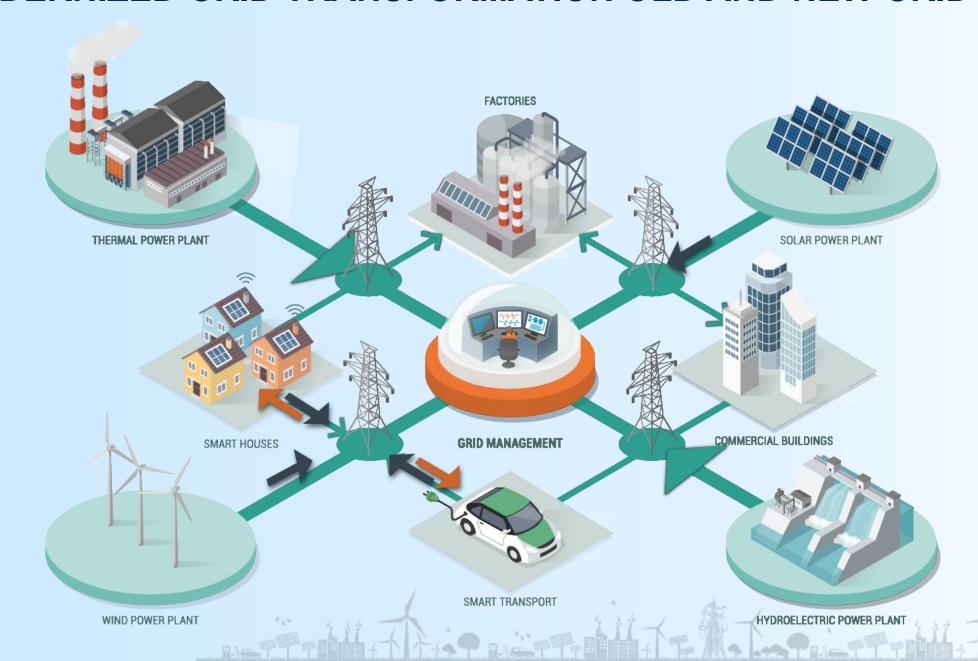
Assure data confidentiality, integrity and availability

OT Systems Deal With Safety & Reliability

- Prevent damaging of operational assets
- Prevent sabotaging of operational assets
- Prevent damaged operational assets from becoming a safety hazard
- Ensure seamless operation, supply quality, high productivity



MODERNIZED GRID TRANSFORMATION OLD AND NEW GRID







Cyber Risks on Power Utility

- 1) Data network between DMS and the substations
- 2) Internal attack on substations physical breach
- 3) Data Network between the substations and DERs
- 4) Attack on the DMS through the IT
- 5) Risks caused by remote access
- 6) Risks caused by Cloud based maintenance
- 7) Incorrect action by an authorized person
- 8) Cyber attack "look-a-like" due to fault







IT'S A DIVERSE AND FRAGMENTED OT SECURITY MARKET

IT Vendors



















































SECURITY MATTERS

















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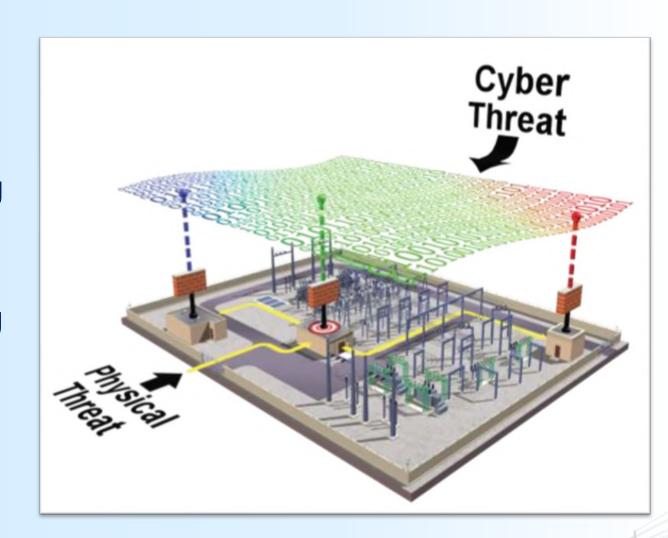


Representative Vendors and Providers



TRENDS OF OT SECURITY IN 2018

- Cyber-Physical convergence is accelerating
- OT and IT security share similar pains
- IT/OT security organizations are converging







THE SMART GRID IS BRINGING IT AND OT CLOSER TOGETHER

Information Teck Trolagy Grid Teck Opperations Technology

Enterprise Systems

Web Applications

Control Systems

Protection Systems

Concerns of Cyber Security





A Cyber Attack Is Typically Coming With A Physical Attack

A physical attack is a clue

Attack on a California Transformer Could Have Been Dress Rehearsal for Terror Attack on Power Grid



BY: Washington Free Beacon Staff February 5, 2014 10:07 am

An attack on California electrical transformers in April is believed by some to be a practice round for a terrorist attack on the U.S. power arid.

The coordinated attack began outside of Silicon Valley where attackers cut telephone wires at 1 a.m. on April 16, according to the Wall Street Journal.

About half an hour later snipers shot at an electrical substation for about 19 minutes.

destroying 17 transformers in the process. The attackers escaped before police arrived and remain at large.

It took 27 days to repair the substation and crews had to reroute power around the site using Silicon Valley power plants.

17 Power Transformers were shot, the fiber lines were cut. The snippers cut teleco cables in an underground vault & outsmarted security cameras and motion sensors at the power substation in a remote corner of Santa Clara County.

Snipers Coordinated an Attack on the Power Grid, but Why?

A story seemingly stolen from the pages of a crime thriller, but far less comprehensible.

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TECHNOLOGY





ASSET HEALTH ALARM MAY BE A CYBER ALERT

- Standard operation error notifications
- Temperature from sensors (sudden large gaps may indicate attack...)
- Load (going up) temperature (going down)
- Invalid data points (specifics, too many...)
- Extreme abnormalities, Health Index turns red







AND MORE ASSET HEALTH ALARM MAY BE A CYBER ALERT

- Any loss of SCADA or IR communication (two losses may indicate attack....)
- Failure in (multiple) assets (in the same time)
- IR camera detects abnormality in the temperatures gaps
- Login / Failed login detected (unauthorized?)
- Any significant user / accounts activity (reinstallation, configuration change, password change, user account creation etc...)

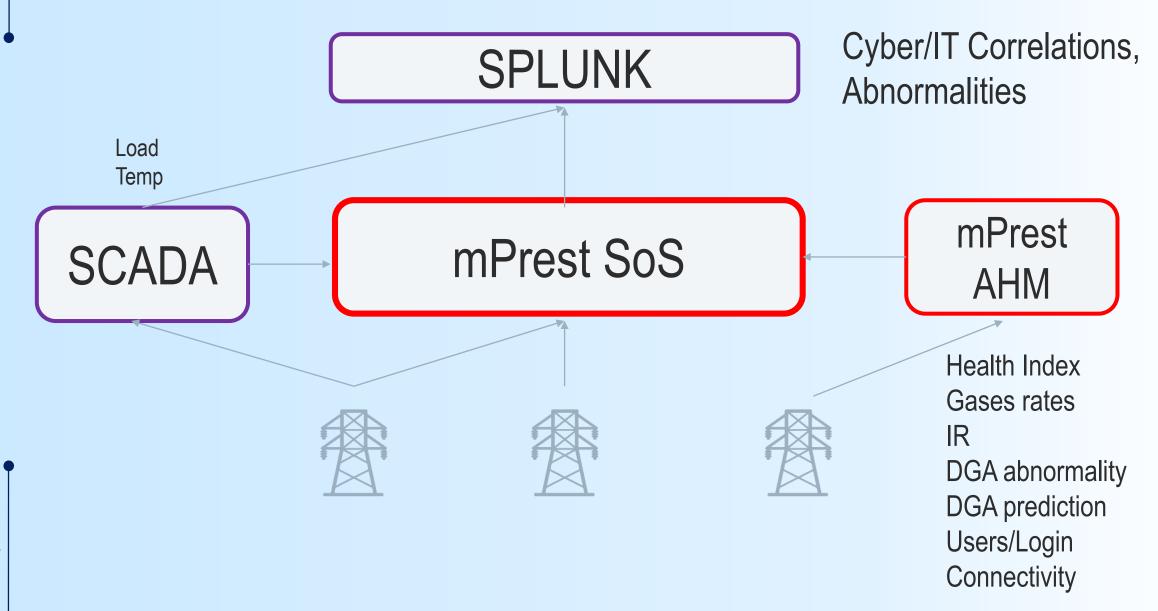




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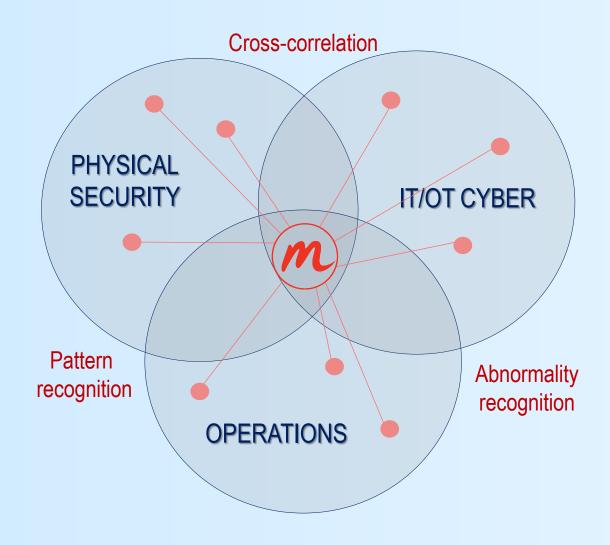


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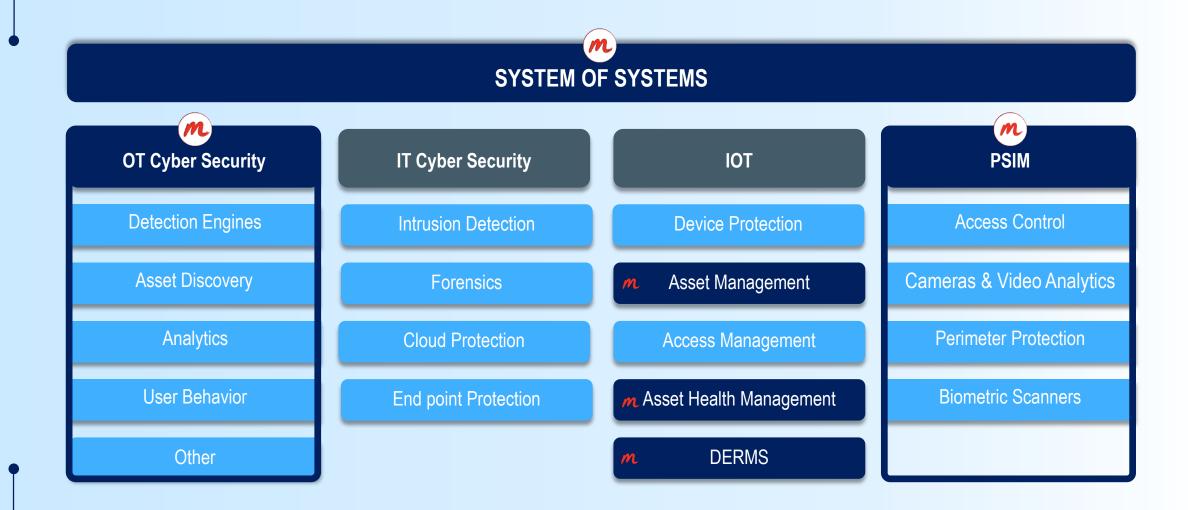
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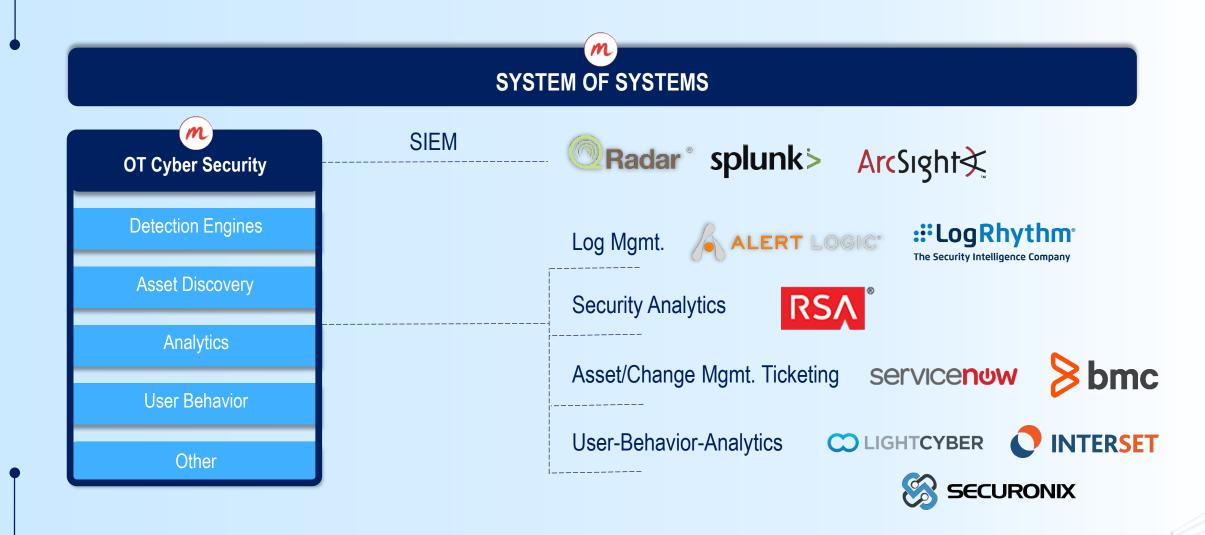
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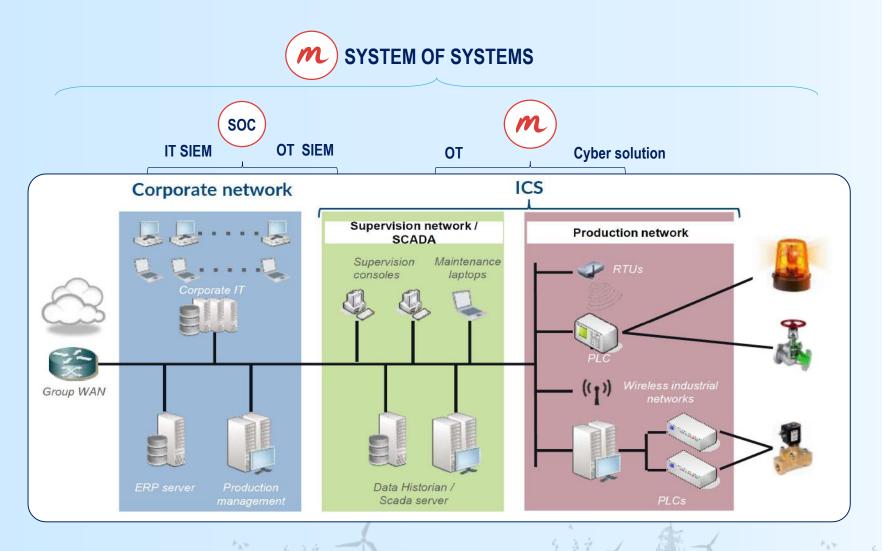






CYBER SECURITY POWER PLANT CONFIGURATION

What is Industrial Control System?





- Utilities will be investing significantly more in Cyber Security
- The only true holistic cyber solution would be one which fully integrates between Physical Security, IT Cyber Security, OT Cyber Security and Online Operational Asset Condition

