



CYBER SECURITY

A C-LEVEL & BOARD TOPIC

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AGENDA

Questions to be asked by the Board:

Question 1

Why is cyber security a point of concern?

Question 2

Why is it so difficult to solve?

Question 3

How are we organized?

Question 4

Where do we stand?

Question 5

What's next?

Conclusions



QUESTION 1

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WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM RAISING 'CYBER'

As one of the Top 5 risks

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2nd	Slowing Chinese economy (<6%)	Slowing Chinese economy (<6%)	Flooding	Chronic fiscal imbalances	Chronic fiscal imbalances	Extreme weather events	Extreme weather events	Extreme weather events	Large-scale involuntary migration	Natural disasters	Failure of climate-change mitigation and adaptation
3rd	Chronic disease	Chronic disease	Corruption	Rising greenhouse gas emissions	Rising greenhouse gas emissions	Unemployment and underemployment	Failure of national governance	Failure of climate-change mitigation and adaptation	Major natural disasters	Cyber-attacks	Natural disasters
4th	Global governance gaps	Fiscal crises	Biodiversity loss	Cyber-attacks	Water supply crises	Climate change	State collapse or crisis	Interstate conflict with regional consequences	Large-scale terrorist attacks	Data fraud or theft	Data fraud or theft
5th	Retrenchment from globalization	Global governance gaps	Climate change	Water supply crises	Mismanagement of population	Cyber-attacks	High structural unemployment or underemployment	Major natural catastrophes	Massive incident of data fraud/theft	Failure of climate-change mitigation and adaptation	Cyber-attacks

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FEARS OF SYSTEMIC RISKS



The Cost of NotPetya

In 2017, the malware NotPetya spread from the servers of an unassuming Ukrainian software firm to some of the largest businesses worldwide, paralyzing their operations. Here's a list of the approximate damages reported by some of the worm's biggest victims.

\$870,000,000

Pharmaceutical company Merck

\$400,000,000

Delivery company FedEx (through European subsidiary TNT Express)

\$384,000,000

French construction company Saint-Gobain

\$300,000,000

Danish shipping company Maersk

\$188,000,000

Snack company Mondelez (parent company of Nabisco and Cadbury)

\$129,000,000

British manufacturer Reckitt Benckiser (owner of Lysol and Durex condoms)

\$10 billion

Total damages from NotPetya, as estimated by the White House

INCREASED REGULATORY ATTENTION ...

... and fines

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British Airways's fine
of 230 Mn US Dollar fine
(500€ per record) over GDPR
breach as they 'simply' used
bad javascripts



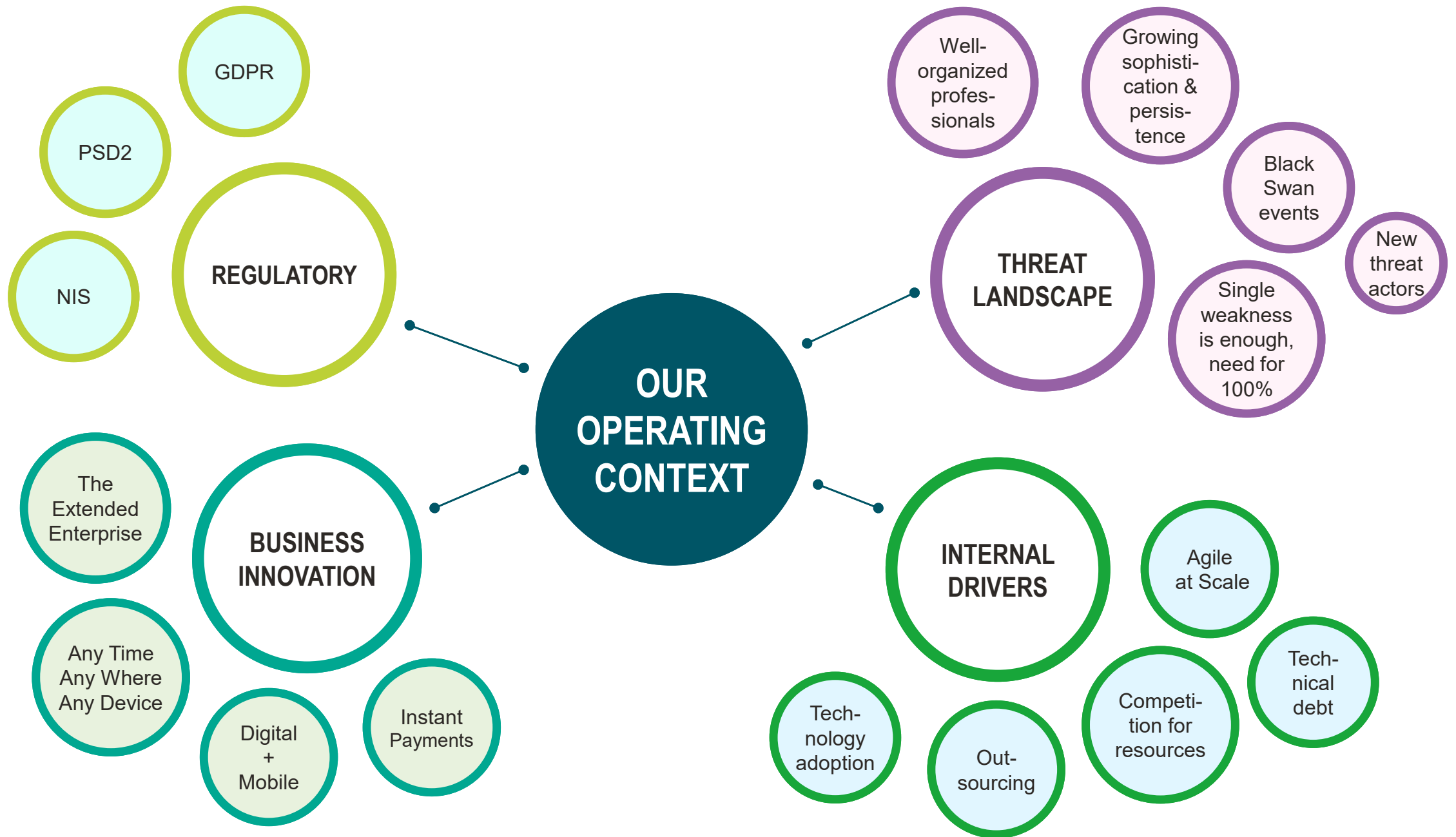


QUESTION 2

WHY IS IT SO DIFFICULT TO SOLVE?

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QUESTION 3

HOW ARE WE ORGANIZED?

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1ST LINE OF DEFENCE



INFORMATION SECURITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM



Project & Architecture Governance:

Projects are systematically supported by an information security architect i.o. to assess the presence of security weaknesses and to adapt the design to avoid them.

New Activity Committee (NAC):

All major changes and new activities are subject to a risk review (incl. cyber) governed by the New Activity Committee (NAC).

Procurement:

Third parties are subject to pre-contractual security checks (including a Data Privacy Impact Assessment); and subject to contractual clauses re. to security, privacy, business continuity, and the right to audit.

Ad hoc risk assessments:

Performed either on demand of an internal client, or at the initiative of the security function.



INFORMATION SECURITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM



CYBER MATURITY PROGRAM

Current

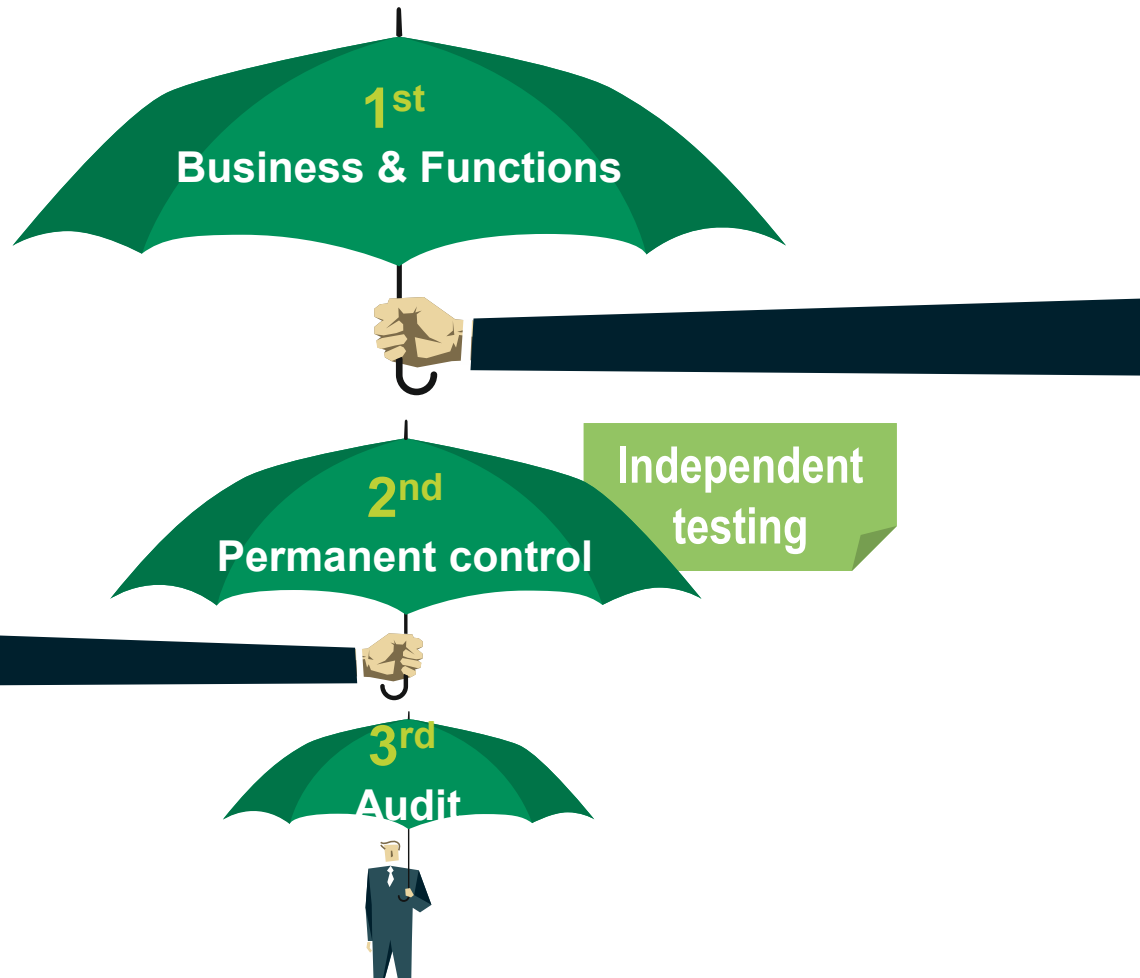
Target

Note: maturity data is for illustrative purposes only, not indicative of actuals

3 LINES OF DEFENCE



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DEFENSE IN DEPTH, ALSO APPLIED AT ORGANISATIONAL LEVEL

FIRST LINE IS COMPLEMENTED BY:

- Permanent Control (= 2nd line of defence)
Provides additional assurance, e.g. by performing independent testing (for ex. red-teaming tests, review of cyber capabilities, ...). And intervenes in New Activity validation process with a risk opinion.
- Audit (= 3rd line of defence)
Performs punctual missions to check the resilience and adequacy of our systems and processes against the risk of cyber threats.
- ExCo and Board
Act as a '4th line of defence'; in particular by having a good mastery of the topic, conveying its importance ('Tone at the Top'), and ensuring that sufficient means are dedicated to the topic



QUESTION 4

WHERE DO WE STAND?

“As board member, I need to understand the major risks we face, the incidents we suffered, and the actions we take to address them.”

“I need to understand whether the budgets are in place to implement those actions.”

RISK BASED APPROACH



DATA LEAKAGE

Data leakage is the unauthorized transmission of data from within an organization to an external destination or recipient. The term can be used to describe data that is transferred electronically or physically (web, email, etc.)



EXTERNAL INTRUSION & SPYING

External attack coming from outside the organization network and leading to compromise a computer system by breaking the security of such a system or causing it to enter into an insecure state



CYBER FRAUD

Cyber fraud refers to any type of deliberate deception for unfair or unlawful gain that occurs online.



SABOTAGE

Unavailability is the situation when an item does not operate correctly at a given time and under specified conditions. A total unavailability will prevent some or all of the users from receiving business services.



MANAGE OPEN WORLD

A set of evolving topics due to new threats resulting from the opening of the traditional IT scope. This includes: Cloud, Mobile, Big Data,...



Key Challenges

Business

Threats

Budget

Resources

Pursue digital transformation whilst ensuring cybersecurity is not left behind (opportunity cost vs cost of incidents)



Further build/advance existing capabilities in a **challenging cost environment**



Stay ahead of (perpetual) adversaries
The intensity of cyber threats continues to grow.



Resource crunch
Demand for cyber skills far outstrips supply



QUESTION 5

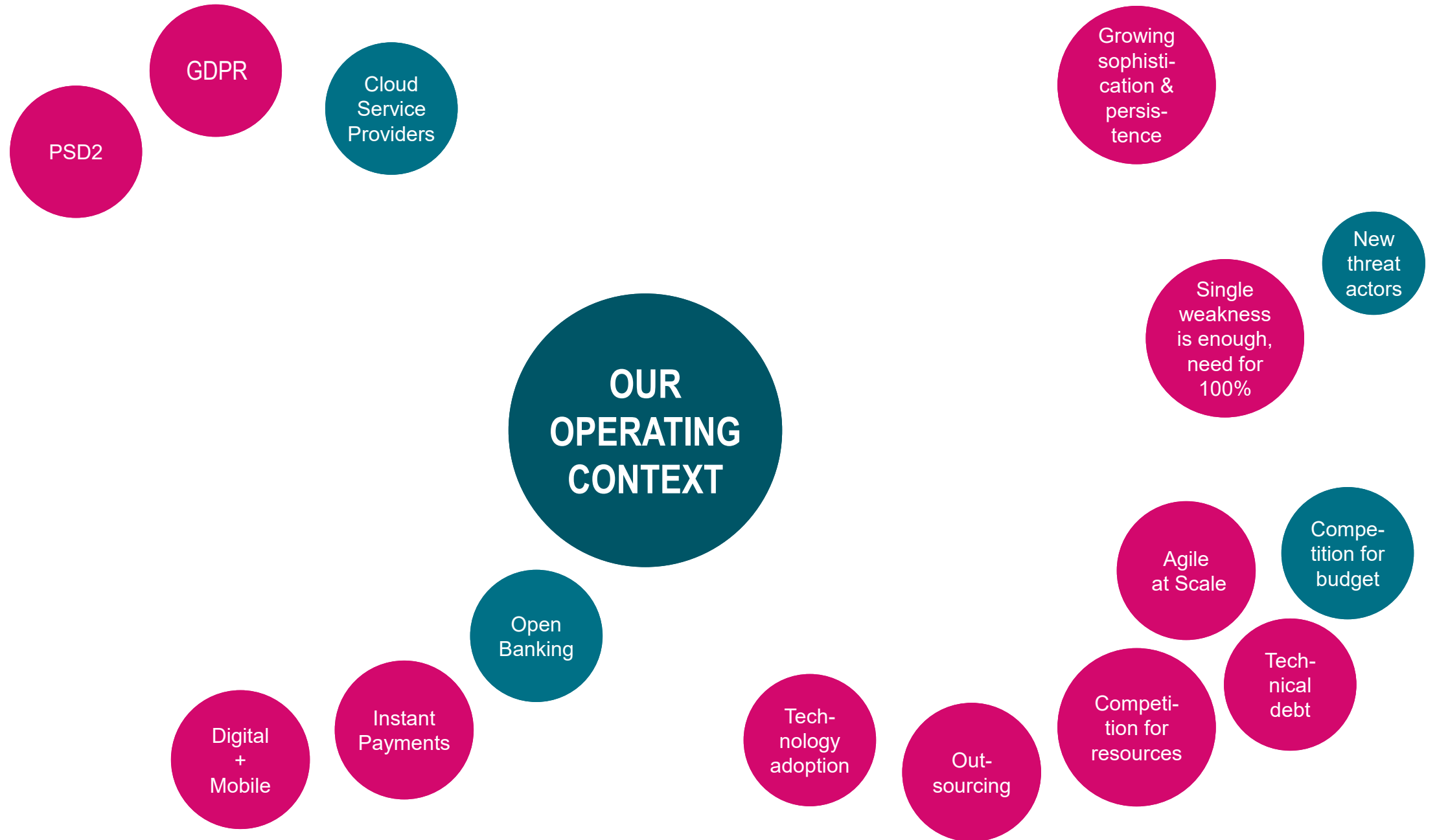
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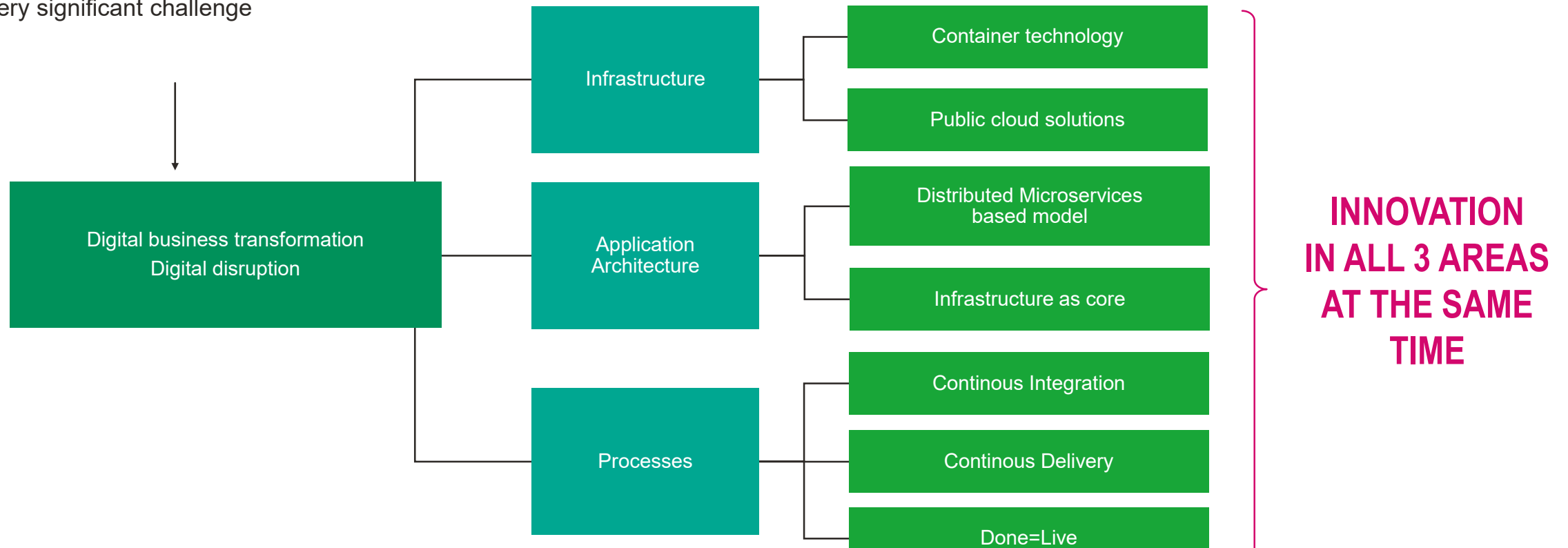
RAINY OUTLOOK



EXAMPLE: # SECDEVOPS

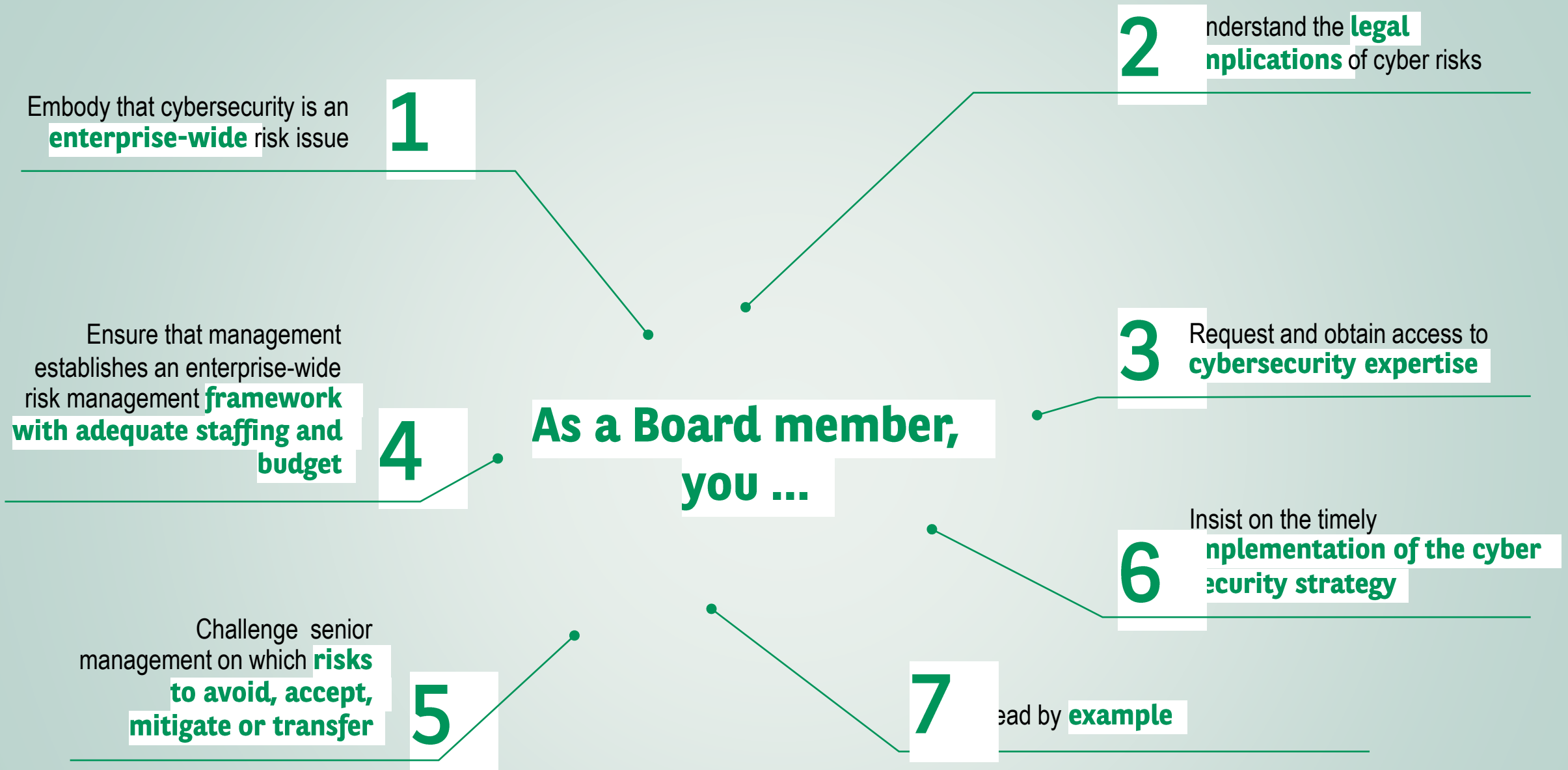
Drivers: reduce time-to-market, keep costs under control and deliver new capabilities and features in an **agile way** to customers.

These imperatives, **combined with major and broad-ranging technology innovation** not seen before, represent a very significant challenge





YOUR ROLE AS A BOARD MEMBER





CONCLUSIONS

The image is a blue-tinted photograph of a broken metal padlock resting on a green printed circuit board (PCB). The padlock is cracked and has a jagged hole in its body. Several semi-transparent Euro symbols (€) are floating in the air around the padlock, suggesting financial loss or damage. The background is the intricate pattern of the PCB.

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The intensity of cyber threats continues to grow. Expected losses are estimated to increase, driven by tail risks.



QUESTION 2

WHY IS IT SO DIFFICULT TO SOLVE?

- “We regularly read / hear about incidents in the press”
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Security is intrinsically a very complex business problem to solve. It involves the whole organization, requires strong top management support, and needs a holistic approach.



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Put a strong expert team in place, with C-level reporting line.

Security is integrated in the change processes of the organization (‘security by design’), and regularly tested.

Define cyber maturity objectives; measure maturity; and make means available to strengthen areas that are not yet at target level.



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Measure progress against stated maturity targets.

Revise the maturity model and capability set at least once per year.



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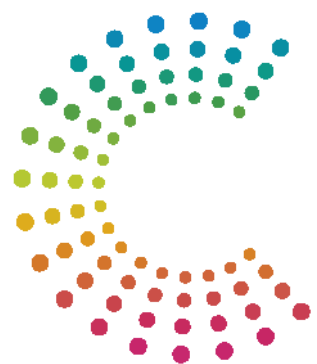
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Your risk outlook is probably ‘rainy’

- Significant security investments are needed to accompany business transformation (digital customer journeys; Agile; supply chains; etc)
- Talent shortages on the job market compound budget reductions

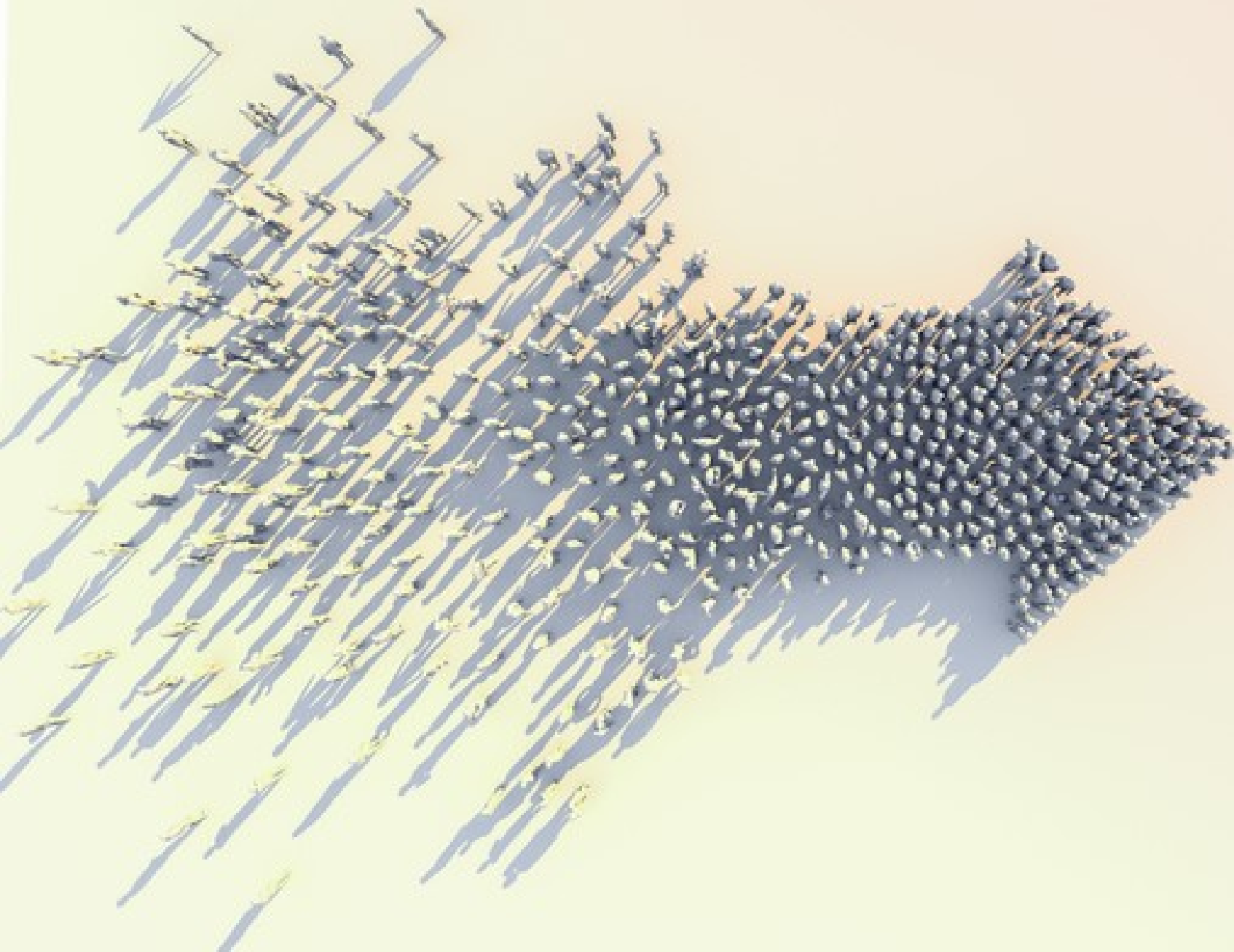
There is no room for complacency

Cyber weaknesses will be exploited; cyber incidents are uncompromising and may be very consequential.



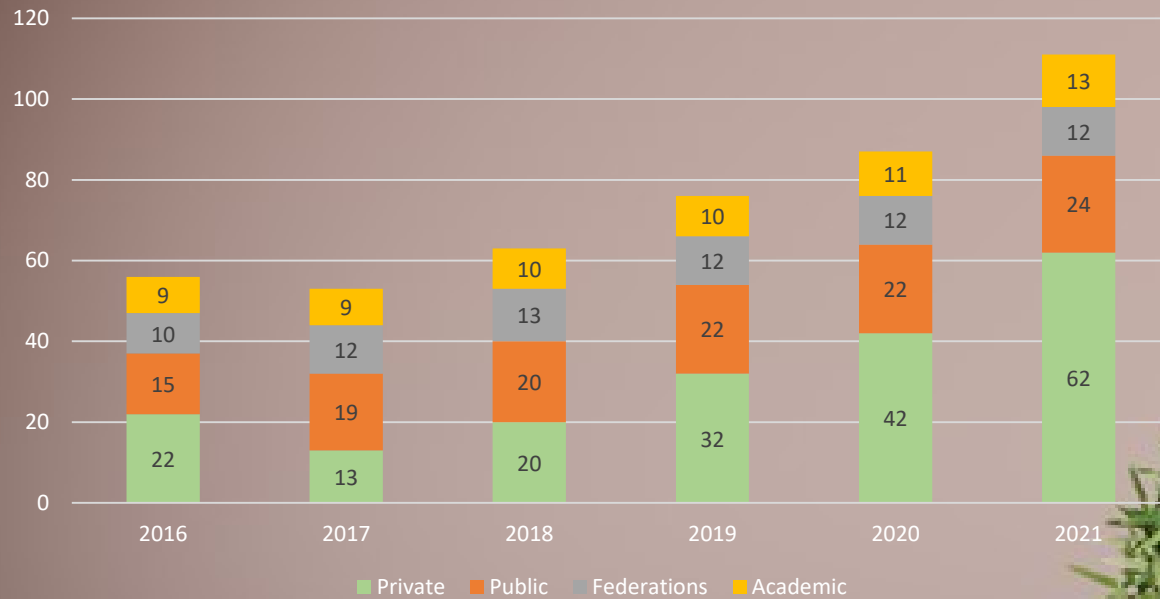
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Our mission is to bolster Belgium's cyber security resilience by building a strong cyber security ecosystem at national level.

A growing community

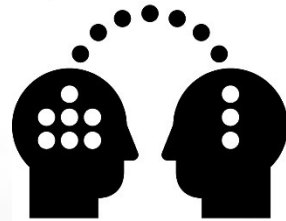


- 107 member organizations
- from Private, Public and Academic sectors
- 4 associate members
- Community self-governance





Experience
sharing



Operational
collaboration



Awareness
raising



Policy
recommendations



bringing together experts & peers
cooperation is key in the fight against cybercrime

Experience Sharing

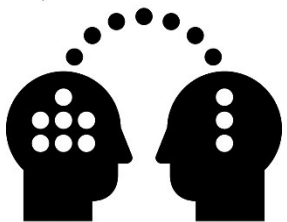
- Connect & build the trust network through events
- Shared capability building & mutual aid
- Sharing information & best practices
- Cyber Security Awareness & Culture Manager training



Operational Collaboration

**Peer-to-peer discussions
in a trusted platform**

- 10 focus groups
- Bringing together experts & peers across sectors
- Focused exchange
- Common actions/ projects



Focus Groups

- Tap into a 'virtual team'
- Experts connect with peers
- Reliable references
- Threat intelligence shared by allies
- Sharing of 'common' assets

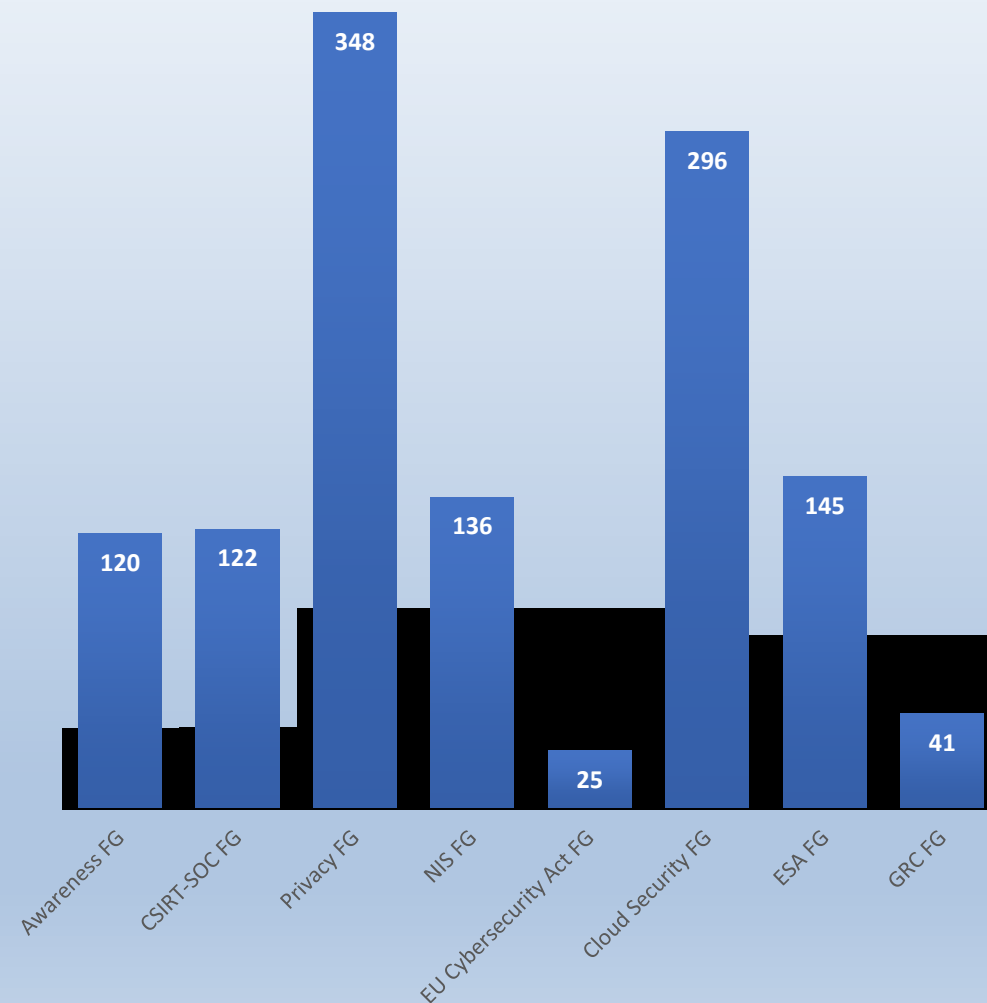
- CSIRT-SOC (2016)
- Awareness (2016)
- Privacy (2017)
- NIS (2017)
- Cloud Security (2018)
- Crypto (2018)
- Enterprise Security Architecture (2019)
- GRC (2019)
- EU Cybersecurity Act (2019)
- OT/ICS Security (2021)

Focus Groups

35 activities
1,233 participations
in events / meetings
(2020)



Participations in Events/ Meetings



Awareness Raising



- Strategic partnership with Centre for Cyber Security Belgium (CCB)
- Preparing 7th national awareness campaign (2021)

**The impact of a joint awareness campaign
is greater than an individual member's efforts**



Awareness Raising



Interactive Cyber Security
E-Learning via Kahoot



Cyber Security Basics for
Starters



Cyber Security KIT



SME Security Scan

- Focus on weakest link in the chain: **SME segment**
- Freely available guidelines/ tools

- Sponsoring cyber security tournaments for students (skills gap in the labour market)



Policy Recommendations



- Coalition is a sounding board for public authorities
- Exchange of implementation practices
- Actions to put cyber security higher on the list of priorities at all governmental levels.



Members: Public & Academic Sector



Members: Private Sector



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