

Cybersecurity – A vendors perspective

Architecture, Threat, and Mission

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Agenda

Cyber security from a vendors perspective

- Emphasis on deliberate planning (in line with organisational strategy)
- Accurate requirements specification (practical)
- Regional mandates and customer requirements

Key situational awareness aspects

- Architecture and design (peer review is very important)
- Threat modelling (it assists with risk based decision making)
- Critical Vs Non Critical aspects based on mission objectives

A robust cyber security solution

- Balance technical solution and robust procedures (cost benefit analysis)
- Cybersecure-by-design - security aspects present from the beginning
- Ongoing cyber services

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- Probes & multilevel Gateways
- Analytics platform
- Identity Management System
- Cybersecure architecture

Cyber Security Implementation – Vendor Perspective

Vital that cyber security aspects are included in overall strategic objectives of the project

- Security objectives should be clearly defined and agreed
- Changing security requirements half-way leads to of complications (cost/engineering)

No Gold standard cyber security template that can be tagged on at the end of the strategic planning

- Cyber security solutions must be specific to strategy, operating environment and resources available
- Expectation management from security tools perspective

Cyber security requirements need to be realistic

- What are the constraints? budget/skillset/performance
- Risk based approach (security vs safety)

ATM infrastructure should comply with the national security authority

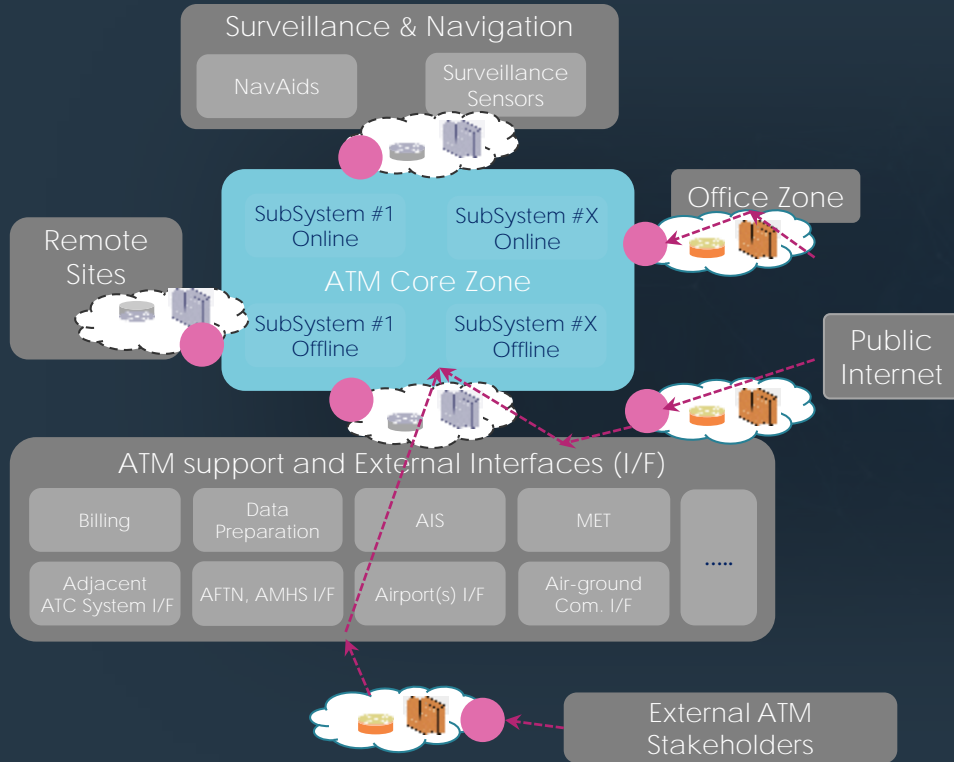
- To be taken into account during requirements gathering
- Good to establish liaison early and bring them along on the journey

Cyber Security Situational Awareness

Architecture – Network Awareness

- Design discipline and Asset management
- Operational Technology Vs Information Technology
- Routine Vulnerability auditing & management
- System Development Life Cycle
- Applicable security control
- Control testing
- Network Zoning

Zone concept applied to ATM



● Assessment points

Refined with the ANSP considering

- Trusted/Untrusted zones
- Security policies including isolations between zones
- Safety objective

Cyber Security Situational Awareness

■ Threat Awareness

- Threat modelling (internal / external – various techniques attack trees / STRIDE etc)
- Developing indicators of warning
- Liaising with cross-industry and cross-government communities (information sharing)
- Purple Teaming
- Very important for making risk-based decisions.

Asset to Threat mapping - STRIDE model

Firmware	Certificates & keys	Credentials	Network Communication	Configuration	Voice Records	Event logs	Device Resources
Code injection (T)	Replace certificate (TE)	Admin impersonation (SRIE)	Impersonation (SRIE)	Tamper config (T)	Tamper records (T)	Tamper system time (TR)	Debug port abuse (TI)
Reverse engineering (I)	Side channel analysis (I)	Replace credentials (T)	Tamper Package (T)	Impersonation (SI)	Impersonation (SI)	Impersonation (SI)	Eavesdropping busses (I)
Break secure state (TIE)	Corrupt certificate (TD)	Side channel analysis (I)	MITM (RI)	Device Disconnected (TD)	Unauthorised access (IE)	Supress / Erase events (TR)	Abuse resources (DE)
FW corruption (TD)		Corrupt certificate (TIE)		Unauthorised Access (IE)		Unauthorised access (IE)	
Escalation of privilege (IE)							

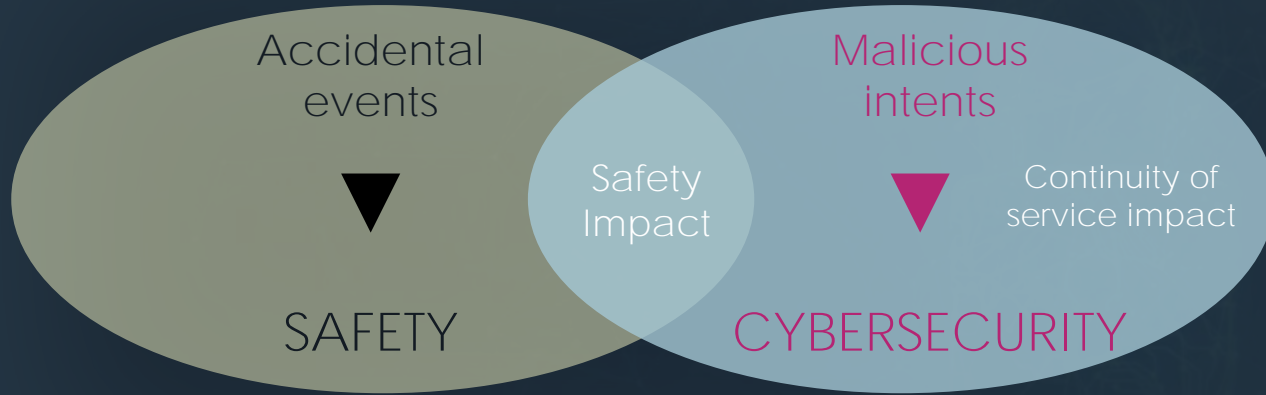
- S Spoofing of user identity
- T Tampering
- R Repudiation
- I Information Disclosure
- D Denial of Service
- E Elevation of Privilege

Cyber Security Situational Awareness

Mission Awareness

- Create a common and comprehensive picture of the critical dependencies
- Test security tools with critical functions (safety/performance)
- If cannot block, then ensure that you can record and monitor (appropriate incident response)
- Communication flow in case of an incident

What makes a good solution? Cybersecurity objective



Summary

- **Cyber objectives aligned with organisation, national requirements, and risk appetite.**
- **System of Systems approach**
- **Maintain cyber security situational awareness**
 - Architecture
 - Threat intelligence & management
 - Mission critical objectives
 - Training and contingency planning



Thank you



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