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## U.S. Department of Energy Cybersecurity for Energy Delivery Systems Research Partnerships

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# **Roadmap – Framework for Collaboration**



- *Energy Sector's* synthesis of energy delivery systems security challenges, R&D needs, and implementation milestones
- Provides strategic framework to
  - align activities to sector needs
  - coordinate public and private programs
  - stimulate investments in energy delivery systems security

#### **Roadmap Vision**

Resilient energy delivery systems are designed, installed, operated, and maintained to survive a cyber incident while sustaining critical functions.

For more information go to: https://energy.gov/oe/cybersecurity-critical-energy-infrastructure





Multiyear Plan for Energy Sector Cybersecurity

- **DOE's strategy** for partnering with industry to protect U.S. energy system from cyber risks
- Guided by direct industry input on cybersecurity needs and priorities
- Market-based approach encourages investment and cost-sharing of promising technologies and practices
- Establishes goals, objectives, and performance targets to improve both near- and long-term energy cybersecurity



# **DOE Strategy for Energy Sector Cybersecurity**





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## Federal Cybersecurity Research and Development Strategic Plan

#### FEDERAL CYBERSECURITY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIC PLAN

#### ENSURING PROSPERITY AND NATIONAL SECURITY

National Science and Technology Council Networking and Information Technology Research and Development Program



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- Deter. The ability to efficiently discourage malicious cyber activities by measuring and increasing costs to adversaries carrying out such activities, diminishing the spoils, and increasing risks and uncertainty for potential adversaries.
- Protect. The ability of components, systems, users, and critical infrastructure to efficiently resist malicious cyber activities and to ensure confidentiality, integrity, availability, and accountability.
- Detect. The ability to efficiently detect, and even anticipate, adversary decisions and activities, given that perfect security is not possible and systems should be assumed to be vulnerable to malicious cyber activities.
- Adapt. The ability of defenders, defenses, and infrastructure to dynamically adapt to malicious cyber activities, by efficiently reacting to disruption, recovering from damage, maintaining operations while completing restoration, and adjusting to thwart similar future activity.



## Coordination with Other Federal Cybersecurity R&D Programs



- Primary mechanism for U.S. Government, unclassified Networking and IT R&D (NITRD) coordination
- Supports Networking and Information Technology policy making in the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP)





# **CEDS Encourages Partnerships**

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## **CEDS Technologies Transitioned to Practice**



#### DOE PIPELINE: Transition R&D to Practice in the Energy Sector

- CEDS R&D supports advanced technologies in the earlier, high-risk/high-reward research stages, for which a business case cannot readily be established by a private sector company and yet are needed to address a national security imperative
- Builds R&D pipeline through partnerships with energy sector utilities, vendors, universities, national laboratories, and providers of cybersecurity services to the energy sector

#### Results

- Successfully transitioned more than 35 tools and technologies used TODAY to help critical energy infrastructure survive a cyber incident
- Approximately 1,000 utilities in 50 states have purchased technologies developed by CEDS



## Cybersecurity that Improves Energy Delivery System Performance

- Quantum Key Distribution (QKD) system that provides cutting-edge security while greatly simplifying the generation, maintenance, and distribution of encryption keys used in energy delivery systems. Uses quantum entangled photons to guarantee tamper detection and provide encryption to secure against even a quantum computing attack. <u>http://qubitekk.com/security/</u>
- Securing advanced metering infrastructure (AMI) and distribution automation (DA) wireless mesh networks with continuous monitoring, anomaly and intrusion detection and prevention. <u>https://www.vencorelabs.com/smartgrid/</u>
- Securing field devices using strong anti-malware and whitelist protection that ensures only approved applications/services/executable are ran and executed and all others all blocked. <u>https://goo.gl/zvL5GF</u>



## Cybersecurity that Improves Energy Delivery System Performance

- A solution to streamline the challenging task of patching/updating devices used in energy delivery control systems. This is particularly important in cases when patches and updates mitigates security vulnerabilities that may be exploited by the adversary. <u>https://www.icsupdate.com/</u>
- Technology that enhances the cyber/physical security that protects both electronic and physical perimeter by monitoring and controlling device assess. <u>https://goo.gl/YTA88J</u>
- Software Defined Networking technology for Energy delivery network that keeps working, even during a cyber-attack, by automatically redirecting communications along a pre-selected, preengineered alternative path. <u>https://selinc.com/solutions/p/softwaredefined-network/</u>



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Roadmap to Achieve Energy Delivery Systems Cybersecurity



Energy Sector Control Systems Working Group Supporting the Dectricity Sub-Sector Coordinating Council, Of and Natural Gas Sector Coordinating Council, and Government Coordinating Council for Energy



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# EPRI Security Metrics for the Electric Sector

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> MGA Webinar June 5, 2018

### **About the Electric Power Research Institute**



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## Industry Trends Impacting Cyber Security Risk

#### **Generation, Transmission & Distribution**

- Real-time situational awareness
- Dynamic supply / demand balancing with DER (DERMS)
- Mobile workforce
- Increased automation and communications

#### Customer

- Self generation (Solar PV, Storage,..)
- Electric vehicles
- IoT devices

#### **Third Parties**

DER and DR aggregators

#### National Security/Resiliency Mindset

Malicious attack or natural catastrophe





## **Cyber Security Investment in Electric Utilities**

- Unmet Need by Electric Utilities in Cyber Security
  - Congressional Testimony of Aaron T. Ford, PSEG
  - PG&E State of the Grid Report 2017
- Cyber Security Investment by Utilities Lagging
  - Bloomsburg News, April 2018
  - E&Y News Release, Jan 2018
  - 2017 Accenture Security Index
- Why there is not enough investment in cyber securi
  - Not clear return
  - No standard methodology to quantify risk reduction brought by the investment
  - Unclear how to prioritize Which one is most important?
  - Concerns for technology debt

#### **Energy Companies Aren't Doing Much to Defend Against Soaring Cyber Attacks**

#### By Naureen S Malik

April 27, 2018 4:00 PM PDT Updated on April 30, 2018 5:32 AM PDT





## **EPRI Cyber Security Metrics for the Electric Sector**

#### **Project Objective**

Create meaningful and engineering-based security metrics for the electric sector. These metrics must:

- 1. Be based on quantitative, repeatable data
- 2. Be **independent of compliance** to mandatory standards
- 3. Allow for **tailoring across the utility**, including various business units, functions, and ownership structures
- 4. Consider differences between IT and OT architectures
- 5. Communicate the **state of cyber security** to different stakeholders

#### **Advantages of Security Metrics**

- Accurate and clear reporting of security posture
- Support continuous improvement beyond the compliance
- Accumulation of knowledge for the data-driven security operations



## **EPRI's Security Metrics**





## **Multi-year Project Plan / Deliverables**





## **EPRI OpenMetCalc**

- Open-source Metric Calculator Tool
- Stand-alone Windows Application
- Functionalities
  - Load data
  - Calculate EPRI security metrics
  - Load EPRI provided reference values
  - Set your own target values
  - Generate a dashboard
  - Compare your metric with target and reference values
  - Export metrics to an Excel file
  - Customizable metric scripts and parameters
- October 2018 public release





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## **Our Vision**





## Resources (www.epri.com)

- 2018 Cyber Security Program Research Portfolio
- CEO Cybersecurity Checklist: A Companion Document to the Electricity Subsector Coordinating Council CEO Cybersecurity Checklist, <u>3002011549</u>
- 2017 Annual Review and Looking Ahead to 2018 Cyber Security (P183), <u>3002012578</u>
- Information, Communication, and Cyber Security Roadmap, 2018, <u>3002011698</u>
- Technical Update 2017 Cyber Security Metrics for the Electric Sector, <u>3002010426</u>
- Electricity Subsector-Cybersecurity Capability Maturity Model (<u>ES-C2M2</u>)
- Technical Results 2015 <u>Electric Sector Failure Scenarios and Impact Analyses</u> Version 3.0
- Substation Security Architecture Reference Diagrams Version 2.0, <u>3002012484</u>
- Guidelines for Planning an Integrated Security Operations Center, <u>3002000374</u>
- Guidelines for Integrating Control Center Systems Into an Integrated Security Operations Center, <u>3002003739</u>





# **Together...Shaping the Future of Electricity**



# **Questions & Answers**



# **Upcoming Webinars**

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