

#### GRASSMARLIN





NSA, IAD, I4 – Fusion, Analysis, and Mitigations



# **Motivating Factors**

- Blue Teams did not conduct assessments on ICS/SCADA networks for risk of physical impact
- Minimum situational awareness of devices connected to ICS/SCADA networks
- Lack of GOTS or COTS solutions specifically designed for this technology space
   How would you passively identify IP-based devices on your ICS/SCADA network?





# **Constraints & Limitations**

- Maintaining ICS/SCADA system availability is paramount
  - Cyber/Physical system faults/failures could result in
    - Loss of life
    - Loss of revenue
    - Loss of equipment
    - Environmental damage
    - Loss of service
- Primary data acquisition PASSIVE







- Enable Blue Team capabilities on live ICS/SCADA IP networks while rigorously managing risk of harm to the network, process, or physical plant
- Ability to run stand-alone, outside a Blue Team
   environment for other DoD customers
- Facilitate the development of an ICS/SCADA Knowledge Base





# What is GRASSMARLIN?

- Passive Network Mapping Tool
- Lightweight, Java Based graphical tool
- Can be used to do some initial analysis work but is <u>not an analysis engine</u>
- Runs in Windows and some versions of Linux
- Two views: Logical and Physical







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- Map IP networks from PCAPs
- Ability to do live capture
- Draws a logical map of connections: both one way and two way connections
- Ability to bring up a specific packet in Wireshark
- All traffic (live or ingested) is run against the knowledge base







# **Knowledge Base**

- Consists of the GeoIP database, fingerprints and Vendor IDs
- Displays the country's flag based on the GeoIP
- Vendor IDs identify the vendor of the Network Interface Card (NIC)
- Currently over 100 fingerprints, but continues to expand as we get more data
- Fingerprints are based on the contents of the individual packet
- Ability for users to create custom fingerprints







#### Current Capabilities Physical View

- Phase 1 of implementation
- Renders a visual representation of the physical network
- The current implementation of the physical view can only be rendered through the ingest of the results of "show" commands.
- Requires the result of three Cisco commands
  - show running-config
  - show ip arp \*OR\* show mac address-table
  - show interfaces





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# **Common Misconceptions**

- GM is currently limited to ingest smaller size pcaps (About half your available memory)
- Cannot ingest GB upon GB of data
- Shows when hosts appear in a network but does not remove the host if the host leaves the network
- Is not meant to turn hosts red or do intrusion detection
- Can only see and map hosts based on where you are capturing data from
- Not an active tool
- Cannot capture serial data







# Questions?



