

FCC Broadband Workshop on Cyber Security

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- Understand the threat
 - Not techniques, but intentions and capabilities
- Our adversaries are people
 - They are smart
 - They learn and adapt
 - They can focus more time, energy and resources when and where they choose





The Threat

State Agencies

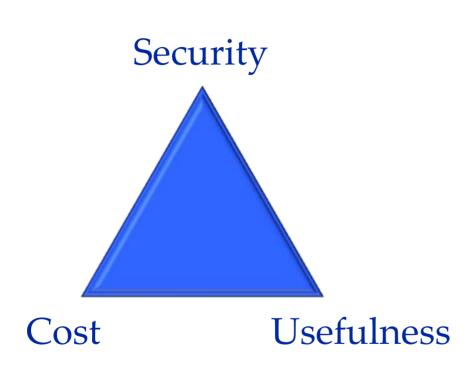
- Espionage diplomatic, military, commercial
- Destruction government, military, critical infrastructure
- Criminals
 - 1 Money

Terrorists

- Espionage
- Destruction/Publicity
- Pseudo State Agencies
 - Harassment
- Hobbyists
 - Notoriety
 - Petty cash







Trade-offs

ROI is "negative" on security investments

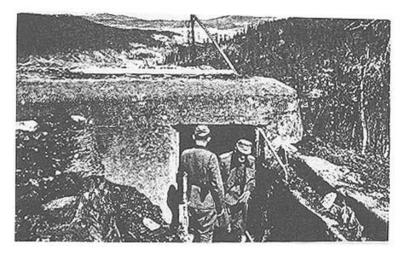
- Return is things that didn't happen
- It is hard to build support for loss of usefulness
- We can't stop everything



Defense In Depth

Technology

- Security products
- Non-security products
- Policy
- People
 - Our adversaries are people
- Physical
 - A backhoe can be more effective than a "sploit"
- Virtual
 - Broadband is used by the attackers and the defenders







Conclusion

- Don't mandate how
 - Too hard/Doesn't work in practice
- Mandate results
 - Not easy, but leverages our strengths

