

# Foro sobre el fortalecimiento de la transformación digital en América Latina

7-8 de julio de 2022

Antigua, Guatemala



First of all, congratulations, we have managed to **survive Covid-19**. My respects and condolences to all of us who have lost friends and family in these difficult times.



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## Smart Cities ante el desafío de la seguridad

La ciudad inteligente, escenario clave para el despliegue de las smart OT

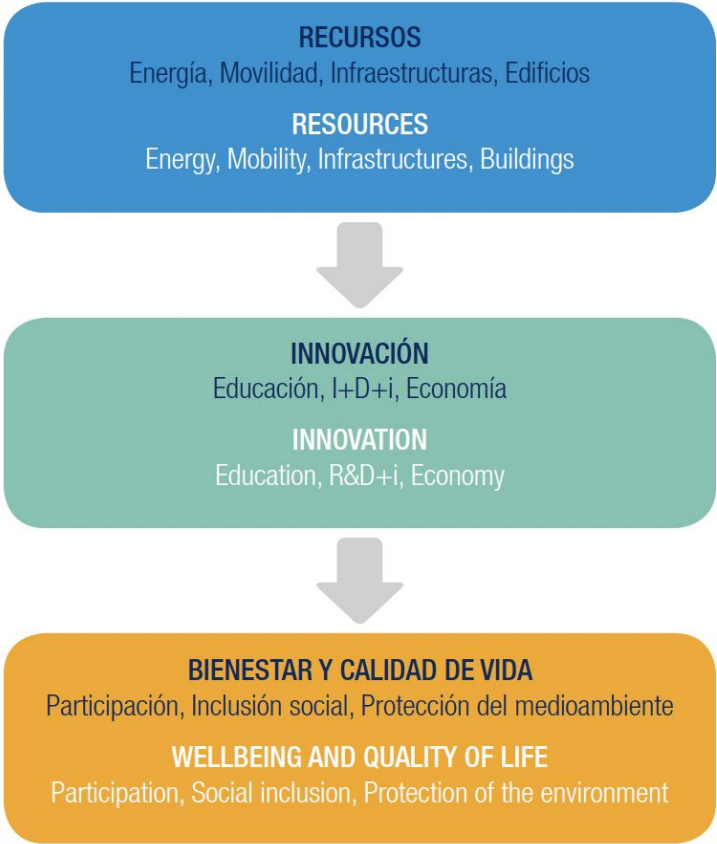
## Smart Cities before the security challenge

Smart cities, key scenario for deploying 'smart OT'

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Se considera que una CIUDAD es INTELIGENTE si ha puesto en marcha iniciativas que aborden problemáticas en los siguientes ámbitos:  
A CITY is considered SMART when it has launched initiatives that deal with issues on the following areas:



Área Area	Proyecto de norma Draft standard	Título Title
<b>Infraestructuras</b> <b>Infrastructures</b>	PNE 178101	Ciudades Inteligentes. Infraestructuras. Métricas para las Redes de los Servicios Públicos <i>Smart Cities. Infrastructures. Metrics for public service networks</i>
	PNE 178102	Ciudades Inteligentes. Infraestructuras. Redes municipales multiservicio <i>Smart Cities. Infrastructures. Multiservice local networks</i>
	PNE 178103	Ciudades Inteligentes. Infraestructuras. Convergencia de los Sistemas de Gestión-Control en una Ciudad Inteligente <i>Smart Cities. Infrastructures. Convergence of management and control systems in a smart city</i>
	PNE 178104	Ciudades Inteligentes. Infraestructuras. Sistemas integrales para una Ciudad Inteligente <i>Smart Cities. Infrastructures. Comprehensive systems for a smart city</i>
	PNE 178105	Ciudades Inteligentes. Infraestructuras. Accesibilidad universal, planeamiento urbano y ordenación del territorio <i>Smart Cities. Infrastructures. Universal access, urban and land use planning</i>
	PNE 178106	Ciudades Inteligentes. Infraestructuras. Guías de Especificaciones para Edificios Públicos <i>Smart Cities. Infrastructures. Specification guidelines for public buildings</i>
<b>Indicadores y Semántica</b> <b>Indicators &amp; Semantics</b>	PNE 178201	Ciudades Inteligentes. Definición, requisitos e indicadores <i>Smart Cities. Definition, requirements and indicators</i>
<b>Gobierno</b> <b>Government</b>	PNE 178301	Ciudades Inteligentes. Datos Abiertos (Open Data) <i>Smart Cities. Open Data.</i>
	PNE 178303	Ciudades Inteligentes. Gestión de activos de la ciudad. Especificaciones <i>Smart Cities. Management of the city's assets. Specifications.</i>
<b>Movilidad</b> <b>Mobility</b>	PNE 178302	Ciudades Inteligentes. Interoperabilidad de puntos de recarga. Requisitos mínimos para considerar interoperable una infraestructura de recarga de vehículos eléctricos <i>Smart Cities. Interoperability of charging stations. Minimum requirements for the interoperability of electric vehicles recharging infrastructures</i>
<b>Medio Ambiente</b> <b>Environment</b>	PNE 178401	Ciudades Inteligentes. Alumbrado público. Tipología de telecontrol según zonificación <i>Smart Cities. Street lighting. Remote control typology according to zoning</i>
<b>Destinos Turísticos</b> <b>Tourist destinations</b>	PNE 178501	Sistema de gestión de los destinos turísticos inteligentes. Requisitos <i>Management systems for smart tourist destinations. Requirements.</i>
	PNE 178502	Indicadores de los destinos turísticos inteligentes <i>Indicators of smart tourist destinations</i>

Tabla 1: Proyectos de Norma Española impulsados desde el comité AEN/CTN 178 (Fuente: AENOR)

Table 1: Spanish Draft Standards by the AEN/CTN 178 Committee (Source: AENOR)

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# Ventana de Exposición al Riesgo

## Época de Oscuridad

Existe la vulnerabilidad pero nadie la conoce

## Zero-Day Exploit disponible

La forma de explotar la vulnerabilidad se hace pública

## Parche Aplicado

Se aplica un parche para corregir la vulnerabilidad en los sistemas

## Zero-Day

La vulnerabilidad es conocida y algunos ya conocen como explotarla

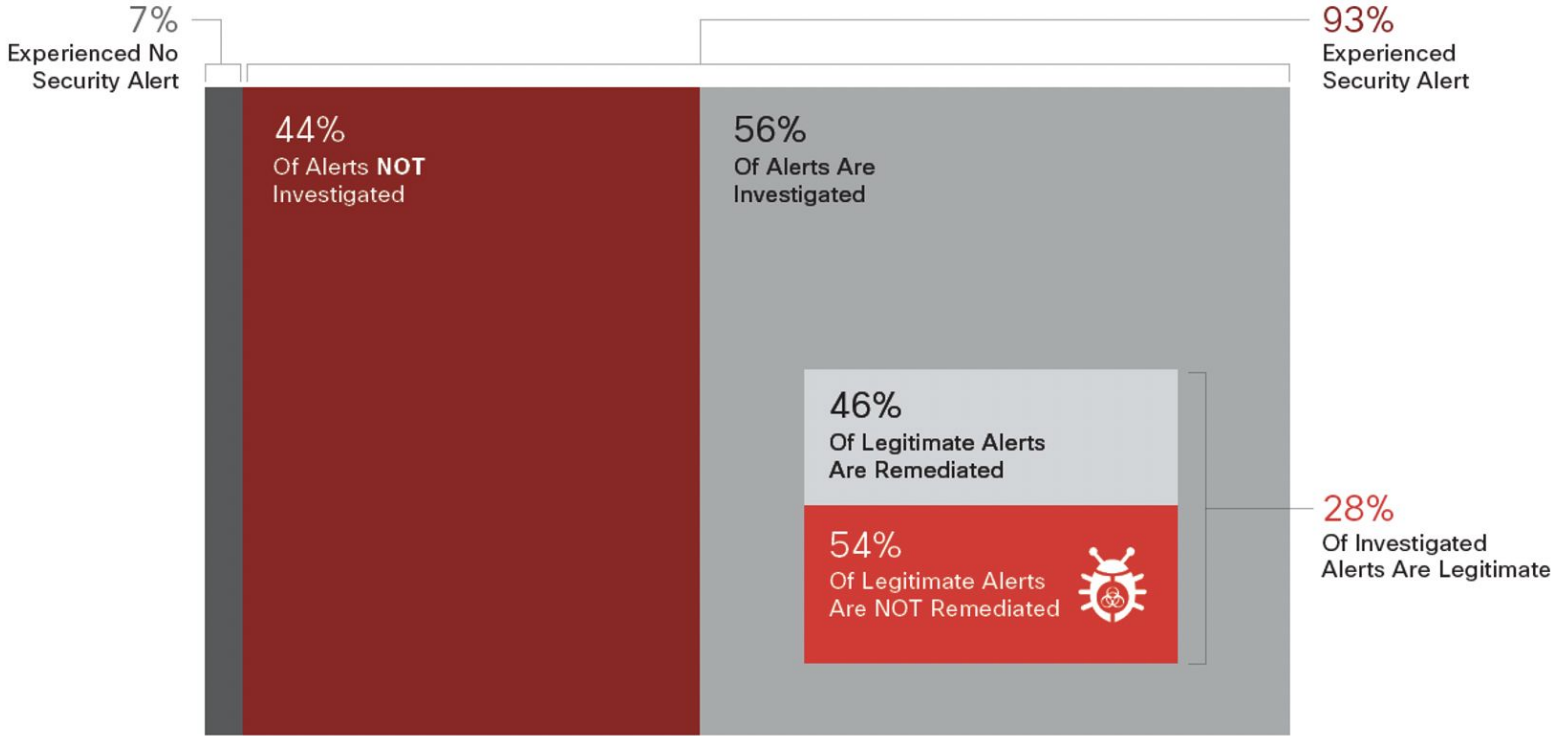
## Parche Disponible

Se disponibiliza un parche en el mercado que corrige la vulnerabilidad

**Ventana de completa de exposición al riesgo**

**100% Responsabilidad** de la organización  
(Administradores + Management)

# Alertas



TOTAL RESULTS

598

TOP COUNTRIES



Paraguay 598

TOP CITIES

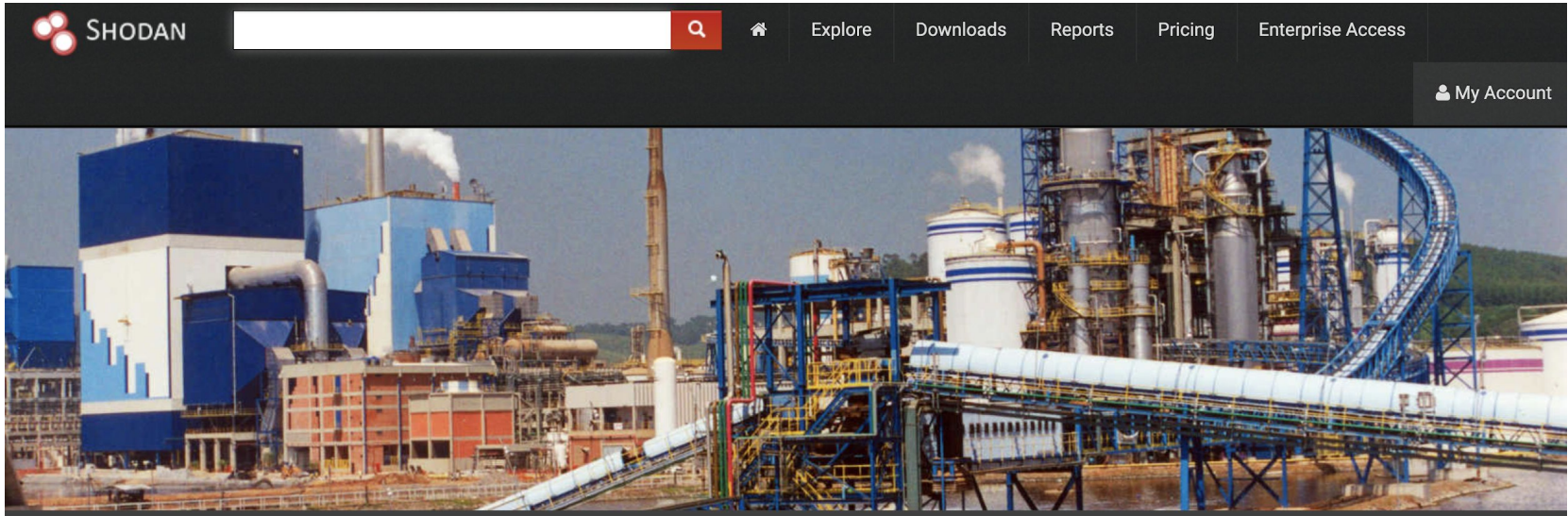
- San Alberto 301
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SHODAN

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## Industrial Control Systems

## Protocols

The following protocols are some of the languages that the industrial control systems use to communicate across the Internet. Many of them were developed before the Internet became widely used, which is why Internet-accessible ICS devices don't always require authentication - it isn't part of the protocol!



Modbus is a popular protocol for industrial control systems (ICS). It provides easy, raw access to the control system without requiring any authentication.

[Explore Modbus](#)



S7 (S7 Communication) is a Siemens proprietary protocol that runs between programmable logic controllers (PLCs) of the Siemens S7 family.

[Explore Siemens S7](#)



DNP3 (Distributed Network Protocol) is a set of communications protocols used between components in process automation systems. Its main use is in utilities such as electric and water companies.

[Explore DNP3](#)



The Fox protocol, developed as part of the Niagara framework from Tridium, is most commonly seen in building automation systems (offices, libraries, Universities, etc.)

[Explore Niagara Fox](#)



BACnet is a communications protocol for building automation and control networks. It was designed to allow communication of building automation and control systems for applications such as heating, air-conditioning, lighting, and fire detection systems.

[Explore BACnet](#)



EtherNet/IP was introduced in 2001 and is an industrial Ethernet network solution available for manufacturing automation.

[Explore EtherNet/IP](#)



Service Request Transport Protocol (GE-SRTP) protocol is developed by GE Intelligent Platforms (earlier GE Fanuc) for transfer of data from PLCs.

[Explore GE-SRTP](#)



The HART Communications Protocol (Highway Addressable Remote Transducer Protocol) is an early implementation of Fieldbus, a digital industrial automation protocol. Its most notable advantage is that it can communicate over legacy wiring.

[Explore HART-IP](#)



PCWorx is a protocol and program by Phoenix Contact used by a wide range of industries.

[Explore PCWorx](#)

# Alertas

ICSM-21-355-01 : Fresenius Kabi Agilia Connect Infusion System  
ICSA-21-355-01 : mySCADA myPRO  
ICSA-21-355-02 : Horner Automation Cscape EnvisionRV  
ICSA-21-355-03 : WECON LeviStudioU  
ICSA-21-355-04 : Emerson DeltaV  
ICSA-21-348-02 : Schneider Electric Rack PDU (Update A)  
ICSA-21-350-01 : Xylem AquaView  
ICSA-21-350-02 : Delta Electronics CNCSoft  
ICSA-21-350-03 : Wibu-Systems CodeMeter Runtime  
ICSA-21-350-04 : Mitsubishi Electric GX Works2  
ICSA-21-350-05 : Mitsubishi Electric FA Engineering Software  
ICSA-21-350-06 : Siemens Capital VSTAR  
ICSA-21-350-07 : Siemens POWER METER SICAM Q100  
ICSA-21-350-08 : Siemens JTTK and JT Utilities  
ICSA-21-350-09 : Siemens SINUMERIK Edge  
ICSA-21-350-10 : Siemens JT2Go and Teamcenter Visualization  
ICSA-21-350-11 : Siemens SIMATIC eaSie PCS 7 Skill Package  
ICSA-21-350-12 : Siemens SIMATIC ITC  
ICSA-21-350-13 : Siemens Questa and ModelSim  
ICSA-21-350-14 : Siemens Siveillance Identity  
ICSA-21-350-15 : Siemens Simcenter STAR-CCM+ Viewer  
ICSA-21-350-16 : Siemens Healthineers syngo fastView  
ICSA-21-350-17 : Siemens JT Utilities and JT Open Toolkit  
ICSA-21-350-18 : Siemens Teamcenter Active Workspace  
ICSA-21-350-19 : Siemens SiPass Integrated

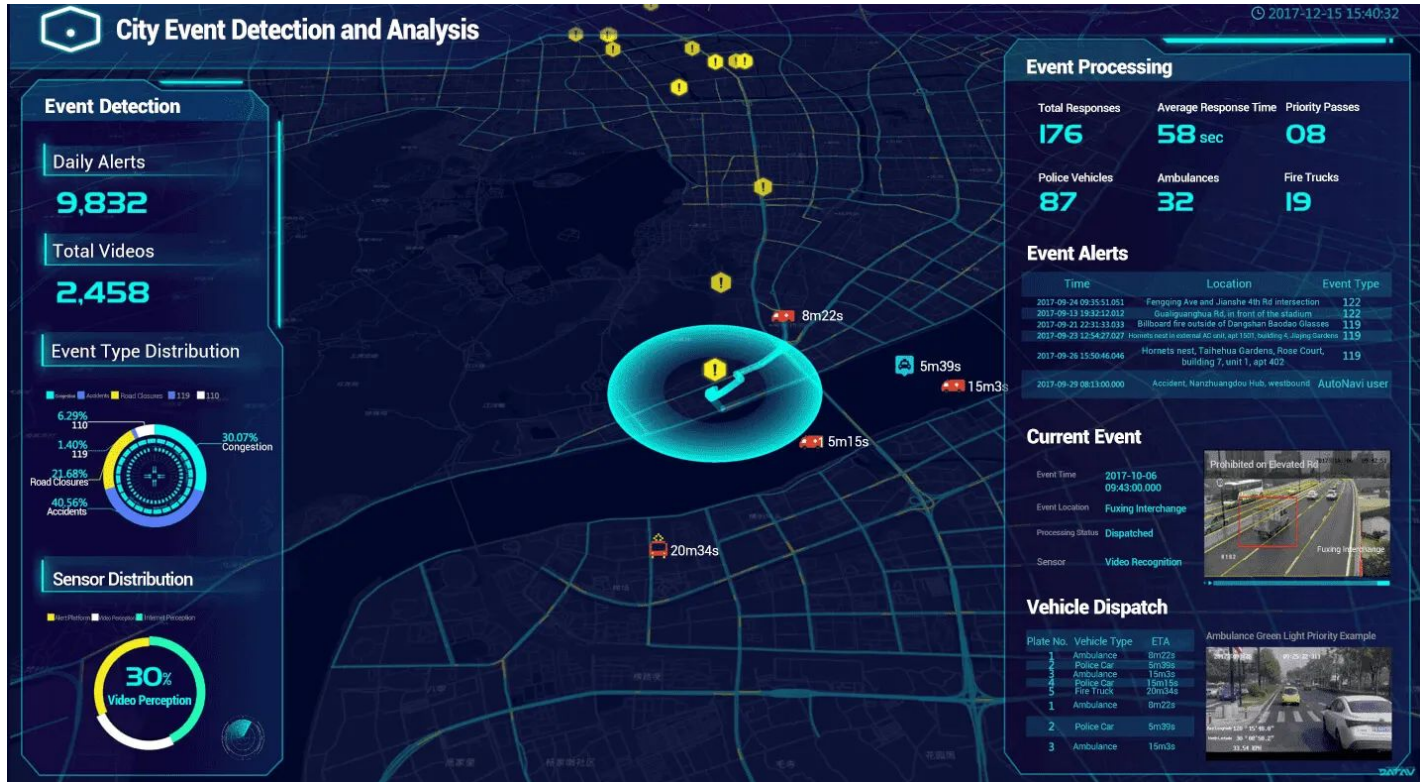
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ICS-ALERT-20-217-01 : Robot Motion Servers  
ICS-ALERT-20-063-01 : SweynTooth Vulnerabilities  
ICS-ALERT-19-225-01 : Mitsubishi Electric Europe B.V. smartRTU and INEA ME-RTU (Update A)  
ICS-ALERT-19-211-01 : CAN Bus Network Implementation in Avionics  
ICS-ALERT-19-162-01 : DICOM Standard in Medical Devices  
ICS-ALERT-18-011-01 : Meltdown and Spectre Vulnerabilities (Update J)  
ICS-ALERT-17-341-01 : WAGO PFC200  
ICS-ALERT-17-216-01 : Eaton ELCSOFT Vulnerabilities  
ICS-ALERT-17-209-01 : CAN Bus Standard Vulnerability  
ICS-ALERT-17-206-01 : CRASHOVERRIDE Malware  
ICS-ALERT-17-181-01C : Petya Malware Variant (Update C)  
ICS-ALERT-17-135-01I : Indicators Associated With WannaCry Ransomware (Update I)  
ICS-ALERT-17-102-01A : BrickerBot Permanent Denial-of-Service Attack (Update A)  
ICS-ALERT-17-089-01 : Miele Professional PG 8528 Vulnerability  
ICS-ALERT-17-073-01A : MEMS Accelerometer Hardware Design Flaws (Update A)  
ICS-ALERT-16-286-01 : Sierra Wireless Mitigations Against Mirai Malware  
ICS-ALERT-16-263-01 : BINOM3 Electric Power Quality Meter Vulnerabilities  
ICS-ALERT-16-256-01 : FENIKS PRO Elnet Energy Meter Vulnerabilities  
ICS-ALERT-16-256-02 : Schneider Electric ION Power Meter CSRF Vulnerability  
IR-ALERT-L-16-230-01 : Navis WebAccess SQL Injection Exploitation  
ICS-ALERT-16-230-01 : Navis WebAccess SQL Injection Vulnerability  
ICS-ALERT-16-182-01 : Sierra Wireless AirLink Raven XE and XT Gateway Vulnerabilities  
ICS-ALERT-16-099-01B : Moxa NPort Device Vulnerabilities (Update B)  
IR-ALERT-H-16-056-01 : Cyber-Attack Against Ukrainian Critical Infrastructure  
ICS-ALERT-15-288-01 : SDG Technologies Plug and Play SCADA XSS Vulnerability

<https://us-cert.cisa.gov/ics/alerts>

# In China, Alibaba's data-hungry AI is controlling (and watching) cities

City Brain monitors every vehicle in the Chinese city of Hangzhou, and has helped reduce traffic jams by 15 per cent. Now it is heading for Kuala Lumpur.



<https://www.wired.co.uk/article/alibaba-city-brain-artificial-intelligence-china-kuala-lumpur>

An aerial night view of a city with glowing data lines overlaid. The city lights are visible in the background, and the data lines are white and blue, connecting various points across the city. The overall scene is dark with a blue and white color palette.

Machine Intelligence

# City Brain Lab

The City Brain Lab is committed to building new infrastructure for future cities by using data, also opening up a “pipeline” of city data. The solutions have been deployed in Hangzhou, Suzhou, Shanghai, Macau, Malaysia and etc., which assists to solve problems of transportation, security, municipal construction, urban planning and etc. Framework “City Brain” is one of the largest public artificial intelligence systems worldwide.

## Hangzhou:

City Brain systems achieve a recognition accuracy rate of more than 92% in video inspection. The systems are connected to a network of traffic lights to automate traffic control and management. With the help of City Brain systems, the transportation speed is increased by 15%, and route optimization for special vehicles, such as ambulances and fire trucks, is increased by 50%. Also, the average forecast deviation for passenger traffic at the entrances and exits of subway stations at a granularity of 10 minutes is lower than 15 persons.






## SECURE SMART CITIES

The Secure Smart Cities team is a community focused initiative of the National Cyber Security Center 501(c)3. The strategy of the secure Smart Cities team is to garner interest of potential strategic partners, and spark innovative ideas. Smart city initiatives are becoming ubiquitous across the nation as population numbers continue to rise in urban environments and they are expected to jump from 54% to 66% by the middle of the century. In order to prepare for this transformation, cities are looking for answers to aid in the efficiency of transportation, housing, public health, and water. Those answers lie in the integration and interoperability of the Internet of Things (IoT) and Smart Technology, but this solution leaves the privacy and data of a city's critical infrastructure and the citizens more vulnerable to cyber attacks than ever before.



<b>Smart City Concepts</b>	<b>Brief Description of Concept</b>
<b>Advanced Metering Infrastructure</b>	Integrated system of smart meters, communications networks and data management systems.
<b>Connected Vehicle Platform</b>	Enabling the adoption of Connected vehicles in urban environment.
<b>Microgrids</b>	Integrated power delivery system.
<b>Enhanced Engagement</b>	Publish city-owned data & modernize citizen request process.
<b>Smart Building Management System</b>	Making buildings more efficient through automation and integration.
<b>Smart Kiosks</b>	Integrating wayfinding and other user-friendly information in the downtown core.
<b>Smart Parking</b>	Improving the efficiency and customer interaction with parking.
<b>Smart Payment Solutions</b>	Payment integration system for various modes of transportation.
<b>Smart Security systems</b>	Adopting cutting edge technologies for the benefit of public safety.
<b>Smart Streetlights</b>	Converting existing streetlight infrastructure with sensor-capable LED lighting.
<b>Smart Transportation</b>	Integrating smart technologies into long term transportation planning.


The City of Colorado Springs  
&  
Colorado Springs Utilities  
Smart City Strategy



NORTHEAST COLORADO SPRINGS  
EAST COLORADO SPRINGS  
Colorado Springs


**In Progress**

Smart street sweeper and snowplow pilot project




**Complete**

Weather Sensor Pilot Project




**Complete**

SmartCOS smart streetlight pilot project



**Planning Phase**

Electric Vehicle Readiness Plan



**Complete**

Quad Research Project

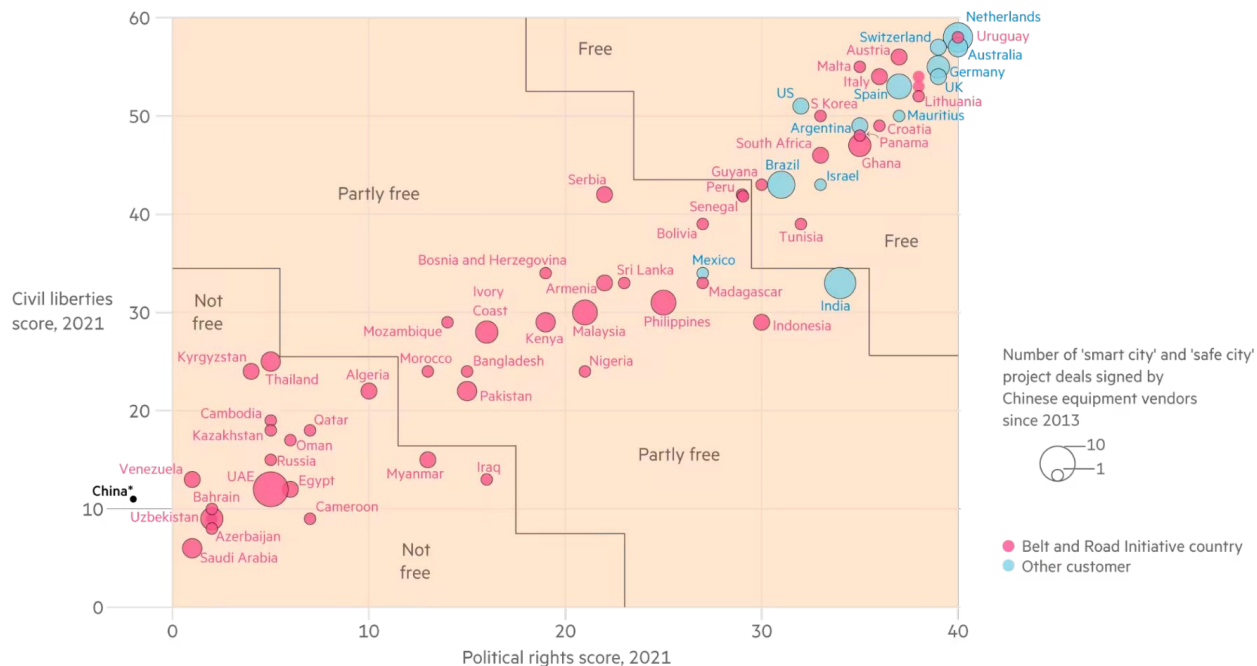


**Planning Phase**

Waste & Recycling Survey

The City of Colorado Springs  
&  
Colorado Springs Utilities  
Smart City Strategy

## Authoritarian regimes are keen on China's surveillance technology — but they are not the only customers



\*It is possible for a country's political rights score to be less than zero  
Graphic: Alan Smith Sources: RWR Advisory, Freedom House  
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# Exporting Chinese surveillance: the security risks of ‘smart cities’

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Critics say the technology can be a tool for ‘digital authoritarianism’ and leaves countries vulnerable to cyber attack

## International Context

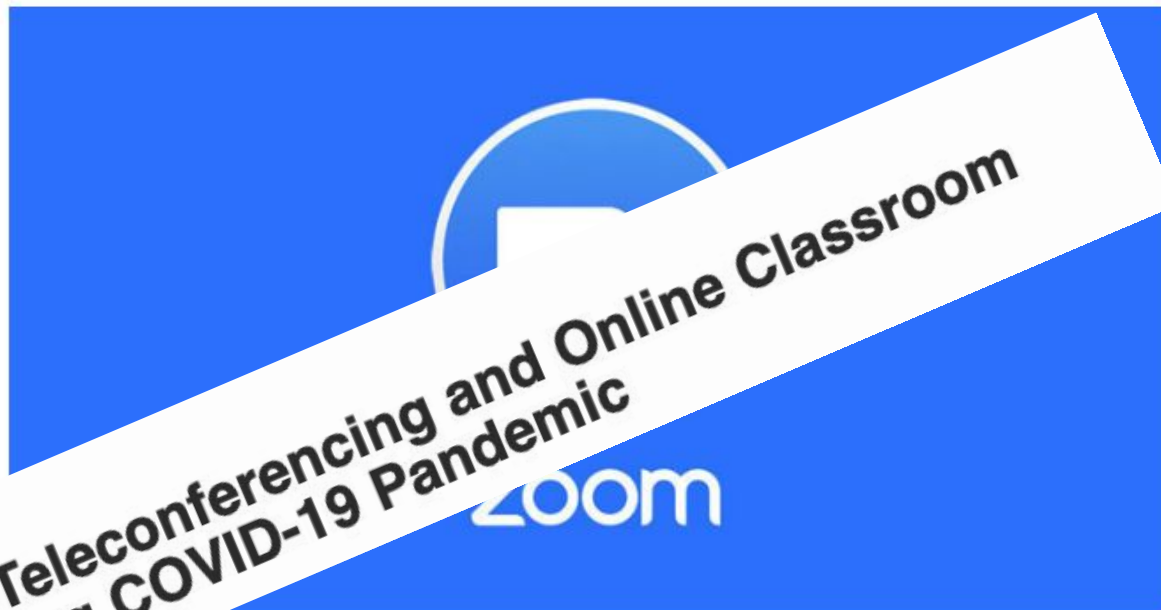
500,000 Hacked Zoom  
Accounts Given Away For Free  
On The Dark Web

March 30, 2020

**FBI Warns of Teleconferencing and Online Classroom  
Hijacking During COVID-19 Pandemic**

Popular video conferencing service Zoom has resolved as many as four security vulnerabilities, which could be exploited to compromise another user over chat by sending specially crafted Extensible Messaging and Presence Protocol (XMPP) messages and execute malicious code.

Tracked from CVE-2022-22784 through CVE-2022-22787, the issues range between 5.9 and 8.1 in severity. Ivan Fratric of Google Project Zero has been credited with discovering and reporting all the four flaws in February 2022.



## International Context



**> 500,000**

Between February and May 2020 more than half a million people globally were affected by breaches in which the personal data of video conferencing users was stolen and sold on the dark web.

## International Context

*“Cybercriminals are developing and boosting their attacks at an alarming pace, exploiting the fear and uncertainty caused by the unstable social and economic situation created by COVID-19.”*

Jürgen Stock, INTERPOL Secretary General

**INTERPOL report shows alarming rate of cyberattacks during COVID-19**

4 August 2020



# Ransomware attack leads to shutdown of major U.S. pipeline system

The attack on top U.S. operator Colonial Pipeline appears to have been carried out by an Eastern European-based criminal gang







Argentinian e-commerce giant Mercado Libre has confirmed "unauthorized access" to a part of its source code this week.

Mercado additionally says data of around 300,000 of its users was accessed by threat actors.

The company's announcement follows a poll by the data extortion group, Lapsus\$ in which they threatened to leak data allegedly stolen from Mercado and other prominent companies.

**Source:** <https://www.bleepingcomputer.com/news/security/e-commerce-giant-mercado-libre-confirms-source-code-data-breach/>

LAPSUS\$

**\*\*What should we leak next?\***

Anonymous Poll

- Vodafone source code - around 5000 github repos. 200gb or so compressed
- Impresa source code and databases.
- MercadoLibre and MercadoPago source code - 24000 repos





En febrero, CISA publicó un informe que describe un ataque de ransomware en una instalación de compresión de gas natural, que provocó el cierre de las operaciones en la instalación.

"el aumento de las capacidades y la actividad de adversarios, la importancia crítica para la seguridad nacional de EE. UU. Y la vulnerabilidad de los sistemas OT, la infraestructura civil se convierte en objetivos atractivos para los actores extranjeros".



REUTERS

El 23 de diciembre de 2015, tres empresas regionales de distribución de electricidad de Ucrania, Kyivoblenergo, Prykarpattyaoblenergo y Chernivtsioblenergo, sufrieron cortes de energía debido a un ciberataque.

Ukraine has been forced to turn to back-up power sources in recent months following a spate of power cuts

- Infraestructuras críticas protegidas vs no protegidas no se diferencian en el ciberespacio
- Infraestructuras críticas humanitarias no tienen forma de ser “marcadas” en el ciberespacio
- Diferenciar objetivos civiles vs militares también es muy complejo
- Actores no estatales puede obtener alto poder en el ciberespacio
- Las ciberarmas poseen atributos no contemplados en leyes de guerra
- El desarrollo de ciberarmas se mantiene en secreto
- Las ciberoperaciones pueden mantenerse secretas e indetectables

1  ↔ United States

PwrIndx: 0.0818, GFP Affiliations: North America; NATO; Apacific

2  ↔ Russia

PwrIndx: 0.0841, GFP Affiliations: Apacific; EasternEuro; Asia

3  ↔ China

PwrIndx: 0.0852, GFP Affiliations: Apacific; Asia

4  ↔ India

PwrIndx: 0.1417, GFP Affiliations: Apacific; Asia

5  ↔ France

PwrIndx: 0.1869, GFP Affiliations: Europe; NATO; European Union

**TOTAL POPULATION:** 326,625,791

**AVAILABLE MANPOWER:** 145,215,000

**FIT-FOR-SERVICE:** 120,025,000

**REACHING MILITARY AGE ANNUALLY:** 4,220,000

**TOTAL MILITARY PERSONNEL:** 2,083,100

**ACTIVE PERSONNEL:** 1,281,900

**RESERVE PERSONNEL:** 801,200

**TOTAL AIRCRAFT STRENGTH:** 13,362

**FIGHTERS:** 1,962

**ATTACK:** 2,830

**TRANSPORTS:** 5,248

**TRAINERS:** 2,856

**TOTAL HELICOPTER STRENGTH:** 5,758

**ATTACK HELICOPTERS:** 973

**TOTAL NAVAL ASSETS:** 415\*

**AIRCRAFT CARRIERS:** 20

**FRIGATES:** 10

**DESTROYERS:** 65

**CORVETTES:** 0

**SUBMARINES:** 66

**PATROL VESSELS:** 13

**MINE WARFARE:** 11

Fuente: <https://www.globalfirepower.com>



- Una falla en los sistemas de Infraestructuras Críticas puede tener consecuencias catastróficas.
- Al aumentar las dependencias entre los diferentes sistemas, como por ejemplo, el suministro de agua depende de la electricidad para las estaciones de bombeo, la banca moderna que depende de las TIC y los servicios de bomberos que dependen del suministro de agua.
- Los efectos en cascada de una avería en un sistema en otros sistemas interconectados también deben contemplarse.
- Surge de la necesidad de minimizar las interrupciones críticas del servicio, los accidentes y, en particular, las fallas en cascada.



90% of OT security teams  
suffered at least one  
damaging cyber-attack  
in the last two years

Source: Ponemon



LA PROTECCIÓN DE  
INFRAESTRUCTURAS CRÍTICAS  
Y LA CIBERSEGURIDAD  
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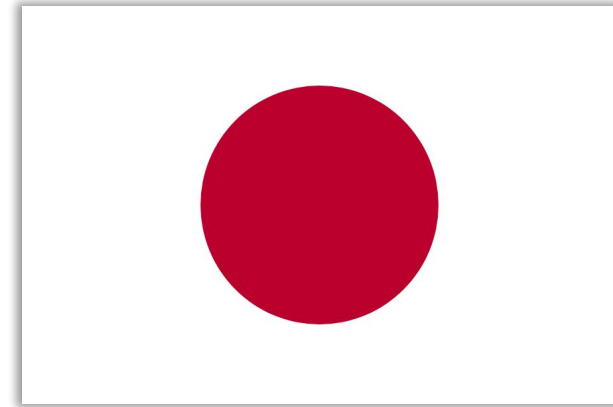
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- Comunicaciones y TICs
- Servicios de Emergencia y Rescate
- Energía/Electricidad
- Servicios de Salud
- Alimentos
- Transporte/Logística/Distribución
- Suministro de Agua



**Australia**



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- Manufactura Crítica
- Represas Hidroeléctricas
- Bases de Defensa Industrial
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- Sistemas de Transporte
- Suministro de Agua y Limpieza de Aguas



## Estados Unidos

### National Infrastructure Protection Plan:

<https://www.dhs.gov/sites/default/files/publications/national-infrastructure-protection-plan-2013-508.pdf>

## Potential Increased Sources of Vulnerability

1. Most financial sector firms have already been using remote access facilities, however, **installed capacities may not have been enough to support most of the workforce** simultaneously, which increases potential security risks.
2. Cloud technologies are increasingly implemented and used to quickly deal with higher capacity needs. Under time and resource pressures, **inherent security risks coming with the usage of cloud services might not have been properly assessed** and existing controls might not be fully effective
3. Employees unfamiliar with working remotely and under stress caused by the pandemic, **can become easy targets of phishing** and social engineering attacks.
4. **Insecure endpoints** and **weak remote access authentication** are two main elements that increase the risk of such attacks succeeding.

## WFH Challenges





## Personal Laptops



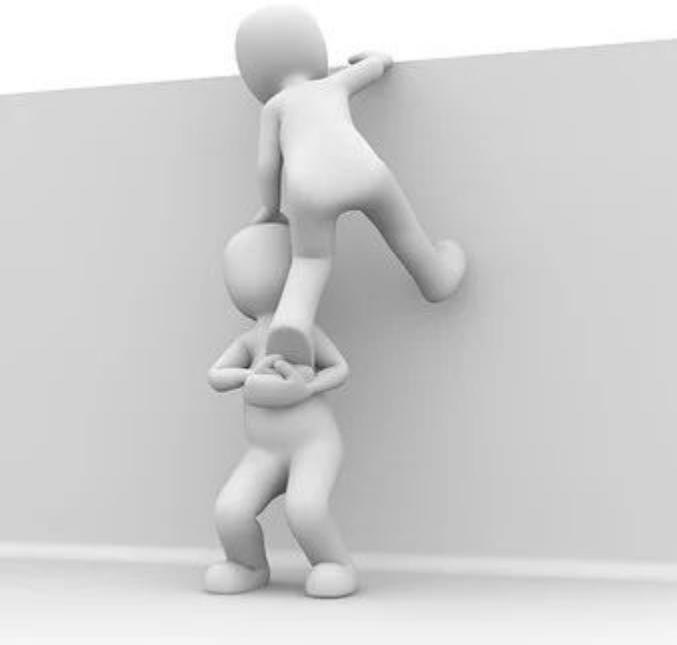
## VPN Access & Secure Remote access



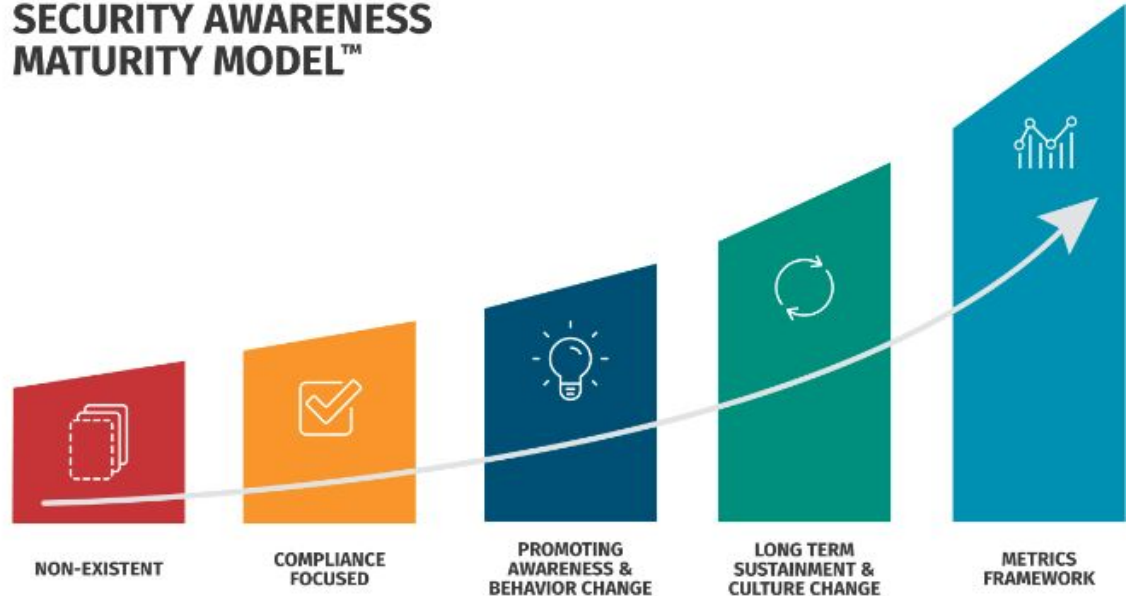
## Zero Trust!



## Trainings & Cybersecurity Awareness



### SECURITY AWARENESS MATURITY MODEL™



# Incident Response



Far from home



No way home



## No way home



**47% of individuals fall for phishing scams while working at home**



hybrid?

"Anyone who wishes to do remote work must be in the office for a minimum (and I mean \*minimum\*) of 40 hours per week or depart Tesla. This is less than we ask of factory workers," Musk wrote, adding that the office must be the employee's primary workplace where the other workers they regularly interact with are based — "not a remote branch office unrelated to the job duties."



## The cyber threat landscape is diverse

- **Malicious employees working from home with less supervision and fewer technical controls** may be tempted to carry out a fraud or other criminal activity
- Cybercriminals recognize that the **data security measures currently in place are ‘not fit for purpose’ or sufficiently robust** to prevent them from making successful cyberattacks
- The activities of **hacktivists** (hackers fighting for social and political issues) are adding to the cybersecurity threats
- **Script kiddies** (‘junior’ hackers with less technical skills) are testing out cyberattack packages on a variety of organizations and improving their skills.

During the pandemic, companies had to quickly adapt to new working conditions and thus opened new doors and more possibilities for cybercriminals. According to the European Union Agency for Cybersecurity, there are nine prime threat groups:

- **Ransomware** – attackers encrypt an organisation’s data and require payment to restore access
- **Cryptojacking** – when cybercriminals secretly use a victim’s computing power to generate cryptocurrency
- **Threats against data** – data breaches/leaks
- **Malware** – a software, which triggers a process that affects a system
- **Disinformation/misinformation** – the spread of misleading information
- **Non-malicious threats** – human errors and misconfigurations of a system
- **Threats against availability and integrity** – attacks that prevent the users of a system from accessing their information
- **Email-related threats** – aims at manipulating people to fall victims to an email attack
- **Supply chain threats** – attacking, for example a service provider, in order to gain access to a customer's data

## Desafíos de proteger una ciudad inteligente

- Ciberseguridad pobre o inexistente, en términos generales.
- Proveedores de tecnología que dificultan o imposibilitan la investigación en ciberseguridad.
- Existencia de superficies de ataque grandes y complejas.
- Falta de evaluaciones de seguridad (auditorías u otras) sobre las tecnologías.
- Existencia de sistemas heredados inseguros.
- Existencia de problemas con las actualizaciones de software.
- Existencia de problemas de cifrado.
- Susceptibilidad a ataques de denegación de servicio.
- Aparición de problemas simples, con gran impacto.
- Problemas en el seno de la Administración (carencia de un adecuado gobierno corporativo u otros).
- Falta de planes de emergencia contra ciberataques.
- Carencia de equipos de respuesta a incidentes.

## Recomendaciones para proteger una ciudad inteligente

- Crear una lista de verificación de los principales aspectos de seguridad que deben cumplir las tecnologías a utilizar, como: cifrado, autenticación, autorización, actualización de software fácil y segura, etc.
- Restringir el acceso a los datos generados por los sistemas de la ciudad. Requerir el registro y la aprobación previos antes de usar los datos. Supervisar el acceso y uso de dichos datos.
- Realizar un modelado completo de las posibles amenazas a los sistemas de la ciudad para conocerlas y disponer las medidas de protección adecuadas.
- Realizar, periódicamente, pruebas de seguridad en los servicios y redes de la ciudad para detectar posibles problemas.
- Solicitar a los proveedores una documentación exhaustiva sobre la seguridad de sus productos. Asegurarse de que los contratos de servicio incluyan una solución, en tiempo y forma, ante problemas de seguridad; así como una rápida respuesta en caso de incidente.
- Solventar los problemas de seguridad tan pronto como sean detectados. Cuando aquellos se deban a un ataque, cualquier demora podrá ser aprovechada por los atacantes para causar graves problemas en los sistemas de la ciudad.
- Poner en marcha mecanismos manuales de respaldo en los servicios críticos de la ciudad. ¡Evitar depender sólo de la tecnología!
- Poner en marcha y anunciar servicios y procedimientos de respaldo a usar en caso de ciberataques. Definir canales de comunicación formales a utilizar para asegurar una buena comunicación en caso de incidentes.

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