

# Cyber defence tools: Operational to the strategic

A NATO CCDCOE perspective

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# Agenda

1. Cyber Defence tools – an operational perspective
2. Cyber Defence tools – a strategic and policy perspective

# Cyberspace - Terms and definitions

## ENISA Cyberspace Definition:

Cyber space is the time-dependent set of tangible and intangible assets, which store and/or transfer electronic information.



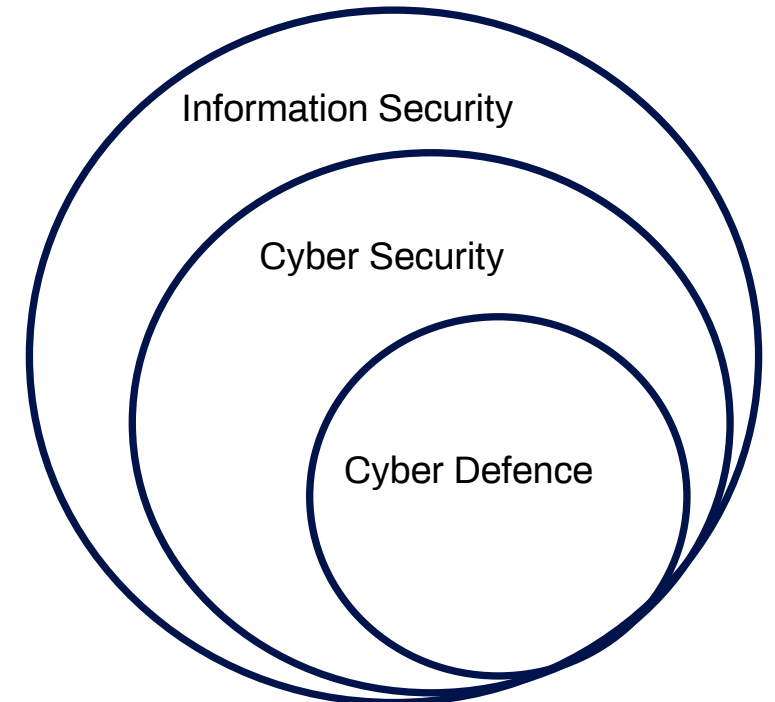
Cyber Security

Threat Agnostic



Cyber Defence

Threat Specific



# Cyberspace – Understanding the Operational Environment

## Cyber Defence: Cyberspace terrain Analysis.

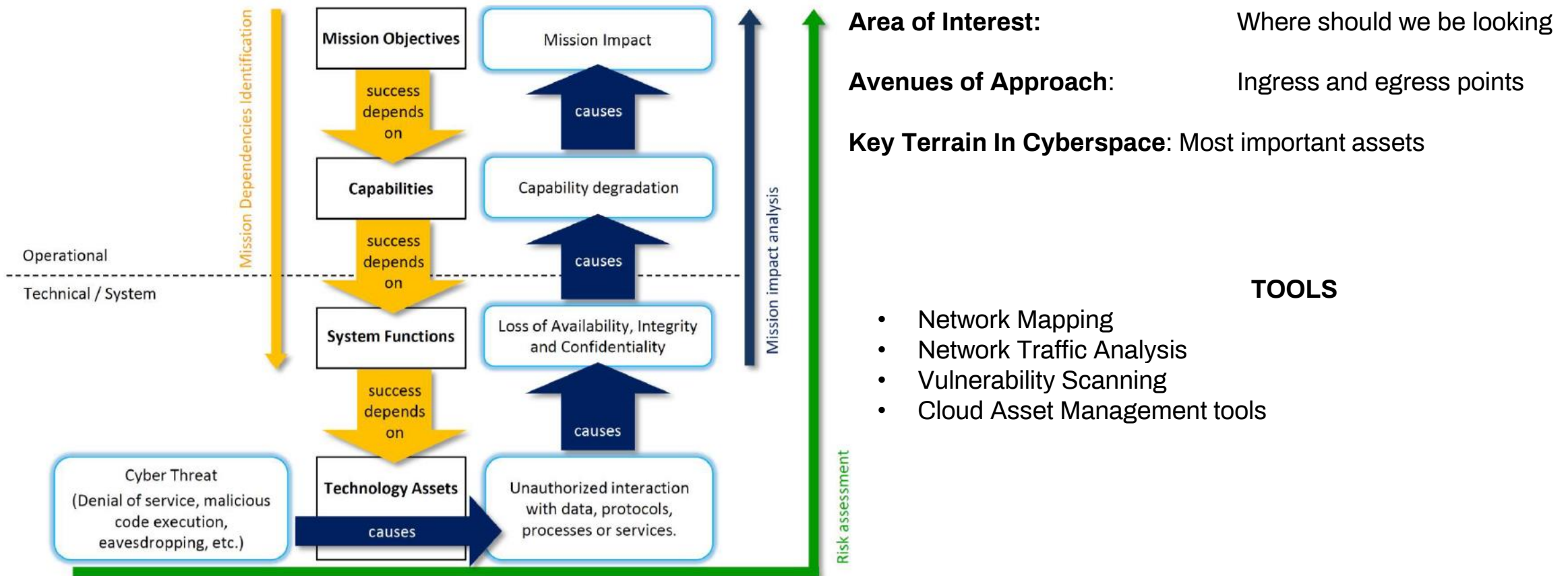


Figure 1: Cyber Mission Assurance model.

# Cyberspace – Understanding the Operational Environment

## Cyber Defence: Threat Actor Analysis

- A small number which specifically focus on our industry / successfully attacked
- Identify most likely Threat actors to target us for what reason and how



- **Background:** STATE – NON STATE actors in our Geographical area and industry
- **Motivation:** Geopolitical / Financial
- **Victims:** Cyber attacks in our Industry
- **TTPs:** How

### TOOLS

Cyber Threat Intelligence Platforms: Which Focus on Threat Actors and Motivation

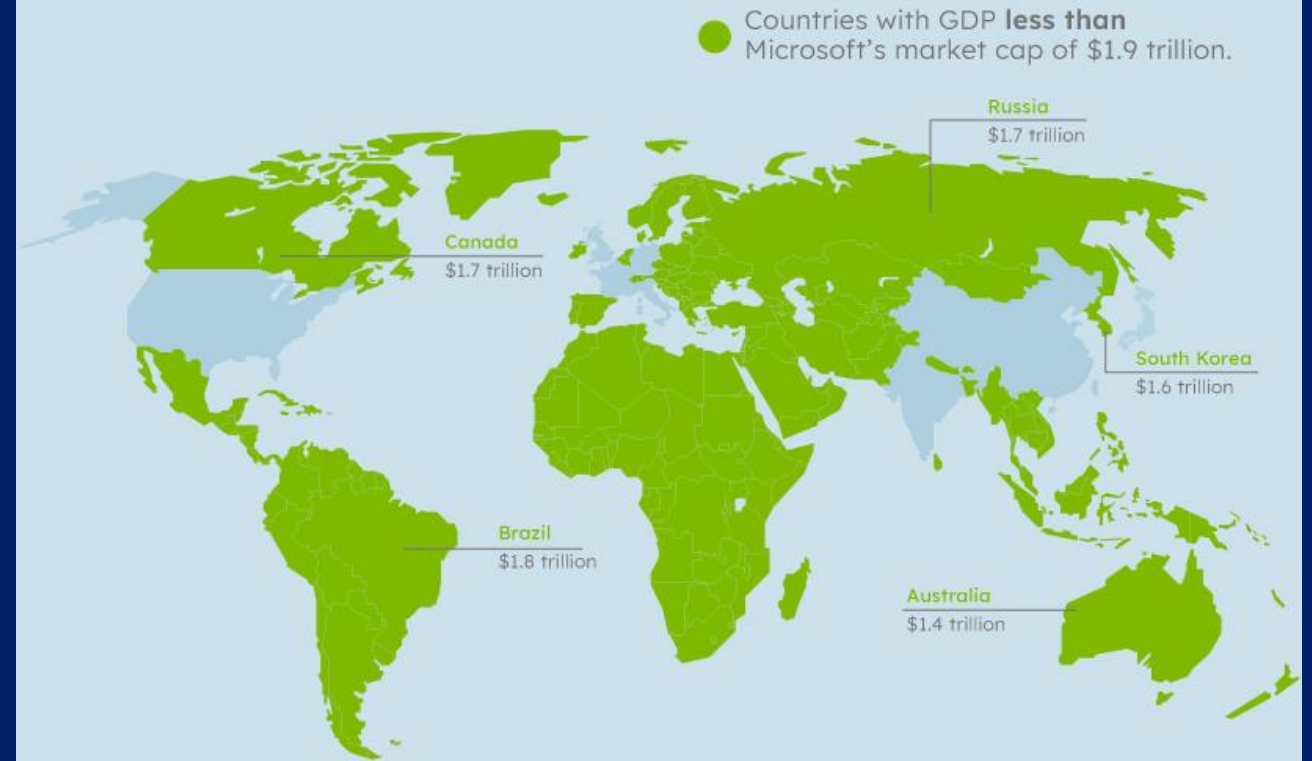
Reports which on Threat Actors motivation and intent

# Cyber Defence: Strategy and policy considerations for the banking sector

1. Characteristics of cyberspace
2. Strategic considerations
3. Courses of action: A practical example
4. Takeaways

# Cyberspace characteristics

## Microsoft MARKET CAP COMPARED TO COUNTRIES' GDPs



Countries closest to Microsoft's market cap:

Source: Mackeeper



# Strategic considerations

- Cyberspace has no borders
- No peace in cyberspace
- Whole of society approach to defence



# Exercising



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**Questions:**

1. What oversight and knowledge does your Government have over backup records and fall-back redundancy systems if your RTGS system (IBESS, in Berylia's case) completely fails?
2. If your country's RTGS has a fall-back system, what tests are conducted, and how often, to ensure that production can be switched over to this?
3. How often are banks in your country required to back up records of transactions? Are there procedures in place to ensure the Confidentiality, Integrity and Availability of these back-ups?

# Takeaways

- Cyberspace cuts through everything
- Your choices matter
- Iterative exercising and mapping is a lifelong process



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