

Cockpit CI

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Cybersecurity on SCADA: risk prediction, analysis and reaction tools for Critical Infrastructures

2015



Project Overview

Why a new research project?

1960s US blackout: industrial infrastructures are vulnerable.
1990s Italian electrical outage due to telecommunication failure shows that the interdependency of Critical Infrastructures is a serious problem.
Today, the emergence of sophisticated cyber-attacks shows that our technological societies are more vulnerable than we expected and ensuring security presents a new and primary societal challenge.

CockpitCI proposes to respond to this challenge by promoting a **global awareness approach** in order to:

- Keep infrastructures in operation safely in adverse situations;
- Maintain at least partial operational service rather than total shutdown.

CockpitCI aims to provide a **security and business support solution**, from a purely passive monitoring decision support tool (suited also for legacy systems) to a more sophisticated reactive solution.

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Project Story

Follow-up of the previous FP7 MICIE project
Tool for systemic risk analysis and secure mediation of data exchanged across linked CI information infrastructures

The MICIE project has proved that predictive capability can improve the service level of interdependent CIs in uncertain situations caused by natural vulnerabilities.

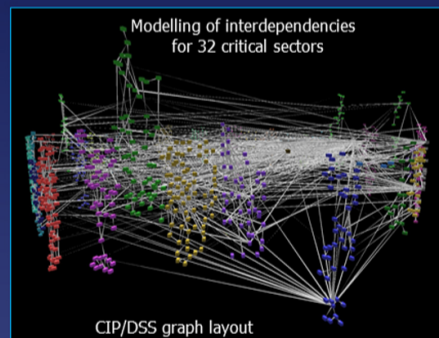
NOT ENOUGH to quickly and effectively react to all adverse events, in particular to face cyber-attacks

The CockpitCI project aims to continue the research performed in the MICIE project and furthermore provide an effective solution to dealing with cyber-attacks on Industrial Control Systems (ICS) including its Control centre, communications networks and field equipment.



Today, taking care of Critical Infrastructure operations and CI interdependencies is **not sufficient**

Stakeholders should consider the impact of **Cyber Threat** to avoid disastrous cascading effects and react before **FATAL ERROR**



Promote a Global Awareness to Improve CI Resilience and Dependability

How?

- ▶ Automatic detection and analysis of cyber threats.
- ▶ Near real-time prediction of operational risk for Critical Infrastructures.
- ▶ Sharing of near real-time relevant info among CI owners to maintain QoS.
- ▶ Use of an IEC customised hybrid validation environment to test systems and strategies.



Specifically: Identification of 6 innovative approaches to enforce SCADA awareness

- ☑ Integrated system
- ☑ Multi-layered Detection Framework
- ☑ Smart RTU
- ☑ Risk Predictor
- ☑ Risk Scenario Modelling
- ☑ Hybrid Validation Approach

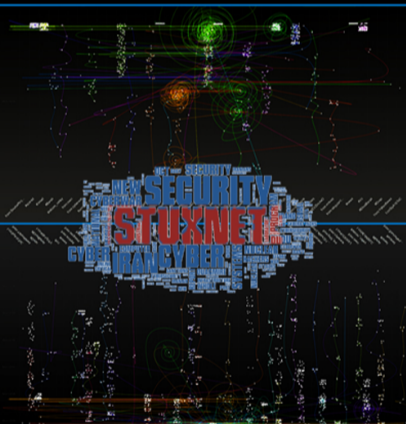
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